

GREEK MOVE-IN 2007 Application Process

What is Greek Move-In?

The Ohio Wesleyan Greek community and New Student Orientation have developed a mutually-beneficial and supportive relationship over the years with the Greek Move-In! Greek students will be selected from a pool of applicants to return to OWU a few days early and volunteer a few hours of their day. They will be welcoming new students and parents and lending a hand with the back-and-forth trips from cars and trailers to the residence halls. Not only does the extra set of hands help the new student and his/her family get settled and feel welcome sooner, but it is an incredible opportunity for members of the Greek community to make a positive first impression on new members of the OWU community. When asked (or if the opportunity presents itself) Greek movers are encouraged to talk about their Greek involvement as well as other activities and certainly academic pursuits.

The Greek Move-In Committee is:

Julia Prince, Assistant to Student Involvement
Hilary Holmes, Panhellenic Council/Student Coordinator
Matt Wentzel, Interfraternity Council/Student Coordinator

Greek Mover Job Description

Greek movers serve as ambassadors of Ohio Wesleyan University and the Greek Community. They must demonstrate knowledge of the University, leadership ability, and strong communication skills. Greek movers are invited to share information and experiences concerning Ohio Wesleyan University, the Delaware community, academics, and opportunities for campus involvement and leadership, particularly Greek life. Greek movers must be willing to be helpful to new students and families at all times—whether it is pointing them in the right direction to their residence hall or helping carry items from the car to a student's room.

Phase I: Application and Recommendations

Your completed application, written response, and self-evaluation form is due on Thursday, April 26, 2007 to the Student Activities Office (Panhellenic Council Box). We will review all applications and contact applicants by Monday, April 30, 2006.

Important Dates

YOU CAN MOVE IN: *Tuesday August 21, 2007*

YOU MOVE THEM (THE NEW STUDENTS) ON:

- *Wednesday, August 22, 2007 from 9:00 am – 5:00 pm (subject to change).*
 - o *We may do shifts if it is going to be this long.*

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Part 1: Personal Information

Name: _____ OWU ID Number: _____

Greek Org.: _____ Campus Address: _____

HWCC Box: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail: _____ G.P.A.: _____ (must be = or >2.0)

I give permission for Panhellenic Council and Interfraternity Council to check my spring semester grades: _____ Date: _____

Major(s): _____

Class Standing for Fall Semester 2007: _____

Hometown: _____ T-shirt Size: _____

Summer address: _____

Part 2: Written Response

1. Please answer the following questions on separate sheets of paper. Your responses should be limited to **no more** than 1 double-spaced (total), typed pages.

- A) Why do you want to be a Greek mover for Freshman Orientation **and** how do you think Greek Move-In benefits both New Student Orientation and Greek Life?
- B) Please list your Greek Involvement



Part 3: Self-Evaluation

Greek Movers, in addition to being helpful with their hands, must be helpful in other ways by demonstrating knowledge of the university, leadership ability, and strong communication skills, including the ability to engage in one-on-one conversations.

Please use this evaluation form to openly and honestly evaluate your perceived PRESENT level of proficiency in the following areas.

Knowledge of Ohio Wesleyan

___ Excellent ___ Very Good ___ Good ___ Marginal ___ Unacceptable ___ N/A

Enthusiasm about OWU

___ Excellent ___ Very Good ___ Good ___ Marginal ___ Unacceptable ___ N/A

Enthusiasm about contributing to the betterment of the Greek community in general

___ Excellent ___ Very Good ___ Good ___ Marginal ___ Unacceptable ___ N/A

Leadership ability

___ Excellent ___ Very Good ___ Good ___ Marginal ___ Unacceptable ___ N/A

Commitment to the academic climate

___ Excellent ___ Very Good ___ Good ___ Marginal ___ Unacceptable ___ N/A

Appreciation of diversity (ethnic, socioeconomic, spiritual, lifestyle, geographical, etc.)

___ Excellent ___ Very Good ___ Good ___ Marginal ___ Unacceptable ___ N/A

Communication skills

___ Excellent ___ Very Good ___ Good ___ Marginal ___ Unacceptable ___ N/A

Part 4: Conditions

As Freshmen Orientation takes a new shape this year, the expectations for Greek Movers are changing too. A \$10.00 fee (women only) must be collected by May 5, 2007. No late payments will be collected. This fee will go towards t-shirts, food, and water for move-in.

Greek Movers are expected to be present during the normal move-in time from 9 am- 4pm on Wednesday August 22, 2007. Failure to show up and work will result in the loss of the privilege to move onto campus early, and therefore you will receive the normal charges from Residential Life. In addition to this time, Greek Movers will be expected to help get things together (such as Welcome Kits) and place them in the proper rooms before students arrive on campus. This will require you be available the afternoon of Tuesday August 21, 2007 and the morning of Wednesday August 22, 2007. Also, there will be a required Back to School BBQ with IFC and Panhel on Wednesday, August 29, 2007. Finally, Panhellenic members will be required to attend an Orientation open house on Sunday, August 26 at 3 pm.

In addition, Greek-Movers are expected to be substance free while working so as to best represent the Greek Community at Ohio Wesleyan University.

If selected, I agree to follow the conditions stipulated during Greek Move-In.

Signature: _____

Date: _____