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Dear SUNY Delhi Parents and Family Members:

I hope you will join us for a weekend of fun and excitement at Family Weekend – “You Are SUNY Delhi” on Saturday, September 23rd – Sunday, September 24th. Family Weekend is a very popular campus tradition, with many families returning every year to enjoy the activities on and off campus with their student during the beautiful fall season in upstate New York. Transportation will be provided to the off-campus Harvest Festival in the Village and the Cruise-In Car Show on the lower campus.

Activities start at 10 am and continue throughout the day. Back by popular demand will be the Herps Alive Reptile and Amphibian Show with Keith Gisser, comedian and Guinness World Record® balloon sculptor John Cassidy, chainsaw art wood carving, a Horse Drawn Wagon Ride, and Think Fast, a family game show and many other fun activities. Parents of students on the Dean’s List can attend an awards reception and sports fans can cheer on the Men’s and Women’s Soccer Teams. All are invited to take advantage of the campus pool and Fitness Center. Families will be able to take home a professional photo souvenir of their visit and children will enjoy a number of activities planned especially for them.

The day culminates with the Family Day Feast, which features Brooks chicken and ribs, from 3:30 pm – 6:00 pm at the Clark Field House. Families can dine together before enjoying the main attraction, Joel Meyers, Comedy Magician, an up and coming interactive illusionist who has already taken the world by storm. Joel performs a progressive brand of magic with ordinary objects for audiences of all types worldwide. He has been seen on “America’s Got Talent,” “Penn and Teller’s Fool Us,” and “FakeOFF” on TruTV so this is a show you won’t want to miss.

Family Weekend reservations can be made online at www.delhi.edu/family, or by returning the enclosed reservation form by fax or mail. Please note the **second side of the reservation form** is for those who would like to sign up for the Family Weekend Golf Outing on the area’s premier College Golf Course. ***The mail-in reservation deadline for both Family Weekend and the golf outing is Friday, September 15th.***

If you plan to spend Friday or Saturday night locally, please be sure to book your overnight accommodations as soon as possible since area hotels fill up quickly. A list of accommodations can be found on the Family Weekend or Parents webpage. For those families who will be staying overnight, there will be evening showings of the film, “Despicable Me 3”. On Sunday morning, a special Brunch will be served in MacDonald Dining Center from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm. The cost is an additional \$8.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children under 12. Tickets can be purchased in the dining hall or students can use their guest meals to take their families to brunch.

Family Weekend ticket prices include the delicious Saturday Feast, all activities and entertainment (except golf) and the shuttle service. ***Advance reservations are required by Friday, September 15th.*** SUNY Delhi students can use their meal plans for the Family Day Feast, with details listed on the registration form. Tickets and wristbands, needed for admission to most of the day’s activities, **will be held in your student’s name at the check-in table from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm on the Alumni Hall Porch.**

We hope you can join us for one of SUNY Delhi’s most festive and memorable annual events. Please be sure to review the important information about Greek Life on the reverse side of this letter. If you have questions, please call the Family Weekend Help Line at 607-746-4840 or email us at familyweekend@delhi.edu. I look forward to seeing you on campus soon!

Sincerely,

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Vice President for Student Life

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