The Residence Life staff hopes you are enjoying your summer whether you’ve been working, traveling, studying abroad or just relaxing! Campus has been busy with Governor’s School East and many conferences. Although the campus has had lots of visitors, we are looking forward to having our students back on campus with us!

Move-In Information

For returning and new residents, move-in starts on Sunday, **August 9th, 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** Classes begin on August 19th.

**Check-In:** All residents arriving on August 9th will report to the Oaks 1st floor Parlor to check in, pick up keys and complete paperwork. If you have not already submitted your $200 security deposit, you will need to do so before you are able to receive your keys.

Don’t forget your hand truck! Having something with wheels can make moving big boxes easier and is one way to make your move a smooth process.

Be sure to carry your CamCard, too!

Early Arrivals

Early arrival is available at an additional charge of $25 per night. If you need to check into your assignment prior to August 9th we do offer early arrival on Saturday August 8th. Please contact Stephanie Webb, Apartment Manager, via oaks@meredith.edu to indicate your Early Arrival need.

**Early arrival check in (2nd Floor, Cate Center):**  **August 8th, 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.,** $25 fee due at time of arrival to receive your apartment keys.

What is My Apartment Assignment??

Included with this newsletter is an apartment assignment letter giving your apartment number, as well as your apartment mates and contact information.

Please check over this information and make sure it is correct. If it isn’t, please contact the Oaks Apartment Manager at oaks@meredith.edu, or by calling the office at 919-760-8506.

Information about the Oaks

The Oaks apartments house juniors and seniors. Units are completely furnished, with living, dining and bedroom furniture including a full-size bed, and full-size appliances including a washer, dryer, microwave and dishwasher.

See photos and more information on our web site!  http://www.meredith.edu/student_life/residence_life and click on Apartment Style Housing.

As a reminder, all furniture in the apartment must remain in the apartment.

Interested in Leadership?

Join the Residents Housing Association!

The Residents Housing Association is looking for residents to fill positions!! RHA is looking for Residence Representatives for the Oaks. If you are interested, email Ashley Byrnes, RHA Chair, at rha@email.meredith.edu.
As a reminder, the Oaks Rental Agreement is a **12 MONTH** agreement.

### 2015-2016 Rental Rates

#### 2 Bedroom/2 Bathroom Units
- **Fall & Spring Terms**: $4425 per person, per semester
- **Summer Term**: $1770 per person

#### 4 Bedroom/2 Bathroom Units
- **Fall & Spring Terms**: $3750 per person, per semester
- **Summer Term**: $1500 per person

The Rental Agreement includes 3 billing cycles: Fall, Spring and Summer.

Rent charges for the Fall and Spring are included along with tuition and other institutional charges on Tenant’s statement of account.

**Billing Dates**: Charges for Fall, Spring and Summer will be made in advance of each semester. (i.e. Fall will be billed prior to the start of the Fall semester.) All charges are billed to the student’s account.

Any questions about apartment billing can be directed to Stephanie, the Oaks Apartment Manager.

### Not Returning to Meredith?

If you are not planning to return to Meredith College, contact the Dean of Students office to complete a withdrawal form or the Registrar’s office to complete Leave of Absence paperwork.

The withdrawal form can be found at [http://www.meredith.edu/images/uploads/docs/Registrar_withdrawfrm0812.pdf](http://www.meredith.edu/images/uploads/docs/Registrar_withdrawfrm0812.pdf) and the leave of absence form can be found at [http://www.meredith.edu/images/uploads/loaform0812.pdf](http://www.meredith.edu/images/uploads/loaform0812.pdf). It is helpful if you also contact the Office of Residence Life to let us know you are not returning in order for us to get our records as correct as possible before move-in.

### Angels on the Move

Each year upperclass students are recruited to help new students move into their residence halls. Angels on the Move are current students who want to welcome the Class of 2019 and lend a hand with getting boxes, bags and clothes to the student’s room.

If you are interested in being a part of Angels on the Move, email Stephanie Webb, the Oaks Apartment Manager, at oaks@meredith.edu. She is organizing the volunteers and providing instructions.

The Class of 2019 moves in on Saturday August 15th between 8:00am and noon!

### Things to Leave at Home…

Below are a few items not permitted in the Oaks. For a complete list please see the Guide to On-Campus Living in the Student Handbook.

- Candles & Wax Warmers
- Incense
- Holiday Lights (unless battery operated)

If you have any questions about moving on campus, the Oaks Apartment Manager can be contacted at either oaks@meredith.edu or 919-760-8506.

The Office of Residence Life can be contacted either through email, reslife@meredith.edu or at 919-760-8633.

The Residence Life Office summer hours are Monday through Thursday, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. and Friday, 8:00 a.m. – noon

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**Enjoy the rest of your summer! See you soon!**