

Aggie Reader

Student Housing Apartments



October 1: Rec Sports registration opens
October 8: Room transfer begins
October 9: 10-day drop deadline
October 11: Last day to wait list/add course
October 23: 20-day drop deadline
October 30: Last day to opt for P/NP



Welcome to the Aggie Reader!

Hello Aggie, we hope your first weekend with us here at UC Davis went fabulous! Now time to hit the books.

Reminder, room transfer begins October 8.

In this issue you will also learn about room changes, computer centers, Resource of the Week, UC Davis Study Abroad, all you need to know about Biking at UC Davis and more!

Want to know how to get your voice heard? Become a Resident Consultant! Get involved and make a change.

Community Assistant Corner

Hi Friends! We hope everyone had a great welcome week!

As we start the quarter, make sure to check your emails daily, set up your google calendars with your schedules, or start writing in your planners to help you get organized and prepared.

The SHA Communications Committee is here to connect you to upcoming events and helpful resources in collaboration with the Aggie Reader and our social media groups. We look forward to connecting you to Davis. If you have ideas or think SHA Communications Committee should feature something, feel free to connect with us.

Have a good week everyone. :)

Sincerely,

Room Changes

If you are interested in changing your room, you can submit an online room change request beginning at **9 a.m. on October 8**. To access the room change request form, please log in to your Student Housing Portal and click Room Change: <https://ucdavis.starrezhousing.com/StarRezPortal/>.

Computer Centers

Did you know you have access to the Computer Centers located in each of the three on campus housing areas? To find out about services provided through the computer centers, check out our website [here](#).

Locations

- Segundo: Segundo Services Center, Second Floor
- Tercero: Tercero Services Center, First Floor
- Cuarto: Emerson Hall, "grass-side", across from Room 104

Hours of Operation

- Computer Centers are open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- A Student ID Card is necessary to access the Computer Center
- Please note: Computer Centers are staffed at various hours throughout the week, but are not staffed 24/7

Ethernet Ports at Primero Grove

We have received inquiries about Ethernet ports at Primero Grove. Please note that internet access at Primero Grove is wireless and provided through Eduroam, as stated on the Student Housing website and your assignment page. In many apartments, one Ethernet port is also available, but this is not guaranteed, and the location of the port cannot be changed.

Dining Services



Limited Time Offer

This week is your last chance to try the beer battered Cod Sandwich from the Spokes Grill! On Monday, October 8 there will be a new burger offered for only two weeks.

Make sure to stop by and check out their new menu.



October is Fair Trade Month!

Dining Services supports people and the environment by serving all fair trade coffee in the markets, dining commons and Peet's. Celebrate Fair Trade Month by getting yourself a cup of joe, and look for fair trade icons.

Meal Plans and Aggie Cash

Need more insight on meal plans and Aggie Cash? We have you covered.

Students who live in Student Housing Apartments (SHA) may select a dining program specifically tailored to them. Keep in mind a meal plan is **not** required - they're completely optional, however, is offered as part of your SHA Contract. Each meal plan comes with \$200 Aggie Cash per quarter. Balances roll over quarter-to-quarter and **expire at the end of the academic year**. For those that currently have a meal plan, you may change your meal plan starting **December 1**.

How does it work? Aggie Cash account holders make purchases at on-campus retail food locations using their Aggie Card just as one would using a bank debit card. Balance transactions are deducted from the Aggie Cash account, until the account is exhausted.

Aggie Cash PLUS can be purchased at the Meal Card Office, these roll over year-to-year and stays with you until you graduate.

The Meal Card Office is located on the 3rd floor of the Segundo Services Center and can be reached by telephone at 530-752-6335.

Have some fun with your Aggie Cash, use it at the Aggie Stadium-concessions, all the UC area Markets, Peet's, Scrubs, Silo, Coffee House, all campus food trucks and much more!
Sorry the Bookstore does not take Aggie Cash.

If you have further questions please refer to our Student Housing website at:
studenthousing@ucdavis.edu/dining/aggie-cash/

Resource of the Week: Aggie Compass



Aggie Compass is your one stop shop for any assistance with financial, housing, nutrition or psychological needs. The wonderful staff can direct you to resources that are not publicly available and there is a full time employee to process CalFresh applications at UC Davis.

Monday–Friday: 9 AM–5 PM
Saturday–Sunday: Closed
East Wing, Memorial Union, next to The Market
(530) 752-9254
compass@ucdavis.edu

Rec Sports



All SHA residents participating in the Rec Sports program will be provided with a coupon code for a **free** annual Rec Sports One Pass. The coupon code will be sent out at a later date. However, you are still able to register and get added to a roster without the pass on IM Track.

If you have already purchased a pass online, you will be eligible for a refund. Please email Rec Sports Coordinator, Ben Dao, bddao@ucdavis.edu with your name and ID number, and let him know you bought a pass as an SHA student, and he will process a refund

Things to Do this Week: Attend a Workshop

Study Smarter, Not Harder

- **October 2, 2:10 to 3 p.m. at South Hall Rm 114**
- How do you know what you know? How do you prepare for exams? Let's discuss strategies that can help make study sessions more effective and efficient.

Study Abroad and Internship Fair

- **October 4, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Quad**
- Do you want to study abroad during your time here at UC Davis? Start with planning now!

Fun Fact

In the 2017- 2018 year, UC Davis faculty and students were awarded \$836 million dollars in research funding.

Connect with your TA's and Professors on how you can participate in their research!

Become A Resident Consultant

OCT 11	Intro to Resident Consultant Program Featuring Olive & Vine Catering <i>Housing Administrative Building Room 173</i>
NOV 8	Exploring Food options at the Silo <i>The Gunrock</i>
DEC 6	Meeting followed by Taste Meal: Flavors of Asia <i>Tercero DC 1st Floor</i>
JAN 17	Meeting followed by Taste Meal: Road Trip USA <i>Tercero DC 1st Floor</i>
FEB 7	Meeting followed by Taste Meal: Passport to South America <i>Tercero DC 1st Floor</i>
MAR 13	Meeting followed by Taste Meal: Backpacking Across Europe <i>Tercero DC 1st Floor</i>
APR 11	Intro to the Chef Table <i>Srubs Cafe</i>
MAY 10	Meet and greet with Student Farms <i>Cuarto DC 2nd Floor</i>

**Make Student
Housing Better!**



All meetings start
at 2 p.m.

*Be a voice for residents
as we plan for the future of
Student Housing and Dining Services*

Be a voice for residents as we plan for the future of Student Housing and Dining Services. Our first meeting will be on October 11 where we will be featuring the new UC Davis Olive & Vine Catering. Unable to attend the first meeting? No worries, newcomers are welcome at any time.

Open to all students living the Residence Halls and Student Housing Apartments.

Recent Crimes in Davis

On Sunday morning, a crime report was widely distributed. This crime occurred in parking lot 47, which

is next to the Tercero Area. Please know that UC Davis and Student Housing and Dining Services take safety very seriously. Below is a summary of actions you may take and resources you can reach out to increase safety.

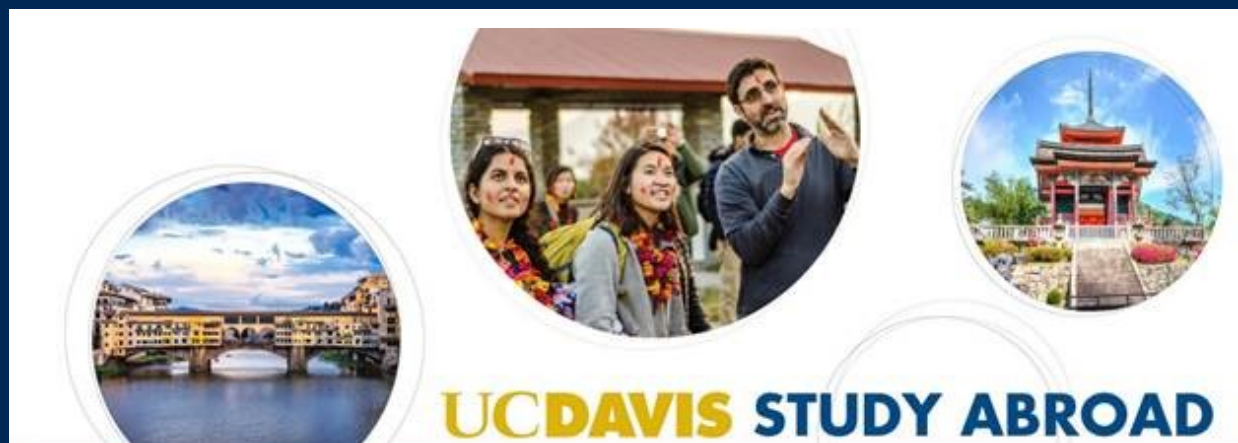
- Your Community Assistants are available as resource, don't hesitate to reach out to them
- Report suspicious activities to your CA, Coordinator of Apartment Living, or any Student Housing and Dining Services staff
- UC Davis has an emergency alert system, *WarnMe*

Helpful Resources:

- UC Davis Police Department provides a **Student Safe Ride Program**, available during the evening hours.
 - You can download the Safe Ride app (available on iOS and Android)
 - Or call them at **530-754-COPS (2677)**
- Campus police direct phone number **530-754-COPS (2677)**
- In case of an emergency, call **911**
- Student Health and Counseling Services, provides medical and mental health services, call **530-752-2349**
- Center for Advocacy and Education (CARE), nationally recognized for its work to reduce incidents of sexual assault and serve survivors, call **530-752-3299**

Creating a safe environment requires a community commitment. If you see any areas of vulnerability that need to be addressed or if you have any concerns, please reach out to your RA, coordinators, or any Student Housing and Dining Services staff.

UC Davis Study Abroad



Need help planning your study abroad experience?

Check out all the upcoming [Study Abroad Info Sessions](#) at the [International](#) Center.

Visit the [Study Abroad & Internship Fair](#) on Thursday, October 4th at the West Quad (11:00 am to 2:00 pm, [Facebook RSVP](#)). UC Davis Study Abroad will distribute [Study Abroad Awards](#) this year (typical awards are \$500 to \$2000). Check out our website and sign up to be notified about events, deadlines, and scholarship opportunities: <https://studyabroad.ucdavis.edu>

IMPORTANT DATES AND DEADLINES

- The enrollment period for UC Davis Quarter Abroad Spring 2018 programs will open Thursday (September 27 – December 8, 2018)! Check out our programs in: [Japan](#), [Spain](#), [Taiwan](#), and [UK—London](#). [Start your enrollment](#).

UPCOMING STUDY ABROAD WORKSHOPS & INFO SESSIONS

Study abroad & Internship Fair

Thursday, October 4, 11am-2pm, West Quad ([Full Details](#))

Fair-Day Workshops- Student Community Center

- "Financial Aid for Study Abroad" 10 – 11 a.m., SCC Room D
- "International Scholarships to Study Abroad" 12 – 1 p.m., MU Garrison

- “Interning Abroad: From Start to Depart” 1 – 2 p.m., MU Garrison
- “SpokenWorld: Telling Our Global UC Davis Stories” 2 – 3 p.m., MU Garrison
- “Service-Learning Abroad: Why, Where, and How” 2 – 3 p.m., MU Fielder

Quarter Abroad Taiwan, “Pharmaceutical Chemistry in Taipei”

Tuesday, October 9, 12 p.m., International Center 2119 ([Program Details](#))

Quarter Abroad UK, “British Culture & Internships in London”

Wednesday, October 4, 3:30 p.m., International Center 2119 ([Program Details](#))

UC Davis Study Abroad Award Writing Workshops

Wednesday, October 11, 1-2 p.m., International Center 2119 ([Program Details](#))

Quarter Abroad Spain, “Spanish Language & Culture in Madrid”

Wednesday, October 18, 12 p.m., International Center 2119 ([Program Details](#))

Quarter Abroad Japan, “Japanese Language & Culture in Kyoto”

Wednesday, October 18, 4 p.m., International Center 2119 ([Program Details](#))

Additional Quick-link Resources

- [All UC Davis Study Abroad Programs](#)
- [Summer Abroad 2019 Programs Announced](#)
- [Study Abroad Scholarships](#)

Biking at UC Davis: The First Quarter Need-to-Know

UC Davis Transportation Services welcomes our incoming class to the Aggie Family. The following are a few tips to help you transition as quickly and smoothly as possible into the campus transportation system.

REGISTER YOUR BIKE | UC Davis mandates that all bicycles ridden on campus are registered using the California Bicycle License at the Transportation Services Office or at other pop-up registration areas. The process is fairly quick but lines can be long at the beginning of the year given the volume of new bicycles being registered. To expedite the process, bring cash (\$12) to pay the registration fee and do not arrive in a large group. In fact, consider postponing registration until October to ensure a smooth and quick experience.

Bike licenses may be purchased during regular business hours at 200 N. Dairy Road (next to Hutchinson Field) or at the Transportation Services/goClub tent during the Fall Resource Fair, Monday, September 24, 2018, from 5-8 p.m. at Hutchinson Field.

LOCK UP YOUR BIKE | “I was gone for just a few minutes” is a well-known cry of a first-time bike theft victim, so remember that any lock is better than no lock. Of course, we Aggies aspire to be the best, so secure your bike in the best way possible: Use a U-lock to secure both a wheel and a part of the frame to an official campus bike rack. If you don’t have a U-lock and must use a chain or cable, wrap up that excess slack super tight so that a thief will have to work extra hard to cut it (or just walk away!).

GETTING AROUND OUR ROUNDABOUTS | Lastly, we have many roundabouts/traffic circles on campus. They allow for traffic to continue to flow instead of forcing a 4-way stop. Please remember that while they help you to keep moving, you need to slow down when entering a roundabout.

Welcome again and for an even more in-depth understanding of biking at UC Davis, please check out our video here: vimeo.com/75059452

Sustainability



[Take the #MyLastCup Pledge!](#)

Did you know 120 billion disposable cups are used by Americans each year? Placed end to end, this would be enough to circle the equator almost 333 times! Take action to reduce waste and make your next piece of waste be #MyLastCup.



Take action:

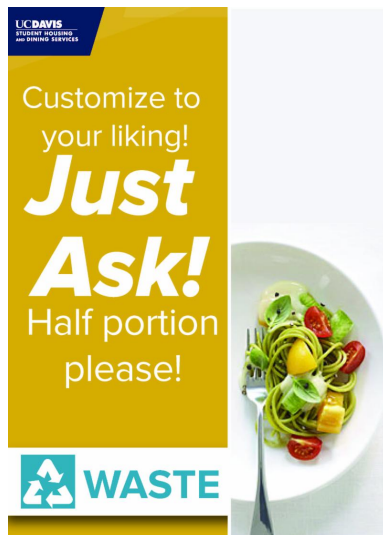
- Take the pledge! Visit tiny.cc/mylastcup
- Bring your reusable SHDS beverage container into the DCs to fill up with a drink to go
- Bring your own reusable cup with you. Pro-tip: you can even get a small discount for using a reusable beverage container at locations on campus, including Peet's and the CoHo
- Use the bottle refill stations [in the Res Halls](#) and [on campus](#) to stay hydrated waste-free!

Dining Sustainably in the DCs

Did you know... the UC system has a goal to procure 20 percent sustainable food products by the year 2020. Student Housing and Dining Services strives to source sustainable food options such as local, organic, fair trade, and many more when available. Look for [sustainable food icons](#) on the menu signage to help build a sustainable plate your way!

The Dining Commons has implemented two programs in an effort to reduce food waste that you can participate in.

- Just Ask! - Customize your meal to your liking. For example, if you do not want a hamburger bun served with your hamburger or you want a half portion, just ask the server that is dishing up the meals and they will gladly customize it for you.
- Try A Taste! – Want to sample the meal before committing to the whole plate? We recommend you try it first. Just ask the server for a sample and they will provide one for you. Don't see a sample spoon? Ask the serve for sample.



Questions or comments? Email sustainablehousing@ucdavis.edu

Get Involved!

**Hillel House, University Religious Council
Simchat Torah Shabbat
Friday, October 5
6:30 - 9:00 p.m.
Hillel House, 328 A St.**

Come enjoy delicious "rolled foods" in honor of Simchat Torah (when we roll the Torah from the end to the beginning) and hear the story of our beautiful Torah. 6:30 p.m. - T'filah (student-led services), dinner immediately following.

RSVP by Wednesday, October 3 at 3:00 p.m. on Facebook (Hillel at Davis & Sacramento) or office@hillelhouse.org

Contact Debbie Gritts, administrator@hillelhouse.org or (530) 756-3708 for more info.

**Indian Student Association at UC Davis
ISA Fall Quarter General Meeting
Monday, October 8
7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
2205 Haring Hall**

Come kick off the new year by meeting the Indian Student Association at UC Davis! General Meeting is where you'll be able to learn more about ISA, how you can get involved, and what we have in store for the rest of the year! You'll also be able to connect with new and returning UC Davis students and other API&ME/SA (Asian Pacific Islander & Middle Eastern/South Asian) organizations that will be tabling at our event.

Please don't hesitate to reach out with questions or concerns at ucdisa@gmail.com



Agathon: Dance Marathon at UC Davis

We are in this movement at UC Davis! Agathon is an organization on campus that helps fundraise for

the UC Davis Children's Hospital, and *every dollar* that the Davis community raises will fund a variety of programs benefiting children at the hospital. The Marathon brings everyone together in the Davis community and features games, activities, performances, food, and, of course, dancing! (Ps: You do *not* need to know how to dance to attend).

Register TODAY to Agathon's Dance Marathon event to help support the kids! Once you have registered, you will have your own personal FUNdraising page to help you keep track of your progress!

Be part of the #forthekids movement today!

<https://events.dancemarathon.com/event/UCDagathon2019>

How to get involved?

Visit UC Davis AggieLife —> Agathon. & click JOIN

<https://aggielife.ucdavis.edu>

FOR THE KIDS!

Health and Education Program

Love Lab

1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Activities and Recreation Center (ARC)

Stop and see the Love Lab for safer sex supplies, resources and information!

SouthEast Asian Retreat (SEAR) 2018

Lost at SEA? I'm Not Shore!

Oct 13th (Sat) | Community of the Great
to Oct 14 (Sun) | Commission, Foresthill, CA

Apply to be a part of SEAR!

Participants | Open till Oct 7

tinyurl.com/SEAR2018participant

Mentors | Open till Sept 30

tinyurl.com/SEAR2018mentor

Workshop Facilitators | Open till Oct 5

tinyurl.com/SEAR2018workshop

Contact srrc.safe@gmail.com for more info



SouthEast Asian Retreat (SEAR)
Community of the Great Commission in Foresthill, CA
October 13-14

An opportunity for students who identify as Southeast Asian to find their community and navigate culture, leadership, and resources at UC Davis.

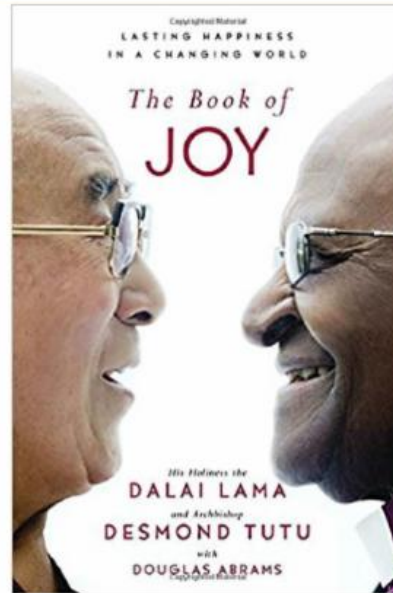
The Book of Joy:
Lasting Happiness in a Changing World
The Dalai Lama, Desmond Tutu
& Douglas Abrams

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WORKSHOP

Wednesday, October 3, 2018
*How to Meditate in
Modern Time*

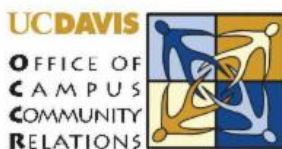
Geshe Tenzing Thinley,
Tibetan Buddhist Philosophy



Meditation isn't about only focusing on your breath. This workshop will introduce you to and guide you on mind training by using reason and analysis.

5:00 – 6:00 pm
Student Community Center Meeting Room D,
UC Davis

This event is free and open to the public. For a complete listing of CCBP events, please visit ccbp.ucdavis.edu.



The Campus Community Book Project (CCBP) is sponsored by the Office of Campus Community Relations and the Office of the Chancellor and Provost

Hot to Meditate in Modern Time
Facilitated by Geshe Tenzing Thinley, Tibetan Buddhist Philosophy
Student Community Center Meeting Room D
Wednesday, October 3
5 - 6 p.m.

Meditation isn't about only focusing on your breath. This workshop will introduce you to and guide you on mind training by using reason and analysis. Free and open to the public. Feel free to bring a meditation cushion if you have one.

Building Communities for Joy and Wellbeing: Speed Friending with HOME
Memorial Union Garrison Room
Wednesday, October 10
7 - 8:30 p.m.

Joy and Laughter
Karma Waltonen, Lecturer, University Writing Program
Memorial Union Garrison Room
Thursday, October 11
4 - 5 p.m.



The flyer is for the Davis Financial Analyst Society (DFAS) Fall Recruitment 2018. It features a blue and white color scheme. On the left, a dark blue vertical bar contains the text 'WHO WE ARE', 'The Davis Financial Analyst Society (DFAS) is a collective body helping students prepare for entry-level financial analyst positions.', 'INFO SESSION: OCTOBER 9, 2018', 'WELLMAN HALL ROOM 229', 'TUESDAYS 7-8 PM', and 'dfas.officers@gmail.com'. The main white area contains the DFAS logo (a house icon above 'DAVIS FINANCIAL ANALYST SOCIETY' and 'DFAS'), the title 'Fall Recruitment 2018', and a section 'WHAT WE OFFER' with a bulleted list of benefits: 'Mentorship Program', 'Connect students with internship opportunities in the Davis/Sacramento area', 'Guest speakers with applicable finance backgrounds at special events and meetings', 'CFA exam preparation', and 'Quarterly field trip'.

Info Session
Davis Financial Analyst Society
Tuesday, October 9
7:00 p.m.
Wellman 229

DFAS is an academic club on campus offering students exposure to the plethora of opportunities that exist in the field of finance. In addition, they offer members one-on-one pairing with mentors who are graduates of Davis and currently working in finance, Bloomberg Market Concepts certification, guest speaking events, as well as access to exciting company tours like Bloomberg in SF.

If you have any questions, email me samhsieh@ucdavis.edu

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features and profile, themed meals and special events!

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