Family Weekend
September 27–29, 2019

Friday, Sept. 27

7:30 a.m.–8 p.m.
Family Weekend welcome and information Table
Rosenfield Center, lobby
Please visit the welcome and information table for the most current schedule, maps and information.

8 a.m.–3:50 p.m.
Class Visits
Families are invited to attend classes. Stop by the Family Weekend welcome and information table to view our list of available classes and receive your required guest pass. Seating is limited.

8 a.m.–5 p.m.
Office Visit Drop-ins
Please feel free to make an appointment or stop by our campus offices to see the services we offer your student.

8 a.m.–Close
Grinnell College Golf Course
933 13th Ave.
We welcome families of our students to golf for free. Golf clubs and carts are available for rent. Go to golf.grinnell.edu or call 641-236-3590 to schedule a tee time.

9–11 a.m.
Office of Admission Information Session and Campus Tour
Admission and Student Financial Services, corner of Park St. and Eighth Ave.
Prospective students and families can learn more about Grinnell College. An admission counselor and a current student will discuss Grinnell experience, the application process, and financial aid. There will be time for questions and answers. Following this hour-long information session, guests can explore Grinnell’s campus and facilities on an hour-long tour led by a student guide. Please sign up for this online at admission.grinnell.edu/portal/campus-visit. Parents, you don’t need to sign up – only prospective students.

1:30 p.m.
Gumaa Prayer
Center for Religion, Spirituality and Social Justice, 913 8th Ave.
This weekly session of the Muslim Prayer Group is open for all to observe or participate. Prayers will be held in the Muslim Prayer and Cultural Space.

3:30–5 p.m.
Ice Cream Social
Rosenfield Center, front patio
Join the staff from the Division of Student Affairs for ice cream. Rain location: Rosenfield Center, lobby.

4:30–6 p.m.
Celebrating 20 Years: Grinnell College Museum of Art
Grinnell College Museum of Art
Join us and enjoy refreshments as we celebrate our 20th birthday! Visiting artist Damon Davis will give a gallery talk exploring the role of art in social engagement and responsibility, the importance of empowering the disenfranchised, fortifying the souls of those in pain, the ways identity is formed through mythology and story, and working to create joy.

6:15 p.m.
Shabbat Table
Rosenfield Center, room 209
All are invited to Shabbat Table, the weekly Shabbat dinner of vegetarian/dairy cuisine prepared by Grinnell College students from the student
group Chalutzim, welcoming the Sabbath with the spirit of community and peace. For more information, please email chalutzim@grinnell.edu or Deanna Shorb, dean of religious life, shorb@grinnell.edu

7:15 p.m.
SGA Movie, *The Farewell* (2019, PG), 1 hr 38 min.
*Harris Center Cinema*
Free admission, popcorn and beverage

7:30 p.m.
Grinnell Jazz Ensemble
Bucksbaum Center, Sebring-Lewis Hall
The Grinnell Jazz Ensemble builds their programs together from the ground up. The members of the group contribute most of the songs and develop the arrangements together in rehearsal. Every concert is an experiment in musical self-government. This concert features “Space Is The Place” by Sun Ra, “Earthrise” by John Rommereim, “Journey in Satchidananda” by Alice Coltrane Turiyasangitananda, and “We Are Soldiers In The Army,” modified from an arrangement by Marc Ribot. Special guests: Katherine Kopp (voice), John Rommereim (voice and synthesizers), and Tim Crumley (drums)

9–11 a.m.
Grant O. Gale Observatory
The Gale Observatory, north of Rosenbloom Field, features one of the largest telescopes in Iowa. Physics professor Robert R. Cadmus will be available during viewing hours. While the telescope is reached using stairs, the telescope program can be viewed on a monitor on the first floor and heard using an interactive sound system including an FM Loop. There is an accessible sidewalk to the observatory which will be lit with solar garden lights.

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*Harris Center Cinema*
Free admission, popcorn and beverage

Saturday, Sept. 28

7:30 a.m.–2 p.m.
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9–10:30 a.m.
Student Research Poster Session and Reception
*Noyce Science Center, Ahrens Atrium*
Engage with students as they present their research and summer internships in a scholarly poster session format. Science, social studies and humanities faculty and staff will be in attendance.

11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.
Family Weekend Picnic
Commencement stage area
Come enjoy a picnic style lunch and meet others within the Grinnell College community. President Raynard Kington and various Division of Student Affairs staff members will be in attendance. The picnic is free to students, families and host families.

1 p.m.
Grinnell Football vs. Macalester College
Rosenbloom Field
For more than a century, Grinnell College has been building an art collection, which now includes over 5,000 objects from antiquity to the present day.

2 p.m.
Grinnell Symphony Orchestra
Bucksbaum Center, Sebring-Lewis Hall
The Grinnell Symphony Orchestra presents a concert including Haydn’s Symphony
No. 100 in G Jamor “Military”, Jean Sibelius’ Valse Triste, and Hungarian March from Hector Berlioz’s The Damnation of Faust.

3:30 p.m.–4:30 p.m.
Walking Historical Tour of Grinnell College
Departs from Rosenfield Center, room 101
Join George Drake ’56, professor emeritus of history and former president of Grinnell College, for a historical walking tour. The tour will start with a brief presentation and then depart for a one square block walking tour.

7:30 p.m.
Grinnell Singers and the Grinnell Oratorio Society
Bucksbaum Center, Sebring-Lewis Hall
The Grinnell Oratorio Society presents selections from Mozart’s Requiem. The Grinnell Singers perform music by Richard Bjela, Eric Whitacre, John Rommereim, Javier Zentner, William Averitt, Joel Thompson, Anders Paulsson, and Jocelyn Hagen

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Sunday, Sept. 29
8 a.m.–close
Grinnell College Golf Course
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10 a.m.–11:00 a.m.
Grinnell Legacy Reception
Grinnell House
(Invitation-only)

10:30 a.m
Interdenominational Christian Worship Service
Herrick Chapel
The Rev. Deanna Shorb, dean of religious life and chaplin will preach. Wheelchair space and companion seating is available in the front pew and the chapel is equipped with a hearing loop.

10:30 a.m.–9 p.m.
Given Form
Smith Gallery, Rosenfield Center lobby
This exhibition features work by Kathranne Knight.

General Information

Questions?
Contact the Division of Student Affairs at 641-269-3700. Friday 8 a.m.–5 p.m., The Rosenfield Center Information Desk at 641–269–3715, Saturday and Sunday.

Wireless Internet Access
1. Select GrinnellCollegeGuest
   If you have any questions, please contact the Technology Services Desk at 641–269–4901.

Recreational Opportunities
The Charles Benson Bear ’39 Recreation and Athletic Center offers many facilities open at no charge to families during Family Weekend including recreational gymnasias, a natatorium, a running track, a state–of–the–art fitness center, and courts for basketball, racquetball, and tennis. Athletic equipment and general information can be obtained at the equipment room in the lower level of the Bear Center. Anyone under 16 years old must have an adult with them at all times.

Bear Recreation and Athletic Center
Friday: 6 a.m.–9 p.m.
Saturday: 7 a.m.–10 p.m.
Sunday: 7 a.m.–10 p.m.

Fitness Center (must be 16 years old to enter)
Friday: 6 a.m.–7 p.m.
Saturday: 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Sunday: 10 a.m.–9 p.m

Natatorium open swim hours
Friday: 6–9 a.m., 11 a.m.–1 p.m., and 6:30–8:45 p.m.
Saturday: Noon–8:45 p.m.
Sunday: 1–4:45 p.m.

Climbing Wall
Friday: 4:15–6:15 p.m.
Saturday & Sunday; Closed

Grinnell College Pioneer Bookshop
Friday: 8:30 a.m.–6 p.m.
Saturday: 9 a.m.–5 p.m.
Sunday: Closed
933 Main, downtown Grinnell 641–236–3424

Campus Dining
Families who wish to dine at the Rosenfield Center Marketplace may purchase meals at the door.

Marketplace Dining Hours and Prices
Friday
Continuous dining: 7 a.m.–7 p.m.
(You are welcome to dine at your convenience.)
Hot breakfast ($10.00): 7–10 a.m.
Continental breakfast ($7.00): 10–11 a.m.
Lunch ($13): 11 a.m.–1:30 p.m.
Light lunch ($11.00): 1:30–5 p.m.
Dinner ($16): 5–7 p.m.

**Saturday**
Continental breakfast ($7.00): 9–10 a.m.
Lunch: Free Family Weekend Picnic
Dinner ($16): 5–7 p.m.

**Sunday**
Brunch* ($13): 11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.
Dinner ($16): 5–8 p.m.
*The Marketplace accepts Cash or Visa, MasterCard, and Discover.

An ATM is near the campus mail services on the east side of Rosenfield Center.

**The Spencer Grill**
Located in Rosenfield Center. The Spencer Grill is the place to grab a quick bite to eat or a cup of coffee.
Friday: 7:30 a.m.–midnight
Saturday, Sunday: 10 a.m.–midnight

**Other Facilities**

**Burling Library**
Friday: 7:45 a.m.–10 p.m.
Saturday: 10 a.m.–10 p.m.
Sunday: 10 a.m.–1 a.m.

**Kistle Science Library**
Friday: 7:45 a.m.–5 p.m.
Saturday: 1–5 p.m.
Sunday: 1 p.m.–1 a.m.

**Accessibility**
Grinnell College is committed to supporting guests with disabilities throughout Family Weekend. Please call Disability Resources at 641-269-3089, on Friday, September 27, to request an accommodation. For locations of doors with operators, parking, elevators, and accessible paths, please check the Campus Accessibility Map on the back cover.
Campus buildings housing Family Weekend programs are accessible. Burling Lounge, CRSSJ, the Field house, Harris Cinema, Herrick Chapel, JRC 101, JRC 209, JRC 224A,B,C the MarketPlace, and Noyce 1023 are equipped with hearing loops as are the service desks of the Bookstore, Conference Operations and Events, the Market Place, the PCard Office, the Circulation Desk, and the BEAR

Wheelchair space and companion seating is available in the front pew of Herrick Chapel.

There is an accessible path to the observatory. While the telescope is reached using stairs, the telescope program can be viewed on a monitor on the first floor and heard using an interactive sound system including an FM Loop.

Accessible bathrooms are located on the first floor of all academic, administrative, and athletic buildings.

**Visit an Art Exhibition**

**Burling Gallery**
*Celebration of the 60 years of Burling Library*
Burling Library, lower level
Friday: 7:45 a.m.–10 p.m.
Saturday: 10 a.m.–10 p.m.
Sunday: 10 a.m.–1 a.m.

**Grinnell College Museum of Art**
*For the Campus and Community: The Collection of the Grinnell College Museum of Art*
Bucksbaum Center
Friday and Saturday: 11 a.m.–5 p.m.

**Smith Gallery**
*Given Form – Works by Kathranne Knight*
Rosenfield Center, next to the dining hall
Friday and Saturday: 9 a.m.–9 p.m.
Sunday: 10:30 a.m.–9 p.m.