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#Stick2Civility

Through its Core Values, UT Austin promotes a caring community where all members help one another grow. It is our responsibility to create that caring community in service to one another. Civility is at our core. #Stick2Civility

Help us #Stick2Civility by taking action!

1. Choose a pillar.
   Select one or more of the five pillars of civility.

2. Take action.
   Use #Stick2Civility to inspire others by sharing what you did or how you will use that pillar to create positive change.

3. Share your story.
   Do something that promotes that pillar or plan to incorporate that pillar in the future.

LISTEN
Listen to understand, listen attentively & pay attention

SEEK KNOWLEDGE
Seek mutual understanding, ask questions & learn new perspectives

BE UNDERSTANDING
Empathize, understand context & treat others the way THEY want to be treated

TAKE RESPONSIBILITY
Demonstrate understanding, engage in community & use your platform for good want to be treated

COMMUNICATE
Provide context, share your perspective & check for clarification
The majority of vegetables are planted after the last frost of spring, which is predicted for February 19th this year. This means you still have time to plant a spring garden! TAB manages 2 community gardens at University Apartments located at the Brackenridge and Colorado complexes. Here, community gardeners have successfully grown tomatoes, lettuce, bok choy, cucumbers, carrots, beets, chilies, beans, zucchini, watermelons, and a large variety of herbs. The Tenant Advisory Board (TAB) oversees the operation of the community gardens, selects garden managers, organizes cleanup events in both gardens, and hosts an annual garden seminar for community gardeners to learn more about gardening!

If a contract holder or registered guest would like to garden, the contract holder can request a garden plot. The fee to garden from February 1 to June 30, 2018 is $10. To request a plot at the **Colorado Community Garden**, please contact the garden manager at colorado.garden@hotmail.com.

The **Brackenridge Community Garden** is currently closed until a garden manager is selected. TAB is currently seeking applicants for this volunteer leadership position. In addition to gaining managerial experience, the leader in this position will have their garden plot fee waived while serving as garden manager. The garden manager must be a gardener at the Brackenridge Community Garden. A typical time commitment for a garden manager is about 5-10 hours a month. **If you are interested in gardening at Brackenridge or becoming the garden manager, please contact the TAB Garden Liaison at dhfs.tab@austin.utexas.edu by February 12th at 12pm (noon).**

Join us at our next gardening information session
Saturday, February 10th at 9:30am
Brackenridge Community Room
Parking Placard Reminder

The purple 2016-2017 parking placards are now expired. Please remember to remove them from your vehicle and dispose of them.

If you have not yet received a 2018 (white & orange) parking placard, there are still placards available. Contract holders can request a 2018 parking placard from the University Apartments office for themselves and their registered guests. Remember: Vehicles without a 2018 parking placard are subject to towing. To request a parking placard at the office, you will need the following:

- Your driver’s license
- The completed “Vehicle Registration Form”
- A copy of your vehicle insurance (must be valid through at least the next 30 days)
- If requesting a parking placard for a guest, the guest must be registered. Staff will need the registered guest's driver's license card and proof of insurance.

UT SURE Ride

How Students Can Opt Into SURE Ride:
If you would like to participate in the free SURE Ride program from PTS and Lyft, opt-in with the email address you listed in the university directory, and you’ll receive an invitation. If it is not the same email address as you listed in the directory, you will not be able to use SURE Ride. Once you Opt-In, you will receive an invitation from Lyft within 24 hours. Follow the prompts to get started. Rides must be in "Personal Mode" AND Lyft Line for Promo to apply.

- Where can SURE Ride take me? Rides will be provided to residential areas that are served by the following shuttle bus routes:
  - West Campus (642)
  - Lake Austin (663)
  - Crossing Place (670)
  - North Riverside (671)
  - Lake Shore (672)
  - Red River (653)
  - Intramural Fields (656)
  - Far West (661)
# Stick2Civility Week
January 29 - February 3
Choose a pillar. Take action. Share your story. See our Facebook event for more information on how to use the #Stick2Civility hashtag to inspire others and create positive change!

Texas Breakfast
Saturday, February 3rd, 9:30am @ Jasper Park (BRK)
Join us for our annual Texas-themed festivities: breakfast, pony rides & the Cotton Eyed Joe!

Super Bowl Viewing Party!
Sunday, February 4th, 5:15pm @ BRK
Watch the Super Bowl with your neighbors. Pizza & refreshments will be served! (1st come, 1st serve)

Winter Olympics Viewing Party: PyeongChang 2018
Friday, February 9th, 6:00pm @ GAT

Valentine's Day Card Making
Saturday, February 10th, 3:30pm @ COL

Lunar New Year 2018 Celebration
Sunday, February 18th, 1:30pm @ COL
Join your TAB members for the joyous celebration of the Year of the Dog!

BRK: Brackenridge Community Room, COL: Colorado Community Room, GAT: Gateway Community Room
University Apartments

Super Bowl Watch Party

Sunday, February 4, 2018
5:15pm
Brackenridge Community Room

Join us for pizza and snacks as we watch the game of the year between the Philadelphia Eagles and New England Patriots!

Kid activities will be provided!

If you require disability accommodations, contact Nije at nlane@austin.utexas.edu.
Lunar New Year 2018

Join us for the joyous celebration of the Year of the Dog!

Sunday, February 18th
Colorado Community Room
1:30 - 3:30 pm

- Fun!
- Crafts
- Music
- Chinese food

If you need disability accommodations, please contact Melissa Garland at mgarland@austin.utexas.edu. Requests must be submitted at least five (5) business days prior to the event.
PyeongChang 2018

WATCH THE OPENING CEREMONY WITH FRIENDS, FOOD, TRIVIA & PRIZES!

Winter OLYMPICS

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9TH, 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM
GATEWAY COMMUNITY ROOM

If you require disability accommodations, contact CC Melissa Garland at msmith@utexas.edu at least 5 days before the event.
Hi, I'm Julie, the Apartments Coordinator for the Brackenridge, Colorado & Gateway communities.

I am a full time professional staff member at University Apartments. I grew up in Long Island, New York where I studied psychology at Long Island University, C.W. Post campus. My passion to help others and improve my environment drove me to be a Resident Assistant, the Recycling Program Coordinator and serve in the Student Government Association, before becoming the Student Government President during my senior year.

These experiences helped me realize my desire to work in higher education as a Student Affairs professional. I went on to study and work at Stony Brook University where I earned my masters in Higher Education Administration while serving as a Residence Hall Director and advisor to several student organizations. My hobbies include traveling, cooking new vegetarian dishes, practicing yoga, and jogging.

As the Apartments Coordinator, I help residents find a sense of community, coordinate the resident student conduct process, oversee community programming, supervise the Community Coordinators, and help our Tenant Advisory Board (TAB) build a connected community of neighbors.

I love the atmosphere at University Apartments, where we have brilliant community members from all over the world. You may see me and my husband, Pat, around the Brackenridge complex. Be sure to say hello!
Heat a large wok (or non-stick frying pan) over medium-high heat and add 1 teaspoon oil. Pour in the eggs, stirring occasionally, until the eggs are scrambled and lightly set. Transfer the eggs to an empty bowl.

Add 1 tablespoon oil to the pan and add the garlic, green onions and Brussels sprouts. Cook until fragrant or until the vegetables are tender for 30 seconds or longer, stirring frequently. Add the kale and salt. Continue to cook until the kale is wilted and tender, stirring frequently, about 2 minutes. Transfer the contents of the pan to your bowl of eggs.

Add the remaining 2 teaspoons oil to the pan. Pour in the coconut flakes and cook, stirring frequently, until the flakes are lightly golden. Add the rice to the pan, stirring occasionally, for 1-2 minutes.

Pour the contents of the bowl back into the pan. Add the soy sauce, sriracha and juice of ½ lime. Stir to combine and set aside.

Slice the remaining ½ lime into wedges, then divide the stir-fry into individual bowls. Garnish with wedges of lime and a sprinkling of torn cilantro leaves, with jars of soy sauce, sriracha and/or red pepper flakes on the side, for those who might want more.
The Tenant Advisory Board (TAB) is composed of student representatives living at University Apartments. TAB members represent student residents and registered guests by:

• Managing the Community Gardens;
• Making recommendations on policy to University Apartments;
• Engaging in advocacy in the community on issues related to residents’ concerns; and
• Improving the quality of community life by organizing events for residents.

Contact us anytime with questions, concerns, or ideas: DHFS.TAB@austin.utexas.edu
Visit Our Website: http://housing.utexas.edu/apartments/tenant-advisory-board

2017—2018 TAB Members (From L-R)
Maryia, Grace, Lourdes, Nicolas, Natalia & Le

Brackenridge Representatives:
Grace Hamilton: Communications Coordinator
Le Tran Ozor: Secretary

Colorado Representatives:
Lourdes Cuevas Chacon: Garden Coordinator
Nicolas Emilfork: TAB Chair

Gateway Representatives:
Natalia Zuniga: Transportation Coordinator
Maryia Halubok: Events Coordinator
Contact Us

APARTMENT LIFE STAFF

Apartments Coordinator: Julie Lekstutis
Community Coordinator: Melissa Garland
Community Coordinator: Nije Capri Lane

Brackenridge CAs: CA Ana Harris
CA Emily Ibarra

Colorado CAs: CA Hind Ithawi
CA Luke Perez

Gateway CAs: CA Johnny Sullivan
CA Christina Bambrick

MAINTENANCE REQUESTS
Submit online at: housing.utexas.edu/mrf
A written form may be submitted at the office.

PEST CONTROL
- Submit a Maintenance Request online
- Routine pest control requests are scheduled each Monday through Friday from 8am-4pm
- You are required to leave your apartment when pest control staff arrive and remain away for 2 hours, or until the work is completed
- Emergency pest control situations should be reported to office staff or after-hours staff immediately

APOGEE INTERNET & CABLE
CALL: 1-844-283-6498
CHAT: support@resnet.net
TEXT: "RESNET" to 84700

CAMPUS SHUTTLE QUESTIONS/CONCERNS
Email: shuttle@utexas.edu

APARTMENT LIFE

OUR VISION
To create transformative living and learning environments where students feel safe, involved, and inspired to change the world.