

# HOUSING HIGHLIGHTS

## DODGE CAMPUS HOUSING UPDATES





# WELCOME TO UNIVERSITY HOUSING



## MEET THE HOUSING PRO-STAFF

**Trent Fredrickson**

Director of Housing



I've been working in residential life for eleven years, and I moved to Nebraska to work at UNO five years ago. It has been great to see how residence life has changed over the past few years, and I'm excited to see what the next year will bring as we continue to grow and change.

**Joey Vander Helm**

Administrative Housing Coordinator



I am originally from the great state of Iowa, where I attended Northwestern College in Orange City. I have been at UNO for six academic years and have really enjoyed getting to know and working with the students and staff here.

**Matt Nelson**

Maverick Village Residence Hall Director



I joined the University Housing team at UNO in June 2014. Prior to being hired at UNO, I was a Resident Director at Creighton University and before that, I served as the Assistant Director of Student Activities and Orientation at Marian University in Indianapolis.

**Ani Rodgers**

University Village Hall Director



I am from Bowling Green, Ohio where my entire family still lives. I moved to Omaha last year and am really enjoying it so far. I love when students come by to see me, so please feel free and visit my office in the University Village clubhouse any time.

**Denise Wiczorek**

Business Manager



I am originally from Valley, Nebraska where I grew up on a farm. I now live in Blair, Nebraska with my family. Working at UNO is great because of the students and colleagues I get to work with. I look forward to another year and meeting all our new students.

**Ryan Schmit**

University Housing Maintenance Manager



I am originally from David City and currently live in Wahoo. I earned my degree in English at UNL. I am excited to begin my second year as the Maintenance Manager for University Housing.



# MEET\_THE RESIDENT ASSISTANTS

Your 2014-2015 Maverick Village and University Village Resident Assistants are here for you! Contact them with any questions you may have, roommate concerns, or to find more information about how to get involved on campus. Your Resident Assistant is a great resource.



**Jacob Robinson**  
Building M



**Abbey Young**  
Building A



**Makayla Bell**  
Building V



**Megan Staver**  
Building E



**Nicholas Fuchser**  
Building R



**Taylor Starman**  
Building I



**Allison Zadina**  
Building C



**Niki Kouma**  
Building K



**Daniela Martinez**  
Building 1



**Micaela Adam**  
Building 2



**Jon Wortman**  
Building 3 Low



**Amanda Maxwell**  
Building 3 High



**Savona Bateman**  
Building 4 Low



**Kayla Timm**  
Building 4 High



**Emily Watkins**  
Building 5 Low



**Kaycie Mullins**  
Building 5 High



**Emily Bradley**  
Building 6 Low



**David Bolte**  
Building 6 High



**Jenna Hyde**  
Building 7 Low



**Trevor Smith**  
Building 7 High





# THE CLUBHOUSES

The front desks of each of our clubhouses are open from 8 am–8 pm Monday through Friday as well as 12 pm–6 pm on Saturday. You can pay your rent, pick up packages, or get a spare room key from the front desk. You can also check out vacuum cleaners, board games, movies, and basketballs.

Printers are available in each clubhouse and can be used with your MavCARD.

Use your MavCARD to access the clubhouse 24/7.

**Remeber to keep  
your MavCARD with  
you at all times.**

# IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

<b>Univerity Village Front Desk</b>	402.554.6600
<b>Maverick Village Front Desk</b>	402.554.4000
<b>University Village RA on Duty</b>	402.305.3878
<b>Maverick Village RA on Duty</b>	402.203.6117
<b>UNO Counseling</b>	402.554.2409
<b>Campus Security</b>	402.554.2648
<b>Cox Cable Issues</b>	402.315.1520
<b>Internet Issues</b>	855.813.7018

# UNIVERSITY HOUSING EVENTS



## Thursday, August 21 MV Move In Event

Join us Thursday, August 21 at 9pm on the Maverick Village lawn for an outdoor movie and free food. Bring a lawn chair or a blanket and experience Captain America: The Winter Soldier on a 20-foot outdoor, big screen. We'll have one of Omaha's best food trucks, Maria Bonita, on campus providing free food, plus complimentary popcorn from your friendly resident assistants.

## Friday, August 22 UV Move In Event

Join us Friday August 22nd from 6 pm-9:30 pm for the University Village Move-In Carnival. There will be tons of games, prizes, free food, face painting, and the chance to dunk your favorite Housing Staff members in the dunk tank! University Village Residence Hall Council is excited to see you there.

## Saturday, August 23 UNO Housing Welcome BBQ

Join University Housing on Saturday August 23rd from 5 pm-8 pm to kick off the 2014- 2015 academic year. There will be great food, fun, and opportunities to meet other University Housing residents.

# CAMPUS SECURITY

**Campus Security provides assistance to students 24 hours daily. Below is a list of Campus Security services.**

## Services Offered

24/7 security patrols  
Personal escorts and safety checks  
Lost and found  
Emergency text messages  
Fingerprinting services  
Engraving your property

## Motorist Assistance\*

Jump-start your vehicle  
Open a locked vehicle  
Change a tire in certain situations  
\*for vehicles on campus only.

## Blue Light Emergency Phones

Blue light emergency phones are located all over campus. Use the phone to report emergencies or to contact Campus Security for other assistance.

## U-tip for Anonymous Text Messaging

Have an anonymous tip? Use U-Tip to report suspicious activities or individuals on campus. The message will be sent directly to Campus Security and appropriate action will be taken. Send a message to 50911. In the text message, type UN0911 followed by your message.

## Text Message Emergency Alerts

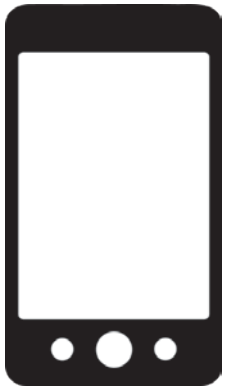
UNO utilizes text message capabilities to reach students wherever they are when important campus alerts are sent. This service is free for UNO students, and all students are automatically signed up for this service.

## Contact Campus Security

unomaha.edu/security  
402.554.2648  
Eppley Administration Building, 100

# STUDENT SAFETY TIPS

Add 402.554.2911 to your phone's contacts. You will use this number to report emergencies. UNO Campus Security is available 24 hours a day.



Keep your doors locked. It doesn't take long for a thief to enter your room and take your belongings.

Don't open building doors for anyone who doesn't have a key or access card for that building.

**Purchase renters insurance to protect your property against theft or emergency situations. The University isn't able to reimburse you for the loss of personal items.**

If someone knocks on your door, don't open it until you're certain who the person is or can determine they are University staff. If you don't wish to open the door, and the individual persists, call campus security.

Close your blinds or curtains after dark. Never dress in front of the window – your silhouette may be visible from outside.

## SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING

Report suspicious and unusual activity to Campus Security at 402.554.2911 or report it anonymously using U-Tip. To learn more about U-Tip, visit: [unomaha.edu/security/utip.php](http://unomaha.edu/security/utip.php).

## BUDDY SYSTEM

Use the buddy system and watch out for your neighbor. Avoid traveling alone at night around campus or nearby locations.

Always keep your keys in your possession. Never place them under floor mats, over doors, or in other hiding places. Thieves are more experienced at finding these hidden places than you are at inventing them.

If you return to your residence and suspect that it has been entered illegally, do not enter.



**Make a mental note of where the Blue Light Emergency Phones are located during your usual walk across campus.**



Always keep your vehicle locked and the windows rolled up when your car is parked both on and off campus.

## TRUST YOUR INSTINCTS

If you have a concern for your personal safety while on campus, call Campus Security who will provide you with a personal escort. This is available 24 hours a day.



# 2014-2015 ACADEMIC CALENDAR



<b>August 25</b>	Fall Semester begins.
<b>August 31</b>	Last day to drop a course via MavLINK and receive a 100% refund. Make sure you drop the course before midnight.
<b>September 1</b>	Labor Day, University Closed
<b>September 2</b>	Classes resume at 6 am.
<b>September 7</b>	Last day to withdraw from a course via MavLINK with a course grade of "W" and a refund of 75%. Make sure you drop the course before midnight
<b>September 14</b>	Last day to withdraw from a course via MavLINK with a course grade of "W" and a refund of 50%. Make sure you drop the course before midnight
<b>September 21</b>	Last day to withdraw from a course via MavLINK with a course grade of "W" and a refund of 25%. Make sure you drop the course before midnight

<b>October 20-21</b>	Semester Break: no classes - University offices are open
<b>October 22</b>	Classes resume at 6 am
<b>November 7</b>	Last day to withdraw from a course via MavLINK with a course grade of "W". Make sure you drop the course before midnight
<b>November 26</b>	Student Holiday. No classes - University offices are open
<b>November 27-30</b>	Thanksgiving Break, University closed
<b>December 1</b>	Classes resume at 6 am
<b>December 8-13</b>	Prep Weekw
<b>December 13</b>	Last day of Fall Semester Classes
<b>December 13-19</b>	Finals Week
<b>December 20</b>	December Commencement
<b>December 24-January 2</b>	Winter Break, University Closed

<b>January 12</b>	Spring Semester begins
<b>January 18</b>	Last day to drop a course via MavLINK and receive a 100% refund. Make sure you drop the course before midnight
<b>January 19</b>	Martin Luther King Jr. Day, University Closed
<b>January 20</b>	Classes resume at 6 am
<b>January 25</b>	Last day to withdraw from a course via MavLINK with a course grade of "W" and a refund of 75%. Make sure you drop the course before midnight
<b>February 1</b>	Last day to withdraw from a course via MavLINK with a course grade of "W" and a refund of 50%. Make sure you drop the course before midnight
<b>February 8</b>	Last day to withdraw from a course via MavLINK with a course grade of "W" and a refund of 25%. Make sure you drop the course before midnight

<b>March 13</b>	Last day for filing applications for degrees to be conferred in May 2015
<b>March 22-29</b>	Spring Break: no classes - University offices are open
<b>March 30</b>	Classes resume at 6 am
<b>April 3</b>	Last day to withdraw from a course via MavLINK with a course grade of "W." Make sure you drop the course before midnight
<b>April 25-May1</b>	Prep Week
<b>May 2</b>	Last day of the Spring Semester.
<b>May 2-8</b>	Finals Week.
<b>May 9-9</b>	May Commencement.



# DURANGO DAYS

UNO's Official Welcome Week  
August 24 - 29

Take a selfie  
with me, Durango, and  
use #mavericksprite on  
Instagram or Twitter and be  
entered into a contest to be  
featured on the Durango Days  
homepage!

[www.unomaha.edu/welcome](http://www.unomaha.edu/welcome)

The University of Nebraska at Omaha is an equal opportunity educator and employer with a comprehensive plan for diversity.  
AA/EEO Institution. For Special Needs or assistance, please call/contact 402-554-2872 or [unodisability@unomaha.edu](mailto:unodisability@unomaha.edu).

## Sun., August 24

### NEW STUDENT CONVOCATION

2 pm | HPER 128

### ALL-CAMPUS BBQ

Immediately following the convocation ceremony in the Sapp Fieldhouse.

### MAVERICK MONUMENT "UNLEASHING"

Immediately following the convocation ceremony in front of the Sapp Fieldhouse. Come watch this 8-foot-high, 1,500-pound bronze bull statue representing the university's mascot be "unleashed".

## Mon., August 25

### BURGERS & CHIPS

FREE Lunch

11 am - 1 pm

Pep Bowl

### ROVING MAGICIAN, AIRBRUSH TATTOOS, & STILT BALLOON ARTISTS FREE

11 am - 1 pm

Pep Bowl

### BLOCK PARTY

5 - 8 pm

Maverick Village Clubhouse

ALL STUDENTS WELCOME

Food, games, photo booth, & music

## Tues., August 26

### WALKING TACO TUESDAY

FREE Lunch

11 am - 1 pm

Pep Bowl

### ROVING MAGICIAN, AIRBRUSH TATTOOS, & STILT BALLOON ARTISTS FREE

11 am - 1 pm

Pep Bowl

### FREE PIZZA BUFFET DINNER

5 - 7 pm

Aksarben Village

Godfather's Pizza will give the first

500 students who show their

MavCARD FREE dinner.

After 500, dinner for \$5.00

### FREE MOVIE TICKETS

6 - 8 pm

Must redeem before midnight

Aksarben Cinema

First 500 students to show their

MavCARD get a FREE movie ticket

After 500, tickets are \$6.00

## Fri., August 29

### SOCCER TAILGATE PARTY

4 - 7 pm

Pep Bowl

FREE food, entertainment, and UNO swag for UNO students is sponsored by UNO Athletics and Fraternity and Sorority Life.

## Wed., August 27

### CHICKEN TERIYAKI SANDWICH

FREE Lunch

11 am - 1 pm

Pep Bowl

### STUDENT INVOLVEMENT FAIR

11 am - 1 pm

Pep Bowl

### PART-TIME JOB FAIR

11 am - 2 pm

Student Center Ballroom

Meet employers who want to hire for part-time jobs.

### PRESIDENT'S PANCAKE PARTY

5 - 7 pm

Barbara Weitz Community

Engagement Center

Join your student body president for pancakes, sausage, coffee bar, live music, games, and a chance to learn more about the Barbara Weitz Community Engagement Center and what it has to offer students. Enjoy outdoor lounge seating and backyard sports.

## Thurs., August 28

### GET TO KNOW THE "O"

11 am - 1 pm

HPER Building Gym

Meet with Omaha restaurants, nonprofits, businesses, and community partners. Great giveaways, food, and information.

### RAVE DANCE PARTY

9 pm - Midnight

Pacific Campus | Scott Dining Hall

Come get dance and get funky with free snacks, a fog machine and glow stick galore.

A shuttle will be available to bring students from Dodge Campus to and from the party. For more information, contact the Scott Housing staff at 402.778.6541.

## Special Thanks To:

Aksarben Cinema | Wells Fargo | PepsiCola | Maverick Productions | Student Government | Student Affairs  
Milo Bail Student Center | University & Scott Housing | Athletics | Fraternity and Sorority Life | Godfather's Pizza





# HOME (SICKNESS)

Living on campus is fun, exciting, and comes with a lot of new responsibility. With all of these changes, you might be feeling anxious, out of place, disconnected, and longing for home. This is a normal and common experience, even for the most excited first year college students. Although you have tons of activities to choose from and new people to meet, it's all unfamiliar and will probably take some adjusting even if Omaha is your hometown.

The transition to college is a different experience for everyone, but most students experience some degree of homesickness– whether it's missing parents, siblings, high school friends, your house, hometown, or just your usual routine – you're adjusting to new environments, schedules, expectations, and responsibilities.

#### **Some tips to get through this transition:**

1. Be patient with yourself
2. Stay busy and get involved
3. Make new connections
4. Stay connected with family and friends from home
5. Bring some of your favorite things from home
6. Make sure you're eating and sleeping regularly
7. Make plans to try a new activity at HPER with roommates
8. Hangout at new places on campus or in Aksarben Village
9. Walk with friends through Elmwood Park

Take time to explore and make UNO your home away from home, and over time it will become more comforting to be here. If you talk to your friends, family, or RA about how you're doing, you'll probably find that you're not alone.

If you're still overwhelmed and things aren't getting better, the UNO Counseling Center is here to support you. Located in HPER 102 and experienced with helping students through transitions, the Counseling Center is a great resource to students living on campus.



# GET INVOLVED



Residents at UVRHC's annual Bingo Night

## MV|RHC

Maverick Village Residence Hall Council (MVRHC) is a resident-run student organization. MVRHC plans a variety of programs specifically for Maverick Village residents to promote a social living environment.

#### **Want to get involved?**

Attend our weekly meetings and events! Meeting times will be announced at the beginning of the fall semester. Email [unohousing@unomaha.edu](mailto:unohousing@unomaha.edu) for more information.

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## NRHH

The Bill Pickett National Residence Hall Honorary chapter members represent the top 1% of the student leaders on campus and are those who have contributed extraordinary amounts of personal time and energy in order to make the residence hall more than just a place to live. Their four pillars are leadership, academics, community service, and recognition.

#### **Want to get involved?**

Members are nominated and induction is in the Spring.





## ROOM KEYS

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Each resident will be issued a key to his or her assigned room and apartment. For security reasons, it is a violation of policy to duplicate this key or loan it to anyone else.

If you lose your room key, you are expected to report this loss immediately to the front desk and you will be expected to pay for the replacement of all locks affected. You are responsible for any key replacement regardless of the circumstance, such as theft, loss, accident, etc.

If you are locked out of your room or lose your key, a temporary, 24-hour loaner key may be checked out from the Maverick Village and University Village front desks three times without charges. You cannot check out friends' or roommates' keys, and they are not able to check out yours. After your third lockout, there will be a \$10-lockout fee per additional loaner key check out.



## MAINTENANCE ISSUES

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Students living in Maverick and University Village must complete an online work order request to have a non-emergency issue fixed. Work orders will be prioritized and addressed by the maintenance staff.

University Village Work Order Form  
[universityvillage.unomaha.edu/workorder.php](http://universityvillage.unomaha.edu/workorder.php)

Maverick Village Work Order Form  
[maverickvillage.unomaha.edu/workorder.php](http://maverickvillage.unomaha.edu/workorder.php)

Do not fill out work order forms for emergencies. Contact the main office or the RA on-duty if you experience issues dealing with heat, air conditioning, water leaking, or safety.

**Work orders should not be submitted for the following reasons:**

**Internet**  
call Apogee support at 1.855.813.7018

**Cable**  
Call Cox Cable at 402.315.1520.

**Laundry**  
Call ASI at 800.762.3452.



## HOUSING PAYMENTS

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**Housing payments may be made:**

1. Via MavLiNK with credit/debit cards
2. By mail with personal check or money order. Payments should be mailed to:

University Housing  
Attn: Business Manager  
6608 University Drive South  
Omaha, NE 68182

3. In person with check, cash, credit/debit card or money order. Payments can be made at Maverick Village or University Village front desk located in the clubhouse at each location or can be made at Cashiering/Student Accounts located in the Eppley Administration Building

**Reminders:**

Make checks payable to "University of Nebraska Omaha"

Please make sure to use NU ID on all correspondence.

Do not send cash through the mail.

You can access your bill via your MavLINK account. UNO has centralized billing which means that any charges incurred for tuition, fees, and housing will appear on one statement. Payments made on MavLINK are applied to tuition and fees first on the centralized bill. All other billing, such as lock outs, damages, recovers, and other charges, will be billed directly to the student. Unpaid bills are subject to late fees.

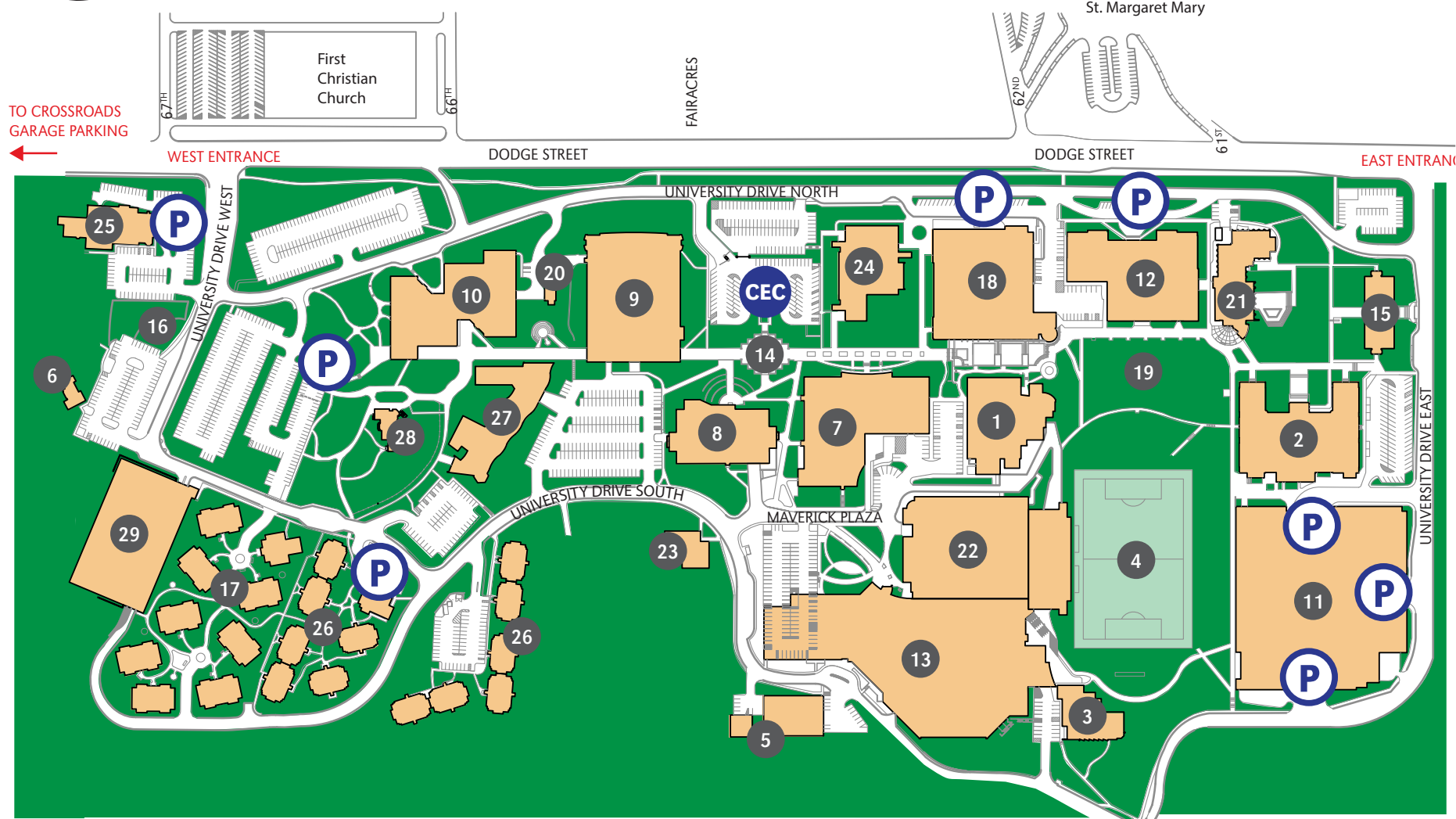
If you are awarded scholarships or financial aid, the amount will be credited to your student account and applied to your tuition, fees, and housing. This is dispersed once in the fall and once in the spring. It is important to note that all scholarships and financial aid that is applied to MavLINK goes towards tuition and fees first and then is applied to housing.

Check MavLINK regularly, especially if you are on a monthly payment plan. For questions related to charges or payments towards your housing on your centralized bill, contact Denise at 402.554.4000.



# UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT OMAHA DODGE CAMPUS MAP

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- |   |  |  |
|---|--|--|
| 1 Allwine Hall (AH)                                     | 11 East Parking Garage (EPG)                         | 21 Roskens Hall (RH)                     |
| 2 Arts & Sciences Hall (ASH)                            | 12 Eppley Administration Building (EAB)              | 22 Sapp Fieldhouse (SFH)                 |
| 3 Biomechanics Research Buiding (BRB)                   | 13 Health, Physical Education & Recreation (HPER)    | 23 Sculpture & Ceramics Studio (SCS)     |
| 4 Caniglia Field (CF)                                   | 14 Henningson Memorial Campanile (HMC) (clock tower) | 24 Strauss Performing Arts Center (SPAC) |
| 5 Central Utilities Plant (CUP)                         | 15 Kayser Hall (KH)                                  | 25 Thompson Alumni Center (TAC)          |
| 6 Child Care Center (CCC)                               | 16 Landscape Services (LS)                           | 26 University Village (UV)               |
| 7 College of Public Affairs & Community Service (CPACS) | 17 Maverick Village (MV)                             | 27 Weber Fine Arts Building (WFAB)       |
| 8 Community Engagement Center (CEC)                     | 18 Milo Bail Student Center (MBSC)                   | 28 Welcome Center (WC)                   |
| 9 Criss Library (CL)                                    | 19 Pep Bowl (open space)                             | 29 West Parking Garage (WPG)             |
| 10 Durham Science Center (DSC)                          | 20 Resource Conservation & Recovery Area (RCRA)      |  |

**P** Visitor's Parking  
**CEC** CEC Visitor's Parking

## Parking

For information on parking, buying a permit, or paying for a parking ticket visit: [unomaha.edu/parking](http://unomaha.edu/parking). Fall 2014 permit sales will begin on July 1, 2014. Maverick and University Village permits required for all MV and UV residents. The MV/UV permit is valid for Lot J (West Garage) and Lot L on the Dodge Campus and un-gated student lots on the Pacific Campus.

## Pacific Campus Shuttle

Shuttle buses pick up at multiple Pacific Campus locations and the UNO campus approximately every 15 minutes. Drop off and pick up locations on Dodge Campus in Lots Q and M.

Monday-Friday, 6:30 am - 10:30 pm (fall and spring)

Monday-Friday, 7 am - 6 pm (summer)

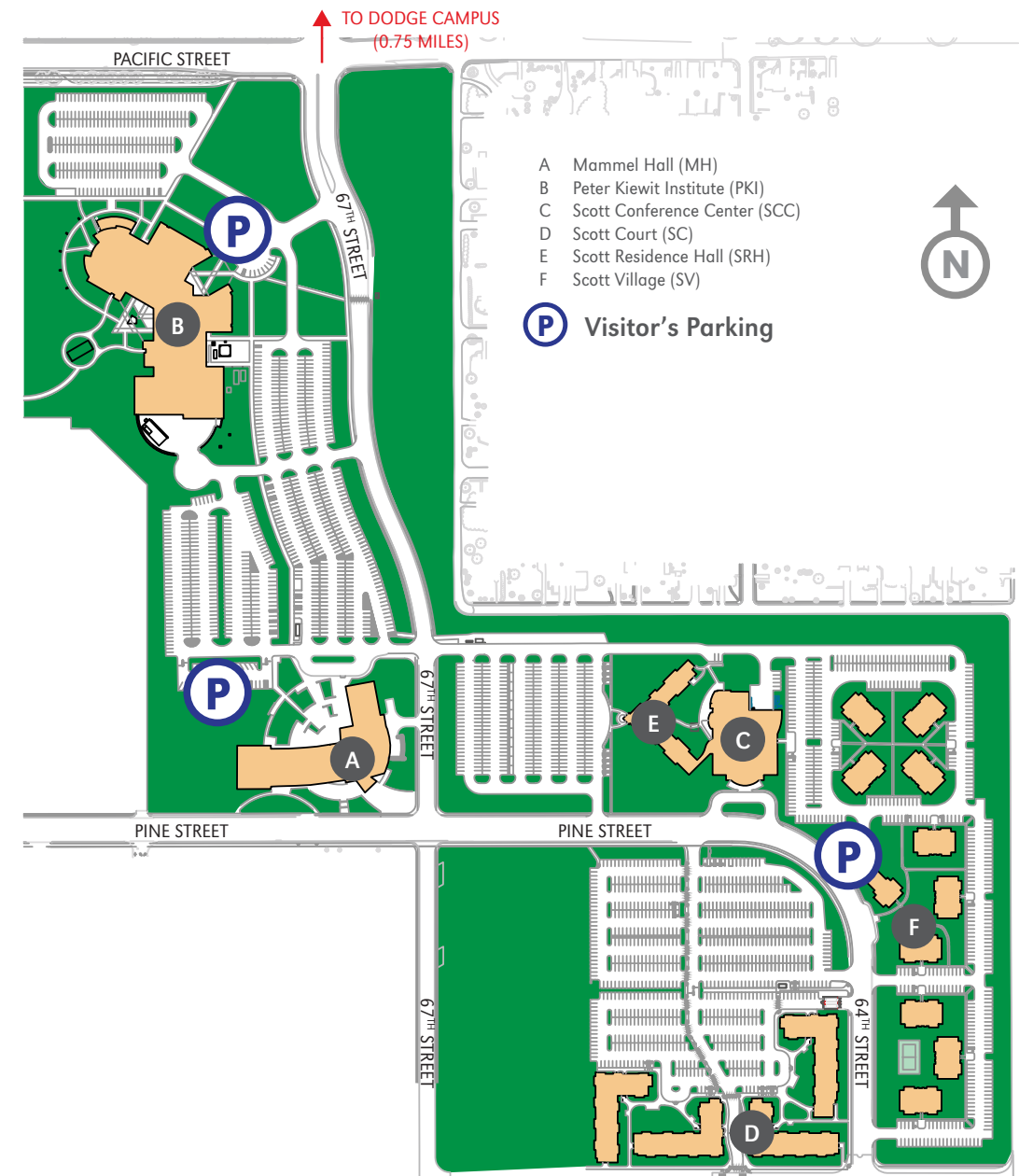
## Crossroads Shuttle

Shuttles run from Crossroads Parking Garage and pick up at Durham Science Center and the Milo Bail Student Center about every 15 minutes. Shuttles run only when classes are in session. For a map of the shuttle stops and routes, visit

Monday-Friday, 7 am - 6 pm (fall and spring)

# UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT OMAHA PACIFIC CAMPUS MAP

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- P** Visitor's Parking
- A Mammel Hall (MH)
  - B Peter Kiewit Institute (PKI)
  - C Scott Conference Center (SCC)
  - D Scott Court (SC)
  - E Scott Residence Hall (SRH)
  - F Scott Village (SV)





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