



SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

Denotes which activities your Family Weekend event pass will allow access to attend.

\$ Denotes an activity that requires an admission fee or optional purchases separate from your Family Weekend event pass.

Friday, September 20

Family Weekend Check-in and Late Registration 2 – 8 p.m. [Baker Pattillo Student Center, First Floor]

Registered guests check-in at the BPSC Atrium, located on the first floor, to receive your t-shirt, meal tickets, event access cards and any purchased merchandise. **Guests that have not registered and wish to do so may register at this location.**

Barnes & Noble Bookstore Open \$ 7:30 a.m. – 7 p.m. [Baker Pattillo Student Center, First Floor]

Academic College Open House Receptions 4 – 4:45 p.m. [Academic Buildings]

Meet the faculty and academic Deans in your student's college. The receptions will connect you with departments within the college, as well as showcasing the various resources for your student's major. Light refreshments will be served at each location.

Nelson Rusche College of Business	R.E. McGee Business Building, Mattress Firm Commons (First Floor)
James I. Perkins College of Education	Human Services Building, Lobby
College of Fine Arts	L.E. Griffith Fine Arts Building, Room 208
Arthur Temple College of Forestry and Agriculture	Arthur Temple Forestry Building, Walker Student Resource Center
College of Liberal and Applied Arts	Ferguson Building, Room 291
College of Sciences and Mathematics	Ed & Gwen Cole STEM Building, Atrium

Meet the University President Reception 5 – 5:45 p.m. [Baker Pattillo Student Center, Spirit Lounge]

Meet and mingle with SFA's ninth President, Dr. Scott Gordon.

Party on the Plaza 6 – 7:30 p.m. [Baker Pattillo Student Center Plaza and Spirit Lounge]

Join us and connect with university staff, student leaders, and other Lumberjack family members. Various departments, student organizations, and local businesses will be sponsoring games and family-friendly activities.

Ladyjack Soccer vs. Northwestern State 7 p.m. [SFA Soccer Field]

Watch your SFA women's soccer take on Northwestern State. Admission is free!

Saturday, September 21

Family Weekend Late Check-in and Late Registration 8 a.m. – 4 p.m. [Baker Pattillo Student Center, First Floor]

Registered guests check-in at the BPSC Atrium, located on the first floor, to receive your t-shirt, meal tickets, event access cards and any purchased merchandise. **Guests that have not registered and wish to do so may register at this location.**

Fun Run the Nacogdoches Trails 6 a.m.

Wanting to get a quick workout in before the day? Run along one of the beautiful Nacogdoches trails located on or near campus. Trails located on campus include the Ruby M. Mize Azalea Garden, the Gayla Mize Azalea Garden, and the SFA Mast Arboretum.

Nacogdoches Farmers Market \$ 8 a.m. – Noon

Stop by the Nacogdoches Farmers Market to pick up locally produced items. The Nacogdoches Farmers Market is held at 107 Pearl St.

Jazz Breakfast 8:30 – 9:30 a.m. [Baker Pattillo Student Center, Grand Ballroom]

Enjoy breakfast over music with your family and student before the day's activities.

Campus Family Programs

Library Activities 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. [Ralph W. Steen Library The “Hub”, First Floor]

Join the library staff and other SFA families to get ready for the tailgating and football game or just to relax and have fun. There will be refreshments, board games, puzzles, and craft activities for the entire family.

Planetarium Shows 3 p.m., 4:30 p.m., and 7 p.m. [STEM Building Planetarium]

One World, One Sky: Big Bird’s Adventure (children’s matinee – 3 p.m. only)

One World, One Sky is a brilliant spectacle of light and color as Big Bird, Elmo, and Hu Hu Zhu watch the stars twinkle over Sesame Street. Children attending the show can interact as they watch, drawing constellations and counting the time it takes the sun to set.

Life: A Cosmic Story (4:30 p.m. and 7 p.m.)

Life: A Cosmic Story tells the 14-billion-year saga of how we came to be. It’s a journey from the microscopic view inside a plant cell to the vastness of our universe populated by billions of galaxies swirling in space.

Experience Downtown Nacogdoches \$ 10:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. [Meet Outside of Austin Building]

Visit local shops and historical spots in downtown Nacogdoches. A charter bus will depart from outside of the Austin Building and transport guests downtown. A card will be provided for you to win prizes while you visit various locations. The charter bus will shuttle groups back to campus every 30 minutes beginning at 11 a.m. The last trip back to campus will depart from downtown at 2 p.m.

Please note that space on the charter bus is limited.

Lunch on your Own Noon – 2:30 p.m.

If you did not purchase a meal ticket to the Family Pre-game Tailgate, we encourage you to enjoy lunch at one of the local restaurants. A list of local restaurants will be available at the Family Weekend headquarters location near check-in. The following on-campus retail locations will be open for your convenience.

- Starbucks – 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- BPSC C-Store – 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Urban Bricks Pizza – 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Great American Cookie – 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Family Pre-game Tailgate with Residence Hall Association 3 – 5 p.m. [Outside of Arthur Temple Forestry Building]

If you purchased a meal ticket, come and enjoy music, food, games and family friendly fun at the Family Pre-game Tailgate in conjunction with the Residence Hall Association. Activities for young children will be available. *Please note: General game day tailgate will also be taking place and will end during the first quarter of the football game.*

Jack Walk 2:45 p.m.

Greet the Lumberjack Football team as they make their way to the Homer Bryce Stadium to prepare to take on Nicholls State. Jack Walk begins at the corner of Hayter and Raguet Street, near the Alumni Corner tailgate area, and ends at Homer Bryce Stadium.

Lumberjack Football vs. Nicholls State \$ 6 p.m. [Homer Bryce Stadium]

Tickets will need to be purchased through the SFA Athletics ticket booth outside of the stadium. Tickets are not included in the Family Weekend registration.

Family Evening Bingo Sponsored by Student Engagement Programs 8 p.m. [Baker Pattillo Student Center, Twilight Ballroom]

Student Engagement Programs and the Student Activities Association (SAA) will host evening entertainment for families. Win prizes, enjoy music and relax from the long day. *Please note: Your student must be present in order for prizes to be won.*

Sunday, September 22

Come-n-Go Breakfast 9 – 10 a.m. [Baker Pattillo Student Center, Spirit Lounge]

Enjoy a quick continental breakfast before leaving town and returning home. Be sure to complete the Family Weekend program survey at your table.