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Ohio State ATI

Student & Family Newsletter

Greetings from Ohio State ATI! As our academic year is winding to a close, it's been fun to look back at some of the highlights of our year. In September, we earned Ohio State University another national championship – at World Dairy Expo. Our dairy cattle judging team finished in first place! In February, a yearling Murray Grey bull born and raised at our beef facility won Grand Champion Murray Grey at Ohio Beef Expo. And in June we'll be dedicating our new dairy parlor with a state-of-the-art milking system donated by Dairy Master USA. I am looking forward to seeing you on campus as you begin your college career as a Buckeye at Ohio State ATI. In the meantime, this newsletter serves as a reminder about getting your housing contract returned for those who will be living on campus and as a reminder about the summer SOAR program.

Dr. Stephen Nameth - *Director of Ohio State ATI*

Shown by student: John Karlen

Save the Date for SOAR

All new students at Ohio State ATI are required to attend a 1-day Student Orientation, Assessment and Registration (SOAR) program. SOAR is an all-day event from 8am-5pm. Parents or other family members are encouraged to attend. During SOAR, each student will complete placement testing, attend orientation sessions, and meet with an advisor to schedule classes. Cost is $100 per student due the day of SOAR.

*The ACT or SAT test score is required for course placement purposes. If a student has not taken the ACT, they will receive specific instruction on taking the ACT at ATI one day prior to their SOAR date.

*Please note if a student takes the ACT at Ohio State ATI, the score will only be used for ATI placement purposes and cannot be shared with another school should the student ever transfer.

Reminders prior to attending SOAR:

1) Please activate your OSU email account.

2) Please pay your $100 acceptance fee; it cannot be accepted the day of SOAR (this is seperate from the SOAR fee of $100).

2010 SOAR Dates

June 16,17 or 18

July 29 or 30

August 27

Housing Reminder

http://housing.osu.edu

Ohio State ATI is a residential campus that aims to provide students an educational and worthwhile living experience. University residences require all first year students to live on campus (unless otherwise noted). Each resident will complete a Housing Contract which allows University Residences to best match each student with his or her future roommate(s).

The purpose of a housing contract, is to provide information about your lifestyle, areas of interest, study habits, hobbies, apartment preference (1, 2, or 3 bedroom that can accommodate 2, 4, or 5 students respectively) and more.

Within each apartment students can expect to find basic furniture including a single size bed, dresser and desk in each bedroom and a kitchen table and chairs, entertainment center as well as an oven and refrigerator in the common areas.

Housing assignments are created based on housing contract completion date. A one time fee of $250 is due at the time you fill out your housing contract, which includes a $50 non-refundable filling fee and a $200 space reservation deposit.

Housing contracts are currently being emailed to admitted students OSU email account. Students will be informed of their housing assignment late summer.

Student Perspective

1. What advice do you have for incoming ATI students?

If you need help...ask! Professors are available and friendly; so go to them with questions. Anyone can get a tutor for ANY class at ATI; to request a tutor go to Student Success Services.

2. What advice would you have for students living on-campus?

Get involved! Your Resident Advisor will have programs each quarter from "Dinner and a Movie" to Cornhole Tournaments. These are fun ways to meet new people.

3. What are your plans after you graduate from ATI this spring?

I will be transitioning to the Columbus campus to major in Food Business Management with a minor in International Economics and Development.

4. How do you feel Ohio State ATI has prepared you for continuing your education at Ohio State in Columbus?

Career building. That's what ATI has done for me. After two years here, I feel I have the tools to further my education and succeed in my career choice. I have been given a foundation of business knowledge, and am ready for my future.

-Heather Dean is a Pre-Food Business major from Springfield, Ohio. Heather will graduate from ATI this spring quarter 2010 prior to heading to Columbus to continue her education next autumn.

Important E-mail Reminder

Don't forget to access your OSU e-mail account. Important reminders about financial aid, housing and other OSU information will be sent to you at that e-mail address.

Important OSU ATI contacts

Nancy Brooker (SOAR) - 330.287.1302
Housing - 330.287.7507
Financial Aid - 330.287.1214
Admissions - 330.287.1327

Important Dates - Mark Your Calendar!

During April- *Financial aid award packages sent to admitted students with completed financial aid applications to their OSU email*
Late spring/early summer - *Housing contracts emailed to all admitted students*
June 16, 17, 18, July 29, 30 or August 27- *SOAR dates (details on other side)*
September 19-21 - *Welcome Days (students move in on the 19th)*
September 22 - *First day of Autumn 2010 classes*

Questions about ATI? Want to schedule a visit? Contact the Office of Admissions at (800) 647-8283 (Ohio only) or (330) 287-1327. Email us at ati@osu.edu or visit us on the web at www.ati.osu.edu

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