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OLYMPUS

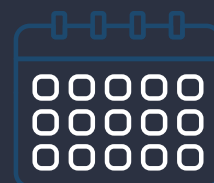
WELCOMING 2020



Your ultimate guide to Welcoming Week 2020

This is your first step into adulthood!

... it's not that much of a trap!



See you soon!

22 January at 09:00

I'd like to welcome you, as a fellow Olympian, into the place that has become a home to so many before you. We can't wait to see how you will grow within and with our community. Olympus will hopefully become your place of security and acceptance, but also a place that will encourage you to step out of your comfort zone, in order to explore the various opportunities that this campus will offer. May you learn to live with love, dignity and purpose. We hope that you will acquire the skills to stay an individual within your community and always stay critically engaged and aware. May your time with us be memorable, irreplaceable and above all, indispensable.



LEONÉ WILKINSON
PRIMARIA
GENERAL LINGUISTICS



**KHANYISILE NDABA
VICE PRIMARIA
BA HUMANITIES**

Hi there!

My name is Khanyisile Ndaba, but everyone just calls me Khanyi. I am honoured to serve as your Vice-Prim for this coming year. Three years ago I was in your shoes, feeling anxious and weary; you might even feel really disappointed that you didn't make it into a res. I am here to just let you know that it's all going to be alright. Being an Olympian is something we truly pride ourselves in and we are so eager and excited to welcome you into our family, a home away from home. Olympus has so much to offer and is a place where you will truly build friendships and memories for life.

Hey there!

Welcome to Olympus PSO. I very much look forward to meeting you and can't wait for you to start this awesome journey that I know you will immensely enjoy! I am Secretary of this PSO, so all things admin is my forté. I am also the Welcoming leader. I was, and still am, responsible for planning an exciting & memorable welcoming programme for you, and I hope you enjoy it lots!

Counting the days, Anica x



ANICA OLIVER

Welcome fellow Olympians!

My advice to all of you on your new journey, is to be open, be mindful and most importantly be yourself. In Olympus we welcome difference, hence you'll be exposed to different people, with different backgrounds and different opinions. Be open to learn and equip yourself with this knowledge of other people and other cultures. With that said, be mindful of how you express yourself. You are more than welcome to disagree with someone but know HOW you go about it. And lastly be yourself. In our community, we encourage individuality. I know University, to most, is a place to discover who you truly are, but don't get lost in the crowd trying to be someone you're not. That's never fun.

ROBIN FARMER



Hi and welcome to Olympus!
I have the Social Impact/Connect Portfolio for 2020. I hope to see you at some of the projects that I am planning for the year and to come help make a difference where we can. I just want to say good luck with your first year, you are going to have the best time!
My advice to you is to be open to new experiences and different opinions. Try to make the most of your time here in this amazing place filled with so many opportunities to grow and learn and keep on challenging yourself.
Remember to always back yourself, I definitely already do!



CHEVONNE KWE

NTANDO MNCUBE



Hi there!
My name is Ntando, but you can call me NBS; and no, it is not a module, just my trademark.
I am your Sustainability and Cluster portfolio head. I am so excited to meet you!
However, please practice some caution with me, I am very shy.

Greetings ☺

I am the Head Mentor and Leadership House Committee member, if you don't remember that, just know that I'll be the loudest person around ☺
I'm looking forward to helping you discover your leadership potential!



YANGA KEVA

KATLEHO PUDUMO



HEY THERE!

My name is Katleho and I am the portfolio head for Branding, Alumni and Seniors. I am so excited to have you join us as an Olympian! I hope you have a fun filled Welcoming Week and a prosperous first year. Please come photo-ready because your face will very much grace our social media platforms with #welcomingweek2020

Welcome to Olympus!

 @olympus_pso

 OLYMPUS PSO

Hi all, my name is Ubaid Toefy, and I am your Sports and Safety HK for 2020.

My role is to oversee all sporting codes and events for the year, but my most important role is to keep you safe during welcoming week so that you have the best time of your life. Prepare yourself for good times ahead and making new friends from all over campus. Stellenbosch is the place to be and we can't wait to meet in the new year.

Have a great holiday!!



UBAID TOEFY

Hello everyone, my name is Jean Botha, currently studying BMus III; and I'll be your culture HK for 2020.

Some things that you need to know about me is that I tend to talk slightly too much, but know when to keep quiet, so at least that helps. I'm a goal driven person who wants to help wherever and whenever I can. I'm someone that despises time-wasting, even though I know how to procrastinate, but everyone knows how to do that; and I'm someone who enjoys my time with friends and family whenever I can.



JEAN BOTHA



FRONT (left to right) : Kecia Goliath, Leandri Louw, Kayrie Toerien, Annikie Mangena, Vukile Maseko, Abigail Backman-Daniels, Tereka Glen, Kay-Leigh van der Merwe, Daniel Olivier, Natalie Mashele, Christian Van Heerden, Zini Gordon.

BACK (left to right): Rachael Haddow, Tenzin Koetsier, Moesha Matroos, Heather Lawson, Joshua Urdang, Ryan Pretorius, Jacques Vermeulen, Jacques Badenhorst, Jody Abrahams, Kirsty Potgieter, Jamie van den Heuvel, Schané Burger
Chair: Yanga Keva (Head mentor)





FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: Katleho Pudumo; Nerice Lock; Qamani Ngudu; Imaad Faki; Joseph Garnham; Bibi Patel; Aneeka Jordaan; Botlhale Phaka; Micalleb Lawrence; Amy Kannemeyer; Mishka Lewis and Abigail Gilbey



YOUR PSO COORDINATOR

Dear Olympus Newcomer

Congratulations with your acceptance at Stellenbosch University and a warm welcome to Olympus. Studying at Stellenbosch University is a great honour and I wish you all the best as you enter this challenging, yet exciting phase of your life. As a prospective first year, you stand at the beginning of an exciting period in your life.

As PSO Coordinator, I am responsible for managing Olympus, along with its House Committee and the Mentors. We are your support network that will assist with your academic and social integration at the University. Please, if you have any questions, do not hesitate to ask. Olympus believes in a value driven system, and we consider these values in all we do.

I encourage you to make the most of this experience and to take a hold of each opportunity that comes your way. In today's world, a degree can only get you so far. Your experience at Olympus PSO is what will allow you to go further and to leave Stellenbosch University as a well-rounded graduate. Olympus is your portal to an exciting out-of-class and co-curricular experience which will go a long way to giving you an upper hand one day when you graduate.

We look forward to meeting you and I can assure you that you will be welcomed into our family with open arms.

Regards

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PSO Coordinator

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| MISSION & VISION |

MISSION

For welcoming we, Olympus PSO, strive to make all newcomers feel comfortable, welcomed and included at Olympus, Validus and Stellenbosch University. We aim to ensure this by having a welcoming programme aimed specifically at the well-being and acclimation of newcomers.



VISION

We aspire to create independent and confident newcomers at the end of 2020. Newcomers who have acclimated well into Stellenbosch society and have flourished as individuals in a student community. Our vision for each of you is to have excelled in your academics, and we hope you achieve each goal you set for yourself this year.



OLYMPUS VALUES

Every act completed by Olympus is done with **purpose**; in everything that we do, we do with **dignity**; in every situation we strive to be **critically aware and engaged**; wherever we enter, we inspire **individuality within the community**, and above all else we always exude **love**.

We hope these values are adapted by our students and that they become true Olympians!

OUR MOTTO

Greek:

μεγαλώσαμε, κολλάμε, ζούμε και μαθαίνουμε

Greek in English letters:

megalósame, kolláme, zoúme kai mathaínoume

Translation:

We grew, We glue, We live and We learn.

WELCOME TO VALIDUS CLUSTER!

WHAT IS A CLUSTER?

A cluster allows for the opportunity for students from PSOs and residences to come together and connect. The facilities provided by the residences also become available for use by the students who registered to a PSO.

Olympus forms a part of the Validus cluster, along with Academia, Simonsberg Boys' Residence, Huis Visser, Huis Marais, Huis Francie, Goldfields and Isa Carstens. We are indeed one LARGE and exciting cluster!

Follow the Validus Cluster page on social media:



Validus Cluster Page



@validuscluster

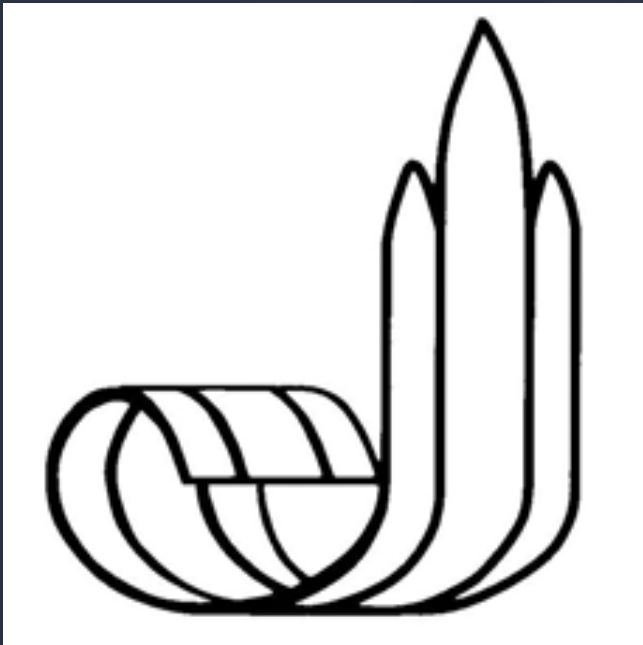


Connect

Our Vensters partner

Helshoogte + Olympus = ...

Hellympus



FUN ACTIVITIES OFFERED BY OLYMPUS

SPORT

- Captain / Reps Committee
- Olympus Hockey
- Olympus Rugby
- Olympus Soccer
- Athletics
- Outreach Day
- Sports Tournaments



CULTURE

VENSTERS - The **HIGHLIGHT** of Welcoming Week, and definitely a **MUST**

SU ACAPELLA - Enjoy singing? Dancing? Then this is the activity for you!

TONEELFEES - for all you drama loving students, this is it



SOCIAL IMPACT

“In a world where you can be anything, be kind.”

Projects like 'Puppies and Pancakes' with Animal Welfare Market for underprivileged people to choose their own clothing and necessities Plus, a free Social Impact t-shirt for attending enough projects throughout the year It's all about giving back!

My aim for this year is to have projects that will actually make a difference in some way and I would really love your help in doing so!

Some of the things that I am planning for this year includes to have a project with an underprivileged school in Stellenbosch. The point is to enable school learners to be motivated and to realise that they have the opportunity to have a different life one day. It is sad how most of the things that we literally take for granted, are things that they don't even feel they can wish for because it might seem too unrealistic to them. Therefore I want us to spend time with these learners and motivate them in a way to become the best they can be.



STELLENBOSCH CAMPUS MAP KEY

CAMPUS MAP

SUPPORT SERVICES

- 1 Administration, Block A
- 2 Administration, Block B
- 3 Administration, Block C
- 4 JS Gericko Library
- 5 Neelsie Student Centre
- 6 Campus Security
- 7 Centre for Prospective Students
- 8 Centre for Student Counselling and Development: Reception
- 9 Development Office
- 10 Careers Office
- 11 Academic Counselling and Career Development
- 12 Therapy and Personality Development
- 13 Academic Support
- 14 Centre for Teaching and Learning
- 15 Campus Health Services
- 16 Maties Sport
- 17 DF Malan Memorial Centre
- 18 Old Conservatoire
- 19 Bureau for Economic Research
- 20 SU Art Gallery
- 21 Eben Dörgees Centre (Sasol Art Museum)
- 22 Telematic Services
- 22 Language Centre (Crozier Street Houses)
- 23 WAT, 115 Banghoek Road
- 24 Matie Community Services, Lückhoff School
- 25 SU Vehicle Fleet
- 26 Legal Aid Clinic
- 27 IT Student Help Centre
- 28 TAS-IT
- 29 Information Technology
- 30 Facilities Management
- 31 Buying and Supplying Services

SPORTS FACILITIES

- 33 Danie Craven Stadium
- 34 Coetzburg Athletics Stadium
- 35 Coetzburg Tennis Courts
- 36 PSO Club House
- 37 Hockey Club House and Fields
- 38 Swimming Pool
- 39 SU Gymnasium
- 40 Tennis Courts (Residences)
- 41 Old Mutual Sports Centre
- 42 Tennis Courts
- 43 Heidehof Rugby Fields

ACADEMIC BUILDINGS

- 44 Africa Centre for HIV and AIDS Management
- 45 Food Science
- 46 PO Sauer
- 47 Civil Engineering
- 48 Electrical / Electronic Engineering
- 49 Process Engineering
- 50 Mechanical and Industrial Engineering
- 51 Engineering, General
- 52 Knowledge Centre
- 53 JC Smuts – Biological Sciences
- 54 De Beers – Chemistry
- 55 Mike de Vries
- 56 Chemistry – first-years
- 57 Inorganic Chemistry
- 58 CGW Schumann
- 59 Van der Sterr
- 60 Accounting and Statistics
- 61 JS Maties
- 62 Polymer Science
- 63 Visual Arts
- 64 JH Neethling
- 65 AI Perold
- 66 Merensky

- 67 Mathematical Sciences and Industrial Psychology
- 68 Nursery
- 69 Natural Sciences
- 70 Chamber of Mines
- 71 RW Wilecks
- 72 Old Main Building
- 73 HB Thom Theater
- 74 CL Marais Library
- 75 Journalism
- 76 GG Cillie
- 77 Arts and Social Sciences
- 78 Lombardi
- 79 Konservatorium (University Choir)
- 80 Theological Seminary
- 81 Paul van der Bijl Laboratories
- 82 Welgevallen Experimental Farm
- 83 Agronomy
- 84 Sport Science

WOMEN'S RESIDENCES

- 85 Huis Neethling
- 86 Monica
- 87 Harmonie
- 88 Heemstede
- 89 Huis van Bosch
- 90 Lydia
- 91 Minerva
- 92 Nerina
- 93 Erica
- 94 Nemesia
- 95 Serraria
- 96 Tine Louw Dining Hall
- 96 amaMaties ksb
- 97 Soop (Huis van Niekerk)
- 98 Irene

MEN'S RESIDENCES

- 99 Eendrag
- 100 Heikhoopte
- 101 Simonsberg
- 102 Huis Visser
- 103 Huis Marais
- 104 Dagboek
- 105 Majuba
- 106 Wilgenhof
- 107 Hekkerberg

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S RESIDENCES

- 108 New generation residence
- 109 Metanoia
- 110 Academia
- 111 Concordia
- 112 Goldfields
- 113 Huis McDonald

UNIVERSITY FLATS AND HOUSES

- 114 Lobelia
- 115 Crozierhof
- 116 Huis de Villiers
- 117 Waldenhof

LISTEN, LIVE AND LEARN

- 118 LLL-towa
- LLL-houses

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- Afrikaans en Nederlands 77
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- Botany and Zoology 69
- Chemistry and Polymer Science 54-57, 62
- Computer Science (Math. Sc.) 51
- Conservation Ecology and Entomology 61
- Earth Sciences 70
- Drama 73

ECONOMIC AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCES 58-60, 67

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- English 77
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- Forest and Wood Sciences 46
- General Linguistics 77
- Genetics 53
- Geography and Environmental Studies 70
- History 71
- Horticulture 78
- Industrial Psychology 67
- Information Science 77
- Institute for Wine Biotechnology 64
- Institute for Plant Biotechnology 69
- Journalism 75

LAW 72

- Mathematics (Math. Sc.) 67
- Microbiology 53
- Modern Foreign Languages 77
- Music 79
- Philosophy 77
- Physics 66
- Physiological Sciences 55
- Plant Pathology 78
- Political Science 77
- Psychology 71
- Public Development Management 59

SCIENCE 51, 53-57, 59, 62, 65, 66, 69, 70

- Social Work 77
- Sociology and Social Anthropology 77
- Soil Science 78
- Sport Science 84
- Statistics and Actuarial Science 60

THEOLOGY 80

- Visual Arts 63
- Viticulture and Oenology 64

 Parking

CAMPUS DICTIONARY

"Bib": The Stellenbosch University Library

FHARGA: Computer Facilities for Economic and Management Sciences students. Computer Centre for the Economic Management Science Faculty (At the top of the Neelsie)

FIRGA: Computer Centre for Engineering Faculty (Engineering Building)

HUMARGA: Computer Centre for the BA and Education faculty students (Third floor BA)

NARGA: Computer Centre for Science and AgriScience Faculties (Admin A)

"HK": House Committee

"Klein Saterdag": Wednesdays, celebrating that you've made it half-way through the week!

Molassesêr: An acapella group, there is also an annual competition between all the PSO's and residences.

Neelsie: The food hall, with various food and fast-food outlets, cater for a wide variety of tastes ranging from full homestyle meals to light meals and takeaways. You will also find a number of coffee shops, adventure and travel agencies, health and beauty shops, bookstores, clothing boutiques, a convenience store, plenty of gift shops, our very own PULP Society Cinema and a number of academic and business services. There is also a photocopy room (Maties Copy Shop) where you can use your student card to make photocopies. Four banks have branches in the Neelsie: Standard Bank, Absa Bank, Nedbank and First National Bank

Pred / Predicate: This is your predicate mark which is the mark you have achieved throughout the year, before you write your exam. You must have "pred" in order to write exams. Each faculty has their own system of calculating pred.

"Prim": "Prim" is short for Primaria or Primarius. This person is the head leader of the House Committee.

Rooplein: The red brick and grass area outside the Neelise. Built on top of the University Library.

Second Opp: Most modules or faculties offer a second opportunity exam for students.

Sêr / Kleinsêr: A small acapella group (kind of like Pitch Perfect. There is an annual competition between PSO's and residences.

Skakel: An interaction between one or more PSO's or Residences.

SS: Student Centre (a great study sport) in the JC Smuts building which is across the bridge on Merriman Street.

SSVO / CSCD: Centre for Student Counselling and Development.

Sunlearn: A University website where you receive important information from your lecturer regarding the module. It's very important that you check Sunlearn every day as your lecturer will upload slides, notes and important notices.

Vensters: Each Connect Partnership choreographs and puts together a skit with their newcomers. The skit is showcased, anyone is welcome to watch. The aim of the skit is to raise awareness for Social Impact.

Vice-Prim: This person is the vice head leader of the House Committee.

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

CAMPUS SECURITY

Control Room: 021 808 2333

Whatsapp: 082 808 2333

General enquiries, report, pedestrian service: 021 808 4666

HOSPITALS

Medi-Clinic Emergency Centre: 021 861 2094

Stellenbosch Medi-Clinic: 021 809 6500

Medicross Stelkor: 021 88 0305

Campus Health: 021 808 3496 / 3494

AMBULANCE SERVICES

Metro: 021 937 0500

ER24: 084 124

Netcare911: 082 911

Stellenbosch Medi-Clinic: 021 861 2000

Stellenbosch Hospital: 021 808 6100

EMERGENCY

24-hour Rape Crisis Stellenbosch: 082 977 8581

24-hour Psychology Crisis Service: 082 557 0880

24-hour emergency Delta Search and Rescue: 021 851 3559

Lifeline Cape Town: 021 592 2601

VEHICLE EMERGENCIES

Tomson Motors: 021 887 8596

After Hours, GP Towing: 082 807 0901

LOCKSMITHS

Locksmith 24/7: 082 879 7399

Neelsie Sleutels & Tekens: 021 887 6706

WHERE OUR JOURNEY BEGINS

Our Welcoming Week programme of 2020 has a variety on offer, something for everyone! We hope you will take part in everything there is, and look forward to seeing you there!

21 January (Tuesday)	
16:00 – 18:00	First Year Law Students arrive Law Student Registration
18:00 – 20:00	Olympus Stand for Law Students
22 January (Wednesday)	
08:30 – 16:00	Law Faculty Programme
09:00 – 09:30	Formal welcoming <i>Introduction of all HK and general information</i>
09:30 – 12:00	Registration of newcomers <i>Parents are welcome to ask any questions which they may have during this time</i> Mentor introduction <i>Game show and teaching the new song / mantra</i>
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch <i>Not hosted by Olympus, lunch with parents – own schedule</i>
13:00 – 15:00	Unclear conversation <i>Newcomer meet and greet</i>
15:00 – 17:00	Human Bingo
23 January (Thursday)	
07:00 – 08:30	Morning Exploration <i>Variety of different things to do on campus in the morning, newcomers can choose an activity if they so wish</i>
09:00 – 11:30	Campus tour <i>Campus hide and seek with mentors</i>
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch
12:30 – 15:00	Information session: Students with Special Learning Needs (Disabilities)
13:00 – 14:00	Ultimate ice breaker <i>Mentor organised activity</i>
14:00 – 17:00	Introduction of Parents to faculties <i>(students excluded, except where indicated otherwise)</i>
14:00 – 16:00	Fear Pong <i>Social with Aurora</i>
15:30 – 16:30	Compulsory Session: AgriScience students <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - With average percentage between 50%-59% (final Gr 12 results) and/or - With average percentage between 50%-59% for Mathematics and/or - Who have been admitted conditionally to the Extended Degree Programme
16:00 – 17:00	Picnic <i>Mentor organised activity</i>
17:00 – 17:30	Moving to Danie Craven Stadium in maroon Maties T-shirts
17:30 – 18:00	Informal program at Danie Craven
18:00 – 19:00	Dream Launch and Dream Walk <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Official Welcoming by the Rector - 2020 Photo - Availing your dreams <i>Olympians disperse after Dream Walk</i>

24 January (Friday)	
07:00 – 08:00	Pancake Hangout
08:00 – 12:00	Academic Programme <i>No official programme during these hours, but there is a 'chill zone' at the House</i>
09:30 – 12:00	Compulsory session: Arts and Social Sciences students with Gr 12 averages of between 60% and 64.9% – meet lecturers about extended degree programme (EDP)
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch <i>Social with Helshoogte</i>
13:00 – 15:00	Vensters practice
14:00 – 16:00	Registration of B Occupational Therapy and B Speech, Language, and Hearing Therapy Students (those who could not register themselves)
15:15 – 16:45	Welcoming Fair
16:30 – 20:00	Picnic & Pizza <i>"How-to Stellies"</i> <i>Dinner and Mingle</i>
25 January (Saturday)	
07:00 – 08:00	Early Bird Coetzenburg 'Hike' Pancake Hangout
08:30 – 11:00	Vensters practice
11:00 – 13:00	Boardgames and trivia <i>Social with Academia</i>
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 15:00	Get ready for Cluster day <i>Hype up and practice mantra</i>
15:00 – 18:00	Cluster day – Sports day
18:00 – 20:00	Sing-songs
26 January (Sunday)	
<i>Free day for Olympians</i>	
27 January (Monday)	
07:00 – 08:00	Pancake Hangout
08:00 – 12:30	Academic Programme <i>No official programme during these hours, but there is a 'chill zone' at the House</i>
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch <i>Social with Aurora</i>
13:30 – 17:00	Academic Programme <i>No official programme during these hours, but there is a 'chill zone' at the House</i>
17:00 – 19:00	ResEd Workshop <i>Dictionary of Difference</i>
19:00 – 21:00	Open Mic Night
28 January (Tuesday)	
07:00 – 08:00	Pancake Hangout
08:00 – 12:30	Academic Programme <i>No official programme during these hours, but there is a 'chill zone' at the House</i>
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch
13:30 – 17:00	Academic Programme <i>No official programme during these hours, but there is a 'chill zone' at the House</i>
17:00 – 19:00	Vensters Practice

29 January (Wednesday)	
07:00 – 08:00	Pancake Hangout
08:00 – 12:30	Academic Programme <i>No official programme during these hours, but there is a 'chill zone' at the House</i>
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch with Simonsberg <i>Meet at Simonsberg dining hall after your programme finishes</i>
13:30 – 15:30	Find your vibe <i>Newcomers choose their Mentor</i>
15:30 – 18:00	ResEd Workshop (7 Up) <i>Collab with Helshoogte</i>
18:30 – 19:30	Booze control <i>HK and Mentor talks to newcomers</i>
19:30 – 20:30	Newcomers go home and change
20:30 – 24:00	Olympus Town night
21:00-22:30	OR Movie night
30 January (Thursday)	
07:00 – 08:00	Morning Exploration <i>Variety of different things to do on campus in the morning, newcomers can choose an activity if they so wish</i>
08:00 – 09:00	Acapella competition <i>Perform what you pick</i>
09:00 – 12:00	Community interaction morning / Social Impact
12:00 – 13:30	Time-off for Olympians <i>Chill zone provided at house</i>
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch
14:30 – 16:30	Vensters Practice
16:30 – 17:30	Stellies radio <i>Send in song requests by Thursday</i>
17:30 – 18:30	HIIT Fit
31 January (Friday)	
07:00 – 08:00	Morning exploration <i>Variety of different things to do on campus in the morning, newcomers can choose an activity if they so wish</i>
08:00	Registration for ALL students ends
08:00 – 12:30	Vensters Practice
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch
14:00 – 16:00	Vensters Practice
16:00 – 18:00	Olympians get ready
18:00 – 22:00	Vensters
1 & 2 February (Weekend)	
3 February (Monday)	
08:00 – 17:00	First day of classes <i>ALL Olympians wear merch</i>

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE!

WELCOMING PACKAGE 2020

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1. Drawstring bag
2. Reusable straw
3. Olympus Vest
4. Summer Visor

1. Cluster shirt
2. Drawstring bag
3. Reusable straw
4. Olympus Vest
5. Summer Visor

1. Cluster shirt
2. Drawstring bag
3. Reusable straw
4. Values shirt
5. Olympus vest
6. Summer Visor

CHOOSE YOUR ONE





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December 2019

Dear Student

CHARGING FIRST YEAR PACKETS TO STUDENT ACCOUNTS

Welcome to the PSO community of Stellenbosch University! You have been assigned to a PSO (private student organisation) due to the fact that you have not elected to stay in a residence in 2020. During the annual welcoming period in the beginning of the year, residences and PSOs take responsibility for exposing first years to Stellenbosch University in a welcoming manner.

Because PSO's do not have a dining hall (although some PSO's will arrange meals for their students in dining halls during the welcoming period) where students can enjoy meals, PSO first years are provided with "welcoming packages". These packages usually consist of a number of meals, clothing, water bottles, caps and other items unique to the particular PSO. During PSO registration on the first day of Welcoming (Wednesday, 22 January 2020), you will have the option of purchasing one of these welcoming packages at a set price (which may vary from PSO to PSO). Each PSO will also offer different options (both clothing and meals, only meals, only clothing, etc.) that students can then select. Please see the bottom of this email for more information.

Stellenbosch University utilizes a cashless system to allow students to purchase these packages hassle free. You, or your parents or guardian, will have to sign an acknowledgment of debt on the day so that the clothing, food, etc. for the welcoming period can be made available to you. After registration the cost will be charged to your student account to be paid with all other student-related expenses. **Please note that once the form is signed you will be liable for the costs of the package selected, regardless of you having all the meals or not, or not wanting the clothing after the first few days.**

Acquiring the "welcoming package" is not compulsory, but we do want to encourage you to take the opportunity to do so as it will make your welcoming period a much more enjoyable experience. Please find attached the form for your completion. You are welcome to print the form and bring it along.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at 021-808 3023 / 2791 or psos@sun.ac.za

Kind regards,

PSO Office Centre for Student Communities | Sentrum vir Studentegemeenskappe



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**PERMISSION: CHARGING COST OF WELCOMING PACKAGE TO
 2020 STUDENT ACCOUNT**

Please complete the following:

DETAILS OF STUDENT:

NAME AND SURNAME

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STUDENT NUMBER:

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PSO:

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FULL PACKAGE (Clothing Option 3 & Meals) COST: R685	ONLY MEALS (8 meals) COST: R300	ONLY CLOTHING OPTION 1 COST: R205	ONLY CLOTHING OPTION 2 COST: R265

CHOICE OF WELCOMING PACKAGE (MARK WITH AN X):

Please note that the cost of welcoming packages, including the packages containing only meals and certain items, differs from PSO to PSO.

By signing this form, you commit in writing to the following:

- I hereby grant permission that the cost of the welcoming package may be charged to my student account;
- I understand that acquiring the welcoming package is not compulsory;
- I understand that if I sign the form, I have to pay the costs and I will not be able to be reimbursed¹.

SIGNATURE OF STUDENT:

SIGNATURE OF PARENT:

DATE:

¹ Please take note that we usually do not reimburse students simply because they change their minds. However, if the goods are faulty or defective, have been described incorrectly, differ from the sample shown to you or do not function according to their purpose, you can choose between reimbursement, exchange, or repair of the goods.



See you soon!

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