A GAEL'S GUIDE TO THE FIRST 50 DAYS OF FUN IN FALL 2021!

KICKOFF

FIRST

DAYS

Contact the Center for Student Engagement at studentactivities@iona.edu or (914) 633-2360 for more information.



We look forward to seeing you at as many Killian's Kick-Off events as possible! The more you attend the better your chances of winning some awesome prizes! Be on the lookout for Killian's Kickoff pop-up events and additional amazing opportunities to get free food and swag, win prizes and engage with your fellow Gaels!

* New Students please refer to the full Orientation schedule in your welcome bag for all Welcome Days details!

Sunday, August 29

8:30 - 9:30 a.m. | Vitanza Commons

Welcome Day Breakfast (optional)

Bring your Iona ID/meal card and learn how the main cafeteria on campus works. Enjoy breakfast and fuel up for the day with your OLs and student leaders.

10 - 11 a.m. | Various Classrooms

Welcome Day: Meet your OL & Group

Get to know the other students in your group and learn more about your Orientation Leader.

11 a.m. | Hynes Athletic Center Arena

Welcome to Gael Nation

Welcome to Iona! All new students will be addressed by administrators and student leaders of the College. Learn the pillars of what it means to be an Iona Gael and take part in a long-standing tradition of our new student induction ceremony.

1:30 - 6: 30 p.m.

Welcome Day Group Session Block 1

Zero Shades of Gray | *Murphy Auditorium* Get Involved! | *Various Outdoor Locations* CommUNITY | *Spellman Lounge & Mazzella Field* Grit for College Students | *Mulcahy Gym*

9 p.m. | Mazzella Field

(Weather Location: Mulcahy Gym)

Movie Under the Stars: Cruella

Join your classmates in watching a movie on the big screen from a blanket on the field or the bleachers! Snacks, prizes, and fun! All our new and returning students are welcome.

Monday, August 30

8:30 - 9:45 a.m.

Welcome Day New Student Cohort Breakfasts

Honors Program | *Burke Lounge, Spellman Hall* TRIO Program | *Faculty Reception Room, Spellman Hall* Student Performing Arts | *McGrath Room, Student Union* Gael Service Recipients | *End Zone & Food Court, Student Union* General Gael Grub | *Vitanza Commons, Spellman Hall*

10 a.m. - 12 p.m. & 2 - 4 p.m.

Welcome Day Group Session Block 2 & 3

Academic Resources for Success | *Romita Auditorium* CDS 1195 Class Session | *Various Classrooms* Diversity: The Freedom to be Yourself | *Murphy Auditorium* Fun in 2021 | *Mazzella Field (Weather Location: Hynes Arena)*

12 – 2 p.m.

Welcome Day New Student Lunch & Campus Tours

Enjoy a lunch with your new classmates and receive a campus tour. Be sure to have a copy of our Fall schedule so you can see where your classes will be!



4:30 p.m. | Various Campus Locations

Welcome Day New Commuter Student Orientation

5:00 p.m. | Hynes Athletics Center Arena

All Student Athlete Welcome

6:00 p.m. | Montgomery Lot

Welcome Luau

This annual event is not to be missed! Free dinner, dunk tank, tiki mock-tail bar, photo booth, dancing, and activities! All our new and returning students are welcome.

Tuesday, August 31

8 - 10 a.m. | Spellman Portico

Commuter Student Welcome Breakfast

Join the Commuter Student Association (CSA) and our Commuter Assistants for their annual welcome back breakfast!

11 a.m. – 2 p.m. | Ginkgo Tree Campus Quad

Center for Student Engagement Welcome Carnival

Join the Center for Student Engagement (CSE) for an afternoon of giveaways, inflatables, and free iced coffee!

9 p.m. | End Zone

Comedian: Taquita Love

Taquita is Registered Nurse who is here to administer comedic relief for the soul through stand-up comedy! Taquita has been featured on Funny or Die, Laughs on FOX, and Amazon Prime.

Wednesday, September 1

12:30 p.m. | Spellman Portico

Performing Arts Welcome

Interested in any of Iona's Student Performing Arts (SPA) organizations? Stop by the Portico to meet some of the groups and learn more!

12:30 – 1:30 p.m. | Mulcahy Gym

Sophomore Welcome

Welcome back to Iona, Sophomores! Members of the Class of 2024 will be addressed by administrators and student leaders of the College. Learn the pillars of what it means to be an Iona Gael and take part in a long-standing tradition of our new student induction ceremony.

5:30 p.m. | Spellman Lounge

Performing Arts Dessert Reception

Join Student Performing Arts (SPA) for a meet and greet with faculty members, current students, and learn more about the co-curricular programs, majors, minors, and other academic offerings.

Thursday, September 2

11 a.m. – 1 p.m. | Spellman Portico

Career Development Welcome Table

Stop by to meet the Career Center staff and grab a tasty snack!

Noon - 1 p.m. | Facilities Lawn (near Monty Lot)

Tie Dye & Gourmet Popsicle Truck

Join the Colligate Entrepreneurs Student Organization (CEO) for an afternoon of tie-dye and refreshing gourmet popsicles, provided by PopCentric. T-Shirts and supplies provided on a first come, first served basis. Please wear a mask.



Noon - 1 p.m. | Spellman Portico

F.R.I.E.S

Learn how F.R.I.E.S. is connected to consent in this sexual assault prevention program. Sponsored by the Iona College Counseling Center.

3:30 p.m. | McGrath Room

Student Government Association Meeting

The Student Government Association (SGA) will be hosting their first meeting of the semester! All students are welcome!

4 – 6 p.m. | End Zone & Mazzella Field

Women's Soccer vs. Lafayette

Join us for a pre-game Gael Gate Free food, giveaways, then head to the field and cheer on our Gaels!

5:30 p.m. | Montgomery House

Hospitality Supper

Open to all students, join the Office of Mission and Ministry as various clubs & organizations sponsor weekly home cooked dinner and lawn games!

Friday, September 3

11 - 2 p.m. | Gingko Tree Campus Quad

CSE & Club Sports Welcome

Join the Center for Student Engagement (CSE) and Club Sports for an afternoon of giveaways, inflatables, and learn more about our new club sports offerings!

2:30 p.m. | Virtual

Phired Up!

Sponsored by the Council of Greek Governance (CGG), the Fraternity and Sorority Life community is invited to learn more about finding more members, managing recruitment, and new ways to engage & retain their members.

8 - 10 p.m. | Montgomery Parking Lot

Food Truck & Laser Tag

Grab your friends and join us for our first food truck Friday of the semester and challenge your friends to a game of tag!

Saturday, September 4

2 - 4 p.m. | Art Center, 665 North Ave.

Art as Spiritual Practice Brother Kenneth Chapman Gallery Opening Reception

Opening reception begins at 2 p.m. and the exhibit will be running through September 25, 2021. Sponsored by the Council on the Arts.

1 - 3 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Men's Club Soccer vs. Stony Brook University

Grab your friends and head out for the first ever Men's Club Soccer game!

3 - 5 p.m. | Residence Hall Courtyard

Courtyard Bash

First annual Loftus All Staff Program. Join Residential Life for backyard games, ice cream social, popcorn, and more! This event is open to all students.

Sunday, September 5

1 – 3 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Women's Soccer v. Wagner College

Cheer on our Gaels as they take on Wagner College!

6 p.m. | Holy Family Church

Sunday Mass

Join the Office of Mission and Ministry (OMM) for the traditional Sunday Mass.



Monday, September 6

Noon - 4 p.m. | Ginkgo Tree Campus Quad

Labor Day Barbeque & Giant Lawn Games

Celebrate the day of no classes with your favorite Gaels. Free food, giant lawn games, and more!

Tuesday, September 7

Noon – 1 p.m. | Spellman Portico

Commuter Student Ice Cream Social

Join the Commuter Student Association (CSA) for their annual ice cream social! Meet fellow commuters and maybe find a train or carpool buddy!

3:30 p.m. | McGrath Room

Inter-Club Council Meeting

Join SGA for their first Inter-Club Council (ICC) meeting of the semester. All Academic, Media, General Interest, Club Sports, and Performing Arts Organizations are required to attend for on-going leadership training and to receive important SGA updates.

6 p.m. | End Zone

Trivia League Night

Join us live in the End Zone for the launch of our first Fall trivia league. Compete for weekly prizes and come each week for a chance to win the ultimate grand prize!

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. | Murphy Auditorium

Auditions for Iona Players: Addams Family

Join us and audition for the Iona Players' Fall production of The Addams Family!

Wednesday, September 8

12:30 - 2 p.m. | Spellman Portico

Apples for Alzheimer's

Join Delta Theta Beta for their annual bobbing for apples fundraising event. Donate to have your favorite sister bob for an apple. All proceeds will go to benefit Alzheimer's research.

12:30 - 1:30 p.m. | Murphy Auditorium

Mass of the Holy Spirit

Join the Office of Mission and Ministry for Mass of the Holy Spirit where student leaders are commissioned for service and employees renew support for the Iona mission.

7:00 - 9:00 p.m. | End Zone

Get to know Gamma!

Come to the End Zone to meet the sisters of Gamma Lambda Rho!

10 p.m. | Spellman Lounge

B.I.N.G.O!

Join the Center for Student Engagement for the first monthly B.I.N.G.O night. Play for chance to win awesome prizes!

Thursday, September 9

Noon – 1 p.m. | Montgomery Parking Lot

Involvement Fair

Gaels get involved! Stop by the annual Involvement Fair and learn about all the ways you can get involved with our 80 clubs and organizations, campus partners, and more!

Noon - 1 p.m. | Montgomery Parking Lot

Rocky Middleton Jazz Band

While browsing all of our involvement opportunities enjoy a welcome back concert sponsored by the Council on the Arts.



6:30 - 9:30 p.m. | Murphy Auditorium

Callbacks for Iona Players: Addams Family

Second round of auditions for the Iona Players' Fall production of The Addams Family!

Noon - 12:30 p.m. | Virtual

Leveraging Part-Time Employment

Need money for textbooks and other back to school expenses? Join us to learn how to find part-time jobs that will also provide you with valuable skills that will impress employers in the future.

3:30 p.m. | McGrath Room

Student Government Association Meeting

The Student Government Association (SGA) hosts their weekly legislative meeting! Open to all students.

5:30 p.m. | Montgomery House

Hospitality Supper

Open to all students, join the Office of Mission and Ministry as various clubs & organizations sponsor weekly homecooked dinner and lawn games!

8 p.m. | Gingko Tree Campus Quad

Movie Under the Stars: Selena

Join the Office of Residential Life and the Center for Student Engagement for a screening of the film Selena.

Friday, September 10

Noon – 12:45 p.m. | Memorial Garden, Ryan Library

September 11th Memorial Service

The Office of Mission and Ministry annual hosts an inter-faith prayer service honoring the memory of the 15 alumni killed on September 11, 2001.

4 p.m. | Montgomery Lawn

SLAM Latinx Heritage Street Fair

Stop by the Montgomery house for SLAM's Latinx Heritage street fair!

5 – 10 p.m. | Mulcahy Gym

Iona Cheer Tryouts

Bring your Iona spirit and tryout the Iona Cheer team!

8 p.m. | Montgomery Parking Lot

Welcome Back Gala

Celebrate being back and the first week of school for a welcome back gala. Dress to impress (cocktail attire preferred) and dance the night away with your fellow Gaels! *Rain date: September 25, 2021*

Saturday, September 11

Saturday Rec Series

Join us for our new Saturday Rec Series featuring recreational gym hours and intramural game play! Stay tuned for more information in the This Week at Iona!

9/11 Photography Exhibit

Located in the Ryan Library, tour this exhibit running through September 18th. Sponsored by the Council on the Arts.

1 – 3 p.m. | End Zone & Mazzella Field

Sophomore Saturday - Men's Soccer v. Holy Cross

Class of 2024, join us for a pre-game Gael Gate free food, giveaways, then head to the field and cheer on our Gaels! All students are welcome to attend.

4:30 – 6 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Men's Club Soccer v. Quinnipiac

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels!



Sunday, September 12

9 a.m. – 1 p.m. | Hegarty Room

Dance Team Tryouts

The Iona College Dance Team is looking for talented dancers with a lot of school spirit!

3 – 5 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Women's Soccer v. Cornell

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels as they take on the Big Red.

10 – 4 p.m. | Murphy Auditorium

Guest Artist Workshop: Nathan Lucrezio

Students will have the opportunity to work on Irish Dance and Musical theatre technique and more during this workshop. Nathan has been a part of breakout shows including Disney's Aladdin, Rogers and Hammerstein's Cinderella, DIANA – A Musical, A Chorus Line, and much more! Nathan is also a champion Irish dancer and has appeared on popular television shows such as SMASH and First Wives Club. Sponsored by the Council on the Arts and SPA

6 p.m. | Holy Family Church

Sunday Mass

Join the Office of Mission and Ministry (OMM) for the traditional Sunday Mass.

Monday, September 13

12:30 - 1:30 p.m. | End Zone

SLAM President's Meeting

Bi-Weekly, the Student Leader Alliance for Multiculturalism (SLAM) hosts a meeting with all the club presidents to share updates and program updates!

12:30 - 1:30 p.m. Spellman Portico & Loftus Courtyard

Phi Gamma Chi: Candy Kabobs

Join the sisters of Phi Gamma Chi for their annual candy kabob event! The perfect sweet treat for in between classes.

5:30 p.m. | McGrath

Council of Greek Governance

The Council of Greek Governance (CGG) hosts their first meeting of the semester. This meeting brings all of the fraternities and sororities together to share events and receive important CGG updates.

Tuesday, September 14

Noon – 1 p.m. | Spellman 106 A

Learn the ASL Alphabet

Join the American Sign Language (ASL) for their first meeting of the semester and learn how to sign the alphabet.

Noon – 1 p.m. | Residence Hall Courtyard

What's in a Pronoun?

Pronouns? Tell me more. Learn why asking and knowing a person's pronouns are so important. Sponsored by the Counseling Center

Noon – 1 p.m.

Donuts with the Delta's

Join the sisters of Delta Theta Beta and the brothers of Delta Upsilon for donuts and learn more about their organizations.

Noon - 1 p.m. | Residence Hall Courtyard

Grow, Thrive, Survive

Learn the signs of suicide and plant seeds of change and have a new plant to take home. Sponsored by the Counseling Center.



6 p.m. | End Zone

Trivia League Night

Join us live in the End Zone for our Fall trivia league. Compete for weekly prizes and come each week for a change to win the ultimate grand prize!

Wednesday, September 15

Latinx Heritage Month

Latinx Heritage Month begins September 15 and runs through October 15. Stay tuned for more events and additional information.

11 a.m. - 1 p.m. | Spellman Portico

Guess Their Major Trivia Table

Stop by our table to test your knowledge on wellknown professionals! Sponsored by the Center for Career Development.

12:30 - 1:30 p.m. | Spellman Portico

SLAM Involvement Fair

Did you miss the involvement fair or want to learn more about the multicultural organizations? Stop by the Student Leader Alliance for Multiculturalism (SLAM) Involvement Fair and meet their e-board as well as all of the organizations they oversee.

9 p.m. | Mulcahy Gym

Meet the Greeks

Interested in joining Fraternity and Sorority Life at Iona College? Come to Meet the Greeks and learn all about our organizations. Note, in order to join an organization, a student must have completed 12 credits at Iona college prior to participation in recruitment. Sponsored for the Council for Greek Governance.

* Stayed tuned for more information about Fall recruitment *

Thursday, September 16

3 - 5 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Women's Soccer v. Delaware State

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Delaware State.

3:30 p.m. | McGrath Room

Student Government Association Meeting

The Student Government Association (SGA) will be hosting their weekly legislative meeting!

5:30 p.m. | Montgomery House

Hospitality Supper

Open to all students, join the Office of Mission and Ministry and kick off to Latinx Heritage Month home cooked dinner and lawn games!

5:30 - 7 p.m. | Virtual

Let's Talk about Hair Again Panel

Join our panelists to discuss the dynamics of hair and personal expression in the workplace. We'll explore what your hair means to you, the implications of a prescribed "professional" appearance on women and people of color, and how we can break those barriers in traditional work environments.

9 p.m. | End Zone

Late Night LaPenta

Stop by the LaPenta Student Union for free food, games, and night of fun!

Friday, September 17

Noon – 2 p.m. | Spellman Portico

Half-Way to St. Patrick's Day

Celebrate the half way mark to St. Patrick's day featuring performances by the Iona College Pipe Band and Irish Dance Ensemble.



Noon - 2 p.m. | Spellman Portico

Constitution Day

September 17th is Constitution Day, join Student Government Association and learn more about the constitution!

5 – 7 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Women's Soccer vs. Fordham University

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Fordham!

7:30 - 9:30 p.m. | Hynes Center Pool

Men's Water Polo v. Penn State Behrend

Grab your friends and head to the pool and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Penn State Benhrend.

9:00 p.m. | Gingko Tree Campus Quad

Smore's & Live Music Under the Stars

Enjoy an evening of star gazing, smores, and live acoustic music!

Saturday, September 18

Saturday Rec Series

Join us for our new Saturday Rec Series featuring recreational gym hours and intramural game play! Stay tuned for more information in the This Week at Iona!

1 p.m. | Hynes Athletic Center Arena

Women's Volleyball v. Manhattan

Grab your friends and head to the gym and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Manhattan!

1 – 4:30 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Club Rugby v. Colgate University

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Colgate.

4:30 - 6:30 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Men's Soccer v. Columbia University

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Columbia!

5 - 7 p.m. | End Zone

Salsa Night

Sponsored by Residential Life and the Student Life Diversity Committee (SLDC). Learn the art of salsa dancing in celebration for Latinx Heritage month.

Sunday, September 19

11 a.m. – 5 p.m. | New Rochelle City Hall Area

New Rochelle Street Fair

Down the street from campus, enjoy a day of live music, local restaurant tents, artists, crafters and much more!

3 p.m. | Murphy Auditorium

New Rochelle Opera: Highlights of Madama Butterfly

Highlights of Madama Butterfly, featuring Sarabeth Pearson, Soprano; Chad Kranak, Tenor; Suchan Kim, Baritone; Edith Dowd, Mezzo-Soprano; & Brian Holman, Pianist/Conductor. Reservations must be made by Sept. 9, 2021. Reservations can be made at www.nropera.org. Sponsored by the Council on the Arts.

6 p.m. | Holy Family Church

Sunday Mass

Join the Office of Mission and Ministry (OMM) for the traditional Sunday Mass.

Monday, September 20

12:30 - 1:30 p.m. | End Zone

GAB & Go

Join the Gaels Activities Board (GAB) and take a break in between classes to make and take a new friend at our ever so popular – Stuff a Bear event!

5:30 p.m. | McGrath

Council of Greek Governance

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Tuesday, September 21

Noon – 1 p.m. | Mulcahy Gym

Brother Cornelia Lecture

Brother Steve Casey will present on the "Advocacy in the Edmund Rice Mission: Solidarity with those Made Poor." Sponsored by the Office of Mission and Ministry.

Noon - 1 p.m. | End Zone

Phi Gamma Chi Informational

Visit the End Zone and meet some of the sisters of Phi Gamma Chi to learn more about their organization!

Noon - 1 p.m. | Loftus Courtyard

Get to know Psi Kappa Theta

Visit the Residential Life Courtyard and meet some of the sisters of Psi Kappa Theta to learn more about their organization!

Noon – 1 p.m. | Spellman Portico

Positivity Rocks

Everyone needs positivity. Stop by this event and paint a positive message and learn how positivity can inspire good things to happen! Sponsored by the Counseling Center.

Noon – 1 p.m. | Commuter Lounge, Student Union

Apple Cider & Trivia

Test your knowledge for a change to win some prizes and get in the Fall mood with some free apple cider! Sponsored by the Commuter Student Association.

3:30 p.m. | McGrath Room

Inter-Club Council Meeting

Join SGA for their Inter-Club Council (ICC) meeting. All Academic, Media, General Interest, Club Sports, and Performing Arts Organizations are required to attend for on-going leadership training and to receive important SGA updates.

6 p.m. | End Zone

Trivia League Night

Join us live in the End Zone for our Fall trivia league. Compete for weekly prizes and come each week for a chance to win the ultimate grand prize!

7 – 9 p.m. | Hynes Athletic Center Arena

Women's Volleyball v. Rider

Grab your friends and head to the gym and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Rider.

Wednesday, September 22

12 - 2 p.m. | End Zone

Get to know Gamma!

Come to the End Zone to meet the sisters of Gamma Lambda Rho!

1 - 3 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Men's Soccer vs. Sacred Heart University

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels as they take on the Pioneers!

Thursday, September 23

Noon – 1 p.m. | Commuter Lounge, Student Union

Deaf Culture 101

Join the American Sign Language Club to learn more about the deaf community and why learning American sign language is so important.

Noon – 1 p.m. | Spellman Portico

Pi Kappa Phi Meet and Greet

Come to the Spellman Portico to meet the brothers of Pi Kappa Phi!



3:30 p.m. | McGrath Room

Student Government Association Meeting

The Student Government Association (SGA) will be hosting their weekly legislative meeting!

5:30 p.m. | Montgomery House

Hospitality Supper

Open to all students, join the Office of Mission and Ministry as various clubs & organizations sponsor weekly home cooked dinner!

6:30 p.m. | Spellman Lounge

Paint Night with Delta Theta Beta

Paint the night away with Delta Theta Beta and learn more about their organizations!

9 p.m. | Gingko Tree Campus Quad

Late Night on the Lawn

Come out for some fun on the lawn and test your skills with our glow in the dark games and free food!

Friday, September 24

2 - 4 p.m. | Ginkgo Tree Campus Quad

Wellness Friday

Relax on this Friday afternoon and build a zen garden, try your hand at yoga and grab a fresh smoothie!

8 p.m. | End Zone

Senior Class Karaoke Night

Calling the Class of 2022! Let's kick-off the senior year celebrations with a night of karaoke! Enjoy music, free food, and more!

Saturday, September 25

Saturday Rec Series

Join us for our new Saturday Rec Series featuring recreational gym hours and intramural game play! Stay tuned for more information in the This Week at Iona!

8 p.m. | Mulcahy Gym

Late Night Iona

Join the Center for Student Engagement for Late Night Iona and enjoy a night of live music, free food and much more!

Sunday, September 26

Make A Difference Week Kick-Off

Join the Office of Mission and Ministry for their annual "Make A Difference Week." The week of September 26 through October 1, 2021. More information to come.

Apple & Pumpkin Picking Trip

Grab your friends and enjoy a fun filled Fall day! Pick apples, get pumpkins for your room, or take a cute fall themed photo! Sponsored by the Center for Student Engagement. More information to come.

LTA St. Jude Walk

Come take part in LTA's Saint Jude walk! More information to come.

6 p.m. | Holy Family Church

Sunday Mass

Join the Office of Mission and Ministry (OMM) for the traditional Sunday Mass.

Monday, September 27

Make A Difference Week

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5:30 p.m. | McGrath

Council of Greek Governance

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Tuesday, September 28

Make A Difference Week

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Noon – 1 p.m. | Virtual

Don't Let Others Decide Your Path

8 simple habits you can start today to help you make better career choices for the rest of your life. Sponsored by the Center for Career Development.

Noon – 1 p.m. | LaPenta First Floor Lobby

Alcohol and Other Drugs

Learn about the harmful effects of alcohol and drugs. Sponsored by the Counseling Center.

3:30 p.m. | McGrath Room

ICC Meeting

Join SGA for their first Inter-Club Council (ICC) meeting of the semester. All Academic, Media, General Interest, Club Sports, and Performing Arts Organizations are required to attend for on-going leadership training and to receive important SGA updates how to join!

6 p.m. | End Zone

Trivia League Night

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Wednesday, September 29

Make A Difference Week

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3 – 5 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Women's Soccer v. Manhattan

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Manhattan!

Thursday, September 30

Make A Difference Week

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3:30 p.m. | McGrath Room

Student Government Association Meeting

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5:30 p.m. | Montgomery House

Hospitality Supper

Open to all students, join the Office of Mission and Ministry as various clubs & organizations sponsor weekly home cooked dinner!

Intramurals & Recreation, Wellness classes, and E-sports are coming soon! Be on the lookout for more information and additional late night and weekend programs!



Friday, October 1

7 - 9:30 p.m. | End Zone

Diana the Musical Viewing

Join the Office of Residential Life and Student Programming Arts for a viewing of Diana – the Musical.

8 p.m. | Spellman Lounge

Food Truck Friday & Bowling

Grab your friends and join us for our October food truck Friday and challenge your friends to a game of bowling!

Saturday, October 2

Saturday Rec Series

Join us for our new Saturday Rec Series featuring recreational gym hours and intramural game play! Stay tuned for more information in the This Week at Iona!

11 a.m. – 1 p.m. | Hynes Athletic Center Pool

Men's Water Polo v. Connecticut College

Grab your friends and head to the pool and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Connecticut College!

Noon – 2 p.m. | Hynes Athletic Center Arena

Women's Volleyball v. Canisius

Grab your friends and head to the gym and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Canisius!

2 – 4 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Men's Soccer v. Canisius

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Canisius!

4 - 6 p.m. | Hynes Athletic Center Pool

Men's Water Polo v. MIT

Grab your friends and head to the pool and cheer on our Gaels as they take on MIT!

4 – 6 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Club Women's Soccer v. Columbia University

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Columbia!

Sunday, October 3

10 a.m. - Noon | Hynes Athletic Center Pool

Men's Water Polo v. Harvard

Grab your friends and head to the pool and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Harvard!

1 – 3 p.m. | Hynes Athletic Center Arena

Women's Volleyball v. Niagara

Grab your friends and head to the gym and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Niagara!

3 – 5 p.m. | Hynes Athletic Center Pool

Men's Water Polo v. Brown

Grab your friends and head to the pool and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Brown!

6 p.m. | Holy Family Church

Sunday Mass

Join the Office of Mission and Ministry (OMM) for the traditional Sunday Mass.



Monday, October 4

A Hidden Wholeness: The Zeon

Stop by the Brother Kenneth Chapman Gallery and enjoy this exhibit. The Gallery is located at 665 North Ave. and open Monday through Thursday Noon – 5 p.m. and Thursday Evenings 6:30 p.m. – 8 p.m.

9:30 a.m. - 7:45 p.m. | Murphy Auditorium

Iona Dance Symposium 2021: Celebrating Diverse Cultures through Dance and Music

Five master classes/workshops will be offered throughout the day to celebrate dance and music. They will feature live accompaniment and various dance styles taught by known artists and educators specializing in the dance form. Workshop sessions in Jazz, West African Dance, Hip Hop/Street Dance, Salsa, and Argentinian Tango will be offered to the campus community, with the latter two sessions highlighting dance and music from Latin America. Sponsored by the Council on the Arts.

5:30 p.m. | McGrath

Council of Greek Governance

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Sunday, October 5

Noon - 1 p.m. | End Zone

Breast Cancer Bingo

Join the Commuter Student Association (CSA) for their annual Breast Cancer Bingo as they raise awareness and money for breast cancer research.

Noon – 1 p.m.

Domestic Violence Awareness Month: Love Shouldn't Hurt – A Series

Join the conversation about healthy relationships. This is a three-part series. Attend all three sessions for a chance to win a prize. Sponsored by the Counseling Center.

7 p.m. | Murphy Auditorium

Iona College Dance Ensemble – Colors of Patterns

The annual Fall dance concert features students, faculty, and invited artists. Tickets are \$5.00 for Iona Community. Sponsored by the Council on the Arts.

3:30 p.m. | McGrath Room

Inter-Club Council Meeting

Join SGA for their Inter-Club Council (ICC) meeting. All Academic, Media, General Interest, Club Sports, and Performing Arts Organizations are required to attend for on-going leadership training and to receive important SGA updates.

Wednesday, October 6

Vitanza Commons

Coffee House

Everyone has a gift to share! Share yours with the Iona community at the Mission and Ministry Coffee house! Guitarists, pianists, singers, bands, acapella, dancers, spoken word artists, etc. Contact the Office of Mission and Ministry if you wish to perform.

12:30 - 1:30 p.m. | Spellman Portico

CGG Mental Health Awareness

Come learn about mental health awareness with the Council of Greek Governance!



Thursday, October 7

12 p.m. | Spellman 106A

School Signs and Majors

Join ASL for a sign language lesson!

3:30 p.m. | McGrath Room

Student Government Association Meeting

The Student Government Association (SGA) will be hosting their weekly legislative meeting!

7 – 9 p.m. | Murphy Auditorium

The House of Bernarda Alba

Federico Garcia Lorca's renowned tragedy that unfolds in a cloistered world of women in 1930's Spain. Performed by Repertorio Espanola in Spanish with English translation. Sponsored by the Council on the Arts.

9 - 11:30 p.m. | End Zone

Karaoke with the Chi's

Join the sisters of Phi Gamma Chi for a night of karaoke!

Friday, October 8

8 p.m.

Late Night Iona

Join the Center for Student Engagement for Late Night Iona and enjoy a night of live music, free food and much more!

Saturday, October 9

Saturday Rec Series

Join us for our new Saturday Rec Series featuring recreational gym hours and intramural game play! Stay tuned for more information in the This Week at Iona!

Six Flags Fright Fest Trip

Grab your friends and take a trip to Six Flags Fright Fest! Sponsored by the Center for Student Engagement. More information to come.

10 a.m. – Noon | Hynes Center Pool

Men's Water Polo v. Princeton

Grab your friends and head to the pool and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Princeton!

1 – 3 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Men's Soccer v. Monmouth

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Monmouth!

Sunday, October 10

6 p.m. | Holy Family Church

Sunday Mass

Join the Office of Mission and Ministry (OMM) for the traditional Sunday Mass.

Monday, October 11

Columbus Day

Academic Classes are still in-session.

National Coming Out Week Kick Off

Join the Student Life Diversity Committee to celebrate National Coming Out Week and the LGBTQIA+ Community. Stop by the LaPenta Student Union all week and take the Ally Pledge and sign the banner.

The week of October 11 through October 15, 2021 will feature a series of events. More information to come.

5:30 p.m. | McGrath

Council of Greek Governance

The Council of Greek Governance (CGG) weekly brings all of the fraternities and sororities together to share events and receive important CGG updates.



7 – 9:30 p.m. | North Ave, 6th Floor Lounge

National Coming Out Week – Visible: Out on Television

Join Residential Life for a viewing of three episodes of the documentary – Visible: Out On Television.

Tuesday, October 12

Noon – 1 p.m.

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Noon - 1 p.m. | End Zone

Safe Zone Training

Safe Zone training is an opportunity to learn about LGBTQAI+ identities, gender and sexuality, and examine prejudice, assumptions, and privilege.

8 p.m. | Ginkgo Tree Campus Quad

Movie Under the Stars: Boy Erased

Join us by the Ginkgo Tree for a screening of Boy Erased. Free snacks will be provided.

Wednesday, October 13

11 a.m. – 1 p.m. | Spellman Portico

Who's Under the Mask

Guess who is hiding under the mask through a series of clues detailing the work this individual does on campus! Sponsored by the Center for Career Development.

1 – 3 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Men's Soccer v. Quinnipiac

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels as they take on the Bobcats!

7 – 9 p.m. | Hynes Athletic Center Arena

Women's Volleyball v. St. Peter's

Grab your friends and head to the gym and cheer on our Gaels as they take on the St. Peter's!

7 - 9 p.m. | End Zone

B.I.N.G.O!

Join the Center for Student Engagement for our October B.I.N.G.O night hosted by celebrity guest Brita. Play for change to win awesome prizes!

Thursday, October 14

Noon - 1 p.m. | End Zone

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3:30 p.m. | McGrath Room

Student Government Association Meeting

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7 - 9 p.m. | McGrath Room

Short Film & Music Video Festival

Join WICR and ICTV and come cast your vote for the student short film and/or music video!

Friday, October 15

Homecoming, Reunion, & Family Weekend

Iona College hosts its annual Homecoming, Reunion & Family Weekend. There is a robust schedule of events for alumni, students and their families. More information to come.

4 - 6 p.m. | Residence Hall Courtyard

LGBTQIA+ Courtyard Bash

Join the Office of Residential Life for an afternoon of fun with activities, music, and cookies!



7 - 9 p.m. | Murphy Auditorium

Gaels Choice Cabaret

The first annual Homecoming Cabaret featuring members of the Iona Singers and Players!

Saturday, October 16

Homecoming, Reunion, & Family Weekend

Iona College hosts its annual Homecoming, Reunion & Family Weekend. There is a robust schedule of events for alumni, students and their families. More information to come.

Noon – 2 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Women's Soccer v. Fairfield

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels as they take on the Stags!

3 – 6 p.m. | Mazzella Field

Club Rugby v. Indiana University

Grab your friends and head to the field and cheer on our Gaels as they take on Indiana University!

Sunday, October 17

Homecoming, Reunion, & Family Weekend

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Keep up to date on additional events and activities by reviewing This Week at Iona sent to your e-mail, and check the Iona Current Students page for a calendar of events!

All students should check their Iona e-mail accounts daily.

Interested in planning campus activities? Get involved in the Gaels Activities Board (GAB) by signing up at the Involvement Fair or contacting gab@iona.edu.

Be on the lookout for Killian's Kickoff pop-up events and additional amazing opportunities to get free food and swag, win prizes and engage with your fellow Gaels!



IONA ALMA MATER

Iona, Alma Mater, Hail, all hail, to thee! We raise a cry to glorify Thy name where'er we be. To thee we owe allegiance; Abroad we spread thy fame; Throughout the world we praise thee, Proud to bear thy name.

Great Columba, trusted patron Guide our College year by year. Founder of the first Iona, Sing we now in accents clear: Iona, Alma Mater, On high thy glories soar; Ionians go forth again To praise thee evermore.

- G.P. Lyons, CFC



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Mission Statement

Iona College is a caring academic community, inspired by the legacy of Blessed Edmund Rice and the Christian Brothers, which embodies opportunity, justice, and the liberating power of education.

Iona College's purpose is to foster intellectual inquiry, community engagement, and an appreciation for diversity.

In the tradition of American Catholic Higher Education, Iona College commits its energies and resources to the development of graduates recognized for their ethics, creativity, and problem solving abilities; their independent and adaptable thinking; their joy in lifelong learning; and their enduring integration of mind, body, and spirit.

(Adopted May 2, 2012)



Contact the Center for Student Engagement at <u>studentactivities@iona.edu</u> or 914-633-2360 for more information!