Killian’s KICKOFF
FIRST 50 DAYS

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

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.

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.
Friday, September 10

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.

Saturday, September 11

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 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!

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.
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.

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

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!

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 well-known 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 Behrend.

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 chance 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!
### Friday, September 24

**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!

### 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!

### Sunday, September 26

**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!

### Monday, September 27

**8 p.m. | McGrath**  
Council of Greek Governance  
The Council of Greek Governance (CGG) hosts their weekly meeting. This meeting brings all of the fraternities and sororities together to share events and receive important CGG updates.
Tuesday, September 28

Make A Difference Week
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.

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

Wednesday, September 29

Make A Difference Week
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.

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
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!

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

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.

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.

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

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!

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.

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!

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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

Tuesday, October 12
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.

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!
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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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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.

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