



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

9:00 a.m.— 4:30 p.m.

Homecoming and Family Weekend Registration

Leo Block Alumni Center, Conference Room

Pick up your registration packets, event tickets, weekend credentials and more.

10:00 a.m.— 12:30 p.m.

Engineering and Computer Science Building—Grand Opening Celebration

Engineering and Computer Science Building

A formal program featuring University Leadership and the building's most dedicated supporters will kick off the event, followed by a ribbon cutting and tours of the state-of-the-art building. Enjoy refreshments, snacks and music.

11:30 a.m.— 2:30 p.m.

Engineering and Computer Building Open House & Tours

Engineering and Computer Science Building

You are welcome to arrive at any time, tour groups will leave every 15 minutes.

11:30 a.m.— 12:30 p.m.

DU Book Chat featuring L.A. Jenkins

Driscoll Green

L.A. Jennings is sports history scholar, writer, and feminist thinker with a doctorate in Literary Studies and a passion for fighting sports. After ten years of training, competing, and coaching kickboxing, submission wrestling and Mixed Martial Arts, she is delighted to bring her dual passions of scholarly research and competitive martial arts into one comprehensive text.

12:00 p.m.— 3:00 p.m.

Campus Tours

Tours leave every 30 minutes from Leo Block Alumni Center

1:00 p.m.— 2:00 p.m.

DU Book Chat featuring Mike Rosen

Driscoll Green

Mike Rosen has been Denver's award-winning, leading local talk show throughout his 35 years on air. He is an opinion columnist for the Denver Post and has been widely published nationally and on the Internet. An honors graduate of the University of Denver, he holds BSBA and MBA degrees. He was the first recipient of the Theodore S. Cutler Faculty Award for outstanding scholastic achievement.

2:00 p.m.— 4:00 p.m.

Center for Judaic Studies Open House

157 Sturm Hall

Stop by, grab a Self-Guided CJS Walking Tour map, see the artwork we have on display as part of the *Colors of My Life* collection by Paula Burger (local artist, Holocaust survivor, author) and get information about the Center and upcoming events.

4:00 p.m.— 5:30 p.m.

Living & Learning Communities Reception

Mary Reed, Renaissance Room (2nd floor)

Join us for light snacks and great conversation

Free. Registration required.

5:00 p.m.— 7:00 p.m.

Oktoberfest

Driscoll Green

Reconnect with fellow Pioneers of all ages and chat about the many ways DU has grown, developed, and, in the most important ways, stayed exactly the same. Enjoy live music, food and Oktoberfest-themed games!

Ticket prices: \$15 (incl. food and four drink tickets + commemorative cup). Included in All-Access Pass.

Additional drinks may be purchased in-person at the event for individuals 21 and over.

7:00 p.m.— 9:00 p.m.

DU Pioneers Volleyball VS. North Dakota State

Ritchie Center, Hamilton Gym

Ticket price: \$7; free for students with ID.

7:30 p.m.— 10:00 p.m.

DU Pioneers Hockey VS. Boston University

Ritchie Center, Magness Arena

Don't miss the main event during Homecoming when our Pioneer Hockey team takes on Boston University!

Ticket prices: \$24 (standard seating) / \$29 (preferred seating).





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- 9:45 a.m. — 10:30 a.m. **DU Book Chat featuring Christopher Meeks**
Driscoll Green
Christopher Meeks first published short fiction in a number of literary journals, and the stories are available in two collections, *The Middle-Aged Man and the Sea* and *Months and Seasons*. Recently, he's focused on novels. Meeks teaches creative writing at Santa Monica College and the Art Center College of Design.
- 10:45 a.m. — 11:30 a.m. **DU Book Chat featuring Laird Hunt**
Driscoll Green
Laird Hunt, professor at the University of Denver, is the author of eight works of historical fiction including his most recent book, *Neverhome*. Hunt was the 2013 winner of the Anisfield-Wolf Book Award for Fiction.
- 11:00 a.m. — 12:30 p.m. **Parent Panel on Studying Abroad**
Reiman Theater, Margery Reed
Hear from students who studied abroad followed by a panel including DU Parents Council members who will talk about the parent experience of helping their student prepare for studying abroad, and staff members from the offices of Internationalization and Financial Aid.
- 12:00 p.m. — 1:00 p.m. **DU Book Chat featuring Amanda Rea**
Driscoll Green
Amanda Rea is recipient of a 2015 Rona Jaffe Foundation Writers Award, the William Peden Prize in Fiction, and a Pushcart Prize. Rea earned her MFA at the University of California-Irvine. She has taught writing at the University of California, Loyola Marymount University in Los Angeles, the University of Wisconsin-Madison, Oakhill Correctional Facility, and elsewhere.
- 1:00 p.m. — 2:00 p.m. **Knoebel Institute for Healthy Aging—Opening Celebration**
Engineering and Computer Science Building
Hear from faculty and industry leaders to the head of the school, Lotta Granholm-Bentley. Attend an art exhibit and silent auction featuring art from DU students, local artists and senior community members in collaboration with Clermont Park and the Alzheimer's Association. Enjoy refreshments, snacks and music.
- 2:00 p.m. — 4:00 p.m. **Knoebel Institute for Healthy Aging Open House & Tours**
Engineering and Computer Science Building
You are welcome to arrive at any time, tour groups will leave every 15 minutes.
- 4:00 p.m. — 6:00 p.m. **Knoebel Institute for Healthy Aging – Cocktail Reception**
Engineering and Computer Science Building
Mingle with friends and help celebrate the grand opening of the Knoebel Institute for Healthy Aging.
- 2:30 p.m. — 4:30 p.m. **Denver Gymnastics Open House**
Gates Field House, Ritchie Center
Come meet your 2016/17 Denver Gymnastics team!
- 2:30 p.m. — 6:30 p.m. **Pio-Palooza featuring Taste of DU**
Driscoll Green
This year, Taste of DU moves outdoors as part of Pio-Palooza: an outdoor carnival with games, live entertainment, and, of course, Taste of DU's delicious sampling of food from local restaurants. Free admittance.
Ticket prices: 20 tickets (a \$25 value) are included in the All-Access Pass. Individual Taste of DU tickets or a family ticket package (100 tickets for \$100) can be purchased onsite.
- 5:00 p.m. — 6:30 p.m. **Pioneer Leadership Program Alumni Homecoming Reception**
Anderson Academic Commons, Special Event Room
Join the PLP Alumni Association for a Homecoming Reception with current students and their families. After the reception, we will head over to Magness Arena to watch our Pioneer Hockey team take on Boston University.
Ticket prices: \$15 for Reception; \$25 Hockey tickets.
- 7:00 p.m. — 9:00 p.m. **DU Pioneers Men's Soccer VS. Western Illinois**
Ciber Field, University of Denver Soccer Stadium \$5/free for students
- 7:00 p.m. — 10:00 p.m. **DU Pioneers Hockey VS. Boston University**
Ritchie Center, Magness Arena

