

ALFRED UNIVERSITY

Handbook

for
Parents & Students

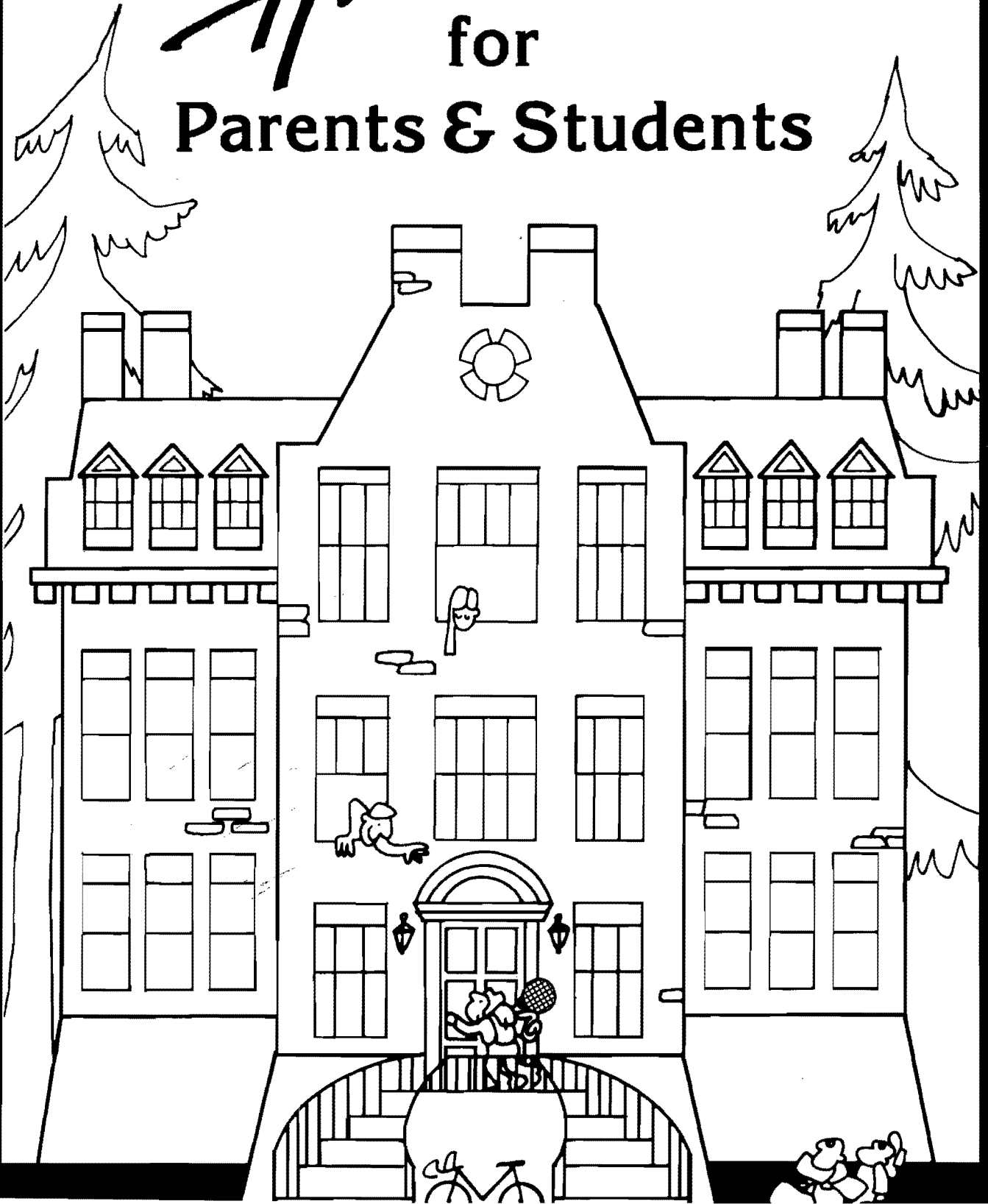


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QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Here, followed by the appropriate answers, are questions often asked by parents and students about life at Alfred University.

1. Is there a doctor in the house?

The University physician Dr. John Ninos, as well as nursing care and lab facilities, are located in the Crandall Health Center. John A. delCampo, D.D.S. provides dental service in Alfred. Area hospitals: St. James Mercy Hospital, Hornell, N.Y.; Jones Memorial Hospital, Wellsville, N.Y. (Complete listing of physicians and dentists can be found in the phone directory).

2. Which way to the airport?

Though not a mecca of transportation services, you "can get there from here". The Short Line Bus stops in Alfred on a direct line East (N.Y.C.) and West (Olean) while Greyhound is available in Hornell. The University maintains holiday and school break bus service to Rochester and Buffalo airports. An airline charter service from Wellsville is available. Further airline and other travel information is available at Alfred Travel, a local agency in Alfred. Many students find rides by posting on the Campus Center "ride board" or using services provided by the radio station, W.A.L.F. Phone listings for major airlines available at Campus Center information desk-871-2175. Make flight reservations early!

3. Just how much money do I need to live on?

With housing and food costs pre-paid, a major expense each semester is for books. Course requirements vary — texts costs anywhere from \$30-\$50 each; paper-backs cost from \$5 to \$40. Used books are available through a service fraternity. An average 16 hour semester might have a cost of \$200. The amount of money needed for incidentals (entertainment, munchies, etc.) will depend on personal needs and interests.

4. Are washers and dryers available in the Residence Halls?

Coin (\$.50) operated machines are available in each residence hall and in the Commons. There is a laundromat in the village and dry cleaning establishments in Hornell pick-up and deliver on campus.

5. You have many clubs and organizations on campus?

There are over 60 clubs and the list is growing! There are seven social fraternities, 3 sororities and 10 honorary societies. Something for every interest! A complete list of clubs and organizations can be found in the New Student Guide or requested at the Campus Center desk.



Enjoying Indian Summer



Mud Volleyball



6. Where can my folks stay when they visit on Parents' Weekend?

Motel rooms are available, but space is limited and early reservations are helpful. Here is a list of area motels:

- Angelica Inn**
64 West Main Street, Angelica
716-466-3295
- The Americana Manse**
39 South Main Street, Belmont
716-268-5130
- College Inn Motel**
Rt. 244, Alfred Station
607-587-8107
- Wellsville Motel**
Rt. 417 east of Wellsville
716-593-2494
- Cook's Motel**
Andover Road, Wellsville
716-593-1747
- Towne Motel**
Rt. 417 west of Wellsville
716-593-1650
- Long Vue Motel**
Rt. 417, Wellsville-Bollivar Road
716-593-2450
- Robinson's Motel**
38 Main Street, Hornell
607-324-1622
- Coachlight Motel**
Rt. 36, north of Hornell
607-324-0800
- Williams Inn**
27 Main Street, Hornell
607-324-2993
- Super 8 Motel**
Rt. 36 & Webb Crossing, Hornell
607-324-6222
- Sunshine Motel**
Hornell-Arkport Rd., Hornell
607-324-4565
- Pine Tree Motel**
30 Chestnut Street, Andover
607-478-8264
- Super 8**
33 West Morris Street, Bath
Just off 390 Exit 38
607-776-2187
- Days Inn**
330 West Morris Street, Bath
Just off 390 Extl 38
607-776-7644

7. What's a Saxon Warrior?

University athletic teams are the Saxons — the Saxon Warrior is the symbol (or mascot) of these teams.

8. But I've looked all over campus and can't find the bookstore.

Bookstores exist but not on campus. Expert service awaits you at the College Book Store, which is privately owned. In fact, over 65 businesses provide goods and services within the Alfred-Alfred Station area — offering a diverse selection to satisfy your shopping needs.

9. I need a job - desperately!

Check the listing of available jobs in the Financial Aid office. Some students find part time work in the Community.

10. Are special diets available in the dining halls?

As special as your individual needs. A vegetarian menu is available and medical diets should be checked through the Director of food service.

11. Should I bring my heavy coat?

Brrrr! Winter is real in Alfred, but snowfalls tend to be moderate and though warm clothing is a must, the season also is excellent for skiing at nearby winter recreation areas. Rain gear is also helpful. Beautiful days abound during the fall and spring seasons.



Mixture of clouds and sunshine, 50% chance of flurries, temperatures ranging from 20 to 35 degrees (fahrenheit)



It must be Hot Dog day

12. I'll be doing what on Hot Dog Day?

Other than eating hot-dogs, you'll probably work at a booth or on a committee to help make this street fair a success! Alfred is not a "suitcase" university where there is an exodus every weekend. As a result, special events and weekends are scheduled throughout the year. They include: Homecoming, a Weekend for Parents each semester, Winter Weekend and, of course, Hot Dog Day!

13. Are parents routinely advised about student grades?

The University works in a confidential manner with students honoring the Family Education Rights to Privacy Act of 1974 (the Buckley Amendment). Grade reports are available to parents from the Registrar's office if the student is listed as a deductible dependent for tax purposes. Forms for this purpose are included with the fall billing statement sent in the summer.

14. Can I get academic help?

See your professor, your advisor, or your academic dean if you're having difficulty with a class. If you need special help or tutoring, a member of S.L.A.P. (Student Learning Assistance Program) may be assigned to you. See the staff in Student Affairs for further advice.

15. Are there special programs and events for parents?

A weekend for Parents is held each semester, with programs and activities especially planned for parents. In addition, parents will receive a newsletter, P.A.U.S. (Parents of Alfred University Students), each semester.

16. What do Humphrey Bogart, The 5th Dimension, Buddy Rich, Chubby Checker, and Marsha Norman have in common?

They have all "been" on campus as a part of the extra curricular events at Alfred. The Performing Artists and Speakers Series, the Alfred Film Society along with other groups and societies provide over 200 programs during the year.



Eddie Money rocks McLane Center

17. Where and what is the "Campus Center" you keep mentioning?

Rogers Campus Center is the "hub" of the campus! An attractive building where you'll find the cafeteria, meeting rooms, The Saxon Inn, student government and publications offices and much more. The Campus Center and a myriad of student activities are directed by the Student Activities staff. The Center serves every constituency of the University and is truly the "center" of campus life. When in doubt, check at the Campus Center desk!

18. Where can I find a complete copy of the Alfred University Rules and Regulations?

Copies of the Rules & Regulations are located in: Student Affairs Office; Campus Center; Herrick Library; Office of Student Living; Commons Building Office; each Resident Director's Office and the Offices of Managerial Assistants.

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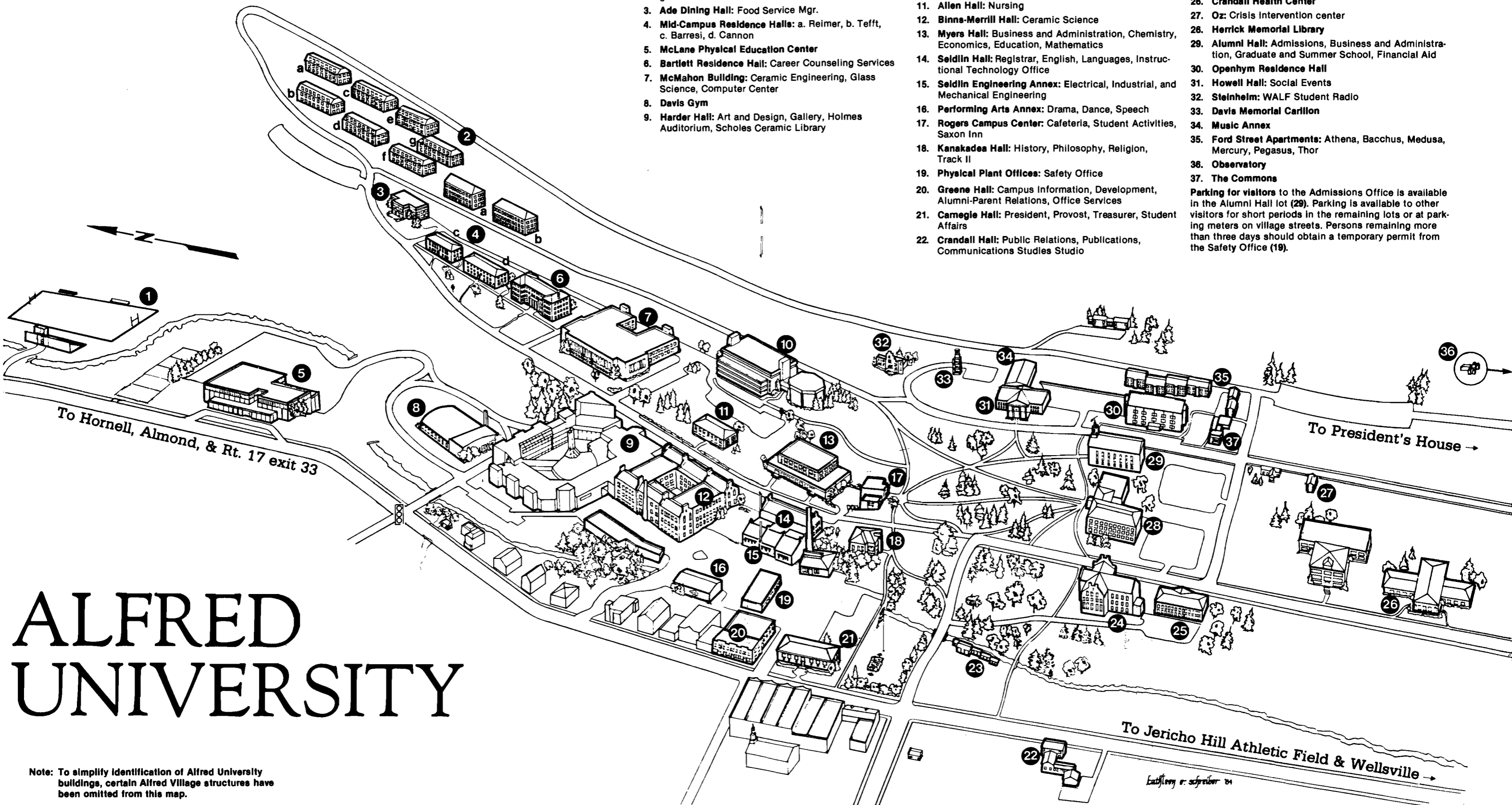
Note: To simplify identification of Alfred University buildings, certain Alfred Village structures have been omitted from this map.

1. Merrill Field
2. Pine Hill Apartments: a. Norwood, b. Shults, c. Phillips, d. Davis, e. Tredennick, f. Kenyon, g. Crawford
3. Ade Dining Hall: Food Service Mgr.
4. Mid-Campus Residence Halls: a. Reimer, b. Tefft, c. Barresi, d. Cannon
5. McLane Physical Education Center
6. Bartlett Residence Hall: Career Counseling Services
7. McMahon Building: Ceramic Engineering, Glass Science, Computer Center
8. Davis Gym
9. Harder Hall: Art and Design, Gallery, Holmes Auditorium, Scholes Ceramic Library

10. Science Center: Biology, Environmental Studies, Geology, Physics, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, Criminal Justice Studies, Public Administration, General Studies
11. Allen Hall: Nursing
12. Binns-Merrill Hall: Ceramic Science
13. Myers Hall: Business and Administration, Chemistry, Economics, Education, Mathematics
14. Seldin Hall: Registrar, English, Languages, Instructional Technology Office
15. Seldin Engineering Annex: Electrical, Industrial, and Mechanical Engineering
16. Performing Arts Annex: Drama, Dance, Speech
17. Rogers Campus Center: Cafeteria, Student Activities, Saxon Inn
18. Kanakadea Hall: History, Philosophy, Religion, Track II
19. Physical Plant Offices: Safety Office
20. Greene Hall: Campus Information, Development, Alumni-Parent Relations, Office Services
21. Carnegie Hall: President, Provost, Treasurer, Student Affairs
22. Crandall Hall: Public Relations, Publications, Communications Studies Studio

23. Village Bandstand
24. Brick Residence and Dining Hall
25. Kruson Residence Hall
26. Crandall Health Center
27. Oz: Crisis Intervention center
28. Herrick Memorial Library
29. Alumni Hall: Admissions, Business and Administration, Graduate and Summer School, Financial Aid
30. Openhym Residence Hall
31. Howell Hall: Social Events
32. Steinhelm: WALF Student Radio
33. Davis Memorial Carillon
34. Music Annex
35. Ford Street Apartments: Athena, Bacchus, Medusa, Mercury, Pegasus, Thor
36. Observatory
37. The Commons

Parking for visitors to the Admissions Office is available in the Alumni Hall lot (29). Parking is available to other visitors for short periods in the remaining lots or at parking meters on village streets. Persons remaining more than three days should obtain a temporary permit from the Safety Office (19).



Carlton R. Schreiber '04

PEOPLE TO CALL

Until the complete listing of available phone numbers are comprised in the 1989-90 Student Directory (usually distributed 5 to 6 weeks after the semester has begun), the following numbers will be helpful. **NOTE** — Only four digits are needed for on-campus calls; if calling from off-campus, dial the 871 prefix first.

Alfred Area Code: 607

EMERGENCY

ADMINISTRATION

COLLEGE DEPARTMENTS

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

OFF-CAMPUS SERVICES

ON-CAMPUS SERVICES

If you wish to write:
(State Office Desired)
Alfred University
Alfred, New York 14802

CAMPUS & COMMUNITY



Enjoying a home football game



Moving day in front of "The Brick"

Campus Center & Information Desk (Phone 2175)

HOURS

Monday-Friday: 8:30 a.m. to midnight

Saturday and Sunday: 12 noon to 12 midnight

- Student Offices
- Snack Bar
- Game Room
- TV Lounge
- Student Activity Office
- Saxon Inn Pub
- Information Desk
(phone numbers, campus activities information, lost and found)

Herrick Library (Phone 2184)

HOURS

Monday-Thursday: 8 a.m. to 11 p.m.

Friday: 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Saturday: 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Sunday: 11 a.m. to 11 p.m.

- Serves Alfred Community
- 210,000 volumes
- Periodicals, pamphlets, microforms
- AV materials, phonograph records
- Newspapers and paperbacks

Scholes Library of Ceramics (Phone 2492)

HOURS

Monday-Thursday: 8 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.

Friday: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Saturday: 10 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.

Sunday: 1 p.m. 10:30 p.m.

- Reference Library
- Subscribes 1,000 periodicals and serials
- Ceramic science, engineering, fine art and design items
- 75,000 volumes

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 89-90

RELIGIOUS LIFE

Alfred-Almond Bible Church

Dan Kenyon, Pastor (276-6700)/(276-6726)
 Sunday: Church 10 a.m.; Sunday School, 11:20; Evening Service, 6 p.m.;
 Neighborhood Home Group, Call for Information; Youth Coordinator, John Prince 276-6738, Rt. 21, near Alfred-Almond School.

Alfred United Methodist

Gordon Shea, Pastor (587-8355)
 Sunday Worship, 10:30 a.m.;
 6:00 p.m.; 1389 Moland Road, Alfred

Assembly of Christians

Sunday 10:30 a.m., Family Bible Hour;
 Friday evening Bible Study, 7:30 p.m., Rt. 21 Almond, Home of Tom and Sue Steere (276-6380)

Christ Episcopal Church, Hornell

Sunday Service, Holy Eucharist, 8:00 and 10:45 a.m.

Friends Meeting (Quaker)

Roland Warren (478-8516)
 Sunday: 9:15-10:00 a.m. Worship
 SDB Parish House
 University Street, Alfred

Jewish

Larry and Barbara Greil, Hillel
 Co-ordinators (Evenings, 587-8694 or Days, 871-2171) 587-4313
 Occasional Services will be Announced
 High Holy Day Service
 Passover Seder on Campus

Lighthouse Christian Fellowship

Pastor Roger Gardner (587-9257)
 Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Randolph Road, Alfred

St. Jude's Catholic Campus Ministry

Rev. Paul Stengel, Campus Minister,
 Marian Kurath-Fitzsimmons; Counseling Available at 587-9411 or 276-5304; Bible Study Retreats; Lower Campus Drive, Alfred Tech Weekend Masses: Sat., 4:00 p.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.

Seventh Day Baptist

Leon Wheeler, Pastor (587-9430 or 587-9329); 5 Church Street.
 Saturday: 11:00 a.m. Worship Service
 Church School - All Ages - 10:00 a.m.
 Sabbath Welcoming Friday, 7:30 p.m.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Wellsville

Union University Church (Multidenominational)

Rev. Laurie J. DeMott (office, 587-9288; home, 587-9280)
 Church Center, Corner of Main and Church Streets, Alfred
 Sunday: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

RESTAURANTS

LOWER-PRICE RANGE (Casual)

Alex's College Spot,
 N. Main St., Alfred 587-8505
Alfred Sub Shop and Pizzeria,
 Main St., Alfred 587-9422 or 9141
Burger King,
 45 Main St., Hornell 324-0961
Campus Center Snack Bar,
 A.U. Campus 871-2197
Collegiate Restaurant,
 7 N. Main St., Alfred 587-9293
Gentlemen Jim's,
 Mill Street, Alfred 587-8510
McDonald's,
 Seneca St., Hornell 324-3367
 Bolivar Rd., Wellsville 593-4357
People's Deli,
 27 Main St., Alfred 587-8335
Pizza Hut,
 Elm St., Hornell 324-5393
 S. Main St., Wellsville 593-1550
The Red Barn,
 Plaza 21, Hornell 324-9898
Friendly's Restaurant,
 41 Main St., Hornell 324-2045

MIDDLE-PRICE RANGE (Casual)

Muhleisen's,
 Main St., Almond 276-8811
Coslo's Restaurant,
 Main St., Almond 276-6633
Beef Haus, 176 N. Main St.,
 Wellsville 716-593-6222
Tai Hua Chinese Restaurant,
 82 Erie Ave., Hornell 324-4736
The Sunset Inn,
 231 East Ave., Hornell 324-6263
Texas Hot Restaurant, 132 N. Main St.
 Wellsville 716-593-1400
Texas Cafe,
 20 Broadway, Hornell 324-9770
Hornell Country Club Restaurant,
 Seneca Rd., N. Hornell 324-1735
Italian Villa,
 K-Mart Plaza 324-6063

HIGHER-PRICE RANGE

The Big Elms Restaurant,
 196 Seneca St., Hornell 324-7450
The Castle,
 Rt. 417, Olean 716-372-6022
Chicory Station,
 110 Loder St., Hornell 324-0259
Coachlight Steak House,
 Rt. 36N, Hornell 324-3000
Long Vue Restaurant,
 Rt. 417, Wellsville 716-593-2450
Manhattan West,
 32 N. Main St., Alfred 587-9363
The Old Library Restaurant,
 1165 Union St., Olean . . 716-372-2226
Ponce de Leon Restaurant,
 Webb's Crossing Rd., Hornell . 324-4477

FIRST SEMESTER	DAY	DATE	SECOND SEMESTER	DAY	DATE
Residence halls open 9:00 a.m. for new students	Thu	Aug 24	Residence halls open 10:00 a.m.	Sun	Jan 14
Orientation for freshmen and transfer students	Thu-Sun	Aug 24-27	Instruction begins at 7:00 a.m.	Mon	Jan 15
Residence halls open for returning students	Sat	Aug 26	Last day to add courses, to drop first half courses, or select pass/fail option for first half courses	Fri	Jan 19
Registration	Sat	Aug 26	Full semester courses-last day to drop or select a pass/fail option	Fri	Jan 26
Instruction begins at 7:00 am	Mon	Aug 28	First half courses-last day to withdraw or cancel pass/fail option	Fri	Feb 9
Last day to add courses, to drop first half courses, or select pass/fail option for first half courses	Fri	Sept 1	Last day of first half of semester-spring recess begins after last class	Fri	Mar 2
Full semester courses-last day to drop or select a pass/fail option	Fri	Sept 8	Midsemester grades due in Registrar's Office Noon . . .	Mon	Mar 5
First half courses-last day to withdraw or cancel pass/fail option	Fri	Sept 22	Instruction resumes at 7:00 a.m.	Mon	Mar 12
Parent's Weekend	Fri-Sun	Sept 22-24	Registration change and pass/fail option selection period for 2nd half semester	Mon-Wed	Mar 12-14
Homecoming	Fri-Sun	Oct 6-8	Full semester courses-last day to withdraw or cancel pass/fail option	Fri	Mar 16
Midsemester grades due in Registrar's Office Noon . . .	Fri	Oct 13	Preregistration for fall semester	Fri-Fri	Mar 30-Apr 6
Last day of first half of semester	Fri	Oct 13	Second half courses-last day to withdraw or cancel pass/fail option	Fri	Apr 6
Midsemester Recess - No classes	Mon-Tue	Oct 16-17	Honors Convocation	Fri	Apr 20
Instruction resumes at 7:00 a.m.	Wed	Oct 18	Classes end after last class . .	Tue	May 1
Registration change and pass/fail option selection period for 2nd half semester	Wed-Fri	Oct 18-20	Final examinations begin (grades due within 48 hrs) .	Tue	May 3
Full semester courses-last day to withdraw or cancel pass/fail option	Tue	Oct 24	Final examinations and second semester ends	Tue	May 8
Preregistration for second semester	Fri-Fri	Nov 10-17	Commencement	Sat	May 12
Second half courses-last day to withdraw or cancel pass/fair option	Tue	Nov 14			
Thanksgiving recess begins after last class	Tue	Nov 21			
Instruction resumes at 7:00 a.m.	Mon	Nov 27			
Classes end after last class . .	Fri	Dec 8			
Final examinations begin (grades due within 48 hours)	Mon	Dec 11			
First semester ends after last exam	Fri	Dec 15			
Final Grades Due at Noon . .	Tue	Dec 19			

SUMMER SCHOOL

First Session Mon-Fri May 14-Jun 22
 Second Session Mon-Fri Jun 25-Aug 3

RELIGIOUS HOLIDAYS DURING SEMESTERS

Rosh Hashanah September 30
 Yom Kippur October 9
 Hanukkah December 23
 Ash Wednesday February 28
 Good Friday April 13
 Passover Begins April 10

ALMA MATER

Nestled away 'mid the Empire State hills,
 'Neath the watch-care of sentinel pines,
Where the murmuring song of the brook hums along,
 And a favoring sun ever shines;
In a valley so fair where the forest trees share
 Dominion o'er hillside and glen,
Stands the pioneer college of Western New York
 Alfred, we hail thee again.

CHORUS

Hail to thee Alfred, thou guide of our youth,
 Sweet, benign mother, all hail!
Sing out thy anthems of duty and truth;
 May thy clear ringing music ne'er fail.