

Financial Aid Newsfeed

How To Check Financial Aid?

1. Access BraveWeb account.
2. Click on Banner Self Service.
3. Click on Student & Financial Aid
4. Review account.

Review BraveWeb Account Often:

Read important updates from the Offices of Financial Aid, Registrar and Student Accounts Office.

*Access the Office of Financial Aid website for all procedures and policies at www.uncp.edu/fa.

*Complete federal aid application and use school code 002954.

*Apply for a FAFSA PIN for electronic signature at www.pin.ed.gov.

*View the monthly newsletter at www.uncp.edu/fa/newsletter/.

*Need student on-campus employment information, visit www.uncp.edu/career/students/employment/index.htm.

*Before withdrawing from or dropping a class, please consult with a financial aid counselor to avoid returning money and/or losing financial aid.

VETERANS: Access the required documents to submit to Ms. Lori Graham, Interim Contact for VA Students, in the Financial Aid Office at www.uncp.edu/veterans/. Please remember to notify Ms. Graham if it is necessary to drop or withdraw from any classes.

New Residence Hall - Cypress Hall

Construction of Cypress Hall, UNCP's new residence hall, is on schedule and will open August 2011. Cypress Hall is a five story, 476 bed, co-ed hall offering 119 four-person suites. One design includes 94 suites featuring two double-occupancy bedrooms and the other includes 25 suites featuring four single rooms. Each suite includes a shared living area and a shared bathroom. Cypress Hall is for upper-class students and students participating in the Leadership Learning Community.



Cypress Hall offers these features:

- Wireless Internet
- Internet and Cable Television
- Emergency Telephones
- Computer Lab
- Kitchenette
- Study Lounges on each floor
- A Lounge with a large screen television
- Laundry and Vending Area
- Security - Card Access System for Entrance

For additional information about Cypress Hall, visit www.uncp.edu/housing/res_halls/cypress.htm

Student Health Announcements

Student Insurance Waiver Deadline - January 31, 2011

All students registered for six (6) or more credit hours are required to purchase the student injury and sickness insurance plan. Exceptions to the insurance policy include distance education students and students who submit evidence of equivalent coverage satisfactory to the policyholder. For additional information, contact Student Health Services at (910) 521-6219 or www.studentinsurance.com.

Immunization Deadline - February 10, 2011

Students who do not have a complete immunization record on file when classes begin will have 30 days to obtain the required immunizations. Students who are not in compliance within the 30 days of the first day of class will be administratively withdrawn from classes. Immunizations are given daily Monday - Friday from 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. at Student Health Services for \$7.00 each.



It's A Date

January 31
Insurance Waiver Deadline

February 10
Deadline for Immunizations

March 7 - 11
Spring Break

March 14
Last Day to Drop a Class

March 28
Pre-registration for Summer and
Fall 2011 Semesters

April 11
Last Day for Undergraduates to
Withdraw from the University with
Documentation

April 22
Good Friday (University Closed)

April 30
Classes End

May 2 - 6
Final Examinations

May 6
All Residence Halls Close

May 9
MayMester Begins

Distinguished Speaker Series

The final two Distinguished Speakers are Judy Shepard on February 21, 2011, and Hill Harper on April 26, 2011. Both events begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Givens Performing Arts Center and are free and open to the public.



Activist speaker Judy Shepard has appeared in two Human Rights Campaign advertisements urging an end to anti-gay violence and promoting a greater understanding of gay issues. She is actively involved with Parents, Families, and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG). Most recently, Judy Shepard authored the New York Times best-selling book, *The Meaning of Matthew: My Son's Murder in Laramie*, and *A World Transformed*, a moving, intimate look at how her life, and the entire fight for equal rights, changed when her son was killed. Speaking from a mother's perspective, Judy Shepard has made the prevention of hate crimes the focus of her efforts, and urges her audiences to make their schools and communities safe for everyone.



Hill Harper, is a film, television and stage actor, and author. An alumnus of Harvard Law School, his portrayal of Dr. Sheldon Hawkes on the CBS drama television series *CSI: NY* has earned him the NAACP Image Award for Outstanding Actor in a Drama Series for three consecutive years (2008–2010).

He is also a successful author, completing his second book in a series, *Letters to a Young Sister: DeFINE Your Destiny*. Harper provides the frequently regarded "lost generation" with words of encouragement and guidance. In his first of the series, *Letters to a Young Brother: MANifest Your Destiny*, Harper shares the humbling life lessons he learned on the road to his Ivy League education and beyond. It is a motivational, but approachable book full of encouragement on a wide array of topics geared towards young African-American and Hispanic men.

Family Day

This year's Family Day is scheduled for Saturday, April 16, 2011, from 1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. on the University Center Lawn. Family Day is designed to engage and celebrate students, faculty, staff and their families. Join your student for these activities:

- Balloon Artists
- Face and Body Art
- Caricatures
- Crafts
- Herps Alive
- Inflatable Games
- DJ Music and more

No reservations required – just show up and have fun! For more information, visit www.uncp.edu/leadership/family/ or contact the Office of Student Involvement and Leadership at 910-521-6482.

