Welcome to Fall 2015 & Residential Living

Mandatory Meeting Presentation
Updated 9/4/15
Be sure to sign in on the sign-in sheets

If you don’t sign in then a $50 fine will be added to your account
Residential Living Staff

- Aaron Zwahr, Assistant Director
- Clare Ritzi, Administrative Secretary
- Mark Chaszar, Director of Residential Living
- Matt Hall and Antuan Washington, Lobos-in-Residence
- Resident Assistants in Lobo Village are in the rooms that end in 12 and 40 (e.g. 112, 140)
- Fletcher: 208 and 308
- Efficiency Apartment RAs-Room 107 in LV 3 & 4
- Apartment RAs- one per building
How SRSU Contacts You

• **SRSU email**
  - **YOU MUST** check on a regular basis
  - Only email we will use to contact you (not gmail, Hotmail, yahoo, etc)
  - Don’t forget your PO Box mail too!

• **Call**
  - Keep your phone number current in Lobo Online
  - Calls from campus phones may not display a number on your phone
  - Activate your voicemail and empty when full
Inventory Card

• Write down everything on the check-in section that is wrong with your room
• Includes:
  • Scratches, dings, dents, holes in wall
  • Stains of floor
  • Missing or damaged items
• 5 business days to turn it in
• After 5 business days (Monday-Friday)
  • We can’t take it
  • We assume everything is PERFECT
  • Will bill for anything we find wrong with the room minus normal wear and tear at end of year
• Need form?
  http://www.sulross.edu/page/3065/housing-forms
Unknown Inventory Cards

We have a stack of inventory cards from people who didn’t print their name, room number, etc on their card.

Please come to the office now and complete your card if you haven’t done so already.
Online Info and Reporting

• Fill out a contract online if you haven’t already at http://sulross-residence.symplicity.com/sso/resident/sso.php
• Check your account on Lobo Online to check your financial statements
• Meningitis vaccination records http://www.sulross.edu/page/1928/bacterial-meningitis-vaccination-requirement

• Let us know if you need anything fixed
  • Email: reslife@sulross.edu
  • Phone: 432-837-8190
  • Be specific (e.g. not “toilet broken” but “toilet won’t flush” or “bowl cracked” or “handle loose”)
Checking Out of Your Room

• If you decide to leave Sul Ross please contact the Residential Living office 24 hours in advance to arrange a checkout time.
• Please contact the Registrar if you wish to withdraw.
The Rules

• No alcohol in residence halls, even if 21
• No alcohol paraphernalia in res halls
  • Flasks, empty bottles, shot glasses, etc
• No tobacco products
  • Lighters and matches
  • Cigarettes, dip, snuff, water pipes, etc
  • Electronic cigarettes
• No firearms, weapons (e.g. knife blade greater than 5.5 inches) or explosives
• No illegal drugs
• No candles, incense, etc with an open flame
• No appliances with an open flame or open coil (except apartments)

For more details please see the handbook at http://www.sulross.edu/section/304/residential-living
The Rules

Open carry across the state starts Jan 1, 2016
Can’t carry around buildings, parking lots, sidewalk, in buildings etc on campus.
Can’t have ammo in your room
State will allow on-campus carry Sept 16, 2016. Details to be announced.
Can check weapons at UDPS and retrieve 24/7

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The Rules

- Carry your keys and ID card at all times
  - First lockout-free
  - After this we charge
- Do not prop or “pop”: doors-$200 fine per incident
- Will be installing door prop alarms this fall in LV1, 2, 3 & 4

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• Guests
  • 4 total people per room in res halls
  • Consideration hours 24/7
  • Escort guests at all times
  • Visitation in Residence Halls
    • 10am-1am Sunday-Thursday
    • 10am-2am Friday & Saturday

• Overnight Guests
  • Sign all overnight guests in at housing
  • Guests must be of same sex
  • No more than 3 consecutive nights (e.g. weekend visit)
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• Don’t touch or feed wildlife
• Take your trash to the dumpster
• Don’t put trash in hallways or in lounges or laundry room
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Only animals allowed in on-campus housing are:

- Fish in a 10 gallon tank (max size)
- Service animals (e.g. seeing-eye dogs)
- Approved comfort animals.
  - Must fill out application and have it approved before animal allowed in room
  - Pay deposit
  - Have letter from medical provider
  - See Director Mark Chaszar for more details
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In case of fire alarm:

- Evacuate immediately

  - LV1: parking lot behind LV1 and Gallego
  - LV2: parking lot next to Warnock building
  - Apartments: parking lot next to rock wall
  - Call or contact staff after evacuating
  - Pull the pull-station on way out of building if there is a fire
  - Fire extinguishers are located in the halls near exits
General Housing Information

- Housing office open 8am-6pm Monday through Friday
- Closed weekends and official university holidays
- Contact info
  - 432-837-8190
  - Email: reslife@sulross.edu
- After hours medical or police emergency call UDPS at 432-837-8100
- You will receive a text alert on your phone for school closings, emergency situations, etc
Break Periods & Housing

- The Residence Halls close for university holidays and break periods (Thanksgiving, Christmas, Spring Break)
- Apartments do not close for break periods.
- Must pay an additional cost if staying during the break period ($30 per person per night or $100 per week) and sign up with housing
- Exceptions are listed in your contract (e.g. in season athletic event, etc.)
After Hours & Maintenance Emergency
Contact Information

• Call these numbers before 8am and 5pm Monday through Friday, on weekends and official university holidays
• Someone is always available 24/7

• LV1/Fletcher: 432-294-0464
• LV2/Fletcher: 432-294-0520
• Apartments: 432-294-2576
Internet & Cable Support

24/7 support

• 1-855-813-7027
• Chat: @MyResNet.com
• Text: “ResNet” to 84700
• More info: http://www.sulross.edu/page/3215/cable-and-wirelssss-internet
• For computer, email or Lobo Online issues call the LTAC help desk at 432-837-8888
Questions?
Residential Living Main Office
Contact Information

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Thank you!
Welcome to Alpine and Sul Ross!