Pep Rally brings the Pep Gets Faculty and Staff in the Homecoming Spirit!

A team is defined as a group of people who perform interdependent tasks to work toward accomplishing a common mission or specific objective. We are Team Tuskegee!!

The Pep Rally sponsored jointly by the Staff and Faculty Senates was one of many activities held during Homecoming Week. The Door Decoration Competition is one way we encourage our colleges, departments, and offices, to show their Golden Tiger Pride in a creative way. First, second, and third prizes were given for the tremendous amount of effort and imagination used in designing all of the creative door decorations!

Parlay and the Golden Tiger Cheerleaders were also invited to lead the cheers and bring the pep.

For more go to www.tuskegee.edu/news

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HOMECOMING —
Tuskegee style

After two years of remote, hybrid, and smaller Homecoming celebrations, the newly renovated Cleve L. Abbott Memorial Alumni Stadium was eye-catching with its vibrant crimson and gold colors. The new field attraction along with pent-up COVID frustrations, brought alums and friends from all over the nation to merge on Tuskegee for Homecoming 2022. Attendance was estimated to be over 25,000 people!

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TU Staff,

On behalf of President Morris and the Office of the Provost,...I would like to thank you for your service and dedication during the AY 2022-23. As administrators, we recognize that the staff of the university is the impetus for all services, functions, and operations of the institution. We appreciate all that you do...which is usually more than your job description and primary responsibilities.

We look forward to working with you in the future to achieve these goals and your engagement with the university's strategic goals. Again,...thank you for all you do.

A UNIVERSITY IS ONLY AS GREAT....AS ITS FACULTY & STAFF WILL ALLOW IT TO BE!

Tuskegee University

Ranked #3!!

Tuskegee University has been ranked No. 3 among the 2022-2023 nation’s best Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) by U.S. News & World Report. The university also improved its ranking among Regional Universities in the South, moving from No. 17 to No. 6 for 2023.

Tuskegee also ranked as No. 1 in Social Mobility - Regional Universities South and No. 26 in Best Value Schools Regional Universities South. Read more at: www.tuskegee.edu/news

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New Staff Members – Fall 2022

Gaston Andrews
Tyquarious Arnold
Ashley Bruner
Degrate Bryant
Richard Burton
De Shayla Chappell
Priscilla Cotton
Loni Fleming
Alexander Gibbons
Chadwick Hall
Breauna Harris
Trevis Hart
Juanita Hixon
Kevious Hollenquest
Brittany Howard
Kenneth Howell
Mohamed Ibrahim

Augusto Jimenez-Romo
Kenyon Johnson
Lashauda Jones
Deborah Jones-Rodgers
Kevin Lee
Shantasia Lewis-Brooks
Wesley Lindsey
Richard Mention
Lakeisha Morgan
Chelsea Mowery
Jatna Rivas Zarete
Dawnelle Robinson
Devon Seunarine
Duane Smith
Biba Vikas
Mendel Yehudah

Presidential inauguration >>>

Inauguration of Tuskegee University’s 9th President

The investiture of Dr. Charlotte P. Morris as the ninth president of Tuskegee University was held on the weekend of Dec. 3, 2022 in the Gen. Daniel “Chappie” James Center Arena. The Inaugural Gala was held later that evening at Logan Hall and was highlighted by the smooth sounds of Kenny Lattimore and our very own local band “Smoke.”

Sponsorships and in-kind contributions toward the inaugural events helped to underwrite the events and will benefit student scholarships. Many letters of congratulations and expressions of well-wishes were received in advance of the event. To read the letters, certificates, etc., go to www.tuskegee.edu/inauguration.

In addition to Kenny Lattimore, attendees were treated to a performance by Grammy-Award Winning Gospel Singer, Lady Tramaine Hawkins. Job well done to the Inauguration Planning Committee, and the hard-working teams from Thompsons’ Food Services, Physical Plant and 3rd-party set-up crews for the delicious food, joyous decorations, and atmosphere.
Staff Senate participates in University Appreciation event!!

The Tuskegee University Staff Senate sponsors and participates in morale-building and appreciation events throughout the year.

The Staff Senate also participated in the Tuskegee University Appreciation Day that was given for Tuskegee University staff, faculty, students, and administrators. The Appreciation Day was sponsored by the Macon County Commission and was held in the empty parking lot between the Brimmer Hall gate (west gate) and the Marable Apartments on West Montgomery Road.

The delicious fish was battered, fried and served by Macon County employees and elected officials, who donned their chef aprons and immensely enjoyed serving the crowd of students, staff, and faculty who came through. The elected officials serving as chefs included: Macon County Commission Chairman Louis Maxwell, Probate Judge James Cooper, Revenue Commissioner Iverson Gandy, and Commissioners Miles Robinson, Edward Hoffman, Ernest McGruder, and Janice “Jan” Fountain, who is now the newly elected Commissioner for District 4 and the FIRST FEMALE Commissioner to serve on the Macon County Commission.

Also, working at the appreciation event was Dr. Olga Bolden Tiller, Dean of CAENS and the RAVE II team, who were assisting and distributing COVID literature and health information.

In addition to the Student Health Clinic, Tuskegee University has provided access to another medical care option on campus. The OnMed Care Station allows Tuskegee students, faculty, and staff to have extended access to most Primary Care services. The Station, located in Margaret Murray Washington Hall, is available to use at no cost to university students, faculty, and staff. OnMed clinicians work with the University Health Center to coordinate necessary follow-up or extended care required. OnMed clinicians can prescribe medications via e-prescriptions at the time of visit to the local pharmacy. TU partnered with the Virtual Health company OnMed to provide this station – which is the first station on an HBCU campus.
Inquisitive parents and prospective students are everywhere! Here is up-to-date admission information to keep handy:

The application priority deadline is March 1 for students who want to enroll for the upcoming fall semester. However, all applications for admission and supporting credentials should be postmarked no later than June 15. The earlier the student applies, the better their chances of being admitted or qualifying for scholarships.

At Tuskegee, smaller class sizes and a 9:1 student/faculty ratio means students get more attention. Here at Tuskegee, students are known by name, not as a number. They can choose from 41 bachelor's degree programs and from over 100 registered student organizations on campus. Tuskegee offers twelve competitive sports programs for students (six Men’s and six Women’s) as a member of the SIAC Conference.

The TU Student Financial Services Office rewards academic achievement, while providing financial assistance to supplement financial resources in the form of grants, loans, scholarships, and work-study. The University ensures that all eligible students have the opportunity to attend. Always try to leave a positive impression on prospective parents and students, which could translate into new student recruitment. Remember—we are all Ambassadors for our University!! Send prospective students and parents to the Admissions website at www.tuskegee.edu/admissions.

On Dec. 15th, University personnel made their way over to Logan Hall around 3pm for the annual get-together before the Break. This year, it was in the form of a Reception with light snacks, music, and door prizes. The atmosphere was festive, as members of the Staff Senate and Faculty Senate dressed in holiday colors, greeted all who entered, took their pictures on the holiday backdrop, and gave away donated door prizes. Tuskegee University President, Dr. Charlotte P. Morris and Provost Dr. S. Keith Hargrove gave remarks, and Staff Senate Chair and Faculty Senate Chair brought greetings. The snacks provided were delicious and plentiful. And the Ugly Sweater Contest was one of the highlights of the evening!!

Upcoming events >>>

January 5 Students arrive - must be financially cleared to check into housing
January 9 Classes Begin for Spring Semester 2023
January 15-22 Faith Week
January 16 Martin Luther King Holiday
January 19 Staff Senate Meeting
January 26 Law School Fair
February 1-28 Black History Month
February 3 George Washington Carver Convocation
February 16 Staff Senate Meeting
February 23-24 Mid-semester Exams
March 6-10 Staff Appreciation Week (during Spring Break)
March 22–25 57th Annual Veterinary Medical Symposium
March 25 Spring Open House
March 27-30 Annual Farmers Conference
April 2 Founders’ Day Convocation

Staff & Faculty Senates hold Holiday Reception

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