STINvite Events
Fall 2015

Event #1 - Pumpkin Carving with Jenny Roizen
Get in the mood for Halloween by carving pumpkins and enjoying conversation and refreshments.
Date(s): October 23, 24 or 25

Event #2 - Civil Rights History Tour in Durham with Amy Anderson
Join Professor Anderson on a tour led by folks from Preservation Durham on a tour that “focuses on many of the sites in downtown Durham that were important during the Civil Rights movement of the 1950s and 60s.” Enjoy lunch together at a Durham restaurant after the tour.
Date: November 21, 9:30 am-Noon

Event #3 - Saturday Morning Food Frenzy in Durham with Dean Sue
Take the Bull City Connector to Downtown Durham to visit the Farmer’s Market, followed by a yummy brunch at the Beyu Cafe (owned by a Duke alum) and a stop at the Parlour for ice cream. Learn some Durham and Duke history along the way.
Date(s): To be arranged

Event #4 - Dinner with Chris Roy
Chris Roy would like to cook dinner for a group of students in his Wilson Faculty-in-Residence apartment.
Date(s): To be arranged
Event #5 - Gingerbread House for your House with Kathy Franz

Kathy Franz will work with your group to make gingerbread houses. This is a multi-step activity that will need student gingerbread architects, bakers, builders, and decorators (and ultimately eaters!). Creativity, but no experience is necessary.
Date(s): To be arranged

Event #6 - "Russian Movie Night" with Carol Apollonio

Host Carol Apollonio in your Common Room for a Russian movie night. Choose your genre:
- Vampires - “Night Watch” - gory, but thrilling
- The Russian mafia - “Brother” and/or its sequel “Brother II”
- Russia’s craziness in the Caucasus - “Prisoner of the Mountains,” “Tangerines” or a remake of our “Twelve Angry Men”
- Gritty and dark - “My Joy” or "The Return"
- Russian literature - An all-night showing of the epic 9-hour "War and Peace" or something more moderate such as the new “Anna Karenina” or the classic Woody Allen spoof, “Love and Death”
Date(s): To be arranged with the House

Event #7 - Saturday Morning Trip to the Farmer’s Market

Take the Bull City Connector to Downtown Durham to visit the Farmer’s Market, and then enjoy brunch at Parker and Otis and deserts at Rose’s Meat Market and Sweet Shop." Learn some Durham and Duke history along the way.
Date(s): To be arranged with the House

Event #8 - Hike in Duke Forest with Amy Anderson

Interested in spending a few weekend hours hiking in Duke Forest? Join Professor Anderson, her partner, and their dog for fresh air and fall foliage.
Date(s): To be arranged
Event #9 – Cookies, Cakes, Pies and Donuts! With Dean Sue

Do you like to bake? You supply the recipe and sweat equity and I’ll supply the ingredients and a kitchen, with the hope of creating a dessert masterpiece (or maybe just some simple brownies or chocolate chip cookies).
Date: To be arranged with the House

Event #10 – Trip to Glazed Expectations with Jenny Roizen

Take a trip to nearby Carrboro to visit Glazed Expectations, a paint-your-own ceramic studio. Enjoy a meal in one of Carrboro’s restaurants after you create your own keepsake.
Number of students: 8 to 10
Date(s): To be arranged

Event #11 – Fall Volleyball and Picnic with Dorian Canelas

Did you play volleyball in HS (even just in gym class)? Do you like to eat? Do you sometimes need to get outside for a study break on a Saturday or Sunday? If you answered "yes" to any of the above questions, then join Prof. Canelas for some Fall outdoor volleyball and a picnic. She’ll bring the ball and food. All skill levels welcome!
Number of students: Need minimum of 8; maximum of 24.
Location: Sand volleyball court on East Campus.
Date(s): Any Saturday or Sunday in October

Event #12 – Putting Is for Everyone with Dean Sue

Do you love to play golf? Or, have you never played golf other than putt-putt? Regardless of your skill level, join me on the putting green at the Duke Golf Course, where we will compete in teams of two (playing best ball). The winning team gets lunch at the Bull Durham Bar.
Number of students: Negotiable
Location: Washington Duke Inn Golf Course
Date: To be arranged with House

Event #13 – Mountain Bike Ride with Robert Malkin

Enjoy a leisurely mountain bike ride on the wide, easy terrain of Umstead State Park with a picnic lunch on the lake.
Date(s): To be arranged.
Event #14 – Retro or Horror Movie at Carolina Theater with Mine Cetinkaya-Rundel
Enjoy a retro or horror movie at Carolina Theater and dinner or lunch (depending on the time of the movie). Check out the schedule at http://www.carolinatheatre.org/films.
Date(s): To be arranged

Event #15 – Participation in TheHuntDurham with Amy Anderson
Like Scavenger Hunts? Want to learn more about Durham’s story and get a little wacky in the process? The Hunt/Durham is a video scavenger hunt of 200+ “intrepid explorers on a challenging day-long adventure through Durham.” Find out more about this event at http://thehuntdurham.com/.
Date: October 24, 11 am - 4 pm
Participants: Limited to 5 students

Event #16 – Miniature golf or bowling with Mine Cetinkaya-Rundel
Enjoy the leisurely pace of miniature golf or bowling with Professor Cetinkaya-Rundel. Of course, there will be food and great conversation.
Date(s): To be arranged

Event #17 – Durham Symphony Concert with Ken Rogerson
If you like good music, then this FINvite event is for you. Enjoy dinner with Ken Rogerson before the concert and then head to Baldwin Auditorium to enjoy an excellent concert.
Date: January 16, 2016
Location: Restaurant near East Campus and then Baldwin Auditorium
Event #18 – Sky Zone Trampoline Park and Lunch with Christy Lohr Sapp
Enjoy jumping for joy with Christy Lohr Sapp at Skyzone Trampoline Park in Raleigh followed by lunch, either at the Park or a nearby restaurant.
Date: To be arranged (note that group pricing is available for groups of 15)
Location: Sky Zone Trampoline Park, Raleigh, NC

Event #19 – Visit to NC Museum of Art with Christy Lohr Sapp
Whether you view only the art exhibits inside the NCMA or, weather permitting, stroll through the outdoor trail system to view the exhibits displayed along the 2-mile trail, a visit to the NCMA with Christy Lohr Sapp is sure to amaze. Enjoy a leisurely lunch (or dinner) following your visit.
Date: To be arranged
Location: NC Museum of Art, Raleigh, NC