Hello DU Families!

**Upcoming important dates**
Oct 19 - Fall Career and Internship Fair  
Oct 31 - Registration for winter quarter begins  
Nov 22 - Meal plans end after dinner  
Nov 23 - Centennial Halls, JMAC, and Nelson close at 9am  
Nov 24 & 25 - University closed

**DU Parents Facebook Group**
We have launched our new DU Parents Facebook Group, a private online community where parents can ask questions and share advice. To join, go to [https://www.facebook.com/groups/UniversityofDenverParents/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/UniversityofDenverParents/)

**DU Newsroom Launched**
The University of Denver recently launched a [Newsroom website](http://www.du.edu/studentlife/parents/events) where you can keep up with what's going on around campus, what our faculty experts are saying in the media, and what our DU community members are achieving at home and around the world. The Newsroom is designed to be a one-stop view of the latest University of Denver news you need to know about and also a source of news for the media.

**Parents Weekend is February 24 & 25**
A schedule of events will be posted on the Parents website in December. [http://www.du.edu/studentlife/parents/events](http://www.du.edu/studentlife/parents/events).
Parents Weekend is in the planning stages but we are working on scheduling a painting class with Canvas & Mocktails, tours of Sports Authority Field at Mile High, chocolate tasting, campus historic tours, bell tower tours, and Pioneer Hockey. Weather permitting, we will have an outdoor hike. Hope to see you on campus for Parents Weekend!
Accelerate Student Graduation with Winter Interterm
Nov 23 - Dec 24
From learning Brazilian history in Rio de Janeiro, to business in China, and geography in South Africa, Winter Interterm can be a once in a lifetime learning opportunity. [Listing of Winter Interterm Courses](#)

Gary Brower, University Chaplain
As he is affectionately known throughout the DU community, Chaplain Gary provides a newsletter, groups for students, religious accommodations, and is a resource for parents of students as well. Here is [a note from Chaplain Gary](#) with details about how to get connected and learn about his office.

Help a student by joining Alumnifire!
Did you know that 80% of all jobs come through networking? As a parent, share your network and improve a student's chances to find the internships and jobs they need to succeed. Join Alumnifire, DU's private, online platform. Students and alumni email you directly to ask questions, seek career advice and find connections. You can help from anywhere in the world. Join at [du.alumnifire.com/parents](http://du.alumnifire.com/parents).

Finals Care Packages
Finals can be a challenging time for students, and they are right around the corner. Encourage and support your student during this time by sending them a Finals Care Package! Choose one of our three themes for $21 each: Complete Package, Jump Start Package or Relaxer Package.

Packages include various snacks (Kind bars, energy drinks, etc), Emergen-C, stress ball, school supplies and more! Packages will be hand delivered during the last week of fall quarter and all funds will go to support DU's Delta Sigma Pi Alpha Nu chapter, America's foremost professional business fraternity.

Packages can be purchased via [square](http://square) or on our [homepage](http://du.edu). Any questions or concerns can be directed to Nikki Miller, VP of Finance at [nikki.miller@du.edu](mailto:nikki.miller@du.edu).