

Parent & Family Programs

A DAY ON COLLEGE HILL 2015



BROWN

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE HOURS

TUESDAY, APRIL 21 – THURSDAY, APRIL 23
9:00 am – 4:30 pm

Please note appointments are not necessary;
walk-ins are welcome.

OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID

J. Walter Wilson

FINANCIAL SERVICES

University Bursar
Brown Office Building

CAMPUS TOURS

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22 &
THURSDAY, APRIL 23

Familiarize yourself with Brown's campus.
Current students will take you on a tour.
Tours begin at the Welcome Desk in the
Stephen Robert '62 Campus Center.

Wednesday 9:00 am, 11:00 am, 1:00 pm,
and 3:00 pm

Thursday 9:00 am

PARKING

College Hill has many narrow New England streets which are not conducive to parking large numbers of vehicles. The following parking options are available:

Power Street Garage: 101 Power Street. The lot contains two Pay and Display parking pay stations. One is located at the Power Street entrance and the second is in the far corner of the lot by Brook Street. The Pay Stations accept credit cards (Visa, MasterCard, American Express, and Discover) and U.S. bills. (Note that the pay stations do not give change.)

Street Parking: Visitors may find metered street parking on and around campus, which costs 25 cents for every 12 minutes. Please pay close attention to signs marking Brown-specific spaces—these are reserved for Brown employees only. Please do not park in these spaces. **Cars parked in these spaces without a Brown University parking permit may be towed at the owner's expense.**

TUESDAY, APRIL 21

5:00 – 6:00 pm

PARENT WELCOME RECEPTION

Alumnae Hall

Please join us at a welcome reception for guests of prospective students with Maud Mandel, Dean of the College, and James Miller '73, Dean of Admission

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22

9:00 – 9:50 am

IN PURSUIT OF THE HUMANITIES

Sayles Hall

Join Michael Steinberg, Vice Provost for the Arts and Director of the Cogut Center for the Humanities, and a panel of current students for a conversation about studying the humanistic disciplines at Brown.

IT'S A SMALL, MEASLES-INFECTED WORLD AFTER ALL

Salomon Center 101

What do Mickey Mouse, Jenny McCarthy and the internet have in common? They have all played a role in a recent measles outbreak that has focused attention on “anti-vaxxers” – people who refuse vaccines for themselves and their children. In this lecture, Professor Richard Bungiro will look at how vaccines were discovered, how they work and what they have done for humanity, while also considering the perplexing issue of vaccine rejection.

WELCOME TO PROVIDENCE!

Alumnae Hall

Providence is a beautiful New England city with many things to offer! Join us for a lively panel discussion with current undergraduate students and the Providence/Warwick Convention and Visitors Bureau.

9:00 – 10:50 am

ANATOMY OF PLME

Metcalf Research Building

Friedman Auditorium

Meet administrators and students of the Program in Liberal Medical Education (PLME). Hear from a panel of PLME undergraduates and medical students. Learn about PLME opportunities for study abroad, the PLME Senate, advising, and PLME-specific programs.

10:00 – 10:50 am

THE INSIDE SCOOP ON BROWN

Alumnae Hall

Come join this student panel, moderated by Ana Saul-Sykes, J.D. '86, Director of Admission and Special Programs, to find out about life at Brown beyond the classroom.

Are you in the mood for pizza, Greek, falafel, sushi, burgers, Italian, calzones, frozen yogurt, perhaps a caffeine fix? Check out the eclectic cuisine available on Thayer Street, a destination for shopping and eating right here on College Hill. Restaurants are located on Thayer Street between Cushing and Waterman Streets.

11:00 – 11:50 am**ACADEMIC LIFE &
THE OPEN CURRICULUM***Sayles Hall*

Join Carol Cohen '83, Associate Dean of the College for First-Year and Sophomore Studies, and current students for a discussion about advising, course selection, and the Open Curriculum.

THE ROOTS OF HIP HOP*Alumnae Hall*

This lecture, led by Dr. Tricia Rose, Professor of Africana Studies and Director of the Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity in America, will explore the cultural, creative, urban, social and technical roots of hip hop culture.

**UNIVERSITY FINANCIAL PLANNING
FOR PARENTS***Building for Environmental Research
& Teaching (BERT) 130*

Representatives from the Offices of Financial Aid and Financial Services will provide information about student account statements, financial aid, and financing options to help families establish a plan.

11:30 am – 1:00 pm**MAJOR FUN:
ACADEMIC CONCENTRATION FAIR***Main Green Tent*

Meet professors, departmental representatives, and undergraduate students from Brown's 70+ concentrations to chart your student's academic path.

STEM:**SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY,
ENGINEERING & MATH****1:00 – 5:00 pm***Salomon Center*

Brown offers top-flight science programs embedded in a liberal arts environment. This event focuses on the Brown experience for undergraduates in fields related to Applied Mathematics, Chemistry, Computer Science, Engineering, Geology (DEEPS), Mathematics, Physics, and Statistics. Spend the afternoon with STEM faculty and undergraduate concentrators, and learn why science students thrive at Brown.

1:00 – 1:50 pm**LIFE AFTER BROWN: PREPARING FOR
HEALTH PROFESSIONS SCHOOLS***Building for Environmental Research
& Teaching (BERT) 130*

George Vassilev, Director of Pre-Professional Advising and Assistant Dean of the College, joined by current students, will highlight Brown's resources and respond to questions about pre-health and pre-med advising resources.

THE MAGICAL BRAIN: FROM
NEURONS TO CONSCIOUSNESS

Alumnae Hall

The human brain is built from neurons that obey the laws of physics and chemistry. Visual perception and the conscious awareness we experience appear to magically emerge from circuits built from billions of these neurons. Professor Michael Paradiso will discuss what has been learned about the processes that give rise to these experiences.

SENDING YOUR STUDENT
TO COLLEGE

*Stephen Robert '62 Campus Center
Petteruti Lounge*

Faculty and staff from the Dean of the College and Alumni College Advising Program, joined by current undergraduates, will lead this panel discussing what you can expect as your student gets ready to leave for Brown.

2:00 – 2:50 pm

CAPITALIZING ON
THE BROWN EDUCATION

Sayles Hall

Matt Donato, Director of the CareerLab, will be joined by current Brown students and a recent alumnus to discuss internships, networking, and planning for a successful life after Brown.

2:00 – 4:00 pm

RESIDENCE HALL OPEN HOUSES

Andrews Hall & Keeney Quadrangle

Brown guarantees undergraduates four years of on-campus housing and first year students are required to live on campus. We invite you to visit Andrews Hall and Keeney Quadrangle to explore rooms and meet with current students and residential life staff.

3:00 – 3:50 pm

BRUNONIANS ABROAD:
LIVING AND LEARNING AWAY
FROM COLLEGE HILL

List Art Center 120

Ned Quigley, Associate Director of International Programs, representatives from the Office of International Programs, and students who have studied abroad will examine the benefits of extended exposure to the customs and cultures of another society.

LIFE AFTER BROWN: PREPARING
FOR BUSINESS AND LAW SCHOOL

*Hemisphere Building
CareerLab*

Is your student pre-law or pre-business? Join us for an overview of advising resources available to students preparing for professional study and careers in law and business.

THURSDAY, APRIL 23

9:00 – 10:00 am

HEALTH, MENTAL HEALTH & WELL-BEING AT BROWN

Rhode Island Hall 108

College is a new, exciting experience, but the changes from this transition can be overwhelming. Join current students in conversation with support staff on how to lead a mentally and physically healthy life at Brown. Learn more about our resources to help students productively manage their stress levels and general well-being.

9:30 – 11:00 am

BROWN CENTER FOR STUDENTS OF COLOR OPEN HOUSE

Partridge Hall

Brown Center for Students of Color

Come explore the resources Brown offers students of color, meet undergraduate students that are involved with its programming, and learn more about the support it provides.

HILLEL OPEN HOUSE

Brown/RISD Hillel

Learn more about the vibrant Jewish community on College Hill over some morning bagels and refreshments. We are also open from 9:00 am to 10:00 pm daily if you just want to drop in.

SARAH DOYLE OPEN HOUSE

Sarah Doyle Women's Resource Center

Visit the Sarah Doyle Women's Center to learn about opportunities to explore issues of gender, particularly as they intersect with race, class, and sexuality. Meet our SDWC student staff and take a tour of the center.

UNIVERSITY RESOURCE FAIR

Sayles Hall

This event is an opportunity for students and families to ask questions and speak to University staff about many important services and resources at Brown. Speak with over 25 administrative offices such as the Office of Student Life, Department of Public Safety, Health Services and Education, and Residential Life to name a few.

10:00 – 11:00 am

THE HAFFENREFFER MUSEUM OF ANTHROPOLOGY OPEN HOUSE

Manning Hall

Haffenreffer Museum

Peruse some of the finest anthropological and archaeological exhibitions in New England. Join staff and students to learn about student-curated exhibits, museum events, internships, research opportunities, and more.

11:00 – 11:30 pm

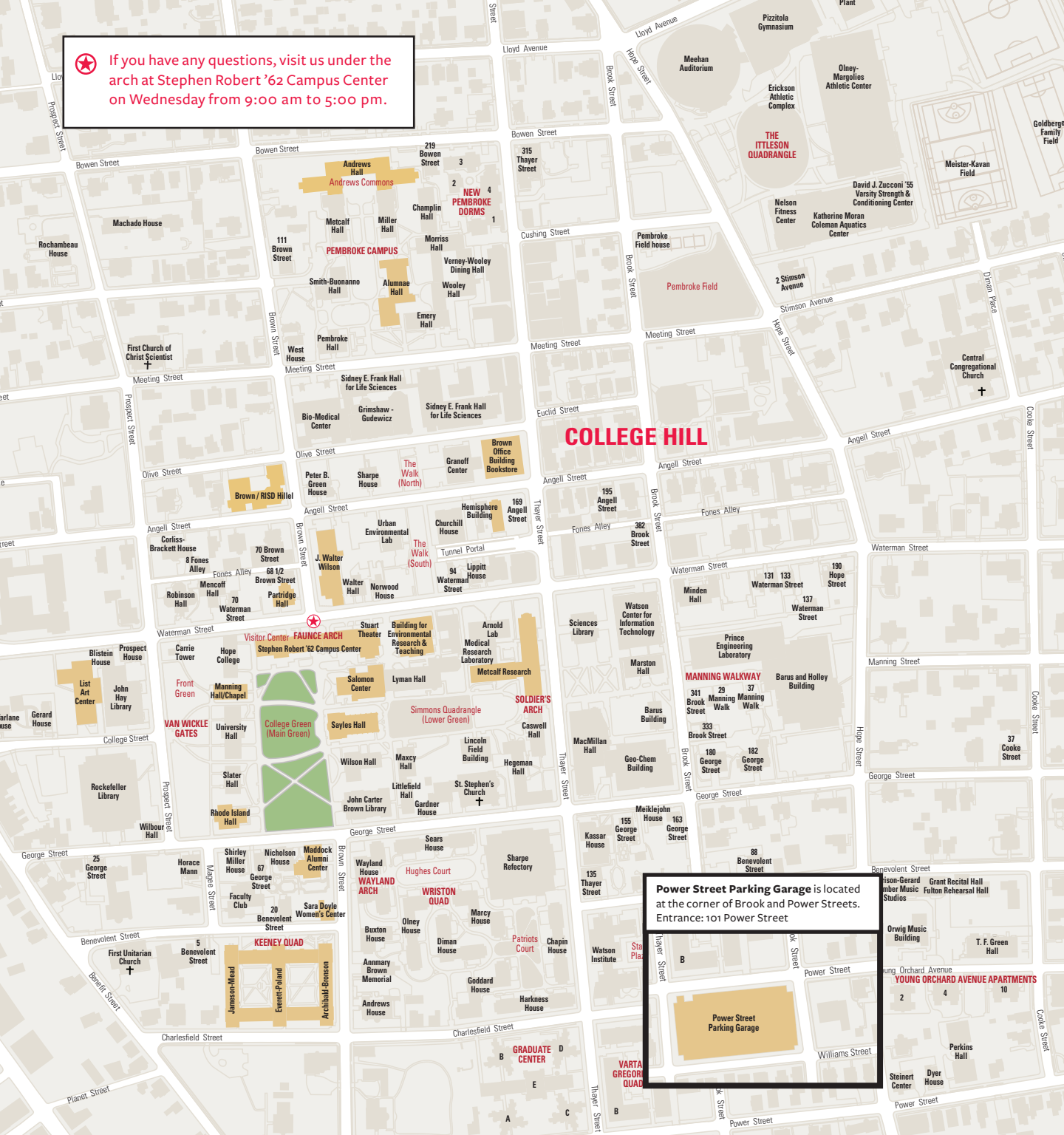
FAREWELL, FRIENDS!

Main Green Tent

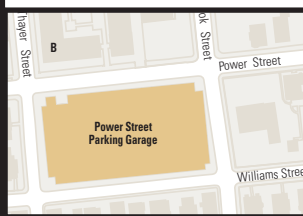
Come and listen to parting thoughts from Kenneth Miller '70, Professor of Biology, as your days on College Hill come to a close.



If you have any questions, visit us under the arch at Stephen Robert '62 Campus Center on Wednesday from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm.



Power Street Parking Garage is located at the corner of Brook and Power Streets. Entrance: 101 Power Street





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