



CONDUCTING NON-UNIVERSITY EVENTS ON GAME DAYS OR MAJOR EVENT DAYS

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This Policy is applicable to *non-University* events held on Game Days or Major Event Days and is designed to prevent disruption of the events and impeding the ingress and egress to university Game Day activities. Game Days include all home football games, Spring Game, and any event taking place in the football stadium where large crowds are anticipated. Major Event Days include Commencement, Convocation, and other special events where large crowds are anticipated.

To protect the safety of visitors and avoid damage to university property, the university prohibits signage, for whatever purposes, to be implanted in, posted on, or otherwise affixed to university property. This prohibition in no way interferes with the right of students, faculty, staff, and fans to otherwise engage in advocacy, expressive activity, or the political process.

The university must also refrain from creating an appearance of partisan activity endorsed by the university. Political campus organizations shall have access to selected University facilities on the same basis as all other campus organizations, in keeping with the rights of all members of the campus community to express political views on game days/major event. Non-campus political organizations shall likewise have access on the same terms as other non-university organizations described herein.

Further, on Game Days and Major Event Days, reservations of outdoor properties for non-university purposes are limited to the following:

- A portion of the Lloyd Noble parking lot, except during an event held at the Lloyd Noble Center, at which time a portion of the Gymnastics Center parking lot may be utilized; or
- A portion of the University Duck Pond; or
- A portion of the property in front of the Bizzell Statue; or
- A portion of the Dale Hall parking lot.

Because space is limited, non-University events shall be scheduled on a first-come, first-served basis determined by the date the individual or group executes all relevant documents, provides evidence of adequate insurance where required due to risk of damage to persons or property, and submits all such documents to [Campus Scheduling](#) (405.325.2121) in accordance with applicable policies.

No picketing, leafleting, large signage, displays, or peddling shall be permitted within 300 feet of the facility hosting the event (i.e., football stadium) on the day of the event.