Welcome to Suffolk!

Hi everyone! Welcome to Suffolk University!! I know it’s hard to think as far ahead as September right now, but I would like to tell you about a "Welcome Week" that is in the planning stages. "Welcome Week" will be a two-week series of events, both social and informative, designed to help you become acquainted with the university's services, clubs, and organizations and help you adjust to Suffolk. Events will include activities fairs, rathskellers (Friday afternoon parties), campus tours, special speakers and much more. Watch for signs and schedules of these events. Have a great summer!

C. Daniels

Using Suffolk’s resources

by Ron Vining and Scott Moser

For incoming students, Suffolk offers a wide variety of resources to aid in the transition to university life and offer continuing support to students throughout the year.

FINANCIAL AID

One of these is the Financial Aid Office on the eighth floor of the Sawyer building. There are people available to offer assistance to students who need Financial Aid Services. All the forms for different kinds of Financial Aid can be picked up there and appointments can be made whenever necessary.

CAREER SERVICES

Career Services is another resource which Suffolk offers to students. This is the main resource for job advice and job searching. Students can find part-time/full-time job offers, internships, and Cooperative Education opportunities. Career Services can be used for students who are thinking ahead and are anxious to gain experience related to his or her major field of study. The work study program is another program that can help students financially. Students can work in the Student Activities Office, Financial Aid Office, Registrar’s Office, and many more departments.

COMPUTERS

As students you will be using computers throughout your college career. Computers can be found in the Fenton Building on the first floor, in the Sawyer Building on the fifth floor and in the Sawyer Library. Personnel are available to students who have any problems or questions concerning the computers.

GETTING ACQUAINTED

Having fun and meeting new people is an integral part of your education at Suffolk University. One place to enjoy yourself is the Student Lounge in the Fenton Building. You can play ping-pong, foosball, video games and also meet new friends.

The gymnasium is another site for students who like to play basketball, weight train and participate in aerobics.

The cafeteria is also a place to sit down and relax with friends and enjoy a good meal.

Make it a habit to get involved with student activities and take advantage of all of our worthwhile resources. You will gain a positive Suffolk experience if you do.

Suffolk’s ABC’s: the “Lingo”

by Christina Daniels

Welcome to Suffolk University! This is your first assignment: memorize this “ingo” that can be heard throughout campus. The first test: the first day of class you can get an “A” by showing off your knowledge of the “Suffolk ingo” to the upperclassmen.

1) Add/Drop: This is a form used by students to add and/or drop classes at the beginning of a new semester. Classes must be added and/or dropped within two weeks of the beginning of the semester in order to avoid complications. These forms can be picked up at the Registrar’s office on the 7th floor of the Sawyer Building.

2) APO (Alpha Phi Omega): A co-ed fraternity that does a lot of community service in the area, including assisting with the annual blood drive.

3) Archer: One of Suffolk’s original buildings located on the corner of Derne and Temple Streets (opposite Derne Street — see entry). Home to CLAS deans’ offices, the Math Department and the Science Department (Biology, Chemistry, Physics).

4) Beacon: This is Suffolk’s yearbook.

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Getting Involved
Clubs and Organizations

Program Council
What is Program Council? P.C. is a group of 9 meritorious dedicated members working together to plan, organize and execute social events for Suffolk students.

Chairs on Program Council:
Rathskellar Chairperson
Publicity Chairperson
Performing Arts & Lectures Chairperson
Special Events Chairperson
Social Chairperson

Executive Board Positions:
President
Vice President
Secretary
Treasurer

Committees:
Rathskellar Committee: Any student member of the Rathskellar Committee will be the main points of contact after 2:00pm.
Social Committee: Any student member of the Social Committee will be the main points of contact after 2:00pm.
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Accounting Club
Originally the Accounting-Finance Association, the club split into the Accounting Club and the Finance Club. The Accounting Club enhances the academic factor by raising extracurricular programs and symposia dealing with field of career and current events. Social events, often sponsored by other clubs/organizations at Suffolk, are also provided. Membership is open to all Suffolk University students.

Humanities Club
The Humanities Club has been organized to stimulate and encourage a better appreciation of the arts. The club attempts to provide a well-rounded program to meet the interests of all. Programs include talks, performances, museum visits, as well as events concerning ancient cultures, modern foreign cultures, and our own American culture.

Black Student Union
The Suffolk Black Student Union assists black students in adjusting to college life at Suffolk. It presents speakers and functions to promote insight into the Black students' concerns and goals in America.

The SBSU's purpose is also to act as a liaison between minority students and the administration on such issues as recruitment, financial aid, and administrative decisions affecting minority students' academic needs.

Economic Association
The Suffolk Economic Association provides a forum for the discussion of current economic topics, and seminars for student and faculty programs. The events have included an address by a Federal Reserve economist on the regulation of advertising, a description of the options market by a stockbroker, discussions of career opportunities by representatives of local consulting firms, and a report on the economic internships and cooperative program jobs available to Suffolk students. The Association is open to all students.

Get involved--it pays off
As a new member of the Suffolk University community, it is important that you get involved in some way in university activities. Getting involved is probably the best thing you can do for yourself in beginning your Suffolk career. Not only does it enhance your Suffolk experience and provide you with lifetime memories, it is also a wonderful way to meet people and allows you to take a break from academics and work for a while.

Getting involved is easy. Suffolk University provides its students with a wide variety of extra-curricular activities in a wide variety of interest areas. Among the clubs and organizations you can get involved in are: The Suffolk Journal, Beacon Yearbook, Venture Literary Magazine, WSFR (radio), WSUB (television), Phi Sigma Sigma, Tau Kappa Epsilon, Student Government Association (SGA), Program Council (PC), Asian American Association, Black Student Union, Archer Fellows Activities Club, Cheer Club, Students Organized Against Racism (S.O.A.R.), the Bellotti Learning Center and much, much more. In addition, you may join an aerobic class or work out in the new weight training room or join a sports team. Whatever you decide on, you'll definitely be glad you joined a club, organization, sports team, or what have you. You'll get the most out of your Suffolk experience if you do decide to get involved and school will no longer be just another place you go to class.

So many students come to class and then go home, never taking advantage of all the opportunities which Suffolk offers its students. Make it different for yourself and get involved. It really pays off--take it from someone in the know.

Heather A. Swails
Editor, The Suffolk Journal

Debating Club
This club is organized for the purpose of developing and mastering the various techniques of organization and oral communication. After working on campus, members participate in intercollegiate debate and speech contests at other colleges and universities in the eastern and midwestern U.S. In the past, debate teams from Suffolk have defeated such schools as Princeton, Brandeis, Dartmouth, Georgetown University...

Members also compete in individual speech contest events such as persuasive speaking, interpretation of music, and extemporaneous speaking.

Asian American Association
The Asian American Association is an organization that assists Asian academically and in adjusting to the University. It provides better communication between Asian students and students of other cultures. It also offers a chance for students to explore the Asian American culture.

Events include: "The Annual Chinese New Year Celebration," films, speakers and other social activities.

Membership is open to all Suffolk current day division undergraduates and graduate students in the colleges.

Financial Management Association
Primarily for Finance majors, but open to all students. Students become members of the college nationwide and are organized into associations of financial managers. Meetings feature speakers covering jobs in finance, such as banking, financial planning, stock brokerage, financial management, insurance, and real estate.

The FMA Student Chapter is always looking for new members interested in the financial area.

HISPANIC ASSOCIATION
The Hispanic Association is an organization whose primary goal is to organize a socio-cultural and intellectual events related to the Hispanic culture for all students. In addition to those activities, the association also tries to link students of Hispanic origin with the many opportunities and activities provided at Suffolk. Programs and activities include meetings, guest speakers, "Hispanic Day," "Calle 8," parties and other special events scheduled throughout the academic year.

History Society
The History Society is an organization which aims to encourage the exchange of ideas and the growth of sociability among history students, to develop activities of historical interest for the Suffolk Community and to provide a liaison between those interested in history and the History Department. Activities have included: visits to historical sites, guest speakers, seminars, films, periodical June Orientation
Venture Literary Magazine
Venture is the student literary and arts magazine sponsored by the English Department and published once a year. Founded in 1967, the magazine features in each issue approximately 100 pages of poetry, short stories, articles, photography and art work contributed by members of the Suffolk Community. Any student may participate in creating the magazine.

WSFR Radio
WSUB Television
WSFR is a closed-circuit radio station broadcast to various locations within the university. Students plan the programming schedule and produce and broadcast live radio programming. In music format is greatly diversified, and programming includes jazz, reggae music, and Boston beat. Progressive music is also in the programming schedule.

WSUB gives interested students in the electronic media the opportunity to learn technical and professional aspects of video production while giving them "hands-on" experience preparing scripts, writing, producing and on-air programming. All segments are student produced and are shown in specified locations on campus.

For Info On Other Clubs and Organizations Refer To Your Student Handbook

BEACON YEARBOOK
Suffolk University's Beacon Yearbook is published annually for full distribution. The Beacon is designed with the undergraduate student body in mind, with an emphasis on the graduating class. Students with an interest in any aspect of yearbook production are encouraged to stop by Room 118 in the Student Activity Center or call 573-8328
Where to find computers

by Karen Mungal

Computers that are available for Suffolk students:

1. In the SAWYER LIBRARY there are a few IBM PC's for all students. You must have a formatted floppy disk to work on these machines, unless you are working on the Prime or Vax. These computers are located on the 2nd floor of the library. There are usually library assistants who will be able to help with the machines.

2. In 5TH FLOOR—SAWYER there are many computers for SOM students. These computers contain various programming languages that are taught in many of the SOM classes. This lab is open during the week and on weekends.

Suffolk organizes S.O.A.R. chapter

by Ivy Cifizzarri

The Society Organized Against Racism (SOAR) in New England Higher Education, Inc. was organized here at Suffolk University recently. Any student, faculty member, administrator or staff member is welcome to join the organization.

SOAR's purpose is to assist with the formation of student organizations which address issues of racism, prejudice and discrimination. The organization helps to create workshops designed to raise the conscience. Professional services are available. Inter-cultural programs are also formed to help implement diversity and pluralism within the campus communities throughout New England.

For anyone who is interested in becoming part of the organization or if there is anyone who would like more information, contact Paul Korn at the Counseling Center in the Archer Building, Room 304 (573-8227).

Suffolk University smoking policy

The University is quickly moving toward a smoke-free campus. Like Babson and Bentley Colleges, Suffolk University will prohibit smoking throughout our facilities beginning July 1, 1992. "As of July 1, 1992, Suffolk University will be a smoke-free campus."

If you have any questions or comments, the schedule of the Smoking Policy and Education Committee is as follows:

October 2, 1991
December 4, 1991
February 5, 1992
April 1, 1992
All meetings are held in the Vice President's conference room on One Beacon Street on the 25th floor from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m., unless otherwise posted.

Policy Statement

Smoking is prohibited throughout Suffolk University facilities except in designated smoking areas, which are identified by "smoking permitted" signs.

Suffolk recycles

by V. Gordon Glenn, III

BOSTON—Suffolk University's Student Government Association began a campus-wide recycling program in February. The program originally began in the newly opened Ridgeway Building, and through its popularity spread to other campus buildings.

Recycling bins for aluminum cans were placed throughout the campus, student lounges, hallways, and eating areas. Paper recycling bins have been placed in all administrative offices and have been enthusiastically received. Suffolk administrative offices at One Beacon Street have been participating in that building's program since last spring, 1990.

Plans for the program began in October of 1990 because the students of Suffolk had a concern that recycling was necessary. Their goal was to have the drive begin by the fall of 1991. With the help of Vice President/Treasurer Francis X. Flannery, the SGA was able to implement the plan.

A portion of the money that is raised by the aluminum can recycling program will go to scholarship funds. Beginning with this year's new student orientation, the SGA is planning an education program on the importance of recycling. They hope to encourage new students to become active participants in the recycling program.
The Suffolk Experience

By John Cowgill

"Only a sheepdog can feel the presence of the flock, but not the baa." That was how I concluded the first in a series of two essays in the fall issue of The Suffolk Alumnae Magazine, March 27, 1999.

Well, here we are, a year later and it must be said that there has been some noticeable change to the way we live and the way we think. We have a greater sense of the need to share with others and a desire to understand them better.

The G.M.S. Constitution is in the process of being revised, and we are in the process of selecting a new G.M.S. President. This is an important change to our community and we should be proud of the fact that our students are taking an active part in this process.

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5) BLC (Ballotti Learning Center): Located on the third floor of the new Ridgeway Building, this is a resource to all students on campus. Ranging from tutorial assistance, study groups and outreach programs to self-study, computers and a place to study, the BLC should definitely be checked out.

6) Bookstore: Recently moved to a new facility on Cambridge Street (adjacent to the Ridgeway Building’s main entrance). This is where you buy your texts and supplies. You can also find Suffolk paraphernalia (sweatshirts, T-shirts, etc., etc.), general reading books, magazines, snack foods, candy, greeting cards, gifts etc., etc.

7) the “Cafe”: This is the cafeteria on the third floor of the Sawyer Building where a great deal of eating and socializing takes place (also rats a.k.a. ratskellers).

8) CLEP (College Level Examination Program): This is a test offered through the BLC that could give you college credit. For more information, call the BLC at 573-8235, or stop by Ridgeway 300.

9) COP (Council of Presidents): This organization is comprised of the presidents of all organizations at Suffolk. Their job is to coordinate all club activities and prevent conflicts in programming major events.

10) Dean of Students: Have any problems, comments, questions? The Dean of Students will be more than happy to help out.

11) Derne Street: This is a shortened version of “The Derne Street Deli,” located on the corner of Derne and Temple Streets. Derne Street is a popular breakfast/lunch/study spot for Suffolk students, staff and faculty alike.

12) Donahue: Building which houses Suffolk’s Law School. There is a cafeteria in the basement for use by all students and an extra quiet library on the fourth floor for that extra-intensive study.

13) FAF: This stands for Financial Aid Form. These can be picked up at the Financial Aid Office on the 8th floor of the Sawyer Building.

14) Fenton: Located on the corner of Derne and Hancock Streets – home to classrooms, the Student Lounge, a computer center, the English Department and the Psychology Department as well as Health Services.

15) the “Hat” (a popularized version of “The Red Hat”): This is a food and drink establishment located on the corner of Cambridge and Bowdoin Streets. A popular hangout where students relax and socialize.

16) the “Hill”: This is a slang term for Beacon Hill or a term for going from the Sawyer Building to Fenton or Archer (I’m heading down “the Hill”).

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Places to eat
Following is a list of eating places frequented by hungry Suffolk students.

... On the home turf:
The Derne Street Deli: located on the corner of Derne and Temple Streets. Reasonable prices, yummy fare which includes deli sandwiches, soups, breakfast foods, chips, beverages. A good place to go for a good cup of coffee.
The Primo: located a block and a half down Murtele Street (at the Hancock Street end of Derne Street). Prices: fair. Food: delicious — includes pizza, pasta dishes, salads, sandwiches, beverages.
The Bostonian: located on Cambridge Street near the Red Hat. Offers deli sandwiches, salads, breakfast foods, beverages.
The Red Hat: located on the corner of Bowdoin and Cambridge Streets. Prices: fair. Offers, finger foods (such as Buffalo wings) sandwiches, salads, beverages.
The Nemo’s: located on the corner of Derne and Bowdoin Streets. Prices very reasonable. Offers hot dogs and hamburgers, chips, beverages. Good place to go for a cheap and quick meal.
The Capitol House: located on the corner of Bowdoin Street and Astburton Place. Deli foods — hamburgers, hotdogs, sandwiches, salads; and breakfast foods. Prices: good.
The Pushcart Deli: located on the corner of Bowdo and Beacon Streets. Prices: okay. A lighter fare for the gourmet in you — gourmet deli sandwiches, fruits, salads... you know, healthy stuff.
The Sawyer Cafe/Donahue Cafe: located in Sawyer and Donahue. Prices: fair. A wide variety of food — mix and match if you like.
The Faneuil Hall: located a 10 minute walk away from Suffolk (behind the City Hall). Inside is an enormous food court offering food from all corners of the globe at a variety of prices. Most are within the student’s budget.
The Pizzeria Uno: located across the street running parallel to Faneuil Hall. What more is there to say?
The Corner Mall: located at downtown crossing. Inside is a food court featuring Italian, Chinese, greek, American (Mc Ds), Health food.
Prices are affordable.

Happy Eating!

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Athletics
S.U. athletics: A new era by Doreen Matta

Suffolk University Athletics entered a new and exciting era this year with the grand opening of the new Athletics Center on June 1, 1991. This state-of-the-art facility, located at 200 Broadway, serves as the home for all Suffolk University’s athletic teams and is designed to meet the needs of both student-athletes and spectators.

The Athletics Center is a multi-purpose facility that includes indoor and outdoor facilities. The indoor facility features a regulation basketball court, a field hockey court, a full-size track and field, an indoor swimming pool, a weight room, and locker rooms. The outdoor facility includes a softball field, a baseball field, and a track and field complex.

Suffolk’s athletic teams have been competing at a high level in recent years, with several teams qualifying for post-season play. The women’s basketball team, for example, advanced to the NCAA Division III Championship in 2020. The men’s soccer team has also been successful, reaching the NCAA Tournament in 2019.

The Athletics Center is designed to meet the needs of student-athletes, with state-of-the-art facilities and equipment. The center also features a Student-Athlete Center, which provides academic support and resources.

The Athletics Center is a significant investment in Suffolk University’s athletic programs, and it is hoped that it will continue to be a source of pride and inspiration for the university and its community.