**SOAR Schedule**

**Friday, June 16, 2023**

**9:15 AM – 9:45 AM Check-in – Stearns Lobby**

Start your day at Cairn with a quick registration process, mingle with Cairn faculty and staff, smile for your ID picture and enjoy coffee and light refreshments.

**Consultations Consultation appointments will take place throughout the day**

Staff members from Business Services and Financial Aid will be available between 9:15am-1:00pm for those who registered online for individual consultations. You will also be able to sign up during check-in.

**9:45 AM – 10:40 AM Welcome – Chatlos Chapel**

We start by explaining what you can accomplish on this day and, now that you are becoming a college student, you will learn what you can expect as you anticipate your first days on campus.

**10:50 AM – 11:50 AM Information Fair – Mason Activity Center Lobby**

This is your opportunity to walk around and gather information and ask questions about all aspects of campus life at Cairn that pique your interest. Take the opportunity to tour the G. Patrick Stillman Athletic Complex. (15-minute consultations with Business Services and Financial Aid will continue to be available at this time in the Auxiliary Dining Room).

**11:15 AM – 12:15 PM Residence Hall Viewing – Manor and Heritage Residence Halls**

Take time to visit a room in the Residence Hall. We will be available to give tours of the room and answer any questions.

**11:50 AM – 12:50 PM Lunch – Furman Dining Commons**

**1:00 PM – 1:45 PM Advisor Meeting for Students – Chatlos Chapel**

You will learn what an advisor is for, and why it is important to stay in touch with your advisor. Students will be released to meet with faculty and advisors to receive their tentative Fall 2023 class schedule.

**1:00 PM – 1:45 PM Parent Informational Session Options**

**Session 1:** **Financial Aid and Business Service Q&A in the *Auxiliary Dining Room***

A time for parents and guardians to meet with Financial Aid and Business

Services staff to discuss issues and questions related to financial aid and billing.

**Session 2:** **From Parent to Coach: Supporting Gen Z Going to College in BL 125**

Although some aspects of the University experience remain the same, the current generation of students has different needs and expectations compared to previous generations of students. This session provides perspective on the way in which Cairn develops its students and provides pragmatic suggestions on how to help your student succeed.

**Session 3:** **Maximizing Academic Success in BL 222A**

Hear from the Academic Resource Center as they explain how your college student can maximize their time at Cairn to be fully prepared for vocation and ministry.

**2:00 PM Ice Cream Social – Connie Eastburn Gallery**

Take some time to get to know other new students and enjoy some ice cream!