

STREAK WEEK 2026 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

* - designates a mandatory event

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23

*10:00am – 4:30pm	Resident Student Streak Week Check-In	<i>Student Center Atrium</i>
	After moving into your residence hall, arrive at the Student Center Atrium to check-in and receive your Streak Week nametag and other important information about the week's activities! Refer to the information you received from the Office of Residence Life regarding the move-in procedures and your assigned move-in time.	
11:00am – 2:00pm	Lunch	<i>Schott Dining Hall</i>
	Meal plans start today for students living on campus, so head down to the Schott Dining Hall and take a break from the move-in process. Students with meal plans will use their Carroll Card IDs, while the door rate for guests on this day is \$8.00. (Note: Schott Dining Hall is cashless.)	
2:30pm	Mass	<i>Student Center, St. Francis Chapel</i>
	Join other families in St. Francis Chapel to meet other new students and celebrate Mass together.	
3:30pm	Family Sending Ceremony	<i>St. Ignatius Plaza</i>
	All family members are invited to receive a blessing before saying good-bye to their students.	
*4:30 – 5:00pm	Commuter Student Check-In for Streak Week	<i>Student Center Atrium</i>
	Stop by the Student Center Atrium to receive your Streak Week materials and other important information about the week's activities.	
*5:00 – 6:00pm	Streak Week Welcome Dinner <i>Admission: Wear your Streak Week nametag</i>	<i>Student Center spaces</i> <i>(Check your nametag)</i>
	Get ready for great food and a big Blue Streak welcome from your Streak Week Guide, who will act as your small group leader over the next few days! Meet your mentor at numbered tables matching the number on your nametag.	
*6:00pm	Small Group Meetings with Streak Week Guides	<i>Check your nametag</i>
	Meet with your Streak Week Guide and small group to learn some important things about John Carroll and what lies ahead in Streak Week.	
*7:00pm	Commuter Student Eat 'n Greet	<i>Jardine Room</i>
	Get acquainted with commuter services at JCU and meet other commuter students!	
*7:00pm	Your First Floor Gathering	<i>Your residence hall floor</i>
	Meet your Resident Assistant and fellow floormates to learn more about your residence hall, the shared expectations about living on campus, and what it means to live in community.	
9:00pm – midnight	First Night Frenzy	
	Celebrate your first night of college by participating in a fun variety of great activities!	

9:00 – 10:00pm	Hypnotist Dale K <i>Sponsored by the University Club (U-Club)</i>	<i>St. Ignatius Hall Kulas Auditorium</i>
	Since the day he was born, Dale was and continues to be “unusual”. Although he always knew himself, it did not take long for others to notice that Dale was destined for the stage. As a teen, his test audiences were family members and classmates. Two decades later, Dale is entertaining and educating audiences from around the world with his contemporary approach to the art of hypnosis.	
10:00pm – midnight	Open Gym	Athletic, Wellness, & Event Center
	Test the athletic prowess of your classmates and hang out with friends! The AWE Center will be open for informal recreation such as basketball, pickleball, volleyball, cornhole, and other activities.	
	Tropical Shaved Ice and Kettle Corn	<i>Keller Commons</i>
	Enjoy these amazing treats on a hot summer’s night!	
	Caricature artist and spray tattoos	<i>Student Center Atrium</i>

MONDAY, AUGUST 24

8:00 – 8:45am	Breakfast	
*9:00am	Small Group Meetings with Streak Week Guides	<i>Small group classroom</i>
*10:00 – 11:00am	I’m So Obsessed With...	<i>Check your nametag</i>
	Do you love to play tennis? Are you a huge fan of Broadway shows? Stop by some of the themed rooms to connect with other new students who have passions similar to yours.	
*11:00am – Noon	Student Leadership Challenge Discussion	<i>Check your nametag</i>
	Start your academic journey at JCU with a small-group discussion of our common read, <i>The Student Leadership Challenge</i> . You can access the book for free through your university-sponsored library account. Before New Student Orientation, please read the prologue, <u>“When Leaders Are at Their Personal Best.”</u> (but, feel free to read more, if you’d like!) During orientation, you’ll join a Peer Navigator to reflect on what you accomplished in high school and explore how you can reach new personal bests in college. Note: you will need to log into the library system with your JCU credentials to access the reading. Click on the link above, input your credentials and then click on the “O’Reilly Online Learning” link in the middle of the page to access the entire book.	
Noon – 1:00pm	Lunch	<i>Schott Dining Hall</i>
1:00 – 3:00pm	Personal Time	
	Here’s time to fit in a workout, make a Target run, try out your new Switch game, or take a quick nap to get ready for the night activities.	
*3:00 – 5:00pm	Crash the Quad	<i>Main Quad and Student Center Atrium</i>
	Join the other members of the Class of 2030 for an afternoon of fun activities!	
5:00 – 7:00pm	Dinner	<i>Schott Dining Hall</i>
8:00 – 9:30pm	Annual Graffiti Party <i>Sponsored by U-Club</i>	<i>Keller Commons (Rain Site: Varsity Gym)</i>

Need a new shirt and want to make new connections? The annual Graffiti Party provides both, along with fun snacks! Join the hundreds of other first-year students in this great Streak Week tradition! Get a chance to see just one of many on-campus activities sponsored by U-Club. It is sure to be the **HIGHLIGHT** of your week!

9:00pm – midnight **Blacklight Dodgeball** Athletic, Wellness, & Event Center

Remember your glory days of elementary school gym class? JCU Recreation is excited to offer its first event of the year, **Blacklight Dodgeball**! Find a group of friends, wear a light-colored shirt (highly encouraged), and compete for a chance to win the first intramural championship t-shirt of the year! To sign up your team of at least six (6) players, visit www.imleagues.com/jcu. This is an open tournament with no gender requirements, and walkup registration will also be available. Email imsports@jcu.edu with any questions, and good luck!

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25

8:00 – 9:15am **Breakfast** *Schott Dining Hall*

*9:30 - 11:00am **Streak Week Guide meeting & Exploring JCU** *Small Group Classroom*

*11:00am – Noon **Focus 2 Assessment** *Check your nametag*

During this session, a member of the Academic and Career team will talk about the results from the Focus 2 Career assessment that you completed online prior to Streak Week. This is an early opportunity to identify your strengths, skills, interests, and values and explore how they can help shape your academic path and future career goals.

*Noon – 1:00pm **Lunch** *Schott Dining Hall*

*1:00 – 2:00pm **Your Experience, Your Community** *St. Ignatius Hall
Kulas Auditorium*

Learn about the JCU community from the staff in our Center for Student Belonging.

2:00- 4:00pm **Campus-Wide Drop-In Programs (DIPs)**
Explore programming spaces across campus to experience a range of these cool activities listed below. Stay as little or as long as you'd like!

Esports Open House Esports Lounge
DSC E337

Join JCU Recreation for some gaming! The lounge has 12 gaming computers and Nintendo Switch, Xbox, and PlayStation consoles. A variety of games, tournaments, and casual play will be available!

Create Your Own Pennants with U-Club Student Center, Atrium

Looking for something fun to add to your room? Stop by and have an airbrush artist make you a personalized pennant. Space is limited to the first 250 students who stop by!

CSB Rocks! *Student Center, Atrium*

Join the staff from the Center for Student Belonging staff to paint a rock, enjoy a snack, and then place your new masterpiece across the campus to leave your mark!

All About the Arts! *Student Center, Marinello Little Theater (above the Atrium)*

Welcome to our Black Box Theatre! Have you ever wondered how to get involved in theatre—whether on stage or behind the scenes? This is your chance! Meet our incredible theatre

staff, explore the many opportunities available, and discover how you can become part of the JCU Theatre family - and don't forget to design and decorate a mask before you go!

Make Some Scents of It

Student Center, Inn Between

Join the Wellness Center's Peer Health Advocates to make DIY room spray with essential oils and learn some tips to start off your college wellness journey!

4:00 – 5:00pm

Personal time

5:00 – 7:00pm

Dinner

Schott Dining Hall

8:00 – 9:00pm

Class of 2030 BINGO

Sponsored by U-Club

Student Center

LSC Cnf Room

Join your classmates B4 - B4 WHAT? B4 you miss out on a great time! BINGO is a staple at John Carroll and we can't wait to share one of our favorite traditions with you!

9:00 – 10:00pm

Trivia!

LSC Cnf Room

Alright, smartypants - stop by this event and win some fun prizes showing off your knowledge of random facts and obscure topics!

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26

8:30 – 9:45am

Breakfast

Schott Dining Hall

*10:00a - 12:00pm

“Communication, Consent, and Respect”

Kulas Auditorium

New relationships can be difficult to navigate. This interactive performance explores communication, healthy relationships and sexual assault. JCUPD also will show students how to avoid some common pitfalls and stay safe on and around campus.

12:00 - 12:45pm

Lunch

Schott Dining Hall

*1:00 - 2:00pm

First Intro to Onward Class meeting

Kulas Auditorium

Welcome to your first class meeting at John Carroll University! During this session you will receive an overview of the AS 1100 Onward course, meet the Navigators and learn important tips to make the most of your first week of classes in your first year at Carroll.

*2:00 – 3:00pm

Academic Convocation for First-Year Students

Kulas Auditorium

This annual tradition marks the beginning of your academic career at JCU. Join the rest of your classmates as JCU faculty, staff, and students welcome you to our campus community.

3:00 – 4:00pm

Welcome Back Blue Streaks Dessert Break

Hamlin Quad

Stop by and grab a treat with JCU's president, Carolyn Noll Sorg, and other members of the John Carroll community.

4:00 – 5:00pm

Library Curiosity Lab: Games, Crafts, and Prizes

Grasselli Library, Help Desk

Join us in the Curiosity Lab at the Grasselli Library for giveaways, a doodle table, and a variety of puzzles and games! Complete our scavenger hunt clue for a chance to win a gift card, or head over to the heat press to craft your very own custom t-shirts and bags.

5:00 – 7:00pm

Dinner

Schott Dining Hall

6:00 - 7:00pm

Learn S'more about JCU Fraternity and Sorority Life

Keller Commons

Stop by Keller Commons outside of the Student Center Atrium to make s'mores and meet women and men from JCU's Fraternity and Sorority Life community!

****Please note that this schedule is subject to change and updates will be reflected in real time on this document*