Rules and Guidelines for “Going for the Gold”
2016 Homecoming Events

The Registration Form is due on Monday, September 26, 2016.
The Participation Forms are due on Monday, October 17, 2016.

General Information
1. Your organization must be an officially registered university student organization, department, unit, or residence hall to participate in the homecoming festivities and be eligible for prizes.
2. There is an application fee of $30.00. These funds aid with the cost of Homecoming Activities and must be paid by either cash or check. (Not SGA funds.) Please make checks payable to ECU Homecoming 2016.
3. All applications and fees are due by Monday, September 26th at the 1st MANDATORY Student Organization Homecoming Meeting in the Mendenhall Student Center – Great Room 3. There will be no late applications or payments accepted.
4. A Limit of $250 of University or SGA funds may be used towards participation in the Spirit Cup Competition. Organizations may use outside organization bank accounts or fundraise in order to spend more than the $250 limit.
   a. Use of SGA funds must go through the traditional process required by the Student Activities & Organizations Office and SGA.
5. Student organizations are welcome to pair up with other organizations in order to compete in the homecoming events together. However, presidents’ signatures, acknowledging the fact that a mutual decision was made to become a team from each organization, are now REQUIRED on the application.
6. For more information you and your organization can join the group - ECU Homecoming - on Facebook (http://www.facebook.com/ECUHomecoming) or follow us on our Twitter @ecuhomecoming and our Instagram page ECUHOMECOMING. You can also refer to the website http://www.ecu.edu/homecoming for updates on important deadlines and dates.

Payment Options
1. The only forms of payment for the application fee that will be accepted are limited to check or cash. Checks may be made out to ECU Homecoming 2016.
2. If an organization wishes to use SGA funds they must abide by SGA Purchasing Procedures and are encouraged to check with the proper authorities to ensure that they have funds available. Use of SGA funds must go through the traditional process required by the Student Activities and Organizations Office and SGA.

Student Organization Meetings
- All student organizations that wish to participate in the Homecoming Festivities and Competitions must attend TWO MANDATORY organization meetings on Monday, September 26th, 2016 at 6:00pm in the Mendenhall Student Center – Great Room 3 AND Monday, October 17th, 2016 at 6:00pm—Mendenhall Student Center – Great Room 3.
• If your organization's official Homecoming Representative is unable to attend they must send someone in their place to get the information that will be discussed during the meetings.
• The representative of your organization must be a current member of your organization. A prospective member of your organization may not be sent as a representative. **If you do not send a legitimate representative to these meetings, you will not be allowed to participate in any Spirit Cup Activities.**
• If your organization has elected a representative to delegate your canned food they must attend **Monday, October 17th.**

• Also, on **Monday, September 26th, 2016 at 6:00pm in Mendenhall Student Center – Great Room 3** there will be a MANDATORY meeting for all **homecoming court candidates**, both King and Queen, and student organization Homecoming Representative contacts.

• All King and Queen Candidates need to stay after the meeting for some additional paperwork and information, including their pictures for the newspaper.

**COMPETITIONS for SPIRIT CUP**

**Judging**

1. Members of the student organization must do all work and designs submitted into the competitions.
2. Your organization will be disqualified from competitions if they are found to be using commercial or political advertising in any of your material submitted for judging.
3. Failure to meet all of the following guidelines for each competition will result in the disqualification from that competition. Vulgarity, nudity, references to drug use or other illegal activity will result in an automatic disqualification from the competition.
4. Material that has been submitted for judging will be awarded 1-10 points based on the following categories:
   - **Creativity** (Imaginative, Artistic, Resourceful)
   - **Originality** (Unique, Inventive)
   - **Design** (Engaging, Appealing, Entertaining)
   - **Workmanship** (Quality, Effort)
   - **Use of Theme** (Incorporation, Representation, Interpretation)
5. All of the judges’ decisions are final. A copy of each competition’s score sheet will be given to the organizations in a general summary packet at the conclusion of homecoming.
6. Prizes for winning any of the homecoming events will be distributed within two weeks following homecoming.

**Cannon Ball- Going for the Gold (Olympics)**

Cannon Ball will be held on Thursday, October 20th from 7-9pm at the Greenville Convention Center. This will be a SEMI- FORMAL event. 40% of the members in your organization must attend and **swipe-in with their iCard** to qualify for points. If 40% attend, you will automatically receive 200 points toward the spirit cup. The top 10 King and Queen candidates from student body OneStop voting will also be introduced for the first time at this event.

**IMPORTANT UPDATE**: Points for attendance will only be awarded if your members are on the organization roster in your OrgSync portal. For more information on how to invite members to your People tab please visit the OrgSync Help Desk and select People Walkthrough or contact the Student Organization Center, studentorganizations@ecu.edu.
Banner
1. Banners must be designed with the Homecoming theme **Going for the Gold** in mind.
2. Banners must be the size of a **STANDARD FULL BED SHEET**. (NO LARGER AND NO SMALLER.)
3. Banners must include the **student organization's name**, homecoming theme and **ECU mascot (this can include PeeDee or the official Skull & Crossbones design)**.
4. A description of each organization’s banner will be due at the organization meeting on October 17th, 2016 (pg. 13).
5. Banners must be dropped off to the Mendenhall Student Center brickyard (outdoor grass area) between **11:00am and 12:00pm** on Monday, October 24th, 2016 in order to be judged. However, if there is inclement weather the drop off location will change to the Mendenhall Student Center – room 244.
6. The judging will be from 12:00pm-1:00pm and the student banners will be hung around the campus, unless otherwise indicated on your organization’s banner form.
7. Winners of the banner competition will be displayed, in no particular order, on the ECU Homecoming social media sites at the conclusion of the event.
8. **YOU MAY NOT RECEIVE YOUR BANNER BACK UNTIL AFTER THE FOOTBALL GAME ON SATURDAY, October 29th, 2016. Therefore, you will not be able to use it for the skit or float competitions.**

Skit
1. The skits must be choreographed with the Homecoming theme, **“Going for the Gold,”** in mind.
   a. If your organization has a speaking role in the skit it is encouraged to have it recorded on the CD.
2. There will be only 1 microphone allowed per organization. Also 1 table and 3 chairs are available for use by each organization if needed. All other props must be supplied by the organization. Lighting requests WILL NOT be available.
3. There is to be **NO** profanity, discriminating language, obscene gestures, obscene themes or ideas in the skit.
4. Reference to, or use of alcohol, drugs, or tobacco products is **strictly prohibited** at the Skit Competition. If ANY member from your organization appears to be under the influence, or currently using, a mind-altering substance, it will result in immediate disqualification for the ENTIRE organization at the discretion of the Homecoming Chair and Advisor.
5. The dress of the performers must correspond with the skit in a non-provocative way. No nudity is allowed.
6. There is a time limit of **FIVE** minutes on all skits.
7. A description of each organization’s skit will be due at the organization meeting on October 17th, 2016 (pg. 14).
8. There will be a **MANDATORY** skit practice on Tuesday, October 25th, 2016 from 6:00 until 10:00 pm in **Hendrix Theater**. Organizations will sign-up for their skit time for this night at the organization meeting on October 17th, 2016.
9. Skit Night will take place on Wednesday, October 26th, 2016 at 9pm in Minges Coliseum. Please note that there WILL NOT be a stage this year and performances will take place directly on the court in Minges Coliseum.
10. All groups must have a representative present for the entire Skit Night. Groups must sign in and report at 8:00 pm. Doors for the event will not open to your organizations until 8:30pm!
11. The **top 3** skits will be performed at the Freeboot Friday Pep Rally on Friday, October 28th, 2016 at the corner of 5th and Evans St.

12. **Due to problems in the past, points will be deducted for any unsportsmanlike conduct during Skit Night at the discretion of the homecoming chair and advisor.**

**Non-Perishable Food Drive**
The Canned Food drive will be held on Thursday, October 27th, 2016 from **12:00pm-3:00pm**. The drop-off for canned goods will be directly at the Food Bank of Central & Eastern North Carolina located on **1712 Union St. (off Frog Level Road), Greenville, NC 27834**.

At the first organization meeting on September 26th, 2016 each organization is required to pick a time slot to drop off items. On the day of the food drive your organization must be present during your scheduled time as students from the homecoming committee will be present to track each organizations deposit based on weight. Student organizations food drive items must arrive and start the drop-off stations at the designated time. A 100-point penalty will be deducted from your overall total if you drop off at a time outside your scheduled timeframe.

Organizations are required to have at least 5 volunteers from their organization to unload & sort items from their vehicles during drop-off.

If you require assistance in transporting your items to the food bank please contact the homecoming advisor, Emily McLamb, to arrange for assistance by October 21, 2016.

Regulations have been formatted to help clarify what will be accepted as a donation:

1. Large cans will **NOT** be accepted.
2. Food in glass jars will **NOT** be accepted.
3. Items that may melt if exposed to hot weather or heat will **NOT** be accepted.
4. Items such as boxed Pop-Tarts or Easy Mac must come in their original “as purchased box.”
5. Lose items such as coco-mix packages or cider mix packages will **NOT** be accepted.
6. Baby foods will be accepted as long as they are not in glass jars.
7. Pet foods or other types of non-human edible goods will **NOT** be accepted.

**IMPORTANT UPDATE:** Cases of water will be accepted – **LIMIT of 10 (qty) – 24 (packs) 16.9 (oz) bottles ONLY**. All other sized cases of water will be donated to the food bank, BUT will not count towards your total weight.

**FOOD DRIVE BONUS POINTS - Most Needed Items:**
For the second year we will be focusing on the Most Needed Items for Kids. Each item listed below will be going to the Backpack for Kids program. To receive extra points each organization must have all items listed to be counted as a complete backpack. The amount of filled backpacks with these items will be given 10 points for each completed backpack. Please note: Student organizations are not required to purchase and fill backpacks. *Please note: Student organizations are not required to purchase and fill backpacks.*

A complete backpack must include the following “most needed items for kids”: Sugar-Free Pudding/Fruit or Applesauce Cups, Granola Bars, Popcorn, Crackers, Juice Boxes, Pop Top Cans, Microwaveable Cups.
EXAMPLE: 24 Completed Backpacks = 240 BONUS POINTS
- Sugar Free Pudding Cups/Sugar Free Fruit or Applesauce Cups, 12 count (x2)
- Granola Bars, 12 count (x2)
- Popcorn, 6 pack (x4)
- Crackers Variety Pack, 8 count (x3)
- Juice Boxes, 8 pack (x3)
- Chef Boyardee Microwaveable Bowls (x24)

Overall points will be based upon the number of pounds of food that you donate plus each backpack completely filled. All teams who participate will receive points based on the point system below.

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First, Second and Third place will be determined based on the highest total weight of food donated and will receive the allotted additional points (500/375/250) to their overall total.

**Pep Rally**
This year’s Pep Rally will be held Friday, October 28th, 2016 during Freeboot Friday located in “uptown” Greenville at the intersection of 5th and Evans Street.

The ECU Marching Pirates, ECU Dance Team, ECU Cheerleaders, Skit Finalists, Coach Montgomery and a local band will provide entertainment.

**Float**
1. Floats must be designed with the Homecoming theme Going for the Gold in mind.
2. Floats **must** have the organization’s name, the Homecoming theme and ECU or the Mascot (PeeDee or Skull & Crossbones) on the float to be judged. A **banner** must also be created with the organization’s name in which members from your organization will walk with in front of the float to help clarify which organization is next in the parade line-up.
3. Floats may not be taller than twelve feet from the pavement.
4. Floats and/or trailers must be able to maneuver a street corner.
5. Organizations must provide their own source of transportation for their float
6. Floats must either consist of a flatbed truck, a trailer pulled by a vehicle, or a walking float. A decorated vehicle is inappropriate.
7. Alcohol or other mind-altering substances are strictly prohibited on any float and also should not be referenced in any way. This is also applies to student participation on the day of the parade. If ANY member from your organization appears to be under the influence of a mind-altering substance, it will result in immediate disqualification for the ENTIRE organization in the float competition at the discretion of the Homecoming Chair and Advisor.
8. Check in for Floats at the Wahl-Coats Elementary School parking will begin at 7AM and will end at 8:00AM Saturday, October 29th, 2016. Judging will take place prior to the parade and in front of the Chancellors House. If you have not checked in by 8:00AM you will not be eligible to participate in the parade or have your float judged.

9. Your organization will be disqualified from the parade and judging if they are found to be using commercial or political advertising on your float.

10. Due to problems in the past, points will be deducted for unsportsmanlike conduct of any kind involving other organization's float at the discretion of the homecoming chair and advisor.

11. A description and sketch of each organization’s float will be due at the organization meeting on October 17th, 2016 (pg. 15).

12. Floats are to be held at the highest standard for each organization. Any that are seen as unacceptable by the homecoming chair and advisor will be disqualified from the competition and removed from participating in the parade.

King & Queen Competition

1. All candidates must have a minimum of a 2.5 GPA.
2. All candidates must be a current student of East Carolina University and must be currently in their fourth consecutive semester or longer at ECU.
3. All candidates must be an active/current member of the nominating organization. Organizations that are single sex may nominate a non-active member of the opposite sex to represent their organization (ex. A fraternity nominating a sorority woman, whom would represent the fraternity and not her sorority).
4. Each organization (or pair of organizations) may only nominate one king and one queen candidate.

CANDIDATE RESPONSIBILITIES

1. Candidates are required to fill out Candidate Forms in the back of the packet. This information WILL be used during the court interviews and judging process. SO, FILL IT OUT COMPLETELY!
2. Candidates MUST attend the MANDATORY Homecoming Meeting on September 26th, 2016 at 6:00 PM in the Mendenhall Student Center Great Room 3.
3. Pictures for the school newspaper and Homecoming website WILL BE TAKEN AT THE INFORMATIONAL MEETING ONLY. PLEASE COME PREPARED FOR YOUR PICTURE ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26th, 2016!

HOMECOMING VOTING

Voting will take place online via Pirate Port starting Monday, October 17th at 8am and will end Wednesday, October 19th, 2016 at 5pm.
HOMECOMING COURT

1. The Homecoming Court will then continue their quest towards becoming Homecoming King and Queen by completing a panel interview on Tuesday, October 25th, 2016. Only the top 5 females and top 5 males, based on the online voting, will participate in the interview process. The individuals who qualify will be announced at the 2016 Cannon Ball Going for the Gold event. Candidates will be asked about and compared on:
   - Community and University service
   - Leadership
   - GPA
   - Student Vote (Oct. 17- Oct. 19)

2. The Homecoming Court will be REQUIRED to be present during the Homecoming week’s activities (Cannon Ball Event, Pep Rally, Skit Night, Parade, and the Football game). If a candidate cannot attend any of these events for any other reason than class, they will be ineligible to win the title of Homecoming King or Queen.

3. The male and female that receive the highest overall points will be crowned King and Queen during the Halftime Show of the football game on Saturday, October 29th, 2016.

CANDIDATE DISQUALIFICATION

1. Candidates or Candidate Supporters (organizations, departments, or friends) are absolutely prohibited from campaigning.

2. Campaigning tactics, which are forbidden, include:
   a. Television
   b. Radio
   c. Internet (This includes but is not limited to: Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Snapchat, Google+, e-mails, OneStop.)
   d. Printed material (This includes but is not limited to: flyers, postcards, stickers, newspaper ads, signs, t-shirts, etc.)

3. Only the official Homecoming website, OrgSync, Facebook, Twitter and Instagram page may be used to display candidate pictures and information. Use of the Internet and/or e-mail may be used to inform students to go to the OneStop website and vote for the Homecoming Court, but specific candidates may not be mentioned in such forms.

4. If a candidate or candidate representative is found campaigning and/or breaking rules set by the Homecoming Committee the candidate will be disqualified.

5. Candidates will be held responsible for any campaigning their nominating organization does on their behalf.

6. Defamation of Character: If a candidate or candidate representative is found defaming another candidate publicly in any way listed above, the candidate who is found responsible of the defaming will be disqualified.

All candidates MUST attend the Homecoming Information Meetings on September 26th, 2016 at 6pm. Candidate pictures WILL be taken at that meeting.

When filling out the required forms please keep in mind that the judges take into account everything that is listed and not listed. Please fill it out accurately and thoroughly.
SPIRIT POINTS

The Student Homecoming Committee awards the Spirit Cup plus $1,000 to the student organization that accumulates the most points during competitions. To participate in the Spirit Cup Competition you must be a registered student organization and participate in a minimum of 3 Homecoming Activities, one of which MUST be the float competition.

The points below represent the minimum amount that will be given to each organization that places in the top three for each competition. Points will also be given to EACH organization that participates in a competition based on the judges score sheets from the float, skit, and banner competitions.

For participating in the King and Queen competition, organizations will automatically receive 100 points for having an elected representative who completes all requirements. Each organization can gain up to 200 points for this competition.

Below are the points possible in the competitions. All competitions will be added together to decide who wins the Spirit Cup.

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First, Second and Third place will be determined based on the highest total weight of food donated in addition to receiving the point value listed under the competition.

CANNON BALL

If 40% of the organization attends, the organization will get 200 points towards the spirit cup.

Points will be deducted for unsportsmanlike conduct at the discretion of the homecoming chair and advisor.
AWARDS/PRIZES

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The Spirit Cup Winner Receives $1,000.00

The Homecoming Court and the Homecoming King and Queen do not receive cash but they do receive other prizes. The winning King and Queen are expected to attend various university events as representation of their 2016-2017 reign.

Organizations that win the Spirit Cup competition will receive a traveling trophy passed down from year to year.
Homecoming Student Organization Registration Form
(One per pair of Organizations)

Application Deadline:
Monday, September 26th, 2016 at 6:00PM in Mendenhall Student Center – Great Room 3
252.737.1808 (MAIN)
homecoming@ecu.edu or mclambe@ecu.edu
Student Homecoming Chair –Molly Beasley
Advisor –Emily McLamb

Student Organization(s):
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Presidents’ Signatures if pairing with other organizations:
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Advisor Signature

Contact Person (List 1 from each organization):

Cell Phone #’s: _______________________________________________________

E-Mail Addresses:_____________________________________________________

Student Organization Federal Tax ID #: _________________________________

King & Queen Candidates: _____________________________________________
Check off the Homecoming Activities that your organization will be participating in:
☐ Float
☐ Banner Contest
☐ Skit Night
☐ Homecoming Candidate (King)
☐ Homecoming Candidate (Queen)
☐ Canned Food Drive
☐ Cannon Ball (If attending please attach your org. roster.)

_____________________________________________________________________
For Official Homecoming Use
Representative in Attendance_____ King and Queen in Attendance_____
Check #_________________________ Cash Amount $___________________

Homecoming King Candidate Form
**This will be due at the Organization Meeting on September 26th 2016.**

*Remember, YOU WILL BE JUDGED ON THE CONTENT OF THIS FORM!*

Student organization representative must be in good standing with the University.

Student Organization: __________________________________________________________

King’s Candidate Name: _________________________________________________________

Local Address: ________________________________________________________________

Cell Phone: __________________________ Email: ____________________________________

Major: _____________ Cumulative GPA: _____ Class: Junior Senior Grad Student (Circle one)

Leadership Positions held at ECU: ______________________________________________

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Other Student Organizations that you are involved in: _______________________________

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Community Service - Please attach your involvement transcript, which can be found on the Leadership and Civic Engagement portal on OrgSync.

  • Log in at www.orgsync.com or through Pirate Port using your ECU ID and Passphrase
  • Select the Leadership and Civic Engagement Portal
  • Click your name in the upper right-hand corner to open your personal pop-out menu
  • Click Involvement (might need to scroll down in the menu)
  • Scroll down to Activities section

If you have any questions please contact the CLCE office at 252-328-1554.

UNIVERSITY STATEMENT that the undersigned agrees that all information on this application may be verified and shared with the Homecoming Committee. I have read and understand the guidelines for candidacy and campaigning.

__________________________________ __________________________
Candidate’s Signature Date

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Banner ID Number

*All candidates MUST attend the Homecoming Information Meeting September 26th at 6pm. Candidate pictures WILL be taken at the meeting.*
Homecoming Queen Candidate Form

** This will be due at the Organization Meeting on September 26th, 2016.**

Remember, **YOU WILL BE JUDGED ON THE CONTENT OF THIS FORM!**

Student organization representative must be in good standing with the University.

Student Organization: ___________________________________________________________

Queen’s Candidate Name: ________________________________________________________

Local Address: _________________________________________________________________

Cell Phone: __________________________ Email: _________________________________

Major: _____________ Cumulative GPA: _____ Class: Junior Senior Grad Student (Circle One)

Leadership Positions held at ECU: _______________________________________________

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Other Student Organizations that you are involved in: _____________________________

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Candidate’s Signature Date

Banner ID Number

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Homecoming 2016
Going for the Gold
**DUE: October 17th, 2016**

Banner Participation Form

Student Organization: _____________________________________________________

Banner Description: ______________________________________________________

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This competition will be based on the following criteria: creativity, workmanship, design, and overall evaluation. Just a reminder that banners must be the size of a standard FULL bed sheet (no larger and no smaller) and must include the student organization’s name, homecoming theme, and mascot (PeeDee or official Skull & Crossbones). By participating in the banner competition you can earn Spirit points that will count towards winning the Spirit Cup.
Skit Participation Form

Student Organization: _____________________________________________________

Decade: __________________________________________________________________

Skit Title/ECU Tradition:____________________________________________________
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Skit Description: __________________________________________________________
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This competition will be based on the following criteria: creativity, workmanship, design, and overall evaluation. By participating in the skit competition you can earn Spirit points that will count towards winning the Spirit Cup.
Float Participation Form

Student Organization: _____________________________________________________

Float Title/ECU Tradition: ________________________________________________

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Float Description: _________________________________________________________

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**Please sketch a draft of your float. Those not acceptable will be given back for revisions.

This competition will be based on the following criteria: creativity, workmanship, design, and overall evaluation. Just a reminder that the float must include: the student organization’s name, the Homecoming theme and ECU or the Mascot. A banner must also accompany the float. By participating in the float competition you can earn Spirit points that will count towards winning the Spirit Cup.
Final Dates

September 26 - Mandatory Organization Meeting, Court Pictures
October 17 - Mandatory Organization Meeting #2

October 17th, 18th, 19th - Court Voting via Pirate Port

Thursday, October 20th - Cannon Ball Semi-Formal Style
Tuesday, October 25th - Court Interviews, Official Skit Practice
Wednesday, October 24th - Banner Competition, Skit Night
Thursday, October 27th - Canned Food Drive, Homecoming Concert presented by SAB
Friday, October 28th - Pep Rally/Freeboot Friday, NPHC Step Show
Saturday, October 29th - Float Competition/Parade, Game vs. UConn Huskies

Homecoming Theme

“Going for the Gold” Olympics: Everyone wants the gold medal – but who will win it this year? We are bringing the Olympics to ECU!

Remember, all homecoming competitions are based on your understanding and interpretation of the theme. BE CREATIVE and use your imagination!!