Shipmates First Semester Agenda

September 2nd
Mendenhall Student Center from 5:00-7:00 Room 242

Introduction to students:
  o Pass out attendance sheet
  o Offer sandwiches and beverages
  o Introduce myself
  o Inform students about the mission of Shipmates

Icebreaker
  o Conduct Icebreaker (The best team): Divide students into groups of four to share a description of the best team they have ever been on and why it was the best. Post characteristics on a chart or poster. Debrief this exercise by having the team identify ways to maximize the “best team” characteristics. The purpose of this icebreaker will allow students to collaborate ideas on how to work most effectively and successfully as a team).

Educate members on different branches and positions in SGA:
  o Members of SGA will speak to students and give a description about themselves, experience, and job responsibilities.

Mentor/mentee opportunity
  o Explain job shadowing
  o Future positions

Inform Shipmates on elections process in Shipmates:
  o Include descriptions of each position
  o Explain elections process

Closing
  o Inform all students on the next meeting of Shipmates
  o Social Media
  o Distribute Shipmate pins
  o Thank all students for attending Shipmates
Hello Everybody,

Thank you all for attending the first event of Shipmates and First Year Programs.

Shipmates is a program for students who are interested in becoming involved with SGA. The purpose of this program is to help students gain leadership skills and advance their future involvement with SGA. This program is fairly new so I am excited to see how this program helps students progress and become future members of SGA.

I’m Mark Matulewicz and I will be directing the Shipmates program this year. A little about my self—I am originally from the Outer Banks of North Carolina. I am currently a sophomore studying finance and economics.