

Advising

THE
ADVISOR

Welcome Back Students!

One of the signs that the school year has started is the return of regular student organization meetings. This is the time of the year where goal setting, yearly budgeting, new member recruitment, and teambuilding occur.

Have you checked in with your student organization recently? How were the students' summers? What are their goals for the upcoming year? At the start of the year, advisors can provide the right balance of challenge and support to help get the organization off on the right foot for the year.

Resources are available

Would your organization like to have a speaker come in to a meeting or have a workshop presented? Look no further than the Center for Student Leadership and Service and our online request form:

<http://ohiounion.osu.edu/csls/network.aspx>

Organizations can also request assistance in finding retreat locations, planning retreat activities, having facilitators come to retreats, or check out free equipment to make retreats fun and educational.

Student organizations also get 1,500 points to spend on resources each quarter. Fall quarter points begin on Wed, September 23.

Don't Forget those Advisor Approvals!

As part of the annual registration process, we ask advisors to log-in to the management system and approve their organization's online registration each year by October 15. Here are the steps to do that if you haven't yet:

- Log-in at <http://www.ohiounion.com/secure/studentorgs>
- Click on the Advisor Links tab in the menu bar on the left side of the page
- Choose the Approve Organization/Registration link that appears under the Advisor Links tab

Advisors can also approve any funding requests from the same Advisor Links tab after logging in.



The Student Involvement Fair on the Oval during Welcome Week 2009

Important Dates

September 30:
Advisor Training, 10am

October 2:
Programming Funds
Deadline for events
taking place between
November 1 – January 3

October 8:
Advisor Training, 1pm

October 13:
Advisor Training, 5pm

October 15:
Registration Deadline;
Advisor Training, 4pm

Online Advisor Training
Renewal is also available
for those advisors who
have been to a session
previously in person!

What's happening in your student organization? Has your group completed some great community service projects, won any awards, or held a unique program? We want to know all about your student organization. Please send updates, stories, and organization excitement to Adam Burden at aburden@studentlife.osu.edu

