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618-453-3771

### [Parking Division](#)

618-453-5369

### [Counseling Center](#)

618-453-5371

### [Wellness Center](#)

618-536-4441

### [Student Health Services](#)

618-453-3311

### [Night Safety Transit](#)

618-453-2212

## Carbondale Resources

### [Carbondale Police](#)

618-457-3200

### [Women's Center](#)

618-529-2324

### [Memorial Hospital](#)

618-549-0721

## Commencement Day!!!

*Commencement is one of the highlights of the academic experience!*

⇒ May Commencement will take place Saturday, **May 7, 2022** in the Banterra Center, 1400 Arena Drive, Carbondale, IL.

⇒ **9 a.m.** Ceremony for the College of Agricultural, Life, and Physical Sciences; College of Health and Human Sciences; and the School of Medicine

⇒ **1:30 p.m.** Ceremony for the College of Arts and Media; College of Business and Analytics; College of Engineering, Computing, Technology, and Mathematics; College of Liberal Arts; and the School of Education

⇒ **The 5:30 p.m. ceremony will no longer take place.**

⇒ More information about schools included in each college is available [here](#).

⇒ Live stream of all ceremonies will be available on [SIU's YouTube channel](#).

## Processional

To ensure a prompt and orderly start to the ceremony, all graduates are required to report to the Banterra Center 45 minutes before the ceremony.

- Undergraduate degree candidates report to the Banterra Center floor for seating. Marshals will be there to assist.

- Master's degree candidates will meet in the lower level of Lingle Hall for lineup with their college/school.

- Doctoral and MFA degree candidates will meet in the Troutt-Wittmann Academic Center to line up.

**Seating:** You will sit with your college, but there's no need to sit alphabetically. Doctoral degree candidates will sit together with faculty in front of the undergraduate and master's degree candidates.

If you have a topic or idea you would like us to consider for a future newsletter please email the idea to Cpl. Carrie Keith at [carries@dps.siu.edu](mailto:carries@dps.siu.edu). Questions submitted may be featured in future newsletters. The person submitting the question will not be identified.

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## SPRING SEMESTER CLOSING INFORMATION

All Residence Halls close at 12 p.m. on May 7. These Area Offices will be open **Saturday, May 7, 8:00am - 4:30pm.**

### Friday, May 6

- MAIL ROOMS: Lentz and Trueblood mail rooms close at **6 p.m.**
- DINING HALLS: Trueblood and Lentz Dining Halls close at **8 p.m.**

### Saturday, May 7

RESIDENCE HALLS: All Residence Halls close at **12 p.m.**

## HOUSING CHECK-OUT PROCEDURES

**MAKE AN APPOINTMENT WITH YOUR RA FOR A CHECK-OUT TIME.** A sign-up sheet will be posted on your RA's door by May 2. Please sign up immediately.

Meet your RA at your **scheduled time** to Check-Out!

At the time of your appointment, the following items **must be completed**:

- Remove all possessions from your room.
- Empty and clean desk and dresser drawers.
- Empty and clean wastebasket.
- All trash and recycling should be taken to appropriate receptacles.
- Clean all shelves.
- Sweep floor and remove all trash from the room. Do not sweep dirt or leave trash in hallways or lounge areas.
- Remove all decorations, contact paper, posters, tape, tacks, etc.
- Clean and empty medicine cabinet (where applicable).
- Clean sink, toilet, and shower (should be free of mold and mildew) where applicable.
- Close and lock windows.
- Check your mail box
- Turn in your key(s)/fob to your RA.
- If you have lost or damaged your key(s)/fob the charges for new key(s) and/or fob will be indicated on your check-out form and will be billed to your Bursar Account. The charges are: Room Key-\$75; FOB-\$15; Apartment key (Wall & Grand)-\$185; Mailbox key (Wall & Grand)-\$15. *Cost for lost keys and fobs are subject to change.*

**Failure to comply with check-out procedures will result in a \$50 improper check-out charge..**

## May Calendar

**Baseball vs. Valparaiso**

May 1 @ 1:00 P.M.

**Baseball vs. Missouri State**

May 3 @ 6:00 P.M.

**Softball vs. Illinois State**

May 6 @ 12:00 P.M.

**Baseball vs. Indiana State**

May 13 @ 6:00 P.M.

**Baseball vs. St. Louis**

**University**

May 17 @ 6:00 P.M.





### **Additional Resources**

[Office of Equity and Compliance](#)

618-453-4807

[Dean of Students](#)

618-453-2461

[Student Rights and Responsibilities](#)

618-536-2338

[Saluki Cares](#)

618-536-2338

[Salukis on Your Side](#)

618-453-3311

[Veteran Services](#)

618-453-1335

[The Clinical Center](#)

618-453-2361

## **Meet Our New Officer**

Officer Poskevich



# **May is Skin Cancer Awareness Month!**

The sun sustains life and feels good, but it can be your skin's worst enemy. While every [sunburn](#) can increase your risk of [skin cancer](#), it's not just those big days at the beach or ballgame that cause trouble. Each time you run out to get the mail, walk the dog or commute to work without sun protection also adds to the damage that can lead to skin cancer (as well as leathery skin, dark spots and wrinkles).

No single method of sun defense can protect you perfectly, though. The best path to beautiful, healthy skin is to adopt as many of these steps as possible into your lifestyle, and make them daily habits everywhere you go, all year long.

### **Cover It Up**

Clothing can provide a great barrier against the sun's ultraviolet (UV) rays. Its protection is consistent over time and doesn't wear off like sunscreen does. Many new fabrics offer high-tech protection and breathability, too. The more skin you cover (high neck, long sleeves, pants), the better, and a hat with a wide brim all the way around (three inches or more) is best because it helps shade your eyes, ears, face and neck. Also wear UV-blocking sunglasses to protect your eyes and the skin around them.



### **Play in the Shade**

When you are outside, think of shade as your refuge, especially between 10 AM and 4 PM, the peak hours of sun intensity. Walk on the shady side of the street, sit under an awning or sun-protective umbrella, duck onto the covered porch at a pool party or even under a tree.

### **Know Your Sunscreen**

Sunscreens come in many formulations and delivery methods, and it can take trial and error to find the one you like best. Whether it's a sport spray, an easy-to-use stick or a rich moisturizer with antiaging ingredients, the best sunscreen is the one you will use every day.

### **Look Out for Windows**

While glass blocks UVB rays pretty well, it allows UVA rays to pass through. This is true of your windows at home as well as on the road. Car windshields are treated to shield drivers from most UVA rays, but side, back and sunroof windows usually aren't. When you're in your car, protect yourself and your family with hats, clothing, sunglasses, sunscreen, whatever it takes. Another option is to have UV-protective window film applied to windows, in your car or at home.

### **Early Detection Starts with You**

Using sun protection consistently from an early age is the strongest defense against developing skin cancer. No person or method is perfect, though, and one in five Americans will develop skin cancer by the age of 70. The Skin Cancer Foundation recommends that all adults do monthly skin self-exams and see a dermatologist annually, or more frequently if they see something suspicious or have risk factors. Learn more about [early detection](#).



## Follow Us!

Please "like" our Southern Illinois University- Carbondale Department Facebook page. You can also follow us on Twitter at [SIUC Police](#). We provide information regarding local events, safety tips and press releases for major incidents. You can also send us your questions through private messages and tips on any recent crimes that have taken place.

[Facebook.com/siuc.dps](https://www.facebook.com/siuc.dps)

[Twitter: @SIUC Police](https://twitter.com/SIUC_Police)



# Cops and Cones

[Saluki Cares](#) facilitates and coordinates a University-wide program of care and support for students in distress. By working closely with faculty, staff, students and their families, SIU Carbondale displays a culture of caring by demonstrating to our students and families that they are an important part of the community.



Saluki Cares is an early alert initiative composed of professionals from different areas of campus life who work with students on a regular basis: Academic units, Dean of Students, New Student Programs, Center for International Education, University Housing, Wellness Center, and others. Referrals are made from faculty, staff, family members, peers, or by the student him/herself.



Officers with the Department of Public Safety served ice cream to students and staff, while also facilitating the Vision Alcohol Impairment Goggles Trike Races!