

## **A STATUTE OF THE DUKE STUDENT GOVERNMENT**

### *Undergraduate Admissions Policy for the 2006-2007 Men's Basketball Season*

#### **Admissions Procedure**

Cameron Indoor Stadium will open to students no earlier than 90 minutes before the scheduled tip-off. Students may form a line at any time prior to that, in accordance with this policy. When inside the stadium, students must stand and take up as little space as possible. Students should follow the directions of the Line Monitors and the Cameron staff or they risk being ejected from the game. Due to regulations by Fire Safety, all students entering Cameron must be wearing a wristband for identification purposes. The games will still follow the procedure of the classification as listed below, despite wristbands being used for every game.

#### **Game Policy Classifications**

There are four types of home games: Walk-Up games, Wristband games, Tenting games, and the Senior game. Policy designations for each game are described below.

#### **Walk-Up Games**

Groups of up to 6 students may enter the line at any point before the game and will be registered by the Line Monitors. Each group must have half or more of its members present with a valid Duke ID at all times. Unannounced line checks will occur from the time the line begins until game time. Groups will be registered until 3 hours prior to the game, but students may still join the back of the line. The line should form on the sidewalk in front of Card/Wilson Gym, turn in front of Sheffield Tennis Center, follow the sidewalk around Ambler Stadium and toward Towerview, and then turn toward Sanford.

#### **Wristband Games**

Wristbands will be distributed in 7 color blocks consisting of 50, 100, 100, 200, 200, 250, and 300 students, respectively. Distribution will occur from midnight until 2am on the night before the game and from 10am until 3pm on game day, in the order that students arrive, or until all have been distributed. Once students join the line, they will not be permitted to leave and random line checks will occur. Students must keep their wristband on until the end of the game. Once students receive a wristband, they may join the back of their color block at any time prior to two hours before the game. A wristband does not guarantee admission to the game, and the order in which students receive their wristband is not the order in which they will be admitted. See the Walk-Up game policy for where the line should form.

#### **Senior Game**

Admission to the Senior Game (Georgia Tech) on February 18<sup>th</sup> will operate on a modified wristband policy. At 6pm on February 17<sup>th</sup>, 780 wristbands will be distributed to seniors only. Wristband distribution will occur from 6pm until 8pm on the day before the game, and from 10am until 11am on the day of the game. Non-seniors may form a walk-up line at any time, following the normal Walk-Up game policy. On game day,

seniors will form a line stretching from Schwartz-Butters to Towerview. Students must be in line no less than two hours before tip-off, or they risk not being allowed into the game, regardless of whether or not they have a wristband. The first 200 undergraduates in the walkup line will be admitted first, followed by the senior wristband line, and then the rest of the walkup line.

### **Tenting Games**

As per the current university policies and those of the fire marshal, tents cannot be set up until January 7<sup>th</sup> at 8:30am, and tents may only be erected on the grass in front of Wilson/Card Gyms. Also, according to these policies, no students are allowed to stay in K-ville overnight until residence halls are opened on January 6<sup>th</sup>. January 7<sup>th</sup> is not a start-date and tenters wishing to return before January 7<sup>th</sup> should see below. Tenting is only for the UNC game. The following groups of students are ineligible to tent: Resident Assistants; students who attended UNC full-time in the fall 2006 semester; students whose rights to attend basketball games have been revoked by the Office of Judicial Affairs.

The three types of tenting which are regulated by the line monitors are outlined below.

#### ***Pre-Blue Tenting***

'Tenters' may come at their leisure. Any group formed during Pre-Blue Tenting must contact the Head Line Monitor upon their arrival. During Pre-Blue Tenting, a tent must have 2 members present from 8am to 5pm every day until official registration on January 7<sup>th</sup>. No tent may be set up in Kville at any point during this period; groups must remain on the sidewalk adjacent to Wilson. The Line Monitors may perform random, unannounced line checks at any point during this time. Group members are not, under any circumstances, allowed to call grace for themselves or the rest of the line. Grace may be called only by a Line Monitor. **If at any time a tent is found to be in violation of the above, they will be removed from the line and will not be permitted to rejoin it until 24 hours after Blue Tenting begins.**

#### ***Blue Tenting***

Blue Registration will occur in K-ville on January 7<sup>th</sup> at 10:00pm. Tents will be registered in their established order, and each tent must have at least 8 members present at the time of registration or they will not be registered and will lose their place in line. Tents can have no more than 12 members. Once a tent has registered, 8 members must be present from 11:00pm-7:00am on Sunday through Thursday nights and from 2:00am-10:00am on Friday and Saturday nights. At all other times, one member must be present unless grace is called. No more than 60 tents will be allowed to register during this period. All others must wait until the White Tenting period. Also, Blue Registration ends permanently on Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup> at 8:00am, or 48 hours before White Registration for UNC. Blue Tenting will last until 8:00am on Monday, January 29<sup>th</sup> (White Registration for UNC).

#### ***White Tenting***

There is one White Tenting period: the UNC game. White Registration will occur on Monday, January 29<sup>th</sup> at 8:00am. A random location will be posted on the K-ville website at this time. Registration will take place on a first-come, first-serve basis. Only

one member of the each tent must be present to register, and representatives must have the full tent roster with them at the time of registration. During White Tenting, 2 members must be present from 11:00pm-7:00am on Sunday through Thursday nights and from 2:00am-10:00am on Friday and Saturday nights. At all other times, one member must be present unless grace is called. If the total number of tents exceeds 100, a waiting list will begin. Personal checks will be held the Friday and Saturday (February 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>) before the UNC game. Normal White Tenting policy will resume at 8am on Sunday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> and will continue until wristband distribution on Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup>.

### ***Tent Checks***

Tent occupancy checks may occur at any time, day or night, when no grace period has been announced. Tenters must have a valid Duke ID with them and follow the directions of the line monitors performing the check. Tents may miss one check without punishment. After the second missed check, tents will be bumped to the back of the line or waiting list. Check records will be cleared at the beginning of the White Tenting period.

### ***Grace Periods***

Grace is guaranteed if the health and safety of the tenters is deemed to be in danger by the Line Monitor Health/Safety committee and/or the Head Line Monitor. Grace will be granted 2 hours before all men's basketball home games and will last until 30 minutes after the game ends. Grace for women's home games and all locally televised away games will begin 30 minutes before the game and last until 30 minutes after the game ends. There is also one hour of grace after each tent check. Additional grace periods may be granted at the discretion of the Head Line Monitor. Grace periods are typically preceded by tent checks, so students should not leave K-ville until an official announcement is made by a line monitor.

### ***Personal Checks***

Personal checks will take place on Friday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> and Saturday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> for the UNC game. There will be a total of 5 personal checks between 9:00pm and 8:00am on each of the nights, and every tent member must make 3 of those to earn a wristband for the game. Students must be in K-ville at the initiation of the check – no exceptions. Students entering K-ville after this time will be asked to wait until the check is over. Personal checks will not count as tent occupancy checks. Wristbands will be distributed at 8am on Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup> for the UNC game.

### ***Tent Roster Changes***

To change a tent roster, the tent captain must e-mail the Head Line Monitor with the changes at least 24 hours before the new member will represent the tent. Tent roster changes will not be made at tent checks. 48 hours before personal checks for each tenting game begins, tent rosters will be frozen.

### ***Walk-Up Line for Tenting Games***

A walk-up line for non-tenters will be registered as it forms for the UNC game. The walk-up line will begin at Schwartz-Butters plaza and extend toward Towerview Drive. Students will be registered in groups of two by the Line Monitors. Random line checks will occur and one of the two group members must be present at all times unless grace is

called. Groups not represented at these checks will be removed from the list and must reregister at the back of the line.

**Line Monitors**

The Line Monitor Committee exists to ensure that K-ville and the basketball admissions processes run smoothly. The Line Monitor staff reserves the right to assume authority during times not outlined in this policy, enact emergency policies, settle all unresolved disputes, ensure adherence to all university policies, and deny admission to students in violation of this policy. The primary purpose of the Line Monitor staff is to serve as a resource to those wishing to tent and/or attend basketball games. The Line Monitor section consists of the first two rows between the baseline and the free throw line in section 17 on the south side of the stadium (across from the home bench), and on the north side of the stadium (across from the visitor bench). If the Line Monitors do not fill their section by five minutes after tipoff, other students may fill it in.

Questions and comments about this policy should be addressed to Head Line Monitor Mara Schultz at [mls30@duke.edu](mailto:mls30@duke.edu).

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### **Exhibitions**

Thu, Nov 02 Shaw University 7 p.m. (walk-up)  
Sat, Nov 04 N.C. Central 7 p.m. (walk-up)

### **CBE Classic**

Sun, Nov 12 Columbia 8:30 p.m.  
(walk-up)  
Mon, Nov 13 Georgia Southern/UC Davis 7 p.m.  
(walk-up)  
Thu, Nov 16 UNC Greensboro 7 p.m. (walk-up)  
Sat, Nov 25 Davidson 7 p.m. (Thanksgiving break; tickets)

### **ACC/Big Ten Challenge**

Tue, Nov 28 Indiana 9 p.m. (wristband)  
Sat, Dec 02 Georgetown 7 p.m. (walk-up)  
Wed, Dec 06 Holy Cross 7 p.m. (wristband)  
Sat, Dec 09 George Mason 12 p.m. (walk-up)  
Tue, Dec 19 Kent State 7 p.m. (winter break)

### **Regular Season**

Sun, Dec 31 San Jose State 1 p.m. (winter break)  
Tue, Jan 02 Temple 7 p.m. (winter break)  
Sat, Jan 06 Virginia Tech \* 12 p.m. (winter break)  
Thu, Jan 18 Wake Forest \* 7 p.m. (wristband)  
Thu, Jan 25 Clemson \* 7 p.m. (wristband)  
Sun, Jan 28 Boston College \* 5:30 p.m. (walk-up)  
Sun, Feb 04 Florida State \* 2 p.m. (walk-up)  
Wed, Feb 07 North Carolina \* 9 p.m. (tenting)  
Sun, Feb 18 Georgia Tech \* 1 p.m. (senior night)  
Wed, Feb 28 Maryland \* 9 p.m. (wristband)