

BLAZER WEEKLY

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HEY BLAZERS!

Welcome to the first edition of the newly refreshed newsletter for UAB students. Blazer Weekly (formerly known as GreenMail) is your go-to source for news and community at UAB. Fun fact: The name Blazer Weekly was a student suggestion. [Learn more](#) about our refresh.



Congratulations, Summer Graduates!

Ever Faithful, Ever Loyal. Congratulations to UAB's summer graduates, who marked the culmination of years of study, preparation, and achievement at Commencement on Aug. 10 at Bartow Arena. Check out this [glambot video](#) to see your fellow Blazers show their UAB pride.

FIRST UP

News and Announcements



Connect Fest

Interact with up to 150 student organizations Sunday, Aug. 25, from 5-7 p.m. on the [Campus Green](#) to learn more and [get involved](#) on campus. First-year students will receive a free t-shirt.

Ask a Blazer

Wait, where's that building? [Ask a Blazer!](#) If you're having trouble navigating UAB, volunteers will be strategically placed in tents around campus from 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. during the first two days of class. Check out [this map](#) for more.

First Year Student Convocation

Wear your UAB Class of 2028 t-shirt from Connect Fest as you celebrate the [beginning of your journey](#) as a UAB Blazer from 6-7 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 27, at [Bartow Arena](#).

IMPORTANT DATES & DEADLINES

[Wednesday, Aug. 2 - Sunday, Aug. 25](#) is move-in. Check your UAB email for your designated move-in date.

[Monday, Aug. 26](#) is the first day of classes.

[Monday, Sept. 2](#) is Labor Day.

MAKE THE MOST OF IT

Student Resources for Success



Meet the Writing Center Tutors

The University [Writing Center](#) offers free help to all UAB students. Check out the open house on Aug. 28 to meet tutors and learn about their services. Free snacks and promo items included!

UP NEXT

Check [Campus Calendar](#) for more events this week



[Ice Cream Social Pop-Up with the Career Center](#) - Tuesday, Aug. 27, make your way to the Hill Center and learn what the Career Center has to offer.



[Back to School with URec](#) - Wednesday, Aug. 28, stop by the Campus Rec Center and enjoy an open house full of activities, snacks, and giveaways.



[On-Campus Job Fair](#) - Thursday, Aug. 29, head to the Hill Center for employment opportunities open to all UAB students. Work-study positions as well as listings for student assistants and interns will be featured.

THIS OR THAT



Would you rather hang out on the Campus Green or chill in Hammock Park?

VOTE NOW

BLAZE ON!

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