

BLAZER WEEKLY

OCT. 30-NOV. 5, 2024

Hey Blazers! What do YOU think?

THIS OR THAT



How will you show your Homecoming spirit: shaking a pompom or waving a foam finger?

VOTE NOW

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS



Happy Homecoming!

This week is packed with UAB traditions, both old and new. Check out the curated [Homecoming calendar](#) for events on campus, weekend festivities, and more.

Last call! Apply to be an orientation leader

Build leadership skills, make lifelong friends, and earn a scholarship as an orientation leader for the 2025-26 school year. Attend the [final interest session](#) TOMORROW, Thursday, Oct. 31, and submit your application, resume, and letters of recommendation by 11:59 p.m.

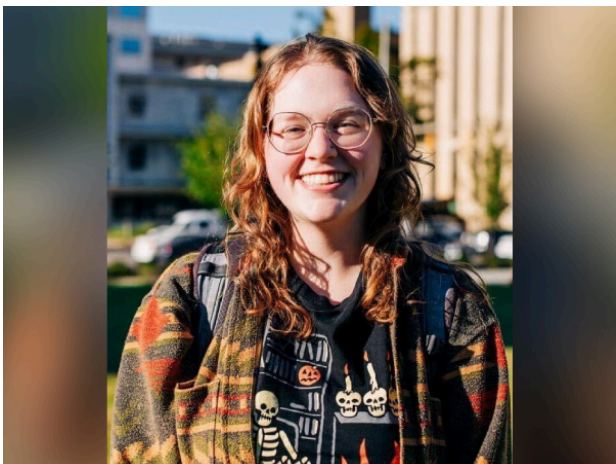
National First-Generation Week

UAB celebrates first-generation college students with the [National First-Generation Celebration Luncheon](#) on Nov. 6. Stop by the Campus Green on Nov. 8 for [Trail Blazing to Graduation: A Celebration of First-gen Blazers](#), and enjoy food trucks, music, yard games, and more.

6 things you need to know as election day nears

There are several important things to keep in mind at UAB leading up to election day, as well as on and after Nov. 5, as a member of a community at a public university and academic medical center. [Learn more.](#)

BLAZER SPOTLIGHT



“I am a Halloween girlie at heart”

Bailey Richard, a master's student in medical lab science, expresses her affinity for spooky season and her field of study. "I am a Halloween girlie at heart. It's fun!" Richard has also been enjoying her shift in career. "I took a few science classes and was like, whoa, I love science!" Hear more from Bailey in this [Instagram post](#).

DATES & DEADLINES

November 4-15: Assigned time registration for spring 2025

Wednesday, November 13: Deadline to order graduation regalia for Bachelor's and Master's degrees for fall 2024 graduates

Friday, December 6: Deadline to RSVP to participate in the graduation ceremony for fall 2024 graduates

UP NEXT

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



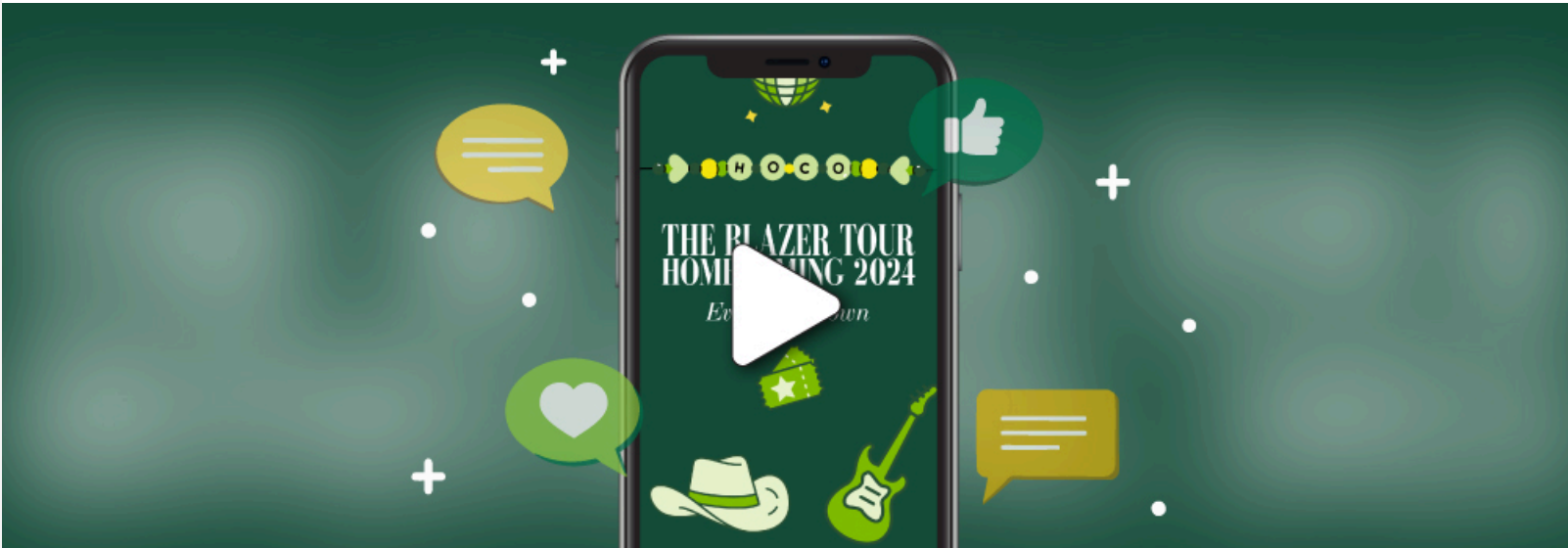
[Sterne Library Drop-in Halloween Costume Contest:](#) Tomorrow, October 31, wear your best Halloween costume to Sterne for a chance to win \$20 in BlazerBucks. UAB Libraries employees will choose the best costume, and the winner will be announced Nov. 4.



[UAB Basketball Season Openers:](#) Monday, November 4, cheer on the Blazers as the Men's Basketball team faces off with Vermont and the Women's Basketball team takes on West Alabama. Entry is free for UAB students.



[Nonpartisan Election Watch Party:](#) Tuesday, November 5, join the Political Science Club at the Hill Student Center to learn about the electoral college and watch the 2024 election.



Which Blazer Tour event are you most excited for?

Make your Homecoming plans with the help of our event highlight Reel.

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