

UO COMMUNITY CONNECTION

MARCH – APRIL 2026



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UO GOVERNMENT & COMMUNITY RELATIONS

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This bimonthly publication features upcoming events and activities at the University of Oregon's Eugene campus that may impact or interest the local community.

Please note that information is subject to change.

This list is accurate as of 2/26/2025.

Visit goducks.com/calendar for the most up-to-date UO Athletics information.

KEY

- Estimated attendance
- Traffic
- Parking
- Sound amplification
- Lights
- Fireworks

Sunday, March 1

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball doubleheader
Idaho St. vs. Stetson, 9:00 AM
Oregon vs. Samford, 12:30 PM
 | 1,000

Matthew Knight Arena: Women's Basketball
Oregon vs. Washington, 2:00 PM
 | 4,000

Monday, March 2

Papé Field: Lacrosse
UC Davis vs. Delaware State, 12:00 PM
 | 500

Tuesday, March 3

PK Park: Baseball
Oregon vs. Oregon State, 3:05 PM
 | 2,500

Wednesday, March 4

Papé Field: Lacrosse
Oregon vs. Delaware State, 12:00 PM
 | 500

Friday, March 6

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball quadruple-header
Nevada vs. Oregon State, 10:00 AM
Sacramento State vs. Nevada, 12:30 PM
Oregon vs. Oregon State 3:30 PM
Oregon vs. Sacramento State, 6:00 PM
 | 1,000

Matthew Knight Arena: Acrobatics & Tumbling
Oregon vs. Gannon University, 6:00 PM
 | 1,000

Saturday, March 7

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball quadruple-header
Oregon State vs. Nevada, 10:00 AM
Oregon State vs. Sacramento State, 12:30 PM
Oregon vs. Nevada 3:30 PM
Oregon vs. Sacramento State, 6:00 PM
 | 1,000

Matthew Knight Arena: Men's Basketball
Oregon vs. Washington, 8:00 PM
 | 3,500

Sunday, March 8

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball doubleheader
Sacramento State vs. Oregon State
Oregon vs. Nevada, 12:30 PM
 | 1,000

Monday, March 9

Papé Field: Lacrosse
Oregon vs. Kent State, 12:00 PM
 | 500

Tuesday, March 10

PK Park: Baseball
Oregon vs. Xavier, 3:05 PM
 | 2,500

Wednesday, March 11

PK Park: Baseball
Oregon vs. Xavier, 3:05 PM
 | 2,500

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Friday, March 13

Last Day of Winter Term Classes

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Indiana, 4:05 PM

| 2,500

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball

Oregon vs. Penn State, 6:00 PM

| 1,000

Saturday, March 14

Papé Field: Lacrosse

Oregon vs. Maryland, 12:00 PM

| 500

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Indiana, 2:05 PM

| 2,500

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball

Oregon vs. Penn State, 4:00 PM

| 1,000

Sunday, March 15

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball

Oregon vs. Penn State, 12:00 PM

| 1,000

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Indiana, 12:05 PM

| 2,500

Sunday, March 15 (cont'd)

Matthew Knight Arena:

Acrobatics & Tumbling

Oregon vs. Iona University, 4:00 PM

| 1,000

Monday, March 16

First Day of Winter Term Finals

Friday, March 20

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Northwestern, 12:00 PM

| 2,500

Saturday, March 21 –

Sunday, March 29

Spring Break

Saturday, March 21

Papé Field: Lacrosse

Oregon vs. Northwestern, 12:00 PM

| 500

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Northwestern, 2:05 PM

| 2,500

Saturday, March 22

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Northwestern, 12:05 PM

| 2,500

Monday, March 30

First Day of Spring Term Classes

Tuesday, March 31

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Portland, 5:05 PM

| 2,500

Friday, April 3

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball

Oregon vs. Iowa, 6:00 PM

| 1,000

Hayward Field

Oregon Relays, All Day

| 5,000

Eugene Emeralds Baseball



The Eugene Emeralds home season continues at PK Park, running through at least September 7.

Games begin at 1:05pm, 4:05pm, 5:05pm, and 6:35pm.

For more information and the full schedule visit: www.milb.com/eugene



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Saturday, April 4

Hayward Field

Oregon Relays, All Day

| 5,000

Papé Field: Lacrosse

Oregon vs. Johns Hopkins, 12:00 PM

| 500

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball

Oregon vs. Iowa, 4:00 PM

| 1,000

Sunday, April 5

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball

Oregon vs. Iowa, 12:00 PM

| 1,000

Monday, April 6

Matthew Knight Arena:

Acrobatics & Tumbling

Oregon vs. Baylor, 6:00 PM

| 1,000

Friday, April 10

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Nebraska, 5:05 PM

| 2,500

Saturday, April 11

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Nebraska, 2:05 PM

| 2,500

Sunday, April 12

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Nebraska, 12:05 PM

| 2,500

Friday, April 17

Hayward Field: Track & Field

Oregon Team Invitational, All Day

| 5,000

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball

Oregon vs. Washington, 6:00 PM

| 1,000

Saturday, April 18

Hayward Field: Track & Field

Oregon Team Invitational, All Day

| 5,000

Papé Field: Lacrosse

Oregon vs. USC, 12:00 PM

| 500

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball

Oregon vs. Washington, 3:00 PM

| 1,000

Sunday, April 19

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball

Oregon vs. Washington, 2:00 or 3:00 PM

| 1,000

Matthew Knight Arena: Concert

Journey, 7:30 PM

| 7,500

Wednesday, April 22

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball

Oregon vs. Oregon State, 6:00 PM

| 1,000

Friday, April 24

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball

Oregon vs. Ohio State, 6:00 PM

| 1,000

Friday, April 24 (cont'd)

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Penn State, 6:05 PM

| 2,500

Saturday, April 25 – Sunday, April 26

Hayward Field and routes around Eugene

Eugene Marathon events

+ | 10,000

Saturday, April 25

Autzen Stadium: Football

Oregon Spring Game, 1:00 PM

| 40,000

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball

Oregon vs. Ohio State, 4:00 PM

| 1,000

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Penn State, 4:05 PM

| 2,500

Sunday, April 26

Jane Sanders Stadium: Softball

Oregon vs. Ohio State, 12:00 PM

| 1,000

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Penn State, 12:05 PM

| 2,500

Tuesday, April 28

PK Park: Baseball

Oregon vs. Gonzaga, 6:05 PM

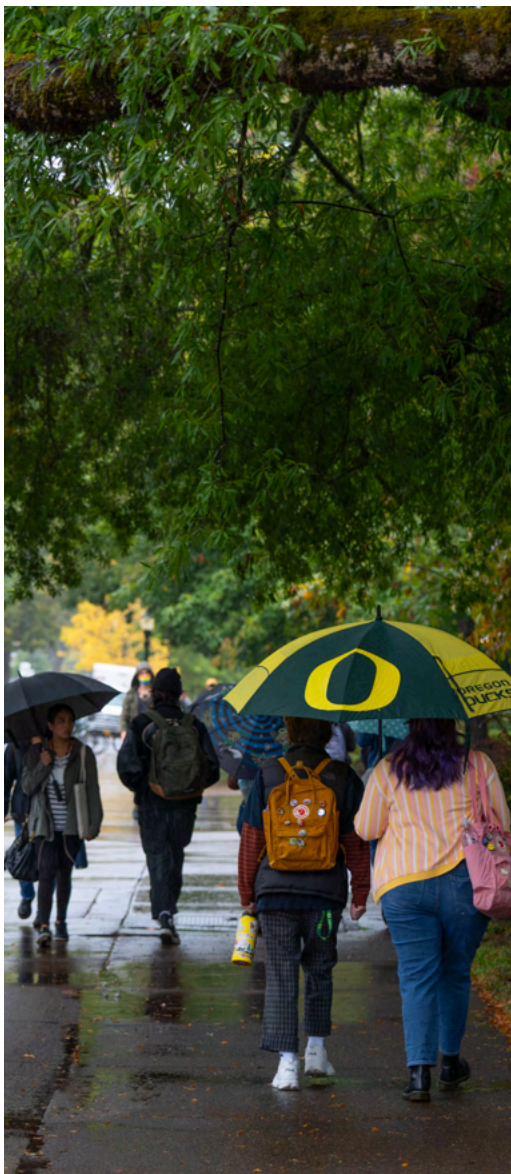
| 2,500

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UO GOOD NEIGHBOR PROGRAM

The University of Oregon is proud to be a good neighbor. If you would like our help addressing a specific UO-related issue in your neighborhood, please email goodneighbor@uoregon.edu.

If you experience a loud party or other activity in a near-campus neighborhood at which you expect UO students are involved and illegal activities are occurring, please:

1) Call the Eugene Police Department (EPD) non-emergency number (541-682-5111) to report the illegal behavior.

Even if EPD does not have time to respond, this documents the incident and our office receives basic details, including the time of the call, whether EPD responded, and what actions were taken. In certain situations, EPD refers the call to the UO Police Department for response, including off-campus illegal behaviors in near-campus neighborhoods.

2) Provide details of the incident, including location, time, and an explanation of illegal behaviors and impact to the university using the goodneighbor@uoregon.edu email.

This email goes directly to staff with UO Community Relations, the UO Police Department, and the Office of the Dean of Students.

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QUACK-TIVITIES

Dive into these exciting events and activities open to the community!

Oregon Football Spring Game

- Saturday, April 25 @ 1:00 PM
- Autzen Stadium

Join fellow Oregon Football fans for the annual Spring Game at Autzen Stadium.

The Spring Game is **free and open to the public**. This year's game once again supports Food for Lane County, serving as one of the organization's largest collection events of the year, so attendees are encouraged to bring nonperishable food donations.

Full details and kickoff time:

<https://goducks.com/news/2026/2/11/oregon-football-spring-game-set-for-april-25>

Did you know that admission to the **Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art** at the University of Oregon is **free** every first Friday of the month from 11 AM to 5 PM? More at jsma.uoregon.edu.

The **UO School of Music and Dance** offers events and performances throughout the year as well as an archive of performances online.

More at musicanddance.uoregon.edu/events.

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NEXT GENERATION HOUSING

Over the next 20 years, the University of Oregon is planning more high-quality, learning-centered residential communities on campus that are compatible with surrounding neighborhoods, provide a gentle transition between higher and lower intensity uses, and serve our growing student community.

To plan a variety of housing types that meet the needs of first-year students, undergraduates, graduates, and families, the UO is in the process of designing **two 800-bed residence halls that will be built on the southeast side of campus, between 17th & 19th Avenue and Moss & Villard Street.**

The first residence hall is scheduled to be complete by fall 2027, and the second is planned for completion by fall 2028.

Code Amendment, Refinement Plan Amendment, and Zone Change (as of February 24, 2026):

In preparation for the Next Generation Housing Phase 2 Residence Hall, located south of 17th Ave. between Columbia St. and Moon Lee Ln. and projected to be completed by fall 2028, the University of Oregon submitted a code amendment, refinement plan amendment, and zone change to the City of Eugene on March 21, 2025. A code amendment and refinement plan amendment are necessary to build the Phase 2 Residence Hall and additional future university housing identified in the Next Generation Housing Development Plan.

The Eugene Planning Commission held a hearing on October 21 and a work session on November 18, 2025. Commissioners voted 4-0 with one abstention to forward the recommendations to the Eugene City Council.

A Eugene City Council hearing on the proposed land use changes took place Tuesday, January 20, at 5:30 p.m. The council is scheduled to vote on the proposal during their Monday, March 9, 7:30 p.m. meeting.

- Land Use Application materials and public testimony can be found at: <https://pdd.eugene-or.gov/LandUse/SearchApplicationDocuments?file=CA-25-0002>
- For the latest updates on City Council meeting agendas, visit: www.eugene-or.gov/DocumentCenter/View/5448/Tentative-Working-Agenda

For more information, visit:
gcr.uoregon.edu/next-generation-housing



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CONSTRUCTION CORNER

UO Next Generation Housing Phase 1 Residence Hall

Located south of 17th Avenue between Columbia and Moss Streets

Expected completion in summer 2027

A tower crane is currently in place. Current work includes the installation of rebar, and column, deck, and wall work. Expect to see and hear forklifts, excavators, and trucks operating on-site and traveling to and from the site. Starting in mid-March, expect delivery truck traffic as timber, showers, and tubs are delivered.

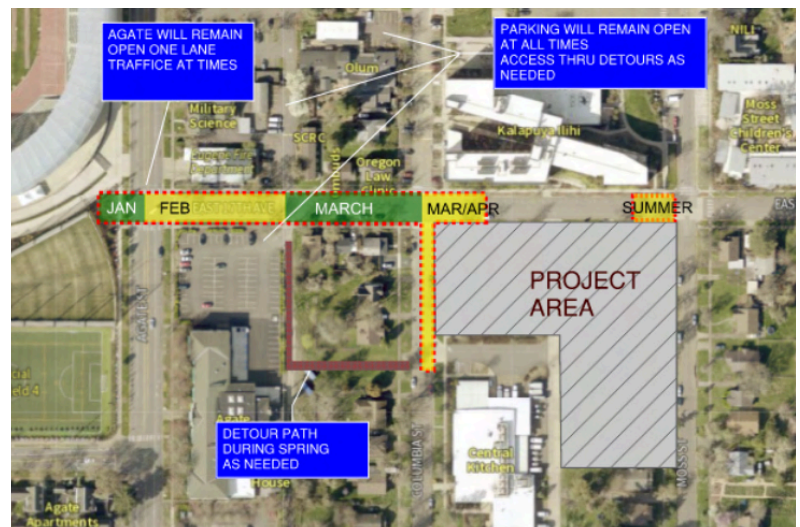
The construction operation schedule for most noisy activities is 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday. Construction activities taking place outside of these hours will be announced as often as possible at gcr.uoregon.edu/next-generation-housing.

SAFETY NOTICE: We know it can be fun for all, young and old, to watch the big trucks and equipment at work. However, please keep in mind that visibility is often limited for truck and equipment operators. **Please enjoy the view from a safe distance;** watching from across the street can be a great way to stay safe while still enjoying the action. *For a construction map, including entrances to the site where watching from a safe distance is especially important, visit gcr.uoregon.edu/next-gen-housing-safety-map.*

All construction-related vehicles are provided instructions on appropriate roads to take to and from the construction site (map at gcr.uoregon.edu/uo-next-gen-trucking-route).

If you see construction vehicles for this project on nearby neighborhood streets not reflected on this map, please let us know: Karen Hyatt, khyatt@uoregon.edu.

Updates on Temporary Road Closures: Starting in January, a privately-engineered public improvement project coordinated with the City of Eugene to install new utilities will require a series of temporary road closures. Timelines for these closures are subject to change due to unpredictable material delivery dates, inclement weather, efforts to mitigate traffic impacts, and the timely completion of prior phases of the project. Roadwork will start at Hayward and work east toward the project area.



Work will progress through the highlighted area depicted on the [map](#) above. Streets will be backfilled regularly and plated to keep public roads open as much as possible. **Visit gcr.uoregon.edu/next-generation-housing for updates.**

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- February – March 2026: 17th Avenue will have periodic closures in multiple phases. Access to the parking areas will be maintained at all times via detours.
- March – April 2026: Columbia Street from 17th Avenue to the south end of the Central Kitchen will have street work done in small sections on the west side of the street to allow for local one-way traffic with the support of flaggers and regular backfilling.
- Summer 2026: 17th Avenue west of Moss Street will be completely closed for short periods of time between Agate and Columbia Streets. Local traffic will still be able to access Columbia Street north and south of 17th Avenue from the east.

If you are a near-campus neighbor, please contact Karen Hyatt, Director of Community Relations, at khyatt@uoregon.edu with questions. If you rent from University Housing, please contact Bryson Beck at brysonb@uoregon.edu.

Knight Campus Building 2

Riverfront Parkway and Millrace Drive

Exterior landscaping and plantings are nearing completion, along with interior finishes and furniture installations. Final building systems testing continues. Construction fencing will begin to come down the first of the year, and pedestrian routes around the new building will open for use. The Knight Campus will slowly begin to occupy the building in March 2026.

gcr.uoregon.edu/uocc

Demolition of Hamilton Residence Hall Complex

Corner of E. 13th and Agate St.

Abatement and demolition of the Hamilton Building is complete, and all demolished materials that will not be reused have been sorted and hauled off site. Crews are now working on backfill and rough grading. Civil site work will begin soon, including connecting to city utilities and capping old utilities, laying storm pipe, and setting vaults and manholes. A sidewalk closure on the east side of Agate Street from Unthank to 13th Avenue will take place in March, likely during UO's spring break. This closure will likely also include the mid-block pedestrian crossing.

Canoe Canal Bridge Project

Near Leo Harris Parkway and Autzen Stadium

The footbridge over the Canoe Canal near Autzen Stadium and Alton Baker Dog Park is closed for repairs from mid-February through March. Please follow signed detours, which will lead path users to bridges east towards the BMX park or west towards the Cuthbert Amphitheater.

Removal of Two UO-Owned Houses

1678 Villard St. and 1709 Moss St.

Later in the spring, two UO-owned houses that have experienced fires and vandalism will be removed. More information will be shared as removal dates are finalized.

For all construction projects on the UO Eugene campus with impacts, visit:

map.uoregon.edu/construction-impacts