



PEATE PERIODICAL

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WHO WE ARE.

Parker Engineering, Architecture and Technology Experts, or PEATEs for short, are upperclassmen in CEAT who live in Parker Hall and devote their time to support the freshmen engineering community in Parker. The CEAT Parker Hall Living Learning Program (LLP) is a program built to give freshman CEAT majors resources in-house such as tutoring, peer mentorship,

and social events. Our goal is to connect our high-achieving students with like-minded peers and professionals in their field of study. The PEATEs assist students with classwork, are a great resource for advice concerning CEAT, and collaborate with Reslife (Community Mentors (CMs) and Board of Directors (BoD)) and CEAT In-Residence (IR) to sponsor events that

engage our residents! To learn more about the PEATE program visit the Parker Hall LLP page here:

<https://ceat.okstate.edu/student-services/ceats-peates/index.html>

PURPOSE

- This newsletter is designed to keep the Oklahoma State community informed about all that is going on at Parker Hall and outline how OSU organizations can partner with the PEATEs to support student's success. The PEATEs are especially excited to work with CEAT organizations to help the freshmen of Parker find their home here on campus!

EVENTS

- Meet the PEATEs
- Sunset at Lake McMurry
- Rockets with Rocketworks
- Valero Parker Hall Visit
- CFC Ice Cream Social
- Friday Movie Nights
- ENDV & NCL Introduction



MEET THE PEATES & WHAT WE DO

Pop quiz! What does PEATE stand for? Do you know what we do? How do we help run Parker and make it the best freshman dorm on campus?

With a bit of free food, socializing, a short presentation, and cool trivia about the PEATEs, residents had the opportunity to learn more about the program. We also

introduced our PEATE committees and opened them up for applications. These committees include Outreach & Marketing, Events, Tech Support, Design, and Health & Wellness.



EXCITING TIMES AT THE LAKE

There's nothing better than ending the week with your friends at Lake McMurtry! On Friday, September 30th, the PEATEs teamed up with CEAT IR to host this sunset event where current and former Parker residents were invited to the lake for a night of fun.

We began with a charcoal barbecue of burgers and hot dogs. Students played yard games and had fun with parachute games. As the sun began to set, we brought out the glow sticks! We proceeded with a glow-in-the-dark trail hike, disc golf, and kickball. We also set up a telescope to see the stars. The night ended on a great

note as we gathered around the campfire with s'mores.

If you missed this event, don't worry! This is held every semester and you can join in the Spring!

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ROCKETS WITH ROCKETWORKS

On Saturday, 27 August, the High Power Rocketry Team had the pleasure of visiting Parker Hall and holding a rocket building contest. Hosted by former PEATE Patrick Williams, several groups were able to build their own rockets from kits, attend a presentation introducing the endeavors the team had for the upcoming year, and ending the week with some rocket shaped popsicles!

DINNER WITH VALERO

Career fair can be a stressful time for many students looking to broaden their education. For many freshmen, getting such an employment opportunity can be very difficult due to the lack of prior experiences. But who knew that a Fortune 500 company would be interested in visiting freshmen students? Just after career fair, Parker engineers had the opportunity to connect with Valero recruiters with a free dinner right in their dorm lounge. Looking for future interns and employees for coming years, they promoted programs for almost every engineer that could work for the petroleum industry - construction, chemical, and safety just to name a few.



CFC ICE CREAM SOCIAL

It's often said that the CEAT Student Council has much more significance than any other student council on campus. Composed of CEAT students from all degrees and walks of life, they not only help run and promote CEAT events - career fairs, cheap lunches on Thursdays, or service project groups - but they also assist clubs and organizations with funding. CEAT Freshmen Council was created to help give representation to incoming classes, while giving a route to become fully acclimated to the student council and its energetic environment. Every year, members from the CEAT Student Council come to Parker to bring this opportunity to the freshmen class - all with a sweet treat!



FRIDAY MOVIE NIGHTS

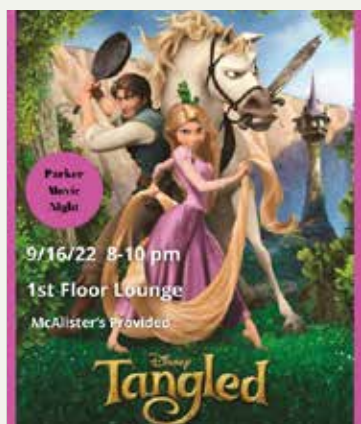
If you haven't noticed, there's been free food in the first floor lounge every Friday night at 8 pm since the beginning of the semester! This is our weekly movie night.

great way to de-stress after a full week of class.

The movie we show each week is the most voted on, so if you want to see a certain movie, make sure and recommend it and then get all your friends to vote for it! Hope to see you this Friday!



Sometimes, we have free dinner, othertimes, we have popcorn, and on special occasions, we have homemade cookies from Rodney and Kavina. This end-of-week event is a



ENDEAVOR & NCL INTRODUCTION

Ever wondered how to get complete access to CEAT labs for projects? The Parker Hall residents were invited to come to one of the Endeavor classrooms to attend a session from the PEATE Technical Support Committee about this very topic! Featuring an introduction to the sleek

and modern Endeavor Laboratories and the rather secluded but resource-filled North Campus Laboratories, the PEATEs helped the incoming engineering class find the resources to get certified and gain full access to these unique resources for engineers. Any others that wish to learn



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