The Division of Student Affairs at Murray State University aspires to see the attainment of growth and development of the Murray State student. When students choose to gather in social settings and partake in activities that contain risk, Murray State University encourages responsible practices and behaviors in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, the city of Murray and the Murray State University Student Life Policies, Rules and Procedures. Violation of Murray State University policies, rules and procedures or state and local laws, on or off campus, will result in disciplinary action from both the Greek Standards Board and Murray State University. The Greek Social Event Policy does not supersede the risk management policies of the inter/national fraternities and sororities at Murray State University or the Fraternal Information and Programming Group Risk Management practices and policies.

## [Kentucky Statues Regarding Alcohol](http://www.lrc.ky.gov/Statutes/chapter.aspx?id=38405)

[**Murray State University Student Life Policies, Rules and Procedures**](http://www.murraystate.edu/Libraries/Student_Affairs/StuLifePolicies-Oct2014.pdf)

[**Fraternal Information and Programming Group (FIPG) Risk Management Manual**](http://fipg.org/)

**Kentucky Medical Amnesty Statute:** [**http://www.lrc.ky.gov/statutes/statute.aspx?id=42516**](http://www.lrc.ky.gov/statutes/statute.aspx?id=42516)

1. **Definitions of Key Terms**
   1. Chapter – a Murray State University recognized social fraternity or sorority comprised of active Murray State students.
   2. Member – an active member of a Chapter.
   3. Non-member – an individual who:
      1. has no affiliation to a Chapter;
      2. is an alumni member of a Chapter.
   4. Guest List – a list of individuals invited to a Social Event of a specific Chapter. This list dictates who is able to be considered an attendee for an event.
   5. Perceived Chapter Event – an event than an observer or attendee would associate with a specific Chapter.
   6. Social Event – an event that is social in nature where the following criteria are met:
      1. the number of non-members is greater than the amount of members;
      2. a guest list is utilized;
      3. a Perceived Chapter Event, whether located on chapter premises or any other location that does not involve a third-party vendor;
      4. alcohol is present or may be consumed by attendees of the event.
   7. Alumni Event – an event where attendance is limited to host Chapter members, alumni, significant others, spouses and family of alumni, etc.
   8. Family Event – an event where attendance is limited to host Chapter members, family, and significant others.
   9. Brotherhood/Sisterhood Event – an event where attendance is limited to chapter members (and no other visitors).

## Reaffirmation: FIPG Policies Regarding Alcohol

* 1. The possession, sale, use or consumption of ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, while on chapter premises or during a fraternity event, in any situation sponsored or endorsed by the chapter, or at any event an observer would associate with the fraternity, must be in compliance with any and all applicable laws of the state, province, county, city and institution of higher education, and must comply with either the BYOB or Third Party Vendor Guidelines. BYOB is defined in the FIPG Guidelines as one (1) six-pack of 12-ounce beers or one (1) four pack of wine coolers brought by a member or guest who is legally able to consume an alcoholic beverage. No hard liquor is allowed at any social event.
  2. No alcoholic beverages may be purchased through or with chapter funds nor may the purchase of same for members or guests be undertaken or coordinated by any member in the name of or on behalf of the chapter. The purchase or use of a bulk quantity or common source(s) of alcoholic beverage, for example, kegs or cases, is prohibited.
  3. No members, collectively or individually, shall purchase for, serve to, or sell alcoholic beverages to any minor (i.e., those under legal drinking age).
  4. No chapter may co-sponsor an event with an alcohol distributor or tavern (tavern defined as an establishment generating more than half of annual gross sales from alcohol) at which alcohol is given away, sold or otherwise provided to those present. This includes any event held in, at or on the property of a tavern as defined above for purposes of fundraising. However, a chapter may rent or use a room or area in a tavern as defined above for a closed event held within the provisions of this policy, including the use of a third-party vendor and guest list. An event at which alcohol is present may be conducted or co-sponsored with a charitable organization if the event is held within the provisions of this policy.
  5. No chapter may co-sponsor, co-finance or attend or participate in a function at which alcohol is purchased by any of the host chapters, groups, or organizations.
  6. No member or pledge, associate/new member or novice shall permit, tolerate, encourage or participate in "drinking games.” The definition of drinking games includes but is not limited to the consumption of shots of alcohol, liquor or alcoholic beverages, the practice of consuming shots equating to one’s age, “beer pong,” “century club,” “dares” or any other activity involving the consumption of alcohol which involves duress or encouragement related to the consumption of alcohol.
  7. In an important, decisive action to enhance health and safety in fraternity communities, the North American Interfraternity Conference (NIC) recently adopted a Standard prohibiting hard alcohol from fraternity chapter facilities and events. It was determined that each organization will implement the new Standard by Sept. 1, 2019. Murray State University has adopted this standard and it is effective as of September 6, 2018.

## Preliminary Requirements

## Preliminary requirements shall be fulfilled by each Chapter wishing to host, sponsor, or co-sponsor social events on an annual basis.

* 1. A Chapter may not host, sponsor, or co-sponsor any social events until all Preliminary Requirements have been fulfilled.
  2. Failure to fulfill all Preliminary Requirements will result in a chapter being suspended from hosting, sponsoring, or co-sponsoring social events. Said suspension shall be lifted upon the completion of all Preliminary Requirements.
  3. The President, Risk Management Officer and Social Officer of each Chapter shall attend a meeting with a representative of Murray State University Police Department.
     1. This meeting shall be scheduled by the Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs.
     2. If any Chapter officer (President, Risk Management Officer, or Social Officer) cannot attend this meeting, they are responsible to schedule an individual meeting with a designated representative of Murray State University Police Department and inform the Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs of the meeting.
     3. These meetings shall occur at the beginning of each academic semester, and must be attended by each Chapter’s respective President, Risk Management Officer, and Social Officer.
  4. Social Event Exam
     1. All Chapter members shall be required to take and pass the Social Event Policy Exam at 100% at the beginning of the fall semester.
     2. New members shall take the Social Event Policy Exam during their New Member Meetings and must pass with a 100%.
     3. Failure to take and pass the Social Event Policy Exam disqualifies an individual from being included on Guest Lists.
  5. Risk Management Plan
     1. Each Chapter planning to host, sponsor, or co-sponsor a social event during the course of the academic year must submit a Risk Management Plan to be approved before any social events may occur.
     2. The Chapter Risk Management Plan should utilize the risk management policies and procedures of the Chapter’s respective inter/national headquarters approved Risk Management Plan and the Murray State University Greek Social Event Policy.
     3. Risk Management Plans should include a contact page with the contact information (name, cell phone number, local address, email address) of the following individuals:
        1. Chapter President
        2. Chapter Risk Management Officer
        3. Chapter Social Officer
        4. Lead Chapter Advisor
        5. Housing Corporation Board President (if applicable)
     4. Chapter Risk Management Plans should be submitted to the Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs at least two (2) weeks prior to the Chapter’s first scheduled social event to allow for review of the Risk Management Plan.
     5. Each Chapter will be notified of questions, concerns, necessary clarifications or changes to their Risk Management Plan.
     6. The Risk Management Plan may be reviewed, approved or denied by any of the following individuals:
        1. Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs;
        2. Greek Life Graduate Assistant (under the supervision of the Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs);
        3. Director of Student Life & the Curris Center
     7. If the Risk Management Plan is approved by the inter/national headquarters of any organization, or the Chapter’s Risk Management plan is verbatim to the Risk Management Policy of their respective inter/national headquarters, the Chapter’s Risk Management Plan shall be automatically approved.
  6. A $5 Greek Fee per member will be assessed per semester to cover the cost of educational programming, leadership components, social event software, etc. Failure to pay will result in non-attendance at social events.
  7. Advisors who do not attend regularly scheduled advisor’s meetings will cause their chapter’s social privileges to be suspended (Extraordinary circumstances will be taken into consideration).
  8. Each Chapter must hold a Risk Management program:
     1. The presenter of the program shall be from the Murray State University Police Department.
     2. Ninety percent (90%) of the Chapter members must be in attendance and documented in attendance during the program.
     3. It shall be the responsibility of the Chapter to schedule this program with Murray State University Police Department.
     4. If a Chapter does not meet this requirement, they shall be placed on social suspension for the following semester or until the program is held and attended by ninety percent (90%) of the Chapter.

J. Monitoring Training Requirements:

1. Ninety percent (90%) of Chapter members will be required to complete and 100% of Chapter Officers are required to complete the training.

Monitor training hosted by MSU Greek Life must include but not limited to recognizing responsible versus non-responsible drinking, methods of conflict resolution, and bystander intervention methods. Bystander intervention plan, as well as sexual harassment and sexual assault training must take place **before** the first social event in the fall semester.

2. If this standard is not met, the chapter will forfeit utilizing the BYOB

option for Greek Social Events and must hire a third-party vendor.

K. Chapters must maintain a chapter GPA average of 2.5 from the previous semester to host Greek Social Events. Individual chapter members must hold a semester GPA of 2.5 to be eligible to be included on Greek Invitation lists. Advisors will receive a list of members who are not eligible to attend events.

## Guidelines for Social Events

* 1. Social Events shall not take place on a weekday.
     1. Weekday is defined as Sunday through Thursday.
        1. Chapters are encouraged to utilize Thursday to host Chapter only events, mixers with other Chapters, or non-alcoholic events for the Murray State University student body.
     2. Weekend is defined as Friday and Saturday.

• Chapters may not select consecutive weekends.

* 1. Social Events shall only occur during the fall and spring academic terms, as determined by the Murray State University Academic Calendar.
     1. Social Events that occur when the fall or spring academic terms are not in session are strictly prohibited.
     2. Hosting, sponsoring, or co-sponsoring a Social Event when the fall or spring terms are not in session shall be a direct violation of the Social Event Policy.
     3. Each Chapter may host six (6) Greek Social Events per semester (not including formals, Alumni, Brotherhoods/Sisterhoods and Family events).
     4. The number of Greek Social Events per weekend will be limited to three (3) per weekend and no more than 2 per night. A Greek Social Event calendar will be established for Chapters to schedule Greek Social Events. Chapters with the highest ranked GPA will be allowed to choose dates for its Social Events first with other Chapters to follow in descending order. Once a first round is completed with every chapter choosing one date they desire, the rotation begins again for second dates.
     5. Alumni and Family Events do not constitute as Social Events, as long as attendance to said events are restricted to Members, Alumni, Family, and significant others of Members, Alumni, and Family.
     6. Brotherhood/Sisterhood Events do not constitute as Social Events, as long as attendance to said events are restricted to chapter members.
  2. Duration:
     1. The maximum amount of time a Social Event shall last shall be five (5) hours.
     2. All events must begin no later than 10:00 pm and end at 2:00 am.
        1. In the case that the event has music, whether live or via a deejay, the music must be turned off or end at 1:45 am.
        2. All attendees must vacate the premises of the event by 2:30 am.
  3. Care must be taken by hosts, sponsors, and co-sponsors to ensure that attendees have access to sober transportation.
     1. Chapters should publicly post or provide a contact list for local transportation services.
  4. Chapters must provide at least one non-alcoholic drink for all person invited

as a non-alcoholic option. If chapters provide other non-alcoholic options, these must be individual, sealed containers, and should not be a common source (i.e. punch bowl).

Chapters should also provide less-salty foods such as breads, meats, cheeses, vegetables,

cookies, subs, pizza, brownies, fruit, and dips for guests.

* 1. The Chapter(s) hosting, sponsoring, or co-sponsoring the event reserve the right to refuse entrance to anyone.
  2. Under no circumstances should high school students be permitted to enter a social event. Admitting a high school student to an event is a direct violation of Greek Social Policy and results in an automatic referral to the Greek Standards Board.
  3. Glass bottles are not allowed anywhere in the venue.
  4. Social Events are invitation only. Any publicity of a Social Event is a violation of the Social Event Policy.
  5. The Office of Greek Life and Division of Student Life shall purchase a software program (hereafter: Greek Social Event Software) for use of check-in and check- out procedures.
     1. All Chapters shall use the Greek Social Event Software at all social events.
     2. The Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs shall select a software program and oversee the maintenance of program and uploading the guest lists onto the Greek Social Event Software.

* 1. Homecoming Events
     1. All chapters, regardless of size, shall be required to register any Homecoming Social Events, using the Social Event Registration Form.
     2. Chapters will not be required to utilize wristbands or the Greek Social Event Software for Homecoming events.

## Attendee Expectations and Guidelines

* 1. All Greek Social Events are limited to Greek members only, except as stipulated below.
  2. Attendees must present a MSU issued Greek ID and one other acceptable form of identification upon arrival to gain admittance and to determine the age of the attendee.
  3. Acceptable forms of identification are:
     1. Valid Driver’s License
     2. Valid State Issued ID Card
     3. Valid Passport
     4. United States Active Duty Military ID
     5. Alien Registration Card (Green Card)
  4. Attendees who are not on the guest list or not permitted to enter the event must leave the premises immediately.
  5. Attendees attempting to gain access to the event who are obviously impaired shall not be permitted to enter the event.
  6. Attendees who are denied admittance for any reason should leave the premises immediately.
     1. Following the event, contact the President or Social Officer (i.e. Social Chair) of the Chapter(s) hosting, sponsoring, or co-sponsoring the event to inquire as to why you were denied access.
     2. Remain respectful, so as to have the opportunity be admitted in the future.
  7. Attendees who gain access should have an enjoyable and safe time at the social event.
  8. Attendees asked to leave should leave immediately, without issue.
  9. Attendees should not partake in risky or dangerous behaviors, including behaviors involving alcohol.
  10. Attendees will not be admitted to the event with bags and/or backpacks. Small purses, such as wristlets, are allowed.
  11. In the event of an altercation, walk away from the situation so as to avoid physical violence.
  12. In the event of an emergency, call 911 and then alert one of the event Monitors.
  13. If the event fails to comply with the Social Event Policy or creates an unsafe environment for guests, report this to the Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs or via the [Greek Standards Board Referral Form](https://docs.google.com/a/murraystate.edu/forms/d/14aW9nVjhvF0lNOrTNk2MAqozH1N8gUzhqiO8BRtW88Q/viewform?c=0&amp;w=1).

## Social Event Guidelines

* 1. **Monitors**
     1. Monitors for social events shall include the following positions:
        1. Entrance Monitor(s)
        2. Event Monitor(s)
        3. Exit Monitor(s)
        4. One hired security person to check IDs and issue MSU issued wristbands.

to indicate over and under-21 attendees.

1. If chapter completes monitor training they may utilize BYOB without third-party vendor, but must still have 1 security person at the entrance. Chapters are responsible for purchasing their own third-party security which must be licensed, bonded, and insured as either employees of the venue or a security company.
   * 1. Registration and Expectations
        1. Monitors must be active Members of the Chapter(s) hosting, sponsoring, or co-sponsoring the social event.
        2. New Members or uninitiated Members cannot serve as monitors.
        3. All monitors must complete the Greek Life sponsored Monitor Training Program. (this requirement goes into effect after this training is provided for chapters)
        4. All Monitor names must be included on the Social Event Registration Form.
        5. Any substitutions must be reported to the Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs.
        6. Monitors must be clearly identifiable to all attendees (wearing similar clothes, i.e. stitched letter shirts, bring yellow vests, etc.).
        7. Monitors may not serve in dual roles (i.e. an Entrance Monitor also serves as the Exit Monitor).
        8. Monitors shall not be under the influence of any substance, including but not limited to alcohol, nor should they consume alcohol while serving as a Monitor.
        9. Should a Monitor identify an individual who is out of control or in violation of this policy or the policies of the Greek Standards Board, the Monitor should report the individual to the Greek Standards Board.
     2. Monitor Positions
        1. Entrance Monitor(s) - Chapters are required to provide at least two (2) Entrance Monitors, three (3) Event Monitors and two (2) Exit Monitors.
           1. Hired Security Responsibilities:

Checking identification of all attendees to verify age.

Checking attendees in via Greek Social Event software.

Sending students to the appropriate Entrance Monitor to obtain wristband.

Rejecting potential attendees who are not on the Guest List.

Informing attendees that they may not enter the event with alcohol if they are under the age of 21 and confiscating alcohol from those under the age of 21.

Inform attendees who arrive with glass bottles that the glass bottles cannot be taken into the venue.

Only allow cans, plastic bottles to be brought into social events

Refusing admittance to attendees who are visibly impaired and assisting said attendees with obtaining sober transportation.

Make every effort to keep attendees and non-guests from crowding the entrance both on the interior and exterior of the venue.

In the event of an emergency, call 911, insist all attendees vacate the premises, and contact the Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership

* + - * 1. At least two (2) individuals will serve as Entrance Monitors throughout the event, assisting hired security.

Chapter Entrance Monitors will place wristbands on all attendees before they enter the event, determined by whether the attendee is 21 years of age or older, or under 21 years of age. One monitor should be responsible for over the age of 21attendees and the other those attendees under the age of 21.

* + - 1. Event Monitor(s)
         1. At least three (3) or 8% of the guest list total shall serve as Event Monitors throughout the event (whichever is larger).
         2. Event Monitor Responsibilities:

Ensure that the event remains free of violence and safety hazards.

Make a good faith effort to prevent underage drinking during the event by attendees.

Assist excessively impaired attendees in leaving the event by providing them with sober transportation or contact information for sober transportation.

In the event of an emergency, call 911, insist all attendees vacate the premises, and contact the Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs.

* + - 1. Exit Monitor
         1. A minimum of two (2) individuals shall serve as Exit Monitors throughout the event.
         2. Exit Monitor Responsibilities:

Check attendees out of the event via Greek Social Event Software.

Assist excessively impaired attendees in leaving the event by providing them with sober transportation or contact information for sober transportation.

In the event of an emergency, call 911, insist all attendees vacate the premises, and contact the Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs.

## Attendance

* + 1. Attendance numbers shall be generated in the following manners:
       1. The maximum number of attendees is the chapter size (determined by chapter roster) multiplied by two (2).
          1. Ex: 45 (chapter size) x 2 = 90 guests
          2. If two or more chapters are co-sponsoring an event, the maximum number of attendees shall be the total number of active members of all co-sponsoring chapters (as determined by chapter rosters) multiplied by two (2)

Ex: 45 (fraternity 1) + 60 (fraternity 2) = 105 x 2 = 210 guests

If 2 chapters co-sponsor an event, it will be counted as 2 events for that weekend.

* + - 1. Event attendance shall not exceed the fire capacity of the host venue.
    1. Attendance Lists
       1. Guest Lists
          1. Organizations hosting, sponsoring, or co-sponsoring an event must submit a guest list with the names of all attendees when they submit the Social Event Registration Form. See formulas defined above in VI.B. (a) and (b).
          2. Events are open to Greeks only, with the exception of a guest list that includes the names of up to 15 non-Greek Murray State students.
          3. The Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs shall be responsible for uploading the guest list onto the Greek Social Event Software.
          4. Chapters cannot add names to a guest list after turning it in, only remove.
          5. A separate guest list must be submitted for every Social Event.

## Social Event Registration

* + 1. In order for an event to be considered a Social Event, all Chapters hosting, sponsoring, or co-sponsoring the event must complete and submit a Social Event Registration Form.
    2. The Social Event Registration Form must be completely filled out and have the signatures of the respective Chapter’s President, Social Chair and Advisor.
    3. Co-hosting/Co-Sponsoring Events
       1. In the event that two or more organizations decide to sponsor or host an event, each organization must submit separate Social Event Registration Forms for the event.
       2. Each respective Chapter President and Advisor must approve, via their signature on the Social Event Registration Form, their chapter’s participation in hosting/sponsoring the event.
    4. The Social Event Registration Form must be submitted at least five (5) days prior to date of the event.
       1. Social Event Registration Forms must be submitted to the Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs office, located in the Center for Student Involvement.
       2. The submitted Social Event Registration Form must be the original, with original signatures of the Chapter President and Chapter Advisor – digital or emailed Social Event Registration Forms will not be accepted.
       3. Social Event Registration Forms must be submitted by 4:00 pm on the fifth (5th) business day before the scheduled event.
       4. The guest list included with a Social Event Registration form must be unique to that event. Handing in the same list over and over is not acceptable.
       5. Failure to meet these requirements and deadlines may result in the event being postponed or denied.
    5. The Social Event Policy Form can be found in Appendix A of this document, on the Murray State University [website](http://www.murraystate.edu/campus/orgsRecreation/StudentOrganizations/greek/greekResources.aspx), or in hard copy form in the Center for Student Involvement.

## Event Logistics

* + 1. Identification
       1. The following forms of identification shall be deemed acceptable to determine a person’s age:
          1. Valid Driver’s License
          2. Valid State Issued ID Card
          3. Valid Passport
          4. United States Active Duty Military ID
          5. Alien Registration Card (Green Card)
       2. Identification must be presented at the entrance to an Entrance Monitor.
       3. Security will take the form of identification from the attendee, will verify their age and direct the attendee to the appropriate Entrance Monitor.
       4. Following verification, the Entrance Monitor will secure a wristband to the attendee, verifying their age and their admittance to the event, following checking the attendee in via the Greek Social Event Software.
    2. Entrance
       1. There shall be only one (1) entrance for social events.
       2. Attendees shall check in at the entrance with Security and one of the Entrance Monitors and ensure that the Monitor registers their name in the Greek Social Event Software.
       3. All attendees shall have their identification checked at the entrance to determine their age, and the Monitor shall attach a wristband to them based on their age.
    3. Exit
       1. There shall be only one (1) exit for social events.
       2. Attendees shall ensure that they are checked out before leaving an event.
       3. The Exit Monitors shall be responsible for checking attendees out using the Greek Social Event Software when they leave the event.
       4. All attendees must be checked out via the Greek Social Event Software by 2:00 am.
       5. In case of an emergency, all exits shall be used.

## Post Social Event Evaluation

* + 1. At the conclusion of the event, all hosts, sponsor, or co-sponsors must complete a Post Social Event Evaluation Form.
    2. The Post Social Event Evaluation Form must be filled out in its entirety and signed by the Chapter President, or it shall not be accepted.
    3. Co-hosting/Co-Sponsoring Events
       1. In the event that two or more organizations decide to sponsor or host an event, each organization must submit separate Post Social Event Evaluation Forms for the event.
       2. Each respective Chapter President must approve, via their signature on the Post Social Event Evaluation Form, their chapter’s submission of the form.
    4. The Post Social Event Evaluation Form must be returned on the first business day following the event.
       1. Post Social Event Evaluation Forms must be submitted to the Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs office, located in the Center for Student Involvement.
       2. The submitted Post Social Event Evaluation Form must be the original, with original signatures of the Chapter President – digital or emailed Post Social Event Evaluation Forms will not be accepted.
       3. Post Social Event Evaluation Forms must be submitted by 4:00 pm on the first business day following the scheduled event.
       4. Failure to meet these requirements and deadlines may result in the future events being denied or postponed until the Post Social Event Evaluation Form
    5. The Post Social Event Policy Form can be found in Appendix B of this document, on the Murray State University [website](http://www.murraystate.edu/campus/orgsRecreation/StudentOrganizations/greek/greekResources.aspx), or in hard copy form in the Center for Student Involvement.

## Procedures If Social Event Software Malfunctions

* + 1. Guest lists with signatures must be turned in to the Greek Life Office within 1 business day following the event along with the Post Event Form Evaluation.
    2. This guest list must include the names of all persons attending the event other than members of the host organization.

* + 1. This list must clearly indicate whether the guest is 21 or older or less than 21.
    2. Only individuals on the guest list and chapter members will be allowed into the event.

## Event Monitoring

* + 1. Social Events may be periodically monitored by the Coordinator of Greek Life & Student Leadership Programs, Murray State University Police Department, or an officer of one of the Governing Boards.
    2. Monitoring is to ensure that the Social Event Policy, local and state laws, and risk management policies and procedures are being adhered to.
    3. Monitoring also serves as an opportunity to provide feedback, address concerns, and provide support in maintaining order to the hosts, sponsors, or co-sponsors of the event.
    4. Monitoring will include a review of check-in and checkout procedures, verification of all monitors, and review of availability of water and cups for guests.

## Clean-Up Requirements

* 1. All Chapters hosting, sponsoring, or co-sponsoring an event are responsible for clean-up following the event.
  2. All Chapter facilities and adjacent properties, including streets and parking lots, must be cleaned by Chapter members by 7:30 am the morning following the event.
  3. Chapters are responsible for providing clean-up materials including, but not limited to: trash bags, gloves, vests, and other materials.
  4. Failure to clean outside and adjacent properties in a timely manner is considered a violation of the Social Event Policy.

## Publicity

* 1. Publicity of social events is strictly prohibited.
  2. This includes, but is not limited to:
     1. Flyers/Posters
     2. Social Media Events
     3. Social Media Posts
     4. Other forms of publicity not specifically mentioned here
  3. In the instance when publicity materials are found for a Social Event, the Social Event will be cancelled and the Chapter or Chapters hosting, sponsoring, or co- sponsoring the event will be referred to the Greek Standards Board.
  4. If a Chapter, Member, New Member, or individual who may be associated with a Chapter publicizes a Social Event, it is a direct violation of the Social Event Policy.

## Violations

* 1. Chapter violations of the Social Event Policy include, but are not limited to:
     1. Hosting a Social Event Without Fulfilling the Preliminary Requirements
        1. Failure to Submit Guest List Prior to Event
        2. Failure to Submit Guest List if Social Event software malfunctions
        3. Failure to Submit Event Post Evaluation Form
     2. Hosting a Social Event (with alcohol) on a Weekday
     3. Hosting a Social Event Over Term Breaks (i.e. Winter, Spring, Summer, etc.)
     4. Failure to Adhere to Duration Requirements
     5. Failure to Provide Sober Transportation Information
     6. Failure to Provide Water/Cups
     7. Admitting High School Students to a Social Event
     8. Publicizing a Social Event
     9. Failure to Properly Use Greek Social Event Software
     10. Failure to Register Homecoming Events
     11. Creating an Unsafe or Hostile Environment
     12. Failure to Properly Staff Monitors
     13. Failure to Enforce Fire Code
     14. Failure to Enforce Maximum Capacity Limits
     15. Failure to Comply with Door Addition Policy
     16. Unregistered Social Event
     17. Failure to Check Identification
     18. Failure to Comply with Entrance/Exit Guidelines
     19. Failure to Clean Facilities and Adjacent Properties
  2. Individual violations of the Social Event Policy include, but are not limited to:
     1. Publicizing a Social Event
     2. Creating an Unsafe or Hostile Environment
     3. Failure or Disregard of Monitor Duties
  3. Automatic Social Suspension
     1. A Chapter shall be placed on automatic social suspension when a report has been made against a Chapter, whether for a violation or otherwise. Social suspension is defined as the inability to host, sponsor, or co-sponsor a Social Event
     2. A report includes, but is not limited to:
        1. Police Report
        2. Greek Standards Board Referral
        3. Anonymous Referral
     3. Social Suspension shall remain in effect until such time as the Chapter has the opportunity to appear before the Greek Standards Board or appropriate judiciary committee.

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**Appendix A**

**Social Event Registration Form**

Murray State University

**Greek Social Event Policy**

**Event Registration Form**

This registration form must be completed at least five (5) days before the social event will occur.

**Organization Name**: **Event Date**:

***Example****: ZZZ House: 1234 University Lane*

**Event Type: (Circle One) Formal Semi Formal Social**

**Event Location**:

**Security Guard Name**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Entrance Monitors**: at least two (2)

* Monitors cannot drink

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**Exit Monitors:** minimum of two (2)

* Monitors cannot drink

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**Event Monitors**: at least three (3) or 8% of the guest list total

* Monitors cannot drink

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* If two organizations are hosting a joint event, this would require four additional monitors.

**President**: \_

Print Signature

**Social Chair**:

Print Signature

Non-Alcoholic Beverages Provided: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Snacks Provided: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Chapter Member delivering form**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**ADVISOR INFORMATION**

As Advisor to (organization name), I approve of the social event hosted by the above chapter on (date).

**Advisor**:

Print Signature

**Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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Coordinator of Greek Life and Student Leadership Programs

111 Curris Center

Murray, KY 42071

Phone: (270) 809-6953

Please attach additional pages if necessary.

**Appendix B**

**Social Event Registration Form**

Murray State University Greek Life Programs Post Social Event Evaluation Form

Information of social events will be collected and remain on file each semester in an effort to ensure that the Greek community is following the necessary procedures in accordance with the Greek Social Event Policy at Murray State University.

# Organization Name:

Contact Person:

Email: @murraystate.edu Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Event Date: \_ Time of Event: Event Location: Number of Attendees: (Approx.)

Did any issues arise during this social event? ⧠ Yes ⧠ No

If yes, describe what happened at the social event

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EVALUATION Yes No

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| **Door/Check-In Area** | | |
| Did the Social Event Software function properly |  |  |
| Checking IDs (driver*’*s license, passport or state ID etc.) |  |  |
| Only admitted individuals on the guest list |  |  |
| Only one entrance/exit point |  |  |
| Guests under 21 or over 21 are marked with a wristband |  |  |
| **Function Area** | | |

EVALUATION Yes No

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| The function is within the safe capacity for the facility |  |  |
| Proper number of sober workers for duration of function |  |  |
| Members and guests being respectful and cooperative |  |  |
| Proper clean up procedures completed at end of social event |  |  |

**Chapter President Signature**

**Date**

**For Office Use Only:**

**Office of Greek Life Stamp Here**:

**Received By**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Please complete and return this form within ONE BUSINESS DAY of the completion of the social event to the**

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