THE TIP BOOK:

Must Knows & Hidden Campus Gems



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Songs

The University of Tulsa Fight Song

The TU Fight song was written by then student President Emeritus Ben Henneke (BA '35, DHL '67) in 1932. Harry Clarke of Clarke's Good Clothes set up a contest to come up with a good fight song. Dr. Henneke's mother read about the contest and encouraged him to enter. Dr. Henneke won the contest and received a \$25 prize.

Down the Field to victory
On Tulsa on.
Fight on University, Battle on and on.
March to the goal line, oh Tulsa,
Score on mounting score.
March to the goal line, oh Tulsa,
Let the Hurricane roar.
Drive those (opponent) back and back,
On Tulsa on!
Gold, Blue, and Red, go right ahead,
Down the field to victory!

The TU Fight song is typically sung throughout a game.

The University of Tulsa Alma Mater

The modern Alma Mater was written in 1940 by Bill Poeffenberger (BS '40) with music written in 1941 by Margaret Worsham. In the early 1970s, during Paschal Twyman's tenure as president, Ron Predl, professor of music, thought the words needed updating. He and his wife, Peggy, wrote them, Dr. Twyman approved them and the Alma Mater that we currently accept began to be sung at football games and events.

Hail to thee Alma Mater,
Gold and Blue,
Praise from thy sons and daughters,
Old and new.
Pride in our hearts,
Our voices let us raise,
Filled with devotion
We will sing thy praise.
Alma Mater, now we honor,
Loyal, always true,
We will lift our voice in chorus.
Hail to Tulsa U!

TU students sing the Alma Mater at the end of every game, win or lose.

Football Schedule

Where you can put your TU song knowledge to the test.

| AUG 30 (FRI) / BIG COUNTRY 99.5 FM | AT MICHIGAN STATE | EAST LANSING, MICH. |
|--|--------------------------|---------------------|
| SEP 07 (SAT) / BIG COUNTRY 99.5 FM | AT SAN JOSE STATE | SAN JOSE, CALIF. |
| SEP 14 (SAT) / BIG COUNTRY 99.5 FM | VS OKLAHOMA STATE | CHAPMAN STADIUM |
| SEP 21 (SAT) / BIG COUNTRY 99.5 FM | VS WYOMING | CHAPMAN STADIUM |
| OCT 05 (SAT) / BIG COUNTRY 99.5 FM | AT SMU | DALLAS, TEXAS |
| OCT 12 (SAT) / BIG COUNTRY 99.5 FM | VS NAVY | CHAPMAN STADIUM |
| OCT 19 (SAT) / BIG COUNTRY 99.5 FM | AT CINCINNATI | CINCINNATI, OHIO |
| OCT 26 (SAT) / BIG COUNTRY 99.5 FM | VS MEMPHIS | CHAPMAN STADIUM |
| NOV 02 (SAT) / ESPN / BIG COUNTRY 99.5 FM | AT TULANE | NEW ORLEANS, LA. |
| NOV 08 (FRI) / BIG COUNTRY 99.5 FM | VS UCF | CHAPMAN STADIUM |
| NOV 23 (SAT) / BIG COUNTRY 99.5 FM | VS HOUSTON | CHAPMAN STADIUM |
| NOV 30 (SAT) / ESPN / BIG COUNTRY 99.5 FM | AT ECU | GREENVILLE, NC. |

Student Association (SA)

Here are some of the ways your student activity fees are being used.

- Lawyer SA has a lawyer on retainer that any TU student can use for one free legal consultation. Contact the Director of Student Activities if you need to use the service.
- **2. Circle Cinema** SA gives discounted rates to local events such as \$2 Tuesdays at the historic Circle Cinema for all TU students.
- **3. Philbrook** SA pays for free admittance to the Philbrook Museum of Art for TU students. Valid with TU ID.
- **4. Gilcrease** SA pays for free admittance to the Gilcrease Museum for TU students. Valid with TU ID.
- **5. Etiquette Dinner** In conjunction with Career Services, SA helps fund and organize the annual etiquette dinner. Students learn proper etiquette skills that prove valuable for professional settings.
- **6. First Thursday** SA will fund a free ticket for each TU student to attend the Department of Theatre's first opening, which is typically on a Thursday.

Discounts

Use these discounts around Tulsa.
* Show TU ID at purchase

TU student deals*

| Establishment | Discount | |
|--|---|--|
| Taco Bell (11th & Harvard) | 10% | |
| Qdoba (Cherry Street) | 10% | |
| McDonald's (11th & Harvard) | 10% | |
| 918 Coffee (11th & Harvard) | 10% | |
| Foolish Things (Main Street) | 10% | |
| Cirque (6th street) | 10% | |
| Dehoney's Cleaners (14th & Harvard) | 10% | |
| City Cycles (Main street) | 15% | |
| Lee's Bicycles (2nd street) | 10% | |
| Midtown Bicycles (31st street) | 10% | |
| Spoke House Bicycles (21st street) | 10% | |
| Tom's Bicycles (15th street) | 10% | |
| KinderCare Learning Centers | 10% | |
| Zips Carwash locations (unlimited washes) | Mr. Zippy's Wash Club: \$19.95/mo Best Wash Club: \$14.95/mo Good Wash Club: \$14.95/mo | |

| Services | Discount |
|--|----------|
| AT&T Product and Plans (Link a TU email) | 17% |
| Tulsa Airport Airfares (swabiz.com - Company ID: 99175694) | 10% |
| Rental Car Emerald Club Membership (key word: XZ51A01) | Varies |

Tulsa deals (popular)

| Establishment | Discount |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Andolini's Pizzeria | Free garlic knots with AAA membership card |
| Smoke | \$5 burgers (Monday) |
| R Bar | \$5 burgers (Monday) |
| Dilly Deli | \$5 Reuben sandwich (Monday) |
| The Tavern | ½ price burger after 9 PM (Monday) |
| El Guapo's | \$1 street tacos (Tuesday) |
| Peppers Grill | \$7.50 enchiladas full order (Tuesday) |
| Joe Mamma's Pizza | \$5 pizza special (Tuesday) |
| McNellie's | \$5 burgers (Wednesday) |
| Jane's Delicatessen | \$5 Oklahoma burger (Wednesday) |
| Elote | \$2 puffy tacos (Wednesday 4-close) |
| Blue Rose Cafe | \$8.99 chicken fried steak dinner |
| Kilkenny's | \$5 burger after 10 PM |
| Cafe Ole | \$2 mix-and-match street food (4-9 PM) |
| All McNellie's Group Restaurants | McNellie's Passport App for deals |

Tips & Secrets

TU students have learned much about the university and themselves during their time here. Below is a list of tips from students regarding everything from secret study spots to general college wisdom.

- Use http://tma.utulsa.edu:81/request.html for maintenance requests.
- TU has its own VPN service so you can access share drive information: http://TUvpn.utulsa.edu
- Have a gaming system, entertainment station, or wireless assistant?
 Register it here to connect it to the TU network:
 https://selfreg.utulsa.edu/self-registration
- On Facebook, there is a public group called the "University of Tulsa Textbook Exchange" where you can buy and sell used textbooks.
- General TU advice: If you have an idea for a project, want to connect with someone, need funding, or literally anything, just ask! The TU community is home to a wealth of connections, knowledge, and resources. Someone will be able to help you get something done with whatever you need.
- There is a catalog at McFarlin Library that you can use to order food in bulk, kitchen appliances, and toiletries, and at the C-Store you can get snacks, medicine, and toiletries as well—all with your dining dollars. This can save you a trip to the grocery store.
- In Sharp Chapel, there is a piano there in the first floor common area and anybody is allowed to use it.
- You can get a bowl of fruit from Tossed for \$2 if you are craving something healthy.
- When browsing the McFarlin Library "stacks," the south side has a 30 minute motion timer while the north side has a 7 minute motion timer. Always pick the south side!
- You can take community college classes (like Tulsa Community College) to count as block classes if you have 60 hours or less.
- Most majors have a dedicated space to study in groups or individually (i.e. Chemical Engineering Lab in Keplinger)
- Tacos Don is open until 3 AM on Fridays and Saturdays. Great, locally owned Mexican restaurant that is really close to campus.
- Keplinger has single sided printing in the downstairs labs.
- If you room with an upperclassman, you can then replace them with an underclassman and have your friends retain that apartment.
- Male Greek housing is considered "off campus," so you can drop your meal plan freshman year and it's way cheaper.

- If you bring your own cup to the McFarlin Library Cafe then it's only \$1 for drip coffee.
- If you have a parent or anyone visiting you, have them book with any hotel close to TU over the phone and have them mention that they are in town to visit campus and they will give you a discounted room rate.
- The parking attendant works a strict 8-5 schedule, so you won't get ticketed before or after that on weekdays (within the legal limits, like don't block a fire hydrant, etc).
- Campus Security will come pick you up if you don't want to walk by yourself late at night. They will also jump your car.
- McFarlin Library has a huge collection of articles in print. If you are looking for a particular paper and don't have access to it, there is a high chance of finding in a printed edition of that journal or as a microfilm/microfiche.
- Have old clothes or need new clothes? There is a campus-wide thrift corner located in the McFarlin Library basement next to the grand staircase. You can take or leave any of the clothes for free as long as the library is open.
- Sign up for lots of clubs at the Activities Fair so that you can get on the email list. It's the first Hurricane Thursday in the fall.
- If you are even remotely thinking about studying abroad, go get your passport renewed or get one if you don't have one. It will save you lots of time in the future.
- If you are running out of your 1000 semesterly printing page quota, a friend can send you pages through the TU portal.
- The pool table and vending machines in Club Mabee are the best on campus.
- If you want free food and to meet new people, Baptist Collegiate Ministry (BCM) does free lunch on Monday, UUnited Campus Ministries does veggie lunches on Wednesday, and Wesley does free lunch on Thursday. Historically, the record for living on free meals three times a day on campus is a week and a half (excluding the weekend).
- If you bring your bike to campus, invest in a secure metal lock or it will most likely be stolen.
- During Finals, Sharp Chapel offers free coffee and snacks.
- The projects lab downstairs in Phillips Hall (yes, the Art building) is very resourceful for engineering students. Fun fact is that Phillips Hall used to be the original Engineering building on campus.
- Grading is more subjective than you think. If you meet with a professor
 often and show that you care about learning, you will find that you get
 better partial credit and they are more likely to round your grade up.

- You can get paid for taking notes in class. Just stop by the Center for Student Academic Support (CSAS).
- Parent and Family Day is the same weekend as Homecoming.
- On average, Einstein's coffee is stronger than the Library cafe's coffee.
- The classrooms in Keplinger are usually unlocked on weekends if you need a quiet place to study.
- If you have left over dining dollars at the end of the academic year, they can be used to pay for parking tickets. Dining dollars can carry over from fall to spring semesters, but not academic year to academic year.