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From an Outdoor Pops Concert and Picnic to a 5K Run, from Films to Plays to Tours and, Of Course, Football There's Something for Everyone

ORANGE, Calif. Chapman University's annual Homecoming and Family Weekend, Friday through Sunday, Oct. 5-7, will offer many events that are free and open to the public as well as students, parents and alumni. Highlights include the second annual Chapman University-Toyota of Orange 5K run, an outdoor picnic and pops concert by the Chapman Wind Symphony, a screening of a new movie starring Meryl Streep, an open dress rehearsal of Shakespeare's *The Tempest*, screenings of films by students in Chapman's Dodge College of Film and Media Arts, tours of the campus and some of its iconic buildings, and, of course, the Saturday pep rally and Panther football game, played on Holly and David Wilson Field and giving visitors a chance to see the still-under-construction Ernie Chapman Stadium and other elements of Chapman's new Erin J. Lastinger Athletics Complex. Almost all events are free of charge. The events open to the public are listed below. For more information, visit www.chapman.edu/weekend or call (714) 997-6681.

FRIDAY, OCT. 5

Noon-5 pm Art Exhibition: *Missing/Las Desaparecidas* Photo and textile-based artworks honoring the more than 400 women murdered since 1993 in the border town of Juarez, Mexico. Guggenheim Gallery. Free.

3 pm Tour of Marion Knott Studios Tour Chapman's state-of-the-art film and media arts building, which includes sound stages, classrooms, post-production facilities and a 500-seat movie theater. Meet in Knott Studios lobby. Free.

4 pm Campus Tour Enjoy the sights and history of the beautiful Chapman campus. Meet in Argyros Forum lobby. Free.

6:30 pm Picnic and Pops Concert Bring a picnic dinner and blankets or chairs and enjoy an outdoor concert by the Chapman Wind Symphony, under the baton of Dr. Robert Frelly, playing favorite music from the movies. Bert Williams Mall (lawn in front of Memorial Hall). Free.

6:30 pm Shabbat Service and Dinner A complimentary kosher dinner will be provided, with time for Q&A for those attending their first Shabbat. Advance registration required: call (714) 628-7260. Merle and Marjorie Fish Interfaith Center. Free.

7 pm Womens Soccer: Chapman vs. Cal State East Bay Admission \$3-\$5; free with valid Chapman ID. Holly and David Wilson Field.

8 pm The Tempest Enjoy an open dress rehearsal of the Shakespeare classic, featuring Professor Michael Nehring as Prospero; directed by Professor Thomas Bradac. Advance registration required: call (714) 997-6812. Free.

8 pm Faculty Recital: Laszlo Lak, Piano The program includes works by Haydn, Liszt, Debussy, Dohnanyi and Bartok. Salmon Recital Hall, Conservatory of Music. Free.

8 pm Student Film Screening: Storytellers of Tomorrow Screening of films by student film festival winners and the Chapman alumni who were contestants in Foxs On the Lot reality series. Paul and Daranne Folino Theater, Marion Knott Studios. Free.

SATURDAY, OCT. 6

7:30 am Chapman University/Toyota of Orange 5K The universitys second annual 5K run offers a scenic course through Old Towne Orange and the Chapman campus. Advance registration is required to participate in the run register online at www.chapman.edu/5K. \$30 registration for the general public; includes T-shirt, medal and oatmeal breakfast with President Doti after the race. Watching and cheering are free!

1-4 pm Art Exhibition: Missing/Las Desaparecidas Photo and textile-based artworks honoring the more than 400 women murdered since 1993 in the border town of Juarez, Mexico. Guggenheim Gallery. Free.

4 pm Campus Tour Enjoy the sights and history of the beautiful Chapman campus. Meet in Argyros Forum lobby. Free.

5:45 pm Homecoming Pep Rally Join the Chapman community, the Cheer Squad, the Chapman Pep Band and Pete the Panther in a spirit-raising pep rally to get ready for tonights game! Bert Williams Mall (lawn in front of Memorial Hall). Free.

7 pm Homecoming Football Game: Chapman vs. Claremont McKenna College Halftime will feature the Spirit of Chapman Student Awards, Alumni Awards, Cheer Squad and mascot Pete the Panther. Tickets \$2-\$8. Holly and David Wilson Field.

SUNDAY, OCT. 7

12:30 pm Premiere Movie Screening: Dark Matter Inspired by actual events: a gifted Chinese physics student studying at an American university finds his promising future dashed by school politics; his response is shocking. Starring Meryl Streep, Aidan Quinn and Liu Ye, this is the feature-film debut of renowned opera and theater director Chen Shi-Zheng, and won the prestigious Alfred P. Sloan Prize at the Sundance Film Festival. It was produced/financed by Orange Countys American Sterling Productions (CEO Larry Dodge, President/COO Janet Yang). Discussion and Q&A immediately following the film with producer Janet Yang. Paul and

Daranne Folino Theater, Marion Knott Studios. Free.

3 pm Chapman Dance Alliance performance Chapman dance students direct, choreograph and perform new works in a variety of dance styles. Memorial Hall. Free; voluntary donations appreciated at the door.