



May 2015

STAY AT VANDERBILT AREA HILTON HOTELS



Thank you for registering for our Vanderbilt Parents Club! Our Hilton Family of Hotels want to be your choice of hotel accommodations when visiting your Vanderbilt Student for the duration of their collegiate career at Vanderbilt University. Club membership entitles you to a 15% discount on hotel rooms at THREE different Hilton branded hotels; all conveniently located within blocks of Vanderbilt University!

- In addition to receiving 15% off regular rates at each hotel, members receive one free night after staying ten nights with the club (subject to availability).
- Your student may also be selected to receive Care Packages from the Club during Final Exams week.





You may reserve online by going through the parents club site <u>http://www.vanderbiltparentsclub.com</u> and click on a hotel logo at the top. If you are calling in your reservation, be sure to tell the representative you speak with that you are a Vanderbilt Parent Club member.



Congratulations to the winners of the Exam gift baskets!!! Lindsay Klofas Morgan Fisher Madison Alexander

The three students of Parents Club Members were randomly chosen to receive a gift basket during exam week.

Vanderbilt Commencement is May 8, 2015



For information on the activities during commencement week visit: http://www.vanderbilt.edu/commencement/



As a Vanderbilt Parents Club Member, you will receive an email when the rooms for 2016 graduation become available. (mid-June 2015)

Future Commencement Dates:

2016 - May 11, 12, 13 2017 - May 10, 11, 12 2018 - May 9, 10, 11 2019 - May 8, 9, 10

Commencement May 6, 7 and 8, 2015

FAQ's...

- Students must report to their procession lines on Alumni Lawn no later than 8:25am on Commencement Day. (8:15am if we are in Memorial Gym due to rain)
- Cap and gown pick up is in the Barnes & Noble at Vanderbilt on Wednesday and Thursday of Commencement week. (must pre-order online)
- Students receive their original diploma as they cross the stage as opposed to it being mailed after the ceremony.
- Only the Chancellor addresses the graduates on Commencement Day. Senior Day is reserved for our guest speaker. This day is all about the graduates!
- Vanderbilt does not award honorary degrees.
- You must complete all degree requirements to participate in the ceremony.
- Commencement happens once a year on the 2nd Friday in May.
- No tickets are need for Commencement Day. Only THE PARTY requires a ticket.

Get Vanderbilt Commencement text alerts: www.vanderbilt.edu/commencement/text-message

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