Frequently Asked Questions Lil' Sibs Weekend 2019 It's A Roaring Good Time!

What exactly is Lil' Sibs Weekend?

Lil' Sibs weekend is an opportunity for siblings, cousins, and/or family friends (ages 5+) of current Marquette University students to come to campus, share in the Marquette experience, and see the city of Milwaukee. The Residence Hall Association (RHA), Residence Hall and Apartment Councils, Late Night Marquette, and other organizations on campus will sponsor activities and events throughout the ROARing fun weekend.

When is it?

Lil' Sibs Weekend will be held the weekend of Friday, April 5th through Saturday, April 6th 2019. Check-in and day-of registration for the event will take place in Marquette Place in the Alumni Memorial Union (AMU) from 4pm to 8:30pm on Friday, April 5th and 7:30am-noon on Saturday, April 6th. The AMU is located at 1442 W. Wisconsin Ave. Parking is available in Structure 1, located on 749 N. 16th St., or Structure 2, located on 1249 W. Wells St. Please note that a fee may be required to park in the Marquette parking structures.

Are there any limits as to who can come?

Lil' Sibs events are geared toward children five years of age and older. We extend the offer to participate in Lil' Sibs Weekend to all relatives or family friends of current Marquette students; exceptions to this rule will be made on a case-by-case basis. Up to two guests are allowed to stay overnight in the residence halls with each Marquette student. While in the past, Marquette permitted a maximum of three guests stay with each Marquette student, the number of guests has been brought down to two in accordance with Marquette policy.

Please direct any questions or concerns about this guest limitation to Rachel Tepps at rachel.tepps@marquette.edu.

How do I register a sibling or a friend?

The registration form for Lil' Sibs weekend is located online at: www.mu.edu/orl/rha/lil-sibs.shtml

After registering, you MUST print and sign the liability waiver for each sibling or guest attending. The waivers can be found on the Lil' Sibs event page located at http://www.marquette.edu/orl/rha/lilsibs.shtml.

Once the waivers are completed, please send them to the Residence Hall Association. You can return waivers in one of three ways:

- 1. Scan and email waivers to siblingsweekend@marquette.edu ATTN: Lil' Sibs Waiver
- 2. Fax waivers to: 414-288-5108 ATTN: Lil' Sibs Waiver
- 3. Mail waivers to: RHA Lil Sibs Weekend

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Day-of registration will be available on Friday, April 5th from 4pm until 8:30pm and Saturday, April 6th from 7:30am-noon. Both will take place in Marquette Place, on the 2nd floor of the AMU.

Is there a cost?

Registration is FREE, however there are additional add-ons!

Add-ons offered are:

- Meal tickets for lunch and dinner on Saturday
- Pancake breakfast tickets
- Adventure Kits
- T-Shirts for big sibs and family (Lil' sibs get a T-shirt for free by registering)

We will have *priority deadline* for some items listed above. The priority deadline for registration to guarantee an add-on above is March 15th. If you order after the 15th of March, we cannot guarantee you will receive: Adventure Kit and T-Shirts that are add-ons as well as the included T-shirt for the registered Lil Sib. Some may be available for purchase during day-of registration.

What if I have a question about registration or need assistance with registering?

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the RHA office by email at siblingsweekend@marquette.edu or phone at 414-288-5851.

I missed the priority registration deadline, what can I do?

Lil' Sibs participants will be able to register the **day-of** at check-in on Friday, April 5th from 4pm until 8:30pm and Saturday, April 6th from 7:30am-noon. Both will take place in Marquette Place, on the 2nd floor of the AMU. Priority registration only guarantees you access to ordering T-shirts for big sibs and family, adventure kits, and meal tickets. Some may be available for purchase at day-of registration as well.

Please note that each Lil' Sibs participant will need a waiver signed by a parent or guardian for the weekend's activities.

For waivers, options include:

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• Bring signed waivers with you during check-in

Where do I check in on Friday, April 5th?

Check-in will occur from 4pm until 8:30pm at the Alumni Memorial Union (AMU), specifically in Marquette Place on the 2nd floor. All Lil' Sibs participants must check in to receive a registration packet with a visitation wristband, materials about the weekend, and meal tickets (if ordered).

What if we are coming on Saturday, April 6th?

Check-in is also available on Saturday, April 6th from 7:30am until noon in Marquette Place on the 2nd floor of the AMU for those arriving on Saturday. All Lil' Sibs participants must check in to receive a registration packet with a visitation wristband, materials about the weekend, and meal tickets (if ordered).

Can I check in my Lil' Sib(s) if they have not arrived yet?

The Lil' Sibs participants have to be present to be checked-in. If pre-registered Lil' Sibs participants arrive after the check-in time at the AMU, their packet will be located at the Marquette student's residence hall beginning at 4:00 pm. For Marquette students living in the apartments, the registration packets for Lil' Sibs participants will be available at the Information desk on the 2nd floor in the AMU beginning at 4:00 PM.

What if my child is unable to attend check-in?

In the event that a Lil Sibling is unable to attend check in on Friday or Saturday, our staff will work to ensure that they are checked in at the residence hall at which they are residing. This only applies to pre-registered siblings. Siblings who are not registered will not be allowed to participate in the events.

Where do I park?

You may park in Structure 1, located on 749 N. 16th St. or Structure 2, located on 1249 W. Wells St. Please note that a fee might be required to park in the Marquette parking structures.

Where will the siblings attending the events stay?

Lil's Sibs participants stay with their Marquette relative or sponsor in the residence halls. Roommate approval is necessary for siblings to stay in the residence halls. We ask Marquette students to please be sensitive to their roommate when hosting a Lil' Sibs participant of the opposite sex. All siblings are subject to the overnight guest policy as administered by the Office of Residence Life. In single gender halls, we designate opposite gender bathrooms for the duration of the weekend