

NEW STUDENT CONVOCATION – ACCESSIBILITY INFORMATION

New Student Convocation is August 20, 2023! Here are some details AND information to help those with accessibility needs more easily access the event.

- [Location: The Dean E. Smith Center \(aka The Dean Dome\)](#)
- Doors open at 4:00pm
- Event begins at 5:00pm
- Enter through “Entry A”. Exit through “Entry A” and “Entry B”
 - o Student leaders will direct all students to seating
 - o Seating will start on the lower level, center stage
 - o Once the lower level is full, student leaders will direct you to upper-level seating

If you are using a wheelchair or mobility device(s), please reference the information below...

Accessible Seating in The Dean Dome: In terms of mobility concerns, and access to the event itself, we will have accessible routes to get into the Dean Dome (all students will go in Entry A), and there will be spaces/sections for students using wheelchairs, or other mobility devices. There will also be space for companions to sit with folding chairs, in those spaces.

Transportation to/from The Dean Dome:

1. **P2P On-Demand** has P2P Accessibility transportation during certain times (9am-5pm on Sundays). P2P Vans are equipped with wheelchair lifts. **Learn more on how to use this at:** move.unc.edu/p2p/on-demand
2. **Chapel Hill/University Bus Transit**
 - i. **The U Route operates on the weekends and the closest stop near the Smith Center is “Bowles Dr at S11: townofchapelhill.org/government/departments-services/transit/routes-schedules/all-routes-schedules/u-route**
 1. The Bus will have “U Route” on a digital sign on the front/top of the bus.
 2. You can get on the bus at any bus stop on the U Route.
 - ii. Below you will see the bus stop indicated near the *orange star*. The Smith Center entrance is indicated by the *yellow star*.

