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Quick Facts

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The day continues with the Family Picnic, held on the Byrnes Auditorium lawn, featuring a performance by the Symphonic Band. Acting President Debra Boyd will welcome the crowd at 12 p.m. from the steps of Byrnes.

The afternoon activities include the annual Family Olympics, the RSA Block Party with inflatable games, the annual Disc Golf Tournament behind the Winthrop Coliseum and a Billiards and Ping-Pong Tournament. Evening activities include the men’s soccer game vs. Longwood University, Rock ‘n’ Roll Trivia and a movie in the campus theatre.

Check the full schedule.

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