

# AGGIE CONNECTIONS

— UC DAVIS AGGIE PARENT AND FAMILY ASSOCIATION —



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## Send Some Love this Valentine's Day

By Mary Jane Dellafiora

Soon it will be February 14, Valentine's Day. It is a good time to talk about sending care packages to your UC Davis student. In this time of cell phones, texting, email and social media, we keep closer contact with our family members than we did in the past. And you may have a student who never checks his or her "snail mail" box. But every student enjoys one old-fashioned gesture delivered to him or her: a care package. Modern quick door-to-door delivery service has spoiled us with convenience. Use it to send some affection and a quick "have a good day" for a special occasion or for no reason at all!

This seemingly antiquated gift can be appreciated more than any quick phone call, tweet, Instagram or Facebook post. It can take little time, effort or expense on a parent or loved one's part. Simply fill a small box with study break provisions like coffee and favorite snacks like...

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## Student Alumni Association



Do you and your student like celebrating Picnic Day, getting advice for alumni or mentors, or bowling at the MU Games Area? Student Alumni Association plans events to help students feel more connected to campus and the [Aggie Traditions](#). That sense of connection built through events like these increase students' graduation and retention rates. **For the month of February, you can support SAA and their programs by giving to our [Student Alumni Association Crowdfunding campaign](#).** Any amount you can [give](#) will help SAA continue to put on events that celebrate UC Davis and connect students and alumni.

## Student House and Dining

Student Housing and Dining wants to keep you informed. Here is what your student can look forward to this month.

### Dining Commons Theme Meal

February 13 – Fan Feast from 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.  
February 17 Holiday DC's open Sunday hours  
For updates on the menu, click [here](#).

### Students Can Share Their Voice with Resident Consultant

Resident Consultants is a program hosted by UC Davis Student Housing and Dining Services where students can meet with professional staff to share their experience. Not only can students give feedback on residence hall and apartment living, they have the opportunity to taste the meals that will be served on upcoming themed meals! **This month we will be meeting at Latitude the new destination dining location on campus. Join us from 1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. on February 13. Welcome to Latitude.**

### What to show off your res hall room to perspective students?

UC Davis Student Housing is looking for residents to volunteer their rooms for Decision UC Davis on Saturday, April 4. All roommates must approve to volunteer and will be compensated with Aggie Cash. Please contact your resident advisor for more information.

**Second Year Housing- There may still be an opportunity to live with Student housing for a second year.** It can be overwhelming looking for second-year housing. Recently the Off Campus Housing program provided students with helpful tips in their search for housing next year.

A copy of the presentations can be found [here](#). If students have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact [studenthousing@ucdavis.edu](mailto:studenthousing@ucdavis.edu)

### Favorites from Home Submission

Being away from home is tough, so we want to give your students a little piece of home when they dine in our dining commons. Share with us the recipe for your student's favorite dish and we might just serve it! For more info, visit [here](#).

## Preparing your Resume



Your resume should be tailored to showcase your experience and highlight your qualifications for prospective positions or companies. A good resume takes several revisions, so do not wait until right before the career fair to get your resume reviewed. For help, click the link below!

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## Quick Tips from an Aggie: How to Ace a Job Interview

- Dress Professionally
- Have a Firm Handshake
- Arrive Ten Minutes Early
- Bring Copies of your Resume
- Know the Company
- Be Honest
- Ask Questions
- Follow up with a Thank You

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