



24 HOURS IN FARMVILLE

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4:00 - 5:30 Color Wars

Color Wars, the highly anticipated annual event hosted by Longwood University, was one of the most exciting events of the semester in my opinion. The premise of this event involved students being divided into two teams, Red Class and Green Class, based on the student's graduating year, with each team given copious amounts of paint according to their team color. As the teams assembled and began strategizing, several students were selected to participate in mini-games before the main event began. As the mini-games continued, the teams became restless, paint was already being thrown around within teams. As the battle finally began, hundreds of students ran towards each other, meeting with walls of paint to stain their shirts. As the battle came to a close, sad news was relayed to the Green Class that the Red Class had been declared the winner.

7:00 - 8:30 Pino's Italian Restaurant

Following the epic events of Color Wars, walking back to Wheeler, plans were made to eat dinner as a group without a definitive answer of where we were going to eat. After tending to our "battle wounds", we discussed possible dining options, came to a decision, and walked across campus to Pino's Italian Restaurant. After arranging enough seating for a group of eight, we all sat down and placed our orders. Ordering an entrée of Alfredo pasta, everyone talked and enjoyed each others company while we waited for our food to arrive. At that point, everyone enjoyed their food and continued to converse. After finishing our meals we paid and returned to Wheeler shortly thereafter.

9:00 - 11:00 Game Night in 301

Hanging out in a friends room, a deck of cards was brought out and several card games ensued. Sitting in a circle, we played both Capitalism and Kemps for hours. Playing card games since a young child, it came as no surprise that my teammate and I won several rounds of both games. As the night continued, everyone realized that their day started early the next morning and we all went to sleep.

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11:00 - 11:45 Girl's Club Soccer Game

Supporting friends on the Girl's Club Soccer team, several people from the previous group decided to walk to Lancer Park to watch the match. Watching the game from the sidelines, I enjoyed my breakfast from Einsteins Bagels where we had stopped for breakfast before the game. While we were only able to watch 45 minutes of the match, we were glad to hear that Longwood had won against Lynchburg.

12:00 - 2:00 Oktoberfest

Returning from the soccer match, Oktoberfest was well underway when we arrived. However, I was required to return my drawstring bag to my room before participating in all of the festivities. As I explored the numerous booths and activities that Oktoberfest had to offer, my attention was pulled in so many different directions from different people wanting me to buy their items. Each booth had something different to offer; however, certain booths were far more unique than others. There were also booths selling different food items, ranging from friend Oreos to Dippin' Dots. I gathered some interesting information about the different clubs and organizations and am trying to decide which clubs I might join next year, or maybe even next semester.

8:00 - 12:00 Great Gatsby Party

Prior to Oktoberfest and Color Wars, I was extended an invitation from one of my friends to a party in celebration of his twenty-first birthday. Arriving slightly early, I was given the opportunity to settle in before others had arrived. As the night continued, everyone played games and had conversations. During this time I was able to meet numerous upperclassmen and learn from their advice. As the night came to a bitter-sweet end, I said my farewells and made my way back to campus.

12:30 - 1:00 Cards Against Humanity

Arriving back on campus, I received a text message from some friends asking if I wanted to play a few rounds of Cards Against Humanity. Not quite ready to end my night, I agreed and made my way down to their room. After only a few short rounds, I found myself beginning to fall asleep. After a long day like the one I had, I knew that it was time for me to hit the hay.