Event Parking at SIU

Buses should enter campus from Route 51 South at the intersection of Lincoln Drive and Route 51 South. They should proceed to the Student Center Drop area where the buses will be directed by Parking Agents/Police Officers. They will be met by additional parking agents/police officers who will assist them in unloading their students. Once unloaded, the buses should proceed over to Lot 56 (located south of Saluki Drive). Buses are NOT allowed in Lot 18 (immediately south of the Arena).

Buses are NOT to unload or park in the Saluki Express drop-off areas for safety and minimal congestion.

Others coming by small van or cars should proceed to Lots 13 (metered parking areas only), located directly across the street from the Student Center. For free event parking vans and cars should also proceed to lot 56.

Once the event is over, buses may proceed back to the original drop-off location to pick up their students. Buses should NOT take the route they used to get to lot 56 and should exit on Saluki Drive to get back on 51 and proceed north to the main campus entrance. Police officers/parking agents will once again be on hand to assist the bus drivers.

For the convenience of your participants & bus drivers, a color-coded pdf-format parking map of campus is available for printing at our website. (Darlene added this: If the link that is provided below will not open, go to http://parking.siu.edu. Choose On-Campus Parking. Under "Where Are the Lots?" you will find the map.)