

## POWER OF 8'S

With the Power of 8 system a group of eight (8) students can apply to live together on the same floor in Lower Residence Hall. ONE group application needs to be submitted by the due date.

Any group with less than eight students will not be considered. To apply for a Power of 8, simply submit an application form by the due date for review. Power of 8's will be granted based on conduct record, contribution to Housing community, and the combined point value of all the members of the group. Each member will be awarded a point value based on their current class standing (graduation year) with seniors being given 4 points, juniors 3 and so on. The groups with the highest total will be awarded a Power of 8. On your Power of 8 application you will need to pick your top 3 floor choices to live. If granted Power of 8 you will not need to attend the room selection meeting. Those groups being denied a Power of 8 will be notified in advance so that members can choose an alternate housing option and will need to attend the room selection on Wednesday 3/4/09 (Juniors/ Seniors) and Thursday 3/5/09. (Sophomores).

## OFF-CAMPUS REQUESTS

Anyone wanting to live off-campus next year must submit an off-campus housing petition by Friday, February 20, 2009 at 5pm to the Housing Office. All applicants will be notified within a couple of days of turning in their petition regarding approval or denial. If denied, applicants **MUST** attend room selection on either 3/4/09 or 3/5/09, depending on your class, to choose an on-campus room. Or apply for specialty housing.


## Training Ship Golden Bear:

Anyone wishing to live on the TSGB must submit an application by the due date. Those applicants who qualify to live on the BEAR will be notified in advance of their approval or denial. If approved, only those applicants new to the TSGB for the 2009-2010 academic year and those current TSGB residents wishing to change rooms will need to attend room selection. Those applicants who do not qualify will be contacted via email and will need to attend room selection on March 4th or 5th.




## 24-Hour Quiet Housing:

For those wishing to live in quiet housing the same procedures apply as those for the Golden Bear (see above.) For those interested in forming a Power of 8 in quiet housing please complete a Power of 8 application form and indicate on that form your preference for quiet housing.



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# **Room Selection 2009**

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## ▶ What is room selection?

Room selection is a time for you to choose whom you would like to live with and where you would like to live during the 2009-2010 academic year. It is important that you read over this brochure so as to familiarize yourself with all of the options available to you so that you can make an intelligent and well-informed decision about where to live next year. To participate in Room Selection you must submit a signed Housing License Agreement on the day of Room Selection. Housing License Agreements, Off-Campus petitions and Specialty Housing Applications will be available outside the Housing Office in URH as well as online. Housing License Agreements will also be available during Room Selection.

### What are my on-campus housing options?

1. You can select to live in the same room next year.
2. You can choose to live in the same residence hall but in a different room.
3. You can move to a different hall altogether.
4. You can apply to live in specialty housing which includes the TSGB and 24 Hour Quiet Housing.
5. You can create your own community by applying for a Power of 8.
6. You can apply for a single room (limited space available)

### IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

#### Friday, February 20 @ 5pm

Off-campus petitions due. Late petitions will not be accepted

#### Monday, February 23 @ 5pm

TSGB, 24-Quiet, Power of 8's, and Single Room apps due. Late applications will not be accepted.

#### Wednesday, March 4 (Juniors/Seniors) 5-7pm URH

#### Thursday, March 5 (Sophomores) 5-7pm, URH

#### Proxy Form

If you cannot attend room selection please pick up a proxy form from the housing office. This form allows another student to sign you up for a room for 2009-10. Along with this form you will need to fill out and attach a Housing License agreement.

#### How does the Room Selection Process Work?

Room Selection will take place on Monday, March 3rd beginning at 5pm in the Upper Residence Hall Lounge. The housing option you choose and your class standing will determine which time you register for housing. In some cases a point system will apply.

Room Registration is based on class standing. Class standing refers to your anticipated year of graduation when you entered CMA. This DOES NOT refer to corps change over.

#### **Wednesday March 4**

5:00 - 6:00pm Class of 2010 registration

6:00- 7:00pm Class of 2011 registration

#### **Thursday March 5**

5:00 - 7:00pm Class of 2012 registration

Note: Residents approved for specialty housing do not need to attend Room Selection on March 4 or 5.

Registration within your time slot is on a first come first served basis. We advise you to get in line early to get the room you want.

## Specialty Housing Options

### Single Rooms

Anyone desiring a single room next year MUST complete a Single Room Application Form. This includes those residents who currently reside in a single room. Application forms will be available in the Housing Office in URH and in the Student Center. You are **NOT** allowed to squat a single room. There are only seven (7) designated singles on campus, therefore single rooms will be granted based on current class standing, conduct record, and contribution to the Housing community. All applicants will be contacted prior to room selection via email and notified of their status. If approved for a single room, applicants will automatically be assigned the room chosen on their application form provided that room is still available. In the event that applicants of equal class standing apply, a lottery will be held to determine who shall receive a single room and first picks. Class standing is based on anticipated year of graduation upon entering CMA.

