WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY
DEPARTMENT OF ATHLETICS
VISITORS GUIDE
Dear Visitors,

We are looking forward to hosting your team on the campus of Wesleyan University in Middletown, Connecticut. This visitors guide has been designed for the purpose of making your trip to Middletown more enjoyable. Enclosed, please find our department directory, directions to campus, tailgate and parking information and a list of local restaurants in Middletown. Should you have any questions during your stay, please contact Stephanie Scarpato at sscarpato@wesleyan.edu or (860) 685-3644.

The entire Wesleyan University athletics department wishes you the best of luck this season!

Sincerely,

Stephanie Scarpato

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## Important Information

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Middletown, CT 06459  
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Directions

By Car from Hartford and North:
Take Interstate 91 South through Hartford to exit 22S (left-hand exit). This exit is for Route 9 South to Middletown. At exit 15 (second light), turn right onto Route 66 West (also called Washington Street). Please refer to specific athletic facility instructions below.

By Car from New Haven and South:
Traveling on Interstate 91 North, take exit 18 (66 East) - or - Traveling on Merritt/Wilbur Cross Parkway (Route 15 North), take exit 68 to Route 691/66 East. Route 66 becomes Washington Street in Middletown. Please refer to specific athletic facility instructions below.

By Car from Waterbury and West:
Traveling on Interstate 84 East, take exit 27 to Route 691/66 East. Route 66 E becomes Washington Street in Middletown. Please refer to specific athletic facility instructions below.

By Car from New London and Southeast:
Travel on Route 95 North to Route 9 North in Old Saybrook. Follow Route 9 North all the way to Middletown and turn left at the first traffic light in Middletown (Route 66 West). Please refer to specific athletic facility instructions below.

By Car from Willimantic and East:
Travel on Route 66 West all the way to Portland. Go over the bridge to Middletown, which puts you on Main Street. Stay on Main Street to third light, which is for Route 66 West (Washington Street). Turn right on Washington Street. Please refer to specific athletic facility instructions below.

To the Freeman Athletic Center:
If coming West on Route 66/Washington Street, go past High Street and turn left at next light onto Vine Street (cemetery on corner). Travel on Vine Street (tennis courts on right), turning to the right onto Knowles Avenue where the street branches off. At the stop sign turn right. Car parking for the Freeman Athletic Center is available in both Lot R on the right side of Cross Street across from the Freeman Athletic Center or in Lot Q, which is located on the left side of Cross Street (first left after the fire station). Additional parking is available in the Vine St (Lot V) and Pine St (Lot U) Lots.

If coming East on Route 66/Washington Street, turn right on Vine Street (cemetery on corner), which is the first light past Nardelli’s and Midas. Travel on Vine Street (tennis courts on right), turning right onto Knowles Avenue where the street branches off. At the stop sign turn right. Car parking for the Freeman Athletic Center is available in both Lot R on the right side of Cross Street across from the Freeman Athletic Center or in Lot Q, which is located on the left side of Cross Street (first left after the fire station). Additional parking is available in the Vine St (Lot V) and Pine St (Lot U) Lots.
Post-Game Tailgates

Visiting Teams and parents looking to hold any post-game tailgates or meals must request to do so in advance. Please contact Stephanie Scarpato (sscarpato@wesleyan.edu) or Scott Bushey (sbushey@wesleyan.edu).

Athletic Training Services Information

Athletic training services will be available two hours before the scheduled start time of any contest. Available in the Athletic Training Room is ice, heat, and tape (though visiting teams must provide their own supplies). For teams traveling with a Certified Athletic Trainer an Auxiliary Athletic Training Room is available. For teams not traveling with an ATC, one will be present at all events barring golf and crew.

Any specific treatments for an athlete or other instructions or questions please contact Director of Athletic Injury Care, Joe Fountain, at jfountain@wesleyan.edu.

Freeman Athletic Center
- Silloway Gymnasium
  - Volleyball/Basketball/Wrestling
- Bacon Field House
  - Track/Wrestling/Tennis
- Spurrier-Snyder Rink
  - Ice Hockey
- Natatorium
- Rosenbaum Squash Center
- Locker room facilities

Corwin Stadium at Andrus Field
- Football

Dresser Diamond at Andrus Field
- Baseball

Jackson Field
- Soccer
- Men's Lacrosse

Anderson Track / Citrin Field
- Track
- Men’s Lacrosse
- Soccer

Smith Field
- Field Hockey
- Women’s Lacrosse
- Soccer

Softball Field

Macomber Boathouse
- Crew

The Wes Fuhrman ’05 Trails at Long Lane Farm
- Cross Country

John Wood Memorial Tennis Courts
- Tennis
Parking

Bus Drop Off and Parking
Buses can drop off at the Freeman Athletic Center in the bus circle on Cross St, across from the end of Knowles Ave. Buses are not allowed to drop off in the Warren St. Circle. At Jackson Field & Andrus, buses can drop off on Wyllys Ave. Buses must park in the large Vine St. parking lot, Lot V, located next to the tennis courts.

Freeman Athletic Center Entrance and Parking Information

Entrance Instructions:
All visitors must enter the Freeman Athletic Center through the front doors on the north side of the building on Cross Street. The bridge entrance from Lot Q will be open only when an event is scheduled in the gymnasium.

Parking Instructions:
All parking for users and visitors of the Freeman Athletic Center will be in either the Cross Street parking lot (Lot R) or the West parking lot (Lot Q). The entrance to Lot R is located on Cross Street directly across from the fire station. The entrance to Lot Q is on Cross Street and is the first left after the fire station. There will be no bus parking allowed in either Lot R or Lot Q.

Spectator Parking at Smith Field (Turf Field)
Follow the directions to the Freeman Athletic Center (above). From the Freeman Athletic Center proceed west on Cross Street (which becomes Long Lane). Turn left after passing the Softball Field, there is a sign for 170 Long Lane and Smith Field. Turn Right into the Smith Field Lot, located next to 170 Long Lane and on the hill next to Smith Field.

Spectator Parking at Jackson Field
Parking for the games is available in Lot V on Vine St.

Spectator Parking at Baseball – Dresser Diamond
Parking for baseball games is available in designated spaces in Lot V on Vine St. Parking on the grass or edges of Andrus field is not permitted.
Local Accommodations

**Hotel Prices:** Many hotels have special prices for Wesleyan University. When booking your rooms, please mention that you are with Wesleyan.

**Walking distance from campus:**

**Inn at Middletown**
70 Main Street
(860) 854-6300
[Directions](#)

**Up to a 15–minute drive from campus:**

**Courtyard by Marriott Hartford/Cromwell**
4 Sebethe Drive
Cromwell, CT 06416
(860) 635-1001 x406
Dan Miller
[Directions](#)

**Radisson Hotel Cromwell**
100 Berlin Road,
Middletown, CT 06416
(860) 807-2454
Becky Plaskett
[Directions](#)

**Sheraton Hartford South**
100 Capital Boulevard
Rocky Hill, CT 06067
(860) 257-6049
Kenneth Gribbon
[Directions](#)
Dining Out

Approximate Price Range
$ — Inexpensive  $$ — Moderate  $$$ — Expensive

Note: Reservations and credit cards accepted, unless otherwise noted. Some restaurants in the area may not be included in this list. If you choose a restaurant on the list below, please call ahead to make sure it is open on the day you wish to dine.

This list has been compiled for your information only and does not imply a recommendation or endorsement.

$$ Amici Italian Grill
280 Main St. #115
(860) 346-0075
Style: Italian
Directions
Reservations accepted for parties of six or more

$ Athenian Diner
864 Washington Street
(860) 346-2272
Style: Diner
Directions
Reservations accepted for parties of ten or more

$ BrewBakers
169 Main Street
(860) 852-0001
Style: Bagels
Directions
Reservations not accepted

$$ Cypress Restaurant and Grill
1265 South Main Street
(860) 346-3367
Style: American
Directions
Reservations accepted for parties of five or more

$$ Esca
437 Main Street
(860) 316-2552
Style: Italian
Directions
Reservations not accepted

$$ First and Last Tavern
220 Main Street
(860) 347-2220
Style: Italian/Pizzeria
Directions
Reservations accepted for parties of eight or more

$$ It's Only Natural
Main Street Market
386 Main Street
(860) 346-9210
Style: Vegan/Vegetarian
Directions
Reservations not accepted

$$ Luce Restaurant
98 Washington Street
(860) 346-0222
Style: Italian Deli
Directions
Reservations not accepted

$$ Mezzo Grille
106 Court St
(860) 346-6000
Style: American fusion
Directions

$$ Neon Deli and Market
130 Cross Street
(860) 347-1800
Style: Deli Take-Out
Directions
Reservations not accepted

$ O'Rourke's Diner
728 Main Street
(860) 346-6101
Style: American Diner
Directions
Reservations not accepted

$ Public Market
480 Main Street
(860) 346-3340
Style: Italian/Deli Take-Out
Directions

$$$ Tavern at the Armory at the Inn at Middletown
70 Main Street
(860) 854-6323
Directions
Style: Traditional New England

$$ Tuscany Grill
120 College St.
(860) 346-7096
Style: Italian/American Deli
Directions
Reservations accepted for parties of six or more

$ Wes Wings
156 High Street
(860) 685-3510
Style: Casual
Directions
Reservations not accepted