Evening Safety Standards

The spirit of the Evening Safety Standards is to ensure the safety and security of our students, faculty and staff as well as our campus community by taking proactive measures.

The goals of Evening Safety Standards are to revitalize and uphold the firm standard of respect and integrity in the SC State Community. If at anytime, the Evening Safety Standards policy is dishonored, disciplinary actions will be imposed. The fundamentals of the standards are as follows:

- Basketball court will be locked by campus police at 11:00 pm
  - After hour violations: students will be issued trespass notice from basketball court and handled judicially - non-students will be issued trespass notice and a warrant will be issued if the trespass notice is violated after warning.

- Visitation is over at 11:00 pm - Residence halls will be closed at 12 am. Thursday night’s, Residence halls will close at 2:30 am on Saturdays’ after home games - no movement should occur after 3:00 am.

- Students must be in their assigned Residence hall by 12:00 am.

- Residents and guests must not loiter.
  - No loitering in the breezeways, halls or lobbies. Residence Security Officers will clear breezeways; Residence Security officers and university police will clear parking lots (particularly Hugine suites and university village).

- Residence Security Officers will monitor the lobby in addition to completing their security rounds. The RSO’s will conduct building security checks and log-in students who enter after midnight.

- Student Organization parties held on campus must conclude at midnight.

- Notify ODPS (Orangeburg Department of Public Safety) AND OCSO (Orangeburg County Sheriff’s Office) for illegal parking outside the gates at Buckley, Russell and Chestnut streets.

The University has implemented Evening Safety Standards along with Emergency Call Boxes, Surveillance Cameras and enhanced patrol techniques. We believe that these measures are only a part of what will continue to make this campus safe. Further steps include awareness on the part of all students, faculty, staff and visitors.