

# **GUEST ACCOMODATIONS HANDBOOK**

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## **FRONT DESK**

Monday to Friday from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm.

- Check in and check out is done at the Front Desk.
- Items are available for guest use by leaving picture I.D. (i.e., cards, vacuums, mops, etc.)
- General assistance.

For assistances after hours for the front desk, please contact the Security non-emergency line: 1-855-239-7654.

For emergency situations, On Campus Security is can assist you in an emergency from 8:30 pm to 8:30 am at 1-855-282-7770 (emergency) or 1-855-239-7654 (non-emergency).

#### WIRELESS INTERNET

Wireless Internet access is available in each individual bedroom. Please see Front Desk if you are having a problem with your connection.

#### LAUNDRY

- All of the laundry machines operate by using laundry cards which can be purchased at Front Desk at \$5.00 per card (cash only).
- There is a \$5.00 deposit required should you wish to return the card after use. If you do not return the card, you will be charged \$25.
- If you run out of funds on the card, you may purchase a new card from the staff at the Front Desk between 10AM to 6PM Monday to Friday.
- Laundry rooms are located on the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> floors.
- Detergent pods are available for purchase from the Front Desk for \$1.00 each (plus tax).
- Should you experience any problems with the machines please be sure to contact the Front Desk and a work order will be generated to repair the machine as soon as possible.

#### COMMUNAL KITCHENS

- Please ask the Front Desk which communal kitchen is available for guest use.
- The use of the kitchens is limited to certain hours and supervised by CCTV cameras.
- Guests are responsible for cleaning up after themselves and ensuring others are treating the kitchen with respect.
- Cleaning supplies such as dishwasher detergent, dish soap, sponges, dish towels, and paper towels will be provided for the kitchens.
- Please keep the sink free of food and dishes, ensure floors remain dry and clean, and ensure surfaces of tables and counters are cleaned after each use.
- Noise must be kept at a reasonable level while in the Common Rooms.
- Disposal bins are provided for composting, garbage, and bottle recycling.
- No personal food is to be left or stored in the kitchen.
- Guests are responsible for bringing and removing their own cooking utensils, pots, pans, etc. No personal dishes or cooking apparel can be stored in communal kitchen.
- Fire doors are to remain closed at all times.

#### **COMMON ROOMS**

- Please ask the Front Desk which common room is available for guest use.
- Each room has a TV, DVD player, and microwave.
- There is also a washroom located in each common room.

#### **BIKE STORAGE**

Bike storage is available in the underground parking garage. Please see the Front Desk to make arrangements for bike storage.

#### **REPAIRS AND DAMAGES**

All repairs must be reported to the Front Desk. Damages and vandalism should be reported to the Front Desk immediately. Damages which are traceable to an individual or a group of individuals will be billed directly to the individual or person(s) responsible for the group.

## **OVERNIGHT PARKING**

Outdoor parking for Lá:lem te Baker guests is available in Lot 10, across the street from Overnight parking is \$5.00/night plus GST when requested in advance. Otherwise, parking can be paid for at the meter inside the Envision Athletic Centre or through the Pay by Phone App, site code 1925.

#### **CAMPUS FOOD SERVICES**

Breakfast and lunch are available on campus during the summer months. The Cascade Café is in Building B and Tim Horton's is located in Building G. Please check our Dining Services website for the summer hours of operation at <a href="http://www.ufv.ca/dining/get-location-hours/">http://www.ufv.ca/dining/get-location-hours/</a>.

#### **CHECK IN AND CHECK OUT**

Check in is available from 4:00 pm on the day of arrival and checkout is before 11:00am on the day of departure unless otherwise arranged with Conference Services in advance. Extra costs, up to the amount of one night's accommodation, can be charged to the guest's account should they exceed the check-out time without prior notice. Front desk is open10AM to 6PM Monday to Fridays for checkins/outs.

#### SUPERVISION OF MINORS IN RESIDENCE

A minimum of one Chaperone is required for every 8 guests aged 7-14 years staying in Lá:lem te Baker, and a minimum of one Chaperone is required for every 10 guests aged 15-18 years. Chaperones may not leave youth unsupervised, and Chaperones will act as a liaison between the Housing Operations staff and the youth in event of problems with discipline, noise, or destructive behaviour. The Chaperone is also expected to enforce the Lá:lem te Baker rules.

#### LIABILITY FOR ROOM CONTENTS

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, UFV, its officers, directors, employees and others for whom it is in law responsible are not liable, directly or indirectly, for loss or theft of personal property, or for damage or destruction of such property by fire, water or other cause, however caused. **UFV strongly recommends that you obtain insurance against such eventualities.** We do not purchase such protection for your property, **which should include liability coverage\* for injury or damage.** 

#### **ACCESS CARDS AND KEYS**

Lost cards and keys should be reported immediately to the Front Desk. Access cards and keys are replaced at a cost of \$50 each plus tax and this charge will be placed on their credit card. Credit will not be issued if the card and/or key is returned after the guest has checked out.

## **ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION**

Alcohol is permitted at UFV provided the guests are of legal drinking age as defined by the Province of British Columbia and only under the following circumstances:

Alcohol is only to be consumed in the individual units.

- Alcohol may not be consumed in public areas e.g. hallways, balconies, patios, outside of buildings.
- The carrying of unsealed or open liquor from room to room is not permitted.

#### **SMOKING**

All UFV campuses, centres, and grounds are smoke-free environments. Smoking or vaping cannabis and tobacco are prohibited across all campuses and properties. Guests must walk off-campus to McKenzie Road to smoke.

#### **DRUGS**

The possession, use, trafficking (which includes manufacture, sale, giving, administering, transporting, sending, delivery, distributing) or offering to do anything related to the possession, use, or trafficking of illegal drugs is prohibited. Any involvement, whether direct or indirect, in any illegal drug or drug-related activity is prohibited. Possession of paraphernalia that is associated with the possession, use or trafficking of illegal drugs is prohibited. These activities will result in eviction and referral to the police.

## **ANIMALS**

Animals of any kind are not permitted in the guest accommodation building. If a guest is found with an animal in the building, he or she will be required to remove the animal immediately and will be assessed a fumigation fee if necessary. Comfort animals are not permitted in Lá:lem te Baker.

### **GUIDE & SERVICE DOGS**

Guide or service dogs for persons with disabilities are the only exception to our policy on animals in the accommodation. According to the Guide Dog and Service Dog Act of the Province of British Columbia, we require the guest bring their government issued certificate or other documentation showing the dog has been suitably trained.

- The dog must wear a "service animal identification vest" at all times while outside of the unit.
- The animal cannot be at any time left unattended in the room, the unit or the building.
- Guide or service dogs must be clean, well-groomed, free of offensive odours, and appear healthy.
- The dog should behave in an appropriate manner while on our campus i.e., the dog should not show aggression or pose risk to others or property.
- You must pick up immediately after your dog has defecated on University property and throw away the feces in the appropriate manner.
- The dog should not solicit attention or food, run freely, urinate or defecate in inappropriate areas, disrupt other guests or our business in accommodation, or make unnecessary vocalizations (barking, growling, etc.).
- If we have concerns about the behavior of the guide or service dog or the dog continues to misbehave, we will ask you to check out of Lá:lem te Baker or remove your dog from our campus.
- Prior arrangements must be made with Conference Services before you check into Lá:lem te Baker if you are being accompanied by a guide or service dog.
- You will be required to sign a waiver at the time of check in.
- Any damages caused by the guide or service dog will be charged to the owner.
- Comfort animals are not licensed service or guide dogs and thus not allowed in Lá:lem te Baker.

#### **QUIET HOURS**

Quiet Hours are from 11:00pm – 8:00am Sunday to Thursday and from 1:00am – 9:00am Friday and Saturday.

#### **VISITORS**

All visitors are the responsibility of their hosts (the guest staying in Lá:lem te Baker) and must abide by the rules and regulations established in Lá:lem te Baker or they could be barred from visiting. Visitors must be accompanied by their host in the building at all times. Visitors are not permitted to use the host's key(s) to access the building.

## **RULES** (general and not all inclusive)

- You have the privilege of enjoying social activities as long as they do not conflict with the rights of other guests and students here to pursue academic endeavours.
- When notified of fire or other emergencies in the building, you must immediately leave the building and remain outside until permission to re-enter is given by safety/security personnel. Failure to comply may result in eviction from Lá:lem te Baker and termination of your reservation.
- For health reasons, food is to be stored in suitable enclosed containers to avoid contamination, vermin and odour.
- The following practices and activities are prohibited throughout the Accommodations system:
  - Firearms and any other weapon or item discharging, tampering with, or operating any fire
    prevention or detection apparatus for any purpose other than the control of fire. These
    activities may result in immediate eviction from Lá:lem te Baker;
  - Tampering with electrical or mechanical services, telecommunications equipment, vending and laundry machines or push carts;
  - Being on the roof of Lá:lem te Baker except in emergencies. Any individual found to be on the roof of the accommodation building may be subject to immediate eviction from Lá:lem te Baker:
  - o Throwing or dropping anything from balconies, windows or rooftops;
  - Participating in potentially destructive activities that may cause personal injuries or property damage, e.g.(but not limited to), pranks, water fights, indoor sports or using roller blades or bicycles in the building;
  - Entering another guest's room or disturbing another guest's property without the permission of the guest;
  - Bringing in or keeping firecrackers, gunpowder, flammable solvents or other forms of explosive or volatile material in the accommodation;
  - Unauthorized entry or meddling with contents of University store rooms, offices, desks, cafeterias, mechanical rooms or construction areas, and possession of unauthorized keys;
  - Cooking in rooms or using electrical or other cooking appliances, including but not limited to toaster ovens, hot plates, ovens, grills, etc., except in areas with approved kitchen facilities. Exceptions include steamers, slow cookers, electric tea kettle, and coffee pot and hairdryers;
  - Keeping bicycles or motorized cycles in stairwells, hallways, lounges or other common areas in the accommodation building, or public walkways;
  - Relocating lounge and dining area furniture into guest rooms or other common areas;
  - Installing or using water beds or hot tubs;
  - Installing or using satellite dishes or other telecommunications equipment or services not approved by Residence Services;
  - Installing or using halogen lamps;
  - Engaging in activities that compromise the safety and/or security of the guests, their belongings, or the building;
  - Using shisha, barbeques, any coal burning device, burning candles or incense in any area of the building is not permitted

The University has a responsibility to regulate the behaviour of guests living in the accommodation to the extent necessary to preserve good order and protect the overall interested of the accommodation community, the safety, rights and property of individuals and the property of the University.

## **EMERGENCY INFORMATION**

#### IF YOU DISCOVER A FIRE

- Leave the fire area.
- Immediately sound the fire alarm by activating the nearest red alarm pull station.
- Call the Fire Department. <u>Dial 911.</u> Tell them you are reporting a fire at: <u>1385 McKenzie Road.</u>
   Abbotsford, BC
- At your discretion, attempt to control the fire with available fire equipment.
- Close doors behind you; leave the building by the nearest safe exit.
- Do not use the elevator.

#### WHEN YOU HEAR THE ALARM

- Leave the building immediately by the nearest safe exit.
- Close doors behind you.
- Remain calm.
- When you have reached the outside, head to the designated assembly area
- Call the Fire Department. <u>Dial 911.</u> Tell them you are reporting a fire at: <u>1385 McKenzie Road.</u> <u>Abbotsford, BC</u>
- Do not go back into the building for any reason. The Fire Department will advise when it is safe to do so.

#### THE DESIGNATED ASSEMBLY AREA FOR THIS BUILDING IS

West side of the building, across the Campus Ring Road in <u>Parking Lot #10</u>

#### **FLOOD PROCEDURES**

In the event of a flood, (i.e., over-flowing toilet, plugged sink, broken water line, or water dripping from ceiling):

- Immediately shut the water off at the shut-off point.
- Contact Security 1-855-239-7654
- For a broken water line, immediately contact the Operations Manager who in turn will contact the appropriate person on the Facilities Emergency Contact List.
- Remain calm.
- Cease using all electrical equipment.
- Move to safety.
- Warn others of the hazards until Facilities personnel respond to the situation.
- If necessary, evacuate the building.
- Note:
  - A flood is not always an emergency it depends on the extent of the flood area.
  - Water should be shut off immediately by the occupant of the suite.
  - The most important thing in a flood situation is to limit the damage shut the water off.

#### **EARTHQUAKE PROCEDURES**

In the event of an earthquake at UFV, Lá:lem te Baker staff and guests shall react in the following manner:

- During the shaking, protect yourself by taking cover under a table, desk, or crouch against an
  interior wall (do not stand in a doorway). Do not stand under light fixtures, near book shelves,
  etc. If possible, predetermine a safe location to take cover in, prior to an earthquake,
- Do not leave cover until instructed to do so.
- After a major shock, evacuate the building as in a fire, if so directed by Emergency Response Persons. REMEMBER, additional shocks or tremors may occur.
- Keep calm. Do not run outdoors. Watch for falling debris or electrical wires when leaving the building.
- Proceed to the designated assembly area in Parking Lot #10, if it is safe to do so.
- If fire occurs, activate the nearest fire alarm pull station as system may still be functional.
- If qualified, render first-aid. If not qualified, assist those rendering or requiring first-aid.
- Report any missing persons to Emergency Response Persons as they will relay information to the Fire Department.
- Telephones are to be reserved for emergency use only.

#### **ACTIVE THREAT ON CAMPUS**

Although rare, shooting and other extreme threat incidents on campus are difficult to predict and virtually impossible to defend against. Those threatened during such incidents are motivated by an instinct for self-preservation. These instructions are intended to help you consider how you can respond during an active threat incident on campus in order to stay safe. Having a plan in mind is critical to remaining calm and focused during such an incident.

#### Instructions:

- Call 911
  - If you identify a threatening situation on campus involving a gun or other weapon, contact the Police using 911. Do not assume that someone else has done so already. Provide details such as location, description of suspect, and weapons used.
- Call campus security
  - Contact the on-duty Security Officer ext. 7770 or 1-855-282-7770 (cell phone)
- Evacuate or seek refuge
  - Do not engage the person(s) involved. If you can, evacuate quickly, seeking refuge as far away as possible. Warn others to do the same. If you cannot, seek refuge in an office or classroom. Call 911 to inform the police of your location, the number of people with you, and whether there are injuries.
- Barricade and hunker down
  - If you are not in a classroom, proceed to the nearest room, directing others to join you. Close and lock the door if you can. Barricade the door with furniture or heave objects. Stay away from windows. Cover door windows and shut off lights. Keep quiet. Silence cell phones.
- Stay put
  - Do not exit your refuge point until directed to do so by the police. Police will neutralize the threat and conduct a systematic evacuation of all areas on campus, clearing each and every room.
- Move quickly during police-led evacuation
  - When asked to evacuate, move quickly, raise your hands above your head so police know you are not a threat. Move as far away from the buildings as possible; do not interfere with police operations.
- Keep roadways clear
  - Emergency response vehicles need clear roadways. Avoid adding your car to the congestion.

- Watch for information
  - When it is safe and practical, UFV Administration will communicate with employees and students. Information will be distributed via email, the web site, media statements, and in some cases in person or via phone.
- Be cautious about making comments to the media
  - If you are asked for a statement, you can choose not to respond or to be factual about your own personal experience. Refer all UFV-related media questions and requests to the President's office.

#### **IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS**

Lá:lem te Baker Front Desk ...... 604-557-4063

Police, Ambulance, Fire ...... 911

Campus Security ...... 1-855-282-7770 (cell)

For all external contacts below, dial 9 first to access an outside line

Poison Control Centre 1-800-567-8911 BC Nurse Line 24hr Health Information 1-800-567-8911

**Transportation** 

Abbotsford Taxi	604-855-1111	Bus Information (24 hour)	604-854-3232
Central Valley Taxi	604-859-1111	Abbotsford Airport	604-855-1135
Green Valley Taxi	604-607-4444	BC Ferries	800-223-3779

Visitor Information Centre 604 859-1721