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Clemson won't hold in-person classes on Aug. 29 because of football home opener

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Clemson University has told students, faculty and staff they do not need to show up for class when the school plays its first home football game of the 2019 season on Thursday, Aug. 29.

Though there will be no in-classroom instruction at any of Clemson's campuses, [the school says it's not a day off. Rather, it's an "eLearning day,"](#) where instructors who decide to hold classes will have to do so online, according to a release from Clemson.

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Last Year's Messages

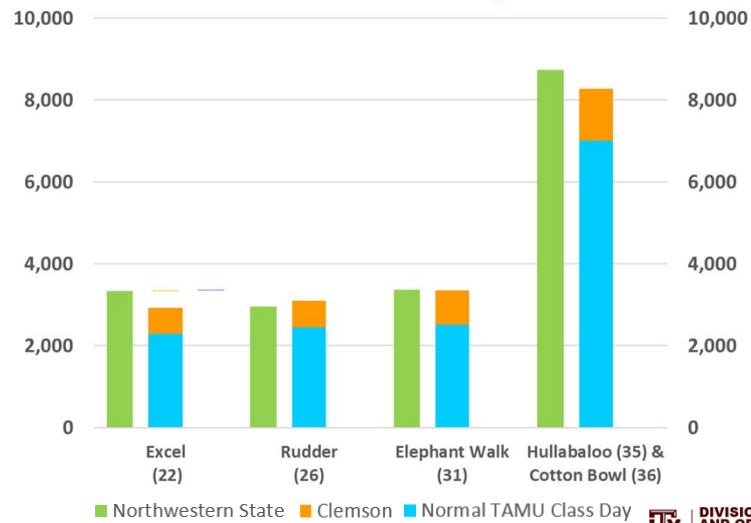
- We WANT professors to teach class – its why we're here.
- We WANT students to go to class – its why they're here.
- We WANT fans to come to the game.
- Our approach: Help us, Help you
 - Plan ahead, Know your options, Allow extra time
 - Don't try to find a "hole" in the system – be part of the solution.
- We need to communicate – one united message.
 - How do you want us to engage your community?
- Flexibility will be key – this will not be a normal day.

Engaging the Community and Fan Base

- Distributed more than **70,000 pieces of printed collateral** directly to community
- **100,000 visits to Football Thursday webpage** during the two-weeks around the football game.
 - Previous year **10,000 visits**.
 - Nearly **70% of visitors** reached the Football Thursday webpage as their first page.
- Destination Aggieland – **46,360 sessions with 20,630 active users**
 - Previous year – 17,000 sessions with about 5,000 active users.

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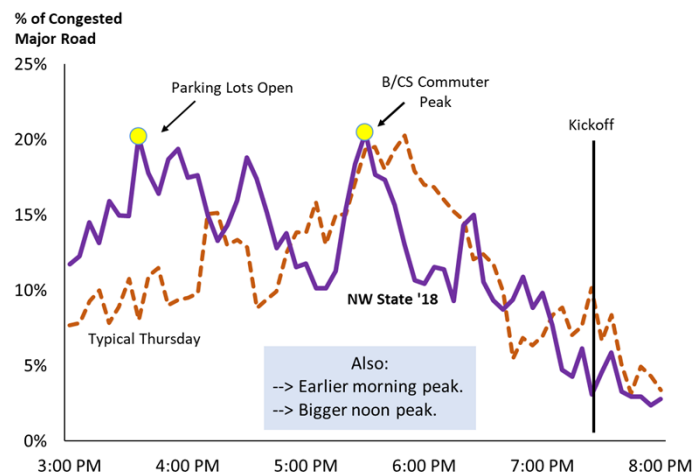
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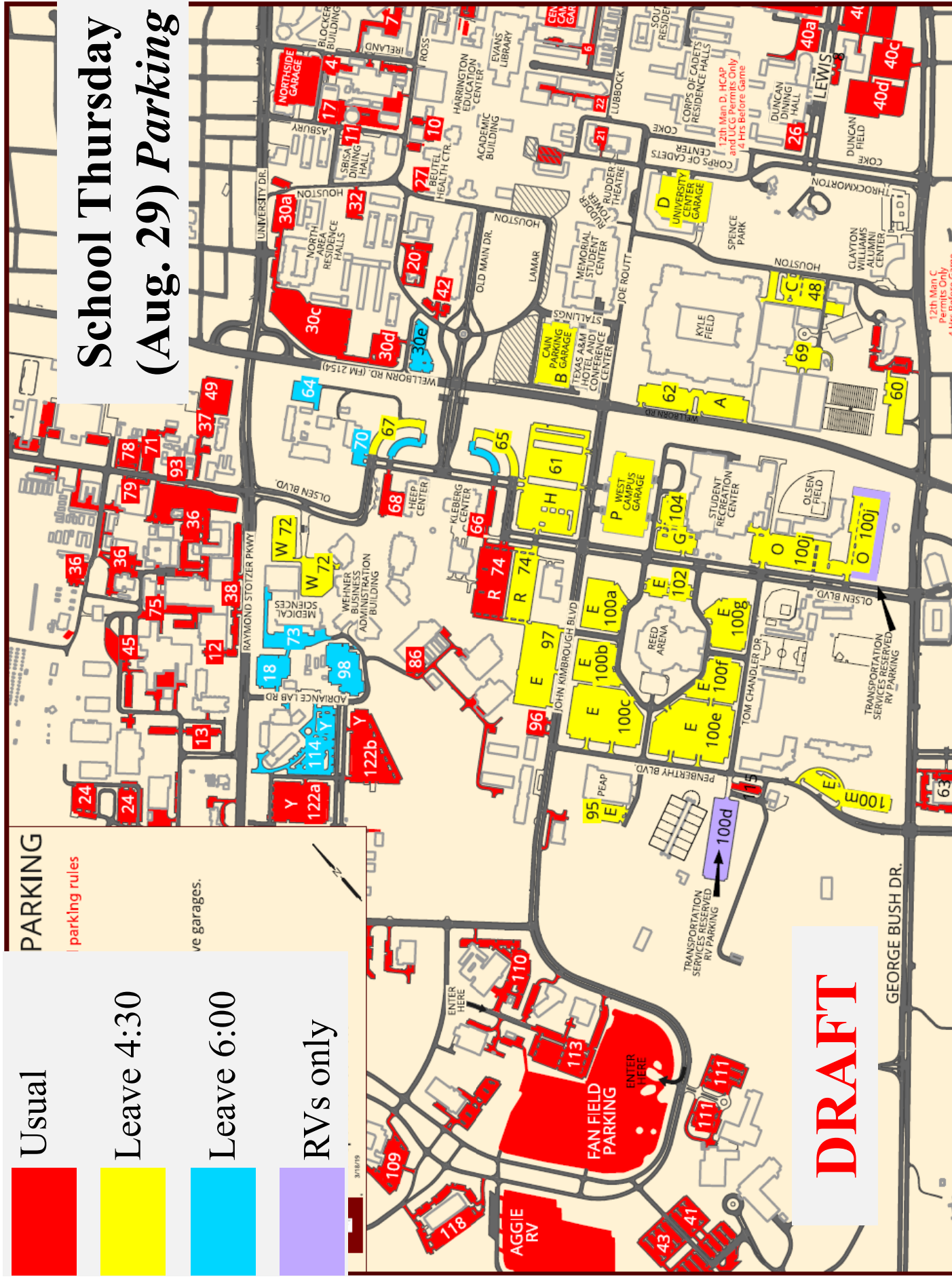
Basics

- Kickoff at 7:30
- Fan field open all day for everybody
- Early staff dismissal (1:00)
- Classes to be held, with option for reschedule for later classes (if desired)
- University-led communication (**Football Thursday website** and **Destination Aggieland app**)
- 8% of space hour inventory affected

What we learned

Last Year	This Year
Facility lockouts	Default will be normal operating hours for buildings
Early lot secure and clear	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Later secure times (3:00 pm) • Later clear times (4:30 pm) • Later street closures • More flexible faculty parking options (in impacted lots)
Faculty/staff parking confusion	• License plate registration vs. placards
Significant transit needs	• Enhanced communication and simplification

School Thursday (Aug. 29) *Parking*




Category	Label
Usual	Usual
Park 3:30	Park 3:30
Paid Parking	Paid Parking
Park Here	Park Here
No Gameday Parking	No Gameday Parking
RVs only	RVs only
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3 Things


- If you don't need to be on campus, nice day for an AWL
- If you need to be on campus after 4:30, <https://transport.tamu.edu/MIS/FootballThursday/Exceptions>
- Avoid Wellborn road!






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Researchers	EHS	Leadership
		
Administrative Burden Low Adoption of Software High Frustration with EHS	Fragmented Systems Poor Visibility & Reporting Forced to be Reactive	Wasted Labor Increased Risk Decentralized by Design


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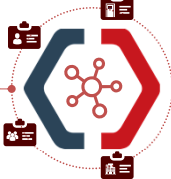

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