112 Edgemoor

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1) Emergencies. Call the Cornell Police at 911.

2) We have several people who have agreed to be responsible for the house. Please give them your respect and courtesy.

3) There is a MANDATORY emergency contact information card required by Cornell Housing. Please fill it out and either give it to the person at 112 Edgemoor who is handing out keys or return it to Monica Wesley on Monday morning.

4) 112 Edgemoor is run by Cornell Housing. Call them 24/7 at 255-2288 if you have problems in the building, with the cleaning service, etc.

5) If you arrive at 112 Edgemoor and there is no one to give you your outside and room key go to the Robert Purcell Center in the west campus. They have all keys there and they should be there in an envelope with your name on it. Do not lose your keys. There is $50 replacement fee for any lost keys.

6) Parking. Note there is a large parking lot next door and street parking just out in front. All these are Cornell property and you need a Cornell parking permit to park in these places. You will get a ticket without a permit. To get a parking permit you have to go to the Cornell Commuter and Parking Services, 116 Maple Avenue, (607) 255-PARK. Summer permits to park at 112 Edgemoor are approximately $100. If you want to park at either of the labs talk to Monica Norris in 130 Newman Ave. The nearest free street parking is Stewart Avenue just down the hill.

7) Phones. There is only a pay phone at 112 Edgemoor. Please only use it for emergencies. We recommend prepaid phone cards and cell phones work well in Ithaca, despite its rural setting.

8) Mail. Mail is not delivered to 112 Edgemoor. Have mail sent to Wilson Lab (or Newman Lab), Cornell University, Ithaca NY 14853. In addition to your name it would be helpful to add “REU” to the address for ease in sorting.

9) Cleaning. Cleaning service comes three times per week to clean the bathrooms and the common areas. Trash should be left in the cans in the basement. No one will clean your room.

10) There are coin operated laundry machines and dryers on the first floor. Other laundry service is available in Collegetown a few blocks away.

11) Linen Service. Linen service provides fresh towels and a set of bed linen available for $6/week. Contact Cornell housing at 255-2288 to participate in this service. Linen will be collected and a new set placed on an appointed day in an appointed place.

12) Kitchen. Note that it is a common kitchen. Some utensils, dishes, pots and pans are provided. We're negotiating to have the kitchen cleaned weekly by the cleaning staff. There is a large amount of storage space for utensils, food, dishes, and pots and pans. Please share the space equitably.

13) Cornell Housing DOES have food service available over the summer. The dining hall in Willard Straight Hall is an option. Contact Cornell Housing for the price and range of services available.

14) No pets are allowed in the house.

15) Gas/electric are covered in the rent.

16) Edgemoor is not connected to Cornell's computer network. You should have all the speed and horsepower you need at the LNS facilities.

17) Nearby: Just down the street on Stewart Avenue is one of Ithaca's best bars, the Chapter House. You will get carded. Next to it is a great vegetarian restaurant, the ABC cafe. Also there is a laundry. On the other side of the gorge at the top of the hill is Collegetown. Here you will find convenience stores open late, many bars, many restaurants, and a few shops.

18) Further away: Down at the bottom of the hill is the Ithaca Commons with many stores, etc. Continuing down State Street to the west there are more shops. Eventually you get to Route 13/Meadow Street. Turning to the left/south you get to Ithaca's main commercial area where there are enormous grocery stores, Wegmans and Tops, a K-Mart, and other stuff. Turning right/north you climb the hill, get a great view of the lake and come to where Triphammer Road crosses Route 13. Here are three malls with Sears, Ames, the Bon Ton, three grocery stores, etc.