

Tips from Experienced Roadies: A Parent Panel Discussion

Moderated by:

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Meet the Family Panel

Barb Bedbury

Midland, Michigan

Son	Year	Major	Interests and Involvement
Nick	3 rd	Electrical Engineering with emphasis in Computer Programming	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Orientation Team Leader• Broomball Rink Staff• Reception Desk Staff• Men's Soccer Club• Huskies Pep Band• Former resident of FYE (First-Year Experience)• Snowboarding, skate skiing, running

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Nancy Taglione

Hancock, Michigan



Daughter	Year	Major	Interests and Involvement
Andrea	4 th	Biological Sciences and Exercise Science dual degree	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Michigan Tech varsity Cheerleader• Orientation Executive Staff• Social Dance Club• Piano• Enjoys skiing and snowboarding

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Angela Cole

Sanford, Michigan



Sons	Year	Major	Interests and Involvement
Dennis	3 rd	<p>Computer Network and System Administration (CNSA – School of Technology)</p> <p>Minor in Technical Theater</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Former Resident of Wads and McNair • Lives in DHH this year • Mama's Boys, Hall President • Worked on the Rozsa Center Tech Crew • Husky Amateur Radio Club • ResTech Senior Consultant • Inter-Residence Hall Council (IRHC), Online ride board creator
J.	1 st	General Engineering	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lives in Wads

COMPASS

- P is for Parents!
- Our office provides general support and programming for Michigan Tech parents and family members
- Call us at 906-487-3558 or email compass@mtu.edu if you have any questions
- <http://www.compass.mtu.edu/parentsupport.html>

Questions???

Our panelists are happy to share some of their college parenting experiences and advice.

Other Parent & Family Resources

- Main Michigan Tech Parent Website
<http://www.mtu.edu/parentsfamily/>
- COMPASS Parent Website
<http://www.compass.mtu.edu/pages/parentSupport.html>
- Academic Calendar
<http://www.admin.mtu.edu/em/services/calendar/>
- Guest Access
<http://www.admin.mtu.edu/em/students/guest.php>
- Admissions Parent Website
<http://www.admissions.mtu.edu/parents/>
- Tech Parents Annual Fund
<http://www.mtf.mtu.edu/giving/parentsfund.php>

Thank you!

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