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we'll be online before the end of the semester 🙈🙄

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I'm giving it a week... a month if I'm being generous 😂

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JAMBAR EDITORIAL: PARTIES ON CAMPUS

Youngstown State University President Jim Tressel said he was confident students would wear their masks, keep their distance and follow all regulations during the day. He feared once classes ended for the day, students would struggle to follow the rules as carefully.

His prediction came true. During the first week of the fall semester, there was already a large gathering at the both University Edge and University Courtyard apartments. Social media exploded with pictures of the party. Only a handful of students spotted in the packed crowd wore masks.

The university released a public statement Aug. 17 about the party, declaring it “violates health and safety guidelines put into place by YSU to ensure the well-being of everyone at the university. Such gatherings are unacceptable and put the entire campus at risk. Only by working together and taking responsibility for ourselves and others will we be able to keep YSU safe and maintain on-campus operations. For Pete’s sake, be careful!”

It’s frustrating to see a minority of YSU students making unsafe decisions because it reflects badly on the rest of the

campus community. The large majority of students and faculty willingly embraced the changes and maintained as little contact with others as possible. We want to stay on campus as long as possible. We hope our campus community makes better decisions and resists the temptation to party.