

Friday, November 7

#### CLASS OF 1959: FIFTY-YEAR REUNION

Can it possibly have been 50 years? But we look so young! The Class of 1959 will gather at Union University to renew old acquaintances, bring back fond memories and rekindle friendships. Enjoyment for all! Check out the schedule of events and be sure to mark your calendar:

- 9:00 a.m. | Registration for Homecoming Chapel in the Foyer of G.M. Savage Memorial Chapel, Penick Academic Complex**
- 10:00 a.m. | The Class of 1959 will be honored in the Homecoming Chapel**  
The highly revered 50-Year Reunion Commemorative Medallions will be presented to each member of the Class of 1959 present.
- 10:00 a.m. | Alumni Awards Presentation Homecoming Chapel**  
This is a time to honor our alumni who have made outstanding contributions to their communities, professions and Union University. Please join us for this special occasion.
- **Distinguished Faculty/Staff Award** | Dr. Stephen Carls, Union University, Department Chair and University Professor of History
  - **Distinguished Alumnus Award** | Dr. Hutson McCorkle, Class of 1955, Orlando, Fla.
- 11:30 a.m. | Alumni Awards and Class of 1959 Luncheon**  
Cost will be \$12 per person and will be held in the Grant Events Center.
- 12:45 p.m. | Chartered bus tour to the former Union University downtown campus**  
There will be plenty of time for fellowship, reminiscing and strolling the campus.
- 6:00 p.m. | Sports Hall of Fame Awards Dinner with a special appreciation for David Blackstock**  
Join us for special recognition of the Class of 1959 and Alumni Awards Recipients and a special tribute to coach David Blackstock. Cost will be \$17 per person.
- 8:00 p.m. | Hospitality Room for the Class of 1959** (location to be determined)

#### CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT ALUMNI CONFERENCE

- 1:30 p.m. | White Hall, Room 312**  
The Conference will feature presentations by fellow alumni. The program will include the recognition of another outstanding science alumnus with a reception to follow. Tours of White Hall (the new science building) will also be available. For more information please contact Deena DeCourt at 731-661-5596 or e-mail ddecourt@uu.edu.

#### THE DEPARTMENT OF CONTINUING STUDIES RECEPTION

- 4:30 p.m. | Hammons Hall, Continuing Studies Suite (LifeWay Building)**  
**till 6:00 p.m.** All Continuing Studies faculty, adjunct faculty, and current and former students, are invited to kick-off Union's Homecoming weekend with a "come and go" fruit, cheese and sparkling cider reception. Please drop by and mingle with faculty, staff and friends.

#### SPORTS HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE DINNER

- 6:00 p.m. | Grant Events Center**  
(\*Business Attire)  
Reservations may be made by calling 800-338-6644 or 731-661-5208. Cost is \$17 per person. Join us as we honor Union's finest sports legends. This year's inductees include the following:
- **Jimmy Bryant, '63**, Union University legendary track star.
  - **Ronnie Giddens, '87**, Baseball All-American who signed with the Cincinnati Reds in 1983.
  - **"Indian" Joe Guyon**, Head football coach at Union University in the 1920's; inducted into the first class of the NFL Hall of Fame along with Jim Thorpe (Posthumously).
  - **Lisa Hutchens, '87**, NAIA All American, NAIA Scholar Athlete, Assistant basketball coach at Union University (Posthumously).
  - **Keith Reynolds, '77**, Third leading scorer in Union University men's basketball history, still holding the record for most free throws in a single game.
  - **Mr. Jim Swope**, Union University men's basketball coach for 12 years, 1975 to 1987; the second-most wins in men's basketball coaching history at Union University.

#### UNION UNIVERSITY "PROCLAMATION"

- 7:00 p.m. | Jennings Hall, Hartley Recital Hall**  
"Proc" will gather in the Hartley Recital Hall of Jennings Hall for a West Tennessee Barbeque and rehearsal. Additional warm up at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday morning. Then entertain our alumni and friends at "The Alumni Brunch" at 11:00 a.m. in the Grant Events Center.

#### COMPLIMENTARY DEPARTMENT RECEPTIONS

- 7:30 p.m. | Biology Department**  
**till 9:00 p.m.** Meet in White Hall Conference Room 112 for a complimentary reception and tour of the biology department. All biology alumni, faculty, staff, and students are invited. Don't miss this special time to tour the new facility and catch up on exciting events at Union. For more information please contact Mark Bolyard at 731-661-6586 or via e-mail at mbolyard@uu.edu.
- Department of Engineering**  
All alumni, friends and current students are invited to a reception in the Engineering Suite of the Penick Academic Complex. For more information contact Dr. Jeannette Russ at 731-661-5542 or via e-mail at jruss@uu.edu.
- 8:00 p.m. | Language Department and Institute for International and Intercultural Studies Reception**  
**till 9:00 p.m.** Located in H-41, Penick Academic Complex. For all alumni and friends. For more information, contact Carol Johnson at 731-661-5057 or via e-mail cljohnso@uu.edu.

- **The School of Education**  
"Dessert with the Dean" will be held in Room 42, Blasingame Academic Complex. Contact Patti Todd at 731-661-5372 or via e-mail ptodd@uu.edu
- **The School of Christian Studies**  
All alumni, students, faculty and area pastors are invited to a time of fellowship around the advancement of the Kingdom of Christ through Union University. Please join us for a complimentary dessert reception at the Ryan Center for Biblical Studies located on the third floor of Jennings Hall. If you have any questions, please contact Christy Young at 731-661-5987 or via e-mail at cyoung@uu.edu.

Saturday, November 8

#### HOMECOMING GOLF TOURNEY

- 8:00 a.m. | Highland Green Golf Course**  
Student and alumni golfers: join in for a great day. Cost will be \$30 per person which includes course fees, cart, and registration. Pre-registration is required by Monday, November 3rd. For more information contact Don Morris at 731-664-2995.

#### HOMECOMING REUNION BRUNCH

- 10:00 a.m. | Grant Events Center**  
The brunch will be held in the Grant Events Center. Alumni and friends can chat, mingle and enjoy a morning with Union faculty, staff and administration. There will be no charge for this special time. Make your plans to come back, visit with friends from the past and tour the campus to see all the wonderful changes taking place. Proclamation Concert at 11:00 a.m. Guided tours of the New Residence Life Facilities will be offered by the Office of Residence Life; they will begin at noon from Barefoot's Joe (coffee house) in the Student Union Building.

#### COMPLIMENTARY ATHLETIC RECEPTION (For all Former Athletes)

- 10:00 a.m. | Penick Academic Complex, small gym**  
Visit with all University Coaches, players and athletic staff. Get re-acquainted with friends. Bring the entire family, enjoy "Arts in the Park" and make a day of it. You won't want to miss the games! The 1998 Women's Basketball Team (the first Union NAIA National Championship Team) will be honored along with the 1983 Baseball Team (that finished third in the NAIA World Series). To make reservations for the reception or for more information, please contact Teresa Thomas at 731-661-5325 or via e-mail at tthomas@uu.edu.

#### UNION UNIVERSITY "ARTS IN THE PARK"

- 11:30 a.m. | Great Lawn**  
Enjoy food, fun and activities for the entire Union family. Visit the Art Show and Sale by Union alums; including book signings, pottery, sculpture, paintings, jewelry, and more. Don't miss this rare opportunity to purchase gifts for the holidays or for yourself.

#### PRE-GAME TAILGATE PARTY

- 11:30 a.m. | Great Lawn**  
Meet up with your old friends. From the minute you arrive you will find fun and entertainment for all ages!
- Food, snacks and concessions for sale by campus and Greek organizations. Come get a taste of West Tennessee's best cookin' including barbecue, ribs, chicken, burgers, sides and delicious desserts.
  - Buy memorabilia at the LifeWay table.
  - Kids can enjoy inflatables, pony rides and a petting zoo.
  - Dress in Union red and white, bring your lawn chair and get ready to cheer on the "Dawg's"!

#### CLASS OF 1988 – 20 YEAR REUNION

- 11:30 a.m. | Great Lawn**  
A special tent will be provided for the class. Food will be available for purchase from campus organizations or Aramark. Enjoy plenty of activities for the whole family. Then, take in the basketball games at 2:00 p.m. For more information or to pre-register for the reunion, contact Jane Ann Sage at 615-591-8854.

#### FAMILY OLYMPICS

- 1:00 p.m. | Great Lawn**  
Bring the entire family and join the fun! We'll have games, face painting and temporary tattoos. Families will compete in lively games to take home the traveling first place trophy.

#### 55TH ANNIVERSARY ALUMNI RECEPTION OF THE DELTA-PSI CHAPTER OF PHI ALPHA THETA HISTORY HONOR SOCIETY

- 1:10 p.m. | International Student Lounge, Penick Academic Complex**  
**till 2:00 p.m.** For all History and Delta-Psi Chapter alumni. Please join us for this most memorable occasion. Union's Chapter is the oldest in the State of Tennessee and also has been the winner of the Best Chapter Awards from 2003-2007. For more information please contact Stephen Carls at 731-661-5262 or e-mail at scarls@uu.edu.

#### LADY BULLDOGS vs. ST. CATHARINE COLLEGE

- 2:00 p.m. | Fred Delay Gymnasium**  
Get in on the action and support our Lady Bulldogs. Features of halftime include:
- Presentation of Union's Homecoming Queen and Court.
  - Special honors for the 1998 Women's Basketball Team, Union's first NAIA National Championship Team.

#### BULLDOGS vs. ROBERT MORRIS COLLEGE

- 4:00 p.m. | Fred Delay Gymnasium**  
The Bulldogs are back again with a nationally competitive team that is sure to please. Features of halftime include:
- Presentation of the coveted Presidential Homecoming Cup.
  - Special honors for the 1983 Men's Baseball Team, which finished third in the NAIA World Series.

#### COMMUNICATION ARTS PARTY

- 7:00 p.m. | Home of Chris and Ashley Blair, 88 Clairborne Drive**  
No charge. For more information please contact Chris Blair at 731-661-5371 or e-mail at cblair@uu.edu. Donations to the Alumni Awards Fund welcome.

#### SEE THE MAKEOVER AND RESERVE YOUR PLACE AT HOMECOMING 2008!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Check if new address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Evening) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Reservations may be made by check or credit card (Visa, Mastercard, Discover) and payable to Union University. Please mail the registration card along with your payment to the address below. You may also register online at [www.uu.edu](http://www.uu.edu). If you cannot attend, please mail us your updated information card.

Please include number of persons attending each event.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 50 Year Reunion Luncheon - \$12 per person  
\_\_\_\_\_ Sports Hall of Fame Dinner - \$17 per person  
\_\_\_\_\_ Homecoming Golf Tourney - \$30 per person

