



## WABASH COLLEGE

### *Class Agents Letter*

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## Class of 1974

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Gentlemen of the Class of 1974,

**As I write this – our Reunion is just 64 days away – this June 6-8.**

**You put it on your calendar – right!**

**Sign up NOW:**

<http://www.wabash.edu/alumni/reunion/schedule>



Reunion notes:

- Special Guests

Our special guests for the reunion weekend are Thad and Polly Seymour. They have graciously accepted our invitation to attend the Big Bash and will join us for dinner on Saturday night.

- Faculty and staff who will be joining us at dinner on Saturday night include:

David Hadley

Bill Doemel

Joe Haklin – now Athletic Director

Chick Clements

Dan and Jill Rogers (current faculty members)

- Speakers

Can you recommend one of our class as a speaker at the Big Bash? One of the features of the Big Bash is a series of alumni who speak on an area of interest – usually related to

vocation, hobby or interest. If you would like to share your experiences – or volunteer one of your classmates – please let us know.

- Class Gifts

John Musgrave is chairing our Class Gift Committee. Our financial goal is 42% participation and \$50,000.

The emphasis is on participation. This translates into 73 members of our class.

We've come close to the \$50,000 level before. So, yes, this is a bit of a challenge, but one we can meet.

(In practical terms, if 73 of us donate, there will be an open bar at our Reunion Dinner on Saturday night.)

What's been going on at Wabash?

- Honor scholars weekend was this past weekend. 300 high school seniors were on campus to compete for \$3.5 million in scholarships.
- We keep talking about immersion learning – that's where in-campus classes incorporate an off-campus experience. Our alumni support makes these experiences possible! Read more about these at: <http://blog.wabash.edu/immersionlearning201314/>
- The Wrestling team placed 9<sup>th</sup> in the nation and freshman Riley Lefever was the national champ at 184 pounds. Reece Lefever, Riley's older brother, became the second Wabash wrestler to claim back-to-back All-America awards with a fourth-place finish at 157 pounds. Just as important: the Wrestling team received a National Scholar Team designation and five men were named Scholar All-Americans.
- Speaking of student athletes, the swimming team received NCAA Division III Scholar All-America Team honors from the College Swimming Coaches Association of America.
- The College will unveil a new campus master plan at the Big Bash which, reportedly, will incorporate a new Campus Center and new housing options.

Three more reminders:

1. Sign up for the Big Bash: <http://www.wabash.edu/alumni/reunion/schedule>
2. Don't forget to make a gift to the College. It's easy at: <https://www.wabash.edu/alumni/egift> It can also be done off-line if you prefer.

Mail to: Wabash College, Annual Fund, PO Box 352, Crawfordsville, IN 47933-0352. And don't forget matching gifts and the Indiana tax credit.

3. And don't forget to refer a student to the College. Referrals constitute a large portion of those young men who come to the College. It's easy at:  
<https://www.wabash.edu/alumni/student/refer> Fill out what you know and Admissions will do the rest!

Your class agents,

*Mark and Paul*