



## WABASH COLLEGE

### *Class Agents Letter*

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### Class of 1967

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Dear Classmates,

### **THANK YOU.**

On behalf of your reunion committee, I want to thank you Gentlemen of '67 for your outstanding support of Wabash:

- Annual Fund
- Day of Giving
- Special Gifts
- Attendance at alumni and athletic events
- Student recruitment
- All the other things you do for our Alma Mater
- and, the big contribution -- **ATTENDANCE AT OUR 50<sup>th</sup>!**

### **MORE RECORDS FOR OUR CLASS**

Our 50<sup>th</sup> Reunion will most likely shatter all reunion records (attendance for **50<sup>th</sup>** and **all reunions**, as well as **Class Gift**) . . . and raise the bar for all classes to follow. But, that is consistent with the performance of Wabash '67 since 1963.

There is one record we are close to setting . . . AND if we do, we beat the Sophs of '66!! They had 75% of the solicitable class provide a gift. **We need 18 more gifts to be at 76%.**

**It is very simple to beat them. If you haven't made a gift to Wabash this school year, please:**

**1. Make a gift in any amount**

**2. Make your gift before May 31, 2017 - <https://www.wabash.edu/egift>**

### **THE BIG BASH**

**However, I think the most important aspect of our 50<sup>th</sup> is that we are getting back together! To reminisce, participate in a wide variety of weekend activities, and just plain enjoy ourselves!!**

In case you missed any of the reunion letters this year from Clark, Earl, and me, here are a few highlights for you to consider:

- The **Memory Book** which you have received. A great job by Phil Coons. Please let him know how much you appreciate his project.
- GO ON LINE NOW TO **REGISTER FOR BIG BASH EVENTS** – meals, fun run, etc. Deadline is May 24. Here is the link. [www.wabash.edu/bigbash](http://www.wabash.edu/bigbash)
- Be sure to **REGISTER in the reunion book** in the Allen Center when you arrive, regardless of when you arrive (If you don't register, our class does not get credit for your attendance.)
- **CLASS GIFT.** If you've not given between July 1, 2016 and now, please make a gift before May 31, 2017. We need only 18 more classmates to beat the record of 75% set by the Class of '66 last year.
- **PRACTICE *Old Wabash*.** We are poised to win The Chapel Sing again!! Don't worry about being a song bird – just join us and SING! Remember, we need to be proficient with **BOTH VERSES**.

- **Saturday night class dinner** with guests President Hess and recently-retired Alumni Director Tom Runge.
- Saturday night **FREE COCKTAIL HOUR** at our class dinner.
- **Class photo** on Saturday.
- **Hospitality Suite** (with donations for goodies) at the Holiday Inn Express.
- **Tommie's Scarlet Nickel** under the tent outside the Allen Center.

### ***BIG BASH RESERVATIONS***

**Please be sure to make all your reservations for the weekend by MAY 24 – especially our class dinner on Saturday night! MAY 24 is the cutoff date.**

For many of you, these reminders might seem a bit repetitious, but the efforts of your Reunion Committee are aimed at making certain we keep you informed. And, if you are still undecided about attending, PLEASE JOIN US. The weekend will be memorable.

And, you don't have to spend the entire weekend. If you're within a short drive of campus, why not drive in Saturday morning and join us for the Chapel Sing! More voices, more noise!!

Clark, Earl, and I will arrive on Thursday and the Hospitality Suite will be open. See you there!!

***Duane***