OK, Procrastinators…

Time is up. Registration for our 20th reunion ends on Wednesday, May 25. Don’t put it off any longer. Join us at the Big Bash and register today.

Here’s who’s registered so far: Kip Aitken, Chuck Andrews, Brent Bolick, Franklin Breckenridge, Anthony Costantino, Chris Cotton, Drew Crousore, Michael David, Mark Decaroli, Christopher Ervin, Thomas Fisher, Jeff Grabill, Jeffrey Marlett, Lance More, Roland Morin, David Pippen, Blake Sterzinger, Dave Stone, Martin Tuohy, Hugh Vandivier.

For cryin’ out loud, Tony Costantino is coming. It’s definitely worth a trip to C’ville to see that guy! He’s definitely looking forward to it. Here’s the schedule of events.

Open Bar Challenge

OK, guys, you want an open bar, in lieu of a cash bar, at our class dinner on Saturday evening of the Bash? As of today, we need a mere 5 additional donors to the College to get us free TWR.

Last year, we had 73 donors. This year, we will need at least 74 donors by the May 25 deadline to qualify for the open bar. We currently stand at 69. To see who’s given, check out the Honor Roll.

Scarlet Yarns

A new feature to our Big Bash is Scarlet Yarns, Your Wabash in Story and Song.

Patterned after the Story Corps project heard on National Public Radio, Scarlet Yarns is a collaboration between Ramsay Archives, Alumni Relations, and Wabash Magazine to record on digital video the stories by alumni about their days at Wabash College.

Scarlet Yarns Studio will be located in the Ramsay Archives in the basement of Lilly Library. They are currently scheduling recordings in 15-minute intervals. If you would like a specific time during the hours listed below and you want to schedule ahead of time, please contact Marilyn Smith (765-361-6063 or mailto:smithm@wabash.edu). Or, just stop by Lilly Library, peruse yearbooks and special exhibits, share memories with other alumni, and tell your story on a first-come basis.
Memory Jog

As a warmup to the Reunion, I thought I’d concoct a little pop quiz. Keep in mind that the quizmaster might not know some of the answers. Let’s see what we all can remember...

1. Within ±10, how many of us graduated on May 12, 1991?
2. You may remember that our Commencement Speakers were valedictorian David Stone and Kaizaad Kotwal, but who did the College award with honorary degrees?
3. Which classmates were elected student body president?
4. Who served the College as Chancellor when Lew Salter had to step down due to illness? (Hint: He just turned 90.)
5. What was the name of the Athletic Conference we competed in?
6. We all regret that Wabash lost the Bell each of our four years. Which athletic team never lost to the Dannies during that time?
7. Which house(s) won the IM trophy during our four years?
8. Our class has the distinction of being the first to experience Rush under what conditions?
9. Can you name the Lilly Scholars in our class?
10. Which Waukesha, Wisconsin band entertained campus during Pan Hel our senior year? Can you name other national acts that played?
11. What was the name of the group of students who formed to combat a proposed four-year residency requirement?
12. What could you find in the Armory when we were in school?
13. What was headquartered in Hovey Cottage?
14. By our senior year, how many computer labs were there and where were they located? By our senior year, how many computers could you find in your living unit?
15. What student was refused service at a local eatery sparking uproar among the student body? What was the name of the restaurant?
16. Which notable figures spoke at Wabash during our time there?
17. True or False: The Queen Contest was part of Homecoming festivities during our years at Wabash.
18. Name the quarterbacks who led the Little Giant football team during our four years.
19. What was the slogan that an advertising firm coined for Admissions literature?
20. Which professor taught a half-semester class on Dante’s *Divine Comedy* that met only once a week at the worst possible time: Fridays at 3:10? (Hint: This was one of our most popular professors.)
21. Which place in town had the best deal on pizza?
22. What was the name of the ice cream stand in Turtle Park? (Points for correct spelling.)
23. Name some of the most popular songs played on the jukebox at Tommies.
24. Did you eat zucchini?
25. Did you paint the senior bench?
26. Did you walk under the arch between Sparks and Goodrich?
27. Did you yell “Go Wabash!” halfway through the refrain of “Old Wabash”? It’s what students yell now.
28. How many times were the editors of the Barrickman’s Revenge charged the entire run of the magazine because it was deemed tasteless, mean-spirited, and vulgar?
29. Which classmates had columns in *Bachelor*? What were they titled?
30. Name the Neil Simon play that Wabash Theatre staged during graduation weekend.

I look forward to discussing the answers at the Big Bash.

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