







# Our 35th Reunion is almost here!

The five years since our last Reunion have gone by so quickly. But how did 35 years (Yes, it really has been that long!) fly by – just like that?!

Reunion is an excellent opportunity to catch up with our old selves, our old friends, and our own, our fair Cornell! Experience the "high" that three days on the Hill – Thursday, June 9th through Sunday, June 12th – will give you. Past Reunion-ers know what we mean! If you have yet to attend a Reunion, come to Ithaca in June and experience it for the first time. We all have our own Cornell memories and so many vivid, shared memories too. Reminiscing together makes us 18 again – at least in our mind's eye.

Reunion 2005 will be a wonderful gathering! It will be even better if you join us! We look forward to welcoming you home.

Sandy Courie

Class of '70 Reunion Chairs Sandy Schorr and Connie Ferris Meyer

# This packet contains:

- 1. Reunion registration form (or register online:it's fast and easy!)
- 2. Class of '70 schedule of events
- 3. Brochures detailing university events and athletic programs
- 4. Postcards to send to friends
- 5. Reunion 2005 Magnet







# Class of 1970's 35th Reunion

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# Registration Fee & Reunion Packages

Registration fee: Includes all Class of '70 events, receptions (except CASH BAR at Saturday night's reception, beer & wine free), meals, your souvenir package, hospitality and refreshments at our headquarters (beer, wine, soda, juice, coffee and tea, plus fruit and snacks), most university-sponsored events and activities (Savage Club Show, All-Alumni Affair luncheon, and Women's Chorus Concert require tickets), plus a variety of services throughout the weekend.

Reunion 2005 Button: The official university Reunion button will be your admission ticket to all Class of 1970 and non-ticketed university Reunion events. Wear your Cornell Reunion button 24/4! NO BUTTON: NO receptions, NO meals, NO music, NO planned events, NO Reunion tent parties on the Arts Quad, NO FUN! You get your button by registering with the Class of 1970.

Reunion packages and fees: EARLY BIRD discounts apply for registrations postmarked via snail mail or completed online by May 23, 2005. Fees are listed as early/regular.

- Package #1 Full Weekend (everything Thursday— Sunday) \$225/\$240
- Package #2 Friday-Sunday (everything from Friday reception on) \$200/\$215
- Package #3 Saturday and Sunday (everything from Saturday luncheon on) \$130/\$140
- Package #4 Saturday Night ONLY (Saturday reception and dinner ONLY, no button, no souvenir package) \$65/\$75

# Bringing the children or grandchildren?

All our class events are open to all members of the family and are kid friendly. Services and programs for children 12 weeks to 18 years of age are offered.

#### Informal program for teens and admissions seminars:

The Classes of '70, '75, '80 and '85 have joined together to run an informal program for teens, ages 16 to 18, at no additional cost. Pre-registration for this program is not necessary. This teen program will run from 11:00am to midnight on Friday and Saturday. Cornell students will be available to accompany teens around campus and into Collegetown for meals and

other activities, and will also be given the "skinny" on Cornell and campus life. In the evenings, activities will be centered in "Club Ezra" in a lounge to be determined on North Campus. Additional information will be available when you check in at headquarters. The lounge will provide a TV and VCR/DVD. Teens may participate in the program when they desire and will be responsible for paying for meals not taken with the class, and any personal purchases.

Admission seminars are held throughout the weekend for high school students. This is a great opportunity for you and your teen to ask questions about Cornell. Locations and times for these sessions can be found on the university Reunion website: www.alumni.cornell.edu/reunion

#### Programs for younger children:

For liability reasons, children under the age of 16 must be supervised at all times. If you are bringing children under the age of 16, you must sign a release agreement and return it to the university. In addition, no one under the age of 21, including infants, will be allowed into the Arts Quad tents in the evening.

Please contact our Registration Chair, Carole Peck Fishman at 732-842-7478 or via email at cpf5@cornell.edu, to receive information on child registration fees, the university sponsored Youth Program for children ages 6 to 15, and the Ithaca Community Childcare Center program for children 12 weeks to 5 years of age. You must pre-register by May 27 for these programs. Spaces fill up quickly.

# Party Planners (a.k.a. Reunion 2005 Co-Chairs):

Sandy Schorr sjs73@cornell.edu
Connie Ferris Meyer cfm7@cornell.edu
Contact us with queries, comments, suggestions, or concerns.

# Headquarters & Housing

Cascadilla Hall will be our class headquarters and your home away from home for the weekend. Cascadilla is an historic, renovated dorm overlooking the Cascadilla Gorge in Collegetown. Most rooms have two single beds, and the bathrooms are down the hall (talk about memories!). The entire dorm is non-smoking and no pets are allowed. Bed and bath linens, soap and clothes hangers are provided along with a towel exchange on Friday and Saturday. Radios, irons, hair dryers, clocks and fans are NOT provided (so bring what you need or want).







# For updated information, visit our class website: classof 70. alumni.cornell.edu

Parking: There is a university parking lot on Williams Street, down the hill from Eddy Gate on the right side, before you get to the Chapter House on Stewart Ave. Or, you can pay to park in the municipal lot that is next to Cascadilla Hall. Enter off Dryden Road, down the hill from College Avenue. The garage is on the right.

Alternative housing: A limited number of hotel rooms are reserved on a first come, first served basis for our class at the Holiday Inn (607.272.1000) in downtown Ithaca and the Clarion Inn (607.257.2000) on Triphammer Road near Rt. 113. Please call directly for reservations and mention the Class of '70. Contact the Ithaca Convention & Visitor's Bureau (800.284.8422) for other hotels and B&Bs.

Internet service: Cornell offers broadband Internet service in the dorm rooms, so laptops can be connected, at no charge. Please make sure that your system has the latest system updates and anti-virus definitions. An Ethernet cable, as well as connection instructions and risks associated with connecting to the campus network, will be provided when you arrive on campus.

Reserving rooms near friends: If you would like to share your room or room close to a friend or group of friends, please include this information on your registration form. All parties must make the same request and indicate the same preferences. Cornell strives to ensure that campus and housing are accessible to all. Be sure to list any special needs on your registration form.

#### Miscellaneous

<u>Travel to Ithaca</u>: Discounted airfare and rental cars are available for Cornell alumni through TeleTravel (888.283.5387) or check the rideshare box at the Straight, it's online now! Visit the Reunion Rideshare Board on the Reunion website at <a href="http://alumni.cornell.edu/reunion">http://alumni.cornell.edu/reunion</a>.

<u>Getting around</u>: Free university shuttle buses are available throughout the weekend, and our student clerks will provide limited van service. More details will be available when you arrive.

<u>What to wear</u>: It's a casual weekend. Ithaca weather is unpredictable, so bring your windbreaker, swim suit and rain slicker. We'll provide everything else you'll need for a great summer weekend!

<u>Connect with friends</u>: If you haven't yet contacted a fraternity brother, sorority sister, fellow athlete, ROTC member, freshman roommate, etc., and you want to reconnect with friends, contact Ellen Celli Eichleay at <u>EllenCE1@aol.com</u> or Sandy Schorr at sjs73@cornell.edu.

Class website: Check for Reunion information at http://classof70.alumni.cornell.edu. We will post and continually update the names of registered classmates and more details as they develop. The site will also have a link to the university Reunion program in mid to late May. Read about all the university-wide programs before you get to campus. You will receive a Reunion program when you register.

<u>Classmate displays</u>: We'd like to showcase your hobbies, talents and unique interests at class headquarters. If you would like to share music, art, books, crafts and any other works you have produced, contact Connie Ferris Meyer at cfm7@cornell.edu.

Opportunities to help with Reunion 2005 and class leadership: Before Reunion you can contact classmates,

help with pre-Reunion regional events and class officer nominations, gather Class of '70 memorabilia for display, work on class fundraising and prepare classmate showcase displays. During Reunion, help with setting up and decorating the headquarters, hosting an event, reception or meal, and greeting classmates at Cascadilla headquarters. Also, become a class officer! Interested? Contact Sandy Schorr at sjs73@cornell.edu or Connie Ferris Meyer at cfm7@cornell.edu.

Reunion campaign: Our 35th Reunion Campaign is in full swing, but we still need every classmate to make a gift! A gift of any amount to any area of interest is truly and greatly appreciated. Our class goal is to have 750 classmates participate. Our gifts help maintain scholarship assistance, retain first-rate faculty, provide state-of-the-art technology for cutting-edge research, and enrich Cornell in many ways. Please contact the Cornell Fund today to make your pledge at 1.800.279.3099. Tell them you are a member of the Class of '70! Thank you.



# REUNION WEEKEND HIGHLIGHTS



# THURSDAY, JUNE 9

#### Noon – Midnight

Registration and check-in begin. Class headquarters, Cascadilla Hall

## 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Welcome buffet supper, class headquarters, Cascadilla lounge

#### 8:30 pm

Savage Club Show: An 80-year tradition of variety entertainment from classical and pop music to slapstick, Statler Auditorium (optional, tickets \$10)

### FRIDAY, JUNE 10

#### 7:00 am - 9:30 am

Continental breakfast, class headquarters, Cascadilla lounge

#### 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Reunion Forum part 1 co-sponsored with Class of 1965; "Baby Boomer" discussion with demographics expert Brad Edmondson '81

#### Noon - 2:00 pm

All-Alumni Affair luncheon, Barton Hall; Includes displays and music (optional, tickets \$12); or "on your own"

#### 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Reunion Forum part 2 co-sponsored with Class of 1965; Symposium with Carol Kammen, author of Cornell Glorious to View

#### 3:00 pm

Spencer T. and Ann W. Olin Lecture, Newman Arena, Bartels Field House

#### 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Class Reception, patio tent at the new Duffield Hall, Engineering Quad

#### 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Class dinner, Duffield Hall atrium

#### 9:00 pm

Women's Chorus Concert (optional, tickets \$7, \$8 at the door) at Sage Chapel

#### 9:00 pm - 1:00 am

Evening Entertainment: Arts Quad tent parties; Tommy Dorsey's Big Band at Barton Hall (9:00-11:00~pm), Compliments of Class of 1955.

#### 10:00 pm - 11:30 pm

Ice Cream Social, class headquarters, Cascadilla lounge

# SATURDAY, JUNE 11

#### 7:00 am - 9:30 am

Continental breakfast, class headquarters, Cascadilla lounge

#### 10:30 am

State of the University Address by President Jeffrey Lehman '77, Newman Arena, Bartels Field House

#### 12 noon - 2:00 pm

BBQ lunch celebration, honoring Hank Brittingham, in the Ag Quad tent; Special entertainment and speakers throughout the event

# 2:00 pm SHARP!

Class photo on the Ag Quad

#### 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm

University Service of Thanksgiving and Remembrance, acknowledging the lives of fellow classmates who have died; Held at Sage Chapel; classmates are encouraged to attend

#### 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Class reception on the Terrace at Willard Straight Hall; CASH BAR, wine and beer included in registration fees; Entertainment by the Johnny Russo jazz group

#### 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Class dinner in the Memorial Room at Willard Straight Hall

#### 9:00 pm - 1:00 am

Tent parties on the Arts Quad

#### 9:30 pm

Sing, sing, sing at Cornelliana Night, Newman Arena at Bartels Field House (Bailey is closed for major renovations)

#### 10:00 pm - 11:30 pm

Ice Cream Social, class headquarters, Cascadilla lounge

# SUNDAY, JUNE 12

# 8:00 am - 11:00 am

Goodbye brunch in the Ivy Room at Williard Straight Hall; Performance by the Sherwoods

#### 12 noon SHARP!

Dorm and class headquarters close (another campus conference starts at 2:00 pm)

Safe travels! See you in 2010 for our 40th!