

**FRIDAY, November 3**  
**Chemistry Alumni Conference**

2:30 p.m. – For more information or reservations, please contact Mrs. Deena DeCourt, 731-661-5596 or e-mail ddecourt@uu.edu.

**The Johnnie Tribble Shepard Archives and Genealogical Research Center Reception**

3:30 p.m. – Emma Waters Summar Library, Penick Academic Complex  
 Come by and explore the rich heritage of Union University. Learn how to best document your family's history and connect with fellow alumni and friends.

**Alumni Awards Dinner**

5:30 p.m. – Coburn Dining Room, Barefoot Student Union Building

*\*Business Attire*

Traditionally held on Saturday of Homecoming weekend, the Alumni Awards Luncheon has been moved to a Friday evening dinner event. This year's recipients are:

- *The Distinguished Faculty/Staff Award* – Dr. Jimmy Davis, '70
- *The Distinguished Alumnus Award* – Dr. Raymond "Buddy" Boston, '60
- *The Distinguished Service Award* – Dr. Donald R. Webb, '42
- *The Honorary Alumnus Award* – Dr. David S. Dockery
- *The Outstanding Young Achiever Award* – Ms. Andrea Leigh McDaniel, '00

Make your reservations by Monday, October 30. Call our toll free number, (800) 338-6644 or locally at 661-5208. \$14.00 per person.

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UNION UNIVERSITY STUDENT EVENTS

**TUESDAY, October 31**  
**The Seventh Annual "Costume Coffee House"**

7:00-9:30 p.m. – Commons of Hurt Residence  
 Come dressed in your best friendly costume for a fun-filled evening. There will be karaoke, a best-dressed costume contest, and a pumpkin carving contest. Or sit back, relax, and enjoy the free snacks and Level Grounds specialty coffee drinks.



**WEDNESDAY, November 1**  
**Homecoming Coffeehouse with Sara Groves**

9:00 p.m. – Coburn Dining Room, Barefoot Student Union Building  
 Few artists enjoy the level of critical acclaim over a career that Sarah Groves has garnered in just a few short years. The Minnesota native's first four albums were all named to Christianity Today's Best Albums of the Year list; all of which landed in the Top Five and three in the Top Two. Sara's latest offering "Add to the Beauty" was named CCM Magazine's 2005 Album of the Year. This former high school teacher continues to teach lessons learned from her relief work in Rwanda, the Hurricane Katrina-ravaged Gulf Coast, as well as her personal life, through folk/pop melodies and incomparable lyrics. She writes, "Adding to the beauty is for all of us: homemakers, businessmen, clergy, car dealers, bowling alley attendants... in the everydayness of the kingdom we are invited to be brilliantly beautiful, all of us moons with no light of our own, invited to shine."  
 The Student Activities Council and the Alumni Association of Union University proudly present Sara Groves as this year's Homecoming Coffeehouse Artist.

**THURSDAY, November 2**  
**UNION Joes VS. BULLDOG Pros**

7:00 p.m.  
 Have you ever wondered how your athletic skills would stand up against Union's varsity athletes? Well here's your chance to put your skills to the test and win some big money doing it! The first annual "Union Joes vs. Bulldog Pros" will take place during this year's Homecoming Week. The contest will match up one male and female student (Joe's) against one male and female varsity athlete (pros) from each sport. Events will include: 3 point shooting contest, penalty kick shoot out, homerun derby, and much, much more. \$100 CASH PRIZE will go to every student who defeats a varsity athlete. A drawing at the end of the night will also award a \$100 cash prize to a student in attendance. Free food will be available for all students in attendance as well. See Matt Brunet or Justin Phillips for more details.

**FRIDAY, November 3**  
**First On-Campus Drive-In Movie**

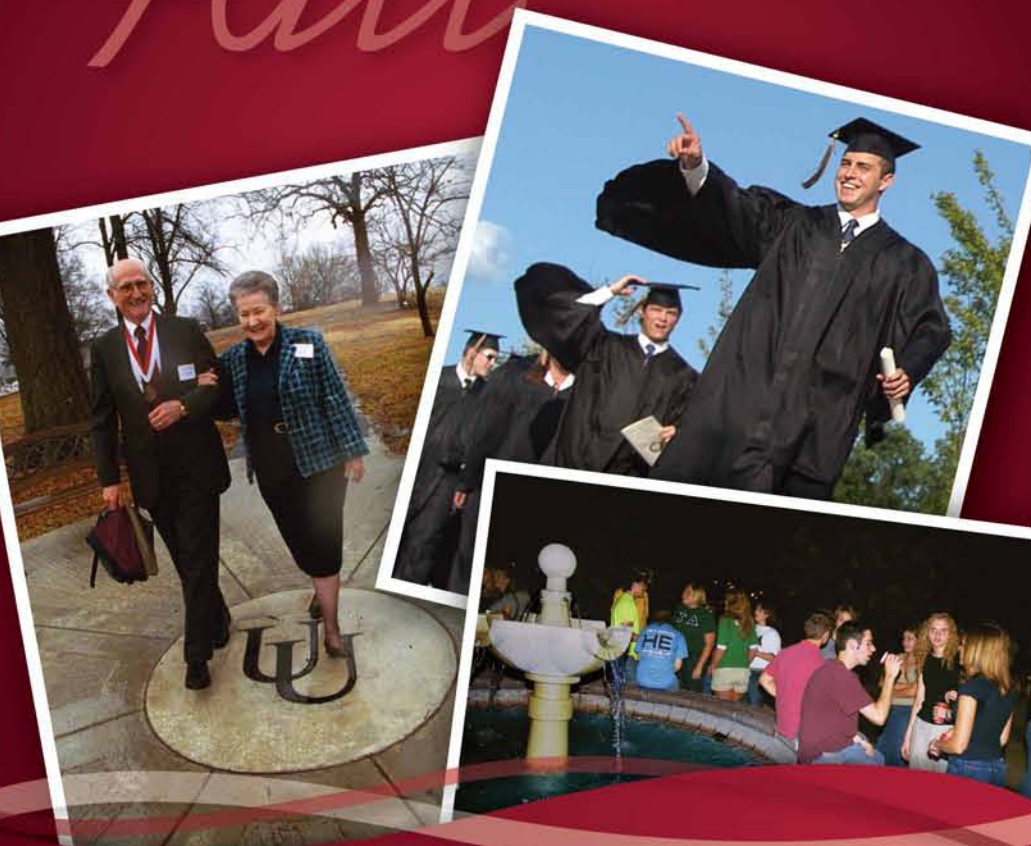
9:00 p.m. – Great Lawn  
 A massive outdoor screen, free food and a great flick. Come join the Student Government Association as they host an on-campus drive-in movie on the Great Lawn. Bring a blanket (but not your car), and join the rest of the student body and alums and their families as we screen *Superman Returns*!

**SATURDAY, November 4**  
**Fred Delay Gym**

2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m.  
 Free! "Spirit Gear" given to the first 200 students at the Saturday Homecoming Games! Sponsored by the Student Government Association.



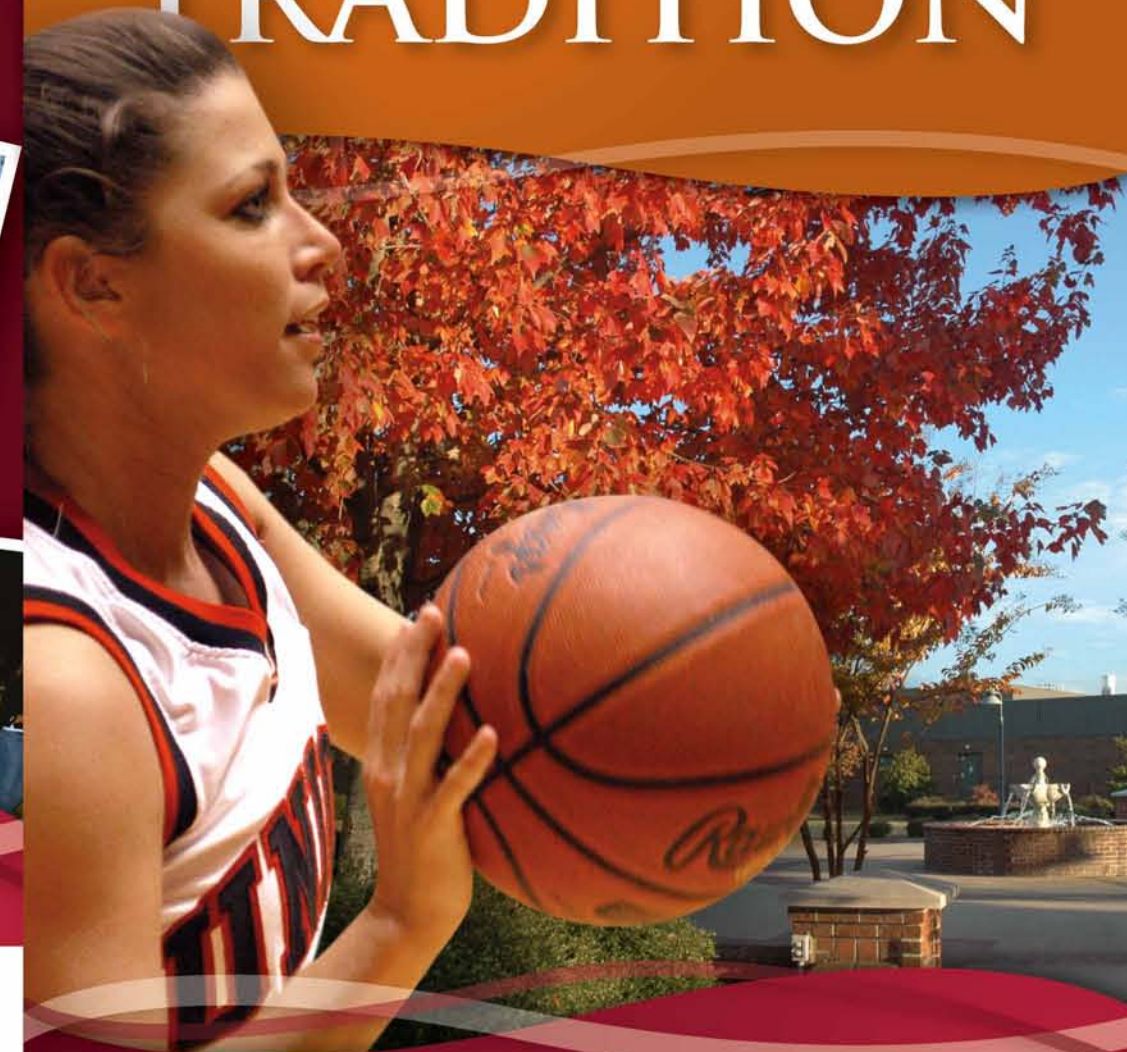
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**UNION UNIVERSITY IS ON THE MOVE!**

**HOMECOMING, THAT IS.**

Traditionally held the third week in February, Homecoming is moving to November: Better weather, more outside events, beautiful fall foliage. Just can't be beat! Please pay close attention to this year's Homecoming brochure. Everything is different and certain to be our best Homecoming ever!

**HOMECOMING 2006**  
 OCTOBER 30 - NOVEMBER 4



## THURSDAY, November 2 Heritage Luncheon

11:30 a.m. – Coburn Dining Room, Barefoot Student Union Building

*\*Business Attire*

Union's Faithful gather to celebrate the University's rich heritage and loyal contributions. By invitation only.

## Sports Hall of Fame Inductee Dinner!

6:30 p.m. – Coburn Dining Room, Barefoot Student Union Building

*\*Business Attire*

Advanced reservations may be made by calling (800)338-6644 or locally at 661-5208. Dinner cost \$15.00 per person.

Join us for the inauguration of Union University's Sports Hall of Fame as we honor Union's finest sports legends. The first ever inductees include the following:

- **Mr. Robert (Bobby) Jelks, '38**  
*Union University Football Coach (posthumously)*
- **Mr. Homer Spain, '52**  
*Union University Basketball player and NBA player*
- **Mr. Don Morris, '62**  
*Golf standout and golf coach since program inception*
- **Dr. David Blackstock, '64**  
*Union University coach and Athletic Director  
1998 NAIA National Championship  
Basketball Team Coach*
- **Ms. Sandra Fitzgerald, '79**  
*Women's basketball standout and coach of the  
1996 State Champions Triple A, Jackson-Central  
Merry High School Lady Cougars, (posthumously)*
- **Benny and Norma Fesmire**  
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## Friday – November 3 Class of 1957: Fifty-year Reunion

50  
YEAR

This year's Fifty Year Reunion will feature special recognitions and renew old acquaintances, bring back fond memories, and rekindle friendships. The Class of 1957 will be honored in the Homecoming Chapel on Friday, November 3, at 10:00 a.m. The highly revered 50-Year Reunion Commemorative Medallion will be presented to each member of the Class of 1957 present.

A reunion luncheon for the Class of 1957 will be held in Coburn Dining Room of the Hyran E. Barefoot Student Union Building following the chapel service. Special highlights of the afternoon will be a chartered bus tour to the former Union University downtown campus, with plenty of time for fellowship, reminiscing and strolling the campus. When making reservations, be certain to sign up for the Alumni Awards Dinner on Friday evening as well. The Class of 1957 will receive special recognition at the awards dinner.

### Class of 1957 50 Year Reunion

9:00 a.m.

Registration for the Class of 1957  
Foyer of G.M. Savage Memorial  
Chapel

10:00 a.m.

Homecoming Chapel Presentation  
of the 50-Year Reunion  
Commemorative Medallions

11:30 a.m.

50-Year Reunion Luncheon Coburn  
Dining Room - \$12.00 per person

12:30 p.m.

Chartered bus tour to the former  
downtown campus

5:30 p.m.

Alumni Awards Dinner special  
recognition for the Class of 1957

8:00 p.m.

Hospitality Room for the Class of  
1957 at the DoubleTree Hotel

## FRIDAY, November 3 DEPARTMENT RECEPTIONS

**McAfee School of Business Reception – 7:00 p.m.**

For business alumni, faculty, and staff. Meet at the home of Dr. Howard and Debbie Newell, 70 Wilmington Cove, Jackson. Dr. Keith Absher, Dean of the McAfee School of Business, will be on hand with other faculty and staff to greet you at a complimentary come and go reception. Contact: Mrs. Judy Leforgee at 731-661-5200 or email at jleforgee@uu.edu.

**The School of Nursing, Penick Academic Complex – 7:00 p.m.**

Join Dr. Tim Smith, Dean, and other faculty, staff, and School of Nursing alumni at a complimentary come and go reception. The School of Nursing with its new Nurse Anesthesia Program is on the move. See plans for the new School of Nursing in White Hall, currently under construction on the Great Lawn. Contact: Ms. Julie Patterson at 731-661-5209 or e-mail at jfpatter@uu.edu.

**Sociology/Family Studies & Psychology Departments – 7:00 p.m.**

Blasingame Academic Complex, Room 108. For all Sociology/Family Studies and Psychology alumni and friends. Contact: Dr. Naomi Larsen at 731-661-5390, e-mail nlarsen@uu.edu, or Dr. Teresa West 731-661-5394, e-mail twest@uu.edu.

**Department of Engineering – 7:00 p.m.**

A-3, Penick Academic Complex. For alumni, friends and current students. Contact: Ms. Jeannette Russ, 731-661-5542 or e-mail jruss@uu.edu.

**Math and Computer Science – 7:00 p.m.**

B-Hall, Penick Academic Complex. For all mathematics and computer science alumni, as well as friends and current majors and minors. Contact: Dr. Troy Riggs, 731-661-5257 or e-mail triggs@uu.edu, or Dr. Jan Wilms 731-661-5267 or e-mail ywilms@uu.edu.

**Language Department and the Institute for International and Intercultural Studies – 7:00 p.m.**

H-40, Penick Academic Complex. For all alumni and friends. Contact: Mrs. Carol Johnson, 731-661-5057 or e-mail cljohnso@uu.edu.

**School of Education – 7:00 p.m.**

Room 42, Blasingame Academic Complex. For all alumni and friends. Contact: Mrs. Patti Todd, 731-661-5391 or e-mail ptodd@uu.edu.

**School of Christian Studies – 7:00 p.m.**

During the summer of 2006, Christian Studies became a free-standing school within the University with its own dean due to the rapid growth of Christian Studies programs in recent years. Come celebrate the new School of Christian Studies with peers and professors, past and present, and join us for a complimentary dessert reception at the Ryan Center in Jennings Hall. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Christy Young at 731-661-5117 or e-mail at cyoung@uu.edu.

## SATURDAY, November 4 Homecoming Golf Tourney

8:00 a.m. – Hidden Valley Golf Course, Jackson

Student and alumni golfers join in for a great day. Cost: \$30.00 includes course fees, cart, and registration. Required pre-registration date: Monday, October 30. Contact: Don Morris or Cristian Murdock at (800) 338-6644, or locally at 661-5208. Winners will be recognized at the afternoon Homecoming basketball games.

## Union University “Arts in the Park”

11:00 a.m. – Coburn Dining Room, Barefoot Student Union Building

University art exposition with works by Union alums; including book signings, pottery, sculpture, paintings, jewelry, and more. Items are for show and sale. Don't miss this rare opportunity to purchase gifts for the holidays or for yourself. Coffee and dessert provided for your enjoyment.

## Pre-Game Tailgate in the Grove

11:00 a.m. – the Grove

Union's biggest and best pre-game tailgate party! Meet up with your old friends in the University's stately Grove near Coburn Dining Room. From the minute you arrive you will find fun and entertainment for every member of the family!

- 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.
- Get in the spirit of the games with face painting and temporary tattoos.
- Have your picture taken with Buster.
- Buy memorabilia at the Alumni tent.
- Kids can enjoy Dandy Jumpers, Pony Rides and a Petting Zoo.

So dress in Union red and white, bring your lawn chair and get ready to cheer on the “Dawgs”!

## Photography Reunion

11:00 a.m. – the “Photo House”

The “Photo House” experience. You were there through the laughter and tears. Now we re-unite on the UU campus at Homecoming 2006. Gather at the Photo House at 11:00, moving to The Grove for fellowship, catching up, and food. The photo exhibit of recent student's work will highlight the day. Hearing from a few of our alums along the way. Don't miss it! E-mail Jim Veneman at jveneman@uu.edu. Or call the office at 731-661-5095.



## Lady Bulldogs vs. St. Gregory's University, Shawnee, Oklahoma

2:00 p.m. – Fred Delay Gymnasium, Penick Academic Complex

Come join the action and support our Lady Bulldogs, winners of the NAIA National Championship for two consecutive years. Special seating and recognition for former Lady Bulldogs. Features at halftime include the presentation of Union's Homecoming Queen and her Court.

Between games, new inductees to the Union University Sports Hall of Fame will be recognized, followed by Homecoming Golf Tourney winner awards.

## Bulldogs vs. Olivet Navarene University, Bourbonnais, ILL

4:00 p.m. – Fred Delay Gymnasium, Penick Academic Complex

Bulldogs are back again with a nationally competitive squad that is sure to please. Presentation of the coveted Presidential Homecoming Cup will take place at half-time.

## Lambda Chi Alpha Parent/Alumni Dinner

7:00 p.m. – Coburn  
Dining Room, Barefoot  
Student Union Building.  
\$12.00 per person



REGISTER ONLINE OR SEND IN REPLY CARD.

## I/We Are Ready to Celebrate... Sign me/us up for Homecoming 2006.

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

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

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

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

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

**Reservations:** Enclosed is my check/credit card (Visa, Mastercard, Discover honored) information payable to Union University in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

Please include number of persons attending each event.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 50 Year Reunion Luncheon - \$12 per person
- \_\_\_\_\_ Sports Hall of Fame Dinner - \$15 per person
- \_\_\_\_\_ Alumni Awards Dinner - \$14 per person
- \_\_\_\_\_ Homecoming Golf Tourney - \$30 per person

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Lodging... Hotel accommodations have been blocked at a special Union rate. Just mention Union University's Homecoming when making your reservations!

Union's Host Hotel:  
Doubletree Hotel,  
1770 Highway 45 By-Pass,  
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Union rate \$69, plus tax

