

NOVEMBER 1-6, 2010

Class of 1961: Fifty Year Reunion

Friday, November 5

It's hard to believe it has been 50 years! Come join Union University's class of 1961 to renew old acquaintances, bring back fond memories and rekindle friendships. Be sure to mark your calendar for all the reunion and homecoming events.

9:00 a.m. Registration for Homecoming Chapel

Foyer of G.M. Savage Memorial Chapel, Penick Academic Complex

10:00 a.m. Alumni Awards Presentation Homecoming Chapel

G.M. Savage Memorial Chapel, Penick Academic Complex

This is a special time to honor our alumni who have made outstanding contributions to their communities, professions and to Union University. Please join us for this special occasion. The highly revered 50-Year Reunion Commemorative Medallion will be presented to each member of the Class of 1961 present.

Other awards presented:

Distinguished Faculty / Staff Award

Distinguished Service Award

Distinguished Alumnus Award

11:30 a.m. Alumni Awards and Class of 1961 Luncheon

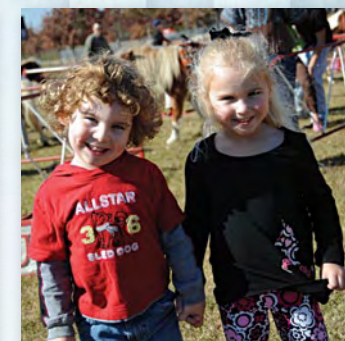
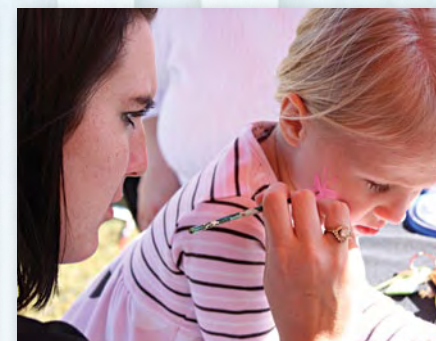
Carl Grant Events Center. Cost is \$15.00 per person.

12:45 p.m. Chartered bus tour to the former Union University downtown campus

The tour includes plenty of time for fellowship, reminiscing and strolling around the campus.

6:00 p.m. Sports Hall of Fame Inductees' Dinner

Carl Grant Events Center. Cost is \$15.00 per person. Special recognition for the Class of 1961 and Alumni Awards Recipients.



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Chemistry Department Alumni Conference

1:30 p.m. White Hall, Room 312

The Conference will feature presentations by your fellow alumni. The program will include the recognition of another outstanding science alumnus with a reception to follow. Tours of the White Hall science building will also be available. For more information, please contact Wendy Williams at 731-661-5596 or email wwilliams@uu.edu.

Sports Hall of Fame Inductees' Dinner

6:00 p.m. Carl Grant Events Center

(Business Attire)

Cost is \$15.00 per person. For advance reservations, call 800-338-6644 or locally at 661-5904. Join us as we honor Union's finest sports legends.

This year's inductees include the following:

Kenneth B. "Sadie" Hawkins, '55 – Basketball and Baseball

Lauren Hayden, '02 – Volleyball

James A. "Casey" Jones, '43 – Football (posthumously)

Bob Agee, '60 – Track and Field

Warren Olden, '98 – Basketball

Gerry Neese – Voice of the Bulldogs – Meritorious Service

Campus Ministries at U.U. Dessert Social

Were you a part of Campus Ministries between the years of 1978 and 1984? Homecoming is the perfect time for us to get reacquainted, catch up, and enjoy a great time of fellowship. **If you live nearby, please bring your favorite dessert!**

7:00 p.m. At the home of Dr. & Mrs. George Guthrie

174 Lonnie Holt Road, Milan, TN 38358, (731) 783-1413

\$10 per person; \$25 per family

Contact information: "BSU at UU Homecoming" on Facebook

www.georgehuthrie.com/bsu, uu_re.union@yahoo.com

Email reservations to uu_re.union@yahoo.com by October 15th.

saturday, november 6

Student Government Association Reunion Brunch

10:00 a.m. **Barefoots Joe**

All former SGA Executive Council members, Class Officers, Class Council members, and their families are invited. Meet current SGA officers, discuss what is going on at Union today, and reunite with old friends! A tour of the Bowl Commons will also be given at 10:30 a.m. For more information, please contact Jason Castles at jcastles@uu.edu.

Homecoming Reunion Brunch

10:00 a.m. **Carl Grant Events Center**

Alumni and friends can chat, mingle and enjoy a morning with Union faculty, staff, and administration. No charge for this special time. Make plans to come back, visit with friends from the past and tour the campus to see all the wonderful changes taking place.

Complimentary Athletic Reception (for all former athletes)

10:30 a.m. **Penick Academic Complex, Small Gym**

Visit with the University coaches, players and athletic staff. This is a great time to get reacquainted with friends and teammates. To make reservations for the reception or for more information, please contact Teresa Thomas at 731-661-5325 or via email at tthomas@uu.edu.

Union University "Arts in the Park"

10:30 a.m. **Great Lawn**

Enjoy food, fun and activities with the entire Union family. Don't miss the Art Show and Sale including pottery, sculpture, paintings, jewelry and more. Take this opportunity to purchase gifts for the holidays or items for yourself.

Pre-Game Tailgate

10:30 a.m. **Great Lawn**

Meet your old friends for fun and entertainment for all ages! Campus and Greek organizations will sell food, snacks and concessions. Get a taste of West Tennessee's best cookin' including barbecue, ribs, chicken, burgers, sides and delicious desserts. Buy memorabilia at the LifeWay table. Kids can enjoy inflatables, pony rides, a petting zoo and train rides around the Great Lawn. Dress in Union red and white, bring your lawn chair, and get ready to cheer on the "Dawgs!"

"Under the Big Top"

10:30 a.m. **Great Lawn**

This year the academic departments are joining us on the Great Lawn to conduct special reunion events for majors and minors and their families. Drop by to visit and catch up with faculty, staff and others from your area of study. Enjoy great food from campus organizations and free family activities. Departments joining in the fun include:

Department of Continuing Studies – The Department of Continuing Studies is *nuts* for our students and for Union University, so it's not surprising that we are going *nuts* to celebrate Homecoming 2010! Drop by and connect with faculty, staff and students while enjoying fresh-roasted peanuts. Contact Beverly Absher, 731-661-5363, email babsher@uu.edu.

School of Theology and Missions – "'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus." We believe this in the School of Theology and Missions at Union University. Swing by for a nice fluffy cone of cotton candy. We can't wait to see you! For additional information, please contact Christy Young, 731-661-5987, email cyoung@uu.edu.

Biology Department – Don't miss the raptor exhibit and the interactive tour of White Hall. For more information, please contact Mark Bolyard, 731-661-6586, email mbolyard@uu.edu.

School of Nursing – The faculty of the School of Nursing will be providing blood pressure checks for all Union family and friends. They will also be showcasing their new center in Providence Hall. For more information, please contact Tim Smith, 731-661-5029, email tsmith@uu.edu.



Campus Ministries at U.U. Reunion Lunch

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Family Olympics

12:00 noon **Great Lawn, east side of White Hall**

Bring the entire family for games, face painting and temporary tattoos. Free "Family Olympics" t-shirts for the whole family. Families will compete in lively games to take home the amazing traveling first place trophy. Previous winners have included the Mark McSwain family, the Dr. John Woods family, and reigning winners... the Jody Wysor family. Don't miss this great time of fun!

Lady Bulldogs vs. University of St. Francis (Ill.)

2:00 p.m. **Fred DeLay Gym**

Get in on the action and support our Lady Bulldogs. Halftime festivities will include the presentation of Union's Homecoming Queen and Court.

Bulldogs vs. Truett-McConnell (Ga.) College

4:00 p.m. **Fred DeLay Gym**

The Bulldogs are back again with a nationally competitive team that is sure to please. Halftime will include the presentation of the coveted Presidential Homecoming Cup.

Student events

sunday, october 31

11th Annual Costume Coffee House

8:00 – Barefoots Joe

10:00 p.m. Enjoy free coffee, drinks, cotton candy, popcorn, karaoke contest, Best Costume contest, free food, and much more. Wear your best friendly costume. The first 50 students will get a glow-in-the-dark UU megaphone.

tuesday, november 2

8th Annual Campus & Community: A Day of Remembrance & Service

8:30 a.m. Each November, Union University sends out hundreds of students, faculty and staff to serve in the Jackson and West Tennessee community as we remember the outpouring of care shown to our campus during the last few years. Started after the tornado of 2002 hit Union's campus, this day of service is a way for the university to show appreciation to the community in a tangible way while continuing to reflect and give thanks for God's provision for our campus. If you would like to participate in this day of service, please contact Karen Taylor at ktaylor@uu.edu.

Fourth Annual Dodgeball Tournament Fundraiser

6:00 p.m. Small Gym, Penick Academic Complex

Knock out the other teams as well as hunger in Jackson! Form a dodgeball team or join one for only \$5 per team member. All proceeds will benefit CANstruction, a national food drive for families in need. The money raised will purchase the cans used for building a Union can structure display at the Old Hickory Mall in Jackson. The cans will be donated to RIFA, a local food pantry. For more information, contact Luke Pruett at lpruett@uu.edu.

thursday, november 4

Movie in the Bowl

9:00 p.m. Bowl'd Commons

Don't forget to bring your blanket and your friends for a fun night at the movies. Enjoy this study break with lots of free snacks provided by SGA.

friday, november 5

Dave Barnes in Concert

8:00 p.m. G.M. Savage Memorial Chapel, Penick Academic Complex

Union University and the Student Activities Council welcome Dave Barnes in concert for Homecoming 2010. A favorite of Nashville's singer/songwriter scene, Barnes recently released his fourth studio album, *What We Want, What We Get*, which features the hit single "God Gave Me You." **UU tickets \$3, General \$10**

Beginning October 12, tickets will be available on campus to Union students, faculty, staff and alumni, as well as to the public online at www.uu.edu/events/homecomingconcert.



saturday, november 6

Barefoots Joe Open

10 a.m. – midnight Enjoy Saturday morning coffee and pastries at our campus coffeehouse, Barefoots Joe, which was developed by students for community and fellowship following the 2008 tornado.

Powder Puff Flag Football Game

10:30 a.m. Hurt Quad

Come out and watch the junior and senior class women battle it out in the third annual Powder Puff Flag Football Game. Grab a lawn chair and watch from the sidelines or the Hurt balconies. To participate, contact Blake Pennington at bapennington@uu.edu

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During halftime, the Presidential Homecoming Cup will be awarded to the organization that has demonstrated outstanding service to the community. The winner receives the Presidential Homecoming Cup and \$500, which is divided up between their organization and their charity of choice.



Upcoming Special Events

November 7 Exhibition Game

Lady Bulldogs vs. University of Tennessee Lady Volunteers

3:00 p.m. **Thompson-Boling Arena**

1600 Phillip Fulmer Way, Knoxville, Tennessee

November 9 Exhibition Game

Lady Bulldogs vs. Vanderbilt Lady Commodores

7:00 p.m. **Vanderbilt Memorial Gymnasium**

310 25th Avenue South, Nashville, Tennessee

***More information about these games will follow**



Lodging:

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

Union's Host Hotels:

Doubletree Hotel: 1770 Hwy 45 By-pass, 731-664-6900,

Union rate \$82 for Standard Room, \$97 for Executive Room

Comfort Suites: 61 Casey Jones Lane, 731-868-1700, 731-772-3297, Union rate \$109.99

Courtyard by Marriott: 200 Campbell Oaks Drive, 731-422-1818, Union rate \$109



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