

Class of 1960,

Wear your 50th reunion medallion – it's time for our 65-year class reunion! We will celebrate our days at Winthrop and reconnect on Nov. 14-15. Please bring your best recollections of Classes Night, daisy chains, sunbathing on dorm roofs and other fond memories! The Alumni Association has contact information for 191 members of the Class of 1960. I hope to see many of you in November to celebrate! Below is what you can expect from the weekend.

Friday, Nov. 14: Welcome Reception 6-9 p.m. We will kick off the weekend at the Alumni Welcome Reception from 6-9 p.m. at the Morgan-Holcombe Alumni Center at the Stewart House, 525 Eden Terrace. It will be a treat to see how Winthrop history has been brought to life in the new alumni house! Following the reception, we will gather for coffee, cookies, and conversation in the Lobby of the Fairfield Inn & Suites.

Saturday, Nov. 15: Activities in McBryde Hall 9:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Our class photo will be at 9:45 a.m. inside McBryde Hall near our class blanket. We will then view the Winthrop Archives memorabilia display, and enjoy coffee, cocktails and brunch bites. The "Golden" Class of 1975 will make their grand entrance, then the brunch buffet will open at 11 a.m., to be followed by the program. Our class will sit together during the brunch.

If you plan to attend, please register via the enclosed registration form and mail your registration fee by **Tuesday, Oct. 21.** Registration fees for the weekend, based on the events you will attend, are below:

- Alumni Welcome Reception: \$30/person
 - Guests are welcome to attend for \$30/person
- Alumni Reunion Brunch: \$40/person
 - Guests are welcome to attend for \$40/person
- Class photo: \$20

You can also register online and see the complete schedule of events at www.winthrop.edu/homecoming.

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Fairfield Inn & Suites for Nov. 13-15. The room rate is \$129/night plus tax. Book your room by calling 803/325-2700 and ask for the Winthrop Class of 1960 room block. Reservations must be made by Oct. 15, 2025.

In honor of our 65-year reunion, please consider a gift to the Class of 1960 Endowment for the Winthrop Fund. This fund was established by our class in honor of our legacy to Winthrop. The fund provides support to the Winthrop Fund. You can include your gift with your reunion registration.

Whether or not you plan to attend, please send me updates of yourself, including pictures, by **Saturday, Nov 1.** This info will be included in the Class of 1960 Newsletter. My contact information is below. You can text, email, or mail your updates to me. I look forward to seeing you -- and your child/grandchild/friend/Uber driver -- in November! Y'ALL COME!!

Sincerely,

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