Reunions Weekend

Schedule and General Information

MAY 9-12
2019

The University of North Carolina General Alumni Association
Full Weekend Schedule
Any updates to this schedule will be provided at check-in.
Dress for all events is casual unless alternate recommendations are provided.

Cancellation and Refund Policy

Reunion Weekend Map
The map in this booklet illustrates general parking and shuttle information. Detailed parking information will be emailed to each registrant by May 3.

To register, please visit alumni.unc.edu/springreunions or return your previously sent hardcopy registration form to:

UNC General Alumni Association
P.O. Box 660, Chapel Hill, NC 27514-0660

Questions? Contact Jennifer Guy ‘09 at (919) 843–0446 or reunions@unc.edu.
5 p.m.  Class of 1954 – 65th Reunion Dinner
*The Carolina Inn*

The class of ’54 will gather at The Carolina Inn for a 65th reunion dinner. A reunion photograph will be taken during the evening. Dress is coat and tie for men and dresses or evening pantsuits for women. Cash bar available. Price $65; GAA member price $45 (with option to add $10/person to include wine before and during dinner).

5 p.m.  Class of 1959 – 60th Reunion Dinner
*The Carolina Inn*

The class of ’59 will gather at The Carolina Inn for a 60th reunion dinner. A reunion photograph will be taken during the evening. Dress is coat and tie for men and dresses or evening pantsuits for women. Cash bar available. Price $65; GAA member price $45 (with option to add $10/person to include wine before and during dinner).

5 p.m.  Class of 1964 – 55th Reunion Dinner
*The Carolina Inn*

The class of ’64 will gather at The Carolina Inn for a 55th reunion dinner. A reunion photograph will be taken during the evening. Dress is coat and tie for men and dresses or evening pantsuits for women. Cash bar available. Price $30; GAA member price $15 (with option to add $10/person to include wine before and during dinner). This reduced event price was made possible thanks to patron funds remaining from the class of ’64 50th anniversary celebration.

5:30 – 7 p.m.  Class of 1969 Opening Reception
*Graham Memorial*

Begin Reunion Weekend at a private reception at Graham Memorial. Enjoy light hors d’oeuvres along with beverages including beer and wine. Casual attire. Reunion check-in packets will be available for pick up. Price $25; GAA member price $15. This event is sponsored by Galloway Ridge at Fearrington and Reunion Patrons.
FRIDAY, MAY 10

Parking for all Friday events will be available at Rams Head Parking Deck next door to Stadium Drive. Parking fees set by the UNC Department of Public Safety will apply. Detailed instructions will be sent to all registrants.

9 a.m. – 4 p.m.  Reunion Check-In and Information Desk Open
Lobby, George Watts Hill Alumni Center

9–10 a.m.  FEATURED ENRICHMENT SESSION
Not Your Grandmother’s Library: UNC Libraries in the Digital Age
Blue Zone (Concourse Level), Kenan Stadium
See full description on page 8.

10:10 – 11:10 a.m.  FEATURED ENRICHMENT SESSION
Morphing Skin Into Stem Cells That Kill Cancer
Blue Zone (Concourse Level), Kenan Stadium
See full description on page 8.

10:10 – 11:10 a.m.  Walking Tour of Campus
Departs from the George Watts Hill Alumni Center
11:30 a.m.  

**Old Students Club Luncheon**  
*The Carolina Club, George Watts Hill Alumni Center*

James Lee Love (class of 1884) donated an endowment to the General Alumni Association to fund an annual gathering of the “Old Students Club” for all who have reached or passed the 50th anniversary of their graduation year. Dr. William “Bill” Leuchtenburg, William Rand Kenan Jr. Professor Emeritus of history and a renowned scholar of American political history, will be our featured speaker. He is the author of more than a dozen books and the recipient of numerous honors, including the Arthur M. Schlesinger Jr. Award for historical writing of enduring public significance. Leuchtenburg has recently served as a consultant for the major renovation of the Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Library and Museum at Hyde Park. He has worked with documentary filmmaker Ken Burns on his films for more than 30 years, including “The Roosevelts,” in which he appears several times on camera. He wrote the presidential election analysis for NBC on election nights and covered presidential inaugurations for three other networks. For Bill Clinton’s first inaugural address in 1993, he was at the CBS anchor desk with Dan Rather and Charles Kuralt. Leuchtenburg has most recently published “The American President: From Teddy Roosevelt to Bill Clinton.” Casual attire. Each graduate from 1969 and earlier, along with one guest, are welcome to attend at no cost. Space is limited, registration required.
1:30–2:30 p.m. **Reunion Tours – Guided Walking or Bus Tours of Campus**

Both tours depart from the George Watts Hill Alumni Center

The walking tour is a pleasant way to revisit the older sections of main campus, although there are plenty of new sites to see along the way. The bus tour is the best way to see the new and familiar of main campus while also learning about the ever-expanding southern edges of UNC. All tours are complimentary. Tickets for bus tours will be given on a first-come, first-served basis as limited seats are available.

1:30–2:30 p.m. **FEATURED ENRICHMENT SESSION**

**Historical Reflections: America’s First Public University**

Blue Zone (Concourse Level), Kenan Stadium
See full description on page 9.

1:30–5:30 p.m. **GAA Vintage Slideshow narrated by Andy Griffith ’49 and by Charles Kuralt ’55 (Continuous Showings)**

The Carolina Club, George Watts Hill Alumni Center

Andy Griffith ’49 narrated an award-winning slideshow used by the GAA during the 1970s. Charles Kuralt ’55 narrated another award-winning slideshow used by the GAA during the 1980s. Both shows feature beautiful and historic photographs and entertaining narrations that make them fun to view even decades later. Drop in and out at any time throughout the day to view as much of these vintage shows as you wish.

3–4 p.m. **Guided Campus Bus Tour**
See 1:30 p.m. tour description.

3–5:30 p.m. **Bell Tower Open**

Climb the Bell Tower and take in the views from this stunning campus landmark.

4:15–5:15 p.m. **Guided Campus Bus Tour**
See 1:30 p.m. tour description.

5:30 p.m. **Class of ’69 Reunion Photograph**

George Watts Hill Alumni Center

6–7:30 p.m. **Reunion Check-In Reopens**

Blue Zone (Concourse Level), Kenan Stadium (site of Friday on the Hill)

6–8 p.m. **Friday on the Hill**

Blue Zone (Concourse Level), Kenan Stadium

This festive, casual social will take place at The Blue Zone. All Spring Reunions Weekend participants and alumni are invited to join for spectacular stadium views and good conversation. Price $40; GAA member price $25. Casual attire.
9–10 a.m.  FEATURED ENRICHMENT SESSION
Saturday Morning in Chapel Hill: Carolina Across the Generations
Pleasant Family Assembly Room, Wilson Library
See full description on page 9.

9 a.m.–1 p.m.  Wilson Special Collections Library Open House
Visit Wilson Library for music, memories and special exhibitions.
The library evokes memories of 1969 with a photo slideshow highlighting the class of ’69, courtesy of the North Carolina Collection Photographic Archives and a soundtrack of hits from that year provided by the Southern Folklife Collection. Visit the exhibition “Service, Not Servitude: The 1969 Food Workers’ Strikes at UNC” in the N.C. Collection Gallery and the exhibition “Wonders Great and Small: Superlatives from the Special Collections” in the Melba Remig Saltarelli Exhibit Room.

10–10 a.m.  FEATURED ENRICHMENT SESSION
The History of Argyle and Carolina Style
Pleasant Family Assembly Room, Wilson Library
See full description on page 9.

11:30 a.m.  UNC School of Nursing class of ’69 50th Reunion Luncheon
Members of the UNC nursing class of ’69 are invited to celebrate their 50th anniversary during a luncheon at the Nursing School. Tours of the school will be offered at 10 a.m. Lunch will begin at 11:30 a.m. Contact Lauren Hipp, UNC School of Nursing assistant director of advancement, at lauren_hipp@unc.edu or (919) 966-1412 for more information and to RSVP by Friday, May 3.

12 p.m.  Pharmacy 50+ Club Reunion
Alumni of the School of Pharmacy class of ’69 and preceding classes are invited to Beard Hall for the annual 50+ Club Reunion. Registration will open at 11:30 a.m. The program will start at noon. Contact Heather Lewis at hlewis22@email.unc.edu or (919) 966-1929 for details.
12:15 p.m.  
**Annual Alumni Luncheon**  
*The Carolina Club, George Watts Hill Alumni Center*  
Join us for this annual luncheon, during which the GAA’s 2019 Distinguished Service Medals will be presented to Winston B. Crisp ’92 (JD), Carol L. Folt and William L. Roper. Entertainment from the UNC Clef Hangers. Price $30. Dress is business casual.

2:30 – 4:30 p.m.  
**Campus Y Open House**  
*Campus Y*  
Enjoy engaging conversations with current student leaders and tour the YMCA building, which was renovated in 2007 and now includes historical exhibits from Y history as well as a student-run coffee shop in the lobby. We also will welcome back alumni leaders from the class of 1969 — come with your own stories to share.

6 – 11 p.m.  
**Class of 1969 50th Reunion Dinner and Dancing with The Fantasy Band**  
*The Carolina Club, George Watts Hill Alumni Center*  
Gather with your classmates at the Carolina Club for drinks followed by an elegant, seated dinner. After dinner, enjoy dessert and the live music of The Fantasy Band. Dancing is encouraged. Dress is coat and tie for men and dresses or evening pantsuits for women. Cash bar available. Price $75; GAA member price $55. The price per person was reduced thanks to donations from class of ‘69 Reunion Patrons.
SUNDAY, MAY 12

8–9:30 a.m.  Class of ‘69 Commencement Processional  
Kenan Football Center, fifth floor

Don’t miss this opportunity to participate in a wonderful Carolina tradition in which you join the processional into Kenan Stadium for the 2019 Commencement. This event is consistently rated by past 50th reunion participants as a favorite event of the weekend. Parking instructions and all necessary details will be provided in reunion packets for those who RSVP. Spouses and guests are welcome to join the fun for coffee and socializing in our gathering spot and will have a perfect vantage point to watch the procession. Following the processional, which should end before 9:30 a.m., you may depart or enjoy the rest of the Commencement program.

9 a.m.  Commencement  
Kenan Stadium

Jonathan T.M. Reckford ’84, Habitat for Humanity CEO, will deliver the Commencement address. In 2003, Reckford had been a successful business executive at some of the nation’s major corporations when he felt a calling to serve others in a deeper way. He left the corporate world behind to become a pastor and now leads the world's foremost global nonprofit housing organization.
FRIDAY, MAY 10

9 – 10 a.m.
Not Your Grandmother’s Library: UNC Libraries in the Digital Age

Blue Zone (Concourse Level), Kenan Stadium

Featuring Elaine Westbrooks, vice provost of University Libraries and University librarian. Although our libraries are fully committed to preserving knowledge and the rich and complex history of the state, we are in the midst of a transformation. University Libraries is increasingly poised to provide new kinds of services (we will always have books) so that students, faculty and staff have inspirational spaces that are quiet, communal but also energizing and engaging with new kinds of technologies. Hear about how UNC Libraries provides virtual reality tools, Makerspaces for design and prototyping and data visualization classes, while also providing collections of books, digital health devices and data sets for our campus community.

10:10 – 11:10 a.m.
Morphing Skin Into Stem Cells That Kill Cancer

Blue Zone (Concourse Level), Kenan Stadium

Featuring Dr. Shawn Hingtgen, UNC Lineberger Comprehensive Cancer Center member and assistant professor at the UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy. Join Dr. Hingtgen, a translational scientist who specializes in gene and cell therapy, as he discusses the exciting breakthrough he and his team are working on at UNC: morphing your skin into stem cells that seek out and kill cancer. With a little bit of skin and a little bit of time, this will become a remarkable therapy. Using a strong interdisciplinary team of basic scientists and clinicians, they are testing this novel treatment against many of the most aggressive types of cancer. The ultimate goal is to translate this therapy into the clinical setting, where they can provide clinicians with a powerful new therapy capable of fighting these diseases and bringing hope to patients.
1:30 – 2:30 p.m.
Historical Reflections: America’s First Public University
Blue Zone (Concourse Level), Kenan Stadium

Featuring James Leloudis ’77 (’89 PhD), associate professor of history, Peter T. Grauer associate dean for Honors Carolina and director of the James M. Johnston Center for Undergraduate Excellence. Carolina is America’s first public University. Make note of where the emphasis falls. For more than two centuries, that word ‘public’ has been the University’s guide star. But its meaning has never been static. The word has been defined and redefined, sometimes radically, as successive generations have rethought the relationship between the university and the larger society that gives it life. In this session, Jim takes a historical look at UNC and its role as American’s first public university.

SATURDAY, MAY 11

9 – 10 a.m.
Saturday Morning in Chapel Hill: Carolina Across the Generations
Pleasants Family Assembly Room, Wilson Library

Featuring Dick Baddour ’66, retired after 45 years of service as a University administrator in student affairs, undergraduate admissions, the School of Law and athletics. This session has been a favorite one for reunion participants going back over a decade. What’s it like to be a student today compared to undergraduates in the 1960s? Dick Baddour leads a lively discussion on this topic. He will pose questions to a panel of four current students and four graduates from the class of 1969. Audience participation is encouraged.

10 – 11:10 a.m.
The History of Argyle and Carolina Style
Pleasants Family Assembly Room, Wilson Library

Featuring internationally acclaimed, five-time Coty award-winning fashion and furniture designer Alexander Julian ’69. Alex will commentate and illustrate with archival photos the rich visual history of Chapel Hill’s incredible legacy that transcends from Franklin Street to the playing fields.
CAMPUSS FAVORITES

You may wish to visit these free campus attractions during Reunions Weekend.

Ackland Art Museum
101 S. Columbia St. (near Franklin Street)
Wednesday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.;
Sunday, 1-5 p.m.

Open since 1958, the museum holds a permanent collection of more than 17,000 works of art, featuring North Carolina’s premier collections of Asian art and works of art on paper (drawings, prints and photographs), as well as significant collections of European masterworks, 20th-century and contemporary art, African art and North Carolina pottery. Visit ackland.org for information about current exhibits.

Bell Tower
Friday, May 10, 3-5:30 p.m.

Climb the stairs and enjoy the views.

Campus Y
Special open house for reunion participants on Saturday, May 11, 2-4 p.m.

For over 150 years, the Campus Y has been at the heart of UNC. Its mission was and is the pursuit of social justice, and it was a social hub for decades. The building was fully renovated in 2007.

Charlie Justice Football Hall of Honor
Kenan Football Center
Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

View photographs, awards, trophies and artifacts detailing the rich and storied history of football in Chapel Hill. The James A. Heavner Theater offers seven dramatic videos.
**Carolina Basketball Museum**

*Ernie Williamson Building, Skipper Bowles Drive (near the Dean E. Smith Center)*  
*Monday–Friday, 10 a.m.–4 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.–1 p.m.*

Enjoy memorabilia along with multimedia and interactive exhibits highlighting the phenomenal Carolina basketball program through the years. *Photo: goheels.com*

**Morehead Planetarium**

*Tuesday–Friday, 10 a.m.–3:30 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m.–3:30 p.m.; Sunday, 1–4:30 p.m.*

Visit moreheadplanetarium.org for listing of exhibits, planetarium shows and costs.

**Wilson Library**

*9 a.m.–5 p.m. on weekdays. Special open house hours for reunion participants on Saturday, May 12, 9 a.m.–1 p.m.*

Visit Wilson Library for music, memories and special exhibitions. The library evokes memories of 1969 with a photo slideshow highlighting the class of ’69, courtesy of the North Carolina Collection Photographic Archives and a soundtrack of hits from that year provided by the Southern Folklife Collection. Visit the exhibition “Service, Not Servitude: The 1969 Food Workers’ Strikes at UNC” in the N.C. Collection Gallery and the exhibition “Wonders Great and Small: Superlatives from the Special Collections” in the Melba Remig Saltarelli Exhibit Room.

**Women’s Basketball Museum & More**

*Carmichael Arena*  
*Monday–Friday, 10 a.m.–4 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.–1 p.m.*

The fully renovated facility includes the Women’s Basketball Museum, as well as new trophy cases and memorabilia recognizing the history of the gymnastics, volleyball and wrestling teams, with video screens throughout the arena. The hallways are wood-lined and decorated in graphics with Carolina’s most outstanding athletes.
Special Requests

Please note any dietary requests when you register. With proper notice, special meals can be made available at most events.

Care will be taken to ensure event locations are wheelchair accessible. If you need additional support, such as for visual or hearing impairments, call the GAA at (919) 843–0446 by April 27, and we will assist you with arrangements.

Cancellation and Refund Policy

The General Alumni Association has made every effort to keep reunion costs down, and the prices reflect direct costs of each event. Requests to change or cancel your registration must be received in writing to our office no later than April 28. The requests may be made by mail (postmarked by April 28), fax or email. After this date, cancellations and changes are nonrefundable. Administrative fees are nonrefundable. All refunds will be processed after the Reunions Weekend. Refunds will not be given at the registration center.

Parking

Parking and associated fees for all Spring Reunions Weekend events are controlled by the UNC Department of Public Safety. Due to spring being the busy season for the department, detailed parking information will be emailed to all registrants using the email address on file by May 3. For additional parking questions during the week of the event, please contact the GAA at (919) 962–1208.

Those participating in the class of 1969 Commencement processional on Sunday will receive special parking instructions with their registration packets at check-in.

Shuttles

Shuttles will be available by request during designated times on Friday and Saturday, with stops at the George Watts Hill Alumni Center, near Wilson Library, The Carolina Inn and all reunion event sites as needed.
Detailed parking locations will be emailed to all registrants by May 3 using the email address we have on file. Recommended parking on Friday and Saturday will be in the Rams Head Parking Deck located on Ridge Road next door to the Alumni Center.

A campus shuttle will be available by request during designated times on Friday and Saturday with stops at the George Watts Hill Alumni Center and all reunion event sites as needed.

Those who are participating in the class of ’69 Commencement processional on Sunday will receive special parking instructions with their registration packets at check-in.

For additional questions regarding parking during the week of the event, please contact the GAA at (919) 962–1208.
Celebrate Your Reunion This Spring

Register at alumni.unc.edu/springreunions by April 25. Already registered? Update your registration with these exciting new events. Look inside to explore.