Large Turnout Predicted for October Reunions

For the first time in many years, the Law School's Reunion Weekend will share the spirit and tradition of UW Homecoming. Alumni will be able to take part in reunion events at the Law School and enjoy the many Homecoming events throughout the university.

Events at the Law School begin at 4 p.m. on Friday, October 21, with tours and a free CLE ethics program. An all-class cocktail reception, which has become the centerpiece of the Reunion Weekend, begins at 5:30 in the Law School Atrium, followed by individual class dinners at a variety of venues.


Saturday's events begin with a pre-game tailgate party before the football game featuring Wisconsin vs. Purdue. Alumni will be able to cheer the graduating third-year class as its members toss their canes over the goalposts before the start of the game. A limited number of football tickets are available on a first-registered, first-pay basis to those attending the reunions, so signing up early is recommended. For a memorable Reunion Weekend, encourage your classmates to meet you in Madison.

For more information or to register on-line, go to the Law School Reunion Web site at www.law.wisc.edu/reunion/index.htm.

Law Review Alumni Group Launched

Former members of the Wisconsin Law Review (WLR) recently launched an alumni association to increase interaction among graduates and create an alumni network for current WLR members. A steering committee that met in March developed a strategic plan and set up a committee structure for the association.

Sarah Maguire, a former WLR Editor-In-Chief and a founding member of the association, explained that the association hopes increased interaction between the alums and current WLR members will help promote continuity in the publication and create resources to which the current senior board can refer. In addition, the association will organize reunion events for alumni and sponsor career and clerkship informational panels to help current WLR members. The association will maintain a Web site and will publish an electronic newsletter.

The association’s Web site, in its infancy, is at http://students.law.wisc.edu/lawreview/alumni.htm, and the first e-mail newsletter will be distributed this spring. Interested alums are encouraged to ensure that their contact information is current through a link provided on the association’s Web site or by e-mailing Dean Ed Reisner at ereisner@wisc.edu.

The WLR now joins the ranks of the Columbia Law Review, Texas Law Review, and many others with active alumni associations.

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