Homecoming 2015

Friday, September 25

4-8 p.m.  **Check-in/Late Registration**  Hodson House Conference Room  
*All attendees must check-in to get packets and nametags.*

5:45-7:45 p.m.  Class of 1965 50th Reunion Dinner  **President's House**  
Shuttle leaves from GYM lot by Carroll Barrister House (5:15 to 6 p.m.)

5:45 p.m.  Dinner for the Classes  **Beyond Golden**  (before 1965)  **Great Hall**  
With music by the Unified Jazz Ensemble

5:30-7:30 p.m.  Class of 1985 Private 30th Reunion Party  **Boathouse**

6-8 p.m.  Class of 1980 Private 35th Reunion Party  **Hodson Room, Mellon Hall**

8- 9:30 p.m.  **Concert New York Polyphony**  **FSK Auditorium**  
Reception w/artists to follow

**NEW THIS YEAR!**

9:45-10:45 p.m.  Pub Trivia - cash bar  **Randall Dining Hall**

Saturday, September 26

8-11:30 a.m.  **Check-in/ Late Registration**  Hodson House Conference Room  
*All attendees must check-in to get packets and nametags.*

**Packets may be picked up in the GYM from 12:15 -2 p.m., if you miss the check-in times at the Hodson House.**

8:45-10:15 a.m.  Career Services Networking Breakfast  **Iglehart Hall (Gym)**

9:30-11:30 a.m.  Admissions Office Open House  **Carroll Barrister House**  
Campus tour beginning at 10 a.m.; coffee and refreshments served.

10:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  Children’s Story Hour (Ages 2-7)  **Mellon Café (Fishbowl)**

10:30 a.m.-Noon  Seminars (see list)  **Room assignments available at check-in**

12:15-12:30 p.m.  **in Memoriam Ceremony Quad Steps**

12:30-2 p.m.  **Lunch Iglehart Hall (Gym)**

12:30-2 p.m.  Class of 1970 Private 45th Reunion Party  **President Nelson’s House**

12:30 to 3 p.m.  Class of 1975 Private 40th Reunion Party  **Mellon Café (Fishbowl)**

12:30-3 p.m.  Class of 1990 Luncheon Party: Pick up your lunch at the gym and bring it to the **Boathouse** at 12:30, where there will be beverages (adult and otherwise), reminiscences and a comfortable place for conversation.

12:30-2 p.m.  Reception for Graduate Institute Alumni & Students  **BBC, Hartle Room**
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1:30 to 3 p.m. A Little Impromptu Musical Gathering *The Quad*
Chester Burke (A74), Bill Donahue (A67) and Cary Stickney (A75) invite alike—and devoted mostly to traditional American, Scottish and Irish fiddle tunes and airs. **Bring an instrument and join the open session!**

1-3:15 p.m. Kids' Carnival *Back Campus*

2-3 p.m. All Alumni Meeting *Conversation Room*

3:15 p.m. Special Afternoon Seminars *Room assignments available at check-in*

3:15-4:15 p.m. Ptolemy Revisited *McKeldin Planetarium FULL*

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3:15-4:15 p.m. Open Forum with Instruction Committee *Conversation Room*

3:15-5:30 p.m. Book Signing *Bookstore*

4 p.m. Alumni Soccer Classic *Upper Field*

4-5 p.m. Seth Ginsburg (A75) performs his music *Great Hall*

“This recital will be a chance for me to share some of my musical adventures with beloved old friends. I will perform a range of my compositions— from characteristically silly songs to more reflective instrumental pieces— on guitar and piano”.

4:15-5:15 p.m. Foucault Pendulum Pit *Mellon Hall*

5-6:30 p.m. Mitchell Gallery open *Mellon Hall*

5-6:30 p.m. Welcome Home Reception *FSK Lobby*

6-8 p.m. Class of 2010 5th Reunion Party *Harry Browne’s on State Circle*

6-9 p.m. Class of 1995 Private 20th Reunion Party *Boathouse*

7-9 p.m. Class of 2000 15th Reunion Party - *Metropolitan Kitchen and Lounge* 169 West Street - Join members of the Class of 2000 as we take over the rooftop bar at the Metropolitan. It can be the last stop of a great day in Annapolis, or the first stop of an even better night. Friends and family are encouraged! **RSVP to matthew.calise@gmail.com**, so we can get the best count. Cash bar and full dinner menu will be available: metropolitanannapolis.com

7-9:15 p.m. Banquet & Alumni Awards (adults only) *Iglehart Hall (Gym)*

**Banquet choices:**

- Baked Salmon served on a bed of ratatouille and a sun dried tomato polenta

- Wild Mushroom Ragout with oven roasted vegetable quinoa (gluten and dairy free)
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9:15-10:45 p.m. Coffee and Conversation FSK Lobby

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9:30 p.m. Bonfire & SJC Chorus led by Peter Kalkavage Back Campus

10 p.m.-2 a.m. Waltz/Swing Party Great Hall

10 p.m.-2 a.m. Rock Party with DJ Robert George (A85) Coffee Shop

Sunday, September 27

NEW THIS YEAR!

10 a.m.-noon Sunday Morning Needlework Circle: The Class of 1990 welcomes all likeminded souls to bring their knitting/crocheting/needlepoint/tatting/etc. and indulge their tastes for coffee, conversation and creativity. Mellon Café (Fishbowl)

11 a.m.-1 p.m. President’s Brunch Iglehart Hall (Gym)

HIGHLIGHTS

Friday Night Concert - New York Polyphony FSK Auditorium
Praised for a “rich, natural sound that’s larger and more complex than the sum of its parts,” (National Public Radio) NEW YORK POLYPHONY is regarded as one of the finest vocal chamber ensembles in the world. The four men “sing with intelligence, subtlety and consummate artistry,” (Richmond Times-Dispatch) applying a distinctly modern touch to repertoire that ranges from austere medieval melodies to cutting-edge contemporary compositions.

Pub Trivia
Form a team with fellow alumni and students and join us for Pub Trivia to test your mettle. In addition to bragging rights, prizes will be awarded to the winners! Though the lessons of the Great Books stay with us forever, how well do you remember the details? How many husbands did the Wife of Bath have? How did Dido die?

A Little Impromptu Musical Gathering The Quad
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Open Forum with Instruction Committee
An open question period with the Dean and the Faculty committee responsible for overseeing the program of instruction.

Mitchell Gallery
House Proud: Nineteenth-Century Watercolor Interiors from the Thaw Collection - An exhibition that examines the evolution of the domestic interior in 19th-century Europe. This exhibition was organized by the Smithsonian’s Cooper-Hewitt, National Design Museum, and explores the origins of the modern home through Eugene (St. John’s College, Class of 1947) and Clare Thaw’s generous gift to the museum of these 85 interior watercolors.

Bonfire
Join your fellow alumni and students around the fire and sing along with the St. John’s Chorus led by tutor Peter Kalkavage

Raffle: Every registrant’s name will be entered into a raffle for a $100 gift card to the Bookstore.
**Annapolis Award of Merit Winners:**

- **Kendon Stubbbs (A60)** - distinguished academic research librarian
- **Steven Werlin (A85)** - senior faculty at Shimer College and regional director of Chemen Lavi Miyo, a program aimed at assisting Haiti's extreme poor in learning skills needed to lift their families out of poverty.
- **James Jarvis, MD (A75)** - University of Buffalo Department of pediatrics. Clinical professor and chief, allergy/immunology and rheumatology

**Annapolis Honorary Alumni:**

- **Tutor Emeritus Nick Maistrellis**

**St. John’s College Food Service Specialists:**
- **Willa (Nelly) Wilkerson** 38 years of service
- **Patricia Wilkerson** 35 years of service
- **Sylvia Wilkerson** 31 years of service
- **Dianese Butler** 28 years of service

**Pricing for Homecoming Annapolis**

Recent Alumni & Guest(1) Registration - Classes of 2005-2015 - $35 each
Late Registration – September 19-25 - $110
Lunch - $20
Banquet (adults only) – includes wine - $50
Children 14-17 - $20 (registration and meals)
Children 13 and under free (registration and meals)

Registration includes Fiftieth Reunion Dinner (Class of 1965 only)*, Dinner for *Beyond Golden* (classes before 1965 only)*, Concert and reception, Pub Trivia, Career Services Networking Breakfast, Seminars, Kids' Carnival, Book Signing, Ptolemy Revisited, Foucault Pendulum Pit, Soccer Classic, Welcome Home Reception, (1 complimentary alcoholic beverage), Coffee and Conversation, Bonfire with SJC Chorus, Rock and Waltz Parties, Sunday Morning Needlework Circle, Sunday President’s Brunch, and entry into raffle for $100 gift card to Bookstore.

During morning seminars, a Story Time for children ages 2-7 and seminars for children ages 8-15 are available.

Babysitting – for those who are interested, we will provide a list of students offering their babysitting services over the weekend. Alumni and students negotiate the fees and arrangements.

Annapolis Accommodations: Room blocks with special SJC rates offered at Historic Inns of Annapolis and Sheraton Annapolis Hotel. [http://www.sjc.edu/friends/business-friends/#accommodations](http://www.sjc.edu/friends/business-friends/#accommodations). Reservations must be made 30 days in advance of the event.

**Cancellation Policy**

No refund if cancelled September 12 or later