

News of the Month -- July 2009 Memorial High School Class of 1959 Eau Claire, Wisconsin

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Dear Classmates,

Wherever you are in the world, we hope you've made plans to be in Eau Claire for our 50th Class Reunion on September 11, 12, & 13, 2009! Reservations are pouring in, and many of our classmates are coming from the Four Corners of the World to the Four Corners of Eau Claire for the celebration. Thanks to all of you who have sent your forms back already! For those who haven't, however, we want to make sure you will be here too, so if you're a little behind on your "to do" list, here's what you need "to do" to get ready. (Note: If you are unable to attend the 50th Reunion, please complete the form and mail it back anyway.)

- 1. Read over the whole reservation/order letter that you received from the Reunion Committee in early May. (It can also be found on this website in case you need a copy.)
- 2. Decide which activities you want to enjoy while you are at the 50th Reunion. In addition to the Friday night party and the Saturday evening dinner, do you want to have brunch at the Ramada on Sunday morning? During the day on Saturday, would you like to golf with classmates and friends, or would you like to go on a bus tour of Eau Claire with classmates and friends? Are you going to order a T-shirt, a 50th Reunion DVD, or a 50th Reunion Booklet? Do you plan to bring an antique car, class memorabilia, or a door prize?
- 3. When you are finished answering all those questions, complete the reservation/order form on both sides, enclose your check, and get it ready to mail to the address below.
- 4. Enclose a current photo of yourself with the reservation/order form. It will be used in the 50th Reunion Booklet, so be sure to send it. (We've received many already. Thanks much to all of you who have sent them!)
- 5. Enclose a short autobiography with the reservation/order form. It, too, will be used in the 50th Reunion Booklet, so be sure to send it. (Interesting lives we are living!)
- 6. Mail everything by the Fourth of July.

Have a great Fourth of July!

- 7. Make sure you have reservations at a hotel/motel in Eau Claire for the weekend.
- 8. Check your travel plans, and be sure to arrive in plenty of time for the Friday night party.
- 9. Look over the 50th Reunion information on this website so that you don't miss anything.
- 10. Plan to have a great time and enjoy every minute of our 50th Reunion!!

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