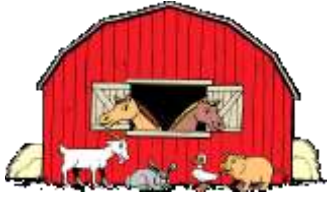


News of the Month – September 2015

Memorial High School – Class of 1959

Eau Claire, Wisconsin

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Dear Classmates,

We have some good news this month! My request for reservations at *The Lismore* in downtown Eau Claire for our 60th Class Reunion in 2019 has been answered. I received an email from Jason Jon Anderson, who is working with reservations for *Events at The Lismore*, and he said, “On behalf of *The Lismore* and the *Halls @ The Lismore*, we would be so excited to host your most excellent event.” *The Lismore* is the hotel in Eau Claire where we had our 50th Reunion. It was under a different name and in need of a renovation at that time. It is located in the block next to “The Four Corners.” Since then, it has been purchased by a group of young Eau Claire investors, and they are having the building totally renovated, from the rafters out. Jason explained that *The Lismore* will be a completely new building when they are finished with the renovation in December 2015. It looks amazing already, and I think that everyone who attends the 60th reunion will be very happy with our new venue. For all of us in the Eau Claire area, it’s exciting to see “our” new hotel taking shape, and for everyone in our class, it will be a beautiful and exciting place to get together in 2019!

One of the questions Jason has asked me about the 60th Class Reunion Weekend in 2019, is approximately how many hotel rooms should they save for our Reunion Weekend. I’ve tried to give him a possible number, but, if you are planning to stay at the hotel for the weekend of September 13-15, 2019, it would really help me to be more accurate, if you would email me in the next week or two and let me know. (This is not a reservation. It is just a count to give us an idea of numbers who might want a room for the weekend.)

As a result of your votes following the 55th Reunion, it was decided that all events (except golf) for our 60th Reunion will be held at *The Lismore* and planned as follows:

Friday, September 13, 2019: There will be an informal social evening for classmates and guests with a short program. Substantial snacks will be served with a bar set-up in the room for the evening.

Saturday, September 14, 2019: Golf at Lake Hallie will be offered for classmates and guests.

Saturday, September 14, 2019: There will be a social hour and a served dinner with a short program & bar set-up throughout the evening. (Since *The Lismore* is right downtown, many people will want to explore that area during the day. There are many changes happening!)

Sunday, September 15, 2019: There will be a brunch for classmates and guests before everyone leaves to head home.

If you have any questions or concerns about any of the above information, please contact me at any time.



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