

June 1, 2009



Dear Wilson 1959 Classmates:

The BIG ONE is about to happen!!!!!! No, not the earthquake, our 50th Reunion.

Believe it or not, 50 years have passed since we left those hallowed halls and it's time for us to get together and celebrate. There is a reunion committee organized, under the leadership of senior class president, Jeff Lake, and we have planned some definite and tentative events for the weekend of August 22, 2009. So, **SAVE THE DATES.**

Here are the definite events:

- GALA Dinner & Dance
Saturday evening, August 22, 2009
Long Beach Yacht Club
- Family Brunch
Sunday morning, August 23, 2009
Wilson High Quad

Here is a tentative event: If interested in this one, **contact Patty Hart Williams, 909 798-5533**

- Informal Evening Get-together for food & drinks
Friday evening, August 21, 2009
Domenico's or some other local pub

And now we need your help on several items:

Do you think you might be coming to the Dinner and/or Brunch?
For those who are coming from out-of-town, should we arrange a group rate at a local inn?
Do you want to help in some way with the planning of the Reunion events?
Can you help us find our missing classmates?

We have included a response sheet with this letter. Please return as soon as you can.
We are really excited about seeing everyone and hope you are able to join in! Call or e-mail if you need more information.

Your Wilson High School Class of 1959 Reunion Committee

Jeff Lake	jeffreylake@aol.com	Barbara Nishkian Halligan	barbaraj247@sbcglobal.net
Kaye Swanson Riley	releykay@att.net	Sally Springer Schmidt	sallyschmidt@verizon.net
Carole Hubbard Stratton	thestrats@aol.com	Meredith Sawyer Medanich	mmedanich@aol.com
Mary G. Mersky Keipp	mkeipp@oid.ucla.edu	Betty Munholland Gregory	bgregory2@dr.rr.com
Connie Blackburn	(714) 838-4823		

Wilson High Class of 1959
Reunion Response

Name _____

I plan to come to the GALA Dinner Dance on August 22, 2009. (Approx. cost-\$100)

Yes _____ No _____ Maybe _____

I plan to come to the Family Brunch on August 23, 2009. (Approx. cost--\$25)

Yes _____ No _____ Maybe _____

I am interested in lodging for the weekend at a group rate. (Approx. cost--\$100/night)
We can reserve a group of rooms at either the Hampton Inn or Ayres Hotel in Seal Beach.

Yes _____ No _____ Maybe _____

I would like to help with further planning of the reunion.

Yes _____ No _____ Maybe _____

We could use monetary (or other) donations to help defray the costs of the reunion. If you can help, please indicate below and include your check in your response. Please make payable to Wilson High School Class of 1959. Any amount would help.

I would like to help by making a donation.

Yes _____ No _____ Maybe _____

Please mail this response to Connie Blackburn Selin
10162 LaSierra Pl.
Santa Ana, CA 92705-1509 or

E-mail or fax to Mary G. Mersky Keipp, mkeipp@oid.ucla.edu, fax: 310 206-1455