

Alumni & Friends,

I'm excited about this year's Homecoming! It's NEW, it's FUN, it's DIFFERENT! But more importantly, it reflects an energy and enthusiasm on campus we want to share with you.

The *New & Improved* weekend is packed full of NEW activities your whole family will enjoy—Sound Stage, Kids Korner, Taste of the Town, the Post-Game Party, Mini-College Classes and more! We'll also celebrate those tried and true events that honor outstanding alumni and support the Bulldogs.

Above all, I hope you will reconnect with one another and your alma mater and help make our first homecoming together one we'll all remember.


Jeffrey R. Docking
Adrian College President



We've combined the best of the past with fun & exciting NEW additions for Homecoming 2005. When you arrive on campus, be sure to stop at the Registration & Information table in Caine Student Center (CSC) for the latest details! Bring this schedule with you.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14

Noon • Alumni & Friends Golf Scramble • Wolf Creek Golf Course

Lunch, 18 holes, cart & prizes! \$45/person, Tee times 11 am - 1:30 pm

Email foursomes to mriley@adrian.edu (names, addresses & phone numbers) or call Buck Riley 517-264-3978.

Fits-to-a-Tee

12:15 pm • Alumni Professor-for-a-Day • Mahan Hall, Rm. 8

"What to do with a studio major" - Mike Barker '03 & Russell Tracy '68 share their art studio experiences with students, alumni & friends. View their works on exhibit inside the Heritage Room, Shipman Library.

ART-full

2 - 7 pm • Registration & Information • Caine Student Center (CSC), Center Court

Pick up your Homecoming schedule, nametags (= FREE admission to football game!), reserved event tickets & Bulldog buttons! Register onsite for the new online Alumni Connection too! Keys for Pellowe Hall reservations; after-hours pick up at Campus Safety.

5:30 - 6:30 pm • President's Open House • 2131 Heatherwood Drive, Adrian

(In The Meadows subdivision north off Riverside between Scott Street and Tipton Highway.) Meet Adrian College's new president, Dr. Jeffrey Docking & his wife Beth, in their new home off campus. Light refreshments.

AC Approved

6 pm • Athletic Hall of Fame Reception • CSC, Arrington Auditorium, 2nd floor

Current inductees, former Hall of Famers & guests are invited to the pre-dinner reception. *Invitation only*

6:45 pm • Walk of Fame • CSC, Outdoor on walkway

Gather with AC student athletes, alumni & friends outside Caine Student Center to cheer the Athletic Hall of Fame inductees as they make their way to the induction ceremony.

FAN-tastic

7 pm • Athletic Hall of Fame Dinner & Induction • Adrian/Tobias Room, Ritchie Dining Hall

Six individuals will be honored for their valuable participation in Bulldog athletics. See separate listing. *Invitation only*

9 pm • All-Campus Bonfire & Pep Rally • Behind Pellowe Hall

Join students, alumni & friends to fire up for Saturday's game! (rain location: Merillat Sport & Fitness Center Gym)

HOT!

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15

8 am • 5K Bulldog Run

Merillat Sport & Fitness Center lobby

Run Faster

Neighborhood run near campus. Contact our NEW track & cross country coach, Jeff Webb 517-264-3992 or jwebb@adrian.edu. \$12/person in advance; \$15/person day of event. Open to all. T-shirts & prizes!

8 am - 5 pm

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New

9:30 - 10:30 am • Homecoming Honors Reception • CSC, Arrington Auditorium, 2nd floor

Help honor our special guests: President Jeffrey Docking, 2005 Alumni Award & Athletic Hall of Fame recipients & the Class of 1955. Continental breakfast; open to all.

Consistent Quality

New

10 am • AC Alumnae Volleyball Match • Merillat Sport & Fitness Center

Former women players are invited to play some volleyball! Contact Coach Mike Watkins 517-264-3975 or mwatkins@adrian.edu.

Jump Higher

New

10 am • Mini-College Classes • Mahan Hall

Vitamin Enriched

(also at noon in Mahan & North Hall) Become a student again as Adrian faculty present light-hearted lectures. Tests not included!

“Irregardless. Ouch!” *Avoid the most common speaking errors.*

Mr. Don Kleinsmith, Professor, English/Business • Mahan, Rm. 110

“Exploring Europe with Adrian College in Two Weeks or Less”

See why traveling with the AC community is the only way to go.

Dr. Robin Bott, Associate Professor, English & Dr. Bryan Bott, Lecturer, Modern Languages & Cultures
• Mahan, Rm. 102

New

10 am - noon • Taste of the Town: Fun in Every Bite!

Outdoor on the mall

More Flavor

Sample culinary delights from area restaurateurs at our first “taste.”

New 10 am - 12:30 pm • Sound Stage • Outdoor on the mall

Enjoy some of Adrian's musical & magical talents! New performances begin every half hour.

Music to Your Ears

New 10 am - 12:30 pm • Kids Korner • Outdoor on the mall

Children of all ages will enjoy activities including a moon walk, face painting, treat walk, chalk art, spin art, duck pond, AC Bulldog spirit art table, ball toss, the famous balloon man & snacks!

Mother Approved

New 10 am - 4 pm • Campus Crafters Marketplace • Outdoor on the mall

Talented AC faculty, staff & students offer a wide variety of items for sale.

Crafted with Care

11 am • Alumni Awards Ceremony • CSC, Hickman Board Room, 2nd floor

Join in recognizing five very special people as they receive one of Adrian's highest honors. See separate listing.

Tried & True

New Noon • Mini-College Classes • Mahan & North Hall

(also at 10 am in Mahan) Become a student again as Adrian faculty present light-hearted lectures. Tests not included!

"Digital Photography for Dummies" Tips to capture better photos.

Mr. Brian Steele, Associate Professor, Art & Design • Mahan, Rm.102

Vitamin Enriched

"Not-So-Extreme Home Makeover" Make your home more functional & attractive.

Mrs. Nancy Van Over, Assistant Professor, Art & Design • North, Rm. 107

Noon - 1:30 pm • Pasta & People! • Adrian/Tobias Room, Ritchie Dining Hall

Homecoming lunch: pasta bar, salad, bread, dessert & beverages. All are invited to join our special guests, reunion groups, friends & family. \$10 Adults/Seniors, \$6 Children 10 & under, 2 & under eat free. **Please use Homecoming registration form. Walk-ins also welcome.*

Carb-Loaded

PRE-GAME • **MAPLE STADIUM** (watch & listen for the AC Band!)

New 1:30 pm • Walkin' the Dawg

Arrive early at the stadium to see real local Bulldogs compete for the best-dressed canine. Bulldogs & owners strut mid-field to vie for the grand prize. Contact mmoore@adrian.edu.

Dog-Gone Good

1:45 pm

Awesome Alumni

The 2005 Athletic Hall of Fame & Alumni Award recipients will be introduced. Let's applaud their achievements!

Star Quality

2 pm

FOOTBALL: Adrian Bulldogs vs. Olivet Comets • Maple Stadium

Cheer on the Bulldogs in the stands, on the sidelines & under the tents! Homecoming nametag = FREE Admission.*

More Power!

HALF-TIME CELEBRATION

Homecoming Court announced - Congratulate this year's AC royalty!

Alumni Hospitality Tent - Stop by the Big Tent for hot dogs, cider & donuts. Hosted by the Alumni Association Board of Directors. (donations appreciated)

Tent Row - Reunite with alumni & current students. Classes of 1985, 1995 & Greeks.

POST-GAME

New

5 - 8 pm. • Post-Game Party! • Merillat parking lot

Bring your tailgate back to campus - there's no reason to go anywhere else! Enjoy munchies, the big screen, music & memories. Reunion groups: look for signs to locate your classmates!

Instant Fun

New

6 pm • 25th Anniversary EXCEL Dinner

Past & present members of EXCEL (formerly Student Development) are invited. RSVP by mail or call the Alumni Office 1-800-264-9063. *Invitation only*

New

6:45 pm • Pre-Halloween How! • Merillat parking lot

College van or caravan to Lenawee County Fairgrounds. Join the brave for one of Michigan's best haunted houses, The Haunting, created by **Stuart MacDonald '86**. **Not suitable for children 12 & under, pregnant women or anyone with a heart condition.* Admission \$11/per person with group. For more info visit www.myhaunting.com.

Incredible

7 - 9 pm

Psychology Alumni Open House • 1183 Glendale, Adrian

Annual gathering at the home of Drs. Gordon & Judith Hammerle.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16

9:15 am • Alumni Choir Continental Breakfast & Rehearsal • Spencer Hall

Alumni choir members check in, pick up music folders & enjoy a light breakfast followed by rehearsal in Herrick Chapel from 9:30-10:40 am. See *registration form*.

11 am • Homecoming Worship Service • Herrick Chapel

Heart Healthy

Chaplain **Chris Momany '84** invites you to come worship! Join students, alumni & friends for an uplifting morning service featuring guest preacher **Rev. Marsha Bitson Woolley '82** from First United Methodist Church of Ann Arbor. Other special guests include President Jeffrey Docking, the Adrian College Choir & Alumni Choir.

1 pm • Brunch with the Classics • Adrian/Tobias Room, Ritchie Dining Hall

Inspirational

The Adrian Symphony Orchestra hosts a sumptuous Sunday brunch accompanied by beautiful chamber music! Piano, violin & cello music by Schubert & Mozart. \$22 Adults/Seniors; \$9 Children 10 & under.

**Please use Homecoming registration form to reserve tickets.* For information 517-264-3121 or visit www.aso.org

REUNIONS

1955, 1965, 1975, 1985, 1995, Multicultural

Watch your mail for special invitations!

GREEKS

Watch your mail for special invitations!

ALUMNI AWARD RECIPIENTS

These alumni will be recognized Saturday. Join us for the Alumni Awards Ceremony, 11 am, CSC, Hickman Board Room, 2nd floor.



Distinguished Alumni Award - **Jack Vivian '66**



Young Alumni Achievement Award - **Diane Czuk-Smith '80**



Alumni Service Award - **Jack Birchfield '55**



Alumni Humanitarian Award - **Rick Pokriefka '84** (posthumously)



Honorary Alumni Award - **Jackie Blevins** (named in 2001)

ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

These alumni will be recognized Friday & Saturday. Join us for the Walk of Fame! Friday, 6:45 pm, CSC

Matt Carson '94 - Track

Riki Carson-Emmendorfer '92 - Track & Volleyball

Stacy Pasch Rellinger '93 - Track & Cross Country

Richard Seagert '65 - Basketball

Tom Sefcik '78 - Football & Baseball

Bernell Duke Wood '62 - Basketball



OTHER POINTS OF INTEREST

AC BOOKSTORE, Rush Hall

Look for the mobile bookstore at the football game on Saturday!

Fri. 8:30 am - 4:30 pm • Sat. 10 am - 6 pm

Josten's will take ring orders, Sat. 11 am - 2 pm

CAINE STUDENT CENTER (CSC) Open 24 hours.

Campus Safety located inside; campus extension 4333.

MERILLAT SPORT & FITNESS CENTER

Fri. 7 am - 9 pm • Sat. 10 am - 9 pm • Sun. 2 pm - 8 pm

SHIPMAN LIBRARY

The Heritage Room exhibit features sculpture works by **Mike Barker '03 & Russell Tracy '68**.

New

Sat. 10 am - 5 pm • Sun. noon - 11 pm

STEPHENSON ALUMNI LOUNGE, North Hall

Need a place to just relax & reminisce? Stop by the alumni lounge any time from 4 - 9 pm on Friday & noon - 7 pm on Saturday to meet other alumni & share College stories.

STUBNITZ ART GALLERY, Downs Hall

2005 Juried Student Art Exhibition – nearly 60 selected works of art.

New

Fri. noon - 4 pm • Sat. 10 am - 5 pm • Sun. noon - 4 pm

PARKING

Primary parking lots available to alumni & friends: North, Mahan, Dawson & the Merillat Sport & Fitness Center.
No overnight parking on city streets.

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