Dear Classmates,

We are very pleased to announce the celebration of our 50th Reunion IN ITHACA, June 9–12, 2022! Join fellow classmates and guests as we reconnect and celebrate fifty years since our graduation in 1972.

Your 50th Reunion committee has planned a wonderful weekend of festivities. The variety and number of class and university-sponsored activities and events are extraordinary and include:

- Thought-provoking lectures and presentations by classmates, Cornell faculty, and others
- Opportunities to explore old haunts and see how our beautiful campus has changed over the years
- Plenty of time to engage with friends from the past and make new ones
- Time to party like it’s 1972, or maybe as we do in 2022 – it’s your choice!

50th Reunion headquarters will be in Hans Bethe House, located on West Campus. It’s not your 1968 U-Hall; it’s also not the Ritz! Our dorm is air-cooled to be as comfortable as student housing can be. Bathrooms can be designated for men or women and are located only a few feet from your door. Rooms will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. We’ll do our best to honor rooming requests but we can’t make guarantees. The earlier you register, the more likely it is your requests may be accommodated.

Attire for our 50th Reunion is relaxed and in accordance with whatever the Ithaca weather delivers (bring layers!). Our Friday and Saturday night receptions and dinners will be a bit fancier—for these events, “smart casual” will be appropriate.

Reunion registration is fully online at alumni.cornell.edu/reunion. Please help us with our planning and take advantage of our discounted “early-bird” rate by registering on or before May 15, 2022. Don’t miss out on this discount!

Our Reunion schedule is included on page four. You can also use the Reunion scheduling tool, accessible via the university Reunion website, to search for additional events and create a customized itinerary. Keep up with the latest Reunion information, updates, and helpful hints by visiting our class website at classof72.alumni.cornell.edu.

One Final Request
Help us BREAK the Cornell 50th Reunion attendance record of 391 classmates. Whether it’s those from your freshman corridor, those you knew from Greek life or played sports with; or those from your degree program or any other Cornell student group – give them a call, send them an email, and invite them to join us at Reunion! Cornell’s alumni directory is a great place to locate contact details. Visit cornellconnect.cornell.edu. Let’s make this a Reunion to remember by rekindling memories and friendships with as many classmates as possible.

It’s (a Great) Time to Come Home.

Deirdre Courtney-Batson ’72  
Reunion Co-Chair

John Nicolls ’72  
Reunion Co-Chair
Reunion Weekend
June 9-12, 2022

Register online now: alumni.cornell.edu/reunion

It’s time to register for Reunion!

1. Choose a registration package
2. Select housing
3. Get information on attending Reunion with the family/children
4. Please consider making a gift to our 50th Reunion campaign at giving.cornell.edu/give
5. For details about transportation, parking, childcare, attire, lodging, dining, campus sustainability, and more, explore the Reunion website at: alumni.cornell.edu/reunion

1. ADULT REGISTRATION PACKAGE AND FEES Early Bird pricing available until May 15

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| Classmate Mini Weekend (Saturday after breakfast-Sunday) | $310 | $335 | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ |
| Guest Mini Weekend (Saturday after breakfast-Sunday) | $270 | $295 | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ |

Package FAQs

What does the registration fee include?
All packages include class receptions and meals, tent parties, class shuttles, headquarters refreshments, and most university events.

What is NOT automatically included?
CU for Lunch, some athletic events, and ticketed concerts.

What if I register and then can’t come?
We are happy to offer refunds if you cancel before May 27.

Can I register when I get there?
Yes, you can—but there are many advantages to registering in advance, including lower fees (by May 15), expedited check-in, better chance of getting a room assignment near friends, and more. Please note: for health and safety reasons, cash payments will not be accepted. Check and credit/debit card payments are the only acceptable payment methods for Reunion purchases.
### Housing FAQs

Please see the campus housing FAQ section of the Reunion website for full details.

#### What’s included in the room fee?

The university provides bath towels, wash cloths, soap, hangers, bed linens, a pillow, a water glass, and a daily towel and wash cloth exchange. Daily housekeeping service is not provided. There is no charge for children who do not need a bed (sleep in porta-crib, on the floor, etc.) and stay in a parent’s room.

#### When is check-in/check-out?

Check-in begins Thursday at noon and all classmates must check out by noon Sunday.

#### Can I get a room near my friends?

We can try! We will pre-assign rooms; you may request to room near someone when you register and we will do our best to accommodate your request on a first-come, first-served basis.

#### I have special medical or mobility needs—is it practical for me to stay in the residence halls?

We strive make Reunion accessible to all. To communicate specific medical or mobility needs, please contact your class registration chair by May 27.

#### Are there hotel rooms available in Ithaca during Reunion?

A limited number of rooms in several hotels have been blocked for alumni returning to Cornell. Please keep in mind that availability may be limited at this point. Review the hotel information on the Cornell Reunion website ([alumni.cornell.edu/come-back/reunion/lodging/](http://alumni.cornell.edu/come-back/reunion/lodging/)), and call your favorite hotel directly for a reservation on a first-come, first-served basis. Be sure to ask for the Reunion block.

### 2. HOUSING AT OUR CAMPUS HEADQUARTERS

Hans Bethe House, West Campus

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Housing rates are on a per person/per night basis, not per room.

### 3. REUNION WITH THE FAMILY

Reunion is a family event, and there are an exciting range of university activities planned for all ages. Visit the Reunion website for more information on family-friendly activities and options.

### 4. MAKE A GIFT IN HONOR OF OUR 50TH REUNION CAMPAIGN

Every classmate who makes a gift to Cornell before June 30 is part of our Reunion Campaign. Although we do hope you’ll choose to designate all or part of your gift to one of the Annual Funds, each gift to Cornell, regardless of amount or designation, counts in our class totals and helps support current and future Cornellians. You can make your gift by visiting giving.cornell.edu/give, or by calling the Cornell Annual Fund at 1-800-279-3099. We plan to announce our class totals during Reunion Weekend and we want to make sure your gift is included, so please don’t delay.

### 5. WHERE TO FIND DETAILS

**VISIT OUR CLASS WEBSITE:** classof72.alumni.cornell.edu  
**GENERAL REUNION INFORMATION:** See all the events the university is planning and create your own itinerary at alumni.cornell.edu/reunion.
50th Reunion Weekend Class Activity Schedule

For the full range of Reunion events and activities, visit alumni.cornell.edu/reunion and build your own itinerary.

THURSDAY, JUNE 9

Noon
Check-in opens
Hans Bethe House, West Campus

6:00–9:00 p.m.
Welcome Dinner: Class of ’72
Hans Bethe House, Dining Room

8:30 p.m.
Savage Club Show, Alice Statler Auditorium, Statler Hall
Kicking off Reunion since 1927!
Tickets: $15 in advance online; $20 at the door

8:30 p.m.
Ice Cream Social: Class of ’72
Hans Bethe House

FRIDAY, JUNE 10

7:30–9:30 a.m.
Breakfast: Class of ’72
Hans Bethe House, Dining Room

10:00–11:30 a.m.
Forum: Class of ’72
Featuring Class of 1972 Award for Academic Innovation Awardees
Rhodes-Rawlings Auditorium, Klarman Hall

11:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m.
CU for Lunch
Terrace Restaurant, Statler Hotel
Tickets at the door: $18 for adults; cash and credit card only

1:30–2:30 p.m.
University Service of Remembrance and Thanksgiving, Anabel Taylor Hall

3:00–4:00 p.m.
A Conversation with President Martha E. Pollack, Bailey Hall
Join us for a conversation between Cornell’s 14th President and current Cornell students

4:00–6:00 p.m.
Fraternity and Sorority Receptions, various locations on campus

5:30–8:30 p.m.
Reception & Dinner: Class of ’72
Ag Quad Tent, East (near Mann Library)

8:30–9:45 p.m.
Cornell University Chorus Centennial Concert, Bailey Hall
Featuring the Cornell University Glee Club and Chorus
Tickets: $20 online or at the door

9:30 p.m.–midnight
Tent Parties, Arts Quad

SUNDAY, JUNE 12

8:00–10:00 a.m.
Brunch: Class of ’72
Hans Bethe House, Dining Room

Noon
Check-out
See you in 2027 for our 55th!

Events at 50th HQ will include multimedia presentations about our time at Cornell including celebrations of other organizations recognizing 50-year milestones. Additions and changes will be posted closer to Reunion as scheduled.