



Dear Classmates,

The five years since our last Reunion have been momentous in so many ways. Much has happened, both in the world around us and at Cornell. Now is a time for getting back to life as it was before the huge disruptions of the past years.

Please join us for our 55th Reunion, June 8-11, 2023. It will be a time to reconnect and exchange stories with people you have known for a long time. We will share opportunities to learn, to explore, and to enjoy the beauty of Cornell.

As your Reunion chair, with cooperation from Cornell Alumni Affairs, we have planned all our events with careful considerations for health and safety. Many of our events will be held, weather permitting, in open-air spaces. Our class headquarters and residence will be in the new Toni Morrison Hall on North Campus, with completely air-conditioned rooms and common spaces. There will be both large and more intimate lounge areas for relaxation, conversation, and reconnecting with long-time and new friends. There will be nearby parking with on-demand accessibility transport, class event busing and continuously running university shuttle buses. Just think, no more Libe Slope to climb!

The following pages provide important details about our weekend, including our schedule, costs, and the registration process. A special \$25 Reunion discount is available to classmates who **pay class dues** for the 2023-2024 dues cycle ahead of registering. Visit alumni.cornell.edu/connect/classes/ and click the link to pay class dues. Contact our class president and registration chair, Nancy Frantz '68, to let her know you paid. Once verified, you'll receive a discount code.

Be sure to visit our Class of '68 website, Facebook Page, and the university Reunion website for additional up-to-date information. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me. I will look forward to hearing from you. Most importantly, contact your friends from our class and encourage them to join us, too.

We're going to have a great time at this Reunion. Please join in the fun.

Best wishes,

Henry Siegel

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Reunion Weekend

June 8-11, 2023


Register online now: alumni.cornell.edu/reunion

It's time to
register for
Reunion!

1. Choose a registration package
2. Select housing
3. Please consider making a gift to our 55th Reunion campaign at giving.cornell.edu/give
4. 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

| Packages include | Fee by May 15 | Fee after May 15 | Thursday Dinner | Friday Breakfast | Friday Lunch | Friday Dinner | Saturday Breakfast | Saturday Lunch | Saturday Dinner | Sunday Breakfast | Button | Souvenir |
|--|---------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|--------|----------|
| Full Weekend (Thursday noon-Sunday noon) | \$450 | \$475 | ✓ | ✓ | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Partial weekend (Friday after breakfast - Sunday noon) | \$400 | \$425 | | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Mini weekend (Saturday after breakfast - Sunday noon) | \$300 | \$325 | | | | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Saturday Only (Saturday after breakfast - Saturday after dinner) | \$280 | \$305 | | | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | ✓ | ✓ |

| Additional selections | SIZE |
|--|----------------|
| Class of '68 T-Shirt  | Adult Small |
| | Adult Medium |
| | Adult Large |
| | Adult X-Large |
| | Adult 2X-Large |
| | Adult 3X-Large |

cost included in package price

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, Cornell Child Care Center services, some athletic events, concerts.

What if I register and then can't come?

We are happy to offer refunds if you cancel before May 26.

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.

2. HOUSING AT OUR CAMPUS HEADQUARTERS

Toni Morrison Hall, North Campus

| | 1 Night | 2 Nights | 3 Nights | SAVINGS (by staying all 3 nights) |
|---------------------------------|---------|----------|----------|-----------------------------------|
| Adult (13 years and older) | \$83.50 | \$167 | \$194.50 | \$56 |
| Child (12 years and younger) | \$46.75 | \$83.50 | \$83.50 | One night FREE |

Housing rates are per person, not per room.

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.

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. Please note that Toni Morrison Hall is comprised primarily of single and double rooms in a suite style configuration. There are a limited number of standalone single rooms. Room requests by guests with medical or mobility needs will be prioritized.

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

Yes! To communicate specific medical or mobility needs, please contact your class registration chair by May 26.

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 hotel information on the Cornell Reunion website (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.

3. MAKE A GIFT IN HONOR OF OUR 55TH 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.

4. WHERE TO FIND DETAILS

VISIT OUR WEBSITE:

classof68.alumni.cornell.edu

JOIN OUR FACEBOOK GROUP

facebook.com/groups/1874606986086430

Questions about
registration,
housing, or
other class
Reunion details,
contact:

Reunion Chair

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Registration Chair

Nancy Frantz '68

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For Registration Assistance

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We are seeking class officer nominations for our new officer slate to be presented during Reunion weekend. Interested in an officer role? Please contact

Nancy Frantz '68 at

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or 973-398-0231

In addition to registering, you can visit alumni.cornell.edu/reunion to learn about additional university events and activities. Additional registration may be required.

Reunion Weekend Class Schedule

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

Class of 1968 Headquarters is Toni Morrison Hall on North Campus

THURSDAY, JUNE 8

Noon

Check in opens
Toni Morrison Hall,
North Campus

6:00-8:30 p.m.

Welcome Reception & Dinner:
Class of '68 Pizza & Salad Buffet,
Toni Morrison Hall,
Class Tent/Multi-purpose Room

9:00-11:00 p.m.

Ice Cream Social "Greet & Meet":
Class of '68
Toni Morrison Hall, Lounge

FRIDAY, JUNE 9

7:00-9:00 a.m.

Breakfast Buffet: Class of '68
Toni Morrison Hall, Class Tent

10:00-11:30 a.m.

Forum: Class of '68
Toni Morrison Hall,
Multi-purpose Room

11:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

CU for Lunch
Terrace Restaurant, Statler Hotel
Tickets at the door: \$20 for adults;
cash and credit card only

1:30-2:30 p.m.

Reunion Service of
Remembrance and Thanksgiving,
Sage Chapel

3:00-4:00 p.m.

Olin Lecture, Bailey Hall
Featuring Ozan Varol '03, a rocket
scientist turned law professor and
#1 bestselling author whose next
book, *Awaken Your Genius*, will be
released this spring.

6:00-8:30 p.m.

Reception & Dinner: Class of '68,
Duffield Hall Atria & Terrace
Catered by Taste of Thai Express

9:00-10:15 p.m.

Cornell University Chorus and
Glee Club Concert,
Bailey Hall
Tickets: \$20 online or at the door

9:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m.

Relax & Reconnect: Class of '68
Toni Morrison Hall,
North Campus

9:00 p.m. -1:00 a.m.

Tent Parties, Arts Quad

SATURDAY, JUNE 10

7:00-9:00 a.m.

Breakfast Buffet: Class of '68
Toni Morrison Hall, Class Tent

10:30-11:30 a.m.

A Conversation with
President Martha E. Pollack,
Bailey Hall
Join us for a conversation
between Cornell's 14th president
and current Cornell students.

Noon-2:00 p.m.

BBQ Lunch
Toni Morrison, Class Tent
Catered by Dinosaur BBQ
Performance by the Sherwoods
Class photo at 1:30 p.m. Photo will
be made available for download and
print after Reunion.

5:45-8:30 p.m.

Dinner: Class of '68
Human Ecology,
Terrace & Commons
Catered by The Heights Restaurant

9:00-10:15 p.m.

Cornelliana Night,
Bailey Hall

9:30 p.m.-midnight

Final Ice Cream Social
Toni Morrison Hall, Lounge

9:00 p.m. -1:00 a.m.

Tent Parties, Arts Quad

SUNDAY, JUNE 11

7:00-11:00 a.m.

Farewell Brunch: Class of '68
Toni Morrison Hall, Class Tent