



Hey Class of 2020!

Registration is now open for our 5th Reunion, Thursday, June 5, through Sunday, June 8!

We can't wait to celebrate our five year Reunion with you back at Cornell! While we may have graduated during the unforgettable "unprecedented" times, we will be sure to make up for lost time in celebrations over Reunion weekend. The entire university will open its doors and roll out the Big Red carpet with Slope Day 2.0(20), a wine tour to pick things up where we left off, dozens of activities, lectures, and meals that will bring you back to the glory days. Make sure to sign up by **May 15** to lock in the discounted early bird rate.

We've included a few key dates and details in this brochure that will help you make the most out of your return home to Cornell this June.

Registration packages

The Class of 2020 is offering two packages at an early bird rate:

- Full weekend (Thursday-Sunday): \$240
- Partial weekend (Friday p.m.-Sunday): \$230

After May 15, registration increases to \$260 for the full weekend and \$250 for the partial weekend.

Registration includes an amazing Slope Day 2.0(20) performance you won't want to miss, continental breakfast every day, our class dinner on Saturday night, late-night (and daytime) food, unlimited beer, wine, seltzer, and non-alcoholic beverages, and numerous 2020-exclusive and university-wide events. Check out key events in the following pages; you can find the full list at **alumni.cornell.edu/reunion**.

Headquarters and housing

Clara Dickson Hall will be our home base for the weekend. Breakfasts, late-night gatherings, and other activities will take place in and around Dickson. Saturday's class dinner will be held under a tent on the new Ruth Bader Ginsburg Hall plaza on North Campus.

Housing is available to everyone who would like to stay on campus as the dorms are transformed into hotels for the weekend. We'll have rooms in Clara Dickson Hall and Low Rise 6. You may request housing in quieter dorms, share a room with a friend or significant other, or block rooms near friends. Please also let us know if you will need special housing accommodations for allergies, accessibility, or anything else!

We'll distribute a Google form for housing requests shortly after registration opens and will do our best to accommodate them, although we can't make guarantees. Requests must be received by the May 15 early bird deadline to be considered.

To keep up to date with class-specific details, visit **our class's Reunion** <u>website</u> and follow us on Instagram @cornellclassof2020. If you have questions, email us at cornell2020council@gmail.com. June 5 will be here sooner than we know it, and we're excited to see you all soon!

Excitedly,

Dillon Sumanthiran & Austin Haycox *Class of 2020 Co-presidents* Your 5th Reunion Committee:

Mia Cayard *Reunion chair*

Daniel Sanky Registration chair

Miara Handler *Housing chair* Lilah Noyes Treasurer

Emily Chen, Jaspreet Kohli, Elyse Winer Social programming team

Chenab Khakh, Lillian Ruiz, Simone Smith, Liz Davis-Frost Special 2020 Event Team Elizabeth Peters, Lauren Song *Wine Tour Team*

Shruti Juneja, Morgan Dickens Educational Programming Team Michael Downey Reunion Clerk Advisor

Kirsten Pienaar, Yifan Li, Jeffrey Zhang *Outreach Team*

Reunion Weekend June 5–8, 2025 Register online now: alumni.cornell.edu/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 5th 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

Packages include		Fee after May 15	Thurs- day social	Friday break- fast	Friday pre- game	Friday Slope Day 2.0(20)	Friday tent parties	Friday late night	Saturday breakfast	Saturday with Corey Earle	Saturday dinner	Saturday tent parties	lato 1	Sunday breakfast	Button
Full weekend (Thursday noon- Sunday noon)	\$240	\$260	~	V	~	~	V	v	~	V	V	~	~	~	V
Partial weekend (Friday afternoon- Sunday noon)	\$230	\$250				~	V	~	~	V	~	~	~	~	~

Note that registration fees for children are lower. Please see the Reunion website for details.

It's time to

register for

Reunion!

Additional opt-in selections	TIME	COST
Winery tour, Friday: Price includes round trip transportation, tastings at three wineries, and boxed lunch.	9:00 a.m 3:30 p.m.	\$90
Cocktails in the Cocktail Lounge, Saturday Wine tastings and toast with Cheryl Stanley	3:30-5:00 p.m.	\$20



Toni Morrison Dining Breakfast

This event requires separate registration. If you prefer a full, hot breakfast during the weekend, scan QR code or visit **cornel.ly/morrisondining** to register. Must create an account with Vivenu to register.

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, and the additional opt-in selections listed here.

Can I celebrate with more than one class or group?

Yes! Register with the class, school, or group with whom you wish to be housed and will participate most with. Contact your class/group registration chair to share which events hosted by another class or group you'd like to add to your registration.

What if I register and then can't come?

We are happy to offer refunds if you cancel on or before May 23. After this date a refund of registration packages fees may not be possible.

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:** 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

Dickson Hall, North Campus

	1 night	2 nights	3 nights	SAVINGS (by staying all 3 nights)
Adult (13 years and older)	\$97	\$194	\$225	\$66
Child (12 years and younger)	\$55	\$97	\$97	One night FREE

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.

Housing rates are per person, not per 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! Rooms will be pre-assigned. If you want to room with a friend or signicant other, fill out the form provided in your confirmation email (if you don't select a roommate, you will not be assigned a random roommate). If you want to make a room block to room near a group of friends, appoint one block captain to fill out the form provided in your registration confirmation email. Everyone in your group should be registered before the block captain fills out the form. We will do our best to accommodate you on a first-come, first-served basis.

What if I need to cancel my housing registration?

Conference and Events Services is happy to offer refunds if you cancel on or before May 23. After this time a refund may not be possible.

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

For many guests, the answer is, yes! To communicate specific medical or mobility needs, please email us at cornell2020council@gmail.com by May 23.

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/), 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. REUNION WITH THE FAMILY/CHILDREN

Reunion is a family event and guests are welcome, and there is an exciting range of university activities planned for everyone, including future Cornellians! See the childcare section of the Reunion website (alumni.cornell.edu/ reunion/childcare) for more details about activities and childcare options.

4. MAKE A GIFT IN HONOR OF OUR 5TH 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.

5. WHERE TO FIND DETAILS

FOLLOW US ON INSTAGRAM @cornellclassof2020 GENERAL REUNION INFORMATION: See all the events the university is planning at alumni.cornell.edu/reunion. Questions about registration, housing, or other class Reunion details, contact:



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

2020 Reunion weekend class schedule

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

THURSDAY, JUNE 5

Noon Reunion Registration Residence halls open for check-in Clara Dickson Hall

12:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m. "Bear Necessities" at HQ Bar and snacks at headquarters all weekend Clara Dickson Hall

8:00-10:00 p.m. A Sweet Welcome Cornell Dairy welcome social Clara Dickson Hall tent

10:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m. Throwback Thursday \$24 fishbowls and \$5 well drink specials Level B 410 Eddy Street

FRIDAY, JUNE 6

8:00-11:00 a.m. HQ Breakfast: "Reunion Kickstarter" Continental breakfast Clara Dickson Hall

9:00 a.m.-11:00 p.m. Reunion Registration Friday arrival Reunion check-in Clara Dickson Hall

9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Wine tour to three Cayuga Lake wineries Lunch included (\$90 additional cost, spaces are limited

spaces are limited and must be purchased at time of registration) Bus departure site TBD

11:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m. CU for Lunch (optional, \$24 additional cost) Terrace Restaurant, Statler Hotel

12:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m. "Bear Necessities" at HQ Bar and snacks at headquarters all weekend Clara Dickson Hall 1:30-2:30 p.m. Reunion Service of Remembrance and Thanksgiving In honor and memory of the friends we've lost Sage Chapel

2:30-4:30 p.m. Big Red Backyard Bash Slope Day 2.0(20) pre-game Clara Dickson Hall headguarters and tent

3:00-4:00 p.m. Olin Lecture Going for the gold: A panel of Big Red Olympians share their journeys from Cornell student-athletes to competing at the world's foremost sporting event Bailey Hall

5:00-8:00pm Slope Day 2.0(20) Live concert with pizza and open beer & wine bar Barton Hall

9:00-10:15 p.m. Cornell University Chorus and Glee Club Concert (optional, \$20 online or at the door) Bailey Hall

9:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m. Tent Parties All-alumni parties with open beer & wine bar Arts Quad

11:30 p.m.-1:00 a.m. After-Hours Food and Drinks Post-game back at HQ! Clara Dickson Hall

SATURDAY, JUNE 7

7:00-11:00 a.m. HQ Breakfast: "Hangover Helpers" Continental breakfast Clara Dickson Hall

8:00-9:00 a.m. Reunion 5K (additional cost, registration required) Cornell Botanic Gardens 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Reunion Registration Saturday arrival Reunion check-in Clara Dickson Hall

10:30 a.m. State of the University Address Featuring President Michael I. Kotlikoff Seating is on a first-come, first-served basis Bailey Hall

11:00 a.m.-12:15 p.m. What's New On Campus Talk and tour on Cornell's new developments with Corey Ryan Earle '07 Talk with optional student-led campus tour after Clara Dickson Hall tent

12:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m. "Bear Necessities" at HQ Bar and snacks at headquarters all weekend Clara Dickson Hall

11:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m. CU for Lunch (optional, \$24 additional cost) Terrace Restaurant, Statler Hotel

3:00-5:00 p.m. Chimes and Smiles Classic clocktower photos for the class of 2020 with a professional photographer (weather dependent) McGraw Tower

3:30-5:00 p.m. Cocktails at the Cocktail Lounge Toast and wine tastings with Cheryl Stanley (\$20 additional cost, spaces are limited and

must be purchased at time of registration) Cocktail Lounge, Uris Library

6:00-9:00 p.m. Class of 2020 dinner Catering from Taste of Thai Ruth Bader Ginsburg Hall plaza 7:00 p.m.

Class of 2020 Photo Takes place during class dinner Ruth Bader Ginsburg Hall plaza

9:00-10:15 p.m. Cornelliana Night*

Celebrate Reunion successes while singing along to Cornell songs Tickets required for Bailey Hall main event location. Livestreamed from Call Auditorium, Kennedy Hall

9:00-11:00 p.m. Redstock* Cornell musicians and bands unite for an epic alumni concert. Rhodes-Rawlings Auditorium

9:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m. Tent Parties All-alumni parties with open beer & wine bar Arts Quad

Klarman Hall

11:30 p.m.-1:00 a.m. Wing It On One last post-game with Wings Over back at HQ! Clara Dickson Hall

SUNDAY, JUNE 8

8:00-11:30 a.m. Grab and go breakfast Clara Dickson Hall

12:00 p.m. Reunion Check-out Residence halls close Check out, and return your room key! CU for our 10th Reunion in 2030!

*Limited seating and/or ticket required. Visit the online schedule of Reunion activities and events at alumni.cornell. edu/come-back/reunion for details.

