

Dear Fellow Alum,

Quite incredibly, it's been 10 years since we last convened for one of the best moments in our academic lives, graduation! Personally, we, your Class of 1998 Homecoming Planning Committee, walked away from Lake Forest College on that May 9, 1998, Saturday, new people, feeling pretty enthusiastic about the future. We hope you all felt the same and cannot wait to find out at this year's homecoming how life has treated what was in our estimation one of the brightest classes the college has graduated.

Don't you want to know what ever happened with Eric Kendig, Phi Beta Kappa since spring semester, Freshman year? What about Cory Honoré? Is he playing semi-pro football now or is he a boxer and successful business owner? Did Amy Wilkins and Ryan Shoemaker ever make it official? What about Jeremy Fried? Is he a European League hockey star or just a Massachusetts suburban father of one? *Did* the statuesque Martina Thorogood ever become Miss Venezuela or is she a beautiful devoted mom of three? On that note, what is Ayesha Spooner doing in Venezuela? ¿Revolución o educación? Is Jim Klasen a famous Illinois politician, or is he hugging trees in California? (Klasen, a tree hugger?) What about those LFC super devotees/dorks (i.e. your planning committee), whose laughter in the cafeteria was always **MUCH** louder than it needed to be while you were recovering from your weekend of arduous study? Are they 32 and still rolling on the floor with laughter like fools? And, are they still dorks? (Don't answer these last two!)

To commemorate our 10-year anniversary, our goal is to collect \$10.00 each from 100% of our graduating class, an obvious nod to the ten years that have passed since graduation. We also look to provide opportunities over the homecoming weekend for you to reconnect with classmates with whom you have lost touch and perhaps get to know those with whom you thought you had very little in common.

Let's re-convene. Now, there is so much more to know about your college and your classmates than you could possibly imagine. (Some of you won't recognize Deerpath or Klasen!) For the weekend of October 3rd, we have planned two separate events that will hopefully be appropriate for parents and non-parents, and we've done it all for you. You just have to show up. Following is the web address at which you can register for this year's homecoming: www.lakeforest.edu/homecoming. See you at LFC?

Your 1998 Reunion Committee