

September 2009

Please note: the type is bold, not because we are worried about your eyes, BUT BECAUSE WE REALLY WANT YOU TO KNOW WE REALLY WANT YOU TO ATTEND!

DEAR CLASS OF 1955:

A SPECIAL INVITATION TO EACH OF YOU

WHEN: JUNE 17-20, 2010

WHERE: CARLETON COLLEGE

WHY: OUR 55TH REUNION

The classmates listed on this page met in August at Carleton to plan a creative and interesting schedule, allowing for much mental stimulation, fun and also plenty of free time for conversations.

One of the ideas involves input from each of you...soon! We collectively decided that rather than having only one book for general discussion, or distributing a reading compendium of books, we would like to solicit titles from all of YOU. So we are asking you to submit a book title and author in one or more of the three categories:

Fiction

History and Biography

Non-fiction, all other; could be travel, art, politics, etc.

A post card is enclosed, which should be returned to Dody Viola not later than October 15. A common book for each category will be chosen and the titles selected will be announced in a future mailing. Your job will be to read one of the books and come to reunion prepared to participate in our own mini "book club."

We have two more requests for input from you:

- See page 2 of this letter for information about the "Bio Book" request.
- Dick Nock has agreed to put together another CD of photos, but needs us all to send any pictures of our life now, from our years at Carleton, or from previous reunions, if they have not been used before. These photos also will be put on the class web site.

This web site will soon be available to all of you at: www.go.carleton.edu/1955

Look for future mailings from the College, including one about a recipe book from '55 class members to be presented to graduating seniors in 2010. Bill Buffett will coordinate this project, to be titled "You Can Make It!" Start thinking about your favorite dish for this publication.

We had so much fun at our 50th, and are hoping that all of you will attend again, plus those who were missed and who missed the fun the last time around. We are working hard to make this a special time and, as a wise member said at the recent meeting, "The ONLY thing missing was you."

***** IT IS 55TH FOR '55 *****

WE LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING FROM YOU SOON.



**Class of 1955
Reunion Committee**

Bill Buffett

Zoe Kelly Donnell

Fletcher Driscoll

Nancy Furby Hamlin

Dick Nock

Pat Shipplock Oetting

Dot Sundquist Soudakoff

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