Dearest Carls,

As 2016 comes to a close and we scamper from building to building adorned like human-size marshmallows in pursuit of warm gatherings with family and friends, it’s time to start looking forward to a better and brighter new year. One very bright thing to look forward to is our Five-Year Reunion! Join our class (and other classes ending in “2” and “7”) for an amazing #12fast12furious weekend from June 15-18, 2017!!

Something we all have in common as Carls is that we wear a lot of metaphorical hats. (You’re right—some of us wear a lot of actual hats...but that’s not the point. Please try to focus.) Five-Year Reunion will be a time to dust off old favorite hats and share in mutual admiration of newer headwear. What we’re trying to say is:

- As social beings, we will reconnect with old friends and also kindle new friendships.
- As explorers and scholars, we will enjoy taking in a series of TED-like Talks from our 2012 classmates.
- As very sleepy sun-cats, we will float down the Sort-of-Mighty Cannon.
- As spiritual and physical beings, we will dance silently in the Libe, and we will also dance less silently in a tent behind the Rec.

In short, our Reunion weekend will be the first of many opportunities to return to Northfield, Minnesota together and reconnect with a community that helped shape us.

Remember to:

- Check out our Facebook group (http://tinyurl.com/12fast12furious) and our class website (http://tinyurl.com/2012carlreunion) for more information and exciting updates throughout the year!
- Register starting March 1! The Alumni Relations Office will be sending out registration materials around that time, so keep an eye on your email and mailboxes. Remember to register ASAP: spaces fill up quickly!

We are so excited to smash the attendance record with at least 55% of our class reuniting at Carleton this June! Can’t wait to see you there!!

Love,

Your Reunion Committee