

HOMECOMING WEEKEND 2026

September 25-27, 2026

Friday, September 25

- 8 am D&E Alumni Employee Breakfast – Hosted by Alumni Association Board
Halliehurst, Dining Room and Parlor
- 9 am – 11 am Alumni Association Board Meeting, *Halliehurst, 2nd Floor Portico Room*
- 11 am - 7 pm Registration – Alumni Association Board to help host
Halliehurst, Great Hall
- 1 pm – 4 pm Senators 9-Hole Golf Outing at the Elks Club **\$50 per person**
Proceeds to benefit Student Scholarships
- 5 pm Ribbon cutting for Freshman Village and Nestor Patio
- 6 pm Special Dinner for Field Hockey – Private at Graceland
- 6 pm Evening with President Chris A. Wood and First Lady Lisa Wood
“Join us for a special evening to Celebrate D&E, recognize Alumni Award Recipients, and members of the Half Century Club Including the Class of 1976.”
Dinner & Alumni Awards **\$55 per person** –
Myles Center for the Arts, Senate Commons
6 pm Reception
6:30 pm Dinner & Awards
- 8 pm Mix ‘n Mingle at The Icehouse featuring Jimmy Mowery,
recording artist and Season 16 contestant on NBC’s The Voice - **\$10 per person**
Proceeds to benefit Icehouse Preservation Fund
- 9 pm Student Life – Casino Night at Graceland

Alumni Awards

Distinguished Alumnus Award – The Honorable John A. Hutchison ‘72
Tower Award – Melissa “Missy” Hambrick Luce, Esq. ‘83
Outstanding Young Alumnus Award – Dr. Colton A. Allen ‘17
Professional Impact Award – Dr. Jennifer D. “Jen” Sisler
Alumni Volunteer Award – Charlie ‘75 and Suzy “Froggy” Hallock Hehn ‘75
(presented prior to the ceremony)
Crystal Mace Award – James S. McDonnell III (presented prior to the ceremony)

Saturday, September 26

- 7:30 - 11 am Registration – Alumni Association Board to help host – *Halliehurst, Great Hall*
- 7:30 am “Run for It” Join the D&E Team – *In person or on campus 2K or 5K walk or run* – **Link to the website to register**
- 8:30 am 1904 Society Breakfast – *Hearthstone, President’s home. Rain location Madden Student Center, Timms Lounge*
BY INVITATION ONLY
- 10 am Greek organization meetings:
Panhellenic Tea for Sororities – Hosted by Phi Omega Mu & Zeta Kappa Xi, *Halliehurst Dining Room*
Alpha Sigma Phi Business Meeting, *Moyer Hall, Chapter Room*
Tau Kappa Epsilon Business Meeting, *Darby Hall, Chapter Room*
Sigma Phi Epsilon Annual Meeting, *Sigma Phi Epsilon Lodge*
- 11 am – Noon Athletic Hall of Fame Inductions

Athletic Hall of Fame Inductees:

Robert “Bob” Back ‘59 – M -Basketball ~ Marlon Charles ‘84 – Men’s Soccer
Douglas Crosier ‘78 – Baseball ~ Michael Urbati ‘00 – M-Cross Country
Jacqueline “Jackie” Krum ‘10 –W-Soccer ~ Heather Quick ‘92 – Softball
1981 Women’s Field Hockey Team

McDonnell Center Gymnasium

- 11 am - 2 pm Lunch **\$10 per person**
Benedum Dining Hall
- Noon – 1 pm Athletic Hall of Fame Reception and Senator Nation VIP
Davis Trust Company Player and Press Pavilion
- Noon – 4 pm Back Campus Eats with food trucks featuring A'la Board Plates & Platters and El Gran Sabor Venezolano
Allen Athletic Fields
- 12:30 pm Women's Soccer vs. West Virginia Wesleyan - *Nuttall Field*
- 1 pm Unveiling of Donor Wall at Glory Resident Hall and Tours of Campus and the Freshman Village
Glory Resident Hall
- 2 pm Men's Basketball – Open Practice – *McDonnell Center Gymnasium*
- 3 pm Men's Soccer vs. West Virginia Wesleyan - *Nuttall Field*
- 3 pm Planetarium Show (seating limited to 35) - **\$5 per person**
Flynn Planetarium, Eshelman Science Center
- 5 pm Class of 1976 Social, *Henry's at Graceland*
- 5 pm Planetarium Show (seating limited to 35) - **\$5 per person**
Flynn Planetarium, Eshelman Science Center
- 6 pm Homecoming Memorial Service – *Graceland, Veranda*
- 6 pm Women's Lacrosse: Alumni vs. Team - *Nuttall Field*
- 7 pm – 10 pm “Alumni Social Circuit – Where the Past Meets the Present” –
Join us for a fun evening of multiple stops, good food and drinks, and plenty of time to catch up with fellow alumni. Come for one stop or make the full circuit—it's up to you!
(QR code for those who hit all the spots)
 Henry's at Graceland Inn
 The Icehouse
 Big Timber Brewing Company
 Beander's Restaurant & Tavern
 Las Trancas - Soccer
- 7:30 pm Men's Lacrosse: Alumni vs. Team - *Nuttall Field*
- 10 pm Last Call at Jimbo's, *Jimbo's Place*

Sunday, September 27

- 9 am Sunday Morning Yoga, *Glory Resident Hall Patio*
- 11 am - 2 pm Henry's at Graceland Farewell Brunch – **\$30 per person (price includes tax and gratuity)**
Reservations encouraged