

Alumni Weekend | May 17-20, 2019



## Registration is now open for our 50th Reunion!

[Register here!](#)

Online registration is now open. Click [here](#) to register, reconnect with classmates, and travel back to Penn for a once in a lifetime event - **our 50th Reunion!**

Our [Reunion Committee](#) has planned some fun-filled and informative events that will help you relive old memories and create new ones.

Below, we have listed our class events to spark your interest and encourage you to attend. **For more information about reunion events click [here](#).**

**See you at our 50th!**

Yours in Red and Blue,

Mary Ellen and Jim

*Mary Ellen Cianfrani Miller & James Druckman*

*Co-Presidents Class of 1969*

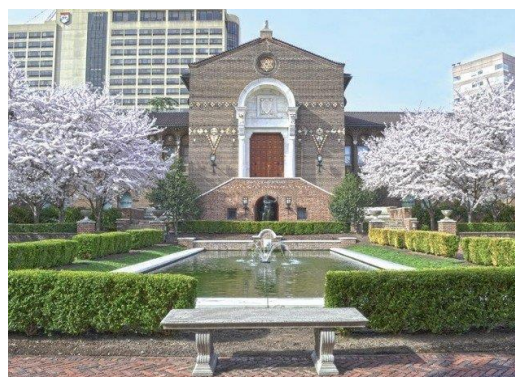
P.S. Please continue to visit our [Class of 1969 website](#) for reunion registration, hotel accommodation information, reunion details, and the '[Look Who's Coming](#)' list!

Bill Schmidt, Dick Bridy, Fred Herrmann and Linda Plotnick Meran  
Reunion Outreach Chairs

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**Class of 1969 Reunion Events you will want to attend along with our traditional march down Locust Walk to our picnic lunch!**

**We would love to have you join us!**



**Friday, May 17, 2019**

**11:30 AM - 4:30 PM**

**Class of 1969 Welcome Suite**

*New College House, Hill Field, 3335 Woodland Walk*

Visit our Welcome Suite to meet up with classmates and friends. Pickup for your (pre-ordered) Penn69 Hat/Visor, lapel pin, and Reunion At-A-Glance Schedule with campus map.

**12:00 PM - 1:15 PM**

**Planning for your Future Health Care Needs: What Matters Most To You**

*Houston Hall, Class of 49 Auditorium, 3417 Spruce Street*

Presentation by the Leonard Davis Institute (LDI) of Health Economics. For the 50th Reunion Class of 1969 and Classes 1968-1946.

**1:15 PM - 2:15 PM**

**Lunch for 50th Reunion and Old Guard Classes (1968-1946)**

*Houston Hall, 3417 Spruce Street, Bodek Lounge*

**3:00 - 4:00 PM - Class of 1969**

**Travel Panel - Learn to Travel Like a Pro**

*New College House, Dining Pavilion, Hill Field, 3335 Woodland Walk*

Co-sponsored by the Class of 1969 and Penn Alumni Travel

Join Penn faculty and other travel professionals for a lively conversation about best travel practices in a world that grows increasingly smaller. Pick up some fresh travel tips, learn about hot new destinations, and enjoy anecdotes from expert travel writers. All alumni who love to travel— or have rampant wanderlust--are invited to attend. An alumni picture slideshow will accompany the conversation. *We'd love to see yours! Please submit your favorite travel photos by sending them to:*

*[emiliek@upenn.edu](mailto:emiliek@upenn.edu). Bonus points if they're from Penn Alumni Travel trips!*

*Jean Moss Clemons CW'69 WG'82, Chair*

**6:00 - 11:00 PM**

**Class of 1969 Gala 50th Reunion Dinner**

*The Union League of Philadelphia, 140 South Broad Street*

Don your party chic attire ( men jacket and tie Ladies Cocktail dress) to attend a cocktail party with piano bar. You can stop by with classmates the Penn photo both complete with regalia to bring you back to your days at Penn! You will be treated to a fabulous seated dinner with a special Class of 1969 Mask and Wig performance. Then dance the night away to nostalgic 60's music at the historic Union League of Philadelphia. It will be a night to remember!

*Paula Fenton CW'69 and Susan Berland Penn CW'69, Co-chairs*

**Saturday, May 18, 2019**

**9:00 AM – 10:30 AM**

**Pennergizing Breakfast**

*The ARCH (formerly The Christian Association), 3601 Locust Walk, Room 208*

**9:30 AM to 10:30 AM**

**Professors' Forum**

*The ARCH, 3601 Locust Walk, Room 208*

Join your classmates and relive some of your best Penn classroom experiences. Be a part of an interactive conversation featuring a panel of the Class of 1969's faculty favorites. Enjoy the Professors' anecdotes, and perspectives on the similarities and differences of teaching students in 1969 and in 2019.

*Jean Moss Clemons CW'69 WG'82, Moderator and Chair*

**10:30- 11:30 AM**

## **Then and Now Campus Tour**

*Tour will leave The ARCH*

Relive Campus memories by visiting campus spots we knew and loved. Our campus guide will update us on how they serve students on campus today.

**Wendy Cantor Santoro CW'69, Chair**

### **11:45 AM - March**

#### **Parade of Classes**

*50th Reunion will line up at 37th & Locust Walk across from Ben on the Bench (Caster Plaza). Wear your '69 cap or Penn Alumni visor.*

### **12:20 PM**

**Class of 1969 Picture** *On Perelman Quad Steps*

### **12:30 - 3:30 PM**

**Picnic on the Green** *Our 50th Reunion Tent on College Green*

### **2:00 PM**

#### **Class Gift Dedication Knoll at Hill Field**

*3335 Woodland Walk*

Join classmates to dedicated our 50th Reunion Class Gift - the beautiful park-like area between Hill Hall and the NEW College House, The Knoll. We will toast all our Penn Fund donors while unveiling our Class plaque to acknowledge the Class of 1969 50th Reunion Gift and those classmates who contribute \$5,000/year or \$25,000. **If you would like to contribute to our Class Reunion Gift, The Knoll at Hill Hall Field click [here](#).**

*Joseph Mishkin W'69 Franklin Speyer W'69 Hazel Weisburst Manheimer CW'69, Chairs*

### **2:30 - 3:30 PM**

#### **Calling all Penn Veterans**

*NROTC, Hollenback Center, 3000 South Street*

A reception to honor Penn Alumni who have served or are serving in the U. S. Armed Forces. An opportunity to connect with Classmates and other Alumni with military experience. Please join us to tell war and sea stories and renew acquaintances or make new friends among your fellow Penn Veterans. Sponsored by the Class of '69 and open to Penn Veterans from all Reunion Classes. Spouses and other family members welcome! Casual dress.

**G. Scot Anderson ME'69 Barry Coyle C'69 WG'78 and Bud Hirsch W'69 Co-chairs**

**3:45 - 5:00 PM**

**Penn Museum - Its History and the Class of 1969**

*Penn Museum, Rainey Auditorium, 3260 South Street,*

Open to all, the [Penn Museum](#) is home to remarkable objects and powerful stories that emerge from extraordinary expeditions across the world. Now, through the Power of Penn Campaign, the Penn Museum is creating world-class galleries, reinstalling more than 75 percent of its signature galleries in all. Explore what The Guardian calls “one of the world’s most significant collections” of more than 1,200 artifacts on display in the new Middle East Galleries, many on display for the first time. Then uncover the history of the Penn Museum from its formation, memorable moments from the 1960’s, and beyond with Senior Archivist Dr. Ann Brownlee and hear about other new galleries to come from Executive Director of Galleries Dan Rahimi, including a soaring new home for the monumental palace of the pharaoh Merenptah – the only ancient Egyptian palace gallery in the world.

- **3:45 PM:** Arrive to the Penn Museum through the Main Entrance (Kamin) and check in
- **3:45 pm – 4:00 PM:** Tour of the Middle East Galleries with a Penn Museum Guide
- **4:00 pm – 4:45 PM:** Presentation in Rainey Auditorium with the Penn Museum’s Senior Archivist, Alex Pezzati and Executive Director of Galleries Dan Rahimi
  - 30 minutes – *History of the Penn Museum with Dr. Ann Brownlee*
  - 15 minutes – *Behind the scenes peek of the Penn Museum’s Building Transformation with Executive Director of Galleries, Dan Rahimi*
- **5:00 PM:** Exit the Widener Lecture Hall into the Warden Garden for Reception

*Mary Ellen Cianfrani Miller CW'69 GSE'75 Chair*

**5:00 - 7:00 PM - Class of 1969 Renovation Celebration**

*Penn Museum, Warden Garden, 3260 South Street*

Enter the beautiful Warden Garden, Penn Museum Main Entrance for an informal yet fabulous reception with classmates and friends to celebrate the Museum's new renovations. Sit by the reflecting pond to sip a refreshing beverage while enjoying a Penn Jazz student ensemble. The Penn Glee Club will serenade us as tasty sophisticated hors d'oeuvres and sweets are buttered. Catering by CxRA. Rain location: Upper Chinese Rotunda Dress: Penn Casual

*Jean Moss Clemons CW'69 WG '82 and Debbie Gantman Levin CW'69, Co-chairs*

Click [here](#) to view Penn Museum: A Building Transformation. Click [here](#) to see our menu.

**Sunday, May 19, 2019**

**9:30 - 11:00 AM**

## **Champagne Breakfast**

*Houston Hall, Bodek Lounge*

## **Noon**

### **Shuttle to the Philadelphia Museum of Art**

*Leaving from 34th & Spruce Streets*

## **12:30 PM - 3:30 PM**

### **Class of 1969 Guided Tour of The Impressionist Eye Exhibit**

*Philadelphia Museum of Art, 2600 Benjamin Franklin Parkway*

*Must register by May 3 to participate*

Look over the shoulder of Claude Monet, Vincent van Gogh, Mary Cassatt, and many others as they create their impressions of the world around them. Join us at The Philadelphia Museum of Art for a guided tour of The Impressionist Eye – a unique opportunity to see works of art by these beloved artists in various mediums. This show will not only highlight their paintings but also their sculptures and works on paper which are rarely on view.

After the tour, explore the museum's extraordinary treasures from the world over. Visit a Japanese tea house, a Chinese Palace Hall or an Indian temple. Stroll through rooms from English country houses or French palaces. Take a look at a Titian or pick a favorite from the museum's many Picassos. And don't forget the present moment, The Contemporary galleries cover the 50 years since we were all at Penn.

You may also wish to visit Stir, the only Frank Gehry designed restaurant on the East Coast where the food is delicious

*Mary Ellen Cianfrani Miller CW'69 GSE'75 and Kathy Stein Sachs CW'69 Co-chairs*

## **Monday, May 20**

### **8:00 AM - 1:00 PM**

#### **263rd Commencement Ceremony – Alumni Procession**

*Meet in The Annenberg Center for the Performing Arts*

Pre-registration is required by April 1.

Register at [www.alumni.upenn.edu/alumniprocessional](http://www.alumni.upenn.edu/alumniprocessional)

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## **50th Reunion Pricing**

**50th Reunion All-Inclusive Pass: \$250**

Includes Friday's Class of 1969 Travel Panel; the 50th Reunion Gala Dinner at The Union League of Philadelphia, Saturday's Pennergizing Breakfast and Professors' Panel in The ARCH; the Parade and Picnic on College Green; The Penn Museum presentation and Renovation Celebration cocktail party in Warden Garden; and Sunday's Champagne Breakfast in Houston Hall. This pass includes the Class of 1969 hat or Penn Alumni visor and Class of 1969 event favors.

### **A la Carte pricing (Cost is per person):**

**Friday's 50th Reunion Party at The Union League of Philadelphia: \$140.** Walk-on price is \$150.

**Alumni Weekend Pass: \$50,** Includes Friday Night Taste of Penn Spectrum at FranklinFest - All Alumni Party on College Green, Saturday picnic on College Green, Sunday Breakfast in Houston Hall, Bodek Lounge. This pass includes the Class of 1969 hat or Penn Alumni visor and Penn Alumni Registration gift (an insulated tote). Walk- on price is \$60.

**Alumni Weekend Pass: \$40,** Includes everything listed in the Alumni Weekend Pass above but no class hat or visor.

**Saturday's Renovation Celebration in Penn Museum's Warden Garden: \$80**

**Sunday's Champagne Breakfast: \$20**

**Sunday's Class of 1969 Guided Tour of *The Impressionist Eye Philadelphia Museum of Art Exhibit.* Cost: \$30.** Shuttle for tour to leave 12:00 pm from Houston Hall, 34th & Spruce Streets. (Must register by May 3 to participate.)

**Monday's Alumni Procession during Commencement** (No charge for regalia, but must register by April 1 to participate.)

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## 50th Reunion Record Yearbook Deadline February 8, 2019

It's your last chance to take a moment and join your fellow classmates to submit your profile for our *50th Reunion Record*! The publication will include memories of our campus days as well as look at who we are today!

Click below red box to submit your entry and be included in our 50th Reunion Record book. **Our submission deadline is February 8, 2019.** We will mail the 50th Reunion Record to those who purchase their Reunion book before the May Reunion. The cost of the book is \$35 and includes shipping within the US. There is no cost to submit a profile!

**Click [here](#) to purchase your 50th Reunion Record click.**

To ensure you receive your printed copy please purchase by March 1, 2019.

[CLICK TO BEGIN YOUR PROFILE](#)



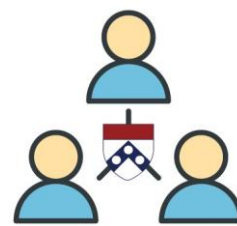
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Accommodations

UPenn has reserved blocks of hotel rooms at multiple area hotels. Click [here](#) to



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see which hotels are participating and their rates.

reunion details and "Look Who is Coming" list!

Konopka, at 215-746-8843 or [konopka@upenn.edu](mailto:konopka@upenn.edu).

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Start to reconnect with classmates and update your profile with access to QuakerNet - our alumni online directory. Need help with access contact Records 215-898-8136 or [record@ben.dev.upenn.edu](mailto:record@ben.dev.upenn.edu).

If you If you need help with Registration or the **50th Reunion Record** Yearbook please contact our Staff Liaison, Lisbeth Willis at 215.573.7061 or email [lisbethw@upenn.edu](mailto:lisbethw@upenn.edu).



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