May 2017. Yes, that is real. We are coming back to Culver for our 10-year reunion. It feels like 5-year was just yesterday. Just “yesterday” we set the reunion attendance record with 108 of your smiling shining faces coming back to Culver. Are you planning on coming back? We hope so! Culver, your class officers, and other alumni are preparing to make this a weekend to never forget.

Changes to campus you have to look forward to!
- Dietler Plaza outside of main guard
- Argonne Addition
- New library entrance (No need to climb all those stairs!)

Are your best Culver friends going? Your roommate? Your old sports teammates? Reach out and ask! Hoping to see each and every one of you back in Culver May 19th-21st!

What’s Happening at Culver?
Culver’s 122nd school year started August 23rd with 814 students from 36 states and 22 countries. CGA has 346 girls and CMA has 468 cadets.

University of Notre Dame brought their preseason football camp to Culver for the third year in a row. Whether or not you are a fan of the Golden Domers, they brought great publicity to Culver’s beautiful campus and were featured on news across the country.

The Buxtons retired after 17 years of service and moved back to the New England area to spend more time with family. Jim Power, the new Head of Schools, and his wife, Mary, have settled in nicely and are off to a great start.

Other notable Faculty retirements:
- **2015** - Mr. Fred Haase, Mr. (Coach) Al and Mrs. Blair Clark, Mr. Bruce Burgess, Mr. Harry Frick.
- **2016** – Ms. Candy Koehn, Major Bill and Mrs. Linda Browne, Dean Kathy Lintner.
Class News

Meagan Jackson Thorp '07 and her husband Chris '05 welcomed their first child, Richard Jackson Thorp, born on July 5, 2016.

Megan Millard, graduated from the Duke University Fuqua School of Business (M.B.A.) in May 2016. She is relocating from Greensboro, NC (where she worked for Procter & Gamble) to Seattle, WA for a new job with Amazon as a Senior Product Manager in their Retail Leadership Development Program. Megan will be working in the Sports Category.

Lindley Bassett, graduated from Case Western Reserve University's School of Law on May 15, 2016. Her article The Constitutionality of Solitary Confinement: Insights from Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs was chosen for publication in the 2016 volume of Health Matrix: Journal of Law-Medicine, and she received a Pro Bono Recognition Award for providing over 50 hours of service to underserved communities. She is a graduate of Denison University and resides in West Palm Beach, Florida.

David McIntyre, and his childhood friend, Blake Jones, noticed that we have this incredible amount of high-quality corn in our state, but the majority of it is exported (corn is our largest agricultural export). They also realized corn is the main ingredient in one of the most-loved libations in the world - whiskey. This begged them to ask the question, "Why the hell isn't there an internationally known whiskey distiller in Indiana?"

It's a good question and it didn't have an answer. So, two years ago, the duo set out to start making whiskey in Indiana, using Indiana corn.

After years of chatting about starting their own company, they started West Fork Whiskey.

Check out their facebook page to get the latest info on where to purchase this whiskey. [https://www.facebook.com/WestForkWhiskeyCo/?view_public_for=1723405181229491](https://www.facebook.com/WestForkWhiskeyCo/?view_public_for=1723405181229491)
Schedule for Reunion Weekend

Thursday May 18th
6:40 pm—Retreat

Friday May 19th
8:00am-Noon—Alumni Invited to attend classes
1:00pm—Kids ages 7-13 can check into Mini-Woodcraft Camp. They will spend the night in the cabins with other kids. Check out is Sunday morning.
7:00pm-10:00pm—One Culver Reunion Celebration Reception and Dinner

All Class Event.

Mingle with Culver alums from every generation and visit with faculty.

Saturday May 20th
8:00am—Reunion Wellness Run/Walk
9:00-11:30am—Alumni Classes and Seminars
11:45-12:30—All Class Luncheon at the Dining Hall

Class Meeting ~ Class Picture

5:00pm—All Class Memorial Service in the Chapel
5:45pm—Garrison Parade
7:30pm-11:00pm—Class of 2007 Reception and Dinner

Sunday May 21st
12:15 pm—Military and Riding Exhibitions
4:00 pm—Honors in Music Presentation
Culver’s Longest Employee
Featured in People Magazine

Elizabeth Davis, 99, has spent 80 years as an employee of Culver Academies. Her dedication was recently featured in a story for People.com.

Mrs. Davis has served under 10 heads of schools, including Jim Power. She started at working at Culver in 1936, when Franklin Delano Roosevelt was president and Gen. Leigh Gignilliat was Culver’s superintendent.

Reunion Lodging

Reunion weekend is May 19-21, 2017.
Don’t wait to make your accommodations.
Visit www.visitmarshallcounty.org/where-to-stay for a complete list of places to stay.

~Reconnect with Culver friends at an event near you~

October

Friday, October 14 ~ Culver Club of Chicago PUB 97 Party

Saturday, October 15 ~ Culver Club of Culver, Skeet Shoot

Monday, October 17 ~ Culver Club of Central Ohio
ONE Culver (Columbus)

Tuesday, October 18 ~ Culver Club of NE Ohio
ONE Culver (Cleveland)

Saturday, October 22 ~ Culver Club of Indianapolis

For a complete list of all events and to register, please visit culver.org/alumnievents or call 574-842-7200