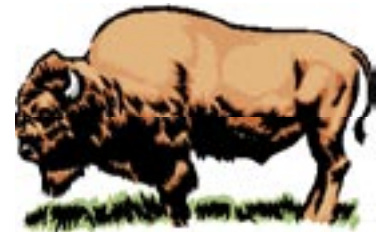


# Carlisle Alumni Association Newsletter

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## It's Time for Homecoming!!!

Greetings Bison Alums!

Can you believe that we are preparing to celebrate the sixth homecoming weekend since the re-organization of our asso-

ciation?? Time sure flies when you're having fun.

Once again, there is a group of folks working very hard to prepare a very special weekend for

former classmates and friends. We're all looking forward to seeing you in Carlisle October 21 & 22 for homecoming.



### ~ Friday, October 21, 2005 ~



#### Royalty Luncheon

Former homecoming queens and their maids of honor will meet for their annual luncheon at 11:00 a.m. at Carlisle United Methodist Church. All former queens and maids of honor should R.S.V.P. to Carolyn Ferguson Marek at 870-241-3503 by October 14.

#### CHS Homecoming Parade

The homecoming parade will immediately follow the coronation ceremony at the high school. Many alumni are planning to participate in the parade. If you are interested in having a parade entry, please contact Sue Grimm at Carlisle High School 870-552-3196 or [sgrimm@carlisle.k12.ar.us](mailto:sgrimm@carlisle.k12.ar.us)

#### Alumni Reception

Immediately following the parade, you are invited to a reception to be held at Carlisle United Methodist Church in the Family Life Center. The reception will be hosted by BancorpSouth and our own Janet Morgan Pasley. The classes of 1925, 35, 45, 55, 65, 75, 85 & 95 will have memorabilia tables set up along with the historical collection of the Alumni Association. If you have interesting memorabilia that you would like to share in this display, contact Olivia Kegley at 870-552-7070. Don't forget to stop by the registration table to get your name badge! We want every CHS alumni attending homecoming to register this year!!

#### Bison Football!!

After you attend the Chamber BBQ supper, we'll expect to see you at Fred C. Hardke Field for another exciting Bison football game!! All former Bison football players and cheerleaders are asked to meet on the track to be introduced just prior to forming the spirit line. We will introduce players and cheerleaders by decade.

#### Registration

We want to make sure that every alumni who attends the activities this year registers. Let's try to get an accurate count of how many come. There will be several opportunities to register and get your nametag. The first opportunity will be during the alumni reception on Friday afternoon. We will also register folks from 5-6 p.m. Friday evening at the BBQ supper. On Saturday, you can register at the Alumni Association tent in the park. Wear your nametag proudly and let everyone know who you are! Lifetime members will have a special ribbon to display on their nametags this year! Be proud of your association!!

#### BBQ Supper

The Carlisle Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a BBQ supper prior to Friday night's ballgame. Come to the school cafeteria from 5-7 p.m. to enjoy a great meal with your friends and classmates.



*A future alumnus at Homecoming 2004*

# ~ Saturday, October 22, 2005 ~

## Early Gathering

The class and historical displays will be open at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday morning. You are also welcome to begin gathering at the park to visit with classmates. Bring your lawnchairs!!

## Alumni Gathering

The official program will begin at 1:30 p.m. on the main stage with a variety of activities including welcoming remarks, introduction of special guests, the announcement of the 2005 Honorary Alumni Inductees, and special alumni entertainment! Bring your lawnchairs!

## Lunch

We are planning to have several food vendors available this year. Plan to enjoy lunch with your friends and classmates in the park from 11 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. Bring your lawn chairs!

## Entertainment

The Entertainment Committee is hard at work lining up an exciting day of acts and performers. We are proud to announce the return this year of the alumni lip-sync acts! Get ready for a lot of fun! Bring your lawn chairs!!

## Chamber Fish Supper

The Carlisle Chamber of Commerce will sponsor their annual fish supper from 5-7 p.m. at the school cafeteria. Class groups are invited to reserve tables at the fish supper for a special evening of food and fellowship.



## Historical Collection Continues to Grow

One of the stated purposes in our by-laws is to collect and preserve historical artifacts and memorabilia relating to the Carlisle Schools and City of Carlisle. Our resident historian, Olivia Amaden Kegley, has done a remarkable job in building our collection so far. Our collection continues to grow and we're ready to move to the next step. What does that involve?

Firstly, it involves money. We need funds to purchase display cases, provide restoration efforts

to some of our pieces, purchase museum-quality storage containers, and ultimately, locate a permanent home for our collection.

During our 2005 homecoming celebration, we will begin accepting donations toward these goals. Our initial goal toward this fundraising effort will be \$10,000. This will allow us to acquire the very basic necessities to begin preserving our collection. All contributions to the alumni association for historical efforts are 100% deductible on federal tax forms. Your checks can be made out to the Carlisle Alumni Association. Help us preserve the history of your town and your school.



Two former queens in the 2004 parade

## Officer Elections January 2006

Officer elections for your association will be held at the monthly meeting on January 15, 2006. All officer positions in the association will be filled at this time. In addition, there will be three positions on the Board of Directors up for re-election. These positions are held by Bob McCallie, Olivia Kegley, and the position previously held by our Chairman, Paul Rice.

Now is the time to be thinking of the leadership of your organization. Please share your thoughts with members of the board of directors before the January meeting.



Carlisle's Finest at Homecoming 2003

# Extra!!

## MEMBERSHIP MADNESS AT HOMECOMING 2005

On the reverse of this page, you will find a special edition of our membership application. We are challenging each member of the alumni association to recruit one new member before homecoming weekend. As a special incentive, you and the new member you recruit will be in a drawing for a gift

certificate for two! For each ten new applications we receive, we will have a separate drawing for two gift certificates!! The drawing will be held at the end of our program on Saturday afternoon. Help grow the numbers of our association and join in the fun of membership madness!!!

### **School Tours to be Given on Saturday**

Tours of Carlisle Elementary School and Carlisle High School will be available on Saturday afternoon, following our program in the park. Tours will be given from 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. There are plans for CHS Alumni who currently work at Carlisle Schools to conduct the tours. Please meet at the front of the elementary school at 4:00 to begin your tour. After your tour, plan to stay for the Chamber of Commer Fish Supper starting at 5:00 p.m.



Do you have any interesting memorabilia that you would like to share with everyone? We would love to display your items during homecoming in our historical displays. We will also accept your items for permanent housing in our collection.

Special Homecoming Edition!

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# Carlisle High School Alumni Association Membership Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class of: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ St: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the appropriate category:

\_\_\_\_\_ Lifetime Alumni\* Membership - \$25.00

\_\_\_\_\_ One-Year Alumni\* Membership - \$5.00

An alumni is any person who has ever attended Carlisle Schools

\_\_\_\_\_ Lifetime Associate\* Membership - \$25.00

\_\_\_\_\_ One-Year Associate\* Membership - \$5.00

Associate memberships are for individuals who have never attended Carlisle Schools

Please make checks payable to:

Carlisle High School Alumni Association  
c/o Bobbie J. Pryor

**Turn this membership application in during Homecoming 2005 weekend for  
a chance to win a dinner gift certificate for two!**

**Recommended by:** \_\_\_\_\_