

August 10, 2010



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Homecoming on the Road!

WA Alumni Head to *Boston* Saturday, October 16



Join fellow WA alumni as we celebrate together our alma mater's 40th anniversary on a fall foliage tour!

A special rate has been set for WA alumni at the Residence Inn Boston Harbor on Tudor Wharf (to see the hotel please [click here](#)) arriving Friday, October 15 and departing Sunday, October 17 (the special rate applies for one, two or three nights). Please call 1.617.242.9000 for the special alumni rate.

The alumni dinner will be held on Saturday, October 16 at 6:00 p.m. at the historic Union Oyster House ([click here](#)). The cost per person is \$50 (the actual cost of the dinner) and can be paid at the dinner.

Weekend options include the Boston Segway Tour, Tour de Boston Bike Tour and Paddle Boston! More information on these activities is to come.

For questions or to RSVP, please contact Laura Brash '87 Bishop at bishopl@wacad.edu or 954.771.4615, ext. 2637.

Alumni Luncheons--The Second Tuesday of the Month,
Resuming September 14

We hope that you will join us for one or all of our complimentary alumni luncheons that take place from noon-1 p.m at the Coral Ridge Country Club at 3801 Bayview Drive in Fort Lauderdale.

Following are the upcoming dates:

September 14
October 12
November 9
December--no alumni lunch
due to alumni chapel
January 11
February 8
March 8
April 12
May 10



For more information please contact Laura Brash '87 Bishop at bishopl@wacad.edu.

Come Home for Homecoming '10
Be a Part of the 40-Year Legacy

Join us for our traditional Homecoming Alumni Barbecue under the Friday night lights at 6:30 p.m. on October 22 at the West



Campus Athletic Complex ([click here for directions](#)). Please tell the ticket taker that you are a proud WA grad and you and your immediate family will enter the

Homecoming game for free and enjoy the complimentary barbecue! The game begins at 7:30 p.m.

Please be sure to join us on the football field at halftime for the traditional halftime photo.

Go Lions!

Alumni vs. Faculty Flag Football

Saturday, October 23 at 10 AM



Join us for a great morning of competition as the WA alumni take on the faculty for the 2nd Annual Flag Football Game! Last year our alumni defeated the faculty--help us keep the winning tradition alive! The game will be held at the East Campus Athletic Field. Two girls must play at all times. For more information or to sign up to play, please e-mail Laura Brash '87 Bishop at bishopl@wacad.edu.

WA's Annual Dinner Auction

Save the Date! Friday, February 25



In honor of 40 years of providing a Christ-centered foundation for our students, Dr. Ken Wackes, WA headmaster for 31 years, and his wife Ruth will be our guests of honor at our annual dinner auction.



This is the perfect event to attend



with fellow graduates, and a great opportunity to see Dr. Wackes, fellowship with the WA community, and go home with some incredible auction items!

Are you interested in helping with the auction? Please e-mail Laura Brash '87 Bishop at bishopl@wacad.edu.

Go through that closet or visit a vintage shop--it's a 70s-themed auction--**groovy!**

WA is Getting Better All the Time-- Thanks to our Alumni!

Praise God for His provisions and His people. We are extremely grateful to several very generous alumni donors who have provided resources allowing us to improve our school by:

- *Updating the chemistry lab under the supervision of Broward College to offer dual enrollment college chemistry to our students*
- *Completely remodeling both our boys' and girls' exterior restrooms located by the playground*
- *Adding beautiful signage to the West Campus Athletic Complex*
- *Improving and increasing our landscaping*
- *Replacing our gym athletic banners*
- *Adding and improving the padding in the gym*
- *Enhancing school walls by adding Scripture*



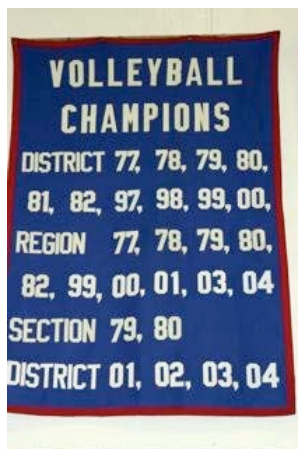
The above have been 100% paid for by generous alumni supporters--THANK YOU!

Following please find some key projects that we would LOVE to accomplish, but need your financial support:

- *Remodel both the boys' and girls' restrooms inside the gym--cost \$35,000*
- *Upgrade both the boys' and girls' locker rooms--cost \$10,000*
- *Replace Lower School's carpeting--cost \$40,000*
- *Improve and increase lighting for both the interior and exterior of the school--cost \$3,000*
- *Construct a sports pavilion at the West Campus Athletic Complex for*

lightning/heat protection and special events--[Click here](#) for more information.

If you would like to contribute to the "Capital Improvements Campaign," please [click here](#) to donate online or please contact Development/Communications Director Laura Brash '87 Bishop at bishopl@wacad.edu or at 954.771.4615, ext 2637.



For a donation of \$50 or more, alumni may request an authentic WA football jersey or one of our historic athletic banners that hung in the gym (shipping would be the responsibility of the donor). Please contact Laura Bishop if you would like a commemorative jersey or banner.

Family Service Day

For those who would like to get your hands dirty and help us prepare our facility for the new school year, we are participating with Coral Ridge Presbyterian Church for a family work-day on Saturday, August 7. Campus work projects will begin at WA at 9 a.m. and a barbecue, along with pool fun, will begin at noon. Please bring a side dish (last names beginning with A-M) or dessert (last names beginning with N-Z) for the barbecue; hamburgers and hot dogs will be provided.



Please contact Erin Branham, event coordinator, at erin@crpc.org with any questions.

Class of 1980 -- 30-Year Reunion!

Come and join the fun when we gather October 22-24, 2010 for our Class of 1980's 30-year reunion!

Embassy Suites Resort & Spa
950 S. Ocean Drive
Deerfield Beach, FL
(Special group rate information is coming soon.)

Some of the festivities include:

October 22: Meet-and-Greet Alumni BBQ - 6:30 p.m.
Homecoming Football Game - 7:30 p.m.

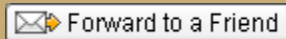
Post-Game Party at Champps

October 23: Breakfast at Hotel
Alumni Flag Football Game - 10:00 a.m.
WA School Tour - 11:30 a.m.
LaSpada's Lunch on the Beach - 1:00 p.m.
Beach Party/Free Time
Celebratory Dinner - Venue TBA - 7:00 p.m.

October 24: Goodbye Brunch - Coral Ridge Country Club

If you have not received any information about the reunion, please contact Alan Handle at alanhan@aol.com or Mark Ensio at markensio@alum.mit.edu and we'll put you on our class e-mail list.

We'll see you in October!



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