

# reunion

## CARLETON



Dear classmates:

We hope 2023 is bringing you good health and happiness so far. If your list of resolutions for the new year is pretty January-heavy, we invite you to commit to one you don't have to complete until summer: **Coming to Carleton** for the 35th reunion for the Class of 1988, **June 16-18, 2023**.

At every reunion, the college plans several events for each class and for everyone attending—convo, parade of classes, etc. But here are a few of the things the Class of '88 reunion committee is planning just for us:

### Friday

- **Arrive and settle in at the Carleton townhouses**, where we'll be staying. They're air-conditioned, relatively newish, and located on the hill past Musser headed toward downtown.
- Walk over to join your classmates for an **afternoon happy hour** at nearby Henrickson House, which will be our lounge area for the weekend.
- After dinner, we are hosting "**Lawn Games and Lounge Acts**," an evening of pastoral pleasures on Bell Field **followed by an open mic in The Cave** after sundown. If you'd like to share a song, a poem, a story, an interpretive dance, an air guitar routine, bartending secrets ... the sky's the limit, let us know! Internationally ignored song stylist Amy Gossow will emcee the evening's festivities in The Cave, accompanied by Tom Beer on the piano for a short set. Feel free to send your ideas to [Amy](#) and she will help you get your act together!

### Saturday

- In the late afternoon, **we'll gather for an event titled "Humans of '88—Live!"** We are looking for folks willing to share a personally meaningful, short (6-8 minute), and true (to the best of your knowledge) story of any kind (along the lines of the Moth Radio Hour or a short, personal TED talk). **If you have a story to tell, please volunteer**, and if there's someone you'd love to hear from, [volunteer them](#) (as many of them as you like). We'll follow up with nominees to determine interest and create an amazing event! If you have questions, please contact [Beth Wilson](#), [Kathy Hintz](#), or [Bronwen Mantlo](#).
- After dinner, it's an **'80s and '90s Dance Party!**

**Registration for reunion will open in March**, and we would love to see as many of you as possible in Northfield this June. But whether you are able to make it or not, we'd love to have you **tell us a bit about yourself** and what you've been up to **by filling out an entry in the [BioBook](#)** on our class page.

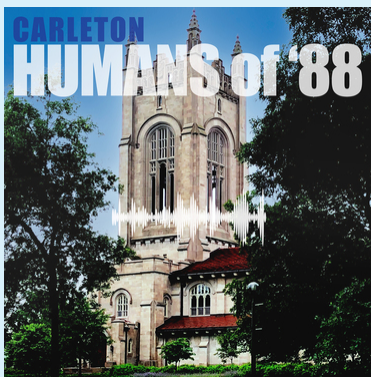
All the best in the new year, and we truly hope to see you in June, because ***Without you, someone's missing.***

Sincerely,

### Your Class of 1988 Reunion Committee

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Check out our [1988 Class website](#) and the [1988 Facebook page!](#)



## Humans of '88

Thanks to Dick Trent, we have a [class podcast](#). Listen to your classmates' stories or bookmark the link to listen later. More episodes coming soon.

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