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15th Anniversary Special Edition



Back when internet videos took agonizing minutes to load, we'd race around campus, armed with digital video cameras determined to make cinematic masterpieces. Look at how young we were. Look at how cute we were. Now, some of your DVD Fest movies are old enough to vote. This means it's time for our 15 Year Reunion!

The Reunion Planners told the Class of 2008 Planning Committee not to get our hopes up for big participation numbers during the 2023 Reunion.

Historically, the 15-year reunion is the least attended because it hits right at the time when folks are building careers, building families, rebuilding their credit after those bad decisions in their 20s, etc. At such a time, they've found that it's simply a Big Ask for people to hit pause and come hang out with people you may or may not have done a great job of keeping in touch with over the last 15 years.

But we told the Reunion Planners: **HOLD OUR BEER and/or SPARKLING WATER.**

This is the last year the Class of 2008 will qualify as "Young Alumni", and the last year we can nominate a classmate for the Spirit of Carleton Alumni award, so we're harnessing that Carleton Spirit to bring you a Reunion worth the Big Ask.

### REUNION 2023 has EVERYTHING

- Networking Opportunities with the Classes of '03 and '13 to connect with those in your geographic area or career field
- Carleton Crash Course and Scavenger Hunt for Non-Alum guests so they have more than a +1 experience
- Family/Quiet Floors in Reunion Housing so you and your family can be well-rested for all the fun
- Adult and Youth Friendly Inflatables (just because)
- Heaven and Hell 2023, where Hell is still the dance party you know and love but heaven might be quiet and a charcuterie board.

And perhaps most importantly

### THE DVDFEST VIDEOS FROM THE ARCHIVES

Come and join us on campus June 16-18 for the chance to reminisce, reconnect, and make new memories with your classmates and their families.

Registration opens in early March. You can update your entry in the [Bio Book](#) now and see what other Carls have been up to! Bookmark the [class website](#), and make sure your contact information is up to date, so we can tell you when registration officially opens.

**Save your Dates and Mark your Calendars.**

**Can't wait to see you this June 16-18, 2023!**

Your DVD Fest Co-Stars,  
The Class of '08 Reunion Committee



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