



JACKSON HIGH SCHOOL

Class of 1963



May, 2008

Dear Classmate:

You are invited to our 45 Year Reunion that will be held July 11-13 in Jackson. The weekend will contain some new and familiar features to help ensure there is something for everyone. Feel free to bring along friends or relatives to any events. Fill out and return the enclosed sheet to sign up. Here's the schedule for the "63 is 63" gathering:

Friday night (7:00 to midnight): **Picnic Dinner and Bonfire** behind the American Legion Hall, 3200 Lansing Avenue, just south of Parnall Road. We are planning on hot dogs, snacks, soft drinks and beer. The event is free but registration is required to help us plan for the supplies.

Saturday (9:00 to 11:00am): **Drop-in Breakfast** at Steve's Ranch, 311 E. Louis Glick Highway. Stop by this downtown family restaurant that morning to enjoy breakfast and conversation with other classmates. No registration is required.

Saturday (1:00pm): **Wine Tasting Tour**. The Jackson area has recently seen the establishment of several wineries. We are planning a tour of one of them. We will meet in the southeast corner of the Jackson High parking lot and form carpools. There will be no charge but we would appreciate an indication of your plans.

Saturday (1:00pm): **Golf Outing**. We have made arrangements at Hickory Hills Golf Club, 2540 Par View Drive (off Spring Arbor Road at M-60 on the southwest side of Jackson) for an afternoon of fun and fellowship. We will play nine holes and use a scramble format. The price of \$25 per person includes greens fees and a riding cart. The telephone number at the course is (517) 750-3636.

Saturday night: **The Main Event**. This evening of drinks, dining and dancing will be held at the Gene Davis and Sons Banquet Center, 3575 Francis Street (between Jensen Lincoln-Mercury and Krupa's Marine just north of Vandercook Lake). The cash bar opens at 5:30 followed by a dinner buffet at 7:00. After dinner, John Truszkowski, our classmate and professional DJ, will again donate his services. The price will be \$35 per person. The dress for this event, as well as all the others, is casual.

Sunday (10:00am): **Tailgate Breakfast**. We will meet in the southeast corner of the Jackson High parking lot for an informal gathering to wrap up the weekend. If you wish, bring a can of spray paint (any color) as we plan to paint the rock. There will be no charge but we would appreciate an indication of your plans. This event will be BYOB (Bring Your Own Breakfast).

In terms of local accommodations, the Fairfield Inn at 2395 Shirley Drive (next to the former Gilbert's Steak House) has set aside a block of rooms at \$85 each until June 11th. Call them at (517) 784-7877 to make your reservation. Tell them you are with the "JHS '63 Reunion" to get the special rate. Several other motels in the vicinity of West Avenue and I-94 are the Holiday Inn at (517) 783-2681, the Comfort Inn & Suites at (517) 768-0088 and the Hampton Inn at (517) 789-5151.

Enclosed in addition to the reservation sheet is the latest list of "lost" classmates. We would especially appreciate your assistance in trying to find members whose last known address is in your area.

If you have any questions or would like to join us in the activities of the committee, please contact Jeanette Childs. Her email address is childs@dmci.net and the phone number is (517) 522-4389. You can also stop by the class website at www.jhs63.org and get in touch that way.

We hope to see you at the reunion this July.

Your 45 Year Reunion Committee

p.s. The above list of events was finalized at a meeting of the Reunion Committee on May 9. Here is a list of the members who attended that evening:

Valerie Bayler Baldwin, Tom and Mike Boertmann Pahl, Mary Breitmayer Pachella, Jerry Brinkerhuff, Loretta Cotton, Janet Eberle Forbes, Sara and Larry Finton, Bill Forbes, Anne Friske Lee, Tom Hunt, Mark Lee, Jane Neilsen Olson, Bill Nichols, Gaylin Olson, Marlys and Tom Peck, Jean Peyton Weathers, Libby Preston Warner, Lynn Stone White, Bob and Linda Stroup Trumbull, Marvin Thomas, Dennis Weathers, John White, Bob Winchester and Gary and Jeanette Wing Childs.

Jackson High School
Class of 1963
 45 Year Reunion (“63 is 63”)

Registration Form

Name of Classmate:	
Street1:	
Street2:	
City, State, ZIP:	
Telephone:	
Email:	
Name of Spouse and/or guest(s):	

Please list each name as you want it to appear on the nametag(s).

Please sign up below for the various events of the weekend:

Event	Price	Attendees	Total \$
Picnic and bonfire on Friday evening	Free!		---
Drop-in breakfast at Steve’s Ranch	- no registration required -		
Wine Tasting Tour on Saturday afternoon	Free!		---
Golf Outing on Saturday afternoon	\$25		
The Main Event on Saturday evening	\$35		
Tailgate breakfast on Sunday morning	Free!		---
Address Book only (included with the Main Event)	\$5		
Total enclosed (make checks payable to JHS Class of 1963)			

Please return this form with your payment **by June 15** to:

Jeanette Childs
 1047 Grosvenor Road
 Grass Lake MI 49240

You can reach Jeanette at (517) 522-4389 or childsdmci.net

____ I would like to participate in the activities of the Reunion Committee

____ Here is some information on another classmate:

Name of Classmate: _____
 Street Address: _____
 City, State, ZIP: _____
 Telephone: (____) _____
 Email: _____
 Name of Spouse: _____