**THINGS TO REMEMBER**

- The reservation deadline for the Reunion hotel is **APRIL 13** based on availability!
- **All** pre-registrants must be available to pick up event tickets at Registration on Friday, May 12.
- Tickets **must** be presented at the door of each event (event tickets will be available for purchase and pick-up on Friday, May 12, in the registration room).
- Class gifts are the aggregate giving of any class to the University given during this fiscal year (July 1, 2022 – June 30, 2023). Class gift totals to date will be presented at the gala, and final figures will be announced online in July 2023.
- The alumni participation rate is the percentage of alumni who give to their alma mater during this fiscal year. We will also acknowledge the classes with the highest alumni participation rate at the gala.
- Gifts may be included with your registration form (see form) or by contacting the Development Office at (504) 816-4423.
- Any questions regarding the Donor Recognition Event should be directed toward the Development Office, (504) 816-4423.
- Transportation between the reunion hotel and reunion events will be provided from May 11 – May 14. The transportation schedule will be posted online and at the concierge desk of the reunion hotel.

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

**THURSDAY, MAY 11, 2023**

3:00 p.m. Nurse Pinning Ceremony (Georges Auditorium)
4:00 p.m. Campus-wide Block Party feat. DJ Raj Smoove (Kabacoff Plaza)
   *Visit the check-in table to purchase or pick up food passes purchased in advance.*
6:00 p.m. Donor Recognition Reception (By invitation only)

**FRIDAY, MAY 12, 2023**

8 a.m. – 4 p.m. On-site Registration/Pre-registration Pick-up (Student Union foyer)
8 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Golden Graduates Breakfast Celebration (Student Union Ballroom)
10 a.m. – 11 a.m. Meet & Greet Celebrating Alumni Nurses hosted by DUPON (PSB 2nd floor balcony)
11 a.m. – 2 p.m. Tour of the PSB & Student Union
Noon – 2 p.m. Soul Luncheon featuring live music (Lucien Pavillion, PSB)
2:30 p.m. Class Meetings: Class years ending in 3s & 8s (PSB classrooms)
3:30 p.m. National Alumni Association Meeting (George’s Auditorium)
5:00 p.m. The Vue Rooftop Happy Hour featuring DJ Raj Smoove (Springhill Suites, 1600 Canal St.)
6:00 p.m. Baccalaureate (Ave of Oaks)
9:00 p.m. White Linen Midnight Breakfast hosted by the National Alumni Association (Location TBA)
   *Visit www.dunaa.org or email info@dunaa.org to purchase tickets.*

**SATURDAY, MAY 13, 2023**

8:00 a.m. Commencement (Ave of Oaks)
2:00 p.m. HBCU Alumni Day Party Celebrating DU’s Past 40 Under 40, feat. DJ Raj Smoove (Ohm Lounge, 601 Tchoupitoulas St.)
7:00 p.m. Legacy Gala & Awards Ceremony (Hyatt Regency New Orleans, 601 Loyola Ave.)
   6 p.m.: Class Photos
   7 p.m.: Reception
   8 p.m.: Dinner and Program
10:00 p.m. The After Party (Treehouse, 1840 Thalia St.)
   *(pay at the door, prices set by venue)*

**SUNDAY, MAY 14, 2023**

9:30 – 11 a.m. Reunion Worship Service (Lawless Chapel)
11 a.m. – 2 p.m. Backyard Barbecue feat. DJ Raj Smoove (Kabacoff Plaza)

*The acronym PSB is short for the Professional Schools Building (located directly behind the Alumni House).*
*The new Student Union Building is located behind the Cook Center, facing Gentilly Blvd.*
**REUNION PACKAGE RATE**

**REUNION PACKAGE A**
- Early Bird Special - $265
  (Postmarked by April 17)
- 1 Block Party (All-you-can-eat food pass)
- 1 Soul Luncheon ticket
- 1 Legacy Gala & Awards Ceremony ticket
- 1 Backyard Barbecue ticket
- 1 Souvenir T-shirt
- 1 Rock Glass Souvenir set
- 1 Souvenir Drawstring bag

**Price after April 17: $285**

The first 100 advance packages sold will include reserved seating at Commencement (reserved section tickets will be included with event tickets at pre-registration pick-up)

**INDIVIDUAL TICKETS/ITEMS** (additional tickets/items may be purchased)
- Block Party Food Pass ................................................................. $15
- Soul Luncheon ............................................................................... $65
- Legacy Gala & Awards Ceremony ............................................................. $125
- Backyard Barbecue ........................................................................... $45
- Golden Graduate Breakfast Celebration ................................................. $50
- HBCU Alumni Day Party ...................................................................... $15
- Legacy Gala & Awards Ceremony Ticket (Reserved 10 seats) ............ $1,500
- Souvenir Spirit T-Shirt ....................................................................... $20
- Celebratory Souvenir: Glass Photo Coaster set and Drawstring Backpack ........$20
- White Linen Midnight Breakfast hosted by the National Alumni Association (Location TBA)

**ADVANCE REGISTRATION** (highly recommended)
- **Phone:** Available between 8 a.m. – 5 p.m., Monday-Friday until April 24, 2023 at 504.816.4675.
- **Online:** www.dillard.edu/reunion. Online registrations are accepted until April 24, 2023.
- **Mail:** Complete the attached form and mail it to Dillard University, Office of Alumni Relations, 2601 Gentilly Blvd., New Orleans, LA 70122. Forms and payments must be received by April 17, 2023.

**ON-SITE REGISTRATION**
Participants may purchase tickets at registration on May 12th, subject to availability. As events have sold out in the past, please purchase tickets in advance to guarantee entry.

**REGISTRATION PICK-UP**
All who register should be available to pick up tickets and souvenirs at the Pre-registration/Registration Pick-up Station on Friday, May 12th, between 8 a.m. – 4 p.m. If you assign someone to pick up your tickets for you, please email their names to alumnirelations@dillard.edu by May 1, 2023.

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**REUNION PACKAGE B**
- Early Bird Special - $225
  (Postmarked by April 17)
- 1 Block Party (All-you-can-eat food pass)
- 1 Soul Luncheon ticket
- 1 Legacy Gala & Awards Ceremony ticket
- 1 Backyard Barbecue ticket
- Price after April 17: $245

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**ALUMNI REUNION REGISTRATION FORM**

**USE THIS FORM TO REGISTER, PURCHASE ADS, and/or MAKE A DONATION**

Name ___________________________________________  
First ___________________  Middle ___________  Last ______  Maiden ________

Class Year __________ Email ____________________

Street Address ____________________________________

City ____________________________  State______  Zip________________

Phone ________________________________________

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**Packages** | **No. of Items** | **Cost** | **Subtotal**
---|---|---|---
Reunion Package A |  | $265/$285 |
Reunion Package B |  | $225/$245 |
**Individual Tickets/Items**
- Block Party Food Pass
- Soul Luncheon
- Legacy Gala & Awards Ceremony
- Backyard Barbecue
- Golden Graduate Breakfast Celebration
- HBCU Alumni Day Party
- Legacy Gala & Awards Ceremony Table (Reserved 10 seats)
- Souvenir Spirit T-Shirt
- Celebratory Souvenir
- Souvenir Drawstring bag
- White Linen Midnight Breakfast

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**CHECK PAYMENT TYPE BELOW:**
- Visa  
- MasterCard  
- American Express  
- Discover  
- Check

Name on Credit Card ____________________________

Address of Cardholder ____________________________

Card# ____________________________  Exp. Date __________

CSC ________  Signature ____________________________

Please review and complete opposite side of this form
ALUMNI REUNION REGISTRATION FORM
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GUEST INFORMATION

Guest Name _____________________________________________________________

First                          Middle                          Last                          Maiden

Is guest your spouse? □ Yes □ No

Is your guest a Dillard Alumnus/a? □ Yes □ No

Class Year (if a guest is a Dillard Alum) ____________________________

Street Address ___________________________________________________________

City _________________________________ State __________ Zip ________________

Email __________________________________________________________________

Phone _________________________________________________________________

This registration form should be mailed, along with payment, to:

Dillard University Office of Alumni Relations
2601 Gentilly Blvd.
New Orleans, LA 70122

All mail-in registrations should be received by April 17. After April 17, you may continue to register by phone or online until April 24.

LEGACY GALA & AWARDS CEREMONY

Hyatt Regency Hotel
601 Loyola Avenue • New Orleans, Louisiana 70113
Saturday, May 13, 2023 at 7 p.m.
**EVENT NOTES**

**CAMPUS-WIDE BLOCK PARTY**
Catch up with classmates, professors, and staff as we kick off the weekend on Kabacoff Plaza. You can also mix and mingle with graduating students! There will be food, entertainment, and free giveaways! The event is free (but all-you-can-eat passes may be purchased).

**ON-SITE REGISTRATION/PRE-REGISTRATION PICK-UP**
This is when alumni who pre-purchased tickets may pick up their tickets. Alums desiring to purchase tickets on-site should do so at this time as well.

**GOLDEN GRADUATE BREAKFAST CELEBRATION**
We encourage all to help us celebrate those who graduated 50 years ago at a breakfast event in their honor. Note that this is the first event on Friday, therefore, you are especially encouraged to pay in advance. Registrants will be on the guest list at the event (no need to stop at registration for your ticket).

**SOUL LUNCHEON**
Bring your appetite and your dancing shoes! We will enjoy a soul food meal as we jam to the soulful sounds of a house band sure to keep you on the dance floor. At this event, there will be a special presentation to our Silver Graduates and all former Miss Dillard queens.

**CLASS MEETING**
A Class Meeting for all classes ending in 3s and 8s will be held to discuss recent University accomplishments and class goals. Class agents and university representatives will be on-hand to address questions and assist in any way possible.

**WHITE LINEN MIDNIGHT BREAKFAST HOSTED BY THE NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION (DUNAA)**
Wear your finest white linen as DUNAA hosts its very own midnight breakfast. This creole-inspired evening will keep you on the dance floor with their live entertainment. If you’ve been to a DUNAA event before, you know this is one you won’t want to miss.

**HBCU ALUMNI DAY PARTY**
HBCU swagger meets DU chic at this New Orleans lounge. With heavy hors d’oeuvres and lively libations, alumni members of the past 40 Under 40 will be our resident VIPs for the afternoon. Think “Oscar Winners Party!”

**LEGACY GALA AND AWARDS CEREMONY**
Celebrate our alma mater’s past and future, starting with a cocktail reception at 7 p.m., followed by dinner and the presentation of awards to our university’s best and brightest. Semi-formal and cocktail attire is encouraged.

**THE AFTER PARTY**
Alumni who are ready for a night out on the town should be ready for this! Meet us at Treehouse, the latest “it” club of our time. Pay at the door (prices set by venue).

**BACKYARD BARBECUE**
**Question:** What do you get when you mix Southern cuisine, a barbecue grill, and music?
**Answer:** A day of family fun. Reunion will end with a bang as we eat and dance the weekend to a close.

**MOBILITY NEEDS**

The University is happy to refer alumni in need of mobility services to Total Access Mobility Services, which will provide Dillard alumni with a special discount and delivery fee waiver using the below information. To reserve, call (504) 534-3366 and reference “Dillard Alumni Reunion.”

**DAILY RATES ARE AS FOLLOWS:**
- Standard scooter: $33.00
- Heavy duty scooter (over 300lbs): $45.00
- Power wheelchairs: $45.00

You may also email them at dwhite@totalaccessmobility.com or visit their website at www.totalaccessmobility.com.
Pay tribute to your class, business, or loved ones by purchasing an advertisement in the 2023 Alumni Gala Program. Ad space is reserved upon receipt of payment. Please complete the details below and submit the form along with the ad and payment. Please include payment information on Event Registration Form and any additional payments or gifts. The deadline for submissions is April 14, 2023.

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All designs must be submitted in their original electronic file for editing. Please email your ad design to njames@dillard.edu by April 14, 2023.

Payments must be received by April 14, 2023. Make personal, commercial, or cashier’s checks and money orders payable to “Dillard University – Gala Book” and mail form and payment to “Dillard University, Office of Alumni Relations, 2601 Gentilly Blvd., New Orleans, LA 70122”. For more information, contact Nezrene James at 504.816.4675 or email alumnirelations@dillard.edu.
REUNION HOTEL

PRIMARY HOTEL
Hyatt Regency New Orleans
601 Loyola Ave.
New Orleans, LA 70113

Single: $205  Double: $230
Triple: $255  Quad: $280

To reserve by phone, call (800) 233-1234, reference “Dillard University Room Block.”
To reserve a room online, visit https://bit.ly/dureunionhotel

ADDITIONAL HOTEL
Springhill Suites/TowneHouse Suites
1600 Canal St.
New Orleans, LA 70112

$149

To reserve by phone, call (504) 702-6788, reference “Dillard University Room Block.”
To reserve a room online, visit https://bit.ly/dureunionhotel2

For additional information or to book online, visit www.dillard.edu/reunion
Book by APRIL 13, 2023.