

**CORAL GABLES SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
CLASSES OF 1955 1956 and 1957
CLASS REUNIONS**

September 13, 2010

Dear Fellow Classmates,

The Class of 1956 will hold its 55th Class Reunion on June 17-19, 2011 in Coral Gables at the Westin Colonnade Hotel. The Classes of 1955 and 1957 are invited to join in this memorable celebration.

Attached is a description of the various activities planned for the event and a registration form. Besides the two days of the Reunion, several optional activities before and after the event are also planned.

Please return this registration form along with your check made payable to the Gables Class of '56 to 242 S. Washington Blvd. #175, Sarasota, Florida 34236.

A limited number of rooms are reserved at The Colonnade for \$109 per night. EACH CLASSMATE MUST MAKE YOUR OWN ROOM RESERVATION DIRECTLY WITH THE HOTEL AT 305-441-2600. IDENTIFY YOURSELF WITH THE GABLES CLASS OF '56. CANCELLATIONS MAY BE MADE UP TO 24 HOURS BEFORE THE ARRIVAL DATE. If rooms are not available at The Colonnade, try the Hyatt Regency (305-441-1234) or the Marriott Courtyard (305-443-2301), both in Coral Gables...MAKE YOUR RESERVATION ASAP!!!

Your Reunion Committees are planning this to be a fun get together, to walk back down memory lane with old friends and have a few more good times. Contributions are being requested to help underwrite some of the costs of the various events...any amount will be appreciated. Also, let us know which committee you would like to work with on the Reunion.

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Look forward to seeing you in 2011....

Your Gables Class Reunion Committees

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CLASS REUNIONS – 1955, 1956 AND 1957
PLANNED ACTIVITIES**

REGISTRATION – Classmates are requested to pre-register using the enclosed registration form. Everyone is responsible for their own hotel reservations.

CHECK-IN – Registration packages will be available starting Thursday afternoon, June 16, and all day Friday, in the lobby of The Colonnade Hotel.

HOSPITALITY SUITE – The Presidential Suite will serve as our Hospitality Suite – Gathering Place throughout the Reunion. Memorabilia will be on display.

Wednesday, June 15 – Optional - Classmate, Bob Giffen, will conduct a one day tour of Cape Canaveral. Bob spent his career working at the Cape as an Engineer. See the enclosed description and call Bob at 321-269-3414 for more information.

Thursday, June 16 – Optional – Reception at the Miracle Theater will be held with 50's refreshments – Jimmy Hurricane drinks, Red Diamond pizza, Royal Castle hamburgers, etc. A tour of this now “live” theatre will be conducted for those interested.

Friday, June 17 – Registration and check-in throughout the day.

Classmates have their choice during the day of a Golf Tournament, Tennis Tournament, shopping at Merrick Park, walking or trolley tours around the Gables, visiting old friends in the Hospitality Suite, or lie around the hotel pool...relaxing!

6 pm – Reception in Gables Salon. Casual Attire – 50's Jeans, Pedal Pushers, Roll-up T-Shirts

7 pm – Buffet dinner Merrick Ballroom....seating with fellow classmates.

8 pm – Sock Hop A tour back in time to the 50's and Gables High with entertainment by various members of the classes of '55, '56 and '57 followed by karaoke group singing and dancing into the wee hours.....

Saturday, June 18

8:45 am – Bus Tour of Historic Coral Gables.

Noon – Box lunch at Fairchild Botanical Gardens and a tram ride of the gardens.

2 pm – A stop for liquid refreshments at Matheson Hammock.

3 pm – Back to the hotel...nap time!

6 pm – Reception in Annex next to Rotunda. Casual attire, sport coats recommended.

7 pm – Buffett dinner served in the Rotunda.

8 pm – Program presentation by each of the three classes followed by dancing.

Sunday, June 19

8:30 am – Memorial Service on the pool deck.

9 – 11 am – Breakfast brunch at poolside and final get together.

Noon – Check out.