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BENNETT COLLEGE

**National Alumnae Association**

140  
years  
1873-2013

ALUMNAE  
WEEKEND  
May 2-5, 2013

REGISTRATION BROCHURE 2013

## Celebrating the Legacy of Excellence

**1938** **Bennett College and the National Alumnae Association invite you to join us on May 2 - 4, 2013 for Alumnae Weekend.**

**1943**

**1948**

**1953**

**1958**

**1963**

**1968**

**1973**

**1978**

**1983**

**1988**

**1993**

**1998**

**2003**

**and**

**2008**

All alumnae are encouraged to participate in the weekend of activities. You will have an opportunity to get an update on the operation of the College and the NAA, meet and greet your Bennett Sisters, and salute the reunion classes of: 1938, 1943, 1948, 1953, 1958, 1963, 1968, 1973, 1978, 1983, 1988, 1993, 1998, 2003, and 2008. **A special invitation is extended to the Golden Class of 1963 and the Silver Class of 1988.**

Advertise in the Souvenir Program Book by completing the Advertising Reservation Form and returning it by April 12 with your camera ready ad.

The headquarters for Alumnae Weekend is the Sheraton Greensboro at Four Seasons, 3121 High Point Road at I-40, Greensboro, NC 27407. The Bennett College NAA group rate is \$131 plus 13% tax for a single or double room.

**Make your reservations before the cut-off date of April 2, 2013 by calling 1-800-242-6556 and asking for the Bennett College Alumnae Weekend rate. Airport transportation is not included.**

**THERE WILL NOT BE ONSITE REGISTRATION. Some individual tickets for each event will be available at the door of each event on a first come, first serve basis.** We encourage you to purchase your tickets and register prior to the deadline of April 12 for early registration. We will not accept any registrations received after April 19, 2013.

Thank you,  
The 2013 Alumnae Weekend Committee

Please print or type and submit form along with ad and payment. Advertise in the Alumnae Weekend Souvenir Program Book. Pay tribute to loved ones, faculty members, your class, or business by purchasing an ad. Space is reserved upon receipt of payment. **Deadline for ad is April 12, 2013.**

### SOUVENIR PROGRAM BOOK

#### Advertising Reservation Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Company/Alumnae Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

_____ Outside Back Cover	\$300.00	_____ Half page	\$75.00
_____ Inside Back Cover	\$200.00	_____ Fourth page	\$40.00
_____ Full page	\$150.00	_____ Eighth page	\$30.00

Number of ad(s) purchased \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

The BCNAA cannot assume responsibility for ads not conforming to specified requirements and reserve the right to make adjustments to ads. All ads become the property of BCNAA.

#### PAYMENT INFORMATION

Payments must be received and/or postmarked by April 12, 2013. Make personal, cashier's or commercial checks and money orders payable to BCNAA and mail with ad to: **Audrey Franklin, Bennett College, 900 E. Washington St. / Greensboro, NC 27401.** For information call 336-517-2248 or email [afranklin@bennett.edu](mailto:afranklin@bennett.edu).

#### CREDIT CARD PAYMENT INFORMATION

\_\_\_\_\_ VISA \_\_\_\_\_ MasterCard

Card # \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration date \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name as it appears on the card—please print)

## REGISTRATION FORM

Thursday, May 2 – Saturday, May 4, 2013  
 Sheraton Greensboro at Four Seasons Hotel

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ CLASS \_\_\_\_\_  
 CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
 CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
 PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

Please Check All That Apply

ALUMNA  PARENT  TRUSTEE  FACULTY  STAFF  STUDENT

If parent, give daughter's name \_\_\_\_\_

Accompanying Guest (s) \_\_\_\_\_

### REGISTRATION FEE\*

- FULL EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION (received by April 12) \$185.00
- FULL LATE REGISTRATION (received by April 19) \$235.00

INDIVIDUAL TICKETS EARLY BIRD	FEE AMOUNT BY APRIL 19
White Breakfast _____ at \$40 = _____	_____ at \$50 = _____ \$ _____
All-Bennett Banquet _____ at \$70 = _____	_____ at \$85 = _____ \$ _____
Lunch on Campus _____ at \$15 = _____	_____ at \$20 = _____ \$ _____
Alumnae After-Party _____ at \$35 = _____	_____ at \$40 = _____ \$ _____
Sunday Breakfast Buffet _____ at \$10 = _____	_____ at \$15 = _____ \$ _____
	Event Tickets \$ _____
	<b>TOTAL AMOUNT SUBMITTED \$ _____</b>

### PAYMENT INFORMATION

Payments must be received and/or postmarked by April 12, 2013 for Early Bird. Make personal, cashier's or commercial checks and money orders payable to **BCNAA**. Personal checks will not be accepted on-site. For information call 336-517-2248.

**Mail this Registration Form with payment to:**

**Bennett College, 900 E. Washington Street, Greensboro, NC 27401. Attn: Alumnae Affairs**

Credit Card Payment Information: \_\_\_\_\_ VISA \_\_\_\_\_ MasterCard

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

(Name as it appears on the card—please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Special Dietary Needs \_\_\_\_\_

## ALUMNAE WEEKEND SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

May 2-4, 2013  
 Sheraton Greensboro at Four Seasons, Headquarter Hotel

### ■ THURSDAY, MAY 2

- 12:00 - 4:00 pm** **Picture ID Party at Holgate Library**  
(Come assist us identify old photos)
- 6:00 - 9:00 pm** **Registration at Headquarters**  
6:30 pm Transportation to Campus from Headquarters
- 7:00 pm** **Alumnae Choir Concert at Annie Merner Pfeiffer Chapel**  
8:30 pm Transportation to Hotel from Pfeiffer Chapel
- 9:00 - 11:00 pm** **Hospitality Suite at Headquarters**

### ■ FRIDAY, MAY 3

- 7:30 am Transportation to the Campus
- 8:00 am Donor Appreciation Breakfast Honoring the 50th Year Class at Global Learning Center**

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**Ceremony for 1926 Society and other categories of giving if funds are paid by 4/20/13**  
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- 9:00 am - 8:00 pm** **Registration at Headquarters**  
9:45 am Transportation to Little Theater from Global Learning Center
- 9:45 - 10:20 am Transportation to Campus from Headquarters
- 10:00 am Sign-In for Annual Meeting**  
Lecture Hall, Global Learning Center
- 10:30 am NAA Annual Meeting (open to all alums)**  
Lecture Hall, Global Learning Center
- 12:00 pm Lunch on the Campus (\$10 per person)** (included in registration)  
All Bennett Day– wear your Bennett paraphernalia
- 12:00 – 2:00 pm Book Signing by Dr. Linda Brown '61**  
Student Union Foyer
- 1:15 - 3:00 pm Transportation to Hotel from Pfeiffer Chapel
- 1:00 - 4:00 pm Picture ID Party (continues) at the Holgate Library**  
3:00 pm Transportation to hotel from Alumnae House
- 4:00 - 5:15 pm Class Reunion Pictures at Headquarters**  
4:00 Executive Committee  
4:30 Class of 1948  
4:40 Class of 1953  
4:55 Class of 1958  
5:10 Class of 1943

## ALUMNAE WEEKEND SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### ■ FRIDAY, MAY 3

6:45 pm Transportation to Campus from Headquarters

7:00 pm **Baccalaureate Services at Chapel**  
Speaker: Rev. William Barber

9:00 pm Transportation to Headquarters

9:00 pm **Class Reunions at Headquarters**

9:00 pm **Appreciation Reception for President Esther Terry '61**  
Global Learning Center

### ■ SATURDAY, MAY 4

7:00 - 8:30 am **Registration at Headquarters**

7:30 am **White Breakfast at Headquarters**

9:00 am Class of '63 Transportation to Bennett College

9:45 am Transportation to Bennett College from Headquarters  
(All Alums)

10:15 am **Class of '63 Photo in Robes – Bennett College**

10:30 am **Commencement – Bennett College Quadrangle**

1:45 pm Transportation from Bennett College to Headquarters

2:00 - 3:45 pm **Class Pictures at Headquarters**

2:00	Class of 1963	3:00	Class of 1988
2:15	Class of 1968	3:10	Class of 1993
2:30	Class of 1973	3:20	Class of 1998
2:40	Class of 1978	3:30	Class of 2003
2:50	Class of 1983	3:40	Class of 2008

4:00 pm **All-Bennett Banquet at Headquarters**  
*(wear your favorite hat & gloves)*

8:00-12 midnight **Alumnae After-Party at Headquarters**

### ■ SUNDAY, MAY 5

8:30 am-10:00 am **Breakfast Buffet (included in Registration) – Dress to travel**

## THINGS TO REMEMBER

- Registration on or before **April 12** is \$185
- Registration received by **April 19** is \$235 (late registration)
- Deadline for ads for the Souvenir Program Book is **April 12**
- Make hotel reservations by **April 2**
- Wear your favorite hat & gloves to the All-Bennett Banquet
- Friday is All Bennett Day—wear your Bennett paraphernalia

- **Contributions to the Alumnae Annual Fund should be sent to:**  
Office of Alumnae Affairs, Bennett College,  
900 East Washington Street, Greensboro, NC 27401  
**Alumnae Annual Fund contributions SHOULD NOT be included  
in the same check with your registration**

- **NO onsite registration**—Based on availability, some individual tickets for each event (see prices below) will be available at the door of each event on a first come, first serve basis.
 

• White Breakfast:	\$60
• All-Bennett Banquet:	\$100
• Lunch on Campus:	\$20
• Wine & Cheese	\$40
• Sunday Breakfast:	\$15

- **Cancellation Policy:** Often unavoidable situations arise which require that you cancel your registration to Alumnae Weekend. Cancellations are due in writing by April 28 in order to be eligible for a refund.

- **Donor Recognition Breakfast:**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1926 Society</li> <li>• Planned Giving Society</li> <li>• 50th Year Class</li> </ul>	<p><b>To be recognized, gift must be paid in full by April 20, 2013.</b></p>
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#### CALLING ALL SINGING BELLES:

#### Join the 2013 Bennett College Reunion Choir

During Alumnae Weekend, we will be forming a reunion choir to commemorate the rich history we have in song. If you have ever been a formal member of the college choir, please sign up today! *We are especially calling on those who have participated during the years of 1996 - 2012.*

**To Register:** <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/BennettChoirReunion>  
**For more information:** 2013bennettreunionchoir@gmail.com **or call**  
(336) 517-2335

# NAA LEADERSHIP

**PRESIDENT**

Dr. Lisa A. Johnson '81  
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**VICE PRESIDENT**

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**PRE-ALUMNAE PRESIDENT**

Ms. LaRika Jones '13  
Larika.Jones@bennett.edu

**NATIONAL RECRUITMENT CHAIR**

Mrs. Kenya Samuels Gray '99  
E22leanor@hotmail.com

## HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

The cost of hotel suites and regular rooms at the Sheraton are listed below. If you want to reserve a room or suite, please contact the hotel directly by calling: 1-800-242-6556. Ask for Carla Puahi at the Bennett College gate.

Junior Luxury (king bedroom suite) - \$230.00 + tax

Ambassador (deluxe king bedroom or double bedroom suite with parlor) - \$230.00 + tax

Double Bed Suite (double bed room with adjoining king bedroom and 2 baths) - \$200.00 + tax

2 Bedroom VIP Suite (Parlor with 2 attached king bedrooms) - \$210.00 + tax for the bedrooms and \$525.00 + tax for the parlor

Executive Parlor (Parlor with king room and double room attached) – Group rate for the bedrooms and \$230.00 + tax for the parlor



## Bennett College National Alumnae Association 2013 Reunion Class Coordinators

<b>1943</b>	NAA & Alumnae Office	
<b>1948</b>	Eugenia Johnson	ej122501@aol.com
<b>1953</b>	Audrey Phillips Highsmith Hazeline McPhaul Ross	ahighsmith@verizon.net
<b>1958</b>	Lola Ann McAdoo	lmcadoo@bennett.edu
<b>1963</b>	Tisha Harris Carolyn Black Doris Bowman Opal Hughes Watkins	tharris60@aol.com rcblack380@aol.com dbo9488334@aol.com opalohw@aol.com
<b>1968</b>	Barbara Williams Cynthia Frierson	lucywill46@yahoo.com cynthia_frierson@hotmail.com
<b>1973</b>	Ruth Dennis Phillips Sandra Murphy Alvah Taylor Beander LuRita Charley Walker	rdennisphillips@bennett.edu sjmurphy51@yahoo.com alvahb@gmail.com
<b>1978</b>	Joyce Bass Valentine Rochelle Moody Jennifer Fountain Rogers	jedw56@aol.com rochelle.moody@sbcglobal.net jennyr77dstbc@yahoo.com
<b>1983</b>	Wanda Mobley Yolande Johnson Rose Nelson Kary Portia Griffin	wmobley@bennett.edu yjohnson@bennett.edu rkary3839@bellsouth.net Grffnedieabc@aol.com
<b>1988</b>	Elayne Gibbs Jones Anna Sumpster Elizabeth Vanbevrhoudt	egjones8@hotmail.com house4u841@hotmail.com liz66@verizon.net
<b>1993</b>	Shawn Mussington Hall Erica Worley Cunningham Shelly Markham	mussingtonhaywood@gmail.com bennettbelle_93@yahoo.com diarra_sasha@yahoo.com
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<b>2008</b>	Taryn Dove Chemaye Herring Tiffany Lindsay	tnjdove@gmail.com chemayeh@gmail.com tnlindsay@gmail.com

## Annual Gift Society Levels

As a way to recognize our Alumnae who are donors, Bennett College has reestablished its Giving Society. Members of this society are true visionaries and their generosity and leadership play a vital role in educating young women.

There are a various gift categories listed in the Belle Ringer and other publications. During Alumnae Weekend, the following categories will be honored:

### Gift Societies:

*A Legacy Gift	The Willa B. Player Legacy Society
\$25,000 or more	President's Circle
\$10,000 - \$24,999	David D. Jones Society
\$2,500 - \$9,999	Susie W. Jones Society
\$1,926 - \$2,499	1926 Society

*\*\*A Legacy Gift is established to honor those who have taken the special step to include Bennett in their long-term plans through a bequest provision, life-income gift or other deferred giving arrangements.*

**Gifts must be  
received in total  
no later  
April 20, 2013  
to qualify.**