Greetings!

It's been almost 40 years since we graduated from Lewis & Clark College! Crazy, right? Time flies when you're having a life. A group of your 1983 classmates are working on Alumni Weekend and our class reunion. We hope you'll join us on campus this June to celebrate our 40th reunion!

Remember surviving incredible ice storms, pulling all-nighters, Mount St. Helens erupting, concerts at the Paramount Theatre? (U2, The Police, Talking Heads, Tom Petty, Bob Dylan, Bob Marley, Jimmy Buffett, Jimmy Cliff – to name just a few.) Remember the Buffalo Gap, the Hotcake House, Papa Haydn?

Most of all, remember who you were that first year and who you had become by graduation day. Lewis & Clark helped you go forward. Alumni Weekend is a wonderful way to come back. Celebrate with us!

We are writing with three requests:

- 1) **Save the Date:** June 23-25, 2023. It's going to be an amazing experience! Get ready for our special all-class party, overseas trip reunions, an on-campus pub, live music, and be among the first to see the newly updated campus center. Check out the <u>Alumni Weekend website</u> and the <u>Class of 1983 page</u>.
- 2) **Get Connected:** Check out the <u>Class of 1983 Facebook page</u>. All of our yearbooks are <u>online</u>, too! Take a spin through your past and get excited to come back. Consider staying in one of the dorms for the weekend. This is our time to return to Palatine Hill and reconnect. Reach out to friends and encourage them to attend!
- 3) **Help Plan the Fun!** Our planning group is having a great time putting this weekend together. If you are looking to reach out and get reacquainted with your college self, join us! Contact our staff reunion coordinator, Ginger (Irwin) Moshofsky '83 at 503-768-7444 or ginger@lclark.edu for more information.

Another cool thing about Alumni Weekend is that it isn't just for our class. Reminiscing, reconnection, reflection and discovery can happen across any class year. At Alumni Weekend, you'll make new friends and reconnect with old ones, because all of us share a common Lewis & Clark bond. At some level, we all have been transformed by this important place.

Mark your calendars and we'll see you in June!

Your 1983 Class Reunion Volunteers:

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