



Waco High School Class of 1961

55th Reunion

September 16 & 17, 2016 • Waco, TX

**Hotel Reservations & Hospitality Room - The Hilton Hotel
Friday, the 16th - Mixer at the new McLane Stadium in Presidential Suite
Saturday, the 17th - Texas Ranger Hall of Fame and Museum
including access to the Museum
Golf Tournament and more activities in the planning**

Dear Classmates:

This letter is to let you know of the plans for our upcoming reunion. Many of your classmates have been working on the plans for the past six months. With the current trend of people no longer having home phones and having only cell phones, it has made it more difficult to locate our Missing Classmates. Attached is a list of our classmates that we have been unable to locate. You may find your name on the list because we have been unable to contact you to verify your information. We need your help. Send us any information you might remember...did they have any siblings or relatives you know of. Did they marry? To whom...even if they later divorced. Did they have any children? Where did they live? This type of information will help locate them. Send any information to Judy (Ilbery) Wallace at Judd4y@aol.com or call 254.644.0947.

If you have any information you need to update such as: phone number, address, cell phone number, birth date, email address or spouse's name, please send the information to Judy or the Webmaster with the link on www.whs61.org.

For those who may not know, McLane Stadium is the new \$252+ million, Baylor Stadium. From the Presidential Suite, where we will have the Friday night mixer, there is a fantastic view of Waco and the Stadium.

Saturday night we will be in Knox Hall at the Texas Ranger Hall of Fame that recently underwent a \$2 million renovation. One side of Knox Hall has a glass wall

with a gorgeous view overlooking the Brazos River and McLane Stadium. We will also have access to the Museum.

The question has been asked if you can send your registration fees now... absolutely! There is no time like the present to make your hotel reservations at the Hilton. They have set up a link for our group to insure you receive the special rates: http://www.hilton.com/en/hi/groups/personalized/A/ACTWHHF-WH1961-20160916/index.jhtml?WT.mc_id=POGon, or you can call the hotel direct at 254.754.8484. If you call direct, be sure to tell them you are with the Waco High School 1961 Class Reunion. The 11th floor rooms (Executive Level) have been blocked for our group. This is the floor where the Waco Suite (the Reunion Hospitality Suite) is located. If you have not attended a reunion in the past, this is where everyone gathers to snack and do a lot of catching up with our classmates when there are no scheduled events planned.

The room rates are: king rooms \$119.00+ taxes per night; double queen \$129 + taxes; Executive Level (11th Floor) \$139.00+ taxes per night.

Ron Moody has graciously agreed to host the golf tournament. That fee will be collected the morning of the tournament. Be sure to let Joan (Lindgren) know of your intention to play at the phone number below or include a note with your registration. We need to know if there will be sufficient participation to make the course reservations.

The registration fee **for both days** (excluding golf tournament fee) is \$60.00 per person. We again want to keep it affordable so as many as possible will attend. Make your check payable to WHS Class of 1961 and mail it to: WHS Class of 1961, 123 Timberview Court, Burleson, TX 76028.

In an effort to keep the registration fee low and provide a memorable evening, we again are having a campaign to help offset some of the expenses and to support the class web site, www.whs61.org. Each donor will be recognized at our reunion events and listed in the Class Directory. Classmates who send a donation, but are unable to attend, will receive a Directory in appreciation for their support.

Donor Categories

Gold	Tiger	Dumont Daddy Rabbit	Coffield Cat	Cub
\$500+___	\$350___	\$250___	\$125___	\$50___

...or any amount you would like to contribute, is appreciated.

We are in the process of getting the class website (www.whs61.org) updated. It will be your source for updates.

We look forward to hearing from you and seeing you on September 16 & 17, 2016.