Department of Biology
All-Alumni Reunion
CWRU Homecoming and Reunion Weekend
October 6 - October 9, 2022

Registration for all events is required at
https://cwru.events.alumniq.com/go/2022

Thursday Oct 6, 2022

**Biology Open House** | 2 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.
Agnar Pytte Center for Science Education and Research - Hovorka Atrium

*Visit bio[box], a collaborative learning/research space, and other Biology labs. Engage with faculty and graduate students as they talk about their research.*

*All alumni, parents, and students are welcome to attend and participate in tours of the facility!*

**Biology Department Reunion Kick Off Event** | 4 p.m. - 5 p.m.
Agnar Pytte Center for Science Education and Research - Clapp 405

*Join us as we welcome all Biology Department Reunion attendees with a special update from Michael Benard, Chair of the Department. Mark Willis, Professor, will also highlight CWRU’s new Neuroscience major and the Neuro group’s activities and connections to the rest of the University.*

**Biology Reunion Alumni Reception** | 5 p.m. - 6 p.m.
Agnar Pytte Center for Science Education and Research - Hovorka Atrium

*Following the Kick Off Event enjoy cookies, punch, and fellowship with alumni, faculty and students.*

**Blue Bash (formerly Blue Block)** | 7 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Freiberger Field

*Join the Spartan community for the kickoff to homecoming on Thursday evening at Freiberger Field! This year's new location will offer lots of fun, food, entertainment, and fireworks!*
Friday Oct 7, 2022

**State of the College of Arts and Sciences** | 10 a.m. - 11 a.m.
Tinkham Veale University Center - Senior Classroom
*Dean Joy K. Ward will present an update on the current state of the College of Arts and Sciences. Learn about faculty and student successes as well as future plans during this presentation. There will be plenty of time for attendees to ask questions! Students, alumni, and parents are invited to attend!*

**Biology Alumni Graduate Career Panel** | 1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Clapp 405
*Learn valuable career advice as several CWRU Biology alumni share their experiences and answer your questions during this exclusive panel discussion for Biology graduate students.*

**Biology Alumni Undergraduate Career Panel** | 1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Clapp 304
*Learn valuable career advice as several CWRU Biology alumni share their experiences and answer your questions during this exclusive panel discussion for Biology undergraduate students.*

All alumni, parents, and students are welcome to attend and participate.

**Biology Mini-Symposium** | 2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Clapp 405
*Join us for four back-to-back presentations from alumni and faculty followed by Q&A.*

**IGNITE: A Celebration of Philanthropy** | 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm
*By invitation only*

*Biology donors who are members of the College’s Dean’s Society ($1,000 gifts or more annually) are invited to a special reception honoring their philanthropy. Please contact 216-368-0097 for more information.*

**Dinner On Your Own** | 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 pm
*Gather with classmates and new friends to explore your favorite local restaurants in Little Italy or Uptown. For those who are more adventurous, journey to Cleveland's Flats or E. 4th Street.*

**Homecoming Concert at the Maltz Performing Arts Center** | 7:30 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Maltz Performing Arts Center, Silver Hall
*Join the CWRU Department of Music as we celebrate Homecoming 2022, featuring the Camerata Chamber Orchestra, Symphony Orchestra, Spartan Marching Band, Concert Choir, Jazz Ensemble, and Symphonic Winds!*
Saturday Oct 8, 2022

Squire Valleevue Farm and Valley Ridge Farm Open House | 9:30 a.m. Shuttle from campus. 10:00 a.m. - 12 p.m. - Squire Valleevue and Valley Ridge Farms, Moreland Hills, OH

Biology Alumni Reunion attendees are invited to visit the beautiful University Farm to learn about current research and teaching efforts including the Farm Food Program. A shuttle bus is available and space is limited so be sure to register early!

Spartie’s Pregame Party & Tailgate | 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Linsalata Alumni Center

Join the Spartan community as everyone gets ready for the football game!

This pregame event will provide all-you-can-eat stadium food, the CWRU marching band, an open-air photo booth, balloon artist, and, of course, Sparty! The student tailgate will be outside on Juniper Road with even more entertainment and a beer garden for all to enjoy!

Homecoming Football Game | 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
DiSanto Field

Go Spartans! Cheer on the CWRU Spartan football team as they take on the St. Vincent Bearcats!

College of Arts and Sciences Student-Led Tour: Cleveland Museum of Art | 3 p.m. - 4 p.m.
Cleveland Museum of Art

Graduate students from the Department of Art History will lead tours highlighting their favorite museum pieces and showcasing their expertise

College of Arts and Sciences All-Class Reunion Dinner & Awards Celebration
6 p.m. - 9 p.m. Linsalata Alumni Center - Great Hall

Join Dean Joy K. Ward as we celebrate the College’s Distinguished Alumni Award winners, the 50th reunion of the Class of 1972, members of the Biology, Chemistry, and Spanish reunions, and all others returning to campus to celebrate. A brief reception will occur before our banquet dinner and awards presentation.
Additional events of interest available through the registration website general schedule. Registration is required.

- Sears think[box] tours are offered throughout Homecoming and Reunion Weekend, please check the general schedule and register for a tour that fits your itinerary.
- On Saturday, October 8th, the Case Alumni Association is hosting two events that may be of interest:
  - Case Quad Open House from 10 am - 1 pm
  - Faculty Lecture: Navigating the Human Side of Technology
    - As he pioneers neural engineering and smart prosthetics, Professor Dustin Tyler, PhD ’99, addresses ethical questions posed by advances in biomedical engineering. The director of Case’s Human Fusions Institute will lead a panel discussion on where science is taking us and how to safeguard humanity.
      - A distinguished panel of Master of Engineering Management alumni includes:
        - Fulter Hong ’02, MEM ’03, Senior Manager of Global Business Operations, Google
        - Abdou Ayoub, MEM ’05, founder, Managing Director, and data analytics specialist, Paragon Shift
        - Kyle Brower ’09, MEM ’10, Senior Manager, Aerospace & Defense practice, Accenture
        - Chioma Onukwuire ’17, MEM ’18, Compliance Analyst, privacy specialist, Wells Fargo
  - Sponsored by The Master of Engineering Management Program and Case Alumni Association

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