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Dear Science '83 Classmates

Can you believe it's been 25 years since we graduated from Queen's?? Our 25th reunion is planned for **September 26, 27 & 28** and with you there, we can show the graduating class of 2011 (yes, 2011!) what the Queen's spirit is all about!

The Science '83 class reps have begun the planning for our 25th reunion. In addition to the football game, and other homecoming fun, there will be a number of Science '83 events for you and your family. The main events are shaping up as follows:

- 1. Friday night pub night, either at Clark Hall, or at a local Kingston pub,
- 2. Saturday night Class dinner on or near campus
- 3. Sunday brunch at one of the local hotels.

We would like to hear your views about the plans for the weekend. Please spend 5 minutes completing a very easy **online survey** about your preferences. Visit www.science83.com and click on the Survey link. Feel free to also contact the Science '83 Class reps. Their contact information is at the end of this letter.

We hope to see you in September, so here is what you should do, as soon as you can:

- 1. Pre-register online at homecoming-queensu.ca to attend Homecoming 2008! By pre-registering you will receive the Homecoming Program booklet by mail (your guide to events happening Homecoming Weekend) and your name will also appear online as returning for the weekend. Let us know if you are coming, and see who else is returning.
- **2. Book a hotel room.** A limited **block of hotel rooms** has been booked for Science '83 at the following hotels. The block booking will expire soon, so please reserve your room promptly.

Comfort Inn (Highway 401) Rooms at \$120 Phone (613) 546-9500 or Fax (613) 546-9361 Quote Group Number #100973 (Queen's Applied Science 1983)

Rooms ranging from \$185 to \$245 Phone 1-800-267-7880 Quote: Science '83 block booking

near train station)

Ambassador Hotel (Princess Street,

3. Check out www.science83.com. All of the current plans and information about the

Get all the Reunion details at www.science83.com



reunion will be posted here. We've also posted some information about the Science '83 Class, 25 years later, that you may find interesting. Please take a moment to register your email address so we can keep you posted on Class news and events by email rather than by letter. Do you have any old photos to share with the Class? Dig up your old albums, find a scanner and share the fun. We'd like to post them on the website.

The Golden Gaels will host Western on Saturday, September 27 with a 1 pm kick-off at Richardson Stadium. If you would like to attend the football game you must purchase your tickets as soon as possible. **This game is traditionally sold-out before Homecoming Weekend arrives!** To ensure seating with our class, buy your tickets early and be sure to indicate Science '83 when you buy your tickets. (Tickets will be available starting in June and can be purchased either online at homecoming.queensu.ca or by calling 1-800-267-7837 – but we'll send you an email when they go on sale)

Over the past two decades, many of you have generously donated to the Mark Latham Memorial Fund. Mark was a special friend, and a huge influence on campus. Each year a 4th year Applied Science student receives the award of about \$4,000. In addition to good academic standing, the recipient is a well rounded student combining enthusiasm and leadership with integrity and a sense of humour – just like Mark. Thank you for your ongoing support of this initiative.

As part of our 25th Reunion plans, we want to dramatically increase the size of this fund and we are asking for your help. Enclosed is a gift ticket and return envelope for your convenience; every gift will receive a tax receipt. Our goal is to reach \$250,000 by the time of our 25th, and as extra motivation we have arranged a special matching pledge: for every dollar we raise, it will be matched until the fund reaches \$250,000! That means we have an approximately \$38K window of matching funds. Additionally, the Board of Trustees will match gifts up to \$1000 from brand new donors – if you've never given to Queen's before, now is the time!

Included on the next page is a listing of classmates who have fallen out of touch. If you know where they live, please contact Alumni Relations at 1-800-267-7837 or records@queensu.ca so that we can notify them about our Homecoming Reunion plans.

If you have any questions, comments or suggestions please drop me/us a line. Hope to see you in September!!

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Keeping in Touch with Science '83

The following classmates are "Lost" meaning Queen's Alumni Relations does not have their current address. This means they will not receive details of the 25th Reunion. If you know where they live or have their email address, please contact them or Queen's University, 1-800-267-7837 (records@queensu.ca) so they can be notified about our reunion.

John Campbell
Raymond Chan
Philip Chan
Samuel Chan
Becky Chan
Kevin Charlebois
Kelvin Chow

Mark Da Silva Jardine
Paul De La Durantaye
Doug Dreisinger
Timothy Durrant
Herbert Fensury
William Fisher
James Gordon
John Grant

Donald Guglielmin Joseph Haid

Gregory Hills Eddy Ho James Houghton Michael Hughes Farhad Khorasheh David King

Felix Lee
Duncan Leung
Wilson Leung
Andy Lo
Gregory Lo
Derek MacLeod
Raphel Moscarello
Spencer Mpe

Haile Mphusu Christopher Pallen Joseph Poon

David Read Rodney Robillard

Yves Roy Dimitri Sheets Edric Shim Gerard Siron Brian Taylor James Taylor Kiang Teoh Alan Thompson Hua-Leong Ting Fred Topham

Peter Wojciechowski

Tony Wong Lionel Wong William Yee