

A Sneak Peek at Homecoming '06: Appenzeller to be Honored

The year has just begun, and already the Office of Alumni Relations is busy planning Homecoming 2006. Building on the success of Homecoming 2005 (which included everything from a community work day to an Indigo Girls concert, exciting sporting events and fun reunions), we look forward to the weekend of Sept. 29-Oct. 1.

Join us as we celebrate the countless contributions of Herb Appenzeller, Jefferson-Pilot professor of sport studies emeritus, who taught at the college from 1956-93 and will be honored during halftime of the football game Sept. 30 against Greensboro College. The Armfield Athletic Center field will be dedicated in



Football alumni enjoy Homecoming 2005.



Herb Appenzeller, shown here with wife, Ann, will be honored during Homecoming 2006.

his honor, and a postgame alumni celebration is planned. The weekend will feature reunions for classes with years ending in 1 and 6, along with the Golden Circle induction of the class of 1956 and much more.

Take advantage of a special weekend rate (\$79 per night) at the Greensboro/High Point Airport Marriott during Homecoming. Visit www.stayatmarriott.com/guilford2006homecoming/ for full details or to make a reservation.

From Coast to Coast

Gatherings this winter have seen alumni reconnect in New York City (hosted by Lauren Stein '98), Seattle (hosted by Margaret Haworth '61 Young), Salem, Ore.

(hosted by Diana Nicholson-Nelson '82) and Washington, D.C. (as part of the Guilford College Choir Tour). Events are planned for March 31 in Longboat Key, Fla. (hosted by Roger Pettingell '83 and wife, Alisa) and April 7-8 on campus (a celebration of longtime professors John and Carol Stoneburner). In addition, the annual Alumni Board Retreat is set for June 16-18 at the Hilton Alexandria Old Town in Alexandria, Va.



Joanna Hanks '62 Page and Brooks Haworth '62, classmates from kindergarten through Guilford, at last fall's Minneapolis alumni gathering.

Contact Karrie Manson '82 Opaleski for more information at 336-316-2148 or kopalesk@guilford.edu. Visit www.guilford.edu and look for mailings in the coming months for updates.

The Wailin' Jennys to Perform Homecoming Concert Sept. 30

The Wailin' Jennys, a critically acclaimed Canadian folk-pop trio, will make their North Carolina concert debut as part of Homecoming 2006, performing Sept. 30 at 8 p.m. in Dana Auditorium.

Tickets will go on sale April 14, with \$15 general admission seats and a limited number of \$25 premium seats available. Purchase tickets at the Greensboro Coliseum Advance Box Office, online at Tickets.com or by calling 1-888-397-3100.

The Jennys won a Juno Award (the Canadian equivalent of a Grammy) in 2005 and will release a new CD in May, following "40 Days" (2004). The singer-songwriters have appeared four times in the past year on Garrison Keillor's "A Prairie Home Companion."

For more information, visit www.thewailinjennys.com.

