

Dear Minnehaha Alumni,

Warm Christmas Greetings! I hope that you are feeling blessed this holiday season! There are many alumni activities over the next month and I hope that you can join us!

Celebrate the Christmas Season at the **Upper School Christmas Concert**- Thursday, December 14th at 7:30pm in the Hognander Chapel at North Campus.

Alumni Ski Outing- Don't give in to cabin fever! Grab your skis and head out to Hyland Lake Park Reserve in Bloomington on Friday, December 22nd. Meet at Edgewood (Jan's Place) picnic building between 5pm-8pm for skiing and a hearty chili dinner. Bring your family and friends!

Alumni Hockey Tournament- Sharpen your skates, grab your stick and come back to the barn for the annual alumni hockey game on Saturday, December 23rd. Men play at 11am and women play at 1pm. Lunch will be provided between the games.

Young Alumni Holiday Party- Join your classmates (1995-2006) and do some networking at the first annual young alumni holiday party on Thursday, December 28th from 5pm-7pm at Joe's Garage (www.joes-garage.com) in Minneapolis. Enjoy appetizers and soft drinks while catching up with your friends.

National Gatherings-

Florida- Saturday, January 27th Luncheon at 11:30 am at the La Playa Golf Club, 333 Palm River Blvd, Naples, FL. Hosted by Paul and Linda (Paulson) '64 Wicklund.

Colorado- During the Covenant Mid-Winter Conference! If you are in Denver for the Mid-Winter Conference, come meet other Minnehaha Alumni and Friends at these events.

-Wednesday, February 7th at Covenant Village, Westminster

Hosted by Jay and Dorothy (Anderson '46) Kershaw

-Saturday, February 10th- Aspen, CO dinner at the home of Lois (Lundberg '62) and Tom Sando '62

Arizona- Saturday, February 24th Desserts at 7:00pm at the home of Paul '56 and Linda (Olson '58) Stromberg in Scottsdale.

London, England- Sunday, March 4th Dinner with the Singers

Other Upcoming Events: **Madrigal Dinner**- February 10-11th; **Alumni Basketball Tournament**-Saturday, March 31st; **Encore! Auction Take Me Out to the Ball Game**- Saturday, April 21st; **Pops Concert with Miss Foote**- Saturday, April 28th; **Engman Golf Tournament**- Saturday, May 19th

Interested in catching a Minnehaha Athletic game or a Fine Arts Event? Please go to: http://trimetro.org/g5-bin/client.cgi?G5genie=5&school_id=9

The 2006-2007 Annual Fund is off to a great start! This is a tremendous way to show your appreciation to the school and to make a difference in the lives of current students. To make a donation online, please go to: www.MinnehahaAcademy.net and click on Giving/Events. As always, the greatest gift you can give to the school is through your prayers.

For more details on upcoming alumni events, visit our website at: www.MinnehahaAcademy.net or call the Alumni Office at (612) 728-7723.

Warmly,
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Alumni Manager