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Following is a set of sample email communications created by the Events Initiative of the HAA Board of Directors, in an effort to streamline event communications by providing a variety of samples to use broadly. The goal is to provide you with a set of samples that you can use as is, edit, change, modify, etc. to meet the communication needs of your respective alumni group.

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Welcome to the [NAME OF CLUB HERE] Community

Dear [NAME OF RECENT ALUM HERE],

Welcome to the Harvard Club of Southern California's community. As a recent graduate you are already a member of our club and we want to encourage you to take part in the many events we have planned. We hope that you will join us at any one of these events and that you become acquainted with our community through our club and SIGs.

We offer a variety of programs that cater to many different needs; these include happy hour/networking events that take place at different locations throughout the city; private tours of many of the attractions here in LA and the surrounding area; Science Pub speaker events; volunteer events at different charitable organizations; alumni talks, and of course, concerts. We also have a series of signature events such as our Annual Holiday Salon; the Harvard/Yale Telecast game; Global Networking Night; the Harvard Faculty Speaker; and our Annual Awards Dinner.

You can find a detailed list of these events by visiting our website at: [INSERT WEBSITE LINK HERE]

Please join us at our upcoming events. We look forward to meeting you!

Sincerely,

[NAME HERE]

Discover Your City Events

Dear [NAME OF RECENT ALUM HERE],

Join us as we Discover LA! We have planned a series of events (most of which are free and low-cost) that will help us get to know you, connect you with the Harvard community here in Los Angeles, and help you become more involved with our club.

Our first Discover Your City event will take place on [INSERT DATE, TIME AND LOCATION HERE]. We thought a happy hour/meet and greet/ networking event was the best way to kick-off this event series. We have also planned to follow this kick-off event by Discovering LA and we have created a calendar of events that can be found on our website at: [INSERT WEBSITE LINK HERE]

Join us on for our kick-off event. We hope to see you there.

For any questions about this event, or if you want to organize an event, you can the Club's Program Chairs [INSERT NAME AND EMAIL ADDRESSES HERE].

Sincerely,

[NAME HERE]

Harvard/Yale Telecast

Dear [NAME OF RECENT ALUM HERE],

It's that time again...time when we face that school from New Haven to show them who runs Ivy Football. Don't miss out this year to witness Harvard Football achieve an all-time win streak record against Yale.

The game will be telecast at [INSERT DATE, TIME AND LOCATION HERE]. You can register for the event by visiting our website at: [INSERT WEBSITE LINK HERE].

All paid attendees will receive a complimentary T-shirt and half time raffle ticket. Paid admission includes buffet breakfast, coffee, tea, and sodas.

Sincerely,

[NAME HERE]

Annual Holiday Salon

Dear [NAME OF RECENT ALUM HERE],

Do you sing? Play an instrument? Perform? Dance? Or have another unique talent that would entertain others? If so, then this is your chance for fame!

Our Annual Holiday Salon will take place on [INSERT DATE AND TIME HERE] and we want to encourage you to join us. Sharing a talent is not required to attend the event, so whether you have a talent to share or not, please join us for a fun-filled and exciting event!

Please visit our website at [INSERT WEBSITE LINK HERE] to learn more about the event and to register. This is a catered event.

Sincerely,

[NAME HERE]

Wishing you and your loved ones a Happy Holiday Season! *

Dear [NAME OF RECENT ALUM HERE],

Greetings from the [INSERT NAME OF CLUB HERE]! On behalf of the Club's Board members, we would like to wish you and your loved ones a Happy Holiday Season and a happy and healthy [INSERT YEAR HERE]!

We have many events coming up for the upcoming year and we look forward to seeing you at our annual Global Networking Night event. More details can be found on our website at: [INSERT WEBSITE LINK HERE].

Sincerely,

[NAME HERE]

Global Networking Night - [INSERT DATE HERE]

Dear [NAME OF RECENT ALUM HERE],

Have you already registered to attend our Global Networking Night (GNN) event? This year, the GNN will be held at [INSERT LOCATION HERE] on [INSERT DATE AND TIME HERE]. This is a great time to meet other alumni who reside in this area, to network, and to meet other members of the club. We look forward to seeing you there!

Sincerely,

[NAME HERE]

instaHarvard - [INSERT DATE HERE]

Dear [NAME OF RECENT ALUM HERE],

Please join us for our annual instaHarvard networking event designed to bring alumni from all graduate and professional schools that make up One Harvard. This year, instaHarvard will be held at [INSERT LOCATION HERE] on [INSERT DATE AND TIME HERE]. Join us and bring your classmates. We look forward to seeing you there!

Sincerely,

[NAME HERE]

Harvard faculty comes to [NAME OF CITY HERE]!

Dear [NAME OF RECENT ALUM HERE],

We are pleased to announce that Professor [INSERT NAME HERE] will be our Harvard Speaker this year. [INSERT SHORT BIO HERE].

This event will take place at [INSERT LOCATION, DATE AND TIME HERE]. You can attend to hear Professor [INSERT NAME HERE] or if you like, you can also join us for the following dinner.

Information regarding registration for this event can be found at [INSERT WEBSITE LINK HERE].

Sincerely,

[NAME HERE]

Harvard Serves: Harvard's Global Month of Service for April

Harvard Serves – Engage In Your Local Community! Each April Harvard alumni across the world participate in the Harvard Alumni Association's historic tradition of public service. The Harvard Serves initiative continues that long-standing commitment.

The [NAME OF CLUB HERE] invites Harvard alumni, friends and family to participate in Harvard's annual Global Month of Service. Last year, over a thousand alumni participated in Global Month of Service volunteering opportunities, making a difference in their local community and connecting with fellow alumni.

Local alumni have organized projects in non-profit organizations throughout the region providing opportunities for alumni to meet one another and assist in their local communities. This year we have numerous and diverse opportunities to get involved including; [LIST VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES HERE]

The list of organizations has been collected by our alumni for our alumni and will be updated on an ongoing basis. To sign up for a volunteer opportunity, scroll down to the organization with which you'd like to volunteer, and call or email the alumni coordinator. Once you register with them, the event alumni coordinator will be in touch with further details.

For questions, contact [NAME OF CONTACT PERSON HERE]

Scroll down further to see volunteer opportunities by any of the following wonderful organizations:

[NAME OF ORGANIZATIONS HERE]

Annual Awards Dinner

Dear [NAME OF RECENT ALUM HERE],

You are cordially invited to attend the annual awards dinner. We look forward to celebrating the accomplishments and service of three incredible members of our local community. This year we are honoring [INSERT NAME OF AWARDEES HERE].

In the spirit of the awards dinner, this year's theme is [INSERT DINNER THEME HERE]; we encourage you to dress up!

This awards dinner will take place at [INSERT LOCATION, DATE AND TIME HERE]. Information regarding registration for this event can be found at [INSERT WEBSITE LINK HERE].

Sincerely,

[NAME HERE]

Thank you for Attending

Dear [NAME OF RECENT ALUM HERE],

Thank you for attending [NAME OF EVENT HERE]. It was a pleasure meeting you and getting to know you, and it was nice that you were able to meet other Harvard alumni and get to know the Harvard community here in [NAME OF CITY HERE]. I would like to take this time to encourage you to become a member of the Club; if you graduated this year, you are already a member of our Club. I want to encourage you to take part in the many events we have planned.

We offer a variety of programs that cater to many different needs; these include happy hour/networking events that take place at different locations throughout the city; mentorship opportunities; private tours of many of the attractions here in [NAME OF CITY HERE] and the surrounding area; Science Pub speaker events; volunteer events at different charitable organizations; alumni talks, and of course, concerts. We also have a series of signature events such as our Annual Holiday Salon; the Harvard/Yale Telecast game; Global Networking Night; the Harvard Faculty Speaker; and our Annual Awards Dinner.

You can find a detailed list of these events by visiting our website at: [WEBSITE LINK HERE]. Also, make sure to join us on Facebook; search for [NAME OF CLUB HERE] and follow us on Twitter and Instagram [NAME OF VCLUB HANDLE HERE]

We hope that you will join us at any one of these events and that you become acquainted with our community. We look forward to seeing you again!

Sincerely,

[YOUR NAME]

We Missed You!

Dear [NAME OF RECENT ALUM HERE],

We're sorry we didn't see you at last week's [NAME OF EVENT HERE] event. But the [NAME OF CLUB HERE] offers many other opportunities for you to meet your fellow alumni, and we wanted to encourage you to continue staying connected by joining our club (if you are not a member already!)

Last year we held over [NUMBER OF EVENTS HERE] events, and if you graduated in the past 3 years, you can join for as little as \$20 a year. With your membership you will receive a hard copy of our monthly newsletter, discounts to events, and exclusive access to several members-only events — such as the upcoming [NAME OF UPCOMING EVENT HERE]

Please click here to join the Club.

We hope to see you soon at one of our events. You can download a copy of our latest newsletter so you can see what's coming up. You can also see a complete listing by clicking here.

Thank you, and have a wonderful holiday season.

[NAME OF CLUB PRESIDENT HERE], President
[NAME OF CLUB HERE]

The Harvard Club of New Jersey

Cordially Invites You to Our 104th Annual Dinner

Meeting Wednesday, April 9, 2008

Maplewood Country Club, 28 Baker Street, Maplewood, NJ

Reception at 6:30 P.M. (cash bar, hors
d'oeuvres) Dinner at 7:30 P.M.

Honored Guest and Speaker: Peter K. Bol

Charles H. Carswell Professor of East Asian Languages and
Civilizations Director, Harvard Center for Geographic Analysis

"Bringing Geography Back to Harvard:
How New Technologies of Geography Are Changing the
Way We Understand the World and Ourselves"

The Harvard Club of New Jersey welcomes alumni/ae from all of Harvard University's
schools and special programs.

If you have attended our dinners before, you know what a great time is to be had by all,
reconnecting with classmates, meeting new friends, and hearing from some of the best
minds Harvard has to offer.

If you haven't, let this be a first for you! And be prepared to be intellectually entertained by
an academic star, who will show you firsthand what the 21st century Harvard is all about:
creating new forms of knowledge - in this case, geotech - that will transform how we relate
to the physical space that surrounds us.

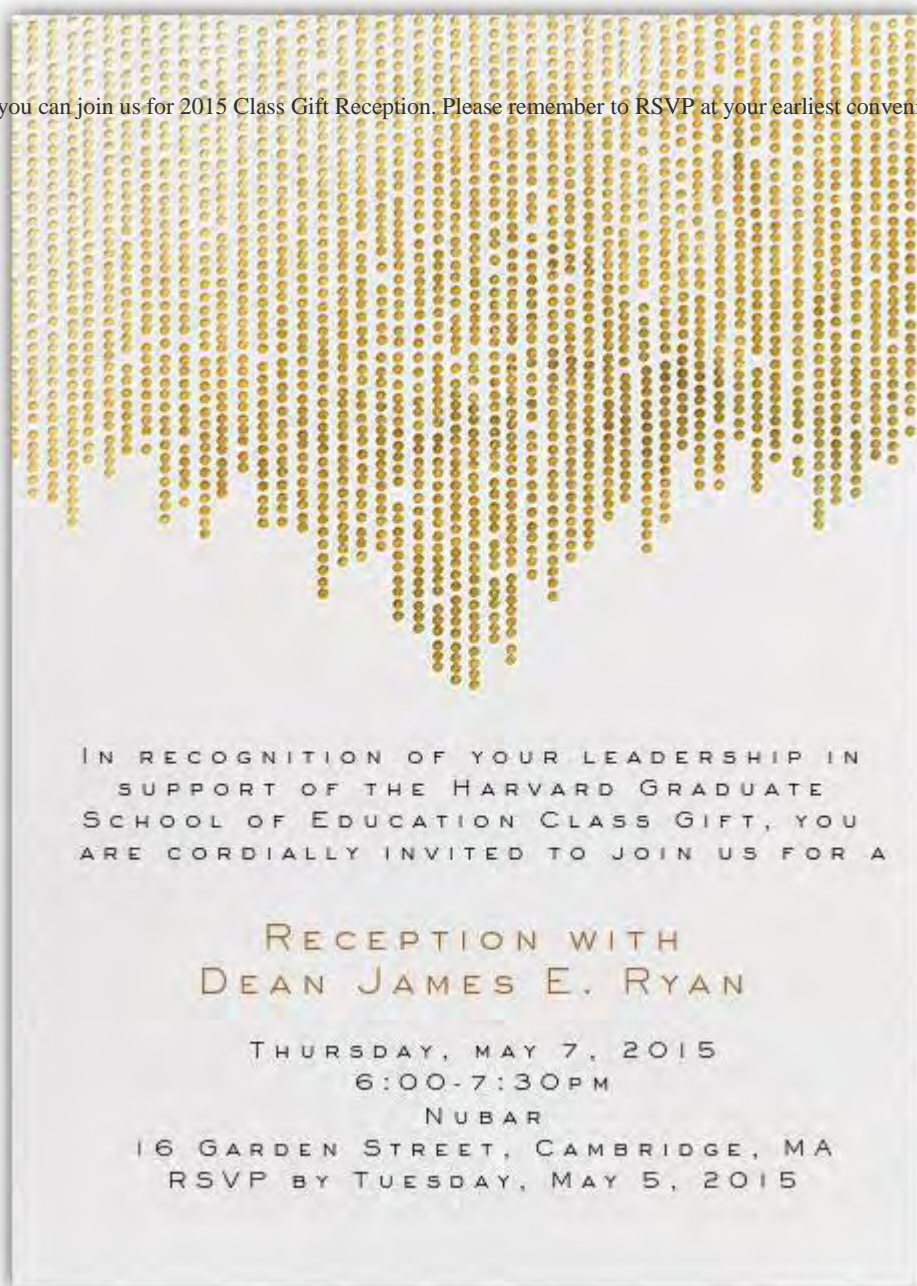
Our Annual Dinner is the Club's primary fundraising event of the year. Contributions to
our Scholarship Fund help deserving New Jersey undergraduates at Harvard College pay
for their education. Please consider making a donation to our Scholarship Fund with your
reservation.

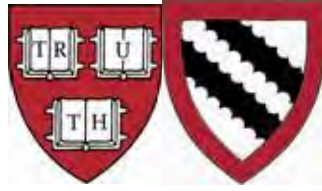
Thank you for your generosity.

will attend

EVITE LINK
will not attend

We hope you can join us for 2015 Class Gift Reception. Please remember to RSVP at your earliest convenience.





Join us Thursday, November 16 for a Panel Discussion with Washington area experts from Harvard-Radcliffe '61 with wine and cheese to follow

Joan Hutchins will moderate a panel discussion on

New Foreign Policy Challenges



5:00 – 7:00 pm at the UN Foundation 1750 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, D.C.

Avis Bohlen, Retired Foreign Service officer, including assignments as Assistant Secretary for Arms Control and Ambassador to Bulgaria. The Grand Sweep – Where is Rex?

Timothy E. Wirth, six-term US Representative and US Senator from Colorado from 1987 to 1993; currently Vice Chairman of the United Nations Foundation. The Continuing Promise of the Paris Climate Treaty.

James Collins, a leading expert on Russia, the capstone of his distinguished Foreign Service career as US Ambassador to Russia from 1997-2001. Currently Senior Associate for the Russia and Eurasia Program at the Carnegie Endowment.

August Schumacher, Jr., former USDA Undersecretary of Farm and Foreign Agriculture Services, worked closely with Jim Collins on the Russian food crises in 1998.

Alec Watson, Why Are We Still Neglecting the Americas?

RSVP: Elisa Lynch elynch@unfoundation.org; 202-778-3531

CIRANO / HCQ Health Care Event - Oct. 6, 2016

Containing health care costs without sacrificing access or quality:
What are the most promising policies to date in the US?

Interested in health care? Want to know how to contain costs without sacrificing health care access or quality? **Then mark your calendars for October 6th!**

Come join Professor Nancy M. Kane from Harvard School of Public Health and Joanne Castonguay Research Director at the Institute for Research on Public Policies to explore important trends in cost management and how different systems in North America stack up against each other. Don't miss out on this unique opportunity to engage with world experts on health care and answer a pressing question that will affect us all!

Register below today before tickets run out:

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/containing-health-care-costs-without-sacrificing-access-or-quality-what-are-the-most-promising-tickets-27610898942?ref=estw>

PLEASE SEE FULL PDF INVITATION BY CLICKING THE BANNER BELOW:



The Harvard Club of Quebec respects your privacy.

If you no longer wish to receive correspondence of this kind from the Harvard Club of Quebec

please follow this unsubscribe link:

<http://hcquebec.clubs.harvard.edu/unsubscribe.html?email=lewauerbach@gmail.com>

You will be removed from receiving any further email from Harvard Club of Quebec.

Please allow up to 72 hours to process.

Learn to
Change
the World



Reminder: [RSVP](#) by June 30

You are cordially invited to the

HGSE Reception

at the

**International Literacy Association (ILA)
2016 Conference & Exhibits**
Boston, MA

Friday, July 8, 2016
5 - 7 p.m.

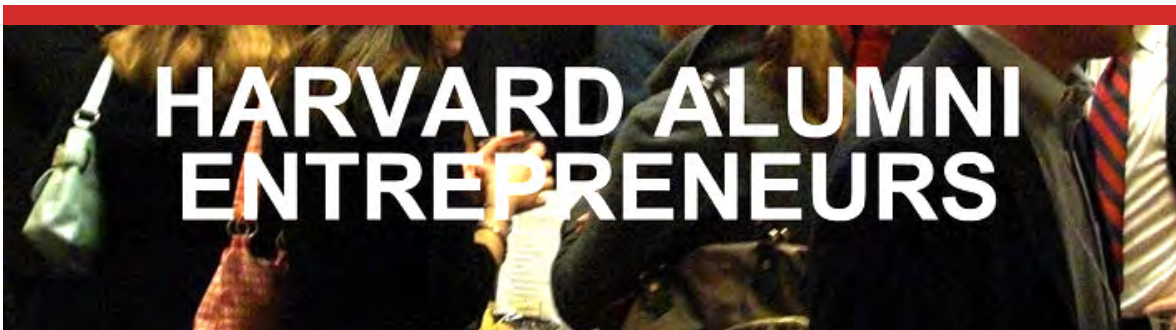
[Sheraton Boston Hotel](#)
Gardner Room, 3rd Floor
39 Dalton Street
Boston, MA 02199

Meet and mingle with HGSE faculty, incoming students,
alumni, and friends.

RSVP via the [online form](#) by Thursday, June 30.

If you are unable to attend, but would like to be featured in our
L&L Alumni Directory, please complete [the poll](#).

**Questions about the event? Contact the Office of Development and Alumni Relations at
gse_alumni_services@harvard.edu or by calling 617-496-3605.**



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HAE @ SXSW

March 11, 2017
2pm-3pm

Capital Factory **RSVP**
701 Brazos Street
Suites 1600
Austin, TX 78701

Featured Speaker

Amy Wilkinson

The Creator's Code:
The Six Essential Skills of Extraordinary Entrepreneurs



HAE-Boston Gets Social About Entrepreneurship

With Dr. Teresa Chahine
Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health

Tuesday, March 21, 2017

6pm - 9pm

Tickets \$15-\$25

RSVP



HAE-NYC Breakfast Series

Eric Dawson, CEO, PeaceFirst
SOCIAL ENTREPRENEUR

Wednesday, March 29, 2017

8:00am - 9:30am

Tickets \$10

RSVP

Space is limited



HARVARD ALUMNI ENTREPRENEURS

HAE-Boston **Gets Social** **About Entrepreneurship**

With **Dr. Teresa Chahine**
Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health

Tuesday | March 21 @ 6:00 - 9:00 PM ET
Conference Room, 1 Main Street, Cambridge, MA (Kendall Sq)

Join Harvard Alumni Entrepreneurs on March 21st for an evening of food, networking, and social entrepreneurship!

Our speaker is Dr. Teresa Chahine, Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health. Dr. Chahine will talk about entrepreneurship as a solution to social and environmental challenges and about the power of community-based models to mobilize resources.

Networking @ 6pm
Dr. Chahine's talk @ 7pm
Food, drinks, networking till 9pm

Tickets \$15-\$25

RSVP

Harvard Alumni Entrepreneurs



Ed Park, COO
AthenaHealth

Albert Wenger, Partner
USV

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our global
network of
nearly 7K
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YOU MAY NOT BE HAPPY
YOU WILL BE WISE
www.HarvardAE.org



Bronson Thayer, Joan Hutchins and Tom Blodgett invite you to

The Class of 1961 Dinner

The evening of THE GAME Saturday, November 19, 2016

When The GAME is in Cambridge, we will convene at 6 pm in downtown Boston,
at The Somerset Club or The Carrie Nation

Our Dinner Coordinator is name



This year we will honor and thank a few Classmates

If you wish to join us, RSVP now to xx(email),
or call at her at phone number. Then, mail her your check for \$140
per person, with the names of your guests (payable to Class of 1961),
to address .

We hope you will join us on November 19th
Final choice of restaurant will be announced closer to the date

Harvard Club of Princeton

ANNUAL WINE TASTING EVENT 1/28

Come join us for a wine tasting. No competition this year. Instead, Brett Matthew, former sommelier at several local restaurants including Mediterra, Eno Terra, and Enoteca Ursino, will present a series of wines while educating us on the grape varieties, vineyards, the elements of their taste, and potential food pairings.

Date: Saturday, January 28, 2017
Time: 7:00PM
Place: address

Enjoy an evening of delicious wine sampling and instruction and leave with a better understanding of major wine styles and your own preferences. Cheese and snacks will be served.

This event sells out quickly, (we have a space limitation of 20) so purchase your tickets early.

Organizer: names
Cost: \$35 per person
Tickets: [Click here to buy tickets!](#)

The Harvard Club of Long Island
invites you to a
Traditional Chinese New Year's Dinner
for year of the "Rooster"

Sunday, February 5, 2017
4 to 8pm
East Setauket

Please join us for a night of authentic Chinese food, culture and celebration prepared for you by fellow members of the Harvard Club of Long Island.

Payment & RSVP

COST: \$10 per person paid in advance by check payable to the Harvard Club of Long Island or [visit our website](#) to respond. Attendance is limited to the first 25 responses.

RSVP: Email xxx at email address with your email address, the names of all those attending in your party, a phone number to call in case of inclement weather and any known food allergies in your **party**.

PAYMENT: If paying online, [visit our website](#) to pay via [Paypal](#) and email Lingling to let her know you are coming and include the RSVP form information given below.

If you are paying by check, mail a check payable to
Harvard Club of Long Island
to [The Harvard Club of Long Island, 81 Gaynor Avenue,](#)
[Manhasset, NY 11030](#)

and include the RSVP form information with your check.

NOTES: You will receive the exact home address in East Setauket where this event will be hosted upon receipt of payment. Please note that the food is being prepared in a private home and we therefore cannot guarantee that allergenic foods or seasonings will not be present.

Name: _____

Guest Names: _____

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Email Address: _____

Number of attendees: _ at \$10 per person

Amount Enclosed:

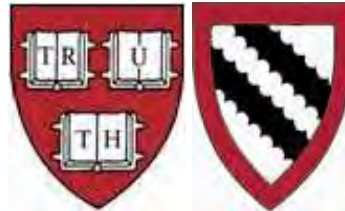
1961 Class Events Committee

Tom Blodgett

Bill Gallagher

Joan Morthland Hutchins

Jim Nelson



Bill Nickerson

Jane Hoeffel Otte

John Reidy

Meg Hooper Winslow

**Save the Date Thursday,
May 25, 2017**

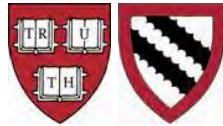
**Commencement Boathouse Party
for Classes of 1959, 1960 and 1961**

An Evening on the Water
The HR Classes of '59 and '60 have asked
us to join them for a Reception and Dinner
At the Cambridge Boat
Club

Reception at 6:00pm and Dinner at 7:00 pm
2 Gerrys Landing Road, Cambridge, MA 02138



The HAA will be helping to manage this dinner party and will send a notice and invitation to our Class of '61 as well as the classes of '59 and '60. Tickets will be \$75.00 per person, with payment on-line or by check to the HAA. Space is limited, so reservations will be 'first-come-first served' with an acceptance deadline of May 5th. We look forward to seeing you at what promises to be a most enjoyable event



HARVARD-RADCLIFFE Class of 1961 Between-Reunions Event

Sunday July 23, 2017, from 2 pm – 7 pm

**Your Hosts Andy Kotsatos, Bill Kargman, Carol Lieberman and Don Rice
Invite you to an afternoon of Renewing old Friendships, and Making
New Ones at Buzzards Bay on Massachusetts' South Coast**



**John Reidy's Summer Home, 4 Sherburne Way, Wareham, Massachusetts
(Directions available on GPS and MapQuest, a 75-minute drive from Boston)**

John will give us a short talk on the history of his house

There will be appropriate libations, hors d'oeuvres and music

**Arrive at 2:00 pm to swim or if you prefer,
A walk on the beach or a stroll through the streets of Wareham**

Please RSVP by June 5th to [John Reidy](#) or 617-504-1765

Then send your check (\$35 per couple or \$20 single), to:

John Reidy, P.O. Box 368, 4 Sherburne Way, Wareham, MA 02571-0368 ("HR 61" on the check notation line and include your email and mailing address)

Let us know if you would like a list of local restaurants or driving directions.

We anticipate a large gathering of our Harvard and Radcliffe classmates and spouses, partners, companions, so please respond early.

Check out photos of recent Events on the [Class Website](#)

The Harvard Club of Long Island
cordially invites you to

A BACKSTAGE TOUR of CARNEGIE HALL



Carnegie Hall

881 Seventh Avenue at 57th Street, Manhattan Saturday, February 11, 2017 at 10:30am

Cost: \$20

Event Coordinators: name Maximum number of attendees: 40

Experience the magic of Carnegie Hall with a guided tour!

Get an insider's view of the concert hall as docents share the story of the Hall's construction and the legacy of the great artists who have performed here.

Tours conclude at the Rose Museum and The Shop at Carnegie Hall.

RSVP by Friday, Feb 3. Send the following information via email to xx at email address. Please let xx know your method of payment.

Name: _____

Harvard Affiliation: _____

Telephone: _____

Email Address: _____

Guest Names(s): _____

Number of attendees: __

Payment: Make checks payable to the Harvard Club of Long Island and mail to xx, or pay by [Paypal](#) at our website.

[Contact us at harvardclubli@gmail.com](mailto:harvardclubli@gmail.com)

or visit us www.harvardclubli.com

HARVARD CLUB OF NEW JERSEY

Dear _____,

Raiders of the Lost Ark with the NJ Symphony Orchestra

Saturday, January 7th at 8:00 PM, At Prudential Hall at NJPAC, [t Center Street,](#)
[Newark, NJ](#)

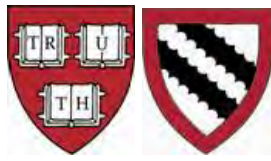


If you love *Raiders of the Lost Ark*, here's your chance to see it as you've never seen it before – with live orchestral accompaniment allowing the film's booming score to soar. Please join the Harvard Club of New Jersey at NJPAC in Newark on January 7th as the New Jersey Symphony Orchestra presents the blockbuster film projected on a big screen. The New Jersey Symphony Orchestra performs John Williams' epic score as the film Roger Ebert called "a movie of glorious imagination and breakneck speed" screens above the stage. Steven Spielberg's timeless classic sees Harrison Ford's Indiana Jones on a quest to recover the legendary Ark of the Covenant and save the world. Chatham's own Constantine Kitsopoulos conducts.

We have two types of tickets for this event, all on Tier 3. One type is \$46/person for members and \$51/person for non-members. The second type of ticket is \$23/person for members and \$28/person for non-members. Please act fast as we have only a limited number of tickets. We will contact you prior to the event to arrange for ticket distribution.

Please contact us a webmaster@hcnj.org with any questions or for more information.

[Click here to buy tickets!!!](#)



**Your 1961 Class Hosts
John Finney, Sean Sculley, Carol Lamberg and Tom Blodgett**

Invite you to

The Harvard Yale Rivalry on Ice

at Madison Square Garden Saturday, January 10, 2015



Rivalry on Ice, 2014: (l to r) Dominic Moore '03 (NY Rangers center), John Kerry, Mark Messier, and Mike Richter, flanked by the Harvard and Yale Captains

**We will gather at 5:30 pm, at Casa Nonna for drinks and dinner
(Dinner with wine usually is around \$100)**

***Casa Nonna
310 West 38th Street
New York***

We will walk to the Garden for the game (starts at 8 pm)

Reserve your seat now

**Mail a check for \$75 for each person (payable to Tom Blodgett)
to P.O. Box 84, Dublin, NH 03444, to arrive by November 5th**

Dear members of the Harvard Club of Ottawa,

The Harvard Club of Ottawa is pleased to announce that our **Annual General Meeting will feature the Governor General of Canada, David Johnston ('63)**. Among His Excellency's many accomplishments, he served as President of the Harvard Board of Overseers, the first non-American ever to serve in this role. More information on the AGM is posted on the [Harvard Club of Ottawa](#) web site.

Attendance at the AGM is complimentary to those holding a valid 2017 Harvard Club of Ottawa membership. The AGM will begin at 5:00 pm on Thursday, November 24, 2016 at the Delegation of the Ismaili Imamat (the Agha Khan Foundation), 199 Sussex Drive. **You must, however, sign up prior to the AGM on [Eventbrite](#).**

To renew your membership, go to the "Join the Club" pull down menu on the Harvard Club of Ottawa website and select "[Membership Plans](#)". Choose the plan that meets your needs by selecting "Sign Up". The web site will ask if you are a registered user or a new user. If you have not yet registered on our web site, choose "New User", enter an email address (your user ID) and create a password. Once you have done this, follow the instructions to pay for your chosen membership option.

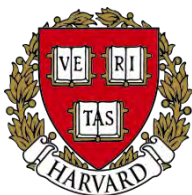
Other upcoming events:

US election Pub Night November 8, 2016: The Cambridge Society of Ottawa, LSE Club, and Harvard Club of Ottawa invite you to a Pub Night on the 8th of November for what will be a truly historic US election. This Social Networking Pub Night will begin at 1800 EST until... This event is open, so please bring your friends and coworkers! Please indicate on [Eventbrite](#) how many are coming so that we can provide the pub with a rough idea of numbers. Last minute attendees are, nevertheless, welcome to attend.

Watch The Game: Harvard vs Yale on November 19: The Game quickly approaches, for the 133rd time. Harvard meets Yale on the football field this year on Saturday, November 19, 2016. Join other local Harvard alums to cheer on the Crimson at Mulligan's Golf Bar, 201 Queen Street, Ottawa, from noon onward. Kickoff is at 12:30pm. No cover; drinks and food available for purchase. Please feel free to invite any Harvard and Yale Alums! Please sign up on [Eventbrite](#) so that we know approximate numbers.

Hope to see you at upcoming events!

John Baenziger
Harvard Club of Ottawa
[HarvardClubOttawa.ca](#)



From: **Harvard Asian American Alumni Alliance** <events@haaaa.net>
Date: Tue, Apr 17, 2012 at 12:03 PM
Subject: Cambridge Events: 4/20 Drinks, Dance; 4/27-28 L.A. Riots Conference
To: Eric Yeh <ericgyehorgs@gmail.com>

Dear HAAAA folks in the New England area,

If you haven't yet joined our global Facebook group, please do so at <http://www.facebook.com/groups/30319585826/> as a lot of news and happenings are posted there. Highlighting three upcoming events:

1. **Come have a drink with** HAAAA President **Eric Yeh** AB '98 SM '98 and 1st VP **Jeannie Park** AB '83, who will be in Cambridge this Friday, April 20, and are eager to meet anyone already involved or wanting to get involved with the organization. VP **Judith Li** AB '06 MBA '13, who has been leading the Boston chapter, will be there as well. Please drop by to say hi between 5 and 7 p.m. at the Rialto Restaurant Lounge in the Charles Hotel (1 Bennett Street; 2nd Floor).

2. HAAAA NY board member **Mitchell Dong** AB '75 has helped organize a **dance party** for all Harvard alumni that same evening, headlined by the **Nostalgics, a soul and Motown band at Harvard**, and co-sponsored by the Harvard College British Club and Harvard Club of the UK. Put on your dancing shoes and join Mitchell and others for a night of music and fun. Friday, April 20, 2012, 9pm on. Sheraton Commander Hotel, 16 Garden St. Cocktail attire. \$15 each (pay at door). RSVP to Elizabeth Malkin COL '12 at elizabethmalkin12@googlemail.com

3. **The L.A. Riots, 20 Years Later. A Harvard Symposium.** April 27-28, 2012, on campus. The conference brings together leading scholars, activists, and artists to look back at—and forward from—the LA Riots. The conference will combine a critical retrospective examination of the uprising with reflections on democracy and inequity today, a time of economic crisis and revolution in much of the world. Info: <http://www.tinyurl.com/lariotsharvardSYMPOSIUM>. HAAAA members and supporters, including Ethnic Studies professor **Ju Yon Kim**, are involved in creating this symposium, and it's sure to be an enlightening weekend.

Thank you all for supporting HAAAA!

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All,

Thanks for the interest many of you have expressed in these roundtable discussion topics thus far! We've had some awesome sessions in January and February and will be capping out this quarter with a roundtable on Asians in Politics.

For those interested in the next discussion on **Saturday, March 18th from 2pm to 4pm (or later!)** on **Asian in Politics** facilitated by Stan Fang, please submit your application by no later than **Tuesday, March 14th**. Please [click here](#) to apply.

Also, if you have any other ideas for our next set of round tables or would like to volunteer to facilitate, please don't hesitate to reach out to alexjee@post.harvard.edu.

March Session - The Permanent Foreigner Syndrome: Asians in Politics

There are [18 members of Congress](#) who are Asian American or Pacific Islander: however, to be proportionate to population size, Congress would have to have 30. At the same time, Asian Americans as a population have had historically low voting rates: although the population has increased 6x in the past 30 years due to immigration and naturalization, this community comprises less than 1% of voters.

How has racial identity politics played into Asian under representation in U.S. government? What relationships exist between Asian American political incorporation and tendencies of the voting population? How has [the media's perception and portrayal of Asian- and Asian American-related issues](#) impacted the election? This session will explore these topics along with strategies to increase Asian Americans as an influential constituency in the United States.

Facilitator: Stan Fang HBS '12; Project Leader, The Boston Consulting Group; Former Chief of Staff to the State Director of Florida for the Obama Campaign ('08)

Time: March 18th, 2-4pm. Apartment TBD near Penn Station, New York City.

Cheers,

Alex and Maeve

Links to attachments or external websites:

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HARVARD ASIAN AMERICAN ALUMNI ALLIANCE



H4A, HBS4A, and Inspiring Diversity invite you to join us for a fun evening at the Brooklyn Nets-Boston Celtics game on **Friday, March 17th**. We have over 50 people signed up and **only a few tickets left!**

Due to the generous sponsorship of the Nets/Barclays Center, Inspiring Diversity, and Tanduay Asian Rum, the heavily discounted price for the event will be **\$100 (plus \$3.49 Eventbrite fee) per person**. [Note: value >\$200]

For our group, the event will include:

- **Good lower level seats to the Nets-Celtics game**, which starts at 7:30pm
- **Access to the 40/40 Club before, during, and after game** (Part of the 40/40 Club will be reserved for our group for dinner beginning at **6:30pm** and for drinks after the game until about **10pm**)
- Buffet dinner, soft drinks, and two (2) Tanduay Asian Rum drink tickets (other alcoholic drinks would have to be paid for out-of-pocket)

[Click Here to Sign Up!!!](#)

Also, the Nets will be informing Jeremy Lin that our event is taking place. While we cannot guarantee that Jeremy will make an appearance after the game, please note that it is a possibility.

Please sign up by 2pm ET next Monday (3/13) as the Nets will need to release any seats that we don't need. We expect a good turnout, but if for any reason we don't get enough interest for the event, we will refund you. All alums and non-alums are welcome to join.

Please contact Betty Ng (HBS Class of 2001) at betty@inspiringdiversity.com with any questions. We look forward to seeing you there!

After you sign up, also send a note to Alex at alexjlee@post.harvard.edu and we can make sure all the H4A people at least know who else is going.

Best,
H4A, HBS4A, and Inspiring Diversity

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Dear DC Chapter members and friends:

We are celebrating Chinese New Year with the Yale Asian Alumni Club on Saturday, February 21 at 12:30 pm.

Come join us for delicious Asian cuisine and mimosas!

The brunch will be held in DC Chinatown -- in the community room of a private apartment complex. Detailed directions will be emailed to all people who register.

Event Details:

http://www.yaleclubdc.org/index.php?option=com_mc&view=mc&mcid=72&eventId=468854&orgId=ycwd

To Register and Pay In Advance (\$17):

https://ycwd.memberclicks.net/index.php?option=com_mc&view=mc&mcid=form_189111

To RSVP and Pay at Door (\$20):

<http://goo.gl/82hyGW>

Contact Info:

Please email Jen (email) with any questions.

March 2017 Edition

Intercollegiate LGBTQ Mixers and Events

Featuring Events in New York

- 1 - Mondays in March - LGBT Alumni Salsa Class
- 2 - Fri, Mar 17 - An LGBT Spring Fling at Maple, New York, NY
- 3 - Wed, Mar 22 - LGBT Whisky Tasting
- 4 - Mon, Mar 27 - LBT Women's Mixer
- 5 - Wed, Apr 12 - An LGBT Alumni Social in Harlem, New York, NY
- 6 - Fri, Apr 21 - LBT Women's Mixer at the Yale Club of NYC

Welcome to another edition of a monthly digest of regional events of interest to members of HGSC.

Up to the minute details on all events are posted on Princeton's web site.

1 - FFR/Princeton BTGALA, Yale GALA, Harvard GSC, Cornell U GALA & the Duke LGBT Network Present...

LGBT Alumni Salsa Nights

New York, NY

WHEN: Mondays in March

7:00 PM to 9:00 PM - class starts at 7:30PM

WHERE: The Ritz in the upstairs lounge, 369 W 46th St, New York NY 10036 (Between 8th and 9th Avenues)

COST: \$15 payable to the instructor, cash or credit for beverages at the bar

RSVP: Requested - please fill out our RSVP Form at

<http://btgala.tigernet.princeton.edu/EventRSVP>

Ernest Palma returns, Monday, March 13th

We are continuing our Intercollegiate LGBT Salsa Night and we hope you'll join us. Get ready to meet new people, learn some new moves, have an all-around good time, and maybe even discover a new love for Latin dance. Join us around 7 for a beverage to loosen up and we'll start the class promptly at 7:30.

<http://btgala.tigernet.princeton.edu/salsa>

2 - FFR/Princeton BTGALA, Harvard GSC, Yale GALA, PennGALA and Stanford Pride Present...

Spring Fling at Maple in Hell's Kitchen

New York, NY

WHEN: Friday, March 17, 7PM to 10PM

WHERE: Maple Bar and Restaurant, 146 W 47th St, New York, NY

COST: \$5 admission, free for students from all schools with university ID, happy hour prices

RSVP: Please fill out our RSVP Form at <http://btgala.tigernet.princeton.edu/EventRSVP>

Join us at the stunning Maple Bar where we'll be taking residence for a Friday night party. We'll have the venue to ourselves from 7 to 10. Around 10, we'll be joined by Brian Rafferty to set up his monthly party, Stag, which gets rolling around 10:30. Our folks are welcome to stay for Stag at no extra charge. This is a decidedly casual affair, dress down and come out and have fun with us.

Thanks to Brian Rafferty and Dan Welden for co-hosting and making the venue available to us for an amazing spring fling. Hosted by Shawn Cows, Princeton BTGALA. Thanks to our co-hosts Chan Tai of PennGALA, and Alex Pherson of Stanford Pride.

<http://btgala.tigernet.princeton.edu/170317NYC>

3 - Princeton BTGALA, Harvard GSC, Stanford Pride, Columbia Pride & Brown TBGALA Present... A Whisky and Food Pairing evening

New York, NY

WHEN: Wed, March 22, 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM

WHERE: Ripley-Grier Studios, Studio 17A

520 8th Ave, New York, NY 10018

COST: \$25 in advance, \$40 at the door

RSVP and Prepay: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/intercollegiate-lgbt-whisky-experience-tickets-31625198821>

Note - we are limited to about 25 people, so this may sell out - we'll post on the website if that happens

Come celebrate a gustatory Mixed Marriage when Single Malt Scotch Whiskies are paired with exquisite artisanal food selections. These couplings may seem more like shotgun weddings on paper, but prove to be true love (Capulet and Montague, Bancroft and Brooks...Lagavulin and Gorgonzola!) on the palate. Senior Master of Whisky, Spike McClure, will preside and lovingly introduce each spirit to its partner nibble. You'll laugh, you'll cry, you'll never forget the experience! And you'll never look at whisky the same way again.

Join us for a one of a kind Whisky Tasting Event with Senior Master of Whisky, Spike McClure of Whisky Galore. Please get your tickets ahead to help us cater this special event.

<http://btgala.tigernet.princeton.edu/170322NYC>

<https://www.facebook.com/events/1214371918639012/>

4 - Yale GALA and Princeton BTGALA Present...

LBT GALA Women's Mixer, All-Ivy & Friends, at The Tippler (Chelsea Market)

New York, NY

Join us as we return for another fun and casual LBT Women's Mixer at The Tippler

WHEN: Monday, March 27, 2017, 6-8:30 PM. (The Tippler is open until Midnight on Mondays).

WHERE: The Tippler, Chelsea Market (inside and downstairs), 425 W 15th St - enter on 15th St, between 9th and 10th Aves., NYC.

This large and airy, underground venue is best reached by a metal staircase that opens onto West 15th Street. Look for the "OPEN" marquee.

<http://www.thetippler.com/about/>

COST: FREE ENTRY; cash bar and food. The Tippler accepts credit cards as well.

RSVP: Please RSVP to help us with bar staffing and planning at <https://goo.gl/LunLJe>

Join us for a fun and casual LBT Women's Mixer at the beautiful Tippler Bar, inside Chelsea Market. We are excited to return to this beautiful venue. As a result of our great attendance at the last event, we've been promised more staff and shorter lines.

The Tippler is a large and airy space under Chelsea Market, with beautiful exposed red brick walls, wooden pub tables, reclaimed water tower wood and train rails from the nearby High Line, wrought-iron accents, antique furnishings and vintage library decor. We will gather towards the back area.

The Tippler serves beer (from \$6 draft, \$7 bottles), wine and a variety of specialty cocktails as well as tasty bar food.

Organized by Yale GALA, Inc. (Natasha) and FFR/Princeton BTGALA (Diana and Shawn Cows) - for more info go to <http://www.yalegala.org/article.html?aid=444>

Proudly announced by The Manhattan Lesbian Party List (MLPL):

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/ManhattanLezPartyList/>

5 - FFR/Princeton BTGALA, Columbia Pride, Brown TBGALA, Yale GALA, Wesleyan LGBTQ Alumni Network and Williams BiGLATA Present...

An LGBT Alumni Mixer in Harlem

New York, NY

WHEN: Wednesday, April 12, 2017, 7PM to 9PM

WHERE: Sexy Taco

161 Lenox Ave, New York NY 10026

COST: No cover, cash bar

RSVP: Please fill out our RSVP Form at <http://btgala.tigernet.princeton.edu/EventRSVP>

Join us in Harlem for another special LGBT alumni mixer at the beautiful Sexy Taco. Our past events here were tremendous successes. With a nod to San Francisco street food, we have a nice reincarnation of La Bodega with more room to move around and socialize. We expect to have happy hour prices for the entire event.

Thanks also to our co-hosts:

Shawn Cows, FFR/Princeton BTGALA

Michael Sin, Columbia Pride

Seneca Mudd, Brown TBGALA

Natasha, Yale GALA

Tom Miller, Wesleyan LGBTQ Alumni Network

Don Perry, Williams BiGLATA

<http://btgala.tigernet.princeton.edu/170412NYC>

<https://www.facebook.com/events/1218913408164054/>

6 - Yale GALA Presents...

9th Annual LBT Women's Ivy Plus Mixer at the Yale Club of NYC

New York, NY

WHEN: Friday, April 21, 2017. 6:30 - 9:30 PM

WHERE: Yale Club of NYC, 50 Vanderbilt (across from Grand Central Station), Grand Ballroom, 20th Floor, NY

COST: \$45 (\$20 student rate, any school with ID). Cash only, at the door*

Includes open bar (beer, wine, juice, soda) and substantial buffet of hors d'oeuvres and food

RSVP (no cost, no pre-payment): <https://goo.gl/5Nlmsi> (If you aren't a Yale, Harvard or Inter-Ivy Club Member)

Please RSVP now. <https://goo.gl/5Nlmsi> (It is free to RSVP. Only pay if you attend). RSVPs close Thursday, April 20 at Midnight.

Catch up with old friends at meet new ones, at the 9th annual LBT Women's Mixer at the Yale Club of NYC.

Last year over 300 women attended this elegant and friendly evening.

We will be in the Grand Ballroom (20th floor), the Club's largest room with beautiful, neoclassical architecture, an ornate, decorative ceiling and attractive city views. The Yale Club is the largest Private Club in the world.

Enjoy an open bar (beer, wine, soda and juice) and a bounteous buffet of hors d'oeuvres (including a 3 foot tall chocolate fondue fountain, fruit, vegetables, cheeses, dessert and more) while you mingle.

We invite women from Yale, Harvard, the Ivy League, Seven Sisters, Stanford, NYU, Duke, UVA, Georgetown, Williams, Amherst, UCLA, U Chicago, William and Mary and their smart friends from any school for this spectacular evening.

Please note the Yale Club's Dress Code is business casual or better. Please no jeans, sneakers, t-shirts or shorts. Dress fabulously and you will have a great time at the Club.

Many thanks to our LGBT Alumni group GALA co-hosts: FFR/Princeton BTGALA, Harvard GSC, Columbia Pride, Cornell U GALA, Dartmouth GALA, Stanford Pride, Brown TBGALA and to our Hosts Yale GALA, Inc. and the Yale Club of NYC. Proudly announced by the Manhattan Lesbian Party List (MLPL) and [Co-host list in formation] .

More info: <http://www.yalegala.org/article.html?aid=425>

RSVP link: <https://goo.gl/5NImsi>

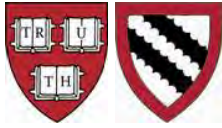
Facebook event page: <https://www.facebook.com/events/950219755031082/>

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HARVARD-RADCLIFFE Class of 1961 Pre-55th Reunion Event

Sunday June 14, 2015, from 2 pm – 7 pm

An afternoon at Buzzards Bay on Massachusetts' South Coast

John Reidy's Summer Home
4 Sherburne Way
Wareham, Massachusetts

(Directions available on GPS and MapQuest, a 75-minute drive from Boston)

Your Co-Hosts and Co-Hostesses

Andy Kotsatos, Bill Kargman, Carol Lieberman and Don Rice

Invite you to join us for an afternoon of Good Conversations,

Renewing old Friendships, and Making New Ones

There will be appropriate libations, hors d'oeuvres and music

Weather permitting: Swimming, Tennis and Kayaking

Please RSVP to John Reidy

617-504-1765 or john.reidy@verizon.net

Then send your check (\$35 per couple or \$20 single), to:

John Reidy
P.O. Box 368, 4 Sherburne Way
Wareham, MA 02571-0368

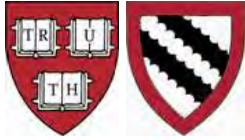
("HR 61" on the check notation line and include your email and mailing address)

Please RSVP By June 5th

Please indicate if you would like a list of local restaurants or driving directions.

We anticipate a large gathering of our Harvard and Radcliffe classmates and spouses, partners, companions, so please respond early.

Check out photos of recent Events on the [Class Website](#)



HARVARD-RADCLIFFE Class of 1961
Pre-55th Reunion Event

Joe Campbell and Jim Nelson

invite you to join them for

**Wine Tasting and a Tour of
Elk Cove Vineyards**

27751 NW Olson Road

Gaston, OR 97119

Tuesday, September 15, 2015, from 2 pm – 5 pm



RSVP to Joe Campbell at joe@elkcove.com or 503-730-3012

1961 Attendees & Future Event Hosts can take advantage
of a 30% discount on wine purchases.

Directions ([Map to Vineyards](#))

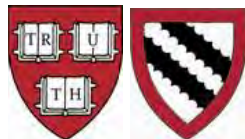
Elk Cove Vineyards is about 25 miles west of Portland, and 2.8 miles west of Gaston, between Forest Grove and McMinnville.

Take HWY 26 & follow signs for HWY 47 and Forest Grove. From Gaston, take Olson Road 3 miles up the hill. You will see signs for Elk Cove on your right.

Do NOT take Russell Creek Road, it doesn't go through.

Check out photos of recent Events on the [Class Website](#)





The Joke's on Us
What Happened When We Had to Get a Bit More Serious
How to Monetize a 1961 Bachelor's Degree in Philosophy
in Today's Global Economy



Thomas Cathcart and Daniel Klein

New York Times bestseller authors

An Early Evening Author Update for '61 Classmates

With Cocktail Reception and Light Appetizers

5:30 to 7:30 pm on Saturday, October 18, 2014

at the Home of Gus and Susan Schumacher

1332 29th St, N.W., Washington DC 20007

Corner of 29th and Dumbarton Streets (Georgetown)

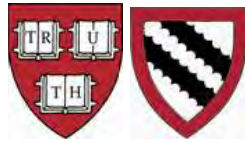
RSVP-gussch@aol.com 202-965-2928

Take two '61 Classmates and Harvard philosophy majors, add 50 plus years of seasoning, stir in multiple careers ranging from hospital administrator to author of "Blue Suede Clues" and other Elvis Presley mysteries, and voila, Tom and Danny return to Washington October 18, 2014!

If you've heard Tom and Danny before, you'll be back. If you haven't, you should know that they make philosophy more fun than anyone ever intended it to be. At the same time, they pack a lot of wisdom into their latest books.

Their first joint book of philosophical jokes, "*Plato and a Platypus Walk into a Bar,*" has sold over 500,000 copies in English, plus countless more in everything from Bulgarian to Chinese. Since then their works have spanned a broad range from scintillating to serious.

Tom and Danny will update us on Dan's "*Travels with Epicurus: A Journey to a Greek Island in Search of a Fulfilled Life,*" and Tom's "*The Trolley Problem, or Would You Throw the Fat Man Off the Bridge? A Philosophical Conundrum.*"



Hosts Todd Lee, Jane Otte and Dick Wulf

Invite you to a 1961 Alumni Night at the Hasty Pudding

Tuesday, February 16th

We will convene at

John Harvard's Brewery & Ale House

33 Dunster Street, Cambridge, MA 02138

**To savor their craft brews from 6:00 to 7:30 pm,
then walk over to**

The Hasty Pudding Theatre

Farkas Hall, 10-12 Holyoke Street, Cambridge, MA 02138

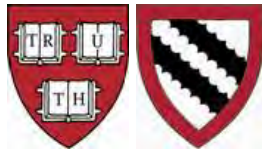
for the 8:00 p.m. show

Please RSVP to Jane Otte, ottes@verizon.net,

**Mail your checks (postmarked by February 5)
for \$30 per person to Jane at**

9 Goden Street, Belmont, MA 02478

We will be enjoying **That 1770s Show**. It's 1775 and no tea party in Boston! Spoiled brat **Anne Heritage** demands her father Governor **Bucky Hampalace** raise taxes. Colonists, helped by the governor's gold-digging wife **Mae Flower** and hunky fur-trapper **Seymour Beavers**, plot to kidnap Anne and send her back to England for a permanent tea-time-out. Complications are provided by delusional sailor **Ahab Bitualliar**, who has followed a mysterious sea monster **Codzilla** into Boston Hahbah. Will fiery seamstress **Betsy Gloss** find a way to trim taxes down to size or will recovering alcoholic **Benjamin Dranklin** drown in booze and tears? Don't tread on these colonists as they pursue life, liberty, and happiness



Harvard-Radcliffe 1961 Pre-55th Reunion Event

**Bill Kargman
invites Classmates to an Open House**

**221 Mt. Auburn Street, Unit 801
(a 10-minute walk from Harvard Square)**

Sunday, October 18, 2015, from 10:00 – 4 pm

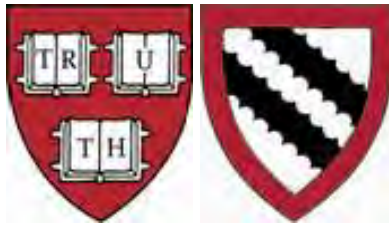
**To see The Head of the Charles Regatta
Collegiate Eights Races**



**While we enjoy Fruit, Cheese, Hors d'oeuvres,
and an assortment of Wines**

Very limited street parking (Sunday unrestricted), that fills up quickly

Please RSVP by October 5th to Bill at bkargman@frmboston.com



1961 Visit with Jim and Katy

Enjoy Wine and Hors d'oeuvres at Jim Nelson's house. Weather should be marvelous, so swim suits may be in order. Canoe and a small Boston Whaler are available for quick tours of the immediate Lake Washington area (including the Windermere Park bald eagle's nest).

Sunday, August 31, 2014

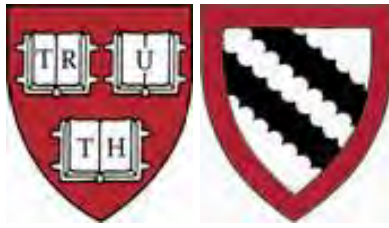
5655 NE Windermere Road

Seattle, Washington 98105

\$40 per person

Please call 206-523-4546 to RSVP

Send your check to Jim Nelson at the address above



Enjoy the Cherry Blossoms
at Pocantico Hills (the Rockefeller Estate)

Tarrytown, New York

Saturday, May 10, 2014

There is an optional 3:30 pm tour of the Kykuit Mansion
or you can enjoy conversation in the gardens at 4:30

We convene for cocktails at 6:00
and dinner at 6:30 at The Playhouse (*history below*)

Hosts and Hostesses

John and Carol Lyden

Joan Hutchins, Meg Hooper Winslow

Bill Rodmen, Don Snow

Dinner \$40 per person, or \$60 with Tour

Please RSVP by May 2nd. Call Joan Hutchins at 516-641-2308,
Send your check, payable to Radcliffe Class of 1961,
to Joan Hutchins, 138 Green Acres Road, Elizaville, NY 12523

We suggest you park and check in at the Playhouse upon arrival.

THE PLAYHOUSE

The Playhouse was conceived in the winter of 1924-25 by John D. Rockefeller, Jr. as the family recreation center, and was built adjacent to Abeyton Lodge, where he and Mrs. Rockefeller lived after their marriage in 1901. In 1914, after the birth of five of their six children, Mr. and Mrs. Rockefeller reconstructed and expanded Abeyton Lodge in Norman-English style. The exterior was faced with stone, stucco and timbers while the roof had many gables, dormers and chimneys. The house served as home for this generation of Rockefellers until the death of John D. Rockefeller, Sr. in 1937. At that time Mr. and Mrs. Rockefeller moved to Kykuit and Abeyton Lodge was demolished in 1946.

Mr. Duncan Candler, the New York architect who designed the enlargement of Abeyton Lodge, was also asked to prepare the plans for the Playhouse in a style that was similar to and compatible with Abeyton Lodge. Once his proposal was accepted, work began in the summer of 1925 and was completed in 1927. There have been two major additions since then. The indoor tennis building was added in 1938 and the outdoor pool, cabanas, kitchen and ice cream parlor were completed in the summer of 1955. The latter work was conceived and designed by Nelson A. Rockefeller and Wallace Harrison of the New York firm of Harrison and Abramowitz.

The main entrance to the Playhouse is elevated above the wide entry circle; the doors open to a stone-floored lobby. Directly up a short, broad flight of stairs and across the transverse hall is a large oak-paneled living room with massive fireplaces at each end. Above the mantelpieces are sixteenth century French limestone sculptures. These and other Renaissance pieces at the Playhouse were part of a 100 piece Gothic collection assembled by George Grey Barnard and purchased by Mr. Rockefeller in 1916. The balance of the collection was donated for use at The Cloisters in New York City. Above the statuary and carved into the oak paneling on the east wall is a "J" for John, while at the opposite end there is an "A" for Abby. The first initials of all six children are also worked into the plaster ceiling around the chandelier. The first initials of Abby, John, Nelson and Winthrop are in the outer ring while those of Laurance and David are in the middle. Portraits of all eight members of the family completed between 1945 and 1947 hang on the walls. Abby Mauze's portrait hangs over the piano on the east wall. She was the eldest of the six children and was named for her mother.

On the north wall flanking the painting of John D. Rockefeller, Jr. are studies of John 3rd and Laurance. On the opposite section of the north wall are portraits of Mrs. Abby A. Rockefeller, Nelson and David. Winthrop's portrait hangs on the west wall. Most of the furnishings in the living room are original to the building.

The card room at the west end of the building contains several antique tables and tapestry chairs, but the most noteworthy element is the set of chairs with needlepoint by Mrs. Rockefeller. On a green background intricate and colorful flowers and designs at the center of the backs and seats tend to draw the eye away from many of the corners where initials of family members were worked into the design. The coaching prints on all four walls of the room testify to John Rockefeller's interest in this sport. These English prints

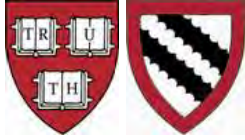
and most of the others in the transverse hall and throughout the house were purchased in 1935 as part of a set of 83. The wide oak plank floors on this level of the house were originally covered with oriental rugs. After these became too worn for use, they were replaced with striking Moroccan rugs which were a gift to Mrs. And Mrs. David Rockefeller from King Hassan II of Morocco. Completing the room arrangement on this level are two bowling alleys, a small dining room, a service kitchen, and the stone porch. The porch, which also serves as a dining area, was designed in Gothic style and is accented by fifteenth century northern Italian sculpture which was also part of the Barnard collection.

Over this level of the Playhouse are the men's and ladies' lounges, which were added in the 1960's, a balcony overlooking the living room, and the billiard room. This room has high vaulted ceilings with exposed wood beams, a large fireplace and the billiard table. The stairway down from the billiard room leads to the other principal areas of the Playhouse. At the foot of the staircase are locker rooms to serve the squash court across the hall and the indoor pool. Many consider the indoor pool the most spectacular part of the Playhouse. Decorative and patterned wall, column, floor and pool tiles are accented by potted tropical plants and palms. The pool is twenty yards long with four swimming lanes. On the south side there is an alcove with tables and chairs next to a large fireplace. High over the pool in the barrel ceiling are three large ornamental chandeliers. Matching fixtures are hung from the lower arched ceiling that runs along the north side to the gymnasium.

The gymnasium is 36' by 48' and is lined for basketball and handball. Aerobic and exercise equipment is also available for use. From the gymnasium, a long hallway leads down three flights of stairs to the balcony of the indoor tennis court. The principal focus at this level is a massive fireplace which was originally in John D. Rockefeller, Sr.'s home at 4 West 54th Street, New York. The chandeliers, wall sconces, two additional nearby fireplaces and other elements are also from the same home. The balcony also overlooks the hard surface court where tennis can almost always be played. On special occasions, however, the court is transformed into a reception or dining area. Carpeting and drapes, flowers and plants and the skylights, create the effect of a magnificent arboretum.

Outdoor activities at the Playhouse are conducted on three elevations. On the living room level beyond a stone terrace is the croquet court which is surrounded by formal planting beds with seasonal flowers. Concentric brick walks ring the central lawn area and divide the planting beds. To the east of the croquet court on the indoor swimming pool level are two outdoor tennis courts. A vine-covered arbor overlooks the tennis courts from the east. Down another flight of stairs is the outdoor swimming pool area. Six double cabanas define the border on the south side and the tennis building, outdoor kitchen and ice cream parlor are located to the north. During the summer months chaise lounges, chairs and umbrella tables are used for recreation and dining. The Playhouse is also the starting and finishing point for the reversible nine-hole golf course which encompasses the major lawn areas around Kykuit and the Playhouse.

With all the facilities included in the building and the surrounding grounds, John D. Rockefeller, Jr.'s concept of a family recreation center has been handsomely and elegantly accomplished.



HARVARD-RADCLIFFE Class of 1961
Pre-55th Reunion Event

Marcia Edwards, Joan Hutchins, & David Bisno

Invite you to join them for

BRUNCH AND TOUR
HISTORIC LIMONEIRA RANCH

Limoneira Ranch Visitors Center
1141 Cummings Rd, Santa Paula, CA 93060

Friday, March 11, 2016 from 11:00 am to 4:00 pm

\$30 per person (wear comfortable shoes for the Tour)



RSVP before March 1st to [Marcia Edwards](#)

Mail your check to Marcia D. Edwards
19789 E. Telegraph Road, Santa Paula, CA 93060.

For more information, call Marcia at 805-525-1089

Directions to [Limoneira](#) From the Cummings Road entrance to the Limoneira Ranch, follow the road past the Bocce Ball Courts and Offices on the right, and past the Packing House and Loading Area on the left. Turn left. The Visitors Center Parking Lot will be on your left.

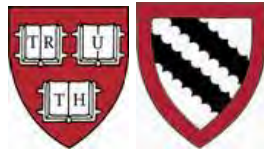
11:00 am – 11:30 am	Meet and Greet
11:30 am – 12:45 pm	Brunch and Introduction to the Limoneira Ranch
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Lemon Packing House and Ranch Tour
3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Tea (Lemonade) at the Visitors' Center

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**More information about the Limoneira Ranch
and Limoneira Company at www.limoneira.com**

Check out photos of recent Events on the [61 Class Website](#)



Tom Bartlett and Li Liu, and Joan Hutchins

Invite 1961 Classmates to join them

Wednesday, January 27, 2016

**4:30 to 7:00 pm, for drinks and hors d'oeuvres,
Reminiscing and Catching Up, at the**

**Menlo Circus Club
190 Park Lane
Atherton, CA 94027**

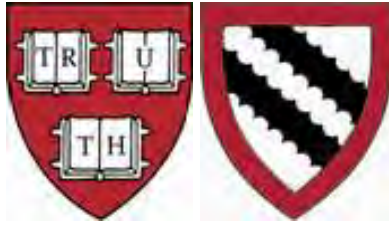
**Club attire is business casual
Tom's cousin, Sam Wright, will join us to recount
some of the Club's Equestrian History**

**If you would like to continue your conversations over dinner,
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**RSVP to Tom by January 15th at tbartlett@stanford.edu,
for cocktails at Menlo Circus Club, and the optional
Left Bank Brasserie dinner, so he can make reservations.
Mail your checks for \$30 per person to "Thomas Bartlett" at
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Here are [Directions](#) to Menlo Circus Club, if you need them



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