KUMC Alumni Reunion Weekend
October 5-6, 2012
Honoring the classes of

We are pleased to welcome you back to campus for 2012 Alumni Reunion Weekend!

Join KUMC alumni, guests and friends for an unforgettable celebration. Your fellow classmates, faculty and staff members have been preparing for your arrival for quite some time. There are many events and activities planned to help reconnect you to your campus and create new memories with classmates. Visit www.kumc.edu/alumni/reunion for updated reunion information and to register online. You may also register by completing the enclosed form.

Guests are welcome at all events. Please register them in advance by adding them to your registration form. Join us for tours of our cutting-edge research facilities, talk directly to faculty experts and celebrate honored KUMC alumni during the Alumni Awards Recognition Luncheon.

Remember that the KUMC campus is large, and there will be lots of walking. We’ve made arrangements for you to park on campus this year, but plan to wear comfortable shoes to walk from the parking garage to our event registration in the School of Nursing. Please call 913-588-1255 for handicapped parking arrangements.

To reach out to your classmates and to get updated information, visit our Facebook page at www.Facebook.com/KUMCalumni. Click “like” to follow our page and receive updates.

Make plans today to join the celebration, reminisce with classmates and revisit campus.

Kim Huyett
Director
KUMC Alumni & Community Relations
KUMC Alumni Reunion Weekend Highlights

FRIDAY OCTOBER 5, 2012

8:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Check in & Registration
The registration table is in the School of Nursing Atrium (ground floor of the School of Nursing building). Stop by to check in and pick up everything you’ll need for the weekend.

8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Gold Medal Breakfast for the Class of 1962 Graduates
1962 Medicine and Nursing class members are invited to this special breakfast and gold medal pinning ceremony.

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Cancer Center Research Labs Tour
The University of Kansas Cancer Center is doing groundbreaking research right on the KUMC campus. Get a special insiders’ tour of two labs with our cancer research experts Shrikant Anant, PhD, and Andrew Godwin, PhD. You’ll learn more about their studies into stem cells. Space is limited.

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Alumni Awards Recognition & Luncheon
Join us as we honor our esteemed 2012 Alumni Award Winners. The recognition ceremony will feature honored alumni, KUMC leaders, award presentations and commemorative videos. Seating is limited, so please register early to reserve a spot.

1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
KU Women in Medicine and Science Information Booth
The KU Women in Medicine and Science (WIMS) organization is committed to serve all faculty and trainees from the School of Medicine, School of Nursing, and the School of Health Professions. Their mission is focused on advancing the careers of women in the fields of medicine and science through development of mentoring, networking, and faculty retention. Stop by the WIMS table in the Hemmerway Lobby for more information.

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Institute of Neurological Discoveries Tour
Few conditions carry the impact of neurological disorders. Visit labs within the Institute with Director Peter Smith, PhD, and learn how KUMC is working to translate research discoveries into medical advances for preventing and curing nervous-system diseases. Space is limited.

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Integrating Care for Patients: A Health Policy & Management Panel
All are invited to join the alumni, faculty and students of the Department of Physical Therapy for this special 30th Anniversary event! Panelists from the field will discuss the latest issues and future direction of integration.

6:30 p.m.
Jessie Ball Lecture & DPT Pinning Ceremony
Join the Department of Physical Therapy for the annual Jessie Ball Lectureship. This year’s lecturer will be Patricia Pohl, PhD, Department of Physical Therapy Chair and Doctor of Physical Therapy Program Director from The Sage Colleges.

FRIDAY CLASS EVENTS

4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. • Medicine Class of 1987
Wine & Cheese Reception
Clendening Library on the KUMC Campus
3901 Rainbow Blvd, Kansas City, KS
$20 per person

Class Coordinator: Belinda Vail, MD
bvail@kumc.edu
For event details, contact the alumni office: 913-588-5917

4:30 p.m. • Nursing Class of 1992
Happy Hour
Granfield on the Plaza
608 Ward Parkway, Kansas City, MO
$16 per person

Contact: Amy Roberts
amyroberts@me.com

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5:00 p.m. • Medicine Class of 1962
Social and Dinner
Carriage Club
5301 State Line Road, Kansas City, MO
$113 Per person

Class photo will be taken during the event. A printed photo will be mailed to your home.

Contact: Norman Martin, MD
norshir.martin@gmail.com

5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. • Medicine Class of 1977
Happy Hour
Jimmy’s Jigger
1823 W. 39th Street, Kansas City, MO
Dutch Treat
Contact: Bill Smith, MD
wsmith53@aol.com

5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. • Master of Public Health - All Class Years
Gathering
Invitations to follow
Contact: Tanya Honderick
thonderick@kumc.edu

5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. • Health Policy & Management – All Classes
Reception
Department of Health Policy & Management 30th Anniversary Alumni Reception
Invitations to follow
Contact: Deb Lewis, 913-588-3763
dlewis@kumc.edu

6:30 p.m. • Physical Therapy Class of 1977
Reserved seating at the Jessie Ball Lecture
KUMC Campus - Battenfeld Auditorium
Join us for the lecture and stay to meet up with PT’77 classmates at the reception following the event.

Contact: Nedra Noll Mitchell
nediramitch@yahoo.com or 913-568-2117

6:30 p.m. • Respiratory Therapy Class of 1977
Dinner
Grand Street Cafe
4740 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, MO
Dutch Treat
Contact: Dan Conyers
dconyers@kumc.edu

TBD • Nursing Class of 1987
Location and time for reunion event are to be determined. Please contact Cheryl Alquist Bastion for details.
Contact: Cheryl Alquist Bastion
Bloomingpot@hotmail.com

ACTIVITIES ON YOUR OWN

KU Med Bookstore is open from 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
View class composites in the Delp & Wescoe Corridors.
View the recently restored JayDoc costume in the Orr-Pajor lobby.
Clendening Library & Museum and the KUMC Archives will host an open house from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Stop by to view yearbooks and exhibits.
Clendening History of Medicine Museum exhibit:
The Men of Medicine: Reuniting the Lithographs of Adrien Barrere
The KU School of Medicine’s four French lithographs of The Men of Medicine by Adrien Barrere have been separated between the Wichita and Kansas City campuses for over 50 years. All four have been restored and will come together for a six-month show, three months in Kansas City and three months in Wichita.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2012

9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Check-in & Registration
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10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Center for Advanced Heart Care Tour
Tour the state-of-the-art Center for Advanced Heart Care in the Kansas University Hospital. See how the heart center stays in sync with best-available care techniques and therapies through leading-edge research. Space is limited.

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Medical Office Building Tour
Explore the newest building on campus and view the labs, clinic spaces and waiting areas that have been specifically designed to provide a better patient experience. This is the first campus structure to meet U.S. Green Building Council’s Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design certification requirements. Walking shoes recommended. Space is limited.

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
School of Nursing: Then & Now with Dr. Rita Clifford
Rita Clifford, N’62, PhD’81, will discuss the KU School of Nursing and nursing education. Directions will be sent at a later date.

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Fiorella’s Jack Stack Barbeque Lunch
Join us for some authentic Kansas City BBQ from one of the city’s best! Jack Stack will be serving up delicious smoked meat and traditional sides for this buffet lunch.

SATURDAY CLASS EVENTS

3:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. • Physical Therapy Class of 1977
Dutch Treat
It’s been 35 years since we’ve gotten together! Join us to reminisce and catch up. Invitations with details to follow.
Contact: Nedra Noll Mitchell
nedramitch@yahoo.com or 913-568-2117

6:00 p.m. • Medicine Class of 1972
Oktoberfest Celebration
Hosted at the home of John and Peggy Oxler
Directions will be sent at a later date.
Contact: John Oxler, MD and Peggy Oxler
johnhoxler@gmail.com
Steven Bruner, MD - brunersc@yahoo.com
David Huerter, MD - dhueter@cox.net

6:00 p.m. • Medicine Class of 1982
Dinner
Plaza III
4369 Pennsylvania Avenue, Kansas City, MO
$70 per person
Contact: Rick Hartwell, MD - rhartwell@cox.net

6:00 p.m. • Nursing Class of 1977
Cocktails and Dinner
Home of Donna Crabb Nyyght
13863 W 57th Terrace, Shawnee, KS
$20 per person
Contact: Donna Crabb Nyyght
dnnyght@kumc.edu

6:30 p.m. • Medicine Class of 1967
Cocktails with dinner to follow
Lidah’s
1101 West 22nd Street, Kansas City, MO
$60 per person
Contact: John Hunkeler, MD
khunke67@hunkeler.com

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2012 Alumni Award Winners

SCHOOL OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS
DISTINGUISHED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ALUMNA
Lisa Stehno-Bittel, PT’83, PhD
Professor & Chair, Physical Therapy & Rehabilitation Science
University of Kansas Medical Center

HONORARY HEALTH PROFESSIONS ALUMNUS
David Zarniewski, MD
Physician-Inventor
KCI, Kinetic Concepts, Inc.

EARLY CAREER ACHIEVEMENT IN HEALTH PROFESSIONS ALUMNA
Neena Sharma, PT’00, PhD’09
Assistant Professor, Physical Therapy & Rehabilitation Science
University of Kansas Medical Center

SCHOOL OF MEDICINE
DISTINGUISHED MEDICAL ALUMNA
Carol Fabian, MD’72
Director, Breast Cancer Prevention & Survivorship Centers
University of Kansas Medical Center

HONORARY MEDICAL ALUMNA
Barbara Atkinson, MD
Former Executive Vice Chancellor, University of Kansas Medical Center
Former Executive Dean, KU School of Medicine

EARLY CAREER ACHIEVEMENT IN MEDICINE ALUMNA
K. Allen Greiner, MD’95, MPH’00
Professor and Associate Chair of Research, Department of Family Medicine
University of Kansas Medical Center

SCHOOL OF NURSING
DISTINGUISHED NURSING ALUMNA
Jean Giddens, N’81, PhD, FAAN
Professor & Executive Dean, College of Nursing
RWJF Executive Nurse Fellow
University of New Mexico

HONORARY NURSING ALUMNA
Cheryl J errigian, CPA, FACHE
Civic Leader & Health Advocate

EARLY CAREER ACHIEVEMENT IN NURSING ALUMNA
Rachel Pepper, RN, MS’09, DNP’12, NEA-BC
Nurse Manager, Transplant and Renal Progressive Care Services
The University of Kansas Hospital
KUMC Alumni Reunion Registration Information

Submit your registration form and payment by mail, fax or online. Registration closes on Friday, September 28th at 4:00 p.m.

ONLINE: www.kumc.edu/alumni/reunion

MAIL: KUMC Alumni Relations 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Mailstop 2017 Kansas City, KS 66160

FAX: 913-588-1255 (Please call 913-588-1255 to confirm receipt.)

Your advanced registration helps us plan for the appropriate number of participants and reserves your spot in programs that are subject to space availability, so please make sure to register before you attend. The sooner the better!

Registrations received by September 21, 2012, will receive confirmation by mail.

FEES

There is a $15 registration fee per form that helps offset overhead costs for Alumni Reunion Weekend. Additional fees may apply to events where food is served.

ATTIRE

Dress is casual and comfortable for all daytime events on campus. Attire for class events will depend on the venue. Please check with your class coordinator if you have questions.

WALKING ON CAMPUS

The KUMC campus is large and there can be a good deal of walking between buildings. Please be sure to dress comfortably and be prepared to walk. If you require handicapped parking, please call our office at 913-588-1255 to make arrangements.

SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS

To request disability accommodations, contact the KUMC Alumni Relations office. Wheelchairs and handicapped parking are available upon request. Please submit requests no later than September 21, 2012.

If you have special dietary needs and are attending an event where food is served, contact the KUMC Alumni Relations office.

KUMC Alumni Relations Office:

Toll free: 888-679-5951
Phone: 913-588-1255
Email: alumni@kumc.edu

HEALTH AND FITNESS

The Kirmayer Fitness Center is available to alumni and their guests during Alumni Reunion Weekend at no charge. All guests must provide their Alumni Reunion Weekend ID badge and a waiver (available at the front desk). For more details visit: www.kumc.edu/kirmayer

Fitness Center Hours:
Fridays: 5:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Saturdays: 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

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TOBACCO FREE INITIATIVE

The use of smoking and tobacco products is prohibited throughout the University of Kansas Medical Center and The University of Kansas Hospital in all campus buildings and on all campus property. Thank you for your cooperation.

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PARKING & SHUTTLE BUS SERVICE

Friday, October 5th

Parking is in the Olathe II Parking Garage (2070 Olathe Blvd, Kansas City, Kansas). You can park on any level of the garage. Take a ticket when you enter the garage and bring it to the Alumni Weekend registration table for validation.

Shuttle: If you would like to ride the shuttle, there will be 2 morning trips from the parking garage to the School of Nursing for registration. There will be one return trip in the afternoon.

Trips to the School of Nursing: 7:45 a.m. and 8:15 a.m. Return trip to the parking garage: 3:15 p.m.

KUMC Alumni Association reserves the right to cancel an event due to low enrollment or other circumstances that would make the event non-viable. If the KUMC Alumni Association cancels an event with a registration fee, registrants will be offered a refund. The deadline to receive a refund for your registration is September 21, 2012. Registration cancellations received prior to the deadline may be eligible to receive a refund. Cancellations received after the deadline will not be eligible for a refund.

KUMC Alumni Association

REFUND & CANCELLATION POLICY

KUMC ALUMNI RELATIONS CONTACT INFORMATION

Contact us directly or visit us online for additional information about Alumni Reunion Weekend.

Toll free: 888-679-5951
Phone: 913-588-1255
Fax: 913-588-1465
Email: alumni@kumc.edu
Website: www.kumc.edu/alumni/reunion
Facebook: www.facebook.com/KUMCAlumni

KUMC Alumni Reunion Campus Map

Walking: The KUMC campus is large and it is a long walk from the parking garage to registration in the School of Nursing. Please remember to wear comfortable shoes and allow for walking time.

If you need to make arrangements for handicapped parking, please call 913-588-1255.

Saturday, October 6th

Parking will be located in Lot 50, on the corner of Rainbow Boulevard and 39th Street. This lot can be accessed from 39th Street.
Who will you see?

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