



Trojan Pride



2023 Reunion 39th Registration Form

"The Return — Continuing the Legacy"

39th Annual Reunion

Reunion Coordinated by the Class of 1973

June 30 — July 2, 2023

Make your registration selections then mail pages 3 & 4 back in the self-addressed envelope enclosed.

Visit the W. A. Pattillo High School
Alumni Association Website:

<http://pattillohsalumni.webs.com>

Here you will find:

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Schedule of Events

Annual Meeting of Members: Report to the Membership
Friday: June 30, 1:00 — 2:30 PM
Pattillo Middle School, Tarboro, NC 27886

Meet & Greet — "Motown Revue"
Friday: June 30, 6:30 — 11:30 PM
Edgecombe Community College, Tarboro, NC 27886

Masquerade Gala
Saturday: July 1, 7:00 — 11:30 PM
Rocky Mount Event Center
285 NE Main St., Rocky Mount, NC 27801

Alumni Scholarship, Hall of Fame, and Memorial Breakfast
Sunday: July 2, 8:30 — 10:30 AM
Edgecombe Community College, Tarboro, NC 27886

FROM THE 39TH REUNION COMMITTEE

Dear Alums and Friends,

We are excited that our 39th W. A. Pattillo High School National Alumni Association Annual Reunion weekend will once again be held in person! Alumni, family and friends are invited to join in this Celebration. The Class of 1973 will celebrate 50 years as honorary graduates of W. A. Pattillo High School and has the distinct honor of serving as the Reunion Committee coordinating the weekend events. The Reunion Committee's goal is to make this one of the most memorable Reunions ever!

"The Return-Continuing the Legacy" is the overall theme for the weekend. On Friday, we *"Celebrate Our Past"* at the Meet and Greet with the "Motown Revue" featuring live entertainment. Wear your Motown memorabilia. On Saturday, we *"Celebrate Our Present,"* with a Masquerade Gala (*masks do not have to be worn the entire evening*). Be creative—prizes will be presented for the most outstanding masks (women, men, couples). A Fashion Show will also be featured. If you would like to participate in the Fashion Show, sign up on the Registration Page. The weekend will culminate with the Scholarship and Memorial breakfast on Sunday where we will *"Celebrate Our Future"* featuring the "Pattillo Choir." All are welcome to participate in the Choir. Sign up on the Registration Page. Friday and Sunday events will be held at Edgecombe Community College in Tarboro, North Carolina and the Gala will take place at the Rocky Mount Event Center in Rocky Mount, North Carolina.

The Class of 1973 is making every effort to give you a weekend to remember. **PLEASE BE INFORMED THAT EVENTS MAY BE RECORDED IN REAL TIME OR FOR FUTURE VIEWING ON OUR WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK PAGE.** If you any questions, please inquire to info@pattilloalumni.com. **CELEBRATE GOOD TIMES—COME ON!!!!**

Respectfully yours,
39th Reunion Planning Committee

MANDATORY COVID 19 RESTRICTIONS

Both venues that the association has contracted with for its 2023 Annual Reunion follow the guidelines and mandates of the State of North Carolina and the local municipalities for COVID Protection. Presently there are no restrictions in place for COVID. Masking is not required but rather is an optional choice for the individual. State and local restrictions that become applicable at the time of the event will be communicated to the attendees via our website and at entrance for compliance.

THE LEGACY STORE

It was just a few months ago that we developed and opened the W. A. Pattillo Legacy Store. At the time, we wondered what this online venue would look like and its possibility to be productive. We figured that the Legacy Store would give you a chance to look at and obtain some new Pattillo High School “digs.”

It's an introduction that perfectly sets the stage for a stroll down “Pattillo High School Memory Lane” for classic and contemporary items. Further the Legacy Store provides an opportunity for a person to shop at any time rather than to be confined to purchases during the Annual Reunion. It provides an opportunity for persons to purchase gifts for themselves, for their classmates or friends. The store is in its infancy and you're welcome to make recommendations and suggestions or what other types of other items can populate the store. Items that “suit a fancy” or items that might “strike a chord in your memory.” Communicate your thoughts regarding the store to the Chairperson of Program Committee at pattillo.programlfch@gmail.com.

Venture out and take a quick look at what the W. A. Pattillo Legacy Store has to offer. Go to our website to purchase.

Lois Cobb Hinton, '68
Program Committee Chairperson

W. A. Pattillo Legacy Store NOW OPEN!

We're happy to announce
the opening of the
W. A. PATTILLO LEGACY STORE!

VISIT
www.pattillolegacystore.com
Shop TODAY to get your Pattillo
Alumni T-shirts, mugs, and more!



SCHOLARSHIP AND AWARDS PROGRAM

The Scholarship Committee recommends eligibility requirements, selection requirements, an application process and a selection process for the approval of the Board of Directors. To that end the association provides a far-reaching Scholarship and Awards Program to achieve its stated purpose. Specifically, we offer the following awards and support:

- ◆ **Walter A. Pattillo Alumni Scholarship** — a scholarship (\$500 - \$1000) awarded to applicants from the ECPS with the highest rankings from the Selection Committee.
- ◆ **W. A. Pattillo Secondary Scholarship** — named annually for a former Pattillo or Princeville School faculty member. Awarded (\$500 - \$750) to an ECPS student who has a 2.0-2.5 GPA and may have financial needs or has a hardship.
- ◆ **Nathan Lewis Alumni Member Scholarship** — a scholarship (\$500 - \$1000) awarded to a child, grandchild or great-grand child of any member of the association who meets the eligibility criteria. Awarded to a student who has a 2.5 – 4.00 GPA.
- ◆ **The James E. Wood Engineering Scholarship** — an endowed scholarship (\$1000) awarded to an applicant from the ECPS who meets the criteria of the Walter A. Pattillo Alumni Scholarship and who plans to major in Engineering at North Carolina A&T State University. This scholarship is funded annually by the family of the late James E. Wood.
- ◆ **The Harrison Family Memorial Scholarship** — an endowed scholarship awarded in two equal installments to an applicant who meets the criteria of the Nathan Lewis Member Scholarships, who has been accepted into an accredited college or university and also has a Grade Point Average not lower than 3.0. This scholarship is funded annually by the Harrison Family.
- ◆ **The Horace B. Hussey Scholarship** — The Coach Horace Bell Hussey Scholarship — a scholarship (\$500) awarded annually to a student athlete who has been accepted at an HBCU. Whereas Coach Hussey, in his classroom teaching and in his coaching on the court and on the field, subscribed to a belief that basics and fundamentals were the staples needed to articulate, respectively, in academics and athletics, there is a requirement that the applicant's coach provide a letter of testament that the applicant subscribed to these acumens prized by Coach Hussey. The scholarship will be awarded annually by the Hussey family and a former student of Coach Horace Bell Hussey.
- ◆ Financial assistance to our two designated charter schools: W. A. Pattillo and Princeville Schools and an Incentive Awards Program that honors an early mentor and pioneer from our youth in the East Tarboro or Princeville communities.

Charlotte Strong Privott, '66
Committee Chairperson

[\(Donation Forms on the Back of Newsletter\)](#)

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

The Membership Committee promotes membership growth and retention in the association. Your membership is a precious gift to the ASSOCIATION.

We INVITE you to JOIN. This keeps the Legacy alive and allows us to continue the rich heritage that was built in 1924. That is your priceless benefit for membership.

Your membership will help promote the association and support administrative cost of day to day operations. See the membership application on the rear of the newsletter and use it to secure or renew your membership.

JOIN NOW!!

Ruby Wood Williams, '65
Membership Chairperson

W. A. PATTILLO HIGH SCHOOL NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, INC.

REGISTRATION FORM

NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS : _____

REUNION FEES

Table with 2 columns: Fee Item, Amount. Includes Annual Member (\$25.00), 5 Year Sustained Member (\$85.00), Seniors (\$20.00), Souvenir Calendar (\$20.00), Package: All Events (\$100.00), Meet & Greet (\$30.00), Meet & Greet Reserved Table for 8 (\$240.00), Gala (\$45.00), Gala Reserved Table for 10 (\$450.00), Breakfast (\$30.00), Breakfast Reserved Table for 8 (\$250.00), Reserve Table—All Events (\$900.00), Booklet Ads—F/H/Q, Scholarship Donation, General Donations, and Total Due.

I would like to participate in the "Fashion Show" or know someone who would like to:

Yes ___ No ___

I would like to participate in the "Pattillo Choir" or know someone who would like to:

Yes ___ No ___

Rehearsals will be held on Tuesday, June 27 and Thursday, June 29, 2023. Time and location will be provided at a later date.

Class or Years Attended Pattillo _____

Would you like to be seated at the reserved table with the Class of 1940-1959?

Yes [] No []

I am purchasing a "Reserve Table" for the Class of or Family of _____

Are you a Veteran? Yes [] No []

ADVERTISEMENT FORM

Support us by advertising in our 39th Reunion Souvenir Calendar. This is a 3-year calendar (2023-2025).

ADVERTISEMENT SPACE IN THE CALENDAR IS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE. PLEASE COMPLETE THE BOTTOM OF THIS FORM AND MAIL IT ALONG WITH PAYMENT TO:

W. A. Pattillo High School National Alumni Association, Inc.
ATTN: Financial Secretary, Post Office Box 601
Tarboro, North Carolina 27886

DEADLINE FOR COPY READY ADS — JUNE 1, 2023; SUBMIT ALL ADS ELECTRONICALLY TO Cynthia K. Dockery—cynthiadockery6@hotmail.com (240-286-1841)

OPTION 1 — FULL PAGE
COLOR/\$110
B&W/\$100

OPTION 2 — HALF PAGE
COLOR/\$60
B&W/\$50

OPTION 3 — QUARTER PAGE
COLOR/\$35
B&W/\$25

Please direct questions via text to 336-207-6384 or e-mail to info@pattilloalumni.com.

Note: An additional fee of \$25 will be added for any ad that has to be designed. Information for design must be submitted by MAY 14, 2023.

(Ad Selection): Option 1 (C ___/B&W ___) Option 2 (C ___/B&W ___) Option 3 (C ___/B&W ___) AMT. ENCLOSED _____

W. A. Pattillo High School National Alumni Association, Inc.

**Post Office Box 601
Tarboro, North Carolina 27886**

Membership Application Form

Membership Expires 365 Days after Joining

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NO.: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

Year Graduated: _____ or Years Attended: _____

I desire to work with the committee and/or activity listed:



SELECT A MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY

_____ Centenarian: Age 100+ \$0

Date of Birth: _____

_____ Nonagenarian: Ages 90-99 \$0

Date of Birth: _____

_____ Octogenarian: Ages 80-89 \$0

Date of Birth: _____

_____ Senior: Ages 75-79 \$20

Date of Birth: _____

_____ Annual Membership: \$25

_____ Sustained 5 Yr. Membership: \$85

TOTAL _____

Return Form with check or money order payable to Pattillo Alumni Association in the return self-addressed envelope or Donate via PayPal using: <http://pattillohsalumni.webs.com>.

SCHOLARSHIP FUND DONOR FORM

Please accept my contribution to this fund

Name

Address

Phone

My Contribution: is at the-

Trojan Level, \$1000 + \$ _____

Maroon Level, \$500—\$999 \$ _____

Gold Level, \$250—\$499 \$ _____

Sprinter Level, \$150—\$249 \$ _____

Runner Level, \$100—\$149 \$ _____

Friends of Pattillo, \$1—\$99 \$ _____

(Optional)

This contribution is in [] honor [] memory of:

NAME (s):

PLEASE MAKE YOUR CHECK or MONEY ORDER PAYABLE TO: Pattillo Alumni Association. Please mail this form with your check in the return address envelope.

You may also visit the Donation Tab on our webpage: <http://pattillohsalumni.webs.com> to use PayPal.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!