Alumni Weekend 2024
Please note the schedule may be subject to change. Visit taftschool.org/alumni/reunions for hotel accommodations, class-specific schedules, and the latest updates and to register!

Thursday, May 9

6:00 pm  Class of 1954 70th Reunion Dinner,
           Highfield Club, Middlebury
6:00 pm  Class of 1959 65th Reunion Dinner,
           John’s Café, Woodbury
6:00 pm  Class of 1964 60th Reunion Dinner,
           Market Place, Woodbury
6:00 pm  Class of 1969 55th Reunion Dinner,
           1754 House, Woodbury
6:30 pm  Class of 1974 50th Reunion Cocktails and Dinner,
           Woolworth Faculty Room and Prentice Dining Hall

Buses available from Heritage Hotel and back

Friday, May 10

8:00 am–12:00 pm  Old Guard Welcome and Registration,
                    Classes of 1943-1974, Lincoln Lobby
                    Refreshments, Woolworth Faculty Room
8:00 am (start)  Alumni Golf Outing, Watertown Golf Club
                    Please call the Club at 860-274-4387 to book tee times. WGC fees apply.
8:00 am–12:00 pm  Tennis available at Taft. Contact Athletics: 860-945-7706
8:00 am–5:00 pm  Mark W. Potter Gallery, Will Simons, Surface
8:15 am–12:10 pm  Open Classes, list available here
9:00 am–4:00 pm  Bookstore, open
9:00 am  The Jig, open 9-11 am, 3-5 pm, 7-9 pm
9:20 am (start)  School Tours, departing from the Harley Roberts Room
                    9:20 am, 10:05 am, 11:25 am and 1:50 pm
11:15 am–1:00 pm  Classes of 1974 and 2024 Luncheon, Moorhead Wing
12:00 pm  Old Guard Luncheon, Classes of 1943-1973, Choral Room
5:30 pm  Service of Remembrance, Woodward Chapel
                    Buses leave The Heritage Hotel (Main Lobby) at 4:45 pm.
6:30 pm  Old Guard Reception & Dinner and Presentation of The 2024 Horace
           Dutton Taft Alumni Medal to John W. Dayton ’64, Classes through ’74,
           Moorhead Wing
                    Buses available back to The Heritage Hotel

Evening  Reunion Class Gatherings
Classes of 1979, 1984, 1989, 2004

Visit taftschool.org/alumni/reunions for times and locations

8:00 pm  One Act Festival, Student Theater Performance, Bingham Auditorium
Saturday, May 11
8:00 am–2:00 pm  Registration and Refreshments,
      Registration Tent, Main Circle
8:00 am–4:00 pm  Mark W. Potter Gallery, Will Simons, Surface
8:30 am–10:30 am  Leslie D. Manning Archives, Hulbert Taft, Jr. Library
8:30 am–2:00 pm  Hulbert Taft, Jr. Library, open
9:00 am–4:00 pm  Bookstore, open
9:00 am  The Jig, open 9-11 am, 3-5 pm, 7-9 pm
9–11:30 am  Today at Taft: a special programming featuring the following events:
9–9:45 am  Open Classes, list available here
9:15–10 am  Rise and Shine Rhinos! Yoga class with yoga instructor and Taft alumna Khayriyyah Muhammad ’01, Vogelstein Courtyard, register here!
9:20 am (start)  School Tours, departing from the Harley Roberts Room
9:20 am, 10:15 am, 11:15 am
10:00–10:35 am  Affinity Space for Alumni, Faculty & Students of Color, Woolworth Faculty Room.. Register here!
10:00–10:40 am  Taft's Approach to Generative AI, a Student & Faculty Panel discussion, Woodward Theater
10:00–2:00 pm  Non ut sibi Service Initiative, stop in the Choral Room to participate in a non ut sibi activity.
10:40-11:30 am  Open Classes list and locations available by May 1
11:30 am  Assemble for Alumni Parade, Main Circle
12:00 pm  Honor the History and Celebrate the Future:
           Installation of Peter Becker ’95 as Head of School, Centennial Quad
12:30 pm  Alumni Luncheon, Moorhead Wing
Afternoon  School Athletic Competitions
           visit taftschool.org/athletics/schedule
1:45 pm  Sobriety 101: Intro to Addiction Recovery
           followed by an open AA Meeting, Harley Roberts Room
2:00 pm  One Act Festival, StudentTheater Performance, Bingham Auditorium
2:15 pm  Alumni Soccer, coed game, Camp Field, register here!
3:00 pm  Lawn Games, Face Painting, Popcorn, oh my! the Jig
3:00 pm  Milkshakes with Marty and Smoothies with Sandy, the Jig
4:00–5:30 pm  LGBTQIA+ Alumni Reception, hosted by the Faculty Advisors of the Gender & Sexuality Alliance (location available upon registration), register here!
4:30–5:30 pm  Alumni and Faculty of Color Reception, Mark W. Potter Gallery, register here!
5:30 pm  **A Toast to Taft, Belcher Reading Room, Hulbert Taft, Jr. Library**
Reception for Founders Society and key volunteers, by invitation only

6:00 pm  **All-Alumni Dinner Dance,** a special evening honoring retiring Faculty Baba and Peter Frew ’75, P’05,’10 and Susan and Steve McCabe P’02,’04,’07,
*Tent near Odden Arena*


8:00 pm  **One Act Festival, Student Theater Performance, Bingham Auditorium**

8:30–10:30 pm  **Reunion Class Gathering**

Class of 1994, 176 Guernseytown Rd, Watertown

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