

Dear Friends of Louisburg College,



During a recent visit to the college for a board of trustees meeting, I stopped to reflect while standing on the steps of Main Building. Looking back across the campus, I could see all the wonderful memories and experiences that I had while

attending Louisburg. I began to think about my former teammates, and wondered what they were doing now. This triggered an idea. I began to imagine inviting all former athletes, coaches, professors, cheerleaders, managers, trainers, and any others that supported the athletic program to return to campus. Wow, that would be a "big event" I thought.

After gaining the support of former coaches, college administrators and the board of trustees, I am excited to announce that Louisburg College will host THE BIG EVENT September 28-30, 2007. THE BIG EVENT weekend will include the inaugural Athletic Hall of Fame Induction Banquet.

We ask that you reserve your weekend pass for \$17.87. As we all know, Louisburg College was founded in 1787. Some events will require additional fees. See the schedule for more details. If you have questions, please feel free to contact the alumni office at 919.497.3245, or email mkeith@louisburg.edu.

If you would like to serve on a planning committee, or are willing to volunteer your services, please contact me at 919.845.3455, or email me at triproinc@aol.com.

Most students leave Louisburg College and complete their education at a four-year college or university. Their loyalty often remains with the four-year institution. After college, we are challenged to build a successful career and raise a family. Louisburg College often becomes, "out of sight, out of mind." It's time for a change. Let's make Louisburg College a place we return to often.

I can't imagine where I would be today without Louisburg College.

Sincerely,

Don Fish '60

# THE BIG EVENT SCHEDULE

## Friday, September 28

### 9:00 a.m. Golf Tournament

The tournament will be held at two area courses; Limited to the first 144 entries; (\$75 per golfer)

### 4:30 p.m. Athletic Hall of Fame Reception and Banquet

Patio area by Taft and tent behind Auditorium; Celebrity Guest Speaker; Advance reservation required; Black Tie Optional; (\$100 per person)

### 8:00 p.m. Athletic Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony

Auditorium; Celebrity Guest Speaker; Open to all; (admission is free)

## Saturday, September 29

### 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Visit Hurricane Village

Hurricane Village will be located on the front lawn of the campus and all sports venues. Meet the current coaches and players; play games; meet celebrities; enjoy delicious food; and visit with former teammates and coaches. (\$17.87 per adult, admission free for kids 17 and under)

### 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. "All You Can Eat" Dinner

Feast on a roast beef dinner in the Duke Dining Hall; (\$7.50 per person)

### 8:00 p.m. Concert with The Platters, Elsbeary Hobbs Drifters & Cornell Gunter's Coasters

Auditorium; Reserved ticket required; (\$20 per ticket)

## Sunday, September 30

### 10:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast and Reception

Auditorium Lobby

### 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration

Auditorium; Guest speakers Albert Long and Dan Lotz; Fellowship of Christian Athletes

### 11:30 a.m. Pig Pickin'

Tent behind Auditorium; Tickets available at the door; (\$5.00 per plate)

### 2:00 p.m. Football Game

Louisburg High School Field  
Louisburg College vs. Methodist College JV

Check THE BIG EVENT website at [www.louisburg.edu/alumni/thebigevent.html](http://www.louisburg.edu/alumni/thebigevent.html) for up to date details.

# THE BIG EVENT REGISTRATION FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Class year: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Team Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

## Register Early

Send us this form with your payment:

Weekend registration fee  
\$17.87 per adult  
(registration fee for children under 17 is free)

\_\_\_\_ I am very interested in attending – please keep me informed.  
\_\_\_\_ I will not be able to attend.

## Advance registration is required for the following:

### Weekend Pass:

\_\_\_\_ # attending @ \$17.87 per adult

### Friday:

Golf Tournament:

\_\_\_\_ # attending @ \$75 per person

Athletic Hall of Fame Reception and Banquet:

\_\_\_\_ # attending @ \$100 per person  
(Limited Seating/First Come, First Served)

### Saturday:

The Platters, Elsbeary Hobbs Drifters & Cornell Gunter's Coasters

\_\_\_\_ # attending @ \$20 per person

Total enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Return this form to:  
Alumni Office  
Louisburg College  
501 N. Main Street  
Louisburg, NC 27549

For additional information, or to pay by credit card, contact the Alumni Office at:  
919-497-3245 or mkeith@louisburg.edu

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## 2007 Inaugural Athletic Hall of Fame Inductees

John Cameron - Football Coach (1937-1942)  
Sheilah Cotten - Volleyball, Men's Tennis, Women's Basketball and Softball (1977-2005)  
Enid Drake - Men's Basketball Coach (1965-2006)  
Fred Fearing '35 - Baseball Team  
Russell Frazier '54 - Baseball Coach (1959-1999)  
Walter McDonald - Hurricane Supporter (1956-2007)  
C. William Moran '71 - Baseball Team  
Roger Taylor '68 - Basketball Team

### Are you interested in helping with **THE BIG EVENT?**

We need athletes to contact their teammates. Tell us your class year and sport and we will send you the information: \_\_\_\_\_  
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I have team memorabilia to share: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## THE BIG EVENT COMMITTEE

### Honorary Chairs

Sheilah Cotten  
Enid Drake  
Russell Frazier '54

### Co-Chairs

Don Fish '60  
Roger Taylor '68

### Committee

Lucy Allen  
Jade Biggio  
Kenneth Cain  
Mike Dickhoff  
Jim Foster '60  
Mike Holloman '83  
Mary Kate Keith  
Ross Lane '61  
Walter McDonald  
Holly Mitchell  
Eddie Mizell '60  
Reginald Ponder  
Sandra Rushing  
Bill Shelton '69  
Charles Sloan



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# THE BIG EVENT



*September 28-30, 2007*

*An Unparalleled Event in  
Louisburg College  
Athletic History*