WILLIAMS COLLEGE – CLASS OF 1995

25th Reunion Schedule
(As of 06/16/22 – subject to change)

June 24 – 26, 2022

THURSDAY, June 23

7:00 pm  Class of ’95 Welcome Gathering at Brad Svrluga’s House 465 Stratton Road, Williamstown
Although reunion doesn’t officially begin until Friday, for any '95ers in Williamstown early, you are invited to classmate Brad Svrluga’s house for a fun evening of reconnecting. If you think you might be coming, please add your name to the list to give Brad an idea of numbers.

FRIDAY, June 24

11:00 am – 11:00 pm  Class Registration at Mission Park  Mission Park
Please check in here for official counts and to receive your ’95 reunion packet. Pick up your room keys here if you signed up for college dorm housing.

1:00 pm – 3:00 pm  Art Session #1 with Chris Wildrick ’95 (All Ages)  Drawing Studio, 3rd Fl, Spencer Art Building
Join Chris Wildrick ’95 for interactive art games and projects about dinosaurs, for both kids and adults. *No need to sign up in advance – just show up in Spencer at 1:00 pm!*

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm  Faculty Lecture: The Ethics of Artificial Intelligence  Chapin Hall
With Joe Cruz ’91, Professor of Philosophy at Williams (and husband of Margaret Coady ’95).

3:30 pm – 4:30 pm  Student-Led Admission Tour  Chapin Steps
Families with children beginning to think about college are encouraged to participate (tour ends at Weston Hall).

3:30 pm – 4:30 pm  Campus Tour  Paresky Front Porch
If you haven’t been to campus in a while, this tour is for you. You’ll see the Sawyer Library, Hollander and Schapiro Halls, Weston Athletic Complex, The Class of 1966 Environmental Center, Horn Hall, the Wachenheim Science Center and the Hopper Science Center.

3:30 pm – 4:15 pm  Tablas Creek Wine Tasting  Entertainment Tent,
Hosted by Owner/Vintner Jason Haas ’95. Come learn about Tablas Creek Winery and try some of their award-winning wines.

4:15 pm – 5:00 pm **Pinhook Bourbon Tasting**
Hosted by CEO Alice Peterson ’96. Hear about the inspiration for Pinhook Bourbon and try several unique small batch bourbons.

5:30 pm – Midnight **Class of ’95 and ’96 Reception and Family BBQ**
Relaxed, family-friendly BBQ under the tent for alums from both classes and their families. Dinner starts at 6:30pm. The DJ party starts at 8:00pm so bring your dancing shoes!

**SATURDAY, June 25**

6:00 am – 9:00 am **Sunrise Hike Up Pine Cobble**
With Scott Lewis, Director of the Outing Club
Dress for the weather, bring a water bottle and a cup for hot drinks.

8:00 am – 9:00 am **Yoga with Rachel Allyn ’96**
Join yogi Rachel Allyn for a relaxing yoga session. Mats available upon request at the Class Registration table in Mission, or use your purple beach towel.

7:00 am – 10:00 am **Class of ’95 and ’96 Continental Breakfast**
Mission Dining Hall

7:00 am – 7:00 pm **Class Registration at Mission Park**
Mission Park
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9:00 am – 1:00 pm **Williamstown Farmer’s Market**
Spring Street
Stroll. Snack. Shop local.

9:30 am – 11:00 am **Ultimate Frisbee Clinic (Ages 8+)**
Cole Field
Come and learn this team sport, led by Jason Haas ’95 and Matt Kohn ’96.

9:30 am – 11:30 am **Art Session #2 with Alexia Rosoff Wilber ’96 (Ages 8+)**
Drawing Studio, 3rd Fl, Spencer Art Building
Join Alexia for a monotype and nature print workshop. Materials provided. Please sign up online.

9:30 am – 10:30 am **’95 25th Reunion Alumni Seminar**
Chapin Hall
*Williams: Preparing Leaders for the Future of Inclusion*
Featuring ’95 classmates Dedrick Asante-Muhammad, Chris Cardona and Norma Lopez and moderated by Leticia S.E. Haynes ’99, Vice President for Institutional Diversity, Equity and Inclusion at Williams College.

10:00 am – 5:00 pm **’95 and ’96 25th Reunion Alumni Art Show**
Gallery, 1st Floor, Spencer Art Building
Organized by Alexia Rosoff Wilber ’96, Katie Sawyer Rose ’96 and Chris Wildrick ’95. Come see what amazing works of art your talented classmates have been working on.

10:45 am – 11:45 am **’96 25th Reunion Alumni Seminar**
Chapin Hall
*Blockchain and Democracy: A Liberal-Arts Invitation to the Social and Cultural Potential of New Technology*
Featuring ’96 classmates Kyle Downey and Amy Whitaker and moderated by Stephen Sheppard, Class of 2012.
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| 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm | **Lunch and Fun on Poker Flats (Parade and Class Photo)**
Come for lunch and then stay for fun kids’ activities and decorating for the parade. |
| 1:00 pm      | Parade begins. The parade route is Poker Flats to Chapin. **Wear your purple t-shirts!**                         | Class Tent, Poker Flats           |
| 1:30 pm      | The class photo is on Chapin steps immediately following the parade.                                           | Chapin Hall steps                 |
| 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm | **Ben & Jerry’s ice cream cart**
Enjoy some of your favorite ice cream and hang out with Ephelia, Williams’ purple mascot. | Front Porch, Paresky              |
| 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm | **Community Drum Circle (All Ages)**
All are welcome to join this musical environment and learn rhythms and songs from Africa, South America, and Asia. | Paresky Front Steps               |
| 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm | **Nate Lowe ’96 Climbing Wall (Ages 8+)**
Come test your skills on the Nate Lowe ’95/’96 climbing wall. Kids must be accompanied by a parent/guardian. Parent/guardian will have to sign a waiver at the climbing wall. | Towne Field House                 |
| 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm | **Pick-Up Ultimate Frisbee, Soccer, Softball**
All ages welcome for open time on Cole Field to play a variety of sports. Practice the ultimate Frisbee skills you learned in the morning clinic, or play a game of soccer or softball. | Cole Field                        |
| 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm | **Student-Led Admission Tour**
Families with children beginning to think about college are encouraged to participate (tour ends at Weston Hall). | Paresky Front Steps               |
| 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm | **The Williams Admission Picture**
Families with children beginning to think about college are encouraged to attend this informal, interactive session with Williams admission officers. | Weston Hall                       |
| 3:45 pm – 5:00 pm | **Elizabethans Reunion Gathering**
Join fellow Elizabethans in classes of ’95 and ’96 plus local alums from other classes for an impromptu singing gathering. | Chapin Hall                       |
| 4:45 pm – 5:30 pm | **Class Presentations with President Maud S. Mandel**
President Mandel will welcome ’95 and ’96 back to Williams and share brief updates about the college. Class leaders will present their 25th Reunion class gifts to President Mandel. Come celebrate our class achievements together! | Entertainment tent, Poker Flats    |
| 4:30 pm – 11:30 pm | **’95 & ’96 Ramblewild and Dinner for Teens/Tweens (ages 10+)**
Drop Off: 4:30 pm, Bus Departs: 5:00 pm and returns around 9:45 pm. Teens/tweens ages 10+ will have the opportunity to visit the local high ropes course Ramblewild. The cost for the Ramblewild trip including dinner is $50 (advance registration required). | Williamstown Youth Center 66 School Street |
5:00 pm – 11:30 pm  
'95 & '96 Dinner and Activities for Kids and Teens (ages 6+)
Drop Off: 5:00 – 6:00 pm, Dinner: 5:00 – 7:00 pm;  
Activities: 5:30 – 11:30 pm. Organized by the 25th Reunion Program and staffed by Williamstown Youth Center and Williams staff. Cost is $20 for the evening and includes dinner. Activities include arts & crafts, outdoor and indoor games, movies at Paresky and more (advance registration required).  
***Parent/guardian will have to sign a waiver at drop off***

5:30 pm – 7:00 pm  
Class of '95 and '96 Adult Reception  
Class Tent, Poker Flats  
We will kick-off the evening with cocktails, mocktails and canapes on Poker Flats. We’ll be joined by President Maud S. Mandel until 6:15pm.

7:00 pm – Midnight  
Class of '95 and '96 Adult Dinner and Party  
Class Tent, Poker Flats  
This is our chance to party like it’s 1999 (or ’95)! Enjoy great food before the party begins with music by Bonerama from New Orleans. It’s going to be an epic night – even better than our 20th!

**SUNDAY, June 26**

7:30 am – 11:00 am  
Class of '95 and '96 Farewell Brunch  
Class Tent, Poker Flats  
Join us for brunch with fellow alums and their families

10:00 am – 11:00 am  
Class of '95 and '96 Remembrance Gathering  
Thompson Chapel  
A service to honor the passing of beloved classmates. Led by alumni and Williams chaplains.

11:00 am  
Class of '95 Pool Gathering at Yvonne Hao’s House  
236 Bulkley Street, Williamstown  
Classmate Yvonne Hao invites anyone who wants to spend some extra time in Williamstown to come over to enjoy relaxing by the pool. Bring your bathing suits and towels and sunscreen. Kids are welcome. If you think you might be coming, please add your name to the list to give Yvonne an idea of numbers.

Noon  
Dorm Checkout Deadline