



# WILLIAMS COLLEGE – CLASS OF 1996

## 25th Reunion Schedule

(As of 06/16/22 – subject to change)

**June 24 – 26, 2022**

### **FRIDAY, June 24**

11:00 am – 11:00 pm	<b><i>Class Registration at Mission Park</i></b> Please check in here for official counts and to receive your '96 reunion packet. Pick up your room keys here if you signed up for college dorm housing.	<i>Mission Park</i>
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	<b><i>Art Session #1 with Chris Wildrick '95 (All Ages)</i></b> Join Chris Wildrick '95 for interactive art games and projects about dinosaurs, for both kids and adults. <i>*No need to sign up in advance – just show up in Spencer at 1:00 pm!*</i>	<i>Drawing Studio, 3<sup>rd</sup> Fl, Spencer Art Building</i>
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm	<b><i>Faculty Lecture: The Ethics of Artificial Intelligence</i></b> With Joe Cruz '91, Professor of Philosophy at Williams (and husband of Margaret Coady '95).	<i>Chapin Hall</i>
3:30 pm – 4:30 pm	<b><i>Student-Led Admission Tour</i></b> Families with children beginning to think about college are encouraged to participate (tour ends at Weston Hall).	<i>Chapin Steps</i>
3:30 pm – 4:30 pm	<b><i>Campus Tour</i></b> 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.	<i>Paresky Front Porch</i>
3:30 pm – 4:15 pm	<b><i>Tablas Creek Wine Tasting</i></b> Hosted by Owner/Vintner Jason Haas '95. Come learn about <a href="#">Tablas Creek Winery</a> and try some of their award-winning wines.	<i>Entertainment Tent, Poker Flats</i>
4:15 pm – 5:00 pm	<b><i>Pinhook Bourbon Tasting</i></b> Hosted by CEO Alice Peterson '96. Hear about the inspiration for <a href="#">Pinhook Bourbon</a> and try several unique small batch bourbons.	<i>Entertainment Tent, Poker Flats</i>

5:30 pm – Midnight	<b><i>Class of '95 and '96 Reception and Family BBQ</i></b> 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!	<i>Class Tent, Poker Flats</i>
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**SATURDAY, June 25**

6:00 am – 9:00 am	<b><i>Sunrise Hike Up Pine Cobble</i></b> With Scott Lewis, Director of the Outing Club Dress for the weather, bring a water bottle and a cup for hot drinks.	<i>Paresky Steps</i>
8:00 am – 9:00 am	<b><i>Yoga with Rachel Allyn '96</i></b> 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.	<i>Sawyer Quad (Rain location: Lasell Gym)</i>
7:00 am – 10:00 am	<b><i>Class of '95 and '96 Continental Breakfast</i></b>	<i>Mission Dining Hall</i>
7:00 am – 7:00 pm	<b><i>Class Registration at Mission Park</i></b> Please check in here for official counts and to receive your '96 reunion packet. Pick up your room keys here if you signed up for college dorm housing.	<i>Mission Park</i>
9:00 am – 1:00 pm	<b><i>Williamstown Farmer's Market</i></b> Stroll. Snack, Shop local.	<i>Spring Street</i>
9:30 am – 11:00 am	<b><i>Ultimate Frisbee Clinic (Ages 8+)</i></b> Come and learn this team sport, led by Jason Haas '95 and Matt Kohn '96.	<i>Cole Field</i>
9:30 am – 11:30 am	<b><i>Art Session #2 with Alexia Rosoff Wilber '96 (Ages 8+)</i></b> Join Alexia for a monotype and nature print workshop. Materials provided. Please <a href="#">sign up</a> online.	<i>Drawing Studio, 3<sup>rd</sup> Fl, Spencer Art Building</i>
9:30 am – 10:30 am	<b><i>'95 25th Reunion Alumni Seminar</i></b> <b><i>Williams: Preparing Leaders for the Future of Inclusion</i></b> 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.	<i>Chapin Hall</i>
10:00 am – 5:00 pm	<b><i>'95 and '96 25<sup>th</sup> Reunion Alumni Art Show</i></b> 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.	<i>Gallery, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Spencer Art Building</i>
10:45 am – 11:45 am	<b><i>'96 25th Reunion Alumni Seminar</i></b> <b><i>Blockchain and Democracy: A Liberal-Arts Invitation to the Social and Cultural Potential of New Technology</i></b> Featuring '96 classmates Kyle Downey and Amy Whitaker and moderated by Stephen Sheppard, Class of 2012 Professor of Economics at Williams College.	<i>Chapin Hall</i>

12:00 pm – 2:00 pm	<b><i>Lunch and Fun on Poker Flats (Parade and Class Photo)</i></b> Come for lunch and then stay for fun kids' activities and decorating for the parade.	<i>Class Tent, Poker Flats</i>
1:00 pm	Parade begins. The parade route is Poker Flats to Chapin. <b>Wear your purple t-shirts!</b>	
1:30 pm	The class photo is on Chapin steps immediately following the parade.	<i>Chapin Hall steps</i>
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	<b><i>Ben &amp; Jerry's ice cream cart</i></b> Enjoy some of your favorite ice cream and hang out with Ephelia, Williams' purple mascot.	<i>Front Porch, Paresky</i>
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm	<b><i>Community Drum Circle (All Ages)</i></b> All are welcome to join this musical environment and learn rhythms and songs from Africa, South America, and Asia.	<i>Paresky Front Steps</i>
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	<b><i>Nate Lowe '96 Climbing Wall (Ages 8+)</i></b> 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.	<i>Towne Field House</i>
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	<b><i>Pick-Up Ultimate Frisbee, Soccer, Softball</i></b> 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.	<i>Cole Field</i>
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm	<b><i>Student-Led Admission Tour</i></b> Families with children beginning to think about college are encouraged to participate (tour ends at Weston Hall).	<i>Paresky Front Steps</i>
3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	<b><i>The Williams Admission Picture</i></b> Families with children beginning to think about college are encouraged to attend this informal, interactive session with Williams admission officers.	<i>Weston Hall</i>
3:45 pm – 5:00 pm	<b><i>Elizabethans Reunion Gathering</i></b> Join fellow Elizabethans in classes of '95 and '96 plus local alums from other classes for an impromptu singing gathering.	<i>Chapin Hall</i>
4:45 pm – 5:30 pm	<b><i>Class Presentations with President Maud S. Mandel</i></b> President Mandel will welcome '95 and '96 back to Williams and share brief updates about the college. Class leaders will present their 25 <sup>th</sup> Reunion class gifts to President Mandel. Come celebrate our class achievements together!	<i>Entertainment tent, Poker Flats</i>
4:30 pm – 11:30 pm	<b><i>'95 &amp; '96 Ramblewild and Dinner for Teens/Tweens (ages 10+)</i></b> <b><i>Drop Off: 4:30 pm, Bus Departs: 5:00 pm and returns around 9:45 pm.</i></b> Teens/tweens ages 10+ will have the opportunity to visit the local high ropes course <i>Ramblewild</i> . The cost for the Ramblewild trip including dinner is \$50 ( <b>advance registration required</b> ).	<i>Williamstown Youth Center 66 School Street</i> <i>(drop off and pick up)</i>

5:00 pm – 11:30 pm	<p><b>'95 &amp; '96 Dinner and Activities for Kids and Teens (ages 6+)</b>  <b>Drop Off: 5:00 – 6:00 pm, Dinner: 5:00 – 7:00 pm;</b>  <b>Activities: 5:30 – 11:30 pm.</b> Organized by the 25<sup>th</sup> Reunion Program and staffed by Williamstown Youth Center and Williams staff. Cost is \$20 for the evening and includes dinner. Activities include arts &amp; crafts, outdoor and indoor games, movies at Paresky and more (<b>advance registration required</b>).  <b>***Parent/guardian will have to sign a waiver at drop off***</b></p>	<p><i>Williamstown Youth Center 66 School Street</i></p>
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5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	<p><b><i>Class of '95 and '96 Adult Reception</i></b>  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.</p>	<p><i>Class Tent, Poker Flats</i></p>
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7:00 pm – Midnight	<p><b><i>Class of '95 and '96 Adult Dinner and Party</i></b>  This is our chance to party like it's 1999 (or '96)! Enjoy great food before the party begins with music by <a href="#">Bonorama</a> from New Orleans. It's going to be an epic night!</p>	<p><i>Class Tent, Poker Flats</i></p>
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**SUNDAY, June 26**

7:30 am – 11:00 am	<p><b><i>Class of '95 and '96 Farewell Brunch</i></b>  Join us for brunch with fellow alums and their families</p>	<p><i>Class Tent, Poker Flats</i></p>
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10:00 am – 11:00 am	<p><b><i>Class of '95 and '96 Remembrance Gathering</i></b>  A service to honor the passing of beloved classmates. Led by alumni and Williams chaplains.</p>	<p><i>Thompson Chapel</i></p>
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Noon	<p><b><i>Dorm Checkout Deadline</i></b></p>	
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