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Classmates from 1964 and 1974 Reunite on Campus

Hillsdale College Alumni Relations hosts 50- and 60-year reunion

HILLSDALE, Mich. — Members of the Hillsdale College 1974 and 1964 graduating classes returned to campus from April 10-12 to celebrate their 50- and 60-year class reunions. This year, those who graduated before 1974 were also invited to participate in the three-day event, which included campus and Halter Center tours, dinner with live music, cocktail receptions, trivia, and the opportunity to attend classes.

"The 50- and 60-year reunion is always a special event for Hillsdale's campus, especially because many of the alumni in attendance haven't stepped foot on campus in years," said Colleen McGinness, executive director of alumni relations. "Our alumni are excited to meet students, sit in on classes, and reunite with old college friends."

The highlight of the event was Hillsdale College's Spring Convocation, at which the classes of 1974 and 1964 were recognized. "It is also a great opportunity for our students — especially our seniors who are present at Convocation — to understand what it means to be a part of the Hillsdale College family," said McGinness.

Graduation reunions began on campus in 1989 and originally took place during the week of Commencement. Reunions now take place during the week of Spring Convocation so that alumni can see campus in full swing, attend live classes, and meet current students.

In addition to the 50- and 60-year class reunions, The Hillsdale College Alumni Association and Alumni Relations Office host several events throughout the year for Hillsdale College alumni. These events include Homecoming, White and Blue Weekend, and the Alumni National Tour.

For photos from the event, click <u>here</u>.

For a high-resolution copy of the Hillsdale College clocktower logo, click here.

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