From Rhodes’ founding in 1848 into the 1880s, the college was strictly an all-male institution. By the late 19th century, a few females—daughters of chancellors and faculty members—were permitted to attend classes, but could not take exams or receive diplomas. But when Dr. Charles E. Diehl became president, things began to change, and fast. In 1917, with World War I in full swing, women were admitted into the college on an equal basis with men. Four years later, Margaret Trahern became the first woman in the college’s history to receive a diploma. Now, Rhodes welcomes the first woman to serve as our president, Dr. Marjorie Hass.

Please join us at Homecoming 2017 as we celebrate 100 years of extraordinary women at Rhodes College, with special events beginning on Thursday and continuing throughout the weekend. We hope to see you here!
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26

Alumni Career Day
Share your career advice and knowledge with our current students by serving as a panelist, providing one-on-one informational sessions, or reviewing resumes.

3 – 4 p.m.
Living & Working in NYC
Alumni panel for students and alumni interested in New York City
Blount Auditorium, Buckman Hall

4 – 5:30 p.m.
Women in Leadership: Celebrating 100 Years of Women at Rhodes
Rhodes alumnae share their experiences as leaders in the non-profit, for-profit and government sectors. A reception will follow.
Hardie Auditorium, Palmer Hall

4:15 – 5:15 p.m.
Living & Working in DC
Alumni panel for students and alumni interested in Washington, DC
Blount Auditorium, Buckman Hall

5:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Speed Networking
Opportunity for students to network with alumni from a wide variety of professions in a fast-paced, casual setting
Lynx Lair, Bryan Campus Life Center

6 - 7 p.m.
Alumna Artist’s Talk: Alexandra Carter ’09
Blount Auditorium, Buckman Hall

8 p.m.
Shakespeare’s Women: A Celebration of the Women of Shakespeare
Compiled by Arminda Thomas and Leslie Reddick ’82
McCoy Studio Theatre
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27

8:30 a.m. – 7 p.m.
Bookstore open
West Campus, 613 University
(Next to King Hall)

11 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Athletic Hall of Fame Luncheon
Presentation of Inductees:
Frank Horton ’55 (posthumously)
Scott Decker ’89
Jessica Hunt Kremeier ’03
Taylor Cook Lowry ’06
1980-1981 Men’s Basketball Team
2006 Volleyball Team
McCallum Ballroom, Bryan Campus Life Center
$30 per person
Reservations Required

12 – 5 p.m.
Women at Rhodes: 100 Years of Achievement
Exhibit of Images & Memorabilia
Paul Barret, Jr. Library

1 – 4:30 p.m.
Registration/Check-In
Dorothy C. King Hall, Front Lawn
(Registration moves at 5 p.m. to First Floor,
Bryan Campus Life Center)

2 p.m.
Alumni Campus Tour
(Includes the new Robertson Hall)
Meet at Bryan Campus Life Center

3 – 5:00 p.m.
Political Science Alumni Panel
Alumni will speak with students
about their career paths.
Hyde Hall, Catherine Burrow Refectory

3 – 5 p.m.
A Conversation & Book Signing with
Ronald Hatzenbuehler ’67, PhD
Author of Jefferson, Lincoln, and the Unfinished Work of the Nation
Reception to follow
Blount Auditorium, Buckman Hall
4 – 5 p.m.  
Homecoming Collage Concert  
Performances by Rhodes Singers, Women’s Chorus, Rhodes Orchestra, Wind Ensemble, and Rhodes Jazz Band  
McNeill Concert Hall  
West Campus, 613 University

4 – 6 p.m.  
10-Year Belgium Maymester Reunion  
Rec Room, 3000 Broad Avenue

4:30 – 5:30 p.m.  
Alumni/Student Networking Activities  
Health Professionals Social  
051 Barret, Paul Barret, Jr. Library

Legal Professionals Social  
Cloister, Palmer Hall

5 – 6 p.m.  
LGBTQ Reception  
Sponsored by Rhodes College EquaLynx  
Spence Wilson Commons, Briggs Hall

5 – 7 p.m.  
Registration/Check-in Continues  
First Floor, Bryan Campus Life Center

5 – 7 p.m.  
Alumnae Artists: Celebrating 100 Years of Women at Rhodes  
Opening Reception  
Clough-Hanson Gallery, Clough Hall

5:30 p.m.  
Tour of Robertson Hall  
Meet in lobby

6 – 8 p.m.  
All Alumni Homecoming Cocktail Reception  
McCallum Ballroom, Bryan Campus Life Center

8 p.m.  
Shakespeare’s Women: A Celebration of the Women of Shakespeare  
Compiled by Arminda Thomas and Leslie Reddick ’82  
McCoy Studio Theatre

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**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28**

**9 – 11 a.m.**
Registration & Coffee  
Catherine Burrow Refectory

**9 – 10 a.m.**
Golden Lynx Brunch  
*Those celebrating their 50th reunion and beyond*  
The home of President Marjorie Hass & Dr. Lawrence Hass  
91 Morningside Place

**9:30 a.m.**
Alumni Campus Tour  
*(Includes the new Robertson Hall)*  
Meet at Diehl Court in front of Burrow Hall

**10 a.m. – 5 p.m.**
Women at Rhodes:  
100 Years of Achievement  
Exhibit of Images & Memorabilia  
Paul Barret, Jr. Library

**10 a.m. – 6 p.m.**
Bookstore open  
West Campus, 613 University  
*(Next to King Hall)*

**10 a.m. – 6 p.m.**
Greek Receptions  
At chapter–specific times

**10:30 a.m.**
Alumni Convocation  
*Annual Meeting of International Alumni Association, Presentation of Alumni Honors*  
Hardie Auditorium, Palmer Hall

**10:30 a.m.**
Psychology Department Reception & Book Signing  
Celebrating 50 Rhodes alumni who contributed to *Children’s Conflict Narratives: the Social, Emotional, & Moral Significance of Story Sharing*, the new book by Dr. Marsha Walton & Dr. Alice Davidson ’02  
Frazier Jelke Lobby

**11 a.m. – 5 p.m.**
Alumnae Artists:  
Celebrating 100 Years of Women at Rhodes Exhibit  
Clough-Hanson Gallery, Clough Hall

**11:45 a.m.**
Football Lynx Walk & Student-led Homecoming Parade  
Phillips Lane to Crain Field
12 – 1:45 p.m.
Homecoming Picnic, “A Taste of Memphis”
Enjoy Corky’s BBQ, Fino’s from the Hill, and Gus’s Fried Chicken
Bill & Carole Troutt Quad
$15 adults, $5 children ages 3-17, $40 family max

12 p.m.
Volleyball Match
Rhodes vs. Mississippi University for Women
Mallory Gymnasium

1 p.m.
Field Hockey Game
Rhodes vs. Hendrix
Mason Field at Farguson Fields

1:30 p.m.
Tour of Robertson Hall
Meet in lobby

1:30 – 3 p.m.
Crossroads to Freedom: 10th Anniversary Reunion
Dessert Reception & Exhibit
Covered walkway, Paul Barret, Jr. Library

2 p.m.
Football Game
Rhodes vs. Sewanee
Crain Field at Farguson Fields
Victory Beer Garden
Crain Field at Farguson Fields
(Souvenir cup included with beer purchase)

Whiteball Reunion
Whiteball Court

5 – 7 p.m.
BSA Reception
Wilson Fireside Lounge
Catherine Burrow Refectory

8 p.m.
Shakespeare’s Women: A Celebration of the Women of Shakespeare
Compiled by Arminda Thomas and Leslie Reddick ’82
McCoy Studio Theatre

Evening
Class Reunion Parties
9:30 p.m. – Midnight
The Generics, Alumni ’80s Band
Lynx Lair, Bryan Campus Life Center
All are welcome!
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29

11 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Rhodes Black Alumni Chapter Brunch
Spence Wilson Commons, Briggs Hall

12 p.m.
Field Hockey Alumni Game
Mason Field at Ferguson Field

Volleyball Match
Rhodes vs. Fontbonne University
Mallory Gymnasium

ALUMNI HONORS

Distinguished Alumnus Award
Joe McCord ’66

BSA Distinguished Alumnus Award
Sandra Waller Shelton ’76

Distinguished Service Alumna Award
Pat Morgan ’91
REUNION RECEPTIONS

1957 — 60th Reunion
Saturday, October 28
Golden Lynx Brunch
9 – 10 a.m.
The home of President Marjorie Hass & Dr. Lawrence Hass
91 Morningside Place

Buffet Dinner
5 – 7 p.m.
Library, Dorothy C. King Hall
$40 per person

1962 — 55th Reunion
Saturday, October 28
Golden Lynx Brunch
9 – 10 a.m.
The home of President Marjorie Hass & Dr. Lawrence Hass
91 Morningside Place

Buffet Dinner
5 – 7 p.m.
Orgill Room, Dorothy C. King Hall
$40 per person

1967 — 50th Reunion
Friday, October 27
Dinner
7:30 p.m.
Charlie Vergos’ Rendezvous
52 S. Second Street
Dutch Treat

Saturday, October 28
Golden Lynx Brunch
9 – 10 a.m.
The home of President Marjorie Hass & Dr. Lawrence Hass
91 Morningside Place

Cocktails & Dinner
6:30 p.m.
Home of Canon and Clay Hall
5470 Valleybrook Cove

Sunday, October 29
Brunch
11 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Orgill Room, Dorothy C. King Hall
$20 per person

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1972 — 45th Reunion
Saturday, October 28
Cocktail Reception
7 – 8:30 p.m.
Buckman Hall Lobby
$30 per person

1977 — 40th Reunion
Saturday, October 28
Dinner, Live Music and Dancing
6:30 – 11:30 p.m.
Marshall Arts, 639 Marshall Avenue
$50 per person
Wine & beer available for purchase

1982 — 35th Reunion
Saturday, October 28
Cocktail Reception
7 – 9 p.m.
Spence Wilson Commons, Briggs Hall
$30 per person

1987 — 30th Reunion
Saturday, October 28
Cocktail Reception
7:30 – 9:30 p.m.
Burrow Hall Lobby
$46 per person

1992 — 25th Reunion
Saturday, October 28
Buffet Dinner
7:30 – 9:30 p.m.
Hardie Auditorium, Palmer Hall
$40 per person
1997 — 20th Reunion
Friday, October 27
Cocktails & Conversation
9 p.m. – Midnight
Ernestine & Hazel’s, 531 S. Main Street

Saturday, October 28
Tour of Crosstown Concourse
(Formerly Sears Crosstown)
Limited to 25 guests
10 – 11 a.m.
1350 Concourse Avenue

Cocktail Reception
8:30 – 10:30 p.m.
Alchemy, 940 South Cooper Street
$27 per person

2002 — 15th Reunion
Friday, October 27
Cocktail Reception
8 - 10 p.m.
Loflin Yard, 7 West Carolina Avenue
$25 per person

Saturday, October 28
Cocktail Reception
8 - 10 p.m.
Railgarten, 2166 Central Avenue
$35 per person

2007 — 10th Reunion
Saturday, October 28
Reunion Tailgate
3 - 5 p.m.
Northeast Corner of Crain Field
$25 per person

2012 — 5th Reunion
Saturday, October 28
Cocktail Reception
5 - 7 p.m.
Covered walkway, Paul Barret, Jr. Library
$25 per person

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