

Brighton Schools Class of 1975

50th Anniversary Reunion 2025

How do I register for all or part of the reunion?

For your convenience, **the process of registering for each reunion event will take place on our website** at www.classreport.org/usa/ny/rochester/bhs/1975/. Once you've signed in to our website (see page 9 of this packet for instructions on how to sign in), you can indicate your attendance as "Yes," "No," or "Maybe" for each separate event.

The two greatest advantages of registering online for each event on our website are that it allows other classmates to see who will be attending, and it organizes all the responses into one place, reducing the workload for your reunion committee.

After you have signed in to our website and entered all the information requested on each registration page (the first and last names of anyone who's not a member of our class, such as spouses/partners, children, siblings, or friends, when permitted), click on "Continue" at the bottom of that page. That will record your entry (number of people attending and their names), some of which will be visible to our classmates when they click on the "Look Who's Coming" link below each "Register Online" button. If you notice that some of your friends haven't responded positively yet, please get in touch to encourage them to join you.

How can I tell who is planning to attend all or part of the reunion?

As long as everyone signs in to the class website to indicate whether or not they will be attending each of the reunion events, anyone can click on the "Look Who's Coming" link below each "Register Online" button. Only positive responses may be viewed. If you don't see the name of one of your friends as someone who is going to attend, contact your friend directly and encourage attendance.

How much will the reunion cost?

Costs are extremely reasonable, because there is a suggested donation amount for each event, giving you the option of paying more or less than the suggested amount, including not paying at all.

In order to keep registration prices low and allow classmates to pay any amount they wish for this reunion, we have reduced the prices to below our actual costs. Consequently, we are collecting contributions to offer the reduced prices and to allow those on a budget to pay less than the suggested price. We've raised about \$15,000 as of May 25 from a supportive group of classmates who have contributed \$500 or more, and we are seeking an additional \$10,000. Whether you're able to join us or not, you are encouraged to sponsor all or part of an event or to make a contribution to support our efforts that have allowed us to subsidize ticket prices.

How do I pay for what I've registered?

After you complete the registration process for each event, a new page will open on which there is a PayPal "Add to Cart" or "Buy Now" button. You can select the proper option to determine the amount to pay. If you continue to return to the tab of our website's home page,

you can register for one event after another and even indicate which event you will not be attending. Whenever you click on the PayPal “Add to Cart” or “Buy Now” button, your Shopping Cart will update to continue to reflect everything you’ve selected.

Please note that PayPal charges us 3.49% plus 49¢ for every transaction completed, regardless of whether or not you have a PayPal account or whether you pay through your bank account or a credit card. For a \$100 transaction, PayPal keeps \$3.98. For a \$260 transaction (two people attending the Friday Night Social, the Saturday Night Gala, and the Sunday Picnic), PayPal keeps \$9.56. Feel free to process an additional payment as your contribution to cover the PayPal fees and to help us to keep ticket prices very low.

Are there other ways to pay for what I’ve registered?

There are several other methods to pay for the reunion, as long as you first sign in to our website and complete your registration on the website by indicating which events you will attend and how many people total will attend, and by indicating which events you will not be attending.

1. If you have a PayPal account, go through the motions of updating your PayPal shopping cart to verify that you’ve registered for the proper number of events for the correct number of people and so you know what the total suggested contribution amount is. Then close the shopping cart page and sign in at www.paypal.com/us/digital-wallet/send-receive-money/send-money and pay from your PayPal balance or through your linked bank account by selecting the option of a personal payment to friends and family (“Sending to a friend”). Send your payment to [PayPal.me/MurrayLevison](https://www.paypal.me/MurrayLevison) or to Brighton75@aol.com. Using this option should be without cost to you and not incur any charges to your reunion committee. If you instead pay with your debit or credit card, you will be charged a fee of 2.9% plus 30¢. You must add a note to your payment so we know who is making the payment and what it’s for.
2. If you have a Venmo account, sign in and use this QR code or you can make a payment to www.Venmo.com/MurrayLevison (with 4262 being the last four digits of the account’s phone number). If you pay from your linked bank account, using this option should be free to you and not incur any charges to your reunion committee. You must add a note to your payment so we know who is making the payment and what it’s for.
3. Finally, you can write a check payable to classmate Kenneth J. Pink, CPA, and mail it to Linda Pink Cook at The Bonadio Group, 171 Sully’s Trail, Suite 201, Pittsford NY 14534. You must include a note so that we know who is making the payment and what it’s for.



Once paid, there will be no refunds. Contracts have been signed obligating payment to venues and suppliers. With prices already reduced below cost, refunds cannot be given.

Remember, regardless of which payment method you use, you must register for each event on our website. Also use the registration process to indicate if you are unable to attend one or more events. If, however, you have tried to register and continue to experience problems, send an email to Murray with the details and follow with a check.

To Make Contributions or for Reduced-Price Registrations

**Friday, August 8
2:00 A.M.**

[AT 2:00 A.M. ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 8, THERE IS NOT AN ACTUAL EVENT]

Read all instructions on the Registration page to select the amount you desire

Only register and pay for this Friday placeholder “event” if:

- ▶ You want to make a contribution to the reunion in addition to what you have registered for in order to cover the PayPal fees and/or to reduce the cost for other classmates;
- ▶ You are unable to attend and want to make a contribution to the reunion in order to reduce the cost for other classmates; or
- ▶ You want to pay less than the suggested price for one or more events and you wish to make one payment for everything you have registered for.

To ensure part of your payment or contribution isn't taken by PayPal, you can use Options 1 or 2 on the previous page to pay directly by PayPal or Venmo if you follow the instructions to pay without incurring a fee. You must register on the website regardless of your payment method.

Friday Evening Social

Friday, August 8
5:30 P.M. - 8:45 P.M.
Attire: dressy casual

Shadow Lake Golf and Racquet Club
1850 Five Mile Line Road, Penfield (between Atlantic Avenue and Whalen Road)

Suggested contribution is \$35 per person

Friday night is an opportunity for everyone to get together to catch up.
We will have heavy hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar for everyone to enjoy.
This is a great time for you to renew friendships and introduce yourself
to the classmates you didn't have a chance to know during our school years.

Friday Night Dining and Pool Party

Friday, August 8
9:00 P.M. - ?
Attire: pool party casual

Home of Michael Brunhuber '75 and Mary Marrocco
3 Paddington Place, Pittsford (off Pittsford Mendon Road near Knickerbocker Road)

No cost, although an additional contribution to the weekend is encouraged

Mary is a fabulous chef and baker and will be serving many delicious selections.
Bring a bathing suit and towel to enjoy the heated pool in an enormous backyard.

Bring alcohol to share.

Please, classmates and significant others only.

Share rides to the house because neighborhood parking is extremely limited.

Saturday Morning High School Tour

Saturday, August 9

9:50 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

Attire: casual

Meet at the flag pole near the center entrance of Brighton High School
1150 Winton Road South, Brighton

***No cost, although donations to the BHS PTSA Support Fund are encouraged.
Bring a check to the tour or mail to Principal Thomas Hall at the high school.***

Saturday Evening Gala

Saturday, August 9

5:00 P.M. - 11:00 P.M.

Attire: business/smart casual

George Eastman Museum
900 East Avenue, Rochester (enter just west of Westminster Road)

Suggested contribution is \$75 per person

Saturday night will be an elegant dinner in a stunning venue.
A delicious buffet will provide you with endless dining choices,
and there will be a cash bar.

The entire museum and gardens will be ours to tour and enjoy.
*Group photos will be taken very early and there will be a short program during the evening.
A continuous slide show will be playing at this event. Email any photos or memorabilia
you want included in the show to Eric Gager at EJGager@gmail.com.*

Sunday Afternoon and Evening Picnic

Sunday, August 10

1:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M.

Attire: picnic casual

King's Bend Park, North Lodge
170 West Jefferson Road, Pittsford (just east of Clover Street)

The nearby South Lodge has been reserved for those who graduated in 1975 from or attended
the other three high schools in Brighton:
McQuaid Jesuit, Our Lady of Mercy, and The Harley School

Suggested contribution is \$20 per person

Hotdogs, hamburgers and other typical picnic fare will be provided.
Bring alcohol to share. Feel free to bring other items to grill or share.
The North Lodge has an indoor capacity of 75 seats and
the South Lodge has an indoor capacity of 50 seats should the weather require it.

Brighton Schools Class of 1975 50th Anniversary Reunion 2025

Are you sure I'm a member of the Brighton Schools Class of 1975?

You do not have to be a 1975 graduate of Brighton High School in Brighton (Rochester), NY, to be a member of the Class of 1975. If you attended school with the Class of 1975 for any length of time, you are a member of our class.

Whether you attended kindergarten with us in 1962-63 (at Brookside, Council Rock, French Road, Meadowview, or Twelve Corners elementary schools), received your diploma at the graduation ceremonies on June 21, 1975, or joined us for one or more years in between (at any of the elementary schools, at Brookside or Twelve Corners middle schools, or at Brighton High), we consider you a part of our class. This includes those of you who graduated earlier or later or not at all, those who continued to live in Brighton and attended private school nearby (such as Harley, McQuaid, or Mercy) or elsewhere, and those who moved away to a nearby town or across the country. We want everyone to be accurately listed in our class roster.

How do I let you know whether I will attend the reunion?

Return to page 1 of this information packet to read about how to register for the reunion or to let us know that you will be unable to attend.

How do I update the information about me in the class roster?

The preferred method of updating your class roster information is by going to our website at www.classreport.org/usa/NY/Rochester/BHS/1975. See the separate instructions on "How to Sign In to the BHS 1975 Website" on page 9.

How do I update the contact information about missing classmates?

Pages 11-13 of this information packet show the names of the classmates we have not been able to contact. **If we do not have the email address of a classmate, that person will not receive this or any additional registration information about our reunion.**

Beginning in 2024, we made repeated efforts to contact each classmate to let everyone know about this reunion. We sent an email in March 2024 providing early notification of the reunion dates. We mailed postcards in January 2025, again reminding classmates of the reunion dates and asking for email addresses from those whose we didn't have. And we sent an email in March 2025 providing a list of the hotels at which group rates are available. In each communication we asked you to review the list of missing classmates and provide us with contact information. Because there are nearly 570 names in our class roster, we continue to rely on you to do the additional research and supply us with updated contact information.

If you have friends whose names appear on Pages 11-13 as "missing" it's not too late to direct them to our website at www.classreport.org/usa/NY/Rochester/BHS/1975 so they can

update their class directory information and read all the details about the reunion. Even if they are not able to attend the reunion this year, the online class directory continues to be the easiest way to remain in contact with each other.

Hotels and Airlines

On Pages 20-21 of this packet is information for the hotels at which we have reserved a block of rooms.

Airlines flying to Rochester are Allegiant, American, Avelo, Breeze, Delta, JetBlue, Southwest, Spirit, and United. Airlines flying to Buffalo include American, Delta, Frontier, JetBlue, Southwest, Sun Country, and United.

Memorabilia

We are collecting scanned copies of photos and other memorabilia of our Brighton experience. We've found that elementary school class photos are a great source of names of classmates who left Brighton schools before graduation. Also, if your senior photo isn't in a Brighton yearbook, please scan your graduation photo and send it and your other items to Murray Levison at Brighton75@aol.com. If you want your items to be featured in a continuous slide show that will be playing at the Saturday dinner, email a scan or a sharp photo to Eric Gager at EJGager@gmail.com.

How to Sign In to the BHS 1975 Website

As has been the case since March 2015 when we switched hosts, our class website:

- Is completely free to use
 - Is secure
 - Has no ads or pop-ups
 - Never sends any emails
 - Never displays your street address or phone number (although there are fields for that information, it is for class administrator use only; if yours has changed since 2015, send your current postal address to Brighton75@aol.com)
 - Allows you to choose whether or not your email address is visible to registered classmates (your email is not visible to anyone else, even if that other person uses Classreport.org for a different Brighton class year or a different school).
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To see our class website, go to www.classreport.org/usa/ny/rochester/bhs/1975/

In the center column of the website's home page, **there are three ways to get started:**

1. If you know the email address attached to your profile and remember your password, click on "Log In Here" and enter your email address and password.
2. If you know the email address attached to your profile but don't remember your password, click on "Log In Here" and then click on "Lost Password?" You'll be asked to enter your email address. If the email address you've entered matches the one in your profile, you'll be sent your password. Otherwise, follow step 3 to register as a new user.
3. If you have never registered or if you don't remember the email address and password for your profile, click on "First Visit Here? Click Here To Register." Follow the prompts to find your name (alphabetical by last name from your Brighton school days), and fill in the requested information. If your name isn't listed, it's because we hadn't previously identified you as a classmate. There is an option to add your name and profile information. Expect to be contacted by the class website administrator if you are adding yourself as a new classmate so that your class involvement can be verified.

When looking through the class directory, some of the information is only visible after you've signed in. You also must be signed in to indicate whether or not you plan to attend any reunion events.

If you are looking for the email address of a classmate, you may find the following entries in the email address field:

- "This address may be viewed by logged on BHS Alumni only" means you must first sign in to see the email address.
- "This address is not available" means we do NOT have the email address and we will not be able to use email to send information to this classmate.
- "This address has been marked Private" means we have the email address but the classmate doesn't wish to share it with classmates.

If you want to add or change the photographs posted for your directory entry, you'll have to email it to Murray at Brighton75@aol.com. The ideal size of a photo is 160 pixels high with a width of something less than 160. The file size must be less than 20KB. Acceptable formats are JPG, GIF, and BMP. Unfortunately, PNG format is not supported. Please, classmate's head and shoulders only.

If you have any trouble with the class website or have questions, please contact Murray Levison at Brighton75@aol.com.

Please Help Us Locate These Brighton 1975 Classmates
Alphabetical by School Last Name
as of July 11, 2025

Classmates for whom we do not have a good email address

Lynn Abelson Liebman
Robert Adel Jr.
Shauna Allen Tucker
Valerie Anzalone Niewieroski
Robert Applebaum
Claire Arneson Hutchinson
Sheila Bagley Bonanno
Nancy Baker Rowe
Michael (Mike) Baskin
Mark Bayer
Sara Belcher-Barnes
Pamela (Pam) Bentley Titus
Carl Berg
Elizabeth (Liz) Berkeley
Ronald (Ron) Berlove
Jerome (Jerry) Blair
Douglas (Doug) Blighton
Margaret (Peggy) Brehmer-Hull
William (Bill) Breidenbach Jr.
Cynthia Brewster
Ann Bullwinkel Hynes
Edward (Ed) Bunce
Mary Buscemi Sarkis
Sandra (Sandi) Cain-Hoffman
Donna Cassan
Douglas (Doug) Castle
Elisabeth (Betsy) Cherr Stone
Catherine (Cathy) Clay Spratt
Susan (Susie) Clough Knettle
Aimee Cohen
Patricia (Trish) Culver Ewen
Linda Cutler Kelley
Diane (Deedee) Davis
Mary Dean Brown
Robert (Bob) DeGraff
Doreen Dignan
Daniel (Dan) Dillon
Pamela (Pam) Dobbs
Jack Eisenschmid
Douglas (Doug) Elson

Kevin Emmons
Bonnie Fadden Rose
Luis Antonio (Tony) Fernandez
Richard (Rick) Fischer
Beth Flanigan Croix
Steven (Steve) Goldberg
Robert (Bob) Goodrich Strauss
Rebecca (Becky) Gorsica Saager
Roberta Grainger
Gary Greenstein
Jeffrey (Jeff) Hamburg
Randall (Randy) Heiney
Elise Hilf Levine
Mark Hirsch
Patricia (Patti) Isner Kapner
Jane (Randie) Jackson Chiavelli
Robert (Bob) Kamm
William (Bill) Kasiner
Robert (Bob) Kass
Robyn Kass Morgan
Barry Katz
Wendy Keim Harian
John Kent
Scott Klein
Peter Koenig
Arthur (Art) Konar
Douglas (Doug) LaBudde Jr.
Eric Larson
Ramona LeCesse Coro
Donald (Don) Lenhard
Terri Lester Burger
David Lindenmuth
Mark Loomis
Peter Luellen
Mary (Jo-Jo) Maney Mongeon
Kathleen (Kathy) McDonough Layton
Judy Mietz Dawson
David (Dave) Miller
Anita Moore DeMitty
Kyle Myers

Walid Nicola
Mary (Elizabeth, Liz) Noonan Zicari
Alan Nusbaum
Mary Ellen Orgel Tait
Mitchell (Mitch) Osur
Robert (Bob) Peters
Frank Pitts
Timothy (Tim) Randall
Robert (Bob) Reardon Jr.
Lesley Reiner Daniels
Gregory (Greg) Roat
Nancy Rogachefsky Soifer
Therese Rogers Cottrell
Laurie Rubin Getsloff
Susan (Susie) Schiller Kabrich
Edward (Ed) Senecker
Ivy Shelby
Charlotte (Charsie) Sibley
Blake Smith
Julie Smith Ciaccia
Donald (Don) Snyder

Barbara (Barb) Solomon
Cynthia (Cindy) Spadone Mantegna
Aileen Springer Goodenow
Katherine (Kathy) States Burke
Eric Steckerl
Paul Stemler
James (Jim) Stewart
Terrence (Terry) Sullivan
John (Kelley) Summers
James (Jim) Talpey
Judy Taylor
David Todd
Ann Tranello Goodenough
Kristine (Kris) Tuke Murray
Nancy Vasile Saporito
Jeffrey (Jeff) Vink
Douglas (Doug) Weinberg
Shelley Weinstein Levin
Leslie White
Jill Wolk Rohrberg
Jennifer Young Blakeman

**If you know how to contact any of these classmates,
send your information to Brighton75@aol.com
or encourage them to register on our website at
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or a good postal address**

Nicholas (Nick) Adams
Juliana (Julie) Alwardt King
J Barnes
Timothy (Tim) Bornhorst
Mark Boyer
Rossy Brunstein
Paula Burns
Lisa Canis Reynolds
Cynthia (Cyndi) Chapman Begy
Walter Coapman
Anne-Marie Corcoran
Sara Crouch Morrow
Stephen (Steve) Crowley
Mark Damoth
Dawn Darragh or Dearragh
David Dunn
Mark Ellis
Marjorie (Margie) Feller
Stuart Forbes
Nancy Geckeler Shelton
James Gillis
James Gilmore
Lauri Gordon
Edward (Ed) Guck
Cynthia (Cindy) Hallenbeck Libby
Glenn Harris
Eva Hugyecz
Mary Ivison
Rhonda Jeffers
Gordana Jevtic
Jerry Keilson
Roderick (Rod) Kiner
Steven (Steve) Lazerson
Cathy Lewis
K (female) Littell
Frederick W. (Bill) McNabb III

Christine (Chris) Meagher Levato
Arthur Miller
Jeffrey (Jeff) I. Miller
Marcia Miller
Mark Mulligan
James Murphy
Katherine Murphy Jarmusz
Pamela Nelson
Betsy O'Brien
Sean O'Connor or O'Connell
Wendy Olander
L Poole
Gary Powell
Susan (Sue) Purser Haskell
Theresa (Tracy) Ralph
Robert Rees
Debra Reisinger DeGraff
Sarah Reynolds
Joseph (Skippy, Skip) Ribstein III
Anne Saisselin
Almut Schmidt
Andrea Schuelke
Edward (Eddie) Seiner
Richard (Rich) Selby
Deborah Sledge
Eric Smith
Stephanie Smith
Becki Soderlund
Mary Ann Soebbing
Eric Spiess
Pamela Stephenson
Jeanne Tomalty Borrelli
Fred Weber
Kathleen (Kathy) Weider
Steve Willson

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or encourage them to register on our website at
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November 5, 2023

Classmates,

This was the survey of
prior reunion attendees
sent by email in November
2023.

For some of us, we've known each other since September 1962 in kindergarten - more than 60 years. For many others, it's been more than 50 years since our first day at Brighton High in September 1971. And for all of us, 2025 will mark the 50th anniversary of when our class was graduated from Brighton High School, whether you were there for all 13 school years or not.

It's time to make definite plans for our 50th anniversary gathering in 2025. We need to hear from you on a few key details. And we're asking you because you are in a select group of classmates who, during the prior four reunions, have been among our most consistent attendees. Without you, our reunions couldn't take place.

Please answer a few questions below about what you'd like to see in 2025.

Additionally, there continue to be classmates for whom we do not have an email address, so we are unable to easily and quickly communicate with them. And there are some classmates for whom we do not have an email address OR a street address, so we're unable to reach them at all. Please review the list of "missing classmates" located on the home page of our website at <https://www.classreport.org/usa/ny/rochester/bhs/1975/>. From the home page, click on "Click Here for Reunion Documents" on the left side at the bottom of the 50 Year Reunion Announcement box.

Send us any contact information for these missing classmates that you have. You can also update your profile on our website and find contact information for your classmates there. How to sign in to your profile can be found at the "Click Here for Reunion Documents" link.

If you're willing to help, the greatest need we have is in tracking down missing classmates. Murray and Ken have willingly volunteered significant time to plan and manage the reunion. Tracking down missing classmates will have to be done by others. We will joyfully receive the results of your search efforts.

Once a date for the reunion is known, we'll need your help in contacting classmates to give them your personal encouragement to attend.

Thank you for making '75 Best Alive!

Murray Levison
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Brighton75@aol.com

Ken Pink
(585) 249-2834
KPink@bonadio.com

The survey closed on December 1, 2023

SURVEY QUESTIONS

A PDF version of this survey is available on our website at <https://www.classreport.org/usa/ny/rochester/bhs/1975/>. From the home page, click on "Click Here for Reunion Documents" on the left side at the bottom of the 50 Year Reunion Announcement box.

1. Including only May through October 2025, which months would be acceptable to you for our reunion?
2. Dates to avoid: Let us know those dates and what the conflicts are. Please don't list any dates that affect only you - we have to plan for the greatest number of people.
 - Are there specific weekends from May to October 2025 that should be avoided because of potential conflicts for a large number of classmates?
 - Are there special events scheduled in Rochester that would make visiting at that time more challenging?
3. Events that are run by paid staff, such as at restaurants or other party venues, reduce the work required by classmates but add to the cost. A Sunday picnic, while very informal, has required a significant level of classmate participation for shopping, setting up, cooking, and cleaning up.
 - Should we hold a Sunday picnic and are you prepared to take on a significant role in planning and running the event?
4. A sit-down dinner on Saturday night seems appropriate to celebrate a 50th anniversary reunion. Among the following ranges of per-person costs, what is the highest that you would be willing to pay just for a Saturday dinner, including food, service charge, tax, and gratuity?
 - Under \$100
 - \$100-\$124
 - \$125-149
 - \$150-\$174
 - \$175-\$199
 - \$200-\$224
 - \$225-249
 - \$250 and over
5. Event schedule:
 - During how many days should events be scheduled?
 - Which days of the week should events be held?

The survey closed on December 1, 2023

6. Affordability is always a concern, especially for classmates who live more than a few hours away who may need to pay for airfare, lodging, and/or car rental. Those living closer who are on a fixed income may also have challenges.
- Is it more important that no one feels that cost is an impediment to attending?
 - Or, is it more important that the events be of the highest caliber regardless of cost?
7. What do you think about an option to list a suggested price for each event but let attendees pay any amount that they are comfortable with, even if that amount is zero? We used this concept for our 2015 reunion, which required a pool of funds to be available from classmate contributions.
8. Financial contributions:
- Would you be willing to contribute \$250 or more to reduce the cost of events to make them more affordable to more people?
 - Would you be willing to ask at least five other classmates to make a similar contribution?
9. At least 25 of our classmates graduated from McQuaid or Mercy and others attended those schools before transferring to Brighton. Should we try to arrange one joint event with both the McQuaid class of 1975 and the Mercy class of 1975?
10. Tracking down missing classmates:
- Are you willing to commit to reviewing the list of missing classmates on our website and, working alone or with some of your friends, obtaining an email address from at least five missing classmates and/or encouraging at least five missing classmates to email us or update their profile on our website?

Feel free to add your comments or suggestions. Please indicate if you are willing to take a leadership role in implementing your suggestions. Without your participation, it may be difficult to implement some ideas.

Thank you.

Name

Dates Announced for Brighton '75 50th Anniversary Reunion

From: Murray Levison (brighton75@aol.com)

To: brighton75@aol.com

Date: Thursday, March 21, 2024 at 11:41 PM PDT

This was the advance notice of the dates and a preliminary schedule sent by email in March 2024.

Thank you to the dozens of classmates who responded to our reunion questionnaire. You preferred that our 50th Anniversary reunion in 2025 take place during the summer and that we avoid holidays, college graduations, homecomings, and major public events in Rochester. We have delivered.



We are excited to announce that our reunion will take place from Friday, August 8, to Sunday, August 10, 2025. Please block these dates on your calendars so you can attend.

On Friday we will gather for an evening of casual conversation at a cocktail party at Shadow Lake Golf Club.

Saturday evening will bring us to an elegant dinner at the George Eastman House and Museum, where the entire building and gardens will be ours to enjoy.

Our memorable weekend will end with a Sunday afternoon picnic at a local park.

More details will be provided in the coming months.

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Using Our Class Website

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Note: If the only email address you receive this notice at is a business address, we would hate to lose touch with you after you retire or otherwise leave that employment. Please provide us with a personal email address that we can keep in reserve.

We look forward to seeing you in August 2025. And thank you for making '75 Best Alive!

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Murray Levison
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Dear classmate,

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We sent you a save-the-date email in March 2024. If you didn't see it, add **Brighton75@aol.com** to your contact list. We will be relying on email for this event and may use an e-invitation app to assist us. If you've changed your email address or street address in the past 10 years, please update your contact information on our website. And let us know how to reach anyone "missing" or we aren't able to contact.

You are a member of our class if you attended Brighton schools with us at any time starting in kindergarten in 1962-63 through graduation in 1975. This includes those who graduated early or later or not at all, those who stayed in Brighton and went to a private school, and those who moved away nearby or across the country.

Your reunion contacts are Ken Pink at KPink@bonadio.com or (585) 249-2834 and Murray Levison at Brighton75@aol.com or (916) 508-4262. See you in August!

Murray Levison
PO Box 128
Davis CA 95617

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We will be relying on email to communicate about the reunion and **WE DO NOT HAVE YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS**. Please send it to Murray Levison at **Brighton75@aol.com** or add it to your profile in the class directory on our website. Let us know how to reach anyone we haven't been able to contact.

Graduation from Brighton High in June 1975 is not required to be a member of our class. If you attended Brighton schools with us for any period of time starting in kindergarten in 1962-63, you are a member of our class. This includes those who graduated early or later or not at all, those who stayed in Brighton and transferred to a private school, and those who moved away nearby or across the country.

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Brighton 50th Reunion Accommodations Details

From: Murray Levison (brighton75@aol.com)

To: brighton75@aol.com

Date: Thursday, March 6, 2025 at 12:12 PM GMT-7

This was the information
about group rates at hotels
sent by email in March
2025.



Dear Classmates,

While temps dip in to the single digits in Rochester, your 50th Anniversary Reunion committee has been hard at work dreaming of summer and creating an experience befitting our special anniversary. We are excited to share the itinerary and information about reserving your accommodations.

You know the dates – August 8-10, 2025. Below are the details for our reunion weekend.

The Schedule

- Friday, August 8 – We will gather for an evening of casual conversation at a cocktail party at Shadow Lake Golf Club in Penfield.
- Saturday, August 9 – The venue is the historic and elegant George Eastman House and Museum, where the entire building and gardens will be ours to enjoy for dinner and mingling.
- Sunday, August 10 – An afternoon picnic at King's Bend Park in Pittsford will round out the weekend. An additional lodge has been reserved for those who graduated in 1975 from or attended the other three high schools in Brighton - McQuaid Jesuit, Our Lady of Mercy, and The Harley School.

Registration

- Registration materials will become available in early April. Thanks to the generosity of a number of our classmates, the price of our events will not be a barrier for anyone wishing to attend, meaning you only need to pay what you can afford.

Online Class Directory

- The best way to ensure that you see your favorite classmates at our reunion is for you to invite them personally. Use our class directory at <https://www.classreport.org/usa/ny/rochester/bhs/1975/> to find contact information on those classmates you want to see in person. If the email address of your friends is incorrect or missing from our class directory, they may not learn about this event.
- There continue to be classmates for whom we do not have an email address, so we are unable to easily and quickly communicate with them the exciting news about our reunion dates. And there are some classmates for whom we do not have an email address OR a street address, so we're unable to reach them at all. Please review the list of "missing classmates" found at the "[Click Here for Reunion Documents](#)" link located on the home page of our website.

Street Address

If you did not receive a postcard mailed to you on January 28, 2025, it probably means we do not have your street address. Please sign in to our website at <https://www.classreport.org/usa/ny/rochester/bhs/1975/> to update your directory information.

Hotel Accommodations

Identify yourself as a member of the BHS Class of 75 50th reunion to receive special rates. Deadline to receive special rates is July 7. See below for details and reservation links.

We look forward to seeing you in August. And thank you for making '75 Best Alive!

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Hotel	Address	Phone	Link	Type of Room	Rate	Special Instructions
Country Inn & Suites	2835 Monroe Avenue	585-449-9390	CountryInnReservationLink	Queen Double	\$189	
Double Tree - Hilton	1111 Jefferson Road	585-475-1510	DoubleTreeReservationLink	Double or King	\$189	
Hampton Inn - Rochester - Downtown	101 South Main Street	585-450-3801	HamptonInnReservationLink	Queen Double	\$183	
Holiday Inn & Suites	800 Jefferson Road	585-475-9190	HolidayInnReservationLink		\$169 (w/ out breakfast). \$179 (w/ breakfast)	If you choose the dates of the reunion, you'll see the code BRG (Brighton Reunion Group)
Strathallan	550 East Avenue	585-461-5010	StrathallanLink	Subject to Availability	15% off	Click "Reserve a room" and enter your dates. Click the Special Rates box and enter the code P05 into the "Promo Code" Box, check rooms & rates, select your room type and proceed with the rest of the reservation.

Brighton 75 Reunion Registration Now Open

From: Murray Levison (brighton75@aol.com)

To: brighton75@aol.com

Date: Saturday, May 31, 2025 at 08:45 PM PDT

This was the notice that registration was open sent by email in May 2025.

Classmates,

The time has arrived to commit to attending the Brighton Class of 1975's 50th Anniversary Reunion, to be held in Rochester from August 8 to August 10.

Your reunion committee has put together an impressive list of events to entertain and feed you, all while you reconnect with classmates you may have known since kindergarten in September 1962. You'll also have ample time to introduce yourselves to those you may not have known during your school years, either because we went to different elementary or middle schools, or because we were typical kids and stayed within a smaller circle of friends.

The process of registering for each reunion event will take place entirely on our website at www.classreport.org/usa/ny/rochester/bhs/1975/. Once you've signed in to our website, you can indicate your attendance as "Yes," "No," or "Maybe" for each separate event.

Payment for all events also will take place on our website. Costs are extremely reasonable, because there is a suggested price for each event, giving you the option of paying more or less than the suggested amount, including not paying at all. In order to encourage attendance, we have reduced prices to below our actual costs while also allowing you to make a contribution to the weekend to help subsidize ticket prices for those who have more limited resources.

The first thing you should do is to download and save the fact-filled information packet from our website. Use the "Click Here for Reunion Documents" link at the very bottom of the blue box on the left side of the home page. In the packet you'll find information about registering and paying, details about all events, instructions on how to sign in to the website, a (too long) list of classmates whose email addresses we do not have and who will not be receiving this email, a list of hotels at which there are group rates, and prior communications sent about this reunion.

Over the next few weeks, check back on the website to see which classmates have reported that they will be attending each event. If you don't see your friends' names on the list of attendees, reach out personally and encourage them to join you. And if you have a way to connect with anyone whose email address we don't have, please pass along the reunion information, then encourage them to enter their email address into the online class directory or send it to your reunion committee co-chairs.

We look forward to seeing you soon!

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