

2010 Alumni Events

Apr	
29/5-1	UMAA Board of Directors, Washington, DC
29	Alumni Event Washington, DC
May	
5	Griz Grad Fiesta - UM Campus
13-15	Class Reunions '40, '50, '60-UM Campus
15	Commencement - UM Campus
June	
23	Alumni Event-Chicago
July	
15	Alumni Night - Missoula Osprey
Aug	
12	Out to Lunch, Missoula (UMAA joint sponsorship)
Sept	
TBA	Welcome Feast-Campus
TBA	Ice Cream Social-Campus
11	Griz v Cal Poly Tailgate-San Luis Obispo
18	Griz v EWU Tailgate-Cheney
19	Homecoming Kick-off, Southgate Mall
23-24	HOD Annual Meeting
24	1970 Class Reunion International Reunion Pep Rally, SOS, Bonfire, Fireworks Distinguished Alumni Awards All Alumni Reunion & Dance
25	Homecoming Parade, TV Tailgate Griz v SAC State Football
Oct	
2	Griz v UNC Tailgate, Greeley
16	Griz v PSU Tailgate, Portland
Nov	
20	Griz/Cat Satellite Football Parties

2010 International Travel

May/June	
27 / 6-4	Dordogne, France
Sept	
12-20	Ancient Greece & Turkey Cruise
Oct	
17-30	Mediterranean Inspiration

For updates visit www.grizalum.com

As always, we love to hear from you. Please keep in touch and contact us any-time with questions, comments, or to just share some news. 1.877.UM.ALUMS (1.877.862.5867) or jodi.moreau@umontana.edu

HOD Nominations / Applications Due April 23rd

UMAA is accepting nominations/applications for new House of Delegates members.

We are looking for UM alumni volunteers who would enjoy promoting The University of Montana and the Alumni Association. Opportunities range from assisting Enrollment Services with student recruitment, to various outreach activities, to Ask-an-Alum career mentoring program, to legislative relations, etc.

Please take a few moments to consider UM alumni you feel would be great UM representatives as delegates. Each spring new delegates are chosen with the approval of the UMAA Board of Directors. Delegates serve three-year terms and have the option of becoming an emeritus member at the end of their three-year commitment. Delegates are asked to attend the annual delegates meeting held in Missoula at Homecoming each fall.

We have 're-tooled' the [HOD application/nomination form](#) making it easier to submit information on-line. Nominations /applications need to be back to UMAA by **Friday, April 23rd**.

UMAA says goodbye to valued colleagues

Assistant Director of Alumni Relations, Crystal Wood, has decided to focus on completing her UM degree and will dedicate herself to it full-time starting May 14. Previously residing in Fairbanks, AK, Crystal and her family moved to Missoula in '04. She joined the Alumni Relations office in March '05 as a database technician and moved her way up the ranks to Assistant Director in a few short years. Crystal looks forward to future networking as a UM Alum! We are really going to miss her and wish her the very best with her new endeavor.



Betsy Holmquist, long-time employee of UMAA and proud alumna has announced her retirement, effective May 28th. Betsy came to UMAA in 1986. Over the years she's done data entry and on- and off-campus outreach, from Homecomings to Big Screen Parties, from House of Delegates to Community Lecture Series. Since 1999 she's been the writer/editor, putting out the newsletter, writing "Class Notes" and profiles for the Montanan, and checking for good grammar around the office. We'll sure miss you Bets—keep in touch.

Social Networking ~ UMAA Style

- Interested in finding a former classmate, sorority sister or fraternity brother?
- Starting a discussion group about things of interest in your community?
- Submitting or reading a class note?

Check out UMAA's very own Online Community at www.grizalum.com, exclusively for UM alumni—and it's free! Once registered you will be able to search for alumni, set up a permanent email address, share career advice or find a mentor, post your resume, start or join an online discussion group, view photo galleries, plus tons more!

[Register now](#) to become a member of our online community and take advantage of all the benefits it has to offer. If you need help, either [click here](#) for registration assistance or contact UMAA at 1.877.UM.ALUMS.



Homecoming ~ 2010

Make your plans early - the HOD Leadership Sessions are just around the corner, **Thursday, September 23**, on the UM Campus and **Friday, September 24**, morning at the Holiday Inn Downtown Parkside. For Homecoming hotel information and football ticket availability, visit the UMAA website www.grizalum.com for details. And check back later in the summer for a 2010 House of Delegates Leadership Session agenda.