



# 2012 Old Guard Alumni Reunion

## Schedule of Events • May 16 – 18, 2012

### Wednesday, May 16

- 10:30 AM Optional: Golf On Your Own  
*The Pete Dye River Course*
- 3 – 7 PM Reunion Registration and Information  
*The Inn at Virginia Tech, Grand Staircase*
- 3 – 6 PM Hospitality Center  
*Holtzman Alumni Center (HAC) Gallery, 2nd floor*
- 5:30 PM Special Anniversary Class Receptions  
**Class of 1952**  
*The Inn at Virginia Tech, Latham Ballroom A*
- Classes of 1942, 1947, and 1957**  
*The Inn at Virginia Tech, Latham Ballroom C*
- 6:30 PM Special Anniversary Class Dinners  
**Class of 1952 Anniversary Dinner**  
With special guest speaker: James J. Owen '49,  
Associate Professor Emeritus, Department of English  
*The Inn at Virginia Tech, Latham Ballroom A*
- Combined Classes of 1942, 1947, and 1957  
Anniversary Dinner**  
With special guest speaker Dr. George Simmons Jr.,  
Alumni Distinguished Professor Emeritus, Biology  
*The Inn at Virginia Tech, Latham Ballroom C*

### Thursday, May 17

- 6:30 AM – 6 PM Coffee Service  
*The Inn at Virginia Tech, Continental Divide*
- 8 AM – 5 PM Hospitality Center  
*HAC Gallery, 2nd floor*
- 8 AM – 12 PM Reunion Registration and Information  
*The Inn at Virginia Tech, Grand Staircase*
- 8 AM Hosted College Breakfasts (see back of name tag)  
**College of Agriculture – Latham Ballroom B**  
**College of Architecture – Latham Ballroom C**  
**College of Business – Latham Ballroom D**  
**College of Engineering – Latham Ballroom C**  
**College of Liberal Arts – 1872 Salon**  
**College of Natural Resources – Preston's**  
**College of Science – Old Guard**

### Thursday, May 17, continued

- 9:30 AM Presentation on the Growth of the Blacksburg  
Community and Research Initiatives by:  
Dr. Joe Meredith Jr. '69  
President of Corporate Research Center  
Leslie Hager-Smith  
Vice-Mayor of Blacksburg  
*The Inn at Virginia Tech, Latham Ballroom A*
- 11:45 AM\* Buses Depart for Lunch at  
Historic Smithfield Plantation  
**\*Be in the lobby of the Inn by 11:30 AM**
- 12 PM Lunch with Presentation by Bill Foster, President  
of Historic Smithfield Plantation Foundation  
*Historic Smithfield Plantation Pavilion*
- 1:30 PM – 4 PM Tour Two New Campus Buildings:  
• Honors Residential College, East Ambler Johnston  
• Visitor Center and Undergraduate Admissions
- 4 – 7 PM Registration Reopens  
*The Inn at Virginia Tech, Grand Staircase*
- 6 PM Old Guard Reception with Host Bar  
Musical guest: Stevan Jackson  
*The Inn at Virginia Tech, Latham Foyer*
- 7 PM Old Guard Banquet with special guest speaker  
University President Charles W. Steger  
Musical guests: Stevan Jackson and DJ Earl Brown  
*Latham Ballroom A*

### Friday, May 18

- 7 – 8 AM Coffee Service  
*The Inn at Virginia Tech, Continental Divide*
- 8 – 10 AM Breakfast Buffet  
*Latham Ballroom A*  
With special guests:  
Jim Thompson  
Virginia Tech Head Men's Tennis Coach  
Dr. John Robertson  
Director of the Center for Comparative Oncology  
Major General Randy Fullhart  
Commandant of the Corps of Cadets
- Old Guard Business Meeting  
Election of 2012-2013 Old Guard Officers  
and Advisory Board  
Announcements and Adjournment

