



# Reunion JUNE 8-11 2023

SARAH LAWRENCE COLLEGE

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# Citation Awardees

# Reunion 2023 Citation Award Winners

# **Citation Award for Achievement**

Robin Lin Miller '83 Frances Grimstad '08

# Citation Award for Service to the College

Jeannine Jones '98

Join us on Saturday morning at 11 a.m. in the Barbara Walters Campus Center to celebrate these remarkable alumni!

# General Information

# **Barbara Walters Campus Center**

Our newest space, opened in the fall of 2019, the Campus Center is a great place to meet up and visit with old friends!

Thursday 3-7 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m.-Midnight Saturday 9 a.m.-Midnight Sunday 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

# Please note:

Food will not be available for purchase.

# **Campbell Sports Center**

Alumni and their guests may use the fitness center, gymnasium, squash courts, running track, and pool. Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.

Thursday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday 8-10 a.m.

**Open Swim Hours:** 

Thursday 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Friday 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday 8-10 a.m.

# **Campus Shuttle Service**

Shuttle service around campus and to the Bronxville train station is available throughout the weekend. Campus shuttles are equipped with GPS tracking that you can view to confirm arrival times and location by downloading the TransLoc app on your smartphone. You can access the train schedule at mta.info or via the Metro-North Train Time app on your smartphone.

Vans and golf carts will be circling campus during reunion. Simply wave and they will take you where you need to go!

For alumni staying at the Hyatt, Hampton Inn, or SpringHill Suites, please call Campus Safety at 914.395.2209 to request shuttle service at least 30 minutes prior to pickup.

Shuttles from the Hyatt, Hampton Inn, or SpringHill Suites will be available during the following hours:

Thursday 3-9 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m.-1 a.m. Saturday 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

4:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m.

Sunday 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

# **Campus Tours**

Looking forward to a stroll down memory lane? Join current students for a guided tour of campus. Departing from the Barbara Walters Campus Center Circle, Andrews Parking Lot.

Sign-up sheet at registration in the Barbara Walters Campus Center.

Friday 3:45-4:30 p.m. Saturday 4-5 p.m.

# Esther Raushenbush Library & Archives

Alumni are welcome to visit and use the library during their stay. The annual Alumni Authors display will be located on the main level.

Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Computers are located on the upper level of the library. To log on to a computer: username is *user* and password is *user*.

# History Matters: A Walk Through the Sarah Lawrence Archives Barbara Walters Campus Center, Barbara Walters Gallery

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Friday 11:30 a.m.-6 p.m.

Saturday 1-6 p.m.

# Share Your Sarah Lawrence Story Heimbold Visual Arts Center, Soundstage (lower level)

Record your Sarah Lawrence story with Tim Kail, Library Creative Resources Coordinator, for the Sarah Lawrence Archives. Reserve your spot at the registration desk in the Barbara Walters Campus Center.

Friday 2-6 p.m. Saturday 2-6 p.m.

### Internet

You will have wireless internet access on campus during Reunion Weekend.

# Shop SLC

Make sure to visit our swag store at the Performing Arts Center (PAC) and score some fantastic SLC merch. Debit, credit cards, and Apple Pay accepted.

Thursday 4-6 p.m. Friday 1-7 p.m. Saturday 1-7 p.m.

Sunday 10 a.m.-12 noon

# **Local Transportation**

## **AIRPORT SERVICES:**

Please call for fares. It's best to give as much notice as possible to ensure that cars will be available.

Break to the Border 914.664.4444

Bronxville Depot Taxi 914.337.8311

Eastchester Trip Service 914.337.3727 Reservations should be booked ahead 24 hours or more.

MATRIX Limousine 914.237.9700

## **TAXI CABS:**

# **Bronxville Depot Taxi**

Bronxville Station (northbound side) 914.337.8311 Hours of operation: 4:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m.

### MATRIX Limousine

NY Metro Area www.matrixlimos.com 914.237.9700 Open 24 hours

# **Phone Numbers**

## **Campus Safety**

914.395.2222 (emergency only) 914.395.2209 (non-emergency)

### Alumni Office

Phone: 914.813.9219

Email: alum@sarahlawrence.edu

# **Campbell Sports Center**

914.395.2560

**Library** 914.395.2474

# **Checking In & Checking Out**

If you are staying on campus, you may pick up and return your keys at the registration table in the Barbara Walters Campus Center from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. If you are arriving or departing outside of those hours, please call Campus Safety at 914.395.2209 and an officer will meet you at Andrews Circle. Please return your keys in the envelope you received them in.

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# Schedule of Activities

# Thursday, June 8

# Registration

3-7 p.m.

**Barbara Walters Campus Center** 

# **Welcome Seminar & Supper**

6-8:30 p.m.

Heimbold Visual Arts Center

# Friday, June 9

# Registration

8:30 a.m.-7 p.m.

**Barbara Walters Campus Center** 

## **Breakfast**

8:30-10 a.m.

Barbara Walters Campus Center

## **Session I:**

**Seminars and Workshops** 

9:30-11 a.m.

# GIVING, TAKING, AND CHEATING: THE ECOLOGY OF SYMBIOSIS with Michelle Hersh, Biology Alice Ilchman Science Center,

Room 103

From gut flora of animals to fungi living in tree roots, symbioses are important and widespread throughout the natural world. We can broadly define symbiosis as different species living together in a close association of any nature, from mutualism to parasitism. In this seminar, we will explore how symbioses are developed, maintained, and broken down, and consider the scientific challenges to understanding the function of such associations. We will place a special emphasis on mutualisms, or interactions in which both partners benefit —unless, of course, one cheats.

# IDEAS OF AFRICA: AFRICA WRITES BACK with Mary Dillard, African History and Global Studies

# Heimbold 208

The continent of Africa has variously been described as: the birthplace of humanity, the "Motherland," a country, a continent, "Mother Africa," and a "heart of darkness." All of these descriptions reflect representations of Africa, but how accurately do they reflect reality? The goal of this seminar is to study the intellectual history of what we know-or think we know-about modern Africa. Why is it that some of the most prominent images of Africa today are either negative (i.e. Africa as a diseased, hungry, war-ravaged continent) or romanticized (i.e., Africa as a mother figure, birthplace of civilization, or lush nature preserve)? A central theme of our discussions will be that ideas have a history that is as powerful as radioactive isotopes. In other words, ideas maintain a shelf-life, even when their origins have long become obscured. Unfortunately, this has profound implications for Africa's place in a modern, media driven, globalized world where image can be as important as reality.

# NARRATIVE STRATEGIES: READING FICTION AS A WRITER with David Hollander MFA '97, Writing Esther Raushenbush Library, Pillow Room

I am currently (at the time of writing this description) teaching a course titled "Narrative Strategies: Reading Fiction as a Writer." We're breaking fiction down into various strategies (first-person strategies, third-person strategies, language-driven strategies, structure-driven strategies, etc.) and learning how decisions at the level of style drive and shape the content of fictional works; we're then practicing what we've learned in our own weekly fictions. This one-session Reunion event will try to replicate, in miniature, this rhythm. We'll look at two or three very short stories with unique engines and discuss how language and structure

combine to generate energy on the page. And then we'll spend some time writing, employing what we've learned, and sharing some of the results. Bring pen, paper, and a healthy dose of playfulness!

## Luncheons

11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

50th Reunion Lunch with President Cristle Collins Judd Class of '73 and earlier President's House

Reunion Lunch with All Other Classes
Barbara Walters Campus Center

# **Local Tours**

1:45-4 p.m.

Departing from the Barbara Walters Campus Center Circle, Andrews Parking Lot

# Tour of the Sarah Lawrence College Center for the Urban River at Beczak (CURB)

Explore the College's academic research facility on the banks of the Hudson River at Habirshaw Park. The center features a welcoming riverfront lawn, an easily accessible tidal marsh, and a beach used for river exploration and seining. SLC CURB provides a broad educational platform, establishes a Hudson River research program, and incorporates service learning and citizen science projects in the Yonkers community.

## **Tour of Untermyer Park and Gardens**

Enjoy a guided tour of Untermyer Park and Gardens, a historic 43-acre city public park, located in Yonkers, New York. The park is a remnant of Samuel Untermyer's 150-acre estate, Greystone, with views of the Hudson River and the Palisades. The park features a Walled Garden inspired by ancient Indo-Persian gardens, the Vista, the former Color Gardens, the Temple of Love, and the Rock and Stream Garden.

# Session II: Seminars and Workshops 2-3:30 p.m.

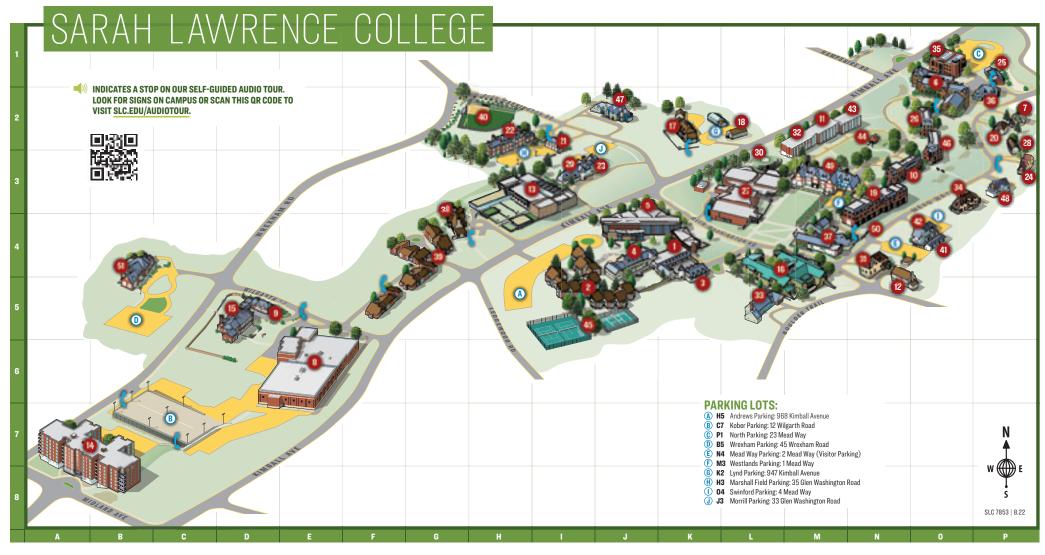
# PSYCHOLOGY OF FOOD AND EATING with Maia Pujara, Psychology Heimbold 208

Why do we eat? What is the function of food? These questions seem simple on the surface, but the many possible answers reveal the complexity of our relationship with food. Food choices are shaped by our relationships with others, our culture and upbringing, our emotions, and our bodies. Explore concepts ranging from the psychological and biological underpinnings of how we sense and perceive different tastes to how we develop food preferences and eating behaviors in the context of both "normal" and disordered relationships with food. In the first half of this session, we will cover the major themes and trends that arise throughout the semester-long seminar related to our relationship with food and how we develop eating behaviors. The second half of the seminar will involve a mini-workshop that mirrors the structure of the conference work for this class.

# JAZZ HISTORY with Glenn Alexander, Music Marshall Field 1

Jazz music of all styles and periods will be listened to, analyzed, and discussed. Emphasis will be placed on instrumental styles and performance techniques that have evolved in the performance of jazz. Skills in listening to and enjoying some of the finer points of the music will be enhanced by the study of elements such as form, phrasing, instrumentation, instrumental technique, and style. Special emphasis will be placed on the development of modern jazz and its relationship to older styles. The crossover of jazz into other styles of modern music, such as rock and R&B, will be discussed, as will the influence that modern concert music and world music have had on jazz styles.

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# **CAMPUS LOCATIONS:**

- Andrews Annex Andrews Court
- **Andrews East**
- **Andrews House**
- **Barbara Walters** Campus Center (1) Dining Pavilion Gallery
- 6 02 Bates Center for Student Life | Dining Hall Post Office
- Brebner House
- Campbell Sports Center
- D5 Curtis
- 03 Dudley Lawrence

- M2 Garrison
- N5 Health and Wellness Center (Lyles House)
- 13 H3 Heimbold Visual Arts Center
  - Donnellev Theatre Gallery
- 4 A7 Hill House
- D5 Kober House Early Childhood Center
- L5 Library
- K2 Lynd House
- L2 Lynd Offices N3 MacCracken
- 20 P2 Mansell House

- 21 12 Marshall Field Carriage
- 22 H2 Marshall Field Music Building Music Library
  - J3 Morrill House
- Morris House
- 25 P1 North 02 OSilas
- 27 L3 Performing Arts Center 📢 Cannon Theatre Reisinger Concert Hall Bessie Schönberg Dance Theatre Wright Theatre
- 28 P3 Perkins House

- President's House
- L3 Remy Theatre 31 N4 Robinson House
- 32 M2 Rothschild L5 Sara Wilford House
- Child Development Institute Early Childhood Center
- 03 Schmidt House
- 35 Science Center | 36 P2 Sheffield
- 37 M4 Siegel Center
- G3 Slonim **Graduate Studies** Writing Institute
- G4 Slonim Woods

- H2 Softball Field
- 04 Swinford Annex 24/7 Campus Safety Desk
- 04 Swinford House **Global Education**
- N2 Taylor
- N2 Teahaus
- 15 Tennis Courts 02 Titsworth
- Miller Lecture Hall
- J2 Tweed House 48 P3 Warren Green
- M3 Westlands Admission and Financial Aid Dean of Studies and Student Life

- N4 Westlands Gate
  - B4 45 Wrexham **Human Genetics**
- Blue Light **Emergency Phones** For emergencies: 914.395.2222 All other: 914.395.2209



# **ALUMNI GIVING MATTERS**

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# **Campus Tour**

3:45-4:30 p.m.

Barbara Walters Campus Center Circle, Andrews Parking Lot

# History Matters: A Walk Through the Sarah Lawrence Archives

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# **Downstage Gathering**

3:45-4:45 p.m.

PAC Downstage

Eve Rybnick '08 and Sarah Olmsted Thomas '08 invite theatre thirds to gather in Downstage for improv games and theatre alumni merriment!

# **Service of Remembrance**

5-6 p.m.

**Heimbold Visual Arts Center** 

The Sarah Lawrence community remembers alumni, trustees, faculty, and staff who passed away during the academic year.

## **Recent Alumni Cruise**

Class of '13 or Later Classes 5:30-8:30 p.m.

78 Fort Slocum Road, New Rochelle Transportation departs from campus (Andrews Parking Lot) at 5 p.m. Cruise departs Neptune Island promptly at 6 p.m.

# **Cocktail Reception**

All Classes

6-7 p.m.

**Barbara Walters Campus Center** 

## **Dinners**

7-8:45 p.m.

25th Reunion Dinner with President Judd

Class of '98

President's House

**Reunion Dinner and Drinks** 

All Other Classes

**Barbara Walters Campus Center** 

# Cabaret

9-10 p.m.

Reisinger Concert Hall

# **Screening of The Princess Bride**

10:30 p.m.

Westlands South Lawn

(rain location: Barbara Walters Campus

Center Living Room)

Enjoy drinks and snacks while watching this beloved classic!

# Saturday, June 10

# Registration

9 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

**Barbara Walters Campus Center** 

# Morning Exercise with Dawn Crandell '98

8-9 a.m.

**Campbell Sports Center** 

## **Breakfast**

9-10:30 a.m.

**Barbara Walters Campus Center** 

## **Coffee with Alumni Writers**

9-10 a.m.

**Library Reading Room** 

Join your fellow alumni writers for an informal gathering in the Library Reading Room. Whether you're a published author or simply write in your free time, this is a great chance to mingle and network with your peers!

# Flora and Fauna Campus Walk with Ani Adishian '95

10-11 a.m.

Barbara Walters Campus Center Circle, Andrews Parking Lot

Join alumna Ani Adishian '95, who oversees the campus landscape, on a walk through campus. We'll explore and learn about the landscape, the green roof of the new campus center, the Remy Theatre, the new Wisteria Pergola, and much more.

# **Celebration Luncheon**

11 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

**Barbara Walters Campus Center** 

Join us for the Annual Meeting of the Alumni Association, the presentation of the Citation Awards for Achievement and Service to the College, the induction of reunion classes into the Reunion Terrace, and "A Year in Review" with President Judd.

# **Westlands Festival**

2:30-4 p.m.

Westlands North Lawn (rain location: Reisinger Concert Hall)

Enjoy lawn games, dancing, and more on Westlands North Lawn. Live performance by Akiva and Lazylazy, an indie band from Brooklyn headed by brothers Avi Henig '17 and Akiva Henig '21. Snacks and refreshments are available at the Teahaus.

# Stage Combat Workshop with Emma Lipschutz '13 and Trevor Swann

3-4 p.m.

**Westlands North Lawn** 

Do you remember seeing a class with swords out on the lawn? Did you always want to take the stage combat class but didn't get the chance? Come and learn about how to use a single sword safely and learn a small bit of fun choreography. If you did take the stage combat class, we welcome you back and hope you'll stop in to see us.

# **Campus Tour**

4-5 p.m.

Barbara Walters Campus Center Circle, Andrews Parking Lot

# Alumni Art Exhibit in Memory of Conrad Vogel '77

5-6:30 p.m.

**Heimbold Visual Arts Center** 

# Cocktails, Dinner, and Dancing 6:30–11 p.m.

50<sup>th</sup> Reunion Dinner with the Class of '73 Barbara Walters Campus Center, Second Floor

After dinner, join us for dancing on the lower level of the Barbara Walters Campus Center.

All Class Dinner
Barbara Walters Campus Center

# **Midnight Breakfast**

11 p.m.-12 midnight
Barbara Walters Campus Center,
Gund Dining Hall
A new twist to an old tradition:
Wafels & Dinges food truck

# Sunday, June 11

# **Champagne Brunch**

10 a.m.-12 noon Barbara Walters Campus Center Dedication of the BWCC atrium and tribute to Joseph Papaleo '49, faculty emeritus (1960–1992)

# Alumni Volunteers

# **Alumni Council**

Leigh Heyman '98, *President* Khaliah Williams '02, *Vice President* 

Myles Lewis Alexander '10 Manuela Barreneche '14

Sally Booth '81

Andrea Fono '86 Joshua Gannon '03

Melanie D. Hood-Wilson '93, MSEd '94

Ari Kepnes '12

Sarah Blanche Klein '20

Alex Leff'00

Ouida Maedel '06

Vrinda Manglik '08

Soledad Fox Maura '90

Shirin Narwani Meir'90

Tasha Neumeister '99

Sarah Noble'97

Denne Michele Norris MFA '12

Celia Pilkington '94

Benjamin J. Salazar '95, MSEd '96

Adam Treitler '15

Emma Tynan '20

Natalia Vargas-Caba '17

Elisabeth von Uhl MFA '05

# **Honorary Alumni Council**

Stephanie Cooper '65, MFA '76

Barbara Kolsun '71

Nancie Goldstein Schnur '74

Estha Weiner '72

Harriet Pogul Wohlgemuth '59, MFA '79

# **Reunion Volunteers**

1953

Marcia Popper

1958

**Ruth Greer** 

Noni Stearns

1963

Joan Girgus

Rina Ranahan

1973

Alice Greenwald

# 1978

Sara Parker

1983

Allegra Schorr Melissa Welsh

1993

Melanie Hood-Wilson

1998

Dawn Crandell

Leigh Heyman

Jeannine Jones

Jennifer Stevens

Jennifer Stevens

Nadia Voukitchevitch

2003

Josh Gannon

Elsie Jamin-Maguire

TJ Little

Esha Quinlan

Danielle Weekes-Lopez

2008

Kristin Maffei

Vrinda Manglik

2013

Mariah Smith

2018

Emily Fields

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# SLC connect

Connect with fellow alumni and students to create community and opportunities.

When you join **SLC CONNECT**, you become part of an exciting platform for Sarah Lawrence alumni to discover talented potential collaborators and colleagues, mentor students, and gain access to the vast expertise and connections of your accomplished alumni network.



Get started today at connect.slc.edu