**Joel E. Ferris Class of 1978**

**40th Reunion**

**August 24th & 25th**

***Friday, August 24th***

**Meet & Greet**

Poole’s Public House, 5620 S. Regal Street (across from Morty’s); 7:00pm – 10:00pm

We have a room and the patio reserved for the Class of ’78 Alumni. Come have drinks, dinner or anything in between! No Host.

Spouses/Significant others are welcome!

**LC Class of 1978 alumni are welcome (please spread the word!)**

***Saturday, August 25th***

**Golf Scramble**

Hangman Golf Course – Scramble, all abilities welcome!

We have reserved a block of 8 tee times Saturday morning. The first tee time is 10:06am, and the last is at 11:06am. Please email Roseanna (Nassar) James at emnrogz@gmail.com to reserve a tee time. First come, first served until all spots are taken. Greens fees and cart fees will collected at check in.

**JEF ’78 Walk/Wog/Jog**

Nothing like a little morning Walk/Wog/Jog to rekindle friendships! All classmates and/or family and friends are welcome! Meet at the clock tower at 9:00am. Distances to be determined. Will maybe find coffee afterward. Any questions, contact Brenda (SantaRosa) Goehring 509-590-8465

**The Main Event**

The McGinnity Room, 116 W. Pacific Avenue – Join all your classmates for a casual get together in a private Irish pub with a relaxed atmosphere, 70’s tunes and a laid back opportunity to reconnect with fellow classmates.

Time: 6:00pm – 10:00 pm

Dress: Summer Casual

Spouses or significant others are encouraged to attend.

**Price includes** - our own exclusive top shelf private Irish Pub with a full bar for the night, heavy hors d’oveures to be served all evening and 2 drink tickets. Additional drinks can be purchased; the full no host bar will be open all evening!

***Sign up early for the best price:***

$40 per person before 7/31

$50 per person 8/1 - 8/24,

$60 at the door

You can pay using PayPal (link below) or send a check payable to Linda Gervais, 10931 N. Acoma Drive, Spokane, WA 99208

<http://www.paypal.me/FerrisClassof1978>

**Raffle for future reunions:**

Classmate, Dawna McCallum has specially designed and donated a beautiful custom art piece specifically for our 40th reunion (Value approximately $4000). She will sell raffle tickets for $5 each, or 5 for $20 as a fundraiser for future reunions. Bring cash for a chance to win this amazing one of a kind piece of artwork (see picture on our FB page).

**You’re the Star! \*\*Action required by July 31\*\***

In addition, Dawna is working to create a unique art piece that will incorporate all classmates’ pictures from our yearbook as well as past and current pictures into a Saxon inspired piece. She can incorporate up to 2000 pictures and is asking for all classmates to contribute at least 5 - 10 pictures. These can be any of your favorite pictures from the past to current photos including family and friends. We will all be stars! Please send the photos (ASAP) in a jpeg format to dmccallum@sunstarstudios.net (you may need to send in multiple emails depending on the size of your photos). ***Please email by July 31st***. The more pictures we provide – the better! Her masterpiece will be revealed on Saturday night of our reunion and copies will be available for purchase. Please encourage **all classmates to submit pictures even if they can’t attend**.

Information on our reunion will be kept up to date and in the following places:

1. **Facebook:** Joel E. Ferris High School Class of 1978. This is a private page; Sandy (Stoops) Sweeney is the administrator; send a request and she will add you.
2. **Ferris High School website**: <http://www.spokaneschools.org/Domain/309> ; or search for Ferris High School, Look under “Parents & Students”, then “Reunion Information”
3. **Alumni Class website**: [www.alumniclass.com/ferris-high-school-saxons-spokane-wa](http://www.alumniclass.com/ferris-high-school-saxons-spokane-wa) . Information will be updated at this website for classmates who have chosen to pay a fee to join.
4. **Joel E Ferris Alumni website**: [www.joeleferrisalumni.com](http://www.joeleferrisalumni.com) . Information being added 7/26/18 and will be updated at this website

**CONTACTS**: If you have other questions or need to reach a committee member directly you can email or text:

Linda Gervais, Linda.gervais@avistacorp.com, 509-953-8057

Julie (Jensen) Hope, Julie.hope@comcast.net, 509-768-4848

**HOTEL RESERVATIONS**

If you want to stay at a nearby hotel in downtown Spokane. We’ve set-up a discount at the Best Western, 33 W. Spokane Falls, Boulevard; 509-623-9727. Call and tell them you are with the Ferris High School Class of 1978.

Also, the New Davenport “Grand” Hotel has good rates; they are on 333 W. Spokane Falls Blvd. 509-458-3330.

Both hotels are located just a few blocks away from our reunion. There are many other choices within an Uber ride of downtown with varying rates.