IDEAS TO COMMEMORATE YOUR PVM CLASS ANNIVERSARY

REUNION EVENT

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This can be as simple or elaborate as you'd like. You know your class - be creative!

Go out for dinner.
There are plenty of places in town to have a group dinner. This is an easy and simple way to have a good time of fellowship. Past classes have had a lot of success with this option. The volunteer reunion event coordinator would contact the restaurant and coordinate reservations. The Convention and Visitor's Bureau of Greater Lafayette has identified restaurants able to accommodate large parties. Visit their website for a list: http://www.homeofpurdue.com/restaurantsforlargeparties.html

Go out for dessert and drinks.
Again, there are many places to go out for a nice dessert and great drinks in Greater Lafayette. This is an even simpler option. You could also always skip dessert and just go for drinks! The volunteer reunion coordinator would contact the restaurant and make necessary arrangements.

Rent a small banquet room at a hotel or other venue and cater in the food you want.
This option offers more privacy. Many classes split the charges for the rental of the room and food costs between themselves. The volunteer reunion event coordinator would contact the hotel and coordinate payment between his/her class and the venue. The Convention and Visitor's Bureau of Greater Lafayette lists facilities available for this type of events at: http://www.homeofpurdue.com/facilitieswithoutlodging.html

If someone in your class lives in the Greater Lafayette area, gather at their house and order food in.
You could order pizza, or take-out from a restaurant in the area. The volunteer reunion event coordinator would handle food orders and organize payment (usually split between class members).

PHILANTROPY

Philanthropy

What better way to commemorate your milestone in life than by giving back? The possibilities are endless, like the endless legacy you create for your class.

Support needed equipment at the School.
When you were a student, were there resources you wished were available? Make it happen for future students by rallying together to raise funds for a project of your choice.

Start a Scholarship. You understand how expensive veterinary school can be. And you also understand how rewarding a career in veterinary medicine is. Your class can make a significant difference for years to come by establishing a scholarship endowment.

Endow a special interest project. Does your class have a passion for a certain program or project? You can make the program or project a reality by establishing a fund to support it.

Anything else. The Office of Advancement is happy to help you brainstorm ideas and put them into action.