Happy (belated) New Year from the Class of 2000!

Though winter still is in full effect here in Minnesota, the calendar has firmly turned to 2020 and the new year is off and running! Spring is already in the not-too-far-off distance, New Year’s resolutions have either quickly fallen with a thud by the wayside or cemented into life-improving habits and the world continues to spin with every day bringing new surprises, news, changes and challenges. A new, exciting decade is upon us!

Focusing on Carleton, January 1 marked not only the start of the new decade but also the halfway point of our 2019-2020 Alumni Annual Fund campaign. Being a reunion year, our class goals are more ambitious:

$100,000 in gifts and 50% participation

To date, our class has gifted more than $27,000 with about 20% participation. A good start, but if you have yet to make a gift this fiscal year, please consider a contribution so we can celebrate hitting our marks at reunion!

Please give online at: [www.give.carleton.edu](http://www.give.carleton.edu)

Speaking of reunion, as a reminder, our class will be gathering in Northfield June 18-21, 2020 for Reunion 2020 (our 20th – can you believe it?!). Registration opens in March but now is the time to start planning your visit. A small group of classmates has been hard at work putting together a fun-filled few days, with activities including, but not limited to, a scavenger hunt, human foosball game, bonfire on the hill, a Name That Tune gameshow and multiple happy hours! Our class identity item is also close to being finalized… hint, it may or may not be wearable and feature the Hill of Three Oaks. You must attend to find out!

And remember the Zoo Book? That beautiful snapshot in time can be found on our Class of 2000 website, along with a link to our class Facebook page and our 20th Reunion Bio Book, which we implore everyone to fill out. The Bio Book has been populated with myriad fun questions, so kindly log in and tell us what advice you’d give to your Carleton-aged self and why your life is different than what you imagined it being while at Carleton!

Please visit our Class of 2000 Reunion Website to complete your Bio Book.

We trust your new year/decade is off to a great start and look forward to seeing everyone back on campus in June for Reunion 2020!

Sincerely,

The Class of 2000 Reunion Committee