



Going Back
Looking Forward

Princeton Class of 1960

45th Reunion Annual Giving Campaign

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Classic '50's "Fins" outside of Laughlin Hall

We returned to live in Holder and found that the john was no less than 155 paces from the room. But we were sophomores, much older, and ready for a big slump There were plenty of nuts that year.....Someone spent \$4,000 of the University's funds decorating the campus with "Cream the Green Goheen." And, sure enough, well-placed advertising is effective. We creamed the Green. Sparked by All-Ivy sophomore(s), a hot varsity team took Dartmouth, 34-14, to win the Ivy Crown and give us a bonfire Winter was a bleak one.....[Many] began to eat our Sunday meals on Prospect Street and watched Triangle's "After a Fashion." Things were looking up; some of us had the money and nerve to keep illegal cars and horizons were broadened Small-time jocks played all spring long in the court and we saw our first Houseparties. We said good-bye to Dr. Moe and Solly and left for the summer, assured that we had wasted the year in the best of all possible ways.

Nassau Herald, 1960

We are now well into the new year and less than four months away from our Forty-Fifth Reunion gathering at Forbes College (the old Princeton Inn) (May 26 – May 29). We want to take this opportunity to report to you on the encouraging progress made by our Annual Giving campaign and to reflect on the mission that lies ahead of us.

Counting firm pledges as well as gifts in hand, we have already raised almost **\$1.25 million** which constitutes over 55% of our record-setting **goal of \$2,250,000**. Contributions have been received from 224 classmates, 35% of our Class roll of 640. We obviously have a good distance to travel in a challenging environment in order to raise the remaining needed to attain our dual objectives.

Setting ambitious goals and then delivering on them has been a '60 hallmark ever since graduation. But this isn't just about goals and numbers, important to us as they are. Preserving Princeton's quality and excellence are at stake, and we know that our classmates will again rise to the occasion by making generous gifts to our alma mater.

Our heartfelt thanks to each of you for your loyal support of this 45th campaign by the Class of '60 for Princeton.

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If you are among those who have brought us this far, you have our renewed thanks for getting our campaign off to such a terrific start! We will continue to send you these periodic Bulletins in order to keep you apprised of our progress and as a convenience to those giving in installments.