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Last chance…sign up for these upcoming alumni events

Dec. 18 is the deadline to register for the HACC Alumni Association’s Longwood Gardens trip on Saturday, Jan. 2, and Richie Havens concert on Friday evening, Jan. 22. Bringing alumni together is the heart of the HACC Alumni Association’s mission. The following events are designed to connect you to other HACC alumni and to the college.

Enjoy Longwood Gardens at the holidays
Join other HACC alumni on Saturday, Jan. 2, and enjoy the holiday splendor of Kennett Square’s Longwood Gardens. Explore the garden’s exquisite flowers, majestic trees, and opulent architecture—all decked out for the holidays. Enjoy the dancing fountain shows that illuminate the night with vibrant colors. Sing your favorite holiday carols played on Longwood’s historic 1929 Aeolian organ, and watch ice skaters under the stars in a winter wonderland filled with twinkling lights and holiday trees. More details.

Relive the 60s with Richie Havens
Richie Havens, the legendary opener for Woodstock 40 years ago, has one of the most recognizable voices in popular music. Hear his fiery, soulful music on Friday, Jan. 22, at a unique concert sponsored by the HACC Alumni Association at the Rose Lehrman Arts Center on the Harrisburg Campus. As an added treat, blues singer Harry Manx will perform as the opening act. Also join us for a special pre-show dinner that features live music of the 60s. More details.

To register for either event, call the HACC Alumni Office at 717-780-2474 or send an e-mail to AlumniAssociation@hacc.edu.

Bricco discount added to
Alumni Campus User Card

HACC alumni can now enjoy the Italian traditions of food, friendship, and hospitality by dining at Bricco, one of Harrisburg’s premier restaurants—and receive a discount. Bricco will now give a 10 percent discount (excluding alcohol) to HACC alumni who dine at the restaurant when they show their Alumni Campus User Card.

A collaborative effort of HACC’s Olewine School of Culinary Arts and the Harrisburg Hotel Corporation, Bricco features original Mediterranean cuisine housed in a Tuscan-themed restaurant with big city style. The menu rotates seasonally to deliver rustic, soulful dishes, a culinary nod to the South of France, Greece and Spain. Bricco also serves as a classroom to HACC students. They learn a wide range of culinary and restaurant management skills as they work alongside Bricco’s award-winning chefs. The 10 percent alumni discount is also valid at the restaurant’s two retail shops nearby—the bakery Ciao! and Olewine’s Meat and Cheese House. Ciao! features artisan breads, specialty pastries and desserts. Olewine’s carries raw portions of Bricco’s meats and specialty cheeses for your enjoyment at home.

The Alumni Campus User Card also enables you to use other HACC services and facilities, including library privileges, access to Career Services programs and events, discounts on events held at various HACC campuses, discounts at all HACC bookstores and the Radius Gallery, a $25 Swedish massage at HACC’s Massage Therapy Clinic, and use of the gym, tennis courts and swimming pool at the Harrisburg campus. Cards are $25 for an annual membership or $100 to become a lifetime member. More Details.

Last minute holiday gift idea...HACC alumni coffee mug

The new HACC Alumni coffee mug is a perfect holiday gift or stocking stuffer for any HACC graduate. These 12 oz. durable, stainless steel travel mugs keep drinks hot or cold and includes the HACC Alumni Association logo. Choose from three colors—green, pink and orange. The cost is only $10 each. For more information, contact the HACC Alumni Association.

HACC alumni in the news

HACC takes pride in its alumni. With more than 50,000 members, HACC is making a difference in communities and workplaces in Central Pennsylvania, across the nation, and around the world. Find out what our graduates are doing. Please share your news with us, so we can publish it in future issues of “HACC Alumni Connect” or our “HACC Connections”
Mark your calendar

Plan to join other HACC alumni for these upcoming events. More details will be published in upcoming issues of “Alumni Connect.”

Violet Oakley: Harrisburg’s Michelangelo
Sunday, March 21, 2010
Join HACC professor, Dr. Don Koones, on a tour of our beautiful State Capitol and hear behind-the-scenes stories about Violet Oakley’s original art masterpieces found in the stately halls and chambers, including the Governor’s Reception Room, the State Senate Chamber, and the State Supreme Court Chamber. One lucky participant will receive a collectible book about Harrisburg’s Michelangelo. Cost: $20.

Alumni New York City Bus Trip
Saturday, April 24, 2010
Join other HACC alumni on Saturday, April 24, for a fun-filled day in New York City. The HACC Alumni Association has chartered three buses for HACC alumni, family members, and friends. The buses will leave HACC’s Harrisburg campus promptly at 7:00 a.m. Once there, you are on your own to shop, catch a Broadway play, or explore the city’s many attractions. The cost is $40 per person.

Growing Up Amish
Saturday, May 1, 2010
Spend a day in Lancaster County learning about the Amish culture. On this behind-the-scenes tour, you’ll visit an Amish farm, schoolhouse, and quilting store. Enjoy lunch with a typical Amish family at their home. Tour a clinic that treats only Amish patients and hear about the research done there. Shop at the Amish “Walmart.” The cost is $15 per person.

The HACC Alumni Council and HACC Office of Alumni Affairs wishes you…
Happy Holidays!

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