



YVHS Reunion Update! FINAL! (well maybe)

October 1, 2019

Final (sort of) Email Blast Before the Celebration Weekend!

It is now less than three weeks away from our Reunion/Celebration weekend and the dinner is completely sold out! We would like to take this opportunity to give you last minute information on the events of the weekend.

FRIDAY OCTOBER 18, 2019:

Icebreaker at Yucca Bowl! We will begin at 5pm. Bowlers should get there as close to 5pm as possible. The lanes are reserved and there will be six bowlers to a lane. The cost is \$10pp, which includes 90 minutes of bowling, shoes, a large one topping pizza and one pitcher of soft drink. You may purchase other drinks from the bar. After you finish, come join the group as we begin to catch up with each other! Please remember that they *DO NOT TAKE PLASTIC!!!!* It is a *CASH ONLY* establishment. So, please be prepared to pay cash for your lane and any other expenses you wish to cover while there. There is a Domino's Pizza in the strip mall outside the bowling alley and you may purchase your pie and carry it in, should you so desire. Everyone is welcome to this get-together, but if you want to bowl, we need to know. It is also a league night, so there are limited lanes for us to reserve. You may have pizza for dinner, or venture out with friends reunited to enjoy a meal together.

SATURDAY OCTOBER 19, 2019:

JTNP Hike: Jerry Pierce is handling all information for this including information on cost and times. If you have any questions for him, please contact him directly. He will be your fearless leader for this event and he swears he will not get you lost!

Golf: Jimmy Rauch has the info on this activity. He has probably contacted everyone for times and cost. Any other questions, please contact him. He may be the one to beat.... or is he????

Keys Ranch Tours: If you are signed up for this activity, meeting time for both morning and afternoon will be posted on the website on October 7. The Rangers come in on their days off to give the private tours, so their commitment for times will be available on that date. The cost will be \$5 with anyone holding a park pass or \$10 without. This includes free admission to the park at the Joshua Tree entrance. You will be driving towards Barker Dam and then will see signs to Keys Ranch. Follow those to the parking lot. Remember, you must have a reserved spot for this

event. The afternoon is full, but you can still register for the AM tour. Don't forget to watch the website for times! The tour is approximately 90 minutes.

50th Celebration and Reunion Dinner: This is the grand event! We will begin at 5pm with no host bar and mingling. It would be a good idea for everyone to arrive right around that time so you do not miss anything. Surprises throughout the night beginning early! Remember—you must have a ticket to get in. You may print out the one that was sent to you, or simply show the ticket you received on your phone for entrance.

There are a lot of questions about dress attire for the event. This is repeated here: We would like to keep it casual, within reason, so everyone is comfortable. However, please no cut-offs, torn clothing, no muscle or sleeveless shirts for men, (regardless of how much you want to impress us with your 60 something physique), and must wear shirts and shoes. Please just be respectful of the venue. If you wish to dress better than this, please feel free! Don't forget that the desert at night can get quite cool so keep that in mind as the event is outside. Also, if you have anything from YVHS that you would like to wear i.e.: letterman's jackets (if they fit), pep squad outfits (if they fit), class rings (if they fit), or YVHS t-shirts etc., please wear them! We also encourage wearing our school colors and anything from that era of hippie fashion! There is one caveat—if you still look like Barbie and Ken, please dress so you do not flaunt that 30 something body, or those of us with our 60 something bodies may not welcome you!

Also, please try to bring some cash for raffle tickets (great gifts specifically for the 50th!). Tickets will be sold for \$1 each or 6 for \$5. (Not sure we will have much change, so plan accordingly). All proceeds will go to YVHS. There will also be drawings for some memorabilia from "back in the day" (no cost).

There will be a photo booth and open-air pictures free of charge, so take home some memories. The booth will be there from 6:30-9:30pm.

Bring your camera (most likely your phone) to capture your own moments, and we ask that you submit them to the website for viewing by everyone!

Sunday October 20, 2019: Gather at YVHS at 10 a.m. for a tour of the school. Note the changes in the last 50 years!!! This will be lead by Kim Lay. After the tour, pizza and bottled water will be provided in the cafeteria. If you would like something other than water, you will need to bring it, but no alcohol on school grounds! We will be serving a variety of pizzas. If anyone coming has a gluten allergy, please email us so that we can order accordingly. If you would like to come, you can still sign up. We need a number of attendees to order the correct amount of pizza. We will be "dismissed" at 12:30pm.

Thanks for your interest and excitement for this event! Any questions? Email: reunion@yvhsreunion.com Information for times for Keys Ranch Tour (and any other info you might want): www.yvhsreunion.com

See you in a few days. Enjoy this time with old friends and uncork that "Time in a Bottle".

Your Reunion Committee

PS: Don't forget our mementos page on the website. Great keepsakes and Trojan wear! Click on the mementos tab on the HOME page.

FYI: There will no longer be refunds given out for cancellations for the dinner on Saturday night, per the original ticket guidelines. As of October 1, all dinners have been counted and paid to Hawks Landing. If you need to cancel at this point, your classmates will enjoy your portion of food!