



HOMECOMING/REUNION/TRAILBLAZER TEAM AND FAMILY WEEKEND 2026

**Anyone celebrating their 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, or 25th reunion
will receive a commemorative gift at check-in!**

FRIDAY, OCT. 2, 2026

4:30-7 p.m.

Dinner Available, Centennial Room, 2nd Floor, Amsler Campus Center
The campus dining hall is open to purchase dinner.

6 p.m.

Trailblazers Volleyball Game, Zavattaro Athletics Complex
Cheer on the MCLA women's volleyball team.

6-8 p.m.

Class of 2006 20th Reunion, Door Prize (40 Main St., North Adams)
Members of the Class of 2006 will be gathering at this pay-your-way event to celebrate their 20th reunion. One drink ticket will be provided for beer, wine or soda.

7-8:30 p.m.

Fire Pit Celebrations, Quad
Reminisce with your classmates and meet our current students at this casual MCLA community gathering. Make s'mores and bring an instrument to provide background music.

SATURDAY, OCT. 3, 2026

8 a.m.-2 p.m.

Bookstore Open, Second Floor, Amsler Campus Center
Treat yourself to some new MCLA merchandise!

9-10:30 a.m.

Residence Area Tours, Hoosac Hall, Berkshire Towers, and Flagg Townhouses
Have you ever wondered how the residence halls currently look? Sign up for a tour of Hoosac Hall, Berkshire Towers and/or the Townhouses. Meet at the Residence Life Office (Townhouse 89) or in front of Berkshire Towers. Registration is required. Coffee and pastries provided in Berkshire Towers lobby.



- 10 a.m.-12 p.m. **MCLA Alumni Association Awards Brunch, Feigenbaum Science Center Atrium**
This event recognizes the achievements of past graduates and friends of the College by presenting the following awards to: **Karissa Myers '14** (Distinguished Alum Award), **Patricia Molinari '74, M.Ed. '96**, (Community Service & Citizenship Award), **Kristcha DeGuerre '14** (Vanguard Award), **Jacob Boillat '18**, (Jonathan Monroy Service to the College Award), **James Duggan '94** (Outstanding Educator Award), and **David Hyatt '65** (Outstanding Educator Emeritus Award). \$30 per ticket; \$20 for those from the classes of 1976 and earlier, includes brunch and program.
- 10 a.m.-12 p.m. **Faculty Open Houses, Department Offices**
Would you like to reconnect with a former faculty member? Stop by the department offices to say hello and learn about current course offerings. Family members of current students are also welcome to attend.
- 11 a.m.-2 p.m. **Brunch Available, Centennial Room, 2nd Floor, Amsler Campus Center**
The campus dining hall is open to purchase brunch.
- 11 a.m.-7 p.m. **Alumni Photo Exhibit, Freel Library**
Relive your student days through our photography exhibit. This event was coordinated by Sondra Murphy '08 and MCLA archivist Kate Flower.
- 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. **Tour of Nursing/Rad Tech Facility (71 Hospital Ave., North Adams, MA)**
In 2027, our first nursing students will graduate. Take a tour of their facility!
- 12 p.m. **Trailblazers Women's Soccer Game, Zavattaro Athletics Complex**
Cheer on the Trailblazers as they compete against Bay Path University.
- 12-1 p.m. **Photos at the Gates**
Gather your friends at the gates for a professional photo taken by Greg Nesbit '97. Photos will be emailed to you.
- 2:30-4 p.m. **Light Lunch Available, Centennial Room, 2nd Floor, Amsler Campus Center**
The campus dining hall is open to purchase a light lunch.



- 3 p.m. **Alumni Baseball & Softball Games, Zavattaro Athletics Complex**
Sports alums are invited to participate in alumni baseball and softball games. Alumni and friends are invited to be part of the cheering section.
- 4-5 p.m. **Cider & Donuts at Student Showcase, Venable Gym**
Relax with cider and donuts and have your photo taken with Murdock. Meet current student-athletes, SGA members, and Class Councilors. Posters from the 2026 Undergraduate Research Conference will be on display in Venable Gym, along with tables by the current student clubs. Family members of current students are welcome to attend.
- 4:30-7 p.m. **Dinner Available, Centennial Room, 2nd Floor, Amsler Campus Center**
The campus dining hall is open to purchase dinner.
- 7-9 p.m. **All Alumni Social, Bright Ideas (111 MASS MoCA Way, North Adams, MA)**
Join your fellow alums at Bright Ideas for a social pay-your-own-way event. One drink ticket for beer, wine or soda will be provided.

SUNDAY, OCT. 4, 2026

- 11 a.m.-2 p.m. **Brunch Available, Centennial Room, 2nd Floor, Amsler Campus Center**
The campus dining hall is open to purchase brunch. The Class of 2006 will have reserved seating as they conclude their 20th reunion.



OTHER WEEKEND EVENTS

FRIDAY, OCT. 2, 2026

7-9 p.m.

Mill Town Circus, Noel Field, 310 State St., North Adams

Westchester Circus Arts returns with an all-new, family-friendly show inspired by North Adams and its history. Enjoy acrobats, aerialists, and stories told by your favorite ringmaster, all under the big top!

SATURDAY, OCT. 3, 2026

9 a.m.-1 p.m.

North Adams Farmers Market on Main Street

Head over to the market at the top of Main Street to shop local farms, food vendors, crafters, and more.

10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Fall Foliage Children's Parade & Fair at Noel Field Athletic Complex

Enjoy a free children's fair with music, giveaways, games, and entertainment. Rain location is the North Adams Armory on Ashland Street.

2 p.m.

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12-1 p.m.

Fall Foliage 5K

Compete in or attend the Fall Foliage 5K road race in Downtown North Adams.

1-3 p.m.

Fall Foliage Parade

Alumni and their families are invited to join MCLA faculty, staff, and students in the parade! Line up on State Street, near Craft Food Barn, from 12-12:30 p.m. Shuttle service from campus will be available from 12-12:20 p.m. outside Berkshire Towers on Church Street.