

FRIDAY EVENTS

SEPTEMBER 25, 2026



CHECK-IN / REGISTRATION 2 - 9 P.M.
LOBBY, BRESEE HALL

LET'S KICK IT OFF

★ Academic Dept. Events

"LIVE LIKE NICK" LAMBROS GOLF CLASSIC

Morning Flight Shotgun Start: 7:30 A.M.
Afternoon Flight Shotgun Start: 1:00 P.M.

Oneonta Country Club

Join us to play golf and support the continued prosperity of Hartwick Athletics!

KELLOGG LUNCHEON (Invite Only)

11:30 A.M. - 1 P.M.

Shineman Chapel,
Shineman Chapel House

The Abraham L. Kellogg Society honors and recognizes individuals who have demonstrated their commitment to Hartwick College and its future by including the College in their estate plans.

STEM CAREER PANEL

12:15 - 1:30 P.M.

Johnstone Science Center Room 215

Hear from Hartwick alumni about their dynamic careers in STEM fields.

GOLDEN JUBILEE

Registration: 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.

Lobby, Anderson Center for the Arts

Shuttle Tour: 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Anderson Center for the Arts Parking Lot

New inductees and returning members of the 50-Year Club are welcome to take a special tour of the Hartwick campus.

NURSING ALUMNI AWARD RECOGNITION

3 - 3:30 P.M.

Fourth Floor, Slade Theatre, Yager Hall

The "Hartwick College Nursing Distinguished Alumni" award honors graduates of Hartwick College's nursing program who have demonstrated exceptional professional achievements, leadership, and contributions to the nursing field.

INAUGURATION OF PRESIDENT LAUREL BONGIORNO

4 - 5:00 P.M.

Frisbee Field Tent

Join us as we celebrate the formal installation of Laurel Bongiorno as the 13th President of Hartwick College.

PRESIDENT'S WELCOME CELEBRATION & KICKOFF PARTY

5 - 7 P.M.

Stack Lounge, Dewar Union

Start off True Blue Weekend with a bang! Hear from President Laurel Bongiorno after her inauguration.

RECEPTION & 50-YEAR CLUB INDUCTION CEREMONY

5:30 - 7 P.M.

Foreman Gallery,
Anderson Center for the Arts

Celebrate with members of the class of 1976 as they are inducted into the 50-Year Club.

WOMEN'S LACROSSE 60TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

7 P.M.

Hawk's Nest

Join us in celebrating 60 years of Women's Lacrosse!

WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL GAME

7 P.M.

Lambros Arena,
Binder Physical Education Center

Hawks vs SUNY Oneonta

HARTWICK MUSIC ALUMNI CONCERT

7:30 - 8:15 P.M.

Anderson Theater,
Anderson Center for the Arts

Hartwick Music alumni return to the Anderson stage to once again share their talents with our community! Join us for a wide array of performers from across the musical spectrum, and performances representing music education majors, music majors and minors, and past students who were regularly part of our musical community regardless of their plan of study.

FIREWORKS DISPLAY

8:45 P.M.

Great sighting spots on campus include Founders' Way, Frisbee Field, and Elmore Field.

AMENITIES AND HOURS

ON-CAMPUS DINING

Additional cost required with Debit or Credit / The Commons (Brunch/ Lunch \$11.75, Dinner \$15.25)

THE COMMONS

2nd Floor Dewar Hall

Friday: 7:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Saturday: 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Sunday: 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.

TABLE ROCK CAFE

1st Floor Dewar Hall

Friday: 9 a.m. - Midnight

Saturday: 3 p.m. - Midnight

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JOHN CHRISTOPHER CAFE

4th Floor Yager Hall

Friday: 7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Saturday: 10 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Sunday: Closed

BOOK STORE

THIRD FLOOR, DEWAR HALL

Friday & Saturday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Sunday: 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

YAGER MUSEUM OF ART & CULTURE

FIRST FLOOR, YAGER HALL

Friday: 11:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Friday: 11:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Sunday: Closed

PINE LAKE ENVIRONMENTAL CAMPUS

1894 CHARLOTTE CREEK RD.

Friday & Saturday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Sunday: Fall Festival 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.
(Fall Festival hours)

SATURDAY EVENTS

SEPTEMBER 26, 2026

CHECK-IN / REGISTRATION 8:30 A.M. – 6 P.M.
LOBBY, BRESEE HALL

WOMEN'S LACROSSE ALUMNI GAME

8:30 – 9:30 A.M.

Wright Stadium

FOOTBALL TAILGATING

9:00 A.M.

Golisano Parking lot for Hartwick supporters,
Shineman parking lot for Brockport fans.

TOGETHER, WE SOAR – THE CAMPAIGN FOR HARTWICK AND PARTNERS IN SCHOLARSHIP BREAKFAST (Invite Only)

9 – 10:30 A.M.

Thornwood

President Laurel Bongiorno invites Hartwick's
Philanthropy Leadership donors and Partners in
Scholarships to an exclusive breakfast. Shuttles will
be provided to and from Thornwood and campus.

CREATING CURRENTS, THE HARTWICK COLLEGE ART & ART HISTORY DEPARTMENT FACULTY AND STAFF ART EXHIBITION

10 A.M. – 5 P.M.

Foreman Gallery,
Anderson Center for the Arts

Features the work of twenty-three artists,
spotlighting current full-time faculty while also
celebrating the contributions of retired faculty,
current part-time instructors, staff, and recent
interns. A wide range of contemporary art in a
variety of media will be on display including ceramics,
glass, paper, painting, digital art, bent wood boxes,
and drawing. The exhibition brings together a
diverse range of artistic practices, perspectives, and
experiences, reflecting the ongoing creative pursuits
within the Art & Art History Department.

PHI MU ALPHA SINFONIA PIANO BASH FUNDRAISER

10:30 A.M. – NOON

Johnstone Parking Lot

Support the Brothers of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia by
participating in their traditional piano bash. Proceeds
of this event will allow the brothers of Phi Mu Alpha
to host Music Missions. *NOTE: Participants will be
provided with safety glasses and asked to sign a waiver.*

MEET THE NETWORK: FIRST-GENERATION HAWKS CREATING CONNECTIONS AND OPPORTUNITIES

11:00 A.M. – NOON

Fourth Floor, Yager Hall

Alumni, students, faculty, staff, and family members
who were the first in their family to graduate from a
4-year college are invited to network and share their
experiences navigating college, traveling abroad, and
planning a career.

BROOKS' BBQ PICNIC

11:30 A.M. – 2:30 P.M.

Tent, Frisbee Field

A True Blue Classic!

ALUMNI AWARDS CEREMONY

NOON – 12:30 P.M.

Tent, Frisbee Field

Join us as we celebrate five winners of this year's
Alumni Awards.

FOOTBALL GAME

KICKOFF: NOON

Wright Stadium

Hawks vs SUNY Brockport. At halftime we recognize
the 2026 Athletics Hall of Fame inductees.

PRINT YOUR OWN H"ART"WICK TEE

2 – 4 P.M.

Upper-Level Mezzanine,
Anderson Center for the Arts

Learn the art of screen printing from the Art & Art
History department. Bring your own garment or
choose one of ours!

MEN'S SOCCER GAME

3 P.M.

Elmore Field

Hawks vs St. John Fisher

SICILY TRIP INFORMATION SESSION

3 – 4 P.M.

Larsen Lounge, Bresee Hall

This is your opportunity to learn more and ask
questions about the upcoming trip to Sicily in
2027! Professor Mary Allen and Vice President for
Institutional Advancement & External Affairs Stacey
Grady '03 will be joined by Emily Nagle from MADE,
Hartwick's travel partner.

STUFF-A-CRITTER

3 P.M.

Atrium, Johnstone Science Center

Channel your inner child and stuff your choice of
animal, with multiple T-shirt choices for your new
furry friend!

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FOUNDERS' (MID)WAY

3 – 6 P.M.

Founders' Way

Hartwick's Founders' Way will come alive with local
brewers, food trucks, games, face painting, and more!

YAGER MUSEUM OPENING RECEPTION: THE FOUR SEASONS: SELECTIONS FROM THE YAGER MUSEUM COLLECTIONS

4 – 6 P.M.

Yager Museum of Art & Culture

Changing seasons help provide a sense of place.
Artists have tried to capture the essence of the
seasons in paintings, prints, and photographs.
Composers have provided soundtracks to the
ever-changing seasonal cycles. This exhibition will
transport you through the seasons of the year as
interpreted by artists represented in the Yager
Museum of Art & Culture collections, complemented
by the music and poetry of Antonio Vivaldi.

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PHI MU ALPHA SINFONIA STEP SING

4:30 – 5 P.M.

Memorial Steps off of Founders' Way

Come join the Brothers of Phi Mu Alpha for their annual "Step Sing", where collegiate and alumni brothers will come together to serenade Founder's Way with songs from their Red Book.

PARENT & FAMILY SOCIAL

5 – 7 P.M.

The Commons, Dewar Union

Enjoy dinner with your students and fellow Hartwick parents and families.

DEDICATION OF BETTY POWELL '82 FOYER

5:30 – 6 P.M.

Lambros Lobby,
Binder Physical Education Center

The main entrance to Binder Physical Education Center will be named the Betty Powell '82 Foyer, after the legendary figure in the history of Hartwick athletics.

REUNION FESTIVAL

6 – 8 P.M.

Frisbee Field Tent

Connect with your classmates who are here at True Blue Weekend and celebrate your milestones together!

ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME RECEPTION AND INDUCTION CEREMONY

Cocktails: 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Program: 7:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.

Anderson Theater,
Anderson Center for the Arts

This year's class features field hockey standout Kelsey Kimble '13, swimming and diving All-American Chris Maiello '02, track and field standout Lisa Schmidt '86, men's lacrosse All-American Scott Goldberg '96, men's basketball standout Tom Hendricks '88, and the 1973-74 Men's Basketball Team, one of the most accomplished squads in program history.

BIG PRIZE BINGO

8 – 10:30 P.M.

The Commons, Dewar Union

The Hartwick Campus Activities Board will be giving away great prizes from the Hartwick bookstore and local Oneonta businesses. Bring your friends and your competitive spirit!



SUNDAY EVENTS SEPTEMBER 27, 2026

CHECK-IN / REGISTRATION 8:45 – 10 A.M.
OUTSIDE THE COMMONS, DEWAR UNION

MEMORIAL REFLECTION

9 – 10 A.M.

Shineman Chapel,
Shineman Chapel House

Celebrate and remember those from our campus community whom we have lost since our last memorial held in September 2025. Musical pieces by Hartwick's Choir will be performed.

FAREWELL CHAMPAGNE BRUNCH

9:30 – 11 A.M.

The Commons, Dewar Union

Close out the weekend with brunch in the Commons before you depart.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

10 A.M. – NOON

Chesebro Room, Dewar Union

PINE LAKE FALL FEST

11 A.M. – 2 P.M.

1894 Charlotte Creek Rd.
Pine Lake Environmental Campus

The Pine Lake Environmental Campus celebrates its 55th year and will be bustling with activities during its annual Fall Festival. Challenge Education activities, yard games, arts and crafts and more are all on tap this year! The STEM Society will also be on hand to discuss current faculty-student collaborative research.

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