



Hey Maine West Class of 1977...it's that time again!!

Join your Classmates to help celebrate the **40th Reunion** for the graduating Class of 1977 at the Des Plaines Elks Club (<http://the1526.com/index.html>) from 6:30pm – 12:00am on **Saturday, September 9th, 2017**. Other reunion weekend activities include 18 holes of golf on Friday afternoon September 8th at the Mount Prospect Golf Club and an informal Happy Hour(s) later that evening.

Classmates planning to attend the formal reunion on Saturday night or seeking to play golf on Friday afternoon need to make payment no later than August 23rd via PayPal using the following link; (paypal.me/MaineWest77Reunion). See additional details below.

Reunion weekend details:

- Formal reunion cost on Saturday night at the Elks Club is **\$60** per person, which covers the venue, food (heavy appetizers and late-night pizza bar) and live music (provided by classmate Bob Tovella and the Smarty Pants Band). A full cash bar will be available for libations.
- Friday afternoon golf event is available to the first 36 interested golfers. The cost of play is **\$51** per person inclusive of golf green fees and cart for 18 holes.
- Friday night Happy Hour event location will be announced later this summer. There is a possibility that they newly remodeled Beacon Tap maybe open and able to host our group.
- The Maine West football team take on Buffalo Grove at MW on Friday night for those interested.
- We are working on final details for several fund-raising opportunities during the reunion weekend to make a Class of 1977 donation to Maine West; more details to follow on how you can participate.
- The primary website for communicating Reunion weekend details is the *Maine West Class of 1977 website* (http://www.mainewest1977.com/class_index.cfm). Please check back to this website periodically over the next 2+ months for updates. We'll have a link to this website posted on the *Maine West Class of 1977 Facebook page* (<https://www.facebook.com/groups/132790084556/>) and *Maine West Alumni Association website*, as well (<http://www.mainewestalumni.org/>).

What do I need to do to confirm my attendance and submit my payment?

Classmates planning to attend the reunion event on Saturday night at the Elks Club (\$60 per person) or seeking to play in the golf outing (\$51 per person) at the Mount Prospect Golf Club on Friday afternoon (available to the first 36 golfers) need to make payment **no later than August 23rd** via PayPal using the following link; (paypal.me/MaineWest77Reunion).

If you don't have a PayPal account, you can still make payment with your credit card by using this PayPal link but... please include the 2.9% plus \$.30 (~\$2) transaction processing fee. For classmates without both a PayPal account and credit card, please contact Mike Wright (majwright@gmail.com or 415-271-0002) to identify other payment arrangements.

If you have questions regarding the reunion weekend, please contact Scott Reed (scottreed442@hotmail.com) or Mike Wright (majwright@gmail.com).

We look forward to seeing you the weekend of Sept 8 – 9. Please help get the word out to all our Classmates!