



# *DeLand High School*

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Mitchell K. Moyer  
Principal

**October 10, 2016**

**Dear Alumni:**

***Due to unforeseen damage and aftermath caused by Hurricane Matthew moving through the area, we have had to reschedule the date of our homecoming parade to Friday, October 21<sup>st</sup>. The county has experienced immense damage from the hurricane, and thousands are still without power. The City of DeLand is working to clean the city and make it safe for its residents. We exhausted all resources to keep the homecoming dates the same. The school board closed all schools Monday and Tuesday and suspended all extracurricular activities. Due to these changes we do not have the required time that is needed to prepare for the parade this Friday. While moving the parade is an inconvenience to all it allows the spirit of homecoming week to maintain DeLand's high caliber of homecoming traditions.***

***However, we will be making this Friday all about the alumni. We understand that plans have been made and would like to extend an invitation for alumni to still participate in the parade that are able to do so.***

***The "Alumni Tea" will still be held on Friday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, at 9:00 am in the cafeteria and will be followed by an "Alumni Barbecue" at Earl Brown Park from 2pm-4pm. We will have food, drinks, and music for you to enjoy, followed by an Alumni Game at Spec Martin Stadium.***

***You can still contact the Athletics Department to purchase tickets for the football game, the cost will be \$5 per ticket. Blocks of tickets can be purchased through the athletic office at extension 23413, or for more details.***

***If I can be of further assistance, do not hesitate to call or email me.***

***Sincerely,***

***Aaron C. Goldy  
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DeLand High School***



*"The Pride Continues"*

**2016 HOMECOMING WEEKEND  
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016**

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**ALUMNI TEA.....9:00 AM  
(DHS CAFETERIA)**

**ALUMNI BARBEQUE .....2:00PM – 4:00PM  
(EARL BROWN PARK)  
(For Alumni ONLY - No charge) Casual attire is recommended.**

**ALUMNI GAME .....7:00 PM  
(SPEC MARTIN STADIUM)**

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2016**

**STUDENT GROWL.....7:00 PM  
(DHS GYMNASIUM)**

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2016**

**PARADE.....2:00 PM  
Line up at 1:30: Floats will line up on the Boulevard. Signs will be placed along the road to correspond with the number assigned to your float. Please locate that number and park your float there. The Edmunds Center has added to its facility, and there will be no place to park at the parade site. Please plan to meet somewhere and ride to the parade site on your float.**

**HOMECOMING GAME.....7:00 PM  
(SPEC MARTIN STADIUM)**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016**

**HOMECOMING DANCE: DELAND HIGH GYM (FOR STUDENTS).....8:00 PM - MIDNIGHT**