



July 21, 2021

Dear Member of the Class of 1970:

For 30 consecutive years, Rutland City Public Schools paid tribute to the graduating class of fifty years during our annual commencement. Sadly, due to restrictions related to the COVID-19 pandemic, this tradition was interrupted in 2020. But now in collaboration with your class leadership, we are pleased to inform you of our plans to celebrate your fifty-year milestone.

As a member of the graduating class of 1970, the Board of School Commissioners and Rutland City Public Schools invite you to participate in a special ceremony on Wednesday, September 8, 2021. Please join us and your classmates for modest refreshments in the W. Richard Brothers Information Center, Rutland High School, 22 Stratton Road, at 4:00 P.M. There will be some time for greeting your classmates, a class photograph and the presentation of honorary diplomas in commemoration of the significant "Golden Anniversary" of graduation from Rutland High School.

Enclosed, you will find a brief form that will be used to introduce you. Please return it in the enclosed envelope as soon as possible, but no later than **August 20, 2021**.

We do hope you will join us and your classmates in this small celebration. Upon hearing from you, we shall provide a letter confirming your attendance or non-attendance. Please do respond as promptly as possible to allow time for us to make arrangements for the program.

Respectfully yours,

Bill Olsen, Superintendent of Schools

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CLASS of 1970 – GOLDEN DIPLOMA RECEPTION & CERMONY

Please complete this page and return it in the enclosed envelope.

Name to be printed on Honorary Diploma:

Name for Diploma: _____

Please complete even if you do not plan to attend. If you can't attend, we'll mail your diploma after the ceremony.

Address: _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

Phone #: _____ **Email Address:** _____

Name: _____
(First Name) (Last Name) (Last Name while attending RHS)

YES, I will attend the event on Wednesday, September 8, 2021.

NO, I cannot attend the event on Wednesday, September 8, 2021.

My Spouse/Guest will attend with me. YES NO

Myself/Spouse/Guest requires accommodations for parking or other access
YES NO

If you require parking with close access to the event or other special needs to attend, please let us know. We will do our best to make adjustments.

If you prefer, you may email or telephone your RSVP to:

Betty Kapitan: bkapitan@rcpsvt.org (802) 786-1996

Feel free to contact us with any questions regarding this event.



Rutland High School 51st Reunion

September 9, 2021

Southside Steakhouse

170 South Main St, Rutland, VT

Social Hour @ 5:30 PM; Dinner @ 6:30 PM

\$60 per person

Southside Steakhouse Dinner Buffet*

Please respond as soon as possible if you plan to attend.

Checks before Friday, August 20th

Please make checks payable to:

Steve White

8 Victor Place, Rutland, VT 05701

Info: stevewhitevt@gmail.com, Text/Call: 802-236-1951.

* Music by Mike Coppinger- MC Sounds, The Venue, Vermont Sales Tax and Gratuities Included.