

An invitation to the

Alumni Celebration Weekend

31 August – 2 September 2007

Celebrating a century of education in Headingley



Saturday 1 September continued	Ticket price	Number	Cost
Alumni bands night			
• Alumni tickets in advance	£6		:
• Guest tickets in advance	£7		:
• Tickets £8 on the door - subject to availability			

Sunday 2 September	Ticket price	Number	Cost
Thackray Medical Museum	Free		Free
Harewood House - ADULTS	Free		Free
Harewood House - CHILDREN (4 – 16)	Free		Free
Royal Armouries	Free		Free
Leeds Met Golf Society – lunch and golf	Free		Free
Battle of Britain Memorial flyover	Free		Free

Would you like access to the: gym swimming pool

Which group would you like to hold a reunion for?

Would you like a tour of a building on campus? If so, please state which.

We aim to accommodate all alumni at our events. If you need special assistance or have specific requirements to make this possible, please let us know.

Please provide details of fellow alumni who would like to receive this programme (with their permission) and we will be happy to send them a copy.

Name	Former name
Subject studied	Year of graduation
Address	
Telephone	
Email	

Please return this booking form along with a cheque for your Alumni Band night tickets to the Alumni Office, Leeds Metropolitan University, Civic Quarter, Leeds, LS1 3HE. Cheques are payable to Leeds Metropolitan University.



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The Leeds Met Alumni Office warmly invites all alumni and their guests to join us for a weekend of events which form part of the university's year-long celebration of a century of education in Headingley. In 1907 the City of Leeds Training College, now part of Leeds Met, was founded, moving to Beckett Park in 1909.

Choose from an exciting programme of events and activities – come to one, or enjoy the whole weekend. Bring your family, meet up with old friends, or make this the occasion to get your classmates together for a reunion, with our help.

We look forward to welcoming you back to Leeds Met.

Best wishes,



Kyla Holt
Alumni Relations Manager

Friday 31 August

- 10.00am – 4.30pm **Mini Olympics**
Teams of four family members or friends can take part in a full day of activities including swimming, running, shot-putt and long jump.
- 2.00pm onwards **Craft fair and farmers' market**
Wide range of stalls selling handmade goods including cards, jewellery and crafts and a farmers' market offering locally sourced produce including cheese, jams, wine and plants.
- 2.00pm – 5.00pm **Community garden party**
This relaxed and informal party will offer plenty of entertainment for children of all ages, including a bouncy castle and clowns.
- 5.00pm – 7.00pm **Trace your ancestors surgery**
Plunge into the past with the help of our resident expert genealogist. Bring the name of an ancestor and get help to trace them during a pre-allocated time slot.
- 7.30pm **Black Dyke Band**
The Alumni Office is delighted to offer a limited number of complimentary tickets to alumni and their guests to a prestigious gala concert by the world famous Black Dyke Band in the marquee on The Acre, Headingley Campus.



Saturday 1 September

- 10.00am – 4.00pm **Personal and professional development**
Enjoy a series of workshops specifically organised for alumni. Select those of interest or attend the full day.
- CV and job search tips
 - Setting up your own business
 - Career and life planning
 - How to get published
- Visiting Professor Phil Race will join colleagues from Leeds Met Careers Service and Business Incubator to deliver these sessions. A complimentary buffet lunch will be provided.
- 10.00am – 4.00pm **Craft fair and farmers' market**
Please see under Friday above.
- 10.00am **Thackray Medical Museum self-guided tour**
The award-winning Thackray Medical Museum is one of the UK's leading museums, telling the story of medicine.
- 11.00am **Tour of historic Headingley Campus**
A local historian will act as your guide, helping you to discover more about the campus' past; its association with Kirkstall Abbey, its development as Leeds City College of Training, its role during the World Wars and about its present as a great northern university.
- 12.30 **Headingley Campus Library tour**
Guided tour of the newly restored and refurbished Library, including the magnificent Gandhi Hall and panelled room.
- 1.00pm - 3.00pm **Family art workshop at Leeds City Art Gallery**
Family art workshops created for alumni and their families by professional local artists. Be among the first to experience the newly restored, refurbished and extended gallery.
- 2.00pm onwards **Traditional garden games**
Informal games of cricket, rounders, etc. on The Acre. Alumni and guests of all ages are very welcome to come along and take part.
- 2.00pm **Royal Armouries guided tour**
This very special tour of the UK's national collection of arms and armour has been exclusively arranged for alumni.



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- 8.00pm onwards **Alumni bands night**
Students' Union, Civic Quarter, Calverley Street
Two events in one venue. In one room, live music from ILikeTrains and Stateless, plus support from other alumni bands; in the other, the long-awaited return, for one night only, of the Poly Bop and OTT.
- 10.00am **Thackray Medical Museum self-guided tour**
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- 10.30am **Harewood House**
Harewood House provides a wonderful day out for all the family. Alumni will be able to take time to explore the house and its treasures before it is opened to the general public.
- 11.00am **Royal Armouries guided tour**
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- 1.00pm **Leeds Met Golf Society**
Inaugural meeting of the Leeds Met Golf Society, established for alumni, staff and former staff. A luncheon hosted by the Alumni Office will be followed by a round of golf at a prestigious north Leeds golf course.
- 1.00pm (approximately) **Battle of Britain Memorial flyover**
Bring a picnic and join us on The Acre as the Battle of Britain Memorial Flight's Douglas Dakota C-47 flies over Headingley Campus.



Over the weekend

- Sports facilities**
Arrangements have been made for alumni and their guests to have access to Headingley Campus gym and swimming pool over the course of the celebration weekend. Please indicate on the booking form if you intend to make use of these facilities.
- Tours and reunions**
If you are interested in touring any of the buildings on campus, (such as your old Halls of Residence) we may be able to arrange this for you. Similarly, if you would like to meet up with friends or staff from your days on campus, please contact the Alumni Office as we may be able to help.



Booking Form

Please note all events will take place on Headingley Campus, (Beckett Park), unless otherwise stated. Confirmation will be forwarded after booking. Numbers are restricted for some events; tickets will be allocated on a first come first served basis. To enable us to confirm numbers, please indicate all events that you plan to attend on the booking form, including those for which no ticket will be necessary, such as the farmers' market. Please return your booking form by 17 August.

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Please indicate which events you would like to attend by entering the number of tickets that you require for each.

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• Lunch	Free		Free
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