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## Join us Saturday, Sept. 17, for WALSAA Football Fire-Up

This year's WALSAA's Football Fire-Up tailgate party and auction marks the 41st year as alumni, faculty and friends gather before the 11 a.m. UW-Madison Badger football game against the Georgia State University Panthers. The Fire-Up starts at 8:30 a.m. in the parking lot of the UW-Foundation, 1848 University Avenue.

WALSAA annual and lifetime members will be able to purchase discounted tickets for this year's luncheon and will have an exclusive right to purchase football tickets again this year. Fire-Up 2016 will feature live music, a visit from Bucky Badger, a game area for children and the popular WALSAA Silent Auction, which raises money for scholarships, awards and student activities. See some of the items that can be found on the auction block on page 6.

WALSAA's annual meeting will be held at 8 a.m. prior to Fire-Up. Current WALSAA members and supporters are invited to attend. The primary order of business will be to elect board members and to recognize outgoing board members. If you have other items for the agenda, forward them to Stephanie Hammerly at [admin@walsaa.org](mailto:admin@walsaa.org) or Vern Dougherty, silent auction co-chairman, at [verndough@gmail.com](mailto:verndough@gmail.com).

If you are not a current WALSAA member, use the form on page 11 to renew your membership or become a new member to be able to vote at the annual meeting, as well

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# President's Message: New award and campaign



WALSAA President Tom Janczewski

**G**reetings! The fall semester starts in a couple of days and the football season is already in full swing. I hope to see many of you at the 2016 WALSAA Football Fire-Up on Sept. 17.

This year's Fire-Up promises to be a memorable one as we will unveil the WALSAA Daluge Red Jacket Award. The Red Jacket Award was board member Marjorie Stieve's idea, as she was inspired watching the Master's Tournament and its iconic "green jacket." The award, to be given for lifetime service to WALSAA, is named after two of our most dedicated alumni: Rick and Peggy Daluge. All of us have seen Rick attend campus events in his (only somewhat less) iconic red blazer. It only seemed "fitting" to name WALSAA's lifetime service award, the WALSAA Daluge Red Jacket Award.

As we announced in the last *WALSAA Express*, the inaugural WALSAA Daluge Red Jacket Award winner is Jack Kaltenberg. Please plan on attending so that you can offer Jack a hearty cheer.

In the March *WALSAA Express*, I mentioned that WALSAA and CALS were working together to see how WALSAA could assist CALS in the All Ways Forward campaign. Recall that the overall goal for UW is to raise

\$3.2 billion by the end of the decade. For its part, CALS' goal is to raise \$150 million. Dean VandenBosch met with the WALSAA board and asked: Can WALSAA help CALS meet the challenge? There is only one answer to that question. The question was never whether we could or should contribute, but "how much" can we help. At our recent board meeting, WALSAA decided to pledge \$100,000.

In acknowledgement of WALSAA's \$100,000 gift, CALS will name the new lobby at the Dean Henry House in the Allen Centennial Gardens after WALSAA. As you may know, the Dean Henry House is under renovation and will be used as a new student center. The lobby sponsorship will serve as permanent memorial to the hard work and commitment our alumni have shown throughout the years. WALSAA will also receive display space to announce award recipients and to communicate directly to students – our future members.

At our last meeting, WALSAA formed a steering committee to oversee the fundraising campaign. In the coming months, each of you will receive a donation request, and we hope you will consider contributing to the campaign.

See you at Fire-Up!

# Dean's Message: Fresh grads exemplify the Wisconsin Idea



CALS Dean & Director Kate VandenBosch

**I**t's my pleasure to highlight a combination of two of my favorite things: commencement and the Wisconsin Idea. All of our graduates embody the Wisconsin Idea in that they will use their UW education to better the world. But some of them – including three CALS graduates this year – participate in a program that has a particularly close tie to the Wisconsin Idea.

Wisconsin Idea Undergraduate Fellowships (WIF) are awarded to students working to address problems identified by local or global communities. Students design projects in collaboration with a community organization and a UW-Madison faculty or staff member. Projects can receive up to \$7,000 in funding.

The goal of the program, administered by the Morgridge Center for Public Service, is to ensure that education and research at UW-Madison is used to benefit communities beyond our campus borders.

**Theo Loo, BS'16, Microbiology; Faculty advisor: Michael Bell**



Theo's project was a follow-up to a global health course studying water quality and access in rural South Africa. "There were long-term opportunities that transcended the class," Theo said. Focusing on one village, Theo performed water quality tests (confirming that the water was badly contaminated) and conducted extensive mapping that helped identify infrastructure and terrain. With his partners in South Africa, Theo is proposing a series of "water plazas" that will help collect and store rain water within the community for community use. A crowd-funding campaign has been established for the project.

**Marjorie Kersten, BS'16, Community and Environmental Sociology; Faculty advisor: Susan Paskewitz**

Like Theo, Marjorie was inspired by a global health class. But Marjorie focused on food: specifically, the ben-

efits of eating insects, which can be densely packed with nutrition. Working with university students and rural residents in Zambia, Marjorie collected data and ideas for consuming insects



– and found interest among Zambians in insect farming. "They're really interested in the entrepreneurial aspect," said Marjorie. "We're promoting the insects as, first and foremost, feed yourself, feed your family. But if you get this huge colony going and you have extra insects and you want to sell them to your neighbor and start a small business, that's really great as well."

**Corinne Praska, BS'16, Genetics; Faculty advisor: James Ntambi**



To prevent numerous diseases, there's a simple solution: wash your hands with soap. But in the village of Lweza, Uganda, Corinne learned, many people don't have access to soap at sanitation facilities. She also learned that women face economic opportunity challenges. Addressing both problems, Corinne and a fellow undergrad traveled to Lweza, where they hosted workshops teaching women how to make soap using local ingredients – and market it to local vendors. Women from the community volunteered to lead a soap-making demonstration for the village. "They even made up a song to sing while they were mixing the soap. It was so cool," Corinne said.

We often note with pride that the Wisconsin Idea has expanded: the boundaries of the university are now the boundaries of the world. And it is gratifying to see that some of the very best ambassadors of the Wisconsin Idea are our undergraduates.

On, Wisconsin!

## WALSAA Board of Directors 2015-2016

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# FISC Corner: The FISC program is on solid ground



WALSAA FISC Chairman Bob Behnke

It's the best news we have heard in decades!

With commodity prices below breakeven, milk checks not covering expenses, we can use a little something to smile about. FISC Director Jessie Potterton, along with Associate Dean for Academic Affairs Sarah Pfatteicher and staff, has worked hard to create a more sustainable FISC program through formalizing its business processes. This formalized agreement now has FISC class credits aligned with the four-year degree students' credits. Several FISC students each year wish to further their education in a four-year degree program, the credit alignment makes for a seamless transfer of credits that apply.

This agreement also includes the university ordering supplies for the dorms, and overseeing that safety procedures are in place so that all students enjoy the

experience to its fullest. This agreement is the first step in securing our future. Director Potterton has her eyes wide open and is a great listener to where our prospective students will come from with the ever-changing landscape of production agriculture. The core classes will remain the same and the elective classes will have a broad range of degree choices to keep up with what is relevant in today's world.

Hats off to all of the staff who made this agreement happen! We, as alumni, take great pride in our degree and the family we became on our first day on campus. Thank you is not enough! When we see these people at various activities around the state, please thank them and tell them how much it means to you and really all of us.

Again thank you, Jessie and Sarah!

## 2016 WALSAA Farm Technology Days Picnic – a success!

Thank you to the UW alumni and supporters that joined us at the Walworth County Fairgrounds for the 2016 WALSAA Farm Technology Days Picnic! Although temperatures were a bit warm, it was a great evening filled with networking, catching up with old friends and making new ones.

Our President, Tom Janczewski gave an update on WALSAA and following him was Dean Kate VandenBosch with a CALS update. With nearly 60 in attendance, guests enjoyed a delicious steak dinner. Special thank you to the Walworth County Junior Beef Association for allowing us to participate in their event Overall, a very nice get-together!

Save the date for the 2017 event. The WALSAA Farm Technology Days Picnic will be held on July 12 at Pagel's Ponderosa Dairy in Kewaunee.



# Campus Happenings: A summer spent in Madison

WALSAA Student Representative Emma Wagner

Summer is coming to a close and the start of class is nearly here. I am very excited to begin my junior year and my time as a WALSAA student representative!

My summer was spent advising energetic new students at Student Orientation Advising and Registration (SOAR) as they begin their time here at the great school that is UW-Madison! I have thoroughly enjoyed learning more about all of the amazing opportunities CALS has to offer as well as getting to interact with more of the faculty and staff of the college.

It has been so fun to learn the stories of new students as they share what made them decide to come to UW-Madison. I must admit that I am quite jealous that their journey at Madison is just beginning and mine is half over. Did I mention that Madison is an absolutely wonderful place to be during the summer? There's nothing like a warm summer's night spent with friends on the Terrace!

When I needed a break from the city, I went home to Westfield to help my sister with her 4-H livestock projects. I even got to exhibit one last time at the Marquette County Fair and expose my cousins to the wonderful world of agriculture!



## New WALSAA student representatives

WALSAA is pleased to announce Emma Wagner and Logan Voigts as its 2016-17 student representatives.

Emma is a junior, majoring in life science communications, and is from Coloma. She is currently working with the CALS SOAR team over the summer and is a CALS Ambassador. She is a member of the Association of Women in Agriculture and participated in the UW-Madison Entrepreneurial Residential Learning Community. Emma will be serving our events and marketing committees in the year ahead.

Logan is a junior, majoring in dairy science, and is from Platteville. He is currently serving as vice-chairman of the Junior Activities Committee for the Wisconsin Holstein Association, is a CALS Student Association representative and on the permanent finance committee for Alpha Gamma Rho. Logan will be serving on our events and scholarship committees in the year ahead.

## WALSAA Football Fire-Up volunteers wanted

Summer is here, and the season kicks off WALSAA's annual planning efforts for another amazing fall Fire-Up tailgate party.

WALSAA is specifically seeking your help to assist in planning this great annual tradition, which will be held on Sept. 17. With high attendance anticipated, we need your guidance in meeting member expectations again this year!

Assistance is needed from arranging the food to acquiring items for the silent auction, WALSAA's main fundraiser for the Outstanding Sophomore and FISC Awards.

If you would like to take the opportunity to assist in the planning and set-up of the 41st annual WALSAA Football Fire-Up, contact WALSAA at [admin@walsaa.org](mailto:admin@walsaa.org) or (608) 438-1994.

Thank you in advance for your time and commitment to WALSAA!

# Items up for auction at WALSAA Football Fire-Up

Here is a partial listing of items that will be up for auction at Fire-Up. To see the full spread, attend the event on Sept. 17.

**ITEM:** One-week, summer/fall stay at Hurley-area lodge for up to 12 people.

**VALUE:** \$400

**DONOR:** Rick & Peggy Daluge



**ITEM:** John Deere XUV Gator so that future Badgers can harness the power of a John Deere.

**VALUE:** \$400

**DONOR:** CALS alumni of John Deere

**ITEM:** Weber® Q™ 1200<sup>a</sup> College Series: Wisconsin-Branded Tail Gate Grill.

**VALUE:** \$300

**DONOR:** Vern and Judy Dougherty



**ITEM:** Badger, Brewer and Packer Fire Pit Ring

**VALUE:** \$165

**DONOR:** Valerie Johnson

**ITEMS:** Two beautiful photos taken by CALS photographer, Sevie Kenyon. Both photos have an agricultural focus and will compliment any home décor. One is printed on canvas and the other is printed on aluminum.

**VALUE:** \$150 each

**DONOR:** CALS



**ITEM:** A one week stay in vibrant Door County, Wisconsin! Stay at the Manney Place, a private residence on top of the bluff in Egg Harbor with beautiful views overlooking the waters of Green Bay. Four bedrooms, three baths, octagon great room, two fireplaces, full kitchen, mud room, etc...all the comforts of home (since it is one)!

**VALUE:** \$1,500

**DONOR:** The Wilson Family/The Manney Place



**ITEM:** Tippy Cow Rum Cream! An assortment case of four flavors; Chocolate, Vanilla Soft Serve, Shamrock Mint & Orange Cream. Tip a glass & not a cow.. Buy this and you'll be the hit of the neighborhood!

**VALUE:** \$204

**DONOR:** Kay & Duane Maas

**ITEM:** 1/4 Angus beef. Grain-finished. Processed and cut at Weber's in Cuba City. Processing is included.

**VALUE:** \$600

**DONOR:** Valley View Farms

**ITEM:** In memory of Mark Sherry. Two UW Men's Basketball tickets. Your choice of game.

**VALUE:** \$100

**DONOR:** Kathleen Sherry

**ITEM:** Five bags of soybean seed

**VALUE:** \$250

**DONOR:** Jack Kaltenberg

**ITEM:** Two UW Men's Basketball season tickets (Section 304, Row J, Seats 14/15)

**VALUE:** \$836

**DONOR:** Alpha Gamma Rho Alumni & WALSAA



**ITEMS:** Two sets of two UW Men's Basketball tickets - courtside seats - four rows up behind the Badger bench. Game TBD.

**VALUE:** \$150

**DONOR:** Bryan & Mary Renk

**ITEM:** Two UW Men's basketball season tickets (Section 306, Row C, Seats 1/2)

**VALUE:** \$836

**DONOR:** WALSAA and Coloma Farms

**ITEM:** Ten bags of wheat seed

**VALUE:** \$250

**DONOR:** Jack Kaltenberg

**ITEM:** Movie theater popcorn popper and a variety of popcorn, totaling 20 pounds

**VALUE:** \$200

**DONOR:** Tietz Family Farms Popcorn

**ITEM:** Two UW Men's basketball season tickets (Section 306, Row B, Seats 1/2)

**VALUE:** \$882

**DONOR:** WALSAA

**ITEM:** Four tickets to Packers vs. Colts at Lambeau Field - Nov. 6 at 3:25 p.m.

**VALUE:** Priceless

**DONOR:** Al & Lynn Herrman

**ITEM:** Two UW Hockey tickets, parking pass, dinner certificate and Badger item

**VALUE:** \$150

**DONOR:** Union Bank & Trust Company



**ITEMS:** Dave Dickson Memorabilia Silent Auction Table - proceeds support the WALSAA scholarship fund.

**VALUE:** Priceless

**DONOR:** Louis & Sandra Arrington

## WALSAA Football Fire-Up

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as receive the exclusive offers for Fire-Up and football tickets. You may send in the membership form with your Fire-Up ticket order form or complete them both online at [www.walsaa.org](http://www.walsaa.org).

Plan to join WALSAA on Sept. 17 to connect with old friends and make new ones while sharing your Badger pride.

Important notes:

- To order tickets, use the form on page 8 or register online at [www.walsaa.org](http://www.walsaa.org).
- All football and Fire-Up Luncheon tickets will be available at the "Will Call" registration table. Tickets will NOT be mailed.
- Badger football tickets are available ONLY to WALSAA members as a Game Day Package deal with Fire-Up Luncheon tickets and are on a first come, first served basis.
- \$15 of each luncheon ticket is a gift of support to WALSAA and is 100% tax deductible.
- Children under 3 must sit on lap of an adult football ticket holder during the Badger game.
- Parking is available on the street; WALSAA does NOT have access to handicapped parking accommodations.
- For more information, contact WALSAA at (608) 438-1994, [admin@walsaa.org](mailto:admin@walsaa.org) or [www.walsaa.org](http://www.walsaa.org).

# 2016 WALSAA Football Fire-Up ticket order form

**Saturday, Sept. 17 • 8:30 a.m.**

**UW Foundation parking lot, 1848 University Avenue**

Please go online to [www.walsaa.org](http://www.walsaa.org) or fill in ALL information below to complete your registration.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State & Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail (required to receive additional e-mail correspondence): \_\_\_\_\_

Event	Cost	# of Tickets	Total
<b>Game Day Package*</b> Fire-Up Luncheon** & Wisconsin vs. Georgia State tickets Kick-off 11 a.m. (max. 6 tickets per request)	WALSAA member: \$75 Child 3-11: \$65 Child under 3: Free***	WALSAA member: ___ Children 3-11: ___ Children Under 3: ___	\$
<b>Fire-Up Luncheon</b> Luncheon** Tickets Only	WALSAA member: \$30 Non-member: \$40 Child 3-11: \$20 Child under 3: Free	WALSAA member: ___ Non-member: ___ Children 3-11: ___ Children Under 3: ___	\$
Fire-Up T-Shirts	\$15 per shirt	Small Qty ___ Medium Qty. ___ Large Qty. ___ X-Large Qty. ___	\$
Make checks payable to WALSAA. Mail registration and payment to WALSAA at P.O. Box 5177, Madison, WI 53705 Registration must be <b>postmarked on or before Aug. 31.</b> After that date, tickets will be for sale at the gate for an additional \$5 each.		Additional 100% tax deductible donation to WALSAA	\$
		Total Cost	\$

List Names for Fire-Up Nametags: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Member profile: A credit to our alma mater

Natalie Endres didn't travel far from her Dane County roots to attend the University of Wisconsin's College of Agricultural and Life Sciences (CALs). Though she didn't have to travel a great distance, she has definitely grown thanks to many opportunities provided by the University and both fellow and former Badgers.

Natalie is a senior set to graduate in May 2017 with a degree in agricultural business management. Natalie found ag business at Madison to be a perfect fit after being involved in agriculture from an early age. Natalie grew up helping on her family's, now 550 cow farm, as well as showing and judging dairy cattle. Business courses and extracurricular activities in high school helped Natalie identify an opportunity to marry two of her interests – business and agriculture.

Since arriving in Madison, Natalie has been very involved in many on-campus organizations such as the Association of Women in Agriculture (AWA) and the National Agri-Marketing Association (NAMA). In addition, she served as a CALs Ambassador. Natalie attributes her participation in these organizations to helping her make connections with other students who share her interests, as well as alumni in the agriculture industry. She believes these organizations, the real world experiences they provided and the ability to connect with many CALs alumni helped her gain professional tips that she has been able to use in her internships and that she will take with her into the future.

Thanks to her CALs experience, Natalie has also had opportunities off-campus to learn and experience the combination of agriculture and business. Natalie held a marketing internship with Kuhn North America in Brodhead during the summer between her sophomore and junior year. During the 2015-16 academic year, she worked for Badgerland Financial in Sun Prairie, assisting in the Tax and Accounting Department. Most recently, this past summer she has stretched outside of Wisconsin, but stayed in the ag credit arena by working for John Deere



Natalie Endres

Financial in Des Moines, Iowa. In Iowa, she is working to help the credit company teach its vast employee base about the businesses related to farming and John Deere dealers.

Natalie looks forward to continuing to stretch while staying close to her agricultural roots after graduation. She is eager to start a career that provides her opportunities to support agriculture and farmers directly. She definitely is a credit to the University and the former Badgers that have helped her along the way.

## Alumni Updates

Our sympathies to the family of **Jerrald W. Kindschi, BS'51**, who passed away in April.

Stephanie Stout married **Joel Hammerly, FISC'06**, in July.

**Robb Bender BS'10, MS'12**, and **Christine McFarland, BS'13**, were married in July.

**Jack Kaltenberg, BS'73**, will receive the first WALSAA Daluge Red Jacket Award at Fire-Up in September.

If you have WALSAA member news for future issues, please send to [admin@walsaa.org](mailto:admin@walsaa.org).

# Outstanding Sophomore profile: Mariah Martin

We are checking in with our Outstanding Sophomore Award recipients in the UW-Madison College of Agricultural and Life Sciences. This issue highlights Mariah Martin from Brooklyn, Wisconsin. Mariah will be entering her junior year pursuing a life sciences communication degree and a certificate in agricultural business management.

For the summer, Mariah has relocated to Wausau, where she is interning as the ag ambassador for the Marathon County Partnership for Progressive Agriculture. Mariah has her work cut out for her in this position, "I will be working on community outreach, event planning and marketing. My biggest project for the summer is the Ag Adventure Tent at the Wisconsin Valley Fair. I will be organizing agricultural education opportunities through hands-on activities, demonstrations, displays and samples to highlight agriculture in Marathon County."

It may sound like a plateful to others, but to Mariah it is a welcomed challenge to prepare her for the approaching school year. "This next year I will be taking a variety of classes to make me a well-rounded individual in the agriculture industry by learning agronomy, issues in food systems and marketing strategies.

"Additionally, I am taking on two new roles within the Association of Women in Agriculture and the National Agri-Marketing Association that will not only challenge me to find a blend between my class load and commitments to organizations, but also allow me to gain new experiences, network and develop skills in the industry. I have an extremely busy and challenging year ahead of me, however, I know, by finding the perfect blend, I will be able to succeed and be rewarded with many opportunities."

After graduation, Mariah plans to serve agriculture abroad through the AgriCorps. "I will be able to work in agricultural education in developing countries.



Mariah Martin

Upon return, I plan on finding a career working in agricultural marketing and communications within an agency while eventually running for the position of Alice in Dairyland."

To Mariah, this award provides a way to stand out amongst the crowd and continue to show her dedication to improving her community and university. In her free time, she likes to attend Badger football games, volunteer in her 4-H club and read.

Good luck the rest of the summer, Mariah! We look forward to seeing all you accomplish in the future.

To learn more about the summer experiences of other OSA recipients, visit the WALSAA Facebook page at: [www.facebook.com/walsaa](http://www.facebook.com/walsaa)

# Become a WALSAA member today

Wisconsin Agricultural and Life Sciences Alumni Association (WALSAA) is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization that supports the connection of students, faculty and alumni to the University of Wisconsin's College of Agricultural and Life Sciences (CALs), including the college's Farm and Industry Short Course (FISC).

**Save time,  
sign up  
online!**

Established in 1972, WALSAA has embarked on a remarkable journey of service and fellowship with alumni and friends of CALs. Noted by Roger Biddick, first WALSAA president at the organizations' first meeting, "As alumni we can act more effectively than any single group to rebuild the image of greatness that this college so justly deserves and at the same time enjoy the fellowship of working together."

**WALSAA membership rates:**

- Annual membership – \$50.00
- Lifetime membership – One-time payment of \$500.00 or installment payments of \$105 per year for 5 years; **SPECIAL DISCOUNT PRICE of \$200 until Fire-Up (September 17, 2016)**

Advantages of being a WALSAA member include WALSAA Express newsletter delivered several times per year and invitations to WALSAA events, such as the Football Fire-up, Farm Technology Days Picnic, Hit the Ice Hockey event and Brew Crew Bash. A WALSAA membership allows you to reconnect with CALs and give back to the college where it all began. Your membership dollars will be used to aid WALSAA as it carries out its efforts to award scholarships, fund CALs Ambassadors, support student leadership and recognize exceptional faculty – all in support of the college and the alumni's connection to it. Become a WALSAA member today!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  Mobile  Home  Work

UW-Madison Graduate?  Yes  No If yes, year of degree: \_\_\_\_\_ Degree earned: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional degrees (please list): \_\_\_\_\_

Field(s) of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership level:  Annual – \$50  Lifetime – \$500  Lifetime installment – \$105

Additional donation to support WALSAA: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  Check  Money order  Amer. Express  Discover  MasterCard  Visa

Please complete the following information if you are paying by credit card:

Cardholder's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_

I authorize WALSAA to charge the credit card indicated above all charges pertaining to my donation. I attest that I am a legal authorized user of the designated card.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you interested in volunteering at a WALSAA event?  Yes  No

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## Upcoming Events

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| <b>Sept. 17</b> | <b>WALSAA Football Fire-up, UW Foundation Parking Lot</b>                       |
| <b>Sept. 17</b> | <b>WALSAA Annual Meeting, held ½ hour before Fire-Up</b>                        |
| <b>Oct. 28</b>  | <b>WALSAA Board of Directors Meeting, Madison</b>                               |
| <b>Jan. 28</b>  | <b>2017 FISC Reunion</b>  |
| <b>July 12</b>  | <b>WALSAA Farm Technology Days Picnic,<br/>Pagel's Ponderosa Farm, Kewaunee</b> |