

April 2008

Dear Parents of Graduating Seniors:

The weekend of May 30 – June 1, 2008, will be a very special time for your family. For Gustavus Adolphus College, it brings to a close our 146th academic year. More importantly, it marks the beginning of a new and exciting stage in your student's life. We hope that the entire weekend will be a memorable one for our graduating students, their parents, family members, and friends.

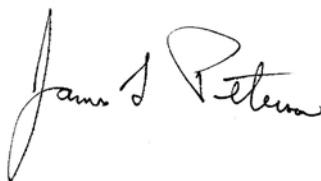
The following events highlight the Commencement Weekend:

- A Family Picnic will be held on Saturday evening in the C. Charles Jackson Campus Center from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.
- Two Baccalaureate Services will be held on Sunday morning in Christ Chapel, at 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
- The Commencement Buffet will be served on Sunday from 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Evelyn Young Dining Room of the C. Charles Jackson Campus Center.
- Commencement Exercises will be held on Sunday afternoon at the new Hollingsworth Field. The traditional and colorful academic procession of faculty and seniors will begin at 1:45 p.m., with the ceremony scheduled to start at 2:00 p.m. In the event of inclement weather, the ceremony will be moved indoors to Lund Center Arena.

Reservation information and other details are outlined in this folder. If you have any questions about any part of the Commencement Weekend, please contact the Office of College Relations at 507-933-7520 or collegerelations@gustavus.edu for further information.

We wish you a safe journey to Gustavus for Commencement Weekend!

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jim Peterson". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped initial "J".

Jim Peterson, President