

## ALUMNI CALENDER

9/4 OSURFC VS  
NAVY RFC  
TAILGATE & GAME  
@ OSU'S BEEKMAN  
PARK—SOCIAL TO  
FOLLOW @ LUCKY'S  
STOUT HOUSE

9/5 OSU VS NAVY  
FOOTBALL  
TAILGATE & GAME  
@ SE CORNER OF  
LANE & NEIL AVE

9/19 OSU VS TOLEDO  
FOOTBALL  
TAILGATE & GAME  
@ THE  
CLEVELANDER BAR

\* board meetings @  
Longaberger Alumni House  
unless otherwise noted

## OSURFC FALL SCHEDULE

8/28-30 @ WILFRED  
LAURIER UNIV.  
TOURNAMENT,  
WATERLOO,  
ONTARIO

9/4 NAVY

9/12 PENN STATE

9/18 MICHIGAN

9/26-27 @ BIG TEN  
TOURNAMENT,  
ELKHART, INDIANA

10/3 NOTRE DAME

10/17 PURDUE

10/24 @ INDIANA

10/31 BOWLING GREEN

11/7 MIDWEST  
PLAYOFFS, TBD

11/14-15 MIDWEST  
CHAMPIONSHIPS,  
ELKHART, INDIANA

# OSURFC ALUMNI SOCIETY

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## FROM THE PRESIDENT: ALUMNI WEEKEND WRAP-UP

The June event was a big success for the society, we had 30 golfers, 60-65 guys at the banquet and were able to raise over \$1,000. We also came out of the weekend with our first 19 members. A big thanks to Russ Howland for planning the festivities, these are the type of organized events that will ensure success for the society. Another special thanks to Brian Ebersole for manning the membership table at the banquet and drafting the membership flier. The funds raised at this event along with all of the other funds raised will be going into a website remodel as well as paying for the tickets to the OSU vs. Toledo game (details on page 2).

The society membership flier is attached for all of you that could not make the banquet or were unable to make it to the membership table that night. Society membership is the best way to show your support for the efforts underway, your funds will be used to support the society goals and help the club. We really need your support so please consider becoming a member of the society, we are working hard to ensure that your contributions make a profound difference to OSU rugby.

-Jason Henry

## OSU VS. NAVY RUGBY & FOOTBALL SEPTEMBER 4-5

Please join us for the first OSURFC Alumni Society Fall event. The current club will take on the Naval Academy Friday night at Fred Beekman Park on the OSU west campus. The game will be preceded by an informal meet-and-greet at The Varsity Club. Kickoff is at 7pm and the match will be followed by a social for alumni, families, players and visitors at Lucky's Stout House @ 1475 N High St. This is a great opportunity to catch up with old friends, meet new ones and show the Academy some hospitality and a glimpse of what we are starting here at OSU. The rugby match is just the start of things as we will be up early on Saturday tailgating before the OSU-Navy football game which begins at noon. Tailgate begins at 8am and is located on the Southeast corner of Lane and Neil Avenue between Tommy's Pizza and Drackett Tower. Tailgate includes free drinks and BBQ. The society will be accepting voluntary donations to cover the cost of the event. We hope this annual event will allow another option to Old Boys who can't make it to the June events, or provide a more opportune weekend for those who try to make it in town for a home football game.

Go to [OSURugby.com](http://OSURugby.com) to update you  
contact information and stay connected!

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OSU FOOTBALL VS TOLEDO  
CLEVELAND BROWNS STADIUM  
SEPTEMBER 19

The OSURFC Alumni Society has secured 40 tickets to the OSU vs Toledo football game at Cleveland Browns Stadium in Cleveland, OH on September 19. Kickoff is at 12 noon, but more importantly, the game will be preceded by the official OSU Rugby Alumni Society tailgate at the alumni owned The Clevelander Bar @ E. 9th and Huron starting at 8am. Transportation to the stadium from The Clevelander Bar will be provided as will drink and food specials for those who purchase a ticket from the society. We hope to see a lot of the Northern Ohio alumni who can't make it down to Columbus on a regular basis. A crew from Columbus will be making the trip as well. Ticket packages (game ticket, drink/food specials, and stadium transportation) are \$100 each and can be obtained by sending a check to Tom Rankin (address below), tickets are sold 1 per PAID SOCIETY MEMBER on a first come first serve basis.

#### HELP US FOR FREE!

You can contribute immediately! We are looking for alumni updates, stories, reflections, and embellishments of past accomplishments to provide to Old Boys in our newsletters. We need similar Alumni recounts and Memorabilia to start putting together our Club's History in greater detail. Send any and all stories, writings and memorabilia to conormalloy@yahoo.com.

If you prefer to donate time please email the corresponding committee chair.

And of course monetary donations to the alumni society are more than welcome. Send donations to Treasurer Tom Ranking, address listed below.

Any suggestions or ideas please feel free to send as well.

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**Note: Please make checks payable to The Ohio State Rugby Alumni Society and mail checks to Tom Rankin, 5515 Scioto Darby Rd., Hilliard, OH 43026**

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<b>Years played</b>	<b>Academic Major</b>	<b>Profession</b>	
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<b>OSU Alumni Association ID #</b>			

#### MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS

- 1 year membership  
\$30.00
- Lifetime membership  
\$600.00
- Graduating senior  
membership \$0
- In addition, I would like  
to contribute a tax de-  
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