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As part of the celebration, the college 150th anniversary of its chartering in 2008, the college will celebrate the Sesquicentennial logo. On Jan. 30, graphic artists are invited to submit designs for Linfield’s Sesquicentennial logo contest. On April 24, to educate students about the importance of alumni support.

According to Malcom, it’s important to educate current students about the important role alumni play in the Linfield family, long after graduation. “It definitely has made me want to be an active alumna in my future,” she said. “Linfield has given me so much over the years and I want to be able to help students some day as well. Without alumni we wouldn’t be able to grow and improve our campus.”

Next year, Samantha Bartlett ’09 will step in to lead the group. Members include Nicki Tyksa ’99, Jennifer Maxson ’09, Matt Atkinson ’08, Kim Hartman ’08, Leslie Wheeler ’07, and Nicole Wilson ’07.

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Visit with classmates and some of Linfield’s professors.

• Alumni Awards Program
• Silent Auction, featuring alumni-produced merchandise

For more information on alumni programs and events, contact the Alumni Office at 503-883-2607 or visit www.linfield.edu/alumni.

For all your athletic wear, go to the Linfield College Bookstore.
As part of the celebration, the college will celebrate the Sesquicentennial of the college in 2008, the college will celebrate the 150th anniversary of its chartering. As part of the celebration, the college is seeking designs for a logo to commemorate the celebration. Deadline for submission is Aug. 15. For design specifications, go to http://www.linfield.edu/press/detail.php?id=688.

Join the online community

Sign up for Linfield’s online community and see what your classmates have been up to. In addition to searching fellow alumni by year, career and location, the community also offers career mentorship opportunities and other benefits. Coming soon: online class notes. Contact the Alumni Office at 503-883-2607 or visit www.linfield.edu/alumni/alumnoinfo.php.

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