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1976 UM HOMECOMING EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR OCT. 8-9

#### MISSOULA--

A parade, awards ceremonies, reunions and a football game are among the events scheduled for the University of Montana Homecoming festivities to be held Friday and Saturday, Oct. 8-9, in Missoula.

An alumni awards ceremony and dinner will be held at 6 p.m. Friday, Oct. 8, at the Missoula Elks Club in honor of UM alumni receiving the annual UM Distinguished Service Awards and the Robert Pantzer Award.

Reservations for the dinner may be made for \$6 per person, with checks payable to the Alumni Center of UM. The checks may be sent to the Alumni Center, University of Montana, Missoula, Mont. 59812.

The Distinguished Service Awards are presented to UM alumni who have brought honor to UM and themselves by distinguished service to the University, the state or the nation. The Robert Pantzer Award, given in honor of former UM President Robert T. Pantzer, of <u>Santa Rosa, Calif.</u>, is presented to one or more persons who contribute substantially toward making the learning environment at UM more open and humane.

Alumni to be honored during UM Homecoming include the graduates from the classes of 1921, 1941, 1951 and 1966. Meetings and activities for the classes will be held throughout Homecoming.

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The "Spirit of '76" parade will be held at 10 a.m. Oct. 9 in Missoula in conjunction with the Garden City's "Montana Days" festivities. Floats in the parade will be sponsored by Missoula businesses and community organizations and student groups. Marching bands from Missoula area high schools will be among the groups participating in the parade. Deadline for entering units in the parade is Sept. 15. More details about the parade may be obtained from the Missoula Area Chamber of Commerce Office, Florence Hotel Building, 111 N. Higgins Ave., Missoula, Mont. 59801, or by phoning 543-6623.

The Grizzlies will meet the Northern Arizona University Lumberjacks in the UM Homecoming football game at 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 9, at Dornblaser Field.

UM Homecoming events for alumni are being coordinated by George W. Oechsli, executive director of the UM Alumni Association. For further information about homecoming events, interested persons may write Oechsli at the UM Alumni Center or phone him at 243-5211.

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