# REGISTRATION

#### **Black Alumni Reunion**

Please indicate the number of people in your party that will attend each event below:

#### Thursday, Nov. 6

Professional Panel Professional Day Social

#### Friday, Nov. 7

Alumni Mixer Alumni Meeting NPHC Step Show

#### Saturday, Nov. 8

Scholarship Breakfast Parade Alumni Tailgate Game Night (poker, spades, etc.)

#### Sunday, Nov. 9

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Worship Service

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Class Year							
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Spouse or Guest Name(s)							
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BLACK ALUMNI REUNION 2008

## ITINERARY

#### Thursday, Nov. 6th

11 a.m. - Professional Panel, Black Cultural Center (BCC), 2nd floor, Roaden University Center (RUC)
6:30 p.m. - Professional Day Social, Noble Cody Suite, 2nd floor, RUC

#### Friday, Nov. 7th

6 p.m. - Alumni Mixer, BCC 6:45 p.m. - Alumni Meeting, BCC 7:30 p.m. - NPHC Step Show, Derryberry Auditorium

#### Saturday, Nov. 8th

9 a.m. - Scholarship Breakfast, Multi-Purpose Room, 2nd floor, RUC

10:30 a.m. - Parade 11 a.m. - Alumni Tailgate, Regions' Tailgate Park 7 p.m. - Game Night, BCC

#### Sunday, Nov. 9th

10 a.m. - Worship Service, Tech Pride Room, 1st floor, RUC



# **BCC HISTORY**



The staff of the Tennessee Tech Minority Affairs Office housed in the Leona Lusk Officer Black Cultural Center, welcomes you.

The Black Cultural Center was established in 1989 as a place

where African-American students could find support among their peers at Tennessee Tech. The center opened its doors officially in August 1990.

In 1964, Tennessee Technological University admitted its first black students. Before then, black residents of Middle Tennessee had only one choice if they wanted to attend a public university — Tennessee State University. They faced the economic and logistical obstacles of commuting to Nashville and beyond for higher education.

Recognizing those obstacles, Tennessee Tech students and a board of administrators and faculty chose to rename the university's Black Cultural Center in the spring of 1996 in honor of its first black alumnus, Leona Lusk Officer, who made numerous sacrifices to obtain something that many today take for granted. Officer earned her degree in elementary education, graduating in 1965.

The Leona Lusk Officer Black Cultural Center offers students an opportunity to learn more about African American culture through books, photographs and works of art. It is a place to expand a student's cultural awareness and knowledge; a place to relax, study, and have fellowship with friends; a place to keep abreast of African-American news via related periodicals. The Black Cultural Center sponsors various cultural, social, educational, and career-related activities to further expand the potential of future leaders.

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#### **Payment Information**

Step Show: # of tickets \_\_\_\_

- \$10 in advance
- \$15 at the door

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#### **Hotel Information**

We have reserved a block of rooms at:

Baymont Inn & Suites 1151 S. Jefferson Ave., Cookeville (931) 525-6668

The rate is \$65 for one standard room.
Rooms must be reserved no later than
November 1. Be sure to mention that
you are with the TTU Black Alumni
Reunion when making reservations.



For more information on area hotels, visit: http://ttualumni.org/netcommunity/visittech

Please return registration form and payment by October 31, 2008. Make checks payable to NPHC.