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Fitzgerald Public Schools to honor alumni with Homecoming 2017 lunch

*Annual parade and a new #FitzHome17 social media campaign are also
part of the festivities*

WARREN, Mich. – **Fitzgerald Public Schools** alumni are invited to lunch at the **Fitzgerald High School** entrance on Sept. 30 ahead of the homecoming football game against Lincoln High School.

“Homecoming is a special time for the Fitzgerald family,” said **Superintendent Barbara VanSweden**. “We get to pause from our hard work for a weekend to celebrate the supportive community we have created here. We celebrate the friendships, the families and the commitment to providing a top-notch education. In addition, it is inspiring to welcome back generations of Fitzgerald graduates who helped build this community.”

The free lunch buffet for all FHS alumni will be served 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Alumni are also invited to walk in the homecoming parade, which begins at Schofield Early Childhood Center at 11 a.m. and ends at the high school. The parade will feature FPS student groups, scouting troops, class representatives, homecoming court members from all grades and the school board. The game begins at 1 p.m.

New this year, students, parents, staff and alumni are asked to show their Spartan pride by posting photos on Facebook with the hashtag **#FitzHome17** and tag the school district during the week of Sept. 25-29. Alumni are asked to share their senior pictures and any other pictures of homecomings past at FHS. Current students and staff are asked to share images of their Spartan spirit throughout the week. Visit facebook.com/FitzgeraldPublicSchools for more information and updates.

Alumni are asked to RSVP for the lunch by Sept. 25 by calling the superintendent’s office at [\(586\) 757-1750](tel:586-757-1750). Free T-shirts will go to alumni who RVSP by Sept. 20. Alumni who wish to walk in the parade are asked to arrive at Schofield Early Childhood Center at 10 a.m.

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