**Wednesday, May 26**

11:30 A.M. ROTC COMMISSIONING CEREMONY
Speakers: Michael G. Vickers, Assistant Secretary of Defense, and Paul G. Kirk, Jr. AB ’60, LLB ’64, former Interim U.S. Senator from Massachusetts.

12:00 P.M. CLASS OF 2010 CLASS DAY PICNIC LUNCHEON
For Seniors and their guests, by reservation only through the Harvard Alumni Association office.

2:00 P.M. SENIOR CLASS DAY EXERCISES
Guest speaker Christiane Amanpour, CNN’s Chief International Correspondent, and members of the Senior Class speaking; featuring the Harvard and Ivy Orations and presentation of the Ames Awards.

5:00 P.M. THE MASTERS’ RECEIPTIONS
For Seniors and their guests. The time is approximate and varies with each House.

8:00 P.M. RADCLIFFE CHORAL SOCIETY, HARVARD GLEE CLUB, & HARVARD UNIVERSITY BAND CONCERT
Diverse musical selections, including folk songs from around the world, interpretations of Romantic literature, and traditional Harvard and Radcliffe songs. Open to the public.

**Thursday, May 27**

6:45 A.M. GATES OPEN
Ticketed guests may enter the Yard through the gate indicated on the back of their tickets. All other guests may watch the exercises on large-screen television sets located in the Science Center.

8:00 A.M. SENIOR CLASS CHAPEL SERVICE
The Memorial Church

8:15 A.M. ACADEMIC AND ALUMNI PROCESSION FORMATION
Forms between University Hall and the Johnston Gate.
2:30 p.m.  THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE HARVARD ALUMNI ASSOCIATION:
THE AFTERNOON PROGRAM
Includes welcoming remarks and acknowledgments by Teresita Alvarez-Bjelland AB ’76, MBA ’79, president of the Harvard Alumni Association; an announcement of Overseer and Director elections results; the presentation of the Harvard Medals; and remarks by President Drew Gilpin Faust.

Address by University Commencement Speaker The Honorable David H. Souter, Associate Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (retired).

Sampling of Events Around Harvard

COLLECTION OF HISTORICAL SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS
Department of the History of Science, 1 Oxford Street
Monday–Friday, 11:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M.
Harvard University has been acquiring scientific instruments on a continuous basis for teaching and research since 1672. With over 20,000 objects dating from the Middle Ages to the present, the collection encompasses a broad range of scientific disciplines.

TIME, LIFE, & MATTER
Putnam Gallery, Science Center 136
This award-winning permanent exhibition traces the development of scientific activity at Harvard and explores how science was promoted or affected by religion, politics, philosophy, art, and commerce in the last 400 years. Featured objects include scientific instruments connected to Galileo, Benjamin Franklin, William James, and Charles Lindbergh.

PAPER WORLDS: PRINTING KNOWLEDGE IN EARLY MODERN EUROPE
Special Exhibition Gallery, Science Center 251
Monday–Friday, 11:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M.
The Scientific Revolution of the 16th and 17th centuries rested not only on new ideas regarding the universe and the human body, but also on a new technology for creating and disseminating information. This exhibition explores the printing of words and images using prints, books, maps, and scientific instruments from many Harvard collections.

JOHNNY BASEBALL: THE NEW MUSICAL ABOUT THE RED SOX
Book by Richard Dresser; music by Robert Reale; lyrics by Willie Reale
Directed by Diane Paulus
Loeb Drama Center, 64 Brattle Street
May 16–June 27, 2010
Ticket prices are $25–75; student, senior, and group discounts are available.
Bring back the magic of 2004 at the world premiere of Johnny Baseball, the new musical about the Boston Red Sox.