Photos: Traditions reign at homecoming

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From the crowning of the homecoming king and queen to cheering "Hullabaloo," homecoming makes memories for students and returning alumni.



Kicking off homecoming weekend, student musicians in the Green Wave Brass Band second-line through the Lavin-Bernick Center on Friday (Oct. 21) as the All-Alumni Wave '11 party swings into action. (Photo by Sabree Hill)



"Memory Lane" photos of years past draw alumni to reminisce during the reunion event about their time as undergraduates. (Photo by Sabree Hill)



At the 10th annual Helluva Hullabaloo Auction on Friday, newscaster Lee Zurik entices the crowd to increase bids on items to raise money for Tulane student-athletes. (Photo by Sally Asher)



Partygoers have a helluva good time during the live bidding portion of the charity event. An <u>online auction</u> continues to offer exclusive items that also will benefit Tulane athletics. (Photo by Sally Asher)



An electronic system helps bidders in the silent auction take part in the action. Sports memorabilia, including a football jersey signed by legendary Saints quarterback Archie Manning, draw interest from fans of all ages. (Photo by Sally Asher)



After an outdoor concert on the quad by Big Sam's Funky Nation, fireworks bring a colorful ending to Friday's reunion and auction events. (Photo by Sally Asher)



Outside the newly named Mercedes-Benz Superdome on Saturday (Oct. 22), the Tulane University Marching Band fires up the Green Wave fans who are tailgating. During the month of October, band members don pink plumes and other accessories in recognition of Breast Cancer Awareness Month. (Photo by Sally Asher)



Members of this tailgating group choose green for their accessories as they get ready to cheer on the football team against the University of Memphis. (Photo by Sally Asher)



The number one "greenie," Tulane President Scott Cowen, greets fans inside the Superdome. (Photo by Sally Asher)