Time to Wave Goodbye

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Graduating student-athletes ham it up for the cameras in front of Gibson Hall on the Tulane University uptown campus before the annual Wave Goodbye party honoring the class of 2015 on Friday (May 15), the eve of Commencement. From left are Vanessa Loewen (swimming), Claire Schlesky (swimming), Madison Batchlor (crew), Rebecca Dugan (swimming), Laura Turpen (swimming) and Gemma Dryburgh (golf).



Festival-style food booths offer New Orleans fare at the annual party thrown by Tulane University President Mike Fitts for graduates and their families.



Alison Steinman and her family pause to snap a moment on the Gibson Quad. Steinman, of Los Angeles, received a business degree at Tulane University Commencement on Saturday (May 16).



The crowd reacts with whoops and hollers to the antics of Rockin Dopsie Jr. & amp; the Zydeco Twisters.



Graduates glow in light from the stage, as they celebrate with friends and family.