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Weighing in On Homecoming's Last 50 Years

October 20 marked the golden anniversary of Homecoming at El Modena. When it comes to looking back, few teachers have been connected to El Modena as long as Mike Finn. Mr. Finn was a former football player and coach at El Modena.

"It was simpler back then," he said. "There were no party buses or fancy invitations."

But one thing has remained constant. "It's about tradition, legacy and attending the game as a rite of passage," Mr. Finn said.

No one knows more about producing Homecoming than ASB advisor and activities director Brandon Miles. This is his fifth year as director, and the message is the same: "Homecoming is when you welcome the Vanguard family back to El Modena."

Whether it's an alumni tailgate in the parking lot over 30 years ago or the pregame with food trucks planned for this year, El Modena Homecoming is about reliving the past and bringing Vanguard nation together.



El Modena ASB celebrates 50 years of homecoming.