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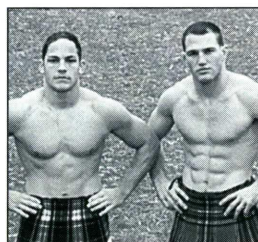
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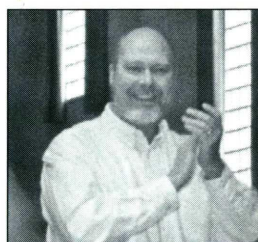
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Message from the Presidents

Two interesting and important articles, among others, are in this issue:

One, the abstract of our recently-published Economic Impact Study highlights the importance of the role Edinboro University plays as an economic engine for the well-being of Erie County, northwestern Pennsylvania and the entire Commonwealth. Although in the past there have been several isolated, anecdotal reports attempting to quantify data such as the economic effects of faculty and staff salaries or student spending locally, this report, for the first time, has been specific about Edinboro University's place in Pennsylvania and the surrounding communities we serve. We know about the value of an Edinboro education. That is apparent as we note the success of countless Edinboro alumni. What we are now certain of, however, is the measure of the value of an Edinboro education in terms of how the presence of the University itself impacts the economic life of the community and how the resources of taxpayers, students, parents, families and friends that are invested in Edinboro University are returned to the community in the forms of economic growth, enhanced financial security and the betterment of life for all.

Two, on a somewhat lighter note, I wanted to share with our alumni and friends the excitement we experienced last year with the success of our teams of student-athletes. Please take note of my use of the term, student-athletes. Edinboro undergraduates are students first and athletes second. And what a group of student-athletes they are! Our Fighting Scots teams had seasons that should make the alumni very proud. In particular, the success of the wrestling squad – beginning with the widely acclaimed schedule poster shown on the back cover – and the basketball team drew the attention of all of Pennsylvania (including Governor Tom Ridge who sent a “good luck” telegram to the basketball team in North Dakota), the nation and the world.

I know that all of you share my pride.

Frank G. Pogue, President
Edinboro University of Pennsylvania

On May 11, 1997, during spring Commencement ceremonies, I had the opportunity to welcome Edinboro's most recent graduating class into the Alumni Association. This group of graduates joins over 35,000 other alumni from the first class of 1862 through last year's 1996 class.

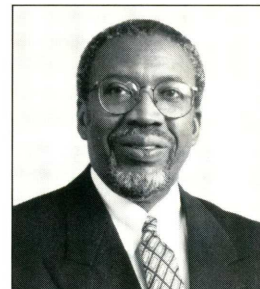
At President Pogue's suggestion, my comments at Commencement addressed the Alumni Association's role of support to the University. Reflecting on my own remarks after the ceremony, I concluded that this supportive role is needed from members of all graduating classes, whether from 1917, 1957 or 1997. Our university needs our support, now as well as in the future.

It is not a well-kept secret that state funding for members of the State System of Higher Education is at an all-time low. In fact, the old premise that only “private” institutions require strong alumni support (“don't worry about the public universities, the government will take care of them”) is no longer true. The quality of these Edinboro graduates, and our incoming freshman class, demonstrates potential for a great future – but they need our help.

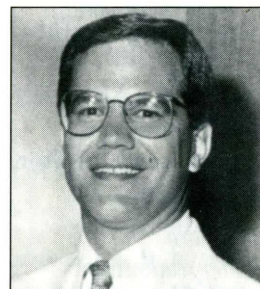
Individually, we can provide our support through service to University organizations, by acting as ambassadors of good will for Edinboro, by maintaining contact with the Edinboro Family, in recruitment of new students and through financial support for scholarships. This last area is vital and one of the most important aspects of alumni support, both singly and collectively through your Alumni Association. Every scholarship dollar donated goes directly to a deserving student who will someday do likewise for another generation of Fighting Scots.

As I have mentioned before in this column, we are students at Edinboro for such a short time. We hail our alma mater for life. Keep the connection strong and strive toward life-long dedication to Edinboro University. Our memories of days at Edinboro are a treasure we will never lose. The future of Edinboro University is a treasure that has been entrusted to us, and it is now our turn to be its loyal alumni.

David Irlbacher '73, President
Alumni Association Board of Directors



Edinboro President
Frank G. Pogue



Alumni President
David Irlbacher



"This is the first time we have been specific about Edinboro University's place in the economy of Erie County and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania," said Edinboro University President Dr. Frank G. Pogue, commenting on the economic impact report. "In addition to the value of an Edinboro undergraduate or graduate education to local and county residents, we have now measured to a large extent how the presence of a major public university enhances the economic well-being of Erie County, northwestern Pennsylvania and the Commonwealth as a whole."

Edinboro University's estimated economic impact for fiscal year 1996 across Pennsylvania was \$140,542,873 and in Erie County, \$96,643,156, according to a report released recently by the University.

"Through the expenditures of its students, parents, alumni, visitors, faculty and staff, and retired faculty and staff, Edinboro University has a pronounced impact on both Erie County and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania," said Dr. Michael Mogavero, whose office of University planning, institutional research and continuous improvement, prepared the report that describes the ways in which Edinboro affects the communities it serves in terms of employment, revenue, expenditures and volunteer service.

Edinboro University is directly responsible for the employment of approximately 2,000 people. When student employees are included, Edinboro is the fourth largest employer in Erie County, according to the report. Even if student employees are not counted, Edinboro ranks 12th among Erie County's major employers.

Edinboro's annual operating budget for fiscal year 1995 (July 1, 1995-June 30, 1996) totaled \$67,602,088. Of this figure, \$28,831,312, or some 43 percent, came from Pennsylvania taxpayers through the annual state appropriation. The remaining \$38,770,776 came from tuition and fees, faculty grants and contracts, income from residence halls and dining facilities, and private funds donated by alumni and friends.

"Put another way, for every dollar of Commonwealth money appropriated to Edinboro through the State System of Higher Education, the campus generated \$1.34 from other sources," Mogavero said.

Calculating these figures comes through use of what is called a "multiplier effect," which results from money that comes directly into the local economy subsequently being spent over and over again for additional local goods and services. It describes not only the direct impact of University spending, but also indirect and induced impact. According to the report, each Edinboro student spends on estimated average of \$1,500 annually on personal expenses, \$500 for books and

supplies, \$2,340 for rental housing (excluding those living in residence halls) and \$600 for food (excluding University meal plans). In fiscal year 1996, total expenditures in Erie County by Edinboro students totaled \$28,651,864. As this money worked its way through the economy, it generated another \$71,629,660.

University faculty and staff also spent \$19,339,060 on goods and services in the county, not including property taxes, and the University spent \$4,250,030 with Erie County businesses to purchase the whole range of goods and services required to run the campus.

"The report takes into account only the easily quantifiable economic activity," said Mogavero. "Other aspects of economic impact, such as families visiting the area and hundreds of retired faculty and staff who live here, are not included in the report.

"In addition, we have not put a number on the value of Edinboro's 37,834 alumni, 23,797 of whom live and work in Pennsylvania," he said.

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"The resources of taxpayers, students, families and benefactors that are invested in Edinboro University are returned to the community in the forms of economic growth, increased opportunity for personal financial security and the betterment of life for all," Pogue said.

Copies of the report are available from Edinboro University's office of planning, institutional research and continuous improvement, Reeder Hall, Edinboro, Pa. 16444, 814-732-2656.

— William A. Reed Jr.



It was a season to remember. Edinboro University athletic teams reaching national finals and receiving national, even international, publicity.

Head coach Bruce Baumgartner's wrestling squad had its first undefeated dual-meet season – 14 wins, no losses – in the University's history, and then placed sixth at the NCAA Division I championships.

All six of the Fighting Scot wrestlers who qualified for the national tournament held at the University of Northern Iowa won matches – another first – and three came home with All-America honors. They included senior Tony Robie, a graduate of Erie's Strong Vincent High School who was the national runner-up (yes, that's second in the nation) at 158 pounds; junior Jim Straight, who placed seventh at 177 pounds; and junior Jason Robison, who placed sixth at 190 pounds. Robison also became the first Fighting Scot to earn number one seed status in the national tournament.

Robie and Robison became only the sixth and seventh Edinboro wrestlers to earn multiple NCAA Division I All-America honors. Both have done it twice.

The sixth-place finish was the highest in the school's 11-year Division I wrestling history, and the 14-0 dual-meet record included nine wins over teams that were nationally ranked.

But that's not all. The now-famous Fighting Scot 1996-97 wrestling season schedule poster (shown on the outside back cover of this issue) was featured on the front sports page of the January 29, 1997 *USA Today*, in both the national and international editions. Over the caption "Dressed to Kilt," the poster photo depicts the ten Fighting Scot starters, all shirtless and wearing kilts. Singularly featured over a "Pretty in Plaid" caption was Edinboro's 190-pound junior All-American, Jason Robison.

If any of our readers were locked in the trunk of a car in Bayonne or Hoboken and by chance missed that edition of *USA Today*, here is a sampling of the article headlined "Team's Dress Big Success" and by-lined by *USA Today* writer Harry Blauvelt:

"Jason Robison belongs on wrestling's best-dressed list. Like Mel Gibson in *Braveheart*, Robison is a sartorial sensation wearing a kilt, his body bare from the waist up. Robison and his Edinboro (Pa.) teammates

posed in tartan [skirts] for publicity photos that adorn the Fighting Scots wrestling media guide and a popular poster."

The bare-chested, kiltie look was the idea of Tim Flynn, Baumgartner's assistant coach.

"We were looking for a catchy poster to sell as a fund raiser, and we came up with the idea," Flynn said. "They shot the guys bare-chested and in sweatshirts, and we liked the bare-chested look best."

Of the first 1,000 posters printed for distribution at Edinboro's first home wrestling match in mid-December 1996, fewer than 100 were left by mid-February after the picture and article appeared in *USA Today*. Orders for copies of the poster came from fans in Chicago and Los Angeles. One call came from as far away as Germany, and, strangely enough, a note of congratulations came from the University of Edinburgh in Scotland. (See sidebar.)

Not to be outdone by mere mortal male wrestlers, Edinboro University's women's basketball team enjoyed one of its best years ever. Finishing the regular season at 19-7, the Fighting Scots advanced to the Pa. State Athletic Conference championship game. While they lost that contest to Shippensburg, they earned an at-large bid to the NCAA Division II national tournament as the East Region's sixth seed.

With no seniors on the squad, they posted three impressive victories over higher-seeded teams to capture the East Region championships and advance – for the first time – to the "Elite Eight," the national quarterfinals.

While the Scots later lost to the University of North Dakota, the eventual national champion which had earlier unseated four-time defending national champion North Dakota State, their Cinderella season was one of the finest in Edinboro history.

Also of note, the volleyball team won the Atlantic Region championship to earn a second berth in three years in the Elite Eight. The softball team finished fourth in the PSAC, producing three All-Conference players. Men's tennis finished fifth in the PSAC, while the golf team placed sixth. The men's track and field team finished first runner-up at the PSAC outdoor championships, and the women's squad placed eighth.

What a year! The Edinboro Family can be very proud of their student-athletes, coaches and athletic department staff.

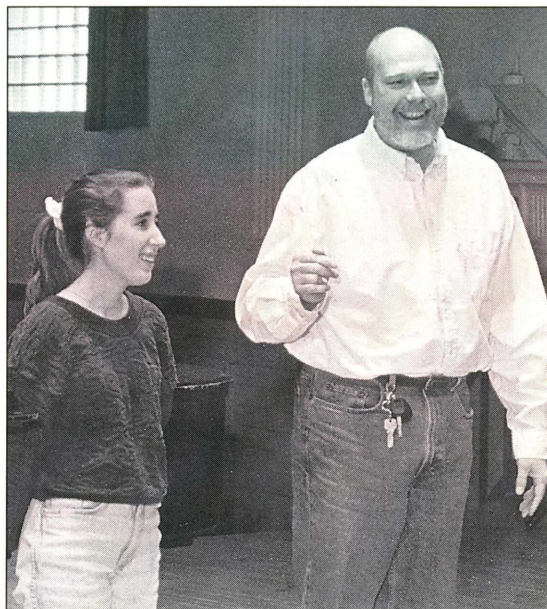
– William A. Reed Jr.

The Public Relations and Publications Office received this letter last February:

*Dear Mr. Reed:
A fellow countryman
of yours who teaches
here at the University
drew to my attention
the release in USA
Today on your recent
sporting achievements.
Many congratulations
to Edinboro, Pa., from
Edinburgh, Scotland.
(I have on my wall a
picture of your campus
when a member of
your faculty once
dropped in on us when
making a courtesy
call.)*

*Yours,
Ray Footman
Director, Information
and Public Relations
Services, The
University of
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Edinburgh, Scotland.*

Edinboro Prof Takes Music Beyond the Classroom



At the heart of Herendeen's professional philosophy is a profound belief in collaboration and cooperation. "I don't do this alone," he explained. "Nothing worthwhile is done alone. In the music business you have friends and colleagues and you really try to help each other. I've performed with Bruce Morton at Gannon for its opera productions. I've known Louisa Jonason at Mercyhurst for 14 years; we met when we were both in New York City. I have worked with Ben Agresti in Meadville at the Academy Theatre."

You'll have to excuse David Herendeen if he seems preoccupied. The music professor at Edinboro University is just a little busy these days. In addition to teaching class voice and voice lessons to some 20 or so individual students, Herendeen was guest director for Mercyhurst College's production of *The Marriage of Figaro*, directed Edinboro's music theatre production of *A Little Night Music*, recently served on the board of Meadville's Academy Theatre, will return this summer to stage direct at Brevard Music Center in North Carolina, and is in charge of Edinboro University's Concert and Lecture Series.

Perhaps his greatest achievement over the past 18 months, however, has been forging an affiliation with the Bel Canto Italia School of Opera in Florence, Italy. Herendeen met the director of the school, Carlos Della Mora, through the Internet.

"We quickly realized we had like ideas," said Herendeen. "He told me about his school and I started helping immediately. We developed a very good friendship."

The Bel Canto School educates its students in the style of opera singing and opera theater that existed during what Herendeen calls "the golden years of opera." What especially appealed to him was one of the school's faculty – tenor Franco Corelli: "One of the greatest tenors – my favorite tenor – of the past 30 years," he said.

What Herendeen is doing is twofold. The first is to translate the school's style of training into the traditional American university voice training, so that credits can easily transfer between the two schools. Second, and more ambitious, is creating a formal affiliation agreement that will allow Edinboro students to attend the Italian school, apply those credits to Edinboro courses, obtain guaranteed student loans, and most importantly, get a big break in their singing careers.

Already, two Edinboro students, Tracy Wolstoncroft of Oakdale and Christopher Smith of Williamsport, have received partial scholarships and will be attending the Bel Canto School. "I can say that two of my students are going to have master classes with one of my idols," said Herendeen proudly.

"My hope is that we will entwine all of the universities in the State System of Higher Education with this affiliation. This is our state's and University's goal, to allow every student access to a high-quality, diverse education regardless of their financial status. If we can get this system-wide affiliation we will have something unique.

"West Chester University, for example, has a master's program in opera and performance that would be perfect for the affiliation and will draw people from around the country into the State System."

At the heart of Herendeen's professional philosophy is a profound belief in collaboration and cooperation. "I don't do this alone," he explained. "Nothing worthwhile is done alone. In the music business you have friends and colleagues and you really try to help each other. I've performed with Bruce Morton at Gannon for its opera productions. I've known Louisa Jonason at Mercyhurst for 14 years; we met when we were both in New York City. I have worked with Ben Agresti in Meadville at the Academy Theatre."

Jonason is the director of voice and opera at Mercyhurst College. Herendeen offers guest direction at Mercyhurst as a good example of how the arts and education act as a bridge between groups. She produced *The Marriage of Figaro*, and he directed. "I got a

chance to work with and, in a sense, teach as I direct her lovely students. Her students and my students often join together. We shared in a master class for the National Association of Teachers of Singing."

He sees himself as a pebble in a musical pond forming ripples which reach out from Edinboro to Erie, Meadville, North Carolina and now, Italy.

"I think this is part of our mission, as part of my purpose as an employee of a state institution. It's an alignment of what I've dreamed of – being a performer, director and teacher. It's nice to be in a place that really nurtures it."

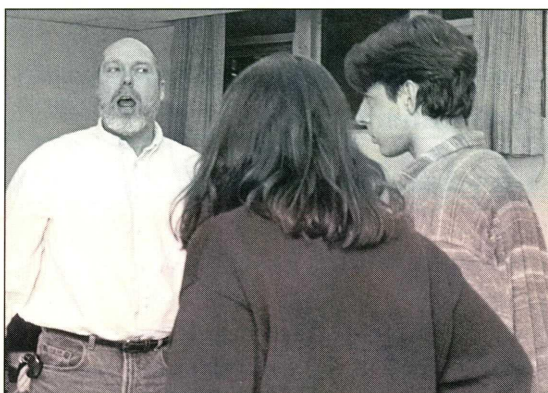
Herendeen's energy, enthusiasm, and genuine concern for his students is helping to pay dividends for Edinboro University. Enrollment in the music department has doubled in the past three years. Average SAT scores are up and the level of musical preparedness is also higher. When he came to the University there were eight students taking private voice lessons; now there are 40. The department now has 30-35 voice majors, and this is without a formal performance degree.

The department has recently attracted other talented faculty as well – Dr. Daniel Burdick, Dr. Allen Howell, Dr. Nancy Schecter and Herendeen's wife, Lucie, a soprano who also teaches voice. Department chair Dr. Peter van den Honert, Dr. Gary Grant and Dr. Tim Cordell have revitalized the University's performing groups.

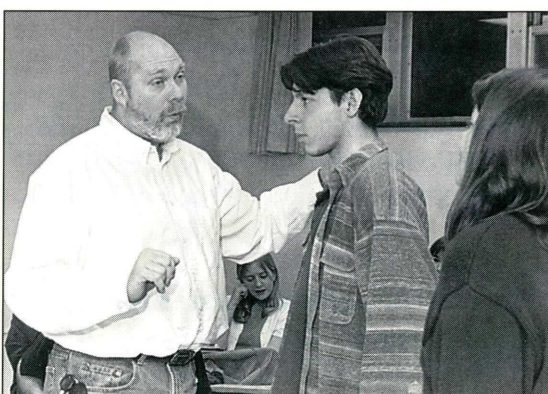
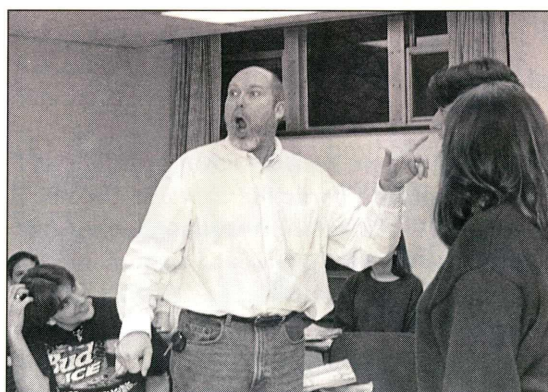
Herendeen attended the Oberlin College Conservatory of Music where he obtained his bachelor of music and master of music theatre degrees. He earned his doctorate in vocal performance and pedagogy with a minor in stage direction from the University of Arizona.

He has performed with many regional opera companies and orchestras including the Arizona Opera, the Michigan Opera, the Rochester Philharmonic and the Tucson Symphony. His study in Europe was highlighted by his residency at the Deutsche Oper Berlin.

Herendeen created the role of Roderick Usher in the world premiere of the reconstruction of Debussy's *The Fall of the*



A few of the many faces of David Herendeen



House of Usher for both stage and television in affiliation with Hartt Opera Theatre and Connecticut Public Television. In association with the Guggenheim Foundation, he was assistant to director Ian Stasfogel in the presentation of Kandinsky's color opera *The Yellow Sound*. This summer Dr. Herendeen will return to The Brevard Music Center as stage director for its production of *West Side Story*.

The Herendeens live in Edinboro with their dogs, Posie and Tonka, and their cats, Nook, Butch and Burnkitty.

– Brian K. Pitzer

EDITOR'S NOTE:
As the Alumni News went to press, David Herendeen announced that he has accepted a position at Oklahoma City University to head its entire opera and music theatre program. "It is the hardest decision we have ever made," said Herendeen. Although the University has a total enrollment of only 4,500 students, its music program has 500 students and features master's programs in music theater and vocal performance.
Good luck, David!



Have you Satisfied your Pledge Commitment?

The Alumni Phonathon received more than 3,800 pledges from alumni totaling more than \$131,000. There are approximately 900 alumni who have not satisfied their pledge commitments. In order to realize the total amount pledged, please take a moment and send your pledge payment today.

The following is an update of the status of the Phonathan:

Amount pledged	\$131,151
Amount received	*\$102,705.50
Completion rate	77.57
Outstanding pledges	911
Outstanding amount	\$28,445.50

*As of June 25, 1997

The last pledge reminders for the 1996-97 Alumni Fund were mailed in May. Please contact the Development Office at 814-732-2992 if you would like to verify whether or not you mailed your annual gift.

Alumni Board Participates in 1996-97 Annual Fund

For the past several years, the Alumni Association Board of Directors has achieved a 100 percent participation rate. This year, as in the past, the Board continues to contribute to the Annual Fund. The Board currently has contributed approximately \$6,200 with 83 percent of the Board participating.

Speech and Hearing Resource Library Nears Completion

Last fall, the Speech and Hearing Club conducted a phonathon to seek support from alumni for the establishment of a resource library for enrolled students and individuals with disabilities. The project continues to move forward, and it is anticipated the project will conclude during the fall semester. Funds provided by alumni will be used to purchase literature and assistive devices for students and individuals with disabilities. The equipment and literature will assist in providing individuals with the opportunity to learn more about this unique field and its equipment.

Were you called by a student this fall and asked to contribute to this worthy project? Did you make a pledge? Did you satisfy your pledge commitment? Pledge reminders were mailed in June. Please remit your payment for your pledge commitment so this project can be completed. If you were not contacted and you are interested in contributing to this important project, please call Mark Carter at 814-732-2992 for more information. ♪



October 10-12

Friday, October 10

Fifth Annual Alumni and Friends Golf Outing, Culbertson Hills

8:30 a.m. - Registration and refreshments
10:00 a.m. - Shotgun start, scramble format
Awards and fellowship hour immediately following.

Cost of \$50 per person covers greens fees, cart, post-round snacks, and prizes for all. Reservations must be pre-paid to hold your spot. The course can only accommodate 144 players, so register early!

Traditional Friday Night Reception at Culbertson Hills

8:00 p.m. - A hospitality room will be available for viewing videos, reminiscing over yearbooks and visiting with old friends, and DJ John will be playing your favorite dance music. Reservations appreciated, no charge.

Saturday, October 11

Brunch on the Lawn

10:30 a.m. - President and Mrs. Pogue will host the second annual brunch, complimentary to all. Reservations are appreciated. Look for the large tent on the grass adjacent to Reeder Hall on Meadville Street.

Pick up your Homecoming button and pompon!

The Alumni House will be open, so come visit the memory room or meet up with your friends. Either the tent or the House will be great for watching the parade.

Homecoming Parade

11:00 a.m. - The annual parade will be one of the biggest and best ever! Enjoy the bands, Zem Zems and the floats decorated to the theme of "Broadway Musicals."

Alumni Marching Band, Flag Line & Tam O'Shanter's

Homecoming wouldn't be the same without the Alumni Marching Band belting out "Scotland the Brave!"

This year will also feature a pre-game performance and participation during the game. Call Barb in the Alumni Office (800-526-0117) to register.

The Fighting Scots vs. the California Vulcans

2:00 p.m. - Kickoff. Stop by the Alumni tent. Pick up balloons for the kids and register during the first half of the game to win prizes.

Alumni Concert

5:30 p.m. - Lee Alverson (1991) will perform his concert "Broadway Phantasy" in Memorial Auditorium. A celebration of some of the most memorable songs in Broadway and film history, his production is bathed in professional lighting, sound and effects. It's a production the entire family can enjoy. Compliments of the Alumni Association, the concert is free to the public, but reservations are appreciated.

Sunday, October 12

Fifth Annual 5K Fun Run

7:30 a.m. - Registration, behind Sox Harrison Stadium, on Perry Lane

Cost:

\$10 adult, \$8 student advanced registration (prior to October 3)

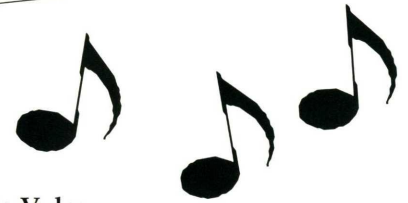
\$12 adult, \$9 student late registration

All ages are welcome to compete, and each participant will receive a commemorative t-shirt. All proceeds from this event go toward alumni scholarships in memory of Karen Snyder Wilson '79.

Third Annual Tot Trot

Immediately following the 5K. Local celebrity runners will challenge separate age groups. All children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. To register, contact Linda Mukina at 814-732-2777.

Broadway Musicals



Contact the Alumni Office for a listing of area hotels. (Or check out the World Wide Web at www.edinboro.edu.) Make your reservations early!

Reservations for Homecoming activities requiring payment must be pre-paid to guarantee your spot. Confirmation and additional information will be mailed upon receipt of your payment if time allows.

Additional Activities

- ✓ **Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority** alumni reception for present and past members. After the football game at Pattie Magdik's Dance Studio on Route 6N. For details call 814-734-5273.
- ✓ **Center for Career Services** will be offering a workshop, "Job Searching on the Internet," on Saturday at 9:00 a.m. in the Ross Hall computer lab. RSVP by September 15, 814-732-2781.
- ✓ **Nursing Department** will be hosting a get-together on Sunday. Contact Beverly Danielka at 732-2900 if you're interested in attending.
- ✓ **Christian Fellowship Alumni** (also known as Time Out 1972-1975 and Celebration 1975-1990s) and the current University Christian Fellowship will gather for a picnic immediately following the parade at 315 Meadville Street. For more information, call Tim Rankin at 814-734-7321.
- ✓ **Bookstore Hours** on Saturday will be 11:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. (subject to change)

Homecoming 1997 Reservation Form

EVENT	COST	# OF GUESTS	TOTAL
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10			
Golf Outing	\$50 person	_____	\$ _____
List your foursome, if available: _____			
Reception	Complimentary	_____	
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11			
Brunch on the Lawn	Complimentary	_____	
Lee Alverson Concert	Complimentary	_____	
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12			
5K Fun Run (Advance)	\$10 adult	_____	\$ _____
	\$8 student	_____	\$ _____
Late registration:	\$12 adult	_____	\$ _____
	\$9 student	_____	\$ _____
WEEKEND TOTAL			\$ _____

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____ Class year(s) _____

Spouse/ guests _____

Spouse/ guests' class years (if Edinboro grads) _____

COMPLETE AND MAIL WITH PAYMENT TO:
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, EDINBORO UNIVERSITY, EDINBORO, PA 16444

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Last Call for the Edinboro University Alumni Directory

The Edinboro University Alumni Directory is nearing completion and the directories will be shipped soon. This comprehensive new volume is a compilation of the most current data available on more than 28,000 Edinboro alumni, which has been obtained from questionnaire mailings, telephone verification and/or alumni records. Now that the editing, proofreading and printing are almost finished, the distribution of this impressive edition will begin.

The directories are scheduled to be released sometime around the end of July. All alumni



who reserved a copy during the verification phase should be receiving their copies two to three weeks after the release. If you have a question concerning your order, or if you wish to place an order, contact the publisher directly: Customer Service Department, Bernard C. Harris Publishing Co., Inc., 16 Kroger Center Suite 103, Norfolk, VA 23502, 1-800-877-6554.

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The 1997 Edinboro University Distinguished Alumni Recipients

The Alumni Association Board of Directors is proud to announce the slate of Distinguished Alumni for 1997, as presented by the selection committee. Following is a brief biography for each of this year's winners, seven of whom were present at the awards luncheon on June 21. Look for more information about the Reunion Weekend in the next issue of your *Alumni News*.

WANNA CRUISE?

A cruise to Bermuda is being planned for August 15-22, 1998.

The Norwegian Cruise Line Ship, the Dreamward, will be the site of the first State System of Higher Education alumni cruise.

Because the ship will leave from New York, select alumni in Pennsylvania and possibly other locations in the East will receive a specific brochure mailing. However, if you are interested in more details about the cruise and would like to receive the mailing, please call the Alumni Office at 1-800-526-0117.

FINE ARTS**Bill Waldman, class of 1986**

Since graduating from Edinboro, Bill has moved quickly through animation circles. Currently employed by Walt Disney Feature Animation, Bill has worked on such major projects as *Pocahontas* (key animator, John Smith character), *The Hunchback of Notre Dame* (key animator, Esmeralda character), and most recently, *Hercules* (key animator, Hercules character). Other notable projects include productions for the Don Bluth studio: *Thumbelina* (key animator) and *A Troll in Central Park* (key animator). While employed with Warner Brothers Classics, Bill worked on many projects, including the animation of the Warner Brothers logo, which reflected the Bugs Bunny character, and *Carrotblanca* (key animator). As key animator on a project, Bill serves one step below a sequence director and two steps below the director of the film. He also supervises numerous assistant and in-between animators. As a student at Edinboro Bill helped to found the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity, and he designed two Homecoming floats – Alice in Wonderland, and ironically, The Wonderful World of Disney, which won first prize for his fraternity. A native of Williamsport, Pa., Bill currently resides in California, but returns to campus often to lecture and offer special viewings of films for Edinboro audiences. His most recent visit was this past April, sponsored by the Alumni Association.

ART EDUCATION**Patricia (Knezevich) Sennett, class of 1956**

Retiring in June 1996 after 35 years of teaching art at all levels from elementary through college, Patricia quickly found herself teaching again at the State University of New York, Potsdam. Additionally, she is committed to teaching at the local museum this summer, and is pursuing the possibility of offering Elderhostel courses. Patricia brought the full spectrum of visual arts to her classes, to include historical and cultural aspects and chaperoning them during international travel. Very early in her career

she was instrumental in vitalizing the Northern Zone Art Teachers Association, where she was in a position to assist younger colleagues. She is held in high regard by former colleagues and student teachers. Throughout her teaching career she has been a parent and homemaker and also continued to produce a strong and vital body of her own work, exhibiting extensively in local, regional and national forums. She and her husband, Art (class of 1956 and recipient of the 1995 DAA in Art), have seen two of their children go on to earn doctorates, and another become an attorney.

Richard Siegel, class of 1957

For the past 40 years Richard has considered his role as one of an advocate for art education, and he continues his work today. After getting what he termed “a wonderful foundation of preparation at Edinboro,” Richard earned a master’s degree from Penn State, and both a master’s and doctorate from Columbia University Teachers College. During his distinguished career, Richard has filled the varied roles of artist, teacher, administrator, supervisor, and leader. He continues to serve in all these roles today. Serving as the president of the Art Administrators of New Jersey from 1977-1980, and again from 1994-96, Richard has been instrumental in promoting and reinforcing the purpose of the group. In everything Richard has done there has been a common thread – to promote and advance art education. He’s not planning to slow down anytime soon, and there’s no doubt that his former Edinboro professors would applaud his efforts. Richard credits several of them (Frederic Hand, Aimé Doucette and Waldo Bates) with encouraging students to become affiliated with the college chapter of the NAEA, and Richard again presented at this organization’s national conference, celebrating its 50th anniversary, his 40th with the group. Over the years he has shared two phrases with former students and prospective teachers: “Learning Never Ends,” and “To Teach, One Must Never Cease To Learn.”

Now you can find the Campus Bookstore on the World Wide Web! From Edinboro University's home page, go to Student Information. There, you'll find a link to the Campus Bookstore pages. (Or, go directly to their pages at <http://www.edinboro.edu/cwis/bookstore/home.html>.)

The Web page allows users to order Edinboro insignia items via the Internet, or you can order from the bookstore by calling 814-732-2456.

Richard and his wife, Iona, have four children.

BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY

David Mikolajczyk, class of 1964

David began his career as a teacher in the Wattsburg School District. Less than three years later he was working for Westinghouse as an industrial engineer. During the next 25 years he earned an MBA from Northwestern University and worked his way up the corporate ladder in various roles for well-known companies such as Welch Foods, Stouffer Hotels and Resorts, and Nestle Enterprises. In October 1987, he was chairman of the Nestle North American Purchasing Council and went on to form and serve as president and CEO of Hadd Holdings, Inc., which later purchased Ohio Pure Foods, a juice/juice drink company with sales of \$15 million. Sales grew profitably and he sold the company in three years. It then merged with another company and became Country Pure Foods, Inc. David served as vice chairman and CEO for nearly two years, later concentrating on strategic planning and acquisitions. Since January of this year, David has served as vice chairman, chairman of the acquisitions and planning committee, a board member and shareholder. Active in the community, one of his major projects has been as a volunteer board member for Parmadale, a residential treatment center for children in Cleveland. David continues to set his goals high, planning on further consolidation of the juice/juice drink industry and growing Country Pure Foods into a national juice drink company.

EDUCATION

Charles Agnew, class of 1977

Chuck Agnew has been involved in higher education nearly his entire career. He served his alma mater as director of development and was campaign director for the Reeder Hall/Old College Union restoration project. He also secured major support for the nationally-recognized

program for students with disabilities. From there he moved to Gannon University as vice president for external affairs. Later he accepted an appointment at Quinnipiac College, where he directed a successful \$4.5 million capital campaign and a \$7 million campaign. Chuck then served as executive director of the Foundation for Indiana University of Pa., and interim vice president for institutional advancement. He is currently the vice chancellor for development of the State System of Higher Education and president of the Fund for the Advancement of the State System of Higher Education, Inc. He is the chief policy and oversight officer for development within the State System. Chuck is an active member of the Council for the Advancement and Support of Education, the National Society of Fundraising Executives, the Newcomen Society of the United States, and the Center for the Study of the Presidency. He has chaired CASE's national conference "Alumni and Development: A Team Approach." Chuck holds the degree of Highest Distinction in Pi Kappa Delta and was included in the 1982 edition of Outstanding Young Men in America and the 24th edition of Who's Who in the East. Chuck resides in Mechanicsburg, Pa., with his wife, Anne, and their two children.

NATURAL or SOCIAL SCIENCES

Judge Richard Payne, class of 1966

After graduation from Edinboro, Richard obtained his juris doctor degree from Florida State University in 1971 and was admitted to the practice of law in Florida. He was in private practice for nine years, served as a criminal court prosecutor and as an assistant county attorney. Judge Payne has been a trial judge since 1980, serving as a Monroe County judge for nine years, and in 1988 was elected to a six-year term as circuit court judge, garnering over 73 percent of the public vote. He was elected to a second term without opposition. In 1995 his fellow judges elected him to the position of chief circuit judge, which carries the duties of overseeing the administration of all court matters in the

Sixteenth Judicial Circuit. Included in this circuit are all county and circuit courts located in the Florida Keys, which includes four circuit judges, four county court judges and 65 court employees, housed in three different courthouses. In addition to his duties as chief judge, Judge Payne also conducts court in Key West and in Marathon Key, where he presides over civil trials and juvenile court proceedings. Additionally, Richard has served on local boards, chaired professional committees, and been involved in local community groups. A native of Girard, Pa., Richard and his wife, Patricia (Brashley), a 1966 Edinboro graduate, have lived in Key West since 1971 and have four children.

PUBLIC SERVICE

State Representative Karl Boyes, class of 1959

As a native of Erie, serving the community came naturally for Karl. After receiving his bachelor's degree in social studies, he taught at McDowell High School for six years and became a Millcreek Township supervisor. He was soon recognized as "Young Man of the Year" by the Erie Jaycees and received an outstanding citizenship award from the Boy Scouts. After serving for four years as supervisor, Karl moved on to Harrisburg as a deputy director of the Governor's Justice Commission. Soon Karl became an Erie County commissioner, and was recognized in Who's Who in the East in Government. Because of his dedicated work as a commissioner, his commitment to the residents of Erie County, and his experience and work ethic, he won a seat to the State House of Representatives in 1981 serving the Third Legislative District. Since that time Karl has been the prime sponsor of numerous legislative proposals, and he continues to credit the people of his district with bringing these legislative ideas to his attention. Karl has also served on many committees: conservation, federal-state relations, professional licensure, appropriations, the firefighters' legislative

caucus, and policy, among others. He currently serves as the majority chairman of the house finance committee, the group that sets fiscal policy for the entire state. Karl and his wife, Sue, have two sons.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARD

Ambassador Umaru Wurie, class of 1976

Umaru Wurie attended Edinboro as an international student from Sierra Leone. After graduating with a degree in geology, Umaru earned a diploma in mining exploitation at the International Institute for Aerial Survey and Earth Sciences, located in Deleft, Netherlands. He obtained further training in various related disciplines while studying in Nairobi, Kenya; Sioux Falls, SD; Madison, WI; and University of Bradford and University of Manchester, both in the United Kingdom. He worked for 16 years as a government geologist, Ministry of Mines, for his native country. His performance was so successful that he was appointed to diplomatic service as ambassador and accredited to one of the most important postings on Sierra Leone's foreign policy agenda, High Commissioner to Nigeria and Ghana. While in that post he was also accredited as ambassador to Cameroon, Equatorial Guinea, The Republic of Benin, Togo and Zaire. After five years in that capacity, he was recognized by the succeeding government and was appointed ambassador to Saudi Arabia. He was accredited in that posting to Turkey, Kuwait, Egypt, Qatar, Oman, Bahrain, Lebanon, Syria and the UAE. He also served in that posting as high commissioner to India and Pakistan. His strong and constant contact with authorities in these many nations enabled a vital renewal of support for his country. In recognition of that success he has now been appointed the new ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany, as well as to Austria, Italy and Switzerland, and as permanent representative to the United Nations agencies to those countries. Residing in Germany, Umaru and his wife have five children. 

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DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARDS AND HALL OF FAME NOMINATION FORM

The Edinboro University Alumni Association and Athletic Department need your assistance. We are seeking nominations for awards for Distinguished Alumni and the Athletic Hall of Fame, as well as nominations for the Alumni Board of Directors. Please complete the following information and mail to: Award Nominations, Alumni Office, Edinboro University of Pa., Edinboro, PA 16444, or fax to 814-732-2843. You'll also find this form on the World Wide Web at: <http://www.edinboro.edu>.

- ☐ Alumni Association Board of Directors
- ☐ Athletic Hall of Fame (must be graduated a minimum of 10 years)
- ☐ Distinguished Alumni Award (choose one of the following categories) – Due by February 9, 1998
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| ☐ Business and Industry | ☐ Education |
| ☐ Arts and Humanities | ☐ Public Service and Volunteerism |
| ☐ Natural and Social Sciences | |

Each nomination should be accompanied by a summary of the nominee's accomplishments. Please use a separate sheet and include as much information as possible (such as vita, newspaper clippings, etc.).

Candidate's Name _____ Class Year _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Your Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____



'62 MARY "DOLLY" STRANEVA retired after 34 1/2 years of teaching on June 7, 1996. Thirty-four of those years were in first grade. 17 years at Lacy and 17 years at Pleasant Twp. She resides at 206 Tionesta Street, Sheffield, PA 16347.

ROYCE RICE was named Educator of the Year by the Pennsylvania Association for Gifted Education for his work as facilitator of gifted programs for the North Hills School District. The award was presented at the annual conference in April 1997. Royce may be contacted at North Hills Junior High School, 53 Rochester Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15229.

CHARLES "CHUCK" BATTIST retired from Seagram Americas January 31, 1997 after 30 years of service with the company. He resides at 3106 Scarborough Lane West, Colleyville, TX 76034.

'64 DAVID SHENEMAN is the Director of Personnel & Administration at the Bradford Area School District. He was elected president of the Pennsylvania Association of School Personnel Administrators at the state conference at Harrisburg in February. The term is for the 1997-1998 school year, commencing July 1, 1997. His son **JASON** is a 1996 EUP graduate and his son **Joshua** is currently attending EUP. David & his wife Cheryl reside at 661 W. Corydon St., Bradford, PA 16701.

WILLIAM JACKSON will retire from Medina Central School. He is a middle school science teacher. William will retire to Chautauqua Lake to fish for muskies & spend winters traveling to find a place in the sun. He will also be in search of antique fishing collectibles. William resides at 141 Roseland Ave., Medina, NY 14103.



◀ **'65 JOHN DAILY** has been named State of Georgia Board of Regents Distinguished Professor of Teaching and Learning. John still reflects about his

memories of EUP and the preparation that the University provided for him to pursue his career as a professor. He resides at 321 Savannah Ave., Statesboro, GA 30458.

LOU TAYLOR is an internationally-

known paleontologist. He is also president and owner of Standard Geological Services in Englewood, CO. Dr. Taylor and **SUSAN BABBITT '71**, now a sixth grade science teacher, and several others escorted five lucky Erie County students on a two week trip in the Rocky Mountains on a fossil excavation last summer. Dr. Taylor resides at 4931 W. Rowland Ave., Littleton, CO 80123. Susan Babbitt resides at 3207 West 38th St., Erie, PA 16506.

JOYCE SAVOCCHIO was featured in a calendar distributed by the Association of Pennsylvania State College and University. She was chosen because of her service to the City of Erie as Mayor and her master's degree in school administration from EUP. She now resides at 4015 Allegheny Road, Erie, PA 16509.

'68 ELIZABETH ROEDER GRABAN received the Buckeye Association of School Administrator's Exemplary Leadership award on October 1, 1996. Nomination and selection by Superintendents throughout the state of Ohio. She resides in Hermitage, PA.

DAVID MILLER is a school support teacher at Walkersville High School. He is committed to helping young men achieve their goals in basketball as well as life. He supports youth organizations and volunteers his time to counsel, tutor and speak as often as he is needed. David resides at 307 Fallsouth Pl., Walkersville, MD 27193-8180.

'69 MARLENE CARNAVALE BAKER teaches Special Education at Montgomery County Public Schools, MD. She was inducted into Delta Kappa Gamma Society International - Delta Chapter - an honorary woman educator's society. Marlene resides at 400 Feather Rock Drive, Rockville, MD 20850.

GAY ROSE is a middle school foreign language teacher at Regional School District #4, Deep River, CT. She was appointed the Regional Delta Zeta Collegiate Coordinator for region I. This includes all collegiate chapters in New England, New York & one in Canada. Gay would like to hear from any Delta Zeta Edinboro Alumnae living in this

region. She resides at 36 Webster Rd., East Lyme, CT 06333.

SANDRA SORGER MARCIANI is a Tax Examiner & College Instructor for the Internal Revenue Service in Philadelphia, PA. She resides at 18 Harrow Gate Drive, Cherry Hill, NJ 08003.

'70 VICTOR PILIPOVICH JR owns Victor Photography and produced this photo "High on Love". The Professional Photographers of America have accepted this image into the International Loan Collection for 1996. This photograph was also selected to represent the United States at Photokina, Cologne, Germany. Created during an actual wedding it was scored high by the judges for its high impact resulting from romantic posing and good use of light. Victor resides at 391 Buttermilk Hollow Road South, North Huntingdon, PA 15642.

SUSAN SPARKS GUPTON is the owner and president of Leadership Management of the SouthWest, NM. She resides at 7200 Montgomery N.E. #202, Albuquerque, NM 87109.

J. WEBB HORTON is the head tennis coach for men & women at Indiana University-Purdue Fort Wayne. He resides at 2508-3 Abbey Dr., Fort Wayne, IN 46835.

MARY JANE GREGAN is the Director of Choral Music at Tecumseh Middle School (Lafayette School Corp.). She resides at 2220 Ferry Street, Lafayette, IN 47904.

'71 SUSAN BABBITT (See '65 LOU TAYLOR)

'72 LAURA VALLIMONT, Sister Laura, OSB has been in education for over 30 years. Sister has been principal for 18 years, 13 of them at St. Boniface, Kersey in the Erie Diocese. She resides at 303 Church St., St. Marys, PA 15857.

GRETCHEN COOLEY McGOWAN is a self employed speech pathologist. She resides at 211 Cooper Rd., Slippery Rock, PA 16057.



◀ **'73 JANE BLYSTONE** is a North East High School English and Journalism teacher, and is also one of six national recipients

of the 1997 Columbia Scholastic Press Association's coveted Gold Key for journalism, the highest honor bestowed by the association. She resides at 11022 Sunset Dr., North East, PA 16428.

'74 MARY ANN SERNIK GOSS is a Purchasing Agent for Preferred Sales. She also would like to announce her son Jason's acceptance at East Stroudsburg University. He will be a member of the 1997 freshmen class. She resides at 217 Wasser Rd., Greenville, PA 16125.

'75 KAREN LINEMAN LEDNEY has worked in education for 14 years as a first grade teacher, early intervention special education teacher, pre-school teacher, wrap around worker and substitute teacher. Her future plans include more pre-school. Her son, Brian, is a pharmacy major at Ohio Northern. She resides at 537 Kinsman Rd., Greenville, PA 16125.

VALERIE HARCHUCK WILBUR is Director of Marketing at The American College, PA. She resides at 651 Hereford Lane, Mickleton, NJ 08056.

'76 JEAN MAURER TAUBER is a Librarian at the Erie County Public Library. She resides at 4119 Maple Grove Dr., Erie, PA 16510.

GLENDA WARE-WILBOURN is a teacher with Harrisburg School District. She recently completed her masters degree in Training and Development at Penn State at Harrisburg. She resides at 1529 Dogwood Drive, Harrisburg, PA 17110.

'79 ROBERT PASSANTE is a Patrol Sergeant in Upper St. Clair, PA. He also works with two other EUP grad's from the '70's, Ronald Fleischer and James Sambolt. Robert resides at 552 Valley View Road, 84, PA 15330.



◀ SUELLEN OSWALD has been elected partner with the firm of Duvin, Cahn & Hutton. The company is one of the premier labor relations and employment law

firms in the nation. With offices in Cleveland and Detroit, the firm has 37 attorneys.

'80 CARL MARTIN is a Paramedic for Emergycare Inc., PA. He resides at 4905 Summer St., Erie, PA 16509

STEVE DUNHAM is Regional Manager with Asia Pacific Operation at Smith

International, Inc., PA. He may be reached at c/o Smith International Inc., 16740 Hardy St., Houston, TX 77032.

GREGORY McKNIGHT is a Computer Engineer with IBM Research Triangle Park. His title is Senior Engineer. He resides at 208 Woodleaf Dr., Chapel Hill, NC 27516.

JANICE BUNCH is the Assistant Director of Safety and Security at Saint Francis College. She received her master's degree in May and plans to teach Criminal Justice at Saint Francis. She may be reached at her e-mail address jbunch@sfcpa.edu

'81 MARK WILSON is in electrical sales for Sherwin Wilson Electric Sales, Inc., PA. In July of 1996 he bought 50% of Sherwin Davis Electric Sales, Inc. and announced the official name change to the trade in October of 1996. Sherwin Wilson Electric Sales is based in Pittsburgh and represents 18 manufacturer's in Western PA, West VA trading area. They sell electric products through electric wholesale distributions. He resides at 56 Lintel Dr., McMurray, PA 15317.

PHILLIS SHEPPARD received her Ph. D. from The Chicago Theological Seminary in June. Also, she is on the faculty, and director of the graduate clinical education program, with The Center for Religion and Psychotherapy of Chicago, and maintains a part-time clinical practice at the Center. She resides at 814 S. Maple Ave., Oak Park, IL 60304 or use her e-mail at pshepp0593@aol.com

ROBERT O'CONNOR is the Supervisor of Network Architecture R&D for the office of Administrative Systems at Pennsylvania State University. He may be contacted at his e-mail roconnor@psu.edu

SHARON GILLESPIE CRITES & JOHN (JACK) CRITES both work for National Imagery & Mapping Agency. Sharon is a Cartographer and Jack is a Physical Scientist. They reside at 4600 Sangamore Road, Bethesda, MD 20816.

'82 RICHARD FOOTE is a Natural Resource Coordinator for Hall County Resource Recovery, GA. Best Rural Recycling Program for 1994 as designated by National Recycling Coalition Georgia Clean and Beautiful. 1997 Public Works Employee of the Year. He resides at 6252 Brookfield Dr., Murrayville, GA 30564.

EVELYN ASKEY-ZALESKI was selected as one of six teachers nationwide to participate in the Marie Walsh Sharpe Foundation's Teacher Artist Program to be held June 25 through July 12, 1997 at Colorado College in Colorado Springs, CO. She resides at RD 3 Cherry Hill Road, PO Box 21C, Cambridge Springs, PA 16403.

ARTHUR MARSH just hired as a staff Psychologist by the Kaiser Permanente Medical Group of Southern California. He resides at 4661 fi Oregon St., San Diego, CA 92116.

LINDA DANEKER FERRISS is a Reading Specialist for Wyckoff Board of Education, NJ. She resides at 174 Beechwood Drive, Wayne, NJ 07470.

MARILEE HOFFMAN BONNICI is a 1st grade teacher for Birdneck Elementary School. She was selected as Reading Teacher of the Year at Birdneck Elementary School for 1996-1997 school year. She resides at 2416 Huckleberry Trail, Virginia Beach, VA 23456.

'83 DAVID WAUGAMAN is the General Sales Manager for Prime Sports Radio 1360. He resides at 229 Wilson Road, Charleroi, PA 15022.

'84 PAULA TANNER BALDWIN is the Business Manager / Hydrogeologist for Independent Environmental Consultants, MD. She resides at 8354 Linda Court #3B, Jessup, MD 20794.

KIRK HAGERICH is a teacher/coach for Amherst School District. He resides at 243 Idaho Dr., Elyria, OH 44035.

CHRISTOPHER SPANN is a youth and family specialist for The Whale's Tale. He was accepted into Duquense University's Master's Program, School of Education with a focus on Community Health & Counseling. He resides at 7219 Bennett St., Pittsburgh, PA 15208.

VALERIE STAFFORD FOX is an Oncology Nurse Consultant for Scherins Pharmaceuticals/Oncology BioTech Division, NC. She resides at 3816 Sweeten Creek Road, Chapel Hill, NC 27514.

'85 RUTH ANN KERI is the Senior Instructor for Case Western Reserve University. She resides at 10815 Kirtland Lakes Blvd., Kirtland, OH 44094.

BILL GROVES is an Assistant Professor for the University of Iowa. He resides at 63 Durango Place, Iowa City, IA 52246.

DEBRA KIRSCH LYNCH recently completed a Master's in Management from the University of Akron. She resides at 13 LedgeWOOD Dr., Bedford, OH 44146.

MIKE THIEM was recently promoted to Shift Forman for Plant Operating Services at OSI, Chem & Met Division in Towanda, PA. Mike can be reached at his e-mail address thim0@osi.sylvania.com

MATTHEW BAUM & CARLA VASSALLO BAUM. Matthew was promoted to Computer Security Officer for all student loan programs in the Department of Education. Carla is in her final semester of nursing school at Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD. They reside at 10679 Glen Hannah Dr., Laurel, MD 20723.



◀ '86 MAURICE MORAGNE has been appointed to the position of director, human resources at Brown & Williamson Tobacco Corporation.

He resides at 17207 Mallet Hill Dr., Louisville, KY 40245.

DON MILLER is the Field Service Engineer for Philips Medical Systems and has also started his own business on the internet, Homebrew Supplies and Equipment located at www.hbb.com He resides at 614 West Front St., Burlington, NC 27215.

SANDY DOBBS resides at 47827 Blockhouse Pt. Place, Sterling, VA 20165.

ROGER SALZILLO works in food & Beverage for Alexis Park Resort & Spa, NV. He resides at 3070 S. Nellis Blvd., Las Vegas, NV 89121.

'87 JILL MINTZLAFF teaches middle school French & English in the inner-city for Cleveland Public Schools. She also owns her own business, Partylite Gifts, Inc. She resides at 2023 Wascana Ave., Lakewood, OH 44107.

PATRICIA HUNTER is a mental health therapist for J.C. Blair Memorial Hospital, PA. She resides at PO Box 126, Cassville, PA 16623.

'88 STEVE MONGILLO is the Group Home Supervisor for the Children's Home of Bradford, PA. In December he received his Master's Degree in Education, concentration Counseling Psychology from St. Bonaventure University, St. Bonaventure, NY. He

resides at 19 McKune Ave., Bradford, PA 16701.

ERIC SCHRUEERS is the Lecturer of Art at Mesa State College, CO. He resides at 1940 Grand Ave. #101, Grand Junction, CO 81501.

DAVE McCLAIN is a Military Broadcaster/Broadcast Journalist for the U.S. Army. He resides at 6498 Edgehurst Dr., Brook Park, OH 44142.

CECELIA FERRY PETER and her husband, Ed, now reside in Kingstree, SC where she is a K-8 music teacher for Williamsburg County School District. They live with their dog & four cats. They reside at 608 Third Ave., Kingstree, SC 29556.

'89 ERIC RANDOLPH is an auditor for Coopers & Lybrand L.L.P. in Pittsburgh. He and Cynthia now reside at 206 Laurel Brook Rd., Ebensburg, PA 15931.

BETH DESANTIS VAN HORN is pursuing her Master's in Educational Administration from University of MA. She is working as an Administrative Assistant for UMASS Child Development Center. Beth & James reside at 47 Elizabeth St., Fitchburg, MA 01420.



◀ '90 MELISSA PAGANO has been given an administrative appointment as Visual Arts Supervisor for Loudon County Virginia Public Schools. As an administrator, Melissa supervises the art program in 46 schools involving 43 teachers in Northern Virginia.

GARY GRAHAM is the Residential Manager for G.A. Barber Center. He resides at 415 East 5th St., Erie, PA 16507.

NANCY BROWN KACZOR is the Director of Social Services for Providence Care Center. Nancy, James & Nathanael reside at PO Box 341, Milan, OH 44846.

'91 SCOTT JOHNSON has been in the Navy since graduation and is currently in Okinawa, Japan. He obtained CCRN accreditation in '94 and assumed the Division Officer (nurse manager) role. He plans to begin a graduate study in Critical Care/Trauma or Anesthesia in the near future. Scott can be reached at his e-mail: gorish@kdn0.attnet.or.jp

LISA GREGOR JEREBKO is the Special

Events Coordinator for Titusville Area Health Center Foundation. She & Peter reside at PO Box 287, Titusville, PA 16354.

MICHAEL COPPER is the Editorial Assistant/Sports Writer for Times Publishing Company, Erie. He resides at 1125 West 25th, Erie, PA 16502.

STEPHEN THOMPSON is the Outings Coordinator for The Brush Ranch School, NM. This is a private boarding school outside of Santa Fe, NM. He takes students on extended mountaineering, skiing, and rafting trips, along with cultural and social outings. He resides at HC73 Box 33, Tererro, NM 87573.

'92 AMERIGO "ANDY" CAPORUSCIO III is a cashier for Weis Markets. Andy would like to hear from students from '94 to '96. Andy resides at 958 S. Sparks St., State College, PA 16801.



◀ BIMAL ADHIKARI is an insurance planner for Monumental Life Insurance Company, MD. He graduated with MBA Degree from University of Baltimore

in June '96. After a brief stint at Merrill Lynch as a Financial Consultant, Bimal joined Monumental Life in November of '96. He resides at 2623 Guilford Ave., Baltimore, MD 21218.

JOY WHITCOMB is a Support Administrator for a software company called Computer Utilities in Cleveland, OH. Joy is also the Co-leader for the Lake-Geauga Chapter of "Parents of Murdered Children," a support group for the friends and families of those who have died by violence. Joy and her son, Kelly, live at PO Box 701, Chesterland, OH 44026.

'93 KEVIN BURNS recently completed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, IL. He resides at 228 Bower Rd., Fredonia, PA 16124.

JOHN OTTO recently received a Certificate of Appreciation while assigned at Inspector and Instructor Staff, Military Police Company, North Versailles, PA. John was recognized for his superior performance of duty, consistently performed his demanding duties in an exemplary and highly professional manner. He resides at 48 Bushy Run Rd., Jeannette, PA 15644.

STACIE GOURLEY is a 1st grade teacher for Elizabeth Elementary, NC. Her fiancée LARRY KLEMM '95 also works as a 7th grade teacher for Crest Middle School, NC. A June 28th wedding is being planned. They reside at 867 E. Zion Church Rd., Apt. 51, Shelby, NC 28150.

SHAWN DUFFY is the Manager for Terminix International. He resides at 145B Doorstone Drive, Albany, NY 12210.

KAREN PERROTTO MOSES is a teacher (HS math) for Galetton Area School District, PA. In November of '96 Karen and her husband, SCOTT MOSES '92, bought their own business, J & B Furniture & Bedding on January 4, 1997 they had a son, Christian James. They reside at RR #1 Box 182, Port Allegany, PA 16743.

AMY OROSZ is the Admissions Director/Social Worker for Haeartland of Martinsburg. She resides at 102 Mt. View Dr. #6, Martinsburg, WV 25401.

CANDEE HOVIS is an Advanced Physical Science Teacher, 9th grade applied science, for Blytheville East Junior High School, AR. Candee and JOSEPH HOVIS '93 reside at 171 CR 460 Jonesboro, AR 72404.

'94 NATALIE BEHAN recently secured the position of Erie County Recycling Coordinator, Department of Planning. She had a career as an Environmental Scientist with Andrew Martin Associates, Inc. of Erie prior to accepting employment with the County of Erie. She currently resides at 3913 Davenport Ave., Erie, PA 16509.

LORI BATEMAN is the Associate to the CEO for Newman Associates Food Services, Inc., PA. She resides at 305 Florida Ave., Oakdale, PA 15071-9426.

JENNIFER HEID is a Mental Health Professional/Supervisor for The Bradley Center, PA. She resides at 35 Quail Hill Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15214.

'95 JULIE KLINGLER happily relocated to Pensacola, FL and is working as an Elementary School Guidance Counselor. She would love to hear from those she went to school with. She resides at 4301 Creighton Rd. Apt. 115, Pensacola, FL 32504.

AMY MORAN is a Speech-Language Therapy Assistant with the Rehabilitation Institute in Pittsburgh. She works with both adult and pediatric

patients with brain injuries or language disorders. She resides at 518 Pat Haven Dr., Pittsburgh, PA 15243.

NICHOLAS SOBOL recently received a Certificate of Appreciation while assigned as Inspector and Instructor Staff, Military Police Company, North Versailles, PA. He was recognized for his superior performance of duty. Nicholas consistently performed his demanding duties in an exemplary and highly professional manner. He resides at 206 Woodcroft Rd., Baden, PA 15005.

NANCY PAPERIALLA and MATT KUEBLER '96 both moved to Orlando, FL and would love to hear from Edinboro friends. They reside at 5076 Dockside Dr., Orlando, FL 32822.

JEFFREY DOWNING is a Police Officer for Kansas City, Missouri Police Department. He resides at 600 East 8th St. Apt. 1216, Kansas City, MO 64106.

TINA NORTON is an Adjunct Professor at Alfred State College. She has been accepted into the graduate program in experimental psychology at Kent State University with a full graduate assistantship. She will be pursuing a PhD in the area of Social Psychology. Tina resides at Square Woods Dr., PO Box 63, Canisteo, NY 14823.

PRAVIN THAKUR is the Systems Programmer for U.S. Steel, PA. Pravin, Kelly & Daniel reside at 354 Knoedler Dr. Apt. 1, Pittsburgh, PA 15236.

'96 MELISSA BEATTY is the Transportation Assistant for Erdman, Anthony Associates. She resides at 154 E. Walnut St., Lancaster, PA 17602.

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JACQUILINE QUIGLEY HANSEN is a Rehab Coordinator for Stairways MHPA. She resides with her children, Rocky, Richard & Sharay, at 2931 Maple St., Erie, PA 16508.

WENDY HIGLEY recently completed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, IL. She resides at 129-G U.S. Rt 30, Clinton, PA 15026.

'97 ROBERT ROHUBACH is the General Manager for Cinemark USA, Inc., MI. He resides at 27 Valley Dr. Apt. 203, Mr. Clemens, MI 48043.

Marriages

'77 EDWARD BURAK and Susan Ann, July 7, 1997. They reside at 9123 James Ct., Aliquippa, PA 15001.

'83 RON YOUNG and Maggie Murphy, November 23, 1996. They reside at 4 Elm Creek Dr., Apt. 512, Elmhurst, IL 60126.

'87 KELLEY BRUWELHEIDE and John Deegan, October 5, 1996. They reside at 615 Wood Street, Corapolis, PA 15108.

GLENN CLARK and ANNETTE MILLER '90, November 30, 1996. They reside at 425 Freeport St., Saxonburg, PA 16056.

'88 TOM CLAXTON and TINA FICKENWORTH '91, They reside at 6405 Spicewind Ct., Columbia, MD 21045.

RONICA COSGROVE and John Morda, September 6, 1996. They reside at 1027

4th Ave., Ford City, PA 16226.

DENINE GRACE and James Abowd, September 21, 1996. They reside at 3150 E. Morgan Rd., Ann Arbor, MI 48108.

'89 MICHELLE BAZZOLI and John Voelker, November 23, 1996. They reside at 966 Brentview Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15236.



◀ '90 JENNIFER JACQUILLARD and TODD BAUMGARDNER '93, August 24, 1996. They reside at 686 E. Park Ave., Mt. Pleasant, PA 15666.

NANCY KILLEN and Rick Bryant, September 21, 1996. They reside at 215B N. Main St., Houston, PA 15342.

'91 CHERYL ANDERSON and Steven Richards, November 23, 1996. They reside at 6350 Lee Rd. South #23, Maple Heights, OH 44137.

BECKY JONES and Mark Strother, August 1993. They reside at 604 Worthington St., McKeesport, PA 15132.

BOBBIE MARONEY and Jerry Stillions, October 19, 1996. They reside at 518 Franklin Ave., Vandergrift, PA 15690.

'92 VALERIE BISHOP and Kenneth Lork, August 10, 1996. They reside at 780 Clark St., Meadville, PA 16335.

JENNIFER GRACE and Bruce Wujak, May 3rd, 1997. They reside at 2703 Kragspough Ct., Holland, MI 49424.

'92 AMY WIENCEK and Edward Popeck, April 5, 1997. They reside at 119 S. Wade Ave., Apt. 3, Washington, PA 15301.



◀ '93 AMY CROMER and Steven Clark, June 15, 1996. They reside at 10745 Pekin Road, Newbury, OH 44065.

DALE GOULD JR. And ANISSA LEONARD '96, September 7, 1996. They reside at 146 Parkwood Drive, Cranberry Twp., PA 16066.

LINDA KONIECZKI and Kyle Kessler, August 24, 1996. They reside at 9571 Donation Rd., Waterford, PA 16441.

KIMBERLY KRISCUNAS and Brian Thomas, September 7, 1996. They reside at 437 Old Farm Road, Mt. Lebanon, PA 15228.

SUSAN MASON and Brent Bien, August 31, 1996. They reside at 168 Baytree Drive, Jacksonville, NC 28546.

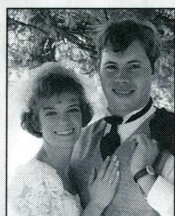
TONYA McCOY and James Weimer, October 5, 1996. They reside at 1426 Hidden Timber Dr., Pittsburgh, PA 15220.

LISA MORAN and MAX BIZZAK '92, September 21, 1996. They reside at 531 Welsh St., Kane, PA 16735.

SUSANNE SNYDER and ELMER MORRISON JR. '93, September 14, 1996. They reside at 9940 Jones Road, Erie, PA 16510.

TRACEY ODORISIO and Thomas Bard, June 1, 1996. They reside at 250 Cherry St., PO Box 363, Marienville, PA 16239.

BETH OVERBERG and Jerry Keller Jr., December 21, 1996. They reside at 4246 Harding Dr., Erie, PA 16509.



◀ TRACEY NIEL and TODD SACKETT '93, October 5, 1996. They reside at 895 C Street, Meadville, PA 16335.

LEWIS WALKER and KATHLEEN GUTHRIE '92, June 22, 1996. They reside at 13094 State Hwy 18, Conneaut Lake, PA 16316.

'94 BRAD BRAVERMAN and Jennifer Greenburg, November 3, 1996. They reside at 7F Oliver Ct., Pittsburgh, PA 15239.

ROBERT BUDZINSKI and Lynn Hetzel, November 30, 1996. They reside at 13 Poplar Drive, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055.

LAURIE CHRZANOWSKI and Raymond Uhler, August 10, 1996. They reside at 2416 East Lawn Pkwy., Erie, PA 16510.

DEBORAH DANIELLO and Daniel Gill, August 10, 1996. They reside at 99 Todd Ave., Apt. A-12, Hermitage, PA 16148.

HEATHER FETCKO and Matthew Sokolowski, November 30, 1996. They reside at 7791 E. Osborn Rd. #182E, Scottsdale, AZ 85251.

RONDA GANTZ and Patrick Darling, November 15, 1996. They reside at RD 1 Box 177, Pittsfield, PA 16340.

BRIAN GARLAND and ANDREA CANCELLA '95, September 7, 1996. They reside at 4004 Hermitage Hills Blvd., Apt. 23, Hermitage, PA 16148.

KEITH GEBHARDT and KATHLEEN

ZYCK '95, August 3, 1996. They reside at 1729 Hudson Blvd. #77, Gastonia, NC 28054.

KRISTIN MATZ and JASON ROPCHOCK '92, November 16, 1996. They reside at 47 Greencrest Drive, Middletown, NY 10941.

WENDY McINTOSH and William Meyers, October 5, 1997. They reside at 833 14th St., Ambridge, PA 15003.

AMY MUNZ and Charles Bowers III, October 26, 1996. They reside at 3832 Beech Ave., Erie, PA 16508.

ROBIN PALMER and John Popovich, September 28, 1996. They reside at 259 Tripplewood Drive, Mercer, PA 16137.

TAMMY HUFF and SCOTT TODD '94, November 16, 1996. They reside at 1707 Pulaski Rd., New Castle, PA 16105.

VANESSA WEBB and Michael Alloway, September 28, 1996. They reside at 19 Parade St., Union City, PA 16438.

CODY LEE ZILHAVER and Angela Rahsahl, October 18, 1996. They reside at B-B Tray 5-7 Unit 20239, Box 682, APO AE 091165-8239.

'95 LORI BRUNNER and Richard Kosinski, September 21, 1996. They reside at 8308 Pagan Road, Erie, PA 16509.

NILA CANFIELD and James Bill, February 15, 1997. They reside at 23124 Floodville Road, Cambridge Springs, PA 16403.

ANNEKA CORNELL and Paul Lanham, September 21, 1996. They reside at RD 7 Arthur Street 205, Meadville, PA 16335.

MARYJANE HUMBERT and Randy Field, May 4, 1996. They reside at 13041 Capp Rd. #51, Edinboro, PA 16412.

STEPHEN CRUMP and SANDRA KIOUMOURTZIS '96. They reside at 2420 Filmore Ave. #9, Erie, PA 16506.

CHAD KALKA and SHANNON SHERMAN '95, September 9, 1995. They reside at PO Box 454, Franklin, PA 16323.

KAREN KARLE and Steven Brobst, November 9, 1996. They reside at 3532 McKeen Rd., Erie, PA 16506.

MARIANNE MILLER and Brian Kubistek, June 22, 1996. They reside at 18 N. Main St. Box 145, Loganville, PA 17342.

GAETANA ORSINI and Edward Wirth, June 1, 1996. They reside at 160 W.

Prospect Ave.#107, Pittsburgh, PA 15205.

AMY SNYDER and Robert Walter, August 24, 1996. They reside at 500 S. Hamilton Rd., Apt. 6, Columbus, OH 43213.

BEVERLY STECK and Daniel Marvin, February 1997. They reside at RD 1 Box 395B, Oil City, PA 16301.

PAUL YOCHIM and Amy Giebfried, October 5, 1996. They reside at 2838 Zimmerman Rd., Erie, PA 16510.

'96 ROBERT FULLER and Patricia Lewis, December 18, 1996. They reside at 7036 KY 1234 S., Maysville, KY 41056.

DIANNE HEINDL and Jeffrey Hanson, October 12, 1996. They reside at 110 Alessandra Ct., #155, Frederick, MD 21702.

SARA HOOVER and Brian Creager, May 25, 1996. They reside at 2037 Bird Drive, Erie, PA 16510.

DANIELLE McFARLAND and Mark Mottillo, October 5, 1996. They reside at RD 3 Box 104-A, Titusville, PA 16354.

BRYAN McMULLEN and MELANIE RICHART '94, January 4, 1997. They reside at 2625 11th Court, Vero Beach, FL 32960.

ERIC SMITH and Jeannette Hogan, September 28, 1996. They reside at 4085 Sandy Lake Rd., Sandy Lake, PA 16145.

SHERI STERRETT and Todd Law, July 27, 1996. They reside at 13385 Rt 8, Wattsburg, PA 16442.

RENEE TWOMBLEY and Joseph Vrobel Jr., August 24, 1996. They reside at RD 3 Box 178, Meadville, PA 16335.

BIRTHS

'75 LORI SEYMOUR APGAR and Robert Apgar, a daughter, Eva Leedham Apgar, November 19, 1996. They reside at 2011 Hycroft Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15241-2211.

'78 DAVID SALVERIAN and Angela, a daughter, Devon Noelle, December 15, 1996. She joins her sisters, Dina, age 6 and Emilie, age 15 months. They reside at 49 Andrew Lane, Lansdale PA 19446.

'79 NANCY SCHULTZ BARCH and Jim, a daughter, Alexandra Claire, January 12, 1996. She joins her brother Patrick and sister Annie. They reside at 2043 Mammoth Ct., Evergreen, CO 80439.

'80 BOB JAHN and PAM HERING JAHN '91, a daughter, Michelle Renee, July 24, 1996. She joins her brother, Luke, 4 years old and her sister, Lindsey, 2 years old. They reside at 13121 Rt 99 South, Edinboro, PA 16412.

'82 STEVEN CARLSON and Tonya, a son, Zachary Adam, October 21, 1996. They reside at 417 Twelve Oaks Terrace, Mustange, OK 73064

'83 MARGARET (MEG) BUDON HUTTON and Richard, a son, Logan Henry, July 9, 1996. They reside at RR #4 Box 321, Emporium, PA 15834-9703.

REBECCA ALTARES ZINNIKAS and Michael, a son, Gregory Michael, August 3, 1996. He joins his sisters, Kiersten Marie, 5 years old and Patrice Noelle, 3 years old. They reside at 431 Hobart Road, North Brunswick, NJ 08902.

'84 JAMIE CARON and DORENE SOROKA CARSON '86, a daughter, Madison Marie, November 24, 1996. She joins her brother Alex. They reside at 921 North Plantation Drive, Virginia Beach, VA 23454.

'85 SHELLEY SMITH DAVIS and JAY, a daughter, Megan Pauline, July 2, 1996. She joins her sister, Melanie, 7 years old. They reside at 335 Pacific St., Franklin, PA 16323.

SHELLEY POWELL PHOENNIK, a son, Connor John, December 24, 1996. They reside at 1262 Oakridge Road, McDonald, PA 15057.

NANCY MILLER KLOMBERS and Lee, a son, Solomon Maxwell, December 17, 1996. They reside at 16 Hill Road, Mohnton, PA 19540.

VICKI KIRMAYER STUBLER and David, a son, David John Jr., December 16, 1996. They reside at HCR 2 Box 25, Oil City, PA 16301

'86 MATTHEW GREBENC and JENNY BIEKSZA GREBENC '87, a daughter, Amanda. She joins her brother, Andrew, 3 years old. They reside at 6284 Foxwood Court, Mentor, OH 44060.

YVONNE WILEY SHREFFLER and Daniel, a son, Hunter Daniel, September 24, 1996. He joins his brothers, Zachary Michael, 17 months, and Cody William, 5 years old. They reside at 43 White Oak Blvd., Mechanicsburg, PA 17055.

'87 KATHLEEN NEE BROWN and Kenneth, TWINS born December 18,

1996, a daughter, Erin Kathleen, and a son, Alexander Lawrence. They reside at 575 East End Ave., Pittsburgh, PA 15221.

'89 LISA PIETROWSKI CAYWOOD and David, a daughter, Madeline Claire, November 11, 1996. They reside at 85 Inwood Place, Buffalo, NY 14209.



◀ TINA DONEGAN CERJA and Thomas, a daughter, Cecilia Louise, March 23, 1996. They reside at 114 Tanglewood Court, Southern Pines, NC 28387.

LORI GERHART GIBBS and Jonathan, a daughter, Reily Elisabeth, June 4, 1996. She joins her brother, Connor, 3 years old. They reside at 833 Bennett Lane, Cincinnati, OH 45245.

PATTI SWOGER SHIRILLA and Ronald, a daughter, Nicole Marie, October 25, 1996. She joins her sister, Bethany Dawn, 3 years old. They reside at 629 Norwood Drive, PA 16157

DEBORAH ROSE WIERZBOWSKI and Raymond, a son, Ryan Christopher, March 27, 1997 and the adoption of Joshua Domitri on December 20, 1996, born November 13, 1995. They reside at 160 Foxworth Drive, Jackson, TN 38305.

'90 SUZANNE EBERHART MOSS and Michael, a son, Brandon Michael, March 2, 1997. They reside at 115 Jefferson Street, Linesville, PA 16424.

ANNA MARIE KAYLOR O'FRIEL and Robert, a daughter, Lillian Marie, November 21, 1996. They reside at 121 Chadborne Court, Cranberry Twp., PA 16066.

JOHN PFEUFFER IV and MELISSA SUE BISCEGLIA PFEUFFER '90, a daughter, Katie Sue, January 1, 1997. They reside at 14 Community Springs, Rochester, PA 15074.

DIENNA WOLFE WORTMAN and Robert, a son, James, June 30, 1996. He joins his brothers Robert and Benjamin. They reside at 117 Reserve Road, St. Marys, PA 15857.

'91 BECKY JONES STROTHER and Mark, a daughter, Kayla Christine, August 27, 1996. They reside at 604 Worthington St., McKeesport, PA 15132.

LYNN MARIE BARRETT DYL and Brian, a son, Ryan Michael, December 16, 1996. They reside at 10407 Heather Greens Circle, Spotsylvania, VA 22553.

DANIEL PRIHODA and LISA MARANEY PRIHODA '92, a son, Michael David, October 23, 1996. They reside in Erie.

'92 LAUREN ALBERT RAFAEW and Gerald, a son, Ryan Gerald, June 26, 1996. He joins his brother Jacob, 14 years old. They reside at 10908 Eureka Road, Edinboro, PA 16412.

'93 DAVID CAMPBELL and Susan, a daughter, Emmalyn Mae, December 16, 1996. She joins her sister, Tarryn Gabrielle, 3 years old. They reside in Carlisle, PA.

ELIZABETH GRAY FIEGER and Ronald, a daughter, Breanna Marie, February 27, 1997. They reside at 64 Saily Ave., Plattsburgh, NY 12901.

'94 KENNETH HOOVER and Joy, a son, Bryan Kenneth, December 10, 1996. They reside at 8684 Belle Road, Harborcreek, PA 16421.

MARY BETH MASOTTI LANGDON and Richard, a son, Nicholas Lawrence, December 27, 1996. He joins his brother, Adam, 2 years old. They reside at 448 Virginia Ave., Erie, PA 16505.

'95 NEREIDA COLON GONZALEZ and BRIAN HASSELMAN '96, a

daughter, Brianna Gloria Hasselman-Colon, June 11, 1996. They reside at 117 East 3rd St., Erie PA 16507.

CYNTHIA RICHARDSON STRUBLE and David, a son, Ryan Christopher, November 8, 1996. They reside at 32775 Mickle Hollow Road, Union City, PA 16438.

IN MEMORIAM

'15 Sylvia B. Mitchell, March 7, 1997

'22 Josephine Ottman, March 1996

'25 Margaret Porter, April 1997

'25 Dorothea Burden Ross, February 13, 1997

'26 Frances Schuster, November 10, 1996

'27 Ronald C. McCreary, January 4, 1997

'27 Nellie E. Beck Brucker, February 11, 1997

'29 Stella Thornton, April 1, 1997

'29 Harriet Bartow, February 2, 1997

'30 Benjamin Haynes, November 22, 1996

'31 Grace L. Shoemaker, January 5, 1997

'34 Winifred McCarthy, January 1, 1997

'35 Harold Pfeffer, August 1996

'48 Cornelia K. Bane, February 22, 1997

'51 Kenneth Harvey, January 23, 1997

'64 Joseph C. Ondrey, January 19, 1997

'65 Ernest L. Holden, February 1997

'67 JoAnne Dunlap Carey, December 18, 1996

'69 Rev. Charles H. Reynolds, December 29, 1996

'70 Suzanne Williams Carnevale, January 19, 1997

'70 John O. Shields, January 15, 1997

'72 Dolores Marynarczyk, December 18, 1996

'75 Bradley D. Flinner, February 23, 1997

'80 Lorraine B. Dunlap, December 21, 1996

'84 Bob Donaldson, June 16, 1997

'92 Sarah Ida Barron, December 13, 1996

'92 John M. Snyder, December 8, 1996

'94 Robin Leigh Kralevich, October 22, 1996

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November 13-17, 1997

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Edinboro Places 22nd in Sears Cup

For the second consecutive year, the Edinboro University Fighting Scots intercollegiate athletic program completed its sports seasons ranked in the top 25 of the Sears Directors' Cup final standings as announced at a special ceremony at the 32nd annual convention of the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics (NACDA).

Edinboro ranked 22nd nationally in the 1996-97 final Sears Directors' Cup standings (among the 289 schools competing in NCAA Division II athletics) after placing 23rd last season.

Edinboro's high national ranking, which is based on success in NCAA Division II post-season action, was sparked by a pair of NCAA Division II Regional Championships and Elite Eight appearances in women's volleyball and women's basketball. The Scots also scored points in both men's and women's cross country and outdoor track and field.

1997 Spring Recap

The Edinboro track and field teams led another strong spring season of athletic competition, highlighted by the men's runner-up finish at the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference outdoor championships under head coach Doug Watts. Two Fighting Scots men brought home All-American honors from the NCAA Division II national championships as senior Travis Kuhl placed fifth in the steeplechase, and senior Bryan Lambert was seventh in the shot put with a school-record toss of more than 55 feet. The women's track and field squad placed eighth at the league championships, and several individuals also qualified for the NCAA national meet.

Edinboro's young softball team, which featured 10 freshmen and six sophomores under the guidance of head coach Dan Gierlak, placed fourth in the PSAC West and finished the season with a 20-22 overall mark. Three Fighting Scots earned All-Conference accolades as freshman Stormy Alexander was a first-team utility player and sophomore Keri Criscione was a first-team designated player. In addition, sophomore Leah McMahon was a

second-team pick at catcher. Criscione and McMahon also were all-region picks.

The Fighting Scots baseball team also enjoyed its share of success this season. Edinboro posted a 6-9 record during the team's annual spring trip to Florida, and finished with a 17-33 overall mark. Highlights of the season included a doubleheader split with NCAA Division II power Mansfield, who went on to compete in the NCAA tournament. Junior outfielder Sean Rusko was a second-team All-Conference pick.

The Edinboro men's tennis squad enjoyed another winning season, posting a 10-8 overall mark. The Scots placed fifth at the PSAC Championships, just two points away from a fourth-place showing. Dave Salvatore and Poorna Amarasinghe were PSAC runners-up in doubles play, while Paul Skrok was one of the top singles players in the league.

The Edinboro golf team placed sixth at the PSAC Championships this spring. Senior Matt Corey placed in the top ten at the Conference championship to earn All-PSAC honors.

Student-Athletes Honored as Part of Celebration of Excellence

Eighty Edinboro University student-athletes and athletic support staff students were honored at the athletic department's annual Student-Athlete Awards Luncheon on April 13 prior to the University's Celebration of Excellence ceremony.

Edinboro Provost Dr. Robert Weber was the keynote speaker at the event. Dr. Weber recited a poem he had written several years ago on the life of former Pittsburgh Pirate Hall of Famer Roberto Clemente, reflecting back on the positive role athletics played in his life, while encouraging the student-athletes in attendance to keep up the stellar academic work and commitment to community service.

President Frank Pogue also paid tribute to the honorees, speaking on the importance of balancing academic commitments and athletics and the unique challenges student-athletes face.

All student-athletes with a 3.2 cumulative

grade point average were invited to attend the event, and were encouraged to bring a faculty or staff member who has played a significant role in their success. Ten four-year scholar-athletes received special recognition.

Fighting Scots to Play at Disney World

Some sports teams go to Disney World after they've won a championship. However, the Edinboro men's basketball team is going to take a little different approach, hoping the "magic" of the Magic Kingdom elevates the Fighting Scots to the championship level during the upcoming 1997-98 season.

Edinboro is indeed going to Disney World to open the 1997-98 men's basketball season. The Fighting Scots have accepted an invitation to play in the Disney Division II Tip-off Classic, November 14-16. The eight-team tournament will be played at Disney's Wide World of Sports Fieldhouse in Orlando.

"We're very honored to have been invited to Disney World," said Edinboro head coach Greg Walcavich. "It's my understanding the selection committee wanted to bring in some of the top programs from each region in the country to start the '97-98 season. So, we're thrilled to accept the invitation. It will be a real challenge for our team to go down there and play three games against some quality opposition.

"It should also be a lot of fun for our players and for the fans who go with us," Walcavich continued. "What a great way to begin the season."

The Edinboro athletic department has put together a travel package for Fighting Scots fans to make the trip along with the team. (See page 25 for details.)

"Disney has put together a great hotel and entertainment deal for the universities that are competing and their fans. We hope our fans, alumni, or anybody who would like to go to Florida the second week of November, takes advantage of this opportunity to go with the team," said Walcavich.

Edinboro will play three games at Disney, starting with Southern Connecticut State University in the first round of the tournament. The Owls won the Northeast Region last season to qualify for the NCAA

Division II Elite Eight for the first time. SCSU returns three starters from a team that posted a 28-4 record. Other participants include: Wheeling Jesuit College and Columbus (GA) College in the other half of Edinboro's bracket. Wheeling Jesuit was 20-7 last year and ranked as high as No. 2 in the national poll. Other schools include: Northern State (SD) University, 22-6 and a regional qualifier a year ago; Clark Atlanta University; Lone Star Conference champions University of Central Oklahoma, 24-5; and University of Southern Indiana, 23-5 last year and the NCAA Division II national champions in 1995.

Fighting Scots Complete Spring Football, Prepare for Fall

The Edinboro University of Pennsylvania football team completed three weeks of spring football in mid-April under the direction of head coach Tom Hollman, who begins his 10th season at Edinboro. Hollman also announced the 1997 Fighting Scot schedule (see inside back cover) and several changes to his coaching staff.

STAFF CHANGES

Veteran assistant coach Scott Browning's position will remain the same this year as he begins his third season as the Fighting Scots offensive coordinator and 12th year overall coaching at the Boro. Browning also will continue to coach the offensive linemen.

Nick Cronk, who begins his fourth season in the Edinboro program, has been promoted to the defensive coordinator position, replacing Tony Elliott, who accepted a similar position at Grand Valley State University in March. In addition to serving as defensive coordinator, Cronk will coach linebackers this year after being in charge of the defensive line the past three seasons.

Mike McCoy has been promoted from part-time assistant to full-time. McCoy, who begins his second year at Edinboro, will coach the Fighting Scots quarterbacks and running backs.

Three newcomers have joined the coaching staff. Mario Houston, who played defensive back at Edinboro from 1990-94, will coach wide receivers. Houston was a two-time All-PSAC pick and was a three-year Scholar-Athlete. Dusty Calhoun, a native of

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Heath, Ohio, will assume responsibility for the Edinboro defensive secondary. Calhoun served as a graduate assistant coach at Ohio State the past two years. Marion Posey, a 1992 graduate of Slippery Rock, was an assistant football coach at East Stroudsburg last season, after a two-year stint as an assistant at the Rock in 1995-96.



Sports Auction

The second Edinboro University Sports Memorabilia Auction, featuring an appearance by Steeler offensive lineman Jim Sweeney and Director of Football Operations Tom Donahoe, raised more than \$11,000 for student-athlete scholarships.

Some of the more popular items were a signed Larry Bird jersey, a pen and ink drawing by Edinboro grad Buck Snodgrass of Steeler Kordell Stewart, and a signed poster from Garth Brooks featuring the autographs of Olympic gold medalists Bruce Baumgartner, Kevin Jackson and John Smith.

Football signed by Jack Lambert, Chuck Noll and Joe Paterno were popular items, along with signed jerseys from Jaromir Jagr and Jim Kelley and Mohammed Ali signed boxing gloves.

Olympic items included Baumgartner

shoes and track spikes from sprinter Michael Johnson.

Serving as auctioneer for the evening was 1973 Edinboro grad Eric Legenzoff (pictured at left) who volunteered his time for the event.

Seven Inducted into Athletic Hall of Fame

Four former athletes, a coach, an administrator and an outstanding contributor were inducted into the Athletic Hall of Fame in April.

Guy Conti was recognized for his accomplishments as a faculty member and three-sport coach in the 1970s and '80s. As men's basketball coach, he compiled 140 wins with a .590 winning mark, third best in Edinboro history.

Coleen Snyder Conboy, a 1986 graduate, was a three-time All-American (the first female at Edinboro) in cross country and track.

Anthony Cutri, a 1940 graduate, was recognized for his achievements in basketball and football at Edinboro State Teachers College from 1936 to 1940.

Harry "Sparky" Gorton, a behind the scenes supporter of the athletic department, was honored for more than a decade of service to the University. He spearheaded the formation of the Scotsman Wrestling Club in the mid 1980s.

Al Hall was recognized for his years of dedicated service as Edinboro's athletic director from 1969 to 1980. Under his direction, the Scots went from a six-sport program to 16 men's and women's sports.

Ellen Mulligan, one of the Lady Scots' best all-time basketball players, was honored for her hardcourt accomplishments in the early 1980s. She played in 91 games at Edinboro and finished her career with 1,169 points and more than 500 rebounds.

Jolene Nagel, a 1983 graduate, was recognized for her volleyball court achievements from 1979 to 1982. A two-time co-captain, her teams recorded an outstanding 116 wins against just 43 losses.

Also honored at this year's event were Carl Leonard, male athlete of the year, and Stephanie Radecki, female athlete of the year.



1997 Hall of Fame inductees (left to right): Al Hall, Anthony Cutri, Jolene Nagel, Coleen (Snyder) Conboy, Ellen Mulligan, and Harry "Sparky" Gorton. (Not pictured: Guy Conti)



Mark Your Calendars

Upcoming Alumni Activities

July 18-20

Legacy Weekend

July 20

Edinboro Community Day at the
Erie Seawolves

August 17

"Forever Plaid" at the Erie
Playhouse

August 23

Baltimore area alumni at the
Orioles

September 7

Edinboro/Erie area bus trip to
Yankee Peddler in Ohio

September 12

Presidential Inauguration on
campus

October 10-12

HOMECOMING WEEKEND
See page 9 for details!

October 25

Science Saturday on campus

November 2

Grove City Outlet bus trip

November 9

Edinboro University Women's
Association House Tour, including
the Alumni House



1997 Cross Country

Sept. 6at Buffalo State
Sept. 20at Wisconsin-Parkside
Sept. 27EDINBORO RELAYS
Oct. 3at Notre Dame
Oct. 11NW PA. Championships
Oct. 18at Tour DeRock

1997 Fall Athletic Events at Edinboro University

Aug. 24Fall sports kickoff picnic
and community day
Sept. 5Volleyball
Sept. 6Football
Volleyball tournament
Women's soccer
Oct. 11HOMECOMING
Cross Country
Swimming
Oct. 15Basketball practice begins
Oct. 25Football
Nov. 6-8Women's Basketball in
Toronto
Nov. 13-17Men's Basketball
in Orlando (see page 25)
Nov. 22Men's Basketball
Nov. 25Women's Basketball
Men's Basketball

1997 Volleyball

Aug. 29-30at N. Michigan Tourn.
Sept. 5-6Edinboro Invitational
Sept. 9at Lock Haven
Sept. 16SLIPPERY ROCK
Sept. 19-20 ...W. Va. Wesleyan Tourn.
Sept. 23at California
Sept. 30CLARION
Oct. 3-4East Stroudsburg Tourn.
Oct. 7at Indiana
Oct. 10DAEMEN
Oct. 14LOCK HAVEN
Oct. 17-18Univ. Tampa Tourn.
Oct. 21at Slippery Rock
Oct. 24MERCYHURST
Oct. 28CALIFORNIA
Oct. 31at Gannon
Nov. 4at Clarion
Nov. 7INDIANA

1997 Soccer

Sept. 3at LaRoche
Sept. 6SETON HILL
Sept. 7JOHN CARROLL
Sept. 10at Slippery Rock
Sept. 13KUTZTOWN
Sept. 14CALIFORNIA
Sept. 20SHIPPENSBURG
Sept. 24GANNON
Sept. 27at Millersville
Oct. 1WHEELING JESUIT
Oct. 4at Walsh Univ.
Oct. 11NOTRE DAME (Ohio)
Oct. 15LOCK HAVEN
Oct. 18at W. Va. Wesleyan
Oct. 22at Indiana
Oct. 25at East Stroudsburg
Oct. 26at West Chester
Nov. 1BLOOMSBURG

1997 Football

Sept. 6HILLSDALE (1 p.m.)
Sept. 13at Carson-Newman in
Jefferson City, TN (7 p.m.)
Sept. 27GLENVILLE STATE
(1 p.m.) *Family Weekend*
Oct. 4at Shippensburg (1 p.m.)
Oct. 11CALIFORNIA (2 p.m.)
Homecoming
Oct. 18at Slippery Rock (1 p.m.)
Oct. 25INDIANA (1 p.m.)
Nov. 1at Cheyney (1 p.m.)
Nov. 8at Clarion (1 p.m.)

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