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FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

New association with the *Athena* yearbook



Dear alumni and friends of Ohio University:

It's been an important year for the *Athena* yearbook and the Alumni Association. In fall of 2009, I became the official advisor for the *Athena* yearbook, succeeding Jim

Graham Stewart

Rodgers who unfortunately passed away last June after a courageous battle with cancer. This new partnership between the *Athena* and the Alumni Association makes sense on numerous fronts. Not only will we be able to provide marketing expertise and knowledge of printing processes, but, as a primary keeper of traditions and history for the University, the Alumni Association has a vested interest in making certain that student experiences and campus events continue to be collected in the iconic yearbook format. The *Athena* had been having financial difficulty, with too few seniors purchasing the hardcover, more expensive yearbook. So we worked with the editor and student staff to develop a new model—a soft cover, full-color version with a much lower price tag. The books were ready this year to distribute the week before Commencement, and the initial offering sets the stage for next year, when we plan to put a copy of the *Athena* yearbook into the hands of every senior, at low or no cost. We have every expectation to see the *Athena* continue as an important Ohio University tradition.

When the *Athena* transitioned to a new advisor and a new format, the Alden Library came to us with an intriguing opportunity. Thanks to a grant and financial support from the Alumni Association, we were able to digitize the entire collection of *Athenas*—1892—present and make them available to the entire Ohio University community. The result has been a spectacular success. Now, alumni, students, staff and friends can scan the entire archive of more than 100 years of Ohio history. They can search easily for their friends, favorite professors, or just relive their times at college through the pages of the yearbook. The joint venture between Alden Library and the Alumni Association has been a great way to celebrate the new collaboration with the *Athena* as well as the close of our 150th anniversary year.

We invite you to take a look at the archive yourself! <http://media.library.ohiou.edu/>

To order your 2009–2010 *Athena* yearbook, or see what other hard cover copies we may have available for purchase, visit ohioalumni.org/yearbooks.

Graham Stewart
Executive Director
Ohio University Alumni Association

Partnership brings online access to treasures

by Tim Sallinger, BSJ '10

Years of OHIO memories were made available for public viewing through the University Libraries website, thanks to the efforts of Alden Library in collaboration with your Alumni Association.

Copies of the *Athena*, Ohio University's yearbook, going back to 1892 are stored in the library's archives. Now Bobcats from anywhere in the world can access digitized copies of the yearbooks through the library's website: <http://media.library.ohiou.edu/>

Alumni can read the *Athena* like never before with the Internet Archive's "Word Search" function. Looking for photos of the great flood of 1964? Simply search for "flood" in that year's edition.

The *Athena* has a wider appeal than just research. Graduates can look up their old classmates, clubs, and sports teams. "[The *Athenas*] are the most universally popular items contained in the University archives," said Bill Kimok, University Archivist and Records Manager.

The idea to digitize the *Athena* came from Janet Carleton, Digital Initiatives Coordinator for OU Libraries, who discovered an opportunity with LYRASIS, a library consortium.

"We were very fortunate to find a grant-funded project that we could join," Carleton wrote in an e-mail. "This way the cost of the scanning was subsidized both by the grant and by [LYRASIS'] scanning partner, the Internet Archive. And we were able to partner with the Alumni Association—they paid for the scanning and we contributed the materials and labor to get the project done."

The project has received enormous positive feedback. Although the yearbooks have only been available since May 20, there have been more than 600 downloads. The 1959 edition alone was downloaded 170 times.

"We anticipate that alumni from all eras will enjoy the opportunity to relive their years on campus through this interactive online medium," said Graham Stewart, Executive Director of the Alumni Association. "Our mission is to connect alumni with OHIO and with each other."

All editions of the yearbook from 1892, 1893 and 1908–2009 are available online. The only exceptions are the years 1894–1907, 1918 and 1969, when there were no official yearbooks published.

Because the yearbook project was such a success, Kimok said the library would be looking at other OHIO documents which could be digitized. In the works

now are digitizing alumni publications such as *Ohio University Today* and *OHIO TODAY*.

"We would love love love to digitize *The Post*," wrote Carleton, "but can't do it without a donor to come forward to support that huge project."

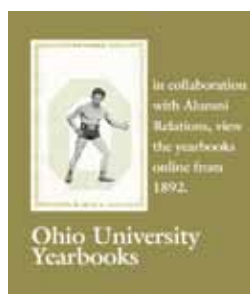


Find the *Athena* Online and more

<http://media.library.ohiou.edu>

Click on 'Ohio University Yearbooks'

More Digital Collections to discover:



- 1 Cantigny First Division Oral History Project** Twenty-two videotaped oral histories of soldiers and guardsmen who served with the First Division of the U.S. Army from 1944 to 2009.
- 2 E. W. Scripps Papers** Letters, memos, and reports by E.W. Scripps (June 18, 1854 - March 12, 1926), an American newspaper publisher and founder of The E. W. Scripps Company and United Press news service.
- 3 Political Campaign Commercials** (accessible only on the Athens campus).
- 4 University Archives** Historic Ohio University-related materials
- 5 Yao Ceremonial Artifacts Collection in ARTstor** (accessible only on the Athens campus). Images of approximately 2000 pieces of art



To purchase available hard-copy yearbooks, visit ohioalumni.org/yearbooks



YOUR OHIO UNIVERSITY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

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For updated information visit the Athens County Convention and Visitors Bureau at www.athensohio.com.

WEEKEND EVENT IN COLUMBUS

OHIO vs. OSU: Sept. 16–18



Bobcat spirit is in the air as we prepare for the OHIO-OSU football game on Sept. 18. Events are organized by both the Central Ohio Chapter and your Alumni Association.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 16

The schools will compete off the field as well, in the OHIO vs. OSU Alumni Challenge, a benefit for the Mid-Ohio food bank sponsored by our Central Ohio Chapter. The school that brings the most items to donate to the food drive will win a Happy Hour Party at Park Street Patio.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 17

Pre-Game Jam • 5 – 11 p.m.

The Lodge Bar, 165 Vine St.
Speakers will include executive director of the Ohio University Alumni Association, Graham Stewart, OHIO Athletics Director Jim Schaus, and President Roderick J. McDavis. The 2008 Jam raised more than \$7,000 for our Central Ohio Chapter Scholarship, which benefits an OHIO student from the area.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 18

Bobcat Bash • 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Harrison House Apartments, 222 W. Lane Ave.

Whether you have game tickets or are looking forward to watching it on the big screen, enjoy UNLIMITED food, beverages and all day entertainment, including live music starting at 9 a.m., through the end of the contest—all for just \$50! The game will begin broadcasting on the big screen at noon. Early registration is encouraged for this anticipated event; Bobcat Bash admission will be \$75 on the day of event.

OHIO vs. OSU game • 12 p.m.

Questions regarding tickets should be directed to the OHIO Athletics Ticket Office at 1-800-575-CATS (2287).

WWW.OHIOALUMNI.ORG/OHIO-OSU

OHIO UNIVERSITY HOMECOMING

HIGHLIGHTS of the Week



MONDAY, OCT. 11

6 p.m.
Homecoming Kick-Off
Baker University Center

FRIDAY, OCT 15

5:30 p.m.
Alumni Awards Gala
Baker University Center Ballroom

SATURDAY, OCT. 16

10 a.m.
Homecoming Parade
Court Street

2 p.m.
OHIO vs. Akron football
Peden Stadium

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OCTOBER 11–17**

For a complete listing of Homecoming Week events, visit ohio.edu/homecoming

For a full listing of Alumni Association Homecoming events, see page 5.

OHIO UNIVERSITY

Upcoming reunions and alumni weekends

College of Education Weekend
Oct. 1–3

Cheer and Mascot Weekend
Oct. 9

Russ College of Engineering & Technology 75th Anniversary
Oct. 15–16

Marching Band Society of Alumni of Friends Weekend
Oct. 15–16

WOUB Alumni Society Weekend
Oct. 15–16

American College of Osteopathic Internists & Annual Clinical Assembly of Osteopathic Surgeons
Oct. 23–27

Phi Kappa Tau 100th Celebration
May 20–22, 2011

Spring Alumni Weekend
March 31–April 3, 2011

Recent Graduates: Classes of 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007 and 2006;
10th Anniversary: Class of 2001;
25th Anniversary: Class of 1986;
Colleges of Health & Human Services, Business and Osteopathic Medicine

Alumni College and Golden Weekend

July 14–17, 2011
Honoring Class of 1961

“R/E Union” Residential College of Ohio University
Summer 2011

For details, visit www.ohioalumni.org/reunions



Every day is a reunion with Facebook

www.ohioalumni.org/facebook

With more than 13,000 fans, the OUAA page on Facebook is a popular destination for OHIO alumni. Daily, Bobcat fans bond over the updates and photos shared there. No matter your graduation year, Bobcats of all ages can share their OHIO love on Facebook and make new connections. If you haven't "liked" OUAA yet, now's a great time to join the fun.

Planning a Reunion?

www.ohioalumni.org/reunions

The Alumni Association website offers suggestions on what you'll need to plan the perfect reunion. We love to bring Bobcats together, so contact us today and let us know how we can be of assistance.





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Legacy Scholarship honors Bobcat families



The Ohio University Alumni Association has awarded this year's Legacy Scholarship to incoming freshman Laura Risaliti.

Risaliti was selected from a pool of 47 applicants for her leadership skills and involvement in the community. She can claim a long lineage of proud Bobcats: a grandfather, parents, her uncle, siblings and several cousins attended OHIO. She plans to major in education.

"OU is in my blood, and that's where I want to be," Risaliti said. Her high school's youth minister recommended Risaliti for the scholarship based on her "maturity, willingness to serve and ability to lead."

The scholarship recognizes students whose parents or grandparents are alumni. OHIO boasts a long tradition of families sharing the Bobcat experience: more than 6,000 alumni have relatives who also attended.

The Legacy Scholarship is open to any undergraduate who maintains a 3.0 GPA and has a lineal relative (parent or grandparent) who is an alumnus.

Read more about the OHIO Alumni Association's Legacy Scholarship at ohioalumni.org/legacy-scholarship.

2010 Alumni Awardees

Since 1940, the annual Alumni Awards Gala has recognized the professional accomplishments and dedicated service of outstanding Ohio University alumni. The inductees of the Kermit Blosser Athletics Hall of Fame, former athletes who distinguished themselves while students, are also recognized during the Gala due to the Association's partnership with Athletics.

Each of the awards is unique. The Alumnus/a of the Year recognizes alumni who have distinguished themselves professionally or shown notable service to the University. The Medal of Merit, the oldest of the awards, is presented to alumni who have achieved distinction in their fields, while the Distinguished Service Award recognizes service to the university or Alumni Association. The Ping Recent Graduate Award recognizes alumni who graduated in the past 15 years, whose achievements reflect the impact of their education.

Held during Homecoming weekend, and considered one of the Association's signature events, the Gala regularly draws a who's who from the campus community, the Athens region and the alumni population. More than 300 people attended the black tie optional event in 2009. The Alumni Association is proud to present this year's awardees—a stellar group who represent the success and passion of Bobcats around the world. Congratulations!

ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR



David L. Hostetler
MFA '49
Athens, OH

MEDAL OF MERIT



Jeffrey Alan Finkle
BSC '76
Washington, DC



Jenny Holzer
BFA '72
Hoosick Falls, NY



Laura M. Justice
AB '92, BSED '94,
MED '96, PhD '00
Worthington, OH

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD



Terrence A. Lee
AB '72
St. Clairsville, OH

CHARLES J. AND CLAIRE O. PING RECENT GRADUATE AWARD



Matthew J. Raider
BSC '03
Denver, CO

HONORARY ALUMNUS AWARD



Mark Snider
Athens, OH

THE KERMIT BLOSSER OHIO ATHLETICS HALL OF FAME



Michael D. Arbinger
BSPE '02
Toledo, OH



Joseph B. Carbone
BSED '70
Athens, OH



Jake D. Percival
BSSP '05
Tiffin, OH

THE KERMIT BLOSSER OHIO ATHLETICS HALL OF FAME – LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD



Julie A. Cole
BSED '75
Charlotte, NC

To nominate a fellow graduate or friend of the University, please click "Online Forms" found at ohioalumni.org

Alumni Travel and Tours

LAS VEGAS INVITATIONAL GETAWAY

November 25–28, 2010

The Alumni Association is offering a weekend getaway for the 10th Annual Las Vegas Invitational. This package includes tickets for the two-day tournament and a four-day, three-night hotel stay at the luxurious Orleans Casino (which boasts 12 restaurants and a full casino).

The OHIO Bobcat basketball team will compete in the adjoining Orleans Arena with a field including two previous NCAA champions, Georgetown and Kansas. OHIO will face Kansas in the third round.

OHIO beat Georgetown in the NCAA tournament this past March and fans will anticipate watching DeVaughn Washington, ranked second on the team; Tommy Freeman, who finished second in the nation in three-point field goal accuracy; and D.J. Cooper, 2010 Mid-American Conference Freshman of the Year.

For more information, call 740-593-4300 or visit bobcattravel.org



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Waterways of Holland & Belgium
April 10–18, 2011



Chelsea Flower Show & English Gardens Tour
May 21–28, 2011



Sketches of Spain
Sept. 22–Oct. 3, 2011

Announcing the 2011 Alumni Tours:

Swiss Winter Escapade

Jan. 24–31

Oceania Cruise – Mayan Mystique

Hosted by Graham Stewart
March 9–19

London & Paris

Mar. 17–24

Waterways of Holland & Belgium

April 10–18

A Walking Tour of Tuscany

April 21–May 1

Oceania Cruise – Historic Reflections

May 6–17

Chelsea Flower Show & English Gardens Tour

May 21–28

The Great Journey through Europe

June 21–July 1

Cruising Alaska's Glaciers and the Inside Passage

Aug. 4–11

Elegant Canadian Rockies by Private Streamliner

Aug. 19–26

Paris & the Villages and Vineyards of France

Sept. 18–28

An Insider's Perspective – Chicago

Sept. 20–25

Sketches of Spain

Sept. 22–Oct. 3

Around the World by Private Jet

Oct. 28–Nov. 18

Oceania Cruise – Cradle of History

Nov. 1–14

Israel

Nov. 12–21

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The Promise...and so much more

New vision statement sets stage for Ohio University's future

By Jennifer Bowie, BSJ '94, MS '99

Students who win Emmys, earn nationally competitive internships and manage \$1 million in real investments proclaim: "I am the Promise of Ohio University." These young men and women exemplify how our students discover their potential while doing great things.

Ohio University has defined its own promise with a new vision statement: **Ohio University will be the nation's best transformative learning community** – where students realize potential, faculty advance knowledge, staff achieve excellence and alumni become global leaders.

Endorsed by the Board of Trustees in June, this statement grew from the Vision OHIO strategic plan and fulfills the need for a unifying aim for where that plan will take our university.

"Our vision statement challenges us to create an educational experience that can be considered the nation's best, not just by those of us who love Ohio University and understand its singularity, but also by

those whose business it is to recognize institutions of remarkable achievement," says Ohio University President Roderick J. McDavis, BSEd '70.

Already, Ohio University is recognized by *US News & World Report* as one of the top five universities in the nation for outperforming its predicted six-year graduation rate. That means more Ohio University students achieve a college degree than are expected to when they arrive at college.

"We're already among the best in the nation at this," says President McDavis. "We are clearly providing our students with an environment that nurtures them and surrounds them with opportunities for success. From student services and learning communities to close faculty relationships, our students experience a learning community that fosters academic success. Our vision statement says 'let's build on that'."

For alumni and students, this vision evokes the personal journey that is an Ohio University education: the academics and classes, the skills and training, the

exposure to new things, the relationships with faculty and peers and the life lessons learned that make Ohio University and its alumni special.

"The emotional development, the mental development. I just don't know that you can get that anywhere else, because Ohio University is a really unique place to learn," says Ohio University Student Trustee Chauncey Jackson, BA '10, MBA '12. "I wish everyone could have this opportunity."

The transformative learning community may be unique to each individual; but the influence has been, and will continue to be, universal.

For more information on Vision OHIO, visit: www.ohio.edu/vision.

To see The Promise campaign, visit: www.ohio.edu/promise.

Ohio University will be the nation's best transformative learning community

The Foundation Board's summer meeting took place in the Windy City from July 22-24.

MEETING HIGHLIGHTS:

- The selection of the 2010 recipients of the 1804 Fund Award — an internal grant program funded through a generous gift from the estate of C. Paul Stocker, BSEE '26, in 1979, the 1804 Fund supports faculty research and graduate studies as well as undergraduate learning.
- The awarding of The Women in Philanthropy Leona H. Hughes Inspiration Award to Jeanette Grasselli Brown BS '50, DS '78, for her years of dedicated service to Ohio University.
- Trustee Frank Krasovec, BBA '65, MBA '66, presiding over his final meeting as Board Chair, a position he has held since 2007.



President Roderick J. McDavis, BSEd '70, meets Chicago Alumni Chapter leaders.



(above left) Trustee Byron Ward, BBA '89, enjoys the gathering with Chicago-area alumni.



(left to right) Trustee David Pidwell, BSEE '69, MS '70, his wife Tina, Trustee Frank Krasovec, BBA '65, MBA '66, and his wife Margaret commemorate Frank's final meeting as Foundation Board Chair.

Board welcomes new members

The Ohio University Alumni Association welcomed five new members to the Board of Directors in July. The new Directors will serve four-year terms until 2014, working in an advisory capacity on behalf of the 200,000 alumni of Ohio University.

The Fall Homecoming meeting in October marks their first meeting of the 2010-2011 year. Over three days in Athens, the Directors will weigh in on the business of the Association during committee meetings, host events such as the Alumni Awards Gala, and mingle with alumni during the Homecoming game against Akron.

In the last year, the Board of Directors established a Legacy Scholarship to recognize the dedication of families with multigenerational Bobcats. In the coming year, the Board will work to grow the endowment in order to increase the number of available scholarships. To read about the first recipient of the Legacy Scholarship, see the story about Laura Risaliti on page 3. To learn more about the Directors, or to nominate alumni for consideration to the Board, visit www.ohioalumni.org.



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Alumni Association Homecoming Events

FRIDAY, OCT. 15

- 5:30 p.m. Alumni Awards Gala
- 6:00 p.m. Hayride and BBQ

SATURDAY, OCT. 16

- 9:00 a.m. Coffee Hour
- 10:00 a.m. Parade
with Alumni Awardees Trolley
- 11:00 a.m. Bobcat Bash
- 2:00 p.m. OHIO vs. Akron
Alumni Awardees will be announced between quarters; Alumni Marching Band will perform at halftime!
- 7:00 p.m. Hayride

For more information visit ohioalumni.org/homecoming

APRIL 2011 • Athens
Spring Alumni Weekend

As class sizes have grown in recent decades, students now identify more with other members of their college, rather than their graduating year. To reflect this, there will be milestone reunions as well as college reunions at the Spring Alumni Weekend. "It's a celebration—an opportunity to connect," said Cristie Gryszka, Director of Reunions, Special Programs and Alumni Education.

On the first weekend in April 2011, graduates of 1986 (25th anniversary), 2001 (10th anniversary) and 2006-2010 will have the opportunity to visit their alma mater and classmates at the same time as all graduates of the colleges of Business, Health and Human Services and Osteopathic Medicine.

The Alumni Association is collaborating with various colleges, student groups and local businesses to create a weekend program filled with events. The inaugural 2011 weekend will set the pace for reunions in 2012 and 2013. Events are being finalized to potentially include:

Thursday, March 31: Alumni can help current students network and talk about life after graduation at the Student Alumni Board Bobcat2Bobcat Panel.

In the evening, uptown businesses will play host to

returning Bobcats, who can relax and catch up with former classmates.

Friday, April 1: Planned morning and afternoon activities will consist of "One Day U"—a series of Alumni Education lectures on a wide variety of topics tailored to the colleges hosting reunions that year yet appealing to all graduates.

One Day U has a "Final Exam"—an all-alumni dinner in Baker University Center Ballroom. Class photos will be taken, and plans for entertainment include a karaoke fundraiser.

Saturday, April 2: Planned events may include golf tournaments, campus tours and beer tastings along with the annual Green & White Game preceded by Bobcat tailgating.

There will be a ceremony for Bobcats who met that special someone while on campus or are currently married to a fellow Bobcat, during the **OH, I DO** vow renewal ceremony, taking place at 18:04.

The weekend was coordinated to not coincide with undergraduates' final exams, enabling current students to connect with alumni.

For more information, contact Cristie Gryszka at gryszka@ohio.edu or 740-593-4300.

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OHIO FOOTBALL

Chapters to host new 2010 Bobcat Bashes

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WWW.OHIOALUMNI.ORG/GAME-WATCHES1

Football season is fast approaching and local alumni chapters are ready to host two proud OHIO traditions: Bobcat Bashes and Game Watches. Alumni chapters will host Bashes at three upcoming games: Eastern Michigan, Miami and Temple.

The Toledo Chapter will host the Eastern Michigan game on Oct. 2 in Ypsilanti, Mich.; the Cincinnati and Dayton Chapters will jointly host the Miami game on Oct. 23 in Oxford; and the Philadelphia Chapter will host the Temple game on Nov. 15 in Philadelphia. Each Bash will start two hours prior to game time and your ticket will include food and beverages. Always popular, more than 100 fans have been known to attend the Bashes.

"It's a good boost for the chapter," said Dawn Werry, Assistant Director of Regional Programming. "The high energy and good spirits provide a great opportunity for alumni to get involved in their local chapters."

There will be raffles and giveaways, where attendees can win autographed gear and memorabilia. The OHIO cheerleading team will make a visit to each Bash to pep the crowd before kickoff.

For more information, go to bobcatbash.org, contact Dawn Werry at werryd@ohio.edu or call 740-593-4300.



2010 OHIO FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME
Sat.	Sept. 4	vs. Wofford	Athens, Ohio	7:00 p.m. ET
Sat.	Sept. 11	vs. Toledo	Athens, Ohio	7:00 p.m. ET
Sat.	Sept. 18	at Ohio State	Columbus, Ohio	12:00 p.m. ET
Sat.	Sept. 25	at Marshall	Huntington, W. Va.	7:00 p.m. ET
* Sat.	Oct. 2	at Eastern Michigan	Ypsilanti, Mich.	12:00 p.m. ET
Sat.	Oct. 9	vs. Bowling Green (Parent's Weekend)	Athens, Ohio	2:00 p.m. ET
Sat.	Oct. 16	vs. Akron (Homecoming)	Athens, Ohio	2:00 p.m. ET
* Sat.	Oct. 23	at Miami (OH)	Oxford, Ohio	1:00 p.m. ET
Sat.	Oct. 30	vs. University of Louisiana	Athens, Ohio	2:00 p.m. ET
Thurs.	Nov. 4	vs. Buffalo	Athens, Ohio	7:30 p.m. ET
* Tue.	Nov. 16	at Temple	Philadelphia, Pa.	8:00 p.m. ET
Fri.	Nov. 26	at Kent State	Kent, Ohio	2:00 p.m. ET

* Pre-game Bobcat Bashes
Home games are in bold. Game times are subject to change.

Events Calendar

What's happening for alumni and where

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT 'EVENTS CALENDAR' AT WWW.OHIOALUMNI.ORG

>> CENTRAL OHIO

Sept. 16 • Central Ohio Alumni Challenge (OHIO vs. OSU): Food Drive for the Mid-Ohio Food Bank Park Street Patio 533 Park St., Arena District Columbus, 6-10 p.m. Happy Hour Party awarded for most alumni and for most food items donated. For more information, visit ohioalumni.org/ohio-osu

Sept. 17 • Central Ohio OHIO vs. OSU Pre-Game Jam Lodge Bar 165 Vine St., Columbus, 5:30-10 p.m. \$5/person includes drink specials, entertainment, give-a-ways, and commemorative mug. For more information, visit ohioalumni.org/ohio-osu

Sept. 18 • Alumni Association OHIO vs. OSU Bobcat Bash Harrison House Apartments, 222 W. Lane Ave., Columbus, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. \$50 per person includes UNLIMITED food and beverages along with live music. \$75 day of event. For more information, visit ohioalumni.org/ohio-osu

Oct. 7 • Central Ohio Alumni Dinner with David Wilhelm LaScala Restaurant and Martini Lounge, 4199 W. Dublin-Granville Rd., Dublin, 5:30-8 p.m. Register at www.ohioalumni.org by Sept. 29. For more information, contact Marilyn Allen at mrsecond@yahoo.com or 614-299-4841.

Nov. 5 • Central Ohio Alumni Chili Cookoff Lodge Bar, 165 Vine St., Columbus, 6-10 p.m. Bring your best ingredients and your taste buds! Cost is \$5 per person. All cooks will need to RSVP by Oct. 29 to Matt Latham at 614-327-3514 or gigamatt@gmail.com

>> NORTHEAST OHIO

Sept. 10 • Akron Association of Women Hiking Goodyear Metro Park, Fairlawn, 10-11:30 a.m. For more information, contact Carolyn Narotsky at 330-867-3544 or reenie52@hotmail.com

Sept. 18 • Greater Cleveland OHIO vs. OSU Game Watch Harry Buffalo, 18605 Detroit Ave., Lakewood, 11 a.m. For more information, contact Amy Hollis at president@clevelandbobcats.com or 440-220-2837.

Sept. 23 • Akron Association of Women Meet and Greet for Akron/Canton OU Women Akron Women's City Club, 732 W. Exchange St., Akron, 7-8:30 p.m. Cost is \$8 per person. For more information or to RSVP, contact Maureen Ziegler at 330-666-1387 or reenie52@hotmail.com

Sept. 25 • Greater Cleveland The Carter Nedley Golf Classic Black Brook Golf Course, 8900 Lake Shore Blvd., Mentor, 12-5 p.m. Golf to raise money for AML. For more information, contact Jason Nedley at 440-725-5118 or jason@carternedley.org

Nov. 6 • Ohio University Women's Club of Greater Cleveland "Mimosa" Brunch and Auction Barrington Golf Club, 350 N. Aurora Rd., Aurora, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Cost is \$30 per person. RSVP by Nov. 1 to Aubrey Strippy at 440-821-4318 or aubrey.gladys@raymondjames.com

Nov. 6 • Akron Association of Women Nite at the Races and Auction Hilton Inn Akron, 3180 W. Market St., Fairlawn, 7-10 p.m. Cost is \$35 per person includes appetizers and betting money. RSVP by Oct. 29 to Valerie Bittner at 330-697-1758 or VJBSGC@neohio.twcbc.com

>> NORTHWEST OHIO

Sept. 9 • Greater Toledo September Social Hour Sports Venue, 7625 Sylvania Ave., Sylvania, 5:30-8 p.m. For more information, contact Laurie Mitchell at toledobobcats@gmail.com or Kevin Clingaman at 419-367-0018.

Oct. 2 • Greater Toledo OHIO vs. Eastern Michigan Bobcat Bash Ypsilanti, Mich. Tailgate with food and OHIO giveaways before the Bobcats take on the Eagles. Register at www.ohioalumni.org/. For more information, contact Dawn Werry at werryd@ohio.edu

Oct. 3 • Greater Toledo Walk to Defeat ALS 5800 Park Center Ct. St. C, Toledo, 12-3 p.m. 7th Annual Toledo Walk to Defeat ALS. Check-in begins at noon, and the walk starts at 1 p.m. 2.5 mile-long walk. Food and festivities provided after. Register today at www.alsaohio.org/ For more information, contact Kevin Clingaman at kjcoh@hotmail.com or 419-693-9432.

Nov. 11 • Greater Toledo November Social Hour Blarney's Irish Pub, 601 Monroe St., Toledo, 5:30-8 p.m. For more information, contact Laurie Mitchell at toledobobcats@gmail.com or Kevin Clingaman at 419-367-0018.

>> SOUTHEAST OHIO

Oct. 9 - Cheerleader and Mascot Society Alumni Cheerleader and Mascot Weekend Peden Stadium, Athens, 12-11 p.m. For more information, contact Christy Wyatt at christywyatt@comcast.net

Oct. 11-17 • Ohio University Homecoming Week 2010 "Let the Games Begin" For more information on this university-wide event visit www.ohio.edu/homecoming. Details for Alumni Association events on page 5 and visit www.ohioalumni.org/homecoming

Oct. 15-16 • Russ College of Engineering and Technology 75th Anniversary and Homecoming Celebration Athens. *Fri. 10/15*—see the new facilities and reconnect with alumni; *Sat. 10/16*—enjoy various Homecoming events. For more information, contact Colleen Carow at carow@ohio.edu

>> SOUTHWEST OHIO

Oct. 23 • Dayton and Cincinnati OHIO vs. Miami of Ohio Bobcat Bash "Tailgate Town" Yeager Stadium, Miami. Tailgate before the Bobcats take on the Redhawks with food and OHIO giveaways. Register at www.ohioalumni.org/. For more information, contact Dawn Werry at werryd@ohio.edu

>> MIDWEST U.S.

Sept. 18 • St. Louis OHIO vs. OSU Game Watch Ballwin Buffalo Wild Wings, 15240 Manchester Rd., St. Louis, 11 a.m. No cost associated; pay as you go. For more information, contact Lanna Swindler at gswindler@charter.net or 314-909-0804.

>> NORTHEAST US

Sept. 18 • Massachusetts Serving New England OHIO vs. OSU Game Watch Game On!, 82 Lansdowne St., Boston 11:30 a.m. For more information, contact Dave Abram at dabram@parksite.com or 617-913-5329.

Oct. 23 • Massachusetts Serving New England Halloween Party Comes to New England Location TBD, 7-11 p.m. \$10 per person. Bringing the traditional Halloween party on Court Street to New England. Please RSVP by Oct. 16 to Dave Abram at 617-913-5329 or dabram@parksite.com

Nov. 16 • Philadelphia OHIO vs. Temple Bobcat Bash Philadelphia. Tailgate before the Bobcats take on the Owls with food and OHIO giveaways. Register at www.ohioalumni.org/. For more information, contact Dawn Werry at werryd@ohio.edu

>> SOUTHEAST U.S.

Sept. 18 • Nation's Capital OHIO vs. OSU Game Watch Penn Quarter Sports Tavern, 639 Indiana Ave., NW, Washington, D.C., 12 p.m. No cost associated, pay as you go. For more information, contact Wes Bornhorst at 703-401-0815 or wbornhorst@gmail.com

Sept. 18 • Greater Raleigh-Durham OHIO vs. OSU Game Watch Tobacco Road Sports Café, 222 Glenwood Ave., Raleigh, 12-3 p.m. For more information, contact Mike Whitman at 919-520-3582 or trianglebobcats@gmail.com

Sept. 18 • South Florida OHIO vs. OSU Game Watch Spazios, 239 S. Fort Lauderdale Beach Blvd., Fort Lauderdale, 11 p.m. For more information, contact Chris Hunter at christopher.hunter@nfn.com or 740-707-2510.

Sept. 18 • Tampa Bay Bobcats OHIO vs. OSU Game Watch Pete and Shorty's, 2820 Gulf to Bay Blvd., Clearwater. Bar opens at 11 a.m.; reserved room seats 30 people; come early for good seats. For more information, contact Megan Gerbick at 727-365-9541 or megangerbick@yahoo.com

Sept. 18 • Greater Charlotte OHIO vs. OSU Game Watch Stike City, 210 East Trade St., Charlotte, 12 p.m. For more information, please contact TJ Simonik at 704-576-1219 or oucharlotte@yahoo.com

Oct. 2 • Tampa Bay Bobcats 2010 Race for the Cure Vinoy Park, 501 5th Ave. NE, St. Petersburg, 7 a.m. Team registration by Sept. 15. Instructions on the event calendar at www.ohioalumni.org/. For more information, contact Megan Gerbick at 727-365-9541.

Oct. 30 • Greater Charlotte 1st Annual All-Ohio Golf Outing Olde Sycamore Golf Plantation, 8 a.m., Registration at 8 a.m. Cost is \$300 a team or \$75 per person. For more information, contact TJ Simonik at 704-576-1219 or oucharlotte@yahoo.com

Nov. 4 • Nation's Capital OHIO vs. Buffalo Game Watch Penn Quarter Sports Tavern, 639 Indiana Ave., NW Washington, D.C., 7-10 p.m. For more information, contact Wes Bornhorst at 703-401-0815 or wbornhorst@gmail.com

Nov. 4 • Greater Raleigh-Durham OHIO vs. Buffalo Game Watch Tobacco Road Sports Café, 222 Glenwood Ave., Raleigh, 7:30-10 p.m. For more information, contact Mike Whitman at 919-520-3582 or trianglebobcats@gmail.com

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Societies & Reunions

Oct. 1-3 • College of Education Weekend Athens

Oct. 9 • Alumni Cheerleading and Mascot Weekend Athens

Oct. 15-16 • Russ College of Engineering and Technology 75th Anniversary and Homecoming Celebration Athens

Oct. 15-16 • Marching Band Society of Alumni of Friends Weekend Athens

Oct. 15-16 • WOUB Alumni Homecoming-Reunion Weekend Athens

Oct. 23-27 • American College of Osteopathic Internists & Annual Clinical Assembly of Osteopathic Surgeons San Francisco

May 20-22, 2011 • Phi Kappa Tau 100th Celebration Athens

March 31-April 3, 2011 • Spring Alumni Weekend Athens

July 14-17, 2011 • Alumni College and Golden Weekend Athens

Summer 2011 • "R/E Union" Residential College of Ohio University Athens

Nov. 6 • Greater Raleigh-Durham Carolina Brewing Company Tour 140 Thomas Mill Rd., Holly Springs, N.C., 1-3 p.m. Guided tour of the Carolina Brewing Company with tastings prior to/after tour. No cost associated. Must be 21 years old to participate. For more information, contact Mike Whitman at 919-520-3582 or trianglebobcats@gmail.com

Nov. 16 • Greater Raleigh-Durham OHIO vs. Temple Game Watch Tobacco Road Sports Café, 222 Glenwood Ave., Raleigh, 8-11 p.m. For more information, contact Mike Whitman at 919-520-3582 or trianglebobcats@gmail.com

Dec. 3 • Nation's Capital MAC Championship Football Game Watch Penn Quarter Sports Tavern, 639 Indiana Ave., NW Washington, D.C., 7-10 p.m. For more information, contact Wes Bornhorst at 703-401-0815 or wbornhorst@gmail.com

Dec. 4 • Sarasota 40th Annual Holiday Luncheon The Field Club, 1400 Field Rd., Sarasota, Fla., 11:30 a.m. For more information, contact Dawn Werry at 740-593-4300 or werryd@ohio.edu.

>> SOUTHWEST U.S.

Sept. 25 • San Diego Bobcats Cincinnati Reds and San Diego Padres Tailgate and Game Watch The Lofts, 677 7th Ave., San Diego. Pre-game tailgate, 3 p.m.; game following at Petco Park. Tickets are \$20 per person, includes food, beverages and game ticket. RSVP by Sept. 11 to Anne-Marie Rabago at annemarie.rabago@yahoo.com

Nov. 25-28 • Alumni Association Las Vegas Invitational Weekend Getaway Orleans Hotel, Las Vegas. Weekend package includes 4-day, 3-night hotel stay, 2-day basketball tournament tickets and pre-game gatherings. For more information, visit bobcattravel.org



Alumni College is an OHIO flashback



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Alumni from all corners of the globe descended on Athens July 15-18 for Alumni College, an annual event that allows graduates to relive their college days over the course of a single, fun-filled weekend.

This year's Alumni College was quite successful, said Cristie Gryszka, Director of Reunions, Special Programs and Alumni Education. "We incorporated some new things, which really made the class bond."

The weekend began Thursday afternoon in Baker Center with "True Colors," a workshop hosted by Kevin Smith, Interim Assistant Director of Leadership. The goal of "True Colors" is to foster positive, healthy and productive personal development by helping participants use colors to identify their personality and behavioral styles.

Thursday evening, visiting graduates had the chance to dine together and get to know their fellow alumni across many different graduating years.

Throughout the rest of the weekend, the "students" had the opportunity to attend a variety of classes taught

by some of OHIO's best professors. With topics as diverse as "Nanoscience," "Southeast Ohio's Edible Plants" and "Race and Racism," the event offered relevant and thought-provoking subjects for attendees.

During breaks in the program, attendees were encouraged to enjoy Ohio Brew Week in Athens. Microbrews from all over the region became the perfect accompaniment to the barbeque, ice cream and other treats offered by Athens vendors.

Entertainment Saturday evening included the screening of "Trailerpark," a film recently produced by OHIO students. Several students involved in writing and filming the movie were present afterward to field questions.

The weekend concluded with a faux graduation ceremony at the Ohio University Inn, where alumni were presented with a framed "Certificate of Completion" and joined in a class photo.

Join us for the 2011 Alumni College and Golden Weekend, July 14-17.

Golden Reunion commemorates 50 years of Bobcat pride

In mid-July, graduates of 1960 had the opportunity to return to campus to celebrate their Golden Reunion.

These honored alumni are still making their mark at OHIO 50 years later, as they were inducted into the Golden Alumni Society on Friday, July 16.

The event was arranged to coincide with a number of exciting Athens events: Alumni College, Ohio Brew Week and Boogie on the Bricks.

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The 2011 Alumni College and Golden Weekend on July 14-17, 2011, will honor the class of 1961. We encourage alumni from 1960 and beyond to begin attending as an annual tradition.



Class of 1960 graduates reunite, rekindle friendships and celebrate their OHIO bond.

RECENT CHAPTER AND SOCIETY EVENTS



MASSACHUSETTS SERVING NEW ENGLAND CHAPTER

Dave Abram, President of the Massachusetts Serving New England Chapter and Amanda Smith, Assistant Director, Student and Young Alumni Programs, whip up batches of craft-brewed beer for a Chapter fundraising initiative to benefit the Singing Men of Ohio

CD recording fund. The two beers, named "College Green Summer Dreams" and "Rufus Amber Ale" will be given to Chapter members that make donations to support the fundraising initiative at Chapter events throughout the summer.

PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER

On May 22, Philadelphia Chapter members celebrated their award as the Alumni Association's 2010 Best New Chapter with an OHIO Philly Fest that featured a cookout, yard games and raffle prizes. The Fest was hosted at the home of Kristin Gordon '97.

For more information, click 'Get Involved' at www.ohioalumni.org

THE POST ALUMNI SOCIETY

The Post Alumni Society's fourth-annual reunion brought nearly 30 alumni to Athens in May to join forces with about as many students. Saturday afternoon's programming included: a buffet lunch in Scripps Amphitheater; speaker Matt Zapotosky, a *Washington Post* reporter; panel discussions on journalism career topics; and one-on-one alumni-student mentoring sessions. Plenty of time was left open for enjoying campus and uptown during the gorgeous spring weekend.

To find out more about the reunion and to join *The Post* Alumni Society's mailing list, contact Brittany Kress, BSJ '07 at bmkress@gmail.com.

REGIONAL CAMPUSES SELECT AWARD RECIPIENTS

For the first time, each of the five OHIO regional campuses honored an alumnus or friend of the university at this year's Commencement ceremonies.

"We thought it was appropriate to recognize alumni who have been making a difference on the regional campuses," said Graham Stewart, Executive Director of the Ohio University Alumni Association. "Our office worked with the deans at the regional campuses to facilitate an award process. The outcome has been a huge success, and we look forward to continuing that tradition for years to come."

James W. Lungo, BSED '63, MED '64, was the inaugural recipient of the Rich Bebee Alumni Leadership Award from Chillicothe campus. Lungo, who attended OU-C when it only offered evening classes, has worked in education for 30 years, innovating ways to incorporate media into classroom lessons.

The Eastern campus selected **Dr. Dama C. Burkhardt** for the Austin C. Furbee Award due to her work to increase access to higher education for Monroe County residents, especially women. Burkhardt has a long history of involvement in Eastern Ohio, having served on the campus' Regional Coordinating Council for 20 years.

Cathy Bitler, BSC '80, MA '01, former Chair of Lancaster campus' Coordinating Council, was recognized with the Alumni Leadership Award. Bitler has extensive community service experience with the Lancaster Junior Women's Club, who twice named her Woman of the Year.

V. Ann Newman, BBA '94, received the Alumni Leadership Award from OHIO's Southern campus. Newman is a commissioner of the Kentucky Commission on Human Rights as well as a member of the Boyd County NAACP.

OU-Zanesville honored **Thomas M. Lyall** as the recipient of its Alumni Leadership Award. Lyall is very active in the local community, serving as Chair-Elect of the Zanesville-Muskingum County Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors. He has spearheaded an effort to construct an Aquatic/Recreation Center on the Zanesville campus.



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