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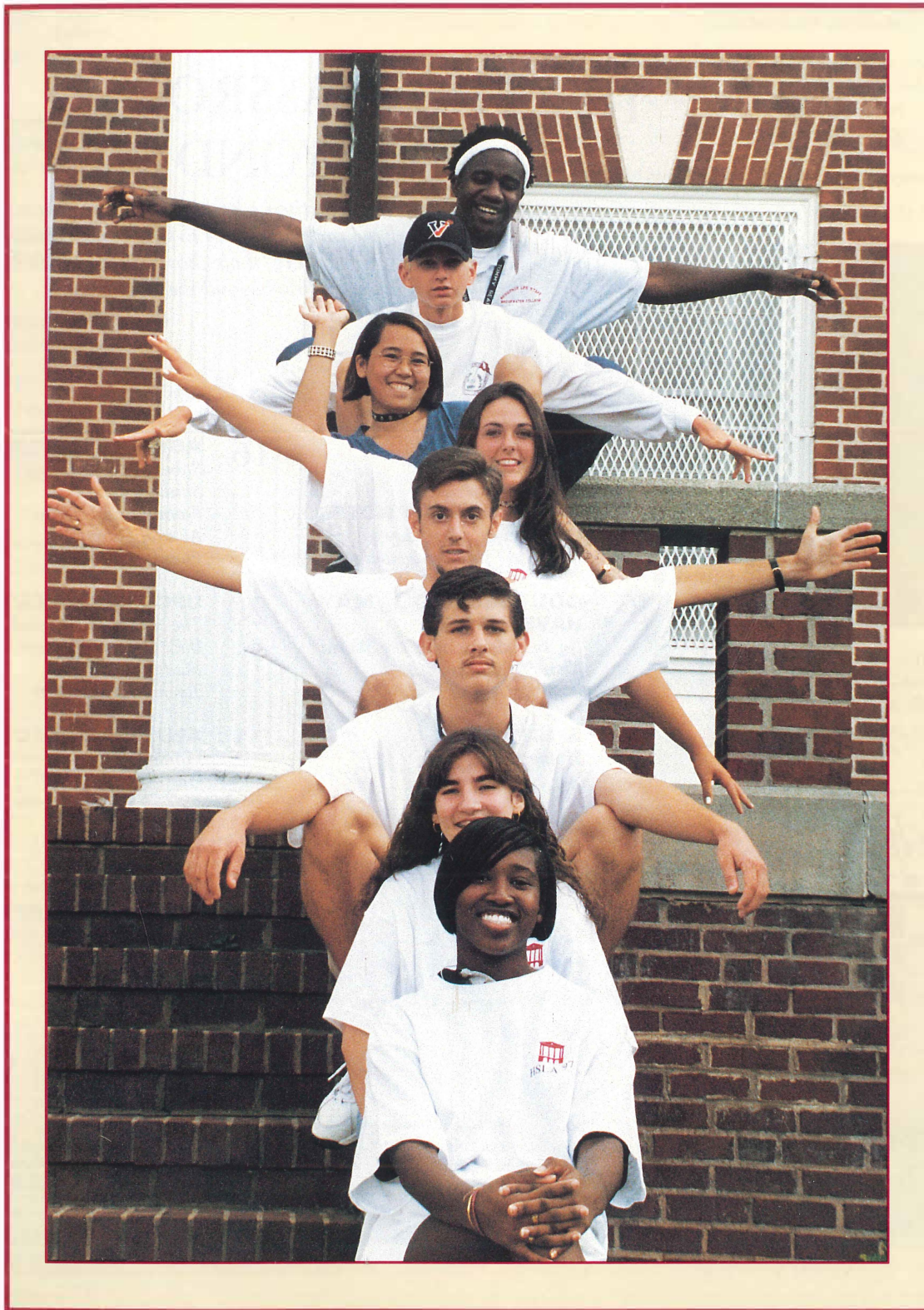
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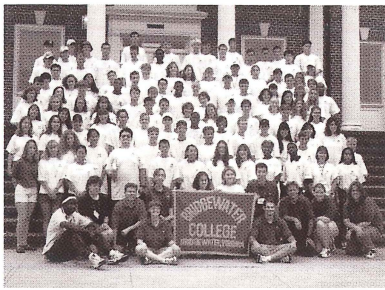
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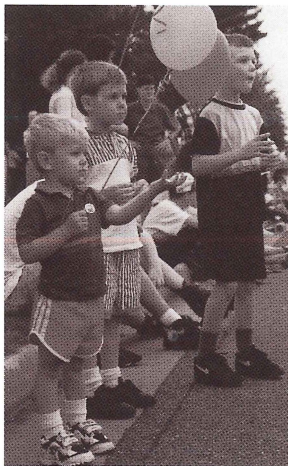
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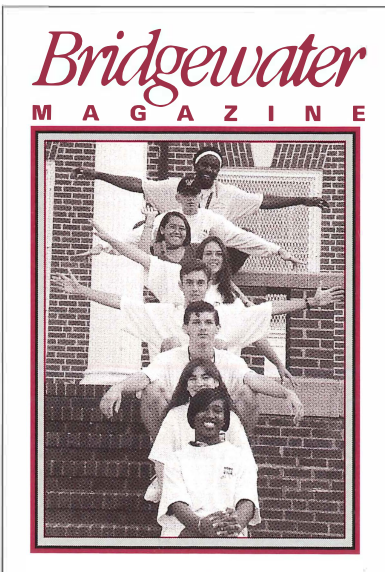




FIRST CLASS — More than 100 High School Leadership Academy students and their B.C. resident counselors gathered on the steps of Blue Ridge Hall for their “class” picture – the first Leadership Academy class ...see cover story on page 2.



CANDY KIDS — These boys watch with anticipation and hopes for more candy, as a float goes past in the 1997 Homecoming parade ...see related photos on pages 9 and 21.



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These High School Leadership Academy students chose to express their creativity and individuality as they posed for their small group picture. Pictured, from top to bottom are Al Mbatta, a Bridgewater College junior and the group’s leader; Ryan Sykora of Columbus Academy, Gahanna, Ohio; Ella Coscolluela of Nutley High School, Nutley, N.J.; Meghan Boyce of Girard High School, Girard, Pa.; Mike Parks of Glen Burnie High School, Glen Burnie, Md.; Jon Hamilton of Parry McCluer High School, Buena Vista, Va.; Jennifer Orne of Lakewood High School, Columbia, S.C.; and Safiya Jafari of Richmond Community High School, Richmond, Va.

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T H E F I R S T W O R D

Looking for a boost in your OQ (optimism quotient)?

You should have visited the High School Leadership Academy at Bridgewater College in August.

The high school juniors who spent almost a week here were impressive by anyone's standards.

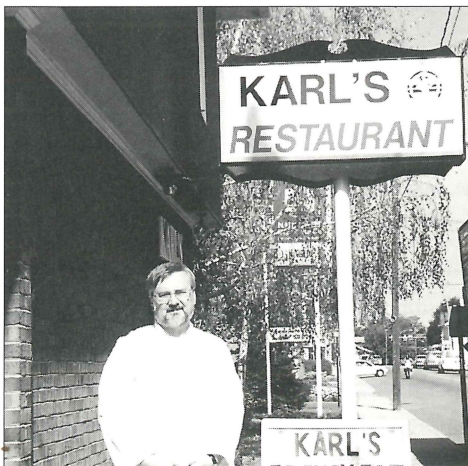
They were poised, outgoing, considerate. They made friends easily and adapted almost effortlessly in what was, for most of them, an unfamiliar environment.

They were active and fun-loving — and bright.

Bridgewater College students, serving as resident counselors, were just as extraordinary, gaining valuable experience in leadership and group dynamics.

The mix of high school juniors and college students brought out the best in both groups. For the faculty of the academy and those of us observing from the sidelines, the experience revitalized our appreciation of young people and sent our OQs soaring.

Ellen



An Update...

In the Summer issue of *Bridgewater*, in the "Main Street Bridgewater" story, was a brief mention that "Woody's has closed." Well, what used to be Woody's Restaurant is now Karl's Restaurant — with a familiar face greeting diners and preparing tasty meals. Karl Kwolek, long-time food service manager at the College, opened Karl's in August and is enjoying serving many of the same people he once fed at the College — just not all at once.

Leaders *of the* Future

High School Leadership Academy
Bridgewater College

A salary of \$86,400 a day!
Live in beautiful San Diego!

Just one stipulation – every dollar has to be spent every day.

Dr. Judith Sweet, director of athletics at the University of California at San Diego, brought a lecture hall full of high school juniors to rapt attention with that job offer.

The students, the first class to attend Bridgewater College's High School Leadership Academy, were on campus for five days in August to learn about ethical leadership. Dr. Sweet, the keynote speaker, used the example of a huge daily salary – with no opportunity for banking or saving – to illustrate every student's real wealth: time.

Each day offers opportunity in the form of 86,400 seconds, she said, and not one of those seconds can be banked for future use.

Dr. Sweet, the first woman to chair the National Collegiate Athletic Association, continued that “with leadership goes responsibility,” including the responsibility for effective use of time. “Think through your every action for its potential,” she encouraged the students.

Representing 10 states (Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South

Carolina, Tennessee,

Virginia and West Vir-

ginia), the 105 students

were identified as po-

tential leaders and

nominated for the ex-

penses-paid academy by

their high schools. Each

nominee submitted a

brief essay on an ad-

mired 20th Century

leader; the selection

committee chose par-

ticipants from a broad

range of nearly 90

schools, both public and

private, from urban,

suburban and rural set-

tings.

They lived in the

residence halls, partici-

ated in small groups

led by Bridgewater Col-

lege students, attended

lectures and workshops, prepared skits for a talent show and flung themselves enthusiastically into team-building and problem-solving exercises.

Dr. Daniel M. Spitzer Jr., professor of business administration and director of the Bridgewater College Leadership Institute, organized the academy as a way to give young leaders a boost they can put to use immediately in their home schools and communities.

Topics included everything from planning and



ADVICE — Dr. Judith Sweet speaks with one of the High School Leadership Academy participants following her keynote address.

goal-setting to persuasion and motivation to effective, ethical communications.

Guest leaders, in addition to Dr. Sweet, included Brigadier General Thomas Jones of the U.S. Marine Corps and Susan Shipley, associate director of the Madison Leadership Center at James Madison University. Bridgewater faculty and staff who led sessions of the academy included James H. Benson, executive assistant to the president; Michael Clark, head football coach; Dr. Jeff Pierson, assistant professor of English and director of forensics; Dr. Spitzer; W. Steve Watson, associate professor of philosophy and religion; and Dr. Lee M. Yoder, dean for academic affairs.

The emphasis on ethics was not lost on the students.

One noted at the end of the academy: "I realized that even in New Jersey, Ohio, North Carolina and Virginia that we all pretty much have the same problems...and at least someone else has the same good morals and ethics I possess."

Another summed up the week by saying, "This week pretty much served as a self-enlightenment. I learned a lot about myself, and I realized that there's

more to being a leader than just taking control and bossing people around."

Yet another added, "I learned that personally I like to be in control of the group, but I need to learn to step back and follow someone else at times."

Like college students everywhere, the younger students had some complaints—having to go to bed by midnight, having to get up at 7 a.m., too much air-conditioning. And, of course, the food didn't

make everyone's "favorites" list.

Even so, asked on evaluation forms to cite the least enjoyable part of the academy, a common response was "having to leave after only five days."

Several students asked for a reunion in 1998 or at least an invitation to return a second time.

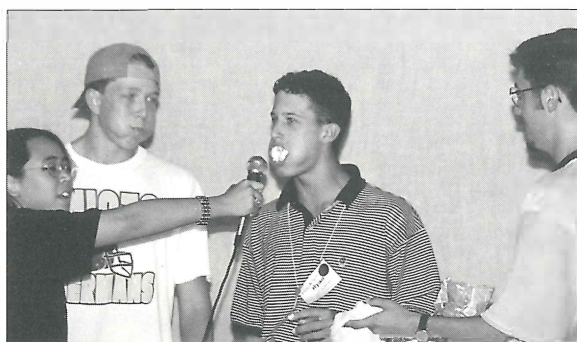
The 1998 academy is tentatively scheduled for the first week in August. Additional information about the Bridgewater College

Leadership Institute is available on the World Wide Web at <http://www.bridgewater.edu/leadership/>.

■ — Ellen K. Layman



TOGETHERNESS — HSLA Resident Counselor Tonya Walker, a Bridgewater junior, wraps her team in plastic wrap for a team building exercise conducted by guest lecturer Susan Shipley. The teams then had to get from start to finish as fast as they could without breaking the plastic.



MARSHMALLOW MOUTH — A student tries to repeat "I am a chubby bunny" while marshmallows are stuffed in his mouth during the HSLA talent show. Most teams opted to act out a skit, but this team showed real creativity, devising a game that involved members of other teams.

Back to School...

The opening of the 1997-98 academic year marks the first year in which all the students — freshmen through seniors — have studied under the leadership of Dr. Phillip C. Stone, who became president of Bridgewater College on Aug. 1, 1994.

A third straight year of enrollment growth has pushed Bridgewater College's full-time enrollment to a record 1,048 students — a 22 percent increase since the fall of 1994. Total enrollment, including part-time students, is 1,069.

The freshman class — the Class of 2001, the first class of the 21st Century — has 344 students. Applications for admission to the Class of 2001 hit 1,046 — breaking the 1,000-applicant mark for the first time in Bridgewater history. Of the remaining students, 296 are classified as sophomores, 224 are juniors and 184 are seniors; 19 students are taking classes but are not seeking degrees; and another two students are graduates returning to complete additional certification requirements.

During the school's opening convocation, President Stone welcomed the students back to campus and emphasized the

necessity for excellence in all areas of life. According to Dr. Stone, the College's motto, "College of Character, Community of Excellence," simply means "we must be good at what we do." Bridgewater College is responding to this call for excellence by adding two new majors to its curriculum, by hiring a new food service, and by providing cable television service to all students.

Two new majors and a new minor are being offered for the first time during the 1997-98 academic year. A major in Managerial Economics and a major and minor in Nutrition and Wellness are being added to Bridgewater's curriculum.

The major in Managerial Economics, a hybrid of economics and business courses, is designed to provide students an opportunity to take advantage of both programs in a convenient, structured and academically-sound way.

The Nutrition and Wellness major and minor are interdisciplinary and interdepartmental course offerings. Increasing interest in physical fitness and wellness has led to new career opportunities for assisting people to acquire a healthy lifestyle through exercise, nutrition and health promotion and to help prevent and/or treat health problems. This major or minor



CARRYING THE COLORS — Junior Al Mbatta (second from left) of Tanzania leads the delegation of foreign students as they line up for the Opening Day Convocation procession. On the far left is Allen Yang of China. On the far right is Tano Gomez of Uruguay and second from right is Abhik Mitra of India.



LONG TIME NO SEE — President Phil Stone welcomes Jill Valentine (right) and Laurie Wiles back to campus during one of the picnics held on the campus mall at the beginning of the fall term.

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PHOTO BY RICH S. VALLASTER

in Nutrition and Wellness will prepare a graduate for an entry level position in private health clubs, physical fitness centers, and corporate and institutional wellness programs. Graduates of this program may sit for exams administered by the American College of Sports Medicines.

PHOTO BY ELLEN K. LAYMAN



ACTION ART — (Left) Prof. Michael J. Hough, the new assistant professor of art, assembles his moving sculpture on the lawn in front of Rebecca Hall as students return to campus on Move-In Day. (Right) The sculpture sits at rest awaiting the next late summer breeze to help it to travel along its "course."

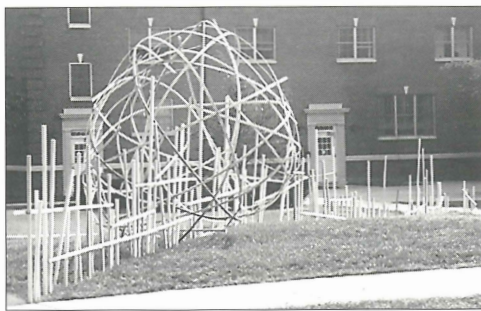


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in sports, theatre, music and debate, but in the intellectual and academic learning that takes place at Bridgewater College.

In closing, Dr. Stone issued an invitation for the campus community to continue to become "what we claim to be — A Community of Excellence."

■ — Mary K. Heatwole

Chartwells, an international college and university food service company, began providing food services on July 17. The new service will provide meals continuously throughout the day in the newly remodeled dining room in the Kline Campus Center.

Bridgewater College also is providing a 47-channel cable television service to all students' residence hall rooms for students providing their own television sets. The cost of the cable service and the monthly fee is included in the college's technology fee, which is part of the student's room and board charge.

President Stone further noted in his convocation address that being a Community of Excellence requires role models. He praised the discipline, commitment and passion of Bridgewater's faculty and noted accomplishments of those who have continued to pursue excellence. He mentioned, as examples, Dr. Edward Huffstetler and Dr. Mwizenge Tembo, who recently have published books; Prof. Ralph MacPhail Jr., internationally known for his research on the works of Gilbert and Sullivan; and Dr. Carole Grove, until recently the chair of the Rockingham County School Board.

Six new professors — Michael J. Hough, assistant professor of art; Richard E. House, assistant professor of music; Gavin R. Lawson, assistant professor of biology; Rodney S. Morris, instructor of education; Alice L. Trupe, assistant professor of English; and Karina Kline-Gabel, instructor in Spanish — have joined the Bridgewater faculty this year as role models for excellence.

President Stone challenged students to pursue excellence in an interactive, participatory community, not only

Freshmen get acquainted with B.C.



WELCOME TO B.C. — Coach Laura Mapp, associate director of athletics, assistant field hockey coach and women's tennis coach, talks with an incoming freshman and her parents during one of the freshman orientation sessions this summer. More than 300 freshmen participated in the three orientation sessions. Sponsored by the Student Development Office, the orientations help freshmen become familiar with the Bridgewater College community and give them the opportunity to meet other students, department representatives and staff, register for classes and get acquainted with campus life.

FACULTY & STAFF NOTES

Dr. Robert B. Andersen, the W. Harold Row Associate Professor of International Studies, presented a paper, "Demilitarization and the Emerging Patterns of Peace and Security in Central America," during a panel on conflict prevention in the Americas at the 10th annual meeting of the Academic Council on the United Nations System held in San Jose, Costa Rica, June 25-27.

Dr. John G. Barr, professor of organ and piano, had his *Partita on Hymn to Joy* published in June under the H.W. Gray Publications "Saint Cecilia Series Organ Compositions" produced by Warner Belwin Publications of Miami. This composition is headed by the dedication "to Phil and Nancy Trout," both members of the Class of 1950. The late Philip Trout was chair of the music department at the time Dr. Barr joined the Bridgewater faculty.

Terry Brooks, assistant football coach, won three titles at the Virginia AAU Championships in June — a feat that included four records and established him as one of Virginia's premier weightlifters.



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100 YEARS YOUNG — *Dr. John W. Boitnott was joined by more than 100 family and friends for his 100th birthday celebration on August 29th. The guests gathered in the College's Boitnott Room, named for this alumnus, former professor, dean, registrar and secretary to the Board of Trustees of Bridgewater College. Dr. Boitnott and his wife Nell live in Bridgewater and are still active in the life of the College he served for so many years.*

Dr. Laura Desportes Echols, assistant professor of psychology, presented a paper, "Predicting Children's Out-of-School Reading," at the International Reading Association conference held in Atlanta on May 6.

Dr. Catherine Elick, associate professor of English, had an essay published on the children's novel *Abel's Island* by William Steig. The essay appears in *Masterplots II: Juvenile and Young Adult Literature Series, Supplement*, and was written as part of Dr. Elick's continuing study of children's fantasies which feature mice as main characters.

Dr. Lanny Holsinger, professor of education, was re-appointed by the Virginia State Board of Education to a second three-year term on the Advisory Board for Teacher Education and Licensure at its July 24 meeting. This board advises the Board of Education on policies applicable to teacher education and licensure of school personnel.

Dr. David C. Huffman, associate professor of economics, published an article, "Unto the Least of These: Faith, Economic Justice and the Brethren," in the Winter 1996 edition of *Brethren Life and Thought*.

Dr. Tom Kinder, director of athletics, was elected as the Division III representative for the South Region (Texas to Virginia) for the NCAA Men's and Women's Tennis Committee.

Ellen K. Layman, director of public information, was installed as president of the Bridgewater Rotary Club at its annual recognition dinner in June. Also at the banquet, Ms. Layman and Gerald E. Fawley Sr., '49, were presented Paul Harris Fellow awards in recognition of services to the club and the community.

Dr. Stephen L. Longenecker, associate professor of history, participated in a panel, "Calvinists in Antebellum America:

Dissenters in the Mainstream," at the conference of the Society for Historians of the Early Republic at Penn State on July 17-20. He also presented a paper, "In and Of the Valley: Presbyterians and the Mainstream."

Dr. Philip O'Mara, associate professor of English, has published *The Franciscan Leader: A Modern Version of the Six Wings of the Seraph, An Anonymous Franciscan Treatise in the Tradition of St. Bonaventure*, a new and revised edition of a work he published in 1978. The introduction to his book, published by Franciscan Institute Publications at St. Bonaventure University in New York, includes an extended discussion of the historical background of the text and why it applies to the layperson rather than to clergy.

Dr. Jeffrey Pierson, assistant professor of communication and director of forensics, was appointed to a second two-year term on the editorial board of *Speaker and Gavel*, a publication of DSR-TKA, the national honor society for forensics and debate. ■ — Mary K. Heatwole

President Phillip C. Stone was honored as a Distinguished Virginian by the Virginia District Exchange Club at its annual convention held June 14 in Staunton, Va. He was honored for his outstanding leadership throughout Virginia and his dedication to service to Virginians of all walks of life. The Harrisonburg Exchange Club nominated Dr. Stone, whom they had previously honored with their Book of Gold Deeds Award, a citation given for extensive community service.

New Staff Join Bridgewater Community

Anne B. Keeler, a certified public accountant, began her duties Aug. 1 as Financial Analyst, a new position on the administrative staff. In this position, she will advise the president on budget, finance and management issues. A graduate of Virginia Tech, Mrs. Keeler received her master's degree in accounting from James Madison University. Until joining the Bridgewater staff, she was agribusiness sales manager at First Union National Bank of Virginia in Harrisonburg.

In the Development Department, a promotion, a move to a new position and two new staff members have filled vacancies left by resignations.

□ **Charles H. Scott**, a 1965 Bridgewater graduate, became Director of Development Aug. 15. Mr. Scott previously was Director of Planned Giving, a role he will continue. Before coming to Bridgewater in May 1996, Mr. Scott was administrator at Sunnyside Presbyterian Retirement Community. He also spent 16 years in the banking industry as vice president and head of the trust department at Valley National Bank; later, at First American Bank of Virginia, he served as senior loan officer and regional executive vice president.

□ **Sally Jane Conner** moved from Director of Annual Fund to Director of Advancement Records, a new position in the development office. Before coming to Bridgewater, Ms. Conner, a 1991 alumna of Bridgewater, had held management positions with TransAmerica Marketing Services in Harrisonburg.

□ **Joi E. Brown** became Director of Grants and Research on Sept. 8. Most recently, Ms. Brown was strategic planner for Craver, Mathews, Smith and Company in Falls Church, Va. She has done prospect research at both Mary Baldwin College and the University of Virginia and also is a member of American Prospect Research Association. She is a graduate of Mary Baldwin College with a B.A. in psychology and earned an M.B.A. from Western Carolina University in Cullowhee, N.C.

□ **Judy E. Williams** joined the staff in September as Director of Annual Fund. Ms. Williams is owner of The Laughing Fox Inn, a bed and breakfast in Mt. Crawford, Va., and also owns Ac'cent Communications, a marketing, sales and public relations business. From 1980-94, she was director of public information for Aldine Independent School District in Houston, where she spearheaded the district's first bond campaign in 20 years, resulting

in the passage of a \$75 million referendum by a margin of 5-1. She received her B.A. degree in journalism and English from the University of Houston.

Mary Sutherland joined the Bridgewater College staff in June as Director of Career Services. She received her B.S. in health education and her M.S. in community health education, both from Virginia Tech. Mrs. Sutherland formerly was a health educator for Arlington Hospital, served as a counselor with the Crisis Pregnancy Center of the New River Valley and was an intern with the Center for Women's Health Education. Mrs. Sutherland's husband Darrell is resident director of Wakeman Hall and also is an assistant football coach.

■ — Mary K. Heatwole



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An Introduction to the World that Speaks Spanish

by Dr. Lynn McGovern-Waite

I had a clear mission when I designed this interterm course, *Introduction to the World that Speaks Spanish* — to dispel the cultural misconceptions that divide groups of people and to foster an appreciation of cultural diversity. My philosophy of education and life commitment emphasizes understanding people's differences and uniqueness, both within our communities as well as on a global level.

This course is about the diversity of the people and cultures that make up the Hispanic world, and about the importance of the past to the present, and how it will shape the future. The European voyages of discovery set into motion unprecedented changes. The challenge in 1492 was to boldly conquer vast unknown worlds and to exploit their riches. Our challenge today is to manage and sustain the gifts of our one, increasingly small world. Using Mexico as a microcosm of the Hispanic world, students in this course examine historical and socio-political events that have contributed to the current complex economic and political crisis Mexico and many other Latin American countries face. The course is designed to help students understand and appreciate our neighbors to the south.

On the first day of class, we journey back to 1492 and examine the political, religious and social climates at the time of Christopher Columbus' expedition that led him to the Western Hemisphere. He established the first European settlements and built the first churches, and the first Christian masses were celebrated here. From this time forward, the world would never be the same, for the great exchange between the two hemispheres had begun.

Hernan Cortes arrived in Vera Cruz, Mexico, in 1519. Like his father before him who had helped conquer the Moors in the name of religion, Cortes destroyed the Aztec empire by 1521. The New World inherited the Mediterranean world, the Spanish language, the Catholic religion, and the authoritarian political tradition. The European encounter with the indigenous people of the New World marks one of the greatest events in human history, a turn of events that heralded the arrival of the modern age.

By the end of the course the class recognizes that these intercultural exchanges have not ceased. Even in Rockingham County there is daily interaction between the Hispanic community and the "Anglo" (for lack of a better word) community. The exchange of ideas and values continues, as do the misunderstandings and misconceptions.

While I was teaching this course in February 1997, the

Immigration and Naturalization Service raided one of the poultry plants in the Shenandoah Valley; numerous Hispanic people suspected of living in the U.S. illegally were detained and some were deported. This gave my class a real-life scenario to examine and an opportunity to address this relevant and complex

issue. The students' opinions of the raid spanned the spectrum. Everyone had to formulate an opinion based on his or her own life experiences and on the current course material. All the information learned from quiz cards, reading exercises, and oral presentations came into play during these discussions. Suddenly, I stopped being the teacher, and the class took on a life of its own. For once there was no "right" answer, and each student was able to express a thoughtful opinion, confident in having examined both sides of the issue. Indeed, the past is so intrinsically linked to the present.

This past year some of the extra-curricular activities included a guest scholar who spoke with the class about her excavations of Mayan ruins on the Yucatan Peninsula, a "Mexican" lunch at a local restaurant, and a day trip to Washington, D.C., to visit the Mexican Cultural Institute, the Organization of American States, the Art Museum of the Americas, and dinner at an authentic

Spanish restaurant.

To me "understanding" is the key to an appreciation of differences, the key to peace. As a Spanish professor, I have broadened my goals from speaking, writing and comprehending the Spanish language to fostering an interest in learning about Hispanic cultures. Clearly, it is not only the grammatical correctness of a written sentence or the excellence of an essay that counts, but rather, it is how the student's perception of a culture and sensitivity to its people has evolved during the learning process. Emphasis on communication among cultures extends beyond reading, writing and talking to include an appreciation of their arts, superstitions, traditions, ceremonies, and all forms of non-verbal expression. "Spanish" is a whole range of human experience, not just a language.



Associate Professor of Spanish, Lynn McGovern-Waite, demonstrates a Mexican puppet, just one of the many mementoes that she has collected during her numerous trips to Mexico. The artwork on the wall represents Don Quixote, the title character of Cervantes' famous novel.

PHOTO BY ROBERT A. W. BERYLLY

STUDENT LIFE

THE COURT — (left to right) Grant Smith, Toviah Morris, Kevin Fee, Alison Flory, Greg Chester, queen Renee Luers, Christian Saunders, Jenny Shook, Christian Obenshain, and Karen Hollinger



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CROWNING TOUCH— President Phil Stone places the crown on queen Renee Luers' head as crown bearer Samuel Baron eagerly watches.



TRAVELING TROMBONES (above)—The Screaming Eagle Pep Band performs for parade watchers. **CLOWN TRIO** (below) — Seniors (left to right) Karen Monger, Heather Howdyshell and Jennifer Mattice



per-sonify this year's Homecoming theme — "Color t h e World."

CARRYING A TORCH — Students ignite the bonfire at the pep rally held Friday evening.



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The Classroom and Beyond...

Summer vacations are usually filled with family picnics, trips to far off lands, and of course the summer job! For some students, the classroom

experience is extended to the workplace. For these students, this past summer gave them valuable expertise in their field and memories to cherish...

Von Lewis

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Von Lewis wants to coach. And he loves kids.

So, it was a natural for him to spend the summer in a recreational program in Richmond, Va., sponsored by the First Mennonite Church.

For two months, he supervised soccer, street hockey, basketball, pool, crafts, swimming and trips to the minor league Richmond Braves' baseball games. His youngest charges were 3; his oldest, young adults. Drawing mostly from three apartment complexes that surround the church, the program offers neighborhood youngsters a chance to escape the potential for violence on the city's streets.

Some of the teenagers showed up with cellular phones and beepers; others attempted to test the authority of a 22-year-old from decidedly more rural Christiansburg, Va. "It was a good experience. Maybe I'm more patient now," Von says, reflecting on the summer. "Getting to know the kids was pretty cool."



PLAY HARD - Von Lewis plays basketball with Richmond, Va., inner-city youth.

"I tried to be a role model. I think they looked up to me. We talked about going to college — and some of them want to go to college, to play football. One wants to be an engineer." Leaving Richmond to return to campus for preseason football practice triggered some sad good-byes, some pleas for Von to return to visit.

He learned about the position through Dr. Mary Frances Heishman ('66), professor of physical education, whose brother-in-law and sister, Wes and Jane Heishman Hare (both '56), work in the Mennonite Church's neighborhood programs in Richmond. A year earlier, another Bridgewater alumna, Cindy Pearson ('96), directed the summer recreation program.

Von will complete his degree in health and physical education during this fall term. He hopes to land a coaching job and stay close to Bridgewater, perhaps to help coach the track and field teams on which he earned All-America honors as a high jumper.

Asked if he'd recommend the summer job to a friend, Von at first looked disappointed, then admitted that he would, but "really, I'd like to do it again."

- Ellen Layman

Willie Grayson

Willie Grayson spent his summer with rats. Working in the psychology lab in Bowman Hall on Bridgewater's campus, Willie conducted an experiment involving an experimental drug and its effects on 23 rats.

Willie "wanted to see what lab work was like" and was very interested in the project when

his major advisor, Dr. R. Terry Weathersby, approached him about it last spring. Willie was one of 20 individuals representing 14 VFIC (Virginia Federation for Independent Colleges) institutions, and the only one from Bridgewater, awarded a VFIC Minority Student Summer Research Grant from the Jessie Ball duPont Fund.

The basis of the experiment was to determine if rats could learn to discriminate the effects of an experimental drug, (LY228729), and the absence of those effects when saline was administered instead of the drug. The rats were daily given one injection of either the drug or saline and then placed in a test chamber. Their discrimination of the

drug's effects was determined by their ability to select the appropriate lever to retrieve water depending on whether they were given LY228729 or saline. During Willie's work, the rats had begun discriminating the effects, but the results were still not sufficient to meet the 80% criterion which was established at the outset of the experiment. The experiment is on-going and will probably continue throughout the academic year, depending on the feedback received from the pharmaceutical company.

Willie was glad to have had this opportunity to conduct a lab experiment involving a drug under development for a major pharmaceutical company. He said that his work in the lab taught him proper research/experimental protocol, discipline and how to approach things in a controlled environment. For now, however, labs and rats are not in his career plans. Willie hopes to pursue a career in clinical psychology — possibly working with "severe" mental patients such as schizophrenics.

- Roberta Byerly

Sara Smith

Most organisms have an endogenous structure that functions as a built-in alarm clock. As a participant in the National Science Foundation's Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) program, I spent the summer at the University of Virginia's Mountain Lake Biological Station where I helped to answer questions concerning the ecological adaptiveness of biological timing systems. I was part of a research team addressing the question of whether animals can survive in the wild without a biological clock. In addition to helping my mentor, Dr. Patricia J. Decoursey, I conducted my own research on the effect of removing the biological clock in wild, free-living chipmunks. I monitored the mortality and activity patterns of the chipmunks by radio-tracking and live-trapping the study animals, and I excavated two underground chipmunk burrow systems. Although the main study will continue for three years, the first of our data, a comparison of activity patterns of clockless and control chipmunks, will be submitted for publication this winter.



LISTENING CAREFULLY - Sara Smith radio-tracking chipmunks around the University of Virginia's Mountain Lake Biological Station.

The REU program endeavors to guide undergraduates in conducting research in writing and presenting proposals and final talks in order to prepare students for graduate school. In addition to working on my own project, I attended both lectures about current research in a number of fields and a series of seminars where I learned about research methods and presentation techniques. I also had opportunities to interact with and volunteer for senior researchers, and I helped the other 10 REU participants with their projects. This enabled me to gain experience in a variety of fields of research in ecology and evolution. I return to Bridgewater this fall enriched by my experiences in the REU program at Mountain Lake Biological Station. Through first-

hand experience, I have gained a better understanding of how to conduct scientific research, and I have clearer goals for graduate school and my career in academic field biology.

- Sara Smith, '98

Rich Vallaster

This summer I had the distinct pleasure of working in the advertising and public relations field. My experience was at Grove Public Relations in Frederick, Md. This full service public relations and advertising firm had clients ranging from banks and retail stores to more nationally known companies.

As part of my experience, I also helped with projects for Frederick and Montgomery counties' Tourism and Visitors Bureau, and the Frederick County Advertising Federation.

My daily duties varied from special events, press release writing, ad layout and graphic design, photography, and client services.

The days usually started with a morning session deciding the direction of the day and a review of the past day's events. Following our morning meeting, I usually followed up on clients, vendors, or media and started on my main assignments. The afternoon was usually spent

on appointments with clients, going to vendors, or working on assignments.

Each day was different, and best of all, no two days were ever the same!

While at school, I am still keeping up on projects we were working on and the Frederick County Advertising Federation. I am spearheading a student organization of the AdFed as well as compiling a list of all the public relations and advertising internships in Frederick County to benefit other students in my position.

This experience really taught me a lot about myself, my strengths and weaknesses and what I like and do not like about the industry. I could not have been successful without my work in Bridgewater College's Public Information Office and encouragement from faculty



GREETINGS - Rich Vallaster (left) greets the mayor of Frederick while orchestrating and overseeing the grand opening of a new bank.

and staff at Bridgewater.

- Rich Vallaster, '99

Athletic Hall of Fame Honors

One called it “a dream” from which he feared he might wake up.

Another said it was “one of the proudest moments of my life.”

For the eight 1997 inductees into the Bridgewater College Athletic Hall of Fame, the Sept. 19 banquet officially marking their membership into the elite circle centered more on relationships than on “jock” talk.

The relationships were especially poignant for the family of Dr. Warren J. Huffman, who excelled in both football and baseball at Bridgewater and later played professional baseball. Dr. Huffman gained renown in higher education in the field of safety education. He returned to Rockingham County in retirement and died in 1995.

Dr. Huffman was represented at the banquet by his widow, the former Elva Garber, '39, and all five of the couple's sons — James, Larry ('64), Roger ('73), Bruce and David ('76). Larry Huffman spoke on behalf of the family, remarking on his father's commitment to education and his affection for Bridgewater College.

President Phil Stone, as master of ceremonies, noted in his opening remarks that each of the eight inductees had first been superlative college athletes, but selection for the Hall of Fame also was a reflection of the quality of each one's life and service since college.

Joining Dr. Huffman in the 1997 induction class were

Russell V. “Bob” Long, '29; Dr. Earle W. Fike Jr., '51; Larry S. Pence, '57; David H. Osborne, '61; Yvonne E. Kauffman, '66; Dr. James E. Upperman, '68; and Duane E. Harrison, '81.

Mr. Long likened the occasion to a dream and expressed his pleasure at being remembered and honored for his youthful athleticism and for his 42-year career as a teacher, coach and principal in Virginia's public schools. As a member of the college baseball team, he pitched a no-hit, no run, 11-inning victory over Hampden-Sydney and was awarded the game ball by the Tigers' coach.

Dr. Fike recalled that on the third day of his college career he met his future wife, Jean Kiser, and on the fourth day he “shot some hoops.” He went on to win four letters in basketball and to become Bridgewater's first 1,000-point scorer. Those early experiences, he said, have “brought me happiness for 50 years....This is one of the proudest moments of my life.” Dr. and Mrs. Fike are living in Bridgewater since his retirement as a Church of the Brethren minister.

Mr. Pence, a retired high school coach and athletic administrator, noted the support of his parents as he competed in football, basketball and track without missing a game or a meet in his four-year college career. He also recognized the influence of a high school coach, the late Don Glick, '49, who was enshrined in the B.C. Athletic Hall of Fame in 1996. Mr. Pence reminded

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HONOREES — (Clockwise from top) *The Warren J. Huffman family — wife Elva and sons James, Larry, Roger, David and Bruce — proudly pose with Dr. Huffman's plaque following the dinner; Bob Long and his student escort senior Chad Hensley;*



PHOTO BY ELLEN K. LAYMAN

Larry Pence is congratulated by President Phil Stone after receiving his Hall of Fame ring during halftime of the football game against Emory & Henry; Earle Fike chats with his student escort, junior Chris Hild, before the Hall of Fame Dinner.

the banquet audience that without the vote of the college's Board of Trustees in February 1916 to lift a ban on intercollegiate athletics, there would be no Hall of Fame.

Mr. Osborne directed his thanks to Dr. Harry G. M. Jopson, a charter Hall of Fame member, for suggesting Bridgewater as a college choice. "Doc" Jopson told the teenage athlete that there was "no reason not to play all three sports" (football, basketball and track) for the Eagles — and Mr. Osborne earned four letters in football and three each in basketball and track while at Bridgewater. Now living in Fincastle, Va., he is a high school athletic director and former teacher and coach.

Ms. Kauffman also had a mentor to point the way to Bridgewater. The Manheim, Pa., native knew she wanted to be a physical education teacher and assumed she'd go to nearby West Chester University. Allegra Hess, '60, intervened, suggesting her alma mater, Bridgewater. As an Eagle, Ms. Kauffman earned 12 varsity letters — four each in hockey, basketball and tennis. At Elizabethtown (Pa.) College, she has coached two national champion basketball teams and compiled 898 victories with her hockey, basketball and tennis teams.

Dr. Upperman, now division superintendent in the Manassas, Va., city school system, is Bridgewater's career leading scorer in basketball with 2,237 points. After thanking coaches and teammates, he reminisced about special moments in his career and recalled an embarrassing moment when the team attended church together on a road trip. As the collection basket was passed to him, he dropped it, sending coins clattering along the floor. "That's the

only time in my life I ever dropped a pass," he quipped.

Mr. Harrison, at 38 the youngest Hall of Fame inductee to date, is considered by his coaches as one of the best pure athletes to ever compete for Bridgewater College. He quarterbacked the 1980 football team to the Old Dominion Athletic Conference championship, won 24 individual conference titles in track and field and was the best Division III punter in the nation in 1979. Now senior operations manager with Federal Express, he told the banquet crowd that gratitude for his success goes first to God and his parents. He recalled being on the verge of dropping out of college and having his father insist: "No, no, you're not leaving."

The plaques that form the Hall of Fame exhibition in Ninger Hall were displayed at the banquet; Hall of Fame rings were presented to the inductees during halftime of the homecoming football game on Sept. 20.

Current student athletes — seniors Olivia Didawick, Chad Hensley, Von Lewis, Tammy Russell, Nicole Szymkowski and Craig Tutt and juniors Kim Harris and Chris Hild — served as escorts for the inductees.

Members of the audience established relationships, too. Olivia Cool, a 1927 Bridgewater graduate and professor emerita of piano and music theory, was one of those who went to the stage following the ceremony to congratulate the inductees. Making her way from oldest (Long) to youngest (Harrison), Miss Cool, who attends many sports events on campus, remarked that she had witnessed the athletic exploits of every one of the new Hall of Famers.

■ — Ellen K. Layman



HONOREES — (Clockwise from top) *David Osborne stands proudly with his plaque following the Hall of Fame dinner; Surrounding Jim Upperman are, from left: his father-in-law, John Sullivan; his wife, Pam; their daughter, Erin Brummett, hold-*



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ing her daughter Emily; and their son Jonathan. Yonnie Kauffman happily receives her ring from President Stone; Duane Harris on, his wife Elisha and son Brandon pose with his plaque.

Fall Sports Update

The Eagle volleyball team, the defending ODAC champions, started off in grand fashion winning the Bridgewater Invitational in Nininger Hall. Bridgewater, which was 28-4 a year ago, won its last 12 games of the '96 season and started 1997 with a 6-1 record. With only one loss to Marymount in the Bridgewater Invitational, the Eagles had won 18 of their last 19 contests through the middle of September. Bridgewater then stopped Marymount to capture the championship. The Eagles were led by sophomore setter Amy Weaver and junior middle blocker Jenn Frack. Weaver was voted the ODAC Player of the Week after leading Bridgewater to the Invitational title. Frack dominated at the net for the Eagles, leading the conference in hitting percentage and blocks per game as of mid-September. Following the Bridgewater Invitational, the Eagles started off their ODAC schedule with a bang by solidly defeating Lynchburg.

- The Bridgewater **CROSS COUNTRY** team started off its season by facing archrival Lynchburg, and both the Eagle men's and women's teams fell to the Hornets. Bridgewater's men lost 18-43. Eagle senior Jonathan Dean was the top B.C. men's performer, finishing fourth in 30:54. The women's team fell 20-35. Pacing the ladies was freshman Julie Lind, who finished fifth in a time of 23:57.

- The Eagle **FIELD HOCKEY** team got off to a rough start with a 1-7 record. Bridgewater defeated Hollins 8-0 and fell to some strong teams, including ranked opponents Salisbury State and Plymouth State in the Salisbury Invitational. Sophomore Holly Ware has been a standout player for the Eagles, leading the team with nine goals and one assist after the eight contests. These statistics were good enough to rank her in the top five in the ODAC in goals per game and points per game.

- The Eagle **FOOTBALL** squad started the season

PHOTO BY RICH S. VALLASTER



WE ARE THE CHAMPIONS — After winning the B.C. Invitational Tournament, the Eagle volleyball team is joined by President Stone for its championship picture. (Left to right, front row) Amanda Kyger, Kristin Henry, Kim Harris, Emily Taylor, Cindy Lemberg; (back row) Dorita Puffenbarger, assistant coach, Jennifer Frack, President Phil Stone, Amy Weaver, Alison Coffman, Jennifer Hogshead, Laura Stauffer, Kelli O'Neil, Shelly Robb and Coach Mary Frances Heishman

with a 0-3 record, falling first to Western Maryland, 21-17, in a hard-fought contest. The Eagles fell behind early, but rallied when sophomore Wilbert Coleman returned a blocked kick 85 yards for a touchdown. Reserve quarterback Brith Osinkosky led the Eagles on two fourth-quarter scoring drives, but Bridgewater ran out of time. Bridgewater then fell to two nationally ranked teams — Catholic, losing 35-0, and Old Dominion Athletic Conference rival Emory & Henry, 31-7.

The Eagles were hit hard by early injuries, losing defensive all-conference honorees senior Scott Brown and sophomore Bill Beltz. Brown, a two-time all-ODAC second team honoree, was one of the conference's top returnees at the position. One of the College's best all-around athletes, he also was a key in leading the Eagles to the 1997 ODAC indoor and outdoor track & field championships. It is hoped he will be able to conclude his senior year by returning for the outdoor track season.

- The Eagle **GOLF** squad had its first meet rained out as it was leading the Bridgewater/ODAC Round Robin at Massanutten Golf Course. Bridgewater then competed in the Washington & Lee Fall Classic and finished 12th out of 16 teams. Sophomore David McCall led Bridgewater by carding a 79 on both days of the event.

- The Bridgewater **SOCCER** team has shown vast improvement under first year head coach Dan Ensley. The team downed Virginia Southern College, 2-1, to hand Ensley a victory in his first contest as the Eagles' mentor. However, Bridgewater faced a tough early schedule, including ODAC rivals Eastern Mennonite, Hampden-Sydney and Lynchburg leaving the team with a 1-5 early season record. The Eagle defense showed great improvement, surrendering only two goals in each of those matches. Freshman Brad Hawkins paced Bridgewater with two goals, and sophomore Nic Forster had a goal and two assists, including the game-winning score against Virginia Southern.

■ — Douglas Barton

For all of the latest Bridgewater scores and statistics, check out our World Wide Web site at <http://www.bridgewater.edu/sports>. If you would like electronic Bridgewater athletic releases following events, please email: dbarton@bridgewater.edu. In the body of the message simply type ATHLETIC RELEASES.

'97-'98 Basketball Preview

The 1997-98 Bridgewater men's basketball team will welcome new faces and count on several returning players for leadership. Returning are senior Jason Jones and sophomore Brad Harrington. Jones, a power forward from Ft. Defiance, Va., was second in team scoring (15.2/ game) and was voted second team All-Old Dominion Athletic Conference last season. Harrington, a swingman from Richmond, Va., averaged 9.3 points and was the Eagles' top defender.

Also returning will be redshirt senior Craig Tutt, who sat out last season with a broken foot. Two years ago, Tutt was first team All-ODAC and paced the team with 18 points per game.

Bridgewater will look to 6-9 senior Jonathan Orrock to help the 6-6 Jones in the post with rebounding and defense. Transfer Cameron Fairchilds could be a force under the boards. Tutt and Harrington will secure the backcourt, joined by junior Owen Snyder, who became a deadly 3-point marksman in the NCAA tournament.

"We are coming off the best season in Bridgewater history, but we graduated five of our top seven players," said head coach Bill Leatherman, starting his 13th season with an 186-129 overall record. "Basketball is a game of chemistry, and over the last two years we had great chemistry without having a lineup of all-stars. We have some quality players returning who we will have to mold into a unit."

Bridgewater, 21-8, last season, finished third in the ODAC and advanced to the Division III NCAA Tournament's "sweet 16" round.

The Bridgewater women's basketball team can't wait for 1997-98. They never really wanted last season to end. The Eagles, 22-6 a year ago, advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament and won a school-record 17 Old Dominion Athletic Conference games.

"The team has worked extremely hard this preseason in preparation for the coming year," said head coach Jean Willi, ODAC Coach of the Year last season. "After finishing second in the ODAC last year, we again want to shoot for a finish in the top four. This will be a vastly improved league, so we will be looking to maintain the team chemistry that was so pivotal in our success last year."

The ringleader will be senior guard Jennifer Young, the Eagles' top returning scorer with 15.4 points a game last season. She won second team All-ODAC honors for a second year in a row and led the Eagles in minutes played, 3-point field goals and free throw percentage and was second in assists and steals.

The Eagles return post players Amanda Kyger and Connie Ritchie. Ritchie, a junior from Singers Glen, Va., was third on the squad in scoring last year with an 11.0 average and pulled down 5.7 rebounds a game. Kyger, a sophomore from Timberville, Va., came on down the stretch and averaged 7.7 points a game.

Also returning is starting sophomore point guard Heather Landes, who led the team last season with 132 assists and 52 steals. Another key backcourt contributor will be sophomore Susan Schroeder. Joining these two will be freshmen guards Amanda and Angela Osbourn of Edmeston, N.Y. ■

—Douglas Barton

MEN'S BASKETBALL 1997-98

November

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| 21-22 | Dickinson College Pizza Hut Tournament | TBA |
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December

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| 2 | VILLA JULIE | 7:30 P.M. |
| 5-6 | BC/DON GLICK TOURNAMENT | 6 P.M. |
| 10 | HAMPDEN-SYDNEY* | 7:30 P.M. |
| 13 | RANDOLPH-MACON* | 3 P.M. |
| 20 | Eastern Mennonite* @ JMU | 6:30 p.m. |

January

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| 6 | Marymount | 7:30 p.m. |
| 10 | Virginia Wesleyan* | 2 p.m. |
| 12 | EMORY & HENRY* | 7:30 P.M. |
| 15 | ROANOKE* | 7:30 P.M. |
| 17 | GUILFORD* | 3 P.M. |
| 19 | Hampden-Sydney* | 7:30 p.m. |
| 21 | VIRGINIA WESLEYAN* | 7:30 P.M. |
| 24 | Guilford* | 2 p.m. |
| 26 | EASTERN MENNONITE* | 7:30 P.M. |
| 31 | Lynchburg* | 2 p.m. |

February

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| 2 | WASHINGTON & LEE* | 7:30 P.M. |
| 5 | Roanoke* | 7:30 p.m. |
| 7 | Emory & Henry* | 2 p.m. |
| 11 | Randolph-Macon* | 7:30 p.m. |
| 14 | LYNCHBURG* | 2 P.M. |
| 16 | Washington & Lee* | 7:30 p.m. |
| 21-23 | ODAC Tournament @ Salem | TBA |

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL 1997-98

NOVEMBER

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| 15 | GALLAUDET (SCRIMMAGE) | 1 P.M. |
| 18 | Shenandoah (scrimmage) | 6 p.m. |
| 21-22 | Notre Dame Tournament | TBA |
| 25 | Eastern Mennonite* | 5:30 p.m. |

December

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| 2 | HOLLINS* | 5 P.M. |
| 6 | LYNCHBURG* | 2 P.M. |
| 8 | WASHINGTON & LEE* | 7 P.M. |
| 13 | Guilford* | 4 p.m. |
| 15 | Roanoke* | 6 p.m. |

January

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| 7 | Ferrum | 7 p.m. |
| 11 | RANDOLPH-MACON WOMAN'S*3 | P.M. |
| 14 | EASTERN MENNONITE* | 7 P.M. |
| 16 | EMORY & HENRY* | 7 P.M. |
| 17 | VIRGINIA WESLEYAN* | NOON |
| 20 | Washington & Lee* | 7 p.m. |
| 22 | RANDOLPH-MACON* | 7 P.M. |
| 24 | Emory & Henry* | 2 p.m. |

February

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| 3 | Lynchburg* | 7 p.m. |
| 5 | Randolph-Macon Woman's* | 7 p.m. |
| 9 | ROANOKE* | 7 P.M. |
| 12 | Randolph-Macon* | 7 p.m. |
| 14 | GUILFORD* | 4 P.M. |
| 17 | Hollins* | 7 p.m. |
| 19 | MARY WASHINGTON | 7 P.M. |
| 21 | Virginia Wesleyan* | 2 p.m. |
| 26-28 | ODAC Tournament @ Salem | TBA |

*ODAC Game

Home Games in BOLD CAPS

SPOERLEIN DEDICATION

Four generations of the Spoerlein family of New Windsor and Oakland, Md., have been recognized at Bridgewater for their support and friendship.

The Spoerlein Lecture Hall was dedicated July 22 in tribute to the late Randall Spoerlein of New Windsor, and the Ernest Spoerlein family of Oakland. The lecture hall is the major auditorium in the McKinney Center for Science and Mathematics; it seats 116 and is used for large classes, for faculty meetings and for community gatherings. It features built-in access to electronic teaching aids, including the World Wide Web.

At a brief ceremony and luncheon President Phillip C. Stone noted the leadership Ernest Spoerlein has given the college as a member of the Board of Trustees since 1956. Until his retirement, Mr. Spoerlein was a math teacher and guidance counselor in the Garrett County, Md., public schools and served as director of

federal programs for the Garrett County Board of Education. He has served 10 terms on the board of the Oak Park Church of the Brethren and twice has been moderator of the West Marva District of the Church of the Brethren.

Ernest Spoerlein is a 1933 graduate of Bridgewater; his wife, the former Alice Tucker, is a 1931 alumna. Their daughter, Carolyn Spoerlein Updyke of Oakland, is a 1964 alumna, and her son, Brenden Updyke, who now lives in McGaheysville, Va., is a 1993 graduate.

Ernest Spoerlein is a nephew of Randall Spoerlein, who did not attend Bridgewater, but was classified as an alumnus because he attended Blue Ridge College in New Windsor, which later merged with Bridgewater. Randall Spoerlein, a dairy farmer and, for 22 years, the mayor of New Windsor, died in 1991 and left the College more than \$1.1 million. ■

—Mary K. Heatwole



PHOTO BY ELLEN K. LAYMAN

LOYAL SUPPORTERS — Members of the Spoerlein family (from left, Christa Updyke Knotts, Brenden Updyke, Alice Tucker Spoerlein, Carolyn Spoerlein Updyke and Ernest Spoerlein) pause at the entrance to the Spoerlein Lecture hall in the McKinney Center for Science and Mathematics.

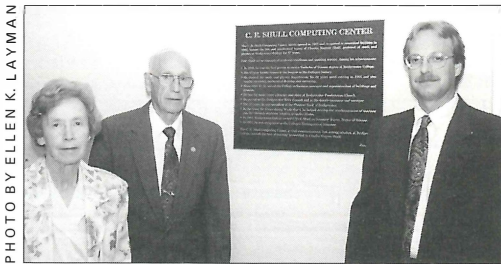


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PROF. SHULL REMEMBERED — When Bowman Hall re-opened after extensive renovations, the C.E. Shull Computing Center moved from the basement to a bright and spacious facility on the second floor. In July 1997, family and friends of the late C.E. Shull gathered at the computing center to remember his rich life and service to the College. Prof. Shull's 47-year tenure as professor of math and physics at Bridgewater is the longest in the College's history. He also served the College as business manager and superintendent of buildings and grounds in addition to leadership in his church, a local bank and the town government. A plaque citing the highlights of his service has been mounted at the entrance to the C.E. Shull Computing Center. Shown with the plaque are two of Prof. Shull's four children, Dr. Dwight Shull and Miss Maxine Shull, both of Bridgewater, and a grandson, Tom Peake of Falls Church, Va.



Photos by Douglas Barton

REACHING NEW HEIGHTS — The 1968 football team presented President Phillip C. Stone and Athletic Director Dr. Thomas Kinder a check for \$3,500 during halftime of the season-opening football game. The money was used to purchase two new filming towers for both the practice and football fields. Members of the '68 team pictured are Doug Myers, Mike McDonald, Bruce Hart, Joe Dudash and Tom Dovel.

FOUNDATION UPDATE

The Virginia Department of Rehabilitative Services awarded Bridgewater College a grant of \$8,200 to initiate *Project Success!*, a coordinated effort between the Bridgewater College Counseling Center, faculty, staff, students and local agencies to ensure all students with a disability can reach their full academic potential.

In keeping with the College's mission to educate and develop the whole person with high standards of excellence and integrity, *Project Success!* is designed to: identify students who are currently not utilizing services designed to help students with disabilities succeed at B.C.; monitor ongoing needs and services of students with disabilities; and develop programs to improve the academic success of students with disabilities. *Project Success!* will help students

with a wide range of disabilities — physical, emotional, learning and sensory.

Dr. Raymond "Chip" Studwell, director of counseling for the past seven years, will direct *Project Success!* A 1977 Bridgewater graduate, he earned his M.Ed. in counseling from James Madison University and his Ed.D. in counseling with a minor in psychology from West Virginia University. Dr. Studwell is vice-president of AHEAD in Virginia, and last year, served on the commission that wrote "Recommendations for Improving Virginia Higher Education Services for Students with Disabilities."

Programs for *Project Success!* will be implemented throughout the 1997-98 academic year, culminating in a Disabilities Awareness Week on campus in the spring.

■ — Mary K. Heatwole

ANNUAL GIVING

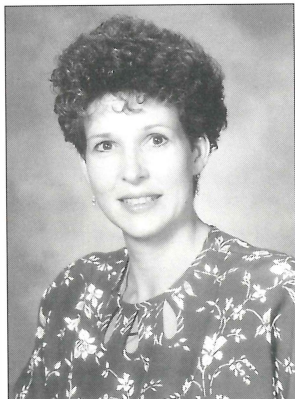
Callison, '97-98 Business Campaign Chair

Debra S. Callison, market president of First Union National Bank's Rockingham-Augusta area, will chair the 1997-98 Bridgewater College Business and Professional Campaign.

The annual campaign, which is concentrated in a three-week drive in early December, organizes teams of volunteers to make personalized visits to businesses and professional offices in Harrisonburg and Rockingham County and in Staunton, Waynesboro and Augusta County. Almost every business in the central Valley region has a connection with Bridgewater College through employees who are either Bridgewater alumni or the parents of current or recent Bridgewater students.

The campaign raises \$120,000 to \$150,000 each year and also is designed to provide a sounding board for local business leaders to hear about and respond to the College's overall program.

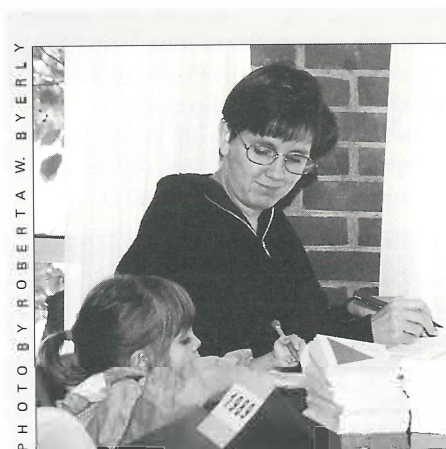
Ms. Callison, the 1997-98 chair, graduated with highest honors from Virginia Tech in 1982, earning a degree in dairy science. Her early banking experience was as an agricultural lender with the Farm Credit Association in Richmond and Baltimore and with Dominion Bank in Stuarts Draft. She managed Dominion's branches in Stuarts Draft and Verona before joining the First Union staff.



In addition to serving as market president, Ms. Callison also is a First Union vice president and commercial banker. She works out of the bank's Harrisonburg headquarters and oversees a portfolio of commercial loans to local companies.

Ms. Callison also has chaired the board of directors of the Staunton-Augusta Chamber of Commerce, has worked in fund-raising campaigns for Blue Ridge Community College and the United Way and is an active Rotarian. She and her husband Jimmy have a daughter, Jennifer, born in January 1997.

■ — Ellen K. Layman



FUTURE CLASS AGENT ?

— Sarah Lacharite Miller, class agent for the class of 1989, receives help from her daughter on class agent letter signing day in August.

Class Agents spent the morning on campus helping to prepare the College's annual fund raising appeal to alums.

PLANNED GIVING

1997 TAX CHANGES

Republicans and Democrats recently joined to approve overwhelmingly the first major tax cut package in more than 15 years — The Taxpayer Relief Act of 1997 (TRA '97).

The 1997 tax changes preserved and improved the tax rewards provided for people who support Bridgewater College and other worthwhile organizations. The law retained charitable donors' ability to give appreciated stocks and other assets and deduct the *full fair market value*. The new laws also make it easier for friends to make gifts of commercial real estate and for volunteers to deduct their automobile expenses. Donors who establish "life income" gifts may be able to receive income that is favorably taxed under the new capital gains rules. If you would like to speak with someone about a gift to the College, please contact the Development Office at (540) 828- 5450.

What the New Tax Changes Mean For You

A Few Highlights of the New Law

■ Estate Taxes

Starting in 1998, the unified credit that shelters taxable gifts and estates will be increased by \$25,000 annually until fully phased-in in 2006 when the credit will shelter up to \$1 million in lifetime gifts or transfers from estates.

■ Capital Gains Tax

The top capital gains tax rate of 28% on net long-term capital gains drops to 20% (10% for tax-payers in the 15% income tax bracket) on assets held more than 12 months and sold between May 7 and July 28, 1997. For sales July 29 and later, the assets must have been held more than 18 months to qualify for the 20% rate (under 18 months, the 28% rate still applies to long-term gains). The lower rates do not apply to sales of collectibles (artwork, antiques, stamp and coin collections).

The top capital gains tax rate on assets held more than five years will be 18% starting in 2006 (8% for taxpayers in the 15% income tax bracket, starting in 2001).

■ Principal Residences

The rollover replacement rule — allowing homeowners to defer the capital gains tax on the sale of a principal residence by buying another home of equal or greater value within two years — and the one-time exclusion — allowing homeowners age 55 and older to exclude up to \$125,000 of gain on the sale of a principal residence — have been replaced. For sales after May 6, 1997, homeowners will be able to exclude up to \$500,000 in gain on the sale of a principal residence. This exclusion is available as frequently as every two years.

■ IRA Planning Menu Grows

Prior to TRA'97, taxpayers had two basic choices in IRA's; deductible (if certain requirements were met) and non-deductible. Both types offered tax-deferred growth on the assets. The new tax law expands taxpayers' choices.

▼ *The new Roth IRA permits taxpayers to contribute up to \$2,000 annually with no income tax deduction, but all qualified withdrawals from a Roth IRA are tax free. Unlike a traditional IRA, the Roth IRA does not require distributions to begin after age 70 ½. The Roth IRA is available to taxpayers with income below \$150,000 (married couples) or \$95,000 (single taxpayers).*

▼ *Taxpayers with funds in a traditional IRA can convert to a Roth IRA by paying the income tax. Future growth and distributions will be tax free. If the conversion is made before 1999, the tax can be spread over four years. Taxpayers must have adjusted gross income (AGI) of \$100,000 or less to be eligible for the switch.*

▼ *Any taxpayer with earned income is eligible to contribute up to \$2,000 to a traditional IRA. Contributions are deductible if the taxpayer is not covered by an employer-sponsored retirement plan or if AGI is no more than \$40,000 (married couples) or \$25,000 (single taxpayers). TRA '97 gradually increases the earnings limits starting in 1998.*

▼ *Starting in 1998, non-working spouses can deduct their \$2,000 contributions to an IRA, even if the working spouse is covered by a qualified retirement plan at work, provided AGI is \$150,000 or less.*

▼ *Another new IRA allows savings for higher education. Taxpayers with income below \$150,000 (married couples) and \$95,000 (single taxpayers) can contribute up to \$500 annually per child. Although there is no income tax deduction on contributions, the earnings and withdrawals would be tax free if the funds are used for certain qualified expenses.*

■ College Tuition

Paying for college tuition will be easier thanks to several options in TRA'97. In addition to the new education IRA, taxpayers who meet income ceilings will be eligible for a credit of up to \$1,500 per year for the first two years of college and \$1,000 per year for later years of school. An above-the-line deduction will be available for up to \$2,500 of interest on student loans. ■

We have a new booklet, *Impact of the 1997 Tax Changes*, that explains the most important aspects of the recent legislation. We'll be glad to send you a complimentary copy of *Impact of the 1997 Tax Changes*. Contact the Bridgewater College Office of Development at (540) 828-5450 to request your copy!

BC Basketball Teams Earn NCAA Bids

Men Heading To Illinois For Sweet Sixteen Match-Up

By: Ken Newbold

Eagles into the round of sixteen.

second half. Brad Harrington contributed six key free throws in the last minute of play to secure the win. Owen Snyder sparked the Eagles in the second half. Maryville led 34-26. The lead reached 57-49 with six and a half minutes remaining. BC then went on an 11-0 run to tie the game with 1:26 left. Maryville took the lead 60-57 with 1:04 remaining. BC then scored a game-winning three-point shot with 0:11 left. The final score was 63-57.

Habitat Students Spend Spring Break In New Orleans

Special To The Talon

More than a dozen Bridgewater College students devoted their spring break to volunteer efforts as construction workers for Habitat for Humanity.

plus Chapters and Youth Programs departments of Habitat for Humanity International.

Spring break of experts estimates more than 6,000 people in need of decent shelter.

people in need of decent shelter than at no point in the history of the world.

This market has been a disaster.

Senior Jamie Edly Hits Spotlight



Bridgewater COLLEGE

Bridgewater Student Named UPS Scholar

Special To The Talon

Kelly Rebecca Hones, a Bridgewater College junior, has been named a UPS scholar for the 1997-1998 school year.

1992, secure financial support in order to advance and perpetuate the distinctive values and strengths of undergraduate education.

and member colleges and universities in Virginia, Maryland, Tennessee, North Carolina, and South Carolina.

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Special To The Talon

The best of the best have been named to the team. This year's team was selected in the summer as they honored their winning record in 1996. On Wednesday the hockey team traveled to Randolph-Macon College to play three games. The team scored three goals, while the Rams scored one. To end an exciting homecoming week the hockey team held and collected 400 signatures for the "No Nukes" campaign. The team also held a "No Nukes" rally and a "No Nukes" parade. The team will be back in Randolph-Macon on Tuesday to play their final game.



Cheerleaders Represent B.C. In Citrus Bowl

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The Talon has grown this year.

The Talon Earns National Recognition

By: Jennifer Glick

The Talon has grown this year. The Talon has been named one of the best college newspapers in the country. The Talon has been named one of the best college newspapers in the country.

More than 1200 schools participated in this year's competition.

PURSUING EXCELLENCE

Always...In All Things

The Talon is headed by Jill Valentini, editor, and Dr. Stan Galloway, adviser. The Talon received national recognition for its excellence in journalism.

The Mission of Bridgewater College is to educate and develop the whole person. Our graduates will be equipped to become leaders, living ethical, healthy, useful and fulfilling lives with a strong sense of personal accountability and civic responsibility. This mission is carried out in a learning community, with Christian values, high standards of integrity and excellence, affirming and challenging each member.

On The Cover

1996-97 – A YEAR OF EXCELLENCE

Headlines tell the story of a year of achievement, of goals met, of records broken. As Bridgewater College strives to more fully realize its motto — College of Character, Community of Excellence — it looks to those special people who have supported its mission with their prayers, their energy and their resources. The result of that effort is documented on the following pages.

The 1996-97 President's Report and Honor Roll of Donors was edited by Ellen K. Layman

Cover design by Roberta W. Byerly

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Bridgewater of Virginia

October 1997

Dear Friends:

Our students at Bridgewater College often have heard me pledge that, in everything we undertake at the College, we want to do it well. We will be serious contenders, whether in an athletic contest, a debate tournament or the competition for a Rhodes Scholarship. Excellence in all things is an underlying philosophy of our program at Bridgewater.

So, with excellence as the theme of this year's *President's Report*, I am delighted to affirm that 1996-97 was an excellent year! We broke the 1,000-student mark for the first time in our history, enrolling 1,016 full-time students when the academic year opened in August 1996.

Both our men's and women's basketball teams advanced in the National Collegiate Athletic Association post-season playoffs; our women's volleyball team won the Old Dominion Athletic Conference tournament; our football team finished second in the ODAC; our track team won the indoor and outdoor ODAC championships; and our top track athletes competed in both the indoor and outdoor nationals. Our forensics team captured the championship of the Morgan State University Tournament.

Your support and loyalty also made this an excellent year for Bridgewater College. Private giving to the College increased to \$3.3 million, ranking third among our all-time best fund-raising years. Your gifts help us award scholarships to the academically strong students we want to attract to Bridgewater; they allow us to hire first-rate faculty members; they help us build and maintain campus facilities in a way that is both aesthetically enjoyable and conducive to serious scholarship. Thank you for your generosity.

My gratitude also for your expressions of support in phone calls and notes and when I have the opportunity to visit with you. As you may know, our campus was again touched by tragedy during the winter when a wonderful young woman, sophomore Melissa Jett, was struck by a car as she was walking on campus. The students, faculty and staff grieved her death along with her family; many of you let us know that you understood the deep loss we felt. The warmth of your compassion is another measure of the excellent relationships we want to continue to build.

Thanks again for all that you do on behalf of Bridgewater College!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Phillip C. Stone".

Phillip C. Stone
President

"College of Character; Community of Excellence"



1996-97 Highlights



In a festive mood, members of the Class of 1997 prepare for the official Commencement photograph.

Just a year after the celebration of the opening of the McKinney Center for Science and Mathematics, the Bridgewater College campus in the summer of 1996 opened yet another new facility. This time, however, the building actually was more than 40 years old.

The revitalization of Bowman Hall, a highlight of 1996-97, gave the campus a modern, functional — and beautiful — classroom building to complement the McKinney Center.

Bowman Hall was built in 1953 to honor three prominent Bowmans in the College's history — Samuel M. Bowman, a member of the Board of Trustees who in 1919 gave the college its biggest gift to date: more than 715 acres of land which sold

for \$116,000; Paul H. Bowman, president of the College from 1919-46; and Warren D. Bowman, president of the College from 1949-64.

At the time it opened, Bowman Hall was the campus' "new science center" — the term now associated with the McKinney Center. During the 1996 renovations, Bowman's science laboratories were given new life as specially-designed conference and teaching areas to support the five departments now housed in Bowman — business and economics, philosophy and religion, sociology, psychology and English.

The first floor laboratory is now a well-appointed conference room to serve the George S. Aldhizer II Department of Economics and Business.

The room was dedicated in early 1997 as the Aldhizer-Beeson Conference Room in honor of Mary Moore Aldhizer and Sidney Aldhizer Beeson, sisters of the late Sen. Aldhizer, for whom the economics and business administration department is named. Sen. Aldhizer, Miss Aldhizer and Mrs. Beeson have been generous and supportive friends of Bridgewater College.

The second floor is anchored on the south end by the C.E. Shull Computing Center and on the

visit by the remnants of what had been Hurricane Fran. North River surged onto the athletic complex, with water levels rising almost to the nine-foot, nine-inch high crossbar on the football goalposts on Jopson Field.

The baseball and softball fields were heavily damaged; the football field was unplayable for several weeks. Fortunately, the new surface on the track escaped major damage.

The devastation of the flood was met by two



A former physics lab is now the Aldhizer-Beeson Conference Room.

north end by a lounge-study area shared by the religion/philosophy and psychology departments.

On the third floor, the English department has a large, airy writing center.

The ground floor houses laboratory and observation areas to support the psychology department.

During the renovations, the old freight elevator was upgraded to a passenger elevator to provide full accessibility, and the first floor lounge was remodeled as a comfortable meeting and study area.

The rebirth of Bowman Hall as a modern classroom building was but one highlight of the 1996-97 fiscal year at Bridgewater.

A second highlight, unanticipated and largely unappreciated, was a quick and costly September

heartwarming responses. Immediately, students, faculty and staff reached out to the Bridgewater community to offer assistance; soon thereafter, alumni and friends of the College extended financial help to rebuild facilities.

Other highlights came as the academic year opened with an increase in enrollment and impressive new additions to the faculty.

In August, the College welcomed its largest student body in history — 1,016 full-time students, marking an 18 percent enrollment growth in two years. International students represented 18 countries, including one Bosnian student attending Bridgewater through sponsorship of the Fellowship of Reconciliation. Just over 82 percent of the stu-

dents chose to live on campus.

Also welcomed in the fall were six new faculty members and a new associate dean for student development.

Joining the faculty were Judith G. Bent, instructor in English who had previously taught at Bridgewater as an adjunct professor; Nan R. Covert, assistant professor of art; Nancy K. Glomb, associate professor of education; Harriett E. Hayes, assistant professor of sociology; Brian T. Howard, assistant professor of computer science; and Ellen M. Mitchell, assistant professor of chemistry.

Martha "Mimi" Knight, former dean of students at Southern Virginia College, joined the administrative staff as associate dean for student development.

The Personal Development Portfolio program began its second year, extending the copyrighted program to sophomores. Working in small groups with faculty mentors, each student plans for and documents his or her progress in eight dimensions of a holistic education — academics, citizenship, cultural awareness, esthetics, ethical development, leadership, social proficiency and wellness. As the Portfolio program evolves, it has attracted nationwide attention from other colleges and universities.

Other major events unfolded month by month.

July 1996

- Bridgewater President Phillip C. Stone was elected to a five-year term on the Bethany Theological Seminary Board of Trustees.

August 1996

- Dr. Nancy W. St. John, associate professor of family and consumer sciences, presented a paper in Bangkok, Thailand, at the 18th World Congress of the International Federation for Home Economics.
- Dr. Lucien T. Hall Jr., associate professor of mathematics, died Aug. 12, 1996.
- Charles D. Lantz, a member of the Board of Trustees since 1959, died Aug. 24, 1996.

September 1996

- Bridgewater College was ranked by *U.S. News & World Report* as a "best value" among regional liberal arts colleges in the South.
- Dr. Tony Campolo led Spiritual Focus Week programs.
- William H. Gray III, a former Congressman



The 1996-97 edition of the College Chorale delights yet another audience.



Memorial marker honors Melissa Jett at "her" tree on the mall.

currently serving as president of the United Negro College Fund, delivered the Anna Beahm Mow lectures.

October 1996

- Eight alumni — Billy O. Burkholder, '54; Jean Braunlich Davis, '63; the late Donald L. Glick, '49; Margaret Faulkner Horn, '50; Charles F. Kurtz, '55; Melvin L. Myers, '52; Wayne L. Myers, '43; and O. Paul Siple, '42 — were inducted into the Bridgewater College Athletic Hall of Fame.

- Emily Anne May, a senior biology major from Arthur, W.Va., reigned as Homecoming Queen.

- Trustee William C. Harris died Oct. 8, 1996, at the age of 58.

- The Pinion Players presented *Play On!* as its Parents Weekend theatrical production.

- Jennifer Harbury, Guatemalan human rights leader, delivered the Glen E. Weimer lectures.

- Lyceum programs featured the Ames Piano Quartet and clarinetist Jon Manasse.

November 1996

- At the annual President's Dinner, Outstand-

ing Service Awards were presented to Dr. Hollen G. Helbert and Bonnie Neff Hoover, both of Broadway, Va., and long-time community leaders.

- Dr. Diane Ackerman, poet and author, delivered the Harold H. Hersch Lectures.

- The Theta Eta Chapter of Delta Mu Delta, a national honor society for business students, was chartered at Bridgewater College.

- Football team finished 5-5 year, gaining second place in Old Dominion Athletic Conference.

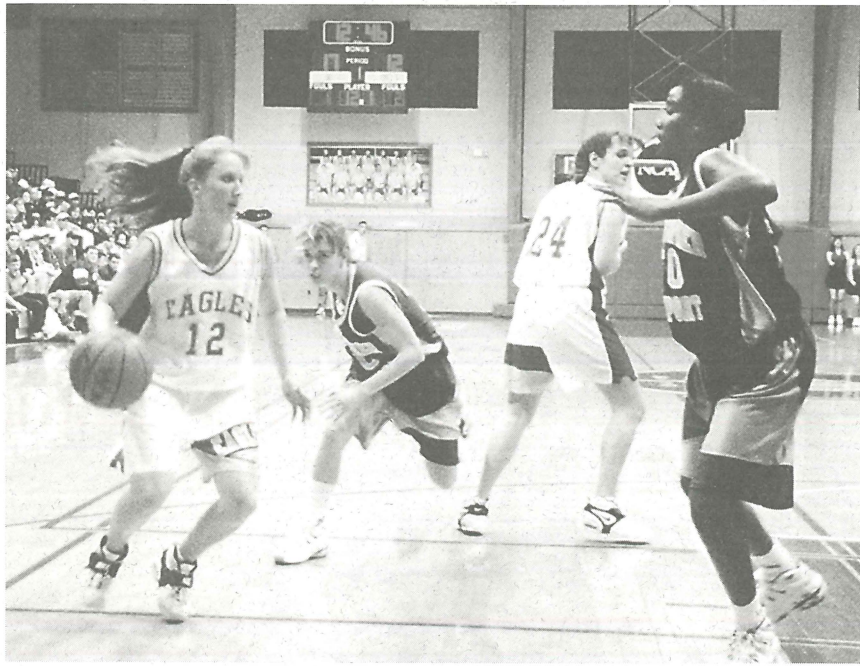
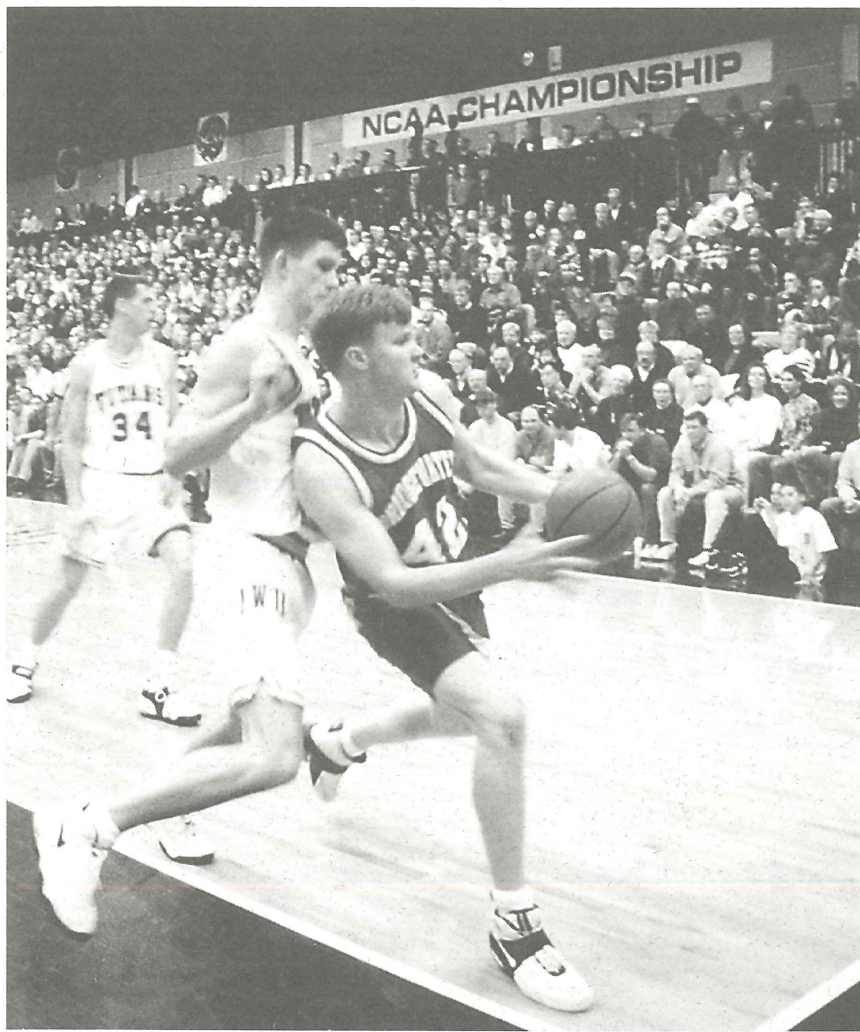
- The Richmond Symphony Orchestra featured organist Dr. John Barr, professor of organ and piano at Bridgewater, in its concert in Cole Hall.

- The Lady Eagles' volleyball team won the Old Dominion Athletic Conference tournament; Coach Mary Frances Heishman was named ODAC's Volleyball Coach of the Year; senior Sydney Fultz was named ODAC Player of the Year.

December 1996

- Oratorio Choir performed Vivaldi's *Gloria Opus 62* as part of its annual Christmas concert.

- Madrigal Dinners again delighted crowds in anticipation of the holiday season.



Dan Shomo (42, top photo) drives toward basket in NCAA "Sweet Sixteen" game at Illinois Wesleyan. Heather Landes (12, bottom photo) controls the offense in tourney action against Christopher Newport.

January 1997

- Dr. Phillip C. Stone began a one-year term as president of the Virginia Bar Association.
- The Pinion Players presented Thornton Wilder's Pulitzer Prize-winning *Our Town*.
- The campus mourned the death on Jan. 15, 1997, of sophomore Melissa Dawn Jett, who was hit by a car while she was walking along College View Drive.

February 1997

- Dr. Harriett Hayes, assistant professor of sociology, and 19 Bridgewater students traveled to New Orleans over spring break to do construction work for Habitat for Humanity.
- The men's track and field team won the Old Dominion Athletic Conference Indoor Championships; Coach Shane Stevens was named Coach of the Year; Scott Brown and Tammy Russell earned Athlete of the Year honors.

- Women's Basketball Coach Jean Willi was named Old Dominion Athletic Conference Coach of the Year in her rookie season as head coach.

- The forensics team defeated nine other colleges to claim first place in the Carroll Community College Tournament. Earlier, the forensics and debate team placed third in a competition in Montreal, Canada, and won the Morgan State University Tournament in Baltimore.

March 1997

- Both the men's and women's basketball teams advanced in NCAA post-season tournament play. The

women won their first round game and fell just short of victory in their second round action, playing both games in front of boisterous crowds in Nininger Hall. The men were on the road, defeating Maryville and the University of the South before advancing to a "Sweet Sixteen" match-up with Illinois Wesleyan.

- Soprano Julianne Baird was featured in the Lyceum Series and conducted a master class with Bridgewater voice students.

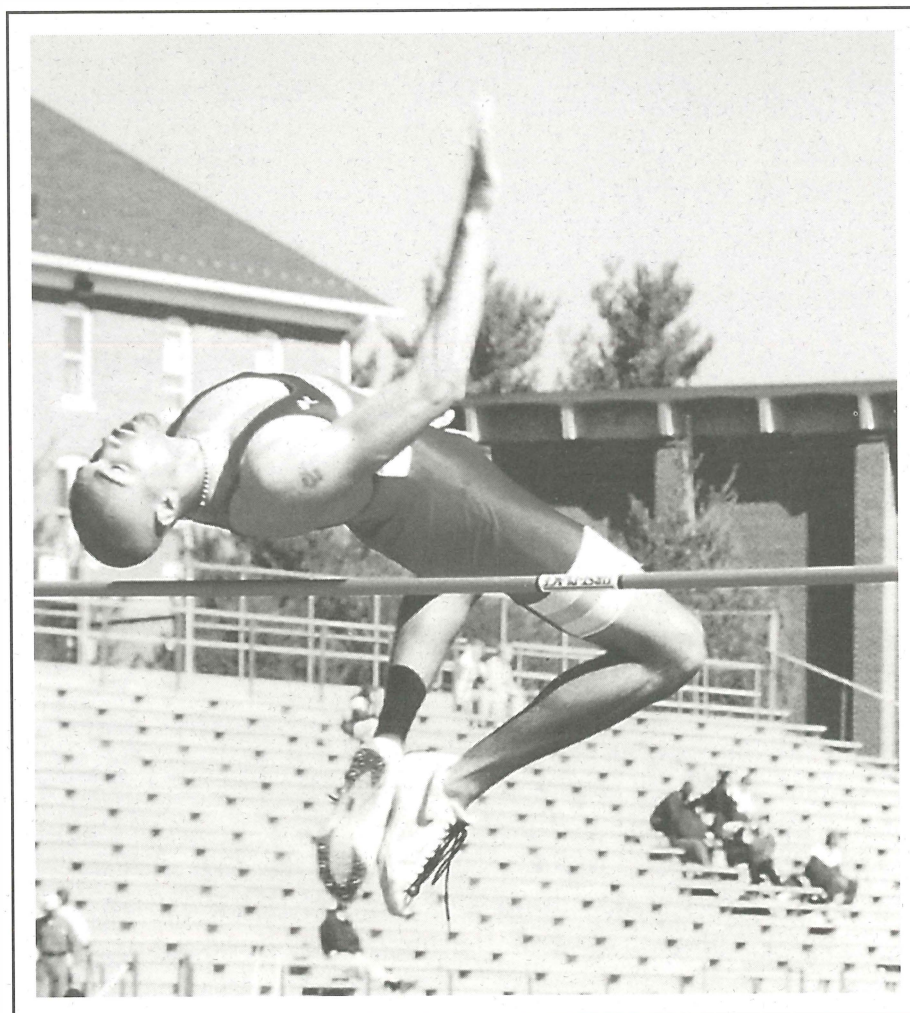
- Dr. Glenn C. Loury, professor of economics at Boston College, delivered the George S. Aldhizer II lectures.

Service Award was presented to Dr. Harold S. Moyer, retired senior pastor at Williamson Road Church of the Brethren in Roanoke, Va.

- Dr. Robert B. Andersen, the W. Harold Row Associate Professor of International Studies, presented a paper in Toronto, Canada, at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association.

April 1997

- Dr. Carl Bowman, professor of sociology, de-



All-American high-jumper Von Lewis clears the bar.

- The 102nd Spiritual Life Institute featured Dr. Rebecca J. Slough, director of congregational and field education at Bethany Theological Seminary, and Dr. William H. Willimon, professor and dean of the Chapel at Duke University. An Outstanding

livered the Founder's Day convocation address, "Public Culture on a Postmodern Stage," based on his work with the University of Virginia's James Davison Hunter on *The State of Disunion: 1996 Survey of American Political Culture*.

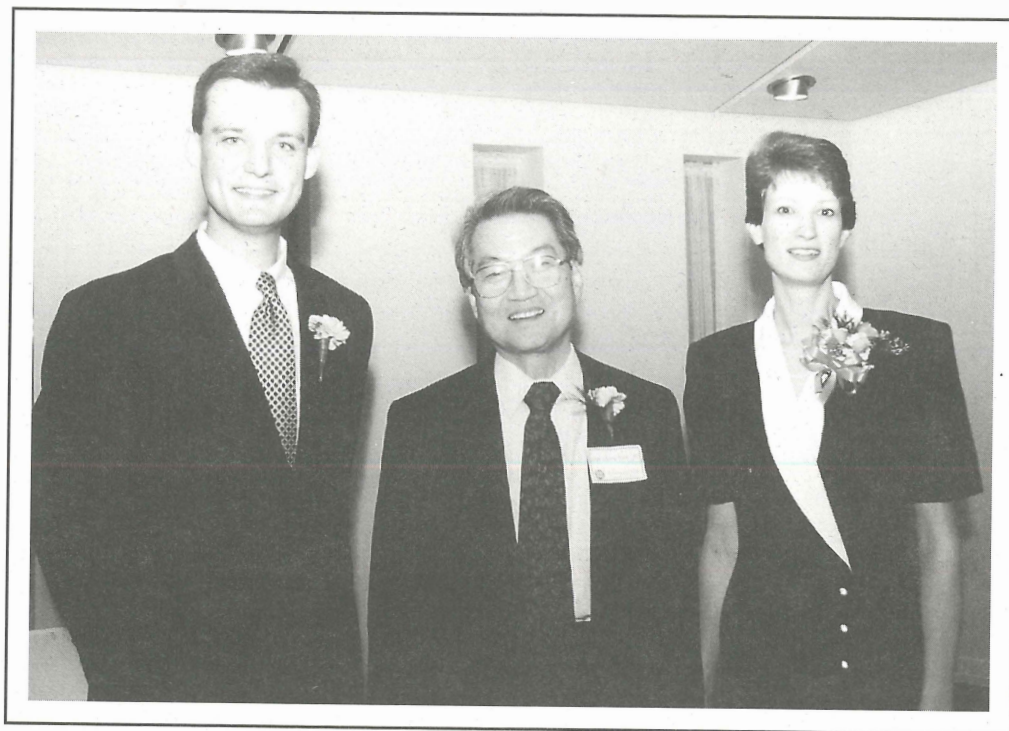
- Dr. Carole C. Grove, associate professor of education, received the Martha B. Thornton Faculty Recognition Award.

- At the annual Founder's Day Banquet, former Congressman James R. Olin of Roanoke, Va., and J. Nelson Liskey of Harrisonburg, retired administrator of Rockingham Memorial Hospital, received Outstanding Service Awards.

- Ashlie Knight was crowned as May Day Queen with Scott VanPelt reigning as King.

May 1997

- Dr. Raymond N. Andes, Class of 1940 and professor emeritus of foreign languages, received the Ripples Medal at the annual banquet of the Ripples



Ken Stroupe, John Riew and Deborah Will receive 1997 alumni awards.

- Li Lu, a leader of the Tiananmen Square demonstration, delivered the W. Harold Row lectures.

- Prof. C. E. "Tiny" May, professor emeritus of English, died April 15, 1997, at the age of 94.

- Students Tiffany Gaston, Hope Woodard and Melanie Johnson directed one-act plays to close the theatrical season.

- The men's track and field team won the Old Dominion Athletic Conference Outdoor Championship; Coach Shane Stevens was named Coach of the Year; Von Lewis was named Male Athlete of the Year.

- Bridgewater College's Forum for Religious Studies released its third book, *The Dilemma of Anabaptist Piety: Strengthening or Straining the Bonds of Community?*

Society, the alumni association of Bridgewater alumni whose classes graduated 50 or more years ago.

- At the annual Alumni Banquet, Dr. John (Chung) Hieh Riew, Class of 1955, was named Distinguished Alumnus for 1997, and Young Alumnus Awards were presented to Deborah Layman Will, Class of 1983, and Kenneth S. Stroupe Jr., Class of 1989.

- Dr. Stanley O. Ikenberry, president of the American Council on Education, addressed the 203-member Class of 1997 at Commencement. Carlyle Whitelow, assistant professor of physical education, was the baccalaureate speaker.

- Ralph MacPhail Jr. was promoted to Professor of Theatre, Speech and English.

- Jessie Ball duPont Fund awarded Bridgewater's Special Education Program a grant of almost \$110,000 to include classes that address issues related to multicultural and migrant populations.

- Two track athletes, Von Lewis (long jump and high jump) and Scott Brown (intermediate hurdles), received All-America honors at the NCAA Division III Outdoor Track and Field Championships in Wisconsin. Coach Shane Stevens was named South/Southeast Region Coach of the Year, and Von Lewis was cited as South/Southeast Male Track Athlete of the Year.

June 1997

- Three professors with a combined 91 years of service — Paul M. Kline, professor of art; Thomas R. Thornley Jr., professor of music; and Carlyle Whitelow, assistant professor of physical education, retired.

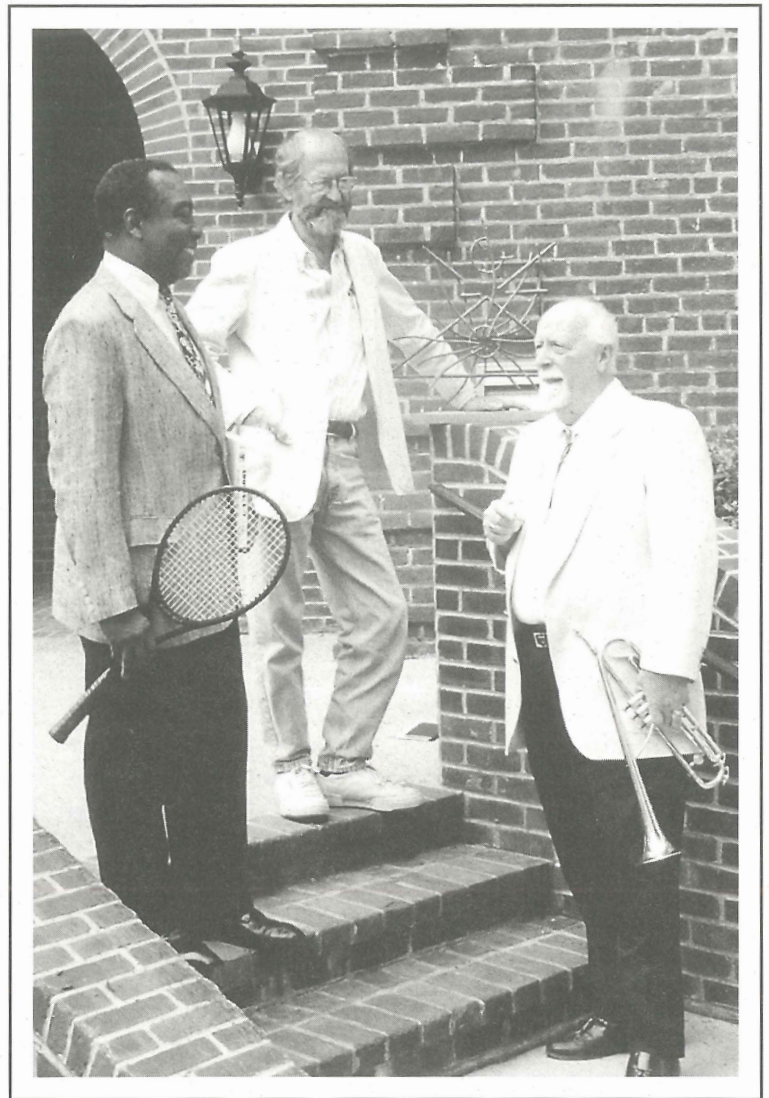
- Dr. Leroy Williams, assistant professor of computer science, was named chair of the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science, succeeding Dr. Paul Bender, professor of mathematics.



Mensel D. Dean, Jr.

- Dr. Phillip C. Stone was cited as a Distinguished Virginian by the Virginia District Exchange Club. He was nominated for the state honor by the Harrisonburg Exchange Club.

- The 1996-97 Business and Professional Campaign, chaired by Mensel D. Dean, raised just over \$135,200.
- At the close of the fiscal year, *Projection 21: An Adventure in Excellence*, the College's \$60 million fund-raising campaign, had raised



Carlyle Whitelow, Paul Kline and Tom Thornley

\$32.3 million, 53.9 percent of the goal.

Reviewing achievements, activities and grief month-by-month compresses a year into a visual representation of all the effort and affection that transformed a 1996-97 calendar into a very special year in the life of Bridgewater College.

Throughout the memories is the recognition that we relate to people, not events. People — students, faculty, alumni, friends — shaped the year. Day in and day out, people make Bridgewater College what it is — a college of character, a community of excellence.



Contributed Support

Private support of Bridgewater College topped \$3.3 million in the fiscal year which ended June 30, boosted by the receipt of several major bequests.

The \$3.3 million marks the third best fund-raising year in the College's history, ranking behind only two extraordinary records set in 1985-86 and in 1992-93.

In 1985-86, gifts soared to what was then a record \$4.2 million due to the generosity of alumni and friends toward rebuilding efforts following the devastating flood of November 1985.

In 1992-93, that record was topped by the receipt of the largest gift in the College's history. Dr. Robert M. McKinney, a long-time trustee of the College, left the bulk of his estate to the College's endowment fund to be used for scholarships. His gift, received over several years, eventually totaled nearly \$11 million; the bulk of it was

received in 1992-93 and pushed that year's private support to \$11.7 million.

For 1996-97, significant bequests from the estates of C. D. Lantz of Broadway and Crystal Driver Wakeman of Manassas paced the giving. Lantz, who died Aug. 24, 1996, had served on the College's board of trustees since 1959; he and his wife Vergie have been generous benefactors for many years. Mrs. Wakeman and her late husband, Benjamin O. Wakeman, were alumni of Bridgewater and long-time supporters of the College. Wakeman Hall, a residence hall, is named in their honor. Mrs. Wakeman died Dec. 8, 1995.

Partly as a result of the Lantz and Wakeman bequests, estate-related giving to the College rose by more than \$1.1 million from 1995-96 to 1996-97.

GRANT AND GIFT INCOME SUMMARY

July 1, 1996 - June 30, 1997

ALUMNI (2,620 donors)

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| The Annual Fund | \$340,534.26 |
| Capital and Special Purposes | 376,501.69 |
| Bequests and Bequest-Related Gifts | 786,799.33 |
| Subtotal | \$1,503,835.28 |

PARENTS (177 donors)

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|------------------------------------|--------------------|
| The Annual Fund | \$22,472.00 |
| Capital and Special Purposes | 8,960.00 |
| Subtotal | \$31,432.00 |

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN (187 congregations/groups) \$119,726.89

BUSINESS, INDUSTRY AND FOUNDATIONS

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| Virginia Foundation for Independent Colleges | \$180,428.35 |
| Other Businesses, Corporations, Foundations (249 donors) | 466,883.60 |
| Subtotal | \$647,311.95 |

OTHER SOURCES (328 donors, mostly individuals)

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|---|-----------------------|
| The Annual Fund | \$94,778.28 |
| Capital and Special Purposes | 96,856.92 |
| Bequests and Bequests-Related Contributions | 806,688.26 |
| Organizations | 6,010.23 |
| Subtotal | \$1,004,333.69 |

TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS FROM PRIVATE SOURCES \$3,306,639.81

**Federal Grants (student assistance, interest supplements)
and Other Public Grants (Virginia) \$1,500.00**

TOTAL GIFTS AND GRANTS (from 3,563 donors) \$3,308,139.81

1996-97 HONOR ROLL OF DONORS

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Bridgewater College established the Founders Society to honor properly those men and women — past and present — who through their generous investments of time, talent and resources have undergirded the College for continued excellence in educational service.

These individuals have attained membership in this society after their cumulative giving reached a minimum of \$100,000 or after having made a gift of a minimum of that amount.

With deep gratitude, we thank them for their generous support.

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Class Agent

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Class Agent

54%

\$9,887.50

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Class Agent

33%

\$27,687.58

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32%

\$10,974.74

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Class Agent

47%

\$950.00

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50%

\$367,734.38

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Fred R. Woodie
Class Agent
58%
\$16,390.00

Anna Garber Crist
Genevieve Harsh Dixon
Alvin T. Dulaney, Jr.
John W. Durna*
Harlan M. Eye
Harold V. Holsinger
Elva Garber Huffman
Rosa Wagoner Kinzie
Grace Bowman Koons
Mary Naff Layman
Twila Harman Mauzy
Mildred Hite May
Lois Miller McCorkle
Robert A. Miller
R. Eugene Ocker
Mary Reed Rice
Lola Virginia Sanger*
Robert M. Seese
Carrie Hollen Simmons
Miriam Blough Simpson
Minnie Roller
Wagenschein
Evelyn Barnes Wilhide
Fred R. Woodie
J. Hiram Zigler
Jacob S. Zigler
Leah Flora Zigler

CLASS OF 1940

John P. Mundy
Class Agent
65%
\$9,860.83

Raymond N. Andes
Eva Kindig Appl
Naomi Wolfe Ardinger
Sara Wampler Baxter
Helen Kinzie Crumpacker
Paul R. Dixon
Florena Evans Duling
Joseph L. Early
Wendell P. Flory
John H. Floyd

Ruthanna Foard
J. Randolph Gambill, Jr.
Mearl G. Gordon
Maurice E. Grossnickle
Miriam Barnette Holden
Francis Adam Hollen
Thomas G. Jones
Walter M. Koenig
George A. Kromhout
Thelma White Kromhout
Mildred Frances Langrell
N. Gordon Le Bert
Alice Miller Miller
Lowell A. Miller
M. Willard Miller
John P. Mundy
Rhett R. Petcher
Dorothy Petcher Quimby
J. Rowland Reid
Mary Dixon Simpson
Barbara Roller Smith

CLASS OF 1941

W. Donald Clague
Class Agent
69%
\$8,372.50

William W. Bane, Jr.
Margaret Friddle Bowman
W. Donald Clague
William Z. Cline
Wilmer Q. Crummett
Kathryn Shaver Culp
A. Louise Dove
Frederick D. Dove, Jr.
John C. Eller
G. Wayne Glick
Merrill D. Hammon
Dorothy Campbell
Henderson
Elizabeth Morris Hickman
Dorothy Rodeffer Hill
Edith Kern
William A. Mason
Virginia Wilcox Miller
George M. Nipe, Sr.
I. Louise Nipe
H. Lawrence Rice
Shirley Hoover Taylor
Hazel Clark Turner
Frederick C. Wampler
Mary Miller Wampler
W. James Whetzel, Jr.
John W. Whitmore
Aundria Newton Wilson
Elby C. Wilson
Jacob C. Wine, Jr.
R. Lowell Wine
Ruth Crumpacker Wine

CLASS OF 1942

Paul B. Sanger, Jr.
Class Agent
73%
\$172,969.09

Carolyn Long Barkman
J. R. Barkman
Mabel Palmer Basore
Harry B. Bowman
Mary Gentry Eye
Ermon N. Foster
June Hoover Foster
Edna Armstrong Friel

Barbara Zigler Glick
 Ruby Hockman
 Grossnickle
 W. Bernelle Hill
 William J. Hotchkiss
 Henry C. Ikenberry
 Margaret Henry Ikenberry
 Robert E. Kinzie
 Mary Senseney Kline
 M. Ellsworth Kyger
 Violet Craun Lineweaver
 Kathryn Garst Mason
 Lawrence S. Miller
 Mildred F. Mundy
 Winifred Wright Nicholas
 Ruby Wright Phillips
 George L. Rickard
 Mary Bradburne Rose
Paul B. Sanger, Jr.
 Lydia Ann Siple
 O. Paul Siple
 Phyllis Wine Smith
 William C. Suter
 Ellis H. Teets
 Ernest H. Walker
 Flora Harsh Weaver
 Wilda Huffman Wenger
 Ira M. Wine
 Margaret Wampler
 Wiseman
 Ralph S. Wolfe

CLASS OF 1943

John T. Glick, Jr.
 Class Agent
 62%

\$8,932.00

Louise Brown Alden
 Roland Z. Arey
 John R. Beahm
 Madge Lee Beazley
 Kathryn Reid Bowman
 Betty S. Clague
 Garland L. Cline
 Warren B. Crummett
 S. Flory Diehl
 Esther Virginia Flory
 Roy C. Francis
John T. Glick, Jr.
 Bruce M. Graham
 Mary White Graham
 Olive Craun Grove
 James L. Houff
 Harold A. Jennings
 Leona Dodge Jones
 Harold D. Lehman
 Catherine Haldeman Long
 Omer M. Long, Sr.
 Wayne L. Myers
 Mildred Schmidt Nethken
 Margaret Mason Norton
Paul W. Petcher
 Edna Brugh Ritter
 Carl F. Smith
 Harold D. Smith
 Bernard F. Sparks*
 Cornelia Miller Sparks
 Arlie E. Waggy
 Byron J. Wampler, Jr.
 Ellen Harsh Wheeler
 Carl H. Zigler

CLASS OF 1944

Samuel H. Flora, Jr.
 Class Agent
 60%

\$4,612.50

Mark W. Andes
 Irene Sanderson Beahm
 James C. Boitnott
 Dorothy Jones Crist
 Lorraine Texiere Fike
Samuel H. Flora, Jr.
 Doris Finks Flory
 Janet Evers Foster
 Charlotte Graham Garner
 Elizabeth C. Glick-Rieman
 Mary Ziegler Houff
 Wanda Arnold Houff
 Mary Garber Jennings
 Hazel Wright Keller
 Nancy Miller Littlepage
 Floyd R. Mason
 Ray B. Miller
 Robert S. Miller
 Floyd H. Mitchell
 Tressie Virginia Myers
 Richard Q. Penick
 Dorothy Phillips
 Revercomb
 Evelyn R. Richards
 Ferne Phillips Rowland
 Anne Swiger Scharon
 Carrie Swift Smith
Miriam Rohrer Smith
 Ralph E. Wine
 Hardenia Click Zigler

CLASS OF 1945

Christine Huffman Myers
 Class Agent
 49%

\$7,756.69

Joseph W. Baker
 Elsie Jones Beam
 Emmert F. Bittinger
 Daisybelle Berkebile
 Boitnott
 Anna Margaret Brown
 Howard Kyner Brown, Jr.
 Doris Miller Good
 H. Gerald Guyton
 Miriam Mason Holl
 John E. Hoover
 Robert E. Houff
 Gene Bowman Johnson
 Virginia Fike Life
 Nancy Lee MacAllister
 Mary Weybright Marcum
 Elizabeth Blough Martin
 Miriam Spangler
 Martindale
 Joseph M. Mason
 Zola Simpson Miller
Christine Huffman Myers
 Jean Eckard Oxley
 Mary Ellen Phibbs
 Jesse D. Robertson
 McHenry L. Stiff III
 Kathleen Humbert Suter
 Margaret Kendig Tabler
 Anna Pope Will
 Margaret Early Wine

CLASS OF 1946

Elaine Robertson Smith
 Class Agent
 56%

\$4,995.00

Fred M. Bowman
 William H. Edmonson, Jr.
 George J. Edwards
 Loleine Barnhart Fisher
 Marie Mason Flory
 Margaret Schmidt Garner
 Anna Hartman Hall
 George E. Hall
 Helena Crouse Hand
 Elizabeth Bowman Hodge
 Ben E. Hoover
 Margaret Glick Hunkins
 Helen Elaine Jordan
 Evelyn Jones Lady
 Alton L. McDaniel
 Ava Wilson Miller
 Kathleen Hull Mitchell
 Rosalie Bowman Moomaw
 J. Weldon Myers
 Elizabeth Wolfkill Rogers
Elaine Robertson Smith
 Wendell L. Smith
 Betty Lease Thompson
 Evelyn Ritchie Tower
 Gloria Bohn Wilson

CLASS OF 1947

Peggy Wright Miller
 Class Agent
 69%

\$12,291.25

Sylvia Seese Bieber
 R. Russell Bixler
 Constance Dewese Cripe
 Mervin A. Cripe
 Garner H. Downey
 O. Kermit Early
 Richard W. Eller
 Jean Lee Fifer
 Paul B. Foster
Glenn S. Garner
 Margaret Steagall Glover
 Gerald C. Hicks
 Jerry D. Hicks
Roy H. Hodge, Jr.
 Thelma Conner Hotchkiss
 Nina Peters Hylton
 W. David Kahle
 Homer M. Kline, Jr.
 Sara Zigler Knupp
 Kenneth B. McGolerick
 Roberta N. Messamer
 Charles S. Miller
 Myron S. Miller
 O. Lloyd Miller
Peggy Wright Miller
Phyllis Cupp Miller
 Hazel Morsing Oetjen
 Fletcher Pope, Jr.
 Wilma Kline Robertson
 Barbara Barnhart Russell
Charles L. Snyder
 Daniel B. Suter
 Mari Jayne Tidwell
 Bernice Hooker Walter
Dorris Berry Wampler
Fred F. Wampler
 Mirna Belle Wolfe
 Dailey D. Young

CLASS OF 1948

Ina Mason Shank
 Class Agent
 49%

\$9,920.43

Velma Johnson Bane
 Winifred E. Beckner
 Esther Landis Bittinger
 David M. Brillhart
 Alice Wright Brown
 Doris Myers Brubaker
 Zola Wampler Farley Byers
 Louise Bowman Callahan
 Quinton O. Carr
 Paul D. Crumley
 Lillian Chan Ding*
 Rebecca Miller Eller
 Wendell C. Eller
 Amy Myers Ericson
 Joseph L. Glick
 Kathryn Rittenhouse Hall
 Mary Jennings Hoover
 John A. Horn
 Constance Lunsford
 Johansson
 Polly Adams Kahle
 Isabelle Sheetz Lewis
 Alma Moyers Long
 Charles E. Miller
 Ermina Miller Petcher
 Harold R. Petcher
 Sarah Fike Pletcher
 Leon W. Rhodes
 Virginia Coates Ruffner
Ina Mason Shank
 Lois Cornelia Shank
 Carl Simmons, Jr.
 Glenn W. Suter
 H. Byrd Teter
 Aleene Wright Wagner
 Frances Brubaker
 Wampler
 Evelyn Roller Wilson

CLASS OF 1949

Charles M. Sackett
Marilee Miller Sackett
 Class Agents
 59%

\$21,199.44

Elizabeth Louise Beard
 Nancy Layman Bertholf
 Galen E. Bowman
 James O. Bowman
 Wanda Martin Bowman
 Herman W. Brubaker
 Maxine Wakeman
 Burkholder
 John W. Clayton
Alvin E. Conner
 Nancy Clague Crawford
 Marvin E. Deavers
 Audrey Louise Driver
 Joseph H. Early, Jr.
 Emory G. Eby
 Elva Aylor Einsel
 Gerald E. Fawley
 Edgar A. Flora
 Frances Wilson Flora
 Dawn Kathryn Glick
 Carroll C. Goodridge
 Kenneth R. Harner
 Patricia Seese Heiney

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Top 10 Classes

Donors

**Class of 1950
 Class of 1970
 71 Donors**

**Class of 1951
 70 Donors**

**Class of 1965
 68 Donors**

**Class of 1959
 67 Donors**

**Class of 1968
 65 Donors**

**Class of 1969
 57 Donors**

**Class of 1971
 55 Donors**

**Class of 1973
 53 Donors**

**Class of 1949
 Class of 1960
 50 Donors**

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Top 10 Classes

Percentage

(donors of those solicited)

Class of 1942
78 percent

Class of 1941
Class of 1947
69 Percent

Class of 1940
65 Percent

Class of 1937
64 Percent

Class of 1943
62 Percent

Class of 1954
61 Percent

Class of 1944
60 Percent

Class of 1949
59 Percent

Class of 1939
58 Percent

Donald L. Hilbert
Roger K. Hoover*
John L. Hopkins III
William H. Jordan
Charles S. Kiracofe, Jr.
E. Harley Kline
Marie Maust Landis-Frueh
Elaine McLaughlin Lowder
Margaret Kirby Miller
Norma Oates Miller
Virginia Whitmore Plecker
Eugene R. Puffenberger
Earl D. Rowland
O. Grant Rush
Charles M. Sackett
Marilee Miller Sackett
Robert G. Sanger
O. Raymond Sellers, Jr.
Bobby L. Smith
Norman O. Wagenschein
Kathleen W. Wampler
Garland L. Whitmer
Hubert N. Whitten, Jr.
Virginia Bittinger Whitten
Edgar F. Wilkerson
Shirley Petcher Wilkerson
Connie Arbogast Ziegler
Charles D. Zigler

CLASS OF 1950

L. Daniel Burtner
Nancy Garst Trout
Class Agents
52%
\$23,533.75

Ruth Funkhouser
Armstrong
Ruth Richmond Barth
Harold L. Bennett
Norma Bowman Bixler
Lowell H. Boothe
Patricia Myers Boothe
Donald V. Bowman
Warren D. Bowman, Jr.
L. Daniel Burtner
Harry R. Byrd
Max M. Carpenter
Allen M. Clague, Jr.
Juanita Simmons Clague
Pauline Payne Coleman
Corinne Early Crumley
Clinton E. DeBusk
Lucille Jordan Didawick
Edna Ledbetter Feaga
Byron M. Flory, Jr.
Daniel C. Flory
Samuel F. Funkhouser
Harry M. Gardner
Paul H. Garst
Thomas J. Goldston, Jr.
Bobby W. Gooden
Iris Spradling Groff
Andrew C. Hankla, Jr.
John W. Hepfer*
Paul E. Hoffman
Richard W. Homan
Ernest M. Hooker
Margaret Faulkner Horn
Anne Boltz Howdershell
W. W. Howdershell
John G. Irvin*
Dicie Carpenter Jenkins
Thomas H. Jenkins

Charles D. Johnson
Richard A. Jones
Shirly Brandt Kiger
June Sadd Kline
Francine Greenacre
Lawrence
Jack E. Maphis
Alphadine Elsie Martin
C. E. May, Jr.
Helen Mason McKalips
Willard E. Miller
Joyce C. Moyers
Anna Mae Myers
George W. Pegrarn, Jr.
E. Marshall Pywell
Rosa Beahm Rankin
Weldon P. Reeves
William E. Reish
Raymond C. Rhodes
Laird L. Rush
Charlotte Shiflet-Young
Carl N. Shull
Dawn A. Smith
Doris Early Smith
William L. Smith, Jr.
Freedra Bowman Snavely
Martin O. Spangler
Barbara Judy Taylor
Freda Cabbage Thawley
Norman W. Thomas
Nancy Garst Trout
Phyllis Dovel Viands
William D. Wampler
Kathleen Miller Williar
Franklin C. Wilson

CLASS OF 1951

Harold S. Moyer
Owen G. Stultz
Class Agents
54%

\$10,817.75
Kurtz E. Alderman
Wayne D. Ardinger
Harold W. Armstrong
Charles J. Ashby
Betty Kline Beckner
J. Alaric Bowman*
Katharine Coffman Bowman
Oliver A. Bowman
Elbridge H. Callahan
Helen Chan Chan
Alfred R. Cline
Carroll E. Conner
Geraldine Garber Conner
Alice Soper Corbett
Neil G. Corbett
Albert W. Crawford
Martha Cupp
Guy F. Didawick
Earle W. Fike, Jr.
Jean Kiser Fike
Fred D. Fishback
Allen M. Fleishman
Helen Garber Fleishman
William L. Forbes
June Revercomb
Funkhouser
Warren C. Garber
W. Harold Garner
Rebecca Naff Green
Lloyd D. Haag
Carlota Kinzie Hanson

Joseph R. Hiner
Merle L. Jenkins
Ward H. Kipps
Leon M. Kline
Harry L. Kraus
Gareth B. Lease
Ivan W. Lobban
R. Michael Marsh
Ivan J. Mason
Peggy Glick Mason
Ann Eller McDaniels
Carl O. McDaniels
Bonnie Shickel Miller
John L. Miller
Rommie Frank Moore
Harold S. Moyer
Clarence M. Moyers
Ruth Diehl Owens
Robert E. Plecker
Betty Burkholder Reeves
William H. Reid
Mary Vest Reish
Herbert L. Ridder
Ruth Stull Ridder
James H. Roadcap, Jr.
Thomas D. Robinson, Jr.
Helen Pence Saxon
Gaynell Wampler Sayre
John E. Sayre
William L. Simmons
Larry C. Smith
Samuel N. Smith
Owen G. Stultz
Clayton N. Towers
Jacqueline Grove Towers
Harold Trumbo
Thomas E. Wagner
Doris May Walbridge
Gilbert C. Walbridge
Miriam Hersch Weaver

CLASS OF 1952

Robert G. Reeves
Dorothy Huffman Shull
Class Agents
47%
\$9,090.00

Edithe Goodman Arbuckle
Mary Click Arnold
Valley Pence Baker
Everett G. Beckman
Norma Harris Bennett
Frank P. Bontz, Jr.
Henry A. Brubaker
Lillian Trageser
Brumbaugh
Edward A. Byrd
Marie Kerlin Caton
Kwok K. Chan
Charles T. Claxton
Mary Flory Cline
B. Merle Crouse
Howard G. Dull*
Peggy Jo Eller
James S. Flora
Betty Poling Flory
Paul S. Garber
Orville L. Gardner
Charles W. Green
Carleton G. Harper
Claude S. Humbert, Jr.
Glasselle Branham Jenkins
C. Kenneth Landes

A. Carolyn Miller
Lowell W. Miller
Richard R. Miller
Verna Caricofe Moore
Melvin L. Myers
William C. Naylor
Doris Bowman Nolley
Eugene D. Nolley
J. Aubrey Potter, Jr.
Robert G. Reeves
Robert H. Reichard
John B. Reynolds
Eleanor Judy Robinson
Waltine Clore Robinson
Lawrence W. Roller
Dorothy Huffman Shull
Grant D. Simmons
Ilene Neher Smith
Flemmie Getz Stultz
L. Rudy Tucker
Dorothy Wright Wampler
Richard B. Wampler
Iris Warner Wise
J. Robert Wise

CLASS OF 1953

Marion E. Mason
Class Agent
54%
\$11,752.50

Barbara Metzger Anderson
Bonnie Sayre Ankers
Arlyn S. Arnold
John K. Boitnott
J. Willard Bowman
J. H. Caricofe
George V. Clark
Marion W. Clark
David M. Dooley
Joy Nolen Garber
Wilbur L. Garst
Edith Cosner Griffith
Bruce S. Hammer
Louie T. Hargett
Donald R. Huffman
Arnold D. Jenkins
Joseph W. Judy
Jane Thomas Kiger
Otis D. Kitchen
Paul M. Kline
Marion E. Mason
Helen Bowman Moore
William H. Muntzing II
Betty Lou Fike Myers
Lois May Rhodes
Paul M. Robinson
Edward M. Roche
Kathryn Miller Roche
Barbara Sellers Roller
Goldie Shull Roller
Robert S. Roller
Helen Wine Shickel
James E. Shomo
Betty Kline Simmers
Charles H. Simmons
Janet Emelyn Smith
Mary Wampler Spangler
Wayne E. Spangler
Dorothy Richardson Teates
James E. Utterback
Lloyd A. Wakeman
Frederick W. Wampler

*Josephine Spangler
Wampler*
Frank A. Williar
C. Jack Wine

CLASS OF 1954

Marlin P. Alt
Class Agent
61%
\$28,574.59

Marlin P. Alt
Chester L. Bowman
Joann Isenberg Boyd
Billy O. Burkholder
Louise Roller Burtner
Raymond A. Bussard
Betty Naff Caricofe
Doris Carpenter
Melba Melton Cline
Betty Cook Costello
Charles C. Custard
Carolyn Garst Dinst
Joy Harsh Flory
Anne Spigle Garber
Donald W. Garber
Samuel F. Gouldthorpe, Jr.
Dale L. Huffman
Patricia Simmons Hunter
Robert D. Hutchinson
Ray W. Judy
Harold R. Landis
John D. Layman
Marian Sadd Layman
Donald N. Link
Mary Lipscomb Ludwick
Joan Myers Mason
Janet Carter Miller
Joyce DeBolt Miller
Elizabeth Mason Moyers
Clyde Pugh
Martha Furry Reichard
Lee B. Sheaffer
Anne Frysinger Shifflet
Elaine Stauffer
William W. Thomas
Patricia Myers Uhter
Peggy Archibald Utterback
J. Paul Wampler
Priscilla Wakeman Wampler
Harold R. Weybright
Mary Hooker Weybright
Nancy Hollar Whitmore
George S. Widmyer
Frank M. Williams
Mary Phillips Womble
Elizabeth Shaver Wray

CLASS OF 1955

Doris Niswander Albaugh
Phoebe May Orebaugh
Class Agents
51%
\$11,385.00
Doris Niswander Albaugh
Kathleen F. Anderson
Shelvin L. Arey
Gene D. Armstrong
Charles W. Blair
Eleanor Lockridge Bowman
Mary Ankrum Bowman
Pasco M. Bowman II
Alfred W. Cheatwood
Patricia Richardson Creange

Anna Schwaninger Ebling
Herschel R. Fike
Julia Housman Gusler
W. Wallace Hatcher
Clinton A. Hensley
James F. Hoak
James A. King, Jr.
Betty Halterman Kline
Charles F. Kurtz
Frank W. Lambert, Jr.
Virginia Huffman Landis
Charlsie Kirby Langford
Peggy Moore Marks
Eleanor Crist Mason
H. William Mason
Lauree Hersch Meyer
Janice Kathryn Miller
Pauline Gilbert Miller
William S. Modisett
Phoebe May Orebaugh
Lois Sloop Ramkey*
Robert L. Rhea
Betty Phillips Rice
Joseph G. Rieley
John H. Riew
Lowell E. Ritchie
Dorothy Wright Simmons
Mary Shull Simmons
Doris Craun Slusser
Robert L. Thomas
Mervin L. Trail
Fern Jenkins Washburn
N. Paige Will

CLASS OF 1956

Carol Compton Spangler
Class Agent
49%
\$11,017.50

Anonymous
David L. Andes
Charles D. Bowman
L. Clyde Carter, Jr.
Texie Bashor Doolittle
Arlene Miller Fahnestock
Walter L. Flora
Nora Bollinger Garman
Ray E. Glick
Dorothy Myers Godwin
Richard W. Graves
Benny D. Gunter
Carolyn Harshbarger Gunter
Joyce Shifflet Hammer
Jane Heishman Hare
Weston A. Hare
Kenneth E. Harper
Jack W. Heintzleman
Doris Eller Heisel
Dolores Heatwole Hoak
Robert H. Hudson
P. Hampton Hylton
T. Rodman Layman
H. Harold Lehman
Ruth Drake Linn
Emil D. Lipscomb
Margaret Purdy Mason
Ray E. McDorman
Shirley Pritchard McGrath
Peggy Bower Metzger
Joann Kline Mower
M. Louise Owen
Bobby L. Phillips
Edna Foley Phillips

Richard E. Reeves
David B. Rittenhouse
Helen Wild Robinson
Arva V. Short
Raymond L. Shull
C. Ray Smith
Mary Lou Smith
Carol Compton Spangler
Barbara Bower Wampler
Guy E. Wampler, Jr.
Rowland E. Wampler
Carolyn Ikenberry Weaver
Forest O. Wells
David T. Wood

CLASS OF 1957

Ben F. Wade
Class Agent
41%
\$13,295.00
Joyce Whitten Abbott
Alta G. Bibb
Caralee Barkdoll Bixler
James O. Bowman
Sylvia Kline Bowman
Rudolph A. Bush
Sathena Clark Cabler
Joyce Petcher Cline
Joyce Hedrick Coiner
Mary Garber Fifer
Ann Beahm Flora
Thomas H. Glass III
Barbara Furman Groff
Paul L. Groff
John S. Harman
John C. Harshbarger, Jr.
Carolyn Lantz Hatcher
Rebecca Bowman Helbert
Evelyn Beard Kirk
Orrin M. Kline, Jr.
Beverly Wampler
Lineweaver
Nancy Moore Link
James O. Lohr
Robert S. Marshall
John H. Mason
David L. Miller
Richard M. Petre
John F. Powell
William Puffenberger
Phyllis Smith Saufley
Albert L. Sauls
Elizabeth Koller Scarff
Wayne L. Smith
James S. Thompson
Ben F. Wade
Janice Wine Wade
Dale L. Wampler
J. Marion Wampler
John W. Wampler
Shirley Fulcher Wampler
Lillian Wimmer Wells

CLASS OF 1958

Edward F. Jeffries, Jr.
Class Agent
35%
\$3,975.00
Anonymous
Phyllis Motano Brown
Linda Smith Camper
Louis Johnson Carickhoff
Frederick L. Carter, Jr.

Nancy Crockett Carter
Bernice Crockett Davenport
Faye Byerly Davenport
Norma Aist Diehl
Dennis R. Dixon
Carter L. Heatwole
William L. Henderson, Jr.
Bonnie Kitchen Hinkle
Roma Debolt Holloway
Bonnie Brown Hughes
Dawn Spangler Jeffries
Edward F. Jeffries, Jr.
Ressie Elick King
Kathryn Ikenberry Kurtz
James I. Lambert
Laura Fries Lipscomb
William H. Littlepage
Loretta Hartman Lohr
John M. Miller
Robert C. Moyers
Max H. Myers
Joyce Spitzer Nicholson
F. Gary Osborne
Mary Garber Puffenberger
Nancy Draper Rhea
Edna Marie Smith
Kenneth M. Smith
Myrna Dove Strickland
Fred W. Swartz
Marie Vest Thomas
Lois Cupp Thompson
Martha Byerly Ware
Ralph L. Webster
Bettie Ford White
John E. White

CLASS OF 1959

Violet Siron Cox
Jerry M. Wampler
Class Agents
50%
\$10,002.00
Ralph L. Beard
Clement A. Bess
Donna Furman Bess
John M. Bowman
Ruth Bowman Bowman
Auburn A. Boyers
James M. Bryant
Leann Myers Cloud
Patricia Wright Clough
Christine Miller Cole
Marjorie Hare Coppock
Donald E. Corbin
Joanne Mullendore Coulson
Ronald V. Cox
Violet Siron Cox
Betsy Naff Davis
Stephen C. Davis
C. Franklin Drumheller
William H. Drury
Eleanor Huffman
Fiegl-Bartlett
Leland F. Garber
June Adams Gibble
Lavonne Ikenberry Grubb
Mary Edith Hallock
Cecil L. Haycock
Iris Warfield Hughes
John E. Hutchison
Rogina Fifer Isaacs
Patricia Anne Johnson
Raeburn Ingles Judy

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Pacesetters ~ 1913-1929

★ **Class of 1929**
#1 - Giving
\$367,734.38
#1 - Donors
10 Donors

★ **Class of 1925**
#1 - Percentage
54 Percent

Pacesetters ~ 1930s

★ **Class of 1936**
#1 - Giving
\$175,008.18

★★ **Class of 1937**
#1 - Donors
27 Donors
#1 - Percentage
64 Percent

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Pacesetters

~
1940s

★★ **Class of 1942**
#1 - Giving
\$172,969.09
#1 - Percentage
73 Percent

★ **Class of 1949**
#1 - Donors
50 Donors

Robert H. King
Joyce Boone Klein
Iva Brubaker Lam
Frank B. Layman, Jr.
Mary Jo Mitchell
Thomas D. Myers
Fay Hutchinson Ordell
Ralph J. Ordell
Patricia Hundley Osisek
Allan S. Poster
Velda Petre Pritchett
W. Clifton Pritchett
Doris Miller Quarles
Elaine Bassett Raider
June Loose Riley
Judith Holen Ringgold
Laura Stone Rittenhouse
Jimmy R. Ross
Carolyn Yates Seidel
Glen E. Shirkey
Janice Bryant Shober
Delores Hilbert Simmons
James G. Simmons
Hal D. Smith
Royal E. Snavelly
William E. Stephenson
Louise Sayre Vakil
Rosalie Buchanan Walker
Andrew G. Walters, Sr.
D. Eugene Wampler
Jerry M. Wampler
Lois Hartman Webb
Peggy Brubaker Webster
Carlyle Whitelaw
Ruth Wichaël Williams
Lewis W. Wimmer
Reba K. Wood

CLASS OF 1960
Flora Hastings Beard
V. Leroy Harsh
Class Agents
42%
\$7,691.70
Alphus E. Arthur, Jr.
Flora Hastings Beard
Joyce Whitacre Bohn
Jack A. Bowman
James D. Bowman
Sue Burkholder Brown
Travis D. Brown
G. Forrest Collier, Jr.
Albert R. Crouch
Janet Leannah Dove
Robert M. Flora
Dale L. Foster, Sr.
Alfred W. Good
Harold F. Good
Naomi Lantz Good
Mary Scruggs Graninger
Edward N. Hallock
R. Lanier Halterman, Jr.
V. Leroy Harsh
Allegra Haldeman Hess
Irvin E. Hess
Nancy Schall Hildebrand
Darl W. Hinkle
Robert C. Holloway
William R. Hood
Donald R. Jordan
Don P. Judy
Peggy Wilkins King
William T. Kline

A. Gene Knicely
Doris Miller Lacey
Berchie Isenberg Larkins
James O. McAvoy
Howard A. Miller
Jewel Miller Myers
Willadeane Phibbs Myers
Willmer B. Nolen
Katherine Horner Parkinson
Norma Jo Peterson
Leland F. Pittman
J. Richard Rader
Anne Murray Reid
R. Coleman Reid
James R. Sperry
Shirley McCracken Spire
Jack L. Stapleton
Ralph M. Warner
Alfred T. Whitelaw
Dorothy Jones Winter
Robert A. Winter

CLASS OF 1961
Eleanor Muntzing Owens
Terry G. Staubaugh
Class Agents
38%
\$22,409.31

A. LeRoy Baker
Wanda Harmon Baker
D. Richard Bohn
Eleanor Spangler Brogan
C. Todd Brown
Dorothy Potter Bryant
Patricia Greene Bryant
James M. Chism
Walter W. Daggett
Gloria Meyers Denlinger
Homer K. Dulaney
Nancy Brubaker Fulcher
Wilfred L. Fulcher
Ella Jean Garst
Wayne C. Garst
Byron L. Grossnickle
Donnie E. Harsh
Doris Lawson Harsh
Robert L. Holden
Sylvia Rieman Houser
Dolores Northrop Huffman
Marjorie Corbin Kehoe
Carolyn Bauserman
Kneisly
E. Thornton Lam
David A. Layman
Rosalie Frazier Leigh
Wayne M. Liskey
Glenn W. Miller
JoAnn Jones Newman
David H. Osborne
Eleanor Muntzing Owens
Bertha Dickerson Phibbs
Bonnie Williams Ruger
Lester N. Saunders, Jr.
Jean Harden Simmons
Terry G. Staubaugh
Duward Starkey
Edwin C. Stone
Paula Smith Van Domelen
Jane Jarrels Wenger
Janet Estep Whetzel
Donna Brand Whitener
Joseph A. Whitmore, Jr.
Lois Bowman Whitmore

John A. Wiggs
B. Joseph Zimmerman

CLASS OF 1962
A. Edward Burgess
Virginia Henry Kline
Class Agents
36%
\$10,902.50

William H. Aiken, Jr.
Judith Miller Allen
James E. Beahm
Janet Huffman Bollinger
Richard A. Brand
Eunice Shull Braun
Jane Wayland Brewster
A. Edward Burgess
Sue Moyers Cobb
Alice V. Cudlipp
Ann Power Daugherty
R. Paul Davis
Donald F. Dixon
Iva Speicher Dixon
Barbara Lindstrom Eanes
Donald W. Eyer, Jr.
Norman W. Fely
Yancey W. Ford, Jr.
Charles B. Hammond
Howard R. Hammond
Gaylia Kline Hudgins
Richard H. Keplinger
Elbert W. Kinzie
Jean Harvey Kirkham
Robert S. Klein
Virginia Henry Kline
Carl L. Lackey
Carole Tanner Landes
Ronald L. Layman
Rebecca Zinn Liskey
Helen Shuey Marshall
Elizabeth Loving Miller
Roland E. Mills, Jr.
Judy Duzan Neff
Larry E. Neff
Elizabeth Bowman Oakes
Evelyn Miller Sandin
Miles W. Sandin
Barbara Jean Scruggs
Betty Garber Sullivan
Susan Petellat Tury
Sue Hartley Valentine
John M. Wright
Joyce Miller Wright

CLASS OF 1963
J. Edwin Henneberger
Ernest D. May
Rebecca Beech May
Class Agents
31%
\$11,361.00
Lo Byerly Aldhizer
John S. Baker
Peggy Stanford Bishop
Joyce Fogle Bohn
David L. Bollinger
Richard F. Bower
Janet Louise Bowman
Robert L. Cook
Betty Rickman Davis

Jean Braunlich Davis
Sonja Berger Davis
Roger U. Delauter, Jr.
Carroll L. Dickenson
B. Ray Fike
Henrietta Kiracofe Fralin
R. Thomas Fralin, Jr.
Harold D. Garber
John C. Garber
J. Edwin Henneberger
Douglas M. Jones
Russell S. Liskey
James A. Longenecker
Ernest D. May
Rebecca Beech May
Jane Meadows
Wayne S. Mitchell
Wilfred E. Nolen
James H. Ott
Carroll W. Ours
Richard E. Phillips
Harriet Flora Rader
Ann Powel Ralston
William H. Ralston, Jr.
R. Allen Rhodes
Thomas R. Rosazza
Ann Anderson Scott
Nancy Harris Snead
Norman K. Sulser
Stuart R. Suter
A. Conway Thorp
Paul P. Vames
James C. Wood
Lula Belle Wood

CLASS OF 1964
Delmer G. Botkin
Judy Nolen Henneberger
Class Agents
30%
\$6,540.00
Marie Phibbs Ashley
Delmer G. Botkin
Robert E. Burgess, Jr.
Donna Jean Carr
Susan Frantz Clark
James M. Crumpacker, Jr.
Dolores Rudolph Ebersole
Harold Z. Ebersole
Stuart G. Fears, Jr.
Wilma Livingston
Ferguson
Carson C. Good
Patricia Sullivan Good
Susan Miller Hall
Judy Nolen Henneberger
Dale L. Holien
Lanny W. Holsinger
Larry R. Huffman
Ronald I. Hytton
J. Wayne Judd
G. Stephen King
Lillian Freddy Kinzie
Don A. Landes
Garland R. Life
Vivian Stone Longenecker
Alice Hoffman MacPhail
Virginia Mowbray Mathias
Letitia Teets Maye
Shirley Phillips Miller
Mark E. Myers, Jr.
Paul V. Phibbs, Jr.
Eileen Esworthy Phillips

E. Bentley Reed, Jr.
 Gary W. Riner
William A. Sar
 Butler Sizemore
 Cynthia Hill Stonesifer
 Julie Fitzwater Swope
 Carolyn Spoerlein Updyke
 Frances D. vonSeldeneck
 Nelson R. Waldrop
 Wilson J. Warner
 Carolyn Petcher Wiles
 Charles M. Williams, Jr.
 Frank L. Wiseman, Jr.

CLASS OF 1965

Leland W. Flora
Suetta Sulser Griffith
 Class Agents
 41%

\$14,306.56

Anonymous
 James H. Benson
 Sue Grove Botkin
 David D. Cason
 Mary Lynn Shelor Cason
 Allan R. Cole
 Mary Jean Simpson Cole
 Alyce Mundy Cunningham
D. Miller Davis
 Brydon M. DeWitt
 Ronald R. Dodson
 Mary Coffman Early
 Patricia Riddel Early
 Chadwick J. Edwards
 David F. Emswiler
 Wanda Randall Ferrell
 W. Stuart Fleishman
Leland W. Flora
 David L. Fondelier
 Dorothy Elizabeth Gosnell
 Patricia Kline Grady
 Danielle LeGoff Greene
 Herbert J. Griffith
Suetta Sulser Griffith
 Vicky Nichols Guenther
 Karen Taggart Hamilton
 Juanita Cox Heath
 Mary L. Hobbs
 Raymond E. Hodge
 Shirley Long Hollen
 William S. Hutton
 C. David Jones
 Susann Long Jones
 Patricia Beers Judd
 Jane C. Kennedy
 James P. Kirby
 Ellen K. Layman
 Brenda Deyerle Life
 Ralph MacPhail, Jr.
James A. Maye
Donald R. Myers
 Robert H. Patterson
 Sue Miller Patterson
 Marion L. Powell
James S. Replogle
 Robert F. Riffle
 Gary N. Rodeffer
 Eileen Aist Rowland
 Charles H. Scott
 Roger M. Seale
 Garold W. Senger, Jr.
 Douglas G. Shear
 Hugh N. Snead

Phillip C. Stone
 James A. Stonesifer
 Jacqueline Berlin Stoops
 Loyal H. Vanderveer
 Suzanna Weimer
 Vanderveer
 William W. vonSeldeneck, Jr.
 D. Samuel Wampler
 Verna Gardner Webber
 Mabel Wakeman Weiss
 Larry H. White
 Phyllis Clower Wilson
 Robert A. Wolfe
 Edward M. Young
 Robert A. Zaccaria
 Priscilla Matthews Zobel

CLASS OF 1966

Donald R. Brown
William S. Earhart
 Class Agents
 29%

\$12,955.07

Mary Ann P. Angleberger
 Glenn C. Bowman
 T. Kenneth Brady
Donald R. Brown
 Jean Crumpacker Brown
 Erich E. Brumbaugh
 Nancy Flora Crumpacker
 J. R. Cubbage, Jr.
John B. Curry II
 Anne Myers Dellinger
 Lou Wampler Dewitt
William S. Earhart
 F. Samuel Early
 John P. Erb
 Samuel C. Foster
Michael A. Gardner
 Nelson W. Good
 Bingham W. Higgins
 Janine Sherfy Holekamp
 Helen Louise Huffman
 Barbara Forbes Johnson
 H. Jacob Koch III
 Lucretia Miller Lane
 Mary Lantz Maiden
 Nancy Nissley Marsden
 William H. Mock
 Delores Ann Morris
 Penny Johnson Ott
 Joanne Wakeman Reed
 Hubert C. Roop, Jr.
 John W. Sanger
 Elizabeth Frank Sar
 Cynthia Craig Shear
 Charles L. Shipp
 James O. Stepp
Cherrill Kline Stone
 Dorothy Fearins Stone
 Catherine Crist Strickler
 Lila E. Williams
C. Lawrence Wiskeman
 Davene McKee Wolfe

CLASS OF 1967

Sandra M. Chase
Mensel D. Dean, Jr.
 Class Agents
 22%

\$5,240.00

Bonnie Miller Anderson

Thomas H. Anderson
 Edward F. Arnett
 Kathy Kevill Batkin
 Jaquelin G. Bradford
Sandra M. Chase
Mensel D. Dean, Jr.
 James F. Ellis
 Dixie Sue Elmes
 Donna Spitler Fields
 Constance Knight Gilmer
 Vincent B. Gilmer
 Donald C. Gourley
 Lynn Clark Heatwole
 Ray L. Heatwole
 Brian C. Hildebrand
 Karyl S. Kayton
 Jean-Pierre LeGoff
 Christopher Lydle
 Thelma Esworthy Lydle
 Warren C. Murphy
 David A. Penrod
 H. Emerson Poling
 Dolores Fravel Richardson
 Nancy Lee Rittenhouse
 Thomas C. Scordas, Jr.
 Raymond L. Shaner
 Mildred Peterson Simpson
 Georgia Ann Snell
 Charles B. Somers III
 Linda Flory Stout
 Carolyn Wright Sturgill
 Hans F. Wachtmeister

CLASS OF 1968

Bruce W. Barlow
Anne Tullidge Bell
Frederick P. Schmoyer III
 Class Agents
 39%

\$17,577.50

Patricia Manlove Alderfer
Bruce W. Barlow
Anne Tullidge Bell
 David H. Bell
 Ann Foster Brown
 Anne Wynn Carver
 David E. Coffman
 Galen G. Craun, Jr.
 A. Chester Dove
 Betty Bryan Dove
 Cheryl Lackey Fairchilds
 J. Vern Fairchilds, Jr.
 Samuel D. Flory
 William C. Forrest
 E. Edward Froehlich, Jr.
 Harold C. Furr II
 Nancy Frambes Gleich
 Douglas M. Graves
 Michael D. Guinn
 Susan Allender Hagedorn
 Ruth Nelson Hannum
 S. Franklin Harris, Jr.
 Elaine Hartman-McGann
 Barbara Martin High
 Fredrick G. Hutchison, Jr.
 Marietta Armstrong Jordan
 Deborah Ofsa Julian
 Thomas J. Julian
 Lawrence A. Mann
 Beverly Anna Marcum
 Richard L. Masincup
 Marcia Sinclair McCoy
 Theodore McGann, Jr.

Dennis L. Miller
 Janice Caldwell Miller
Beverly Perdue Nida
 Carolene Grossnickle Perry
 Ann Mabe Poling
 Marjorie Miller Poling
 Robert W. Prater
 John J. Pribanic
 Michael H. Reiners
 Georgeann Bergmann
 Ridgway
 Lynn Flory Riner
 Emory R. Rodgers
Frederick P. Schmoyer III
 Howard C. Seal
 Alice Phillips Shady
 Judith Lewis Shuey
 Marion E. Simmers
 Eldon R. Steiner
 Donald R. Stephen
 Doris Meyer Tobias
 Sandra Derr Trout
 James E. Upperman
 Betty Myers Valentine
James H. Walsh
 Janice Ausherman Walsh
 Joyce Grove Wampler
James L. Wilkerson
 Sally Tabb Wilkerson
 Lawrence E. Williams
 William T. Wilson
 J. Samuel Zigler, Jr.
 Paula Paris Zirk

CLASS OF 1969

Martha Stover Barlow
Wayne L. Carpenter
 Class Agents
 31%

\$5,965.00

Robert E. Alley
 Linda Andes-Georges
 Nina Miller Arnett
Martha Stover Barlow
 Byron A. Brill
 Mary Marable Britt
 G. Thomas Brown, Jr.
Wayne L. Carpenter
 Cameron H. Craig
 Cherryl Mitchem Crouch
 Lois Schubel Culhane
 Diane Miller Deffobis
 Karen Muntain Dize
 F. Christine Egge
 Janet DeRossi Fike
 Arthur W. Fitchett
 Carolyn Crumpacker
 Gardner
 Steven M. Gilner
 Charles Hagedorn III
 Bruce K. Hart
 Michael S. Hensley
 Gary I. Hottle
 George A. Kahl
 Judith Marilyn Kavanaugh
 B. Lynn Kilchenstein
 George R. Knicely, Jr.
 Judith Gresham Koch
 Jeffrey A. Kohne
 Linda Griswold Lawson
 J. Wesley Loomis
 Nelda Pollard Marecki
 Paul E. Marecki

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1950s

★★ **Class of 1954**
#1 - Giving
\$28,574.59
#1 - Percentage
61 Percent

★ **Class of 1950**
#1 - Donors
71 Donors

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1960s

★ **Class of 1961**
#1 - Giving
\$22,409.31

★ **Class of 1965**
#1 - Donors
68 Donors

★ **Class of 1960**
#1 - Percentage
42 Percent

Barbara Walbridge
McCann
Ronald E. Messersmith
Susan Varner Morin
Barry E. Myers
Nancy Hagood Orth
John W. Pifer, Jr.
Edward L. Poling
Patricia Homick Reichers
Carolyn Elizabeth Ringgold
Judith Duffer Roop
Susan Monger Shifflett
Penelope Todd Shockley
Claude R. Simmons III
James Sturgill II
Nancy DeBerry Sweet
Nancy Evans Taylor
Teresa Bigelow Telles
Michael P. Trout
Pamela Sullivan
Upperman
E. Marie Van Meter
Gene R. White
Joanne Lehman Williams
Robert K. Williams III
Lois Rebecca Wine
Janet Simpson Zigler

CLASS OF 1970

D'Earcy P. Davis III
Ronald E. Hottle
Lavenia Aldridge Norford
Class Agents
34%
\$8,647.50

Robert L. Altic, Jr.
Carolyn Evers Baugher
Jane Arnold Bradshaw
Randal M. Bradshaw
Carlos G. Bruce
Anne Connelly Carpenter
Sandra Hepner Cash
Arlene Morris Chase
Philemon R. Claytor
Cheryl Petcher Collins
Mary Acker Craig
Gary W. Dalton
D'Earcy P. Davis III
Lynne Wright Engberg
Charles W. Fairchilds
Karen Harken Fairchilds
Joseph F. Fisher, Jr.
Mary Beth Myers Flory
Theodore W. Flory
Linda Woods Furrow
Cheryl Williams Gardner
C. Roderick Gehr
Linda Fleishman Glover
Lowell H. Good
Lois Sulser Green
Stephen L. Hollinger
Jesse E. Hopkins, Jr.
Karol Long Hottle
Nancy Milstead Hottle
Ronald E. Hottle
Joy Lilley Hudson
Stephen H. Ip
Martha Lee Karam
Karen Darsch Kinser
J. Garland Kinzie
Sharon Lineweaver Kiracofe
Pamela McGrath Lane
Dana K. Law, Jr.

Karen Ryder Lee
Melvin D. Lee
Dale E. MacAllister
Pamela Olesiuk Manzolini
H. Nelson McConnell
Larry E. McCann
J. Dale Miller
Michael A. Miller
Sharon Dolbear Miller
Wayne W. Miller
Nancy Carter Modrak
J. Robert Moore
Benjamin C. Myers
Jeanne Burroughs Myers
Lynn N. Myers
Michael E. Nunnally
Candace Corey Paska
C. Barry Pfitzner
Tracy L. Phillips
Edmund P. Price
Marianne May Rankin
Bettie Compton Roseberry
William G. Ryan
Karen Wright Seifer
Louis M. Spicer III
Marilyn Heddings Tate
Robert H. Thompson, Jr.
Frederick A. Wampler
Gregory J. Wolber
Dennis M. Woolfrey
Rebecca Hershey Woolfrey
Karen Adams Wyrick
Ronald E. Wyrick

CLASS OF 1971

Denny W. Eye
Marijean Kaetzel Eye
Lorraine Bittinger Lineweaver
Class Agents
29%
\$4,200.00

Larry M. Carpenter
Nancy Evans Claytor
Kaye Foster Cline
Rosemary Cave Comer
Virginia Miller Connelly
Kenneth Economou
Martha Germann Edgeworth
Jarrett M. Edwards
Kristine Jorgensen Evans
Denny W. Eye
Marijean Kaetzel Eye
James E. Faidley, Jr.
Richard E. Fawley
Karl P. Flora
Marshall L. Flora, Jr.
Jane Hartman Frish
Barbara Simmons Gautcher
Charlene Lee Good
Sharon McClain Hardy
Galen S. Heisey
Rufus C. Huffman
Richard S. Krol
J. Gregory Lam
Joanne DeRossi Lam
Ellis H. Lawson, Jr.
Leon E. Lenker
Lorraine Bittinger
Lineweaver
Jacqueline Ryder Livesay
Diane Rusnak Lyke
Thomas B. Morin
Thomas E. Murray

Douglas R. Myers
Philip T. Newsom
Margaret Coffman Oliver
Linda Morgan Payne
Charles R. Pearce
Carol McMurtrie Phillips
Jerry D. Plunkett
Raymond A. Pugh
Brenda Flory Ross
Vanna Rehmeyer Ruffner
Rita Gail Ruffy
H. Roller Shipplett, Jr.
Jerry J. Shipplett
Susanne Schramm
Simmons
Gerald W. Spessard
Michaele Thomas Stooke
Nancy Woodward
Thompson
Patricia Buckner Thompson
Aric VanBrocklin
Patricia Ruths VanBrocklin
James R. Wampler
Linda Sue Whitmore
Raymond C. Wiltbank
Steven Wong

CLASS OF 1972

James N. Dickson III
Ellie Hodge Draper
Class Agents
26%
\$3,420.65

M. Brent Armstrong
Martha Hubbard Bernstein
John L. Blohm
Sharon Hancock Bohrer
Earl W. Bosserman, Jr.
Bruce W. Bowen
Victoria Bowen-Wiseman
Cheryl Ann Chalmers
Geoffrey L. Chase
Susan Lerch Clague
James C. Clark
Carolyn Kinzie Clatfelter
Bruce C. Cowan
Dennis G. Doherty
Janet Hollinger Doherty
Ellie Hodge Draper
David A. Fike
Martha Carpenter Fisher
Nancy Lynn Garner
E. Randolph Gehr
Gregory W. Geisert
Dorothy Valentino
Gemignani
A. Michael Hall
David A. Harris
Karen Flora Holl
W. Dale Houff
Marcia Bare Jackson
Patricia Kesler Johnson
Terry D. Looney
Jo Ann Miller
Wai Han Olivia Mok
Robert A. Myers
Peter W. Nazarko
Alan L. O'Neal
Sue Ellen Polise
James L. Rhodes
Aubrey Lee Ruffner
John M. Sheridan
Virginia Valene Snuggs

Karen Hershey Spessard
Suzanne Straub
Barbara Ikenberry Tulli
C. George Tulli, Jr.
Eric C. Vore
Stephen B. Wampler
Ute Wegstein
Andrew H. Werthmann
Gretta Krepps Wong
Harry C. Woodruff II

CLASS OF 1973

Glen A. Draper
Bonnie Robertson Edwards
Robert S. Scott
Class Agents
32%
\$8,942.45

Robert R. Anderson, Jr.
Glenn R. Barnhart
Susan Hignite Barr
Steven K. Beckner
Regina Kulzer Blok
Susan Kutz Bowen
Cheri Lee Burton
Neva Anne Clayton
Grover C. Collins III
William R. Crist
Karen Smith Crites
Kathy Ann DeCesari
Glen A. Draper
Thomas G. Durrer
Anne Scharon Economou
Bonnie Robertson Edwards
Gay Bunting Flora
Elizabeth Whitmore Fravel
Bradley K. Geisert
Ellen Hottle Geisert
Anna Grimm-Clatterbuck
Stevan A. Hall
G. William Harper III
Brent M. Holl
Antonia P. Hoy
James A. Hulvey
Lizabeth Calloway Judy
Stephen W. Judy
Steven E. Kippis
Sue Kinnamon Kirch
Edwin C. Leedy III
Marilyn Shrum Lockhart
Omer M. Long, Jr.
Janice Brown Martinez
Betty Forrer McNett
Brian J. Montague
Lillie Cabbage Nuzman
Nina Buchanan Peters
Morris A. Phipps
Eleanor Warren Reed
Bonnie Barnett Revene
Joseph P. Rinehart
Clarice Amelia Runkles
Carolyn Rayburn Schubert
Janice Veach Siegel
Margaret Fleming
Smallwood
J. Douglas Smith
Heidi Peregoy Thompson
P. David Trout
Joni Walton Truscott
Susan Schulz Woodruff
Laura Connell Wurzer
Karen Rogers Zehr

CLASS OF 1974

Richard A. Claybrook, Jr.
 Marion F. "Bo" Trumbo

Class Agents
 25%
 \$5,607.50

G. Steven Agee
 Susan Kowalesky Bauer
 Karl G. Berkey
 Paul H. Boll
 Deborah Ferguson Bowman
 Miles S. Bowman
 Kenneth H. Brasfield, Jr.
 James J. Burns
 Kathleen Scharon Burns
 Vicky Webster Chapman
 Richard A. Claybrook, Jr.
 Ronald M. Eamich
 F. Kimball Hahn
 Jeffrey P. Heppard
 Neil Ware Herchenrother
 Lester B. Hershey, Jr.
 Philip D. Hutchinson
 Sue Lineweaver
 Hutchinson
 Margaret Yu Ip
 Elwood O. Johnson
 Rhoene Zimmerman
 Johnson
 T. Bruce Jones
 Robert B. Journell
 Rhonda R. Kane
 Douglas L. Kipps
 John F. Lanham
 J. Allen Layman
 Pamela Hutton Lewis
 Stephen O. Mason
 Larry D. Maxey
 Karen Feaga McGillin
 Denise Cleary McInerney
 Laurie Miller
 Montague B. Painter
 I. Gregory Peters
 E. Laron Rash, Jr.
 Geraldine Garber Rigney
 Charles L. Snyder III
 Carlyne Nicholas Still
 Marion F. Trumbo
 Betty Wright Wade
 Dana Gilbert Walbridge
 Claude Riley Webster
 Leanna Appl Whitmore
 Stephen R. Williams
 Charles L. Wilson

CLASS OF 1975

Dawn McIntyre Flory
 Philip E. Flory
 Joseph A. Yamine

Class Agents
 20%
 \$3,945.00

Ann Miller Andrus
 Beverly Thompson
 Armbruster
 Robert P. Armbruster
 LaVonne Simmons Bailey
 Paul N. Black
 Pulimootil P. Cherian
 Allen M. Clague III
 George C. Dandridge, Jr.
 Anne Gilmore Decker
 T. William Dillon, Jr.

Scott L. Duffey
 Janean Sullivan Fawley
 Diane Sackett Fike
 Jennifer Kidd Follett
 Randy R. Fullerton
 Karen Louise Garner
 Michael Z. Glick
 Carol Walbridge Goss
 Rebecca Phillippe Hamill
 Linda Kay Hawbaker
 Nancy Hopkins-Garriss
 David W. Horn
 Lawrence M. Johnson
 Robert W. Masincup
 Monty O. Mathias
 James W. Mays
 William H. McCarthy
 Leslie Flora Meek
 Sherry Stitt Miller
 Robert R. Newlen
 Tanya Kaye Nitterhouse
 Katherine Jones Page
 Linda Brown Palmer
 Deborah Houff Price
 Barry M. Rhodes
 Allen F. Schwender
 Elizabeth Burkhardt Sharrett
 Cynthia Smith-Page
 Jack D. Stenger
 Victoria Ballard Strand
 Linda Wood Suhli
 A. Eugene Walbridge, Jr.
 Donna Price Walker
 David L. Wampler
 Betty Karol Wilson
 Joseph A. Yamine

CLASS OF 1976

Lynn K. Hoff
 Curtis B. Nolley
 Class Agents
 24%
 \$3,220.00

Nancy Purdy Ackerman
 Christine Appl-Walsh
 Brian J. Burke
 Laurie Siemens Carpenter
 Ann Crumley Cherian
 Richard A. Clarke
 Karen Quakenbush Clement
 R. Jerry Condon
 Elizabeth Mumper Cooper
 Madylin Bigham Croy
 David W. Didawick
 Sally Sauer Eshelman
 Rodney S. Fike
 Janet Flory Flaten
 Steven E. Gardner
 Carol Bertholf Guessford
 Marsha Richardson Hahn
 Mary Keller Hall
 Dawn Lynn Harrington
 Minda Lee Heagy
 William C. Heizer
 Dena Robette Hixon
 Vernon L. Hopson
 Karen Burkholder Huffman
 Harolyn Hess Johnson
 Michael L. Johnson
 Cynthia Forbes Jones
 J. Jeffrey Lunsford
 Marilyn Bigham Maitland
 Michael C. Martin

Patricia Hollcroft Martin
 Karen McKemy-Enslin
 David G. Melton
 Barbara Jo Newberry
 Andrea Mose Nolley
 Curtis B. Nolley
 Robert J. Palmer
 W. Scott Richards
 Elizabeth Painter Smith
 Reginald S. Smith
 Melva Zeitschel Sunday
 Kenneth W. Utterback
 Georgia Buchanan Valero
 Robyn Tritt Wampler
 Elizabeth Holmes Webster
 Charles H. Whitley, Jr.
 Judith Huffman Wilfong
 George J. Willi

CLASS OF 1977

Kathy Staudt Keeler
 Eric M. Shank
 Class Agents
 24%
 \$2,912.50

Martha Anderson Armstrong
 Sandra Marie Bahr
 E. Rush Barnett
 Charlotte Beahm Bear
 Dale L. Birkle
 Christine Munn Bowser
 Margaret Anne Campbell
 John M. Carpenter
 Talmadge D. Clayton, Jr.
 Nan Mabe Copeland
 Cynthia Finley Didawick
 Lynn Bultman Dodson
 Stephen V. Early
 E. Leroy Foerster, Jr.
 Jeffrey J. Gianakos
 Kathy Ann Gingrich
 Raylene Ballard Grazer
 A. Blair Helman
 John M. Hoover
 Kathy Staudt Keeler
 Todd C. Kincer
 E. Floyd Lilyquist, Jr.
 Torquil MacCorkle, Jr.
 Charles M. Mackley
 Sharon Leigh Mason
 E. Dustyn Miller
 Mari Lou Moore
 James R. Ohler
 Vickie Whitlock Orndorff
 Sally Draper Poole
 Margarita Sherfy Rice
 Beverly Baker Roach
 Michael G. Roach
 Eric M. Shank
 Larry W. Shank
 Katherine Lee Simmons
 Weber T. Smith
 M. Jeffries Stickley
 Raymond W. Studwell II
 Rhonda Fike Stutzman
 Steven E. Sunday
 Pamela Flynn Trapp
 Sue Damm Utterback

CLASS OF 1978

Debra Moyer Allen
 Sandra Mason Cable
 Curtis G. Rowland

Class Agents
 20%
 \$5,542.50

Tina Morgan Barnett
 Richard L. Binns
 Sandra Mason Cable
 Bonnie Kline Cheshire
 Barbara Cronk Clayton
 Andrew R. Durdock
 Joy Fisher Flickinger
 Allen P. Flora
 Denise Lovelace Flora
 Mary Jo Flory-Steury
 Frances W. Ford
 Edward E. Groff, Jr.
 Gregory E. Harper
 Carla Malcolm Harris
 Hope Harmon Hickman
 Tod A. Hildebrand
 Bruce Hollenberg
 Cathy Simmons Huffman
 Donna Sawley Jamison
 Beth Grove Kelly
 Sandra Spizzica Kelly
 Aubrey Lee Knight
 Esther Elswick Knight
 John C. Krogmann, Jr.
 Mary Beth Baughman
 Lambert
 Sherri Bolen Lapp
 Russell Laub
 Timothy R. Martin
 John R. Milleson
 Diane Fortney Richards
 Charles B. Ruscher
 Debra Taylor Trobaugh
 Claire Gilbert Ulrich
 Patricia Rohrer Wagner
 Anita Hall Waters
 W. Craig Waters
 Thomas L. Wingate
 Linda Welty Wood

CLASS OF 1979

W. Lee Huffman
 Suzanne Artz Loveland
 Class Agents
 21%
 \$2,500.00

Elizabeth K. Arthur
 Cynthia Carey Bare
 John H. Bare
 R. Ted Barker
 Judy Byrd Binns
 Carl F. Bowman
 Mark B. Bowser
 Pamela Sexton Brady
 Nancy Slosson Brubaker
 J. Patrick Budd
 Beverly Smith Butterfield
 Michael W. Church
 Joyce A. Conner
 Aziz East
 Wesley H. Edwards
 Carol Smith Fenn
 Carolyn Lindamood Haines
 Lawrence A. Hawkey
 Kenneth M. Heatwole
 J. William Holman

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1970s

★ **Class of 1973**
#1 - Giving
\$8,942.45

★★ **Class of 1970**
#1 - Donors
71 Donors
#1 - Percentage
34 Percent

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1980s

★ **Class of 1980**
#1 - Giving
\$3,280

★ **Class of 1981**
#1 - Donors
34 Donors

★ **Class of 1981**
★ **Class of 1983**
★ **Class of 1986**
#1 - Percentage
14 Percent

Donald G. Hubbell
Vivian Bowman Hubbell
W. Lee Huffman
Jean Conner Jacobsen
James C. Jordan
Sharon Barrett Kennedy
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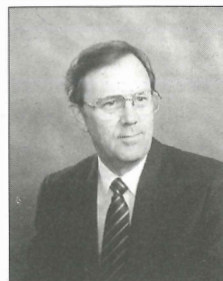
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Eagles Football 'Soars To New Heights'

Team Beats Hampden-Sydney In Homecoming Face-Off

By: Olivia Haas

The cry of the Eagles could be heard all over the town of Bridgewater and beyond on Saturday when the Eagles defeated the Hampden-Sydney Tigers.

In recent years, the stands have never been so full, nor the fans so excited. The stands were bursting with Eagle pride.

The Eagles did not answer the Tigers' challenge until late in the second quarter, when Hampden-Sydney fumbled the ball, allowing the Eagles to eventually get a touchdown with a pass from Chad Rowland to Frank Richardson.

That momentum was carried through half-time.



Team on to a Homecoming victory. Photo By Heather Orloff

BC Forensics Team Wins

By: Chantal Lehmann

Over spring break, the Bridgewater College Forensics Team won the Carroll Community College Tournament. Other colleges included in the competition were Elizabethtown College, Monmouth University, California University of Pennsylvania and Morgan State University. BC's team received an ovation from the audience.



The forensics team proudly shows they are usually a part of the competition," commented Regina Fawley.

ODAC Honors Awarded To BC Coach And Athletes

By: Jill Valentine

On Thursday the Old Dominion Athletic Conference

first team All-ODAC squad for the third consecutive year.

On Thursday, November 14, senior Tara Engel was

Olin, Liskey To Be Honored On Founder's Day

Special To The Tabor

Former U.S. Congressman James R. Olin of Roanoke and J. Nelson Liskey of Harrisonburg retired administrator of Rockingham Memorial Hospital, will be cited during Bridgewater College's annual observance of Founders' Day on April 3 and April 4.

begin a new school at Spring Creek in Rockingham County. The school, first known as Spring Creek Normal School, moved to Bridgeville two years later, in 1892, and changed its name to Bridgewater College on July 12, 1899.

The Flory family continues its association with the college. Two great-grandchildren of D.C. Flory are on the college staff -- Ted Flory as director of the C.E. Shull Computing Center and

segregues, Dr. Carl F. Dowman, professor of sociology,

professor of religion, grassroots movement

emerita, at Bridgewater and founded in 1992 by former

Eagles Capture Glick Tournament Title

By: Ken Newbold

The Bridgewater Men's basketball team won the fourth annual Glick Tournament this weekend. With wins over Wesley College on Friday and Eastern Mennonite on Saturday, the Eagles moved to 2-0 on the season.

12-1 run in the first 10 minutes to come within a 7-30 margin. The Eagles' lead soon fell to 1-1. The three shooting from Scott Powers and Lari Sheno, secured the victory and fifth straight championship.

Sherrill Smith 104-87. The win was the Eagles' fourth and the best record Wesley to 3-2.



Edo Dantley defends the ball in the championship game.

Volleyball Wins ODAC Tournament

By: Reid Lundie

The volleyball team captured the ODAC tournament championship last weekend in Emory, Va., defeating Lynchburg College, rival Eastern Mennonite University and Washington & Lee University, in the final championship match of the tournament.

The team's first victory was against Lynchburg, 15-3, 13-15, 15-9, 15-5 in the quarter-finals. Strong hitting, serving, and few errors by Bridgewater contributed to the win. Kim Harris was perfect in 17 serving attempts with four aces. Allison Coffman had 15 out of 16 attempted serves with four aces, while Shannon Harrison hit 22 good serves out of 22 attempts including four aces. In addition, Sydney Fultz had 10 good serves with two aces and led in kills with 20.

assisted. Kelli O'Neill had two assisted blocks. Jenn Frack had three assisted blocks and Sheri Lehew had one block.

match-high 24 kills. Frack also set a school record in setting, with Frack helped the team her total of five blocks unassisted and two as

Eighty-Nine Inducted Into Honor Societies

Society Lambda is a society which promotes the pursuit of academic excellence by student faculty members and

considered for membership. One must have completed credit hours at Bridgewater College with a quality point average of 3.2 or better. They must have received satisfactory grades for conviction during the previous year and they must not have been suspended from college disciplinary reasons.

The Eagles went on to face EMU in the semi-finals, coming away with the victory 7-15, 15-9, 15-13, 15-6, avenging a conference loss that

Bridgewater too championship match with a win against Washington &

water University. He is a co-chair of the Coalition for the Blue Ridge

Matheny, Jodi Sites, Kristin Stull, Bryce Weaver, and Laurie Widener. This year there were 69 students and 3 staff members inducted into the

to the society seeking information on Rockingham County ancestors. He has helped prepare an

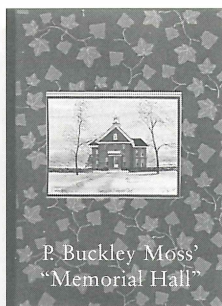
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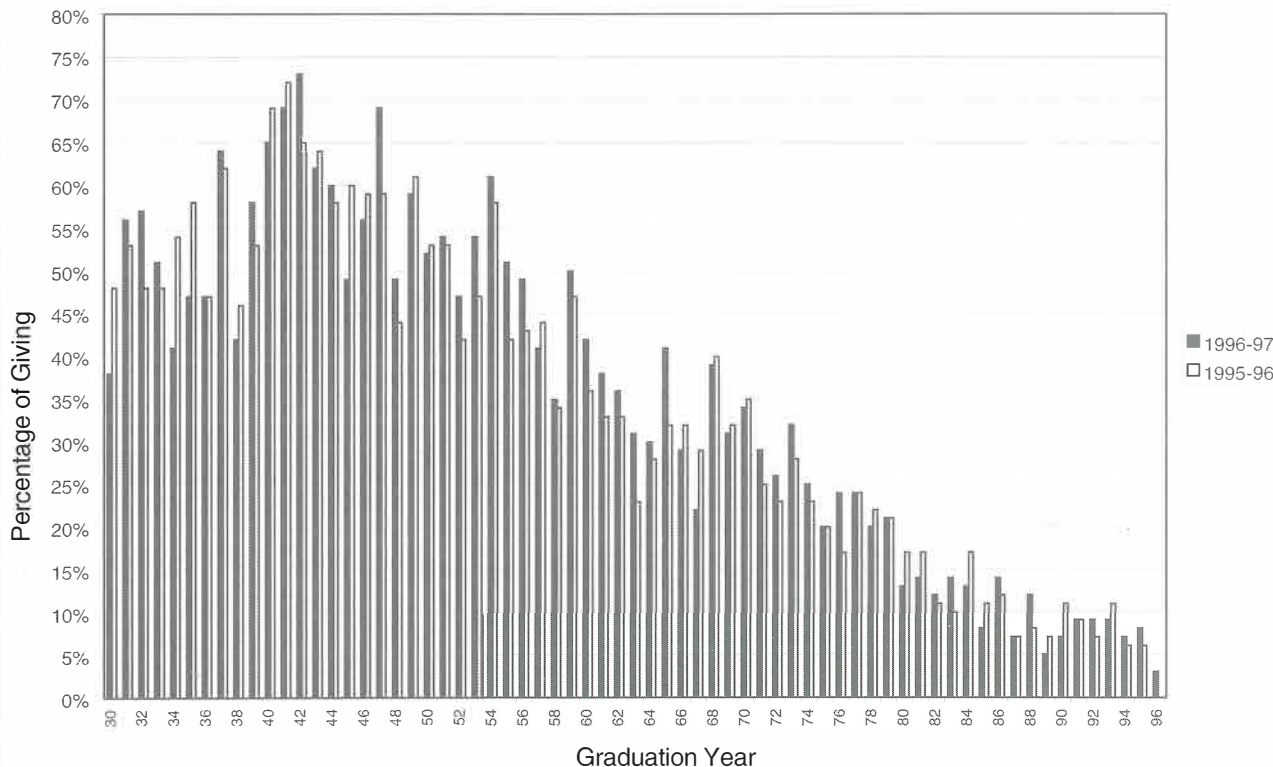


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FOOTBALL FUNDS — *Members of the 1949-50 Bridgewater College football team present President Phil Stone with a check for \$20,000 – a portion of the team's \$25,000 pledge – during halftime of the Homecoming football game. The money purchased new equipment for the weight room in Nininger Hall. During Homecoming last year, the group made a donation of \$2,500 for the purchase of two 25-second snap clocks for the football field. Pictured (from left to right) are Neil G. Corbett, '51, President Stone, Tom Kinder, Bridgewater College athletic director, and E. H. Callahan, '51.*

HOW DOES YOUR CLASS STACK UP?!

Giving Comparison For Years 1995-96 and 1996-97



NOVEMBER

18 LYCEUM
Netherlands Chamber Choir

30-Dec. 19 ART EXHIBIT
Prof. Ralph MacPhail Jr.
"Cowabunga! You're 50,
Howdy Doody!"

DECEMBER

5-6 Don Glick Basketball
Tournament, Games 6 & 8 p.m.

7 Oratorio Choir Advent Concert
Gloria and Seasonal Works

13-15 Madrigal Dinners

JANUARY

5- Feb. 27 ART EXHIBIT
Prof. Michael Hough
Totems, Wall Relief Art

15-18 Pinion Players Winter Production
Twelve Angry Jurors

MARCH

2-April 8 ART EXHIBIT
Tamara Laird, Ceramics

10 LYCEUM
My Children, My Africa
A play by Athol Fugard

15-17 Spiritual Life Institute

23-24 HERSCH-WEIMER LECTURE
Susan Faludi, Author of *Backlash*

APRIL

3 Founder's Day

7 LYCEUM
Jon Nakamatsu, *Pianist*

16, 17, & 19 Student Directed One-Acts

November 18, 1997

THE NETHERLANDS CHAMBER CHOIR

With a repertoire that spans the centuries – from Medieval to modern music – this 24-voice, a cappella choir is world-renowned for its impeccable style and technique.
Tuesday, 8 p.m. Cole Hall



January 15-18, 1998

TWELVE ANGRY JURORS

Based on the Emmy Award winning Television Drama by Reginald Rose. Adapted by Sherman Sergel.

Presented by the B.C. Pinion Players

Thursday - Saturday, 8 p.m. Cole Hall

Sunday, 3p.m. Cole Hall

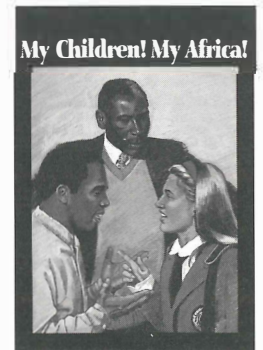
March 10, 1998

MY CHILDREN! MY AFRICA!

Set in the turbulent political and social climate of South Africa during the mid-1980s, the play centers around two high school debate team members, one white and one black, who are partnered by a teacher. Presented by *A Mixed Company*.

Tuesday, 8p.m.

Cole Hall



March 23 & 24, 1998

SUSAN FALUDI

With eloquence and precision, Ms. Faludi addresses the vital issues facing women today while challenging the "backlash" notion that feminism has become women's worst enemy. A summa cum laude alumna of Harvard University, Ms. Faludi is a former newspaper reporter and a Pulitzer prize-winning journalist for the *Wall Street Journal*.

Monday, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, 9:10 a.m.

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April 7, 1998

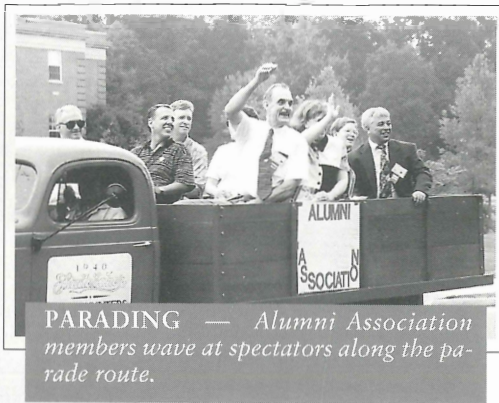
JON NAKAMATSU

The first American in 16 years and only the third American ever to win the prestigious Van Cliburn Piano Competition, Mr. Nakamatsu is a featured performer during Bridgewater's '97-'98 Lyceum Series.

Tuesday, 8 p.m.

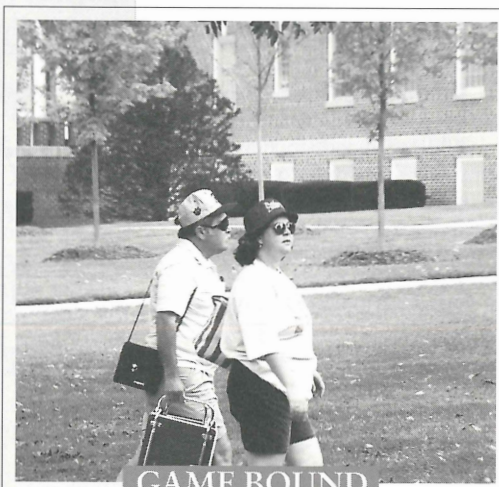
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PARADING — Alumni Association members wave at spectators along the parade route.

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GAME BOUND

PHOTO BY ROBERTA W. BYERLY



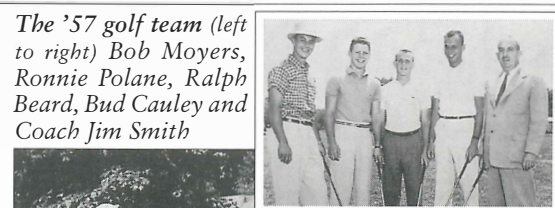
RENEWING FRIENDSHIPS — Several alumni visit with Alice MacPhail (second from right) at the annual Pinion Players reception.

PHOTO BY ROBERTA W. BYERLY



TAILGATING B.C. STYLE

PHOTO BY ROBERTA W. BYERLY



The '57 golf team (left to right) Bob Moyers, Ronnie Polane, Ralph Beard, Bud Cauley and Coach Jim Smith



REUNION ON THE COURSE — Bob Moyers (left), Ronnie Polane and Ralph Beard, three members of the 1957 B.C. golf team, were reunited for a round of golf during the 1997 Homecoming Week-end festivities. They came together to commemorate the 40th anniversary of golf at Bridgewater College. The 1957 team was the inaugural team at B.C. and won the Mason-Dixon Conference title that year. The trio evidently still has what it takes, defeating the field of golfers during the Homecoming Tournament by two strokes. Photo by Jim Bryant



TAKE US OUT TO THE BALLGAME — B.C. alumni and friends enjoy a "picnic in the park" — Oriole Park at Camden Yards in Baltimore — prior to watching the Baltimore Orioles play on a sunny afternoon in July. The trip was sponsored by the B.C. Alumni Association.

PHOTO BY ELLEN K. LAYMAN

CLASS NOTES

1 9 3 0

Effie T. Stickley of Strasburg, Va. writes that she has a back problem and needs a walker to get around.

1 9 3 5

Dr. Olden D. Mitchell was given special recognition by the Timbercrest Home in North Manchester, Ind., for his 65 years of service as an ordained minister in the Church of the Brethren. He remembers being told by a prominent church leader, "You'll never make it as a pastor, you had better make plans for some other career." He served churches in Virginia, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan and Indiana, and was district executive in Illinois for a term. Now living in an apartment with his wife Myrtle at Timbercrest, Olden serves as Bible teacher for the residents, and is a volunteer with the church district in facilitating pastor/church evaluations.

1 9 3 9

Fred Woodie of Troutville, Va., was featured in an article in the *Fincastle Herald*, a local weekly paper, for a lifetime of being trusted with other people's money — from serving as treasurer of his senior class at Bridgewater, to being a trust officer at Dominion Bank before retiring in 1980, to serving as treasurer of numerous clubs. During his retirement, Fred enjoys wood-working and walking two miles every morning with his wife of 50 years, Virginia.

1 9 4 4

Robert S. Miller and his wife Dorothy celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Feb. 15, 1997. The Millers live in Bridgewater.

1 9 5 0

Charles Lee Leonard has retired as Dean of the Science Department at the Miller School in Charlottesville, Va. He has moved to Waynesboro, Va.

1 9 5 1

Dr. Larry C. Smith has returned to the States following nine years as a psychiatrist for Good Health Wanganui in Wanganui, New Zealand. Larry and his wife Maxine also traveled to the South Island of New Zealand and Australia. The Smiths are living in Huntington, W.Va.

Dr. Thomas E. Wagner retired in 1995 after practicing dentistry for 40 years in Maryland. Tom and his wife Betty are now living in Waynesboro, Tenn.

1 9 5 3

Dr. Louie T. Hargett retired in March 1997 after 19 years as director of product development for Sandoz Agro Inc. He assisted in the development of a number of important agricultural chemicals including: Atrazine, Diazinon, Supracide, Prometryne, Bromoxinal, Ronstar, Zorial, Propetamphos, Dicamba, Frontier and the biologicals Javelin and Teknar. During his career, he has actively supported the insect, plant disease and weed control programs at most state experiment stations and land grant colleges. Lou and his wife Cathy are now living in Wilmington, N.C., where he has established AB-R&D Services to provide companies and government agencies with assistance in new product development, product life cycle management, research and development, and

motivation and creativity for technical persons.

Wayne E. Spangler, '53, and **Carol Compton Spangler, '56,** have been a volunteer emergency care family for babies and young children for the past two years. They write: "Having children in the house for short stays keeps us young!"

1 9 5 7

Dr. Ben F. Wade of Lakeland, Fla., lectured at the Bible study sessions and led the "Theology for Today" discussions at the week-long Berwick Camp in Nova Scotia. Berwick is a 126-year-old family camp sponsored by the United Church of Canada.

1 9 6 0

William G. Kinzie has been teaching strings in the Roanoke City public schools

for more than 32 years. For many of those years, he also was a violinist with the Roanoke Symphony Orchestra. Bill and his wife Elizabeth are members of Roanoke's First Baptist Church, where he plays in the church orchestra. He also does freelance violin playing for weddings, dinners and other festive occasions. They have two married daughters and two grandchildren.

1 9 6 1

Janet Estep Whetzel of Dayton, Va., was elected to the Standing Committee for Annual Conference for the Church of the Brethren for another three-year term at the denomination's annual conference held in July in Long Beach, Calif.



HOMECOMING '97 '49-'50 FOOTBALL TEAM

(LEFT TO RIGHT) **First Row**— E. H. Callahan, '51; Merle L. Jenkins, '51; Coach Nick Forkovitch; Coach Daniel S. Geiser; Thomas H. Jenkins, '50; Andrew C. Hankla Jr., '50; **Second Row**— Walter Flora, '56; Shirly B. Kiger, '50; Paul H. Garst '50; Lawrence W. Roller, '52; Raymond A. Bussard, '54; **Third Row**— Mel Myers, '52; Arnold D. Jenkins, '53; Harold W. Armstrong, '51; G. Worthy Pegram, Jr. '50; Neil G. Corbett, '51; Bobby W. Gooden, '50

1 9 6 2

Patricia E. Huffman became director of admissions at Lancaster (Pa.) Theological Seminary in September. Since 1994, she had been director of admissions at Linden Hall School for Girls in Lititz. Patricia has studied at Westminster Choir College, Peabody Conservatory, Lebanon Valley College and the University of Marburg in Germany. She is director of music and organist at Bethany Presbyterian Church in Lancaster. She is a member of Delta Kappa Gamma and the American Association of University Women. She also sits on the board of the Lancaster Chapter, American Guild of Organists.



Patricia E. Huffman

founded by Eunice Kennedy Shriver. For the past 10 years, Wilma has served as coordinator for the program, which is a teen pregnancy prevention program that also strives to improve relationships between families and schools. In 1996, she applied for a grant to focus on pregnancy prevention and received \$608,776 a year for five years to implement her vision. Thus was born the Triangle of Caring, which focuses on home, school and community.

1 9 6 4

Dr. Wilma Livingston Ferguson of Huntington Beach, Calif., has been honored as outstanding educator for 1987-1997 by the national organization, The Community of Caring,



May 31, 1997, was proclaimed **John Woodzell**, ('61), Day in Covington, Va., as the city came out to honor its retiring football coach. During his 24 years as a high school biology teacher and football coach, John compiled a 114-63-1 overall record which included two Region C titles and a state championship in 1984. Not only did he excel in football, he also was devoted to his church and Christian values. John plans to spend his retirement using a new set of golf clubs and attending Covington City Council meetings.

Wardo Quintet Reunion

It was the first day of freshmen orientation in 1955. As the newcomers emerged from the dining hall after supper, four men gathered around a fifth man, who was seated on a bench outside, strumming a ukulele. The five, none of whom knew any of the others, began harmonizing. "Moonlight Bay" was followed by "Shine on, Harvest Moon." They sounded good. The singers, all of whom were Wardo Hall residents, got together for further singing over the next several days. Thus was born the Wardo Quintet.



HARMONIOUS REUNION — Members of the Wardo Quintet back on the steps of Wardo Hall, now the east wing of the Flory Hall. From left to right, Jerry Wampler, Rich Gordon, Joe Kinzie, Jerry Wright, Tom Myers, Kermon Thomasson and Pete Hayslett.

Asked to form a college deputation team, they rounded up a piano accompanist, also from Wardo, and for the next two years made many trips to Church of the Brethren congregations. The Wardo Quintet also made a name for itself locally, presenting many programs on campus and for community civic groups.

This past Aug. 8-11, the quintet held a 40th-year reunion at Bridgewater. It was the first time all the members had been together since 1957. The harmonizing was still good, and the fellowship was excellent, picking up where it had left off 40 years ago. In fact, "What a Fellowship! What a Joy Divine!" has been the strongly bonded group's theme song since the beginning.

■ — Kermon Thomasson
Photo by Jim Bryant

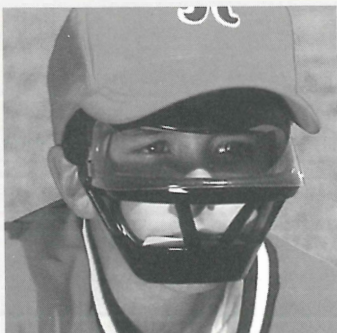
ALUMNI PROFILE

As a child, Gerald "Jerry" Spessard, '71, had dreams of playing baseball — he had played in two youth World Series and was hoping to play in college and possibly the major leagues.

Those dreams came to an abrupt end at the age of 13, when he was hit in the face by a "bad hop," while playing shortstop in little league. Not only was his nose broken, his confidence was broken as well, and he never played baseball the same again.

JERRY SPESSARD, '71

Since that experience, Jerry's dream has changed to designing something for players to wear, preventing them from suffering with unnecessary facial injuries that can ruin their playing ability. Over 30 years later, his dream has become reality. Jerry now holds the patent for a safety mask — the GameFace sports safety mask — designed to be used in a number of sports, including baseball, softball, soccer, basketball, tee-ball and volleyball.



The mask consists of three plastic bars — over the forehead, nose and chin — backed with padding and including an eye shield. The unit, weighing four ounces, fits under a

baseball cap and is secured by a Velcro strap.

The GameFace mask was nominated for the prestigious Commissioner's Commendation award from the Consumer Products Safety Commission.

For more information about the GameFace sports safety mask, call 1-800-426-3322 or visit the project's web site on the Internet at www.gameface.com. ■ — Mary K. Heatwole



35TH REUNION CLASS OF '62
August 23, 1997

(LEFT TO RIGHT) First Row—Judy Miller Allen, Elizabeth Bowman Oakes, Barbara J. Scruggs, Harriet Brubaker Pinchard, Susan Petellat Tury, Sonya Berger Davis; Second Row—Howard Hammond, Ed Burgess, Jim Beahm, Evelyn Miller Sandin, Carole Tanner Landes, Ann Powers Daugherty, Phebe Kinzie Claud, Barbara Lindstrom Eanes, Jean Harvey Kirkham; Third Row—Bill Aiken, Elbert Kinzie, Sharon Lawrence Kline, Miles Sandin, Harold Huffman, Paul Davis, Bob Klein

1965

Peter J. Vallone of Marietta, Ga., is an executive with TPN Television, the success and seminar network, where he is primarily responsible for national and international network distribution.

1966

Dr. Diane V. Brown has been associate director of cooperative extension at Penn State University since 1995. In this position, she provides leadership for the day-to-day operation of cooperative extension and helps develop effective organizational and administrative processes. In 1983, Diane was named family living program leader for the southeast region for the programs she led in family resource management, energy, equipment and food economics. She was named regional director of the west region for Penn State Cooperative Extension in 1989.

Robert Tansill of Charles Town, W.Va., has retired after six years as a high school teacher and 24 years as a high school assistant principal in Virginia. During his retirement, Bob plans to travel, fish and visit his new grandson. He extends best wishes to the Class of 1966!

1968

Laura McCary, daughter of **Richard McCary, '68**, and **Judy Sicilian McCary, '69**, of Leesburg, Va., received a Ph.D. in biochemistry from the University of Wisconsin in August 1997. Dr. McCary completed her undergraduate work at the University of Virginia.

1969

Martha Stover Barlow of Dayton, Va., was elected to a five-year term on the Church of the Brethren General Board at the denomination's annual con-



HOMECOMING '97 CLASS OF '72

(LEFT TO RIGHT) **First Row**—Karen Flora Holl, Nancy McKay Weimer, Joyce Hargett King, Martha Carpenter Fisher, D. Jean Shaffer, Ellie Hodge Draper; **Second Row**—Vicky Bowen Wiseman, E. Randy Gehr, JoAnn Cahall Miller, Nancy L. Garner, Karen Simmons Wolf, Barbara Ikenberry Tulli; **Third Row**—Doug Fears, Jim Dickson, Geoffrey Chase, W. Dale Houff, Brent Armstrong, Andy H. Werthmann, C. George Tulli Jr.



HOMECOMING '97 CLASS OF '77

(LEFT TO RIGHT) **First Row**—Katy L. Simmons, Susan Billhimer Phillips, Margarita S. Rice, Barbara L. Kilgalen, Christine Munn Bowser, Judy Shivers Raphael; **Second Row**—Barry D. Sink, Annette Driver Taylor, Chris Wheelehan Dreer, Dale Birkle, James H. Rehbock, Deborah Friend Crumley, John M. Hoover; **Third Row**—T.D. Clayton, Dennis Dull, Chip Studwell, Jeff McCartney, Perry Lovelace, David Crumley, Mark Stivers

ference held in July in Long Beach, Calif. The 25-member board administers mission and service programs throughout the U.S. and abroad.

John W. Pifer Jr. has returned to the U.S. from an assignment in France as vice president of operations for Carlson Wagonlit. He is now living in Atlanta, where he is vice president and general manager of the southern re-

gion for Carlson Wagonlit Travel.

Teresa J. Bigelow Telles of Merced, Calif., writes that her son, James E. Byerly, is a systems engineer with Trident Data Systems, and her daughter, Lisa M. Byerly, is in her third year of law school at Santa Clara University.

1 9 7 4

Robert I. Catlin II of Baltimore has been appointed associate executive director for marketing, development and community relations for Meals on Wheels of Central Maryland, Inc.

Dr. Stephen O. Mason of McPherson, Kan., began serving Aug. 1 as executive director designate of The Association of Brethren for Caring Ministries. ABC, formerly the Association of Brethren Caregivers, is an independent, non-profit organization within the Church of the Brethren that initiates many caring ministries for members in collaboration with other organizations. Steve served as vice president for financial services at McPherson College from July 1994 through June 1997. Prior to that, he served as McPherson's director of development, beginning in 1990.

1 9 7 5

Ellen Good of Hopkinton, Mass., was elected co-vice president of membership for New England Women Business Owners, Inc. In addition to moderating focus groups, she also is a business and personal coach.

1 9 7 7

Mari Lou Moore received the first annual Laura Mapp Collegiate Coaches Award presented in April 1997 by the Shenandoah Valley "Hit" newspaper, a sports oriented paper located in

Harrisonburg. Mari Lou is starting her third year as field hockey, basketball and lacrosse coach at Mary Baldwin College in Staunton, Va.

1 9 7 9

The Rev. J. Melvin Fike and his wife Lisa became copastors of the Moorefield Church of the Brethren beginning Sept. 1. The Fikes live in Moorefield, W.Va., with their two daughters, Carol, 9, and Bethany, 3.

W. Keith Wine has been named by Virginia Gov. George F. Allen to the Virginia Juvenile Enterprise Council. Keith is a self-employed consultant and the former chair of the Virginia Forum for Excellence. He also served as chair of the 1996 Virginia Productivity and Quality Summit and was founder and past president of Quality Control of Richmond. He is a director for the Metropolitan Virginia Chamber of Commerce.

1 9 8 0

Chris Lumsden, chief executive officer of Halifax Regional Hospital, is serving as chair of a group studying the feasibility of relocating the Continuing Education Center of Longwood College. The group will be working at selecting a site, overseeing the expansion and raising funds for the project. Chris and his wife, the former **Linda Smith**, also '80, live in South Boston, Va., with their two children, Jessica and Nick.

1 9 8 1

Sue Wright has returned to her hometown of Stuarts Draft (Va.) to become principal of Westwood Hills Elementary School. Sue has spent 18 months teaching in Wyoming and three years as assistant principal of a primary school in Washington state.

1 9 8 3

Enten Pfaltzgraff Eller was featured in an article in *The Roanoke Times* on the 15th anniversary of his being sentenced to 4,000 hours of community service for refusing to register for the military draft because of religious beliefs. According to Enten, 15 years later, he would do the same thing all over again. He and his wife, the former Kathryn Pfaltzgraff, are serving as pastors of the Lafayette Church of the Brethren in Indiana. Enten has traveled to Africa to help churches set up computer networks, and he also runs a community mediation center.

1 9 8 4

Scott L. Derrow has been promoted to regional human resource manager with Kawneer Company Inc. Scott has been with Kawneer 13 years, most recently in the Atlanta metro area. He and his wife Craig, along with their 2 year-old twins are now living in Bloomsburg, Pa.

Dr. Denise Eller Saunders received her doctorate in counseling psychology from Florida State University in August. While pursuing her degree, she served as assistant director of Curricular-Career Information Service at FSU and co-authored a psychological test known as the "Career Thoughts Inventory." She interned at Oxford, United Kingdom, and the University of Virginia. Denise lives in Charlottesville with her husband **Warren ('83)** and twin daughters, Haley and Meagan.

1 9 8 5

Dr. Danita Drumheller Harris has been named bank officer of Central Fidelity Bank in Nellysford, Va. Since March 1996, she had been assistant branch manager of the bank's Stoney Creek of-

fice. Danita is a member of the Nelson County Hospitality and Travel Association and the ladies auxiliary of Virginia Horticulture Society.

Dr. Philip T. Spickler received his doctorate in physics from the College of William and Mary in the spring of 1997.

1 9 8 6

Lisa Gardner Anderson of Harrisonburg is a nurse with the Rockingham County Sheriff's Department Medical Unit.

Jim Coleman has been promoted to project engineer/designer for Virginia Power. His wife, the former **Cathy Reed, '87**, is a certified public accountant with a local accounting firm in Lexington, Va., where the couple lives with their two daughters, Madeline Clair, 7, and Emily Ann, 2.

1 9 8 7

Vicki Brooks Smith received her Master of Arts in Teaching degree from Mary Baldwin College in Staunton, Va. in May 1997. She is head preschool teacher at Old Providence PreSchool in Spottswood, Va.

Denise Anderson Thompson is a contractor with Thompson Custom Home Builders. Denise and her husband Jeff live in Afton, Va. with their two daughters, Emily, 7, and Stephanie, 5.

1 9 8 8

Tina Marie Stalnaker Sharpe received her M.S. degree in Management Information Systems in 1992 from the University of Virginia. She is a senior associate with Program Support Associates in Charlottesville.

1 9 8 9

Chris Bradley is pursuing a master's degree in urban and



HOMECOMING '97 CLASS OF '82

(LEFT TO RIGHT) First Row—Jessica King Herchenroder, Jennifer Gregory Throop, Shelia Riley-Monahan, Amy Bryant Ritchie, Freda Bowman Givens; Second Row—Cynthia Monroe Holmes, Ruth Kline Mickelberry, Ruth Griffith Dotson, Daryl Ritchie, Lisa Foster Whitescarver, Kathy Hewitt Bush; Third Row—Rick Monahan, John Shakespeare, Karen Jones-McDonald, David McDonald, Sam Conner



HOMECOMING '97 CLASS OF '87

(LEFT TO RIGHT) First Row—Carolyn S. Willoughby, Susan Green-Parker, Joy Litka Burns, Susan Moore Shifflett, Dawn Ranta-Perry; Second Row—Glenn E. Bollinger, Kathryn Wampler Stone, Susan J. Lohr, M. David St. Clair, Leslie R. Smith, Ann Ringgold Rainard; Third Row—Doug Anders, Phillip C. Stone Jr., Robert S. Miller Jr. Thomas A. Burns, James Perry

regional planning at Virginia Commonwealth University. Following graduation, he plans to work in the urban revitalization field focusing on historic preservation and adaptive reuse of buildings.

Chris Wood teaches physical education and is the head football coach at Maury River Middle School. Chris and his wife Rebecca live in Lexington, Va., with their son Cameron Clarke, 1 1/2.

A L U M N I P R O F I L E

When Anita Welch Lynn, '91, studied elementary education at Bridgewater, she never imagined that someday her training and experience as a kindergarten teacher would come in handy to teach English as a second language to Czech adults.

"It's a whole different thing to teach European adults who want to learn English than it is to teach kindergarten," Anita says. "The main difference is that when you teach children in the United States, they don't necessarily want to be there. But when it comes to teaching English to the Czechs, they are enthusiastic, they are there voluntarily. You don't have to force them to learn."

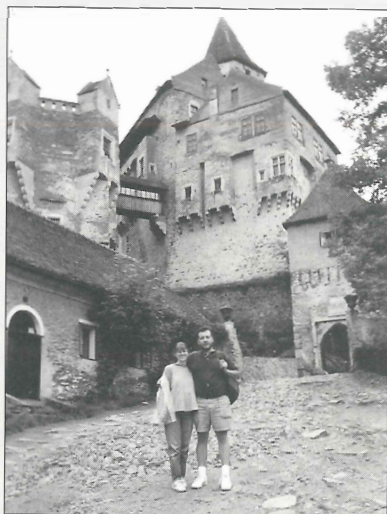
Anita and her husband, Jay, returned in June from a two-year stint in the Czech Republic as missionaries with the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship. They began their service in the summer of 1995, after Jay graduated from the Baptist Theological Seminary in Richmond. Living in Litomerice, one hour northwest of Prague, the Lynns' assignment was to teach English to people in the community. Anita and Jay participated in a project that was a collaboration of several Czech Baptist churches that used the English courses as a tool for outreach.

The Lynns taught several English classes daily, to children and adults, as well as helping to lead week-long summer English camps or weekend language camps. At these programs, Anita says they worked with small groups, providing intensive language lessons.

While their primary objective was providing English lessons, says Lynn, "We did have a greater and perhaps more subtle goal: to make opportunities to tell the Czechs about God.... Though historically evangelized by the Catholic church, the Czech Republic of today is a largely unchurched society. Under Communism, the Czechs were taught that religion is something for the weak, the sick, the old or the mentally unstable.

Crossing Language Barriers

ANITA WELCH LYNN, '91



Anita and Jay at Castle Perštejn in the Czech Republic

lived in a town where few residents spoke English well enough to provide translation. Closely related to Polish and other Serbo-Croatian languages, Anita says it was most difficult to learn because Czech comprises characters and sounds that do not exist in English.

"We got to the point where we were conversationally competent by the time we left," Anita says. "It took me at least a year until I felt comfortable to be by myself in a situation where I had to speak Czech.... But now, sometimes we'll be speaking English and we'll just insert a Czech word because in another language there are words that are more concise for the definition you want. So we speak 'Czenglish' at home."

Two days after their return from the Czech Republic, Jay had a job interview with the Vienna (Va.) Baptist Church. He was hired in July as the associate pastor for retreat ministries, and he runs the church's Lost River, W.Va., Retreat Center. The Lynns live on the property, and Anita is seeking a teaching position. While they are glad to be home among family and friends, they will always treasure their experience in the Czech Republic.

"Our departure was bittersweet," Anita says. "The Czechs absolutely showered us with love — it was very touching. We were so anxious to get back, yet we knew that we were leaving an important part of our lives behind. That experience changed us forever..."

■ — Karen S. Doss, '91

1 9 9 0

Jake Darrell has been promoted to supplier development coordinator for Dana Corp. in Fort Wayne, Ind., from the Buena Vista, Va., plant. Jake and his wife Nicki have a 2-year-old son, Luke.

Burke Payne of Richmond, Va., works for the Virginia Department of Transportation as part of its safety-service patrol. His mission is looking for stopped or stranded motorists and helping them resolve their problems. Burke says he enjoys being on the road helping people.

1 9 9 1

Amy Homan DePoy is employed with Harrisonburg Physical Therapy Services providing occupational therapy at Sunnyside Presbyterian Retirement Community in Harrisonburg.

Shane Hall is living in Athens, Ga., where he teaches science and math. He also is an M.A./Ph.D. candidate in educational psychology at the University of Georgia.

Cynthia Masters is human resources manager for Atlas Weathering Services Group in Miami. Cyndy lives in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

1 9 9 3

Noelle Lang Beverly of Fredericksburg, Va., and her husband Dan are both teachers in the Stafford County schools. They also lead the church youth group and are active in missions.

Jeremy David Breneman has been a case coordinator and residential instructor at Harrison Residence for Pleasant View Homes Inc. in Harrisonburg for the past two years. Previously, he was an instructor in Rockingham County schools for two years. Jeremy is working on

special education endorsement through the University of Virginia/Bridgewater College continuing education program.

Stephanie Parrott Haraway is enjoying her second year of teaching with Rockbridge County schools. She also is keeping busy serving as vice president of the local Fraternal Order of Police Auxiliary. Stephanie and her husband Keith live in Lexington, Va.

Matt Munson has moved to New York City, where he is an assistant track and cross country coach at Columbia University, a member of NCAA Division I and the Ivy League. He recently coached the 1997 Kenyan national champion in the men's 400 intermediate hurdles.

Bobby Popowicz moved back to Bridgewater in January 1997 to become director of public works for the town. He also began graduate studies in public administration at James Madison University this fall.

Karen Smith Whetzel is a teacher of the learning disabled at William Monroe High School in Greene County. Most recently, Karen was the Special Education Program assistant at Bridgewater College while completing her certification in special education. Her husband Mark is a teacher at the same school.

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Johnny Barr has moved to Richmond, Ind., where he is working on a Master of Arts in Theology degree at Bethany Theological Seminary. He also will be a member of the Bethany admissions team, representing Bethany at church events and promoting the seminary to potential students.

Melissa Fretwell is teaching special education at

Spotswood High School and is the girls assistant basketball coach. She also is working toward her master's degree in special education at the University of Virginia.

Heather M. Nolen is serving as coordinator of the Church of the Brethren General Board's Washington (D.C.) office. During her two-year assignment, which began in August, she will oversee Brethren advocacy efforts.

Erik Rehtorovic of Griffin, Ga., is coaching the junior varsity boys basketball team and serving as assistant varsity coach for Upson-Lee High School. He writes that he is "looking forward to continuing my successful coaching career (29-10, two years J.V. coach in Florida) in Georgia."

Tina R. Satmary is living in Grundy, Va., where she is program director for the 29th Judicial District Court Appointed Special Advocate

Program of Buchanan County for abused and neglected children. She also is pursuing her master's degree in counseling from Marshall University Graduate College.

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Matthew R. Brady is choral director at King William High School and Hamilton Homes Middle School. His wife, **Jennifer Magers Brady, '93**, is in her third year teaching kindergarten for Caroline County public schools. They both recently completed graduate level classes.

Ursula Harpine Dinkel is working in the engineering department at Coors Brewing Co. in Elkton, Va. Ursula and her husband Jeffrey recently moved to Bridgewater.

Myra Jayne Huffman of Harrisonburg is general accountant at American Safety Razor in Verona, Va.

Richard W. Martin of Pottstown, Pa., has been



HOME COMING '97 CLASS OF '92

(LEFT TO RIGHT) First Row—Laura Brunk Harris, Stacie Foster Simmers, Stephanie Foster Spire, Leanne Griffith Deitz, Lisa Loving DeWitt, Kristi L. Wilson; Second Row—Tracey E. Ludwig, Ron Hedrick, Shawn Replogle, Darla Bowman Deardorff, Brydon M. DeWitt, Margie Frye-Sieg; Third Row—Mike Jones, Steve Spire, Dawn Lambert, Mike Tipton, Glenn Fitzgerald, Matt Deitz, Stephen R. Wilt

A L U M N I P R O F I L E

Since graduating from Bridgewater in 1994, Megan Gray has led a varied life. A blend of education, research, teaching, community work and music, she has reaped the benefits of life in three states.

MEGAN GRAY, '94

The day after graduation, Megan reported for work at the Naval Research Laboratories in Washington, D.C. She spent the summer in preparation for graduate school while working on a project which involved the engineering of bacteria to "eat" oil spills.

Later that fall, she began research focused on a bacterial project with a more clinical application. Graduate work at the University of Tennessee Medical School in Memphis provided new challenges. She sought to unravel molecular mechanisms behind the secretion of proteins by the opportunistic pathogen, *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*. *Pseudomonas* is most noted for its destruction in the Cystic Fibrosis lung, where it produces "sticky" alginate, disrupting normal lung function.

Life in Memphis brought forth new opportunities for Megan at the world famous research institute St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Noted cancer researchers, Drs. Tom Curran and James Morgan were establishing a new department and Megan seized the chance to work under their direction. A member of the Department of Developmental



Neurobiology, she worked on several developmental projects in the mammalian central nervous system, along with Alzheimer's and Parkinson's disease projects. These projects, along with their obvious clinical applications, fostered Megan's interest in the neurosciences.

This past summer, Megan discovered a number of exciting research programs on the East Coast, and

moved to Cary, N.C., in August after accepting a position at Duke University Medical Center in Durham. As laboratory director and senior research associate in the Department of Neurobiology, she manages a large laboratory with the research guidance of Dr. Lawrence Katz. A member of the Howard Hughes Medical Institute, Megan's research involves the action of neurotrophins upon the development of the mammalian visual cortex.

Throughout these career challenges and their respective geographical relocations, Megan has remained active in the church through musical and committee involvement. She also has been involved in

the community as section leader with the Memphis Symphony Chorus as well as several local outreach projects. Megan plans to continue her musical involvement with membership in the Duke Chapel Choir (150 members), the Duke Chorale (50 members) and the Duke Chamber Choir (22 members).

■ — Megan Gray

Photo by Matthew B. Garber, '90

working as a customer service representative for Colonial Penn Property and Casualty Insurance Co. since October 1996 and was promoted in May to Customer Service Rep II. Rick writes that he really enjoys his job and "would recommend any

Bridgewater alum who wants to be in customer service to come to work for Colonial Penn."

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Betsy D. Boardwine is living in Edinburg, Va., and teaches business at Central

High School and Peter Muhlenberg Middle School. She also is head volleyball coach at Central.

Jodi Cox Carman is serving as handbell director at Beckley Presbyterian Church in Beckley, W.Va.

Marty Dungey is in her second year of teaching eighth grade language arts at Beverley Manor Middle School in Staunton, Va. She also coaches the girls varsity soccer team at Riverheads High School.

David M. Fike is working toward a graduate degree in information systems at Virginia Commonwealth University in Richmond, Va.

Iliana Ilieva has returned to Fordham University where she is working on her master's degree. This summer Iliana did research on the economic conditions in Eastern Europe and visited her parents in Bulgaria.

Joe Oyler is a staff counselor for Wilderness Leadership Academy in Buchanan, Va.

Catherine Estelle (Brown) Shirey is a management trainee with Enterprise Rent-a-Car in Staunton, Va.

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Barbara Eye has accepted a two-year assignment with the Division of Global Mission of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America to teach English at Sun Yat-Sen University of Medical Sciences in Guangzhou, China.

Emily Shonk has begun a one-year Church of the Brethren Volunteer Service assignment with Church of the Brethren Youth and Young Adult Ministries in Elgin, Ill. She will be coordinating denominational summer youth workcamps, helping to coordinate the 1998 National Youth Conference, serving as an ex-officio member of the National Youth Cabinet and the Young Adult Steering Committee, and aiding in various other aspects of youth programming.

Chris Winter is attending Fordham University in New York City and doing an internship at the Shooting Gallery, a 10-division film production company that has produced several award-winning films such as *Sling Blade* and *Chinese Coffee*, the new Al Pacino movie.

Class Agents

1997 - '98

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- '24 – Henry C. Eller
- '25 – John W. Boitnott
- '26 – Edwin L. Turner
- '27 – A. Olivia Cool
- '28 – Edna Miller Miller
- '29 – Naomi Miller West

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- '30 – Nellie Jones Young
- '31 – Esther Pence Garber
- '32 – S. Earl Mitchell
- '33 – Alva J. Row
- '34 – Hollen G. Helbert
- '35 – Pauline Maxwell Flora
- '36 – Kermit P. Flora
- '37 – Margaret Flory Rainbolt
- '38 – Bernard S. Logan
- '39 – Fred R. Woodie

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- '40 – John P. Mundy
- '41 – W. Donald Clague
- '42 – Kathryn Garst Mason
- '43 – John T. Glick Jr.
- '44 – Samuel H. Flora Jr.
- '45 – E. Christine Huffman Myers
- '46 – Elaine Robertson Smith
- '47 – Peggy Wright Miller
- '48 – Ina Mason Shank
- '49 – Charles Sackett

Marilee Miller Sackett

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- '50 – L. Daniel Burtner
Nancy Garst Trout
- '51 – Harold S. Moyer
Owen G. Stultz
- '52 – Robert G. Reeves
Dorothy Huffman Shull
- '53 – Marion E. Mason
- '54 – Marlin P. Alt
- '55 – Doris Niswander Albaugh
Phoebe May Orebaugh
- '56 – Carol Compton Spangler
- '57 – Ben F. Wade
- '58 – Edward F. Jeffries Jr.
- '59 – Violet Siron Cox
Jerry M. Wampler

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- '60 – Flora Hastings Beard
V. Leroy Harsh
- '61 – Eleanor Muntzing Owens
Terry G. Slaubaugh
- '62 – A. Edward Burgess
Virginia Robertson Kline
- '63 – Ed Henneberger
Ernest D. May
- '64 – Delmer G. Botkin
Judy Nolen Henneberger
- '65 – Leland W. Flora
Suetta Sulser Griffith

'66 – Donald R. Brown
William S. Earhart

'67 – Sandra M. Chase
Mensel D. Dean Jr.

'68 – Bruce W. Barlow
Anne Tullidge Bell
Frederick P. Schmoyer III

'69 – Martha Stover Barlow
Wayne L. Carpenter

1970s

'70 – D'Earcy P. Davis III
Ronald E. Hottle
Lavenia Aldridge Norford

'71 – Denny W. Eye
Jeannie Kaetzel Eye
Lorraine Bittinger Lineweaver

'72 – James N. Dickson III
Ellie Hodge Draper

'73 – Glen A. Draper
Bonnie Robertson Edwards

'74 – Richard A. Claybrook Jr.
Bo Trumbo

'75 – Dawn McIntyre Flory
Philip E. Flory
Joe Yamine*

'76 – Lynn K. Hoff
Curtis B. Nolley

'77 – Eric M. Shank

'78 – Debra Moyer Allen
Sandra Mason Cable
Curtis G. Rowland

'79 – W. Lee Huffman
Suzanne Artz Loveland

1980s

'80 – Audrey Puckett Church
Jennifer Ernst Crichton
Keith L. Wampler

'81 – Daniel J. Neher
Gladys Akers Remnant

Kristin E. Whitehurst
Kevin F. Wholey

'82 – Lesley Swart Aschenbach
Holly R. Crockett
Laura MacPherson-McDonald

'83 – Curtiss M. Dudley
Rodney E. Mason
Sharon Lambert O'Connell
Robert I. Stolzman

'84 – Lisa Good Bailey
Joseph James Best
Neil W. Hayslett

'85 – David W. Minnich
Sean Roger O'Connell
Sherrie K. Wampler

'86 – Wendy Ann Farrell
D. Tyler Hudgins
Jerry Anne Thompson Kines

'87 – C. Allan Cramer
Kathryn Wampler Stone
Phillip C. Stone Jr.

'88 – Gary Neil Clark
Tamara Mowbray Mitchell
Ramsey W. Yeatts

'89 – Rhonda Pittman Gingrich
Sarah Lacharite Miller
Matthew I. Smith

1990s

'90 – Leigh Anne Willett Langston
Howard L. Miller
Kathleen Roberts Toothman

'91 – Nan Hutchison Curran
Brian A. Edwards
S. Renee Hoover
Quentin A. Jones
Carolyn Wilson Whitworth

'92 – Jeffrey W. Carter
Lori J. Cipollini

Heather L. Milloy
Bradley J. Moyers

Steven R. Spire
Carson S. Walburn

'93 – Kathryn Rhodes Bremner
Dennis A. Dysart
Stephanie Coffman Dysart
Jarrett P. Hatcher
Mark H. Parsons
Holly Botkin
Stinchcomb

'94 – Elizabeth Gammon Alvis
John A. Barr
Kimberly Flora Carter
Megan M. Gray
Gregory L. Rose
Chelsea Yoder Varner

'95 – Dale L. Foster
Kimberlee A. Gibson
C. Patrick Kelly

'96 – Christopher S. Caldwell
Kimberly D. Gifford
Heather Wiskeman
Moyers

'97 – Heidi M. Gardner
Emily E. Shonk
C. Scott VanPelt

* Deceased

This is a list, by graduation year, of the 1997-98 Bridgewater College Class Agents. If you would like to volunteer to be a class agent, please contact the Director of the Annual Fund at (540) 828 - 5636.

WEDDING BELLS

Diane M. Wampler, '84, and Gerald C. Kester were married June 21, 1997, in Staunton, Va. She is a teacher with Shenandoah Valley Headstart at Bessie Weller Elementary School. Diane and Gerald also are costumed historical interpreters at the Museum of American Frontier Culture. The couple is living in Staunton.

Terry W. Jameson, '87, and Delores J. Saner were married May 10, 1997, in Harrisonburg, where the couple is now living. Terry is a certified public accountant with Alan L. Miller CPA offices, and Delores is a teacher at Harrisonburg-Rockingham Day Care Center.

Dana L. McDaniel, '90, and Jonathan Somers were married June 14, 1997. Dana is a health and physical education teacher for grades K-8 in the Roanoke Valley Christian Schools. Jonathan works for Sonshine Christian Education Ministries Inc. The couple is making its home in Roanoke, Va.



Billie Shay Hartman, '91 and Larry DeVooght were married December 21, 1996. The couple is living in Richmond, Va.

Lara K. Leahman, '91, and Jeffrey W. Hoke were married May 24, 1997, at the Museum of American Frontier Culture in Staunton. Lara is human resource supervisor for RR Donnelley and Sons in Harrisonburg, and Jeffrey is vice president of ARCAM Construction in Waynesboro, Va. The couple is living in Harrisonburg.

Jean L. Temple, '92, and R. Heath Lowman were married May 24, 1997, in Luray, Va., where the couple is now living. Jeannie has been teaching third grade at Luray Elementary School for the past five years. Heath is employed by Merrilatt Industries in Mt. Jackson, Va.

Holly Ann Botkin, '93, and Matt J. Stinchcomb were married July 19, 1997, in Staunton, Va. She is a guidance counselor with Manassas Park City Schools, and he is a molecular biologist for Cambridge Biotech in Rockville, Md. The Stinchcombs live in Centreville, Va.

Robert A. Dansey and **Michele V. Good**, both '93, were married June 21, 1997, in Port Republic, Va. The couple is living in Harrisonburg, where Michele is bookkeeper and officer manager for Daniel's Imprinted Sportswear & Promotional Advertising. Robert is a teacher and coach at Spotswood High School.

Cheryl Renee Gilmer, '94, and William Matthew Martin were married July 12, 1997, in Mt. Sidney, Va. Cheryl teaches second grade at William Perry Elementary School in Waynesboro, Va., and Matt is employed by United Parcel Service in Charlottesville, Va. The couple lives in Waynesboro.

Melissa L. McFall, '94, and Channing Wyeth Fox were married July 12, 1997, in Mt. Solon, Va. She is a teacher with the Rockingham County school system, and he is a program analyst for Rocco, Inc. The couple is making its home in Bridgewater.

Lori C. Whitley, '94, and Brian K. Hines were married Oct. 19, 1996, in Waynesboro, Va. Lori received her master's degree in counseling from Virginia Tech and is clinical coordinator for children mentor services at National Mentor, Inc. Therapeutic Foster Care in Charlotte, N.C. Brian is a sales assistant at Moodys Investors Services and stadium supervisor for the Carolina Panthers. The couple lives in Charlotte.

Carolyn Anderson, '95, and Harry Barrett Jr. were married Aug. 9, 1997, in Lebanon, Pa. Carolyn teaches Spanish and is the head women's track coach at Page County High School in Shenandoah, Va. Harry is a clinical laboratory scientist at the University of Virginia Medical Center in Charlottesville, Va. The couple is living in Shenandoah.

Tracy A. Halterman, '95, and Philip S. Rhodes were married July 19, 1997, in Broadway, Va. Tracy is a laboratory technician with Rocco Quality Foods in Timberville, and Philip is a permit and subdivision specialist for the Virginia Department of Transportation in Harrisonburg, where the couple is living.

Debra J. Hampton, '95, and **Tyler Jessup, '97**, were married June 21, 1997, in Dayton, Va. Debbie is a

teacher assistant at Fulks Run Elementary School, and Tyler is a firefighter with the city of Staunton. The couple makes its home in Bridgewater.

Steven W. Lowe, '95, and **Jennifer C. Parra, '96**, were married June 14, 1997. Steve works for Harris, Smariga & Associates. Jennifer received her chemical engineering degree from Penn State in May '97 and works for Eastalco Aluminum Co. The couple is living in Keymar, Md.

Patricia G. Sams, '96, and Barry S. Campbell were married June 21, 1997, in Churchville, Va. Patricia is a teaching assistant in the Augusta County school system and works part-time at Matthew's Hallmark. Barry is employed by Wayn-Tex Inc. in Waynesboro. The couple is making its home in Staunton, Va.

Cathy D. Simmons, '96, and Ricky L. Bennett were married June 7, 1997, in Franklin, W.Va. Cathy is a substitute teacher for the Pendleton County Board of Education, and Ricky is a line leader for WLR Foods in Hinton, Va. The couple is living in Brandywine, W.Va.

Stephanie N. Sollars, '96, and **J. Cole Corbitt Jr., '97**, were married May 3, 1997, in Richmond, Va. Stephanie received a diploma in computer programming at the ECPI Computer Institute, and Cole is attending the American Graduate School of International Management in Glendale, Ariz., where the couple is living.

Christopher M. Bryant, '97, and Jennifer L. Myers were married June 21, 1997, in Penn Laird, Va. Chris is

FUTURE EAGLES

student teaching and coaching football at Spotswood High School this fall, and Jennifer is a registered nurse in the critical care unit at Rockingham Memorial Hospital. The couple is making its home in Harrisonburg.

Andrew L. Deitz and **Whitney S. Jordan**, both '97, were married July 19, 1997, in Staunton, Va. Andy is a human resource assistant for Parexel, S & FA in Alexandria, Va., and Whitney is a marketing assistant for Integrated Systems Group in Vienna. The couple is living in Falls Church, Va.

Rachel Lynette Shipe, '97, and Richard L. Whetzel were married May 31, 1997, in Mathias, W.Va., where the couple is now living. Rachel is student teaching at Plains Elementary School in Timberville, Va., and Rick is employed by Wampler Foods Inc. in Broadway, Va.

Erin E. Mullins, '99, and James G. Dennis were married Aug. 16, 1997, in Charlottesville, Va. Erin is a philosophy and religion major, and James is a support technician in the C.E. Shull Computing Center at Bridgewater College. The couple is living in Bridgewater.

Donald E. Hanback, '81, and Lisa have their first child, a son, Elijah James, born Aug. 25, 1996. Don is a substance abuse counselor. The family is living in Richmond, Va.

Alison Jeffrey Scott, '83, and Joe have a son, Jesse Edward, born June 2, 1997. He joins his brother, Joey, 4. Alison works as a paralegal at the law firm of Spotts, Smith, Fain & Buis, P.C. The family resides in Richmond, Va.

Kimerly Jane Weiford Lucas, '84, and Mark have a son, Nathaniel Michael, born Oct. 1, 1996. Nathaniel joins his three older brothers, Matthew, 9, Jonathan, 7, and Joshua Huron, 4, at the family's home in Front Royal, Va.



Cameron Boyd & Nathan Wadding

Kimerly is a psychiatric counselor in Manassas.

Taunya Dudley Powell, '85, of Carrsville, Va., has a son, Jarrett Clay, born Dec. 3, 1996. Taunya reports that he is healthy and doing well.

James R. Summy, '85, and Felecia have a daughter, Jennifer Lynn, born July 22, 1997. She joins big sister Allison Elizabeth at the family's home in Duncannon, Pa.

Gary W. Wise, '85, and Rhonda have a son, Scott Patrick, born July 16, 1997. The family is living in Harrisonburg.

Christl Gunn DeNiro, '86, and Kimo have their first child, a son, Rocco Michael, born March 15, 1997. Kimo is a painting contractor, and Christl keeps busy being a mom. The family lives in Sharon Hill, Pa.

Carolyn Wingrove Thomas, '86, and Leonard have a daughter, Lesley Katherine, born July 9, 1997. Lesley joins brother,

Jackson, 4, and sister, Meredith, 2. The Thomas family lives in McLean, Va.

Mike Ginger, '88, and Pam have a daughter, Kiley Susannah, born March 27, 1997. She is welcomed by her older brother, Connor Drew, 2. The Gingers live in Herndon, Va.

Dave Gordon, '88, and **Kristi Evans Gordon**, '91, have a daughter, Emily Elise, born Oct. 19, 1996. Emily joins big brother Nathaniel David, 3. The Gordons live in New Windsor, Md.

Lori Floyd Wadding, '88, and Chuck have a son, Cameron Boyd, born Feb. 10, 1997. He joins big brother Nathan, 2. The family lives in Thorofare, N.J.

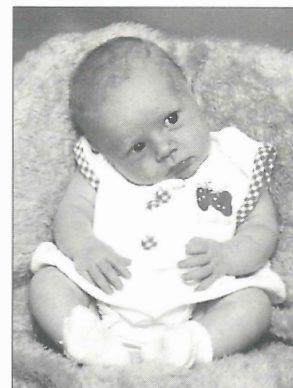
Karen Tate Friedl, '89, and Jay have a daughter, Grace Lauren, born Aug. 12, 1997. She joins big sister Karena Elise, 2, at the family's home in Centreville, Va.

Tara Fansler Pifer, '89, and Larry have a son, Trey Lawrence, born April 29, 1997. Tara teaches second grade at Sandy Hook Elementary School in Strasburg, Va. Larry is a carpenter for C.E. Thompson & Sons in Edinburg, Va., where the family makes its home.



Trey Lawrence Pifer

Vicki Whitesell Stevens, '89, and Stacy have their first child, a daughter, Indira Shae, born June 3, 1997. Vicki received her master's degree in curriculum and instruction from Virginia



Indira Shae Stevens

Tech and teaches 6th grade at Rockbridge Middle School. Stacy received his master's degree from the University of Virginia and is taking a year off before returning to work on his Ph.D. in music history. The family makes its home in Fairfield, Va.

William S. Weissner, '89, and Stacy have a son, William Malgee, born June 25, 1997. Will is safety/facility manager at Air-A-Plane Corp. in Norfolk, Va. The Weissners live in the Old Town section of Suffolk, Va., where they are restoring a home that was built in 1912.

Tonya Gowl Stockman, '91, and Ken have a daughter, Tehya Marie, born May 5, 1997. Tonya is a member of the chemistry faculty at West Virginia University Institute of Technology in Montgomery, W.Va., and Ken is employed by Union Carbide in Charleston, W.Va. Tonya invites classmates to e-mail her at tgstoc@wvut.wvnet.edu.

MEMORIALS

DeWitt "D" Long, '22, of Winchester, Va., died June 1, 1997, at the age of 96. Mr. Long was the founder of Winchester Electric Service in 1935 and an industrial electrician. He was a member of First United Methodist Church, the Good Samaritan Bible Class and Aircraft Owners & Pilots Association. He is survived by his wife, Fleta.

Geraldyn Wood Sager, '23, died July 4, 1997, at the Reeder's Nursing Home in Boonsboro, Md.

Ola May Hoover, '28, of Harrisonburg, died June 22, 1997, at the age of 90. Mrs. Hoover worked with her husband, the late **Lawrence H. Hoover, '27**, in his law practice for more than 20 years. She served on political committees at the local and state level and was a member of the State Democratic Committee. She was active in the Church of the Brethren, working with youth, teaching Sunday school and serving on a number of church boards, local and district. Active in the community, Mrs. Hoover was president of the Rockingham County Heart Council and chair of the March of Dimes campaign. For many years she was a volunteer at Rockingham Memorial Hospital. She was a member of Eastern Star and was listed in "Who's Who of American Women." Among her survivors are a sister, **Katherine May McClanahan, '34**, of Stephens City, Va.; and two brothers, **Dr. John May, '31**, of Salisbury, Md., and **Dr. Everett May, '35**, of Richmond, Va.

Elizabeth Mills Demgar, '32, of Claymont, Del., died May 14, 1997, at the age of

83, from heart failure. She lived most of her life as a homemaker in North Fort Myers, Fla.

Elsie A. Martin, '32, of Harrisonburg, died June 7, 1997, at the age of 89. She earned a master's degree from Columbia University and taught school in Rockingham and Augusta counties. Miss Martin was a member of Zion Mennonite Church where she worked with children's music in her earlier years.

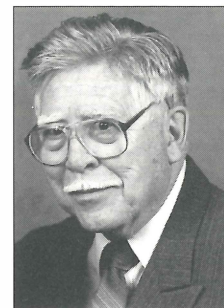
J. Troy Horn, '33, of Churchville, Va., died Aug. 3, 1997, at the age of 88. After graduating from Bridgewater, Mr. Horn received a master's degree in education from the University of Virginia in 1954. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa. He retired in 1967 after serving as principal, teacher and coach in the Augusta, Rockingham and Botetourt counties' school systems and Hampton city school system. Since his retirement, he had been active in farming.

Lt. Col. Truman P. Lambert, '33, of Newport News, Va., died March 10, 1997, at the age of 84. He served in the combat infantry in the Philippines during World War II. He also served in the Korean conflict. Lt. Col. Lambert is survived by his wife Lillian.

Martha Diehl Miller, '41, of Bridgewater, died June 15, 1997, at the age of 83. Mrs. Miller served as the first dietitian at the Bridgewater Home, and was a member of Bridgewater Church of the Brethren.

Former Professor and Dean J. Alaric Bowman Dies

J. Alaric Bowman Jr., a former mathematics and education professor, who was dean of students at Bridgewater from 1966-75 and then served as director of annual giving and alumni relations, died Aug. 31, 1997, at the age of 78, following a heart attack two weeks earlier.



A 1951 graduate of Bridgewater College, Mr. Bowman received an MS degree in 1960 from the University of Pennsylvania. He also completed special advanced work from Stevens Institute of Technology, Western Maryland College and the University of Maryland.

During World War II, Mr. Bowman served as Captain in Field Artillery and he earned five Battle Stars and a Bronze Star.

An active member in the Church of the Brethren, Mr. Bowman served the Hagerstown Church of the Brethren as chairman of the Deacon Board and the Board of Christian Education and as a Sunday School teacher. More recently, as a member of Bridgewater Church of the Brethren, he served as chairman of the Board of Deacons and financial secretary.

Also active in the community, Mr. Bowman was a past president of the Bridgewater Rotary Club and served on the boards of Project Concern, N.E.A., the American Legion and National Association of Christians and Jews.

Mr. Bowman is survived by his wife of 55 years, **Kathryn "Kitty" Reid Bowman, '43**. Also among his survivors are two sons, **Richard A. Bowman, '69**, of Hagerstown, Md., and **Daniel L. Bowman, '73**, of Boonsboro, Md.; a daughter and a granddaughter. ■

Ray J. Graham, '43, of Carefree, Ariz., died June 7, 1997, at the age of 75. Mr. Graham entered the Naval Aviation Cadet Program in November 1942, where he

graduated No. 1 in his class and was commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant in the U.S. Marine Corps in May 1944. He served in World War II and the Korean conflict, where he flew 131 combat missions and received several Air Medals, two Distinguished Flying Crosses and the Silver Star. He worked as a store manager for Sears for over 35 years before retiring in 1980 and became national director of Equal Employment Opportunity. That same year, he started his own consulting company in the field of human resources. Among his survivors are a sister, **Charlotte Graham Garner, '44**, of Bridgewater; and two brothers, **Bruce Graham, '43**, of Bridgewater, and **George Graham, '53**, of Arlington, Va.

James W. Brown, '64, of Richmond, Va., died Aug. 6, 1997, following a heart attack. He is survived by his wife, the former **Patricia Jane Crumpacker, '62**.

Raymond D. Chaplin, '74, of Charlottesville, Va., died June 7, 1997, at the age of 46, following a battle with leukemia. He was senior safety engineer and fire safety officer at the University of Virginia and the official UVA liaison with the Charlottesville Fire Department. Mr. Chaplin was a certified safety professional with American Society of Safety Engineers and a former member of the Staunton-Augusta Rescue Squad.

Arlene Daniels Layman, '49, of Augusta, Ga., died Aug. 28, 1997, at the age of 69. She is survived by her husband, **Daniel B. Layman**, also '49.

Joseph A. Yamine

Joseph A. Yamine of Roanoke, Va., and a member of the Class of 1975, died Sept. 11, at the age of 44.

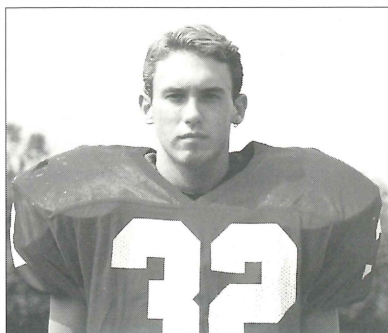
Just over 10 years ago, in August 1987, Mr. Yamine underwent heart transplant surgery performed by Dr. Glenn Barnhart, a 1973 Bridgewater graduate who is now on the college's Board of Trustees.

After graduating from Bridgewater, Mr. Yamine earned a master's degree from Lynchburg College.

He was an agent with Prudential Life Insurance Company from 1981-86, and was owner and operator of Chevron Food Mart in Daleville from 1991-94. Mr. Yamine also served as a Bridgewater College Class Agent for 22 years.

He is survived by his wife, Samira, and two sons. Also among his survivors is a brother, A. Gary Yamine, '79 of Roanoke. ■

Shane Marmet



The Bridgewater College campus community was saddened this summer by the death of Shane Marmet, a rising sophomore, tragically killed in a car accident July 21, while returning to his home from a camping trip.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Marmet of Oneonta, N.Y., he was a mathematics major and worked as a life guard at the college's pool.

Mr. Marmet, a defensive back for the Eagles football team, is remembered by head football coach Mike Clark for his smile. He also noted his "attitude and intelligence" that contributed to Bridgewater's football program.

A moment of silence was observed in Mr. Marmet's memory before the first game of the season against Western Maryland on Sept. 6. ■

PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Persistence

The College's Mission Statement affirms that we will develop and educate students as whole persons. Among the character traits we will seek to instill in them is a high level of personal accountability. This should lead a student to being more dependable and reliable. Certainly, not everyone is dependable; seeing it manifested in dramatic ways by Bridgewater College students is inspirational and gratifying.

Two recent examples of personal accountability have particularly inspired me: one in a hospital room, the other on the athletic field. The athletic contest was a field hockey game played by Bridgewater College women against a perennial conference power. Having faced particularly hard competition in the first part of the season, B.C. entered the contest with a record of 1-7. After first falling behind, the Eagles tied the game 2-2 before time expired. A 15-minute overtime period ended with the same score. So did a second 15-minute overtime period. A tense "shootout" in which five players from each team alternate shots at the goal with only the goalie blocking the way, also ended in a tie. In the next shootout, on the last attempt, a Bridgewater College sophomore, like her teammates exhausted at the end of the longest match anyone here can remember, scored the winning goal. By then the warm fall afternoon had turned to damp chill; players were physically exhausted, emotions had passed any imaginable levels. More was demanded; more was given. The heroic effort of young women who would not quit, whose persistence led them to victory thrilled us with victory; they inspired us with their character.

I do not know the game of hockey well enough to be certain that I was fully aware when play was particularly adept. But I know character when I see it. To see those young women gripping each other's hands in unity, demonstrating their fierce determination to succeed, their refusal to acknowledge fatigue or admit defeat, revealed the kind of accountability that makes for dependable, trustworthy people in life.

It is true that it was only a game and only one of many athletic contests on our campus. But the experience brought home to me again that Bridgewater College students are developing values, and character, not just intellect. They will be leaders in their communities, dependable in their churches, their places of employment and in their families. They will be accountable.

The other inspiration occurred in a University of Virginia hospital room. Just before returning to school, a 19-year-old B.C. junior fell from a mountainside while on a camping trip. Upon being informed by his physicians that he would not walk again, with courage and conviction, he immediately vowed to return to Bridgewater College before the end of the school year! What an inspiration to see such grit, such determination! I have no doubt he will return to the campus in a few months. He has the kind of courage and character to make it happen. He inspires all of us to higher levels of commitment. Can anyone imagine a more dependable, more reliable friend, fellow student, co-worker or family member than a young man with that level of determination?

Whether in the exhausted joy of a successful athletic contest or the anguished commitment to overcome a disabling accident, character emerges from those who are reliable and dependable. It may be found on the playing fields, in the work place, the home or the hospital room. Our commitment at Bridgewater College is to graduate students who reflect in their lives the kind of personal accountability that will make them reliable and trustworthy throughout life.



Phillip C. Stone
President

Can You Help us Find these B.C. Alums?!

We have lost contact with these members of the Bridgewater College class of 1948. As their 50th reunion approaches, we would like to get in touch with them so they do not miss out on any of the special activities planned. If you know the address, phone number or email address for any of these people, please contact the Alumni Office.

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