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Evans ’32, Second-Oldest Alumnus, Passes Away at 100

John Joseph Evans ’32 died July 16, just five days after the death of his wife, Kathleen, and eight days after his 100th birthday. The Evanses had been married for 77 years.

The oldest alumnus, Howard C. Lindemann ’32, who resides in Hackettstown, N.J., celebrated his 100th birthday in June.

A lifelong resident of Dallas, Texas, Evans attended Lafayette on a scholarship and earned his bachelor’s in economics and business. He participated in intramural tennis and boxing, and was Kappa Sigma fraternity’s welterweight boxing champion. In the 1932 centennial edition of The Melange, classmates described Evans as embodying a “steadfastness of character admired by all.”

Evans held the rank of corporal in the Marine Corps during World War II, serving in Guam and China. In 1975, he retired after a distinguished actuarial career at Southwestern Life Insurance Co. Career-related titles and honors included certification in American Academy of Actuaries and fellow in Life Office Management Association. Passions included family, tennis, golf, bridge, dancing, and travel. In addition, Evans supported and served the YMCA, Kiwanis Club International of Oak Cliff (as president), Actuaries Club of the Southwest (as president), and contributed to a book, On the Trail of Texas Actuaries.

In addition to his wife, Evans was preceded in death by sister Patsy E. Neeley and brothers Stewart, Wilbur, and Bob Evans. Two daughters and two sisters survive him.
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Class Notes
1941–1945

Grandchildren, and a twin sister, Barbara Ross, survive him.

1943
Incoming Correspondent: Open

1944 & 1945

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One of my guiding stars from the Lafayette days was Harold Bellis ’40, who passed away June 20, 2010. We never knew each other well, but I was always aware of his career. I was grateful for what he did for the college, fraternity, region, education, and athletics.

Robert Williams ’44 labeled 2010 a “summer year.” Jeanne, his wife of 66 years, died in September 2010, and Bob fell on the ice, breaking both his right arm and hip. Both his arm and hip are working well now. The weather patterns made life very difficult in Kentucky last year. He is hopeful for the year 2012 and plans to attend the class reunion. He would enjoy hearing the plans of Glenn Landis ’44, Barry Keen ’44, and Harold Bodddorff ’44.


Walter also stays current with the political scene and the College expansion.

Longtime friends Ken Kiemmer and Bob Buggein send greetings to the Class of ’45.

One student in the Class of ’45 left a definitive mark on the College, the family business he guided until he retired in 2009, and the industry he served. Harold B. Sachs, longtime executive of Gemini Shippers Association, died at his home July 10 at the age of 86. Lafayette has benefited from Sachs’ generosity. The Sachs Study Room in Skillman Library was the gift of Harold and Mrs. Max Sachs in memory of Max Sachs. In addition, he established the Harold ’45, Doris, Max, and Ida Sachs Book Fund for Skillman. It is one of the College’s largest book funds.

Executive director of Gemini Shippers Association from 1985 to 2009, Harold was a legend in the handbag and leather goods industry. Born Dec. 1, 1924, he was a longtime New Yorker, educated at Manhattan’s McBurney School. His family lived in Phillipsburg at one point, and the proximity to Lafayette influenced Harold’s decision to attend there rather than Columbia. He received a bachelor’s in chemistry and later attended Temple University, attaining his doctor of dental surgery degree. When his father fell ill, Harold chose not to practice dentistry, instead joining the family business in 1948 and eventually assuming positions as president and owner.

In addition to his role as president of National Fashion Accessories Association, Harold worked as executive director of Fashion Accessories Shippers Association, chaired the Labor Negotiations Committee for years, served as an arbitrator in the American Arbitration Association, and was a dedicated member of Rotary Club.

Harold’s wife of 40 years, Doris; children Gene, Harold Jr., Amy Lee, and Nancy Barelle; stepchildren Nancy Jacob ’74 and Stephen Blum; and nine grandchildren survive him. Funeral services were held July 13 at Riverside Chapel in New York City.
1946 & 1947 ♦
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I am saddened to report the death of Ralph N. Tripp Jr. ’47, who died Feb. 22 at his home in Richmond, Va., after a long battle with cancer. His wife, Marina, predeceased him, but he is mourned by his two daughters and four grandchildren.

Ralph was our last class president and was always active in planning our reunions. He and Perc Hill ’47 made sure the hospitality room was well stocked. A biology graduate, in later years he had his own business in Westfield, N.J., as a manufacturer’s rep selling specialized industrial equipment.


Fred Magley ’46 took some time off from sailing on Lake Canandaigua, N.Y., where he lives, to let us know he is planning his 16th work trip to the Yucatan with a church group and hopes to visit Vietnam in the spring.

Betty and I attended the 50-Plus Club Reunion Dinner. Saw a few old friends and sang some of the nostalgic songs we all know so well. I was pleased to see that the joint project between Lafayette and the City of Easton to redevelop the area on Third Street at the foot of College Hill is taking shape. At last the entry to the campus looks worthy of the College. We planned a trip to New England in August to visit friends and get our fill of lobster.

1948 ♦
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Reunion Chair: William Lockett Jr.

George Edward Miller passed away May 8, 2010, at age 87. His home, while at Lafayette, was Chatham, N.J. He was a brother of Delta Tau Delta (see page 62 of the 1948 Melange).

Alvin J. Carr died July 5. He lived in Trenton and Yardley, N.J., and Delray Beach, Fla. After Lafayette, he attended Rutgers, University of Minnesota, and Harvard School of Business. A retired certified computer consultant, he was listed in Who’s Who in Business and had owned several businesses. Alvin served in the Army in World War II. His wife, Patricia, a daughter, a stepson, and four grandchildren survive him. He was buried at Greenwood Cemetery.

John “Pat” Patterson passed away July 25. He was born in Rhinebeck, N.Y., Nov. 15, 1923. He served in both the Army and Navy in the post-World War II occupation and in the Korean War. He was a retired manager of Hechyl-Brown Co. in Simpsonville, S.C. Pat’s wife of 67 years, Mary Adie; a daughter, the Rev. Penelope Urbanik; and her husband; sons John D. and Robert and their wives; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren survive him.

1949 ♦
Incoming Correspondent: Open
President: Harrison W. Wright

1950 ♦
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Jim Woglom referred to a previous column and mentioned two obituaries of classmates who had been at D-Day in June 1944. The only other classmate he knew who had been at D-Day was Norm Harpster (Utah Beach D+10). Jim arrived at Utah Beach D+20. After a 50-year effort, the French government approved a medal for Jim’s unit for its accomplishments July–August 1944 in liberating Brittany. He received his medal in June. Jim and his wife attended our 60th reunion and saw John Wynn, Jim Madara, Jack Bennett, Norm Harpster, their wives, and Jack Fitzgerald.

Bill Van Buskirk laments that none of his close college friends are still alive. He reminisced about his wartime service, which included Pearl Harbor.

Bill Johnston of Fullerton, Calif., noted the recent obituary for Eugene Miller. Gene was his first roommate in South College. He thinks that Gene won a 1947 Plymouth during his freshman year.

Robert Morris, originally from Phillipsburg, lives in Doraville, Ga. Bob has lived in Pennsylvania, California, South Carolina, and now Georgia. Some of his ancestors lived in a house on the Phillipsburg hill across from the College.

John Williams Jr. of Lafayette Hill, Pa., passed away April 29. He was a retired engineering consultant and construction manager at Montgomery County (Pa.) Community College. He was also the former vice president and general manager of weighing and controls and the executive vice president of STV Inc. John attended University of Virginia also and received a master’s in civil engineering at Lehigh University. He served in the Navy during World War II. He was a member of Tau Beta Pi and Sigma Chi fraternities and numerous engineering societies.

Karl LaBarr died May 10 in Bethlehem Township, Pa. After Lafayette, he attended Dickinson School of Law at Penn State and was an attorney in private practice in Easton before retiring. He also had served as solicitor for the city of Easton and served in the Navy during World War II. He was on the board of Two Rivers Health and Wellness Foundation. His wife passed away in 2008. Surviving are a son, Paul, daughters Lisa and Jill, and four grandchildren.

Robert Helman of Bethlehem, Pa., passed away May 13. After a long career with Bethlehem Steel, he retired in 1982 as superintendent of laboratory services in the research department. He began his career with the company in 1950 as a member of its Loop Course. In 1954, he transferred to the research department as a research engineer in the product development division. He was promoted to manager of laboratory services in 1977. He worked on projects involving product and process improvements of wire, sheet, plate, pipe, and plastics. He co-held five U.S. patents.

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and co-authored several technical publications. After retirement, he worked part time as an adjunct professor at Northampton Community College and as an adjunct instructor at Lafayette. A mechanical engineering graduate, he was elected to Tau Beta Pi honor society. He was a World War II veteran in the Army’s armored corps. His wife of 54 years, Joan, survives him, along with daughters Carol and Jane, and five grandchildren.

Robert Salathe passed away June 28 in Concord, N.H. After serving in the Navy during World War II, he graduated with a bachelor’s in mechanical engineering and later earned a master’s from Newark College of Engineering at Rutgers. He pursued a career with Monsanto Research Corp., GE, and GTE, from which he retired. While working for GE, he designed control systems and components for fuel cell power plants for the Gemini Space Program, receiving several patents in his name. His favorite hobby was model railroading. He also enjoyed designing and building systems, such as a solar electrical system or kitchen cabinets. His other interests included golf, bridge, and Boston-area sports teams. Wife Marjorie, daughter Leslie, son Mark, stepdaughter Debra, stepson Jonathan, and six grandchildren survive him.

Claude Rogers Jr. of Carlisle, Pa., passed away July 4. After serving in the Navy during World War II, he earned an electrical engineering degree. Upon graduation, he joined Sperry Rand Corp. as a field engineer. He retired after 35-plus years with the company. He was active in Boy Scouts and received many awards for his service. Claude’s wife, Jean, to whom he had been married for 60 years, predeceased him. Daughters Cynthia and Laura, sons David and Richard, six grandchildren, and a great-grandson survive him.

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1951

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1952

Pard planning is under way for the 60th reunion. Contact Bruiser, Peb, Jane, and Petc.

The 1952 Scholarship Fund is still giving. Final thanks come from Samantha Chalmers ’11 (cum laude in biology, heading for her doctorate, and the granddaughter of Bruce MacKenzie ’51) and from Meghan Curtin ’14 (of Lafayette Hills, Pa., and great-niece of Salvatore Bosca ’51, Thomas Sparta ’51, and Theodore Merlo ’53). Received notes from Ray Angle of Sarasota, Fl., one of Charley Gelbert’s superb infielders, and Al Swan ’51, a Presbyterian minister tending a Lutheran church in Oak Harbor, Wash.

Bob Boorujy, 81, Sigma Chi, husband of Jean Kuebler and father of Joanne Boorujy Catudal ’80, passed away April 12. A retired mechanical engineer, Bob designed and constructed at least nine ocean tankers to help supply fuel for Exxon around the world. Since 1968, he lived in Basking Ridge, N.J.

During the Korean War, he served in the Navy on a carrier. A life member of Tau Beta Pi honor society, he volunteered with Deborah Hospital Foundation, Browns Mills, N.J.

Gerald Bordman, 79, another Sigma Chi, passed away May 9. He was a scholar and author of some 10 books, including the definitive American Musical Theater and others on musical comedy.

The Rev. Dr. Jay Confair, 80, passed away June 21 in Peoria, Ariz. He was married to his first wife, Dorothy, for 57 years. His second wife, Harriet, survives him. Jay graduated from McCormick Theological Seminary in Chicago. He was the retired associate pastor of Faith Church in Sun City, Utah.

William T. Powell, 83, formerly of Easton, passed away in Nottingham, N.H., June 24. He served in the Army in Japan at the end of World War II before getting his degree in chemistry. His wife, Gal, three children, and 14 grandchildren survive him. He worked for several companies, including GE, where he was involved with spacecraft and satellites. His interests included big bands and sports.

Leon Fox and wife Lois attended the 140th Annual Dinner of the Philadelphia Chapter April 14. The guest speaker was Leroy D. Nunery ’77, deputy superintendent and CEO for the School District of Philadelphia. The Foxes attended the 2010–11 Men’s Basketball Awards Banquet April 15. Leon also spent six days in Clarksville, Tenn., watching his granddaughter participate in the AAU Basketball Tournament for ages 12-13.

Al Rhodes and wife Betsy reported in April that they had returned from a month in Florida and were doing well. Col. Stanley Vass died April 20 in Leesburg, Va. His wife, Wilma; sons, Gregory and Jeff; and grandsons
Bennett and Spencer survive him.

George Patton celebrated his 80th birthday April 6 but then had a series of medical issues. George reports that the student recipient for the Class of 1953 scholarship is chemistry major and lacrosse player Meghan Curtin ’14.

The amount awarded was $2,866. The 1953 scholarship at press time had a book value of $25,509.67 and a market value of $47,646.86.

Donald Gold died in June.

No further details were available.

Norman Heyman wrote that he retired from Lord, Abbott & Co., an investment firm, in 1993. However, he continued his entrepreneurial bent and rescued an electromagnetic company, which was eventually sold to a Swedish conglomerate in 1998. Norman married Dorothy Goodman in 1972, which made him an instant father and grandfather; he now has five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He revels in the accomplishments of his children, one of whom won a Pulitzer and another an Emmy.

Norman and Dorothy, who have traveled the world, live in Peter Cooper Village in New York City. They spend most weekends in Fayson Lakes in northwest New Jersey, where they host family members. Call Norman at (212) 533-3732 or (917) 757-0547.

Dave Moore and Jeanne continue their retirement in Winchester, Va., and spend winter in Ft. Myers, Fla. They have eight children and 18 grandchildren. Dave spoke with The Rev. Jim Shotwell, who now resides in Delta, Ohio, and serves as chaplain for veterans. Dave requests ideas for the next reunion.

1954 ♦

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1956 ♦

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Roger Georgion died March 29, 2010, in Ft. Myers, Fla. His wife, Marianne, and three daughters survive him. A member of Phi Delt originally from Berwyn, Pa., he was manager of the wrestling team beginning in his sophomore year. Roger graduated with a degree in business and an Army Reserve commission. He served in the Far East, attained the rank of captain with the Airborne Rangers and was a jumpmaster and embarkation officer. When he had duties in Japan, where Charley Myers was stationed, the two shared a few double dates.

Bob Wells wrote a moving tribute to Jay Fernandes, who passed away in late spring from lung cancer. Jay was a mechanical engineer from Tiverton, R.I. After graduation, since both Bob and Jay had a passion for the aerospace industry, they sought employment with Grumman Aircraft, on Long Island. At that time, Jay did graduate work at Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn. A few years later, he moved to the Fairchild Engine Division, also on Long Island, and worked on the J83 turbojet. Jay graduated to Fairchild’s Stratos division and later relocated to Dayton, Ohio, and United Aircraft Products. He eventually became a vice president at Sundstrand Corp. in Rockford, Ill. When Sundstrand later bought the small engine product line of Solar Turbines Inc., Jay was named head of the new products operations, which took him and the family to a new home in Salano Beach, Calif. In later years, Jay and Bob, in spite of their close friendship, were ardent competitors in major sales campaigns, such as the Boeing 767, Hughes Apache, and Lockheed F-16. Jay’s wife, Gloria, one son, three daughters, and several grandchildren survive him.

After five years with Grumman, Bob moved to Phoenix, Ariz., and joined Garrett Corporation’s AiResearch division, which makes gas turbines and turbine-related equipment. In the ’80s, Bob was promoted to senior project engineer for new applications, selling auxiliary power units for commercial and military aircraft and helicopters. Bob admits that there were times when Jay’s company, Sundstrand, took lucrative business away from his company. They continued to cross paths and business “swords” over the years, as recently as August 2010. Bob and his wife, Beth, visited Jay and Gloria in California.

Steve Rader, M.D., practices in Berkeley, Calif. He and Jack Bocher, M.D., roomed in McKeen Hall, across the hall from Jay Batley, Carmine Gaccione, and Don Mitchell in their freshman year. After his internship, Steve took a residency in psychiatry and still works three days a week as a community psychiatrist. He and wife Wilma are well.

Jim Murphy said he had a small stroke but is nearly fully recovered, with no apparent signs of paralysis. After retiring from Scott Paper, Jim took a position in the office of Bishop Roy Almuquist of Southeastern Pennsylvania Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church. He referred to his seven years in the role as the most satisfying of his life.

Jim, who is regularly in touch with Sandy Smith, says that Sandy and the late Bob Machiorlette attended kindergarten together in Nutley, N.J., where they and Rich Masters grew up. Jim regularly sees a popular “Pard from the Class of ’54, Don Cornelius. While in the service, Don was a jet pilot serving on carriers. He now interviews and recommends candidates for the four military academies.

Jim and Janet had lunch with Don Veitch’s widow, Joyce, and her daughter Kim. Joyce presently lives in Chesterbrook, Pa., but is considering a retirement community. Jim also stays in touch with fellow mechanical engineer Evan Hineman. Evan and wife Barbara
live in Fairfax, Va., with son David. Jim reports that Neil “Shark” Alexander’s son Corey ’95 does stand-up comedy in his spare time and was at Lafayette when Jim’s daughter, Cara Murphy Dunaway ’96, attended. Jim continues to keep in touch with Dieu Khuong-Huu and Norm Hume’s widow, Dorie, who resides in West Chester, Pa., near three daughters and grandchildren.

Jack Mitchell reports that he and wife Judith are well. They live in Andover, Mass. After Lafayette, Jack was assigned to Fort Benning, Ga., for the basic officers training, yet four months later applied to flight school. This took him to San Marcos, Texas. After later assignments, and his marriage during a tour at Fort Devens, Maine, Jack deployed to Korea to fly with the Korean Military Advisory Group. While serving at Fort Rucker, Alaska, he earned his captain bars. Later training on helicopters opened the door for a two-year assignment in Munich, Germany, followed by a tour in Vietnam. When he returned stateside and retired from the military, Jack began a 30-year career with Eastern Airlines and US Airways, as a captain. In all, he had 21,000 military flight hours, including his 28 years in the reserve. Jack retired with the rank of colonel. He would love to hear from Sigma Nu brothers, including John Yerger, roomie Bob Donnelly, and Evan Hineman.

Harold Hartman traveled back to his home state of Pennsylvania, including stops in Hazleton and Oil City. As a native of Port Royal, north of Harrisburg, he felt mixed emotions on selling the family homestead there. 

Misty Sayenga wrote that his wife, Carlene, had knee replacement surgery in the Lehigh Valley. Misty logged more than 7,000 miles driving between Bethlehem, Pa., and their home in Tucson. En route, he spoke at Texas A&M for an international symposium on wire rope. After leaving Texas, he touched down in Natchitoches, La., for a return to two-way football and a League football, Misty wrote to concern for escalating costs of Patriot League football, Misty wrote to President Daniel H. Weiss discussing a return to two-way football and a 33-player cap, which would cut costs and provide a role model for smaller schools and their leagues.

Lee Kane connects with Saul Cooperman, who keeps him informed about the conflict between Israel and the Palestinians.

One of the highlights of the 50th reunion was Wayne Erb and Paul “Tarz” Hewitt exchanging tales of their years as military pilots. After graduation, Wayne completed military flight school and Army advanced officer courses. After eight years as an infantry officer and a pilot, he began a career as a commercial pilot. In 1969, a flight he piloted was hijacked, which forced a landing in Cuba. Passengers and crew were held hostage for what was the longest hijacking on record at the time. Another memorable event from Wayne’s professional life was meeting the legendary Gen. Jimmy Doolittle. Tarz earned a graduate degree in strategic studies from the Naval War College before serving more than 29 years as a Navy aviator and in various command positions. He retired with the rank of captain. Later, he served on the board of directors of VyStar Credit Union.

Thank Kit Green for organizing Reunion Weekend, with help from Gordon Wright. Kit was elected class president, succeeding Dick Graham, who deserves three cheers for doing a great job.

Also present at the reunion were Bill and Donna Florence. Bill practices law and has no plans to retire yet.

Tom Hays and Alice did a lot of reminiscing with Tom’s Alpha Chi Rho roomy, Gordon Wright. Tom hails from Emnitsburg, Md.

Warren Mann attended with his wife, Leslie.

Gerald Purdon and Nancy rolled in from Atlanta. After graduation, Gerald did graduate work at Clark University and retired as a senior vice president of Bank of America.

Mihran Mooradian won a fellowship and also earned a master’s at Clark. He and his wife, Ovsanna, attended reunion. Mihran’s Theta Delt roomies, Pete Reeves (and Elizabeth), John Devlin (and Suzanne), and Morgan Larson, also came.

Bill Hardy and wife Pat came all the way from Texas. After Bill earned his bachelor’s in civil engineering, he did a stint in the Army. He later got a master’s from New Jersey Institute of Technology. He and Pat have a daughter and two sons. Son William III is a 1985 alumnus.

Bud and Sally Jost made the trip from Snyder, N.Y., near Buffalo. Bud’s roomie Dr. Jake Hannemann and his wife, Jude, dropped in from Maine. (Bud’s and Jake’s other roommates were Willard Snyder ’55 and the late Bill Farmer.)

Bud retired as CEO of Health Care and Social Services Organization in western New York. He received his master’s in social work from Penn in 1958. At the same time, Jake was at Jefferson Medical College. He retired as a radiation oncologist in Portland. He and Jude live in Cape Elizabeth, Maine. Jake volunteers as a general practitioner one day a week in a free clinic, and Jude teaches English and American Literature. Willard retired from Wyeth and A. H. Robbins, and lives in Webster, N.Y.

Forrest “Lou” Shaeffer, a native of Hazleton, Pa., attended reunion. He received a master’s from Syracuse. He and Anne retired to New Cumberland, Pa. Another face that peeked out of my photo album was Jack Graham ’54, a choir colleague.

Two students received Class of 1956 Scholarship assistance during the 2010-11 academic year. Elizabeth L. Blake ’12 from Downingtown, Pa., is a double major in French and psychology, who achieved a 4.0 average in fall 2010. The highlight of her junior year was a semester in Paris. Her grandparents, Gordon and Mimi Wright, visited her during her semester abroad. In her application for aid for her senior year, she noted that she is an officer in her sorority, participates in the Lafayette admissions ambassador program, is involved in student government, and performs with Lafayette Chamber Singers.

The other 2010–11 scholarship recipient is Alexander L. Osuchowski ‘13, a civil engineering major who plays on the baseball team. He has a solid “B” average, and plans to pursue a career in either engineering or architecture. Alexander is the grandson of Ed Landis.

Please send updated email addresses along with your news to Don Mitchell.
Loretta and Jim Sandford represented the class at the memorial service for Margot (Ray) Carey. Glenn Fatzinger went to the services for Hugh Gallagher and spoke at length with Hugh’s wife, Francesca.

Recent classmate losses: Hugh Gallagher—A major donor to the College (Gallagher Strength Training Center at Bourger Varsity Football House), Hugh worked in administration for Air Products and Chemicals Inc.

James Dye—A regular at reunions, James attended two of the three class cruises.

Paul Jamieson—A churchmate and classmate of Glenn Grube’s from Phillipsburg, Paul spent his entire career at Ingersoll Rand. He lived with limited vision for most of his adult life. George Witzel—A retired owner of a family business in New York, George was an avid golfer.

Duncan Andrews—A bookman, poet, and scholar, Duncan gathered important collections of varied manuscripts and writings as an antiquarian bookbinder.

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The Health and Wellness Center in Rangeley, Maine, held a concert fundraiser featuring the Doobie Brothers, and Ed Brunswick was one of the 3,000 people attending. His wife, Beth, was the spearhead for the endeavor. Ed planned to return to Bonita Springs, Fla., at the end of September.

Bob Beane, class fund manager, notes the class’ goals can only be met if all participate. A special challenge letter was sent to 37 classmates who had given once since 2000 but not in 2009 or 2010. After issuing a matching gift challenge, 15 classmates accepted and are back on the contributor list. Stats: 102 (65.8% of classmates) this year, versus 95 (60.9%) last year. Dollars: $211,268 this year, versus $196,312 last year. As a comparison, total College donor percentage was 37% for 2011 and 34.5% last year.

Ed Alkire had lunch with Doug Cherry and visited Max Creswell. He reports that First Presbyterian in Portstown, Pa., recognized Max for 50 years of service in the ministry. Max was ordained there in spring 1961 and served in several churches, most recently in Roselle, N.J. Although now retired, Max fills in as an occasional interim pastor and spends long summers serving a church on Swans Island, Maine. Max is recovering from double knee replacement surgery.

Bob Jones spoke to 300 Memorial Day participants in Hollywood, Fla., describing what the country was like at the first Memorial Day. He is a past state commander of Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War.

Spence Manthorpe recently saw Al Caesar. Al reports that he and Martha will visit Mike Houldin with Bob Lotz at Swans Island. Al and Martha are both doing well. Al enjoys spending time with the Friends of Baseball Committee. Ed Brunswick hopes Al will visit Bonita Springs this winter.

Paul Greenhalgh is involved with a boxing club, Harrowgate, in Philadelphia that has catered to low-income young men and women in the city for the last 38 years. On Sept. 24, in North Wildwood, N.J., the club held its annual show: boxing against Holy Family from Belfast, Northern Ireland (featured in the movie The Boxer). Paul is writing a book about Holy Family and its coach, Gerry Storey.

On April 26, Nick and Mary Rotondo returned from their 110-day cruise around the world. Leaving Christchurch, New Zealand, the day before the earthquake, they barely avoided the tsunami in Japan, were escorted by a Navy warship to escape pirates off Somalia, just missed the...
unrest in Egypt, and made port in Israel the day after a bomb.

Steve Fried became a great-grandfather in January and celebrated his 54th anniversary earlier that month. He and his wife, Nina, have cruised over 500 days at sea since 1995. Steve has a commercial real-estate firm, with his son doing the majority of work, and he remains on the board of directors of Screen Actors Guild.

Lem Howell enjoyed Alumni Summer College at Lafayette. Ron May and wife Judy also attended. Gary Evans ’57 joined the group as quizmaster and student.

Charles Stevens is recovering from multiple bypass surgery.

Bill Kurtz works with four of his five sons. He and Lucille have 15 grandchildren, with some attending Northeastern, Drexel, Catholic University, and George Washington. Bill played golf with Don Freimark. Don planned to be at Homecoming.

Bob Harris was in Portland, Maine, looking for property in the Kennebunkport area. Bob adds that his dog is now a champion.

Bill Aukamp fell in April and broke his neck. The accident resulted in a three-week hospital stay, followed by weeks of outpatient physical therapy. He is now back to work full time, though with metal supports in his neck. Bill’s son, Brooks ’03, plans to marry in December. Three of the groomsmen are Thomas “Bucky” Payne ’02, Paulo Coelho ’03, and Alex Walker ’03. Bill is in touch with Jim Braisted, and the two hoped to see a football game together.

Bill writes for The Race to 2012 (www.theraceto2012.com), a political site.

The 55th reunion will be June 7–9, 2013.
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ultra-low-cost housing solutions for the poor and disaster relief victims, with the goal to get the cost of a one-room shelter/house below $1,000 so hundreds of millions of people can improve their living conditions. To see how one of these units can be made in a few hours, go to www.youtube.com/watch?v=aBsupuhgtq8." Warren's contact info: 4681 Parnell Lane, Plano, TX 75024-5501, (469) 241-0751, whuslusleadership.net.

Tom Hosking sent an update: “I had heart valve repair and four bypasses last year, but I’m back playing golf at least twice a week and exercising. My wife and I just celebrated our 50th wedding anniversary. We live in Terre Haute but spend November through April on Anna Maria Island, Fla.” Tom’s contact info: 220 Highland Court, Terre Haute, IN 47802-4915, (812) 299-1327, twhosk@msn.com.

Don and Janeen Kein spent several weeks on Cape Cod. They played a golf course in Brewster, Mass., called The Captains. Don’s contact info: 90 New England Ave. No. 5, Summit, NJ 07901-1830, (908) 918-9756, donaldkein@gmail.com.

Hu Hagadorn contributed an update for Edwin Nelson: “Ed left Lafayette after our sophomore year and joined the Navy, flying combat aircraft off carriers. After his Navy service, he was a pilot with TWA, flying 747s. He married my sister, later divorced, and had three children. Ed received a degree from University of Nebraska–Omaha.” The latest contact data for Ed: P.O. Box 201, Stillwater, NJ 07875-0201, (973) 285-5012.

Norm Sensinger shared the email address for Chip Pfautz, and Norb Smith followed up. Chip says, "Sorry I missed our 50th, but I was ill with diabetes and in a post-op rehab after a toe amputation." Chip’s contact info: 1064 Tamiami Trail Unit 1301, Sarasota, FL 34236-2475, (941) 953-3898, chippfautz@verizon.net.

Dick Poey showcased his work at the Hopkins (Minn.) Center for the Arts this summer in The Secrets Within exhibition. Dick had a one-person show scheduled for October at Hennepin Avenue Methodist Church in Minneapolis. He and wife Heidi will be touring China during that time. Dick noted: "Southwest Publications wrote an article about me and the Sculpture Society Show at the Arboretum. It appeared in the Eden Prairie, Chanhassen, and Chaska, Minn., newspapers. The Sun Sailor wrote about the Hopkins Art Street program and featured my interview.” His contact info: 16465 Ellerdale Lane, Eden Prairie, MN 55346-1430, (952) 949-2444, poeyart@comcast.net.

Don Puckette wrote: “We had our annual family get-together at our house on Lake George, N.Y., with all three of our children—two of whom are Lafayette grads. Richard ’84 (and his wife, Debora Toffey Puckette ’87) and Debora Puckette Macauleer ’83—and eight grandchildren. I hope to see Jim Levi, a KDR brother, during a trip to Florida.” Don’s contact info: 28 Via Maria Drive, Scotia, NY 12302-5736, (518) 399-7569, cpuckett@myacp.rri.com.

Norm Sensinger wrote: “I had lunch with Chip Pfautz in Sarasota, Fla. He plans to make our 55th. During Reunion Weekend, I attended the Chi Phi barbecue and saw brothers from ’60 and ’61 whom I had not seen in years, plus my house son, Dr. Bruce Applestein ’62. He adds that his second grandson, Mason Carter Sensinger, was born May 6. Norm’s contact info: 369 Homeland Southway Unit 1-A, Baltimore, MD 21212-4140, (410) 532-7672, mcseninger@comcast.net.

Norb and Maryellen Smith traveled to Huntington Beach, Calif., in late May to celebrate their grandson’s 9th birthday. Norb attended the national directors meeting of the Navy League in Washington, D.C., in late June.

Dee and Nels Snook reported on the Delta Upsilon reunion for classes of 58’ to 64’ held in June. About 27 brothers and spouses/friends attended the reunion put together by Bob Zimet ’60 and Don Lass ’60. The group met in Annopolis, Md., where Wally French arranged for a private room for the 58-’59ers. Joining Wally and his wife, Dot, from the ’59 DU class were Wally and Betty Knobel, Nels, and Dee. Sunday was the reunion aboard the Catherine Marie sailing vessel. Snooks’ contact info: 12832 N. 14th Drive, Phoenix, AZ 85029-2829, (602) 971-4546, das2nes@yahoo.com.

During his distinguished Navy career, Captain USN Ret. Jad Sortor commanded USS Fairfax County, a tank landing ship. SeaPower magazine featured an article in which the Royal
Australian Navy announced it was decommissioning the former U.S. Navy vessel. Norb Smith sent the article to Jad, who replied: “I often wondered what happened to her. I was captain from 1977 to 1999, and did a lot of sea time on her. By examining the photo, I see that the Australians have done major modifications to the superstructure. In 1994, the Clinton administration sold her for a paltry $10 million after a major overhaul. The U.S. Navy got gypped.”

Jad’s contact info: 227 Birch Tree Circle, Aiken, SC 29803-1016, (803) 643-3179, rooster1@gforcecable.com.

Joe Stefanowicz wrote: “In July, I competed in the 50-and-over track and field events in the Pennsylvania Seniors Games. I participated in three events, placing first, second, and fifth. His contact info: 14 Concord Crossing Lane, Chadds Ford, PA 19317-8953, (610) 861-9247, pg19317@verizon.net.

John Sterling reports he sees PKT brother Ed Skou about once a month. Ed has had some health issues recently. John’s contact info: 145 Granada St., Holly Hill, FL 32117-1763, (386) 677-0722, johnsterling145@gmail.com (new).

The Honorable Sid Strauss wrote: “I still work full time as a Supreme Court judge in Queens County, N.Y. The job is a blast, I am finishing my 10th year, and when one works because he wants to, not because he has to, it is never tedious. My wife retired from Bayshore Ford in 2012. I still volunteer as the church administrator in Clovis, Calif., where our youngest son, Bruce, is associate pastor.” Sid adds that son Michael is a real estate lawyer in Manhattan, and son David is director of Science, and the Miami Museum of Science, and the Miami Museum of Planetarium.

Jerry Turnauer established, with his family, the Dean Frank R. Hunt Emergency Scholarship Fund. He and Sandye hosted all 10 of their grandchildren recently, attending such sites as Lion Country Safari, Fort Lauderdale Museum of Discovery and Science, and the Miami Museum and Planetarium. Jerry adds, “Our granddaughter Gabby will interview at Lafayette College soon. She’ll also visit Muhlenberg College in Allentown, Pa. Gabby plans to spend her first year post-high school at a seminary in Jerusalem. Sandye and I will celebrate our 50th wedding anniversary Dec. 17.” Jerry and Sandye plan to see Jerry’s former Bethlehem High School classmate, Len Achey when Len and his wife visit Bethlehem. Jerry’s contact info: 10921 1539, (954) 476-9038, jturnauer@baysoreford.com.

Bob Turner wrote: “Carol and I had a great visit with Dick and Sue Harding in North Carolina in early May, on the way to the graduation of our first grandchild, Josh Harcus, from the University of North Carolina–Wilmington. Carol and I celebrated our 50th wedding anniversary in August. Our first granddaughter, Briana Turner, is engaged to be married in January 2012. I still volunteer as the church administrator in Clovis, Calif., where our youngest son, Bruce, is associate pastor.” Bob’s contact info: P.O. Box 2068, Clovis, CA 93613-2068, (818) 903-2378, rhturner@yahoo.com.

For the past several years, Phi Psi classmates have celebrated each year with a reunion. Dick Wright wrote: “This June, Phi Psi brothers from the Class of ’59 gathered at John and Betty Ziegler’s mansion on the water in Bay Head, N.J., for our 52nd reunion. In attendance were Fritz Muench, Jim and Susie Haering, Mike and Linda Wilson, Rich Kohler and his lovely guest, and Jackie and I. George and Carol Tiger ’57 joined us Friday night. George was a favorite upperclassman and my housefather. He even brought the paddle I had made for him when I was a pledge, undoubtedly to remind me of who was still boss!” Dick’s contact info: 95 Buckshere Place, Holland, PA 19866-2011, (215) 522-1958, cdcrsw@verizon.net.

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Paul Luscombe attended the 51st reunion in June. At registration, he ran into Lew Powell, his wife, Nancy, and their grandson, Ben. They had arrived after a long drive from Oregon. Lew’s role in The Graduates Saturday choir concert motivated his trip.

Paul’s friend Doug Hobby ’61 was at his Theta Xi fraternity dinner in downtown Easton. Doug told Paul of the return of Bob Haigh, who traveled from Colorado, and Dave Saalfrank.

On Friday night, Paul met with Konrad Kundig, director of The Graduates. In response to Paul’s success with karaoke, Konrad invited him to join in a group at the reunion concert the next day. However, illness precluded Paul’s musical debut at Lafayette, and he flew back to Florida.

Bernie Guenther, a neighbor of Paul’s in The Villages, Fla., visited Paul in the hospital during his recovery from back surgery. Bernie had just returned from a western vacation in Idaho, Montana, and Washington. The Guenthers were excited about their daughter Natalie Schaefer, who qualified for the Ironman Triathlon for the second time in three years. Another of Paul’s hospital visitors was Dick Beck, who brought doughnuts every Monday morning.
1961

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Class President Joe Nyce offered these words about the 50th reunion: “There is something comforting about being with a group of people who function on the basis of wisdom instead of ambition.”

Dalton Marks indicated he had many good friends among his fraternity brothers but recognizes now that fraternity life deterred him from getting to know other classmates. From his reunion experiences, he remarked, “I realize now how much I missed. We really have many interesting and wonderful guys in our class.”

Much of the reunion’s success goes to the planning committee, headed by Ed Auble. Class agents representing fraternities and social dorms also helped. One of the best reunion showings ever at Lafayette, the event was attended by 82 classmates (150 in total, with spouses and others included).

Bill Remaly did a great job arranging the Thursday dinner at DeLorenzo’s in Forks Township; 30 attended. Doug Hobby sat with the DU golfers (Bob Howard, Ben Sack, Lew Gill, and Tom Heck) and told them they were the heavy favorites at the class golf outing. Though Doug threatened to handicap them, they won the low score by a wide margin.

The class golf outing at Morgan Hill Golf Club included 21 golfers. John Cunningham had the longest drive, and Hugh Richardson and Lew Gill won closest to the pin contests. Second place went to the team captained by Ed Baumgartner, which included his wife Trudy, Nyce, and Richardson. Though the class was unsure which team Bob Ives played on, he happily collected prizes. Thanks to Neil Van Cleef for assisting with arrangements.

Dick Webster did a wonderful job with the Class Memory Book.

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All 150 attendees joined the reunion parade in light blue shirts and caps behind the class banner, carried by David Thomsen. Bill Sibal marched in his infamous straw hat.

Many toured the College facilities. Pete Myers, who had not been back since graduation, was most impressed with the Bourger Varsity Football House.

At the Saturday dinner, Nyce’s lighthearted discussion of the class’ history and current role with the College set the tone for the evening. George Benson provided humorous remembrances of past days at Lafayette.

Ron Geesey, class treasurer, reported on the class gift, which is the establishment of an international speaker series.

For the 50th reunion, overall giving was $214,071 from 141 donors. The amount given or pledged to the class gift was $145,167, and the total given to the unrestricted annual fund was $66,669. Other gifts assigned to the class amounted to $2,235.

The 141 donors represent 68.6% of the 206 solicited members of the class. Last year, participation was 49.5%, and $73,927 was given.

Jim Sorrentino is the new reunion chair. Auble plans to stay active with the class; he currently chairs the Alumni Association’s International Committee.

The other class officers were reelected. The College now supports a 55th reunion, but the officers hope to arrange get-togethers each year, one of which will probably be at Homecoming.

Ed Ahart ’69, chair of the Board of Trustees, was the guest speaker. He reviewed Lafayette’s ambitious strategic plan.

Theta Xi fraternity held a reunion dinner Friday night at Pearly Baker’s in Easton for the Class of 1961 and adjoining classes. Twenty-three attended, including Joe Blakaitis, Andy Cherrington, Roger Hunt, Dave Phranner, Dan Schutter, Dick Toro, Myers, Webster, Hobby, Bob Haigh ’60, Dave Saalfrank ’60, John Decker ’62, Al Alvarez ’63, and Dan Tuck ’64. Schutter assembled the class pictures and necrology posted at Kirby House.

John Sutter looked forward to Lafayette’s football game in early September against North Dakota State in Fargo, S.D. He and wife Sandy live only 40 miles away in Lake Park, Minn. They were also anticipating the birth of their first grandchild in October. Sutter found out at reunion that he and Dietz’s wife, Jane, grew up in Forest Hills, N.Y., and lived a few blocks from each other.

The Phi Dels held a gathering during the weekend, which included Dale Adams, Fred Bailine, Dave Bloys, Bill Buchler, Warren Eberlein, George Halak, and Cunningham.

At the Thursday dinner, Dave Denzler mentioned he retired as a professor at San Jose State.

Doug Hobby’s golf partners were Paul Ackerman, Alan Phillips, and Rich Remaly. Phillips works full time in Houston as an executive vice president for Sivco Inc., a high-alloy specialty fabricator. Remaly is retired as CEO of Chase Pharmaceutical and lives in Tucson, Ariz. He works as a seasonal forest ranger. Ackerman keeps busy doing home repair work.

Webster said he received good exercise advice from Ed Vitale. He also got to see Jim “Stinger” Westcott, who made a brief appearance at reunion Saturday.

Peter Hanson, the tallest member of the class, stood out at the parade. He was with wife Karen, whom he married in 2005. His first wife, Sue, died tragically in 1990, along with her mother, in a plane crash in Costa Rica. Peter has three children and seven grandchildren.

Denis Gordon works as an attorney, specializing in labor arbitration. He received his law degree from University of Pennsylvania and worked with the Department of Justice before entering private practice.

Pierre Pelanne saw a few of his SAE brothers at reunion. He and wife Peggy, both retired, live in Williamsburg, Va. Pierre had a long, successful career with the United Nations and lived in Connecticut. The Pelannes have two sons, who are doing well in business.

Gary Ludlow died peacefully at home in April from cancer. He lived in Bath, Ohio. His wife of 48 years, Martha, two daughters, and four grandchildren survive him. Ludlow was born in Bernardsville, N.J., and was a high school national champion sharpshooter with a .22-caliber rifle. He studied economics and was a member of
Sigma Nu fraternity. He served in the Army, discharged as a captain. Ludlow’s business career began with Travelers Insurance Co., specializing in group insurance and pensions. He then worked as an employee benefits consultant before leaving the corporate world in 1979 to pursue his passion as an antiques dealer. He retired in 2010. Ludlow was an avid golfer and played many of the top courses in America.

John Hiller died in July from a traumatic brain injury he suffered after a fall while hunting for turquoise in Arizona. Hiller was a member of Phi Beta Kappa. He was a chemical engineer and received a Ph.D. in organic chemistry from Case Institute. He spent most of his career formulating chemicals for consumer products, many of which are still on the market and well-known. He worked at Phillip Morris, Calgon Corp., Yardley of London, Lehn & Fink, and Eastman Chemical. Hiller was married for 45 years to Mary and had two children. He enjoyed foreign travel, spending vacations in his motor home, and rock hunting, especially for opals.

Dr. Elliot Marcus passed away in August after a long illness. He lived in Vestal, N.Y., with his wife, Peggy, and had two children and four grandchildren. Marcus grew up in Maspeth, N.Y. He graduated from Cheshire Academy, and was a member of Pi Lambda Phi fraternity. He attended Temple University School of Dentistry and then received a Ph.D. in organic chemistry. He then worked for consumer products, many of which are still on the market and well-known. He worked at Phillip Morris, Calgon Corp., Yardley of London, Lehn & Fink, and Eastman Chemical. Hiller was married for 45 years to Mary and had two children. He enjoyed foreign travel, spending vacations in his motor home, and rock hunting, especially for opals.

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finance as a corporate treasurer, the companies David worked for were acquired, and he returned to managing investment portfolios for individuals, trusts, and IRAs. He is now at Three Lakes Advisors Inc.

Don Eckenfelder notes that at 70, when most people are done with a career, he has just started. About 15 years ago, Don wrote *Values-Driven Safety*, a book discussing why loss prevention was actually about culture. Those ideas led to wider applications and, last year, in collaboration with Zete fraternity brother and friend Doug Nagan, who has expertise in risk management, they presented at *The Economist* Conference in New York City, detailing how an organization’s culture is its destiny and how to measure that culture. The pair’s work was recognized by Office of the Inspector General of the Department of Defense as one of only two systems it endorses. In addition, New Zealand labeled Don “Safety’s Cultural Ambassador,” and in Australia, a business partner, Kelvin Blackney, has applied these principles in preventing bush fires and minimizing their damage. For more, see www.culturethesos.com.

Next year, Don and wife Barbara will celebrate their 50th anniversary. They have four children and 19 grandchildren. The Eckenfelders are members of LDS Church and have two grandsons serving church missions in Moscow and Santa Maria, Brazil. Don serves as a bishop in the Glens Falls ward.

Doug Nagan lives in Deep River, Conn., with his wife of 48 years, Anne. They have two children and four grandchildren. Doug works in research and consulting (see www.naganresearchgroup.com) and recently published, *eERM*—effective Enterprise Risk Management.

Paul and Carolyn Speicker traveled to Cape Ann, Mass., in August to visit Paul’s brother, Ray Speicker ’65 and his wife, Judy, and their family. Ray’s eldest daughter, Karen, and her two boys are visiting from Austria, where she lives with her husband, Josef Sterl. They work in dairy farming on the border with Germany. Ray and Judy live in Gloucester, Mass., near Plum Cove and Rockport. Ray’s other daughter, Robyn, and son Chris live nearby in New Hampshire and Massachusetts. In September, Paul and Carolyn planned to travel to Houston to visit their son Matt ’95 (a chemical engineer and Ph.D.), his wife, Sandra, and their daughter, Anna, 6, and son, Alex, 3. Matt attended graduate school at North Carolina State and is a research engineer with Exxon in its upstream research division.

In preparation for the 50th reunion and golf challenge next year, Tom Burns wrote about a warm-up golf event held June 12 in southern California. Members of the 45th reunion chemical engineers hit the links at Torrey Pines, North, the Grand at Del Mar, and Encinitas Ranch golf clubs. Bob Kauffman hosted Frank Sarubbi, Tom, and guest (subbing for Jim Lytle, who was unable to make the trip), Bob’s home in Leucadia, Calif., overlooks the Pacific Ocean. Jim Lytle notes that Frank, wife Cheryl, and daughter Angela visited his family in New York City. He also says that the SAEs meet regularly about twice a year and will next meet in October for a football game and dinner in Easton. He expects Chuck Brick, Walt Doeschel, Harry Irwin, Dave Lowe, Jim Montgomery, Jim Reeve, and Greg Shannon will attend, with hopes to see Ted Lundberg and Ken Poppe.

Neil Goldstein writes: “My darling wife, Janet, is on her fourth year with a transplanted kidney and doing just fine. My son Bill is working in New York, married with twin boys, and—believe it or not—living in Narberth, Pa., and commuting to New York five days a week. My daughter, Lauren, works and lives in Brooklyn, N.Y. She has consulted for *Martha Stewart Magazine*. Brett ’89 works in Philadelphia as an attorney and has given me three more beautiful grandchildren. I am still practicing law and enjoying a decreased schedule, playing tennis and catching up on reading and my hobby of collecting miniature soldiers. I still plan to get to New York to see my roomie Freeman Shore.”

Barry Aronowsky writes: “My wife and I had lunch in June with my former roommate, Judge Morris “Mickey” Stern, and his wife, Ronnie. Mickey lives in New Jersey, and I live on Long Island, so we met in New York City. I met my wife, Barbara, shortly after college, and we were married in 1964. We have three children and five grandchildren, all of whom live on Long Island.”

Bruce Vakiener writes: “The end of 2010 saw my third retirement. My first was in 1999, after 29 years with Locite Corporation. I started in 1970 as a technical service engineer selling specialty adhesives and sealants, and total sales were $10 million. At the end of my Locite years, the company had over $1 billion in sales. During my career, I became president of the northern Asia/Pacific region, responsible for Japan, Taiwan, Korea, China, and India, living in Japan and Hong Kong. I retired as executive vice president.

“Twelve hours later, Vakiener Associates LLC was operating as an international business consulting firm. I operated that company until retiring in 2006. I successfully completed many assignments helping other U.S. enterprises to expand overseas.

“My latest ‘retirement’ was as a board of directors member for Bicron Electronics Co. of Canaan, Conn., a manufacturer and marketer of solenoids and transformers. I was on Bicron’s board for over 10 years.”

Bruce adds he now teaches CPR/AED and first aid part time for Northampton Community College and is an assistant captain of his local ambulance squad. He and wife Kate moved to Nazareth, Pa., four years ago to be near their five grandchildren. The 50th reunion for the Class of 1962 will be June 1–3, 2012.

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John Cooper writes that he and Marilyn returned from Seattle after visiting their two kids and four...
grandkids. While there, they had lunch with Ron and Sandra Garfunkel, who were in town for a family event. Earlier this year, they began to talk seriously about the upcoming 50th Reunion in 2013 and planned to hold the first committee meeting this fall at Lafayette. The Coopers visited with the (Bert) Zarins, (Orlando) Riutorts, (Lewis) Minkels, (W. Hunt) Dumonts, (Michael) Stilman, (Joe) Bells, and Bill Haase this year.

Harvey Shapiro retired seven years ago. He and wife Sandy celebrated their 44th anniversary in October. Both are healthy and are proud of their two daughters, two sons-in-law, and two grandsons, ages 6 and 9. Harvey rides a bike 50 miles a week and works out in a gym five or six hours per week. The Shapiro will be going on a two-week safari in Kenya and Tanzania in 2012.

Wayne Boulton is a retired college professor, Presbyterian minister, and graduate school president living with wife Vicki in Wellesley, outside Boston. Their son, Matthew, was appointed president of Christian Theological Seminary, an Indianapolis school affiliated with the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). A Disciples minister who is an author and musician as well, Matt taught at Harvard Divinity School and Andover Newton Theological School.

Wayne spent the summer in Montana as preacher and worship leader at St. Timothy’s Chapel, a Presbyterian center on a mountain that overlooks Georgetown Lake. Wayne’s agenda includes learning to fly fish. Vicki renewed a longtime relationship with American Field Service as an early 70th birthday party at their house extended. For now, I am house-bound most of the time. I take antibacterial, antiviral, and antifungal drugs to help my depressed immune system.”

Richard continues to do computer work for the music program at his church, sequencing MIDI files. These files are played back on Sunday, providing all of the instrumental music for the Mass. He says that he is called a “virtual” organist. He has completed the traditional Bach cycle and is reaching the end of the Buxtehude cycle. He will forward a sample to anyone who requests it by email.

Richard’s son Peter ’91 is an environmental civil engineer with URS Corp. in Houston. He received his environmental engineering master’s from University of Texas—Austin. His other son, Stewart ’93, an electrical engineering graduate, is a skilled videographer and conventional motion picture editor. He assists University of Wisconsin–Madison faculty with video and motion picture support and general research. He also has a bachelor’s in English from Pitt and a master’s in motion picture analysis from University of Wisconsin.

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Gerald Katz’s daughter, Rachel Mandelbaum, was to begin a position as an assistant professor of astrophysics at Carnegie Mellon University in September. Rachel attended Princeton University for her undergraduate and Ph.D. degrees, and she worked as a research associate at Princeton. Dana surprised Fred Day Aug. 5 with an early 70th birthday party at their home in Summit, N.J. Joining them were son Graham ’99 and his wife, Kelly, and daughter Ann ’01 and her fiancé, Mike. They spent the next day at Yankee Stadium watching the Yankees beat the Orioles (Mike’s team) 8-3.

Remember the 50th reunion, June 7–9, 2013.

1964

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Herb Harkins checked in this summer while visiting “back home” in Pennsylvania. He lives in Cottosloe, a suburb of Perth, Western Australia, with his wife, Melissa, and their two children. He plans to return for the 50th reunion. After retiring in December 2009, Jim Anderson is now able to pursue his hobby of participating in Civil War reenactments. Jim spent 45 years in the steel industry, which included substantial international travel involving steelmaking practice and product development. Jim and his wife, Sandy, reside in Fallston, Md., and have two sons and four grandchildren.

Chuck Bleifeld is still practicing orthopedic surgery. He remarried 10 years ago, has five grandchildren, and has completed 23 marathons. He resides in Stony Brook, N.Y.

In 1999, Ned McElroy retired from Gateway Inc., where he was treasurer, and moved to West Dover, Vt. He is treasurer of Deerfield Valley Rotary Club and serves on various committees for the Episcopal Diocese of Vermont. He and his wife volunteer at the local food pantry and for Habitat for Humanity.

Allan Teger has lived in Vero Beach for the past nine years with his girlfriend, Barbara Krupp. Both are artists, selling their art at galleries, art festivals, and on the web. His bodyscape photographs are his primary focus. Allan, who had been a psychology professor, left academics many years ago, but he still writes and teaches occasionally. He notes he is trying to restart an old project with autistic children begun years ago.
Class Notes
1965–1967

1965
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John Galson
Web Page Administrator:
Rod Heckman

Bob Zink said that he and Linda were impressed by how little everyone had changed at the 45th reunion.

The Rev. G. Clayton Ames III is still singing, still smoking, still soldiering in Philly’s First Troop.

Claude Beller drove up with Len Sarver for the lunch.

Jim Bernhardt is battling ALS and yet is still so much his old self. He attended with his wife, Lindsay.

Bob Catriona is as slim and serious as ever. He was headed down to his place in Bay Head, N.J.

David De Vries fights for law and justice in Pennsylvania. Smart and accomplished, he also is deeply involved in charity work. Bonnie is every bit his match.

Don Fredrickson and wife Barbara hosted a Friday night cookout for the Bernhardts at their home in Easton. Don won the coveted Crayola trophy for the person who traveled the shortest distance.

Dr. John Galson is as intense and funny as always. Fran joined him Saturday night.

Jim Gordon has a house in France. Bob Grim, the legal dean of Kutztown, and wife Jane seem to get younger every year.


Frank Hutchinson enjoys golf and his twin grandsons. Still swimming, but more recreational than competitive.

Curt Martin and wife Sally returned from their Florida house to their home in Berksdale, N.J.

Don Mills and wife Lindy attended the class dinner Saturday evening. Thanks to John Galson for convincing Don to come.

Paul O’Hea seems to be more visible at the reunions than he was when he was in school. He attended with his wife, Sharon. Their daughters are Erin O’Hea Boudreaux ’96 and Christine O’Hea Pitluck ’92.

Brad Pierce does a great job as class president—apparently class president for life, since the class reelected him again, First Lady Renee by his side.

Jim Quin and Pam were in town from Colorado. They have been very active in the alumni association ever since graduation and host a get-acquainted event every year at their home for families of new Colorado ‘Pards.

Dave Robins and wife Carol are devoted West Siders in New York City. “Rahboe” remains laconic, ironic, and funny.

Bob Rothman mystified dinner speaker (Dru Germanoski, Ervin R. VanArtsdalen Professor of Geology and department head) with a report of seismic tremors in Brooklyn, N.Y.

Len Sarver was elected to Mount Vernon (N.Y.) School Board, and hopes to make big changes.

Bill Slivinski had to cancel at the last minute. Claude Beller says Bill has 10 grandchildren. Is that a class record?

Bert Stromberg and wife Jo Anne flew in from University of Minnesota, where Bert continues to serve as the chair of the biology department.

Jeff Weigel has a house in Fiji and a commitment to the welfare of the island people.

Bob Zink works at Avaya, and he and Linda are remodeling a new home in Hershey’s Mill, Pa.

1967

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Web Page Administrator:
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The 45th reunion is fast approaching, June 1–3, 2012.

Following the earthquake in Japan, Kei-Ichi Ohara in Tokyo wrote: “I am OK, with only slight damage at my house in Tokyo. All my family members (wife Masumi and daughter Sayaka) are fine. Luckily, my family and friends have been surviving through the aftershocks, although the Fukushima nuclear power plant troubles remain unsettled.”

Because Kei’s employer, Japan Career Development Corp., finds him indispensable, he is not thinking of retiring yet. He extends an offer to classmates to provide assistance or information with regard to Japan or Tokyo.

After 35 years with J.P. Morgan, Ed Scherling retired in June 2009 as an executive director with responsibility for managing the firm’s western hemisphere credit function within the global custody line of business. He and his wife, Linda, who retired the same day, reside in Jackson, N.J. The Scherlings’ daughter, Lori, was married in October 2010 and resides in Philadelphia with her husband, Andrew, who by coincidence is a J.P. Morgan executive director and senior auditor.

Richard Rose retired from Loudoun County Schools in 2001 and from Marymount University in 2006. After the death of his wife, Susan, in 2008, he moved to Oklahoma to help his parents. He remarried in 2010, and he and Kathleen returned to Virginia in 2011. He continues to write and produce operas and recently completed a book, Frameshifts, available from Amazon.

John Valvanis’ daughter, Kristin ’03, was married Oct. 2, 2010, to Eric Frederickson. The couple met while completing the 2,100-mile Appalachian Trail. They reside in Middletown, Conn.

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Neil Meade, after more than 30 years in private practice as a primary care physician in Maryland, accepted a position with Indian Health Services on the Navajo reservation in New Mexico. Neil had always wanted to work with Native Americans, even though it meant giving up his suburban Maryland life for life on the high desert plains of New Mexico. So far, he says, “It has been an amazing and enriching experience.”

On March 1, Andy Sirpis succumbed to brain cancer. A government and law graduate, he was president of Kappa Sigma during his junior and senior years. Andy participated in ROTC, served two years in the Army, and was discharged with the rank of captain. He then earned his master’s in management from Rensselaer and became a financial planner for Connecticut General Life Insurance Co. He retired from its successor company, Lincoln Financial, in 2006. He then became COO for Washington Group, a subsidiary of Massachusetts Mutual, where he remained until his death.

Andy began dating his future wife, Helene Scourby, while an undergraduate. One of the first in the class to marry, he and Helene were married for nearly 44 years. They have two sons, Alexander, a regional director of Carfax, and his wife, Hilery, have two children, Kate and Hayden. Matthew, his wife, Rebecca, and their son, Leo, were awaiting an addition to their family in September. Matthew is their son, Leo, were awaiting an addition to their family in September. Matthew is

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Jon Green continues as vice chair of Rockefeller Group International Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Mitsubishi Estate Company Ltd., with interests in real estate ownership, investment, management and development, and real estate services.

Jon earned his law degree from New York University School of Law. Before joining The Rockefeller Group, he was associated with the New York City law firm of Thacher Proffitt & Wood. He joined Rockefeller Group in 1980 as assistant vice president and real estate counsel. In October 2002, he was named president and chief executive officer. He was named vice chair in January 2009.

In his role, Jon is active in formulating the strategic planning for the company and its subsidiaries. He is a member of the board of directors of both his company and Amway Capital Management Inc. He also serves on the board of trustees for three organizations: Museum for African Art, Lafayette Leadership Council, and Wildlife Conservation Society.

Joe Cox continues as headmaster of The Haverford (Pa.) School. He published a June 17 op-ed essay in The Philadelphia Inquirer, “Why Men Don’t Hold Hands.” Joe compares and contrasts two articles and a study to examine the nature of male friendship. He also alludes to his relationship with his own father, “a tough man who lived a tough life.” Joe also continues to serve as a member of Lafayette’s Board of Trustees.

Chuck Metzger lives in the Tampa area, having survived a 2004 heart attack. He has an artificial hip and anticipates a right knee replacement, all of which he attributes to his days as an athlete. Chuck keeps active with two part-time jobs and seven grandchildren.

Dave Stone and his wife, Nancy, have four grown children, one grandchild, and two more on the way. A few years ago, he began a second career after working for Harvard’s School of Engineering and Applied Science and then MIT. He took courses at Harvard Medical School and became a licensed psychologist in Georgia, where he is now in private practice. He is also a pastoral counselor and volunteers to see patients at his church. Dave sometimes uses virtual reality in treating patients with post-traumatic stress disorder. Dave and a friend have a virtual reality entertainment company that produces music videos, some of which were shown at Shanghai Exhibition Center.

Ted and Rosemary Veresink became grandparents for the first time June 24. Daughter Sandra ’02 and her husband, Robert Kovacs, are the proud parents of Kian Michael. Ted serves as president-elect of Lehigh Valley Alumni Chapter and is on various committees and boards associated with the College.

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Class Notes

1971

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Reunion Chair: Open

Tim Ely is manager, X-ray systems, for Kubtec, maker of cabinets for X-rays for medical equipment. Tim lives in Fairfield, Conn., and has a son, daughter, and granddaughter.

Lafayette Trustee Riley Temple is semi-retired but dabbles in telecommunications law. Riley is in his third year at Virginia Theological Seminary in Alexandria, Va., and completed an intensive year studying the Hebrew Scriptures.

Tim Lillie teaches special education and disability studies at University of Akron, where he has completed 15 years of service. His interests are end-of-life issues and people with disabilities. Active in university governance, Tim just finished a term as chair of the athletic committee. Tim gardens and home-cans vegetables, pickles, and most recently beef stew, peaches, and pears. Daughter Alexis is an emergency room R.N. in Boise, Idaho.

Arnie Lichten, computer programmer for Victaulic in Forks of Weston, Conn., is a cyclist, foodie, cook, and a DJ for 88.1 WDIY (wdiy.org) in Allentown/Bethlehem, playing 10 hours of new jazz and unheard-of music every other Friday night. Roger Weinreb is an avid listener.

Bill Sprecher, retired from Procter & Gamble, and his wife, Lynn, enjoy retirement in Vero Beach, Fla. Bill and Lynn have one daughter and two grandchildren in Cincinnati, one daughter and one granddaughter in Tucson, Ariz., and a son in Colorado Springs.

Architect John Becker of Weston, Mass., a principal in the Boston architectural field of DiMella Shaffer, is designing and working on the Armed Forces Retirement Home in Washington, D.C. Daughter Ashley is getting a master’s from John Hopkins, and son John is in law school.

Financial trader Dan Griggs is remodeling his Northfield, Ill., abode.

Jim Brandl is director of engineering for DSM Nutritional Products in Belvedere, N.J. He is on the ski patrol for Blue Mountain in Palmerton, Pa. Jim and his wife, Liz, keep busy with their four children, ages 9 to 22. Jim wins the youngest child prize for the class, beating out Bob Lewis by one year.

Dr. Jon Schwartz practices internal medicine in Quakertown, Pa. Son Mike ’01 is a civil engineer in Allentown, Pa., and son Justin is a portfolio manager at Vanguard. Jon has three grandchildren and enjoys golf and tennis.

Warren Cole is director of strategic sourcing for Corning Inc. in Painted Post, N.Y. Warren has been married to Jackie for 37 years. Daughter Heather, 24, lives in Chicago, and daughter Holly, 27, resides in Sydney, Australia.

Managing partner at McAloon & Friedman in New York City, medical malpractice attorney Gary Greenfield has one more year of Duke University tuition for his daughter, Ruthie. Son Matthew is an associate producer on the NBC Today Show, and son Andrew runs golf tournaments for the American Junior Golf Association in Atlanta. All Greenfield children are Blue Devils.

Fair Haven, N.J., attorney Len Needle’s son Jonathan is an attorney with a special unit of the Department of Justice in Washington, D.C., defending habeas corpus cases. An appeal worked on by Jonathan was reported in The New York Times. Son Alan is a Ph.D. student in kinesiology, the science of movement, at University of Delaware. Len’s daughter, Sandy, is 35 and has twins.

Bob Lewis moved his law practice to Stamford and New Haven, Conn., from New York City. Bob, who resides in an 1895 house in Stony Creek, Conn., has three children, Rand, 16, Margie, 14, and Tony, 10. Bruce Hochman is an A-level cyclist and psychologist.

Bob Donofrio looks fitter then ever. He resides in Sea Girt, N.J., and has paid more tuitions (3) to Lafayette than any other member of the class.

Tom Marschik of Summit, N.J., is semi-retired from the independent book business and enjoys golf.

Rob Siegner retired in 2006 from owning a Cadillac dealership in Stanford, Conn. Married for 40 years, Rob and JoAnne have three grandchildren.

Fritz Gebhard does accounting/bookkeeping and lives in St. Louis with his wife of 37 years, Mardie. The Gebhards have three sons—Fritz Jr., Jonathan, and Patrick—and two grandchildren.

Bethlehem, Pa., resident Larry Lennon has four children and six grandchildren. He works in purchasing for Lehign Valley Site Contractors in Easton.

Mike McClintock and his wife of 40 years, Linda, enjoy Scottsdale, Ariz., but are renting an oceanfront townhouse on the Jersey Coast this fall to make it easier for them to be back east for Penn State (both sons are alumni) and Lafayette football games as well as to visit family and friends. Since retiring from Merck in 2005, Mike serves on the boards of nonprofit organizations, makes wine, and travels with Linda. Son Brian is a senior attorney with the Department of Homeland Security in New York City, specializing in immigration and employment law, and son Brett is a wildlife biologist and ecological mathematician doing research with the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration in Seattle.

Lou Prevost is senior vice president and partner/owner of Radnor Hotel in St. Davids, Pa., and Wayne Hotel, Wayne, Pa. Lou and wife Susan have been married 39 years and enjoy their five grandchildren. Lou splits his time between the Radnor and his 1853 home in Wellsboro, Pa.

Barry Shabbick practices law in Northampton County, Pa., with an emphasis on personal injury and workers’ compensation. Wife Laurie is retiring from Pennsylvania Power & Light after 29 years in human resources.


Fran Minotto, a programmer analyst with Siemens Medical Solutions in Malvern, Pa., has been happily married to Kathie for 13 years. A scratch golfer, Fran is on the steering committee for Friends of Lafayette Football. He has three sons and four grandchildren.

Lafayette Trustee Steve Pryor is president of ExxonMobil Chemical Company in Houston, Texas.

Bob Bradford retired from Procter
& Gamble in 2007 and lives with wife Susan in Milford, Ohio. Bob and Susan travel, golf, sail, and visit with their two children and five grandchildren.

Retired Major General, Army Reserve, Dennis Laich, reported on his civilian and military career and exploits, including 10 marathons; running with the bulls in Pamplona; his painted wife, Colleen; and two children.

Tennis addict Roger Weinreb is manager of Batteries Plus in Woburn, Mass. Roger is the father of four and grandfather of one.

Bruce Kleinert has been happily retired for three years, with his avid gardener wife, Peggy. Bruce and Peggy are remodeling their house in Pittsburgh. Son Brad works for Verizon Wireless, son Chris works for Education Management Co., and daughter Melissa is a junior majoring in music education at Baldwin Wallace College.

1972

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Frank Julia and his wife returned from a vacation in Orlando. Frank entered his 17th year as a middle school math teacher and eagerly anticipated the new year. He bikes more and planned a ride in the Shenandoah Valley in September.

David Bennett is president of H.C. Bennett Co. He and his family are Freestaters (Maryland) and have transplanted their loyalty to the Orioles and Ravens from hometown Phillies and Eagles. David and family also enjoy their vacation home at Lake Meade in Pennsylvania.

Barry L. Hughes died unexpectedly at home June 20. His wife, Louan, and his children and grandchildren survive him. Our sympathies to his family.

1973

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Marty Bernstein became engaged to Catherine Gillet. Marty started his seventh year as a high school math teacher after switching careers from information technology.

Marty’s daughter, Katie, graduated from University of Colorado-Boulder with a degree in sociology. Since her sophomore year, Katie has worked full-time at the front desk of the Millenium Hotel in Boulder. She is now a manager trainee with Weidner Property Management in Denver. Marty’s son, Connor, graduated from School of Massage and Natural Health in Asheville, N.C.

Ken Ross made a trip to Washington, D.C., to receive an award from Science Applications International Company (SAIC) Technical Fellows Council for best publication of 2010. The award recognized his contributions to technical conference papers. Ken works in the Silicon Valley (Calif.) office of SAIC, with occasional visits to the main offices in Virginia and Maryland.

Joe Grimes competed in the National Lifeguard Championships held Aug. 6–8 in Cape May, N.J. Joe and rowing partner John McShane finished third and received the bronze medal in the 55–59 men’s surfboat division. Two weeks earlier, Joe placed second at the Mid-Atlantic regional championships.

1975

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David Farer co-chaired an environmental insurance video webcast on how-to-tips and advice for those seeking or considering environmental insurance for transactions, property development, financing, cleanups, and business operations. For more, go to www.ali-abn.org/VCS0508. David is with the firm Farer Fersko in Westfield, N.J.

Charlie Kurowsky returns to campus regularly as a participant and president of The Graduates Alumni Choir. Charlie and the group took part in Reunion 2011, singing at the Alumni Association dinner, President’s Convocation, and step-singing in front of “Old Pardee.” During football season, Charlie and his wife, Stephanie, hoped to attend their 29th consecutive Lafayette-Lehigh game. Charlie retired from the state of New Jersey six years ago.

Jim Wright and his wife attended Reunion 2011, bringing his record to 35 of the last 36 reunions since graduation! Jim once again had the honor of carrying the class flag in the reunion parade and enjoyed reconnecting with Charlie Kurowsky and Paul Steckel. Son John will be attending Moravian College, and Jim says he will get over it in about four years.
**Class Notes**

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**Web Page Administrator:** Open

**Richard Rush** retired from Kimberly-Clarke/Scott Paper Co. after 28 years and in April began a career as health and safety director with Kaolin Mushrooms Co. in Kennett Square, Pa.

**Lisa Carril** enjoys life in the countryside outside of Princeton, N.J., with her new black Lab, Rock. She is in her 30th year of teaching French, currently in the Hopewell Valley Regional School District in Pennington, N.J. Lisa’s dad, former Lafayette basketball player Pete Carril ’52, visits from Sacramento when he gets a break from the hustle of the NBA. Lisa expects to be on hand at next year’s graduation when her nephew Pete Carril ’12 will mark the third generation of Lafayette graduates.

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**Sharon Sudol** formed Marque Media LLC to provide strategic marketing services to companies. She continues to do The Auto Lab radio broadcast Saturday mornings (thanks to WJRH, which gave her a start). The Auto Lab is an automotive broadcast series about the history and culture of the automotive industry. Ideas of leading college faculty, authors, and automotive practitioners are presented in a relaxed, conversational format. Sharon lives in Manasquan, N.J., in a country cottage by the sea. Find her on LinkedIn.

**1981**

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Seven children of classmates will be ‘Pards this fall in the Class of 2015:  
Michael Alexander, son of Jim;  
Michael Beyer, son of Scott;  
Carolyne Byington, daughter of Robert ’78 and Jennifer Toce Byington; John Gehrig, son of George;  
Kevin McAndrew, son of Tim;  
Emily Mullford, daughter of Greg and Amy Bloom Mullford, and  
Katherine Nelson, daughter of Bonnie McCorkindale. Three students in the Class of 2014, six in the Class of 2013, and seven in the Class of 2012 are 1981 legacies. In some instances both parents are alumni, and two 1981 classmates will each have two children enrolled during the coming year.

**Bill ’79 and Laurie Loken**  
Brightly live in Ho-Ho-Kus, N.J., and

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are almost-empty nesters. Their oldest son, Kevin, who graduated from Duke in 2009, works as a civil engineer for Skanska USA and lives in New York City. Daughter Alison just graduated from Wake Forest but planned to return there in the fall to complete a fifth-year master’s in accounting, after which she will work for one of the Big Four firms in New York City. Son Connor is a sophomore at Elon University. Laurie obtained her insurance license three years ago and now works part time in Bill’s agency, Mintz Giegian & Brightly Inc., in the personal lines department.

The Brightlys frequently see Leo ’80 and Laura Massey Magrath, who live nearby in Radgewood, N.J. The Magraths have two sons, Cole, who graduated from Georgetown in 2010 and works in finance in New York City, and Taylor, a junior at Washington & Lee College.

The Brightlys also get together with Phil and Susan Bollman Duvall at least once a year. Phil is the owner of Pittsburgh Tank Corp., and Susan works part time at Chemco, a related business. The Duvalls live in Pittsburgh with their three children, Andrea ’12 and twins Philip (first year at Cornell) and Chloe (first year at Vanderbilt).

Dave Rappaport has two children in college, daughter Ali ’13 and son Ben, a senior at American University. Dave is U.S. CEO of an international specialist bank and is in a new rock musical, which keeps him busy. He travels to the U.K. often. Dave went back to Lafayette and taught one class for Ilan Peleg, Charles A. Dana Professor of Government and Law. Ali was a student in the class.

Dave and Cheryl are moving back to New York City and just bought a place.

Tony Fernandez joined Pinnacle Foods, Parsippany, N.J., as chief supply chain officer, responsible for procurement, manufacturing, distribution, customer service, planning, engineering, and quality assurance. He previously worked at Cadbury for 12 years and then Kraft for one year, helping to integrate Cadbury after the acquisition by Kraft in 2010. Sue DePhillips Fernandez ’83 and Tony have been married for 26 years and have lived in Ridgefield, Conn., for the last 10 years. Their daughters are Christina, a senior at College of Holy Cross; Elise, a first-year student at Notre Dame University; and Anna, a seventh grader.

Class Notes

1981

Michelle Math Bross and husband Bob have lived in Mount Laurel, N.J., for the past 24 years. Michelle is an office manager for IT Evolution, a consulting and management company based in Camden, N.J. Bob is a family physician in Columbus, N.J. Son Zack, 23, graduated from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute last year and is working on his master’s in education at Drexel University to teach physics. Son Ari, 19, is studying electrical engineering and is an emergency medical technician at Rowan University. Michelle gets together a few times a year with Ana Duarte McCarthy, Monica Sullivan Doyle, Laurie Stull Geosits, Bernie Maher Flanagan, Sharon Donegan, and Wendy Miller Hart.

Adrienne and Dillard Kirby’s daughter, Lizzie ’13, and son, Stark, a high school junior, live in Mendham, N.J. Dillard keeps in touch with classmates Kevin Livesey, Bob McKeown, and Rich Schreiber. Condolences to Dillard and his family on the passing of his father, Fred M. Kirby II, age 91, Feb. 8.

Ana Duarte McCarthy has been chief diversity officer at Citigroup since 2002 and has nearly 17 years at the company. Daughter Alissa is a high school junior, plays field hockey, and is on the ski team. She spent two weeks this past summer training at Mt. Hood, Ore. Ana’s husband, Mike, sold his business and started a home inspection business. They live in Basking Ridge, N.J.

Barry Brown enjoyed the 30th reunion, after which he and five classmates extended the weekend with golf at Martha’s Vineyard. George Tiger, Mike Glynn, Kevin Buzard, Doug Ciabotti, and Bernice Fitzgerald. Barry and wife Jeannie live in Morristown, N.J., where she is a teacher at The Peck School and Barry works as a consultant for Mercer. Son Eoin graduated from Vanderbilt, and lived in Shanghai, China, this summer, where he won an award for an internship. He studied Mandarin at Vanderbilt and twice studied in China, once for an entire semester in Shanghai. At the end of July, daughter Gareth returned from Europe, where she spent her junior spring semester in Paris, studying fashion. She planned to return for her senior year at Syracuse University to complete her degree in fashion design. Daughter Kelsey is a sophomore at University of North Carolina–Chapel Hill. Barry looked forward to returning to Lafayette this fall to watch the men’s soccer team play and to participate in the annual alumni soccer game.

Sharon Tchon Gruet has lived in the Boston area for 11 years and works for Chicos. Her son, Andrew, graduated from Emory; second son Michael is in a master’s program at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute; daughter Nicole is a junior at University of Vermont; and second daughter Nathalie is in her first year at Wellesley.

Greg and Amy Bloom Mulford attended reunion on Saturday. Their eldest daughter, Katie, graduated from Muhlenberg College and plans to marry in 2013. Sarah ’10 transitioned from a successful career-beginning stint at Ralph Lauren to PricewaterhouseCoopers in compliance/data assurance. Rebecca ’12 spent her spring semester abroad in Barcelona and interned for MTV/Teen Nick in New York City over the summer. Emily ’15 is in her first year at Lafayette. Three children attending/graduated from Lafayette may be a class record. Son Michael is in his first year in high school. Greg and Amy are in the final stages of building a “new, old home” in Green Village/Harding (N.J.) Township.

Joe “Ricky” Godwin is a director of the private bank Credit Suisse in Philadelphia and lives in Yardley, Pa. Ricky and wife Eileen celebrated their 26th anniversary in July. Son Andrew, 23, lives and works in New York City, and daughter Sarah, 17, is a high school senior.

Christine Agocs Buca saw a production of HairSpray performed in Roosevelt Park in Edison, N.J. As Chris read the program, she saw the name “Meggie Bakes” (Margaret Bakes Davis). Chris said, “Meggie played four different roles in the play, and she was terrific! She not only sings but also dances well, and she was very, very funny.”

Lynn and Jim Alexander hosted a reception at their home for the incoming Washington, D.C., area members of the Class of 2015, which includes their son Michael. Attendees included Harold Hocking and his significant other, Sharon Lynn; Steven and Denise Mayer ’82 Brownlie, and Mark Goldstone. Members of other classes attended as well.

James Malone has been practicing law in the Philadelphia area since 1984. He is married to Anne, and they have two
children, one in Missouri and one a high school junior. James recently returned to school for a master’s degree in taxation. He now represents taxpayers in tax controversies and tax litigation.

Maggie Anderson Gutierrez lives in Medford, N.J., and works for Lockheed Martin in Moorestown, N.J., as an engineering tech director in renewable energy. Son Carlos ’10 graduated with a bachelor’s in chemical engineering. Laura and Rich Schreiber live in Bethesda, Md., with son Eric, a senior at McGill University, and daughter Hannah, a sophomore at Emory. Rich sold his company, CreditRetriever, to TransUnion a few years back, and recently, as president of SureDeposit, he was involved in the sale of the company to Assurant.

Laura Isken Doyle and her husband, George, joined Barb and Scott Beisler ’80 for a “mystery guest” dinner. They were surprised to see Keith ’80 and Beth Kwasnik Blair. Keith is a staff engineer for Paulsboro, a refining company. Years ago, Beth decided to leave the accounting field and go into the catering business. The Blairs’ daughter, Katie, graduated from Loyola in 2011 and is in the nursing program at Drexel. They reside in South Jersey, outside of Philadelphia.

The Doyle’s son Matt, a junior at Harvard, played baseball this summer in Mystic, Conn., for New England Collegiate Baseball League. Daughter Claire is in her first year at Bucknell, and twins Tommy and Katherine are high school sophomores.

Mark Goldstone’s daughter Jessica, in her first year, joined her brother, Corey, a junior, at Syracuse this fall. A memorial plaza in honor of Mark’s wife, Mindy Lieberman, who died of cancer in 2009, is being built between Ruef and Easton halls. Donations can be made to Lafayette College and mailed to Mark at 9419 Spruce Tree Circle, Bethesda, MD 20814.

1982 ♦

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Laura J. Moore passed away Nov. 2, 2010. Laura started with our class but did not graduate. Her husband is Randy Wilson. She has two sons, Ryan Moore and Dakota Wilson. She worked as a teacher then transitioned a few years ago to a stay-at-home mom. The “Catching Up With” column of LehighValleyLive.com featured Mike Whitman. Mike has racked up some impressive business and athletic statistics in his career, working in successively senior positions at Johnson & Johnson, including vice president of sales and marketing. He founded one medical device company, Power Medical Interventions (since acquired by Covidien), and has founded a second, Micro Interventional Devices, which focuses on structural repair for heart disease. His wife, Linda Tedori Whitman ’83, works with Mike in the business.

The article also cites some of Mike’s more impressive basketball stats in high school and college, including Delaware Valley Player of the Year in 1978 and ranking 21st on the Lafayette College career scoring list. Read more on Lafayette’s website.

Laura Bailey Culp and her husband, Robert, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary. Carol Nelson and Barry Felzenberg ’79 traveled to Akron, Ohio, to help celebrate. Laura and Robert’s son, Rob, is in his third year at Rochester Institute of Technology, studying software engineering. Their daughter, Catherine, is a senior at Our Lady of the Elms in Akron and is in the midst of her college search. Laura became the second woman to chair Akron Area YMCA’s board of trustees and is also vice chair of Leadership Akron board of trustees.

Carol Nelson is dating Barry Felzenberg ’79. Her daughter, Elyse Schunkewitz ’12, is the first Lafayette legacy at her sorority, Alpha Gamma Delta. Carol’s son, Jason, is a sophomore at Muhlenberg College. The rumor is that Carol’s sorority, Alpha Gamma Delta, took over what used to be the Sigma Nu house, of which Barry was a member.

Dan Ramus says he and Kay Reynolds are doing great. Kay is director of admissions at Fitchburg State University; Dan became a U.S. Coast Guard-certified captain and runs sail charters in Boston Harbor. Of their four boys, two are college graduates—one working in Boston and the other doing graduate work at Northeastern University. The third son works full time in Boston and will head back to hospitality management school soon, while the youngest planned to attend Northeastern University as a first-year student.

Dan and Kay still work to solve the global poverty problem, running a clinic and school lunch programs in a Honduran village of 10,000. Their next project is a purified water plant. Dan invites classmates to spend a week helping this impoverished town.

Lisa Lisanti lived in Sewickley, Pa., outside of Pittsburgh and has four children: Antonio, 18, who headed to Princeton this fall; Marco, 16; and twins Natalia and Tessa, 13. Lisa is finishing a degree in English at Chatham University. She met with Joanne Moloney Adamchak in Stone Harbor, N.J., recently and says Joanne is doing well.

Mike “Weissy” Weisburger and a few other “’82 boys” attended a Mets game at Citi Field in New York in memory of John Marr, who died unexpectedly a few years ago. John loved the Mets. The following attended: Pat “CJ” Fletcher, Bob Graney, Bill “Wink” McHeffey, and Mike.

Brad Addison has worked at DuPont Engineering as a senior consulting engineer in the rotating machinery group since September 2006. He is a big fan of Springton Manor Farm, part of Chester County (Pa.) Parks & Recreation. See Brad’s fan page on Facebook.

Jan Fuchella Carroll’s daughter Nicole enjoyed her first year at Boston College and works the front desk at a radiology practice, where the staff occasionally lets her sit in on some procedures. Daughter Emily completed two field hockey camps this summer. Jan
works three days a week as a personal bookkeeper for high-net-worth clients.

Karen Johannes Dalton and her family moved back to the East Coast from California. Her two middle school students and high school junior are adjusting to Rochester, N.Y., where her husband runs the local NBC station.

Before they left California, Karen and her family visited Pam Mattimore and her husband, Tom Normoyle ’80. Pam works at Air Products, based in Allentown, Pa., but travels the world and gets back to see Tom and their daughter, Emma (now in high school), as often as possible.

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Tucker Troxell moved to northern Virginia in 2007, where he runs a division of Cingroup’s private bank, which takes him to Philadelphia, Miami, Dallas, Houston, and London. Tucker’s wife, Michelle, owns and operates a photography business. They have two children. Catherine, 13, plays on a tournament softball team and is a straight-A student. Son Kyle, 11, is an expert with Legos, and, to Tucker’s regret, is a Yankees fan.

In July, Mike Browne attended the 50th birthday party of J.B. Reilly in Saugon Valley, Pa. Other attendees included Benji Boscolo, Tony Furey, Scott Gordon, Dave Kennedy, Tim Lucas, Greg Ginsberg ’82, and David “Odie” Knight ’82. Tim is a father for the fifth time. He and wife Bianca welcomed Miguel Oscar June 14.

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James Hartman joined Merchants Bank as vice president and commercial lender. He resides in Bethelhem, Pa., with his wife, Donna. James has over 25 years of banking experience with various financial institutions throughout the Lehigh Valley, including Lafayette Ambassador Bank and Meridian Bank.

Pat Beck lives in Hope Valley, R.I., with his wife of 19 years, Karen, and his eighth-grade son, Colin. Pat is a landscape architect but also raises Silver Fox meat rabbits, which he sells to chefs and at his weekend farmers’ market booth. He is writing a book, pairing up the best chefs in Rhode Island to feature local proteins and produce with the best family farms. To be titled, An Ode to Rhode Island Farms and Food, it will include photographs of each chef at the farm, their philosophies, and in-kitchen photographs of a recipe inspired by the experience. For more, follow Pat’s blog, www.rifarmsandfood.com.

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Reunion Chair: Geri Landy Rago
Web Page Administrator: Open

Pards gathered at the Yale Club in New York City in April for the New York Alumni Dinner. The Class of 1985 was well represented, and after a festive cocktail hour, classmates heard remarks by President Daniel H. Weiss followed by Q&A. Attendees included Matt Fahey, Alex Gleeson, Michael Ippolito, Sandy Kazinski, and Betsy Hughes Phillips.

Matt Fahey lives in Rye, N.Y., with his wife, Missie, and their three boys, Quinn, 13, Peter, 11, and Harry, 4. Matt is a director at Citibank and works in the controls and emerging risk group. He served as a Rye City council member a few years back. He enjoys sailing his Morgan 38 on Long Island Sound and started running again after eight years off.

Timm Becker Brandhorst lives in Concord, Mass., and has two daughters, Emma (a sophomore at Concord Carlisle High School), and Claire (seventh grade at Carlisle Public School). Timm volunteers at the schools and with the local youth lacrosse program. His husband, Eric, works for State Street Global Advisors, in investment management and research. Timm often sees Ellen Hughes Mushlitz and Lynn Anzenberger Aghajanian.

Thanks to Anne Harwood Matlack for all the hard work on the Class of 1985 Annual Fund gift. Donations from 174 classmates exceeded the participation goal of 35%, reaching 38.08% and raising $76,081.

Dave Daniels is managing director and head of the financial sponsors group at RBC Capital Markets in New York. He resides in Ridgewood, N.J., with his wife, Janet Byers Daniels ’84, and children Caitlin, 18, Brian, 16, Kylie, 14, and Brynna, 9. Dave regularly sees classmates Pete Demers, Tom Ellison, Tom Moriarty, Carl Huppert, and Grant Doelp.

The Joe Heaney 50 by 50 High Point Challenge continues. On May 27, Joe’s son, Joseph IV “Moe,” was accepted into the Class of 2015 at John Hopkins University, and he and Joe climbed the highest point in Texas, Guadalupe Peak. Next planned high points were Gannet Peak in Wyoming, King Peak in Utah, and Mt. Elbert in Colorado, all three climbed during the end of July and first week in August. These three peaks bring Joe’s total to 37, with two climbing seasons to go to finish his goal of 50 peaks by 50 years old.

Debbie Marion Murray and Betsy Hughes Phillips see each other every other summer at Camp Merrriwood in Orford, N.H., where their daughters are at camp together. Debbie lives in Darien, Conn.
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Stephen Delahunty was elected to the North American board of Global IT Community Association, which includes more than 800 member organizations and more than 3.9 million IT professionals.

Tom Gibbons was appointed environmental commissioner for Jersey City, N.J. Tom spent the past eight years working in New York City’s Department of Environmental Protection in connection with the upgrade and repair of water and wastewater infrastructure. A longtime resident of Jersey City, Tom said he was inspired by Mayor Jerramiah Healy’s “Green Initiative” and decided to seek this opportunity to help the city protect and manage open space and other natural resources, such as water and air.

A follow-up on the sad news reported a year ago regarding Sally Elbert Kalin ‘87’s death from cancer. Sally’s parents, Vivian and Edward Elbert ‘55, established a memorial fund in her honor. The fund’s dedication reads: “The Sally Elbert Kalin ’87 Memorial Fund for Study Abroad” is established in the permanent endowment of Lafayette College. The Fund is an expression of our desire for Sally’s memory to live on in the Lafayette community, where she made lifelong friends and attained the wisdom and maturity that characterized her life. International study was a component of her Lafayette experience, and it is our hope that the fund will assist future students in their endeavors abroad. Sally’s unflagging spirit during her long illness was an inspiration to all who knew and loved her. She would want students who may benefit from the Fund to do well and embrace that spirit.” To contribute, send a check (with “Sally Elbert Kalin ’87 Memorial Fund for Study Abroad” on the check’s memo line or on a separate note) to Lafayette College, Attn: Sherie Beers, 207 Markle Hall, Easton, PA 18042.

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Chris Blakcoking wrote that he finally made the Wall of Fame at Flamingo Golf in Surf City, Long Beach Island, N.J. He achieved the score during the weekly tournament. Finishing tied for first in his age group, he was forced into a playoff, which he lost by a stroke.

Chrisy Santangelo lives in Dubai and works for a music production and promotion company that stages live concerts. Chrissy traveled back to the U.S. in June, where she visited with Jill Barry and Melissa Lennon. In August, Chrisy planned to travel to Amsterdam and Paris and hoped to catch the Foo Fighters show at the Rock en Seine festival.

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Jason Ojalvo reports he launched Audiobook Creation Exchange (www.acx.com) in May, for Audible.com, a subsidiary of Amazon.com. ACX connects authors and publishers with actors and recording studios to create audio books.

Jason also reports he hung out with Tony Brooke ’91 at the Grammy Awards in Los Angeles Feb. 13. Both were celebrating Grammy nominations, Ojalvo for executive producing the Woody Allen audio book collection (in which Woody reads all of his classic short stories collected over the past 40 years) and Brooke for engineering the most recent Richard Thompson album. Sadly, neither won. Both will try again for a Grammy in 2012.

Jason performed with the reunited band Weird People while back on campus for the Class of 1991 20-year reunion. The group includes ’91ers Tony Brooke, Joe Cigan, Steve Gotlieb, Mike Pressman, and Joe Tosolt, as well as Tyrone Cabalu ’89.

Mike Dietzsch and his wife, Dorothy, welcomed a baby boy July 12. Ryan Michael weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces. Ryan joins 4-year-old big sister Rachael. Mike also celebrated his 16-year anniversary with AT&T.

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Beth Curran is professor of French film and literature at Temple University in Philadelphia. She and her longtime beau, Len Sbordone, live on City Island in the Bronx, N.Y.

Yvonne Koulouathers, owner of the editorial services and consulting firm Way With Words (www.waywithwords.com), and her husband, John Economides, live in Mahwah, N.J.

Eileen Murray, with her husband, Chris Hatton, and their young sons, Max and Zef, moved from Athens, Ga., to New Paltz, N.Y. Eileen is professor of mathematics education at SUNY–New Paltz.

After a planned yearlong hiatus that included travels to Southeast Asia, Europe, and throughout the United States, Dara Panichas and her husband, Tommy Hansen, returned this spring to their home in Philadelphia, where Dara works in website development.

Maribeth Swan specializes in the field of fashion styling and sales, both as owner of Swan Image Consulting (www.swanimageconsulting.com) and as a stylist and closet consultant at Looks Clothing LLC. Residing in Watertown, Mass., she continues to enjoy singing and songwriting in her spare time.

Gina Marshall Arias lives in Brooklyn, N.Y., with her son, Khalil, 9, and is a senior community partner coordinator at Fund for the Public Health of New York.

Moving from California to Arizona to Colorado, Wendy Miller Monaco, a nurse, and her husband, Frank, have settled in Palm Desert, Calif., with their two children, Lucas, 3, and Vanessa, 1. About two years ago and after many years in Denver, Ana Sanjuan with her husband, Ben Senterfitt, and sons Raphael, 7, and Julian, 5, relocated to Red Hook, N.Y. Ana is principal of Thinking Partners (www.yourthinkingpartners.com), which offers business development and marketing consultation and coaching.

Donna Sepulveda Herley lives in Maplewood, N.J., with her husband, Brendan, and three children, Charlie, 7, Audie, 4, and Ellie, 1. Before giving birth to her third child, Donna was a brand development manager at Unilever.

Eddie and Nicole Taurisano Albert live in Upper St. Clair, Pa., and are parents of Edward, 7, and Michael, 4. Nicole is a project manager at Deloitte Consulting, while Eddie works for Smith & Nephew Orthopedics.

Patrick Consolla described a mini reunion in Tokyo this past June, where he was joined by Billy Bush ’94 and Bill Thygerson.

Laura Howell has returned from her second military deployment. After spending a year in Iraq as an Army major working with both U.S. teams and Iraqi logistics managers to improve the overall function of the Iraqi security forces, she is now a Ph.D. candidate at Duquesne University, where she works in molecular ecology.

Since August 2008, Leigh Berardelli Frosch and her family have been stationed in Lemoore, Calif. Her husband, Tom, is deployed on the USS Ronald Reagan, where he is the commanding officer of an F-18 squadron attached to the carrier. While Tom is deployed, Leigh is home with their three kids, ages 4, 6, and 9, and also supports the wives of the men in Tom’s squadron. She joined a new company with other Navy wives called Homecoming Trunk Shows.

A New Jersey mini reunion at the home of the parents of Jen Morelli Style included Nancy White Bathurst, Juli Papa Drinane, Monica Morgan Levy, Julie Ritter Shawaryn, Jen Van Cleef Wilke ’92, and Jen Emmitt Nowack ’95.

Michele Hamlen Klein lives in Brooklyn, N.Y., and keeps busy with her son Christopher, 10, and his travel baseball and soccer teams, plus daughter Lauren, 5, who is involved in tennis, ballet, and mani/pedis. When Michele is not working at her family’s conference planning business, she plays on a women’s tennis team that made the Manhattan playoffs.

Betsy Bassett De Paolo held a mini reunion in June. She and five classmates traveled to Napa and San Francisco to celebrate their milestone birthdays: Elizabeth White Bostwick, Lisa Carlson Hill, Christine Yang Ko, Rose-Michele Weinryb Nardi, and Carrie Davidson Rullo.

1993

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Phil Berkeley and Sheryl Bodin married this past July in New York City. Many ’93 Pards attended, including Karen Anathan, Andrew Burdick, Dino Capuano, Stan Horowitz, Michael and Lisa Moskow ’96 Kimelman, Randy Oser, Stu Pleninger Ragins, Ryan Schedler, Steven ’83 and Amy Mascolo ’83 Horowitz, Brady D’Elia ’94, Morris Fodem ’94, Julian Choi ’95, Andrew Wallach ’95 and Dina Opici ’95, and Jeff Wykle ’95.

Following the wedding, Stan Horowitz and his family traveled to Lake Placid, N.Y., where Stan competed in and finished the Ironman Lake Placid in just over 13 hours. He would love to connect with other graduates who are participating in races.


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Dr. Traci Ball Socha, a pediatrician, lives in Carlsbad, Calif., with her husband, "Pards attended, including Karen Anathan, Andrew Burdick, Dino Capuano, Stan Horowitz, Michael and Lisa Moskow ’96 Kimelman, Randy Oser, Stu Pleninger Ragins, Ryan Schedler, Steven ’83 and Amy Mascolo ’83 Horowitz, Brady D’Elia ’94, Morris Fodem ’94, Julian Choi ’95, Andrew Wallach ’95 and Dina Opici ’95, and Jeff Wykle ’95.

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Kirk and Lauren Schulte Kjeldsen live in Shanghai, China. Lauren works as a business director for Emonk Degussa Specialty Chemicals and was selected to start a new corporate division in Shanghai after three successful years as division director in Hopewell, Va.

Last November, Emily Boyd Hanlon and her husband, Jeff, welcomed their baby girl, Brooke Palmer. Brooke weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces, and joins her big sisters, Alexis, 5, and Lindsay, 3.

Jonathan Lepler planned to marry Meegan Tuohy in September. Meegan works for a hedge fund in Westport, Conn., and Jonathan is the principal of Eco Site Development LLC in Brewster, N.Y.

Meegan McVay and Vicki Salemi got together in June in New York City. Meegan started a new job with her other alma mater, George Washington University, as director of development for Elliott School of International Affairs. While in Massachusetts this summer, she caught up with Jo-Ellen Paradise Holbrook, Kim Horai Gettens, and their families.

Wedding bells will ring for Tonic Augurt when she ties the knot in January with Erik Costello. She plans a reception at the Pelham (N.Y.) Country Club.

1996

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Amy Boutillier is engaged to Jim Farrant. The couple plans a wedding this spring.

Kate Thompson McDaniel and her husband, Erik, welcomed their daughter, Ryen Emi, Sept. 22, 2010.

Erin Grath Pedalino and her husband, Luigi, welcomed their first baby, Carlo Michael, Feb. 28.

David Divinagraca was married to Nicole Coletti Nov. 27, 2010, at Providence Biltmore Hotel, Providence, R.I. They honeymooned in Mexico and live in New York, N.Y.

Thomas J. Stoutd Jr. was appointed assistant principal of Orefield Middle School, Allentown, Pa.

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Pam Perez is excited to report that she ran her first 5k in July and her second in August. She recently began a new job at Skidmore College.

Saskia Witkam Valentine and her husband, Rich, are thrilled to announce the birth of their second child, a baby girl, Brooke Alexandra, who was born Feb. 23. She joins big brother Chase Cooper, who is 2 years old. Saskia and Rich bought a house and moved to Manhasset, N.Y., after living in Hoboken, N.J. for eight years.

Kelly Strickler Gray, her husband, Charles, and 4-year-old daughter, Alicecan, welcomed new family member, Meriel, Dec. 3. Kelly finished her first half marathon in May.

Jennifer Womer Kreatsoules and her husband, Constantine, welcomed a baby girl, Demetra Laurel, July 1.

Scan McElroy announced his engagement to Karen Briggs. They plan a wedding this May. Scan is employed by Raytheon in Marlborough, Mass.

2000

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Reunion Chair: James E. Abels

Marianne Gawler will wed Scott Snyder this spring.

Keri Grunther Brady, Sara Hoffmann Joy, and Diane Pisseri Lindemann took a road trip to the Crayola Factory in Easton in June. Their kids had a great time running around the Quad and Farinon Center at Lafayette beforehand. James DeLuca was supposed to make the trip but was unable to attend.

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Karen Briggs and Sean McElroy ’99 got engaged in the Dominican Republic. They plan to wed next May on Cape Cod.

Tiffany Folmer Lawrence is a school psychologist for Avon (N.Y.) Central School District. She is married and has two children, Carolyn Elise and Spencer James.

AnnMarie Granite planned to marry Brian Gray in October. The two met at Yankees’ Opening Day in April 2010.

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Tiffany Denithorne Hood and her husband, Geoff, welcomed a baby girl May 11. Mia. Mia joins big brother Colin, who is 3 years old.

Tim Bieg and Kate Madden Bieg ’02 sent an updated photo of their son, Seamus, 3, and daughter, Tess, 1.

Colin Roosma married Laura Pisterzi June 4 in Rhinecliff, N.Y. Colin missed reunion because he was on his honeymoon in Greece. The couple lives in New York City.

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Class Notes
2000–2004

Karen Briggs and Sean McElroy ’99 got engaged in the Dominican Republic. They plan to wed next May on Cape Cod.

Tiffany Folmer Lawrence is a school psychologist for Avon (N.Y.) Central School District. She is married and has two children, Carolyn Elise and Spencer James.

AnnMarie Granite planned to marry Brian Gray in October. The two met at Yankees’ Opening Day in April 2010.

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The team posted its second winning season in three years, finishing 10–10. This year, Tom was able to qualify a record eight fencers for the NCAA Regional Tournament, with one of them, Andre Rafizadeh ’13, moving on to the regional finals for the first time since Andrew Kopelman ’06. Tom strapped on his running shoes for the Cleveland Marathon in May and was training for the Hartford Marathon in October. In his spare time, Tom plays acoustic rock gigs at private shows and corporate picnics. You can find him at Tommy G—Unplugged on Facebook, where he hopes to have an entire album available soon.

Last spring, Katherine Blair finished her J.D. and a master’s of health care leadership in health law, policy, and ethics at University of Denver. Katherine plans to stay in Denver and practice health care law.

Wendy Abrantes works at Lehigh University as a research scientist on an ADVANCE grant from National Science Foundation.

Mary Anne Kourtz graduated with a bachelor’s in nursing from MGH Institute of Health Professions in Boston. Kourtz was one of 399 students in the graduate school’s Class of 2011.

Sarah Bassin is employed as executive director at New Ground: A Muslim Jewish Partnership for Change in Los Angeles. She was also ordained in Muslim Jewish Partnership for Change as an interfaith rabbi. She is employed as associate professor of economics, and Kristin Timoney, who welcomed her second daughter at the end of May. Amy and Vince actually met through Cristin and her husband, Mike Messenger, who works with Vince.

Cliff Haldeman was married June 25 to Mana Viercinski (DeSales University alum) in Swowyville, Pa. Leopards in attendance included Paul Johnston, Matt Lewis, Greg Silverman, Colin Sinatra, Janis Eisl ’04, Dan Kiesel ’04, and Cole Maloney ’04. Cliff works as an engineer for Boeing and has moved to the Ridley Park, Pa., location for the Y-22 Osprey program. Maria earned her master’s in education from Boston College and is a special education teacher.

Drew Moyer married Andy Paulk (Dartmouth College ’04, University of Georgia Law ’07) April 30 in Atlanta. Their wedding party included Adam Bucci and Tom Soldan ’04. Other Lafayette alumni who attended included Brian Fedish, Joanna Mack Stahl, Kevin Swords ’02, Joe ’03 and Kristin Quigley ’04 Saporretti, Matt Tambellini ’03, Chris ’04 and Emily Myers ’03 Boyle, John ’03 and Aly Gross ’04 Ricketts, Jeff Zambrano ’03, Jeff Rodgers ’04, Jill Saporretti Bucci ’06, and Matt Kamine ’07.

Drew and Ansly honeymooned in Hawaii. Drew plays baseball in a local Metro Atlanta league.

In March 2010, Jackie Fitzgerald wed Brian Keelen (Rutgers ’03) and the couple was expecting a baby girl in September. Jackie is employed as a kindergarten teacher at the Jersey Shore.
Stacey Ehrlich Fine and husband Wes welcomed their son, Liam Hunter, in April.

Matt and Diane Mitchell Young announce the birth of their son, Tyler Harrison, May 29. He weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce, and was 20½ inches long. Matt continues to work from home as a design engineer for Jormac Aerospace, while Diane takes a break from the National Aquarium to care for Tyler.

Jack Furlong directs two orchestras for the musicals Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat and Bye Bye Birdie, both for the Hopewell (N.J.) Valley Children’s Theatre. On College Hill, Jack prepped for his third year in the music department as director of the pep band, which has a new name: Leopard Pride.

Kelly Foran is now full-time primary care psychologist at the West Haven (Conn.) campus of VA Connecticut Healthcare System. Husband Michael Tuller planned to start Sept. 1 as an industrial and organizational psychologist with PepsiCo in Purchase, N.Y. They planned to move to Fairfield, Conn., in August.

After spending more than five years as an admissions counselor and pursuing a master’s in higher education administration at Marywood University, Maria Caggiano accepted a position at Pace University and moved to New York. She is senior admissions counselor for the New York City campus and will be recruiting in Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, and Staten Island, N.Y.

In July, Erica Saccante finished her graduate program in advanced practice nursing at Columbia University. She received the Mary Simmons Award for “demonstrating compassion and devotion to the mental health needs of patients.” Erica will continue working at New York State Psychiatric Institute, where she is an R.N. in the inpatient psychiatric unit. After taking a five-week trip to Italy in September, she will also start working at HELP/PSI in the Bronx as a psychiatric nurse practitioner. She will treat patients with HIV, substance abuse issues, and mental illness.

After living in Seattle for six years, Farhan Ahmed and wife Andrea Dietz planned to move to Chicago in September. Farhan started the MBA program at University of Chicago Booth School of Business, and Andrea works as a program underwriter for National Specialty Underwriters Inc.

In May, David Cipoletti graduated from Brown University with a Ph.D. in engineering. His dissertation was entitled “Deformation Mechanisms in Magnesium Alloys at Elevated Temperature.” In the fall, he began as a visiting assistant professor in the mechanical engineering department at Bucknell University.

For the past year and a half, Matt Verbyla worked for the Connecticut-based environmental engineering and hydrogeology consulting firm HRP Associates with fellow Lafayette alumni Diane Tran ’11 and CEO Walter Gancarz ’74. He is starting a master’s in environmental engineering at University of South Florida, where his thesis will cover pathogen removal in wastewater treatment systems and the reuse of effluents for irrigation. Matt returned from a month-long National Science Foundation-funded research trip in Bolivia, where he finished the performance of three wastewater treatment systems constructed with funds from the United States Agency for International Development. In November 2009, Matt married Wendy Azurone, whom he met while working with CARE International in Honduras. The couple lives in Tampa.

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Ryan Hittner was a “bridesman,” and Louis, a chemical engineering graduate, works for Kruger Inc., Cary, N.C.

Daniela Simova received an MBA, with specializations in strategy, finance, and global business, from NYU Stern School of Business in September 2010. In January, she was promoted to manager of private equity investments at Verizon Investment Management. She volunteers for St. Hubert’s Animal Shelter, Madison, N.J.

Alix Kenney married Austin Holtschaw in Alexandria, Va., June 4. Austin works for the U.S. Army, and Alix finished her first year at Georgetown University Law Center.

Gregory Heitmann ’09 was a “bridesman,” and Colleen Walsh Cardella officiated. Several other alumni attended: Steve Caruso, Jared Doucette, Nick Masluk, Rachael Oleksi, Kristin Rheebergen, Mike Xanthopoulos, Jonathan Kurz ’05, Matt Robinson ’05, Will Dietz ’06, Claire Bourquin ’07, Christine Burke ’07, and Kelly Milnes ’07.

Gina Talarico married Frank Savastano June 17 in New Jersey. Marie Berninger, Ellie Burke, Meghan Edwards, Sally Gillis, Melissa Korpela Gray, Sue O’Connell Kay, and Laura Kerr attended. Gina and her husband bought a house in Hasbrouck Heights, N.J.

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Jacqueline Golden and Frank Cortazar are engaged to be married next year. Frank began his internal medicine residency at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, while Jacqueline will graduate from University of Miami Miller School of Medicine this May.

In April, Michael Gonzalez passed the Maryland state bar exam and was sworn in as a Maryland attorney in June 8 ceremony held at the state capitol in Annapolis.

Daia White planned to graduate in November from Institute of Integrative Nutrition, affiliated with SUNY–Purchase, becoming a certified health
coaching. This fall, she will begin a master’s program in professional counseling at William Paterson University.

**Kirby Waldinger Baldwin** was promoted to assistant editor at her company, CFMA, in Princeton, N.J. She is also a certified yoga instructor, teaching group and private lessons at a local studio. Kirby and her husband, Nick ’06, bought their first home in Gladstone, N.J., in April.

**Alex Chatfield** left IBM Global Business Services to join a startup digital technology company in New York City. Since Alex joined AppNexus, the company has grown from fewer than 40 employees in one office to more than 120 employees in three offices around the world.

**Greg Corcoran** spent a year and a half serving as a volunteer emergency medical technician in Hackensack, N.J., and was recently hired as a full-time professional firefighter in his hometown of Ridgewood, N.J.

**Sylvie Mullins** is working toward her Ph.D. in neuroscience at University of Maryland School of Medicine. She received a predoctoral fellowship from National Institute on Drug Abuse in support of her thesis project, “Adolescent Marijuana Use and Maturation of Cortical Functions.” Sylvie and her boyfriend, Charlie Raver, planned to buy their first home in Baltimore, in mid-September.

**Sarah Smith** works as a high school biology teacher and wetlands preserve manager at Germantown Academy, Fort Washington, Pa.

**Emily Gallant** received her master’s in applied behavior analysis from Caldwell College and will pursue her Ph.D. in the same field at the college.

**Thao “Liz” Nguyen** was awarded the National Science Foundation East Asia and Pacific Summer Institute Fellowship and studied at KAIST in South Korea this last summer.

**Terese Brown** graduated in December from the fashion design program at Fashion Institute of Technology (FIT). She is now launching a contemporary/couture women’s line, Terese Sydonna. The AAS Exhibit at FIT featured Terese’s work in December, which the school’s newspaper detailed.

**Jason Brenner** graduated from George Washington University medical school in May. After a one-year internship in internal medicine at Lankenau Medical Center in Philadelphia, Jason will do a three-year residency in ophthalmology at Temple University. In June, he moved to Society Hill in Philadelphia with Allison Quigley ’08.

**Ben Goldstein and Osarenomase Egharevba** both graduated this spring from Drexel University College of Medicine. Ben plans to complete his residency at Rainbow Babies and Children’s Hospital at Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland, while Osa plans to attend Loyola University’s Stritch School of Medicine for internal medicine.

**Jeremy Lavine** has worked at Iridium, a satellite communications company in Tysons Corner, Va., since January. He works in program management for engineering, manufacturing, and support of satellite moderns and phones. **Joseph Lanzot** graduated from Rutgers School of Law and was admitted to both the New York and New Jersey bar.

**Kaydence Cowley and Ben Doremus** were married June 4 in Telluride, Colo. Lafayette alums in attendance included Greg Black, Ben Flath, Carrie Fritsche, Jaclyn Smith, Sam Hetzel ’06, Christian Malesky ’08, Bailey Simone ’08, Chris Wchrly ’08, Jon Esser ’09, and Katie Thompson ’09.

**Trish Sumpf** and Josh Gordon were married May 7 in Bucks County, Pa. Trish graduated from Penn State College of Medicine in May and is completing an internal medicine residency at University of Virginia. Josh and Trish moved to Charlottesville, Va. Josh is in his fifth year with Air Products and Chemicals in the commercial technology department.

**Chrissy Fallivene** planned to marry Billy Cavagnaro (Sacred Heart ’05) in North Caldwell, N.J., Sept. 24. The wedding party included bridesmaids Emily Goldman Garibaldi and Sarah Smedley.

**Meghan Baker** works at Fox News in New York City and has her own weekly column, “App Attack,” which features useful apps for smartphones. The column runs on Fridays with video and written content on Foxnews.com. Meghan spent a weekend in Montauk with Allison Murray, Amanda Goldberg, Lauren Fisher, and Andrea Patterson. They celebrated Lauren’s move to California with a going away party at her home in New Jersey.

**Kara Boodakian** moved to San Diego.

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On Aug. 6, Marie Garofalo attended a welcoming reception for the Class of 2015 at the home of Morgan West ’13 and her parents, Glen and Tammy, in Huntington Beach, Calif. Marie traveled to New Jersey in June for her sister’s high school graduation. While on the East Coast, she visited with several students, admissions staff, and others at Lafayette.

Marie works at Disney Consumer Products in Glendale, Calif. She has made traveling to all 50 states a goal/hobby. She visited her cousin in Houston in July; Texas marked state 26.

**Rachel Ports** and Franc Abott ’11
were married May 28 in Baltimore, Md. They live in Breiningsville, Pa., and Franc works at Lutron Electronics.

Tori Andrejcsak worked as a special education paraprofessional at Quaker Farms Elementary School in Oxford, Conn., last year. In August, she started a master’s degree program in speech/language pathology (communication disorders) at Southern Connecticut State University. Tori stays in touch with Heather Slugaski ’09 and Meghan Muldowney ’08.

In April, Hannah Smock traveled to Belarus with CitHope International to recognize the 25th anniversary of the Chernobyl nuclear disaster. Her goal was to deliver $6.2 million in medicine to survivors, who are still battling health problems stemming from the catastrophe.

In spring, Andrew Baldridge graduated summa cum laude from University of Massachusetts with a master’s in environmental engineering. He works as a water resources engineer for the Philadelphia Water Department, focusing on green stormwater management.

In August 2010, Andrew proposed at sunrise to his girlfriend, Jacqui Molendyke, at a private Isla, N.J. They planned to marry in October, with alums Breanne Michalek, Carolyn Zawislak, Kyle Basting, Hank Bink, Rhodes Baker, and Zach Roman in the wedding party. Andrew and Jacqui moved to Philadelphia’s Society Hill neighborhood.

After two years at Lafayette, Jacqui transferred to Parsons The New School of Design in New York City and graduated with top honors. Her first job was as a graphic designer at a small luxury stationery company on Madison Avenue. She now works as a graphic designer for a direct marketing firm just north of Philadelphia, focusing on email and direct marketing.

Teevat Garg finished his first year in the Ph.D. program at the Dyson School in Applied Economics and Management at Cornell University. He has kept in touch with Sam Derrick, Ryan Benjamin, Anthony Romanoski, Kyle deCant, Marc Desmond, Matt McGaughan, and Michael Hadley. That group visited Teevat in Ithaca, N.Y., throughout the year. He celebrated Wine 3/9 with Sam and several other Cornell grad students.

Christy Fic graduated in July from the School of Information Sciences at University of Pittsburgh. She received her Master of Library Science degree with a specialization in archives, preservation, and records management. She works at the Smithsonian Institution’s National Anthropological Archives as a contract processing archivist and lives in the Washington, D.C., metro area.

Elizabeth Matecki finished the Koch Associate Program this past summer, a year-long, nonprofit management program in Washington, D.C. She also started the D.C. chapter of Liberty on the Rocks. Elizabeth created the street campaign of Big Government Party, which was rolled out at the Las Vegas Rock and Roll Marathon, then again at Charleston Cooper River Bridge Run. In August, she started Seton Hall Law School, Newark, N.J.

Sarah Kolba is attending graduate school for art history at University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign. This past summer, Sarah got engaged to Chuck Hoover, a 2008 graduate of University of Illinois, whom she met through her church, Illini Life Christian Fellowship. Chuck has a bachelor’s in chemical engineering and works in a chemical lab in town. They plan a June wedding.

Alan Raisman served as a site coordinator for two People to People leadership programs at Harvard University. In addition, he served as a motivational speaker, speaking to over 400 students from 43 countries about international understanding and community relations. In October and November 2010, he served on the staff of the Dee Adcock for Congress campaign in Montgomery (Pa.) County and parts of Philadelphia. This past spring, he became development and marketing coordinator for Lehigh Valley Zoo, Schnecksville, Pa.

In early June, Alan spoke at the sixth annual International Town & Gown Conference in Boulder, Colo. This was the first year Lafayette College was involved, and Alan was the only alumnus of a college or university to speak at the conference.

Alan serves on the board of trustees of People to People International and Weller Health Education Center’s Outstanding Friend to Kids awards committee. He is a member of the Marquis Society and spoke at Career Services Sophomore Surge program last February.

Danielle DiFede attends physician assistant school at Long Island University–Brooklyn and lives in Brooklyn, N.Y.

Emily Lloyd is a first-year student at University of Connecticut School of Dental Medicine.

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David Lauritano went to Hawaii with his parents and two older brothers to celebrate the end of college bills. After Hawaii, he made a trip to Europe, where he visited London, Paris, Berlin, Munich, Prague, Budapest, Rome, and Barcelona. He is in Houston preparing to begin his first job, with ExxonMobil.

Mike Handzo moved from his home in Massachusetts to Bethlehem, Pa., in August. He will start a one-year term of AmeriCorps*VISTA service with Lehigh Valley Community Land Trust, an affordable housing initiative under the Community Action Committee of the Lehigh Valley.

Kurt Yaeger’s honors thesis under Robert Kurt, associate professor of biology, was accepted for publication in Journal of Cancer Therapy. He will attend Georgetown University School of Medicine this fall.

Kelsey Slater, a Stroudsburg High School alumna and star, was welcomed back as its new girls’ volleyball coach. As someone who made her high school’s record books with 500 career kills, and a recent college player herself, Kelsey looks forward to teaching the girls and sharing with them her love for the game. While coaching the summer and fall seasons, Kelsey is also in the process of joining the Foreign Service.

Jennifer Bell, now employed as garden manager and Metzger Fields environmental project coordinator at
Lafayette continues her efforts in the College’s organic garden, which she has tended since 2008. The two-acre site has 43 plots for community gardening; the rest is open to Lafayette students who want to grow healthy, pesticide-free produce. Leftovers from the dining halls are composted for use in the garden. The project recently received $56,000 in grants from United States Environmental Protection Agency, Clinton Global Initiative University, and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Grant monies will fund a watering system and purchase compost bins and other supplies. Extra food from the garden is donated to Safe Harbor, a homeless shelter in Easton.

Christopher Vecchio is a currency analyst for DailyFX.com. He analyzes foreign exchange markets, while keeping an eye on political and financial trends. He also uses technical analysis to ascertain the most accurate short- and medium-term predictions.

Kristen Linderoth was promoted from director of basketball operations to assistant women’s basketball coach for University of New Hampshire.

Travel the World with Fellow Alumni

The Alumni Travel Program’s fall trip to China included three nights in Beijing followed by two nights in Xi’an, two in Guilin, a three-day Yangtze River cruise aboard the Century Sky, and two nights in Shanghai.

“The trip was very interesting,” says Dan Headington ’64, accompanied by his wife, Dodie. “Many people are leaving farms and moving into the cities where they live in high-rise apartment buildings that stretch as far as you can see, that is, on days when the smog is not heavy.” He also noted that because of the “one-child policy,” the country now has a large senior population supported by a smaller working population. Henry Sobel ’73 and his wife, Pat, also enjoyed the trip.

Other exciting trips planned for 2012 include:

River Life along the Waterways of Holland and Belgium (April 17–25), will include Floriade 2012, the world horticultural exposition held once every 10 years. Travelers will board the M.S. AmaLyra for such destinations as Amsterdam’s house-lined canals, historic windmills of Kinderdijk, and Bruges, one of the best-preserved medieval towns in Europe.

Cruising Alaska’s Glaciers and the Inside Passage (June 21–28) aboard the M.V. Silver Shadow includes the historic towns of Ketchikan, Juneau, and Sitka. Along the way, passengers may see whales, harbor seals, sea lions, and eagles in their natural habitat. To receive early booking price, register by Nov. 16.

The journey to Italy’s Lake District (Sept. 5–12) features cruises on Lake Maggiore and Lake Como by private boat, and visits to historic, baroque villas and exotic gardens in the Borromean Islands—Isola Bella, Isola Madre, and Isola dei Pescatori. Also included are stops in Milan and Asona, just across the border with Switzerland. Early booking price deadline: May 8.

Celebrate Lafayette’s Founding

A year ago, on March 9, more than 500 alumni from Hong Kong to Dallas and from San Francisco to Boston gathered in 22 locations for “Wine 3/9,” a celebration of the signing of the charter by the governor of Pennsylvania March 9, 1826, establishing Lafayette College.

Alumni are again encouraged to gather on March 9, 2012, for this annual event. Registration and more details will be featured on the website.

For full version and photos, see – http://community.lafayette.edu