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Class notes may be edited for length and clarity.

Deadlines

Spring 2017: Dec. 8
 Summer 2017: April 8
 Fall 2017: Aug. 8

1940s 

1940 — The headline of the June 7, 2016, *Newsday* article read: “**Harvey Cohen** Legendary Youth Lacrosse Coach Dead at 97,” noting, “Lacrosse was a way of life for Cohen.” Harvey’s family says that he would not drive a car that could not fit a lacrosse goal in the back seat. His license plate read “HARVLAX.”

Harvey graduated top of the class from New York Military Academy in 1936. He played lacrosse there and was a star player at Lafayette, leading Pennsylvania in scoring in 1939 and 1940. He entered Harvard Law School, but his studies were interrupted by service as a second lieutenant pilot in World War II during which he dropped paratroopers for the invasions of Sicily and Normandy and during the Battle of the Bulge.

After service, Harvey earned his J.D. at Harvard in 1947 and met and married his wife, Norma. He became a partner in the law firm of Murtagh, Cohen and Byrne, Garden City, N.Y.

Harvey was inducted into the Lafayette Maroon Club Hall of Fame in 2014. He founded the Port Washington Midget Football program and was inducted into the Port Washington Youth Activities Hall of Fame. He also was inducted into National Lacrosse Foundation Hall of Fame and Long Island Metropolitan Lacrosse Foundation Hall of Fame.

Harvey was former president of Universalist Society and helped provide amputees with athletic opportunities through the Ossining-based “52 Organization.”

In my father’s 1940 *Melange*, I found that Harvey was an officer for Kirby Government and Law Society and Marquis Association. He played football and soccer for two years and was on the lacrosse team four years (captain his senior year). He won the league high scorer award as a junior and was

All-State Pennsylvania. He was intramural boxing champion and a dean’s list student.

1942 — On the occasion of his class’s 74th reunion, **Everett Morse** sent the following: “I was thinking a lot about you at reunion time and wanted to share a few memories. I arrived at Lafayette in 1938, after graduating from nearby Solebury School. While at our wonderful college, I studied English and business, joined Chi Phi, and was manager for the men’s tennis team my senior year. A month after graduation, I was in the Army! I served in the Pacific until Dec. 24, 1945.

“Following the war, I worked a variety of jobs, including with the Veterans Administration in Buffalo, a Burmese import/export company on Wall Street, and the Hall and McChesney Co. in Syracuse and Washington, D.C. In the mid-1960s, I earned my master of library science degree from Syracuse University. During that time I met my future wife, who had come over from England on a Fulbright Teacher’s Exchange. We married in England, where we lived and worked for two years before returning to Ithaca, N.Y. I was a librarian at SUNY-Cortland and then Ithaca College from 1965 until retiring in 1988.

“I’m 98, continue to volunteer at our local history center, attend Rotary meetings, and love spending time with my wife, children, and grandchildren. This July, I hope to celebrate my 99th birthday.” Everett’s contact: 112 Blackstone Ave., Ithaca, NY 14850.

1949 — **Harrison “Bud” Wright**, 89, who served as class president, died Jan. 24. A resident of Bethlehem, Pa., he was married for 64 years to Mary Louise, who survives him. He excelled in several sports at Lafayette. A U.S. Navy veteran, Bud worked 35 years at PPL, retiring as manager

of electrical engineering. He is the father of **Amy Wright Artigliere ’84**.

Joseph Friedman sent an update saying that he recently drove through campus for the first time since 1949 and was astounded at the change. He completed graduate work in psychology at Kent and then began work on a doctorate at Temple. That pursuit was interrupted when “my local draft board did not accept the time for research for dissertation and announced that I would be next. So I enlisted in the Navy, went through OCS and served as a psychologist from 1953 to 1956. My wife, Pearl, and I had two children and made lifelong friendships. The formal training at Bethesda was good, but the experience at Marine Depot Parris Island was great. Colleagues were from Menningers, MIT, Columbia, etc. After the Navy I finished my Ph.D., then did a postdoc year with VA Philadelphia. A psychiatrist I knew in the Navy looked me up, and I joined him at Philadelphia Psychiatric Center as chief psychologist.”

Joseph’s later positions include executive director of a small family-oriented clinic, joint appointment at Penn Med School and the community health program, training consultant to several agencies, and occasional teaching at Temple and St. Joseph’s. He presented and/or published some 17 professional papers. He is past president of Philadelphia Society of Clinical Psychologists and administrator of the Family Institute of Philadelphia.

“We are now 87 and 85 and have been married 65 years. Our daughter teaches languages. Our son died of cancer at age 30 after an 11-year battle. We exhibit championship collies and enjoy our granddaughters and great-grandchildren. We are in the process of selling our home in Cherry Hill, N.J., to move to a senior living center. I still work

a limited practice.” Joseph’s contact: jjif319@aol.com.

Marty Zippel reported on a luncheon in his honor at his winter home community in Jupiter, Fla. Designated “Marty Zippel Day,” a presentation chronicled his career, including his induction into four athletic halls of fame and All-American honorable mention in 1947. He was inducted into Lafayette Maroon Club Hall of Fame in 1977.

The brochure from the event noted that he grew up in South Philly and played basketball at Southern High School (1938-39), where his team won the Public League Championship. Marty then joined the Air Force where he flew and played basketball for five years. At Lafayette, he became known for his all-around game of rebounding, defense, playmaking, and scoring. He led Lafayette to the Middle Atlantic Conference Basketball Championship and was captain of the 1949 team with a 20-9 record. That year he scored 1,067 points and was the first 1,000-point scorer in Lafayette history.

Marty was awarded the Class of 1913 Trophy as Lafayette’s top scholar-athlete. After college, Marty, who was also an outstanding baseball player, turned down a baseball contract from the Detroit Tigers and was drafted by the Baltimore Bullets of the NBA. He played for the Wilkes-Barre Barons of the ABL until an unfortunate knee injury ended his professional career.

Marty says that his greatest accomplishment is his work with the Boys and Girls Club of Easton, Pa. He got involved in 1979 when administrators wanted to close the club. “I had a meeting at my house of lawyers, financial advisers, and other community leaders including a judge who all agreed to help keep it open, and we did.” The number of children involved grew from 200 to 800, and Marty started an education program called “Future Stars” to inspire the children to study hard. He made appeals to

computer manufacturers and built up that resource so that the club has 40 computers. Marty recalls one particular young boy who was teased mercilessly because of his buck teeth. Marty found an orthodontist to correct the problem, and the boy went on to become a hero in the Marine Corps and obtain a college degree and is now a teacher in the Lehigh County area. Ten years ago the national Boys and Girls Club of America presented Marty with a Lifetime Achievement Award for the far-reaching impact of his efforts. He is most proud of the connection between the club and Lafayette, which led to a variety of new programs that continue today.

Charles T. Gallaher, 88, died May 1. He served during the Korean War and received the Occupational Medal for his service in Germany. He served in the Color Guard for the VFW in Florida. He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Elizabeth. He is the son of **Charles Thompson Gallaher, Class of 1918**, and brother of **Joseph W. Gallaher II ’53**.

Charles E. “Chuck” Myers Jr., 91, an aviation pioneer and member of the military reform movement “Fighter Mafia” inside the Pentagon, died May 10. As director for air warfare in the Office of the Secretary of Defense between 1973 and 1978, he started Project Harvey, later known as the stealth program. He played an active role in developing many of the tactical aircraft: F-16, F-18, and A-10.

Chuck grew up in Phillipsburg, N.J., and joined the Army Air Forces during World War II at age 18. He became a B-25 pilot and flew low-level attack missions to destroy Japanese shipping in the Pacific with the 345th Bomb Group, part of the Fifth Air Force.

Chuck left the service in 1945 and earned a mechanical engineering degree at Lafayette. After graduation, he joined the Navy, qualified as a jet pilot, and

served aboard the aircraft carrier USS *Bon Homme Richard*, flying F9F Panther jets during the Korean War. He attended Navy Test Pilot School, graduating in 1954. His classmates included John Glenn, future astronaut, and James Stockdale, future Medal of Honor recipient and vice presidential candidate. He spent two years conducting test flights and then worked for Convair as a civilian test pilot. In 1960, he set the world speed record flight in a Delta Dart at 1,544 miles per hour.

He later founded AeroCounsel, an aerospace consulting firm. He was inducted into Virginia Aeronautical Historical Society Hall of Fame in 1999. He and his wife, Sallie, split their time during his later years between a home in Florida and his 600-acre Flying M Stock Farm near Gordonsville, Va.

Donald McIntyre, Bath, Ohio, died Feb. 14. He earned a Ph.D. in chemistry from Cornell University. Donald served in the U.S. Army at Walter Reed Army Medical Center and was awarded a National Defense Service Medal. He worked at the National Bureau of Standards in Washington, D.C., then joined the faculty at University of Akron. A founding member of the new polymer science department, he retired as professor emeritus in 1995. He played piano and cello. Survivors include his wife of 59 years, Alison.

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Marty Zippel '49 (top, right), captain of the 1949 basketball team, led the way to the Middle Atlantic Conference Basketball Championship.

Chuck Myers '49 helped develop tactical aircraft and started the Project Harvey stealth program.



1950 

Art Zeiger reports that he survived a fall two years ago, but broke a bone in his neck resulting in surgery and four months of hospitalization and continuing rehab.

Jack Fitzgerald and his family enjoyed a mini reunion in Philadelphia earlier this year, when Trinity College's lacrosse team played in the regional finals. His wife's granddaughter, Emily Mooney, is goalie for Trinity.

Dr. Raymond Salm Jr., who lives in Arizona, retired after a 30-year career as a dentist in New Jersey. He received his DDS degree from University of Pennsylvania.

Edwin Miller, 87, Lancaster, Pa., died March 19. An industrial engineering graduate, he worked 38 years for RCA. He was a member of Delta Upsilon fraternity and played soccer, receiving Middle Atlantic Soccer All-Star honors. Ed sang in campus choral groups, his church choir, and a community chorus. He coached youth baseball. Survivors include his wife of 65 years, Phyllis.

Russell Dotter, 92, East Stroudsburg, Pa., died May 11. A member of Alpha Chi Rho, he received a B.S. in mechanical engineering. A pilot in the Army Air Corps during World War II, he flew many missions over the "hump" in the China-Burma-India Theater. He received three Distinguished Flying Crosses, four Air Medals, and the Chinese Order of the Cloud and Banner—the highest award given to foreign nationals. He retired from Patterson-Kelley Co., and is survived by wife Arline.

Lloyd Foss, 90, Stewartsville, N.J., died June 12. Drafted in 1943, while a student at Lafayette, he was a combat infantryman in the European Campaign during World War II. He was captured by the German Army, escaped, and was captured by the Soviets,

then escaped again. He returned to Lafayette, graduated with a B.S. in mechanical engineering, and earned a master's in mechanical engineering from Lehigh. He was an engineer for more than 30 years for Bethlehem Steel, Ingersoll Rand, American Newspaper Publishers Association Research Institute, and retired as vice president of newsprint purchasing for Hearst Corporation, NYC. He served 40 years as secretary of the Greenwich Board of Adjustment, and 30 years as member and vice chairman of the township planning board. He was in the Army Reserves for six years, and was a Boy Scout leader and commander of the American Legion Post. He was predeceased by his wife of 53 years, Carolyn.

George Letson, 88, of Rochester, N.Y., died March 26. A physics graduate, he earned an M.S. from University of Pennsylvania. An engineering physicist in research at Eastman Kodak, he also operated a successful Christmas tree farm. He restored a cobblestone house and barns and served the town of Wheatland, N.Y., as chair of the planning board for many years. He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Ruth.

Norman Kelting, 86, of Litchfield, Maine, died Dec. 13. An economics graduate, he was a member of Theta Chi fraternity. Employed for many years in the millwork industry, he was an avid sportsman and belonged to the West Gardiner Rod & Gun Club and Sportsman Alliance of Maine. He was predeceased by his first wife, Betty. Survivors include wife Diana.

Robert Fow, Tustin, Calif., died May 19. He received a B.S. in mechanical engineering and was a member of Theta XI fraternity. He entered the Army in 1951 and was stationed at Redstone Arsenal, Huntsville, Ala., where he worked as deputy chief and valve designer for the guided missile program. He later worked for Minneapolis-Honeywell and then moved to California to work

for Hughes Aircraft Co., retiring in 1989. He is survived by his wife of 30 years, Beverly.

Roy Sharkey, major U.S. Air Force retired, died June 10. Roy enlisted in 1942 and graduated as an aviation cadet in 1944. During World War II he served as a flight officer in the China-Burma-India Theater and then served in the reserves for more than 20 years. Roy completed his degree at Lafayette and later earned an MBA from University of Pittsburgh. He was a merchandise manager and later catalog sales office manager for Sears & Roebuck in Philadelphia, retiring after 20 years. He was predeceased by wife Jean Louise.

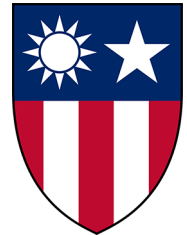
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1951 

Our 65th reunion was a memorable weekend in which our 13 (baker's dozen) classmates and wives enjoyed the festivities: **Allen Arkett** and wife Phyllis, **Jim Dojan** and wife Joyce, **Frank Downing** and wife Marilyn and son Kevin, **Richard Hinterleiter** and wife Peg, **Ray Huber** and wife Marie, **Rick Knox** and wife Eileen, **Henry Lee**, **Dan Resseter** and wife Theodora, **Marvin Riddle** and wife Mary, **Harvey Russ**, **Donald Whiteley**, **Ted Swenson**, and **Harry Sutton**. Ann Rahn and Honorary '51er Rocky, **Dutch Rahn** and Ann's terrific friend, attended the lunch, as well as **Ruth Hutnik** and her husband.

The weekend began with the President's Reception in Pardee and an all-classes dinner in Marquis Hall. At the Saturday breakfast in Farinon, our most likable President **Alison Byerly**

Roy Sharkey '50 served in the China-Burma-India Theater in World War II.



Class of 1951 members and spouses celebrated their 65th on Reunion Weekend.



Russell Dotter '50 earned the Chinese Order of the Cloud and Banner, the highest award given to foreign nationals.



gave an inspiring State of the College address.

Bob Swain, who was unable to attend, shipped a carton of his book, *Grandma's Robin*, to be available in the College Store. The book, published in 2015, features text and photographs by Bob that document the raising of a family of robins just outside grandma's bathroom window. He wrote the book for his 16 grandchildren. To order, contact Bob, 3723 Riverview Terrace N., East China, MI 48054; (810) 637-5709; rds1929@att.net.

Our memorial service, led by Rev. Ressester, included an inspiring account of the refusal of the Sun Bowl invitation by our 1948 football team, as related by quarterback and class president Frank Downing when the Texas invitation sought to exclude our outstanding African American running back **David Showell**, whose cousin and nephew were our guests. The team voted down the invitation on the basis of "take our whole team and all its players or we don't attend," which is what happened—no Sun Bowl for Lafayette on Jan. 1, 1949.

Reunion closed Sunday morning with breakfast in Farinon. We waved goodbye as fellow celebrants walked away to head home. We'll see you at our 70th reunion in June 2021.

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1953



Dave Moore has been reunion chair since our 50th reunion. Years have passed...classmates too, and thanks to the assistance of Jeanne, his wife, and **Susan Bradlau**, director of planned giving, he has done a great job.

Lewis Hill died May 4. He was a mechanical engineering major with **Dav Goering**, and they were suitemates in Soles Hall. Lewis served in the Army during the Korean War. Before retiring, he was an engineer at Hale Fire Pump, Conshohocken. He was also a blacksmith and farrier.

Marge and Larry Scharff spent a few days in Calgary and then toured the Canadian Rockies in July. In September they plan to visit the Maritime Provinces of Canada.

L. Neil R. Leroy, 84, Providence, R.I., died April 24. A retired attorney, he is the father of **Geoffrey R. LeRoy '84** and **Jacqueline LeRoy Butler '86**. He graduated first in his class from Lafayette and went to Harvard Law School where he graduated top of the class in 1956. He was a member of the firm Tobin, LeRoy and Silverstein until starting his own practice in 1978 and retiring in 1992.

Chuck Flanagan and his wife, Jane, are doing well. Jane swims in the Senior Games, placed third in the 200- and 500-yard freestyle, and will attend National Senior Games next June in Birmingham, Ala. This was their 45th year going to Boston YMCA Family Camp on Lake Winnepesaukee, N.H. They planned to spend a week in Maine and hoped to visit **Chuck Kuehn** and wife Paula.

Dr. Eugene Pirog, 85, died April 9 at his Hillsborough, N.J., home. He received his M.D. from Georgetown University and served as a physician during the Korean War. He practiced medicine at Saint Peter's medical center and had a private practice

in Jamesburg for over 40 years. He enjoyed sailing on Lake Wallenpaupack.

Lois and I have been following the accomplishments of our granddaughter, Hannah Fox, especially her basketball career at William Penn Charter High School. She scored 1,813 points, becoming the scoring leader. Hannah was the first recipient of the Philly Sports Digest Standout Athlete Award and a McDonald All American nominee. She was a five-year starter in basketball and a four-year starter in soccer and lacrosse, earning 13 varsity letters. She was named a U.S. Lacrosse Academic All American and made it to the final selection for the USA under 19 National Lacrosse team as a junior. Hannah will play basketball for Amherst College this year. She is the daughter of **Craig H. Fox '84** whose son, Oliver, will be a junior at Brown University. Grandson **Eric Goldwein '12** writes about sports for *The Washington Post*.

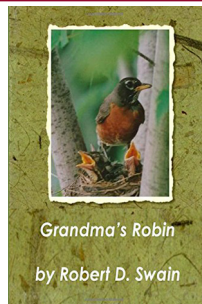
A. Ritchie Warner II, Waynesboro, Pa., died March 17. A civil engineering graduate, he worked for his father at A.R. Warner & Son Inc., the construction company founded by his grandfather. After the death of his father and sale of the company, he worked 40 years as an engineer and later a systems analyst for Frick Co. He coached in Waynesboro Little League for several seasons and was a team representative. He also helped with Waynesboro's Hi-Y basketball tournament.

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1954



After selling his business, **Phil Schneider** and Greta now commute between their Florida



Grandma's Robin
 By Robert D. Swain '51
 Grey Wolfe Publishing, LLC,
 2015



David Showell '51, running back for the 1948 football team, was excluded from a Sun Bowl invitation, prompting his teammates to reject the offer to play.

and New Jersey homes by private jet.

In April, **Hart Green, Jim Grace, and Dick Rathemacher**, with spouses Sue, Alice, and Shirley, spent a week in Bermuda.

Phil Schneider hosts a '54 end of summer luncheon at his country club. Recent attendees included **Dan Santfleben** and wife Elsie, **Joe Stonaker** and wife Julia, Dick Rathemacher and wife Shirley, and Jane Ehret, widow of **Steve Ehret**.

After years in Philadelphia, **Niel Gutman** and wife Vivian are shopping for new digs in Fort Lauderdale.

Jim Grace's son, **Jim Grace '86**, also a Lafayette Zete, owns the successful insuremytrip.com.

Joe and Julia Stonaker are planning to downsize from their Nassau Street home in Princeton.

Jay Bloom, 83, Springfield, N.J., died April 18. A history graduate, he received his law degree from Columbia Law School. He practiced law in his own firm in Springfield for 30 years. Since retiring, he has been assisting in building homes for the poor as well as doing pro-bono work. Jay served in the U.S. Army. His survivors include his wife of 48 years, Ellen.

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1955

After 35 years with IBM, **Ralph Bartolacci** retired to his homes in Nyack, N.Y., and Long Island. He and wife Valerie have been married 52 years and have two sons and a daughter. He enjoys seeing his eight grandchildren, who include two sets of twins.

George Fouke has published two books—*James the Just, Brother of Jesus* and *The Country Rabbi & the City Rabbi*. George's

career began at Doubleday Publishing, followed by being professor of political science at St. Andrews, a small college in North Carolina. George says this was a unique experience as the campus and buildings were constructed to be fully accessible for disabled students. He started a career counseling company, which he later sold.

Dick Fetter sent photographs including one of a session of Senior Court held at Paradise Lounge, in a building that has now been converted into part of the College's arts campus at the foot of College Hill (see photo online). We identified **Jerry Meisel, Frank Perrine, Sandy Lauder, Gerry Sigal, Don Steele, Toby Struve, Jack Bowers, John Stevens, Larry Plummer, Tack Hammer, Dick Fetter, Don Davis, Chuck Matyas, Pete Fallon, Fred Hachmeister, Clayt Lex, Bob Vandegrift, Dave Miller, Ron Cox,** and hosts Alex and Ann.

Sandy Lauder sent a photo of himself, with trombone, wearing a maroon golf shirt and people in the background also in maroon. He has been reintroduced to the trombone after a 60-year hiatus and is now playing with New Horizon band in Dallas and Allen Texas Community Band.

Al Good retired after a long career in industrial real estate. He and wife Sally have been married 61 years and are living in Dresher, Pa. They have three sons and six grandchildren nearby.

Dr. **Jermone Komisarof** died Feb. 12 in Philadelphia. He received an M.D. from University of Pennsylvania Medical School and was a practicing child psychiatrist and psychopharmacologist. He is survived by his wife, Dr. Leslie Stein Komisarof. He participated in WJRH, *The Melange*, Campus Chest, Hillel Society, and was freshman basketball manager. A psychology graduate, he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

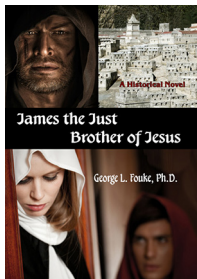
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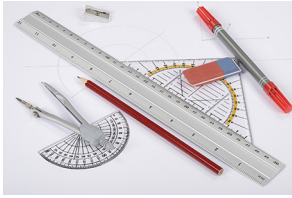
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1942	Robert W. B. Johnston	4/22/16
	Louis J. Pinto	7/14/16
1944	Marshal Hunt Jr.	5/2/16
1946	Dr. Matthew Presti	7/23/16
1948	Clarence F. Deemer	4/15/16
	Edward James West	8/28/15
1949	Roderic L. Baltz	12/15/15
	Robert F. Cox	5/10/16
	Charles T. Gallaher II	5/1/16
	Donald McIntyre	2/14/16
	Elmer L. Vaughn	5/11/16
	Charles E. Myers Jr.	5/10/16
1950	Russell T. Dotter	5/11/16
	Robert S. Fow	5/19/16
	Lloyd E. Foss	6/12/16
	Norman G. Kelting	12/13/15
	Edward F. Ricci	7/25/16
	Roy Franklyn Sharkey	6/10/16
1951	Harry Balukjian	6/29/16
1952	Robert C. Herman	6/8/16
	Paul D. Shuwall	3/6/16
	William F. Sabater Jr.	6/29/16
1953	L. Neil LeRoy	4/24/16
	Lewis O. Hill	5/4/16
	Dr. Eugene P. Pirog	4/9/16
1954	Jay B. Bloom	4/18/16
1955	Fred P. Braun Jr.	5/27/16
	William C. Hall	7/18/15
	Ralph W. Wagner	7/3/16
1956	John G. Burcin	7/28/16
1957	Rollin G. Baer	4/11/16
	Eugene P. Bachmann III	5/21/16
	Walter Oechsle	6/30/16
	Gordon H. Wentworth	5/7/16
1958	Dr. Joseph J. Bongiovi Jr.	7/7/16
	Rev. J. Max Creswell Jr.	7/17/16
	Eric S. Harfst	7/6/16
	Dr. Alfred J. Karetzky	5/9/16
	W. Scott McCann	6/8/16
1959	Edwin H. Feather Jr.	6/12/16
	Richard D. Kieffer	5/21/16
	J. Carter Schaub	2/17/16
1960	Donald J. Nikles	5/6/16
1961	Edward W. Anderson	6/26/16
	Anthony H. Bater	2/25/15
	Daniel J. Heddesheimer	5/15/16
	Adam S. Kratochwill	2/16/16
	Bernhard A. Sack III	5/13/16
1962	Stephen J. Adorian	6/18/16
	Richard R. Mazza	4/3/16
1964	Otto Kessler	4/24/16
	Jack R. Palmer Jr.	7/25/16
1965	Craig H. Kennedy	12/3/15
1966	William M. Hughes	3/22/16
1968	Frederic R. Marks Sr.	6/10/16
1970	Jon P. Marcus	7/6/16
	Howard S. Shapiro	4/28/16
	Evan M. Stone	6/4/16
	William E. Wolfram IV	7/9/16
1972	Peter P. Mitchell	5/10/16
1983	Kenneth A. Powley Jr.	2/1/16



Sandy Lauder '55 plays trombone with New Horizons and Allen Texas Community bands.



James the Just, Brother of Jesus
 By George L. Fouke '55
 CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform, 2016



Ralph Wagner '55 co-patented stylographic pens for art and drafting.

Ralph Wagner, Bethlehem, Pa., died July 3. A chemical engineering graduate, he resided in and was president of Soles Hall. His activities included Maroon Key, Campus Chest, and *The Melange*. He served in the Army and was a captain in the reserve. He held a graduate degree in management from Lehigh University. During his career he worked for Koppers, Western Electric, Koh-I-Noor Rapidograph, and Polymer Dynamics. While at Koh-I-Noor he co-patented a ventilation of stylographic pens. He founded and owned Pens et al, owned Art and Drafting Connection, and was co-owner of Carl's Office Supply and Equipment. He was predeceased by his wife of 59 years, Gail.

Herb Barghusen died Dec. 25, 2015. His wife, Joan, and I discussed some of the great things about Herb including the fact that he was known as "Red" at Lafayette. A geology major, he was a dean's list student, was elected to Maroon Key, and worked on *The Lafayette*. He earned a Ph.D. in paleontology at University of Chicago and met Joan, a fellow student. They were married in 1957. After brief teaching stints at Smith College and Loyola University in Chicago, he began a 20-year career at University of Illinois College of Medicine and Dentistry and retired in 1988. His research interest in evolutionary biology centered on the development of the anatomy of the jaw apparatus and inner ear in early mammals, and he studied fossil collections

in Europe, South Africa, and Russia. Herb developed an interest in photography, and his work was exhibited in and around Chicago.

Fred Braun died May 27. Fred was at our 60th reunion and was on a high as he had just had surgery for pancreatic cancer and felt that they had gotten it early and had gotten it all. Among his survivors are his wife, Margie, and son **Bruce Braun '83**. An economics and

business graduate and Pepper Prize recipient, he was president of Kappa Sigma fraternity, a member of the wrestling team, and student council vice president. He was also business manager of *The Lafayette* and *The Melange*. He served in the Army and tried out for the Olympic rowing team. He received his MBA from Harvard, and was president of many companies during his career. He was known for a mission he began in 1978 of purchasing and establishing companies in order to hire and rehabilitate inmates from Kansas State Penitentiary. Many of his activities have been previously reported along with his service as a member of Lafayette's Board of Trustees 1980-85. Fred served his community of Lake Quivira, Kan., as Quivira Inc. board director for four terms and as city councilman, two terms.

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There are three issues of *Lafayette*—fall, spring, and summer—about three months apart. Please send your news to reach me prior to my next deadline of Dec. 8.

Several classmates came a far distance to attend our 60th reunion: **Paul "Tarz" Hewitt** flew in from California, **Dick Batts** from Florida, **Hunter Garbee** from North Carolina, **Gayle Parker** from Colorado, **Bill Hardy** from Texas, **Norm Riley** from South Bend, Ind., **Dick Wilson** from Boise, Idaho, and **Jake Hannemann** from Maine.

When outgoing class president **Neil "Shark" Alexander** was unable to attend, **Gordon**

Wright, Lee Kane, Dick Graham, and I took Reunion to him and treated him to lunch. Just a day later, Neil fell on his patio, inflicting a nasty head injury. He was admitted to the hospital for several days, and as I write is temporarily residing in an intermediate care facility near his and JoAnne's home in Radnor, Pa. He is doing well, but has more recuperation to work on.

Don Sayenga is home after completing a series of radiation treatments. His attitude is positive, and he wrote down what he would have delivered at Reunion (already sent to the class).

Others who were unable to attend due to illness include **Tony Brodfuhrer**, **Bob Tunnessen** and his wife, Carol, and **John Dempwolf**.

Bob Thomas planned to attend until he broke his hip. He's finally out of the woods and itching to get back to the gym. Bob grew up in Easton (his father was a Lafayette grad), and after Lafayette, served two years in Korea. Duke School of Law prepared him for private practice and eventually as trial attorney/counsel for the NAACP during the turbulent late 1960s and 1970s. He later returned to private practice as a trial attorney in Sebastopol, Calif.

I expected to see **Dale Albright**, an old choir chum. When he didn't appear I called him in Bedminster, N.J., and learned he was returning from the hospital the same weekend as Reunion, after a serious blood infection from contaminated food at a restaurant. He has recovered fully. While talking with Dale, I mentioned a conversation with **Phil Gehman**, fellow choir member and organist under **John Raymond**, and conductor for years of the alumni choir, The Graduates. Phil is still giving organ recitals.

Despite medical setbacks in the past few years, **Art Herrmann** made our reunion along with wife Anne and their son, **Arthur II '94**, who flew in from Park City, Utah.



Herb Barghusen '55 studied fossil collections in Europe, South Africa, and Russia.

Dr. **Constantine “Gus” Voyagis** sent his regrets from Los Angeles where he is retired from his specialty in radiology. He received his medical degree from Yale University.

Jim Murphy called to express regrets. Even after a couple of strokes, his speech is fully restored. He was happy to learn that **Gordon Wright** and Mimi are taking care of the 1956 class flag at home in Berwyn.

Charlie Sitkin and **Chuck Hage** were attending granddaughter graduations. **Bud Jost’s** car died June 3, halfway between Buffalo and Easton, where no service was available until Monday, June 6. The Josts have downsized from their home in Snyder, N.Y., to Elderwood Residences in Wheatfield, N.Y. **Jim Phelps** is in the process of selling the family summer home on Lake Champlain.

Pete Reeves lives in The Villages, Fla., and earlier this year sustained a broken hip but has regained strength and mobility.

Speaking of Pete reminds me of his Theta Delt roommate, **Mihran Mooradian**. Mihran told me how he met Ovsanna at Clark University while he was on a fellowship earned in history honors at Lafayette, and she was a foreign exchange student there.

John Salvador lost his wife, Kathleen. I appreciated our Pepper Prize man taking time to be with us. **Bill Florence** told me that he and Donna both are cancer survivors.

Tony Martocci attended reunion but also made it to his granddaughter Noa’s graduation from St. Andrews University in Scotland. His daughter is **Laura Martocci ’84**, and he recently took granddaughter Kimberly, on a tour of Lafayette. Tony said **Tom Hays** persuaded him to attend.

Alpha Chi Rho (aka Crows) brothers had the highest attendance of any fraternity. Tom was chief recruiter. The others: **Ed Landis**, **Joe Marcantognini**, **Gordon Wright**, and **Saul**

Cooperman. View Saul’s new website (thanks to the tech savvy of his daughter, Deb) saulcooperman.com. He’ll be blogging about educational matters, local, state, and national, which is his expertise.

The Crows were hotly pursued by Pi Lambda Phis, namely Dr. **Don Thaler**, who is retired from dental practice in Amagansett, N.Y., and the small crowd of his brothers: **Lee Kane**, **Joel Weidman**, and **Henry Wallach**, all recruited by **Alan Pesky**. They might have tied the Crows had **Joel Every** been able to attend.

Read the article in the summer issue of *Lafayette* (page 31) that celebrates the wonderful contribution by Alan and Wendy Pesky to the education of children with learning disabilities by establishing the Lee Pesky Learning Center. **Lee Pesky ’87**, their son, died suddenly of an inoperable brain tumor at age 30.

Dr. **Akbar Samii**, who came to Lafayette from Iran, did his medical school training and surgical residency at Temple University.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon tied with the Pi Lams. **Nick Ceto** recruited **Hunter Garbee**, Dr. **Ron Keyser**, **Rick Kuder**, and **Dick Wilson**. Dick called from Boise informing me that after returning home to Charlotte, Hunter was diagnosed with a bad heart valve. While surgeons were preparing to repair it they found an aortic aneurysm that required immediate intervention. Fortunately Hunter recovered. Hunter and Joyce’s daughter, **Cynthia Garbee Coates ’80**, accompanied them to Reunion. Dick’s pastime passion for several years was developing software for medical purposes. Ron got his medical degree from University of Maryland and spent his medical career in Hagerstown. His medical experience serves him well as a volunteer. Rick is retired in Berlin, Md., from his practice in D.C.

Evan Hineman made it to Reunion and is a cancer survivor.

He connected with Sigma Nu brothers Dr. **Jack Yerger** and **Paul Howard**. Jack has been an anatomic/clinical pathologist in Johnstown, Pa., for more than 50 years. Paul majored in physics and was one of several Ford Foundation students in our class.

Mike and **Deanna Mozzochi** brought the good news that their granddaughter, **Kathryn Mozzochi**, is a member of Lafayette Class of 2020. Kathryn was valedictorian of her class along with honors in math, English, and Spanish. She was also captain of her soccer and track teams. She plans to major in neuroscience and will compete in track.

Bill Hardy invited us to reminisce with him about the 1952 freshman football team and shared pictures.

Paul Forman has had many professional achievements in real estate and mortgage financing. Eventually he formed his own mortgage banking company with a staff of 80. Over the years he has presided over regional and statewide realty associations, culminating in being named Realtor of the Year by the New Jersey Association of Realtors, and serving on the New Jersey Mortgage Bankers Association Board of Governors for five years. After selling the company in 1980, he concentrated on multifamily dwellings and commercial financing, among which were the largest multifamily complexes in New Jersey and Pennsylvania. He and Florence have been married 52 years.

We missed two who signed up but did not arrive: **Jack Kolbrenner** and **Ed Johnson**.

Harold Hartman and son Brian drove nearly 3,600 miles through seven states on their way from Knoxville to Colorado and back.

Since we are without a class president, those who attended Reunion voted to replace officers with a cabinet. Members are: **John Devlin**, **Ed Landis**, **Warren Mann**, and **Gordon Wright**. **Dick Batts** volunteered



Class of 1956 members enjoyed the many activities of their 50th Reunion Weekend



Listening to President Byerly

to join. All volunteers are welcome.

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The passing of **Walter Oechsle** following the recent deaths of **Robert Moss** and **David Cary** left me as the lone member of the executive committee. Before he died, Walter and I shared the decision to appoint volunteer **Irvin Kunzman** as fund manager.

I have since conscripted **James Vorosmarti** and **Kurt Klunder** to serve as temporary vice presidents until election of a president at our 60th reunion in June 2017.

I received a note from **Gordon Galtere** (wife Mary) who now lives in a three-stage facility, St. Joseph of the Pines, Southern Pines, N.C.

He plans to attend the Nov. 18 Maroon Club Athletic Hall of Fame induction of all three basketball teams of which he was a member—1954/55, 1955/56, and 1956/57. **Jim Radcliff** also will attend along with **Stu Murray**, both of whom are already in the Hall of Fame. I expect to see other team members from our class—**Tony Mack** and **David Jones**.

I am hoping to convince Gordon, Jim, and **Dick Fitzgerald**, who recently moved from Washington State to Scottsdale, Ariz., to return to our 60th in June. I am rewarded when I find classmates like Gordie, with whom I shared high school principalship roles in the 70s, and Dick, whom I did not know while at Lafayette, both of whom have not been back to class events in decades and now are making plans to be more

active. I have received contacts from **Hank Darlington**, **Ken Milhouse**, **Charles Lusch**, and spoken with **Jim Sandford**.

I met a group of recent graduates at a Red Sox game at Fenway Park, and I was able to share stories about personal events and history of Lafayette including my involvement in the decision in 1968 to admit women. The new alumni—**Drew Beyer '15**, **Branden Boyd '15**, and **Rebekah Scharfe '15**—are most impressive.

You will receive a letter reminding you to make a reunion gift to the Annual Fund. I encourage you to designate some of your gift to the Robert E. Moss Class of 1957 Internship Endowment, established at our 50th reunion and renamed in Bob's honor.

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It's early August in Maine at our summer camp, where we've been coming since we got married in 1991. We will celebrate our 25th anniversary this October. I know that is a small number for a lot of you, but then I probably had more wild oats to sow than you. Being in New York and running around with pro athletes didn't do my blood pressure or alcohol intake any good.

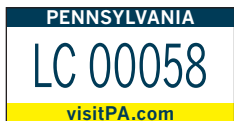
We just finished a big weekend with Foreigner as the band playing for a charity benefit to help the Health and Wellness Center that my wife founded 20 years ago. We had 3,400 people attend the lawn-chair concert, which raised over \$80,000. The night before we had a lobster

bake at our house with a live and silent auction for 240 people. We raised \$84,000 at that event with the main item, a Brunswick pool table. A good friend of ours (not a relative) is the purveyor for most of the felt for pool tables and gambling tables in the United States and donated the item.

We had a mini reunion at a restaurant near the College on Reunion weekend. In attendance was **Ed Alkire**, **Doug** and **Conny Cherry**, **David** and **Betty Branch**, **Ray** and **Marty Pearson**, **Bob** and **Daurelle Harris**, **Larry Murphy**, **George Watson**, **Max Creswell**, **Don Kress**, **Bob** and **Marilyn McCarron**, **Ed Kirby** and son **John**. It was a very social day with a lot of talk about family and the possibilities for the actual 60th reunion in 2018. Our man **Kurtz** was on the ayes' list but didn't show, didn't call. We later found out he had a family commitment but forgot to tell anyone. (Oldtimer's disease anyone?) As an aside, Alkire has a Pennsylvania license plate with an "LC" on the left and numbers on the right that read 00058.

The sad part is that Rev. Max Creswell passed away July 17 just over a month after being with all of us. He was in great spirits, telling stories, and looking forward to his next activity—moving from Pennsylvania to Maine. He spent the summers on Swan's Island in Maine, serving as a volunteer minister. Max also spent time with **Mike Houldin** there. He was a member of Sigma Nu and a history major. Max attended McCormick Theological Seminary in Chicago and got a doctorate from New York Seminary. He was married and has two children.

Since the luncheon, a total of four classmates have passed on. I mentioned Max Creswell, but in addition, Dr. **Al Karetsky** passed away May 9. Al was a member of Pi Lambda Phi and a chemistry major. He was active in PreMed Society and varsity basketball. Al attended Georgetown University,



Ed Alkire '58 drives a car that sports a license plate honoring Lafayette and his class year.



Gordon Galtere '57 plans to attend the Maroon Club Athletic Hall of Fame induction as a member of the 1954/55, 1955/56, and 1956/57 basketball teams.

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served as a captain in the U.S. Army Dental Corps, and opened a private dental practice in Yonkers, N.Y. He is the father of **Marcia Karetsky Goldstein '83**.

Dr. **Joseph John Bongiovi Jr.**, originally from Elizabeth, N.J., died July 7. He was a psychology major and a talented artist. Active in PreMed Society, he was art editor for the college magazine and did beautiful pen-and-ink drawings for our 1958 *Melange*. Joe attended New Jersey School of Medicine, served as a captain in the Air Force, did a residency in surgery and plastic surgery, and established a practice in Las Vegas.

Eric Harfst, originally from Boonton, N.J., died July 6. A business administration graduate, he was a member of Sigma Chi fraternity and Scabbard and Blade. He earned an MBA from New York University, served in the Army Finance Corps, became a CPA, and concluded his career as vice president of finance for The Frassetto Companies.

Here is more news from around the world. **Peter Wells** has fond memories of Old Pardee. He spent most of his career in sales for a major industrial machinery company, followed by owning his own company, which designed and installed pneumatic conveying systems. After singing under the direction of **John Raymond** in the College choir he developed his lyric bass to the point where he was able to do a lot of solo work in the Philadelphia area, mostly in sacred music. He is now retired on Cape Cod, reconnected with a woman he knew 30 years ago, and they are living happily ever after. Peter remains in reasonably good health and is involved in Habitat for Humanity.

Bill Aukamp checked in with some wit and humor. He is still practicing law as of counsel to Werb and Sullivan, a Washington law firm. He has authored a 70-page handbook titled *Directors and Senior Management Guide to Banking Laws and Regulations*

and More. He is selling it for the laughable low price of \$100. You can order it directly from waukamp@websullivan.com. In addition he is evaluating candidates for bank legal and compliance officers positions for Wellington Management Group, a retained executive search firm. His chronic knee problems continue. He is undergoing physical therapy, but it doesn't make much difference.

His orthopedist says knee replacements will not solve the problem, and he has no name for the malady. Bill suggests "Aukamp's knee." **Mackey Skinner's** hometown of Houston got 16 inches of rain, but he and Georgie Ann are OK. Mackey said he is doing amateur theater work, now acting in the Baytown Little Theater production of *The Odd Couple*.

I have two additional deaths to mention that happened before our mini reunion. **Walter Scott McCann Jr.** died June 8. He earned a bachelor of liberal arts degree and was a member of Theta Xi. He was employed over the years as an industrial design and construction administrator at Parsons-Jurden Corporation and Burns & Roe, retiring from the latter. After 30 years in the New Jersey National Guard, he retired with the rank of lieutenant colonel. He was active in Hobbyists Unlimited. He is the father of **W. Scott McCann III '85** and **David K. McCann '89**.

Bob Lotz wrote that his wife, Suzanne, passed away. Many of us knew her because of the Centenary Days and the Phi Gam Brotherhood. She was a classmate of Wendy Sloan, wife of **Ted Sloan**, who previously passed away. She was a lovely woman and good friend to many of our classmates.

Bob McCarron and his wife were at the mini reunion and handed me a slip of paper with his news. One of their daughters is **Anne E. McCarron-Applin '85**. Their grandson completed his first year at West Point.

Bob spent 25 years with Avery Dennison and seven with Intercounty Newspapers as GM. I remember calling Bob when I was at McGregor Sportswear when I needed help with a project, and he was "Johnny on the Spot." It is great when you run into classmates in various situations, and you can solve problems together.

Marty Phillips is a fraternity brother who became a dentist

and practiced for 33 years before he got "burned out" and moved into the banking profession at Bryn Mawr Trust Co., where he became a senior vice president. He was also the district governor of Rotary and then moved to Boynton Beach, Fla., and renewed a friendship with **Ray Hersh**, one of our fraternity brothers. Marty is active in the Palm Beach United Way on the allocations committee and a guardian ad litem with Palm Beach County Court. Since his wife passed away several years ago, Marty has a new friend who gave him a surprise 80th birthday party in July. He plays golf several times a week and says he is "still lousy." Sounds like some easy money on the horizon.

Steve Fried wrote me a beautiful letter about his 60th anniversary and how he and his wife crafted their own around-the-world trip to celebrate the occasion, departing April 2 and returning July 10. They had the good fortune to sail on the new *Queen Mary*. Steve has not totally retired and still manages shopping centers and other real estate. His passion is raising miniature poodles and whippets.

Your reunion steering committee has been brainstorming ideas for our 60th, which will occur in June 2018. A national committee will be formed and posted on the class website by Ed Alkire. The committee is made up of volunteers from all of the living groups so you will be able to reach out to neighbors when the time comes. Ed has put a lot of time and effort into this project, and we should seriously

Kristen is getting Art from the 58 Melange in the library and scanning it

Joseph Bongiovi Jr. '58, art editor for *The Melange*, produced beautiful pen-and-ink drawings.



Steve Fried '58 and wife celebrated their 60th anniversary sailing on the *Queen Mary* as part of a world tour.

start considering whether we plan to attend or not. I'm not going to discuss mortality at this point, but it has to be considered. I sincerely hope that all of you and your families are doing well, are upright, taking proper nourishment, and enjoying the fruits of the vine.

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Norm Sensinger '59 sits on the board of Strong City Baltimore, a community service organization focused on city rehabilitation.

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Len Achey reports that he and Marlys have downsized to a rental property with three bedrooms and two baths, about a mile from their former home. The new address is 8621 E. Walton, Spokane, WA 99212-1830. Telephone and email the same: (509) 928-2126; lenachey@comcast.net.

Our beloved class president, **Edwin H. Feather Jr.**, passed away June 12 in Hatfield, Pa., after a lengthy illness. **Terry Snyder** and I attended the services. Ed is buried in Calvary Cemetery in Conshohocken, Pa. Ed and Mayleen had five sons and daughters. The two eldest, Ted (Ed Feather III) and Carol, were born while Ed was attending Lafayette. Next came Christine (Chris), Tim, and Terence (Terry).

Several classmates sent condolences. **Art Forrest:** "He will be missed, and please convey my sympathies to his family"; **Bill Lee:** "Our thoughts and prayers are for the family in this tough time. Thanks also for sending Ed's obit, and it was good to catch up briefly on his life. I grew up in the Doylestown, Pa., area, so I am aware of the location of Lansdale and remember when our high school played them in

football"; **Tom Neff:** "He was a genuinely nice person and true friend."

Ed lived in Wayne, Pa., and graduated from Radnor High School in 1955. He received a B.S. in chemistry, was on the dean's list, and a member of Theta Delta Chi fraternity. His activities included marching band, student council secretary and vice president, KRT, co-senior editor of *The Melange*, lacrosse, and intramurals. Upon graduation, Ed served as an officer in the U.S. Army. He enjoyed a long career in the chemical industry with Amchem Corp., where he was vice president of

purchasing. In retirement, Ed established Feather's Nest, a marketing promotional company. We remember the many hats, jackets, umbrellas, and other '59 memorabilia he endowed us with for class reunions! Mayleen's contact: 3116 Arbour Green Court, Hatfield, PA 19440-3487; (267) 263-4609. Carol continues to monitor Ed's email, ed@feathersnestpromos.com.

Don Kein reported that his wife, Janeen, died in June in Summit, N.J. Don and Janeen attended reunions and many football outings. Janeen held a master's from Kean University and taught at Hartshorn Elementary School, Millburn, N.J., until her retirement in 1999. Don's contact: 90 New England Ave., No. 5, Summit, NJ 07901-1830; (908) 918-9756; donaldkein@gmail.com.

Richard D. Kieffer '59, Hershey, Pa., died May 21. He received a B.S. in electrical engineering, was vice chairman of two engineering groups, and a member of the electrical engineering honor society. He earned a master's from Penn State University and retired from AMP Inc. Dick is survived by Dorothy, his wife of 60 years.

The recent Campaign for Lafayette *Connections* newsletter included an article in recognition of a major gift made by classmate **Walter A. Scott**. "Walter A. '59 and Kate

Scott have provided a gift of undisclosed amount to establish the Kate and Walter Scott '59 Chair in Engineering and fund an initiative to recognize and support exceptionally promising young faculty members in new ways. The gift also will augment an endowment fund the Scotts established in 1996 to create the annual Marquis Distinguished Teaching Awards." Contact: 11 Salt Kettle Road, Paget PG01, Bermuda; (441) 236-6059; wascott@sover.net.

Norm Sensinger and Lee visited Italy and Sicily. Norm has been elected to the board of Strong City Baltimore, a community service organization founded to rehabilitate areas in the city. Contact: 110 Homeland Ave., Baltimore, MD 21212-3434; (410) 206-3155; nsensinger@comcast.net.

Jerry Turnauer attended the May 21 graduation of **Rebeka F. Ramangamihanta '16**, 2016 recipient of the Dean Frank R. Hunt Emergency Scholarship, who is from Madagascar. She received several honors: cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa, Omicron Delta Upsilon, Sigma Iota Rho, and the David Bishop Skillman 1913 Library Prize. "Although Rebeka was accepted at Stanford University, she received and accepted a full scholarship from University of California-Berkeley to pursue a master's in economics. It even includes two round-trip airline tickets to Madagascar! She plans to earn a doctorate and then return to Madagascar to help raise the low standard of living. I have full confidence that she will achieve her goals. She leaves for Berkeley at the end of July." (See photo of Jerry and Rebeka online.)

"Sandye and I attended the high school graduation of our granddaughter Judy Turnauer in Vancouver, Wash., and our niece Jeniece in Avalon, Santa Catalina Island, Calif. Jeniece coincidentally also will attend UC Berkeley." Jerry's contact: 10921 NW 3rd St., Plantation, FL 33324-1539; (954) 476-9038; jturnauer@bayshoreford.com.

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George Werner is relocating from the Pittsburgh area to Shallotte, N.C., and is renting a townhouse while his new home is being constructed. Shallotte is on U.S. Route 17, about 45 minutes south of Wilmington, and 45 minutes north of Myrtle Beach, S.C. Contact: (412) 741.0790; glww17@gmail.com.

Russ Wells is offering a new biology course for the Bucknell Institute of Lifelong Learning with six field trips to facilities where biologists are applying their training: winery and vineyard, timber- and log-home builder, state forest technician training site, fish hatchery and pathology lab, Swiss cheese factory, Merck antibiotic plant, and two greenhouses. Participants will experience a close-up appreciation of how biologists impact our everyday lives. Russ planned to have a hip replacement in August. Contact: 189 Erdley Church Road, Winfield, PA 17889-8841; (570) 374-2773; wellsruss@verizon.net.

Chuck Wynn says life and health are good in Washington Depot, Conn. He sent a new email: cwynno23@gmail.com. Contact: 14 Juniper Meadow Road, Washington Depot, CT 06794-1213; (860) 868-6804.

Maryellen had shoulder replacement surgery in April. She now has 95 percent mobility of her left arm, which before was limited and painful. Her eldest granddaughter graduated from Old Dominion University in August.

President **Alison Byerly** wrote to say that she faithfully reads our columns and truly appreciates the enduring support our classmates provide to Lafayette.

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David Eppard retired in 2013 and moved closer to his children and grandchildren in Lexington, Ky. He and wife Christine have been married 52 years and spent most of their time in suburban Los Angeles where David practiced cardiology. Contact: nycalny@gmail.com.

Windshield repair king of Vermont **Tom Rennert** has retired to play golf two days a week. Weather permitting, he plans to get in his 100 rounds and attend any Lafayette football game in New England. Tom volunteers in the Rutland area as a driver for the disabled and at Rutland County Humane Society. Contact: tomrennert@gmail.com.

The peripatetic **Wayne Wavrek** and wife Gloria divide their time between Tampa, Fla., for winter and spring and Chicago, summer and fall. He says it is good to be in a town with two baseball teams, especially when the one managed by **Joe Maddon '76** is doing so well. Contact: wwavrek@yahoo.com.

Bob Edwards wife, Nancy, died July 6. Bob and I were in Germany at the same time, and we both married there, so I can relate to Bob's description of Nancy, a former teacher in Germany in the Department of Defense Dependent School System, as a "wonderful, loving wife, mother, grandmother, and a talented decorative artist." She is survived by sons **Robert Edwards '85** and **Douglas Edwards '93**. Contact: bobnanddw@comcast.net.

Lafayette lost a stalwart with the passing of **Don Nikles** May 6. Don garnered recognition well away from College Hill for his athletic achievements as a Leopard fullback and team captain, as well as a star center fielder. Graduating with a degree in chemistry, Don turned down the Cleveland Indians to play a season with the Pittsburgh Steelers. Married to his best girl and high school sweetheart, Frannie, since 1959, he then set out on a career as a pharmaceutical representative with Imperial Chemical Industries, with a three-year stint in Singapore. In 1989, he and Fran moved to Shohola, Pa. Don

was recognized by the Maxwell Club as a premier running back in 1959 and received Most Valuable Football Player and Little All-American recognition. He also was inducted into Lafayette Maroon Club Hall of Fame. He is survived by Fran. A football locker in Bourger Varsity Football House honoring Don was dedicated prior to the Homecoming game Oct. 1.

Merle Bainbridge, who played quarterback and safety for the Leopards alongside Don, recalls that "Nik" was the crux of the offense, which boiled down to "a handoff to him at fullback, into the line, or run the quarterback option." Merle recalled that back then you played both offense and defense (rules have since changed), and Don played as linebacker on defense as well. Merle, retired from teaching, ended his coaching career at Ursinus College when the Bears won the Centennial Conference title in 1996. He "dabbles" in real estate in Chester County, Pa. Contact: merle@glocker.com.

Dick Shollenberger, a geology graduate, died March 22. He completed service in the Army at Fort Dix, N.J., then got his master's in education at Kutztown University. Dick became a librarian and educator in the Lehigh Valley area, working at William Allen High School and Muhlenberg College,



Russ Wells '59 offers biology course participants a close-up look at how biologists' work impacts wineries and vineyards.



Tom Rennert '60 volunteers as a driver for the disabled.



ending his career at Lehigh County Community College. He developed an interest in genealogy, became president of the teachers' union at LCCC, and was a student mentor. He was predeceased by wife Barbara to whom he was married for more than 50 years.

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Our 55th reunion included 29 attendees with best representation from Phi Delta Theta and Delta Upsilon fraternities. Attending from Phi Delt were **Warren Eberlein, George Halak, Bill Buehler, Dave Bloys, Chris Windeler,** and Barbara Cunningham, for her deceased husband John. DUs included **Bob Howard, Ed Vitale, Lew Gill, Jim Sorrentino, and Jim Westkott.** Sorrentino, as reunion chair, did an exceptional job coordinating the activities.

In addition to the class leadership committee, attendees were **Fred Bailine, Ed Baumgardner, George Benson, David Bilheimer, Richard Kline, Anthony Lelli, William Mengels, Jim Oehlert, Gerald Paist, Sam Watson, and Dick Webster.**

Tom Grimm had shoulder surgery rescheduled, which allowed him to travel from Florida. **Peter Hansen** and **Bill Reynolds** were looking forward to the weekend, but had to back out at the last minute due to family medical concerns.

At the class dinner on Saturday my wife, Ginny, and I noted that **Ron Geesey's** wife, Hazel, was not there. Ron said she was at the hotel suffering

from what he described as probably a peptic ulcer. It turned out that Hazel's condition was much worse — cancer — which led to her death only six weeks later. Hazel was a vivacious gal from Ireland who married Ron 16 years ago.

At the reunion dinner, **Matt Hyde**, director of admissions, impressed us as a bright, articulate young man in tune with the competitive academic environment and what is required to recruit diversified talent to Lafayette.

Richard Shusterman was sorry to miss reunion due to family activities. He and wife Joan recently celebrated their 55th anniversary, their son's 50th birthday, and their granddaughter's graduation from high school as valedictorian and acceptance to Duke University. Richard took the family on a safari trip to the **MalaMala Game Reserve** in South Africa. He is focused on supporting the interest of his grandson (mother, **Melissa Shusterman '89**) in attending Lafayette. Richard continues with his arbitration and mediation practice in Berwyn, Pa. He and Joan winter in Naples, Fla.

Pete Myers has added a new item to his bucket list — visit the **Woody Creek Tavern** in Colorado and pay homage to **Hunter Thompson.**

I became a grandfather for the second time. My son **Brian Hobby '03** and wife Jenn had a baby girl, Taylor, Aug. 2.

Lance Davis was elected to the National Academy of Engineering in 1992, one of only six ever from Lafayette. The group, about 2,000, provides advice to the government on engineering technology. After receiving his Ph.D. in engineering and applied science from Yale, Lance joined **Allied Chemical** (later **Honeywell**) where he had a 25-year career, ending as vice president of research and development. In 1994 Lance moved to the Pentagon as deputy director

of defense research and then executive officer of **NAE**, a position he held until last year. He is now senior adviser to **NAE** and associate editor of a new engineering journal. His son is **Lance Davis Jr. '90** and stepdaughter is **Marina Gonchar '09.** Lance's wife, Sue, has four cousins who attended the College.

Bernhard "Benno" Sack, Rosemont, Pa., died May 13. Best known as a football player and member of **DU** fraternity, he was an economics graduate. He became an officer in the U.S. Marine Corps, golf pro, salesman, and stockbroker. But foremost to him was being a devoted father and coach to his two children, TJ and Jody (now deceased), and a loving husband to Lois.

Edward Anderson, Springfield, Mass., died June 26. He spent his career with **Monarch Life Insurance Co.** A mathematics graduate, he was a member of **Watson Hall.**

Daniel Heddeshimer died May 15 in Burnt Hills, N.Y. After graduating with a B.S. in economics, Dan spent two years in the Army and then began a 34-year career with **General Electric.** In 1962 he married Sue, who survives him along with their three children. A dean's list student, he was a member of **Watson Hall.** He is the father of **Paul D. Heddeshimer '90.**

Adam Kratochwill died Feb. 16. His partner of 16 years, **Bill Thornton**, survives him. A government and law graduate, he worked for **Brock Drug Co., NYC.** Adam used his business skills to the benefit of several **LGBT** organizations. He was a member of **Zeta Psi** fraternity and served on the class executive committee.

Richard Phillips died March 21 in Kingston, N.Y. He was an artist, teacher, and community activist. An English graduate, Richard earned a Ph.D. in political science from **New York University** and a master's of library science from **University**



Richard Shusterman '61 and family enjoyed a MalaMala Game Reserve safari in South Africa.

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of Albany. He was a college librarian at Marist College, Bard College, and SUNY-Ulster. He was a writer and world traveler. He was a member of Pi Lambda Phi fraternity.

Anthony Bater died Feb. 25, 2015. He worked at an engineering firm in Cleveland and retired to Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla. A chemical engineering graduate, he was a member of Phi Psi fraternity.

By the time you read this column, the fifth annual Class of 1961 ISS lecture will have occurred. At this writing a speaker has not been selected. Please consider allocating a portion of your annual giving to the Class of 1961 ISS Fund.

I thank my classmates for re-electing me class correspondent. At the reunion dinner it was most gratifying to hear the enthusiasm expressed for the re-election of all the class officers.

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1962 

Bruce Vakiener retired as an active EMT after 54 years of volunteering as captain/chief of Hecktown Ambulance Corps. He is certified as an American Heart Association Basic Life Support instructor, teaching students and performing certification testing. One of the worst accidents he and Kate encountered was a motorcycle accident on a photographic safari in Kenya. They had to use machetes to cut trees for splints and tear T-shirts for bandages. He still carries a large EMS first-aid bag in his car.

Our 55th will occur in June 2017.

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1963 

Donald Owen published a book of limericks: "Perchance might you find time to peruse my book of limericks on your cruise? Most are clean...none are obscene. Most are gentle...none are mean... and all are intended to amuse." For more info, go to friesenpress.com. This fulfills a lifelong dream, dating back to his days at the College as sports editor of *The Lafayette* in his junior year and editor of an ill-fated newspaper published by Inter-Fraternity Council (IFC) called *Agora* in his senior year. Contact: donowenesq@aol.com.

Gary Coelho and **Jane** split time between NYC and Delray Beach, Fla. Their three married sons have given them six grandchildren, whom they visit in the D.C.-Richmond area. He continues his dental practice on a limited basis and often sees **Mike Stillman** and wife Esther, as well as **Ron Garfunkel** and wife Sande.

Bill Bachman and his wife, Gail, have attended all five-year reunions since the 25th. "Gail and I sold our house in Maryland and will soon be spending 50 percent of our lives in Sanibel, Fla., and 50 percent in South Bristol, Maine."

Jim Alexander, Chapel Hill, N.C., retired from the Army as a full colonel in 1990 and worked for the private sector for eight years. He married an Army nurse and has two sons living nearby, with four grandchildren, 8, 4, 3, and 9 months. His hobby is classic cars, the latest a '57 Century Coronado.

Ken Kissane and wife Virginia (Douglass College, 1964)

have been cruising the world since Ken retired in 1999. They have six grandchildren—two in Seattle and four in Palo Alto, Calif.

Jeb Bell updated us on **Steve Minkel**, who took a known risk on a back operation to correct a problem. Unfortunately he is now paralyzed from the waist down. The good news is that it probably would have happened anyway, and with a good attitude, he is on his way to independence with a van, a fast scooter, and wife

Trilla. John Cooper saw them in South Carolina on his way to visit with the Bells and Garfunkels.

Len Lynch has made recent jaunts to Cuba and Turkey for his son's wedding. He has become a big supporter of the College's energized engineering program. Len has a master's from MIT and a J.D. from Georgetown.

Hunt Dumont is loving being a judge in Morristown, N.J.

Art Topilow recently retired from his medical practice of 42 years and is director of oncology research for Meridian Hospital System in New Jersey. He reviews drug trials, encourages physicians to write medical papers, mentors students, and writes papers. His spare time is spent sailboat racing and playing the piano. He and **Ira Kreisman** serve on the local performing arts board in Deal, N.J., and he visited college roommate **Jay Price** in Balston Spa, N.Y. in August on his way to Saranac Lake.

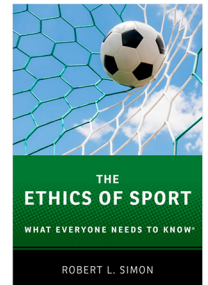
Paul Barrett is senior vice president for the National Executive Services Corp., providing search, consulting, and other services to nonprofits.

Bob Simon published a book with Oxford University Press, *The Ethics of Sport: What Everyone Needs to Know*. Unlike his earlier text, *Fair Play*, it is intended for the general public rather than an academic audience. Although retired, Bob still teaches one course a year at Hamilton College, works as an assistant coach with the men's and women's golf teams, and is offering an online course on sports ethics this fall.



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1965 

chair of the Ionizing Radiation and Joint Industrial Hygiene Ethics Education committees. His first grandson, Jack Henry Pugh, was born July 4.

John Hench reported that his book, *Books as Weapons: Propaganda, Publishing, and the Battle for Global Markets in the Era of World War II*, has new life. The Commercial Press of Beijing published a Mandarin translation. In September, the original publisher, Cornell University Press, will release a paperback edition.

John is also finishing a project concerning a British soldier, Sandy Cleland, who read his way through World War II. It is based on Sandy's letters to his parents from bases in the U.K., India, and Burma, in which he names 203 books that he read and describes why he did or did not like them. John and wife Lea (Moravian, 1965) will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary in July. In August, the entire family will gather at a house on the shore of Lake Champlain in St. Armand, Quebec, including grandchildren Henry, India, Charlotte, and Jack.

I often see **Ken Winarick** at the beach in Wainscott, Long Island, and I report that he and wife Esther are doing well.

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1966 

It was great to see classmates at our 50th reunion that I was close to during our undergraduate years, but the real bonus was spending time with those I had not known well. I enjoyed having coffee with **Alan Novich**, **Don Frank**, and **Jon Smith**, and with **Mike Meyers** during the crawl. I played golf Thursday with **Brad**



John Hench '65 is working on a project based on a World War II British soldier's letters to his parents.

Dan Headington and **Dodie** are enjoying Martha's Vineyard. Dan has recovered from a torn Achilles and resumed his activities. They head for Boca Grand, Fla., for winter. Dan has been active in local community theater, where he has acted, produced, and served on the board of The Royal Palm Players.

Don Evans has relocated his summer home from Indiana to Pennsylvania. Settled in Malvern, he enjoys being near **George Rubin** and **Jeff Brown** who reside in the West Chester area, and **Rich Amman** in New Jersey. It was through Lorraine Rubin and Melinda Brown that Don was introduced to their mutual friend Susie. Don and Susie have been together since our 50th reunion. Don's winter home is Sanibel Island, Fla.

Lyle Jude Hentz, 81, of Whitehall, died Jan. 1. He and wife Esther would have been married 60 years on Jan. 21. They have three sons. Lyle worked at the former Western Electric in Allentown, starting his career as a manager in the silicone division and retiring in 1989 as facilities manager.

Otto Kessler, Arlington, Va., died April 24, 2015. An electrical engineering graduate, Otto was a member of Phi Kappa Tau. He had a 50-year career in the fields of radar and data fusion at

Congratulations to Marshall Gluck, recipient of the 2016 Hughes Correspondent Award for exercising leadership and unifying his class through his column.

Stuart "Buzz" Hutchison got together in February in Miami with **Ivo Ucovich**, who was visiting from Lima. Buzz and wife Mary Lou rented a home in Pompano in February and March to escape Pittsburgh weather. **Dick Haber** and wife Sara came from Santa Fe to visit. The Habers asked Buzz if he had heard from Ivo. He had not so he emailed Ivo who said he was flying to Miami the next day. Buzz, Dick, and their wives had brunch with Ivo at the Rusty Pelican on Key Biscayne and reminisced about the 150th Lafayette-Lehigh game and their 50th reunion.

Rusty Shunk gave the keynote address in June at Pennsylvania Association for College Admission Counseling meeting.

Norman Henry was honored at this year's American Industrial Hygiene Conference and Exposition (AIHce) with the 2016 AIHA President's Award. Determined solely by the AIHA president, it recognizes dedication to the industrial hygiene profession. A member since 1981, he has served on various committees including



Norman Henry '65 earned the 2016 President's Award at the American Industrial Hygiene Conference and Exposition.

Pierce, Paul O’Hea, and CB Gebhard.

Cathy and I joined the Phi Gams for dinner Thursday and caught up with **Curt Martin** and **Don Frederickson**. At Saturday morning’s parade, I got to spend time with **David Robins**.

Scott Hummel, Jeffers Director of the Engineering Division, presented a vision regarding the merging of liberal arts and engineering.

Our treasurer, **Jim Quin**, and the reunion committee, **Brad Pierce, John Galson, David Devries**, who have carried the ball tirelessly since we graduated, did a great job. A couple of guys — **Paul O’Hea** and **Bob Zink** — also stepped up this year to help.

Roger Streit and Joan have been snowbirds for the last several years and this summer will move from West Orange, N.J., to Sarasota, Fla.

David Ogden sent a photo (see online) of a Theta Chi get-together in Hendersonville, N.C., including **Paul Vince, Barry Arch, Harry Ward, and Tom Mudge**.

William Morris Hughes, of Brentwood, Calif., died March 22. A civil engineering graduate, he was a member of Sigma Nu fraternity. He worked for Pittsburgh Des Moines Steel, where he helped develop components for the World Trade Center in NYC and Three Rivers Stadium in Pittsburgh.

He worked 18 years for Hilti Fastening Systems and moved to California. He retired from Morgan Stanley as a financial adviser. His survivors include his wife, Linda.

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1967

Bill Rappolt writes: “I continue to be active with the field hockey team. I have been doing the announcing, raising money, and working to pair juniors and seniors with employers. My wife and I travel to all the games and enjoy the Leopard camaraderie. I have been impressed with **President Byerly**; with me she has been transparent and open. I had a little setback with a riding accident last year when I broke my hip in a fall. I was in a wheelchair and walker for five months, but I am now no worse for wear, and I am able to do everything I did before without a limp or impediment. They tell me I was extremely lucky. I think at 70 it’s time to skip the large jumps and stay firmly on the ground. I am national vice president for Delta Upsilon and responsible for their endowment. My last child was married last summer in a backyard wedding that went beautifully. I see **Bob Norieka** often as we are involved with the local and national fraternity. My wife and I sponsor a lecture series at our children’s prep school.”

After 11 terrific summers with thousands of great campers, Ruth and **Jim Turner** have sold their Estes Park, Colo., KOA campground. Jim writes, “Thank you to all of our Lafayette friends who stopped by for a visit over the years. We plan to stay in Estes Park for the foreseeable future. Call us at (970) 988-1105 if you are heading this way.”

Mark Staples thought he had retired in 2015 when he stepped down from the semi-retirement post of seminary writer at Lutheran Theological Seminary, Philadelphia. But an old friend recommended him for a part-time job in the office of general secretary for American Baptist Churches USA, Valley Forge, near his home. He is enjoying the new role. He also works as a freelance writer and video producer, most recently for a project for Lutheran Advocacy Ministry in

Harrisburg. Mark and wife Lynn celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary this year.

Charlie Bartberger retired in

February 2015 after 37 years as a petroleum geologist dealing with oil and natural gas exploring, and drilling wells in the Rocky Mountain states and Alaska. In retirement, he delivers geological presentations for a local Denver geology study group and also for college geology departments. In November 2015, he spoke to Lafayette geology students and faculty about prolific oil production from the Bakken Formation in North Dakota and is scheduled to talk about a recent breakthrough in understanding of deep-basin natural gas resources in the Washakie Basin in southwest Wyoming.

Randy Thornton and wife Kate live in Vero Beach, Fla., and Quonochontaug, R.I. They have two daughters. Rebecca and husband Alex Leach have two children, Cameron and Caroline. Rebecca is a member of the CEO and board- recruiting practice at Spencer Stuart. Their younger daughter, Jamie, is a private chef and food consultant. Randy retired from Citigroup in 2004 after 34 years and for the past 12 years has been president and CEO of Comdisco Holding Co. in Rosemont, Ill., and chair of the board of Core-Mark Holding Co. in South San Francisco, Calif.

Larry Cole reports that he finally had to pay the price for breaking his ankle when successfully stretching a single into a double in a 1974 softball game. His ankle healed and for 40 years he had no pain until six years ago. He had an ankle replacement in December 2015. The operation was a success, and each day the ankle feels better. He will soon be able to “tippy-toe to the foredeck (of his sailboat) without having to grab hold of anything and everything to stabilize myself.”

Six years ago, **Neil Meade** moved to the great West after



Bill Rappolt '67 continues to support the Lafayette field hockey team by announcing at games and raising money.



William Hughes '66 helped develop steel components for the construction of Three Rivers Stadium, Pittsburgh.



Neil Meade '67 works for the Indian Health Service on a Navajo reservation in New Mexico.

retiring from his practice in Maryland. He is working on the Navajo reservation in New Mexico for the Indian Health Service. He lives where it is still the Wild West with no strip malls, traffic jams, or pollution. His older daughter, Jamie, is married and is an emergency room doctor in Las Vegas, as is her husband Salah. They have two sons: Zaid, 3, and Aiden, born last April. Neil's younger daughter, Brooke, married in July and is working at the Mayo Clinic in family practice. Her husband, Steve, is an orthopedics resident.

Following graduation, **George Savino**, a history major and member of Chi Phi, earned his J.D. from Rutgers and his MPA from Fairleigh Dickinson University. He has been practicing law since 1970 in Lyndhurst, N.J., and for 40 years has been the municipal court judge for Borough of East Rutherford. He also serves as municipal court judge in North Arlington, Lyndhurst, Carlstadt, and Maywood and has no plans to retire. George and wife Jane reside in Rutherford with their son George, who graduated from Manhattan College last year and is a civil engineer with New York City Department of Design and Construction.

Our 50th reunion is only a few months away. We hope you have June 2-4 in your calendar. At this writing, 36 classmates *expect* to attend and another 17 might attend. **Dave Spencer** and **Nick Azzolina** report that progress is being made toward the importance of student social life as well as academics to the Lafayette experience. We are looking for social dorm/fraternity reunion chairs to assist in planning events. Email us with your affiliation at dbswte@aol.com with "Lafayette" in the subject line.



Terry Groff '68 earned two Bronze Stars, one with a "V" for valor.

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1968

On April 28, **Paul Levy**, president and CEO of Philadelphia Center City District, published an op-ed in the *The Philadelphia Inquirer* about the use of key assets to promote Philly growth.

Paul cited statistics to show that the city is on the upswing and at a crossroad, and urged readers to capitalize on Philly's amazing strengths, concentration of talent, and geographic position to create more opportunity for all residents, including immigrants, and graduates of local colleges and universities.

Sol Miskin and wife Michelle have a second grandchild, born to their son and his wife, who live in Paris. Sol practices neuropsychiatry in NYC. The Miskins' daughter, Barrie, was married this year and their other son's acting career is underway.

Frederick R. "Fred" Marks died June 10. A member of Phi Gam, he was a mechanical engineering graduate. He had a 35-year career with New York State Electric and Gas Corp., interrupted only by service in the U.S. Air Force for four years during which he achieved the rank of E5 staff sergeant. An active member of his community, Fred received numerous awards for outstanding service. Fred and Rose have three children: Frederick Marks Jr., Melissa Merlino, and Domenica Burns. Fred was passionate about antique wood boats. He won awards for restoration of the *Wood Rose*. He enjoyed being on the water in the Finger Lakes, Lake Erie, and Lake Winnepesaukee in New Hampshire.

Terry Groff has retired (see photo online) from Reading Bakery Systems after a 45-year career. He established plants in Reading, Pa., his home base, and also in Indianapolis, Ind., and Tianjin, China. The company has offices in Dubai, London, Mexico City, and Singapore. Sales grew from \$330,000 annually to more than \$60,000,000. The firm grew from six employees when Terry joined his father in the business in 1974 to 168 now.

Terry's dad founded the company in 1946. Terry's dad and another inventor created the first commercially viable pretzel-twisting machine. Terry was brought in from Chemical Bank where he was working to help buy out the co-inventor. Terry served the business as chief draftsman, marketing manager, and custodian. As the business grew, a small company was acquired in the U.K. and another two in the U.S.

An economics graduate, Terry served in the U.S. Army for three years. He was first posted to Germany where he bumped into roommate **Joe Cox** and later served as commander of the 327th Signal Company based at "Plantation Base Camp." Terry earned two Bronze Stars, one with a "V" for valor. He mustered out in 1971 and joined Chemical Bank where he remained until 1974.

Terry and wife Irene have three children between them— Irene's son, a lawyer; Irene's daughter, a pharmaceutical representative; and Terry's son, a landscape architect in Naples, Fla. He has eight grandchildren ranging in age from 7 years to 15 months. Terry also owns and operates an airplane.

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James Andrews went into the military, spent six months at Fort Sill, Okla., was stationed at Wertheim, Germany, for two and a half years as a battery fire direction officer, and when promoted to first lieutenant, headed the battalion's special weapons (nuclear weapons) unit. Jim separated from the service in 1973 as a captain and went to work for N.J. Bell, where he became district plant manager supervising 200 employees. Jim earned his J.D. from Seton Hall in 1979. He worked for Shanley & Fisher, then the largest litigation firm in New Jersey. He has practiced corporate and commercial litigation ever since, specializing in professional malpractice defense, environmental contribution claims, defense of companies owning Superfund sites, civil rights defense, patent infringement, and employment litigation. Jim worked 13 years at Blank Rome, and recently became a partner at Giordano, Halleran & Ciesla, reducing his daily commute from 80 to 10 minutes. He has been married to Kathleen for over 40 years. His son is a stand-up comedian and activist performing in the East Village and Brooklyn. His daughter, Kerry, has two children, Ashlyn, 5, and Madeline, 3. Kerry and Jim participate in triathlons together.

John Burky reports that his wife of 49 years, Marjory (Centenary College, 1969), retired as assistant to the president of a local insurance company. John is active with his website, abruckner.com. Last year he led his second tour of Anton Bruckner sites in Austria for about 20 people. As president of the board of his local historical society, he helped raise \$750,000 to restore and re-interpret a historic house. John's five grandkids are a central focus of his activities.

Bruce Carpenter and wife Candy moved to the Texas hill country in New Braunfels, between San Antonio and Austin.

He launched a technology company, Legal Order Services. The company assists large North American banks better research and respond to all forms of legal orders. A previous company he founded, CBS Worldwide, was sold to Fiserv and is now its signature division. Contact: bruce.carpenter@HBVinc.com.

Jim Flowers retired in 2011 and lives in Omaha. He volunteers with the Department of Veterans Affairs at a medical center in Omaha driving a van to transport veterans to the center. He also serves as greeter at Omaha Scottish Rite Center, is involved with Nebraska Iowa Railroaders Historical and Museum Society, and is a communion assistant and Maundy Thursday drama character at Lutheran Church of the Master.

David Hughes is president of his homeowners' association, a non-voting member of the executive board of the neighborhood's civic association, and a delegate for his neighborhood to Arlington County Civic Federation.

Peter Hurwitsch reports that he and Anne were married in fall 1969. They call the Boston area home even though they spent short periods of time throughout the country and in Europe during his career with Gordon Bros., a large Boston-based retail consulting company. Their children, Charlie and Lisa '97, are each married. Peter has five grandchildren. Peter and Anne are spending more time at their summer home on Cape Cod.

Richard Lettieri received a special award conferred by the U.S. District Court, Western District of Pennsylvania, at a reception in his honor on June 14 at Harvard-Yale-Princeton Club in Pittsburgh. The award was presented by Chief Judge Joy Flowers Conti, who thanked Richard for his efforts to educate and inform the local bar and judiciary regarding e-discovery. In the pursuit of e-discovery education, Richard has hosted quarterly educational sessions

attended by over 1,300 attorneys in western Pennsylvania, written five articles co-authored with federal judges, and was co-chair of the Court's E-Discovery Special Master Committee that created the first-ever e-discovery special master program in the nation. Richard is e-discovery counsel at Lettieri Law Firm, LLC, which specializes in cases in federal court where electronic evidence is sought. He has served as co-counsel in over 25 cases in federal court and has been appointed by the court as an e-discovery special master resolving complex technical electronic discovery issues.

Terry Lee retired from Pfizer and spinoff successor Minerals Technologies in 2001 after 30 years in various engineering capacities. Terry's wife, Carolyn, retired from Lafayette after 24 years as a secretary in the economics department. Their daughter, **Carrie '89**, works in Manhattan as a financial consultant for E*TRADE. Terry reports that daughter Carrie and he attended each other's Lafayette graduations. Terry and Carolyn have lived in the Lehigh Valley since 1973 and 28 years ago moved to Williams Township. They use the Lafayette fitness center, enjoy interacting with students, faculty, and some classmates. Terry served on the Williams Township Planning Commission and the Lehigh Valley Planning Commission for about 25 years. He officiated Lafayette track for about 30 years. In 2005, Terry reached the summit of Mt. Kilimanjaro. After 40,000 miles, eight marathons, and 30 years, he decided to give up running. Now he and Carolyn walk and bike. They began "RVing" in 2012 and have visited 34 national parks to date.

Ted Ruthizer has three grandchildren (6, 3, and 7 months). The two oldest, Liam and Olivia, live in Los Angeles with Ted's daughter Jessica and husband Josh. The youngest granddaughter, Quinn, lives in New York with Ted's daughter Robin and husband Paul. Ted and wife Jane spend weekends



James Andrews '69 practices corporate and commercial litigation in New Jersey.



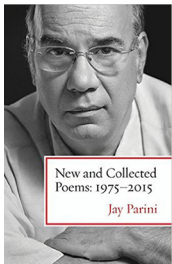
Terry Lee '69 reached the summit of Mt. Kilimanjaro in 2005.



Ted Ruthizer '69 practices immigration law as a partner in a business immigration group.

at their home in the Hudson Valley. Ted practices immigration law as a partner and co-head of the business immigration group of Kramer Levin Naftalis and Frankel LLP. Ted sees his roommate **Rob McGarrah** regularly. Rob lives in the D.C. area and is a policy analyst for AFL-CIO. He and Ted were members of McKelvy House. They would love to hear from former McKelvyites.

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New and Collected Poems: 1975-2015
 Jay Parini

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1970

Jeffrey Ferguson lives in Arnold, Md., and is retired. He and wife Jane have three sons who live in NYC, Denver, and Charlotte, and four grandsons. He serves the community through several boards and has been appointed by the county executive to serve on the planning advisory board, which reviews all major capital spending projects and makes recommendations regarding county department capital projects. "I have also been appointed by the governor to serve on the P-20 Leadership Council, which has the task

of reviewing the relevance of educational programs in the state against the needs of the marketplace. I chair a workgroup on expanding the access and preparation required to sit for and pass the GED."

John "William" Fisher writes, "I retired after 31 years in the public schools, then got into real estate and overlapped teaching at Temple University Real Estate Institute for 30 years, and currently teach for Larson Educational Services in Fort Myers, Fla., where I

live with my wife of 46 years, Diane. My daughter and three granddaughters live in Green Lane, outside of Philadelphia, and my son and two grandsons live in Lehigh Acres, Fla. My liberal arts psychology education has helped me in all I have done. My daughter's husband is a computer consultant. My son is head of the technology department at Estero High School, and his wife is a lead kindergarten teacher in LaBelle. Diane and I will visit the Lehigh Valley Sept. 15 to Oct. 3 for her 50th Wilson High and my North Penn reunions. Diane is retired from nursing. She graduated from Einstein (in Philadelphia) while I got my master's from Temple. We have a memory of visiting Pete Sororauf, her high school classmate who knew

Michael LeWitt as a fellow physician. I just published my first book, *How to Get Ready for the Pennsylvania Real Estate Exam.*"

Michael LeWitt writes, "My two daughters, **Rachel '13** and **Mattea**, began new jobs this summer. Lynne sells real estate. I am happy in retirement from medicine, making things at a local wood shop. I attended a kaleidoscope convention in April, made five new ones for my collection, and socialized with an international group of people. We recently returned from Traverse City Film Festival where we saw 12 full-length and 14 short films in five days."

Stephen Houpt writes, "I have been teaching physics for 40 years, currently at St. Mark's School of Texas, one of the top independent boys' schools in the U.S. I am also a singer/songwriter and have two albums of original music available on iTunes, Apple Music, Amazon, and Spotify. They are "Hey Neighbor" and "Sweet Green Mystery." I play a 1927 Weissenborn acoustic lap steel slide guitar. I've been married to my wife, Sherry, for 36 years. We have two daughters: Jessica, administrative patent judge for U.S. Patent Office,

and Katharine, art therapist and adjunct professor at School of the Art Institute of Chicago; and two grandchildren, Toby and Amy."

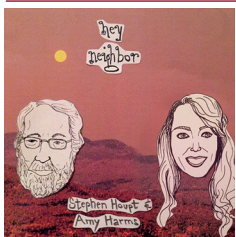
Gary Platt, **Steve Corley**, and **Michael LeWitt** represented our class at this year's reunion parade.

Jim Pooley was named this week to the IP Hall of Fame. He is one of three honorees, and the only American. A leading scholar and practitioner of trade secret law in the United States, he is a key advocate for the proposed Defend Trade Secrets Act. Between 2009 and 2014 Pooley was deputy director general of the World Intellectual Property Organization where he advanced efforts toward the harmonization of international patent law and facilitated improvements to the Patent Cooperation Treaty.

Jay Parini published *New and Collected Poems, 1975-2015* with Beacon Press. He recently spoke at Edith Wharton's former residence, The Mount, in the Berkshires.

Jon Marcus, 68, died July 6, following open-heart surgery. He is survived by his wife, Deb Whitfield, a prominent theater director in New York. Jon was prominent in the music field and worked as a liaison between that industry and the UJA. He had recently retired and wrote about how pleased he was to visit and play golf with fellow KDR member **Joe O'Leary** on a recent trip to San Diego.

Evan M. Stone, 68, Del Mar, Calif., died June 4. An Easton native and government and law graduate, he received his J.D. from University of Michigan. After passing the California Bar in 1974, he moved to San Diego, and two years later to Del Mar. He started in private practice with Gaston, Hyatt & Stone and then joined Kolodny & Pressman. He had been senior vice president of legal services and partner at Pacific Medical Buildings, LLC since 2000. He served as a national trustee of Foundation Fighting Blindness and was co-founder of Project TALK. He was a founding member of Congregation Beth Am and served on the boards



Stephen Houpt '70, singer/songwriter, has produced two albums.

of United Jewish Federation of San Diego, San Diego Hebrew Homes, and Seacrest Foundation. He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Jill. He is the son of the late **Samuel Stone '36** and brother of **Richard M. Stone '67**.

Howard Stephen Shapiro, 68, died April 28. Howard received a master's from Rutgers, and a Ph.D. in comparative education from University of Texas at Austin. Howard served as a diplomat in the U.S. Foreign Service for 20 years, during which time he served as a cultural attache and public affairs officer in Rome, Italy; Porto Alegre and Rio De Janeiro, Brazil; and Caracas, Venezuela. He participated in cultural exchanges and hosted such notables as President Jimmy Carter, Maya Angelou, and Vice President Al Gore. Howard retired in his favorite American city — Austin, Texas — where he enjoyed membership at The Paramount Theater and Austin Bridge Club. A lifelong writer, his articles and letters were published in *The Foreign Service Journal*, *The Washington Post*, and the *Austin American-Statesman*.

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Dennis Vitrella has retired from the publishing and medical conference management corporation he and his wife, Angeles, founded 34 years ago. They sold the company and have been enjoying retirement. From Lafayette, La., they travel to visit their daughter and two grandchildren in Minneapolis, their second home in Puebla, Mexico, and Florida to see Dennis' 93-year-old mother. Dennis makes an annual August canoe trip up the Bloodvein River in Manitoba. **Joe Ferdinand** joined him a few years ago. This past September he and Angeles visited her ancestral land of Scotland. Favorite pastimes at home include yoga, riding his Cinelli road bicycle, and cooking. He also has been helping a friend edit his manuscript for a book on craniosacral therapy.

I was included in an email exchange among KDR brothers **Mike Kaelber**, **Pete Newman**, **Bill Rozier**, and **Bob Kiser '74**. Mike initiated the conversation when he experienced a deja vu moment at a wedding reception in Allentown that he believed was the same venue as Bob Kiser's reception in the previous century (see photo of Mike with grandson Brayden online). Pete confirmed his suspicion and said the name had changed. A memorial service for a co-worker in Somers Point, N.J., on an emotionally down day for Mike was brightened by a memory of **Mark Grim's** T-shirt from a Somers Point bar

that said "7 for 1, 7 beers for a buck." It made him think about the great times at Lafayette and KDR. In his work with New Jersey School Board Association, Mike interacts with administrators from around the state including **Don Hawkey** and **Bruce Haines**. A recent trip to National Park, Tavistock, Haddonfield, and Sewell brought to mind **Rob Hanson**, **Dennis Kain**, Mark Grim, and Bruce Haines.

Pete Newman teaches at Lafayette and notes that a quilt made to commemorate coeducation includes a photograph of the lifeguard chair and sign in front of KDR. Although he does know where the lifeguard chair is, the sign is safe (see photo online) in his archives—the garage.

Josh Miner's first grandchild, Woody Miner, was born in March on the ranch in New Mexico where his son works. In May Massachusetts Gov. Charlie Baker and Josh both

received honorary doctorates for public service from Merrimack College. Josh also became an online minister in the Universal Life Church in order to officiate at his nephew's June wedding in Seattle. He has the highest regard for ministers with hard-earned, legitimate credentials like **Mike Duda**.

Bill Rozier, wife Deb, daughters Kim and Kristen, and son Jack gathered in Denver, Colo. (see photo online). They spent three days in South Dakota, three in Colorado, and a half-day each in Nebraska and Wyoming. They saw the Badlands, Black Hills, Devil's Tower, Scotts Bluff, Florissant Fossil Beds, and Garden of the Gods.

Dr. Lee J. Grossbard retired from medical practice in May. He is enjoying travel, children, and four granddaughters.

Richard Mayer, a fencer, has been training with a Lafayette rising-sophomore, preparing him for next season. He also is looking forward to competing with two highly rated first-year



Howard Shapiro '70, lifelong writer, had various articles and letters published.



Bill Rozier '73 and family spent time together touring sites in South Dakota, Colorado, Nebraska, and Wyoming.

students at the alumni/varsity meet.

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Janice Tucker Florence '76 oversees administration of policies as human resources director for Apple Montessori schools.



1974

Kevin J. Boran reports that on July 1 he began his 20th year as president of Cardiovascular Consultants Heart Center in Fresno, Calif. He also serves as medical director of the cardiac catheterization laboratory at Fresno Heart and Surgical Hospital. Kevin has been in Fresno for 30 years.

On July 1, **Bob Kiser** retired as municipal engineer of Princeton, N.J., capping a 33-year career. In an interview looking back on his tenure, Bob said his biggest challenge was to maintain the character of the town by keeping developers in check as the town grew, while also improving parks and roads. Meeting this challenge involved dealing with developers and the people that make up Princeton, a challenge Bob greatly enjoyed.

Edward DeHope reports that his family enjoyed a vacation, mixing California sightseeing with visiting daughter Aimee, husband Bobby, and 4-year-old grandson, Blake. They started in Napa with a wine-tasting tour, then to Mendocino on the coast and south on the Pacific Coast Highway to Morro Bay.

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Tom McDonough '76 was recently named "Best Dentist" in the Mount Washington Valley, N.H., area.

1975

Michael Malekoff reports: "This is the first time I've sent news. As a former athlete and captain of the wrestling team, I was fortunate to extend my athletic career with a lengthy career in sports marketing. While I enjoyed working professional sports events, Olympic games, and world championships, I eventually found my true enjoyment: organizing events for nonprofits to raise funds. Having worked at the senior level with organizations such as March of Dimes and Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, I retired and started my own firm. I was able to end my years of commuting into NYC. Now I work from the countryside of Sugarbush, Vt., and share time on the west coast in Malibu, Calif. My daughter, Rachel, works for Warner Brothers in Burbank, Calif., as a postproduction manager for *Gottham*."

"I enjoyed seeing roommate **Kurt Zwerko** at Reunion (see photo online). I also attended this year's Olympic reunion where I met up with Connie Carpenter, the first woman to win the gold medal in women's cycling in 1984, and Leigh Barczewski, former Olympic cyclist and silver medalist in World Cycling Championships (see photo online). Contact: P.O. Box 313, Warren, VT 05674; home: (802) 496-4653; cell: (908) 884-1567.

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1976



More than 83 classmates returned to the Hill for our 40th. Dorm headquarters for the class were in

South College, and we took over first-floor lounge. **Terri DiOrio** brought photo albums, back issues of *The Lafayette*, and home movies that she converted to DVD, which many of us enjoyed while sipping wine and munching snacks. **Ellen Kravet Burke** and **Ray Burke '75** sponsored a Tiffany glass exhibit at Williams Center for the Arts. We were fortunate to have our class cocktail party there Saturday evening, before the collection returned to The Neustadt in New York.

Janice Tucker Florence is the new human resources director at Apple Montessori schools. Her responsibilities include providing strategic guidance as well as overseeing the administration of all policies for a group of about 15 Montessori schools in northern New Jersey. Janice, husband Matt, and their two cats live in New City, N.Y.

Dr. **Tom McDonough** was recently named "Best Dentist" in the Mount Washington Valley (New Hampshire) by readers of the *Conway Daily Sun*.

Rev. **Wesley Wubbenhorst** died March 15. Wes was a cheerleader, Leopard mascot, and president of Kappa Sigma. He earned his master's in special education from Fordham and then served in the Peace Corps. Upon returning to the U.S., he attended Virginia Theological Seminary and was ordained in 1989. He served as rector in episcopal churches in New Jersey and Maryland and was active in the Domestic Violence Interfaith Coalition. He also led mission trips to Honduras for over 20 years. He is survived by wife Vivienne.

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Mark your calendars for June 2-4 for our 40th reunion! The committee is planning the weekend and wants your input. Come and share your story, or see old friends and reconnect. Let's make this one the best. There are many new places to visit on campus. The Williams Arts campus opened this fall. The town looks better than ever — great restaurants, galleries, and shopping.

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John Campo has been living in Columbus, Ohio, since 2006, when he moved to be chief of child and adolescent psychiatry at Ohio State and Nationwide Children's Hospital. John became chair of the department of psychiatry and behavioral health at Ohio State in 2012. He and wife Ronnie are in their 25th year of marriage and have two girls and two boys, the youngest age 18. John obtained his M.D. at University of Pennsylvania in 1982, completed pediatrics training at The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia in 1985, and then trained in psychiatry and child and adolescent psychiatry at University of Pittsburgh. He was on the faculty at University of Pittsburgh in psychiatry and pediatrics prior to moving to Columbus.

Barbara Brooks Kimmel is back to school as both sons have/are attending Lafayette. **Dan '16** graduated in May with a dual major in economics/geology and is working in corporate

finance. **Seth '19** is studying mechanical engineering, wrapping up a summer research project in Kentucky with Lafayette's EEGLP team. Barbara and classmate **Chris Caine** co-taught a policy studies course last year.

Dale McCreedy reports that she and husband Alex Taylor and daughter Sarah have just relocated to Tennessee. Dale is vice president of audience and community engagement at Discovery Center at Murfree Spring, Murfreesboro, Tenn., southeast of Nashville. Her son, an engineer, is living out west. Friends visited in June and celebrated birthdays and an anniversary (see photo online). They included **Trish Chalifoux**, **Marc Goldstein**, **Andi Cohen Malamut**, **Arlene Lauf Goldstein**, **Alex Taylor**, **Jay Malamut '76**, **Missy White Slauson**, **Dennis Ruff**, **Jim Shanahan**, **Skip Slauson '77**, **Sue Mahler**, **Liz Weiler**, **Abby Stamelman Hocky**, and **Eric Hocky**, and **David Sokal**.

My Zete brother **Dennis Ruff** checked in to say that he and his wife, **Sue Mahler**, will celebrate their 35th anniversary this year and have been in San Antonio, Texas, for 31 years. Sue is a dermatologist for the Virginia system, and Dennis is senior medical director for a clinical research unit for ICON. He founded the unit in 2000 and managed it for 16 years. Their son is a sophomore at University of Colorado-Boulder, and their daughter is a senior at Northeastern in Boston.

Carlton "Kip" Mentzer and wife Robin have restored a 60-year-old Alden wooden sailboat and are sailing her on Long Island Sound. I spent a few days with **Jeff O'Neill** and wife Jane at Chatham on Cape Cod in July. My wife Sherri, and I celebrated July 4th with **Bob Evans** and wife Sheri who are our neighbors at Sunset Beach, N.C.

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Class of 1977 members are preparing for their 40th.

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Dale McCreedy '78 is vice president of audience and community engagement at Discovery Center at Murfree Spring in Tennessee.

1980

Rob Goldstein, with Citigroup for 27 years, has recruited talented Lafayette students to the company over the last 10 years. In July he hosted a dinner for **Dante Piccolo '17** (summer intern), **Ryan Dodds '15**, **Julian Plummer '15**, and **Morgan Miller '16**. All are in Citi's institutional clients group. **Corey Scheuerle '15** was unable to attend due to a business trip.

Rob serves on Lafayette Leadership Council. He remains in contact with **Ken Miller** and **Phil Abramsky '77**. Rob's daughter Lauren will start at Cornell in the fall joining sister Rachel, now a junior.

Commencement Day went on without a misstep on the Quad facing Pardee Hall. Our class had offspring among the graduates. **Ryan Burke '16**, son of **Francey Kanengiser Burke** and **Doug Burke '79**, received a degree in psychology. My son, **Michael**



John Campo '78 is currently chief of child and adolescent psychiatry at Ohio State and Nationwide Children's Hospital.

Lee '16, graduated this year with a degree in mechanical engineering (see photo online). There may have been more graduates who are children of '80s parents. Send me the news if your children have followed your footsteps to College Hill.

Peter Gummesson purchased a home in North Palm Beach and has reconnected with community neighbors **Cindy Oaks Linville** and **Judd Linville '79**, as well as **Rob Redmond '78**.

Peter and wife Sue entertained **Bob Buzzell** and wife Sally, **Keith and Beth Kwasnik Blair '81**, and **Scott Beisler** and wife Barbara Ann at their home in Watch Hill, R.I (see photo online).

Burke Motor Group in Cape May Courthouse was recently honored (see photo online) as 2016 Business of the Year at the Middle Township Chamber of Commerce awards dinner. **Francy Kanengiser Burke** and **Doug Burke '04** received the award.

Two classmates have daughters who are lacrosse champions (see photos online). **Mary Mischle Carugati's** daughter Christine was recognized as a U.S. Lacrosse High School All American. She was a midfielder for Pennington in South Jersey and is now attending Boston University. **Whitney "Zip" Boucher's** daughter Bryn wrapped up a lacrosse career at Maryland. Her team was twice named NCAA Champions and NCAA finalists in four years.

Some classmates got together at the wedding of **Eileen Schunk Ryan's** daughter (see photo online). The group included Eileen, **Joanne Booruji Catudal**, **Vicki Braun McCall**, and **Sallie Howell**.

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1981



Congratulations to Laura Isken Doyle, recipient of the 2016 Wildstein Correspondent Award for long, faithful service and upbeat columns.

Despite low registration, walk-ins raised total attendance at our 35th reunion to more than 50! The Friday night CHT flashback was a blast. Saturday's Pard-rade launched a possible new tradition of collecting signatures on the Class of 1981 banner. We secured all participants' signatures and a few notables, including President **Alison Byerly**, the Leopard, and Easton Police. Opportunities were provided to learn about the College today and plans for the future. **Dan Rockafellow** and a dozen others met with Mayor Panto for an update on Easton. The city is experiencing a remarkable renaissance with great shops and restaurants. **Tony Fernandez** announced that the reunion class gift was dedicated to the new **Mindy Lieberman** scholarship fund.

Look for the Lafayette Class of 1981 Facebook page. Recent posts include reunion photographs. "Friend us" soon. Reunion attendees: **Laurie Bell**, **Geoffrey Bermingham**, **Laurie Loken Brightly**, **Steven Brownlee**, **Steven Bulger**, **Jennifer Toce Byington**, **Mark '82** and **Louise Seto Coles**, **Wes Crouse**, **Sharon Donegan**, **Ana Duarte McCarthy**, **Phil** and **Susan Bollman Duvall**, **Janet Edelstein**, **Tony Fernandez**, **Jim** and **Bernie Maher Flanigan**, **Michael** and **Dodie Ownes Gagliardi**, **Peter Gargiulo**, **Laurie Stull Geosits**, **Mark Goldstone**, **Sharon Tchon Gruet**, **Paul Hackenbrack**, **Hal Hocking**, **Bob Holland**, **Pat Hughes**, **Pete Jacoby**, **Bill Johnston**, **Joe** and **Des Karabots McNulty**, **Frank Kohout**, **Virginia Logan**, **Denise Zevas MacIvor**, **Mancy Riley Maxwell**, **Bonnie McCorkindale**, **John** and **Carolyn Slingland Pierce**, **Dan Rockafellow**, **Carol**

Rowlands, **Rich Schreiber**, **Greg Smolin**, **Ricky Speaker**, **Keith** and **Marybeth Garty '83** **Standbridge**, **Charlie** and **Lisa Lewandowski Straface**, **Phil Tatem**, **Chris Thomas**, **George Tiger**, **Bill** and **Barb Strasburg '84** **Tucker**, **Dave** and **Nancy Hollendonor Turner**, **Cam** and **Cathy Cochran '82** **Warner**, **Roy** and **Sally Strong '82** **Wolgin**, **Stephen Yevak**, and **Michael Zazzarino**. Let me know if I missed anyone, and I will mention in next issue.

A great time was had by all at the 6th Annual Earle Cup/Delt Invitational Golf Outing June 3 at Jericho National Golf Club, New Hope, Pa. Attendees included **Joe Alderisio '83**, **Mike Gagliardi**, **Kerry Conners '79**, **Dave Marione '82**, **Keith Blair '80**, **Tom Cannon '79**, **Joe McNulty**, **Carl DiPiazza**, **Jim Torrence '83**, **Jim Valenti '82**, **Charlie Shumaker '84**, **Charlie Straface**, **Bill Tucker**, **Pete Demers '85**, **Pete Geosits**, **Tom Ellison**, **Dave Turner**, **Dave Leiby**, **Tom O'Connor '82**, **Dave Daniels '85**, **Greg Ramsey**, **Phil Duvall**, **Scott Beisler '80**, **Mark McCourt**, **Pete Ramsey '82**, **Mike Corbo '82**, **Ed Fager**, **Scott Laird**, **Steve Paul**, **Jim Kellett '70**, **Don Kress '58**, **Chris Watts**, **Al Brink '70**, **Bob Buzzell '80**, **Gary Dahms '80**, **Jim Stubeck '83**, **Mark Delehey '85**, **Jim Burton '83**. Earle Cup champions were Ed Fager, Scott Laird, Steve Paul, and Mike Gagliardi. A team from Fiji won the Delt Invitational title: **Bill Tucker**, **Mike Corbo '82**, **Pete Geosits**, and **Chris Watts**.

The daughter of **Phil** and **Susan Bollman Duvall**, **Andrea Duvall '12** married **Nick Petkovich '12** in August in Pittsburgh. Almost 50 Pards attended.

Ana Duarte McCarthy, retired from Citi, is now consulting and enjoying not commuting four hours a day to NYC. Daughter **Alissa** is a senior at Cornell.

College roommates **Donna Farinella Szczupac** and **Christine Agocs Bucca** enjoyed their annual dinner get-together in NYC. **Donna** and husband



Photo: Clay Wegrzynowicz '18

Class of 1981 members attending their 35th reunion launched a new tradition of collecting signatures on their class banner.

CLASS NOTES

Oleh have two daughters. Grace graduated from Marymount Manhattan College and is an assistant buyer for Macy's. Andrea is a senior at Muhlenberg College studying accounting and finance. Chris and husband Ben have two children. Benjamin graduated from Rutgers with degrees in IT and labor studies. Annie is going into her fourth of a six-year program at Seton Hall University, majoring in speech pathology.

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I have not received any updates from members of our class. I'm willing to put in the time to write our class news, but I depend on you to send information. Thanks to those of you who have sent news over the years. Please respond to the next email request for news that will go out in early November. Does the College have your current email address? Please check your listing on LeopardLink to be sure and then send a note telling those of us that spent a special four years with you what you're up to. Let's be more than strangers at the 35th reunion next year!

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After several years, **Michael Browne**, class correspondent, has turned over the column to co-correspondents **Nancy Telliho** and **Anne Marie (DeProspro) Weeks**. Thank you, Michael.

Anne Marie is a proud parent of her recent alumna daughter, **Katie Weeks '16**, and of Lauren, who is about to leave for a junior year abroad in Prague as a student at St. Lawrence University. Anne Marie and husband Gary live in Hamilton, N.Y., where Anne Marie has been a lecturer in chemistry at Colgate University for the past 20 years. At Colgate, she has crossed paths with more than a few Class-of-1983 offspring and relatives.

Nancy lives on the Upper West Side, Manhattan, and after a 20-year career with The Washington Post Co., first with *Newsweek* and lastly as publisher and president of *Arthur Frommer's Budget Travel*, is now senior vice president, marketing and digital initiatives at MPA-The Association of Magazine Media.

George H. Winter was inducted into the Association of Rotational Molders Hall of Fame during its annual meeting November 2015. The award recognizes outstanding service, accomplishments, and contributions to further the growth of the industry. George is business manager of rotational molding at Muehlstein, Wilton, Conn.

Kenneth J. Powley Jr., Packanack Lake, N.J., died Feb. 2. A chemical engineering graduate, he was a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity. Ken earned an MBA from Rutgers University and was employed by Valley National Bank of Wayne, N.J., for 28 years. Ken is survived by wife Ellen Mary.

Bruce Castor Jr. was sworn in as Pennsylvania's attorney general Aug. 17. As first deputy attorney general, he was next in line to fill the position when Kathleen Kane resigned. He will serve until a new attorney general takes office sometime after November's general election. A government and law graduate, he earned his J.D. from Washington and Lee School of Law and is a former Montgomery County district attorney. He was a

member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity, an LBJ Congressional Scholar, and interned at Philadelphia and Northampton County district attorney's offices. He is the son of **Bruce Castor Sr. '51** and father of **Bruce Castor III '14**.

Please send updates by Nov. 28 to be included in the spring 2017 *Lafayette* magazine.

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Cliff Heise reported the passing of his wife, Sandy Atchison, on Jan. 26. Cliff and Sandy have a daughter who is a college sophomore. Sandy is the daughter of **Robert Atchison '54**.

David Schwager has been appointed vice chair of Luzerne County Disciplinary Board. Dave has been practicing law for 27 years and has served several tenures on the LCDB. He is a partner with Chariton Schwager & Malak, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Michael A. Mindock III died Oct. 4, 2015.



Bruce Castor Jr. '83 is Pennsylvania's attorney general.

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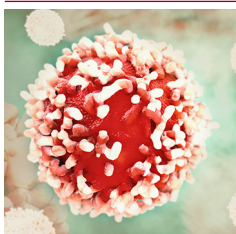


Soft Is Fast: Simone Forti in the 1960s and After
By Meredith Morse '85
MIT Press, 2016

1985

I learned via a Facebook tag that **Lynne Kizis's** response to *Trial* magazine's July question of the month was an opinion and mission formulated when she was a child. When asked, "Why did you become a trial lawyer?" Lynne explained it was a lesson in corporate greed and callousness demonstrated by coal mine owners learned through her grandfather's stories. He worked in the Pennsylvania coal mines and described how ceiling collapses, caused by digging every scrap of coal around supporting pillars (at management's requirement), contributed to a constant fear of a collapse. When miners died in cave-ins, their bodies were dumped on the front porches of family homes. As a young girl hearing about these harrowing events at the expense of workers' lives and their families, Lynne set forth to dedicate her professional career to taking on and advocating for victims' rights.

Glenn Rall, professor at Fox Chase Cancer Center, and his student researcher, **Carli Jones '17**, presented a study on viruses Aug. 2 in Kunkel Hall. Glenn completed his Ph.D. in microbiology and immunology at Vanderbilt University and postdoctorate in viral immunology at The Scripps Research Institute in La Jolla, Calif. Carli, a biology major, is a recent recipient of a Goldwater Scholarship. Her research with Glenn's lab was supported by a grant from the Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI) to Lafayette College under the precollege and undergraduate science education program. The biology department and HHMI sponsored the talk on "How Viruses Move in Nerve Cells: A Project Made Possible by Two Lafayette Students (1985 and 2017)." Glenn's laboratory studies viral infections in the brain and the body's immune responses to those infections, with an end



Glenn Rall '85, professor at Fox Chase Cancer Center, studies viral infections in the brain.

goal of defining how viruses contribute to cancer and disease in humans.

Since the late 1980s, **Meredith Morse** has been living in Sydney, Australia, where she first worked as a business analyst in the finance industry. In 2012, she completed her Ph.D. in art history at University of Sydney. She teaches art history and theory at Yale-NUS College in Singapore. MIT Press recently published Meredith's monograph, *Soft Is Fast: Simone Forti in the 1960s and After*. Forti's art developed within the circles of NYC's advanced visual art, dance, and music of the early 1960s. Meredith's way of understanding Forti's work is based in art historical analysis but draws upon dance history and cultural studies and the history of American social thought.

Andrew Tretter, a 1988 graduate of George Washington University Law School, joined GrayRobinson's Naples, Fla., office in early 2016. Andrew has extensive experience in complex commercial litigation, professional and product liability defense, construction litigation, and white-collar criminal defense. A member of the Florida and New York bars, he has counseled clients on complex commercial litigation matters related to both the SEC and New York Stock Exchange (see photo online).

While **Chesla Wechsler** may be our second classmate along with **Geri Landy Rago** who has remained at her straight-out-of-college employer, AT&T, she's accumulated a few additional long-term titles. Chesla began at AT&T labs, renamed to Bell Labs, and then back to AT&T. She recently presented her team's work to chairman and CEO Randall Stephenson. After 34 years, she did toss aside her softball cleats and took up a new hobby "singing baritone in a barbershop chorus, The Heart of New Jersey, [which is] much less injury prone." Chesla had lunch

with **Amy Macom West**, whom she has known since first grade.

Didier Matel sent summer greetings from New Hampshire and a shout-out about fellow New Hampshire resident Honorable Judge **Sawako Gardner**. Sawako received the Civil Justice Award from New Hampshire Association for Justice, which recognizes her efforts presiding on a local mental health court.

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1986

I am your new class correspondent, and I thank **Paul Hackett** who held this role for so many years, and the others before him, for their hard work and dedication to our class. I look forward to hearing from all of you over the next few years.

Many returned to College Hill in June to celebrate our 30th reunion. We had a great time catching up with one another, reintroducing ourselves to familiar faces, and enjoying all the events the reunion committee planned—thanks **Wynne Whitman** and **Jim Hummerstone**. Another grateful shout-out goes to classmates who responded in record time over Labor Day weekend when I learned the deadline was hours away.

Karen Levin Asofsky is retired from teaching mathematics and lives in West Palm Beach, Fla. She attended Reunion with **Lisa Lacroce Patterson**, **Jennifer Lashen Caplin**, and **Beth Halberstadt Rosenblatt**, staying in South College with the rest of the class and enjoying the camaraderie. She caught up with **Martha Heinze**, **Gayle Spill Ephraim**, **Greg Burns**, **Cathy Barthelmes Grazow**, and many others. "Life

has moved on for all of us, but the bonds we formed 30 years ago are still strong.” The class enjoyed the parade around College Hill, then heading to the all-class picnic, where **Sam Strum** and his talented band kept the class entertained.

Rich Paynton joined **Peter Oetker** and **Ed Haraburda** in returning for Reunion, reconnecting with fraternity, engineering, and school chums, including **Bill Bunting**, **Tim** and **Rachel Moeller '87**, and **Rick Gontarek**. He said, “The last time I marched in the parade was in 1982 for my dad’s 30th reunion. I kept joking with friends, ‘Please tell me we are not that old.’” Rich was impressed with the improvements to the campus. The College has made the short list for his oldest daughter, Katie, as she agreed to visit as a courtesy to her family (12 graduates) and loved it.

Ellen Eckert reports that **Keith Nicola** and **Gary Stephenson** climbed to the top of Mt. Rainier (14,400 feet) in June and took a photo with a Lafayette banner.

Wynne Whitman recalled that **Doug Campbell** shared his heartfelt, hard work in Haiti at reunion. After an introduction by **Joe Gaziano**, Doug welcomed Father Tom to say a few words. Wynne noted that **Susan Kowalenko** logged the most miles, jetting in from Doha, Qatar. While Susan manages the family and takes camel riding lessons there, **Marty Peterson** heads the project building a new port. Susan and Marty made it back to campus in May to attend the graduation of daughter **Audrey Peterson '16**. Sue and Marty’s son, Zach, plays hockey in Qatar and was recently featured in *USA Hockey Magazine*.

Jim Akerhielm and **Karen Blinder Akerhielm** (unable to attend reunion) live in Greenville, S.C., with their two children Nathan (17) and Emma (15). Karen writes, “We’ve been visiting colleges these past few months, including Lafayette. In Easton,

we enjoyed spending time with **Bill Altier**, his wife, Pam, and their four kids (see photo online). Bill’s oldest son, Sam, is also a senior.”

After five years working for Fiat Chrysler in Detroit, **Mike Kaba** is back in Chicago as chief human resources officer at The Joint Commission, a nonprofit health care accreditation organization. He is happy to be back home and working for a mission-based organization.

Colleen Costello, a recent “empty nester” of college kids, checked in from Indiana. She volunteers at her community schools. She reported that Matthew, son of **Sally Schwartz** and **Bruce McDermott**, is a first-year student at Lafayette. Also, **Cary Barbor** moved to Florida as her husband, Michael, retired.

Jim Hummerstone reported that a group of ’86ers embarked on a road trip in a rented Winnebago this fall. Driver (and lead singer) was **Bill Dwyre**, who resides in the Z95 listening area in the Lehigh Valley with his wife and four kids. Bill’s two oldest (Billy

Jr. and Maggie) matriculated at Penn State, so the RV’s GPS was programmed to visit Happy Valley for a football game and golf. Jim co-piloted, along with **Pete Blanchet**, **Brian Winiarski**, **Doug Godshall**, **Tim Irvin**, **Steve Standbridge**, and **Pete Najarian '88**.

I enjoyed trading updates with **Chris** and **Cathy Nolan**, **Tom Kleinert**, and others at Reunion. Drop me a note so I can pass along your news to the class. You have Lafayette classmates who would love to know what’s going on in your life. If you find yourself at the Montpelier Hunt Races Nov. 5 in Orange, Va., stop by rail spaces 253 and 254 to say hello to **Martha Heinze** and me.

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1987

Start planning your travel for spring and summer 2017 to ensure that your calendar includes a trip to Easton for our 30th reunion June 2-4.

Pam Trauger Byers, Doylestown, Pa., works in the family business with her husband of 25 years, Bob. They have two sons: Sam is a junior at University of Pennsylvania, and George is a sophomore at Penn State.

Steve Delahunty recently joined Spatial Front Inc., an IT services consulting firm that supports various U.S. government clients, as COO. Steve’s role includes program oversight, market/opportunity teaming, and business development.

Tracy Heller died April 1. A graduate of Easton High School, she attended Smith College prior to Lafayette. An English graduate, she received the H. MacKnight Black Poetry and Literature Prize. Tracy lived in Philadelphia and was employed by the Philadelphia Orchestra.

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1988

My current aspiration is to visit all 59 national parks; I’m up to 40. I started in 1992 with Rocky Mountain National Park. Now with the family, I bought a Winnebago, and we’ve been touring out west. I’ve been to most of the ones that are easy to get to and am determining how to get to the eight in Alaska and the farthest one, National Park of the American Samoa, and others that need a special form of transport to reach—Dry Tortugas off Florida, Channel Islands off California, Isle Royale off Michigan. I spent Aug. 25—the 100th anniversary



Keith Nicola '86 and Gary Stephenson '86 reached the summit of MtRainier in June.



Tim Hylan '88 aspires to visit all 59 national parks—so far the count is 40.

of the National Park Service—at Old Faithful Inn in Yellowstone, America's first national park. The NPS had a special: Bring your fourth-grader along, and park entrance is free. It worked out conveniently to have started “late” and have a fourth-grader in the family.

Holly Patton Westra joined friends in Newport, R.I., to celebrate their 50th birthdays (see photo online). Attendees included **Ellen Nita, Amanda Dolan, Julika Englert, Alexia Glock Kurz, Kelly Price Zullo, Charissa Gallagher Keavey, Andrea Miller Solberg, and Megan Tully McGarvey**. Among them, they live in four different states and have 17 children.

Kathy “Squid” Squires recently won first prize in the print category of M.K.F. Fisher Awards in Culinary Writing for her piece, “Comfort Me with Egg Creams,” featured in *The Wall Street Journal*.

Also on the writing front, **Keith Lloyd** has published a dark satire based on corporate life called *Leach* (available on amazon.com). It is a spin on many years working in several corporations. Keith lives in Rochester, N.Y., with his wife, Julie, and two daughters, Mikaela and Clara.

Follow Lafayette Class of 1988 Facebook group where we have regular contributors **Beth Freebairn** and **Bruce Covahey** and many others who post updates. Bruce shared that Campus Pizza has been named one of the nation's 39 most iconic college restaurants in the U.S.

Those who remember Prof. **J. Ronald Martin '66** may be interested to know that he graduated *again* from Lafayette in May with a degree in music, fulfilling a lifelong aspiration.

Mark your calendars for our 30th reunion in June 2018.

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1989

Vince Petitto, who is director of customer operations for Pfizer Pharmaceuticals, hosted two externs — **Anthony Castellucci '16** and **Michael Keating '17** — at Pfizer in January (see photo online). They learned about Vince's responsibilities, which include managing the external supply chain to ensure all U.S. pharmacies have access to Pfizer medications and assisting with forecasting for major products such as Viagra and Celebrex. They met with staff in marketing, R&D, and other areas, including **John Groskoph '88**.

Paige Macdonald-Matthes reported that daughter, **Haley Matthes '19**, had a wonderful first year at Lafayette. “She was assigned to third floor South where I spent the first two years at Lafayette. It was both strange and exciting to walk the same hallways with my daughter.” During Family Weekend, she met several Lafayette parents and alums, including **Jeff Acopian** and wife Helen, Colleen and Marc Trevisan, Geoff and Judy Jarvis, and Samar and Nasser Shami. “It was great to reconnect with old friends and their children who now attend Lafayette including **Paula Roscioli '87** and **Paul Doherty '90** at the Legacy Dinner, as well as **Theresa Cantwell '90**.”

Paige received the G. Wilson Distinguished Service Award, the highest honor for service to Lafayette in the Alumni Admission Representative program.

Homecoming 2015 was the first one she shared with her daughter, and many good friends were able to attend, including **Leslie Adams-Kress**, from Dallas, Texas, **Kate Gross Randazzo '87**, **Ariane May, Jen Reeves Gidaro '88, Marian Stoddard-McLaughlin '91**, and **Susan Kaiser-Lagasse**.

Haley made the women's tennis team and was welcomed with open arms by upper-class members. Paige and Steve enjoyed meeting parents of other team

members and look forward to this season, noting that they will miss seniors: **Catherine Senopoulos '16, Ally Simels '16, Caroline Nixon '16, Gavin Studner '16, Chris Maturri '16, and Brian Stefanowicz '16**.

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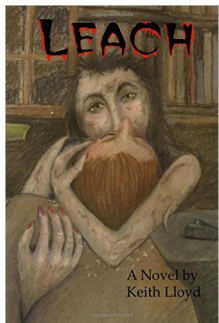
1992

Donald R. Koch and wife Donna announced that their son, **Andrew Koch '12**, graduated in May from Lehigh University with a master's in business administration and a master's in mechanical engineering (see photos online). He was inducted into Beta Gamma Sigma business honorary society.

Harris Wolin recently became president of the New Jersey chapter of Entrepreneurs' Organization. EO is a global network of more than 12,000 business owners in over 50 countries.



Vince Petitto '89, director of customer operations for Pfizer Pharmaceuticals, hosted two externs in January.



Leach
By Keith Lloyd '88
CreateSpace, 2015

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Jeff Yorzyk left his consulting gig and joined Green Chef, a startup in Boulder, Colo., that is the first USDA-certified organic meal kit company. As director of sustainability, Jeff says he is focusing on renewable packaging and supply chain standards that surpass Whole Foods. “Drop me an email, and I’ll send you a free box to try out!” offers Jeff to fellow Pards.

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1993

Phil Berkeley and wife Sheryl welcomed daughter Eliana Chaye May 14.

Kaitin Fyfe is teaching video editing in the media production program at University of Madison-Wisconsin where she is also working on a Ph.D. This past year she worked as a finishing supervisor on a documentary called *The Smart Studios Story*, which premiered at the South by Southwest Music Festival in Austin, Texas. It tells the story of the recording studio in Madison where bands such as Nirvana, Smashing Pumpkins, L7, and Killdozer recorded in the ’80s and ’90s, and where Garbage recorded their first four albums. She also co-wrote, co-produced, co-edited, and acted in *Lonely Baloney*, which premiered at Wisconsin Film Festival in Madison this past spring.

Rebecca Nelson turned her temporary assignment in London with Citigroup into a permanent position as litigation counsel for Europe, the Middle East, and Africa—a region that contains 55 countries.

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1994

I visited and golfed with **Cassandra Toroian** in Rehoboth Beach, Del. She visited me in N.J. in July and was my partner in a tennis event. I’ve enjoyed playing tennis and golf this summer, including a few games with **Katie Gallagher Taylor ’96**. My husband, **Paul Friedman ’92**, and I traveled to Kiawah Island, S.C., with our kids and returned in August.

Neelah Alpert Pincus vacationed in the Berkshires with her family and enjoyed a side trip to NYC. **Kathryn Kerge Couch** visited Greece. **Kim Gronquist Dennison and Greg Dennison ’93** traveled to Maine.

Whelan Mahoney started a new job as strategic solutions director of lifestyle sales at ContextMedia:Health, a health care technology company focused on improving health outcomes by delivering educational content at patients’ point of care. His daughters, Lucy (10) and Alice (8), have Lafayette on their short list of colleges.

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1995

Melissa Smith Cormican writes: “Over the years, I have used the marketing and programming skills I learned through Lafayette Activities

Forum (LAF) for a variety of nonprofits. In March 2015, I was elected to the board for Greyhound Friends of North Carolina. I write their e-newsletters, manage Facebook pages, and plan fundraisers. This

year Dan and I will celebrate our 14th anniversary. We are preparing for our move from North Carolina to the greater Denver area later this year.”

Chris Thiagarajah also calls Colorado home. He writes via Facebook, “I have started my practice as an oculoplastic surgeon in Denver.”

I’m now a career expert for Monster. As a former recruiter, I love empowering job seekers by speaking with journalists about my experiences and insights from 15-plus years of corporate recruiting and human resources. Before becoming a self-employed consultant, I worked at KPMG, Deloitte, and McGraw-Hill. I’ve been interviewed by Bloomberg Radio, *The Wall Street Journal*, *The Washington Post*, and CNBC.com.

I’m also a regular contributor to *Forbes*, *The Huffington Post*, *U.S. News & World Report*, *Success.com*, and *The New York Post*. My Quora column, “Ask Vicki,” is featured on Monster’s site, and the video series I host, “Monster on the Street,” on YouTube. Highlights include Gloria Steinem, Derek Jeter, Brad Pitt, Judy Blume, and Pablo Picasso’s grandson. In addition, I’m a keynote speaker and executive coach.

As I write this in August, I will soon depart for a visit to see my Italian cousins in Sicily. Follow me on Twitter and Instagram @VickiSalemi.

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Jeff Yorzyk ’92 has joined Green Chef, the first USDA-certified organic meal kit company.



Kaitin Fyfe ’93 co-wrote, co-produced, co-edited, and acted in *Lonely Baloney*, which premiered at the Wisconsin Film Festival.

1996

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Megan Dunsmore Garner and **Corey Garner '02**, and Liv and James Ingelsby, daughter and son of **Paige Olek Ingelsby**.

Joanne has been teaching biology at Upper Dublin High School near Philadelphia for the past 10 years and enjoying life in Chestnut Hill, Pa.

Megan Dunsmore Garner, sustainability program manager for the School District of Philadelphia's Office of Environmental Management Services, has worked for the last two years on the district's first comprehensive sustainability management plan, GreenFutures. The project won Philadelphia's inaugural SustainPHL Award in August (see photo online). The plan aims to reduce the environmental footprint, conserve resources, create green school settings, and integrate sustainability education into curriculum and district leadership practices.

Kathy Gelato and **Jessica Calaman Snyder** held a mini reunion in Berlin, Germany, where Kathy lives (see photos online). They FaceTimed with fellow alumni **Christine Kelleher Childress** and **Becky Chmielowski**. Christine and family recently moved to Seattle, and Becky is a new mom.

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2000

John J. Reap is assistant professor of mechanical engineering at Quinnipiac University. He is one of two founding members of the new engineering school. He writes, "In May, faculty graduated the first cohort of 19 undergraduates in mechanical, civil, industrial, and software engineering. All graduates secured employment or chose to attend graduate school."

Jeremy Weinstein married **Andrew Black June 30** (see photos online). "Andrew and I were introduced last year by dear family friends of both of our parents. Andrew is director of press and media at Petzel Gallery in NYC. The ceremony was at Sperone Westwater Gallery on the Bowery with reception at Indochine Restaurant. Also attending the wedding were classmates and dear friends **Dana Morris Levine** and **Erica Caplan McFarland**."

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Courtney De Thomas married **Paul Shapiro**, another Bronx native, in May. After a Catholic mass, the reception was held at Glen Island Harbour Club. Leopards attending were bridesmaids **Donielle Gangoli '01** and **Michelle Barbely**, and groomsman **Scott Wynne**. The newlyweds reside in Larchmont, N.Y.

2001

Joanne Klimas Lilliendahl and **James Lilliendahl '98** welcomed baby girl **Margaret Winifred Lilliendahl April 2** (see photo online). Maggie enjoys buddies **Eliot Garner**, 3-year-old son of

1997

Jennifer Goykhman Polovetsky is a partner at the eminent domain law firm of Sanchez & Polovetsky, PLLC, Manhattan. After graduating from New York Law School in 2000, Jennifer worked at the NYC Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel. Three years later, she moved into private practice. Jennifer represents businesses and individuals affected by eminent domain. She was named a Super Lawyers Rising Star in 2015, a Super Lawyer in 2016, and **Top Woman Attorney in Super Lawyers** magazine. She was the only female eminent domain attorney included in the Super Lawyers list. Jennifer is admitted to practice in New York and Pennsylvania. Married with two children, she lives in Great Neck, N.Y.

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Megan Dunsmore Garner '01 works on GreenFutures, the Philadelphia School District's first award-winning comprehensive sustainability management plan.



Jennifer Goykhman Polovetsky '97 has been named a Super Lawyer for 2016 and Top Woman Attorney in *Super Lawyers* magazine.

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2003

Maggie Leschuck Walters and husband Kyle welcomed their second daughter, Abigail Andrea Walters, April 15.

Moran Mooney and husband welcomed their fourth baby, Emery Clare Mooney, in late January. She joins two brothers, Jack and Andrew, and sister Grace.

Derek and Allison Hodges Strauss, along with big sister Avery, welcomed Ryan Charles Dec. 21, 2015 (see photo online).

Jennifer Conway Fenn, counsel in the finance and restructuring group at Choate, Hall & Stewart LLP, has been named a 2016 "Emerging Leader" in the legal adviser category by M&A Advisor. Jennifer has also been named a Massachusetts Super Lawyers Rising Star (see photo online).

Bethany Abele was recently selected by *New Jersey Law Journal* as a "New Leader of the Bar."

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2004

Amy Magos Alexander and **Craig Alexander** welcomed their second child, Leo Carver, June 10. He joins brother Carter.

Liz King Lynch and husband John welcomed their second child, Everett John, June 11. He joins big sister Ellis (2). **Jillian Dodge Ventresca** and husband Frank welcomed their second child, Margo Frances, July 4. She joins big sister Charlotte (2). The

Ventrescas and Lynches recently spent a week together in Long Beach Island with a visit from **Elizabeth Schaefer Ragland** and husband Will for Liz's birthday.

Ali Kelley Hayes and husband Matt welcomed their first child, Ryan Carter Hayes, July 14. **Jayme MacKinnon Begley** and husband Neil welcomed their first child, Cornelius Gabriel Begley IV, July 20.

Matt Jackson and Sarah Wilson Jackson (University of Florida, 2007) were married Feb. 20 in Vero Beach, Fla. Leopard attendees: **Tim and Melissa Hoh Walsh, Ryan Moloney, Marco Glavic, Curt Wilson, Tom Schlegel, Joel Cesare, Cory Balliet, Kevin Moss, John Frank Stubitts '05, and Jeff Mylet '08.** Matt and Sarah work for Intuitive Surgical and reside in northeastern Pennsylvania.

Jared Mast has been named executive director of Greater Easton Development Partnership, Easton, Pa. He had been serving as project manager for Easton Public Market, which opened April 15, and interim director of the partnership. An art and philosophy graduate, he holds a master's in city and regional planning from Cornell University.

Michael Sparrow, director of Northampton Community College Learning Center, received the professional staff excellence award May 20 (see photo online). A history graduate, he earned a master's in American history from University of Delaware (2006) and a law degree from University of Pittsburgh (2008). He is pursuing a doctorate at Northeastern University. A U.S. Navy veteran, he played a central role in bringing the HERO program to NCC. The program trains wounded, ill, and injured service members in computer forensics. He co-chaired the diversity task force and launched the academic coaching program for students.

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2005

Gabi Engelhart Farnham and her husband celebrated the birth of son Thomas Wilder March 26 (see photo online).

Katherine Coyne Mannion and husband Jeff welcomed Maevie Krichel on Mother's Day, May 8 (see photo online). Brother Tadhg loves having a little sister.

Andrea Dietz Ahmed and husband **Farhan Ahmed** recently bought their first home in Cranford, N.J. (see photo online). Farhan is director of data and analytics at Axial, a mid-stage FinTech startup in NYC, and Andrea is a program manager at Distinguished Programs.

Erica Flynn Smith and husband Rick Smith welcomed Scarlett Gloria July 14, 2015. They reside in Marlboro, N.J. Erica is an email marketing specialist with Rutgers University Foundation and will begin a master's in communication and information studies program at Rutgers in fall.

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Michael Sparrow '04 played a key role in bringing the HERO program to NCC, which trains wounded, ill, and injured service members in computer forensics.

2007

Stephanie Morain began a new job as assistant professor at Baylor College of Medicine in January. Stephanie and husband **Ryan Rubino '03** love Houston.

After more than eight years in Los Angeles, including four working for LA Galaxy, **Gina Brewer** relocated to Scottsdale, Ariz. She has taken a new position in marketing partnerships with the Phoenix Suns.

Matt Pennisi is opening **Durty Bull Brewing Company** in Durham, N.C. The brewery is a 15-barrel brewhouse specializing in sour and barrel-aged beer. The beer will be sold in their on-site tavern and distributed throughout the Research Triangle and triad areas of North Carolina.

Lauren Cash and Dan O'Hara became engaged in the gardens in Versailles. A summer 2017 wedding is planned.

Ben Flath and Jesse Reilly were married in a small courthouse ceremony near their home in Portland, Ore.

Ben Doremus and **Kaydence Cowley Doremus** welcomed daughter Liana Margaret Doremus June 27 (see photo online).

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2008

Lauren Huntington '10 and **Brian Sliwinski** were married Sept. 24.

Douglas Appel graduated from podiatric surgical residency at Morristown Medical Center and joined Foot and Ankle Specialists of New Jersey with offices in Westfield, Union, Rahway, and Morristown, N.J.

Jim and Alison Boyd Callahan welcomed their first child, James Patrick Callahan Jr., in February (see photo online). They moved to Virginia Beach, Va., last year when Jim accepted a job as a foot and ankle surgeon with Sentara Medical Group. They celebrated their fifth wedding anniversary in October.

In October 2015, **Maddie Stavis** married Michael Klebanov (Columbia, 2007) in Radnor, Pa. **Catie Thompson, Lauren Cunningham, Danielle Ward Woodcock, and Kim Ferguson** attended. The couple lives in Washington, D.C., and Maddie practices employment law.

After earning her medical degree from University of South Florida, **Mary Kate Erdman** will be completing an orthopedic surgery residency at University of Southern California.

Steve Roe married Patricia Hatch (Fordham University, 2008) Oct. 17, 2015, in Hartford, Conn. Attendees included: best man **Gustav Andersen**; groomsmen **James Baclawski, Chael Bell, Ben Gardner, Greg Heitmann**; and **JB Worster, Claire Corgan, Alex Meis, Pat Dwyer, Amanda (Niederauer) Lukof, Patrick "Flounder" McGuire, John Seniszyn, John Terkovich, Ed Yao, Samira Fowler '07, Brandon Beidel '09, Andrew Fallone '09, and Brian Rotmil '09.**

Amanda Niederauer married Taylor Lukof (Bucknell University, 2003) Sept. 19, 2015, in Far Hills, N.J. Attendees included **Ben Haaz '03, Matt Lukof '05, Eric Pressman '05, Tyler Mullin '05, Ross Creed '07, Samira Fowler '07, Cole Hauptfuhrer '07, Brienne Brown, Gustav Andersen, Steve Roe, James Baclawski, Ben Gardner, John Terkovich, Ed Yao, Patrick McGuire, Chael Bell, Greg Heitmann, and Jack Prill '19.**

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2009

Congratulations to Paul Sommers, recipient of the 2016 Hubn Correspondent Award for seeking out and including classmates from diverse regions and careers.

Jill Carey Hall was selected as Bank of America Merrill Lynch's 2016 "Rising Star," an award given annually by the Women's Bond Club to recognize aspiring leaders in the financial services industry. She was honored along with Rising Stars from other member firms at WBC's Merit Award Dinner in April at the American Museum of Natural History (see photo online).

Jill is beginning her eighth year in global research at Bank of America Merrill Lynch, where she is a vice president on the U.S. equity and quantitative strategy team. She recently appeared on Canada's BNN, providing an outlook on the U.S. equity market. Jill and husband Mark recently purchased their first home together in Wayne, N.J.

Laura Gallagher married **Evan Barker** in Montego Bay, Jamaica, April 17. Alumni attending included sister of the bride/maid of honor **Rachel Gallagher '07**, bridesmaid **Megan Scotti Gerrity, Sean Gerrity, and Leslie Wetzel.** Laura is a project manager at ERT, a clinical research technology company in Philadelphia (see photos online). Evan is a staff attorney at the Legal Clinic for the Disabled, Philadelphia.

Suzanne Manning and **Richard Janczewski** announced the arrival of Leo Francis



Matt Pennisi '07 is opening specialty brewhouse Durty Bull Brewing Company in Durham, N.C.



Douglas Appel '08 graduated from podiatric surgical residency and has joined a specialty practice.

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Janczewski March 2 (see photo online).

On May 14, **Paul Sommers** married Lindsay Harris (Berkeley College, 2007) at First Presbyterian Church of Haddonfield, N.J. (see photo online). Paul is a school counselor at Clearview Regional High School, Mullica Hill, N.J., and Lindsay is executive sales assistant at Tioga Pipe Supply, Philadelphia. They traveled to the Bahamas for their honeymoon and reside in West Deptford, N.J. Alumni attendees were **AJ Ernst** (best man), **Adam Pie** (groomsman), **Hannah Fink Pie**, **Evan Lebovitz** (groomsman), **Peter Gildner**, **Dan Stevenson '08**, and **Stef Mircovich '08**.

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2010

Clara Fisher graduated with a master's in international affairs from George Washington University's Elliott School of International Affairs. Her research on the implementation of women's protection and participation in U.N. peacekeeping operations was presented with the sponsorship of Women in International Security and will soon be published by that organization (see link to video presentation online).

Chris La Tempa earned an M.S. in education from University of Pennsylvania through their School Leadership Program.

Jackie Bruscella graduated from University of Oklahoma with her doctorate in communication in May. She studied organizational

communication with an emphasis in language and social interaction. Jackie will be starting her career as an assistant professor in the communication studies department at State University of New York-Oneonta.

Elina Stelman graduated with an MBA from Kelley School of Business, Indiana University in May. She lives in Connecticut and works in the logistics department of Unilever.

Brian McDonald graduated from University of Southern California with an M.S. in geographic information science and technology in May. His thesis examined different building structure representations used for the Federal Emergency Management Agency's Hazus flood model. He lives in Washington, D.C., and is a technology consultant for Accenture.

Sebastian Felipe Barreto received a Siebel Scholarship in 2015, awarded annually for academic excellence and demonstrated leadership to 93 top students in their last year of studies from the world's leading graduate schools. In May, he graduated from Johns Hopkins University with a Ph.D.

in chemical and biomolecular engineering. He also began work as a postdoctoral fellow at Johns Hopkins Hospital in the Department of Anesthesiology and Critical Care Medicine, where he recently received a Provost's Postdoctoral Diversity Fellowship.

In March, **Jeff Zimmer** was invited by Cornell University's School of Industrial and Labor Relations to participate in their annual Union Days event. Union Days is an initiative of the Worker Rights Institute to bring together labor leaders for discussions about the most pressing problems facing workers and labor movements. Jeffrey spoke on the Immigration and Guest Worker panel concerning labor movements in the Gulf

States and the plight of migrant workers in the Middle East.

Alan Raisman is marketing director of Civic Theatre of Allentown.

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2011



Taaha Mohamedali began graduate school this fall in the Ed.M. program at Harvard Graduate School of Education. He recently traveled to New Zealand (see photo online) and ran into some fellow Leopards—**Ray Van Cleeve**, **Katy Friedman**, **Ciara O'Sullivan '12**, and **Alec Bernstein**—during a cross-county road trip (see photo online).

Ioana Martin, of Galati, Romania, a neuroscience graduate, received a Double 'Hoo summer research grant at University of Virginia. The grant funds pairs of researchers, a graduate student and an undergraduate, to pursue a common research project. Ioana was paired with Jennifer Goertz, of Anchorage, Alaska, a second-year neuroscience major, to examine how different amounts and types of bacteria in the gut can affect brain function.

A history graduate and doctoral candidate at Carnegie Mellon, **Susan Grunewald** has been awarded the Stephen F. Cohen-Robert C. Tucker Dissertation Research Fellowship to conduct her dissertation research (see photo online). Her topic is "German Prisoners of War in the Soviet Gulag: Life, Law, Memory, 1941-1956."

Clara Jeon launched Chapter 2, a fashion public relations and digital marketing



Clara Fisher '10 presented her research on women's protection and participation in U.N. peacekeeping operations, also soon to be published by Women in International Security.



Clara Jeon '11 launched Chapter 2, a fashion public relations and digital marketing agency.

agency, last December. The firm is based in New York and Los Angeles. For more information: fashionista.com/2016/05/chapter-2.

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2012

Dana K. Moyer graduated in May with an M.A. in political science from Villanova University, and began a Ph.D. program in the Woodrow Wilson Department of Politics at University of Virginia this fall.

Nicholas Zawarski received his J.D. from Catholic University of America, Columbus School of Law. Nic begins work on his LLM in tax law at Georgetown University this fall.

After 13 months of engagement, **Jared Piette** and **Emily Landau Piette '13** were married June 18 at The Inn at Longshore, Westport, Conn. (see photos online). Thirty-one alumni from the classes of 2010 through 2015 attended the wedding, including groomsmen **Justin Lam** and **Christopher Pregler**. They live in Bethlehem, Pa.

David Salter and **Kelly Sullivan Salter** were married May 29 at the Bridgewater Manor in New Jersey (see photos online). **Shannon Sullivan '13** was maid of honor and **Jennifer Schechner** and **Jessica Poliseo '13** were bridesmaids. **Adam Scheps '11** and **Sam Courtney** were groomsmen. Other alumni attendees: **Sarah Naramore**, **Jessica Lindle**, **Luna Yuan**, **Austin Weidner**, **Chris Bruce**, **Joel Lefever**, **Daniel Faulkenberry**, **Ryan King**, **Ali Finn**, **Tom Benjamin**, **Casidhe Hutchison**, **Erin D'Amelio '13**, **Kate Yoder '13**, **Bonnie**

Harvey '13, **Chris Jones '13**, and **Hannah Kowalski '14**.

Following conference travel to Italy, Turkey, and the Czech Republic, **Hemendra Bhola** graduated with his master's in political science in May. He lives in NYC and works for HM Government at the British Consulate-General. An avid designer, he recently consulted and designed the logo and word mark concepts for the Parliament of Guyana.

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2013

Angel Ackerman recently returned from her second trip to Djibouti and her first trip to Somalia. She is pursuing a master's in world history with a concentration in Africa.

Julie Doyle graduated from Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law in May, where she was named a David Berg Public Interest Fellow. Julie is serving a one-year judicial clerkship with Hon. Hany A.

Mawla, J.S.C, presiding judge of the family division in Somerset County, N.J. Following her clerkship, Julie hopes to pursue a career as a public defender. She spoke with students at Lafayette last fall about legal careers in public service. She joined the Class of 2013 third annual Memorial Day weekend tradition in Long Beach Island, N.J. (see photo online). Attendees included **Alex Behette**, **John Augelli**, **Perry Schiff**, **Alec Eidelman**, **Scott Gelbman**, **Lauren Withers**, **Julie Doyle**, **Caroline Johnston**, **Brett Stanken**, **Ryan McVeigh**, **Jon Dumais**, **Brian Ernenwein**, **Nicole Dietrich**, **Frank Stagliano**, **Erin Duggan**, and **Greg Troutman**. Also in attendance were **Michael Vitterito** and **Chris**

Lavery. Camille Borland was missed this year.

Arun Venkateswaran received his M.S. in analytics at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in May. He moved to Morristown, N.J., where he is a data scientist for a telecommunications company.

Lara Lash, pursuing her Ph.D. in aerospace engineering at the UT Space Institute, recently presented her initial dissertation research at the AIAA Aviation conference in Washington, D.C. She will defend her qualifying exam Aug. 2. She visited family in St. Paul, Minn., and saw *South Pacific* at the Guthrie Theatre in Minneapolis (see photo online).

Kevin Doty bought his first house—a duplex in the Boston area.

Amanda Evans works at The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia in the office of government affairs, community relations, and advocacy, where she serves as the liaison between the hospital and local, state, and federal government officials as well as community-based organizations. She provides a community perspective to hospital projects, programs, and policies and serves as a resource and voice for the community. She was awarded a \$2,500 grant from CHOP to host a free Summer Health and Fitness Series for children at Malcolm X Memorial Park in West Philadelphia. Children enjoyed outdoor games and learned about nutrition and healthy food choices (see photos online). Amanda was recently named secretary of the Friends of Malcolm X Park.

Hannah Quinlan Brady and **Andrew Brady** were married in State College, Pa., June 11 (see photos online). Bridesmaids included **Samantha George '12**, **Heather Godshall '12**, and **Michele Tallarita '12**; groomsmen included **Alex Cutrone** and **Phil Bellis**. Many other alumni attended. They live in Wethersfield, Conn., with their cat, Albie. Andrew is an actuary at Travelers Insurance and an associate of



Amanda Evans '13 hosted a free Summer Health and Fitness Series for children, complete with outdoor games and education about nutrition.

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the Casualty Actuarial Society. Hannah completed her training as a physician assistant and is a hospitalist at Yale New Haven Hospital.

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2014

Lauren F. Berry and James M. Maloney '12, of Philadelphia, Pa., are engaged and plan to marry in fall 2017.

After graduation, **Morgan Loeffler** spent 15 months in South Korea, teaching English to elementary school students (see photo online). This fall, she will begin work on a master's in global women's studies at National University of Ireland, Galway (where she previously completed a Lafayette semester abroad).

Corinne Coburn will attend University of Wisconsin Law School this fall.

Anthony Vecchio and his family spent time together in Baltimore, Md. They watched the Euro Cup at the Waterfront Hotel bar (see photos online) and explored Baltimore's Inner Harbor.

Julia Ben-Asher is an assistant teacher in upper elementary school and leads an after-school program at a first-year Montessori school in Steamboat Springs, Colo. She also teaches adaptive skiing and does freelance illustration and newspaper design.

Zoe Staum begins her second year at Columbia Law School this fall. Over the summer, she worked as a law clerk at MassMutual.

Rose Bayer began medical school at Ben Gurion University in Be'er Sheva, Israel, after she made Aliyah (became an Israeli citizen). The international medical school program has students from around the world. She is currently learning about emergency medicine while getting involved in the community. Rose and **Evan Gooberman '13** met in Jerusalem, while Evan was participating in a birthright trip (see photo online).

Amos Han is pursuing a master's in city and regional planning at Rutgers University in New Brunswick, N.J. In June 2014 he took a solo six-day bicycle ride from San Francisco to Los Angeles. He recently traveled to Seoul, Korea, to visit relatives. He located another Lafayette alum, **George Furst '65**, through a Facebook connection. George recently retired as a professor at KAIST (Korean Advanced Institute of Science), in Daejeon. They met in Seoul, 100 miles

north of Daejeon (see photo online).

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Amos Han '14 completed a six-day solo bike ride from San Francisco to Los Angeles in 2014.

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