

REFLECTIONS

News for Alumni and the Greater College Community

Homecoming festivities draw alumni back to GBC

Homecoming festivities began early as tailgaters lined the parking lot to set up barbecues, tables of food, and plenty of beverages. Children's activities included spin art and pony rides. Spectators cheered on the women's volleyball team, soccer team, and men's soccer team as games were played throughout the day.

The traditional crowning of the Homecoming king and queen took place during the men's soccer game's halftime celebration.

A special thanks also goes out to those members of the Alumni Association who helped to make the day a success.

Ruthie Tingle, Coordinator of Alumni and Media Relations, invites you to next year's Homecoming on October 23, 2004.

"This event gets bigger and better each year. Homecoming is a great opportunity to reconnect with old friends and the College."



Robert Black '07 and Tambi Taylor '04 were voted this year's Homecoming King and Queen.



Returning Alumni (left to right, front row) Roger Reed '87, Rebecca Ware '03, Karin Pszczola '98, Kimberly Wichlinski '01, (back row) Alumni President Mark Olazagasti '85, Mark Peden '92, and Tom Wintermatel '84 keep their connection to GBC by attending Homecoming and assisting with the Alumni Association's raffle.



Former soccer players return to cheer on the team. Pictured left to right are Mark Benson '03, James Burlew '00, and Amad Alkadars '02.



The Dodds' quadruplets experience their first pony "ride" with a little help from their mother Dawn Goodyear Dodds '94 and father Kevin who are giving their hands-on support from behind.



Theta Phi Alpha adds some comic relief to the day's festivities with their annual homecoming pie-throwing fundraiser.



Alumni begin new career path with the start of their own businesses



This has been a eventful year for **Nancy L. Jones '68**. Not only did she retire from the U. S. Naval Reserves with an honorable discharge after 22 + years of service, she opened her own bed and breakfast, and she married her high school sweetheart Charles Folker. However, starting her own business definitely ranks as her most ambitious achievement. After 39 months of construction, Nancy and Charles welcomed their first guest to the **Victorian Lace** which is located in DeLone Springs, Florida, just 25 miles west of Daytona Beach and 60 miles north of Disney World. Nancy adds,

"This has been my lifelong dream. I decided years ago that I wanted a B&B in order to combine the things I love—entertaining, cooking, decorating, and antiques." The guest rooms are decorated with antiques that Nancy has collected over 20 years such as quilts, crocks, handstitched verses, chamber pots and porch rockers. Each room has its own private bath; rooms also feature fireplaces and claw foot bathtubs.

Nancy welcomes all GBC staff and alumni to come and stay. If you would like more information on the Victorian Lace B&B, visit the website at www.victorianlacebedandbreakfast.com.

GBC names new Academic Dean

Alison Boord White has been promoted to Academic Dean of Goldey-Beacom College. She received her Bachelor of Arts degree in American Studies from the University of Delaware in 1978 and earned her MBA at GBC in 2000 graduating with Highest Honors. She joined the College in December 1979 and has held various positions with the organization.

In her new position as Academic Dean, White will be in charge of the Academic Department of the College, supervising faculty and leading the effort in all academic areas including curriculum. She will also oversee the MBA Program. Alison is assuming the responsibilities of Joyce E. Jones who is retiring from the College after 32 years of service.

DAG/Rising Star nominations needed

Do you know a GBC graduate whose career and lifetime accomplishments are exceptional? The Alumni Association is seeking your help in identifying GBC alumni for the Distinguished Alumni Gallery and the Rising Star Award. Give us a call or write us a short note telling us who you think would make a good nominee.

To be considered for the Distinguished Alumni Gallery an individual must be over the age of 40, excel in his/her career, and is actively involved in the community through his/her place of worship, schools, civic organizations, or charities.

The Rising Star Award is presented to an individual 40 years of age or under who has excelled in his/her career, and is actively involved in the community through his/her place of worship, school, civic organizations, or community affairs. Submit your nominations to Dr. Gary L. Wirt or email at wirtgl@gbc.edu.

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The saying, "when life hands you lemons, make lemonade" applies well to graduate Christine Miller Knarr '94. She explains, "The year 2002 was not the best year of my life, I

was laid off from two different companies due to buyouts." During this time Christine was in the process of planning her wedding set for June 2003. Christine adds, "I had to cut costs, so I decided to make my own wedding invitations." After seeing some beautifully handmade cards friends had made with rubber stamping, Christine decided she could create her invitations by using her computer and rubber stamping techniques.

She continues, "I received so many compliments on my handmade wedding stationary items that my family and husband encouraged me to start my own business. I started advertising by word of mouth and currently have two weddings booked for next year!" Christine's business is up and running. If you would like to place an order for



her handmade stationary for a wedding, shower, party, and any other life event, email Christine at chrisstinemary28@aol.com.

Future plans include creating her company's website as well as keeping up to date on the latest rubber stamping and stationary design trends. Christine comments, "I am thrilled that I can merge my two talents, business and creativity. Getting laid off twice in 10 months wasn't so bad after all!"



The Campus Store is pleased to announce our online store. Now alumni, family, and friends can shop for GBC clothing, gifts, and memorabilia online at www.gbc.edu/shop/.

Annual Beef 'n Beer and Silent Auction



... and bring your friends and family along too.

Date: Wednesday, February 4, 2004
Time: 6:00 PM to beginning of basketball game
GBC vs. Wilmington College
Place: Joseph West Jones College Center - Atrium

Buffet includes roast pork, roast beef, or turkey sandwiches, sodas, and salads catered by Bull's Eye Saloon. Sorry, but it's BYO beer! Limited tickets are available, so contact GBC Alumni Office at 302-225-6210 or tinglert@gbc.edu.

Fall Sports Teams



Men's Soccer Team Season Record: 14-8-1

Back row (left to right): Athletic Trainer Amy Thomas, Coach Finizio, Coach Pili, Josh Petro, Hatem Ellouze, Dave Nimroozi, Tony Benedetto, Bruno Farias, Jason Day, Jon Hundley, Coach DiGiacobbe, Manager Wandile Maseko. **Front Row (left to right):** Bryan Rudden, Jean-Luc Kamin, Matt DiGiacobbe, Eric Gregg, Jason Carty, Jason McCloskey, Dan DiGiacobbe, Phil Nuzzi, Abe Nimroozi, Nelson Farias, James Ngure

Post Season

Eastern College Athletic Conference Finalist
Central Atlantic Collegiate Conference Tournament Champions

CACC Honors

1st Team All-CACC: Jason McCloskey, Dan DiGiacobbe
2nd Team All-CACC: Abe Nimroozi
All-Tournament Team: Jason Carty, Dan DiGiacobbe, Jason McCloskey, Dave Nimroozi, Bryan Rudden
Player of the Week: Jason McCloskey (10/6/03, 11/10/03)
Honor Roll: Bruno Farias (10/13/03), Dan DiGiacobbe (11/10/03)



Women's Soccer Team Season Record: 8-7-1

Back row (left to right): Coach Lauren Morgan, April Yanacek, Stephanie Bleacher, Kelli Parsons, Carrie L'Italien, Stephanie Steele, Lori Knabb, Renee Kutys, Erin Tully, Melissa Samio, Athletic Trainer Amy Thomas, Coach Chris Morgan. **Front Row (left to right):** Janine L'Italien, Kristin Johnston, Erin Mahoney, Megan O'Donnell, Amelia Shane, Kristin Hanna, Janelle Weiser, Michele Banco, Ellen Hedenborg

Post Season

Central Atlantic Collegiate Conference Tournament Semifinalist

CACC Honors

1st Team All-CACC: Kristin Hanna
2nd Team All-CACC: Lori Knabb, Stephanie Steele
All-Tournament Team: Lori Knabb, Kelli Parsons
Player of the Week: Lori Knabb (11/3/03), Stephanie Steel (9/13/03)
Honor Roll: Lori Knabb (10/4/03), Kelli Parsons (11/11/03)



Men's Cross Country Team were CACC Tournament & Conference Champions

Back row (left to right): Coach Kelly Parsley, Athletic Trainer Lynne Nathan, Adin Lewis, Rob Netta, Micky Jones, Brandon Miller, Matt Lang, Keith Short, Paul Tuoni, Coach John Buttil. **Front Row (left to right):** Osama Qaabar, Mike Grafton, Brad Paski, C.J. Watson, Vince Borsello, Greg White, Charles Mayaka.

Post Season recognition

NCAA Division II East Region Competitors

CACC Honors

Coach of the Year: Kelly Parsley
Runner of the Year: Rob Netta
Team Sportsmanship Award
All-CACC Team: Rob Netta, Charles Mayaka, Matt Lang, Brad Paski, Keith Short, Micky Jones



Women's Cross Country Team earned a 6th Place finish in the CACC.

Back row (left to right): Coach Kelly Parsley, Athletic Trainer Lynne Nathan, Stephanie Garcia, De'ja Green, Lungile Maseko, Coach John Buttil. **Front Row (left to right):** Lindsay Hageman, Brandy Ash, Jacki Justison, Kelly Grundy.

Post Season recognition

NCAA Division II East Region Competitors

CACC Honors

All-CACC Team: Jacki Justison
Runner of the Week: Jacki Justison (10/20/03)
Honor Roll: Jacki Justison (9/15/03)



Women's Volleyball Team Season Record: 11-19

Back row (left to right): Coach Richard Bowers, Andrea Connor, Tessa Snyder, Sherry Matthews, Manager Hope Swift, Coach Debbie Fitzgerald. **Middle Row (left to right):** Katie Wentling, Ashley Hultberg, Clare Phillips, Gabrielle Pownall-Brown. **Front Row (left to right):** Norah Burdette, Stephanie Rosado.

Post Season recognition

CACC Tournament Quarterfinalist

CACC Honors

1st Team All-CACC: Gabrielle Pownall-Brown
All-Tournament Team: Clare Phillips
Honor Roll: Gabrielle Pownall-Brown, Norah Burdette, Clare Phillips

2004 Men's Basketball Season Schedule (only home games listed—schedule is subject to change)		
Date	Time	Opponent
01/03	3:00 PM	Dominican College
01/13	8:00 PM	U.S.P.
01/24	3:00 PM	NJIT
01/27	8:00 PM	Felician College
02/04	3:00 PM	Wilmington College
02/21	3:00 PM	Nyack College
02/26	8:00 PM	NJIT
03/02-06		CACC Playoffs - location TBA
03/12-15		NCAA NE Region Playoffs - location TBA

2004 Women's Basketball Season Schedule (only home games listed—schedule is subject to change)		
Date	Time	Opponent
01/03	1:00 PM	Dominican College
01/13	6:00 PM	U.S.P.
01/15	7:00 PM	Georgian Court College
01/24	1:00 PM	NJIT
01/27	6:00 PM	Felician College
02/04	6:00 PM	Wilmington College
02/21	1:00 PM	Nyack College
03/02-06		CACC Playoffs - location TBA
03/12-15		NCAA NE Region Playoffs - location TBA

Class Notes—Updates on alumni appointments, promotions, transfers, achievements, and deaths

In Memory

Edna E. (Olsen) Anderson of Claymont, DE. Mrs. Anderson was a devoted wife, mother and grandmother. She was also an active member of St. Mark's Lutheran Church and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Keith W. Blackiston '69 of Wilmington, DE. Keith served with the National Guard and was retired from Wilmington Trust Company.

Donald Edward Boyer '55 of Wilmington, DE. Mr. Boyer was inducted into the Distinguished Alumni Gallery here at GBC. He was a Certified Public Accountant and Enrolled Agent.

Lucille Dougherty Brady of Wilmington, DE. Mrs. Brady was a member of the Former Ladies Guild of Siena Hall, the Friends of Ireland and a founding member of Ulster Project Delaware.

Donna L. Bultron of Wilmington, DE. Mrs. Bultron was a wonderful mother and grandmother. She was married to Enrique Maymi and had 4 children and 8 grandchildren.

Willard "Boots" Campbell of Wilmington, DE. He served with the Army in Japan during WWII. He was in the automobile business for over 40 years; and at retirement, was the owner / president of Campbell's Future Ford.

Pauline Hnida Chrzanowski of Berwyn, PA. Pauline was a homemaker.

Helen H. Clark of Wilmington, DE. Mrs. Clark was a homemaker. She was a member of North Baptist Church and the Missionary Society. She also attended Faith Baptist Church.

Milton Cohen of Wilmington, DE. Milton was an Army Air Corps combat veteran of World War II. He was a member of the Commanders Club of the American Disabled War Veterans, the Delaware Jewish War Veterans and the Jewish Historical Society of Delaware.

Elma Wilson Colbourn of Wilmington, DE. Following a short career at DuPont, she remained a housewife.

Barbara DuRoss Connolly (Nock) '38

of Rehoboth Beach, DE. For many years, Barbara worked in the legal department of the DuPont Company. She was a devoted supporter of the Delaware Humane Society.

Lois Frances Feltz '72. Lois spent her business career working for ICI / Astra Zeneca in the company's financial area.

Noble Franklin Coppage '58 of Church Hill, MD. Mr. Coppage was in the service of the State of Maryland for 40 years as a comptroller and Church Hill Church treasurer.

Dorothy Carr Dougherty formerly of Wilmington, DE. Her career included executive secretary at Hercules Inc. and administrative assistant to the principal at Ursuline Academy, manager of job placement at the Wilmington Senior Center. As a volunteer she served as executive director of the Chesapeake Bay Girl Scouts Council and docent for the Winterthur, Hagley and Rockwood museums.

Hope E. Ferrari '50 of Wilmington, DE. Hope began her career with Atlas Chemical Company, and most recently, was the secretary-treasurer for Wholesale Janitor Supply Co. Mrs. Ferrari was a longtime member of Christ Our King Church.

Elizabeth E. Forwood of Rockwood, DE. Elizabeth was an employee of the DuPont Co. and also a former member of the Delaware Business and Professional Women's Association. She was a member of the Talleyville Fire Co. Ladies Auxiliary and past president of the Green Club Garden Club.

Thomas J. Green of Delaware County, PA. Thomas served in WWII with the Army Medical Corps where he received many awards. Mr. Green was employed by Hercules Corp. for 44 years.

Helen B. Hammer '25 of Cokesbury Village, Hockessin, DE. She was a member of the Dupont Country Club, and for over 50 years, a member at Westminster Presbyterian Church as well as a volunteer at the Delaware Hospital.

Helen B. Hickman of Wilmington, DE. Mrs. Hickman was a homemaker and a lifetime member of Grace Episcopal Church.

She was also a 25-year member of the Talleyville Grange.

Iris Elizabeth "Betty" Horstead of Breckenridge, TX. Mrs. Horstead was employed as loan officer at WSFS and later at the First National Bank. She also assisted her late husband with their office furniture sales business.

Ruth S. Kamenc of Wilmington, DE. Ruth was a secretary at the DuPont Co. She was also a member of Aldersgate United Methodist Church, United Methodist Women, and Christian Business & Professional Women.

Bettie Magee Keely Lankford of Salisbury, MD. She was a founding member of the Junior Board at Peninsula Regional Medical Center and was a substitute teacher for many years at Buckingham Elementary School.

Francis A. "Wazzy" Lazarczyk '56 of Palmetto, FL. Mr. Lazarczyk was the Director of Contingency Planning for Meridian Bancorp. He had been a banker since 1955 beginning his career with Equitable Security Trust Company. He also worked for the Bank of Delaware and retired from the bank in 1983 as its comptroller.

Dorothy Davis McCafferty of Hockessin, DE. She retired from the Newark Special School District in 1982. She was a member of the Limestone Presbyterian Church.

Dortha E. McMahan of Federalsburg, MD. She retired as a worker for Maryland Plastics in 1975. She was an active member of Christ United Methodist Church.

Mary E. Money of Townsend, DE. Mary worked for Delmarva Power and the Court of Common Pleas. She was also a secretary in the Appoquinimink School District for 32 years. Outside of work, she was a member of the Immanuel United Methodist Church and the Old Union Historical Society.

Emerson L. Morris of Wilmington, DE. Mr. Morris worked for Hercules, Inc. for more than 40 years before retiring as a purchasing agent in 1977. He was an avid fisherman, bowler, and golfer.

Marjorie "Cissie" Engler Nauman '48 of Wilmington, DE. Marjorie worked for Hercules Powder Company and Vicks Chemical Company. She was also a past member of the Junior Board of the Medical Care of Delaware.

Mary Lou Parker of Frankford, DE. She was a homemaker and member of Salem United Methodist Church. Mrs. Parker was formerly a school board member for two districts.

Ruth Carhart Wilson Patterson of Hockessin, DE. She and her husband owned Hartenstine Insurance Agency until retirement in 1982. She was a former member of St. Mark's Episcopal Church.

Shirley L. (Gibson) Paula of New Castle, DE. Shirley worked for State Farm Insurance for many years. Shirley was a member of Faith Memorial Baptist Church.

Marguerite A. Price of Hacks Point, MD. She worked for Hercules Power Company. Marguerite retired from the University of Delaware as the office coordinator in the Anthropology Department. She was a former member of St. Paul's Church.

Charles E. Raniszewski of Wilmington, DE. In 1984 he retired as an accountant from the DuPont Experimental Station.

Joseph L. A. Simione of Wilmington and Ocean View, DE. He served in the United States Army Airborne Field Artillery Battalion. He was the founder and executive director of St. Anthony's Community Center.

Hilda Owen Smock of Newark, DE. Hilda worked for Hercules and DuPont later becoming a full-time homemaker after the birth of her children.

Ruby L. Stevenson '91 of Elkton, MD. Mrs. Stevenson was an accounting department manager with DuPont Co.

Helen McGovern Taylor '61 of Hockessin, DE. Mrs. Taylor was retired from the Veterans' Administration Hospital in Elsmere in 1986.

Irvin S. "Ace" Taylor of Hockessin, DE, and Rehoboth, DE. He retired as Secretary-Treasurer of Farmers Mutual Insurance Co.

Marriages

Sylvana Astor '03 and Luis E. Viteri '03, of Bear, DE. Sylvana is a payment operator at Bank One and Luis is an outreach coordinator for the Latin American Community Center.

Sean Patrick Bradley and Laura Elizabeth Jackson of Wilmington, DE. He attends Goldey-Beacom College and works for AutoTeam of Delaware.

Michael Casper '00 and Sandra Syska of Ellicott City, MD. Michael works for IBM in the Federal Government division of IBM Global Services.

Carol Ann Corea and Anthony James DiNenno of Kennett Square, PA. Carol is a bookkeeper for Michael W. Phillips Inc. in Jennersville, PA.

Vicki Lynn Dougherty '92 and David A. Peters of Wilmington, DE. Vicki is employed as the senior business analyst for GMAC Residential Mortgage.

Charles Robert Egan '01 and Erin Conner of Wilmington, DE. Charles is employed with Modern Controls, Inc.

Leah Hazen '04 and Jeffrey Liott of Newark, DE. Leah is in her senior year at GBC.

Patricia A. Jackson '71 was married to Ronald Bitler on January 16, 2003.

Sheri Ann Keller '02 and Eric T. Smith, Jr. of Wilmington, DE. Sheri is employed with Bank One as an administrative assistant.

Jennifer Marie Klemaszewski '94 and Agostino Oddo of Wilmington, DE. Jennifer is a vice president at Deutsche Bank.

Dineen Renee Lewis '03 and Rodger C. Moore of Wilmington, DE. Dineen works for Gahagan & Bryant Association.

Richard Andrew Loney '03 and Jennifer Lee Malloy of Middletown, DE. Richard is a chemist at Rodel Inc.

Martin Mikus '00 and Kristie Lee Fitzwater of Arlington, VA. Martin counsels and teaches at-risk youth and special needs / special education children.

Gopika Modi '02 and Jimir Patel of Newark, DE. Gopika is an inventory controller for Amazon.com.

Kevin M. Mutschler '99 and **Sandra J. Scullion '98.** Kevin owns Pet Kare in Wilmington and Sandra is employed with Citi Financial.

Ruth Parcels '03 and Samuel Peterson of Newark, DE. Ruth is employed at MBNA AmericaBank.

Jamie C. Regett '02 and Nicholas C. Chantler of Swedesboro, NJ. Jamie works for JP Morgan Chase as a systems analyst.

Stephanie Schueler '01 and Eric R. Wheeler of Middletown, DE. Stephanie works at MBNA America Bank.

Melanie Anne Warrick '04 and Michael C. Jones of Wilmington, DE. Melanie will graduate with a BS in Business Administration.

Robert Harry Weir and Tabitha Diane Groh of Middletown, DE. Robert is currently enrolled at GBC and works for Ruby Tuesday's, Inc.

Brenda Ann Weismiller '93 and

John W. Antonio, Jr. of New Castle, DE. Brenda currently works for Bank One in the marketing department.

Carissa Wilkinson '03 and Nicholas Moriello of Wilmington, DE. Carissa graduated magna cum laude with a BS in Marketing.

Milestones

Rev. Roberto Balducelli reached a milestone celebrating his 90th birthday on August 10, 2003. Reverend Balducelli received an honorary doctorate from GBC in 1989.

Patrick Gallagher '93 accepted a leadership position with Kappa Alpha fraternity for its national program to train volunteer leaders.

Nancy L. Jones '68 was honorably discharged from the U.S. Naval Reserve after 22+ years of service as Storekeeper First Class. During her service, Nancy was activated for 9 months to an admiral's staff, shipboard in the Mediterranean Sea.

Patricia (Bea) Jones '57 has retired from Kimble Glass.

Michele Colavecchi Lawless '78 received Remax Associates' "Hall of Fame" and Platinum Awards for outstanding realtor for 24 years.

Daniel Ohlsson '96, Stockholm, Sweden, owns and operates Direkt Optik, an optic boutique specializing in stylish framed glasses.

Edwin Thomas was awarded the Col. David M. Buie Memorial Scholarship from the Kappa Alpha Order.

Gary L. Schlegel '65 received the Gary E. Reeser Memorial Award for the outstanding Pennsylvania School Business Official of the Year.

Jonathan Ray Thompson '98 has been promoted to manager of contract sales for Staples, Inc., in New Jersey.

Peter Van Leusen '01 graduated with his Masters in Education from the University of Delaware and is now teaching at the Louisville Collegiate School, a private school in Louisville, KY.



John K. Visich, a 1996 MBA GBC graduate, earned his Ph.D. in Operations Management from the University of Houston. He is now a faculty member in the Management Department at Bryant College in Smithfield, Rhode Island.

GBC specialty license plates are still available!



Personalize your vehicle with this specialty license plate. All you have to do is complete an "application for specialty license plate" form and send in your check for \$30 made payable to Goldey-Beacom Alumni Association. To obtain the form, go to our website, www.gbc.edu or contact Ruth Tingle at 302-225-6210. Mail your check to Ruth Tingle, c/o Goldey-Beacom College, 4701 Limestone Road, Wilmington, DE 19808.

Proceeds from this fundraiser will help the Alumni Association fund their annual student scholarship. If you have a preference for a specific number, please include it on a separate piece of paper when mailing in your form and check.

Check out the online job board for students and alumni

Are you currently active in the job market? Does your employer have internship or employment opportunities for GBC students and alumni? Simply log onto www.collegecentral.com/gbc.

As an employer, you can post employment and internship opportunities and search resumes of students and alumni. As alumni, you can peruse employment opportunities and upload your resume in the alumni database.

Visit our next **Career Fair** to be held on March 17, 2004, from 4:00 to 7:00 PM in the MBNA America Hall on campus. If your employer has employment or internship openings and would like to participate in this event, contact Cyndi Stepsis in the Career Services Office at careers@gbc.edu or 302-225-6256.



*and best wishes
for a prosperous
new year
from all of us at
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