



Goldey-Beacom College REFLECTIONS

NEWS FOR ALUMNI AND THE GREATER COLLEGE COMMUNITY | SUMMER 2015 EDITION

WIRT SWORN IN AS THIRTEENTH PRESIDENT



Dr. Gary L. Wirt presides over Goldey-Beacom College's 128th Commencement Ceremony

Dr. Gary L. Wirt was installed as the thirteenth President of Goldey-Beacom College during the college's 128th Commencement Ceremony, May 1, 2015. He succeeds Dr. Mohammad Ilyas who is retiring after 40 years of service and eighteen years as President. Previously, Dr. Wirt served as Vice President for External Affairs with responsibility for development, alumni relations, student affairs, admissions, and public relations.

Wirt first joined the College as an adjunct faculty member in 1973, later earning the rank of Professor and receiving the Lindback Excellence in Teaching Award. In 1988, he joined the College full-time as Dean of Students, becoming Vice President for Student Affairs in 1989. From 1997 to the present, he has served as Vice President for External Affairs and on the Executive Council of the College. Before joining the College full-time, Wirt had an extensive career in mental health, and served as the Executive Director of the Mental Health Association of Delaware.

Wirt is credited with leading the College through three regional accreditation visits, and obtaining first time specialized accreditation from ACBSP and IACBE. He was the architect of the College's move away from its "business only" curriculum to include new degrees in psychology, criminal justice, economics, and English. He led fundraising efforts that resulted in the \$4.5 million expansion of the Joseph West Jones College Center, expanded endowed scholarships, and funded campus technology enhancements and a four-fold library growth. He crafted the College's Emergency Management Plan, and built mechanisms for tracking and recording measures of student satisfaction.

Dr. Wirt is following in a strong tradition of excellence in leadership at Goldey-Beacom College. In 1997, shortly after taking the post of president, Dr. Ilyas developed strategic planning that was to lead to national accreditation from ACBSP and IACBE, completion of the Joseph West Jones College Center, and new academic offerings to enhance enrollment. According to college officials, he will be remembered most for increasing the College endowment over forty-fold, providing stronger scholarship support for needy students. Goldey-Beacom College endowment and investments are now approaching \$100 million.



Dr. Mohammad Ilyas

SAM CALAGIONE TELLS GRADUATES TO FOLLOW THEIR PASSION

Successful entrepreneur Sam Calagione, Founder and President of Dogfish Head Craft Brewery, was the Commencement Speaker at Goldey-Beacom College's 128th Commencement Ceremony, May 1. Sam's entrepreneurial endeavors have moved beyond brewing to include restaurants, fashion, and lodging. He hosted Discovery Channel's "Brew Masters" series which looked at beer production world-wide, while focusing on his operations here in Delaware. He was chosen Business Man of the Year by the Small Business Association, and named the "Game Changer for 2010" by Huffington Post. He is a five-time nominee for the prestigious James Beard Award for wine and spirits.

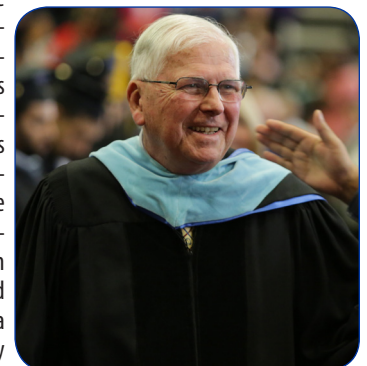
Sam talked to the graduates about his amazing journey from graduating with an English major to running a successful business that produces one of America's fastest growing craft beers. Sam said "there is no greater work of fiction than a business plan." He quoted Ralph Waldo Emerson saying, "Whoso would be a man, must be a nonconformist. He who would gather immortal palms must not be hindered by the name of goodness, but must explore it if it be goodness. Nothing is at last sacred but the integrity of your own mind.



Sam Calagione delivers words of wisdom to the Goldey-Beacom College Class of 2015

Absolve you to yourself, and you shall have the suffrage of the world". He emphasized to the graduates the significance of having a vision and the importance of following through with your own professional and personal dreams. Sam stressed the magnitude of finding a career you are passionate about and inspires instead of just worrying about pursuing money.

The College also congratulated two faculty members who were honored during the ceremony. The 2015 Excellence in Teaching Awards were presented by President Mohammad Ilyas and Academic Dean Alison Boord White to Dr. Hibbatul M. Omar and Dr. Mary Wheeling. Congratulations to these exceptional professionals who have excelled in their efforts and inspired with their dedication. President-Emeritus William R. Baldt returned for this year's celebration, making this Commencement an unprecedented day for the College as the eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth Presidents shared the stage. Also joining them were four individuals who served as Board Chairs or Vice Chairs -- James A. Harty, Linda Harra, M. Metrinko Rollins, E. Thomas Harvey III and current Chair John Patterson III.



Dr. William R. Baldt

ALUMNI RETURN FOR HOMECOMING AT GOLDEY-BEACOM

On October 11, 2014 volleyball, a DJ, tailgating, free food and a moon bounce proved to be the perfect recipe for a fun-filled Homecoming! Tons of GBC alumni returned to the college to reconnect with old friends and make new ones. This year, President-Elect Dr. Gary Wirt showed he is a terrific sport by participating in the pie-throwing contest, which raised funds to benefit SWAP. In addition, the girls' volleyball team defeated Mercy College winning 3 out of 3 sets, 27-25, 25-13, and 25-20. Way to go team! What an excellent day for all that attended!



The Goldey-Beacom College Department of Athletics held its first annual GBC Homecoming 5K Race and Family Fun Walk on Saturday, Oct. 11 at Carousel Park as part of the day's events.

A total of 91 participants braved the rain and cold temperatures to be a part of the inaugural event, which was held to raise funds to enhance the student-athlete experience at Goldey-Beacom.

"Despite the weather, we are very happy with the turnout for this year's race," Director of Athletics Chuck Hammond said. "We are hoping to make this an annual event and we are very pleased with the support we received from the community and local businesses. Overall, this was a successful event for us and an event we hope will grow in the years to come."

Former men's soccer player Andre Jank was the top student finisher with a time of 19:54 and men's basketball student-athlete Daniel Cooper followed in second place by crossing the finish line in 25:22.

The fastest walker to complete the course was Debbie Streets, who posted a time of 15:17. Meanwhile, men's and women's cross country assistant coach Chris Simpson was the top overall male finisher with a time of 21:06 and Molly Nemeth claimed the top female spot by crossing the finish line in 36:54.

Plan on attending next year's Homecoming and second annual GBC Homecoming 5K Race and Family Fun Walk to be held on October 3, 2015. It is a great time to share with family and friends. We hope to see you back at GBC!

GBC PROFESSOR RECEIVES LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Dr. Patricia M. Buhler, SPHR, SHRM-SCP was honored with the Lifetime achievement Award May 2015 by the Delaware SHRM (Society of Human Resource Management) Chapter. The Lifetime Achievement Award was established to recognize individuals who have demonstrated a level of professionalism throughout their career that serve as a model for other Human Resources professionals. Their commitment, actions, and contributions to their profession, organizations, and communities are a testament to both their past career and indicator of future directions.

Dr. Patricia "Pat" Buhler is a longtime professor, teaching at GBC since 1989. In addition she is a consultant and speaker with over 25 years of experience in all aspects of management-operations and production, organizational behavior, human resource management, management administrations and theory, team dynamics and creative problem solving to name but a few. She is well-regarded for her strategic approach to HR, career development and training/development.

Pat has received numerous professional awards and recognition over the years for her excellence in teaching and dedication to the HR field, including the Ron Shane Lifetime Achievement Award-Delaware SHRM, 2005. She has also been active in many professional organizations, such as the National Association of Female Executives, and has participated in community activities.

The Goldey-Beacom College Community extends their congratulations to Dr. Buhler on this and all of her many accomplishments. She is an asset to our college!



HAPPENINGS

ALUMNI NIGHT AT THE BLUE ROCKS

Join your fellow alumni and friends for a fun night at the Blue Rocks on July 31, 2015. Contact Ruth Tingle at 302-225-6210 or tinglert@gbc.edu for more information.

DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI GALLERY DINNER AND AWARDS

The Distinguished Alumni Gallery Dinner and Awards ceremony is scheduled for Friday, September 18, 2015. The reception begins at 6:30 pm in the Derrickson Lobby and dinner follows at 7:00 pm in the Rollins Atrium. Tickets are \$45 per person and can be purchased by calling Ruth Tingle at 302-225-6210 or tinglert@gbc.edu. If you know a GBC graduate that you would like to nominate for the DAG Award or for Rising Star Award, please contact Dr. Gary Wirt at 302-225-6273.

HOMECOMING

Mark your calendar for Homecoming, October 3, 2015. Starting at noon, rain or shine, this is a great way to reconnect with classmates. This is a fun day for all ages - filled with sports, tailgating, music, moon bounce and more! For more information contact Ruth Tingle at 302-225-6210 or tinglert@gbc.edu.

FALL CAREER FAIR

Are you a student or an alumnus searching for a job? Are you an employer seeking GBC students and alumni for open positions with your company? If so, you don't want to miss this event! The Fall Career Fair is scheduled for Wednesday, October 14, 2015 and the Spring Career Fair is scheduled for March 9, 2016. Both events are from 3:00 to 5:00 pm in the Rollins Atrium located in the Joseph West Jones Center.

For further details, contact the Career Services Office by e-mail at careers@gbc.edu or telephone 302-225-6256.

SILENT AUCTION AND BUFFET DINNER

The Goldey-Beacom Alumni Association will host its Silent Auction and Buffet Dinner with dates to be determined for 2016. All proceeds benefit the Alumni Scholarship Fund. If you would like to donate an auction item or help with the event please contact Ruth Tingle at 302-225-6210 or tinglert@gbc.edu

DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI GALLERY DINNER

The Goldey-Beacom College
Distinguished Alumni Gallery
Class of 2015

Friday, September 18, 2015
Cocktails & Hors d'oeuvres at 6:30 pm
7:00 pm Seated Dinner

Cost \$45.00 per person
For more information contact, Ruth Tingle at
302-225-6210 or tinglert@gbc.edu

ROGER PALMER '81 TO PARTICIPATE IN NATIONAL SENIOR OLYMPIC GAMES

Roger Palmer '81 came in second place in the 55-59 age bracket at the "Delaware Senior Olympic Games 40K Bicycle Road Race". The race was held in Dover, DE on September 13. With his finish, Roger qualifies for the "National Senior Olympic Games" which will be held in Minneapolis, MN in July 2015.

While a student at Goldey-Beacom College, Roger played intercollegiate basketball for two years. Roger was the head men's basketball coach at GBC, coaching the team in 1998-99 and part of the 1999-2000 season. In 2002, he was head men's basketball coach at Wilmington University. In addition, he served on the Goldey-Beacom Alumni Board for 5 years from 1992-97. Roger has been employed at Endo Pharmaceuticals since 2001, where he has experienced much success.

Congratulations to Roger on his accomplishments and we wish him good luck in his upcoming race!



SANTIAGO HONORED DURING 2014 HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

Mr. Luis Santiago '08 was honored by Delaware Technical Community College for his commitment to the Hispanic community and culture in Northern Delaware. Luis received this honor at the 5th Annual Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration and Induction Ceremony on October 15, 2014. Mr. Santiago graduated from Goldey-Beacom College where he earned both his Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration with a concentration in International Business and his MBA '12 with a concentration in Finance.



Mr. Santiago is a Vice President, Senior Auditor at Bank of America in Wilmington, Delaware where his duties include providing anticipatory risk coverage throughout Consumer Banking, Global Wealth Management, and Global Banking and Markets lines of businesses. In addition to these responsibilities, Mr. Santiago is very active in the community, serving as the Director of Corporate Affairs for the Delaware Chapter of the Association of Latino Professionals in Finance and Accounting (ALPFA) from 2011-13. He serves on the Finance Committee as a Trustee at the Discipleship of Christ Community Fellowship Church in Claymont, Delaware. Mr. Santiago also serves on the Board of Directors of the Family Counseling Center at St. Paul's and is the Director of the Big Homies Fellowship, a young men's ministry. To join in efforts to help increase high school graduation and college enrollment rates among Latinos in Delaware, Mr. Santiago assisted in the development of a strategic initiative "Latino Unidos" with the United Way of Delaware. He currently serves as vice president of the GBC Alumni Association.

Congratulations to Luis on his many accomplishments, as well as on his recent marriage to Brittney Dennis on August 24, 2014. Best wishes for continued success!

GBC LICENSE PLATE AVAILABLE

You can order your official State of Delaware GBC license plate and proudly proclaim you are a part of the GBC family. These are official Division of Motor Vehicles issued plates that replace your existing numbered plate.



So don't delay! Call or email Ruth T. Tingle for an application to order your GBC license plate. The cost is \$30.00 and all checks are to be made payable to the Goldey-Beacom Alumni Association. All proceeds from this fundraiser will help the Alumni Association fund their annual student scholarship. To contact Ruth T. Tingle, call (302) 225-6210 or e-mail tinglert@gbc.edu. Be sure to leave your name, address, phone numbers, and how we can be of further assistance. We look forward to taking your order for a GBC license plate.

Thank you for supporting the GBC Alumni Association and scholarships for needy students!

HUGH FRANCIS MOORE

On November 11, the remains of Hugh Francis Moore, who was missing in action for more than 70 years after WWII, were buried with full military honors in Cherry Hill, Maryland.

He was a Goldey Business College graduate who enlisted for service in 1942. His plane, named "Hot Garters", took off in 1944 from an air field in New Guinea on a mission to attack a nearby anti-aircraft site. He was shot down along with eleven other crew members -- the bodies were never recovered. In 1949, the government officially concluded the bodies were lost. Finally, in 2001, an American-led expedition remarkably found B-24 wreckage that bore the tail number of his aircraft. Excavation began and Hugh's remains were eventually recovered and positively identified through forensic testing made possible by a blood sample given by a cousin.

Along with his other crew members, he was memorialized at Arlington National Cemetery. This Veteran's Day, Tuesday, November 11, 2014, he was finally brought home and laid to rest in a plot purchased by his family-- a plot which for 70 years was marked by

a memorial stone listing him as missing in action. The family wanted to make sure that if he was found, he'd have a final resting place.

The memorial service hosted a packed house, guests recited the Pledge of Allegiance, sang "My Country 'Tis of Thee," and slowly escorted Hugh's flag-draped coffin to the hearse under gray skies. Military riflemen fired three volleys as a bugler sounded "Taps" at the quiet rural grave site. He was finally laid to rest alongside his mother, father, and sister, Louise. Surviving cousin Charles Moore, commented, "After waiting 70 years for him to return home, I guess you might call it a miracle."

From all of us at Goldey-Beacom College, welcome home, Hugh, welcome home.



NEW LOOK, SAME GREAT GOLDEY-BEACOM

This year Goldey-Beacom College launched new branding that included a new logo, updated blue and gold colors and a new tagline.



Goldey-Beacom COLLEGE

The new logo is designed to give Goldey-Beacom a traditional and strong collegiate look while highlighting our long history as an educational institution. The design can be used in a variety of styles and layouts, as well as have the shield and wordmark pieces separated and used independently of one another. One of the main goals of the project was to create a new logo and branding elements that would establish consistency throughout the college and create a recognizable brand.

Our new tagline, Achieve Greater, refers to the opportunities that attending Goldey-Beacom College brings to students. It speaks to the experience and the results you will

receive by attending the College. The tagline was created to be open to interpretation and is not specific in describing what "Greater" means. Each individual can apply their own definition to the statement. The short bold statement is designed to create intrigue and thought after hearing it, causing our audience to ask, what does it mean to Achieve Greater. The tagline is meant to show the benefit of a Goldey-Beacom education, what someone can get from attending.

A special committee looked at different styles, layouts, fonts, colors and more to create the new branding. In the end we feel we have created strong branding assets that can best represent Goldey-Beacom College for years to come.

achieve greater.

WOMEN'S TENNIS MAKES HISTORY WITH NCAA TOURNAMENT WIN

One team had to be the first.

In the long journey from its days competing in the NAIA to the transition of playing on the NCAA level, Goldey-Beacom College eventually was going to see one of its teams win an NCAA Tournament game/match. The women's tennis squad seized the opportunity and did just that.

Goldey-Beacom this spring defeated Chestnut Hill, 5-3, in the first round to become the first team in school history in any sport to claim victory in a head-to-head NCAA competition. A sun-soaked May 2 in Brookville, NY provided the setting as the Lightning looked to finally get that win in competing against a Central Atlantic Collegiate Conference rival.

Goldey-Beacom got one point in the doubles when senior Filipa Correia and sophomore Maria Victoria rolled to an 8-0 victory. After Chestnut Hill won the last two doubles points, it was time for the singles players to shine.

Sophomore Amina Mrad cruised to a 6-0, 6-0 win at fifth singles, Laura Moreno had a 6-3, 6-3 victory at first singles and fellow freshman Julia Gutierrez notched a 6-3, 6-2 win at No. 4 singles.

Chestnut Hill closed to 4-3 with only two points remaining in the best-of-nine tie. The Lightning now needed just one more point and it was sophomore Francesca Beg who will be remembered as the one who delivered the knockout punch, recording a 6-4, 7-6 (7-5)

win at sixth singles to give GBC its third victory over Chestnut Hill this season.

Goldey-Beacom (18-5) ended the season ranked 31st in the country, broke the school record for most victories and tied the

school record with 10 shutouts. The Lightning made their fifth appearance at the NCAA Tournament in the last six seasons and played in the CACC final for the fourth time in the last six years.

During the fall, Victoria was picked first team all-league with Mrad, Moreno and senior Stephanie Puentes Robinson all tabbed second team. Joe Kissel also picked up some hardware in being named CACC Coach of the Year.

Puentes Robinson graduates as the school's career leader with 59 singles wins and tied for second with 48 doubles triumphs.



PATRICK McRAE NAMED GBC'S FIRST ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN

In a year of firsts for the athletics department at Goldey-Beacom College, it is only appropriate that senior Patrick McRae '14 made his one of the most important honors bestowed upon any student-athlete.

McRae became the first *Capital One CoSIDA* Academic All-American in school history as he was selected third team for Division II in the at-large category.

McRae leaves with a solid final campaign, playing in the NCAA East/Atlantic Regional for a third time. He ended the year with seven top-20 finishes, four top-10 finishes and a victory March 31 at the Philadelphia U. Invitational.

He also made his first appearance on the Central Atlantic Collegiate Conference All-Tournament Team, ending tied for fifth with 151 over two rounds. McRae, who also was second at the GBC Fall Invitational with 77 and tied for ninth at the GBC Spring Invitational with 78, averaged 79.61 for the year over 12 reported tournaments.

McRae graduates after making the All-CACC in 2012 and 2013 in addition to being named a Golf Coaches Association of America All-America Scholar and the GBC Male Ath-

lete of the Year in 2013. He won four tournaments in his career.

Goldey-Beacom this year closed fourth at the CACC Championship and had competitors at the NCAA Regional for a seventh straight year.

McRae was not the only player for Goldey-Beacom who this season made noise on the links. Sophomore Garrett Brown was named to the All-CACC Team and made his second straight appearance at the NCAA Regionals. Brown had four top-10 finishes that included ending tied for fifth at the GBC Fall Invitational and tied for ninth at the Dowling Shootout in September.



GBC's DR. KIRK JOHNSON PRESENTS AT EUROPEAN CONFERENCES

This past April Dr. Kirk Johnson, Associate Professor of Economics at Goldey-Beacom College, was in Paris presenting a paper on housing debt. His paper was entitled, Traditions, Rules, and Social Condition; When Mutually Exclusive Institutional Structures Meet. In essence, the paper discussed how financial institutions are using housing models developed during the Great Depression to determine the right level of affordability when it comes to housing. This has resulted in millions of households overspending on housing. Dr. Johnson contends that instead of seeing the housing market correct itself to reflect modern economic conditions, lending has focused on returning to pre-WWII lending principles. The paper looks at the effects of this process and attempts to explain the social pressure being used to convince young buyers that they are over spending on other things and not overspending on housing.

In addition to this, Dr. Johnson traveled to Rome for a banking and finance conference in September and presented a paper titled Measuring the Discretionary Income Effects of a Private Good Model for Higher Education. The conference was sponsored by the Italian Government, the Journal of Business Policy and Research, and the World Business Institute. Dr. Johnson's Conference Theme was "Research for Growth". In summary he looks at three trends from the last forty years affecting US Households as relating to higher educa-

tion. The first is the fall in "take-home-pay" that has left middle income households with 30-40% less discretionary income relative to gross income. The second is the shift away from public funding of higher education toward private funding, as measured by revenue streams reported by higher education institutions. The third is the expansion of debt financing to subsidize this cost shift.

Congratulations to Dr. Johnson on these prestigious presentations! We wish him continued success in his research.



Kevin Martin, Director of Residence and Student Life gets a pie in the face, courtesy of his daughter Sofia Martin. All monies raised from the event went to SWAP for St. Jude's Hospital.

PLEASE MAKE PLANS TO JOIN US FOR GOLDEY-BEACOM COLLEGE HOMECOMING 2015

***SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2015
NOON - 4:00 PM
(RAIN OR SHINE)***



Daniel Brennan and Jonae' Smith (Mr. and Ms. Goldey-Beacom College) with the College's new mascot.

***GBC HOMECOMING 5K RACE AND FAMILY FUN WALK • TIME TBA
VOLLEYBALL VS. DOMINICAN-NY • NOON
WOMEN'S SOCCER VS. NYACK • 1:00 PM
MEN'S SOCCER VS. NYACK • 4:00 PM***

***KID FUN • 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
ACTIVITIES INCLUDE A KIDDIE TRAIN AND A MOON BOUNCE***

***CALL YOUR OLD CLASSMATES, PACK THE COOLER, GATHER UP FRIENDS AND
THE KIDS, AND HEAD FOR CAMPUS. THE FUN BEGINS WHEN YOU ARRIVE.***



***HOMECOMING IS SPONSORED BY
THE GBC ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
AND STUDENT AFFAIRS***



CLASS NOTES

MILESTONES

Laura A. Biddle '11 was promoted to Assistant Vice President, Branch Sales and Operations in Artisans' Bank Retail Banking Division. In her new position she will provide operational and sales support for the entire branch network. We wish Laura continued success in her new position!

Brandon Byerly '12 was named as one of Delaware Today's "2015 Faces of Delaware." Brandon is a third generation Cannon of Cannon's Bakery, Delaware's largest custom-cake bakery. He currently owns and operates the bakery and is known as Delaware's "Cake Boss," having created a replica of Fenway Park and a 10-foot Empire State Building -all from a cake! Congratulations to Brandon for this wonderful honor and distinction!

Gregory Moser Jr. '04 was promoted to manager at Master, Sidlow & Associates P.A. in Wilmington He is a member of the Accounting and Assurance Services department and provides audit, accounting and tax services to business and individual clients. He is a member of the Delaware Society of Certified Public Accountants and the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

IN MEMORY (AS OF JUNE 1)

Virtchel Lorraine Anderson, Wilmington, DE. Lorraine was a nurse's aide at the former Wilmington General Hospital and later worked for the DuPont Company as an executive secretary.

Glenn Hampton Arrants Jr., Elkton, MD. Glenn worked for over 30 years at the Aberdeen Proving Ground where he was contract administrator. He was a life-long member of the Wesley United Methodist Church.

Alice Coleman Bacon, Woodstown, NJ. Alice worked at DuPont Chambers Works. In addition she worked at City National Bank of Salem where she spent most of her career.

Ariena M. Bakker '07, Wilmington, DE. Ariena enjoyed golfing and spending time with her family. She was a very independent and strong willed person.

Barbara M. Bardsley '64, Upper Chichester, PA. Barbara was employed by Widener University for many years. An avid bowler, she served as secretary of the Women's Bowling Association and was also President of the Delaware State Bowling Association.

Dorothy Kellam Barrowman '47, Wilmington, DE. Mrs. Barrowman was an original descendant of one of Wilmington's founding historic families. She worked as a secretary for the Hercules Powder Company in the Safety and Engineering Department.

Frieda Kreshtool Barsky, Wilmington, DE. In 1946, Mrs. Barsky earned her Delaware real estate broker's license. In addition, she volunteered with many groups including the Wilmington U.S.O, the Girl Scouts and numerous others.

Susan A. Birowski, Wilmington, DE. Susan was employed by E.I. DuPont for nearly eighteen years, retiring in 1995. She was a member of Corpus Christi Parish and the Notre Dame Club of Delaware.

Anne L. Bogle, Wilmington, DE. Anne was a member of the St. Francis Hospital Junior Board. She also belonged to the St. Anthony Senior Center, St. Matthews Senior Adult Center, and Oak Grove Senior Center.

Thelma Bonneville, Wilmington, DE. Thelma was employed by the Du Pont Company and was a member of the DuPont Country Club.

Jeanne C. Bowling, Woodstown, NJ. Jeanne worked as a secretary for the DuPont Company. She enjoyed gardening, bowling and bird watching.

Ethel W. Boyd, Smyrna, DE. Ethel worked as a private secretary, later graduating from the Milford Beauty Academy and becoming a Cosmetologist and Hairdresser. She owned Ethel's Beauty Shop in Clayton, DE.

Frank C. Bristow Jr. '56, New Castle, DE. Frank served in the US Air Force from 1950 until 1954 during the Korean War. He made his career as an accountant with Delmarva Power, retiring after 38 years of service.

Norman Hall Brooks Sr., Newark, DE. Norman enlisted in the Navy during WWII. He loved bowling and golfing, and volunteered almost 3000 hours helping veterans at the Wilmington VA Medical Center.

Catherine "Kip" R. Byrne, Wilmington, DE. Kip was employed as a bookkeeper for her entire career, working at Container Corporation and Mobil Oil.

Florence Burke, Hockessin, DE. Florence worked for the DuPont Company, the Linen Mart and AIG.

Doris Outten Butler, Smyrna, DE. Doris worked as a home healthcare professional for Delaware Hospice and Beebe Hospital.

Charlotte R. Carter, Wilmington, DE. Charlotte worked as a medical and executive secretary as well as a seamstress.

Jody-Ann Cialini '92, Chadds Ford, PA. Jody-Ann worked for Chester County Hospital for more than 15 years and Christiana Hospital for 25 years. She was a great friend to all who knew her.

Alfonse Francis Ciccarelli, Wilmington, DE. A polio survivor, Al was one of the first 3 patients of the A.I. Children's Hospital (formerly called the A.I. Institute). Never hindered by his physical limitations he was an avid golfer and founder of the "BOBALU" dances at Fournier Hall.

H. Duval Cleaves, Lancaster, PA. Mr. Cleaves served in the U.S. Army during WWII. His life-long career was as a printer working at his father's business, C & L Printing in Elkton.

Mary Ellen Collins, Dagsboro, DE. Mary Ellen retired from the Delaware Division of Social Services with over 40 years of service. She was a member of Bethel United Methodist Church in Dagsboro, DE and enjoyed playing bridge.

William Brian Conley, Earleville, MD. Brian had a long and successful career as a Cross Country Coach, with 3 years at Christiana High School and 9 years with Goldey-Beacom College. Under Conley's nine-year tutelage at GBC, the men had a third-place finish at the 2014 Central Atlantic Collegiate Conference Championship to go with a fourth-place nod in 2013 and fifth-place honors his first two years. The Lightning went to the NCAA East Regional seven times under his watch. In addition, Brian enjoyed running, sailing and teaching his kids about the sciences.

Margaret M. Culley, Wilmington, DE. Margaret was employed with Braunstein's Department Store for many years.

Phillip Cummins, Wernersville, PA. Phillip served in the United States Navy in the Vietnam War and was the Director of Logistics for Logistics Management Resources for 17 years.

Florence E. Dailey, Millsboro, DE. Florence worked for Electric, Hose and Rubber later retiring as the food service manager for Red Clay Consolidated School District in 1996.

Maxine Elizabeth Daly, San Ramon, CA. Maxine's passions included her love of animals, specifically her son's dog Diva, playing bridge, watching TV game shows, listening to music, reading good books, and doing crossword puzzles.

Mary E. (Sard) DiCampli, Wilmington, DE. Mary worked for Blue Cross of Delaware for 11 years until she opened her day-care Mary's Little Lambs. Following this, she and her husband joined the Amway Corporation where they later became Direct Distributors.

Betty O'Brien "Obie" Dougherty, Wilmington, DE. Obie attended Wilmington General Hospital School of Nursing and was the nurse at the Episcopal Church Home and at Goldey-Beacom College.

CLASS NOTES

Madeline R. Dunbar, Chadds Ford, PA. Mrs. Dunbar worked for Paul J. Nowland, Inc., the Equitable Trust Company, John J. Pearce & Co. and Mr. David Craven. While at Goldey-Beacom College she was initiated into the Alpha Iota National Business Sorority.

Mary Ellen Brubaker Duncan, West Chester, PA. Mary Ellen had a variety of positions throughout her life with DuPont, West Chester State Teachers College, Strawbridge and Clothier and QVC.

Madelyn Major Evans, Earleville, MD. Madelyn retired from the DuPont Company, she worked in the Department of Transportation and Distribution.

Nora Evans, Hurlock, MD. Nora owned and operated the first nursing home in Somerset County, the Smith Nursing Home in Crisfield, which opened in 1963.

Janet M. Fadely, Dover, DE. Janet was the vice-president and secretary for the family business, Fadley Auto Masters, York since 1977. She was also very active with New Hope Ministries in Dover.

Linda M. Fedena, New Castle, DE. Linda was employed as an Office Manager at Hedemark's for 25 years. Following this, she worked as an Office Manager at LF Systems until her passing.

Edith J. Dempsey Fedorkowicz, Claymont, DE. Edith was a long-time homemaker who had also worked as a secretary for the New Castle Mutual Insurance Company.

William P. Fischer '52, Wilmington, DE. Bill began his career with the Wilmington Police Department in 1946 retiring as Sergeant in 1966. Bill was the first president of the FOP and held various officer positions for the Delaware Association of Police across a span of over 26 years. After retiring from the Wilmington Police Department, Bill had a successful 17 year career with Wilmington Trust, working as an investigator in credit card fraud.

Lloyd Fooks Jr., Federalsburg, MD. After serving four years in the United States Air Force, Lloyd operated Fooks Lumber Co. with his father as well as starting Fooks Concrete, which he operated for 28 years.

Walter W. Foster, Jr., Wilmington, DE. Walt was the general manager of National Decorative Distributors where he worked for 27 years.

Terry Fulmer, Newark, DE. Terry had a long and varied career in the PTFE plastics industry which included sales, marketing and management.

Helen F. Galbreath, Wilmington, DE. Helen worked for the DuPont Company for 10 years. In addition, she worked

for many banking establishments across the country while her husband was serving in the military.

Erma M. Haley, Denton, MD. Erma worked as an accountant for Gilpin, Van Trump & Montgomery, retiring in 1984 after 38 years of service.

Esther F. Hill, Rehoboth Beach, DE. Esther was a secretary for the Maryland State Health Department.

Norman H. Hogg, Christiana, DE. During World War II Norman served in the US Navy and the Naval Reserves. He opened an accounting and tax office in Christiana and Quarryville called Hogg & Associates, then Hogg & Company when his son headed the company. In addition, he worked with the New Holland Machine Company and the Sperry Corporation serving as Senior Auditor in all of the free countries of the European Continent.

Eunice P. Holloway, Frankford, DE. Eunice worked as a public service volunteer, providing leadership, guidance and support for the Frankford Public Library for over 40 years. Eunice was a licensed standard bred harness horse owner in Delaware, Maryland, Pennsylvania and New Jersey for 45 years.

Marian Elizabeth Horner '36, Laurel, DE. Mrs. Horner was owner of the Dutch Inn in Laurel for 30 years. She was an avid bridge player and a member of many bridge clubs.

Hugo A. Immediato, Sr. '53, Wilmington, DE. Hugo joined the Goldey-Beacom College Distinguished Alumni Gallery in 1990. He was the last surviving brother of the Three Little Bakers who owned and operated The Three Little Bakers Dinner Theater. The theater, which closed in 2007, had provided a high quality and affordable family dinner theatre venue with a broad array of off-Broadway musicals, concerts and theatrical arts. Hugo had an extensive career in entertainment and was a lifelong philanthropist in the community supporting many charitable organizations.

Alfred G. "Al" Ivone, Newark, DE. Al work for Wilson Line Company for 20 years and retired from Berger Bros. after many years of dedicated service.

Jeffrey Haffen Johnson '12, Newark DE. Jeffrey enjoyed mountain biking, hiking, tennis and volunteering for Special Olympics.

Mary Elizabeth Johnston, Kennett Square, PA. Mary Elizabeth worked for over 20 years as an office manager and administrative assistant. In December of 1998 she joined her late sister, Leah, in opening the New Castle area store, The Gussied Goose.

Helen M. Jones, Concord Township, PA. Helen was employed with the Garnet Valley School District where she served in Instructional Support for the students. She was an active member of St. Cornelius Church and served as a CCD religious education teacher for 30 years.

Daisy Agosto Jorgensen '99, Lincoln University, PA. Daisy won many awards in modeling, including Ms. Motorsports Swimwear in 1998 and 1999. She was active in the body sculpting world and was chosen as the Venus Swimwear model in 1999.

Erma L. Junkerman, Boothwyn, PA. Erma worked in the baking industry for 30 years, ending her career with T.D. Bank.

Ethel Kelley, Massey, MD. Ethel worked for Playtex, Leeds Travel Ware, Ames Department Store and Campbell Soup. She most enjoyed working as a care giver.

Anita Krische '98, Hockessin, DE. Anita was employed at Organizational Services Inc. and started her own accounting business in 1997.

Beverly S. Krug, Wilmington, DE. Beverly was a member of the Beta Sigma Pi Sorority at Goldey-Beacom College. In addition to raising two children and caring for an ailing husband, Robert Krug, who predeceased her in 1992, Beverly was office manager at Continental Opticians from 1975-1987.

Caroline Elinksy Lang '51, West Chester, MD. Caroline was a successful real-estate broker and insurance agent, in addition to raising four children.

Helen Mae Leathem, Wilmington, DE. Helen started her career with Delaware Power and Light, and later worked for Atlas Powder, finishing her career as an executive secretary with Hercules.

John G. Lewis III '64, West Chester, PA. John served his country in the U.S. Air Force from 1965 to 1969 and was honorably discharged. He worked for Giant Food Stores and NABISCO, retiring in 2007.

Raili Inkeri Lindeke '99, Wilmington, DE. Born in Finland, Raili came to the US at the age of 22. Raili cleaned houses and eventually became a secretary at Wyeth Laboratories and a bookkeeper at Benchmark Credit Union retiring after 20 years of service. Raili began a second career with PNC Bank retiring from there as well.

Charles M. Lobosko '95, Smyrna, DE. Charles worked as a production supervisor for Johnson Controls in Middletown, DE. Chuck most cherished his years spent with his fiancée, Lynn Robinson, and their cats.

CLASS NOTES

Rebecca Melby Lockart, Wilmington, DE. Rebecca worked as a secretary at the DuPont Company's Experimental Station site. She was also an accomplished seamstress and was a gourmet cook.

Marianna Kates Lodge, Lake Worth, FL. Mrs. Lodge was a deaconess at Presbyterian Church, Princess Anne, MD and was an active volunteer for Meals on Wheels.

Shirley Anne Loockerman, Greenwood, DE. Shirley retired after 33 years with Greenwood Trust Company. She was a member of the Antique Automobile Club of America and was a judge at many car shows around the country.

Earl Herbert Loomis '56, Elkton, MD. Earl worked at First Federal Savings Fund in Wilmington DE where he served as Vice-President for 19 years. In 1982, Earl started Loomis Appraisal Company working as a Real Estate Appraiser and teaching appraising through Loomis Appraisal School. He was a member of The Newark Rotary Club, Newark Country Club and the Newark United Methodist Church in which he was very active.

George Lopatin '72, Penns Grove, NJ. After high school George entered the army where he served in the Panama Canal Zone. After his honorable discharge, George worked for DMOD, Inc..

Minnie Edna Lowe '40, Fawn Grove, PA. Minnie was employed for 32 years by the former York National Bank in Fawn Grove. She was also instrumental in her husband's Nationwide Insurance Agency. In addition to these positions, Minnie accomplished her job as the Fawn Grove tax collector.

Chrystal Spear Maiello, Rehoboth Beach, DE. Chrystal was employed by GNC for many years and had been a member of Allen Memorial Church in Salisbury, MD.

George "Bud" Marcin Jr., Titusville, FL. Bud was a Master Draftsman by trade and served his country in the U.S. Army.

Munroe Mariner, Berlin, MD. Munroe began his career in the poultry business as a broiler supervisor for Perdue Farms and then as marketing manager for US poultry sales. He later worked in the tire business beginning with Nock's Tire Service in Pocomoke, MD and ending with China Manufacturing Alliance and Brand.

Nancy Beam McCormick '89, Downingtown, PA. Nancy worked for 23 years at SEI and was the proud mother of Conor and Evan, both at home. At Goldey-Beacom College, Nancy was a member of the Alpha Sigma Alpha/ZETA Sorority.

A Marie McHugh, Claymont, DE. Marie worked for the DuPont Company. In her later years she worked as a secretary for Delaware Corporate Management.

Ann L. McKeown '48, Wilmington, DE. Ann worked as an Executive Secretary at ICI for over 40 years.

Esther Skinner Medinger, Easton, MD. Esther served in the Women's Army Corps (WAC) from December 22, 1944 until June 15, 1946, when she was honorably discharged. During this time, she earned the rank of T/4 and worked as an assistant physical therapist in the Medical Corps. Mrs. Medinger retired after working for more than 20 years as a steno-clerk for Fruit Growers Express Company.

Cathy L. Mikolajczyk, New Castle, DE. Cathy was a dedicated employee for the State of Delaware, where she enjoyed her work in the human resources/payroll department for the Secretary of State's Office in Dover. She was also the first female volunteer firefighter in Middletown, DE.

Ruby E. Morris, Laurel, DE. Ruby had been a secretary for the Salisbury Chamber of Commerce and for the Epworth Christian School in Laurel. She retired from the marketing department at Delaware Technical and Community College.

Virginia (Ginny) Moss '87, Elkton, MD. Ginny was dedicated to friends and family, especially her nieces and nephews. She was active in and enjoyed the Elkton Senior Center.

John J. Mosuly Jr., Califron, NJ. John was an accountant for Beneficial Corporation for 30 years retiring in 1998. In addition, he was employed by Summit Medical Group, retiring in 2008.

Rita L. Mulrooney '49, Wilmington, DE. Rita worked for the DuPont Company as an executive secretary until the mid-1980s. Following this she began her dream job as secretary to the executive director of Longwood Gardens. Rita traveled the world and had a life rich with music, theater and friends.

Helen George Murphy, Odessa, DE. Helen retired from the DuPont Company in 1975 after more than 38 years of service.

John "Jack" Nevers, Hockessin, DE. Jack spent 25 years working for DuPont and DuPont Merck Pharmaceutical Company retiring in 1994 as Director of Administration for Research and Development. After his retirement from the DuPont Company, Jack enjoyed teaching marketing as an adjunct college professor at Goldey-Beacom College.

Lacy Edwards Nichols Sr. '38, Milford, DE. Mr. Nichols operated a grocery store in 1938 before serving in the US Army Air Corp in World War II. After the war ended he took over the grocery store again. In the '50s he moved to Texas and served as Deputy Fire Marshall in Amarillo, TX. Following this he and his wife moved back to Delaware where he worked for International Playtex as an industrial engineer.

Roger B. Niess '68, Stanley, North Carolina. Roger was an Electrical Designer in the Nuclear Department at PPL for 30 years.

Barbara A. Peacock, Chester Springs, PA. Barbara's career was with the American Cancer Society, Chester County Unit, where she served as Executive Director. She also worked at Wyeth Labs, Great Valley, and Sams Club.

E. Victor Pesce, Kennett Square, PA. Victor was a Glassblower for the past 58 years and was the owner of At-Mar Glass, Inc. in Kennett Square, Pennsylvania.

Anne Marie Peterson, Exton, MD. Mrs. Peterson worked for Hewlett-Packard, later known as Agilent Technologies, for 33 years in account servicing.

William B. Peterson, Alloway, NJ. Bill was a US Army veteran serving during the Vietnam War and worked as a cost accountant for the DuPont Company for 44 years.

Larry B. Phillips, Salisbury, MD. Larry served with the US Army from 1950-1952 receiving an honorary discharge as SFC. In 1983, he retired as President and Manager of W.F. Messick Ice Company and later worked part-time positions with Salisbury Automotive, Brooks Courier, and Bounds Funeral Home.

Joseph A. Rago Sr., Wilmington, DE. A veteran of the U.S. Navy, he proudly served his country during WWII. He enjoyed a lengthy career with the Chrysler Corporation, offering over 35 years of service. Joseph was a pioneer in Delaware bodybuilding and had won the prestigious title of Mr. Wilmington.

Edward M. Rempfer, Bridgeton, NJ. For nearly 30 years, Edward was employed as a cost accountant and project accountant at Air Work in Millville which later became Dallas Airmotive.

H. Calvert Richardson '58, Georgetown, DE. After his honorable discharge from the Army, Mr. Richardson began his 41 year career at Wilmington Trust Company.

Loretta L. Rittenhouse, Wilmington, DE. Loretta worked as a legal secretary for the Delaware State Senate and as an executive assistant for the DuPont Company.

CLASS NOTES

Glenna M. Rivers, Wilmington, DE. Glenna worked for a decade at the DuPont Company as an executive secretary. After that she served as secretary to the Regina Coeli Society for many years and was a staunch pro-life advocate.

Samuel A. Rossitto, Wilmington, DE. Sam served in the Army Air Corps during World War II and worked as a machinist for many years, retiring from All American Engineering in 1988.

Judith A. Irwin Rude '06, Newark, DE. Judith was a graduate of Glasgow High School and Goldey-Beacom College. She worked as an accountant.

Madeline P. Rudy, Newark, DE. Madeline worked at Bird Speakman in Wilmington and Litho Graphic Arts in Newark.

Henry Samsel '59, Wilmington, DE. Henry held the position of Chief Executive Officer for many companies over the years. Some of these companies he was affiliated with included Atlas Powder Company, Western Industries of Paramount Pictures and ROB Corporation of Elkton MD. In addition to his professional success Henry had served in the Merchant Marines and the United States Army during WWII. He was inducted into the Goldey-Beacom College Distinguished Alumni Association in 1986.

Eleanor E. "Mammy" Schwind, Wilmington, DE. Eleanor worked for the University of Delaware then later worked in food service at Foulk Road Elementary and Springer Junior High School.

Bernice Lingo Shamers, Wilmington, DE. Bernice was a professional opera singer who sang in English, French, German and Italian. She also had a weekly radio program at WDEL-NBC and was an accomplished pianist and organist.

Mary Louise Bunting Shay, Pocomoke City, MD. Mary Louise was employed by Hallwood National Bank, as the assistant cashier. In later years, she was a retired partner and the secretary/treasurer of the family owned, New Church Farmers Supply, Inc., which was a private agency of Southern States Co-Operative.

Mary Frances Simmons '43, Wilmington, DE. Mary began her career at Hercules as an assistant to patent attorneys. After 15 years with Hercules she took a job with the Air Force in Weissbaden, Germany for two years. Upon leaving Germany she moved to Oakland, California where she worked for Shell Oil until 1961. At her father's urging and an offer to resume her old job at Hercules with full restored benefits, she moved back to Wilmington and stayed with Hercules until she retired in 1994.

Elizabeth E. Smith, Wilmington, DE. Elizabeth worked for the City of Wilmington and for the Wilmington Senior Center.

Evelyn M. Smith, Wilmington, DE. Evelyn was born and raised in (Belvedere) Wilmington, DE. She served over 20 years as a member of the Belvedere Fire Company Ladies Auxiliary.

John E. "Skip" Smith Jr, Wilmington, DE. Skip served as a member of the 335th Assault Helicopter Company during the Vietnam War. He also served in the National Guard.

Joan G. Stauffer '52, Wilmington, DE. Joan was the proprietor of Artisans Emporium for over 20 years. Her true loves were art, gardening, and her family.

Elizabeth Stewart, Wilmington, DE. Elizabeth worked as a stenographer and secretary at Hercules Powder Company.

Henry Swincki, Jr. '75, Bel Air, MD. Henry spent most of his life working as a district manager in the liquor industry. Most recently Henry was an employee of Harford County Public Schools.

Maria Cook Tassone '86, Townsend, DE. Maria worked for the State of Delaware as an Administrative Assistant for 20 years. After having her daughter, she loved staying home with her and enjoyed tending her garden and flowers.

Edwin Defrain Taylor '89, Kennett Square, PA. Edwin was a member of the Goldey-Beacom College class of 1989.

Julia Gambacorta Tritelli, New Castle, DE. Julia had retired from the Colonial School District having worked for twenty years in the New Castle Junior School cafeteria. She was a long time member of St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church in New Castle.

Gail Kelley Veith, Doylestown, PA. Gail worked as a nurse both at Doylestown Hospital and later, performing kidney dialysis at several local facilities.

Constance Vouras, Wilmington, DE. Connie worked for the Finance Department of the City of Wilmington. After retiring from the city, she was office manager for a local doctor and then returned to help her brother reestablish the Kozy Korner at its new location on Union Street.

Betty Wadman, Wilmington, DE. Betty had worked for Delaware Coach Company and was a longtime member of St. Barnabas Episcopal Church.

Joanne R. Warner, Woodstown, NJ. Joanne enjoyed traveling, sewing, playing card games and Mahjongg. She played piano and organ.

CJ Watson, Harbeson, DE. CJ ran cross country and track at Goldey-Beacom College and played varsity basketball at Sussex Central High School. His love of sports and events like Slam Dunk to the Beach lead him to start a web-based, sports-related business, PremoHoops Recruiting, with Daniel Premo.

Thomas Seward Webster Jr, Hockessin, DE. Thomas had a long and successful career at the DuPont Company. He began as a clerk on the "150 Year Anniversary Team" for Pierre S. DuPont, then moved on to the auditing division and finished in the tax department.

Edna V. Willis, Smyrna, DE. Edna was employed by Wharton-Bernard Auto Parts in Milford until she married William H. Willis. Together they raised three sons and operated the family's automobile business.

Myrtle L. "Mickie" Wood, Wilmington, DE. Mickie was a bookkeeper and bartender at Pleasant Hills Bowling Lanes for 28 years. Previously she was an Insurance Agent with Nationwide Insurance Agency and worked for the DuPont Company.

Charles F. "Woody" Woodward, Jr., Wilmington, DE. Mr. Woodward worked for the DuPont Company at the Edgemoor Plant for 35 years. Woody also worked many years at various Horse Raceways and served in the Air Force Reserve for 6 years.

C. James "Jim" Yeatman '51, Kennett Square, PA. Jim was a third generation mushroom farmer who owned and operated CP Yeatman and Sons Inc. He was a pioneer in organic mushroom growing. Jim was also active in many organizations, including "Ag in the Classroom", Meals on Wheels, and the Avon Grove Lions Club.

**SECOND ANNUAL
GBC HOMECOMING
5K RACE AND
FAMILY FUN WALK
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2015
TIME TBA
OPEN TO ALL
FOR MORE INFORMATION,
PLEASE CLICK ON OUR
ATHLETICS WEB SITE
GBCATHLETICS.COM**

MORE FROM GRADUATION



GOLDEY-BEACOM COLLEGE BOARD ELECTS NEW TRUSTEE

Ursula A. Sharp was elected a Trustee of Goldey-Beacom College on May 1, 2015, and will begin serving a two year term beginning on July 1, 2015.

Sharp is Senior Director of Business Development & Executive Producer of Soundview Media Group, a division of Concentrated Knowledge Corporation, of Kennett Square, PA. She brings over 20 years of diverse experience in on-line publishing, training and education, telecommunications, and financial markets. Her career has also included employment at Lamont Digital Systems, Inc., and J.P. Morgan Chase & Company. She is a resident of West Grove, Pennsylvania.

In announcing her election, President-Elect Gary L. Wirt stated, "Ursula brings a strong and varied background in media, marketing, publishing and customer care. She will prove a powerful asset to the Board."



REFLECTIONS SUMMER 2015 EDITION

Published by the College for alumni and the greater college community.

Ruth T. Tingle, Editor | Anita Stofa, Co-Editor
Derek Crudele, Design Consultant
Office of Alumni Affairs
4701 Limestone Road | Wilmington, DE 19808
Phone: 302-225-6210 | Fax: 302-998-3367
Email: tinglert@gbc.edu

WHAT'S NEW WITH YOU?

We want to know what has happened to you since graduating from Goldey-Beacom. Have you continued on with your education, landed a great job, successfully climbed the career ladder or started your own business? Drop us a note or an email updating where you are and what's new. We'll feature as many stories as possible in an upcoming issue of "Reflections." Email: tinglert@gbc.edu or mail to:

What's New With You?
Office of Alumni Affairs
Goldey-Beacom College
4701 Limestone Road
Wilmington, DE 19808