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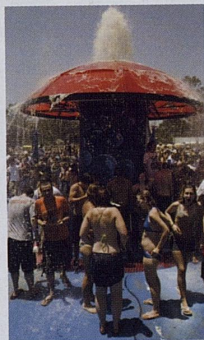
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Get to know your fellow alumni! *Kentucky Alumni* magazine kicks off a new feature in this issue: a collection of quick facts and quotes — some light-hearted — about one of us who Bleeds Blue. First up is Mira Snider Ball, co-owner of Ball Homes Inc. and a member of the UK Board of Trustees.

By Linda Perry

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Each year the UK Alumni Association sends the *Kentucky Alumni* magazine to all alumni for three reasons.

First to reconnect you to that time in your life when the campus is teeming with activity as a new academic year gets underway with everything from decorating living quarters to joining sororities and clubs, making new friends and catching up with classmates, from Fusion to studying again in pursuit of your plans and dreams. It's a unique type of adrenaline rush that swirls around your Kentucky experience.

Second to show you that the alma mater you knew is still doing great things and reaching beyond the borders of teaching knowledge, research and service that was here when you were here, even if that time were just a year ago.

And, finally, to let you know that you, with your alum status, are still a vital part of the whole picture. We offer you a continuing connection and a variety of ways to be involved just like when you were a student. There are local alumni clubs and regional events for you to attend. There are career services, member discounts and benefits designed with you in mind, and opportunities to enjoy the company of your peers who share your interest at gatherings of Young Alumni, the UK Band and African American alumni and/or the University of Kentucky Advocacy Network, as well as attend athletic events, Homecoming and Reunions plus keep up with your college news. Also new this year is the Kentucky WIREDCATS social and professional online network. Come set up your own friends, friends of friends, and friends of friends of friends' connections and start or participate in interesting discussion groups with other UK alumni.

So enjoy this magazine. Visit the association online at www.ukalumni.net. Consider joining the association to receive four issues a year, or to renew your subscription by renewing your current membership.

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2006 UK Football Schedule

Sept. 3	Louisville (ESPN)	8 p.m.
Sept. 9	Texas State	6 p.m.
Sept. 16	Ole Miss	6 p.m.
Sept. 23	Florida	TBA
Sept. 30	Central Michigan	6 p.m.
Oct. 7	So. Carolina (GWS* Reunion)	7 p.m.
Oct. 14	Louisiana State University	TBA
Oct. 28	Mississippi State	TBA
Nov. 4	Georgia (Homecoming)	1 p.m.
Nov. 11	Vanderbilt	1 p.m.
Nov. 18	Louisiana - Monroe	1 p.m.
Nov. 25	Tennessee	TBA

Bold = Commonwealth Stadium


GWS = Class of 1956, Golden Wildcat Society Reunion, and prior years

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A message from UK President Lee T. Todd Jr.

It is hard to believe it has been five years since I came back to my alma mater. Looking back, it is gratifying to see how much this university has grown and progressed, thanks to the work of our faculty and staff and the support of our alumni and friends.

- We have increased the size of our first year class from 3,000 to nearly 4,000 students, while improving student quality.
- Our graduation rate jumped from 55 to 60 percent, the highest among public universities in Kentucky.
- Research grants and contracts have increased from \$173.6 million to more than \$274 million and approaching \$300 million this year.
- The university endowment has soared from \$420 million to more than \$773 million, the highest among public universities in Kentucky.

- We have made tremendous progress in our billion dollar capital campaign, bringing our total from \$408 million to more than \$900 million, with nearly 80,000 different donors supporting us since I took office.

- Our endowed chairs have grown from 69 to 95 and our endowed professorships have grown from 124 to 210.

We accomplished all this during both good and difficult economic times.

As impressive as these statistics can be, I have been more excited with how this university – and this state – have embraced our legislative challenge to build a Top 20 public research university.

About a year and a half ago, we decided it was time to force serious conversations about whether this state and this institution are serious about building a Top 20 university and what achieving that goal will mean to the people of Kentucky.

We developed our Top 20 Business

Plan, a comprehensive analysis of what it will take to build a Top 20 university. It is the first plan of its kind for a public university in the U.S. The university took the plan – and our goal to elevate the quality of life in this state – externally. We discussed the plan with the General Assembly, outlining the need for the state to commit itself to helping us achieve this goal. Those conversations resulted in the best budget in decades for the entire postsecondary system, including a firm financial commitment from the state to fulfill UK's Top 20 mandate, beginning in 2007-2008.

At the same time, we initiated a campus conversation about what we are willing to do to transform this institution. We are in the midst of a campus-wide conversation about how we become even more efficient and effective in managing our resources and how we identify the strategic investments we need to make. Those conversations build on the \$40 million we reallocated over the last 5 years.



Most of all, we will continue to talk with Kentuckians all across the state about the kind of economic future this state wants and needs. We will continue to talk about the types of jobs that will exist in a dynamic 21st century economy and how this state's flagship, land grant research university will create those types of economic opportunities.

For example, we recently unveiled the Commonwealth's Medical Campus of the Future, which will feature a new \$450 million UK Albert B. Chandler Hospital and a \$120 million pharmacy building for our Top 10 pharmacy school. These facilities will allow UK to create the type of academic medical center we need to improve health care and research across Kentucky.

These efforts and initiatives have positioned UK as an activist university for the Commonwealth and a national leader for our analytical approach to attain our Top 20 dream. Your alma mater has been featured in *USA Today* and in a cover story in the *Chronicle on Higher Education*, the nation's leading journal on higher education issues. We have also talked at length with *The New York Times*, *The Wall Street Journal*, and *Business Week*.

We've accomplished a great deal during the first five years of my

administration. But more than anything, these five years have been about building a solid foundation for the next 14 years as we move from the dream of a Top 20 public research institution to its reality.

We will be judged on our progress toward reaching that goal and, as importantly, how that progress translates into being a catalyst for a new Commonwealth.



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Jim Lumpp, left, associate professor in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, speaks with UK engineering students Dale McClure and Garrett Chandler about the KySat mission.

Kentucky Students To Build, Launch Satellites For Research

UK is part of a coalition of state universities and organizations that created KentuckySat, a joint enterprise to design, build, launch and operate small satellites for education, research and economic innovation purposes.

KySat is a cube-shaped satellite with a mass of less than one kilogram. Once in orbit, KySat will be made available at no cost to Kentucky students, teachers, schools, and universities for educational and research uses, which include communications capability, temperature monitoring, current, voltage and science sensors, and photography using an onboard camera.

In addition to UK, the KySat partnership is comprised of lead institution Morehead State University, Murray State University, University of Louisville, Western Kentucky University, Kentucky Space Grant Consortium, Council on Postsecondary Education, Kentucky Science and Engineering Foundation and the Kentucky Science and Technology Corporation which is the managing partner.

Lead mission partners include Stanford Space and Systems Development Laboratory (SSDL), NASA Ames Research Center, KatySat ("Kids Aren't Too Young for Satellites") and California Polytechnic State University, which will serve as the launch integrator. Kentucky Virtual University is the virtual network partner maintaining remote communications among the partners.

An actual flight model is expected to be built in Kentucky during the fall of 2006. Plans call for a launch of "KySat1" in mid-to-late 2007.

UK Opens 'Factory of the Future'

The new \$17 million UK Center for Pharmaceutical Science & Technology facility is unique among others worldwide as it becomes the first pharmaceutical manufacturing facility to produce cytotoxic and non-cytotoxic drugs in the same room at the same time.

Current pharmaceutical industry practice dictates separating cytotoxic (toxic to cells) and non-cytotoxic drug manufacturing by entire buildings. By using custom-made mobile isolators, the new facility is able to manufacture potent and more conventional drugs in the same room at the same time while eliminating the risks of cross-contamination.

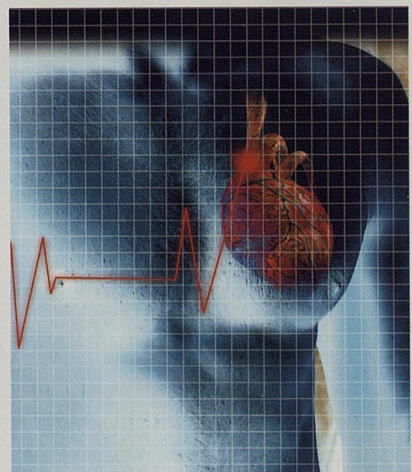
Located at the UK Coldstream Research Campus, 25 professionals working in the CPST provide analysis, formulation, manufacturing of sterile drug products for early phase clinical trials and sterile liquids for injection, plus the capability to freeze dry injectables, a service rarely found outside of large pharmaceutical companies.

By the year 2011, annual revenue forecasts predict CPST operations will bring in \$15 million and employ up to 100 scientists, engineers and professional staff at annual earnings ranging from \$50,000 to \$150,000.

UK Reaches Top 20 in Heart Research Funding

UK is among the top 20 institutions receiving heart research funding from the American Heart Association (AHA), which reports \$384 million in active grants for life-saving research at more than 330 research institutions this year.

UK is working with \$5 million from the AHA for research into understanding how heart disease occurs, as well as how to treat and prevent this leading cause of death among Kentuckians. AHA funding is part of more than \$20 million in total cardiovascular research at UK.



RESEARCH NOTES

COLLABORATIVE EFFORT : HEALTH CARE

Background Buzz

This series will highlight 23 projects aimed at solving the “Kentucky Ugliers” by improving Kentucky’s schools, business climate, environment, health care and lifestyles. These projects are the “Commonwealth Collaboratives,” a term that portrays the partnership binding UK’s researchers, K-12 educators, independent health care providers, entrepreneurs, industries, local government officials and private citizens who will participate in — and benefit from — these projects.

The five main categories of collaboratives are:

- environment
- health care
- economic development
- education
- quality of life



For details, visit www.uky.edu/UE/CC/healthcare.htm

As a Commonwealth Collaborative, UK's emphasis on health care is a Kentucky priority, producing solutions for injuries and diseases to extend and improve life, increase access to health care, improve knowledge and practice, and reduce costs. UK is pursuing these health care initiatives in conjunction with a wide variety of Commonwealth universities, state and local government and community agencies, public school systems, and clinics:

Lethal Cancers

- The Marty Driesler Cancer Project: strengthens the ability of regional and local hospitals in the Fifth Congressional District to detect lung, liver, and esophageal cancers at an early stage.
- Developing and Testing a Lung Cancer Vaccine: explores immunotherapy to treat lung cancer using each patient's own white blood cells to spur the development of dendritic cells (one of the most potent immune inducing cells) to reduce the risk of recurrence or maintain remissions following definitive treatment for non-small cell lung cancer.

Neurosciences

- African American Dementia Outreach Partnership: increases the use by African-American patients of the programs and services of the UK Alzheimer's Disease Center in the Sanders-Brown Center on Aging.
- Discovery of Biomarkers to Facilitate the Development of Neuroprotective Therapies for Traumatic Brain Injury: targets post-traumatic brain damage and the beneficial effects of cyclosporine A, a drug that appears to reduce post-traumatic brain damage by reducing oxygen radicals that exacerbate the initial injury.

Access to Health Care: promotes health in underserved populations; the Good Samaritan Nurse-Managed Center provides nursing staff for existing community-based clinics in Fayette and surrounding counties, serving children, adults, and families.

Substance Abuse Issues: provides information on the problems and issues of substance abuse, defining local problems, and developing action plans using community assets and the resources of the university and partners so that communities can implement action plans.

Oral Health and Group Prenatal Care: provides group prenatal care at UK and rural clinics combined with treatment for persistent periodontal infection in pregnant women to help reduce the number of preterm, low birth weight children born in Kentucky; improves health and reduces health care costs for mothers and infants, currently estimated at \$20,000,000 annually.

Pharmaceutical Health Costs: PharmacistCARE, a pharmacist-administered patient care service, will help to improve the health of persons with diabetes and reduce health-care costs.

Medicaid Pharmacy Outcome Analysis: uses a software program to analyze the usage of prescribed pharmaceuticals by Medicaid recipients, ultimately improving or maintaining Kentucky Medicaid patient outcomes and satisfaction while significantly reducing pharmaceutical costs to the Commonwealth.

The Preservice Health Training Project: trains future physicians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, and dentists how to communicate with and provide care to patients with developmental disabilities and their families.

Child and Youth Well-Being: serves as a clearinghouse for activities ranging from research and service in pediatrics, education, public health, dentistry, social work, psychiatry and nursing, along with efforts involving economic development and the environment, to improve the condition of youngsters in low-income circumstances.

Student Selected as Astronaut Scholar

UK senior Ryan Fischer has been selected as an Astronaut Scholar by the Astronaut Scholarship Foundation. The foundation named Fischer as one of only 18 Astronaut Scholars for 2006-07 and awarded him a \$10,000 scholarship. The prestigious scholarship is presented to dynamic undergraduates or graduate students who exhibit motivation, imagination, and exceptional performance in the fields of science and engineering.

Fischer, majoring in agricultural biotechnology and biology, is a Singletary Scholar currently working in cardiothoracic research under the guidance of Dr. Victor Ferraris, Gill Heart Institute co-director, the Tyler Gill Professor of Vascular Surgery and Chief of Cardiothoracic Surgery in the UK College of Medicine Department of Surgery, and Suellen Ferraris, an assistant professor in cardiothoracic surgery in the Department of Surgery.



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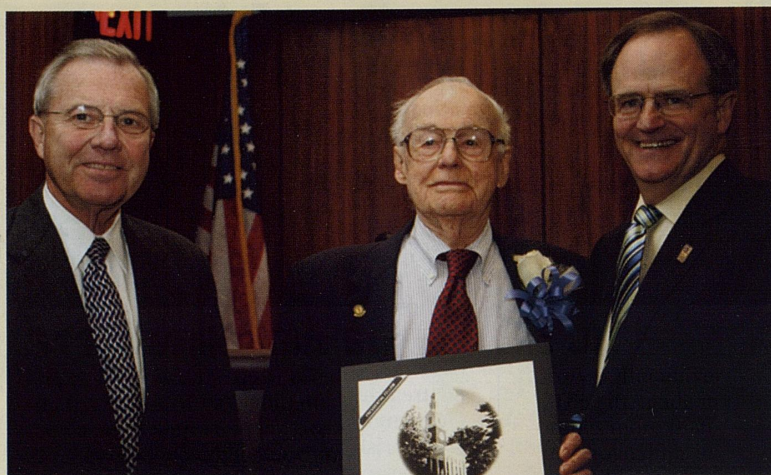


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\$11.5 Million Gift Strengthens UK

UK has received the most broad-based gift in the history of the university from class of 1937 alumnus Dr. E. Vernon Smith. The gift, made in the name of Smith and his late wife, Eloise C. Smith, totals more than \$11.5 million including matching funds and will create scholarships in the areas of nursing, medicine and band; professorships in history, business, nursing and macular degeneration research; and endowed chairs in macular degeneration and Alzheimer's disease research.

The largest amounts of funding, \$4 million each, will go to establish the endowed research chairs. Smith has been diagnosed with macular degeneration while Eloise Smith passed away in 1997 of Alzheimer's disease. UK already has strong programs of research in both areas, and the Smith gift will further UK's efforts to research, understand and better treat both diseases.

A native of Greenup County, Smith has designated medical and nursing scholarships specifically for students from his home county. Smith, himself, is an internist in Cincinnati, Ohio. He has a keen interest in American history and etymology, and played saxophone in the UK marching band and the university symphony orchestra while a student.

Center for Rural Health Offers New Academic Program

The UK Center for Rural Health now offers an academic program to prepare health care professionals in southeastern Kentucky for management roles and responsibilities.

The Clinical Leadership and Management program is for current providers who have an associate degree in a health-related discipline and at least one year of employment experience in a health care setting. Program graduates receive a Bachelor of Health Sciences degree from UK and will be prepared to assume greater responsibilities at their current jobs, be better qualified for job promotions, and positioned for graduate studies.

This degree completion program accommodates transfer students for many allied health disciplines, including radiological technology, respiratory therapy, dental hygiene and nursing.

Kyprianou Is First to Receive Award

Natasha Kyprianou is the first scientist honored with the "Woman in Urology Award for Excellence in Urology Research," a joint award from the Society of Women in Urology and Society for Basic Urologic Research.

Although urology is a male-dominated field, women have been performing urological research for many decades. The award was established to honor a leading female investigator who has made significant contributions to the field of urology and for pioneering work in urologic research.

Kyprianou was selected to be the inaugural awardee because of her many years spent conducting innovative and high quality basic research in urologic oncology. Kyprianou has a special interest in prostate cancer and molecular therapeutics in urologic tumors.

She is a professor of urologic surgery and a professor of molecular and cellular biochemistry and pathology at the UK College of Medicine. She also holds the James F. Hardyman Chair in Urologic Research at the UK Markey Cancer Center.



Photo submitted

Professor's Novel On New York Times Bestseller List

At press time, UK writing professor Kim Edwards' first novel, "*The Memory Keeper's Daughter*," sits first on the *New York Times* best seller list. The book also has risen to first on the Barnes and Noble bestselling paperback list and is second on the *USA Today* Top 150. It was chosen as a Barnes and Noble Discover Great New Writers title, as well as a 2005 book club selection in the *Lexington Herald-Leader*.

The novel, released at the end of June 2005, is a testament to the way life can take unexpected turns, and how two families' lives are intertwined in mystery, loss and grief. It is a tale of redemptive love.

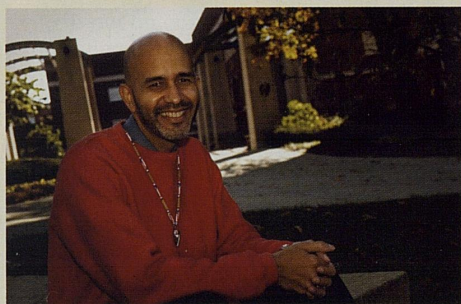


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Nazario-Colón Named Co-chair of NCORE

Ricardo Nazario-Colón, executive director of the UK Office for Multicultural and Academic Affairs, has been elected co-chair of the Latino/a Caucus – National Conference on Race and Ethnicity in American Higher Education. The NCORE series is recognized as the most comprehensive national forum on issues of race and ethnicity in American higher education. The conference focuses on the complex task of creating and sustaining comprehensive institutional change designed to improve racial and ethnic relations on the nation's campuses and to expand opportunities for educational access and success by culturally diverse, traditionally underrepresented populations.

Nazario-Colón is the former director of the UK Martin Luther King Jr. Cultural Center and co-chair of the President's Commission on Diversity.

Students Get More Flexible Dining Plans

UK Dining Services is making significant changes in its dining plan options, its facilities and other services for the fall 2006 semester. The adjustments are in response to ongoing feedback received through formal and informal discussions with the Dining Services Student Advisory Board and other student groups.

Students will see more flexible dining plans, extended hours of operation, new Heart Healthy dining options, expanded Flex Account spending options, several new facilities, and expanded student involvement in future planning. Four additional dining plans are designed especially for UK employees and commuting students.

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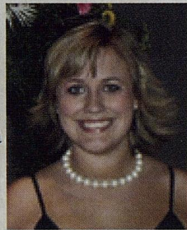


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Dream Challenge Succeed

Young Fellow Makes Giving Part of Life After College

Katti Bowling has had a big year. After graduating from the Gatton College of Business and Economics as an economics and marketing major in May, she began work as a leadership consultant for her sorority, Kappa Kappa Gamma. Despite her arduous schedule and the demands of beginning this new chapter in her life, Bowling chose to join the UK Fellows Society as a Young Fellow.



UK Young Fellow Kathryn Anne "Katti" Bowling

"I would say that as we start work and are out on our own, giving back to the university can easily fall to the back burner," Bowling states. "This is what makes Young Fellows great. You can give on a budget, but in the end make a serious difference."

To become a Young Fellow, contact the Office of Development at 1-800-875-6272.

UK Annual Phonathon Program Exceeds \$1 Million in 2005-06

The UK annual phonathon program exceeded the million dollar mark during 2005-06. At the conclusion of the fiscal year on June 30, a total of \$1,000,989 had been committed by 14,911 alumni and friends.

Save the date!



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William B. and Eloise Sturgill stand in front of his portrait in the Sturgill Development Building.

Development Celebrates William B. Sturgill Day

On June 7 staff and friends of UK Development gathered to celebrate the life and contributions of William B. Sturgill '46.

Sturgill played basketball for Adolph Rupp and was a member of UK's first NIT championship team. A member of Sigma Chi, he also was elected Student Government president. He served as the UK Board of Trustees chairman from 1974-84 and was a charter member of the Fellows Society. He has served on numerous university boards and committees, including the UK Athletic Association Board, Center on Aging Foundation Board, Oral History Program Capital Campaign Committee, Markey Cancer Center Foundation Board, and Mining Engineering Foundation Board, and served as Century Club president. He also served Governor John Y. Brown Jr. as both Secretary of Energy and Secretary of Agriculture from 1979 to 1983.

Sturgill dreamed of a building which would house all of the development staff for UK. In 1983, the William B. Sturgill Development Building was dedicated to him. On William B. Sturgill Day, the staff took time to honor and thank him for his generous support of the university for over half a century.

Rob Hill: Juggling Several Careers

By Robin Roenker

Rob Hill is one of those people who has a knack for having the right ideas at the right times — and the smarts to know how to bring them to fruition.

When he decided to write his first book, “*Savannah Squares*,” a tourist guide to Savannah’s noted architecture and public monuments, an editor called him back within hours of his e-mail pitch. She’d been looking for a book exactly like the one he’d proposed.

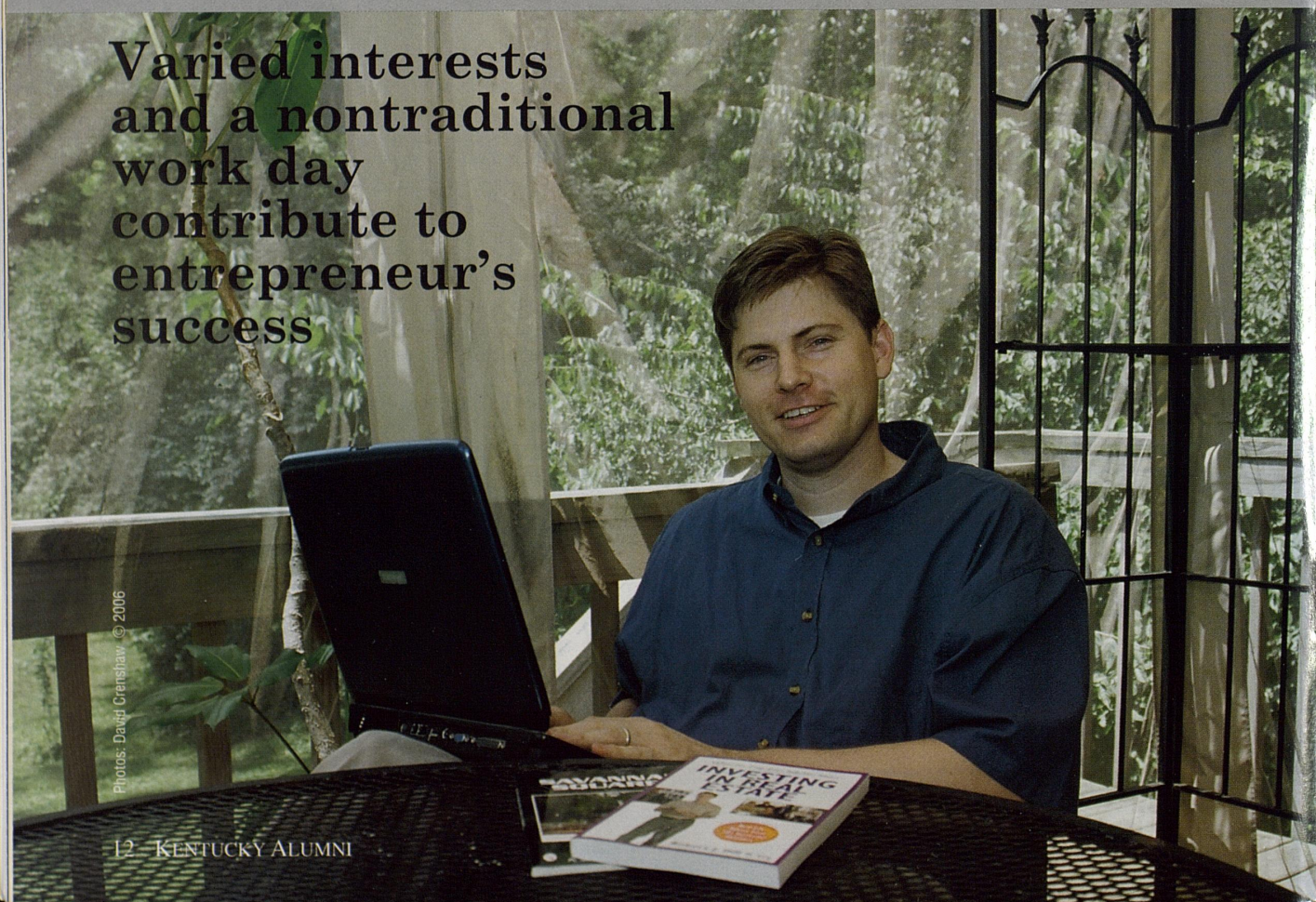
When he called Wire Image, a leading stock photo agency, to ask if they’d be interested in hiring him to shoot celebrity photos in Nashville, he learned that they’d just launched a sister company, Film Magic, that was seeking a photographer in the area. A month later, he was on the red carpet, shooting the Country Music Awards — an event he’s covered yearly since 2004.

For Hill, a Louisville native and 1999 graduate of the UK College of Law, it’s all about an old adage. “Timing — also known as luck — is everything,” he says.

Hill’s varied successes since leaving UK — from lucrative stints freelancing as a real estate attorney in Georgia, to publication of a second book, “*What No One Ever Tells You About Investing in Real Estate*,” to the launch of his own media relations firm, Harpring Hill Media — make plain there’s more to Hill’s story than pure luck.

“Rob is the ultimate entrepreneur,” says Travis Young, a member of The Blind Corn Liquor Pickers, a Lexington-based bluegrass band represented by Hill’s Harpring Hill Media. “He has his hands in a million pies, and they’re all very creative. And he’s successful at it because he’s such a genuine guy.”

**Varied interests
and a nontraditional
work day
contribute to
entrepreneur’s
success**



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Setting His Own Course

Now living in Nashville with his wife, Amber, and new son, Truman, Hill works out of his home office, happily self-employed and tackling the *mélange* of pursuits that color his career.

After completing law school, Hill moved to Atlanta, attracted by the tech boom there and his interest in patent and trademark copyright law. In no time, with the help of a personal connection, Hill was hired as assistant to the general counsel at Radiant Systems, which developed cash register monitoring systems utilized by many gas stations and movie theaters throughout the country. Hill helped the company's software engineers develop patents based on their new products. It was, in plain terms, his "dream job," he says. But, it didn't last. Six months into the position his department folded, a victim of the dot.com and tech crash in early 2000.

After that, Hill switched gears, moving from intellectual property and patent law to real estate law in order to help his uncle, a real estate mortgage broker in Atlanta. The area of speciality came naturally to Hill, who grew up in a family of real estate investors and who now owns some investment properties of his own.

Having found success as a freelance attorney help-

novation think tank, and one part mediation center, Hill hopes the project — which has him collaborating with two Vanderbilt business professors — will offer Nashville-area business and technology gurus a space to come and incubate their ideas and then turn them into real, marketable products.

"It will have stuff to break you out of the mold and be creative — bright primary colors, games, Play-Doh. Things to get you to ask questions in different ways," Hill explains. Centers like the one Hill's proposing already exist throughout the country, in cities such as Chicago, Pittsburgh, Ann Arbor, and Louisville. Hill hopes to finalize his business plan for adding one to Nashville's landscape by the end of this year.

"Rob has lots of great ideas, and it's exciting to have him come to Owen (Vanderbilt University's business school). He's someone to bounce ideas off of, and a wonderful intellectual collaborator," says David Owens, Clinical Professor of Management at Vanderbilt and one of Hill's intended partners on the inspiration station project.

Also on Hill's drawing board are plans to begin filming a documentary next spring about Savannah, which will detail the history of the city and its evolution into one of America's premier vacation and retirement communities. Hill is serving as producer on the project.

"I honestly don't think I could do just one thing."

ing with real estate closings throughout Georgia, Hill considered opening his own real estate law firm in Savannah, where he and Amber lived for a few years. But in 2003 the family moved to Nashville, where his parents and younger brother, Mark, had settled. There, Hill's parents, still active investors, introduced him to membership in the Real Estate Investors of Nashville — the group that inspired Hill to write his second book, detailing true stories of the ups and downs of real estate investment.

Since moving to Music City, Hill has sidelined his legal practice a bit (he gained license to practice in Tennessee only earlier this year) in order to focus on his many other interests.

In addition to running his media company and freelance photography business, he's currently pursuing an MBA at Vanderbilt's Owen Graduate School of Management and working on two more books — another on real estate issues and one detailing his experiences in business school.

He's also got plans in the works to launch what he's tentatively calling an "Inspiration Station." One part in-

While his schedule is admittedly "chaotic," he wouldn't have it any other way. "I honestly don't think I could do just one thing," Hill admits. Four months working in a traditional law firm setting in Georgia — with its "politics and micromanagement" — was enough to let Hill know it wasn't for him.

Since becoming a new father, Hill says he's been trying to cut down on some of his projects. But it doesn't come naturally to him. "I make things complex, I know. I enjoy it that way, I guess. It's just hard to simplify because I have so many things that intrigue me," he says.

So for now, it's sleep he's more apt to give up, waking early to care for Truman to let his wife catch some shut-eye after staying up with the baby all night, and then turning to his PR work by midday and to his writing, roughly from 8 p.m. to 2 or 3 a.m.

The near-round-the-clock schedule is worth it, Hill says, because it lets him do what he loves best. "I've always been about creating things. I love making things and seeing things come to fruition," he says.

Making Things Happen

Hill attributes a lot of his success to the fact that he's "not afraid to ask the right questions at the right time. I don't mind opening my mouth," he explains.

Cases in point: When Hill met Robert Shemin, author of several real estate investment books, at a seminar, he didn't shy away from asking about his experiences in the field. The conversation eventually led to a contact with Shemin's editor, and Hill's second book deal. Same thing again when Hill connected with author Scott Turow at a Vanderbilt conference. Their chat led to Hill's being introduced to Turow's editor, who has a contract on one of Hill's forthcoming books.

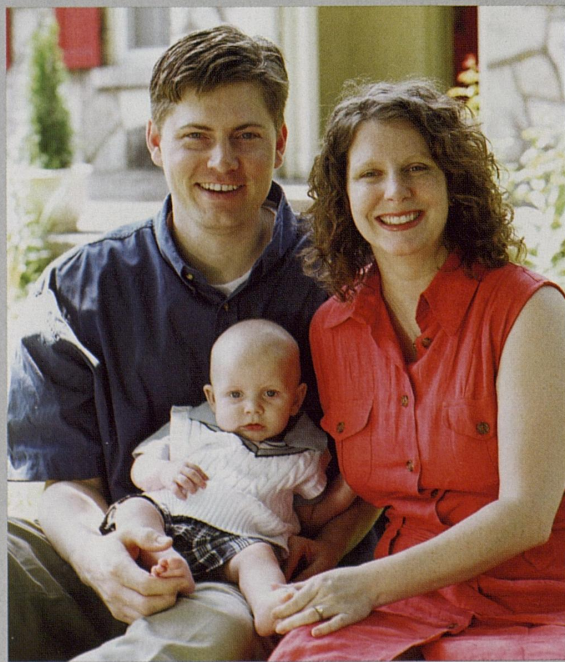
And his self-taught foray into professional photography came after Hill asked a well-known Nashville musician, Buddy Miller (whom he had met when Miller purchased a home from his parents), if he could borrow Miller's semi-professional camera. Just like that, Miller handed over his camera and lenses, and Hill used them to establish a portfolio.

The photographic skill came easily to Hill, who has always been a totally visual person.

Since then, Hill's photographs of celebrities from Shania Twain to LeAnn Rimes to Maroon 5 in Nashville's music scene and of noted speakers like Condoleezza Rice and Laura Bush drawn to Vanderbilt University events have appeared in national publications like *Vanity Fair*, *People*, *Country Weekly*, and *Celebrity Living Weekly*.

Taking personality terms from a book he recently read, "*The Tipping Point*," Hill calls himself a "maven and a connector. I know a little about a lot of things,

Rob and Amber Hill with their son, Truman



and I know a lot of people," he says. "I've always been ... a middle man trying to facilitate stuff."

Hill's keen networking skills have helped not only his own career pursuits but also those of his Harpring Hill media clients as well.

"Rob was able to get Bill VornDick, a huge music producer who's worked with people like Béla Fleck and Alison Krauss, to come out and hear us at the Bluegrass Inn," explains Young of The Blind Corn Liquor Pickers. "Here we were, a totally local band, with one CD that we'd put out as a garage effort on our own. And he got this huge name to come see us. Eventually VornDick signed us to a two-CD contract, and we've gotten to work with the finest engineers in Nashville," Young says.

Hill credits his family's unwavering support for his creative tendencies and less than orthodox work behavior for allowing him to accomplish so much at such a young age. But it seems as though there's something else at work behind his success: When Rob Hill puts his mind to something, he finds a way to get it done.

Take "*Savannah Squares*," his first book, which came about almost as a dare. He'd been itching to buy a digital camera while he and his wife were living in Savannah. When he finally forked over the \$450 to buy a then top-of-the-line four-megapixel camera, "Amber said, 'OK, you've got your camera, so what are you going to do with it?'" Hill recalls. And just like that, he said, "I think I'll write a book." Three and a half months later, "*Savannah Squares*" was complete, fulfilling his parents' predictions that their eldest son, who often had to be reprimanded to get his nose out of the books — would one day turn out to be a writer.

Hill credits UK Law professor Harold Weinberg for tightening and honing his writing style, the effects of having completed multiple revisions and redrafts of a 25-page legal research paper on trademark dilution law in Weinberg's class. "He really taught me to write logically and coherently, so I owe him a large debt of gratitude," Hill says.

Hill's one regret about his UK experience was that he didn't take advantage of UK's joint MBA-JD program. But at the time, he says, he didn't realize how interested in business he was to become.

Hill's self-described ups and downs in the business world since leaving Lexington have taught him to "never be afraid to ask questions" and to "always try to stay in touch with people you find interesting," he says. And he tries to learn as much from his one failed business experiment — an online real estate closing site that folded after the tech boom ruptured — as his many successful ones.

At the end of what are usually very long days, Hill finds himself happy and at the center of an entrepreneurial career that's as unique as his interests are diverse.

"I am lucky to be doing what I really want to do right now," he says. "I cannot imagine living my life without this kind of work."

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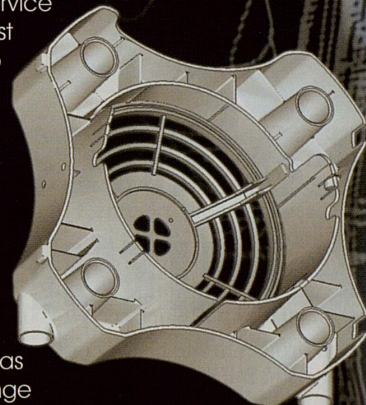
DESA, like other successful manufacturing companies, knows time-to-market is crucial given how tough the competition can be now. Their new product needed a prototyping service to quickly and accurately make molds and then cast parts for assemblies, part of a new heater. To add to the challenge, the parts involved were not smooth and flat, but complex and intricate shapes with blind holes and deep cores. Also required, high temperature resin that would stand up to the heat. Just to make things even more interesting, some parts needed to snap fit in the assembly.

Why did Eric chose UK? "I toured the Center when I was a student so I knew they could handle the job."

How did it go? "Great," Eric says. "Turnaround time was excellent, they worked with us when we had to change quantities, they turned out exactly what we needed when we needed it." He passed the word to other engineers at DESA and now they are also Center clients.

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FEATURE



The new 1-million-square-foot UK Chandler Hospital is expected to cost \$450 million and is scheduled for completion in 2010.

UK Healthcare Campus of the Future – Now!

The largest construction project in the history of the University of Kentucky is in full swing. Trucks, bulldozers and a huge crane herald the changing landscape of the UK campus — a transformation driven by the corresponding changing nature of health care delivery and advances in health care technology.

The new \$450 million University of Kentucky Albert B. Chandler Hospital, scheduled for completion in 2010, as well as a new academic medical campus, will help fuel UK's plans to become a Top 20 public research institution by 2020.

The expansion project — a new 1-million-square-foot UK Chandler Hospital to be finished in two phases — allows for the step-by-step replacement of the existing hospital. Moreover, the hospital project will be the cornerstone for a new 20-year, \$2.5 billion plan on the south side of campus to construct the academic medical campus of the future that will further accelerate growth in research and health education.

The academic medical campus of the future will include:

- A new \$120 million pharmacy building that will allow for an increase in student enrollment in the Top 10 ranked pharmacy program while also creating additional research space.
- Additional research buildings similar to the recently constructed Biomedical Biological Science Research Building (BBSRB).
- A new shared Health Sciences Learning Center,

where students from different health disciplines will interact and learn together.

• Additional buildings to house the programs of the colleges of Medicine, Dentistry, Nursing, Health Sciences and Public Health.

“This is really the beginning of dramatic, substantive and long-term change for the academic medical center and the UK Chandler Hospital,” said Dr. Michael Karpf, UK executive vice president for Health Affairs. “This project will improve health care for the people of Kentucky, while also expanding the research and education agenda of the University of Kentucky and the economy of the region and state.”

UK HealthCare officials expect to see 24,700 patients admitted this year at UK Chandler Hospital — a 29 percent increase over the 19,098 of fiscal year 2003. From a low period in 2003, the hospital has seen a dramatic increase in patients, with the number growing more each quarter than the prior year for 10 consecutive quarters.

The increasing demand for the services provided by UK HealthCare over the past several years has spurred the need for additional staff — nurses, physicians and other medical providers. UK HealthCare has created nearly 1,300 new jobs since 2003 — an increase in its workforce of more than 26 percent.

The first phase of construction for the new hospital has begun, as crews have broken ground on a parking garage for use by patients and their families, slated for completion in 2007.

A large circular drive with direct access from South Limestone will deliver visitors to a central lobby linking the new UK Chandler Hospital, Kentucky Children's Hospital and Linda and Jack Gill Heart Institute.

Patients' rooms in the new hospital will provide a warm, comfortable environment for a loved one to stay overnight with the patient. Additional family and support space such as waiting areas, food services and a patient library will help to make the hospital stay comfortable for patients and their families.

"The ultimate goal is to afford Kentuckians the peace of mind that no matter how sick they get, no matter how complex or unusual their illness is, they don't have to go to a Cleveland Clinic or Mayo for the best possible treatment. They can be taken care of in Kentucky at UK Chandler Hospital," Karpf said.

Along with the expansion in health care services has come a dramatic increase in health research at UK's six academic medical colleges. UK President Lee T. Todd Jr. said that for UK to reach its goal of becoming a Top

UK is well-positioned to pursue inter-professional health care education and collaborative research.

20 public research institution by 2020, the growth of the medical research enterprise will have to accelerate, prompting UK officials to begin long-range planning for a medical campus of the future.

In the last few years alone, health research in the UK College of Medicine has nearly doubled — expected to reach \$131 million in grants and contracts this year. The university's quest for Top 20 status among the nation's public institutions will require a significant research commitment from the academic colleges at the medical center, which account for more than 55 percent of UK's total research dollars.

"One of the things that we take very seriously is our responsibility to create new knowledge, to develop the kinds of new treatments and understandings of disease, that make a difference to the people of Kentucky, and indeed the nation," said Dr. Jay A. Perman, UK College of Medicine Dean. "To do that, we need to constantly attract the best medical scientists available, who are often highly sought after. They are going to spend a good deal of their time doing research in order to create new knowledge. But, they also need to work in state-of-the-art facilities. So an outstanding new hospital, plus more



Proposed master site plan for academic medical campus

UKHealthCare

academic and research space, gives us a leg up in attracting to Kentucky the very best professionals possible."

The first phase of the academic medical campus of the future will be the upcoming construction of a new UK College of Pharmacy building, scheduled to begin in 2007 with completion late in 2009.

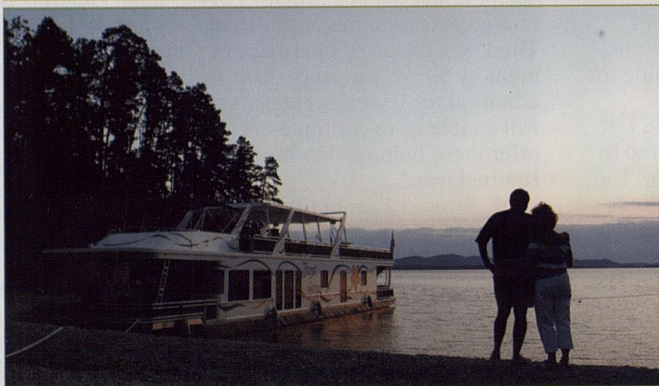
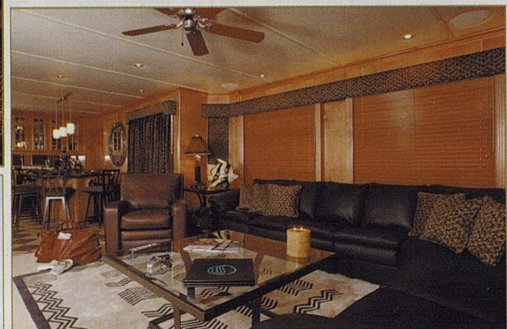
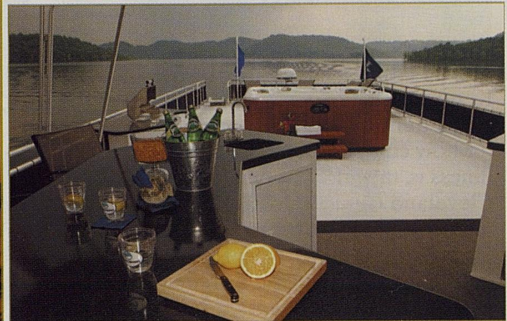
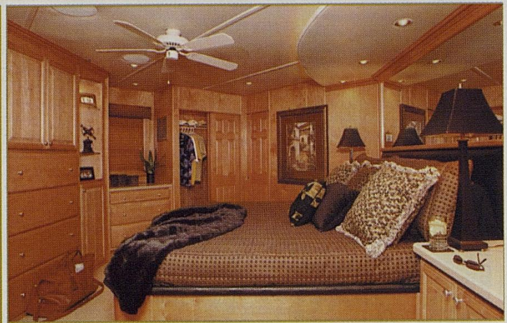
"The new College of Pharmacy building will double the amount of our current classroom space and increase research space by about 40 percent," said Kenneth B. Roberts, UK College of Pharmacy Dean. "Kentucky currently has a shortage of some 400 pharmacists in all regions of the state. Our Top 10 ranked program must grow to meet the state's needs. The UK College of Pharmacy has increased its enrollment by 50 percent since 2000, from 88 students to 132 admitted for the class entering in 2006. The new facility will enable us to continue our growth and allow us to offer these high-quality health care job opportunities to Kentuckians."

UK Provost Kumble R. Subbaswamy believes collaboration is a key factor in educating Kentucky's future health care providers. "As one of only a few universities in the nation to have all six medical colleges on one campus, UK is well-positioned to pursue inter-professional health care education and collaborative research. The entire Health Sciences Learning Center and Research Complex will offer unprecedented opportunities for the learning and research experience, in addition to the learning opportunities the new UK Chandler Hospital will provide for Kentucky's future doctors, nurses and allied health professionals," he said.

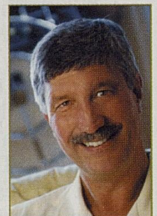
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FEATURE

KIM FENDER

Even after all these years, the image of Marian the Librarian, portrayed by actress Shirley Jones in *"The Music Man,"* is indelible. Stern, no-nonsense and a know-it-all, Marian had a meticulously coifed bun, perched on top of her head like a generous dollop of whipped cream. She walked so erect it looked as if she could have had a board strapped to her back. Behind her big desk, she scolded noisy teenagers while peering over wireless, round glasses.

Flash forward four decades, and meet the 2006 version of Meredith Willson's classic character.

Kim Fender has heard all the stereotypes before. "I'll meet someone and tell them I work at the library, and they'll say, 'You don't look like a librarian,' and I'll say, 'Oh, I forgot my bun!'"

The five-foot tall woman with short, dark, red hair certainly does "work" at a library. In fact, for the past seven years, she has run the Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County, which ranks as one of the top 10 circulating library systems in the country. As executive director, she oversees a \$50 million budget, 42 branches and a collection that totals almost 10 million books, tapes, magazines, CDs, reference materials and more.

UK ALUMNA LEADS A TOP 10 CIRCULATING LIBRARY IN THE UNITED STATES

By Beverly Bell

BY THE BOOK

FACT BETTER THAN FICTION

If it were a movie script, this story couldn't be written any better: small town girl grows up in a rural part of Northern Kentucky. Her father's parents are barely literate, reading on only a third or fourth-grade level. The mother and her family, however, are different. They read constantly and pass on their love of books to the girl and her sister and brother. The mother and children regularly visit not one, but two, libraries; a local library system and another in the nearby "big city." This is the world the small town girl grows up in, where there's not much money, but plenty of grist for the imagination. And while the financial resources may not be there, the expectation that this child will go to college, is. Somehow, the girl finds a way to go to school and graduates, the first one in her family to do so.

And everyone lives happily ever after.

Well, that's how Hollywood might write the ending. In reality, Fender put in the time and paid her dues. She lived at home instead of on campus to save money. To continue her education, she commuted about 70 miles one way. And she worked part-time to manage the bills.

Need has a way of creating an opportunity and in the beginning, Fender needed a job.

A CAREER FINDS FENDER

In the fantasized movie version of Fender's real life, it's natural to want to skip-ahead to the good parts. She's at the top of her game, a successful wife and mother of two, running a major library system, standing at the podium and receiving the Outstanding Alumna Award in 2001 from the University of Kentucky School of Library and Information Science Alumni Association.

But everyone knows the old axiom: *No pain, no gain*. For Fender, just getting to college was an accomplishment. "While I had in mind to go to college, I really didn't know how to go about doing it. Things like applying for scholarships, how to get on campus and all of that, was a real challenge," she explains.

She was, of course, aware of Kentucky's flagship university. "I always loved UK," Fender says, but that was too big of a leap. "Northern Kentucky University was just a few minutes down the road. It was a part of our lives in a way that made it feel approachable ... something I could actually attain."

To help pay her tuition, she took a part-time job at the W. Frank Steely Library on Northern's campus. At first, it was like any other stopgap measure, a means



Photo: Colleen Kelley

Kim Fender, far right, executive director of the Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County, talks in the Children's Learning Center with Lisa Hamrick '96 CIS, manager of the center, and Greg Edwards '91 CIS, Main Library services manager.



Photo: Colleen Kelley

Kim Fender, executive director of the Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County, speaks at a board meeting at the Main Library in downtown Cincinnati.

to an end. Then she discovered something: she was good at it and more important, she enjoyed the people and the setting.

In 1981, she graduated from Northern with a bachelor's degree in anthropology. The girl who had first majored in computer programming and toyed with the idea of elementary education now had another goal in mind; a master's degree in library science from UK. She was awarded an internship and began the regular commute to Lexington. Fender's career was officially launched.

THE NEXT STEP AT UK

Fender's graduate school experience at UK was from the perspective of someone very focused on what she wanted. She made the trip to the main campus three, sometimes five, days a week in order to attend classes. Then, she drove to Frankfort for her internship at the Kentucky Department for Libraries and Archives. Determined to complete her education and now married, Fender didn't have much time for campus activities and interactions.

Still, Fender does remember one teacher at UK. His name was Larry Allen and he taught Library Management and Public Libraries. He was unlike any professor Fender had ever had. Constantly on the move in the classroom, he engaged the students on a deeper level; prob-

ing and pushing them, forcing them to respond and to react to the material. "He had a very strong personality, very dynamic," Fender says.

In 1983, she graduated with her master's degree and accepted a position as a reference librarian at the Boone County Public Library. Two years later, she joined the Campbell County Public Library as Head of Public Services. After a short stint with ATE Management and Services Company as its Manager of Information Services, Fender returned in 1988 to the "big city" library of her youth, not as a customer, but as a librarian.

NOT YOUR MOTHER'S LIBRARY

To explain what a library of 30-40 years ago had, it's easier to say what it didn't have. There were no tapes, no movies, no CDs, and no computers. There was no upholstered furniture, usually no air conditioning and absolutely no food, under any circumstances.

If a patron like the young Fender wanted to find a particular book, she would thumb through small file drawers filled with the titles of the library's collection, all neatly typed on alphabetized index cards. If she wanted to check something out, she would write her name on another card and the librarian stamped it with

the due date. To complete a term paper, she would sit at utilitarian tables — wooden and rectangular — with hard, wooden chairs to match.

Today's library paints a very different picture. Most visitors start their book search on a computer. If they choose, they can also check their e-mail or visit a Web site. People read and relax in comfortable chairs and on couches. There are separate workrooms for group projects or tutoring. Young children play learning games online. In Cincinnati's main library, patrons can dash to the coffee shop for a drink and quick bite, or visit the gift shop. They can attend a class in grant writing or a poetry reading. At the main library and three different branches, books can be checked out without leaving the car, thanks to a drive-up window.

Libraries have become what some circles call the "third space."

"It's a place in the community where people come together. They can see their neighbors. They can sit and talk," Fender says. "Partly, it's a community gathering space that may not actually be related to using the library." In this way, the library fills a socializing need and attracts many different people, not just those who love books.

LIFE AFTER 9/11

Recently, a staffer at Cincinnati's Main Library spotted an abandoned briefcase. "A few years ago, we would have just picked it up when we were doing our clean-up, and stuck it in a box in Lost and Found. It would have been absolutely nothing," says Fender.

But that was before the attacks on September 11, 2001. This time, the police were called and the building was evacuated until it was determined that there was no safety threat. "We're just more aware of security concerns," Fender says. "We try to be more conscious of what people are doing within our buildings."

During the anthrax scare a few years ago, masks and gloves were purchased and sent to all branches for those employees who were uncomfortable opening the mail without protection. When a powdery substance was found on one of the library tables, members of the fire department in full HAZMAT suits were called in. They tested the material, which turned up clean.

Beyond suspicious packages and bio-terrorism worries, there is also the issue of the USA Patriot Act.

Unwanted Library Visitors

Apparently, humans aren't the only ones who like to come to the Cincinnati library system. When a mysterious box was found in one of the library restrooms, the police came, moved it outside and seriously considered blowing it up. Then, a member of the library security staff heard scratching noises and realized that there was something alive in the container. They opened it and found a hamster.

On another occasion, someone deliberately dropped two snakes down a toilet. The custodian repeatedly tried to flush them, but they kept swimming back up. He finally removed them. Other animal visitors have included a rabbit, a raccoon (fortunately, it only got as far as the library's walled-in-garden) as well as the assorted cat and dog.

Once, a disgruntled young patron released more than a dozen small lizards and snakes in the book drop after hours. "They were all over the building," Fender says. "We were finding them for days under the drinking fountain and under chairs."

Passed in October 2001, the controversial law gives the federal government greater authority to track and intercept communications, if it believes that a terrorist threat exists. This includes accessing library records. Ohio's confidentiality laws and the library's practice of never retaining a patron's checkout records, makes the matter moot, she said.

THE TOUGH ROAD AHEAD

Relying on 27 years of professional experience, Fender shepherds the Cincinnati system through its on-going challenges. In 2002, the system's budget was cut by 10 percent, a level that still exists today. Operating with fewer funds, she and her staff must still manage a dizzying information maze that grows exponentially.

Then, there's the issue of digitization. "I can pick up the oldest book in our collection, and as long as I know the language that it's printed in, I can read it the same way I did the day it was printed," she says. "But if you look at the technology changes and how quickly they happen, every time you convert something to a new level of technology, you have to go back and convert everything, year after year after year."

The last problem might be the most worrisome of all — a shortage of librarians. Many library professionals are reaching retirement age and there aren't enough graduates to take their place. "It hasn't hit us yet," Fender says. "We still have lots of people applying for the positions that we have. But we're always concerned that it may begin to happen." To prepare for the shortfall, the Cincinnati system currently offers a tuition reimbursement program for those interested in pursuing a career in library science.

HER LOVE OF BOOKS

Today Fender is talking excitedly on the phone. Her voice takes on a higher pitch as she tells the caller about the two new novels she just picked up from the library. One is the new book by Elizabeth Peters and the other is the latest from Anne Perry.

"I'm so lucky," Fender says.

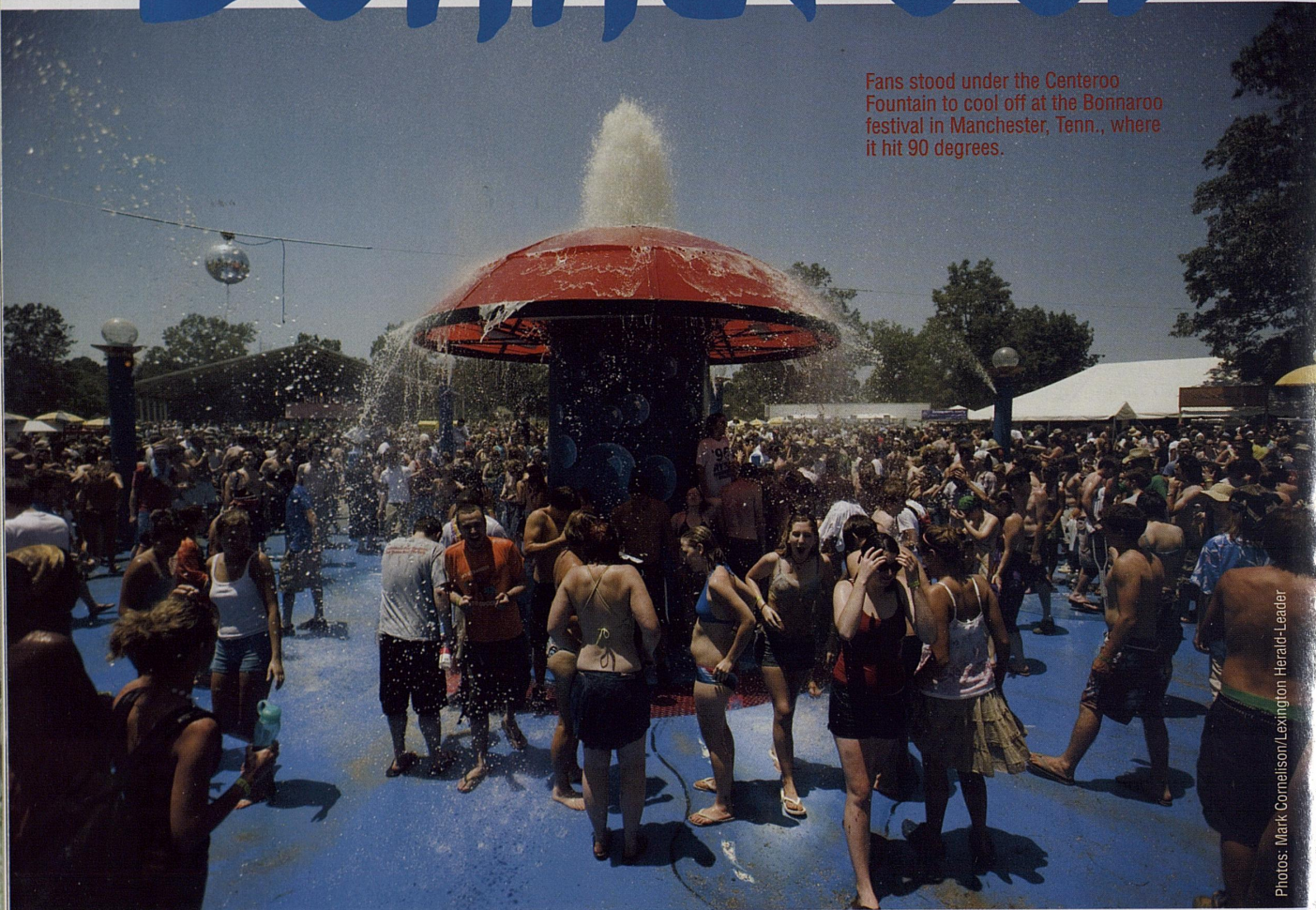
The patrons of the Cincinnati library system could say the same thing.

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Bonnaroo:

Fans stood under the Centeroo Fountain to cool off at the Bonnaroo festival in Manchester, Tenn., where it hit 90 degrees.



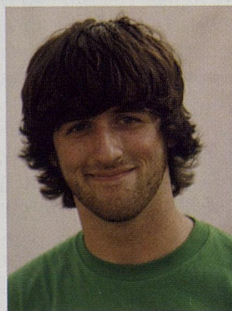
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Blue Media Bracelet Is A Golden Ticket

By Jamie Gumbrecht

Matt Jordan, a sophomore, is a UK journalism major from Elizabethton.

MANCHESTER, Tenn. — Matt Jordan is wearing the unofficial men's uniform for Bonnaroo: khaki shorts with extra pockets, flip-flops and a band T-shirt. (Today, he's showing off his Of Montreal fandom.)



But the Lexingtonian has one of the most coveted accessories at the huge music festival here, a sparkly blue media bracelet.

It's the pass that means, unlike the 80,000 other attendees, he didn't have to pay the \$184.50 ticket price. He has access to free cold water, an air-conditioned media trailer and artists like Ben Folds, Andrew Bird and Robert Randolph.

At 19 years old, he is the media. The new media. A blogger. And he's one of

You Ain't No Picasso

the rare bloggers who gets paid to share his opinions on music, especially music like the lineup at the Bonnaroo Music and Arts Festival.

In its fifth year, the festival welcomed hundreds of reporters and photographers, from the likes of *Spin* magazine and MTV, but also more Internet-based news than ever, including Jordan.

"It still surprises me that I got a press pass to this," he says, standing in a throng of sweating 20-somethings waiting to see singer Devendra Banhart. "I consider myself a journalist in training. I guess I'm a professional blogger."

Jordan's blog, You Ain't No Picasso, began in November 2004, just a few months after he moved to Lexington to attend the University of Kentucky. He posted digital music files on an amateur Blogger-built site to share with his friends. Soon, other people started reading — about 6,000 of them, every day.

The Web site, www.youaintnopicasso.com, features interviews, concert reviews and news about indie rock, Jordan's music of choice. (The name came from a song by the indie band Bishop Allen. It was an unreleased demo, exactly Jordan's style.) Bonnaroo will provide a bevy of posts, including photos and interviews. And when the bootlegged recordings of performances spread throughout the Internet, he might post some of those, too.

Despite the celebrity that comes with being an Internet star — he gets the "Don't I know you from somewhere?" stare often — he argues that he's "not the best writer in the world," and readers wouldn't return if he didn't post new tracks from little-known bands.

Most posts at You Ain't No Picasso come with an MP3 or two. Usually, Jordan asks permission to post songs, but he's been twice "slapped on the wrist," he says — once when he posted a song by the band Final Fantasy that its record label didn't want out on the Internet, and again when he featured a song by the band Snow Patrol that leaked before the album was released. That time, the Recording Industry Association of America shut him down. (The industry group found the song on servers at UK, which froze Jordan's account until he removed the file and wrote a letter of apology. After that, he switched to his own servers.)

'A blast and a half'

John Jordan, Matt's father, said he reads his son's blog daily and never worries that his son is spending too much time on the computer.

"He's had a computer since elementary school," John Jordan says. "I think this really helped his writing skills. The stuff he was doing when he started the blog is Stone Age compared to what he's doing now."

He trusted his son to make good decisions, he said, and so far, it's paid off. Literally.

With ads on his site, Jordan, who is majoring in journalism, makes enough money to pay his rent in Lexington and buy a few goodies, such as the new digital camera he's carrying around the festival.

"If all I have to worry about is eating, that's great," says Jordan, who says he leads a typical college lifestyle — sleeping, learning, music-obsessing and blogging.

A regular job — like the one he had at Baskin-Robbins last summer — just wouldn't fit into his schedule. He has to attend and analyze concerts, write down the set lists and take notes on the performers. He has a show on UK's student-run radio station WRFL-88.1 FM. He has to coordinate his UK student schedule with a New York public relations agent's date book or a Los Angeles musician's tour.

Often, he's up until dawn, crafting a post or looking for new music.

Sometimes, it feels like work.

"It takes a sizable chunk of the day," Jordan says. "It's a blast and a half to do what I do and be paid, but there are a lot of late nights."

All in a day's work


Bonnaroo translates into many late nights surrounded by 80,000 other sweaty, dusty music fans. Jordan's list of shows to catch on the first day includes Andrew Bird (whom Jordan planned to interview later), Seu Jorge, Death Cab for Cutie, Tom Petty and the Heartbreakers, My Morning Jacket and Bright Eyes, who was getting one last chance to impress the blogger whose opinion is slowly shaping more young fans' musical tastes. (The last Bright Eyes show Jordan saw was "boring," and he let everyone know it.)

The show schedule comes after Jordan left Elizabethtown, his hometown, about 1:30 a.m. Friday, but got a flat tire a few miles outside the city.

He and a friend headed back for a new car, then took off again at 3 a.m., arriving in Manchester three hours later, in just enough time to wait two hours for the will-call office to open. That's when he sneaked in a 20-minute nap, part of the one hour of sleep he's gotten in the past day.

The new media, Jordan points out, is not all glamour. "There's no glamour," he says. "Except the bracelet."

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FEATURE

Profiles in Blue

Mira Ball



Mira Snider Ball is co-owner with her husband, Don, of Ball Homes Inc., one of the nation's largest home builders, headquartered in Lexington. She is the company's chief financial officer. The couple, who has three grown children, also owns Donamire Farm, a Thoroughbred facility in Fayette County. They have been involved with horses and racing since 1967. Mira is a UK alum, Class of 1956, which is celebrating its 50th Class Reunion Oct. 6 and 7 in Lexington.

While at UK, Mira had the opportunity to work for Katherine Kemper, who started the first job placement service at the university. "She'd been in education and placed teachers so they brought her over to the administration building. She started out and hired me part time, so I was her first employee. I think those part-time jobs that you have and the things that you do while you are going to school can help you a lot, sometimes as much as your formal education does," she said.

Mira earned her degree in business education and at one time was a school teacher. Today she is known for her civic volunteer work and has been on the board of directors of many organizations, among them the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce, the Kentucky Horse Park, Kentucky Education Television, Midway College, Bluegrass Community Foundation, Kentucky Baptist Homes for Children, United Way of the Bluegrass and the Kentucky Historical Society. She currently is a University of Kentucky Board of Trustees member whose term expires in 2010.

Mira Ball in the lobby at Ball Homes Inc.

Photo: Tim Collins

Family pets

Duchess, an 8-year-old West Highland terrier

Agenda for Saturdays at 3 p.m.

Watching a sporting event or one of her horses (could be local at Churchill Downs or on the TVG network) or reading

Goal yet to be achieved

Wining the Kentucky Derby

No. 1 rule she lives by

"I try to treat others like I want to be treated."

Person she'd like to meet over lunch

Warren Buffett

Highlight of yesterday

Celebrated husband Don's 70th birthday at a dinner party at son and daughter-in-law's house, which included the grandchildren

Where did she meet her husband?

Baptist Student Union at UK

Passions in life

Her church, family (husband, children and grandchildren) and the University of Kentucky

"Being on the board of trustees has involved a lot of my time. I'm very excited about what is happening there right now with the pursuit of a Top 20 ranking, the new hospital, and with what Dr. Todd is trying to do."

Guilty pleasure

"I probably enjoy television more than I ought to."

Most memorable moment at UK

"This wasn't too pleasurable, but the most memorable moment was being in Memorial Coliseum and seeing the UK basketball team get beat by Georgia Tech. That was the first time I had ever seen UK lose. I had seen them play many times, but I had never seen them get beat in Memorial Coliseum."

Essential business philosophy

"I think you have to be completely honest in all your dealings with your customers and the people you do business with and try not to have any conflicts of interest."

First job as a teenager

"I grew up in the country and worked in the summers when I was in college at Caldwell Tank Company in Louisville, filling in for everyone when they went on vacation. I had an aunt there and I stayed with her part of the time. The company built large water tanks for cities. I did all types of office work, took dictation, and answered the phones. It was not a big office, about four or five people, and I learned a lot."

New career choice

"I can't think of doing that now. I enjoy what I do so much and it's so varied, although at one time I thought I'd like to be a home economics teacher. I've also enjoyed accounting and at one time right after college might have pursued being a CPA."

Advice to college students

"Enjoy every minute of it, don't miss anything, study and work hard because it is going to benefit you the rest of your life. And I am talking about extracurricular activities as well as class work."

Most influential book

The Bible

Best meal ever eaten

A Grand Marnier Soufflé in Paris, France

Coffee or tea?

Black coffee in the morning

Monday – Friday breakfast

Two pieces of bacon, one scrambled egg

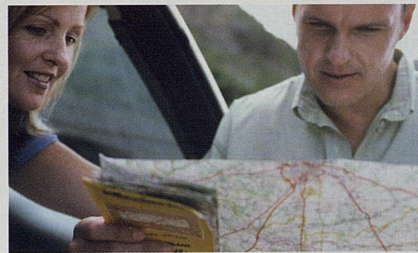
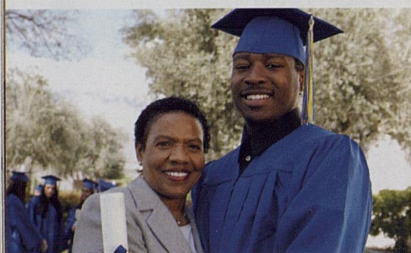
Favorite vacation spot

"The vacation I remember most was a cruise about 10 to 15 years ago around the British Isles, with an emphasis near Scotland, because of the weather, the flowers, the people of Scotland, and the fact that everything there is much older than in this country."

Class of 1956: Register now for your 50th class reunion and induction into the Golden Wildcat Society by calling 1-800-269-ALUM or 859-257-8905 or at www.ukalumni.net See page 36 for event details.



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2006-2007 Officers Named

Guiding the association in 2006-2007 are William "Pete" Friedrich '71, president; Paula Leach Pope '73 '75, president-elect; Diane Massie '79, treasurer; and Stan Key '72, secretary.

Friedrich of Shelbyville was active in the Greater Birmingham UK Alumni Club from the mid-1980s. Prior to retiring, Friedrich was the senior director for EDS.

Pope of Lexington has been employed by UK since 1982 and currently is the director of the UK Fellows Society and Donor Relations.

Massie has been instrumental in keeping the greater Chicago area UK alumni connections active. She is marketing manager for cars.com

Stan R. Key of Lexington is the executive director and secretary of the UK Alumni Association and has been with the association for 16 years.



The UK Alumni Association officers for 2006-2007 are, left to right, Stan Key, secretary; Diane Massie, treasurer; Pete Friedrich, president; and Paula Pope, president-elect.

2006 UK Alumni Association Distinguished Service Awards

The University of Kentucky Alumni Association honored the outstanding service of six of its members with the 2006 Distinguished Service Award at its annual Board of Directors Summer Workshop in Owensboro.

The 2006 honorees are Cammie D. Grant, Winchester; William Schuetze, Louisville; Robert C. Ward, Lexington; Janie McKenzie-Wells, Paintsville; and Scott Wittich, Powell, Ohio. Mike Christian, of Ashland, a 2005 award recipient, also was present to receive his award.

Christian started as a representative to the Ashland UK Alumni Club. He then served on the local alumni board, and eventually became club president. He was instrumental in raising funds locally with Football Coach Jerry Claiborne for the Ervin J. Nutter Football Training Facility. He later became a District 8 representative on the board of directors. He is a Life Member.

Grant has been a member of the board of directors, vice president and president of the Clark County UK Alumni Club. She is currently serving on the UK Alumni Association Board of Directors, also having served as chairperson of its Great Teacher Award/Scholarship Committee and the Club Development Committee. She is a Life Member.

Schuetze was involved in the formation of UKAN — University of Kentucky Advocacy Network — a group that volunteers to ensure the university's legislative priorities are met. He also started the Alumni Enrichment Series for the Greater Louisville UK Alumni Club and is very active in student recruitment activities. He also has served as president, vice president and secretary of the club. He is a member of the UK Alumni Association Board of Directors, and a Life Member.

Ward has been an active part of the university community since he graduated in 1956. From 1964-1971 he served as assistant to the deans of the then UK College of Agriculture and Home Economics and the UK College of Education. He is a UK Fellow, a Life Member of the UK Alumni

Association, and is active in the College of Agriculture Alumni Association, and serves on the Spindletop Hall Board of Directors.

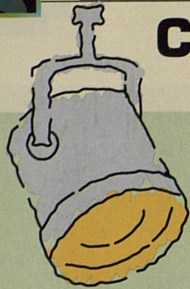
McKenzie-Wells is a Life Member of the UK Alumni Association and has served on its board of directors since 1999. She is a member of the Big Sandy UK Alumni Club and served as its president from 1992-1998. She is currently president of the UK Alumni Band and plays clarinet every year in the Alumni Basketball Pep Band. She is a member of the UK Friends of Music.

Wittich is a founding member of the Central Ohio UK Alumni Club and has been president, president-elect, and treasurer. During his term as president, the club was named Most Outstanding Out-of-State Medium Size Club and Most Improved Out-of-State Club. He has been a member on various committees and was chairperson of the Great Teacher Award/Scholarship Committee. He also is a Life Member.



The UK Alumni Association Distinguish Service Award recipients are, front row, left to right, Janie McKenzie-Wells, Robert C. Ward, and Cammie DeSheilds Grant, and back row, (l-r), Mike Christian, Scott Wittich, and William Schuetze.





CLUB HOPPING

Fayette County UK Alumni Club

There isn't a season of the year that the Fayette County UK Alumni Club is idle. In the Fall, it's the Fayette County College Preview Night, football, and more; in Winter, basketball, literacy projects, basketball, and more; in Spring, book awards, annual meeting, Keeneland tailgate, baseball and more; in Summer, golf, concert in the Singletary Center, Legends baseball and more.

In addition to a calendar full of activities, the club prides itself on developing leadership and being a major support to the university in its backyard.

Current president Lisa Atkinson says, "The Fayette County Club is unique in that we get to participate actively in the university community. Whether your interest is community service, athletic events, supporting the arts or engaging students, there are many opportunities to get involved."

This year's annual golf tournament netted over \$7,000 for the club's endowed scholarship fund. In addition to the golf scramble, funds come from silent auctions, special events, and contributions from local alumni. The 2005 scholarship recipients were Sara Hensley of Dunbar High School and Caitlin Richardson of Lafayette High School.

Students are high on the list of club programming. The Fayette County Club and the UK Office of Admission have teamed up for Wildcat Watch, an initiative to identify top students in Fayette County. Finals Treats, a tradition unique to the Fayette County Club, handed out a record number of donuts and milk, juice and coffee at the W.T. Young Library to students studying for exams.

If you live in Fayette County, get involved. If you are visiting Lexington, you are welcome to the club's events. To keep up with club happenings, bookmark its home page at www.ukalumni.net, keyword: Fayette.



The Fayette County UK Alumni Club hosted its annual Finals Treats at the William T. Young Library. Members provided students with refreshments to enjoy during study breaks.



The Clark County UK Alumni Club recently hosted its 17th annual Scholarship Scramble. Members of the winning foursome are, left to right, Wayne Quartermous, Ralph Chambers, Kevin Cantrell, and Bob Miller.



Photo: Steve Rush

The Greater Louisville UK Alumni Club and the Filson Historical Society welcomed Dan Smith, professor and chairperson, UK History Department, as part of the club's enrichment series to speak on "The Anatomy of Courage: The Greensboro Four and Launching the Civil Rights Movement." Left to right are Jack Guthrie, Mark Wethington (Filson Historical Society director), Smith, Bill Schuetze, and George Ochs. Guthrie, Schuetze, and Ochs are members of the UK Alumni Association Board of Directors.





CLUB HOPPING



Photo: Benoit Photo

Members of the **Southern California UK Alumni Club** enjoyed a day at the races at Hollywood Park.



Members of the **Warren County UK Alumni Club** cheered on the Wildcats at a game watch party at the Bowling Green Country Club.



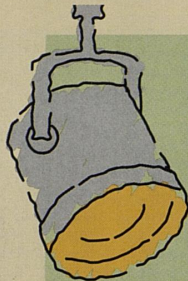
The **Northern Kentucky/Greater Cincinnati UK Alumni Club** hosted a Derby Party. Among those in attendance were, left to right, Tracy Smith, Doug Merkle, Nicole Utz, and Trena Bray.

Find a club near you at www.ukalumni.net





THE OPEN DOOR COLLEGE VIEW



College of Fine Arts

Looking for music that moves you? Art that speaks to you? Performances that make your heart leap? Then you are looking for the UK College of Fine Arts. Though one of UK's smallest colleges, it makes big headlines.

Alumni will remember such sterling professors as Wally Briggs and Elizabeth Taylor, Arturo Sandoval and James

Foose, Daniel Mason, Harry Clarke, and Everett McCorvey, to name but a few.

With the start of this academic year, there are more than 100 opportunities to see the artistic and musical talent of UK students. Outreach programs in the area will engage faculty with thousands of school-age children and residents for the purpose of education and entertainment.

Arts organizations that have employed UK graduates in the past include The Kennedy Center, Guggenheim Museum, Actors

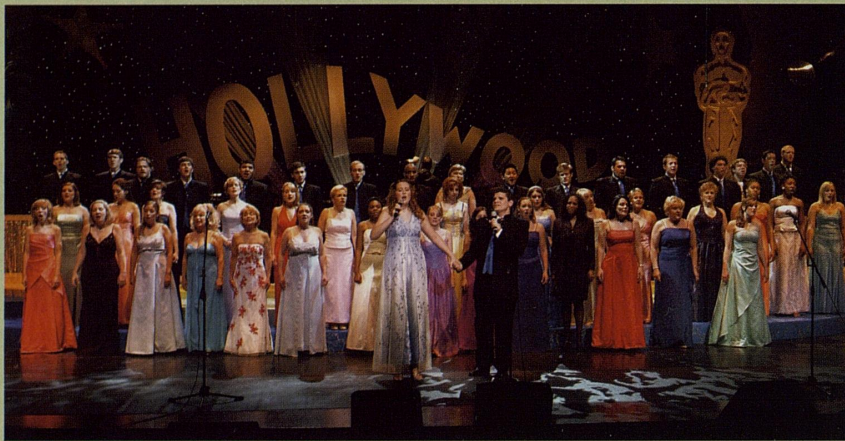
Theatre of Louisville, La Jolla Playhouse, Goodman Theatre, Los Angeles County Museum, Philadelphia Museum, Verve Records, Chicago Lyric Opera, Kentucky Center for the Arts, Indianapolis Children's Museum, and the Lexington Philharmonic.

The College of Fine Arts is stretching its wings as it makes plans to renovate the Reynolds Building studios and as it dreams of further expansion throughout the college to support a student population burgeoning in quantity and quality.

"The air here is vibrant with energy and ideas," says Dean Robert Shay. "I feel it in the classrooms of the Fine Arts Building, when I work in my studio at the Reynolds Building, and when I attend a performance at the Singletary Center for the Arts or the Guignol Theatre. The buildings resonate with the history of luminaries such as Metropolitan Opera tenor Gregory Turay and actress Ashley Judd."



Find out more about the College of Fine Arts and its 33 degree programs in music, art and arts administration at www.uky.edu/FineArts



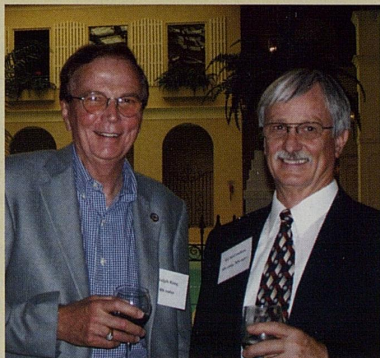
The UK Opera Theatre "It's a Grand Night for Singing" expanded its performances to two weekends in June.



Nawanna Privett '68 '76, right, is presented the 2006 Friend of Literacy Award by Janice Almasi, center, the UK College of Education Carol Lee Robertson Endowed Professor for Literacy, and Carol Lee Robertson, left, during the annual Kentucky Literacy Symposium.



THE OPEN DOOR COLLEGE VIEW



Ralph King '60 and Ed McCracken '65 '67 were in attendance at the **UK College of Engineering** Mechanical Engineering Alumni Reception in Lexington.

Six **UK College of Dentistry** students attended the American Student Dental Association National Lobby Day in Washington, D.C. Those attending were, left to right, Zak Thobaten, Chad Matthews, Rachel Matthews, Anna Smothers, Cynthia Rush, and Walter Peavler.



The second annual Gala in the Garden at The Arboretum was held recently to benefit the Children's Garden. The UK/Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government Arboretum is a division of the **UK College of Agriculture**. Among those attending the event were Tom Campbell, John Bedford Murray, Liz Hobson, Candace Harker, Jim Lempke and Kay Fischer.



Chris Hunt '06 BE visited with the Wildcat mascot during the graduation celebration hosted by the **Gatton College of Business and Economics**.





Career Corner with Caroline Francis

Preparing For An Evaluation

Be proactive and help your supervisor by preparing for your yearly performance evaluation.

- Compile a list of accomplishments attained since your last evaluation.
 - Quantify whenever possible with dollars, percents or numbers.
 - List extra projects you have taken on, professional development classes, and work-related events where you represented the company.
 - Send a copy to your supervisor two weeks before your review.
- Your annual evaluation also is the perfect time to discuss your career goals with your supervisor. Ask for support and strategize together on how to meet those goals.

Caroline Francis, Ed.S., NCCC is available for in-person, telephone or e-mail consultation. Reach her at cfrancis@uky.edu or 859-257-9323 (voicemail). To view past *Kentucky Alumni* career columns, go to www.ukalumni.net. Alumni Career Services are made possible by a special gift from the Jane I. Morris endowment to the association.

Get A Better Job!

UK alumni are invited to attend all campus career fair events. Go to www.uky.edu/CareerCenter for a current list, but mark your calendar now for these UK Fall Career Fairs:

September 20, 2006 – Business

October 11, 2006 – Engineering & Technology

Add Punch To Your Resume:

- Quantify using dollars, numbers or percentages.
- List how your work was used, citing specific results and efficiency gains.
- Keep records of your accomplishments to make your resume stronger.
- Include a supervisor's remark from a recent job evaluation.

Caution! Social Web Sites Ahead

Providing inappropriate profile information, pictures or comments on blogs or social Web sites such as Myspace or Facebook can be harmful to job seekers. Some college and executive recruiters are using search engines and social Web sites as an informal screening tool for job applicants. What you put on a Web site today can have long-term impact for tomorrow.

Find Top Talent At UK

Do you recruit employees for your company? Attend UK Career Fairs to hire talented UK students and alumni. For more information, go to www.uky.edu/CareerCenter or contact Sally Chesser, manager of Corporate Relations in the James W. Stuckert Career Center at the University of Kentucky: sally.chesser@uky.edu or 859-257-4040.

Jane I. Morris Endowment Events

Two new programs were held in conjunction with the Stuckert Career Center:

4 cities (Atlanta, Charlotte, Chicago and Cincinnati) were targets for Relocation Workshops

50 students attended the Last Minute Job Search Workshop

Congratulations



Congratulations to Laurel Curtis who won an iPod for being the first person to obtain a professional job after attending the Last Minute Job Search Workshop. She works for the Kentucky League of Cities.



UK Alumni Association members, are you taking advantage of all these great member benefits?

Not a member? Then join today
at www.ukalumni.net, keyword
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Discounts

Valuable member discounts are available at hundreds of local and national merchants, including savings on car and hotel rental, dining, apparel, and much more. To take advantage of these great deals, just show your member card or keytag at participating locations.

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Ticket Opportunities

The association receives access to limited numbers of athletic tickets for certain football and basketball games each year that are available to members. Members may request tickets on an individual game basis. Upon request, members are also eligible to receive complimentary athletic schedules.

(Web keyword: tickets)

Event Invitations

Whether it's participation in a local game watch party in your area or a game day hospitality event, as a member, you'll be on the invitation list. In addition, members are offered free or reduced admission pricing to many events.

(Web keyword: events)

University of Kentucky Advocacy Network

The University of Kentucky Advocacy Network (UKAN) engages, informs and provides opportunities for alumni to communicate with members of the Kentucky General Assembly and other elected officials regarding issues of importance to the University of Kentucky and higher education.

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Career Services

Valuable and free career services, including individual career advising and assessment, online job search, and access to career resources, are available to members in-person, by phone, or via email.

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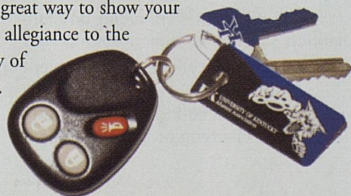
Scholarships

Through the support of members, the association sponsors several scholarships for undergraduate and postgraduate students on a yearly basis. In addition, various individual UK Alumni Club scholarships are awarded each year to students living in the club's geographic area.

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Member Decal, Card & Keytag

Our member decal, card and keytag are reserved exclusively for members of the UK Alumni Association and are a great way to show your pride and allegiance to the University of Kentucky.



Publications

As a member, you'll stay connected with your alma mater through a free subscription to *Kentucky Alumni* magazine and the *eAlumWise* electronic newsletter. Through these exclusive publications, you'll always be on top of University of Kentucky activities, achievements, athletic events, and the success of fellow alumni.



Record Keeping

The UK Alumni Association is the official university records keeper. Each year, over 45,800 record updates are made. To view or modify your personal record, visit www.ukalumni.net.

(Web keyword: update)

Connections

Members can search for alumni and old friends, post and read class notes, participate in alumni surveys, advertise your business, and build your own social and professional network.

(Web keyword: community)

Legacy Initiative

The Legacy Initiative provides benefits to the children of UK alumni who are members of the UK Alumni Association. Register your child at www.ukalumni.net, keyword "legacy".

Future Wildcats - Children of alumni who are association members will receive an annual birthday card and/or gift through age 18.

Legacy Students - Once enrolled at UK, Legacy students will have the opportunity to take part in special events and programs.

Legacy Tuition Program - Enables the children of graduates of UK who live out of state and meet certain criteria, including association membership, to attend UK at special out-of-state rates.

Students Today, Alumni Tomorrow

STAT is the association's official student organization that serves to connect UK students with alumni through service, events, and community. Opportunities for fun and fellowship provide an added dimension to the student experience.

(Web keyword: STAT)



Wildcat Society

The Wildcat Society is a unique and prestigious program available to all Life Members of the UK Alumni Association. The support of the Wildcat Society helps sustain the many programs that fulfill the association's mission to serve UK and its alumni.

(Web keyword: Wildcat Society)

Program Support

Member dues support association funding for alumni connections through all 16 UK colleges and allows the association to sponsor yearly events that connect alumni to the university such as homecoming and reunions.

(Web keyword: events)

Awards

Each year, member dues make possible the administration of UK Alumni Association awards, including recognition of Great Teachers at UK, alumni volunteerism and service, and the UK Alumni Association Hall of Distinguished Alumni.

(Web keyword: awards)

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Official Online Store of the UK Alumni Association
In addition to great savings, a portion of all sales benefit the association.

Lifetime E-mail Forwarding

All members are eligible for free Lifetime E-mail Forwarding. This convenient benefit not only allows you to maintain one e-mail address for a lifetime, but it forever affiliates you with the University of Kentucky through your own custom "@ukalumni.net" e-mail address.

(Web keyword: email)

Privileges & Access

Whether you live in or near Lexington or just visit on occasion, membership provides great local access, such as special golf privileges at the University Club of Kentucky golf course and use of University of Kentucky libraries. In addition, with membership comes eligibility to join Spindletop Hall and the UK Credit Union and to take part in exclusive Alumni Tours. Members also receive special offers and savings from select partners.

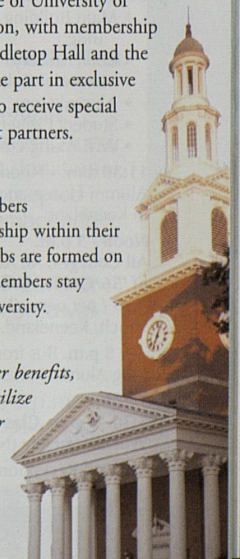
Alumni Clubs

UK Alumni Association members automatically receive membership within their local alumni club. Alumni clubs are formed on a geographical basis to help members stay actively involved with the university.

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For a complete list of member benefits, visit www.ukalumni.net. Utilize the online keyword search for added convenience.

Or, contact the association at 859-257-8905 or 1-800-269-ALUM.



50th Reunion Class of 1956 Golden Wildcat Society

UK Alumni Association

50th Reunions

Class of 1956 and Golden Wildcat Society Reunion Schedule

Thursday, Oct. 5

1 - 5 p.m. Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society Reunion
Registration, Crowne Plaza - Campbell House

5:30 - 8 p.m. Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society Reunion (\$40 / per person)

- Reception and dinner at Crowne Plaza
- President Todd Welcome and university update
- Class of '56 pinning and induction into Golden Wildcat Society
- Down Memory Lane
- Door Prizes for earliest graduation year, longest distance traveled, most UK degrees in family etc.

8 - 10 p.m. Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society

Dance to the music of Young at Heart

Friday, Oct. 6

7:45 - 8 a.m. Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society
Bus from Crowne Plaza to King Alumni House

8 - 9 a.m. Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society (No charge)

Breakfast, King Alumni House (reserved parking behind King and Stuckert buildings)

8:45 a.m. Load busses for campus tour or depart on walking tour

9 - 11:30 a.m. Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society (No charge)

Campus Bus Tour stops:

- Main Building (Administration Bldg.)
- Buell Armory
- Memorial Coliseum
- Alumni Gym
- Student Center (bookstore)
- W.T. Young Library

11:30 a.m. - Noon Bus from King Alumni House and Crowne Plaza to Keeneland

Noon - 5 p.m.

All Colleges, All Alumni, and Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society (\$35 / per person)

Lunch, Keeneland, Lexington Room

3 & 5 p.m. Bus from Keeneland to King Alumni House and Crowne Plaza

5:30 - 7 p.m. Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society (No charge)

Cocktail Reception, Crowne Plaza

7 - 10 p.m.

College Reunions and Events

Hospitality Room, Crowne Plaza
Shuttle available to dinner locations and Spindletop

Saturday, Oct. 7

8 - 9 a.m.

Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society

(No charge)

Breakfast, Crowne Plaza

8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. All Alumni

- Open House, King Alumni House (light food, sodas, coffee freshened for breakfast and snacks)
- Hospitality Room, Crowne Plaza (light food, sodas, coffee freshened for breakfast and snacks)
- Shuttles available to downtown, Rupp Arena, and campus

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society (\$15 / per person)

Donamire Farm Tour and Woodford Reserve tour with box lunch

8 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. College Reunions and Events

4:30 - 6:30 p.m.

All Alumni

Tent Party, Commonwealth Stadium

Colleges (Gatton B&E, Dentistry, Medicine)

Tent Parties, Commonwealth Stadium

4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society

(\$10 / per person)

Barbeque Tailgate, King Alumni House

5:45 - 6:15 p.m.

Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society

Park and ride bus to Commonwealth Stadium

7 p.m.

South Carolina vs. UK football game (\$40 / per person)

8:30 p.m. (halftime)

Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society

Bus from Commonwealth Stadium to King Alumni House or Crowne Plaza

10 p.m. (end of game)

Class of '56/Golden Wildcat Society

Bus from Commonwealth Stadium to King Alumni House or Crowne Plaza

For more information and to register, call 1-800-269-ALUM or 859-257-8905.

College 50th Reunions

UK College of Agriculture

Oct. 7 - AG & HES 50 Year

Reunion: The class of 1956 is invited to celebrate with a day of fellowship, recognition and meal at the E.S. Good Barn.

Call 859-257-7211 or visit www.ca.uky.edu/advancement.

Gatton Business & Economics

Oct. 7, Reunion Breakfast,

'56 grads, Gatton B&E Atrium, 8 a.m.

Contact Beverly O'Dell at 859-257-2767.

College of Law

Oct. 6, Cocktail Party & Dinner,

'56 grads, Spindletop Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Contact Julie Dunn at 859-257-3103.

College of Pharmacy

Oct. 5, Reception & Dinner,

'56 grads, Crowne Plaza - Campbell House, 5:30 p.m.

Oct. 6, limited tickets available to the Lexington Room, Keeneland, for members of all reunion classes.

Oct. 7

• Tour of the present College of Pharmacy, Rose Street, at 10 a.m.

• Tickets in block available to the South Carolina vs. Kentucky football game, 7 p.m.

Call 859-257-5303 ext. 81313 or visit www.mc.uky.edu/pharmacy

Fall Activities & Other Reunion Dates

All Alumni Tent Party, Commonwealth Stadium, 2 1/2 hours before all home games.

UK College of Agriculture

Sept. 15, Human Environmental Sciences Hall of Fame, Cameron Williams Lecture Hall, Plant Science Building, 3 p.m., with a reception immediately following

September 16, Roundup: 4 hours before kickoff of Ole Miss vs. UK football game. All alumni, faculty, staff, students and friends of the college (along with their families) are invited for a day of fun, food and entertainment!

September 30, Erikson & Scovell Societies Fellows Brunch, E.S. Good Barn before the Central Michigan vs. UK football game. Call 859-257-711 or visit www.ca.uky.edu/advancement.

Gatton Business & Economics

Oct. 5, Hall of Fame Recognition Ceremony, Gatton B&E Atrium, 10 a.m.

Oct. 6

- Lunch and racing, Keeneland, noon
- Evening reception to honor Hall of Fame Inductees

Oct. 7

- Reunion Breakfast, '81 grads, Gatton B&E Atrium, 8 a.m.
- Tent Party, South Carolina vs. UK, 5 p.m.

Call Beverly O'Dell at 859-257-2767.

UK COLLEGE OF DENTISTRY

30th Annual Fall Symposium and Alumni Weekend, Oct 6 - 8

Oct. 6

Registration and continental breakfast, Radisson Hotel, 8 a.m.

- Continuing Education, "Tooth Bleaching Information to Make Everyone Smile," 8:30 - 11:30 a.m.

- Pediatric Continuing Education, reviewing the incorporation of three pediatric dentists, pediatric anesthesiologist, and orthodontist on weekly basis, 8:30 - 11:30 a.m.

- Keeneland racing and luncheon, noon, ticket required

- All college cocktail reception, Radisson Hotel, 6 p.m.

- All college dinner with special reunion tables for classes

of '66, '71, '76, '81, '86, '91, '96 and '01, Radisson Hotel, 7:30 p.m.

Oct. 7

• **Dash for Dan 5K Run/Walk**, 8 a.m.

• **Registration and continental breakfast**, Radisson Hotel, 8 a.m.

• **Continuing Education:** "Parameters for Esthetic Success: Smile Analysis, Re-contouring & Bonding, Occlusion & Splints," Radisson Hotel, 8:30 - 11:30 a.m.

• **Tailgate Party**, 4:30 - 6:30 p.m.*

• **South Carolina vs. UK football game**, ticket required, 7 p.m.*

*Game is subject to change up to two weeks prior to game in order to accommodate television network scheduling. Tailgate will precede football game.

Oct. 8

Brunch, home of Dean Sharon Turner and A. W. Turner, 10 a.m. noon

Call Sue McConnell at 859-323-6676 for more information. A block of rooms is reserved at the Radisson Hotel. For hotel information, call 1-800-333-3333 or 859-231-9000 or visit www.radisson.com/ukdental.

College of Health Sciences

Oct. 13, **College of Health Sciences Hall of Fame**, 2 - 4 p.m.

Oct. 14

• **Alumni Leadership Meeting**, 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.

• **Keeneland Outing**, noon - 5 p.m.

• **40th Anniversary Gala**

Call Karen Kendrick at 859-323-1100 ext. 80562.

College of Law:

Sept. 8, **Dean's picnic with first year law students and Law Alumni Association Board**, Allan & Brenda Vestal's home, 6 p.m.

Sept. 15, **Hall of Fame Dinner**, Spindletop Hall, 6 p.m.

Sept. 21, **Scholarship Dinner for donors, scholarship recipients & Law School faculty**, Marriott Griffin Gate, 6 p.m.

Oct. 6

• **Class of '66 - 40th reunion**, cocktail party, Spindletop Hall, 7 p.m.

• **Class of '76 - 30th reunion**, cocktail party, location TBD, 6 p.m.

• **Class of '81 - 25th reunion**, cocktail party, Spindletop Hall, 7 p.m.

• **Class of '86 - 20th reunion**, cocktail party, Spindletop Hall, 7 p.m.

• **Class of '96 - 10th reunion**, cocktail party, Spindletop Hall, 7 p.m.

Oct. 7

• **Keeneland for all classes**, 11:30 a.m.

• **South Carolina vs. UK football game**, tickets available

Contact Julie Dunn at 859-257-3103.

College of Medicine

Sept. 15, **Cocktail Reception hosted by the dean** (during the Kentucky Medical Association Annual Meeting), Keeneland Suite, Hyatt Regency, Louisville, 4:30 - 6 p.m.

Sept. 16, **Ole Miss vs. UK Tailgate Party**, alumni tent next to E.S. Goodbarn, 1.5 hours before kickoff

COM Reunion Weekend, The Embassy Suites

• **Oct. 5, Welcome Reception**

• **Oct. 6, Continuing Education**, Keeneland, Alumni Awards Banquet

• **Oct. 7, Continuing Education**, tour of Chandler Medical Center, class parties, South Carolina vs. UK football game Tailgate Party

• **Oct. 8, Farewell Breakfast**

Contact Mary Beth Vicini at 859-323-5834.

College of Nursing

CON Reunion Weekend

Oct. 27, **Welcome Reception**, King Alumni House, 5 - 7 p.m.

Oct. 28

• **Annual Meeting and Award Ceremony**, including breakfast, President's Room, Singletary Center for the Arts, 10 - 11:30 a.m. Dean Jane Kirschling will address her goals for the college and the CONAA's role in the future.

• **Keeneland afternoon event** with a reserved section in one of the dining rooms.

Call Terry Lindsay Green at 859-323-6635.

College of Pharmacy

Sept. 25, **Annual Alumni and Friends Golf Outing**, University Club, Lexington. Event is limited to the first 176 registrants. Portion of the proceeds for the college's General Scholarship fund.

Oct. 5, **'66 BS Pharmacy Class**, Reception and Dinner, Crowne Plaza - Campbell House, 5:30 p.m.

Oct. 6

• **'81 BS, '82 PharmD, '86 PharmD, '96 BS and '97 PharmD Reception and Dinner**, Crowne Plaza - Campbell House, 6 p.m.

• **Keeneland**, Lexington Room, limited tickets available for alumni reunion classes

Oct. 7

• **Tour of present College of Pharmacy building**, Rose

Street, 10 a.m.

• **Tickets in block available to South Carolina vs. UK football game**, 7 p.m.

Oct. 6 - 8, **Annual Fall Continuing Education Conference**, Crowne Plaza - Campbell House.

Call 859-257-5303 ext. 81313 or visit www.mc.uky.edu/pharmacy

College of Public Health

Oct. 20

• **Third Annual Research Symposium**, Hyatt Regency, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

• **Third Annual UK College of Public Health Hall of Fame Induction and Dinner**, Hyatt Regency, 6 - 9:30 p.m.

Oct. 21

• **Alumni Brunch and Annual Meeting**, Keeneland, 9:30 a.m.

• **Keeneland, A Day at the Races**, afternoon

Call Cynthia Lamberth at 859-257-5678 ext. 82063.



UK Alumni Association

Nov. 4, **Tent Party at Commonwealth Stadium**, \$5.00 for UK Alumni Association members, \$10.00 for nonmembers

Stop by the UK Alumni Association tent at Commonwealth Stadium before the Cats take on the Bulldogs! Enjoy great food and entertainment while picking up pom-poms and stickers to complete your game day wardrobe. The tent opens two and a half hours before kickoff.

College of Arts and Sciences

Nov. 2, **Blazer Lecture featuring Ashley Judd**, Singletary Center for the Arts, Main Concert Hall, 7:30 p.m., free and open to the public

Nov. 3, **Hall of Fame Induction and Scholarship Ceremony**, Lexington Convention Center Thoroughbred Ballroom, Reception at 6 p.m., Dinner at 7 p.m., registration and fee

Nov. 4, **Tailgate Party**, tent next to the Goode Barn & Commonwealth Stadium, 2 hours before the Georgia vs. UK football game, registration and fee

Contact Kim Kluemper at 859-257-8124.

College of Education

Nov. 4, **Skeeter Johnson Wildcat Walk and Toddler Trot**, 9 a.m.

Kick-start your day with a family-friendly run/walk through the arboretum. The event includes music, food, a Baby Run and Toddler Trot. No charge but donations to the Skeeter Johnson Scholarship will be accepted with registration materials, sent out in September and available on-site.

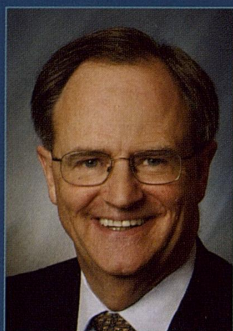
Contact Laurel Raimondo Martin at 859-257-2479 or laurel.martin@uky.edu for more information or to volunteer.

College of Law

Nov. 4, **All Alumni Homecoming Tent Party**, 5 p.m. or 2 hours before kickoff of Georgia vs. UK football game

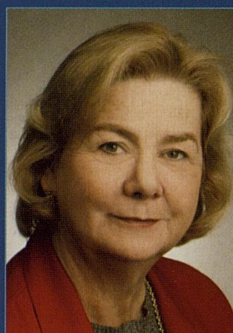
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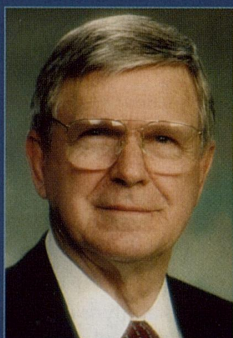
DR. LEE T. TODD JR.

Dr. Lee T. Todd Jr., UK's dynamic president, received his B.A. from UK followed by his master's and doctoral degrees from MIT. Dr. Todd was on the UK Engineering faculty for nine years before founding Databeam, a highly successful entrepreneurial venture which was acquired by IBM/Lotus, with Dr. "T" becoming senior vice president of Lotus Development in the transition. Now, in the 5th year of his presidency at UK, Dr. Todd has continued to champion the realization of his ultimate dream - to continue to guide UK to becoming one of America's Top 20 public research universities.



DR. WENDY BALDWIN

Dr. Wendy Baldwin, who received her master's and doctoral degrees from UK, returned to campus in 2003 to serve her alma mater as executive vice president of research. As such, Dr. Baldwin was instrumental in bringing in almost \$300 million in research funding to further Dr. Todd's quest for Top 20 status for UK. At press time, Wendy announced that she will be leaving the University to take on a new challenge: that of program director of poverty, gender and youth for The Population Council in New York City. UK's vast alumni group, as well as its faculty, current and future students and all of Kentucky owe Dr. Baldwin a debt of gratitude for her efforts on the University's behalf during her tenure.

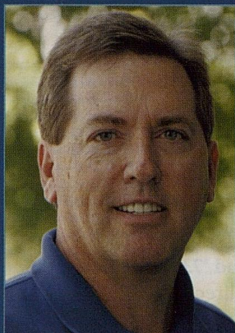


RALPH G. ANDERSON

Closely tied to UK's College of Engineering (the campus building bears his name) **Ralph G. Anderson**, a UK engineering grad, is the founder of Belcan Corporation headquartered in Cincinnati - a high profile group with over 3,000 employees worldwide. Recently Belcan was selected by Sikorsky Aircraft, a subsidiary of United Technologies Corp. (NYSE: UTX) to open a design engineering center to provide advanced engineering services for Sikorsky's helicopters used in commercial, industrial and military applications. And where did Anderson designate that the new center be domiciled? Just 10 minutes from the UK campus in downtown Lexington!

"Building a Top 20 public research university should be more than simply a UK mission. It needs to be a goal the entire Commonwealth embraces. The future of the Kentucky economy - and ultimately the state's quality of life - lies in the commercialization of university-based research. The 21st century economy will be defined by two things: innovation and creativity. And in this 'brain game', research universities must lead the way." – Dr. Lee T. Todd Jr.

of UK Alums: helping to put Lexington on the map.



DAVIS MARKSBURY

Another UK graduate, this one with a degree in civil engineering, began his professional career in Houston but returned to Lexington where, with his business partner, he founded Exstream Software. The grad? **Davis Marksbury**, who along with Dan Kloiber, created Dialogue™, the internationally acclaimed software system which solves very complex communications challenges for customers worldwide. Exstream has five offices around the globe, and has just announced that it will relocate its current Lexington/world headquarters complex to UK's Coldstream Research Park. Marksbury has noted, "Lexington provides everything we could ever want or need, and being right on UK's research campus is an ideal move for us."



RANDALL STEVENS

The final member of our 'starting five' group is **Randall Stevens**, a College of Architecture graduate who created and launched not one but two highly acclaimed software development companies: ArchVision and Mersive Technologies. ArchVision's software has become a high-demand program component for architects worldwide by providing a plethora of images which can be added to renderings to make them more lifelike - trees, flowers, animals, and humans of all ages and ethnicities. His second 'slam dunk', Mersive Technologies, makes possible through software and multiple projectors, the creation of very affordable, high-resolution display elements for commercial and other industrial adaptations.

If you're a UK alum considering starting a business or expanding an existing enterprise, we urge you to "think Lexington". With UK's commitment to Top 20 status and widespread community support for that quest, Lexington's climate is optimal for your success as well.

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Before 1960

Robert S. Gleason '56 BE is the manager of Merrill Lynch in Owensboro. Prior to this position, he was the manager of Advest Financial.

K. Sidney Neuman '58 AS, '60 LAW was named a 2006 Pennsylvania Super Lawyer by *Law and Politics Magazine* and *Philadelphia Magazine* for estate planning and trusts. Neuman is a partner in the law practice of Rothman Gordon PC in Pittsburgh, Pa. He is a member of the American College of Trust and Estate Counsel. He is married to the former **Marilyn Frisch '60 AS**.

Doris Wilkinson '58 SW was named the Community Achiever of the Year by the YMCA Black Achievers of Central Kentucky. Wilkinson is a professor in the department of sociology at UK and has helped develop the African-American studies and research program and the historic Black Women's Conference. She has been published in numerous publications on race relations in the United States.

1960s

Jerry Gayle Bridges '61 BE was appointed chief financial officer at the Corporation for National and Community Service by President George W. Bush. Previously, Bridges served as a controller for Johns Hopkins University and served as inspector general and assistant general for the United States Information Service. He lives in Vienna, Va.


Oscar C. Page '63 '67 AS received the Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) District IV Chief Executive Leadership Award. Page is the president of Austin College in Sherman, Texas. He has led a successful \$120 million campaign for

the college allowing facility restorations and the development of new and enhanced academic programming.

V. Leroy Young '66 AS, '70 MED is a plastic and reconstructive surgeon, specializing in cosmetic surgery. He lives in St. Louis, Mo.

1970s

Roberta T. Erena '70 '75 ED, '82 MED has joined the staff of Berkshire Medical Center in Pittsfield, Mass. Erena is a board certified physician trained in cardiology and cardiovascular disease. She completed her internship and residency training at Christ Hospital in Cincinnati, Ohio, and received fellowship training at the University of Louisville.

Roy L. Moore '70 CIS is the associate vice president for academic affairs and professor of mass communication at Georgia College & State University. Moore is a retired professor of journalism at UK and also served as associate dean, university senate chair and executive director of the First Amendment Center. He is married to the former **Pamela Vickers '96 ED**. 

William C. Jarvis '70 ED is an instrumental music instructor at Taylor University in Fort Wayne, Ind. Jarvis also has served as a supervisor of fine arts and school principal in New Jersey. He has published numerous articles on effective music teaching techniques.

Donna Clevinger '73 ED, '75 FA has been appointed associate dean at Ohio University in Zanesville. Clevinger has taught theatre and dance throughout her career. As an administrator, she actively pursues institutional enhancement and departmental development in the areas of visual and performing arts.

Jonathan S. Raymond '72 '75 AS is the president of Trinity Western University in Langley, British Columbia. Previously, Raymond served as president of William and Catherine Booth College in Winnipeg and the vice chancellor, provost, academic vice president, and dean of the faculty of Greenville College in Greenville, Ill.


Thomas Aud '73 CIS is the executive director of the Jackson-Madison County Library in Jackson, Tenn. Aud is responsible for a staff of 27 employees. He and his wife have two children and live in Jackson.

Anita Lee Casey '74 ED, '76 CIS is in private practice with the law firm of MacCorkle, Lavender, Casey & Sweeney PLLC in Charleston, W.Va. Casey also serves as the president of the West Virginia Chapter of the American Inns of Court, an organization comprised of judges and law professionals.

Robert Michael Duncan '74 LAW was recently appointed the director of the Tennessee Valley Authority by President George W. Bush. Duncan is an active volunteer at Alice Lloyd College and with a variety of community organizations such as the Christian Appalachian Project. He and his wife, the former **Joanne Kirk '74 LAW**, reside in Inez and are the owners of two banks with five offices throughout Eastern Kentucky.

Bruce D. McWhinney '75 PHA has been named to the board of directors for the National Quality Forum. McWhinney has served as senior vice president of clinical affairs at Cardinal Health in Dublin, Ohio, since September 1996. Previously, he was the director of pharmacy at the Cleveland Clinic Foundation,

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the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, and Fairfax Hospital of Inova Health System. 

Mary Forth Sanker '75 CIS is the manager for the Avondale Branch of the Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County in Ohio. Previously, Sanker served as a reference librarian at both the Pleasant Ridge and Hyde Park Branches.


Mark E. Davis '77 '78 '81 EN was recently elected to the National Academy of Sciences. Davis is a professor of chemical engineering at the California Institute of Technology and also is a member of the National Academy of Engineering. He is the first UK graduate to be chosen for membership in both prestigious groups.

Thomas A. Arcury '78 '83 AS recently won the National Occupational Research Agenda Innovative Research Award for Worker Health and Safety for his research in reducing the impact of green tobacco sickness among Latino workers. Arcury is a professor of family and community medicine at Wake Forest University in Winston-Salem N.C. His wife is a corecipient of the award.

Keith Knapp '78 AS, '06 PH

was recognized as the American College of Health Care Administrators Distinguished Administrator of the Year. Knapp is the chief executive officer of the Episcopal Church Home in Louisville. He and his wife, the former **Jane Wilson '77 ED**, live in La Grange.



Russell Norris '78 AS is the president of Maur Hill-Mount Academy in Atchison, Kan. Norris spent 25 years in management positions in the pharmaceutical industry before returning to education. 

Mike Mears '79 AS received the 2006 Distinguished Service Award from the Florida section of the Mathematical Association of America. Mears is the dean of instruction at Manatee Community College's division of mathematics, science, technology and business in Bradenton, Fla. He has served on the faculty there since 1979.

Steve Tackett '79 EN is a partner at Summit Engineering in Charleston, W.Va. He is an office manager for the Hazard, Ky., facility and serves as a project manager on multiple projects throughout Appalachia. He lives in Harold, Ky.

1980s

Angela D. Adams '80 PHA is the founder of the Central Florida Pharmacy Council, a nonprofit health education group based in Eatonville, Fla. Adams is employed by Target pharmacies in Orlando. Previously, she worked as the director of the Apopka Family Health Center and served in the pharmacies of Goodings and Winn-Dixie stores.

Greg Daniel '80 AG received the Tennessee Veterinary Medical Association's 2006 Outstanding Faculty Member award. Daniel is a professor of radiology and director of radiological services at the University of Tennessee College of Veterinary Medicine in Knoxville.

John W. Eaves '81 AS is the president and chief operating officer for Arch Coal Inc. Eaves worked in the market-

Jenny Hansen: Among the NCAA's Best

Upon entering the city limits of Somerset, Wis., a sign proudly proclaims, "Welcome to Somerset, the Home of Jenny Hansen, The Most Prolific Gymnast in the History of the NCAA." That sign adequately describes Hansen's career.

The former University of Kentucky gymnast left quite an impressive legacy — 13 times an All-American and eight times an NCAA gymnastics champion. She was recently named the NCAA 25th Anniversary Most Outstanding Gymnast. The honor was awarded in conjunction with the NCAA's 25th anniversary celebration of Women's Championships. In 1981, the NCAA began sponsoring women's championships, which opened the door to increased athletic and academic opportunities for female athletes.

"I was totally surprised and honored," Hansen said. "It gave me a chance to talk with a lot of people and revisit the things that I accomplished."

Hansen, a 1998 graduate with a degree in agriculture, dominated the competition while at UK. She is the first and only woman to win three straight NCAA all-around titles. Hansen also captured NCAA titles on the balance beam, vault, and floor exercise. She was a three-time Honda Broderick gymnastics award winner, and in 1994 she was the Honda Broderick Cup recipient as the top women's amateur athlete in the nation. In 1995 Hansen was named the Southeastern Conference Female Athlete of the Year. She set, and continues to hold, every individual gymnastics record in UK school history. Additionally, in 1995 she was only the second female to ever win the "Kentucky Sportsman of the Year" award.

"UK and Lexington made me feel at home. It really did feel like a second home. It was a great place for me to accomplish the things that I did. And, it's a great place to come back to. I love it," she said.

Upon graduating from UK, Hansen worked in a Lexington equine hospital. Then, it was off to Seaworld in Orlando, Fla., where she was part of a water ski show. She has done other shows, such as Walt Disney World's "Tarzan Rocks," and "Viva" at Seaworld. Eventually, Hansen would like to try her hand at stunt work. —Kelli Elam



Photo: UK Athletics

Former UK gymnast Jenny Hansen, pictured above during a competition while at UK, was named NCAA 25th Anniversary Outstanding Gymnast.



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ing department for Diamond Shamrock and Natomas Coal Companies before starting at Arch Coal in 1987. He served as executive vice president and COO for the company for four years before becoming president. He and his wife, the former **Jennifer Campbell '81 AS**, live in St. Louis, Mo.

Kevin K. Kloentrup '81 AS is the vice president and senior adviser in the trust and planning division of PNC Financial Services Group Inc. Previously, he served as the director of trust at Bartlett & Co. He and his wife, the former **Linda Cunningham '82 ED**, live in Florence, Ky.

Craig D. Smith '82 EN is the vice president of worldwide sales at Media Publisher Inc. in Berkeley, Calif. Smith served as vice president of enterprise sales at iManage and has held sales positions at Unisys Corporation and Perkin Elmer Corporation.

JoAnn Adkins Smith '82 CIS, '97 ED is the vice provost and dean of continuing education at the University of Kansas in Lawrence. Smith is leading the development of a comprehensive plan for summer session and intercession courses. She works specifically with all academic units to strengthen and expand their offerings.

John Bauer '84 BE recently received the Rising Rotarian award from the Huntington Rotary Club. Bauer serves as the assistant vice president and business banking officer with Fifth Third Bank and is responsible for the development of small business growth in the Huntington, W.Va. area.

Sally Kramer '86 CIS is the collection development manager at the Main Branch of the Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County in Ohio. Previously, Kramer served as a subject cataloger and adult collection development coordinator. She has been a librarian since 1986.

Thomas A. Malasto '86 BE is the chief executive officer for the Indiana Heart Hospital. He has been the executive director of the St. Francis Heart Center at St. Francis Hospital & Health Centers, a consultant for PricewaterhouseCoopers and director and chief operating officer and chief compliance officer for The Care Group in Indianapolis.

Sheila McGeehan '86 AS is the director of the Lancaster, Pa., office of Church World Service's immigration and refugee program. McGeehan served as associate director of the PRIME-Ecumenical Commitment to Refugees for 18 years.

Charles T. Shaeffer '86 EN has joined Hayes, Seay, Mattern & Mattern Inc. in Roanoke, Va., as a senior electrical engineer. He is a member of the National Society of Professional Engineers and vice president of Virginia's Tidewater Chapter of the Illuminating Engineering Society of North America. He and his wife, the former **Sara Johnson '87 HS**, live in Chesapeake, Va.

Gene Bonny Jr. '87 BE is the assistant vice president and banking office manager in the Huntington Bank's Deer Park banking office in Huntington, W.Va. Previously, he worked for SBC in Cincinnati, Ohio, and Sprint, Bluestar/COVAD and SBC/Ameritech in Dayton.

Cindy M. Brown '87 NUR is the recipient of the West Virginia Award for Excellence in Midwifery by the West Virginia Chapter of the American College of Nurse-Midwives. Brown is a certified midwife and lives in Kingwood, W.Va.

Thomas C. Calhoun '88 AS received the North Central Sociological Association's Aida Tomeh Award for Distinguished Service. Calhoun has been a professor of sociology at Southern Illinois University-

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Carbondale since 2001. In 2005 he earned the A. Wade Smith Award for Teaching, Mentorship and Service presented by the Association of Black Sociologists.

Byron Coaston '88 CIS is manager of the Madisonville Branch of the Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County in Ohio. He served previously as assistant manager of the film and recording department in the downtown Cincinnati library.

Lynne Smith '88 ED has been named the 2006 Frank Sinton Milburn Outstanding Professor at Northern Kentucky University. Before joining the faculty at NKU in 1988, Smith was an elementary and middle school teacher in Tennessee. She has been active in the Northern Kentucky community by mentoring local educators who seek National Teacher Certification.

Michael C. Wolf '88 AG is the co-founder of Wolf Riddle and Associates in Pensacola, Fla. Wolf specializes in civil engineering, land-use planning, urban design and is a registered landscape architect and certified land planner.

Scott Carmer '89 AS is the vice president for sales and marketing for the department of Rituxan Immunology at Genetech Inc. Carmer was employed previously by Amgen where he served as the global therapeutic area-head of the inflammatory disorders group and the senior director of Aranesp Marketing.

Carol Giltner Gallagher '89 PHA is the vice president of commercial affairs for Anadys Pharmaceuticals Inc. in San Diego, Calif. Gallagher is responsible for all commercial affairs including business development, market and strategic planning. Prior to joining Anadys she was the vice president for sales, marketing and product planning at CancerVax Corporation.

Cynthia Orr '89 AG owns Cynthia Orr Designs in Indianapolis, Ind. She has worked for Kittle's Design Studio, Expressions Custom Furniture and Lazarus. Orr is an allied member of the American Society of Interior Designers.

1990s

Leah Brown '90 LAW is the president and CEO of ATEN Solutions in Cary, N.C. Brown previously developed marketing strategies and technical solutions for hospitals, academic institutions and medical groups. She is active in the Health Care Compliance Association and the Delta Sigma Theta service organization.

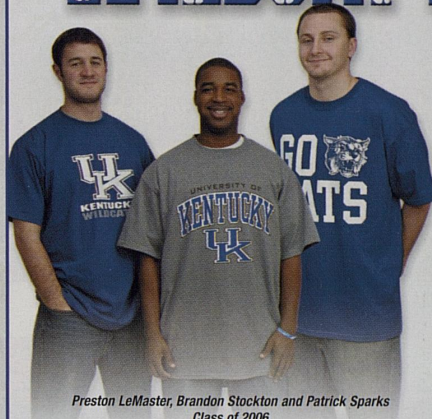


Rich Nickel '90 CIS is the president of Southwest Student Services, a subsidiary of the Sallie Mae Corporation in Mesa, Ariz. Nickel also served as head of the Sallie Mae service facility in Gilbert, Ariz., as well as the head for corporate sales, marketing and business development initiatives for the southwest. Nickel has worked for Sallie Mae since 2004.

Jane Hanner Allen '91 LAW was awarded the 2006 Entrepreneur of the Year award by the *Nashville Business Journal*. Allen is the founder of Counsel on Call, a company dedicated to contracting attorneys. She lives in Brentwood, Tenn.

Kim Garvin-Ferrier '92 CIS is co-owner with her husband of Lifeguard Press in Bowling Green. Ferrier moved the company from Santa Monica, Calif., back to her native Kentucky earlier this year.

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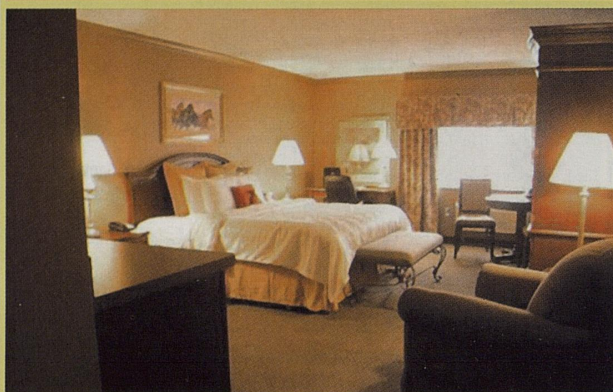
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Denise Schoenbachler '92

BE is dean of the Northern Illinois University College of Business.

A former chairperson of the department of marketing, Schoenbachler has been a professor of marketing since 1992. She also served on a number of committees, including the provost's department chair Task Force on Diversity and the Presidential Commission on the Status of Woman.



Ann Tran '93 AS, '98 HS is a physician's assistant specializing in health education at Bloomingdale Medical Associates in Tampa, Fla. She served previously as a physician's assistant for a medical firm in Sarasota.

Rakesh H. Mehta '94 '96

EN is an associate of Potter Anderson & Corroon LLP in Wilmington, Del. Mehta focuses his practice on procuring and advising on patents in the chemical and pharmaceutical arts. He was also an associate in patent litigation and prosecution in the Washington, D.C., office of Morgan, Lewis and Bockius LLP.

Lona Jean Venters Valentine


'95 BE, '00 LAW was listed as an Ohio Rising Star for 2005 by *Law and Politics* and the *Cincinnati* magazine. Valentine is a tax attorney for the law firm of Peck, Shaffer & Williams in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Aaron W. Crum '96 MED

has been elected to a three-year term on the Subscribers Advisory Committee Board for Healthcare Underwriters Group of Kentucky. Crum is board certified in obstetrics and gynecology. He lives in Pikeville.

Lori Lynn Strosnider '96 EN

is a senior project engineer with the URS Corporation. Strosnider was awarded the 2004 Governor's Environmental Leadership Award. She was the project manager for the Federal Emergency Management Association's Hurricane Katrina relief efforts. She resides in New Orleans, La.

Darrin Travillian '96 ED is the head coach for the girls' basketball team at Downers Grove North High School in Downers Grove, Ill. He has been coaching basketball for over 11 years. He and his wife, **Katy Chiles '98 AS**, live in Lisle, Ill. 

Keith Willard '96 BE is the director of the pass-through trading group for Deutsche Bank Securities Inc. He was a director of pass-through trading at UBS previously. He lives in Jacksonville, Fla.

Tara Kressler '98 CIS is branch manager for the Loveland Branch of the Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County in Ohio.

Donald E. Martin '98 LAW

is a partner at Kennedy Covington law firm in Charlotte, N.C. Martin specializes in commercial real estate, acquisitions, sales, development, joint venture documentation, leasing and lender representation. He and his wife, the former **Christy Pennington '98 AG**, live in Charlotte.

Denise McFarlin Sretchen

'98 CIS is branch manager for the Forest Park Branch of the Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County in Ohio. Previously, Sretchen worked as the manager of the Madisonville Branch.

Steven Wellman '98 LAW

is an associate in the law firm of Jenkins Fenstermaker PLLC in Huntington, W.Va. Wellman has been with the firm

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for seven years and focuses on workers' compensation defense and employee litigation.

Marsha Gail Cox '99 CIS is employed at Goodwill Industries of Kentucky and lives in Harrodsburg.

George Moorman '99 '00 SW was honored with the 2005 Challenge Award by the Kentucky Commission on Community Volunteerism and Service and Gov. Ernie Fletcher. The award is given annually to recognize individuals who are deeply engaged in volunteer and community service. He lives in Lexington.

2000s

Alicestyne Adams '00 AS is the director of the Georgetown College Underground Railroad Research Institute. Adams has worked with the Kentucky Heritage Council, the U.S. Department of Education and the National Park Service to establish the institute that educates Kentuckians about the Commonwealth's role in slave emancipation.

Leah J. Payne '00 EN is the project manager at DPR Construction Inc. in Texas. Payne has worked for DPR since 2001 as a project engineer. She is also an active member of the United States Green Building Council, Balcones Chapter.

Shannon Raye-Boggs Turner '00 LAW is currently the Medicaid Commissioner for Kentucky. Since December 2003, she has worked for United HealthCare and Bluegrass Health Network and has been a member of the Cabinet for Health and Family Services. She lives in Cumberland.

John Sansom '01 AG was named vice president for new and existing industry at the Greater Owensboro Economic Development Corp. Since September 2002 Sansom has served as an economic development specialist at the Green River Area Development District.

Julie Nelson Slatterly '01 CIS is the general manager at *The Oldham Era* in LaGrange. She has worked for *The Richmond Register* as the news editor and *Kentucky Woman* magazine as assistant editor.

Jason Buydos '02 CIS is the technical services director at the Main Branch of the Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County in Ohio. He was previously the manager of the acquisitions department.

Michael Ortiz '03 BE is the small-business banking officer for the National City Bank branches in Norwood, Clifton, Carousel, Hartwell and Walnut Hills, Ohio. He has been the middle-market relationship manager at Branch Banking and Trust Company in Newport News, Va.

Amy Clifford '04 NUR is the advanced registered nurse practitioner for the King's Daughters Medical Center in Ashland. Since joining the medical center in 2002, Clifford has practiced in the intensive care and cardiovascular units. She also has served as the cardiac educator for the Heart and Vascular Center of the hospital since 2004.

Robert A. Seiter '05 AS is a second lieutenant in the U.S. Army after participating in the Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps.

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Brian Helm '06 CIS is a server administrator and programmer for the William T. Young Library at UK. Helm was Webmaster for the University of Kentucky Alumni Association for two years.

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P. Glenn Bradley has been appointed to the Financial Accounting Standards Board Small Business Advisory Committee in Louisville. Bradley works for Chilton & Medley Accountants. He is a member of the Kentucky Society of Certified Public Accountants and the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. His son, **Paul Glenn Bradley III**, is a student at UK.

Paul Bucha is a civilian aide to the Secretary of the Army. Bucha is the chief executive officer of Terra Mark LLC and BLHandJ and serves as the director for the Congressional Medal of Honor Foundation. He also is a member of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign War, Vietnam Veterans of America, Disabled American Veterans and Congressional Medal of Honor Society.

Tim Couch, Wildcat quarterback from 1996-1998, was inducted into the 20th class of the Dawahares/Kentucky High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame recently.

Heather Huntley Owens is an instructor in pediatric dentistry in the pediatric dentistry residency program at the UK College of Den-

tistry. She was in a private pediatric dentistry practice in Columbia, Tenn.

Carolyn Smith is a fourth grade teacher at Virginia Williamson Elementary School in Bolivia, N.C. She has taught first through 11th grades in the subjects of language arts, social studies, and other elementary school classes.

Stephen R. Storck is the vice president for administration at Heidelberg College in Tiffin, Ohio. He also has worked as vice president for business affairs at Otterbein College (Ohio), business manager for Elizabethtown College (Pennsylvania), comptroller at Davis and Elkins College (West Virginia), and assistant comptroller at the University of Charleston (West Virginia).

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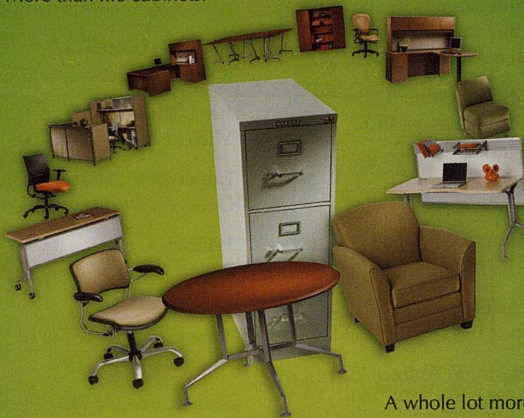
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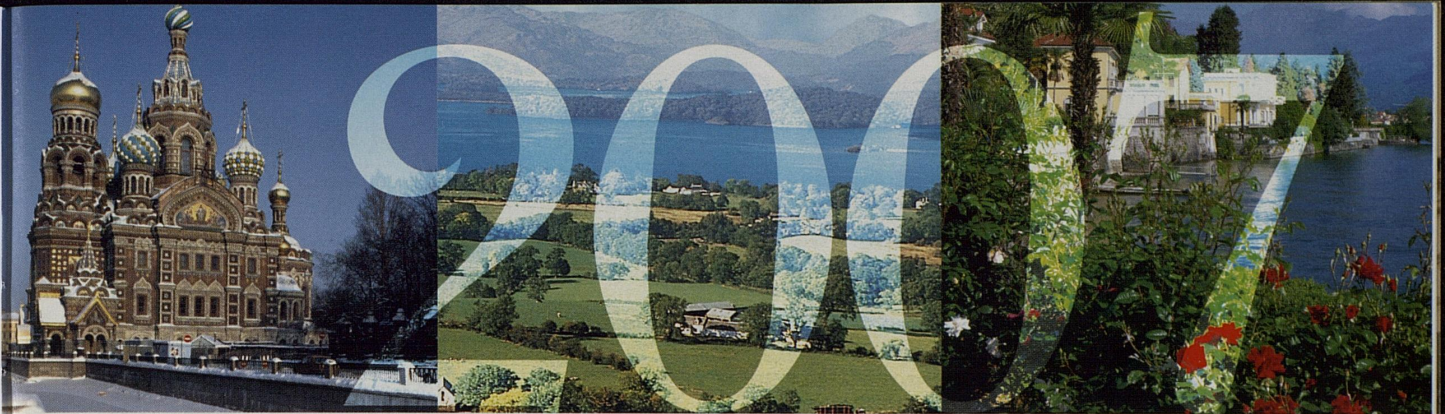
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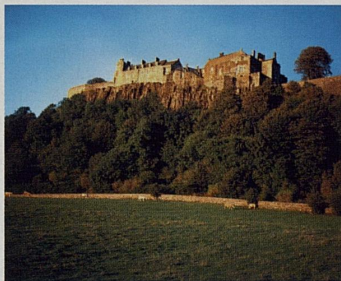
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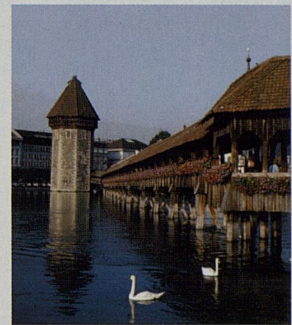
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GLEANINGS FROM THE KENTUCKY KERNEL

1931

The Men's Student Council reiterates that all male freshmen must wear their regulation caps until the first Friday in May and they must be courteous to upperclassmen at all times . . . The university band, under the direction of Elmer Sulzer, broadcasts from Washington, D.C., over the WEAF network of NBC . . . Boarding-house keepers catering to UK students say girls are just as likely to leave bathtub rings as boys, are more finicky eaters, and want the whole house when they are only renting a room . . . The Cats defeat the Washington and Lee Generals 45-0 in a game that sees "Shipwreck" Kelly intercept a pass and run 96 yards for a touchdown . . . Formal dedication ceremonies take place in October for the UK Library on campus and the agricultural engineering building on the Experiment Station farm . . . Joan Blondell and James Cagney star in "Blond Crazy" at the Strand Theater . . . Jimmy Joy and his nationally famous orchestra play at the Pan-Hellenic Formal Dance in the Alumni Gymnasium . . . Tryouts begin for the women's rifle team, the only intercollegiate sport sponsored by the Woman's Athletic Association. Last year's team won seven out of 11 matches.

1956

President Dwight D. Eisenhower, delivering a major campaign speech to an overflow crowd of 15,000 people at Memorial Coliseum, says he is glad the Kentucky legislature "had enough sense to give this group the right to vote." His wife, Mamie, accompanies him at the event . . . A false fire alarm at Donovan Hall early in the morning threatens to erupt into a full-fledged panty raid until 200 - 300 "raiders" are cooled down by the appearance of a swarm of police . . . Joan Blevins, a member of Alpha Gamma Delta, is crowned Homecoming Queen at the UK-Vanderbilt game . . . UK sororities pledge 249 girls and the Phi Deltis send each new pledge a rose and a card with her name and new

Moments in History



Photo courtesy of the 1957 Kentuckian

Homecoming '56

Joan Blevins, a member of Alpha Gamma Delta, was crowned Homecoming Queen in front of a capacity crowd during half-time at the UK-Vanderbilt game, which UK went on to win 7-6. Blevins (now Keller) received a congratulatory kiss from UK President Frank G. Dickey and shared her limelight with attendants Harriet Hart and Reba Lewis.

organization on it . . . There are now two Parkette Drive-Inns in Lexington. No. 1 is on the beltline at Winchester Road and No. 2 is on Georgetown Road off of the beltline . . . Regina O'Brien from Chicago, Ill., is named a Kernel Kutie in October. She's a Kappa Delta and a junior in the College of Arts and Sciences . . . Plans for a "Little Kentucky Derby" in May are approved a few weeks after campus leaders hear William Armstrong of the Indiana University Foundation describe Indiana's "Little 500" bicycle race . . . Gov. A. B. Chandler announces to a group in the Student Union Ballroom that he is in the process of acquiring 1,000 acres to put the Experiment Station farm in one place, but he declines to comment on specifics.

1981

A blood drive at the Student Center attracts 182 students and faculty donors for the Central Kentucky Blood Center . . . The left leg of Sam Bowie, a 7-1 basketball player from Lebanon, Pa., remains in a cast to help heal a small fracture of his shinbone . . . Former senator from South Dakota and unsuccessful presidential candidate George McGovern speaks for 45 minutes at Memorial Coliseum about the rise of extremism and the emotionalism of single-issue groups . . . Forbes Lewis, chairman of the computer science department, offers his resignation because of what he calls a degeneration of the department caused by the wave of university budget cuts . . . Sweet Revenge, a group of students who want to remain anonymous, are willing to throw whipped cream pies in people's faces for a \$25 donation to the United Way . . . Telecommunications senior Leslie Anne Davis is crowned 1981 Homecoming Queen at the UK-Virginia Tech game.

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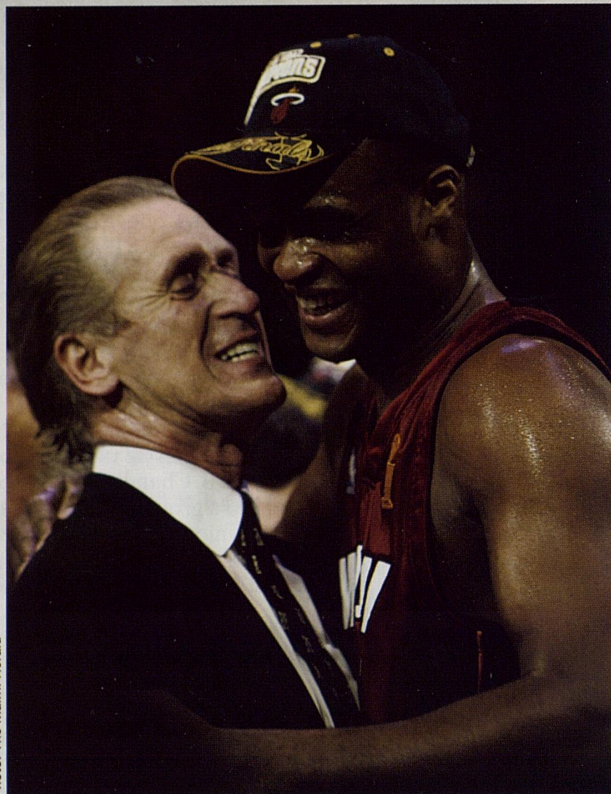


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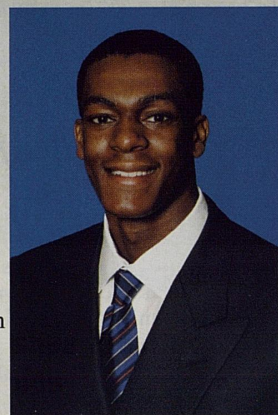
Miami Coach Pat Riley and forward Antoine Walker celebrated after the Heat won the 2006 NBA championship.

Former Cats Win NBA Title

The Miami Heat, coached by former Wildcat Pat Riley with former Kentucky players Antoine Walker and Derek Anderson, claimed the first NBA title in franchise history, beating the Dallas Mavericks in six games. This is Riley's fifth championship as a coach. He collected four while coaching the Los Angeles Lakers. Riley was a member of the 1966 national championship runner-up Rupp's Runts. Walker and Anderson were members of the 1996 UK National Championship team.

Rajon Rondo Selected NBA Draft

Kentucky sophomore Rajon Rondo was selected by the Phoenix Suns in the first round of the NBA Draft. Rondo was taken 21st overall and was the first true point guard selected. A second-team All-SEC pick last season, Rondo averaged 11.2 points and led the league in assists (4.9) in 2005-06. He also led UK in rebounds (6.1) and steals (2.0). Rondo was named second team All-SEC last season by the league's coaches. Rondo was traded to the Boston Celtics.



Kentucky Golf Finishes Fifth at NCAA Championships

The University of Kentucky men's golf team recorded the best finish in school history with a fifth place finish at the 109th NCAA Division I Men's Golf Championships at Crosswater Golf Club, Sunriver, Ore. Ten birdies and an eagle on the back nine helped the Wildcats gain five spots on the final day of play as the No. 26 Cats finished five-under 287 to bring their four-day total to 1,153. This is the sixth top five finish for the Wildcats this season and the 10th time they have had a top 10 finish. In addition, golfer Brad Doster has been named to the PING All-Region Team by the Golf Coaches Association of America. Teammates Matt Kohn and Andy Winings were given honorable mention on the PING All-America Team.

Former UK Standout Brandon Webb Named to MLB All-Star Team

Former Wildcat pitcher Brandon Webb was named to the 2006 Major League Baseball All-Star Team. This was Webb's first All-Star Game and he is the first former Wildcat player to be named to the All-Star team in school history. Webb is a dominant right-handed ace for the Arizona Diamondbacks. He was named the Baseball America Rookie of the Year following the 2003 campaign in which he posted a 2.84 ERA. Webb was a three-year letter winner at Kentucky from 1998-2000. He ranks third in school history with 259 strikeouts.

Field of Dreams: Kentucky Baseball Team Has Record-Setting Season

The UK baseball team had a dream season. Wildcat fans were treated to the fun and excitement of championship baseball. Under second-year coach John Cohen, the Cats went from worst-to-first in the SEC, winning the East title and claiming a share of the school's first ever SEC baseball championship. The Wildcats reached as high as number four in the national rankings. Kentucky compiled the best record in school history (44-17), the most SEC wins, and first NCAA bid since 1993. For the first time in school history, the Wildcats hosted a NCAA regional tournament, where the dream season came to an end after losses to Ball State University and the College of Charleston.

Ryan Strieby, Sean Coughlin, John Shelby and Collin Cowgill were the anchors of Kentucky's record-setting offense, which shattered the school mark with 500 runs scored on the year. The group combined to hit 71 home runs and 68 doubles while driving in 239 runs. They were only the fifth quartet in SEC history to each hit at least 15 home runs in a season.

Strieby was named SEC Player of the Year, the first in school baseball history. He also received All-America honors from Baseball America (first team), Pro-Line Cap/NCBWA (second team), Louisville Slugger (first team), and College Baseball Foundation (first team). Strieby was honored as the NCBWA District III Player of the Year, first team All-SEC and ABCA All South District Team. Strieby was one of a record six UK players taken in the Major League Baseball Draft. He was selected in the fourth round by the Detroit Tigers. Shelby, a second team All-SEC selection and first team All South Region selection, was drafted in the fifth round. Other draftees are: Aaron Tennyson, 22nd round, Zach Dials, 28th round, Michael Bertram, 39th round, and Coughlin, second team All-SEC and first team All South Region, was selected in the 42nd round.

Cohen was named SEC Coach of the Year and National Coach of the Year by the College Baseball Foundation.

University of Kentucky baseball coach John Cohen shows off the Wildcats SEC Championship trophies.



The Wildcat baseball team celebrated after defeating Georgia to claim a share of the SEC championship.



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QUICK TAKES



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Tubby Smith Part of Operation Hardwood II

UK Coach Tubby Smith traveled to Kuwait along with 12 other NCAA coaches and sports personalities to coach a military team in the Operation Hardwood II basketball tournament. Smith coached troops from one of the Camp Arifjan teams. In addition, coaches had the opportunity to ride in a tank, a Bradley fighting vehicle as well as ride a camel. The coaches visited troops at the Camp Arifjan medical hospital, toured the Humvee up-armor facility, stayed in Army barracks, and held a basketball clinic for Kuwaiti children in Kuwait City. Other coaches participating included Tom Izzo of Michigan State, Mark Gottfried of Alabama, Gary Williams of Maryland, Dave Odom of South Carolina, Kelvin Sampson of Indiana, Rick Barnes of Texas, Bobby Lutz of UNC Charlotte, Jim Crews of West Point, Reggie Menton of the U.S. Air Force Academy, Billy Lange of the U.S. Naval Academy, and ESPN analyst Jay Bilas.

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