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2015 UK
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50 states
and more
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countries

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3.0 GPA
among student athletes
for the Fall 2014 semester

CHANGING LIVES:

- The state's only NCI-designated cancer center — the Markey Cancer Center
- One of only 22 public institutions with federal designations of excellence in aging, cancer and translational research
- One of only eight institutions in the country with the full complement of undergraduate, graduate, professional and health colleges on one campus
- Treating more than 36,000 patients a year at a hospital ranked among the best in the country for quality
- The third-largest extension service in the country with offices in each of Kentucky's 120 counties
- Faculty and alumni who have served as the state's poet laureate and received the National Book Award, Pulitzer Prize and Nobel Prize

TRANSFORMATION:

- More than \$1.7 billion in construction of new residence halls, classrooms and research labs, living and learning spaces underway or planned
- More than \$1 billion of construction funded through university resources, public-private partnerships and fund-raising efforts
- An unprecedented partnership with athletics to fund \$65 million — or almost two-thirds — of a new academic science building
- 19 living and learning communities dedicated to learning, undergraduate research, maximizing student success and building communities
- A more than \$580 million annual economic impact for research efforts
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Homecoming 2015: Come home — we are waiting for you!

It's with great pride that we bring you the 2015 fall issue of Kentucky Alumni magazine.

Whew. What a year it's been. And it ain't over yet! 2015 continues to be a year of celebrating milestones. The university marked its 150th anniversary

in February. We celebrated 50 years of greatness with the induction of the Class of 2015 into the UK Alumni Association Hall of Distinguished Alumni. Now, we are bringing it home Sept. 26 – Oct. 4 by marking 100 years since the first Homecoming celebration at the University of Kentucky.

In 1915, the very first "Home-coming" took place on campus. The big event, at least in my opinion, was that our Wildcats beat Tennessee 6-0 in the very first Homecoming football game. How about that? Homecoming has become a weeklong celebration of activities for students and alumni alike, culminating with the big football game on Saturday. This year, our Wildcats will host Eastern Kentucky University in the Homecoming battle. I am predicting a big win for the Cats! Be sure and stop by our tailgate tent.

Football is just one of the many traditions. From ladies wearing white mums, good times creating floats, to the crowning of the Homecoming King and Queen, Homecoming is all about traditions. Some have withstood the test of time while others have fallen by the wayside. It's never too late to start a new tradition, such as a photo with Bowman in the Wildcat Alumni Plaza.

I love everything about Homecoming. I love the excitement that takes over campus, the many great events and of course, football and tailgating! Most of all, I love connecting with our alumni returning to campus and making new friends with folks coming back to campus for the first time. I also love how the King Alumni House gets all dressed up for the week. I always try to take a photo of the house, like this one on the right.

While I am throwing the word "love" around, I really love the cover of this issue. We wanted to do something a little different, while at the same time share some great memorabilia from Homecomings past. How cool is the letterman's sweater and old football? We even borrowed the crown worn by staff member Jill Holloway Smith '05 BE, '11 AFE when she was named Homecoming Queen in 2004.

Know what else I love about Homecoming? Welcoming our Golden Wildcats back to campus. Spending time with these wonderful folks is always the highlight of the week for me.

What are your favorite Homecoming memories? I would love to hear about them.

As always, the UK Alumni Association will have plenty of fun activities and events planned for our alumni and friends. Check out a complete listing on pages 18-21. I'm excited just thinking about it.

Also in this issue, we introduce you to our new board members. These fine folks give tirelessly of their time to serve on the board, and we sure appreciate them. Meet the 2015 Distinguished Service Award and Joseph T. Burch Young Alumni Award recipients. Congrats to all on these well-deserved honors. Get to know Liz Toombs, who has turned her love for interior design into a creative, growing business, and meet Sally Humphrey, who has been a devoted volunteer and advocate for the Markey Cancer Center.

I hope you enjoy this issue of Kentucky Alumni magazine as much as I enjoy sharing it with you. And I truly hope you can find some time to make it back to campus during Homecoming. Be sure and stop by the King Alumni House and see me.

With Pride in Blue,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kelli".

Kelli Elam '11
Editor



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This past year, in celebration of the University of Kentucky's 150th anniversary, UK Associate Professor and 2014 Kentucky Poet Laureate Frank X Walker captured the spirit of this place we love in his poem titled, "Seedtime in the Commonwealth."

"There is no vaccination against ignorance, but there is us. There is this university. And we still have heavy doors to open, unmet obligations to the land and its people. There are still leadership opportunities to advance the Commonwealth, this nation, and our world towards fulfilling its potential, towards meeting its lofty promises ... Let men and women come here as seeds, let us invest in them until they form sufficient roots and leaves to obtain their own food. Let them grow from here not just trees, but a fruit-bearing, deeply-rooted forest."

"There is us." There is this university. We were founded for Kentucky.

Through the education we provide, the creative research we conduct, and the care and service we render, we are the university for Kentucky — the institution our Commonwealth has charged with asking and addressing the most penetrating questions confronting our state and our people, the vexations that challenge us in education, economic development, health care, and cultural and societal advancement.

For the past several months, a leadership team, comprised of individuals from across our community, has been working in earnest to develop the UK Strategic Plan. This plan will guide our actions, and how we measure our progress, as we continue to serve the Commonwealth and the world.

Our vision is grounded in and guided by five strategic objectives that mark our priorities: undergraduate student success, graduate education, diversity and inclusivity, research and scholarly work, and community engagement.

Undergraduate education has always been at the heart of UK's mission, and it remains so today. All outstanding research universities offer stellar undergraduate experiences. Reaffirming the commitment we have maintained over the generations, we will continue to produce graduates prepared to serve the Commonwealth in all aspects of its development. Accordingly, we will be the university of choice for qualified undergraduate students, within both the Commonwealth and the region.

For a community of scholars, **graduate education** represents the nurturing of intellectual seed for tomorrow's pedagogy and path-setting research. We will improve the quality and distinctiveness of our graduate programs to even better prepare our students for careers as accomplished scholars and professionals who contribute to the Commonwealth, the nation and the world through their research, creative discovery and endeavors, teaching and service.

Our ability to prepare students for success in a global and increasingly interconnected economy is, in an important sense, most determined by the learning environment we provide them. Similarly, the ability of our faculty and staff to harness and reach their potential is facilitated, in large measure, by the extent to which our campus community is **diverse, welcoming and inclusive**.

Deeply understanding this dynamic — and acting upon it — means we will work each day to strengthen the diversity and inclusivity of our university community through recruitment and retention of an increasingly diverse population of faculty, staff and students and by implementing initiatives that provide rich diversity-related experiences for all to help ensure their success in a diverse and interconnected world.

Our **research and scholarly endeavors** offer the brightest hope for transformation and change for our Commonwealth and the broader world we serve. We will, therefore, expand our scholarly work, creative endeavors, and cutting-edge research to focus on the most important challenges of the Commonwealth and to improve the lives of our citizens.

Our sense of **connection to those we serve** and our steadfast commitment to changing lives is an integral part of what makes our campus community special. To foster that, we will build upon our engagement with — and service to — our community partners within the Commonwealth, the nation and the world by honoring our historic commitments as a land-grant institution. We will leverage contemporary technology, scholarship and research in innovative ways to advance the public good and to foster the development of citizen-scholars.

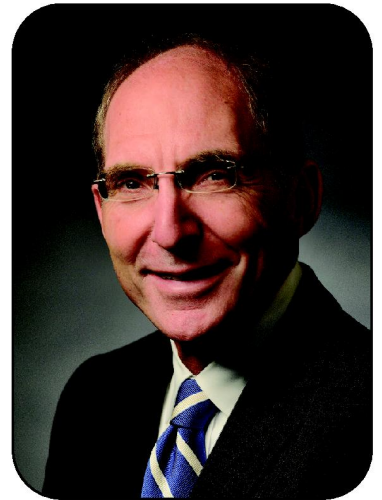
With the harmony of diverse voices and perspectives, but in the cadence of a common voice, the strategic plan, which our board will consider in October, creates a blueprint for our future, guided as we have been for 150 years by the values and dreams of those who built this special place.

I look forward to sharing that future with you.

Sincerely,



Eli Capilouto
President



New dean named for College of Design

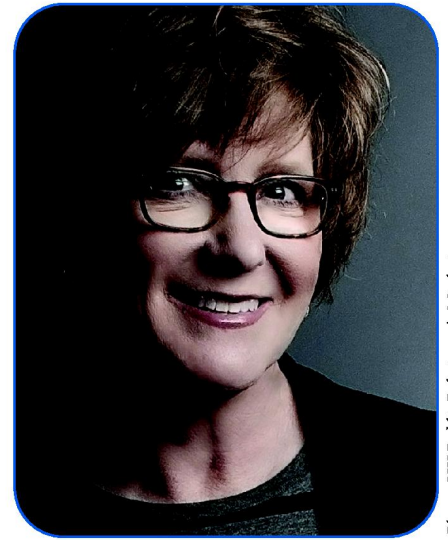
Mitzi Vernon, currently professor of industrial design at Virginia Tech, will assume the position of dean of the UK College of Design in September. Vernon replaces Interim Dean Ann Whiteside-Dickson, who has served for more than a year following the departure of Michael Speaks.

Vernon is the recipient of three National Science Foundation Grant awards. Two grants are focused on design of nontraditional books and exhibits for teaching science and math to middle school students. The most recent grant, awarded in 2007, is a collaborative project examining the design studio as a model for teaching the design of software-intensive systems. Vernon's current scholarship on product form led to the development of a new studio model called "form studio" and the student design and fabrication of a traveling exhibition called "FORM: Line-Plane-Solid." She has received multiple grants over the past several years to support this work.

She is the primary inventor on three U.S. patents, and she has extensive experience with sponsored collaborative projects involving industrial design, architecture, physics, computer science, engineering, and education students. She received patents as the originator of the project "Fields Everywhere."

As a professor of courses in industrial design including design research and professional practice, Vernon has received numerous teaching awards including the most prestigious teaching award at Virginia Tech, the William E. Wine Award for Excellence in Teaching (2012) and was the inaugural awardee of the J. Stoeckel Design Studio Teaching Award in the School of Architecture + Design at Virginia Tech (2012) for outstanding studio teaching.

Vernon received a Master of Science in engineering in product design from Stanford University in 1995, a Master of Architecture from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University



Mitzi Vernon

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in 1986, and a Bachelor of Science in interior design from the University of North Carolina – Greensboro in 1984. Prior teaching experience includes the California College of the Arts, the University of Southern California and Arizona State University. ■

Gatton appointed UK Board lifetime honorary Trustee

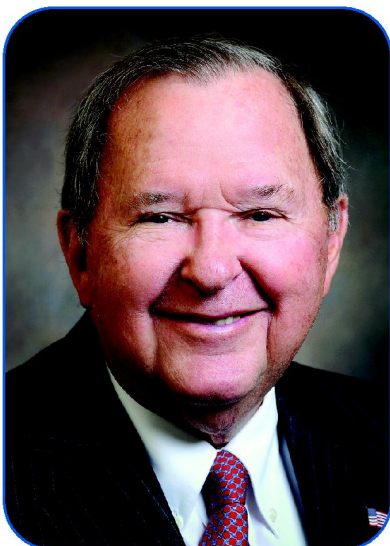


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Gov. Steve Beshear appointed Carol Martin "Bill" Gatton as a lifetime honorary member of the UK Board of Trustees.

UK President Eli Capilouto said, "Bill Gatton's lifelong commitment to his alma mater as a leader, trustee and philanthropist without peer has transformed the University of Kentucky — for generations of students and their families and for

the Commonwealth that we serve as the state's flagship institution. As an honorary Trustee, we will continue to benefit from his wisdom and insights, as well as his enduring and steadfast commitment to the university and Common-

wealth, both of which have been the focus of his passion, energies and efforts for several decades."

Gatton is the single largest donor to UK in the school's history. His recent \$20 million contribution for the construction of a new university student center, in addition to generous support for the renovation and expansion of the Gatton College of Business and Economics, brings his total philanthropy to UK to more than \$45 million, with a total gift impact of nearly \$57 million.

Gov. Beshear also made three other appointments to the Board of Trustees.

Terms expiring June 30, 2021:

- Frank Shoop of Lexington, who is an auto dealer, replaces James Stuckert, whose term has expired.
- Claude A. "Skip" Berry of Eminence, who is chairman of the Wehr Constructors Inc. Kentucky division, replaces Bill Gatton, whose term has expired.

Term expiring June 30, 2021:

- Barbara S. Young of Lexington, who previously owned and operated Ashwood Travel Agency, was reappointed. ■

Dentistry welcomes new dean

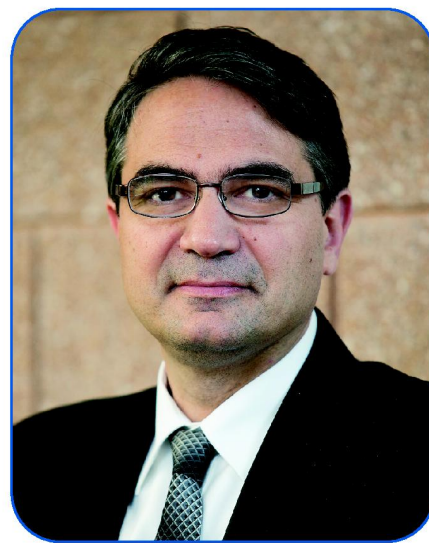
Dr. Stephanos Kyrkanides is the new dean of the UK College of Dentistry. He previously was associate dean for research and faculty development and chairman of the Department of Orthodontics and Pediatric Dentistry at the Stony Brook University School of Dental Medicine.

Kyrkanides replaced Dean Sharon Turner, who led the UK College of Dentistry for the last 12 years and announced her intention to retire once a new dean was selected. Under her leadership, the UK College of Dentistry has had sustained growth — realized through significant increases in clinical revenues, important and needed renovations of facilities, and a notable diversification of faculty members who now represent many cultures and countries.

As both a dentist and neuroscientist, Kyrkanides has collaborated extensively with faculty in the School of Dental Medi-

cine and School of Medicine on neurodegeneration and pain arthritis research. His current research focuses on regenerative dentistry, having invented Natural Enamel, a new biomaterial for use in CAD/CAM dentistry. Also, in collaboration with principal investigator and inventor, Dr. Sabine Brouxhon, (Kyrkanides' wife), he has developed a novel cancer therapy that was just recently licensed by the Avalon Ventures / GlaxoSmithKline consortium.

Kyrkanides received his D.D.S. degree from the National University of Athens School of Dentistry in Greece and his training in orthodontics, orofacial pain and advanced education in general dentistry at the Eastman Dental Center in Rochester New York. He received a master's degree and doctoral degree in neurobiology and anatomy from the University of Rochester. In 2000, he completed post-doctoral training in molecular medicine



Dr. Stephanos Kyrkanides

and gene therapy at the University of Rochester Center for Aging and Developmental Biology. ■

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UK Debate and Forensics teams have impressive 2014-2015 season

The UK Debate team ranked 11th in the final 2015 National Debate Tournament rankings and the Forensics team had individual competitors winning 127 awards in public speaking and debate, including 18 first place finishes.

The 2014-2015 University of Kentucky Debate Team was made up of nine Honors Program students, one Singletary Scholar, two Presidential Scholars, two Parker Scholars, one Patterson Scholar and two former Chellgren Fellows. The squad posted an outstanding team GPA of 3.9 for the 2014-2015 academic year and six of the top 14 speakers at the ADA National Championship represented UK.

UK Debate Team Coach Dave Arnett was named National Coach of the Year by the ADA. "Kentucky Debate has a tradition over a hundred years old and has been a major force for much of that time," Arnett said. "The team took a major step this year toward becoming one of the elite programs in the country."

Over the course of the fall and springs semesters, the Forensics team travelled to 11 regular season tournaments across the southeast region of the United States. The squad earned seven team awards at these tournaments and has been awarded one of three nationally competitive grants from the forensics honorary Pi Kappa Delta. ■

UK professor honored with Alabama's Distinguished Artist Award

Everett McCorvey received the 2015 Alabama Distinguished Artist Award at the Celebration of the Arts awards ceremony, which took place in May at the Alabama Shakespeare Festival in Montgomery.

The Alabama State Council on the Arts annually brings art enthusiasts together to recognize and appreciate a group of exceptionally talented Alabamians and their work in support of the arts in Alabama and beyond. McCorvey was one of seven individuals recognized at this year's event.

A professor of voice and the director and executive producer of UK Opera Theatre at the UK School of Music in the UK College of Fine Arts, McCorvey received his bachelor's and doctoral degrees from the University of Alabama. He is the artistic director of the National Chorale, as well as the founder and music director of the American Spiritual Ensemble, and

president of a production and management company for musical/theatrical events named Global Creative Connections. McCorvey, a tenor, has traveled the world with performances in a number of festivals and theaters.

UK Opera Theatre is one of a select group of U.S. opera training programs recommended by the Richard Tucker Music Foundation, which is dedicated to the support and advancement of the careers of talented American opera singers by bringing opera into the community and heightening appreciation for opera by supporting music education enrichment programs. ■

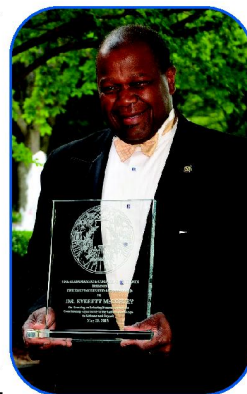


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Flavonoids research shows promise for future

UK researchers may hold the answers for new plant-based pharmaceuticals and environmentally safe paint.

Jan Smalle, a scientist in the UK College of Agriculture, Food and Environment, received a four-year, \$450,000 grant from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Institute of Food and Agriculture to study the mechanics of nanoharvesting plant flavonoids. Flavonoids are a complex collection of plant-made chemicals that have all kinds of functions within plants and also have many potential human health implications.

Flavonoids protect plants from sunlight and sunlight damage, help defend against pathogens and are responsible for producing the colors of fruits and flowers.

“There has not been definitive research on plant flavonoids that the Food and Drug Administration says makes them proven to help human health, but research has shown there is a direct correlation between people that have a lot of flavonoids in their diets and lower in-

stances of cancer, heart disease, dementia, improved blood circulation and slower aging,” said Smalle, an associate professor in the Department of Plant and Soil Sciences.

Interest is increasing among food scientists in using flavonoids to color food instead of the current coloring processes, which often rely on synthesized fossil fuel-derived compounds. Flavonoids also have potential for the paint industry as they could lead to more environmentally friendly paint production and reduce the industry’s dependence on fossil fuels.

Smalle and fellow UK research scientist Jasmina Kurepa developed nanoharvesting, which involves inserting titanium dioxide nanoparticles into a plant. Inside the plant, the nanoparticles bind with flavonoids in cells. Plants then secrete the nanoparticles coated with flavonoids.

Until this discovery, conducting research on flavonoids was difficult, as many flavonoid species are unstable and degrade or become modified during the classical isolation procedures. It was also

hard for scientists to deliver them to human cells for pharmaceutical research.

“We now have an extremely simple way to isolate these compounds,” Smalle said. “It has the added advantage that this type of nanoparticle is known to be taken up by human cells. We may now be able to use these particles coated with flavonoids directly in drug discovery.”

Using the model plant *Arabidopsis*, Smalle will look at the plant mechanisms and pathways involved in taking up nanoparticles and then secreting them coated with flavonoids. The research will also explore whether similar pathways exist and are as efficient in other plants, especially agricultural plants that farmers are already able to successfully produce.

“Flavonoids in green tea are supposed to help us live longer, but those are different flavonoids than the ones in blueberries that provide us with other health benefits, and those are different from the ones in chocolate,” Kurepa said. “So if there is a simple and unified system to get flavonoid-coated nanoparticles from everything, then that’s brilliant.” ■

Research team earns award for tractor safety program

A research team from the Southeast Center for Agricultural Health and Injury Prevention (SCAHIP), which is housed within the UK College of Public Health, has been awarded top honors in the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) Evaluation Contest.

The Kentucky team was awarded the honor for its project, “The UK-CROPS Project – Cost-effective Rollover Protective Structures,” and was recognized for this accomplishment at the National Occupational Injury Research Symposium. The aim of the project is to implement a cost-effective solution for farmers in Appalachia who are using older model tractors that are not equipped with Rollover Protection Structures (ROPS). Nationwide, tractor-related fatalities account for as

much as one-third of agricultural-related deaths.

The project team was led by Joan Mazur of the College of Education and Stacy Vincent of the College of Agriculture, Food, and Environment. Other team members include Susan Westneat of the College of Public Health and graduate students Jennifer Watson (College of Education), Morgan Schafbuch (College of Agriculture) and Kyle S. Wood (College of Agriculture, Food, and Environment).

While ROPS have been required installations on tractors for 30 years, many farmers in the Appalachian region employ older machines, and the cost of retrofitting them with these safety devices is not feasible for the farmers. The UK-CROPS project carries out a goal of NIOSH to address

the barrier cost can provide to retrofits by designing and testing cost-effective ROPS plans. In so doing, it offers an intervention tool that could not only increase farm safety, but strengthen local communities.

“The UK-CROPS Project partnership with high school Ag Power Mechanics programs in Kentucky, Tennessee and North Carolina to install CROPS in their local communities is a powerful intervention to save lives and empower youth in rural communities,” Mazur said. ■



Compiled from news reports about research at UK.

For more information about research taking place at UK, visit www.research.uky.edu



Sally S. Humphrey Seeing blue and making a difference...

Volunteer heads the UK Markey Cancer Foundation board and leads the philanthropic drive for support of cancer treatment and research for Kentucky

“Sally Humphrey embodies the best of what volunteer spirit and determination can accomplish for our university and for cancer patients throughout Kentucky and beyond,” observes Mike Richey ’73, ’79 AFE, UK vice president for Development. “Her leadership as chairwoman of the board of trustees of the UK Markey Cancer Foundation is a tremendous responsibility and an opportunity she has seized upon to make a difference in one of Kentucky’s most difficult health challenges.

“Sally has been a rock of support by leading the board throughout the Markey Cancer Center’s successful pursuit of National Cancer Institute designation, which was achieved in July, 2013. As the only NCI-designated center in Kentucky, Markey depends heavily on private support to continue its crucial mission of reducing cancer mortality in Kentucky and the nation. We are very grateful to Sally for devoting her time and talents to this important part of the University of Kentucky’s outreach and research mission.”

Growing up in California

Sally Humphrey was born in Los Angeles and grew up in San Marino, California. She fondly recalls her childhood, her parents – Helen and Charlie Schriber, and her Quaker grandmother who were great influences on her life. A grammar school teacher inspired her early enjoyment of sports as she played softball, volleyball and ran track. Her music teacher instilled in her an appreciation of symphony music

and opera. She also loved horses, although no one else in her family shared this passion. She has family roots in Kentucky as her mother’s parents lived near Elizabethtown.

At age 14, Sally Humphrey attended a college preparatory boarding school — The Orme School in Arizona. Here her love of horses was firmly established through her involvement in 4-H and her participation in rodeos, barrel racing and other activities on the ranch in the high Sonoran Desert.

“We had to wear blue jeans to class and I loved that,” she remembers.

Upon graduation from The Orme School, she attended Briarcliff College in New York. “My parents thought it would be good for me to go east for college,” she relates. “While attending Briarcliff, I was introduced to my future husband, G. Watts Humphrey Jr., who was studying at Yale University. We started dating shortly thereafter.”

Sally Humphrey notes how she and her husband share a passion for horses. “Watts has been riding horses his whole life, and they are the love of his life. I just might come in second,” she says with a smile.

Sally Humphrey and Watts Humphrey married and spent one week of their honeymoon in Hawaii and the rest at Watts Humphrey’s great-aunt Pansy Poe’s Shawnee Farm near Harrodsburg. “I fell in love with Kentucky and with this farm,” Sally Humphrey remembers. “I told Watts this was the most beautiful place I’d ever seen.”

Watts Humphrey served in the U.S. Marine Corps and the

couple lived where his assignments took them in their early marriage. They lived in Quantico, Virginia, and then in California. Sally Humphrey shares proudly that for his military valor, her husband received the Silver Star, the Bronze Star, the Navy Commendation Medal and three Purple Hearts.

Sharing a love of family and horses

When Watts Humphrey was honorably discharged from the military, the couple came to Kentucky and lived on Shawnee Farm. Their first child, Susie Keller, was born in Kentucky before they moved to Boston, Massachusetts, where Watts Humphrey attended Harvard Business School. Upon his graduation, they moved to St. Louis, Missouri, and their next two children, Vicki Oliver and G. Watts Humphrey III, were born there. After another move to Indiana, they eventually settled in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, where Watts Humphrey owned a group of private manufacturing companies.

The couple bought Shawnee Farm from his great-aunt's estate in 1979, and although their permanent residence is now in Florida, they spend a significant part of each year at Shawnee. Their three children were married on the farm, and their six grandchildren come to visit often, bringing their friends with them.

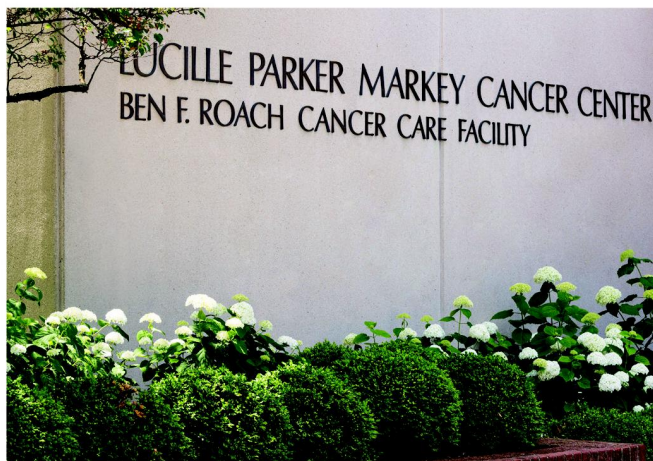
The Humphreys are passionate about their Thoroughbred broodmare operation and are well known as breeders of the 1980 Kentucky Derby winner Genuine Risk, the 1985 Belmont Stakes winner Crème Fraiche, and other champions.

"The first horse I ever bred won the Kentucky Derby in 1980," Sally Humphrey recalls. "It's an amazing story. Watts asked me what I wanted for my 30th birthday. I told him I would like to have a broodmare. After looking at several mares at the Keeneland sales, I found the one I wanted. Her name was Virtuous. Watts agreed that she was a nice mare and eventually bought her for me. She was carrying a colt which we sold, and after she foaled, we bred her to Exclusive Native. That filly was Genuine Risk, who was the first filly to win the Kentucky Derby since Regret in 1915. It was very exciting."

The Humphreys consider Keeneland their home base, and bring friends to Kentucky and Keeneland to show them the beauty and excitement of the state's signature industry.

In addition to the horses, they have three Labrador retrievers, and when their family visits, there can be up to 10 dogs on the farm.

"We are avid bird hunters, and the dogs are trained retrievers," Sally Humphrey explains. "I walk every morning with the dogs. Every evening, Watts and I go out and see the mares and foals on one half of the farm, and then visit the yearlings on the other half. We are truly blessed," she adds.



The UK Markey Cancer Foundation is the fundraising and gift-receiving organization for the Markey Cancer Center and has raised more than \$75 million since its inception.

Philanthropy leadership for Kentucky

Sally Humphrey has served on the board of the Markey Cancer Foundation for 15 years. "Will Farish was chairman and asked me to join the board in 2000," she relates. "I was very flattered, and through his leadership, and then John Hall's chairmanship, I've come to appreciate the significant role of the foundation and the great importance of the mission of the Markey Cancer Center to Kentucky.

"I was with my sister-in-law at Markey during her treatment for ovarian cancer. The quality of care she received was wonderful. The kindness and the teamwork the staff displayed from the very beginning was impressive."

Sally Humphrey has witnessed the evolution of the foundation board members from strong Kentucky equine leaders. "Dr. Ben Roach was truly the origin of the foundation and was instrumental in the establishment of the Markey Cancer Center," she notes.

Many in the horse industry knew Roach as a horseman, as well as a physician. Charismatic, the 1999 Kentucky Derby and Preakness winner, was bred under a foal-sharing arrangement between William Farish and the Parrish Hill Farm of Dr. Ben Roach and Tom Roach.

Sally Humphrey relates, "Dr. Roach called upon his equine friends for assistance, including Brereton Jones, former governor of Kentucky and founder of Airdrie Stud Farm, Lucille Markey and Margaret 'Maggie' Glass, William Farish, E.V. Benjamin, Marylou Whitney and John Hendrickson, Frederick Van Lennep, Leslie Combs and George Strawbridge. All these individuals, with many others, helped establish the foundation and contributed multiple major gifts to construct the initial buildings and create the endowment that supports the cancer center today."

The Markey Cancer Foundation was begun in 1978, and

New Developments

since that time, has raised more than \$75 million. The foundation works with the cancer center to offer donors a variety of gift options, including planned gifts. The foundation is a 501c3, not-for-profit, community-based organization.

“The foundation is in a time of transition now,” Sally Humphrey continues. “We are ramping up our efforts to raise more resources than ever before, because the cancer center needs this critical support. We are excited about continuing to reach within and beyond the horse industry for philanthropic leadership and support. We want to involve the entire state in our mission because Markey truly serves our entire state with its research and clinical agenda.”

Kentucky's only NCI-designated center

Kentucky has one of the highest rates of cancer in the country, including the nation's highest rate of lung cancer and the second-highest rate of colon cancer. Earning the NCI designation enables the Markey Cancer Center to provide better care for people across the state, ensuring that no Kentuckian will have to leave the Commonwealth to get access to top-of-the-line cancer treatment. In addition, NCI designation enables UK to become more active in the

Watts and Sally Humphrey are pictured on Shawnee Farm with their Labrador retrievers.



Photo by Lee P. Thomas Photography

community to help educate the public on cancer prevention and treatment — part of UK's outreach and service mission as the state's flagship, land grant institution.

Sally Humphrey glows when she talks about the leadership at the University of Kentucky, whom she credits for the designation as a National Cancer Institute.

“I think the world of President Eli Capilouto,” she says. “I'll never forget when we received NCI designation and how Dr. Capilouto made the public announcement. He had me in tears as he related what this could mean for the people of Kentucky.

“And Dr. Mark Evers, the director of the Markey Cancer Center, is truly my hero. Mark's history of excellence at the University of Texas and then his building of unprecedented institutional, community and state support here led to our NCI designation. And he is not stopping. We are working toward achieving the higher NCI-designated *comprehensive* cancer center status, which will bring even more resources to bear on more treatment options and federal research support.”

Sally Humphrey also credits the leadership of Dr. Michael Karpf, the University of Kentucky executive vice president for Health Affairs. “Dr. Karpf's extraordinary vision for the whole UK medical campus is just incredible,” she observes. “He has provided great leadership and helped build a deep structure for success for Markey's growth and development, and for our current NCI designation.”

A philosophy of service

Sally Humphrey pays tribute to many in her life who have inspired her own philosophy of philanthropy and service. “Watts and his family — his mother, father and especially his grandfather, George M. Humphrey, who served as Secretary of the Treasury for President Dwight D. Eisenhower — were the ones who have truly inspired my view of philanthropy and public service,” she says. “I think it is critical that we pass our philosophy on to our children. Watts and I want our children and grandchildren to learn to serve and give back, just as I learned from Watts' family and my own mother's volunteerism with the Red Cross and my father's military service in the Air Force.

“We are blessed by these institutions — the University of Kentucky, the Markey Cancer Center and others,” she continues. “Watts presently serves on the board of Centre College and Shakertown. His past board memberships have been the University of Pittsburgh, Sewickley Academy, Pittsburgh Symphony and the Boy Scouts of America. I also have served on the board of The Orme School, Northwest Indiana Symphony and the Children's Home of Pittsburgh. We believe philanthropic giving should not

be considered a contribution but an investment in the United States, the greatest country in the world.”

Her leadership as board chairwoman of the Markey Cancer Foundation is a special role for Sally Humphrey. She shares, “In addition to my sister-in-law’s cancer, my father died of cancer. My mom survived breast cancer. And I’ve had cancer, too — a long time ago. I never look back.

“It is a special pleasure to work with this great team for this great cause. My vision is to work with the board and with many donors to create the resources needed to have an impact on this disease in Kentucky. We must overcome the unwanted distinction of being first among all 50 states in overall cancer mortality and cancer incidence.”

Dr. Evers notes, “I deeply appreciate Sally and all that she and the foundation have done for the Markey Cancer

Center. Sally is wonderful, and she is leading the foundation toward funding the goals that will help us maintain our NCI designation and achieve comprehensive status.”

Sally and Watts Humphrey’s philanthropy to the Markey Cancer Center includes a major gift to the Markey Chairman’s Challenge NCI Designation Fund. This milestone gift helped pave the way for the designation in 2013.

President Capilouto observes, “We are very grateful to have a distinguished philanthropic leader and friend in Sally Humphrey. The Markey Cancer Foundation played a pivotal role in our NCI designation, and we are honored with Sally’s continued leadership and passion to make sure that every resource possible can be brought to bear on supporting the Markey Cancer Center’s critical mission.” ■

The UK Markey Cancer Center - Striving to conquer cancer in the Commonwealth

On July 12, 2013, University of Kentucky President Eli Capilouto announced that the Markey Cancer Center had been designated by the National Cancer Institute (NCI) to receive research funding and other benefits.

Benefits of NCI designation

- NCI-designated centers offer more treatment options and 25 percent better survival rates.
- Markey patients have access to clinical trials and new drugs only offered at NCI centers.
- Markey patients can have peace of mind knowing they are receiving treatment at one of the nation’s best cancer centers.
- Patients treated in the Markey Cancer Center Affiliate Network also benefit.
- NCI designation offers opportunities for more federal funding, jobs and a voice for Kentucky’s cancer patients in the national dialogue.

Markey Cancer Center’s pressing goals

- Increase clinical growth and outreach throughout the state and region
- Expand research efforts in personalized cancer therapy, drug discovery and clinical trials
- Increase cancer prevention, screening and education efforts
- Maintain NCI designation
- Achieve NCI higher comprehensive status

Consider supporting one of these priority areas:

Center for personalized cancer therapy

- Scientists to facilitate translation of basic science drug discoveries to clinical trials with patients
- Investigators to bring additional strengths in medicinal chemistry and drug development
- Units to oversee patients on clinical trials
- Clinical trials research

Cancer prevention

- Epidemiologist to provide defined expertise and scientific leadership in population studies and genetics
- Cancer prevention researcher
- Increased screening initiatives
- Appalachian population analysis to explain the increased cancer incidence in this region

Cancer education

- Cancer education to change culture and prevent cancer at an early age
- Bring gifted but disadvantaged elementary and high school students in eastern Kentucky to UK for two weeks for immersion in cancer research and treatment as a potential career
- Markey Cancer Center faculty to visit schools in eastern Kentucky to discuss methods of cancer prevention

[For more information, visit: ukmarkey.org](http://ukmarkey.org)

UK Homecoming turns 100!

By Linda Perry



Members of the 1915 varsity football team took their mission seriously.

First homecoming occurs in 1915; football team beats Tennessee 6-0

The year 2015 has been a special one for the University of Kentucky — the university observed its 150th anniversary and the UK Alumni Association recognized 50 years of its Hall of Distinguished Alumni — and now the year will culminate this fall, Oct. 1 - 4, with the marking of 100 years since the first celebration of Homecoming, which took place on Thursday, Nov. 25, 1915.

Referred to as “Home-coming” back then, the eventful weekend wasn’t consistently celebrated every year until beginning in 1946. But that first 1915 Homecoming was heralded as the place to be and be seen in Central Kentucky that weekend, and the highlight of the weekend was the university’s final football game of the season, with the Blue and White playing against the Tennessee Volunteers. The weekend also coincided with Thanksgiving weekend, so it made the event that much more special to many.

One day before the game, The Kentucky Kernel told of the myriad upcoming

activities planned for returning alumni. It was expected that alums would be flooding into Lexington to see the big game, due to the fact that the Wildcats had won their previous challenge going up against Purdue and

emerging 7-0. The Purdue game had sparked national interest and alums were writing to the university announcing their intentions to be present for this last game of the season and to celebrate the first Homecoming.



Members of the Horticulture Club in 1966 decorated Homecoming corsages in preparation for the big weekend. Other organizations, including Links, the junior women’s honorary society, also sold mums.

The visiting alumni were entertained at an open house on Thursday and Friday at the Phoenix Hotel, which would also serve as headquarters for Homecoming alumni. At one end of the lobby, it was expected that guests would find a Tennessee banner and at the other end, a Kentucky banner. The railings were to be decorated with individual class colors and pennants with class numerals on them.

A “smoker” for alumni was held Wednesday evening at the Phoenix Hotel, and strains of “My Old Kentucky Home” were heard coming from men of advancing age, as well as younger men and college students. A snake dance was started and 300 alumni were circling the tables, all the while vocalizing college yells of long ago.

On Thursday morning, vehicles decorated with State’s colors carried alumni through the city’s streets in a parade formation, led by the school’s battalion band and four companies of cadets. Then alumni headed for Barker Stadium for the showdown between Kentucky and Tennessee. Between halves, the snake dance was performed again by students and alumni, with alumni throwing their hats over the goal post.

On Friday night, an alumni “luncheon” took place at the Phoenix Hotel and many old Wildcat football warriors attended. Those same football veterans — K men — had been paraded onto Stoll Field before the start of Thursday’s Homecoming game, to give the 5,000 attendees in the crowd a chance to show their respect and appreciation for their previous athletic prowess.

One of the largest reunions that first Homecoming weekend included the meeting up of the “Immortals of ’98.” It was expected that at least half of the team would be available for reminiscing about its grandiose accomplishment — the only

undefeated, untied and unscored upon team in UK football history. The 1898 squad was coached by W.R. Bass and ended the year a perfect 7-0-0, despite an average weight of 147 pounds per player. Victories came easily for this squad, as the Immortals raced by Kentucky University (18-0), Georgetown (28-0), Company H of the 8th Massachusetts (59-0), Louisville Athletic Club (16-0), Centre (6-0), 160th Indiana (17-0) and Newcastle Athletic Club (36-0).

For the 1915 Homecoming football game, a section of the bleachers on the side of Stoll Field was reserved for alumni and special badges were worn, granting alumni admission. There would have been much speculation in the stands about whether this Blue and White team was capable of emerging victorious because the team was hampered by recent injuries. Coach J. J. Tigert was uncomfortably aware that “Simpson” had a cold, “Thompson” had a charley horse and “Brittain” had not appeared in uniform for four days.

Tennessee and Kentucky had met 11 times since 1899, with each team winning five and a scoreless tie took place in 1907. Both teams desperately wanted to prove their mettle and take the rubber game — which Kentucky managed to do, emerging victorious 6-0.

Tennessee had tried to play a defensive game early to wear out the Wildcats and then opened a dangerous offense in the last quarter, but the sheer will and power of the Blue and White was maintained whenever threatened. The Wildcats rushed the ball 237 yards to the Vols’ 77. Then State’s William “Doc” Rodes, playing with an injured shoulder, made two goals from placement, one from the 41-yard line and one from the 45-yard line, and the game was won, thrilling spectators.

It was noted in the following week’s

Kernel that the enthusiasm of alumni and students was unprecedented in school history, with much cheering and carrying on from the sidelines, showing just how much school pride alums and students had for their alma mater. Attendance at the game had been high and was



John J. Tigert was head football coach in 1915, succeeded by Stanley Boles in 1916. He was an athlete while attending Vanderbilt and later in Oxford. Tigert was also chairman of the Department of Philosophy.

further proof that Lexington was a football town.

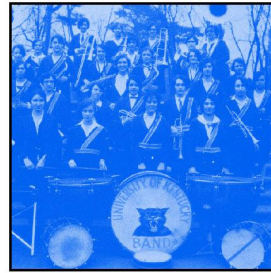
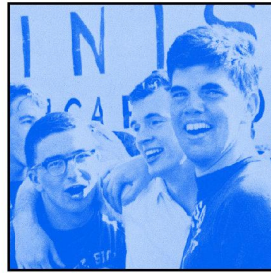
All this enthusiasm and Wildcat pride spilled over into Homecoming traditions that popped up over the years, from women wearing white mums to the game years ago to visitors taking photos today in Wildcat Alumni Plaza with Bowman, the Wildcat sculpture. One Homecoming tradition that continues today but apparently was not in effect in 1915 is the crowning of a queen and king during half-time ceremonies. There have been many other traditions that have come and gone but one with unquestionable staying power has proven to be tailgating with friends outside Commonwealth Stadium and enjoying some of the best grub you can get your hands on east of the Mississippi River!

What memories will YOU be sharing this fall at Homecoming? Make sure to register for all the festivities ASAP!

GO CATS! ■

1915 Wildcat Schedule

Oct. 2: Butler College.....	33 - 0
Oct. 9: Earlham College	54 - 13
Oct. 16: Mississippi A & M	0 - 12
Oct. 23: University of the South (Sewanee).....	7 - 7
Oct. 30: University of Cincinnati.....	27 - 6
Nov. 6: University of Louisville.....	15 - 0
Nov. 13: Purdue	7 - 0
Nov. 26: Tennessee	6 - 0

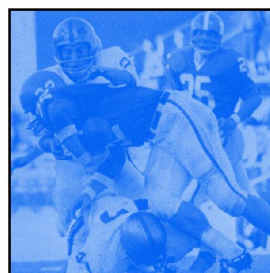
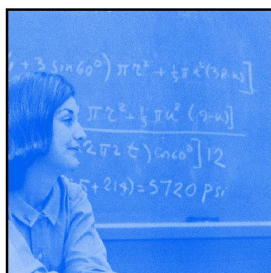


2015 University of Kentucky Homecoming 'Race to 100'



This year marks many special milestones for our University of Kentucky family. As we wrap up the monumental sesquicentennial anniversary of the university, 2015 also denotes a special 100 years since the first UK Homecoming! Homecoming week allows alumni, students, family and friends to come together and celebrate the university that we all cherish. In conjunction with University of Kentucky Family Weekend and the College of Agriculture, Food and Environment Roundup, we will create new experiences and honor old traditions.

The following pages give you details about campus events that are scheduled. It's easy to register, too! Go to www.ukhomecoming.com or call 800-269-2586 (ALUM) to start planning your trip back to campus, check for schedule changes and information about parking. Come back to your beloved alma mater!



Saturday, Sept. 26 – Sunday, Sept. 27

Paint the Town Blue Painting

Time: 8 a.m. (Sat.) through 8 a.m. (Mon.)
Location: Various on-campus locations, TBD
Student organizations depict UK's Homecoming "Race to 100" theme through Paint the Town Blue. Artwork will be displayed throughout campus and various Lexington business locations beginning the week of Sept. 28. Paintings will be displayed all week long.

Banner Competition

Time: 8 a.m. (Sat.) through 8 a.m. (Mon.)
Location: William T. Young Library and the Johnson Center
Student organizations begin Homecoming's "Race to 100" with a banner competition. The banners will hang in William T. Young Library and Johnson Center throughout the week beginning Sept. 28. Banners will be on display all week.

Monday, Sept. 28

Royalty Showcase

Time: 7 – 9 p.m.
Location: Singletary Center for the Arts, 405 Rose St.
Come out and support the Royalty Court as all of the wonderful qualities of each candidate are highlighted. There will be a question and answer portion, a talent competition, voting for your favorite candidate, and a few awards will be given. This showcase will partially determine who will be the 2015-2016 Homecoming King and Queen, crowned at the Homecoming game on Saturday, Oct. 3.
Free

Tuesday, Sept. 29

Kitty Karnival

Time: 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Location: Administration Lawn, 410 Administration Dr.
Kitty Karnival features small carnival games created by student organizations for children to come and enjoy on campus. This event has become a UK and community tradition that both students and children love to attend! This event welcomes local schools, UK alumni family and UK faculty, staff and student families.
Free

Thursday, Oct. 1

Homecoming Street Fair

Time: 6 – 9 p.m.
Location: Area surrounding William T. Young Library
Celebrate Homecoming and being a Wildcat with the second annual Homecoming Street Fair located around William T. Young Library. Enjoy free food, games, activities, giveaways and much more. There will also be appearances by UK Cheerleaders, Dance Team and Pep Band. The Homecoming Royalty Court will also be announced and present.

Friday, Oct. 2

College of Dentistry - Continuing Education Course with Dr. Craig Miller

Time: 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Location: Hilton Lexington Downtown, 369 W. Vine St.
Join the College of Dentistry and Dr. Craig Miller for "Decision Making in Dental Management of Medically Compromised Patients: Uncomplicating the Risks."

Royalty Reunion

Time: 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Location: Commonwealth Stadium, 1540 University Dr.
Celebrate 100 majestic years of Homecoming with the UK Alumni Association at our Homecoming Royalty Reunion! Join all past UK Homecoming Kings, Queens and Royalty Court for a special luncheon in your honor. Take a trip down memory lane and reminisce about the days when you wore the crown as the tradition of Homecoming continues!

Keeneland Racing and Lunch

Time: Noon – 5 p.m.
Location: Keeneland – Saddling Paddock Chalet, 4201 Versailles Rd.
Catch all the racing action while enjoying a buffet lunch in one of Keeneland's best locations. The Saddling Paddock Chalet, a new luxury chalet, offers premium views of the winner's circle contenders as they walk the saddling paddock before each race. Reserved solely for UK alumni. Join us for this unique horseracing experience.
** Please note that the Saddling Paddock Chalet has a dress code. Gentlemen must have coat and tie. Ladies: skirts, dresses, dress slacks, or capris are required, with dressy shoes. No denim or athletic attire is acceptable.*

College of Engineering State of the College Program & Celebration: A day of vision, celebration and networking

Time: 3 – 4:30 p.m.
Location: Memorial Hall, 610 South Limestone St.
All engineering alumni and friends are invited to learn about the vision of Dean John Y. Walz for the College of Engineering, as well as successes, opportunities and current standings.

Roundup: Forestry Department Alumni-Student Fall Picnic

Time: 4:30 p.m.; Dinner 5:30 p.m.
Location: T.P. Cooper (Forestry) Building, 730 Rose St.
Alumni: RSVP to forestry.department@uky.edu or 859-257-7596 before Sept. 23, 2015

Roundup: Animal & Food Sciences Reunion

Time: 5:30 p.m.
Location: Roundup Tent, 1451 University Dr.
A casual evening of family fun includes sampling various foods and enjoying the fellowship of other Animal & Food Sciences alums during a lively recognition program, including the 2015 Hall of Fame induction.
\$10 per person

Community, Leadership & Development Reception

Time: 5 – 6:30 p.m.
Location: E.S. Good Barn, Weldon Suite, 1451 University Dr.
Join us for an evening of conversation, social networking and just catching up as we celebrate 100 years of Agricultural Education being taught at UK with both current and past CLD faculty.

College of Medicine Class of 1965 Golden Anniversary Reception

Time: 5:30 – 7 p.m.
Location: Home of Dr. and Mrs. Karpf

College of Medicine Class Parties

Time: TBD
Location: TBD
Whether your class is celebrating an anniversary year or simply wants to get together, call the Office of Alumni and Development at 859-323-5834 or email Kristin.Shattuck@uky.edu so we may assist you with logistics and coordination of your party.

STEM Education Alumni Night

Time: 6 p.m.
Location: Taylor Education Building Lawn, 597 S. Upper St.
College of Education STEM alumni present the Second Annual Mathematics, Science and STEM Education Alumni Night. Experience dinner under the stars paired with a silent auction and an evening of fun for students, faculty and alums — a night you won't want to miss.

College of Engineering Reception and Dinner

Time: 6 p.m.
Location: Lexington Center, Thoroughbred Ballroom
\$25 per person, free for new Quadrangle Society members and 1965 Golden Wildcats and their guests. Includes hosted bar reception, plated dinner, recognition of Engineering Golden Wildcats and Quadrangle Society members and entertainment. Attendees must RSVP through reply card or online.

Race to 100 Homecoming Celebration

Time: 6 - 9 p.m.

Location: William T. Young Library, 401 Hilltop Ave.

Celebrate 100 years since the first UK Homecoming and UK's sesquicentennial! The UK Alumni Association is teaming up with the UK Parent & Family Association and the UK Homecoming Coalition to celebrate Homecoming in a big way! Don't miss out on a fun-filled, family-friendly night at the William T. Young Library. Be sure to get your school spirit on with your favorite Wildcat teams paired with food, music, games and other activities. Traditions tours will also be offered, weather permitting. Come early for a complimentary gift commemorating this special year.
Free

African-American Homecoming Celebration

Time: 6 - 8 p.m.

Location: King Alumni House, 400 Rose St. Celebrate with the Lyman T. Johnson African-American Alumni Constituent Group as we honor outstanding alumni and students at this special event. Food will be provided. RSVP at www.ukalumni.net/lqjhomecoming.

College of Dentistry Class Reunion

Time: 6:30 p.m. (Reception),
7:30 p.m. (Dinner)

Location: Hilton Lexington Downtown, 369 W. Vine St.

Join the College of Dentistry in honoring the classes of 1970, 1975, 1980, 1985, 1990, 1995, 2000, 2005 and 2010. The UKCD Distinguished Alumnus of the Year will be announced.

College of Law Class Reunion

Time: 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Location: The Round Barn at the Red Mile, 1200 Red Mile Rd.

Calling all graduates from the UK College of Law classes of 1975, 1985, 1990, 1995, 2005 and 2015. Join your classmates for a fun-filled night with cocktails and hors d'oeuvres and reminiscing. If you are willing to help contact classmates to encourage their attendance, please email uklawalumni@uky.edu.

Saturday, Oct. 3

Homecoming Breakfast

Time: 8 - 9:30 a.m.

Location: King Alumni House, 400 Rose St.

Begin a full day of Homecoming events by joining fellow Wildcats for breakfast at the King Alumni House.

College of Medicine Medical Alumni Association Open Board Meeting

Time: 8:30 a.m.

Location: TBD

Classes Without Quizzes

Time: 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Location: King Alumni House, 400 Rose St.

Go back to class, reminisce of your days as a UK student, and learn something new along the way from one of UK's finest educators. (TBD)

College of Education Alumni, Student and Family Brunch

Time: 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Location: College of Education Courtyards, (Dickey Hall Entrance) 251 Scott St.

Calling all College of Education alumni, students, family and friends! Cheer on the Cats with fun, food and entertainment. For further information, contact 859-257-4014 or jeannine.schaefer@uky.edu.

College of Medicine Medical Campus Tour

Time: 10 - 11 a.m.

Location: Albert B. Chandler Hospital, 800 Rose St.

Current medical students will guide tours through the new Pavilion A at UK Albert B. Chandler Hospital.

Campus Bus Tour

Time: 11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Location: Tour departs from and returns to the King Alumni House, 400 Rose St.

Tour campus in the midst of a major transformation! Board a campus bus that will make stops at the W.T. Young Library and the Wildcat Alumni Plaza.

**If the football game time is changed, this event may be cancelled.*

UK Alumni Association Luncheon

Time: 1 - 2:30 p.m.

Location: King Alumni House, 400 Rose St.

Enjoy lunch as you mix and mingle with fellow UK alumni and friends.

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Roundup Reunion

Time: Four hours prior to kickoff

Location: KY Farm Bureau Tents (E.S. Good Barn), 1451 University Dr.

42nd Annual Roundup will take place at E.S. Good Barn. Come reconnect with fellow alumni and friends and learn about the exciting advancements of the College of Agriculture, Food and Environment.

HES Reception

Time: Four hours prior to kickoff

Location: E.S. Good Barn, Culton Suite, 1451 University Dr.

Alumni, faculty, staff, students and friends are invited to celebrate Human Environmental Sciences at UK! Enjoy refreshments and fellowship with fellow graduates.

College of Agriculture, Food and Environment 50 Year Reunion (1965)

Time: Four hours prior to kickoff

Location: E.S. Good Barn, Weldon Suite, 1451 University Dr.

Enjoy refreshments and fellowship with fellow graduates from the Class of 1965.

Homecoming Tailgate Tent Party

Time: 2 1/2 hours prior to kickoff

Location: Tobacco Research and Development Center Lawn 1, 1401 University Dr.

Get ready to cheer on the Cats as they take on Eastern Kentucky University at our Tailgate Tent Party. Enjoy tailgate food along with exciting games, entertainment, giveaways and performances by the UK Cheerleaders and Pep Band. Hosted by the UK Alumni Association, in conjunction with Dentistry, Medicine and Pharmacy.

College of Law Homecoming Tailgate

Time: 2 hours prior to kickoff

Location: Tobacco Research and Development Center Lawn 2, 1401 University Dr.

Join us for complimentary Billy's Bar-B-Q and beverages as the Cats prepare to take on the Eastern Kentucky Colonels! Contact Alyssa Thornton via email with questions or to RSVP at uklawalumni@uky.edu. Hosted by Law Alumni Association.

Eastern Kentucky University vs. UK Football Game

Time: TBD

Location: Commonwealth Stadium, 1540 University Dr.

It's Colonels vs. Cats as UK takes on Eastern Kentucky University in the 2015 Homecoming game!

Sunday, Oct. 4

DanceBlue 5K

Time: 2:30 p.m.; Race 3 p.m.,

Location: Coldstream Park, 1500 Bull Lea Rd., Ste. 100

The DanceBlue 5K is a Homecoming tradition. DanceBlue is a student-run philanthropy, which raises awareness and funds for the DanceBlue Kentucky Children's Hospital Pediatric Hematology/Oncology Clinic. Come be a part of the 5K to learn more about these brave children and families and run for the kids! Please visit www.ukhomecoming.com for more information, including preregistration for the race.

CLASS OF 1965 GOLDEN WILDCAT REUNION

All events are subject to change. Check www.ukhomecoming.com or call 859-257-8905 or 1-800-269-2586 for schedule changes, parking and the most up-to-date information.

Thursday, Oct. 1

Golden Wildcat Society Reunion

Registration

Time: Noon – 4:30 p.m.

Location: Hyatt Regency Lexington, 401 W. High St.

Welcome to Lexington! Attendees are asked to stop by the Hyatt Regency Lexington to pick up all event tickets, nametag and itinerary.

**If you are unable to stop by during the times listed above, all materials will be transported to future events.*

Golden Wildcat Reception & Dinner

Time: 5:45 – 11 p.m.

Location: Hyatt Regency Lexington, 401 W. High St.

Enjoy an elegant evening of dinner and recognition as members of the Class of 1965 receive their pins and are inducted into the Golden Wildcat Society. After dinner, enjoy a time of reminiscing with fellow Golden Wildcats.

Friday, Oct. 2

Reunion Breakfast

Time: 8 – 10 a.m.

Location: The Club at UK's Spindletop Hall, 3414 Iron Works Pike

Enjoy a delicious breakfast in the heart of horse country! This will be a great time for you to reminisce with former classmates and make some new friends.

Keeneland Racing and Lunch

Time: Noon – 5 p.m.

Location: Keeneland – Saddling Paddock Chalet, 4201 Versailles Rd.

Catch all the racing action while enjoying a buffet lunch in one of Keeneland's best locations. Situated in a new luxury chalet, the Saddling Paddock Chalet offers premium views of the winner's circle contenders as they walk the saddling paddock before each race. Reserved solely for UK alumni, join us for this unique horseracing experience.

**Please note that the Saddling Paddock Chalet has a dress code. Gentlemen must have coat and tie. Ladies: skirts, dresses, dress slacks, or capris are required, with dressy shoes. No denim or athletic attire is acceptable.*

Race to 100 Homecoming Celebration

Time: 6 - 9 p.m.

Location: William T. Young Library, 401 Hilltop Ave.

Celebrate 100 years since the first UK Homecoming and UK's sesquicentennial! The UK Alumni Association is teaming up with the Parent & Family Association and the UK Homecoming Coalition to celebrate Homecoming in a big way! Don't miss out on a fun-filled, family-friendly night at the William T. Young Library. Be sure to get your school spirit on with your favorite Wildcat teams paired with food, music, games and other activities. Traditions tours will also be offered, weather permitting. Come early for a complimentary gift commemorating this special year. Free

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Sunday, Oct. 4

Farewell Breakfast

Time: 8 – 10 a.m.

Location: Hyatt Regency Lexington, 401 W. High St.

Say goodbye to fellow alumni during breakfast at the Hyatt Hotel. Food and drinks are available for purchase on site. Join us for one final event to wrap up the festivities of 2015 Homecoming.

Bus transportation will be provided to all events. This schedule is subject to change. Visit www.ukalumni.net/golden or call 800-269-2586 or 859-257-8905 for the most current information.



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Thank you!

The 2014 – 2015 fiscal year was a record-breaking one for Wildcat Society gifts! The generosity of 1,800 Life Members generated over \$215,000! This overwhelming show of loyalty and dedication helped the UK Alumni Association provide scholarships for deserving students, keep our alumni family connected through exclusive communications and spread Wildcat spirit. It's the Heart of Big Blue Nation at work!



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A whole new ball game

The Wildcats will open their 2015 football season against Louisiana-Lafayette on Sept. 5 in a newly-renovated Commonwealth Stadium. The longtime home of Kentucky football has been transformed into a new venue.

The \$120 million renovation — no state money was used — provides seating for about 61,000 individuals. Some of the renovations include wider stadium concourses, new restrooms and concession stands, and premium seating options on the south side of the stadium. About 20 luxury suites now sit atop the south stands, a new press box is above the suite level with areas for media seating, television and radio broadcasts and additional VIP seating. The Wildcat players are benefiting via a new game-day locker room, training room and multi-purpose recruiting room in the east end zone.

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YEAR THREE:

Stoops is confident and ready

By Kelli Elam

A newly renovated Commonwealth Stadium. Pressure to get to a bowl game. Better facilities and growing fan expectations are just some of the pressures facing UK football Coach Mark Stoops as he enters his third season as the Wildcats' head man. However, Stoops isn't feeling the pressure. Instead, he's excited, optimistic and at ease about his deeper, more talented team.

At the annual UK Football Media Day, the words "ready" and "excited" replaced "pressure." Entering year three, Stoops expects the Wildcats to be better, more confident.

"We're ready to go," Stoops said. "Just excited. They've worked hard. They are confident, as they should be because of all the work. As I tell them all the time, you can be more confident if you put the work in. I feel like our players have dedicated themselves, gotten bigger, stronger and worked extremely hard."

The Wildcats will get an opportunity to prove that Sept. 5 in the season opener against Louisiana-Lafayette.

"So, there is great energy, there is great optimism, but we have to go do it. We have to be more disciplined," Stoops said. "We have to have more discipline in our approach. Bottom line is we have to be more consistent, and I think we are. I think you will see that from this team. So, as I always tell you, we've not arrived yet, but we're on our way."

When the Wildcats opened fall camp, it was a different looking team than the past two seasons — stronger, deeper and more talented. Stoops will readily admit that there is still plenty of work to be done, but feels good about the progress. Stoops and staff have worked hard to get the program headed in the right direction. Now, he knows, year three is time to take that next step — getting that elusive sixth win and gaining bowl eligibility for the first time since the 2011 Compass Bowl under Coach Joker Phillips. Before the current drought, UK had played in five straight bowl games. Stoops knows fans want a new bowl streak. That's no easy task in the typically brutal Southeastern Conference.

"We need to take the next step," Stoops said. "We need to be more disciplined in our approach and more consistent. That is the bottom line. So, I think that what's exciting to me is that these guys are eager. They want to win. They want to do all the right things."

Among the new faces this year is offensive coordinator Shannon Dawson who comes to UK from West Virginia. For Stoops and Dawson, it starts with the quarterback and a stable full of talented wide receivers. Patrick Towles, a fourth year junior, earned the starting job last season, throwing for

over 2,700 yards with just nine interceptions. Dawson and Stoops say the job is up for competition and redshirt-freshman Drew Barker looks good.

"Nothing is going to be given to you in this program," Stoops said. "You are going to earn it. You're going to work for it. I've made no bones about it. I'm proud of the quarterbacks. I've been proud of Patrick. I'm proud of the work he has done. I think he has improved."

Stoops said the competition says a lot about both Towles and Barker.

"I think it's more of a compliment to Drew and his capabilities than anything negative in Patrick, because Patrick has done everything we've asked him to do," he said.

Stoops added that Barker has responded well to a spring challenge regarding his maturity.

"We put pressure on him," he said. "He's responded. He looks better. He's working on things."

The quarterback will have plenty of options to choose from at wide receiver. Ryan Timmons, Garrett Johnson, Dorian Baker, Blake Bone, Thaddeus Snodgrass and TV Williams are among the talented group. Big things are expected from JoJo Kemp and Boom Williams out of the backfield.

Defensively, UK must replace the talent and leadership of Bud Dupree and Za'Darius Smith, both now in the NFL. Coordinator D.J. Eliot can look to Josh Forrest and Melvin Lewis to provide that leadership. Will this be Matt Elam's year to shine?

Coaches and players are ready to prove it on the field.

"We have a great opportunity," Stoops added. "It's an exciting time with the stadium, with the facility that is being built, with the staff we have in place. There are a lot of good things, a lot of positive things. We are just excited and ready." ■



Patrick Towles



Josh Forrest

UK women finish runners-up at NCAA Track & Field Outdoor championships

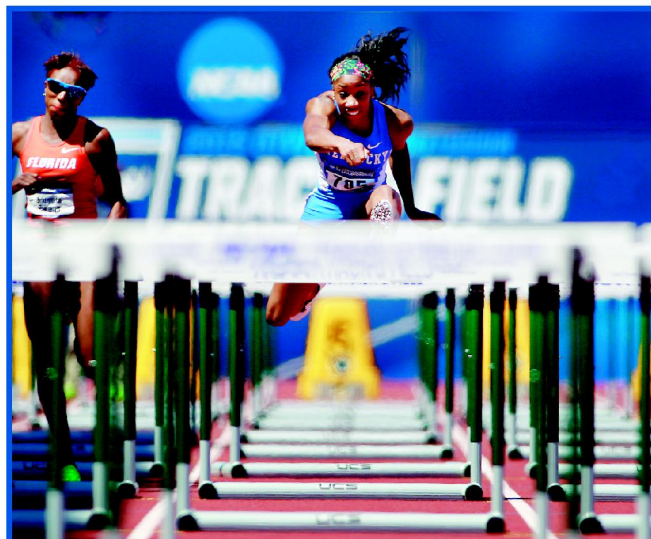
It was the best spring ever for the Kentucky women's track & field team, and senior Kendra Harrison led the way. The Wildcats produced two national champions and finished second to host Oregon at the NCAA Outdoor Championships at Hayward Field in Eugene.

Harrison added to her impressive resume and capped off one of the most dominant seasons in hurdling history by capturing the 100-meter hurdles title in 12.55 seconds, taking second in the 400 hurdles (54.09) and finishing with a team-high 18 points at the meet. Harrison, who also won the 60-meter hurdles indoor title in the winter, was named National Track Athlete of the Year by the U.S. Track & Field and Cross Country Coaches Association. She was also a finalist for the 2015 NCAA Woman of the Year Award.

Harrison was the only woman, college or pro, who ranked in the top five in the 100 and 400 hurdles this year and is the only women in NCAA history ranked in the top five among all-time collegians in both hurdle events.

Fellow senior Dezerea Bryant also took home an NCAA title, winning the 200-meters in 22.18 seconds. Her time was the nonaltitude collegiate record and the second-fastest wind-legal time in NCAA history. Bryant also finished third in the 100-meters in 11.01 seconds.

Also for the Cats, Sha'Keela Saunders took third in the long jump and Leah Nugent finished third in the 400 hurdles, Rebecca Famurewa was seventh in the discus and



Kendra Harrison

Photos: UK Athletics

Keilah Tyson seventh in the 100. Raymond Dykstra finished fourth in the javelin for the UK men.

On the same Oregon track later in the summer, Harrison took second in the 100 hurdles in 12.55 seconds, .01 seconds behind the winner, at the United States Outdoor Track and Field Championships to qualify for the 2015 IAAF World Championships in Beijing, China. ■

Kentucky finishes 22nd in Directors' Cup

Kentucky had its second-best finish ever at 22nd in the 2014-2015 Learfield Sports Directors' Cup national all-sports standings. It was the third-straight year UK was in the top 25. UK's finish trailed only the No. 11 finish a year ago. UK began its top-25 streak with a then-school record No. 25 placement in 2012-2013.

Fifteen of Kentucky's 22 varsity teams scored points by advancing to NCAA championship play, led by five teams that finished in the nation's Top 10 in their sports — women's outdoor track (second in the nation), men's basketball (tied for third), women's indoor track (fifth), rifle (sixth) and softball (tied for ninth). ■

Tamme elected to Kentucky Pro Football Hall of Fame

Former Kentucky star, and current Atlanta Falcons tight end, Jacob Tamme '06 CI, '08 BE was inducted into the Kentucky Pro Football Hall of Fame.

He was drafted in the fourth round by the Indianapolis Colts in 2008 and spent the first four years with the Colts. He signed with the Denver Broncos in 2012 before joining Atlanta this past offseason. In his seven-year career, Tamme has 178 catches for 1,703 yards and 10 touchdowns in 107 games. Tamme owns 29 career special-teams tackles, including registering a career-best 13 spots in 2009.

At UK, Tamme started 37 games and finished his career ranked first in school history among pass-catching tight

ends and second in Southeastern Conference history among tight ends with 133 receptions for 1,417 yards and 11 touchdowns. He was named a first-team All-SEC selection following his final two seasons for the Wildcats to become the first tight end in school history to earn the honor twice in his career. As a senior, he had 56 receptions for 619 yards and six touchdowns and earned his second consecutive first-team All-SEC honors from both the Associated Press and league coaches.

Tamme holds a bachelor's degree in integrated strategic communication and an M.B.A from UK. ■

LEADING *by* EXAMPLE

Please welcome the following “first-timers” who were recently elected to the UK Alumni Association Board of Directors. They are dedicated to helping the association carry out its mission.

DISTRICT 3



William “Carlos” Phillips, Louisville, received a bachelor’s degree in communication in 1990 from the College of Communication and Information. He is senior vice president at Greater Louisville Inc., and served on the boards of organizations, including Junior Achievement of Kentuckiana, the Louisville Sports Commission and the Louisville Youth Football League. Phillips is a graduate of the Leadership Louisville and Leadership Kentucky programs and a native of Owensboro.

DISTRICT 5



Quentin R. Tyler, Lexington, graduated from the College of Agriculture, Food and Environment (AFE) with a bachelor’s degree in agricultural economics in 2002 and a master’s degree in agricultural economics in 2005. He earned a

doctorate in sociology from the College of Arts & Sciences in 2010. In 2012, Tyler was named assistant dean and director for diversity for AFE. He has been the national president of Minorities in Agriculture, Natural Resources and Related Sciences and received the Lyman T. Johnson Torch Bearer Award.

DISTRICT 6

Austin Hite Hays, Simpsonville, received a bachelor’s degree in business marketing in 2003 from the Gatton College of Business & Economics. He is a financial consultant/broker at Hilliard Lyons, after spending eight years in private law practice. Hays worked as assistant Commonwealth attorney for Shelby, Spencer and Anderson counties. He is a member of the Shelbyville Kiwanis Club, serving as vice president, president and a board member. Hays is on the board of directors for the Shelby County Parks Foundation.

DISTRICT 8



James E. Cantrell, Ashland, received a bachelor’s degree in chemical engineering from the College of Engineering in 1976. He held roles in the

Ashland Inc. Petroleum Refining Division, including facilities management at St. Paul Park, Minnesota; Canton, Ohio; and Catlettsburg and was vice president, refining, in Ashland. Cantrell joined Marathon Petroleum in Ohio in 1998, where he retired in 2013 as Kentucky Refining Division general manager. He has been active in his community, serving on boards and executive committees, such as at the Kings Daughters Medical Center.

DISTRICT 9



Peggy Tucker Tudor, Lancaster, received a bachelor’s degree in nursing in 1973 and a master’s degree in nursing in 1983 from the College of Nursing. She earned a doctorate from the College of Education in 2007 in kinesiology and health promotion. Tudor recently retired from her position as professor and chairwoman of the Department of Nursing at Eastern Kentucky University. She is active in numerous professional and community organizations. Tudor is a member of the College of Nursing Alumni Association and the UK Marching Band Alumni Association.

DISTRICT 11

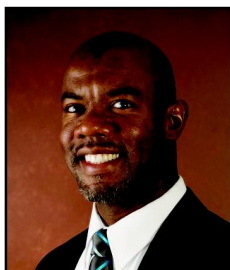


M. Erin Burkett, New York, New York, graduated from the College of Engineering in 2001 with a bachelor’s degree in computer science. She is a controller at Michaelson Capital Partners LLC, a hedge fund manager in Manhattan, New York, specializing in senior secured debt financing. Burkett has been president of the New York City UK Alumni Club and chairwoman of the Cats for a Cause community service event each fall, in addition to organizing the Winter Wishes children’s charity gift program for the club.

DISTRICT 12

Shannon R. Corley, Alexandria, Virginia, graduated from the Gatton College of Business & Economics in 1998, with a bachelor’s degree in business administration and a concentration in finance and economics. After five years in higher education nonprofits, she worked for USA Today and attend graduate school for her M.B.A. Corley joined BearingPoint in 2006 and is a manager at Deloitte Consulting LLP where she has worked for six years. She is a Junior League of Washington member.

DISTRICT 13



Dr. R. Frank Kendrick, Mount Holly, North Carolina, is a 1990 graduate of the College of Dentistry. He had specialty training in pediatric dentistry while earning a master's degree from Ohio State University from 1992 to 1994. He was on the UK College of Dentistry faculty and is currently the owner of pediatric dentistry practices in North Carolina: Eastfield Pediatric Dentistry and Orthodontics in Charlotte and South Lake Pediatric Dentistry in Huntersville.

DISTRICT 14



Sharon Lee Sears, Sanford, Florida, is a 1980 graduate of the College of Communication and Information with a bachelor's degree in telecommunications. A native of Kentucky, she is a 1977 graduate of Boyd County High School and worked for the Dayton International Airport for 25 years before moving to Florida, becoming the director of the Seminole County Convention and Visitors Bureau. She is marketing and community relations manager for GuideWell Emergency Doctors in Orlando and twice was the president of the Dayton UK Alumni Club.

DISTRICT 15

Abigail Ochs Payne, Lafayette, Louisiana, graduated from the College of Communication and Information in 2005 with a bachelor's degree in corporate communications. She is director of recruiting and selection for Northwestern Mutual in Lafayette, Louisiana. Payne has served on the board of the Lafayette Education Foundation and is a member of the Junior League of Lafayette, serving as admissions chairwoman in 2015-2016. She is a member of the National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors.

AT-LARGE



Dr. Michael H. Huang, Lexington, is a 1989 graduate of the College of Arts & Sciences with a bachelor's degree in chemistry and a 1993 graduate of the College of Medicine. He completed his residency in internal medicine at Vanderbilt University Hospital in 1996. Huang joined UK in 1996, where he attained the rank of associate professor and served as medical director of the Primary Care Clinic at Kentucky Clinic South. In 2013 he became the medical director of the Lexmark Health and Wellness Center for Marathon Health. He is an avid photographer.

Colleges

ARTS & SCIENCES



Winn Fleming Williams, Alexandria, Virginia, earned a bachelor's degree in sociology from the College of Arts & Sciences in 1971. He had a 30-year career in federal government as a law-enforcement officer as a special agent in charge and director of several divisions, retiring in 2005. Williams received the President's Council on Integrity and Efficiency highest award. He is employed as a senior consultant for Global Research Solutions in Fairfax, Virginia.

FINE ARTS



Kim Thomas Baker, Louisville, received a bachelor's degree in arts administration from the College of Fine Arts. She is the president of The Kentucky Center for the Performing Arts after serving as its senior vice president of external affairs. Baker also held leadership positions with the Brown Theater and Louisville Gardens, among others. She is a graduate of Leadership Louisville and served on the boards of Louisville Public Media, Main Street Association, Greater Louisville Inc.

and the Downtown Development Corp.

LAW



Janis E. Clark, Versailles, received a master's degree in public administration from the Graduate School in 1978 and a law degree in 1985 from the College of Law. She is staff attorney for the Lexington office of Children's Law Center Inc. Previously, Clark was staff attorney and development director for a program at the Kentucky Children's Hospital. She also served for 18 years as the director of continuing legal education for the Kentucky Bar Association and was on the Continuing Legal Education Commission.

Appointed SGA



Jenna Hollinden, Louisville, is a senior in the Gatton College of Business & Economics majoring in marketing and management, Student Body vice president and director of the Freshmen Leadership Development Program. She spent a semester studying abroad in Germany. Hollinden is a member of the Global Scholars Honors Program and Chi Omega vice president.

UK Alumni Association Distinguished Service Award recipients

The UK Alumni Association Distinguished Service Awards are presented annually to honor and recognize those who have provided extraordinary service to the university and the association. The 2015 recipients were honored during the UK Alumni Association Board of Directors Summer Workshop in Lexington.

The 2015 recipients are:

Jeff Ashley of Louisville graduated from UK in 1989, earning a bachelor's degree in journalism, and in 1997 from Webster University, earning a master's degree in marketing. He is president and senior consultant of Ashley|Rountree & Associates, a consulting firm he founded that focuses on philanthropy and is a nonprofit leadership business. Ashley is past president of the Greater Louisville UK Alumni Club and is a member of the UK Alumni Association Board of Directors. He has been the chairman and vice chairman of the Membership Committee and was on the Club Development Committee. He has also been a member of the UK Advocacy Network, working with legislators regarding issues of importance to the University of Kentucky and higher education. As a student, he was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity and Omicron Delta Kappa honor society. Ashley is a member of the Trinity High School Foundation Board, is softball commissioner for East Louisville Sports and a member of the Rotary Club of Louisville. With more than 20 years of fundraising experience, he has assisted in raising more than \$500 million throughout his career.

Lu Ann Holmes of Park Hills received a bachelor's degree in interior design in 1979 from UK and her master's degree in 1986 from the University of Pittsburgh. She retired as a senior business development manager at Haworth Inc. She serves on the UK College of Design Interior Design Alumni Advisory Board, was named a 2010 Friend of the College of Design and actively supports student interior design scholarships and curricular activities. She is vice-chairwoman of the Club Development Committee, a UK Fellow and past president of the Northern Kentucky/Greater Cincinnati UK Alumni Club. Holmes is a School of Interiors volunteer in the College of Design, meets with students at UK Alumni Association events and is a Women & Philanthropy Network member. She has served on the national board of directors for the American Society of Interior Designers and served as the chairwoman of the Industry Advisory Board. As a student at UK, she was a member of Gamma Phi Beta sorority, was on the Kentuckian yearbook staff and a member of Phi Upsilon Omicron and Mortar Board honor societies.

Taunya Phillips of Lexington is the UK assistant vice president for commercialization and economic development, focusing on the commercialization of intellectual property from the UK College of Engineering. She holds a bachelor's degree in chemical engineering and an M.B.A. Phillips held previous positions at UK, including chief financial officer for Kentucky Technology Incorporated, was a College of Engineering lecturer and Minority Engineering Program director. She has also



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From left to right are Jim Vogt, Taunya Phillips, Lu Ann Holmes and Jeff Ashley.

worked at Milliken & Co., a chemical and textile manufacturer. She is on the board of directors for Opportunity for Work and Learning Incorporated, and is the past president and current member of the UK College of Engineering Alumni Association Board. She is a UK Fellow, a member of the Lyman T. Johnson African-American Alumni Constituent Group and has advised the National Society of Black Engineers to help assist with professional leadership and development of UK students. Phillips has served on the Club Development Committee, the Budget, Finance and Investment Committee and has been a member and chairwoman of the Diversity and Group Development Committee. She is a member of the College of Engineering Friends of Dean Walz Development Association.

Jim Vogt of Naples, Florida, graduated from the University of Kentucky in 1958, earning a bachelor's degree in commerce. He is president of VOCO Enterprises, a real estate holding company. He is past president of the Naples-Ft. Myers UK Alumni Club and has been a member of the UK Alumni Association Board of Directors serving on the Club Development Committee and the Nominating Committee. He is a member of the Wildcat Society and is also a UK Fellow. Vogt also served more than 10 years in the Kentucky National Guard. At UK, he was vice president of Sigma Nu fraternity, a member of the Delta Sigma Pi business fraternity, president of the YMCA men's campus group and was a distinguished military graduate of UK ROTC. In other community service, he has served as local president, state vice president and national director of the U.S. Jaycees and is a member of the Buechel Kentucky Masonic Lodge and the Scottish Rite of Kentucky. ■

New officers of the UK Alumni Association Board of Directors

The University of Kentucky Alumni Association announced its 2015-2016 board of directors officers. They are David B. Ratterman, president; Peggy S. Meszaros, president-elect; Susan Van Buren Mustian, treasurer; and Stan Key, secretary. The new officers took office July 1, 2015, and will serve until June 30, 2016.

David B. Ratterman of Louisville has served five three-year terms on the UK Alumni Association Board of Directors and was treasurer in 2013-2014 and president-elect in 2014-2015. He has held several committee leadership positions with the association and has been heavily involved with the Greater Louisville UK Alumni Club. Ratterman has also been a member of the UK Advocacy Network. He is a partner with Stites and Harbison PLLC and a Fellow of the American Bar Foundation.

Peggy S. Meszaros of Blacksburg, Virginia, has served three three-year terms on the UK Alumni Association Board of Directors and held several committee leadership positions with the association. She is the William E. Lavery Professor of Human Development and Director of the Research Center for Information Technology Impacts on Children, Youth, and Families at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State College. Meszaros is also a former dean of the UK College of Human Environmental Sciences.

Susan Van Buren Mustian of Hebron has served two three-year terms on the UK Alumni Association Board of Directors. She has held several committee leadership positions with the association, and has served as president-elect of the Northern Kentucky/Greater Cincinnati UK Alumni Club, as well as vice president and secretary. She helped develop alumni clubs in



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The UK Alumni Association Board of Directors officers for 2015-2016 are, left to right, Peggy Meszaros, president-elect; David Ratterman, president; Susan Van Buren Mustian, treasurer; and Stan Key, secretary.

South Bend, Indiana, and Hong Kong, SAR, where she was appointed to the Strategic Plan Accreditation Leadership Team with the Hong Kong International School.

Stan Key of Lexington has served as the director of UK Alumni Affairs, executive director of the UK Alumni Association and as secretary to the association's board of directors since 1998. He was in the position of associate director of the UK Alumni Association from 1990 to 1998. ■

Huffman is 2015 Joseph T. Burch Young Alumni Award recipient

Antoine Huffman was honored by the University of Kentucky Alumni Association with the Joseph T. Burch Young Alumni Award during the board of directors Summer Workshop in Lexington.

The award is presented annually to honor and recognize an alumna or alumnus who is an active member of the UK Alumni Association, is 10 years or less out of college at the time of nomination and who has worked on behalf of young people through the university, the association, their alumni club or in the local community.

Huffman of Spring Hill, Tennessee, is a member of the UK Alumni Association Board of Directors, the Young Alumni Council and serves on the board of the Greater Nashville UK Alumni Club.

At UK, he was a three year starter for the Wildcat football team, earning sev-

eral NCAA and SEC Honors. He was named Mr. Wildcat at the CATSPY awards for his commitment to community service and also received the award for Male Player of the Year. In 2004 he became the eighth player in UK history to be elected to the National Good Works Team. In 2005, he was elected UK Homecoming King, becoming the first African-American male to receive the honor. Huffman is passionate about community service and is an active volunteer for Habitat for Humanity, the Boys and Girls Club, Salvation Army and has been a motivational speaker at churches, schools and regional special events.

He is manager of domestic corporate sales for Mizuho OSI, a medical equipment supply company, and earned a bachelor's degree in telecommunications from UK in 2005. ■

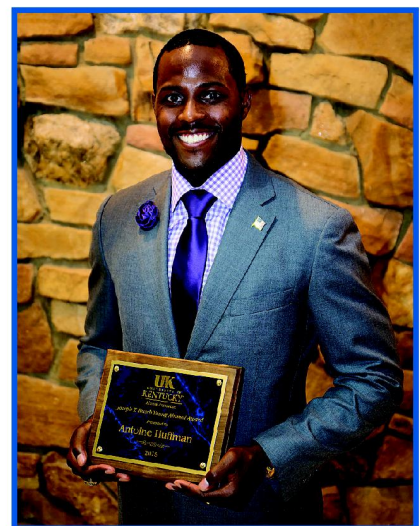


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A well-done job!



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The UK Alumni Association Board of Directors said thank you to its outgoing board members during the Summer Workshop meeting in June. Dedicated individuals who have served the association are, left to right, David A. Rodgers, Mark W. Browning, Susan P. Mountjoy, Patricia Wykstra Johnson, Mary Kekee Szorcsik, Rachel Watts Webb, Chad Polk, Amelia B. Wilson and Mary L. Shelman. Not available for a photo were Jim Keenan, R. Price Atkinson, P.J. Williams, Tony R. Rollins, Christy Trout and Jennifer L. Knight.

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Representatives from awarding-winning clubs displayed their certificates at the UK Alumni Association Summer Workshop.

UK Alumni Association clubs receiving 2014-2015 awards are:

Scholarship

In state: Clark County, Greater Louisville, Northern Kentucky/Greater Cincinnati, Christian County
Out of state: Greater Nashville, Northwest Ohio, Greater Houston, Greater Atlanta, Jacksonville, Greater Birmingham

Student Recruitment

In state: Greater Louisville, Northern Kentucky/Greater Cincinnati, Big Sandy, Cumberland Valley East
Out of state: Greater Nashville, Greater Dayton

Service

In state: McCracken County, Big Sandy, Northern Kentucky/Greater Cincinnati
Out of state: Chicagoland, Greater Atlanta, Greater Houston

Membership

In state: Fulton County, Cumberland Valley East, Lake Cumberland
Out of state: Charleston, Greater Nashville, Central Indiana

Friendraising

In state: Fulton County, Northern Kentucky/Greater Cincinnati, Fayette County, Greater Louisville
Out of state: Nation's Capital Region, Greater Dayton, Chicagoland, Central Virginia, Greater Atlanta, Sarasota-Suncoast

Best New and Creative Program

In state: Lake Cumberland
Out of state: Sarasota-Suncoast

Most Improved

In state: Danville-Boyle Co.
Out of state: Upstate SC, Northeast Ohio

1) The Northern Kentucky/Greater Cincinnati UK Alumni Club honored its 2015-2016 scholarship recipients during its Scholarship Recognition and Spring Dinner, with special guest speaker Terry Birdwhistell, dean of UK Libraries.



2) There was a large turnout of members for the Fulton County UK Alumni Club Third Annual John McAlister Memorial Scholarship Banquet, featuring guest speaker Bernadette Cortez, UK recruiter for the western Kentucky region.





The UK College of Education held a reception at the King Alumni House to honor all senior UK students who had just completed their student teaching and were graduating in May.

The UK College of Law held its Fifth Annual Golf Tournament in May at the Keene Trace Golf Club in Nicholasville. The tournament has successfully provided UK Law with funding to benefit scholarships and grants for students to work in public interest opportunities. Dean David A. Brennen, far left, posed with the winning tournament team: Chase Brown, Gary Brown, Larry Brown and Ben Cooksey.



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Lisa M. Blanchet Lexington Site Manager, 3M
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CLASSNOTES

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Liz Toombs '05 AFE:

Sprucing up lives, one room at a time **By Hal Morris**

Liz Toombs '05 AFE caught the decorating bug early.

"When I was in elementary school, my granddad had retired from being an elementary school principal and went into real estate," she says. "I would go to open houses with him and see really cool stuff or really awful things and said, 'Wow, a lot could be done there.' It's stuck with me ever since."

Toombs has parlayed that love of decorating into her own successful businesses. She owns Polka Dots and Rosebuds, a full-service residential and commercial interior decorating firm in Lexington. She also has wE-Design, an online do-it-yourself decorating service.

"After UK, I went into sales and worked for a countertop manufacturer. While it was a great job and starting point, it was not what my goal was," Toombs says. "I just learned all I could and worked with homeowners, builders and interior decorators. Then I took a job with a client, and I was able to get my certified interior decorator license."

Toombs branched out on her own in April 2009 and has seen her business continue to thrive.

"My husband (Billy Toombs '03 AFE) was very encouraging and said he didn't know why I wouldn't try this on my own," she says.

Most of her clients are referred to her. "I've always been involved with a lot of organizations to let people get to know me and spread my

name out there," she says. "I was told it takes five years to get a business up and going. I think it was a little quicker for me."

Toombs says she can do as much or as little as a customer wants.

"Sometimes people call and can't decide their paint and colors, and they can be paralyzed. They can meet with me for hours," she says. "I can be someone's sounding board for something small to completely selecting everything for a remodel or new build. They may just want to update this room or just get new window treatments. What happens is I end up getting repeat customers because when they have new projects, they call again."

Toombs launched wE-Design, originally called outoftheboxroomdesigns.com, in 2012.

Toombs says she felt there was a market for DIYers but she had to adapt her creative process for these clients who are a little more tech savvy.

"They do all the leg work I'd do in consults and tell us what they want. We turn around and make selections, pull things together and ship them design boards, shopping guides, pricing and instructions. This allows them to work at their own pace, but have a guide and template."

Because so much of decorating is imagination, Toombs says there is never really a worry of repeating herself.

"Most every client is different. Everyone comes with a different budget, a different

sense of style and a way they want a space to function," she says. "I let that be my guide instead of being different for the sake of being different."

In addition to her work decorating residential and corporate spaces, Toombs has also helped decorate fraternity and sorority houses in 20 states, including three at the University of Kentucky.

Like any professional, Toombs occasionally gets hit up for free decorating advice.

"It happened a lot more early on. But the more established you are, the less likely people are to do it because they're respectful of your time," she says. "Occasionally, I get people who try and pick my brain. But I won't do a full consult for free or for a dinner."

She often has to explain exactly what she does.

"I'm a decorator and not a designer," she says. "A designer is more architecturally-based. I don't move walls. I do aesthetics. I don't get into the structure."

The finished product of her work is obviously designed to be picture-perfect. But Toombs says it can get pretty messy to get that way.

"It's not as glamorous as people think it is. I'm not always dressed up and telling people to do this or that," she says. "A lot of times, it's just me doing work, hanging pictures, and some of the houses have no air-conditioning. But it's fun to put in the elbow grease and see the finished product of what I envisioned." ■

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1960s

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1970s

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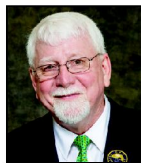
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A recruiter's perspective

Have you ever wondered what advice recruiters would give regarding your job search? At a recent Central Kentucky Job Club meeting, Lisa James with Robert Half presented "How to Write the Perfect Resume and Cover Letter." A portion of her discussion addressed common questions that she receives in her recruiting role.



Kelly Allgeier

Q: Should I list temporary work on my resume?

A: Yes, temporary work can provide valuable experiences and help boost your skill sets. Treat the staffing firm you worked for as one employer, rather than listing each assignment. Emphasize the nature of the work performed.

Q: How do I apply for multiple jobs at a company?

A: If you submit more than one copy of your resume, even for different positions, there's a chance some will be seen as duplicates and be tossed. Your best bet is to produce a customized version of your resume for each opening.

Q: What is the appropriate length for my resume?

A: For experienced alumni with a strong amount of relevant work experience, we typically recommend two pages, though this may vary depending on your particular situation and level of experience. While five-, six- and seven-page manifestos are always out, a survey from our company indicates that the preferred length for executive resumes is two or three pages.

Q: How do I address employment gaps?

A: According to an OfficeTeam survey, 93 percent of executives said they'd be concerned about a candidate's fit for a position if his or her resume showed involuntary periods of unemployment. Proactively offer a brief explanation for employment gaps in the cover letter or first interview to alleviate a hiring manager's misgivings. Don't try to camouflage any periods of unemployment in your resume by leaving dates out. Doing so will just raise a prospective employer's suspicions. Today, it's not unusual to have been out of work for extended periods of time. Employers are more concerned about what you did during that time. List volunteer work, educational courses or temporary assignments.

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Jean Ritchie Pickow

Jean Ritchie Pickow, who grew up in Kentucky's Cumberland Mountains and influenced music through her use of the dulcimer and guitar combined with singing centuries-old ballads, passed away on June 1 at the age of 92 at her home in Berea. She performed on some of the world's most prestigious stages, such as Carnegie Hall in the United States and the Royal Albert Hall in England.

Ritchie earned a bachelor's degree from the UK College of Social Work in 1946 and UK awarded her an honorary doctorate in 1983. She was inducted into the UK Alumni Association Hall of Distinguished Alumni in February 1965 and was a Life Member of the organization.

As one of the major influences in the folk-music boom of the 1950s and 1960s, she became known throughout the country. What made her integral to the folk movement was the music she brought out of her native Cumberland Mountains, which was presented in its pure and original form. It was largely through her influence and popularity that the mountain dulcimer gained prominence as more than a regional folk instrument.

Many of her original songs, like "In the Blue Diamond Mines," and "Black Waters," tell of the changes in her native Perry County, of the ravages of strip-mining and the closing of coal mines.

She was in constant demand for college concert appearances when she received

a Fulbright scholarship in 1952 to study folklore in Great Britain, the origin of many of Appalachian folk music. In 1959, she sang at the first Newport Folk Festival, later becoming one of its seven original directors, as well as a member of the folklore panel of the National Endowment for the Arts.

She was first encouraged in her music at the Appalachian settlement schools, which also prompted her to enroll in the UK College of Social Work. After earning her degree in 1946, she accepted a job at New York's Henry Street Settlement, hoping to earn the necessary experience to start similar schools near Hazard, which is only a few miles from Viper.

Many of her songs were recorded for the Archive of American Folk Song at the Library of Congress. Also, Oxford Press encouraged her to begin working on a book about her family and its music. The book, "Singing Family of the Cumberlands," was published in 1955 and was reviewed as "an American classic." She wrote several other books, some of which included the prize-winning "Celebration of Life" and "Apple Seeds and Soda Straws," among others.

She recorded more than 40 albums for different labels and often represented her country at international folklore conferences and events, such as at Expo in Canada and the Olympics (Cultural) in Mexico.

She was graduated from Viper High School, Cumberland College, and UK with highest honors and a

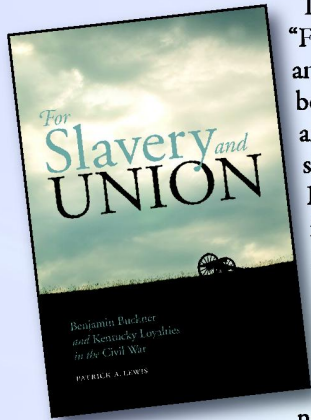


Phi Beta Kappa key. Some of the awards she received during her lifetime include the Burl Ives Award and the National 4-H Club Certificate of Honor. She received the E. F. Witte Award, College of Social Professions, University of Kentucky (1980); the Award of Merit, National Federation of Music Clubs (1980); Outstanding Alumnus, Cumberland College (1981); Certificate of Merit, the Alpha Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa (1982); the Milner Award (Outstanding Kentucky Artist of the Year), Kentucky Arts Council (1984).

She was a partner with her husband, the late George Pickow, in their film and multi-image company, Folklife Productions. Also, she was president of Geordie Music Publishing Co. and vice president of Greenhays Recordings. She had been a board member of the Hindman Settlement School, a member of the Appalachian Center Music Committee of Berea College, and a Distinguished Member of the Cumberland College Development Board.

She and her husband lived for many years on Long Island in Port Washington. She is survived by two sons, Jon and Peter Pickow.

Creative Juices



Patrick A. Lewis '08 '12 AS has written "For Slavery and Union: Benjamin Buckner and Kentucky Loyalties in the Civil War," a book that chronicles an ambitious Bluegrass aristocrat who was sympathetic to fellow slave owners but was also convinced that the Peculiar Institution could not survive a war for Southern independence. Benjamin Buckner (1836-1901) joined the Twentieth Kentucky Volunteer Infantry in 1861 as a Union soldier. President Abraham Lincoln's issuance of the Emancipation Proclamation in 1863 destroyed Buckner's faith in his cause, however, and he

signed his commission.

Patrick A. Lewis uses Buckner's story to illuminate the origins and perspectives of Kentucky's conservative proslavery Unionists, and explains why this group eventually became a key force in repressing social and political change during the Reconstruction era and beyond. Free from the constraints and restrictions imposed on the former Confederate states, men like Buckner joined with other proslavery forces to work in the interest of the New South's brand of economic growth and racial control. This is the first major work to personify how Kentucky cultivated a Confederate identity after the Civil War.

University Press of Kentucky
www.kentuckypress.com

Jason Belcher '96 AS is the author of "Aftermath: Rebuilding Global Security after a Century of Warfare," which addresses recent conflicts on the world stage such as civil war in Ukraine, ISIS in Syria and Iraq, Boko Haram in Nigeria and drug wars in Mexico.

Post Hill Press
www.amazon.com

William E. Edmonston '60 AS has written "Death at Beggar's Knob and Other Adventures: A John and Mary Braemhor Mystery," a novel about a couple who investigate the strange disappearances of individuals around the Loch Ness region.

Cozy Cat Press
www.amazon.com

Sydney N. Fulkerson '14 AFE has written "The Coffee Run: And Other Internship Need-to-Knows," a how-to-do-it guide based on an honest internship experience that gives chronological advice, preparation and lessons for undergraduates.

Inkshares
www.amazon.com

Lydia Greear '03 AS is the author of "Traumatic Brain Injury: A Caregiver's Journey," which chronicles her yearlong challenges while caring for her son who was hit by a car and suffered a brain injury.

Xlibris
www.xlibris.com

Thomas H. Appleton Jr. '73 '81 AS is the co-editor of "Kentucky Women: Their Lives and Times," a compilation of essays that highlight women whose aspirations, innovations, activism and creativity illustrate Kentucky's role in political and social reform, education, health care, the arts and cultural development. The book focuses on frontier life, gender inequality in marriage and divorce, medical advances, family strife, racial challenges and triumphs, widowhood, agrarian culture, urban experiences, educational theory and fieldwork, visual art, literature and fame.

Shawnee chief Nonhelema Hokolesqua, western Kentucky slave Matilda Lewis Threlkeld, the sisters Emilie Todd Helm and Mary Todd Lincoln, reformers Madeline McDowell Breckinridge and Laura Clay, activists Anne McCarty Braden and Elizabeth Fouse, politicians Georgia Davis Powers and Martha Layne Collins, sculptor Enid Yandell, writer Harriette Simpson Arnow and entrepreneur Nancy Newsom Mahaffey are covered in "Kentucky Women," representing a broad cross section of those who forged Kentucky's relationship with the American South and the nation at large.

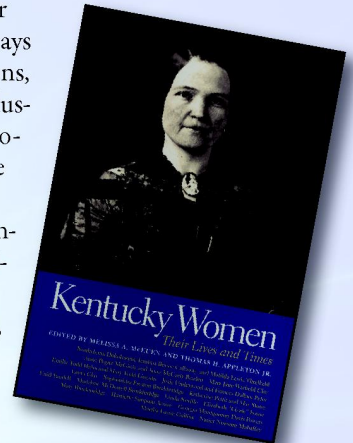
University of Georgia Press
www.ugapress.org

Linda Wise McNay '79 BE has published "Fundraising for Schools: 8 Keys to Success Every Head of School Should Know," which guides school leaders on how to manage their time in every stage of their fundraising and stewardship efforts.

CharityChannel Press
www.amazon.com

Marie Parsons '81 AS has published "The Devil's Back," a novel about a May-December love story that is set in Eastern Kentucky a few years after the infamous Hatfield-McCoy feud.

Outskirts Press
www.amazon.com





75 years ago...

Jane Ellen Allen, standing, conducted a class as a practice teacher in the College of Education during the 1940-1941 academic year.



52 years ago...

In the 1963-1964 academic year, UK medical students looked on from an adjoining observation room while an operation was performed.



32 years ago...

Members of Chi Omega tried to appeal to sorority rushees in 1983 by portraying themselves as selected members of the famous Mickey Mouse Fan Club.

12 years ago...

Journalism and political science sophomore Jessica Parker, left, chatted with theater senior Jason Thompson and English sophomore Ashley Hayden in the Martin Luther King Jr. Cultural Center in the Student Center during the 2002-2003 academic year.




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Turning point



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Little brother Ethan Wilson, right, is excited about leading big brother Matthew Wilson as they approached the Funkhouser Building during a visit to the center of the University of Kentucky campus with their parents, Bradley T. Wilson '10 AS and Kristen Brewick Wilson '10 AS of Roswell, Georgia. The children, both enrolled in the UK Alumni Association Future Wildcats program, were being coaxed — unsuccessfully — to smile and pose for a photo, but they had their own important agenda! ■



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