MAY STILL BE TIME: The Gettysburg College Fund Year ends at midnight tonight (May 31), which means:

- All gifts received (or checks dated) by midnight will count in the 2014-15 fund year totals.
- The percentage of alumni who have made a gift to the College this year is currently on pace with last year. Alumni support is the sole measure of “alumni satisfaction” in the U.S. News & World Report rankings each year. Every gift truly makes a difference.
- If you’re an alum or parent who’s made a gift the last two (or more) years, a gift this year will earn (or retain) your spot in the “Loyalty Circle,” which is our donor society recognizing consecutive years of giving.
- To be part of this year’s success story, make an online gift before midnight on May 31; mailing instructions can also be found there. For those who have already given, or are about to do so, thanks so much for your support!

LEARN OVER LUNCH ABOUT THE MIDDLE EAST:

- In last summer's alumni survey many people indicated interest in hearing more from faculty members, so we’re instituting a periodic “Learn Over Lunch” series.
- The goal is to bring topics/professors of potential interest to the external Gettysburg community via webinars/video conferences.
- The first offering will be on Monday, June 8, at noon (EST), when Avi Melamed, the Eisenhower Institute’s Fellow of Intelligence & Middle East Affairs, presents “Inside the Middle East: a GPS to Navigate the Middle East in the 21st Century.”
- Get more info and register online for the free video conference, or contact Maggie Mulderrig ’11 (717-337-6514 or mmulderr@gettysburg.edu) in the alumni office with any questions.

GETTYSBURG GREATS IN THE NEWS:

- Harry O’Neill ’39, a Hall of Athletic Honor inductee and one of just two Major League Baseball players killed in action during World War II, had his story retold prior to Memorial Day. Read the full piece.
- Dwight Castro ’66, Professor of Classics at Westminster College (PA), was selected as
the school’s 2015 Distinguished Faculty Award recipient. Read more.

- Joe Bavaro ’66, who won two NCAA wrestling titles as a Bullet, was inducted into the Middle Atlantic Conference Hall of Fame. Learn more about his remarkable story in a video that features appearances by Lefty Biser ’57 and Ray Reider ’53, among others.

- Laura Lee ’81, Special Asst. to the Deputy Director for Clinical Care for Patient Safety and Clinical Quality at the National Institutes of Health, was widely quoted in a story about her role with the first Ebola patient treated at NIH in Bethesda. Read the lengthy feature.

- Erin Reilly ’97 received Northampton Community College’s highest honor, the Christensen Award for Excellence in Teaching. Reilly teaches sociology at the Lehigh Valley school. Learn more.

- Jason Parker ’09 is helping bring the Ultimate [Frisbee] College Championships to Raleigh, NC, in 2016. Read about how he’s involved.

AROUND TOWN & CAMPUS:

- It’s not often that a Commencement speaker gets a standing ovation, but that’s what happened at Gettysburg’s graduation on May 17. Watch the speech that made the 613 graduates salute on foot, as well as other highlights from the weekend, including photos. Major General Charles F. Bolden Jr. was one of several speakers highlighted in the New York Times’ Cap and Gown article.

- The women’s golf team, led by the 18th place finish of Samantha Sessa ’18, placed 16th among 21 teams at the NCAA Div. III Championships. It was the 2nd straight year the team qualified for NCAAs. In track & field, Andre Hinds ’16 qualified for the NCAA Championships and finished 16th in the discus.

- The men’s and women’s lacrosse teams lost heartbreakers to end their years. The men, who finished the year 20-1, fell 11-9 to Lynchburg in the NCAA Championship semifinals, while the women fell 8-7 to York College in the NCAA 3rd round after having their tying goal scored with 6 seconds remaining disallowed on an official’s ruling. Catch up on all the latest with Bullet athletics.

- The Class of 2015 reached an overall participation rate of 85% with its Senior Class Gift campaign, thanks in part to 100% of the senior student-athletes financially supporting the College, as well as six Greek organizations that had perfect senior participation.

- See where those seniors are headed after graduation, based on the Class of 2015 survey data compiled by the College.

BATTER UP:

- You are invited to join fellow Gettysburg alumni, parents and friends at a professional baseball game in June, as there will be seven games over a three-week period this month.

- It will be “Gettysburg Day/Night” at the following ballparks: Bridgewater, NJ (Somerset Patriots, June 7), Fenway Park (Red Sox vs. Blue Jays, June 12), Yankee Stadium (Yankees vs. Marlins, June 18), Citizens Bank Park (Phillies vs. Cardinals, June 20), Nationals Park (Nats vs. Braves, June 24) and PNC Park (Pirates vs. Braves, June 28).

- You can get additional details and register online, but don’t delay, as we have to give
our final numbers very soon.

CAMPAIGN CORNER:

- Gettysburg Great: The Campaign for Our College, is now four years old, following a three-year leadership phase prior to the public launch last fall. In that time more than $98 million has been raised toward the $150 million goal to benefit current and future students. More than 15% of that total comes from gifts to the Gettysburg Fund and Orange & Blue Club, which have a May 31 (TODAY!) fund-year deadline.
- See the latest news, learn the five priorities of the Campaign, and see how you can make a difference – ALL gifts count and matter!

CAREER CORNER:

- Resources through the College’s Center for Career Development are available to all alumni and provide lifelong career assistance. Whether you are in your very first job hunt, between jobs, thinking about graduate school, or changing career fields, Gettysburg’s Center for Career Development is here to help. Learn more.
- The next free, monthly Career Webinar will be offered Wed., June 3 at 8 p.m. (EDT), when Carole Martin presents a session entitled “What You Don’t Say in an Interview Could Hold You Back.” Register for this and see the other offerings for Gettysburgians that are available online.
- See the latest job openings at Gettysburg, including a position in the annual giving office.

IN MEMORIAM: We’re saddened to report that long-time chemistry professor Alex Rowland ’53, passed away on May 16. A Memorial Service will be held June 21 at the Gettysburg Presbyterian Church on Baltimore Street at 3 p.m. The family has identified the Rowland Chemistry Fund at the College for those wishing to make memorial gifts.

TRIVIA TIME: In what year was the first “Mothers’ Day” held at Gettysburg College? A t-shirt goes to the first person to email alumni@gettysburg.edu with the correct answer.

Congratulations to last month’s winner, Jack Birgl ’91, who correctly answered that Nobel Laureate Betty Williams was Gettysburg’s Commencement speaker 25 years ago (1990).

June Alumni/Parent, Campus & Other Events of Interest

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For additional information – and/or to register for an alumni event – visit [www.gettysburg.edu/alumni](http://www.gettysburg.edu/alumni) or contact alumni@gettysburg.edu.

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