WOMEN’S LAX CLAIMS 2nd NCAA TITLE
In last year’s magazine, we featured our new strategic plan, *The Unfinished Work: A Strategic Direction for Gettysburg College.* This plan focuses on advancing our students’ personal and intellectual development, and specifically preparing them for living, working, and making positive contributions in an increasingly interconnected and fast-changing world.

Of paramount importance to this preparation are academic and cocurricular programs that emphasize critical thinking, effective communication, the integration of knowledge, and an appreciation for and understanding of different perspectives that develop from different life experiences. The delivery of this education requires talented faculty and staff who are dedicated to mentoring our students. It also requires a commitment to the upkeep and renovation of our facilities to meet the needs of this vibrant College community. Over the last few months, we have been engaged in some significant facilities projects.

As prospective students visiting the College campus for the first time, many of you passed through the Eisenhower House Admissions building. Although the Eisenhower House provides a nice first impression to our visitors, an applicant pool of over 6,000 each of the last two years has stretched this facility far beyond its capacity. I am pleased to announce that as you read this magazine, we are getting ready to open our new Fourjay Welcome Center—a 4,500 square-foot addition to the existing building—thanks to the generous philanthropic support of Geoff Jackson ’91 and his family. This addition will provide a beautiful reception and gathering space for our prospective students and their families, as well as additional interview rooms and offices. The space will also be available for campus lectures, receptions, and other events when not in use by admissions.

This summer, we also kicked off a substantial renovation of our College Union Building, as we replace the old swimming pool and Bullet Hole snack bar with a 26,000 square-foot addition. This addition will allow us to provide a central location and increased space for the Center for Career Development and the Garthwait Leadership Center, two programs that are attracting many Gettysburgians. In addition we will expand the capacity of our Bullet Hole and provide space for our student activities offices. Over the summer we also completed an addition to the west side of our dining hall that will serve as a temporary Bullet Hole while the CUB is under construction. Next year, this addition will allow for a much-needed expansion of student seating in our dining hall.

As we move through the current academic year, we also have plans to pursue a number of smaller-scale facilities upgrades related to our inclusion and internationalization efforts—enriching the facilities for our Office of Multicultural Engagement and our Office of Religious and Spiritual Life and relocating our International House.

There’s no doubt that construction makes a mess on campus while it’s in process, as those of you who navigated the orange fencing on Reunion Weekend know very well! But it also creates excitement about the future—and, most importantly, each of these projects will enrich the Gettysburg experience for our students. I encourage you to come visit to see what’s new.

As always, thank you for your loyal support of Gettysburg College. It truly makes a difference!

Sincerely,
Janet Morgan Riggs ’77
President
Closing the INTERNSHIP GAP

In today’s competitive job market, internships are essential. They enable students to build their network, bolster their resumes, and even land entry-level positions. But internships also require considerable resources.

According to the Class of 2016 Student Survey Report (National Association of Colleges and Employers), only 56 percent of students who participated in an internship were paid for their services. This pay gap is a serious issue for many Gettysburgians.

“That’s why Neil ’82 and Jennifer Fisher ’82 Bryant made a $100,000 commitment to support internships for first-generation students at the College.

“There is a need to help first-generation students taste the workplace prior to graduating, and we felt compelled to jump in and help as best we could,” said Neil, vice president of sales development for Carestream Health. “Our hope is that this scholarship simply provides opportunities for these students to experience different perspectives, learn more about themselves, engage in a setting that might be new for them, and perhaps ignite a possibility of where they may choose to invest themselves upon graduation.”

Through this commitment, the Bryants want to send a clear message to all first-generation students on campus: Gettysburg alumni are in your corner.

“I hope that those students who benefit from our gift will understand that they’re connected to, and supported by, the entire Gettysburg network—and that they’ll value their internship experience as an important step in building their own post-graduate life,” added Jen, an acclaimed author and poet who recently won the 2017 Schneider Award, given by the American Library Association, for her biography SIX DOTS—A Story of Young Louis Braille. The $100,000 is the latest in a series of gifts by the Bryants to the College, supporting a variety of initiatives—from athletics to scholarships to operations.

The Bryants are active volunteers on campus, devoting their time and talent to the Garthwait Leadership Center, Orange & Blue Club, the 1982 Reunion Committee, and a number of boards and initiatives. Jen was recently appointed to the Board of Trustees.

“Gettysburg College feeds two of our needs,” said Neil. “One is the desire to be connected with something that is larger than ourselves, and the other is to feel that we are making a difference in the lives of students. We are proud to be associated with the caliber of individual and quality of learning that the College provides.”

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The spark
I went to a small liberal arts college and took a geology course to fulfill a requirement. That was the spark that got me thinking about environmental geology. Geology helps me wonder about the world. There is something so awesome, in the real sense, that we are all connected in an earth system. This adds the perspective to environmental issues that what we do here has a potential effect somewhere else.

The insight
I went to graduate school for geology and, later, for creative writing, because I realized there was all this science out there, but when you talk to people, they don’t know about it. I thought there had to be a way to make science accessible to people who don’t see themselves as scientists. I just love when students get fired up, when I see them make connections between the sciences and humanities.

The intersections
I’ve been lucky to be a part of a pioneering field called ecocinema studies, joining environmental studies and film studies. My focus is working with contemporary Indigenous communities, especially on their work with fictional films. Fiction has a way of making you think, without preaching at you.

The shades
In my classes, I use sunglasses to get students to think about how important different ways of thinking and interdisciplinarity are. I say, “You have the chance to switch your sunglasses and see things from different perspectives.” And we laugh, because although the sunglasses serve as a metaphorical prop, there is a literal environmental aspect to this exercise—I use sunglasses that I found on campus; they are someone’s forgotten or discarded litter. It’s neat to see students immediately pick up on the connections between ideas and action.

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MAKING MUSIC FOR THE MOVIES

It’s date night at the movies, and Allison Geatches ’09 and her fiancé Lucas are watching The Accountant. The camera pans to Ben Affleck and the music builds—first synths, then strings.

Geatches leans over to Lucas and whispers, “I wrote that.”

Her work with acclaimed composer Mark Isham has earned credits on films such as Dolphin Tale, 42, and The Longest Ride, as well as on television’s Once Upon a Time. And Geatches is a graduate of the Sunderman Conservatory of Music.

“The first time I stepped foot on campus was my first day of classes,” said Geatches. “But it lived up to all my expectations—the campus was gorgeous, and the people were wonderful.”

A music and religious studies double major and German minor, Geatches reflected on the encouragement she received from faculty, such as music Prof. John “Buzz” Jones and Jocelyn Swigger.

“They taught me a lot of life lessons—how to practice, how to learn, and of course, time management,” said Geatches, who participated in concert choir, college choir, and Camerata. “One thing that made the Conservatory so special was having constant access to learning and growing musicians. As a developing composer, I could always ask, ‘Hey, can you play this on the French horn? I want to hear how it sounds.’ Sunderman students are all super helpful and so excited about what they do.”

Later, Geatches studied at Columbia College Chicago, recorded her thesis score at Capitol Records, and met Isham, her current boss and mentor.

“Before my internship with him, I was asked to come out to LA early. That’s when I did my work on Dolphin Tale,” she said. “Later, many on the team were in London to record the orchestra for the score, so while they were away, I took the initiative to organize the studio. When Mark returned, he loved it and said it was very helpful—honestly, it might be why I got that internship and ultimately this job!”

In addition to writing music, she is responsible for music preparation, managing workflow, and translating to notated score.

“I remember [award-winning composer] Michael Giacchino saying how every day in this industry is fun—I feel the same way. It is a hard job, but if you’re willing to put in the work, it’s consistently rewarding.”

SAVE THE DATE

The 411 Sarah Wendt ’90

Political science major • Alpha Delta Pi, Student Senator, Model UN, First-Year Orientation Leader • G’burg Alumni Board of Directors • College Career Connector • NY Leadership Group • 2005 Young Alumni Career Achievement award • MBA from NYU • Director of Major Gifts, Young Women’s Leadership Network • married to Andrew Regier • lives in NYC

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What makes G’burg Great(er)

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Most influential profs

Ken Mott and Shirley Anne Warshaw

My work matters because

I get to connect people and resources to programs that work and give a high return on investment. As YWLN/CollegeBound Initiative I have seen so many amazing young people get accepted to, enroll, and thrive at Gettysburg College.

People might be surprised

By the streak of adventurer and outdoorswoman in me. I worked for Outward Bound USA for five years, spent my honeymoon traveling across the Silk Road of China (riding camels and sleeping in tents in the Gobi Desert and hiking and sleeping in a Yurt in Mongolia). Yet to come! A trip to India and running a half-marathon before I am 50!

Last seen on campus:

April 2017
Alumni Association honors great work

Two former members of the Skeptical Chymists club were the 2017 recipients of the Distinguished Alumni Awards. Chemistry major John A. Hohneker ’81 is a medical oncologist whose work in drug discovery and development led to the introduction of 14 new drugs to treat cancer and other serious diseases. Hohneker is president of research and development for FORMA Therapeutics.

Inga Holl Musselman ’82, professor of chemistry and interim provost at the University of Texas–Dallas—has or is pending—six patents for scientific innovations. Her advanced microscopy methods and study of materials structure have garnered numerous prestigious grants.

Distinguished Alumni Awards are presented on Commencement weekend. Later in May, alumni gathered to recognize six honorees at Reunion 2017:

- MacGregor “Mac” Jones ’67 and Sarah Hitch Burdi ’87 were recognized for Meritorious Service.
- Young Alumni in Service awards went to Troy M. Cassel ’02, a special agent in the Federal Bureau of Investigation; Wendy Elles ’96, a financial specialist in the office of the CEO; and Greg Stevcic ’98, a member of the board of directors in five years.
- The Lavern H. Brenneman ’36, dean of religious and spiritual life at Commencement 2017.
- The Rev. Dr. Kristin Largen, dean of the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Gettysburg, will also serve as associate dean of religious and spiritual life and chaplain at Gettysburg College. She succeeds John A. Donnella II, who served as College chaplain from 1997 until his retirement in May.

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The Alumni Association welcomes the assistance of all alumni in identifying candidates for future awards. Complete the online form or contact us at alumni@gettysburg.edu or 717-337-6518.

Snippets

Hall of Athletic Honor

- Seth Bendian ’97 (baseball, football), Sue Cannon ’82 (field hockey, lacrosse), Samantha Cherob ’93 (basketball, volleyball), Wendy Elles ’96 (soccer), Todd Peters ’96 (swimming), and Greg Stivicic ’98 (soccer, swimming) are the 2017 inductees who will be honored as part of Homecoming Weekend on September 15.

Brenneman award

The Lavern H. Brenneman ’36 Award for Exemplary Service to Gettysburg College was presented to Trustee Emeritus David LeVan ’64 at Commencement 2017.

Gilman scholars

Congrats to Sarah Rivera ’18 and James Arps ’18, awarded Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarships from the U.S. Department of State’s Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, to study abroad in the United Kingdom and China, respectively.

Fast forward

After Gettysburg and earning his master’s degree from Oxford University, Jan Cerny ’11 returned to his native Czech Republic to work at Skoda Transportation. He went from financial specialist in the office of the CEO to a member of the board of directors in five years. Learn more, online.

Supersonic career

Mechanical engineer Brad Garner ’08 works on fighter jet engines at GE Aviation in Boston and said watching a jet engine work in afterburner is “cool.” In an online video, the economics major and religious studies minor recounts his wild ride.

Health and public policy

At Gettysburg, a course in medical anthropology and Mellon research on health care access in Adams County got Alyssa Foxx ’13 thinking about links between health and public policy. With her master’s degree in public health from Yale, she works at CipherHealth, an IT start-up focused on improving the efficiency of health care for low-income populations.

Change in the chaplaincy

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Harding was intrigued by the advanced technology portrayed in the fictional East African nation of Wakanda—technology that outpaced the already advanced Marvel multiverse, filled with scientific-experiments-turned-superheroes like Iron Man, Captain America, and the Hulk.

Moreover, he was interested in the intersection of science, technology, and race. Black Panther is Marvel’s first black superhero, and race. Black Panther is Black Panther.

Harding was giddy with nerd excitement. I contacted Marvel, and within minutes they got back to me, saying that they were into the idea. I was talking with the lead artist less than a week later. When I think of all of the stories I’ve written, that’s the one I had the most fun writing.”

Today, Harding is a tech and gaming reporter for Mic, a media company catering to millennials. The New York City native knew early in his college career that he wanted to go into digital journalism. His interests focused his individualized studies major (journalism in the digital age), his career explorations (including internships with both LAPTOP magazine and The Gettysburg Review), and his study abroad in Mérida, Mexico (studies in journalism and media immersion in Mexican and Mayan culture).

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HARVARD’S CRIMSON HUE FROM ORANGE & BLUE

There are places where you feel the energy beneath your feet, knowing you walk the same grounds as the leaders who helped to shape our nation’s history. Becca Johnson ’14 knew this sense of place at Gettysburg, and she found it again, at Harvard.

“It’s hard not to get inspired when you recognize all those who came before you,” said Johnson, a current Juris Doctor candidate. The photos in Harvard Law School’s Wasserstein Hall tell the story: Barack Obama, Michelle Obama, Rutherford B. Hayes, Antonin Scalia, Elena Kagan, John Roberts, Anthony Kennedy, Janet Reno, Ralph Nader, Mitt Romney, and the list goes on.

Johnson hopes to one day join this distinguished company. She’s developed a passion for litigation, as well as labor and employment law, through her demanding coursework and an internship at Fox Rothschild LLP in Pittsburgh.

“I found that I really enjoy legal research and writing. It’s a fun puzzle to look at the case law and determine the best way to represent your client,” Johnson said.

“Gettysburg prepared me really well,” she said. “My English and philosophy majors prepared me to read and retain dense materials, to understand and process problems, and to find logical solutions.”

Johnson isn’t renouncing the orange and blue for Harvard’s crimson, just yet.

“I just obsess about Gettysburg to anyone who will listen to me,” she joked. “I don’t think people quite get it unless they’ve been there. I don’t think people quite get it unless they’ve been there. I don’t think people quite get it unless they’ve been there. I don’t think people quite get it unless they’ve been there.”

Building the Golden State Warriors a New Home

In 1992, Collins earned a promotion that launched his now-24-year career in operations. He joined the Madison Square Garden company and completed the renovation of Radio City Music Hall, although he said managing the $1 billion renovation of the MSG Arena complex and the $140 million renovation of the Los Angeles Forum (former home of the Lakers and Kings) were two of his biggest career challenges.

“We couldn’t relocate the teams. The only way…was to perform most of the work during the off-season. We would close the building at the end of the NBA and NHL season and reopen in October,” he said.

“It was probably the most challenging thing I’d ever done.”

His present challenge will thrill Warriors fans: building a permanent home for the team in San Francisco by the 2019–20 season. Collins is responsible for developing the 11-acre tract that will house the 800,000-square-foot arena, as well as significant office and retail space.

“I was extremely fortunate to be offered this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. I am surrounded by amazing people and get to work for an organization that is so beloved by the entire Bay Area,” said Collins. “They have really become a national phenomenon.”

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Oakland with my son, surrounded by 1 million rabid Warriors fans. The passion the people have for this team is incredible.” Championship honors went to Cleveland in 2016 and were reclaimed by the Warriors in 2017. “Gettysburg helped me… I didn’t pigeonhole myself into one area,” he said. “It was a broad, diverse environment that focused on a more well-rounded education, which allowed me to cast a wider net when looking for a career.”

Media notes

The Warden’s Daughter
This latest novel by Newbery Medal winner Jerry Spinelli ’63 (Maniac Magee, Stargirl) is the story of Cammie Magee, a baby and grew up in the prison where her father is warden. Recalling the time of her 13th birthday, an older Stargirl) is the story of Cammie Magee, a baby and grew up in the prison where her father is warden. Recalling the time of her 13th birthday, an older

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ENGINEERING MAJOR
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Upon seeing Prof notes with Len Goldberg, Charlie Frankenbarg ’85 wrote, “Among a number of other epic English profs, Len stands as maybe the most formative guy for me. He ran the senior honors class, where he turned me onto the poetry of Wallace Stevens, and I’ve been afflicted ever since. His framing of Stevens as an American Romantic was revelatory for me and influences how I teach in class, where he turned me onto the poetry of Wallace Stevens, and I’ve been afflicted ever since. His framing of Stevens as an American Romantic was revelatory for me and influences how I teach.

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“This is surely a bit of a exaggeration to say that it changed the way I looked at things.

“To be sure, Ken taught us the usual political science stuff. For example, he taught me to hate James MacGregor Burns. He taught us how to think—how to challenge not just what we could see on the surface but how to root out and recognize the underlying assumptions on which the surface was constructed. This one lesson—the most valuable thing that any teacher has ever imparted to me—remains with me today in law and in government and in politics and in life.

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Ben Streeter ’13

“While I can’t speak impartially as his grandson, off the record Prof. Mort was the most talented, storytelling professor I ever saw. He was so good at keeping the class engaged. "On the record, Kathy Williams helped me figure out my career path. I am now an editor working for Pew in D.C. When I went to her for help, I had no idea what I might want to do after college. She took the time to talk to me and helped me figure things out.”

Autumn Taylor Yates ’04

“One class where he was speaking so passionately about one of the plays we were studying that he suddenly jumped up on the table in the center of the room. His classes were always lively and interesting! I didn’t take any classes offered by Dorothy Moore, but I spent a year working as her teaching assistant. I learned so much from her about how to teach another language to students with learning differences, and I keep her suggestions and strategies in mind to this day, as I near the end of my eleventh year as a Spanish teacher.”

John Nicoliatti ’86

“My first class at Gettysburg was a political science course, which, on day 1, covered Plato. This class opened things up enough or me to want to dedicate my studies to philosophy. Donald Tannenbaum piqued my imagination; I saw learning as something visual.”

Debbie and Dave Posmontier ’81 ’11

“We want to thank Buzz Jones for the many kindnesses he showed us and our son, Alex ’11. From music classes to performances to trips abroad, Buzz was the rock who held things together. We are so grateful for the wonderful experience Alex had and for the kind and loving mentoring Buzz provided.”

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And in the news

African Miracle, African Mirage: Transnational Politics and the Paradox of Modernization in Ivory Coast by Africana Studies Prof. Abou Bamba was listed in The Washington Post’s TMC African Politics Summer Reading Spectacular.

English Prof. Rob Garnett described how U.S. Navy Adm. Nimitz’s daring gamble led to the U.S. defense of the Battle of Midway. In The Wall Street Journal, CSPAN provided two days of live coverage to the Civil War Institute’s summer conference.

Steph Colston ’19 scored the first and last goals in the NCAA championship game and made Sports Illustrated’s “Faces in the Crowd.”

Political Science Prof. Shirley Anne Warshaw, Harold G. Evans Chair of Eisenhower Leadership Studies, was interviewed for an analysis of the Trump presidency in The New York Times Sunday Review and on the Canadian Broadcasting Company (CBC) news network.

Prof. Allen Guelzo, director of Civil War Era Studies and the Henry R. Luce Professor of the Civil War Era, spoke about the Battle of Gettysburg on a national network of radio programs.

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Following a timeout with 18 seconds left and with her team clinging to a one-goal advantage over The College of New Jersey in the NCAA Division III Championship, Emma Christie ’17 strode confidently to the far side of the field in front of the Gettysburg fans, nodding her head up and down the whole way.

The women’s lacrosse team knew this was their moment of glory. Despite being deep in their own territory, the sure-handed Bullets passed the ball away from the scrambling Lions as the seconds ticked away and the final horn blared across the Roanoke (Virginia) valley.

That confidence and poise in the heat of the moment from Christie, and her four teammates helped steer Gettysburg College to its second national title in the sport of women’s lacrosse.

“They’ve been an outstanding group,” said Head Coach Carol Daly Cantele ’83. “I think their greatest quality is they’ve never—ever—made it about themselves.”

The quintet—Christie, Caroline Jaeger ’17, Shannon Keeler ’17, Macauley Mikes ’17, and Katelyn Neillands ’17—had come close and a legacy to be continued. The seniors led in very different ways and different manners,” noted Cantele. “They distributed their leadership equally and no one had any extra burden. I think that made for a unique and special group.”

After climbing to the top of their sport, the graduates are headed off on very different journeys. Christie went to Boston to join the Beacon Hill Staffing Group as a junior staffing consultant. Jaeger didn’t stray too far from Gettysburg, taking a position as community engagement associate for a local minor league baseball team, the Lancaster Barnstormers. Keeler joined a host of recent Gettysburg grads at AT&T in its Business Sales Leadership Development program. The three of them majored in Organization and Management Studies. The two health sciences majors, Mikes and Neillands, have their sights set on careers in physical therapy and optometry, respectively.

They hoisted the trophy and capped their lacrosse careers on May 28, returning to the greetings of a grateful flock of revelers and the familiar lights of Clark Field. On Monday, they quietly departed campus, leaving behind the trophy, memories of a dream season, and a legacy to be continued.

“It was a hard-fought victory: two exceptional teams giving it their all, battling to the final finish.”

—Carol Daly Cantele ’83

GOT GEAR?

Championship hats and t-shirts are available from the College bookstore, in person or online.

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Overall Record: ................................................................. 19-4
Centennial Conference record and finish: ............................................... 8-1 (2nd)
Rank entering NCAA: ............................................................................. 7th
Score against FGM in CC championship (last loss): ........................................... 9-7
Beat nation’s top offense: ......................................................... Adrian College (25-10)
Beat Salisbury University in regional championship: .......................................... 14-13
NCAA Most Outstanding Player: .................................................. Hannah Church ’12
First off the bus at Gettysburg was “Mac:” .................................................... Laura McIntyre ’11

2017

Overall Record: ................................................................. 21-3
Centennial Conference record and finish: ............................................... 8-1 (2nd)
Rank entering NCAA: ............................................................................. 7th
Score against FGM in CC championship (last loss): ........................................... 6-7
Beat nation’s top offense: ......................................................... Rhodes College (19-1)
Beat Salisbury University in regional championship: .......................................... 10-2
NCAA Most Outstanding Player: .................................................. Steph Colson ’19
First off the bus at Gettysburg was “Mac:” .................................................... Macauley Mikes ’17

TALE OF A TITLE

For those who recall the 2011 title trek, the path to 2017 had some familiar vibes:

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Looking for his first job after college, Huanjia Zhang ’17, a biology major and studio art minor, knew he was setting his sights high by interviewing at some of the top research labs across the country. But Zhang found he had a competitive advantage. “Recruiters were amazed by my research experience,” he said. “For Gettysburg, [conducting research] is normal, but they were impressed.”

Zhang could point to his presenting research at a conference in his native China with biology Prof. Ryan Kerney. He could produce a paper released by Kerney and fellow researchers about the vertebrate-algal relationship between green alga and the spotted salamander, which drew national media attention. Zhang is listed as a co-author. “One recruiter said most undergraduate college students list technical skills on their resumes that they learned and practiced only once or twice in class,” said Zhang. “But they were confident with my experience that I had been practicing and actually using the skills I listed.”

He received multiple job offers, including one from his top choice, the PennCHOP Microbiome Program, part of the Perelman School of Medicine and the Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia. Zhang is working as a science technician.

In addition to his research experience, they were also amazed by my science communication skills,” he said. Zhang, who learned English as a second language, compares communicating about science to translating a language. It can be challenging. And frustrating. But in today’s world of social media and fast-paced communication, scientists are competing for attention and need to be able to explain the impact of their research.

In his senior year, Zhang sought a project to flex his communication skills. Environmental Studies Prof. Salma Monani, [see page 3] agreed to be his capstone project advisor. On the science side, he learned from his faculty advisor, biology Prof. Alex Trillo, that the population of bats is declining, not only globally, but also locally, in Pennsylvania. Zhang thought that would be a good place to start. Coining it his “bat-man project,” he created a communications plan to raise awareness about endangered bats and to teach the general public how they could help.

In addition to learning about bats, Zhang learned what goes into effective science communication. He focused on science journalism, audio production, and video production, and he created a website devoted to interpreting science. In all caps, the homepage reads: SCIENCE IS FOR EVERYONE.

Monani recommended Zhang read and analyze top science articles. He learned how to write a good lede and how to tell a story to interest readers. He drafted the script for a video to teach people how to make bat houses, which can aid in conservation. He listened to podcasts and studied their structure (as any good scientist would) to improve his blog posts. He interviewed state expert Mike Scafani from the Pennsylvania Game Commission and found out how challenging transcription can be.

“Zhang said it wasn’t hard work, but the purpose and process of the project taught him vital skills. “The experience was not so much like a [senior capstone], but I was completing a project together with Prof. Monani,” he said. “One thing that’s important to me is I want to know I [have the skills] to teach myself after I graduate. Before educating others, we educated ourselves. That’s something all good journalists do. And the idea of breaking things down to understand them—that’s the scientist in me.”

In a few years, Zhang plans to go to graduate school, perhaps in an aspect of biology. He will also continue to pursue his passion for science communication. “I don’t want to spend the rest of my life doing bench work in a lab without letting people know what science can do or influence society,” said Zhang. “There’s an information gap between scientists and the general public. That’s something science communication can fix.”
In the fall of 2012, members of the Gettysburg College baseball team’s leadership council gathered with head coach John Campo P’07 for what they thought would be an ordinary preseason meeting. It would lead to a philanthropic effort that is still going strong.

Two years earlier, Tommy Kirchhoff, a friend of the Gettysburg College baseball program, was diagnosed with ALS (amyotrophic lateral sclerosis), otherwise known as Lou Gehrig’s disease. Kirchhoff was the son of Bill ’63 and Jean Kirchhoff ’64, generous supporters of the baseball program, for whom the Bullets’ home field is named.

Campo was inspired by a fundraiser held by a student-athlete at Tommy Kirchhoff’s high school alma mater, and he floated the idea of starting a similar initiative at Gettysburg. He asked for someone to take charge, and Nate Simon ’14 jumped at the opportunity.

“I think we, as a team, were troubled to hear about Tommy’s diagnosis and wanted to express our support to him and the rest of the Kirchhoff family,” recalled Simon. “The situation was much bigger than baseball. We wanted to make a difference to the Kirchhoffs and other families who have had to deal with this terrible disease.”

So, since 2013, the baseball team has been dedicated to the off-the-field initiative Take ALS Yard, its name a clever use of baseball jargon for hitting a home run, or “going yard.” Now an annual event, the project has raised over $55,000 for Project ALS, a national organization dedicated to ALS research.

Shortly after the creation of Take ALS Yard, Robert Borman P’05, father of Rob Borman ’05, a former baseball team captain, was diagnosed with the same disease. Take ALS Yard honors his memory, as well. Kirchhoff and Borman passed away within five months of each other, in 2014–2015.

A different player assumes leadership of the project each season. After Simon had served as the point person during its first two years, it was handed off to Cory Karagjozi ’15 in 2015, Luke Lawrence ’16 in 2016, and J.J. Lucido ’17 this year.

Before each season, the team purchases Take ALS Yard hats and shirts to be sold at every Gettysburg home game. Donations are also received online at takealsyard.com. All merchandise bears a “TK/RB” (Tommy Kirchhoff/Robert Borman) insignia, also emblazoned on the back of the team’s batting helmets.

This past fall, the baseball squad joined up with the softball team for a joint home run derby for Gettysburg students. All of the proceeds raised were split between Project ALS and the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, which the softball team supported this past year. Many athletic teams at Gettysburg regularly engage in philanthropic endeavors.

“We are very honored by what the team and the College has done,” said Bill Kirchhoff. “especially since it has been perpetuated each year. It’s so important to keep awareness of this horrific disease in the forefront. Tommy was a very humble person, and he was incredibly honored by what they did.”

“I strongly believe that this effort is a clear extension of the culture that Coach Campo has created within the baseball program,” said Rob Borman. “Winning is the goal, but equally important is the preparation for life. The fundraising campaign is an incredible piece of a well-rounded college experience. It’s an amazing effort, spearheaded by an amazing group of student-athletes, parents, and coaches.”

“I think it’s important that their legacies are not forgotten,” said Campo. “Also, I think it makes our players socially aware and puts things in perspective for them. I know it certainly does for me.”

Valerie Estess, director of research at Project ALS, said the funds help all of the world’s most effective researchers to double down on experiments, including ALS drug testing and stem cell disease modeling.

“We are especially grateful to coach John Campo and his scholar-athletes for continuing to play and work in support of research that will touch us all,” she said.

—Braden Snyder

Take ALS Yard merchandise is sold at home games.

Left to right: Bill and Tommy Kirchhoff and Nate Simon in 2013.
For free speech to be most valuable, it must reach open minds. Open-mindedness suggests an ability to see a perspective outside of one’s own. “It’s being willing at the very least to have your own viewpoint challenged. Also, to test your thinking a bit,” said Political Science Prof. Kenneth Mott P’07, by way of definition. It’s early in the morning on May 3. Mott is finishing up some work in his Glatfelter Hall office before embarking on a much-deserved family vacation. Mott retired in August after teaching 51 years at Gettysburg College. Gettysburg’s curriculum and learning environment are designed to cultivate the type of critical thinking that makes open-mindedness possible.

“The liberal arts encourages—I’d stop short of saying it forces—that, if you do your coursework, you’re going to get other viewpoints, and at the very least it will help you sharpen your viewpoint,” said Mott. Gettysburg alumni demonstrate the importance and impact of open-mindedness in a variety of fields and careers. For some, it takes the form of finding new approaches to science research, demonstrated by Distinguished Alumni Award recipients John A. Hohneker ’81 and Inga Holl Musselman ’82 [page 4]. For others, it means working across the aisle in politics or simply being able to work well with people from different backgrounds, like Xavier Harding ’12 [page 8].

If the liberal arts curriculum and environment are part of the science of cultivating open-mindedness, then professors like Mott are the art and flair behind it. “Ken gave practical meaning to ‘don’t judge a book by its cover,’” says Jamie Fleet ’02. “He encouraged people to seek out unusual allies. And he was intentional about creating a learning environment where you could disagree without being disagreeable.”

On May 3, as Mott reflects on open-mindedness, the College is preparing for a visit later in the evening from Robert Spencer, a speaker known for his controversial comments on Islam. Earlier in the week, the Religious Studies department and the Peace and Justice Studies program sponsored a lecture by a Luther College professor, Todd Green, on the topic of Islamophobia. While Spencer delivered his lecture in the College Union Building, a group of students held a solidarity rally in support of Muslim students outside of Penn Hall.

“Maybe that’s the essence of open-mindedness. You don’t have to be wishy-washy,” says Mott. “Nobody who is a thinking person will be open to anything that comes down the pike. But if you don’t agree with a [viewpoint], why don’t you?”

Across the country, college campuses are grappling with issues of free speech. What is free speech? How do we protect it? What issues should private, liberal arts colleges consider? In the spring issue of this magazine, President Janet Morgan Riggs ’77
“WE ARE GUIDED BY OUR INSTITUTIONAL VALUES.”

pointed to examples of how the College is engaging in and thinking about these issues. “I am certain that we will not all agree on how to approach every speaker or how to respond to every instance of offensive speech,” Riggs said in her letter. “What I can assure you is that as we face these issues, we are guided by our institutional values and Gettysburg’s mission as a liberal arts college.”

The Gettysburgian reported that more than 300 people attended the event in solidarity with Muslim members of the campus community, and close to 400 people attended Spencer’s lecture, many out of curiosity. Quoted in an article written by Benjamin Pontz ’20 after the event, Luca Menicali ’19 said: “I’m interested in hearing what he has to say. Going in, I knew what my viewpoint was, and I will critically analyze what he has to say. All in all, I think it was the right decision to have him come and share his thoughts with us.”

One of the College’s core values is “the free and open exchange of ideas and exploration of their ethical and spiritual dimensions.” But to ensure this speech reaches open minds, other values are also integral. For one, critical thinking skills. “That’s where another College value comes into play: the power of a liberal arts education to help students develop critical thinking skills…”

Finally, “the commitment to a diverse and inclusive learning environment,” and “the worth and dignity of all people” as part of their intellectual potential.”

At Gettysburg, having an open mind doesn’t mean opinions shift with the wind. “The wind of the world, not each of the College’s values—a free exchange of ideas, the development of critical thinking skills, diversity, and regard for our students’ intellectual potential—work together to cultivate healthy open-mindedness. Gettysburgians learn, as Mott said, to challenge the viewpoints of others, and perhaps most importantly, their own.

A sk alumni who took one of his classes, and they will tell you that one of Mott’s professorial super powers is the ability to make meaningful comments that caused them to think, but didn’t indicate what he thought. “I hold much respect for Prof. Mott, whose classes I attended some 45 years ago,” said Hal MacLaughlin ’71. “He was polite, courteous, and civil, and always demonstrated the important characteristic of listening to all points of view, never denigrating students or their opinions.

Mott takes pride in having advised student groups ranging in a spectrum from the College Democrats to the College Republicans and Young Americans for Freedom. As a constitutional law expert, Mott has always been well-practiced in the approach of looking at issues from multiple sides. “I used to hear students say, ‘I don’t know where Mott stands on this,’ and I’d think ‘good for me!’” he said.

But Mott admitted he’s worried about the future, pointing to the example of “electronification.” It’s “a term he uses to explain how advances in technology have impacted public discourse and the ways we communicate, or don’t communicate, with one another. In a liberal arts setting, you should be asking questions and thinking about issues that are more or less everlasting. ‘Then you can say—having focused on those great issues’—OK, what did they say on the news this morning, and how does that fit in the larger scheme of things?”

F leet developed his initial relationship with Mott through his first-year seminar in 1998. With Mott’s encouragement, Fleet ran for office while a student and, at the age of 18, was elected to Gettysburg Borough Council. Today, he is a staff director at the House of Representatives, overseeing the operations of Congress, including an over $3 billion budget and responsibilities for the Smithsonian Institution, human resources, finance, security, and the Capitol building. It’s

Gettysburg College values “the free and open exchange of ideas and exploration of their ethical and spiritual dimensions.”
a position he also achieved when he was young, at 27. Fleet said what he learned at Gettysburg prepared him well for staying nimble and open-minded in what he describes as the “bubble” of Washington, D.C. “D.C. is an echo chamber. You can easily fall into the trap of talking to the same people about the same things and never seeking out a different opinion or challenging someone’s assumptions,” he says.

"GETTYSBURG TEACHES STUDENTS TO EXPAND THE UNIVERSE OF PEOPLE FROM WHICH THEY LEARN."
On BECOMING FUNNY

In his new book, Kicking through the Ashes: My Life as a Stand-Up, Ritch Shydner ’74 shaves out his memories to provide his historical and personal account as a survivor and observer of the 1980s comedy scene.

AN EXCERPT FROM CHAPTER 1
“Don’t want nothin’ that anybody can touch”

In the spring of 1972, my sophomore year at Gettysburg College was looking like its last when Dave “Tiny” Weeks suggested I take Public Speaking 101. Professor Harry Bolich never gave less than an A for anyone who attended class. Most classmates were reciting excerpts from novels or articles from Sports Illustrated, but I did a deadpan reading of the lyrics from “Changes,” a David Bowie song. I didn’t know my serious reading with a blank expression was a form of comedy, but it got the laughs I secretly desired. As we left the class Professor Bolich pulled me aside and asked, “Can you do that again?” That was all the encouragement I needed. I spent more time on the next assignment than all my other courses to date in reworking the lyrics to the Rolling Stones song “Sympathy for the Devil” into “Sympathy for the Salesman.” It wasn’t a roomful of strangers, but for the first time I wrote something and performed it with the intent to get laughs, and succeeded. “You’re funny,” Professor Bullock said. “That was important. I had heard “crazy” and “nuts” before, but never “funny.” Nothing made me happier than making people laugh, but I knew of no way to take it any further. I played my George Carlin albums endlessly and watched every comic I could on TV, but never considered what they did as a possibility for me. Show business was just words and offices. Those were my two options, and both seemed beyond me. Feeling loose, I walked out into “Sympathy for the Salesman.”

AN EXCERPT FROM CHAPTER 77
“Let me play among the stars”

From 1984 to 1991, I was on The Tonight Show about a dozen times. Even after getting to panel on my fourth appearance I wasn’t a lock to be called to the couch. That was okay. I wanted his approval but never felt as comfortable with Johnny Carson as I did with David Letterman. This was strictly my problem. Plenty of comics my age rolled with Johnny, but to me he was a father figure. Growing up, my dad and I had an adversarial and sometimes violent relationship. Later he felt my choice of a career in comedy was a mistake. Plenty of comics my age rolled with Johnny, but to me he was a father figure. Not really a ringing endorsement, but in my family, acknowledging your existence was as close as you might ever get to a compliment.

My dad saw me perform a few times early in my career and never had anything to say. One night, I did the whole show about him and he left without saying a word. He never called after any of my Tonight Show shows. The only thing he ever said about my chosen profession was, “What you do is tough. If they don’t buy the insurance I sell, I can say they didn’t like that insurance, but if they don’t laugh, they didn’t buy you.”

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During a 1989 Tonight Show appearance, I was told right before walking onto the soundstage that there wasn’t enough time for panel. I tossed the disappointment and did my job. Feeling loose, I walked out and did a quick gunfighter pose before I started my set. It’s something I did in the clubs from time to time. Three people might get it, but that was fine. I guess it was my version of Don Rickles’ metaphor of the stand-up comic as bullfighter. The gunfighter, confrontational and suspicious, covered my relationship with the audience and the world at large.

I got sober in 1985 and made amends to my dad for a lot of things, including wrecking his cars, the fistfights, and shooting at him while hunting. Three years later he got sober and came to California to clean up his side of the street. Afterward, we hugged and cried, but there remained a gap between us.

I started my set. It’s something I did about two dozen times early in my career and never did it all over again, only with more enthusiasm. I’d make the same mistakes and find some new ones.

After finishing my set, instead of acknowledging Johnny and walking for the curtain, I did a little more of the gunfighter. I pulled my jacket back with my right hand, assumed a gunfighter stance and backed slowly to the curtain, while scanning the audience for trouble.

A baffled Ed McMahon asked Johnny, “What’s he doing?”
Johnny laughed. He said, “He’s doing a gunfighter.”

The next day my dad called me. “That gunfighter thing you did really cracked Johnny up. You know what? You’re really good at this.”

No call ever meant more to me. There’s this old southern expression, “You’re not a man until your daddy says you’re one.” When I was young, I saw my dad making people laugh and my friends even said he was funny, but I didn’t get it. He closed the gap that night.

We’ve been laughing together ever since.

"IF I WERE 30 AGAIN, with what I know now…I’d do it all over again, only with more enthusiasm. I’d make the same mistakes and find some new ones."
Gettysburg College joined an elite group of the nation’s most respected colleges and universities in an alliance to substantially expand the number of talented low- and moderate-income students at our nation’s undergraduate institutions with the highest graduation rates. The American Talent Initiative (ATI), supported by Bloomberg Philanthropies, brings together a diverse set of public and private institutions united in this common goal. ATI members will enhance their efforts to recruit, enroll, and support lower-income students; learn from each other; and contribute to research that will help other colleges and universities expand opportunity.

“We are excited to join the American Talent Initiative. At Gettysburg, we are determined to continue to make our education accessible to all students who have the potential to make the most of it, regardless of their socioeconomic circumstances,” said President Janet Morgan Riggs ’77.

Yin arrived at Gettysburg with the intention of not only earning a degree, but also learning about how he could use that degree to help others achieve in higher education.

“Self-identifying as a Cambodian-American from Philadelphia, I wanted to examine the assimilation of Cambodian-Americans in Philadelphia,” said Yin. He designed his own major—focused on intercultural studies through education—and conducted research on the academic paths of second-generation Cambodian-American middle-school students in Philadelphia.

After graduation, Yin was looking for a position where he could apply his research and enact social change, an opportunity he found with the Cambodian Association of Greater Philadelphia (CAGP).

As the youth development coordinator at CAGP, Yin provides direct service and administrative support to the out-of-school-time programs, oversees children and youth grants, and heads the middle and high school leadership development programs.

“And I’m still living the Do Great Work philosophy every day,” said Yin, “by engaging in pursuits towards providing high-quality educational experiences, which will leave a legacy and make an impact in the community.”
Office of the Provost is accepting nominations for honorary degrees to be awarded to humanitarians, and other distinguished leaders. Through September 30, the Office of the Provost asks alumni to identify candidates for awards by November 10. Recipients of the 2017 awards appear on page 6 and online. The Alumni Association awards may be contacted at spyron@gettysburg.edu or 717-337-6542.

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HALF OF CLASS NOTES

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in 1955, they have enjoyed traveling and cruising here in Europe, plus touring the United States. Their travels now live in a retirement community in Yarmouth Port, MA. Please help me out now! Email is quick and easy, and we can answer them too.

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Class frequent traveler Audrey Rawlings Wennmbolm had a trip to Washington, D.C. In May, she traveled to St. Louis, Missouri, before returning to her home. She and yours truly are looking forward to a weekend at the beach in St. Petersburg, FL. While in FL, Alan and Phyllis visited the Dali Museum in St. Petersburg, while I saw the tour of various art exhibits around the area. Betty Jean has a large beautiful garden, and she is playing a little golf myself, off the senior center in Daytona Beach. Dick is a part-time volunteer who best fulfills and advances the mission of the Salem Hospital Auxiliary (Greatest Boston area, southeast MA, and RI). Phyllis is a patient volunteer and has served as chair of the fund raiser committee for the last two years, one of the largest fundraisers for the nonprofit organization. I am not sure if the $1,132,007 exactly contribution to the Salem Hospital Auxiliary ($1,132,007 exactly) contribution to the Gettysburg Fund since our last Reunion, five years ago. I am sure that Dick has made a great contribution. I could not attend all the events at all events. He especially did so for Science Week; when College President Janet Morgan Riggs “I am rather confident at least it is worth trying to write about in the next column.”

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I had the pleasure of conversation with Alan Ruby to update his latest activities. He took a wonderful tour coach to Charleston, SC, and took in all of the sights, including Ft. Sumter, along with magnolias and their gardens. Also on the tour was a visit to the Charleston Tea Plantation, which is the only place in the country where tea is grown. On the tour, they saw lots of wildlife, including egrets and blue heron! Sounds like a wonderful experience. Alan also seems to keep up with the programs at retirement homes in the area. His latest subject is the Johnstown Flood of 1889. He also manages to be a supply pastor almost every Sunday and helps out wherever he is needed. He also has a mirthful reunion with Pat Stoner Dint in Hershey. The Lower Susquehanna Synod had a Day of Renewal at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, and when I came up to Pittsburgh, Pa., it was a Jill Ruby dinner. I had lunch with Betty, Jani Stockwell Rieders ’53, Betty Jean has a large beautiful garden, and she is playing a little golf myself, off the senior center in Daytona Beach. Dick is a part-time volunteer who best fulfills and advances the mission of the Salem Hospital Auxiliary ($1,132,007 exactly) contribution to the Gettysburg Fund since our last Reunion, five years ago. I am sure that Dick has made a great contribution. I could not attend all the events at all events. He especially did so for Science Week; when College President Janet Morgan Riggs “I am rather confident at least it is worth trying to write about in the next column.”

Dick and Cynthia Garrow Brubaker were recently honored by the U.S. Air Force museum for their 50 years of service, and Cynthia amassed 3,300 total volunteer hours. I was a consult caseworker for the team, while Cynthia is on leave from her job as a human resources manager at a major chain of retail stores. By this time the issue is published, they will have “thrown out” with brother Bob ’54 and younger brother Bob ’58 and brother Dave ’65 at the Brubaker reunion in Gettysburg. Elaina Blonski ’56 and you’re truly looking forward to a Lutheran conference in July that includes attendees from the upper- and mid-western synods. I had a lot of time in the pews, with separate activities for youth. A week later, we visit to Raytown, PA, next to Philadelphia, for a two-day family reunion. That event draws relatives from West Coast to East Coast, and over 100 make the trip. Janice Lichtenwalter ’58 for the next deadline for news is Oct. 15. Let her hear from more of you that time, okay?

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It’s always great to hear that someone is reading the class notes, and it was wonderful to receive news. Some of the highlights were: Ben Benjamin for the first time. He first and his wife, Liz, have been class presidents since 1971 and have three children and five grandchildren. Linda was his high school sweetheart, and they married in 1958. John was in the US Air Force for five years, where he served his country. In retirement, he enjoys his family, the beaches nearby, and golf. He just had come in from 18 holes of golf when we talked. John remembers the 50th Reunion, alumnus, Carl Miller. Steve Bishop, and Linda Lott. Bob had high school sweetheart, and they married in 1958. John was in the US Air Force for five years, where he served his country. In retirement, he enjoys his family, the beaches nearby, and golf. He just had come in from 18 holes of golf when we talked. John remembers the 50th Reunion, alumnus, Carl Miller. Steve Bishop, and Linda Lott. Bob had high school sweetheart, and they married in 1958. John was in the US Air Force for five years, where he served his country. In retirement, he enjoys his family, the beaches nearby, and golf. He just had come in from 18 holes of golf when we talked. John remembers the 50th Reunion, alumnus, Carl Miller. Steve Bishop, and Linda Lott. Bob had high school sweetheart, and they married in 1958. John was in the US Air Force for five years, where he served his country. In retirement, he enjoys his family, the beaches nearby, and golf. He just had come in from 18 holes of golf when we talked. John remembers the 50th Reunion, alumnus, Carl Miller. Steve Bishop, and Linda Lott. Bob had high school sweetheart, and they married in 1958. John was in the US Air Force for five years, where he served his country. In retirement, he enjoys his family, the beaches nearby, and golf. He just had come in from 18 holes of golf when we talked. John remembers the 50th Reunion, alumnus, Carl Miller. Steve Bishop, and Linda Lott. Bob had high school sweetheart, and they married in 1958. John was in the US Air Force for five years, where he served his country. In retirement, he enjoys his family, the beaches nearby, and golf. He just had come in from 18 holes of golf when we talked. John remembers the 50th Reunion, alumnus, Carl Miller. Steve Bishop, and Linda Lott. Bob had high school sweetheart, and they married in 1958. John was in the US Air Force for five years, where he served his country. In retirement, he enjoys his family, the beaches nearby, and golf. He just had come in from 18 holes of golf when we talked. John remembers the 50th Reunion, alumnus, Carl Miller. Steve Bishop, and Linda Lott. Bob had high school sweetheart, and they married in 1958. John was in the US Air Force for five years, where he served his country. In retirement, he enjoys his family, the beaches nearby, and golf. He just had come in from 18 holes of golf when we talked. John remembers the 50th Reunion, alumnus, Carl Miller. Steve Bishop, and Linda Lott. Bob had high school sweetheart, and they married in 1958. John was in the US Air Force for five years, where he served his country. In retirement, he enjoys his family, the beaches nearby, and golf. He just had come in from 18 holes of golf when we talked. John remembers the 50th Reunion, alumnus, Carl Miller. Steve Bishop, and Linda Lott. Bob had high school sweetheart, and they married in 1958. John was in the US Air Force for five years, where he served his country. In retirement, he enjoys his family, the beaches nearby, and golf. He just had come in from 18 holes of golf when we talked. John remember
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Keep those cards, letters, and calls coming. Everyone wants to hear from you. And good news! We have additional space in this column. Ardie notes:

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Morgan Riggs ’77 announced that a permanent memorial honoring these men for their years as young, idealistic, amazing College friends for a weekend on the coast of ME, just outside Portland. He will be missed, as will the other 27 classmates who have died since our last Reunion. He was a Marine officer, a father of three, and a grandfather of six. A special note to those who knew him personally: please send her your news.

One final sad note, Ardie Shulster, Bobbi’s fiancée, passed away last year. We have lost a leader for our class and a friend to all of us. We will miss her and she will be in our hearts always. She was loved by many and will be missed by all.

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had shared. Among those attending from east from CA in June for the 50th Reunion

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Elaine was a fun-loving, generous person who died of cancer on May 10.

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and their families and by her many friends and acquaintances, which include two Jack Russell Terriers, Jaleesa and Daisy, who are over 25 years old. She had been looking forward to attending the 50th Reunion.

We'll be there to remember "our fond memories" with each other, as well as those people who are no longer with us.

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We mourn the passing of classmate, Carleton Herrick; died in Sept, 2016, and Carolyn Folkenberg Birkead died in Nov, 2016. Both had some good news.

Doug Ruby wrote that although his wife retired from nurse midwifery last year, he took the big step into retirement after 39 years of college teaching and research back in, Jan. After 23 years, the U of MD-Eastern Shore, he is now a professor of biology emeriti. He enjoys birdwatching, looking for fossils along the beaches on his island. He is, nevertheless, learning plenty of time for his two children and four grandchildren.

Ron Reaves had headed to a trip to Luther’s Germany in May. He has been reelected as a Lutheran pastor since 2012 but continues to serve churches in central and western MD as a district circuit rider. He has been working on a novel. When not writing, hosting travel groups, and serving churches, he enjoys his three grandchildren, photography, cinema, choral music, and online games. He has been married to Sandra for 43 years. After successful cancer in law, the military, and the ministry, Chuck Jensen returned to Elbgur 15 years ago to become a park ranger. He’s enjoying doing about 1500 programs a year. He enjoys living in the historic district with his wife of 40 years and their dog, Diane Terry Brownlow traveled back east from CA in June for the 50th Reunion of the Class of 1968 in which I was fortunate to attend.

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He said his garden is doing well, and he’s been retired as a Lutheran pastor since 2016. Now here’s some good news. To view a set of seven-year-old triplets. In addition to me, Kitty Alcock, John Loose. Bill has been an

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respond a lot quicker than four decades, I promised. Since I know you are ready to let us know how you are doing, please note my new email address. I saw your news!

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Gettysburg College Class of 1978
I’m so happy to report that I finally have some mail in my mailbox. It was getting kind of lonely in my mailbox. I plan to take this mail to the PA Commission for Women’s Veterans Day event at the state capital in Harrisburg in May. Her nomination was based on her position as former assistant secretary of the Pennsylvania Veterans’ Affairs Commission, who led the activities of the Women’s Veterans Program, as well as other programs.

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Dianne Lappe Cooney

Gettysburg College Class of 1969
Congratulations to the Gettysburg College Class of 1969. Wow, that’s 37 class graduations since we listened to the epic commencement speech of Russell Warren. It was the 20th reunion at Gettysburg College and biology programs. Steve and his students couple created a new course with a focus on genetics, evolution, and cell biology. The course will cover both molecular and new cells, and how cancer cells can “get in” into a new cell, and will provide me with a new way to think about cancer.

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couples were married about the same time, eight years ago. Nora continues to sing and work except one who is still working for Pitzer and then for the United States Olympic Committee. Currently, he owns and operates a microbrewery and INO. Thanks for letting us know how you are, Steve. ClassicsLass, let us know how you are doing? Wife Lisa and I are the proud parents of a college junior, daughter Cameron, at Skidmore in the nursing school; and a high school junior, Chamberry, our younger daughter. Life is fun, busy, and Good As They Go! We have beenDACs. Also, Steve, I am sure you are looking forward to the update on her G’burg hadean. Students: look it up! I am sure you are looking forward to the update on her G’burg ha...
Taylor Byrne graduated from the U of New England College of Osteopathic Medicine in May. He is in the Health Professions Scholars Program with the U.S. Army Medical Center in June. Scott and Brooke Engeldrum Vladyka were married on June 17, 2016, in Saint James, NY. At her job to do so!

Roberto D'Arpa is looking forward to being a first-year PhD student at WU this Aug., anticipating his doctorate in 19th century American history. Amada Crespin graduated this May with her master's degree in Health Professions. Nicole Powell started as a fellow in low vision at the OSU College of Optometry. Alyssa Fossy married Sam Grigsby. He is a surface warfare officer in MD.

Peter S. D'Arpa published an article in the Apr. issue of the Campus Activities Programming magazine highlighting the value of student co-sponsorship and talking about The Attic. Casey Stickney adopted a baby girl from a foster family in Winchester. Alex Calder attends St. Lawrence U as a graduate assistant. While coaching the Saints’ field hockey team, she will pursue a master’s degree in educational leadership. Brandon Keleman moved to Philadelphia to attend Temple U School of Podiatric Medicine. Nicole Powell started as a communications analyst at the National Right to Work Legal Defense Foundation in Washington, D.C. Paige Henderson started working as a communications director at the Raleigh Grad School of Education. Chris Amicone is a business development specialist at Constellation Energy. Timmy Meads works as a communications manager for the National Football League to work on NFLDE.com.

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Myra Taylor Herron ’67

On April 14, Myra Taylor Herron, 71, died of cancer. Born in Washington, D.C., she was a graduate of Roswell High School and majored in music at Gettysburg College.

At Gettysburg, Myra committed herself to unifying the college community. She was an advocate of Operation First Step—a program created to ensure that Gettysburgians became part of a safe and academically enriching environment as the College began to diversify its student body.

She did everything in her power to advance the initiative, involving historically underrepresented students on campus and hosting them during their visits. In 1967, Myra became the first African-American woman to graduate from Gettysburg. She went on to teach instrumental music in Washington D.C.’s public schools for 20 years.

She co-founded the Elizabeth Taylor Greenfield Shring Quartet, a chamber music ensemble comprised exclusively of African American women. Her mastery of the cello led her to perform for the Supreme Court of the United States.

After moving to Troy, NY, in 1990, she performed with the Berkshire Symphony, Glens Falls Symphony (since 1996), Schenectady Symphony and Lake George Chamber Orchestras. Myra was a board member and program chair for the Friends of Chamber Music in Troy and an active member of the Elute Club of Schenectady. Myra was also a member of the Brunswick Presbyterian Church. At home, she enjoyed taking piano lessons from her grandson, Grey.

Myra is survived by her husband, Isom; her daughter, Jacqueline H. Berry; two sisters, Pamela Tyson and Gloria Liddell; a brother, Herbert Taylor, Jr., and her grandson, Grey Berry.

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Lois Bowers

An influential leader in athletics for over two decades at Gettysburg College, Lois Bowers served with great enthusiasm and dedication.

Lois was an administrator and educator at the College from 1969–1992. She was a key component in the growth and success of women’s athletics and served as head coach of five different programs, beginning with women’s basketball and women’s swimming.

In 1978, Lois led the team to 59 wins over 15 seasons. The Bulletin won the MAC title and finished fifth in the national tournament in 1981.

Bowers also served as head volleyball coach for one year in 1976, and she served as Gettysburg’s women’s athletic coordinator from 1984–92. Lois was one of the first women to sit on the Middle Atlantic Conference Executive Council, and she served as assistant executive director in 1977.

Above all, Lois was an educator. She was an instructor in the health and physical education department throughout her tenure and introduced and refined programs for elementary education.

She introduced “Activities for Children,” a curriculum that had not been taught before, and she instituted a pre-school teaching program, which later evolved into Pennsylvania State Law.

“Lois Bowers embodied the values of integrity, humility, and character. She taught her women to represent themselves and their institution in the best manner possible, while at the same time having a healthy, competitive spirit,” said Carol Daly Canette ’83, now head women’s lacrosse coach at the College.

As a head coach, Bowers led the College to Mid-Atlantic Conference Hall of Fame in 2002 and the Middle Atlantic Conference Hall of Fame in 2016.

Daly Canette ’83

On March 24, Jay P. Brown passed away at the age of 87. Jay’s connections to Gettysburg College were broad and deep— as a student, a loyal alumnus, a dedicated employee, and a benefactor. Jay attended the College with the class of 1951 and was employed in the College treasurer’s office for nearly 50 years, serving 30 of those years as Bursar and managing the accounting office. Retiring in 1989 as assistant treasurer, Jay was named Bursar Emeritus in honor of his many years of service to the College.

In addition to his employment at Gettysburg College, Jay served as a public sale clerk for nearly 50 years with Claris R. Saylau, C. David Redding, and most recently with Keith L. Yingling, as well as with a number of other auctioneers.

Jay served on the Adams County Alumni Planning Committees, the Annual Fund Committee, The Majestic Theater Community Fundraising Committee, Friends of the Sunderman Conservatory, the College and Community Affairs Council, and was past president of the Adams County Alumni Club. Over the years, Jay and his wife, Mary, have supported the Gettysburg Fund, the Sunderman Conservatory, Muselman Library, the Orange & Blue Club, and several endowed funds in honor of friends and colleagues.

Jay was a member of various Gettysburg area organizations, serving on the board of the Adams County Christmas Carol, the Mason-Dixon Cotillion, and the Good Samaritan Camping Club. He also served on the boards of Downtown Gettysburg, Main Street Gettysburg, Adams County Economic Development Corporation, the Adams County Office for the Aging, and United Way of Adams County.

As a poet, musician, singer, and avid bridge player, Jay will also be remembered for his perpetual smile and positive approach to life. He also enjoyed playing his tonette whenever and wherever possible.

In addition to his wife, Mary, he is survived by a son, Daniel W. Brown and his wife, Linda; a daughter, Rebecca Anna Brown; two grandchildren, Marjana E. Blabon and her husband, William E. Blabon, and Andrew R. Brown and his wife, Elizabeth E. Brown; two brothers, Guy E. Brown ’59 and John C. Brown; and a sister, Ruth A. Hackett; four grand-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

John F. Probst, March 23

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Be “Gettysburg Great.” It’s broadcast on the website and featured in brochures. It’s something that we’re meant to aspire to as students and embody as alumni. It’s the line from President Janet Morgan Riggs’ graduation address to my class that I most remember. She asked us, one last time, to be Gettysburg Great. I thought that this meant that there should be tangible proof that I was being Gettysburg Great. I wondered why, by six months after graduation, I hadn’t achieved total success. Instead, I found myself struggling through a master’s program and learning firsthand that finding my way post-grad was quite the difficult feat. I watched friends travel the world or start new jobs while I lived at home and panicked that teaching was not the right career for me, that I had peaked in college, and that I wasn’t living up to Gettysburg’s legacy.

“I’m not being Gettysburg Great, I thought to myself one night as I fought through the commuter crowd in Grand Central after a 12-hour day. I was sure I had reached my breaking point, and I was going to have to drop out of graduate school and tell everyone that I had failed. I wasn’t good at teaching, I couldn’t balance commuting and school, and minutes to spare, and kept pushing through until, months later, I attended a lecture by education expert Shirley Steinberg. She said that sometimes we can make a difference in the world by doing something small and unnoticed. It doesn’t have to be a grand crusade; it can be a quiet gesture that impacts someone in a way that isn’t even realized at first. Maybe, I thought, this is what being Gettysburg Great means. Maybe it’s about the small things. Maybe it’s waking up at 5:30 a.m. to commute into the city to teach elementary school, or being the youngest member of a grad school program, or devoting months to forming new friendships. Maybe it’s fighting to make a train from Grand Central, fighting through the twilight time known as post-grad, fighting against every obstacle that is placed before us. Being Gettysburg Great is about inching along and not giving up, even if it feels like we’re stuck in an abyss. It’s about the journey and the struggles that come with it, and that is how I know that even if everything is not so great right now, it will be.

Amanda Srere ’15 majored in English with a writing concentration. Formerly a contributing writer for The Gettysburgian, Srere teaches and attends graduate school in New York.

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