

ALUMNOTES

[In Memory]

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Ruth (Reimund) Beck died Dec. 26, 2004, in Findlay. She worked as a civilian employee of the U.S. Navy in the Panama Canal Zone and as an accountant at the government hospital in the Canal Zone. She is survived by two grandchildren, Mandy May of Evanston, Ill., and Christopher May, of Chicago, Ill. **Memorials may be made to the Mazza Museum, The University of Findlay, 1000 N. Main St., Findlay, Ohio 45840.**

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Elwood Amsler passed away on May 7, 2005, in Santa Cruz, Calif. He worked for Dietsch's Soda Shoppe and Cooper Tire & Rubber Co. while in Findlay, and was employed by Continental Baking Company as a regional cost analyst for the West Coast region. He is survived by a daughter, LeAnne Sugimoto of Aptos, Calif.; a granddaughter and two great-grandsons.

Ethelmay (Hauman) Headley passed away on June 26, 2005, in Ashtabula, Ohio. She worked for the Singer Company in Findlay and Cleveland, Seaway Title of Ashtabula and Buckeye Title before her retirement. She was a member of Good Life Singers and a member of the First Presbyterian Church. She is survived by a sister, Helen Jones of Sun City West, Ariz.

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Gladys (Gillespie) Abrams passed away on April 13, 2005, in Grand Junction, Colo. She is survived by a daughter, Liane of Grand Junction, Colo., and a son, Arthur Drew of Penn Valley, Calif.

Muriel (Beach) Jamison passed away on June 18, 2005, in Napoleon, Ohio. She was employed by Marathon Oil Company and the Don McClain Oil Distribution Company. She was a member of Concordia Lutheran Church and is survived by two sons, Stephen of Wauseon, Ohio, and John of Port Clinton, Ohio; a brother; five grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Jacob Wagner IV passed away on Sept. 23, 2005, in Findlay. He served in the

U.S. Navy during World War II, was a member of the Liberty-Benton Board of Education, the Findlay Lodge #227 Free and Accepted Masons and the Findlay Shrine Club. He was a 27-year member of the Liberty Twp. Fire Department. Wagner taught Sunday school at Zion United Methodist Church where he was a lifelong member, a trustee and a board member. He is survived by his son, Charles of Cincinnati, Ohio; two daughters, **Rebecca Egolf '69** of Oak Park, Ill., and Harriet Adams of Findlay; six grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

'44

Thomas J. Smusz died April 13, 2005, in Darien, Ill. He was a food service manager for more than 40 years until his retirement in 1984. He worked as the food steward of Howe Military School and was a Navy veteran of World War II. He is survived by sons Thomas of Bridgeman, Mich., and D. Robert of Winfield, Ill.; daughter Diane Smusz of Darien, Ill.; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Mary Jo Urschaltz died July 30, 2005, in Findlay. She was a graduate of St. Vincent Hospital School of Nursing and was a registered nurse. She served the City of Findlay as the public health nurse for 15 years, and Hancock County Home Health Care and Blanchard Valley Hospital for eight years. Urschaltz was an active volunteer and provided nursing services to the homebound, performed musical programs for nursing home residents and was director for the Migrant Health Clinic. Urschaltz also was a member of the U.S. Army Nurses Corps in Germany during World War II. As a member of St. Michael Church, she was the founder and director of the Guadalupe Choir, a member of the Altar Rosary Society and was honored by the Parish as Volunteer of the Year in 1996. She was the organist at St. Michael Church for 15 years, for Kirkpatrick-Behne Funeral Home and for various community churches. She was a member of the Altrusa Club, UF Charles T. Fox Society, Black Swamp Chapter of the American Guild of Organists, Ohio Music Teachers Association and Hancock County Music Teachers Association. Urschaltz

was voted Woman-of-the-Year by Beta Sigma Phi. She is survived by her aunt, Betty Webster of Euclid, Ohio, and two cousins.

'50

Burgess Baumuck passed away July 17, 2005, in Findlay. For 20 years, he was a parts manager at Wagner Lincoln Mercury in Fostoria, Ohio, and retired in 1991. Baumuck served as Seaman First Class in the Pacific Theater during World War II. He was a member of the American Legion, the Amvets and College First Church of God. He is survived by his wife, **Miriam '50**; daughters, Connie Breitigam and Carol Lydick, both of Findlay, and Lora Warner of Carey, Ohio; a son, Ronald of Rawson, Ohio; 15 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Robert Bright passed away on Oct. 7, 2005 in Kenton. He was a former salesman for the Lima Register and then formed his own company with Keith Cosart. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. Surviving are his wife, Martha; a brother; and two sisters.

'53

James K. Routson died May 17, 2005, in Findlay. He taught for more than 30 years at Central Middle School in Findlay. As an early advocate of computer education, Routson established a learning resource center at the school. He is survived by his sisters, Helen Davis, Marilyn Hayes and Dorothy Papenfus; 15 nephews and three nieces.

'56

Samuel Grim passed away on June 28, 2005, in Findlay. He was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church and retired from Blanchard Valley Hospital. He served in the U.S. Army and the U.S. Air Force from 1940-1954. Grim is survived by his wife, Mamie of Findlay; and four children, Dennis of Kenosha, Wis.; Donald of Columbus, Ohio; Daniel of Findlay, and Janet Harrell of Findlay; six grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

'57

Todd Mantooth passed away on July 21, 2005, in Amarillo, Texas. He was custodian at St. Michael Catholic Church for 15 years and at Findlay City Schools for seven years. Mantooth served in the U.S. Airforce for four years, and was a member of St. Michael Catholic Church and the Millstream Woodcarvers. He is survived by his wife, **Jane Graham '87** of Findlay; his daughter, Emily of Findlay; and his sister, **Linda Fuerhoff '66** of Berea, Ohio.

'59

Robert F. Welton passed away on May 6, 2005, in Beaumont, Calif. He was a teacher at Donnell Junior High School and Lima Shawnee High School where he coached the swim team. He coached swimming at the YMCA and taught and coached in Colorado. He moved to San Diego, Calif., where he started his own graphic design company in 1976. He is survived by two daughters, Lisa Lancaster and Lori Acuna; two sons, Lane and Linsey; a sister, Patricia Morgan; a brother, **J. Steve Welton '69 of Findlay**; and seven grandchildren.

'61

John C. Weaver died on Oct. 4, 2005, in Findlay. He retired from Cooper Tire & Rubber Co. as manager of advertising and Cooper sales incentive programs after 35 years of service. He was a member of Findlay Jaycees, Elks Club, Rotary Club and the First Presbyterian Church. A past president of the Cooper Management Club, he also served on the board of Hancock County Mental Health and was past president of the Hancock County Chapter of the Northwest Ohio Arthritis Foundation. An avid tennis player most of his life, he was a founding member of the Findlay Tennis Association. A tennis court at The University of Findlay's Armstrong Sports Complex was named in his honor. In retirement, he volunteered at the Blanchard Valley Regional Health Center emergency room. Surviving are his wife, Linda; sons John of Austin, Texas, and Chris of Yardley, Pa.; five grandchildren; and a brother.

JOHN C. HUTSON

FORMER DIRECTOR OF ALUMNI, ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT



John C. Hutson '48 died Nov. 24, 2005, in Findlay. He served as director of alumni at Findlay College from 1965-84 and was assistant to the president for special projects from 1984 until his retirement in 1991. Hutson also taught geology classes. From 1949-65 he was a farm editor for both WFIN radio station and *The Republican-Courier*.

As alumni director he initiated the first phonathon, Distinguished Alumni Awards, Athletic Hall of Fame Awards, Parents Weekend, Parents Association, Honors Brunch & Rose Ceremony and Senior Banquet. He also served as a volunteer on the Alumni Board of Governors.

Named a Distinguished Alumnus in 1987 for his achievements, he also was granted alumni director emeritus status upon his retirement. In 1993, he was named a Distinguished Associate for his service and support of The University of Findlay.

He was active in higher education professional organizations, serving as president of the Independent College Advancement Associates and participating in the Council for the Support and Advancement of Education at the district and national levels.

Active in the community, Hutson volunteered with the Hancock County Society for the Handicapped, helping establish the Blanchard Valley School. He also was involved with the Hancock County chapter of the American Red Cross, serving as a board member, blood drive chairman and representative for the Cleveland Regional Blood Services Board and the Greater Toledo Board. He also served on the board for 30 years and was treasurer and president of the Hancock

County Mental Health Clinic, which he helped found. The clinic was named the John C. Hutson Center for Emotional Health and Well-Being in his honor in 1991.

Other awards include being named Jaycees Outstanding Young Man in 1958, an honorary State Farmer by the Ohio Future Farmers of America and receiving the Findlay Exchange Club's Book of Golden Deeds Award.

He also was involved with the United Way of Hancock County, the Arthritis Foundation of Northwest Ohio, Findlay Civic Band, Hancock County Historic Preservation Guild, Senate Club and was a Boy Scout merit badge counselor. A lifelong member of College First Church of God, he served in many capacities, including president of the church council, elder, choir member, Sunday School teacher and others.

He is survived by his wife, **Audrice '46**; son, **John Dennis '71**; daughters **Jane Gee '74**, **Jill Hutson-Contreras '88** and **Jody Hostler '85**; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild; three adopted grandchildren; and a brother.

'73

Jamie (Hornburg) Grzankowski died Sept. 7, 2005, in Olean, N.Y. She taught at Holy Family Parochial School in South Buffalo, N.Y., and was a special education teacher in remedial reading for the Olean school district. She taught skiing and was a member of the Professional Skiing Instructors of America. She is survived by her husband, Donald; sons, Alex and Mark, both of Olean; parents, James and Lonave Hornburg, all of Olean, N.Y.; and a brother, John of Columbia, Md.

Larry Deane Dukes passed away on Nov. 5, 2004, in Findlay. He taught for more than 20 years in the Carey School system and was the principal of Colonel Crawford Elementary School for six years before his retirement in 2003. His mother, Barbara Gassman, and his brother, Duane Dukes, survive him.

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Diane Lee Schekelhoff passed away on Sept. 7, 2005, in Monroeville, Ohio. She was an art therapist and most

recently worked at a group home for adults with developmental disabilities in Clyde, Ohio. Schekelhoff worked at the Tiffin Mental Health Center, formerly known as Tiffin State Hospital, for 17 years. She was active in the Tiffin/Seneca County chapter of the conservation group, the Izaak Walton League of America, and previously served as president of the league's Ohio Division. She was a volunteer and member of the Hopewell Church of God. She is survived by her brother, Keith; and her sister, Elaine Graham.

'85

Robert Kortokrax died Feb. 18, 2005, in Columbus, Ohio. He was a math teacher at Kalida High School and Junior High School and previously taught at Lima South schools. He was a member of St. Michael's Church, the Kalida Knights of Columbus and the Kalida Fish and Game Club. He is survived by his wife, Cindy; three sons, Brandon, Nathan and Jordan; and three daughters, Amanda, Stephanie and Katelyn, all at home; five sisters and two brothers, including **Randy '89** of Columbus, Ohio.

[In Memory]

Friends

Dr. Wilfred Black died Oct. 25, 2005, in Findlay. He was a professor of history at Findlay College from 1960-75. Prior to teaching at Findlay, he was a history professor at Grove City College, Grove City, Pa., and Frostburg State Teachers' College, Frostburg, Md. He was awarded national honors by Phi Sigma (biological science), Pi Gamma

Mu (social science), Omicron Delta Kappa (leadership) and Phi Alpha Theta (history). He had two dozen articles published in professional journals. He earned a bachelor's degree from Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, and both his M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa. During World War II, he served in the United States Naval Reserve in the

Pacific Submarine Force, seeing action at Pearl Harbor, Majuro Atoll and Midway Island. He was a member of Trinity Episcopal Church.

James W. Child passed away on Dec. 25, 2005, in Findlay. He was named a Distinguished Associate of The University of Findlay in 2001, along with his wife, Lynn, who is a UF

trustee, for their long-time commitment to UF. He was one of the founding partners of CentraComm Communications and Aardvark, Inc. of Findlay. He was a professor and former chairman in the Department of Philosophy and a senior research fellow at the Center for Social Philosophy at Bowling Green State University. He was a

DR. JOHN H. "JACK" HARRINGTON

FORMER CHAIR, BOARD OF TRUSTEES

John H. "Jack" Harrington passed away on Aug. 5, 2005, in Findlay. He served on The University of Findlay Board of Trustees from 1976 to 2002 and was chairman of the Board from 1983 to 1994. Under his leadership the University experienced unprecedented growth in enrollment and programs. He was awarded an honorary doctorate for his service to The University of Findlay in 1994.

He also served as president of the Findlay College Associates, chairman for the Associates membership drive, chairman of the \$1.5 million fund drive, chairman of the Jackson E. Betts Scholarship Fund, and committee member of the Tennyson Guyer Fund and the Centennial Fund Drive. He was named a Distinguished Associate in 1978 by The University of Findlay for his service and support of the institution.

He was the owner of Harrington Chevrolet/Cadillac in Findlay for 35 years. A graduate of the University of Notre Dame, he also attended the General Motors School of Management.

A community leader, Harrington was president of the Findlay Area Chamber of Commerce, Put Han Sen Council of Boy Scouts of America, the United Way, Junior Achievement, Fort Findlay Association, United Community Fund Foundation, Hancock County Auto Dealers Association; St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church trustees and was the president/organizer of the Fort Findlay Sesquicentennial Celebration. He also was one of the founders of the Hancock Historical Museum Association.

He also sat on boards for Blanchard Valley Hospital, Blue Cross-Blue Shield of Northwest Ohio, Fifth-Third Bank of



Northwest Ohio, Boy Scouts Foundation, Findlay Country Club, Findlay Improvement Corporation, Findlay Kiwanis and the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

He was involved with the Foreign Policy Committee of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, First World Council of the United Nations, Kettering Foundation Developing Nations Study Group and served as a Soap Box Derby chairman.

Harrington received the following awards: Boy Scouts of America "Silver Beaver," Civitan Club "Citizen of the Year," Sertoma Club "Service to Mankind," American Red Cross "Citation for Service," United Way "Distinguished Volunteer," U.S. House of Representatives "Recognition of Community Service" and the Findlay Rotary "Service Above Self."

He is survived by his wife, Sara; sons John of Findlay, Michael of Barrington Hills, Ill.; and **Thomas '87** of Perrysburg, Ohio; daughters **Anne Harrington Mallett '89** and **Susan (Harrington '90) Williams**, both of Findlay; nine grandchildren; and one sister. Memorials may be made to the Dr. Jack Harrington Scholarship fund in care of The University of Findlay, 1000 N. Main St., Findlay, OH 45840.

Visiting Fellow at the Centre for Philosophy and Public Affairs at the University of St. Andrews, Scotland, held a Fulbright Lectureship at the University of Iceland and was a Visiting Fellow for the Center for Philosophy of Science at the University of Pittsburgh. From 1973 to 1986, he was the general counsel, vice president and then chairman and CEO of Hancor, Inc., Findlay. A graduate of The Ohio State University, he earned a doctoral degree in philosophy from Indiana University and a juris doctorate from Harvard Law School. He is survived by his wife, Lynn; son James R. Child of Springboro, Ohio; daughter Laura McConnell of Cleveland; two grandsons; stepmother Stephanie Child of Rougemont, N.C.; a sister, **Dr. Kathleen Crates '68**; and a brother, Richard of Grosse Point, Mich.

Alice Kitchen passed away on July 18, 2005, in Findlay. She served as secretary for the vice president of institutional advancement at Findlay College for 16 years, retiring in 1984. She is survived by her husband, William; sons Ronald of Waynesburg, Ky., and David of Van Buren; a daughter, Sandra Spittler of Findlay, a brother, a sister, six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Don Lauck Sr. died July 26, 2004, in Findlay. He was an electrician with Findlay College in the maintenance department. Surviving him is a son, Don, Jr., of Fostoria, Ohio; three daughters, Sandra Stafford of Findlay, Lora Stevens and Colleen Washburn, both of McComb, Ohio; step-sons, Robert Schultz of Republic, Justin Schultz and Andrew and John Gobrecht, all of Findlay; step-daughters,

Sharon Schultz and Linda Oswald, both of Findlay; and 11 grandchildren.

Clifford Hite (H '88) died Sept. 2, 2004, in Findlay. He served in World War II for the Army Air Corps, and he taught at Hopewell-Loudon where he developed the first Seneca County band. He went on to become music supervisor for Findlay City Schools and won several awards and was honored throughout the '60s and '70s for his work. He was a graduate of The Ohio State University and received an honorary doctorate from The University of Findlay in 1988. He is survived by his wife, Janet; three sons, Clifford of Findlay, Kent Weitz of Plant City, Fla., and Kurt Weitz of Lovettsville, Va; three daughters, Janice Fatzinger, of Richmond, Va., Kim Forget and Kellie Bell, both of Findlay; and 16

grandchildren. **Memorials may be made to The University of Findlay.**

Lester Spitsnaugle passed away on July 20, 2004, in Findlay. He was a lifelong farmer and had been the head of grounds at The University of Findlay. Two sons, Dan of Findlay, and Tim of Vienna, W.Va.; two daughters, Karen Okuly of Findlay, and Teri Hauenstein of Bluffton, Ohio; and six grandchildren survive him.

Staff Sgt. Zachary Wobler died Feb. 6, 2005, in Mosul, Iraq. He leaves behind his wife, **Corissa (Thomas '99)**; and daughter Trinity, 4.

[ClassNotes]

'37

James Federici and his wife, **Mary (Robinson) '36**, celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary on June 28, 2005. He retired from Cooper Tire & Rubber Co., and she is a former Liberty-Benton school teacher. The couple has two children, Phyllis Waaland and James Federici; five grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. They live in Findlay.

'48

Clifford Brooks, a World War II veteran, attended the dedication of the World War II memorial in Washington D.C., in May 2004, and a photo taken by a photographer there appeared in the *Toledo Blade*. He celebrated his 85th birthday on March 31, 2005, and lives in Tampa, Fla.

'59

Joe Stechschulte had his oil paintings on display at the Ottawa Library in June 2005. He retired from teaching advanced English at Woodrow Wilson High School in Washington, D.C. The paintings that were on display depicted the people and places of his hometown,

Glandorf, Ohio. He also has written a series of short stories.

'56

Fred Hirsimaki was inducted into the Dayton/Miami Valley Senior Olympics Hall of Fame on April 30, 2005. Previously, he was inducted into the Hancock Sports Hall of Fame in 1993, The University of Findlay Hall of Fame in 1994, the Ohio Senior Citizen's Hall of Fame in 2002, and the International Bowling Museum and Hall of Fame in St. Louis, Mo., in 2003. He competed in the 80-84 age division of the national heptathlon championship at the 2005 National Masters Indoor Heptathlon meet in March 2005. He placed first in all seven events and won his age division. He resides in Findlay.

'68

Byron Morgan will be inducted into the Ohio High School Coaches Association Hall of Fame as a member of the Class of 2006 during a ceremony slated for April 2006. A former head football coach of Solon High School with a record of 122-25, Morgan currently serves as their athletic director. During his football career, he played in the NFL for the Dallas Cowboys and

the New England Patriots. Morgan coached for 27 years and was named conference coach of the year 12 times, earned the honor of Greater Cleveland Coaches Association Coach of the Year twice and the Northeastern Coach of the Year several times.

'69

Murray Fitzgerald retired from Solvay Pharmaceuticals, Inc. after 30 years in the pharmaceuticals business. He and his wife, Barbara, live in St. Marys, Ohio.

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Whether it's updating us on what you've been up to since graduation or a nomination for next year's alumni awards, we'd like to hear from you! We'll publish information about births, marriages, new jobs and recent awards or promotions.

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Dave Myers retired after teaching social studies and occupational work experiences for 36 years at Mohawk Schools in Sycamore, Ohio. He spent one year teaching at Columbus Grove, nine years at Mohawk Junior High School and completed his final 26 years at Mohawk High School. He also coached football, basketball, softball and track. He and his wife, Cynthia, live in Sycamore, Ohio. They have seven children, 17 grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

'71

William Wilcox was promoted to deputy director of management services for the Ohio School Boards Association. He has served the OSBA for the past five years as safety coordinator. He and his wife, Linda, live in Blacklick, Ohio.

'72

Jim Huston was featured in a July 2005 article published in the *Northwest Signal* newspaper in Napoleon, Ohio. A volunteer at the Henry County Senior Center, Huston instructs seniors on computer use, maintenance and virus protection. He previously owned Huston's Launderers and Cleaners. He and his wife, Kay, live in Napoleon, Ohio.

'73

John Koehler is a new member of Eastman & Smith law firm, Toledo, Ohio, which is opening offices in Findlay and Columbus, Ohio. Koehler will be leading the Findlay office where he will focus on wills, trusts, business planning and tax planning. He earned his law degree from the University of Toledo and has had a law office in Findlay since 1983.

'74

Gary Shirley is an accountant for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in Harrisburg, Pa. He resides in New Cumberland, Pa.

'75

Thomas Cieslewicz has a new position as center director of an eight state area for Citicorp Trust Bank. He and his wife, Ann, reside in Lakewood, Ill.

'77

Lori (Furness) Fabritius, the bridge program director at the Jamestown Community College in Jamestown, N.Y., was awarded the 2005 SUNY Challecor's Award in Excellence for Professional Service. She also received the President's Award in Excellence for Professional Services for Jamestown Community College and received the Superior Performance Award for the program from the University Center of Academics and Workforce Development in 2004. Her Husband, **Randal Fabritius '83**, is a system engineer at Electronic Data Systems. They reside in Sinclairville, N.Y.

'78

Steven Pritts is the new Elmwood School district superintendent. He is a 27-year veteran of public education and started his career in the Columbus Public Schools where he served as a teacher, assistant principal and principal. Prior to Elmwood, he served first as an elementary principal for Groveport Madison Schools, then as the transportation director for the district. He relocated to the Elmwood School district with his wife, Tracey, and three children.

'80

Judy Alfred has a new position at Riverdale School teaching pre-calculus, calculus and Ohio Graduation Test math. In her 24 years as a teacher, she has taught at Tiffin Calvert, Arcadia, Fostoria and Wynford schools. Her husband, **Norris '82 (M'01)**, teaches sixth grade math at Riverdale. They live in Vanlue, Ohio.

Mark Smith was named the new mortgage loan originator with the GenoaBank. He is based in the Crossroads branch serving Lucas, Wood and Hancock counties. He previously worked for Charter One Bank in Bowling Green, Ohio, where he resides.

'81

Kimberly Grilliot was named principal at Notre Dame Academy, an all girls' Catholic college preparatory high school in Toledo, Ohio. She is the first layperson to be named principal in the history of the school. She was vice president of Notre Dame Academy for the past two years. She began her career as a teacher

in various schools in Northwest Ohio and was the director of undergraduate student services in the College of Education and Human Development at Bowling Green State University. She and her husband, Jeff, reside in Bowling Green, Ohio.

Rebecca S. Smith graduated from the 2004-05 Hancock Leadership program. She is an administrative assistant with the Hancock County Sheriff's Office, and she makes her home in Arlington, Ohio.

'84

Lisa (Huffman) Hansel is an assistant professor of audiology at Nova Southeastern University in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. She earned a doctor of audiology degree from Nova Southeastern University and received the Dean's Award for highest scholastic honors. She resides in Weston, Fla., with her husband, Kris.

'86

Michael Davis has received the top sales award of the year in his region by Xpedx, a division of International Paper Corp. He also was awarded the President's Council Award for "surpassing his stretch goals." In doing so, he received a trip to Las Vegas, Nev. Davis resides in Saline, Mich.

'88

Jim Jennette is the associate director of admissions at Culver-Stockton College in Canton, Mo., and his wife, Sue, is a nurse at Hannibal Regional Hospital in Hannibal, Mo. The couple resides in Canton, Mo.

'88

Derek Hutchinson is senior account executive for Kforce in Herdon, Va. He and his wife, Jessica, live in Paeonian, Va., with their daughter, Elaine.

'89

Chris Wilson and his wife, Deanna, are the owners and operators of the All-Star Baseball & Softball Indoor Training Complex, which opened in June 2005 in St. Petersburg, Fla. The complex offers batting cages, pitching and catching cages, and a strength and conditioning room. They are also the owners of Hitting Unlimited and have invented baseball and softball instructional tools

that are sold at stores across the country. They live with their sons, Tyler, 13, and Jacob, 4, in St. Petersburg, Fla.

'90

Bob Cook is the director of tennis at Orchard Hill Tennis Club in Lima, Ohio. His wife, **Kate '97**, is a quality control manager of Baxter BioLife in Findlay. They reside in Findlay.

David Garcia is the director of undergraduate admission for Ohio University. Garcia was an admissions counselor at Bowling Green State University for nine years and more recently served as the director of undergraduate admissions at Western Illinois University.

Jose Hernandez (M) was inducted into the Carey High School Hall of Fame in May 2005. He served in the U.S. Army from 1981-1985 and taught Spanish and English at Fostoria High School, where he coached basketball, football and softball. He is currently the principal of Toledo Scott High School. He and his wife, Denise, live in Wayne, Ohio.

Philip Kortokrax is the new general manager for Mickey Thompson Performance Tires and Wheels at Cooper Tire & Rubber Co. where he has been an employee for 15 years. He is responsible for the activities of Cooper's motorsport programs in North America as well as the operation of Mickey Thompson Performance Tires and Wheels. He previously served the company as director of internal audit and held positions in production management and information technology.

'91

Valerie Hunter graduated with a master's degree in humanities and English from Fort Hays State University in December 2004. She had a baby boy, Zander, on Feb. 4, 2005. He joins sister, Savannah, 3, at home in Port St. John, Fla.

Amy (Constien) Jones is an organizational consulting manager with Winterthur North America in Sun Prairie, Wis. She lives in Rio, Wis.

Laura Stone (M '98) graduated from the 2004-05 Hancock Leadership program. She is a teacher with Riverdale Schools. She and her husband, Todd, live in Findlay.

'92

Gregory Meldrum is a senior systems analyst for Fidelity Investments. He and his wife, Christie, live in Justin, Texas.

'93

Jeff Armstrong is a district safety manager for The Home Depot. He and his wife, Jennifer, live in Morristown, Tenn.

Kimberly (Walker) Doyle and her husband, Scott, welcomed a son, Nicholas, on May 25, 2005. She is a technical writer and trainer with the Detroit Medical Center, and he is a teacher with the Detroit City Schools. They and their son, Ryan, 3, live in Canton, Mich.

Tori Durliat (M '99) graduated from the 2004-05 Hancock Leadership program. She is marketing manager with Hancor, Inc. in Findlay. She and her husband, Jason Alexander, live in Findlay.

Brian Hoffman and his wife, Brandi, had a baby boy, Garrett Brian, on June 2, 2005. He is the director of account development at GT Software, Inc. in Atlanta. They live with their daughter, Melanie Rae, in Mableton, Ga.

Megan (Malott) Jolly is the district quality coordinator for Central Locating Services in Tallmadge, Ohio. She and her husband, Rick, live in Akron, Ohio.

Michelle (Welch) Smith and her husband, **Brian ('93)**, are the parents of a baby girl, Ryleigh Payton, born Feb. 3, 2005. She is the director of marketing at the Winebrenner Theological Seminary, and he is director of operations at Shelly Company. They reside in Findlay, Ohio.

'94

Christina (Sonner) Brady and her husband, Steven, welcomed their new baby boy, Travis, born June 7, 2005. She is a seventh grade science and reading teacher at Sweetwater County School District #2 in Green River, Wyo., where the family resides.

Kelly (Lewis) Ferriman and her husband, Doug, are the parents of Isabella Grace, born on Aug. 16, 2005. The family resides in Marysville, Ohio.

Christina (Faulk) Kobs and her husband, Dean, had twins, Christopher

and Abigail, on Dec. 18, 2004. She is a technician specialist for Battelle Memorial Institute, and he is a study director for Battelle Memorial Institute. The family lives in Hilliard, Ohio.

Anne (Canfield) Mallette is a paralegal with Neuheisel Law Firm in Tempe, Ariz., where she and her husband, Joe, make their home.

Heather Rose is the new banking center officer at Fifth Third Bank at the Westgate Banking Center. She has been with the bank since 2003 and is a member and volunteer of the Women's Entrepreneurial Network. Rose lives in Maumee, Ohio.

Aimee (Kaser) Sivillo has a new position as senior research associate with Lovelace Respiratory Research Institute in Albuquerque, N.M. She earned her master's degree in veterinary biosciences in 2004 from The Ohio State University and previously worked for Battelle Memorial Institute as a researcher before relocating to New Mexico. She and husband, Jason, are the new parents of daughter Maya Elizabeth, born May 1, 2005. They reside with son Henry Patrick in Albuquerque, N.M.

Derrick Zanders is a commissioned officer with the U.S. Army. He completed the U.S. Army Officer Candidate School and is stationed in Ft. Stewart, Ga., with his wife, Angela, and their two sons, Kevin, 10, and Derrick Devin, 4.

'95

Damian Bowerman is the graduate studies secretary for The Ohio State University Department of Theatre. His duties include public relations and graphic design for the department, and he also is an actor for The Contemporary American Theatre Company in Columbus, Ohio. His wife, **Marlene (Whitt '97)**, is a first grade teacher with the Columbus City Schools. The couple resides in Gahanna, Ohio.

Jenell Bramlage (M) has been promoted to associate vice president for academic affairs at the University of Northwestern Ohio. She previously served the university as associate dean and assessment coordinator and has been a faculty member since 1996.

Julie (Molnar) Harley had a baby girl, Ruby, on June 21, 2005, in Toledo,

Ohio, and is a teacher at Our Lady of Perpetual Help School. She and her husband, Benjamin, live with daughter Zoë, 2, in Toledo, Ohio.

Edwin Heminger (H) was awarded the Richard E. Daugherty Lifetime Achievement Award in February 2005. The award is given annually to a Rotarian who represents the Rotary ideal of service above self. He has been a Findlay Rotary Club member since 1952 and served as the president from 1963-64. He is a trustee emeritus at The University of Findlay and resides in Findlay.

Eve Puhalla (M) has earned a doctorate of special education from Lehigh University. She resides in Freemansburg, Pa.

Greg Roth ran the 2005 Boston Marathon and has qualified for the 2006 Boston Marathon. He is the director of planning and control at Reynolds Consumer Products in Richmond, Va., where he lives.

Chad Willrath is a firefighter and paramedic with Celina Fire Department. He and his wife, Traci, live in Celina, Ohio.

'96

Rachel (Harris) Cammuse and her husband, Daryl, have adopted Carley Marie, born July 8, 2005. She is a social service director at Rose Garden Nursing Home, and he is an associate at Wal-Mart. The family lives in Mount Vernon, Ohio.

Vernon Garner (H) was awarded the On Behalf of Youth Award for his work with the Coats for Christmas program. He is a trustee for The University of Findlay and resides in Findlay.

Amy Harber acted in a short film for the New York Film Academy at Universal Studios Hollywood. She also recently appeared on the nationally syndicated television show "Blind Date," and modeled for a fashion editorial for EdgeBoston.com. She lives in Studio City, Calif.

Jeffrey McCord and **Lynette Hornish ('98)** were joined in marriage on April 16, 2005, in Findlay. He is a sales supervisor for GSW Manufacturing, and she is the school-age director for the Findlay YMCA. They make their home in Findlay.

Angie (Roller) Spridgeon graduated from the 2004-05 Hancock Leadership

program. She is a judicial assistant with the Hancock County Common Pleas Court. She resides in Arcadia, Ohio.

Tafari (Glosette) Stober and her husband, Trey, are the new parents of daughter Gabrielle Elise, born Feb. 17, 2005. She is a freelance marketer, and he is a partner at Agri-Accounting LLC. They, with sons, Preston, 5, and Gavin, 3, live in Rockford, Ohio.

Todd Trammell was awarded the Faculty Excellence Teaching Award presented by the Southern Ohio Council of Higher Education (SOCHE) group. He is the area chair for undergraduate business and management curriculum at the University of Phoenix Cincinnati Campus where he teaches science and management. He makes his home in Oxford, Ohio.

'97

Angie Calcamuggio graduated from Bowling Green State University with a master's in guidance and counseling in May 2005. She teaches math at Springfield Local Schools where she also coaches basketball. She lives in Toledo, Ohio.

Kristin Decker graduated from the University of Cincinnati on June 11, 2005, with a master's degree in social work. She is a social worker with the Hamilton County Department of Job and Family Services. She lives in Fairfield, Ohio.

Vincent Halliday has a new position as a physical education and health teacher with Lima Senior High School. His wife, **Roseann (Jagla '02)**, has a new position as a science and language arts teacher with the Fostoria Community Schools. They, with children, Jordan, 5; Jamison, 4; and Jaden, 1, live in Findlay.

Matt Harp (M '01) and his wife, **Jennifer (Beall '98)**, had a baby boy, Connor, on February 11, 2005. He is a teacher and football coach for Fostoria Community Schools, and she is employed by Right Thing Inc. They live with daughter, Katie, in Findlay.

Troy Hoagland (M) has been named manager of computer-aided engineering in Cooper Tire & Rubber Co.'s research and technology department. He has been a Cooper employee since 1987 and served as master sergeant in the Ohio Army National Guard's 416th Engineer

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Group during Operation Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan, where he earned a Bronze Star. He lives in Findlay.

Darren Hunt is a high school life sciences teacher at South Central High School where he also serves as varsity baseball coach and athletic director. He and his wife, Jennifer, and three children, Brennan, 5; Chase, 3; and new baby, Ryenne, live in Ashland, Ohio.

Molly (Solis) Rupp is a sixth-grade science teacher for Conroe Independent Schools. Her husband, Jeff, is branch manager for The Brickman Group. The couple has moved from Delaware, Ohio, to The Woodlands, Texas.

Ginger (Davis) Weaver is a claims adjuster for Allstate. She and her husband, Chris, live in Garden Ridge, Texas.

'98

Mauricio Maciel is a Spanish teacher and head soccer coach, and his wife, **Gladis (Lopez '01)**, teaches English as a second language at Fort Smith Public Schools. The couple live with their son, Ethan, 2, in Fort Smith, Ariz.

Ken Musselman (M) graduated from the 2004-05 Hancock Leadership program. He is the senior plant accountant with Ball Metal Container. He lives in Findlay.

Stephanie (Wittkopf) Parr joined the Horizon Animal Hospital as a veterinarian. After graduating from The Ohio State University College of Veterinary Medicine, she practiced at a small animal clinic in Akron. She and her husband, Jason, live in Galion, Ohio.

James Rossler (M) has been appointed by the Ohio legislature to serve the unfinished term of Thomas Geyer on the School Retirement System Board of Trustees. Rossler previously served the board as a fill-in through June 2005 and his current appointment expires in November 2008. Rossler is the treasurer for the Rossford School District. He also serves as treasurer of the Wood County Economic Development Commission and is past regional president of the Ohio Association of School Business Officials. He lives in Rossford, Ohio, with his wife, Kelly, and their three daughters.

Angela (Hughes) Sanguino is an operations supervisor with GSI

Commerce. Her husband, Carlos, is a wood floor contractor. They reside in Palm Bay, Fla.

Rebecca Smith-Brown has a new job as a technical writer for Sonitrol, an electronic security software company, and her husband, **Illya ('93)**, is a business owner. They reside in Lake Mary, Fla.

Laura (Morrow) Steenburg (M) is the regional director for the Cincinnati Adult and Graduate Studies campus of Mount Vernon Nazarene University. She lives in Hamilton, Ohio.

Alan Tucker is vice president of business banking for PNC Bank. His wife, Angela, is a physician. They and son DuShaun, 1, reside in Forest Park, Ohio.

'99

Robyn (Snyder) Dashnaw was named territory sales manager by Cooper Tire & Rubber Co. She serves existing customers in the Great Lakes region as well as developing new business opportunities in the region. She is a board member of the University Colleagues Advisory Board through The University of Findlay. She lives in Findlay.

David LaRocco graduated from Ohio Northern University's Pettit College of Law in Ada, Ohio, in May 2005. He was active in the Student Bar Association and resides in Ada, Ohio.

Eric Heitkamp is the head coach of golf at Van Buren High School where he also teaches computer courses.

Stacey (Hoon) Rush and her husband, Brent, had a baby, Mason Alexander, on March 20, 2005. She is a nuclear medicine technologist with Columbus Cardiology Consultants, and he is a place judge with Beulah Park. They reside in Sunbury, Ohio.

Barbara (Kirian) Tardibuono had a baby boy, Joseph Allen, on July 14, 2004, in Findlay. She is a high school English teacher for Findlay City Schools, and her husband, John, is a diesel technician with Wyandot Tractor. They reside in Mt. Blanchard, Ohio.

Carl "Rob" Wilmot (M) and Barbara Dunn were married on June 19, 2005, in Centerville, Ohio. He is a safety adviser at the Eli Lilly Co. in Indianapolis, Ind., and she is a senior technology manager for Convergys Inc.,

in Cincinnati, Ohio. The couple resides in Centerville, Ohio.

'00

Andrea Bender (M '01) and **Jack Barger ('01)** were married on May 27, 2005. She is a junior high and high school English teacher in Arlington, and he is an English instructor at Bowling Green State University. They reside in Findlay.

Nicholas Brueckner and **Andrea Zimmerman** exchanged wedding vows on June 4, 2005, in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. He is an environmental health and safety manager at Johns Manville in Berlin, N.J., and she is an office manager at R. Craig Lord Construction Co. in Moorsetown, N.J. The couple resides in New Jersey.

Matt Dallas and **Kelly Green ('01)** were married Oct. 2, 2004. He is a counselor at the Juvenile Residential Center of Northwest Ohio, and she is a physician assistant in orthopedics at the Medical University of Ohio in Toledo. They reside in Bowling Green, Ohio.

Aaron Dewey is a graphic designer/web designer with AI Design Group in Brunswick, Ohio, and his wife, Lisa, is a staff scientist at ChanTest in Garfield Heights, Ohio. The couple lives in Avon Lake, Ohio.

Jason Hanna is the merchandise manager for Pukka, Inc., a designer and manufacturer of premium golf headwear and accessories, in Findlay. He lives in Van Buren, Ohio.

Jennifer Hanna graduated from the 2004-05 Hancock Leadership program. She is an operations manager with Whirlpool. She lives in Findlay.

Eric Harsey studied at The University of Oxford in England from July to August in 2005. He is attending The University of Akron School of Law and lives in Garfield Heights, Ohio.

Brian Heydinger has a new position as superintendent of the Stoneridge Golf Club in Bowling Green, Ohio. He and his wife, Melissa, make their home in Findlay.

Harold Huffman (M) graduated from the 2004-05 Hancock Leadership program. He is the program manager for the School of Environmental and Emergency Management (SEEM) at

The University of Findlay. He lives in Fostoria, Ohio.

Susan (Keeran) Luginbill and her husband, Jared, have a new daughter, Lainey Michelle, born on June 28, 2005. She is a fourth-grade teacher with the Sidney City Schools, and he is a field lister for Appraisal Research Corporation. The family lives in Sidney, Ohio.

Traci Parke and Mark Gutierrez were married April 24, 2005, at Hocking Hills State Park. She is employed at Medical Management, and he is employed by Ball Metal. They live in Findlay.

Jason Parkins is the new vice president of lending and business development at Millstream Area Credit Union in Findlay. He was previously the vice president of marketing and business development at First Ohio Credit Union in Fostoria, Ohio. Parkins is an adjunct professor at Tiffin University and Owens Community College, and serves on the advisory board for the Students In Free Enterprise team at Owens Community College. He is a past board president of Patchworks House. Parkins resides in Findlay.

Shawn Replogle is a photojournalist for Sinclair Broadcast Group. He and his wife, Melissa, live in Wake Forest, N.C.

Pam Retcher (M) was featured in an article for the *Crescent-News* of Defiance, Ohio. She is a kindergarten teacher for Continental Elementary School where she has taught for 10 years. She lives in Defiance, Ohio.

Kristina Roberts (M'04) and Chad Harris exchanged wedding vows on July 16, 2005, in Findlay. She is an art teacher with Fostoria Community Schools, and he is an employee of Lowe's Distribution Center. The couple resides in Findlay.

Paula Rosencrans, a library/media specialist with Arcadia Schools, was named Best in Educational Strategies with Technology (B.E.S.T) by the Northwest Ohio Educational Technology Foundation, and was an Ohio SchoolNet 2005 Technology Teacher of the Year finalist. She and her husband, James, live in Findlay, Ohio.

Tommy Sawin and his wife, Sara, are the new parents of twins, Tommy Joseph II and Ella Isabel, born Aug. 30, 2005. He is a military police officer for the Army and is stationed in Baghdad, Iraq.

Grimes keep Findlay in the Family

Bhrandon Poindexter, a freshman business administration major with an emphasis in sports management from Akron, Ohio, can make a claim that is unique among the 776 freshmen in his class: he is the eighth member of his family to attend Findlay.

Bhrandon's great uncle, **Lionel "Dowdy" Grimes '73**, was the first one in his family to come to Findlay. He transferred from the University of Wyoming on the advice of his good friend, Tony King '65 and earned a B.S. in marketing. Lionel fondly recalled professors Shiv Gupta, William Templeton and Bill Warwick, among others, for their commitment to the student who wanted to learn. A three-year letter winner in baseball, he remarked that the "athletic program was always fair and consistent," and he praised Dr. James Houdeshell's role as athletic director and coach.

Now semi-retired after a career as a Ford-Lincoln-Mercury dealer in Delaware, Ohio, Lionel is living in Columbus and is a self-employed consultant. He said of his Findlay experience, "I loved it, and tried to get them all to come." He succeeded very well, with seven more family members heeding his advice.

His brother, **Marion "Duke" Grimes**, graduated from Findlay in 1977 with a degree in business administration. He lives in Alliance, Ohio, and is the mid-central regional manager for Ferno-Washington, Inc., a medical equipment company in Wilmington, Ohio.

Next came **Marshelle Grimes Ball**, who is Lionel's niece. She was the first of the family to come to Findlay straight from high school and graduated in 1987 with a degree in marketing. She is a sales and teleconferencing account executive with AT&T in Severn, Md., where she has worked for the past 13 years. Active on campus, she was class president twice, vice president of the Student Government Association one year, a student representative to the Board of Trustees for four years, a member of the Black Student Union and served as a resident assistant and head resident. She said she appreciated the small campus. "You were afraid to miss class because you would run into the professor on campus. They all knew you. They cared



Homecoming was a time to connect with friends as well as family for these members of the Grimes Family: (from left) Sean Grimes '92, Lionel "Dowdy" Grimes '73, Bhrandon Poindexter (UF freshman) and Marshelle (Grimes '87) Ball.

about whether or not you succeeded," she remarked.

Her brother **Dr. Michael Grimes**, a 1989 graduate, transferred from Oberlin College his sophomore year to join her at Findlay. A member of the baseball team, Michael said he liked the smaller school and classes, which didn't have some of the distractions of a bigger university. "It was definitely what I needed," he said. A pre-med major, he went on to become a doctor, earning his medical degree from Northeastern Ohio University College of Medicine. He has a family practice in North Canton, Ohio.

Sean Grimes, Marshelle and Michael's younger brother, came to Findlay directly from high school. He joked that because he saw other family members go somewhere else and then transfer, he decided to start at Findlay in the first place. He played baseball, ran track, and served as president of the Black Student Union for two years. "I liked that it was a religious-based college and not your typical party school, although we had a lot of fun. We made our own fun," he said. "Being that African Americans (on campus) were small in number, it made us a tighter-knit type

of family," he commented.

A 1992 graduate with a degree in computer science and math, Sean lives in Severn, Md. He has been employed for 13 years as a senior consultant for Oleen Health Care, a health care information management firm. He also owns a real estate investment company.

Other family members include **Linnell Grimes**, who is a cousin to Michael, Marshelle and Sean. He also graduated from Findlay in 1992 with a degree in business administration, and currently is living in Atlanta, Ga. **Jaision Grimes**, Lionel's son, is a 2002 Findlay pre-med graduate, who is in his second year of medical school at The Ohio State University.

Following in the family tradition, Bhrandon is involved in campus activities where he participates in the Black Student Union and JV basketball. Like the rest of his family, he also appreciates the campus atmosphere, something that hasn't changed over all the years. "Professors are well involved in our studies. The rest of my peers are friendly. It's just a friendly campus," he noted.

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Tamara Shaw graduated from Ohio Northern University's Pettit College of Law in Ada, Ohio, in May 2005. She was active in the Christian Legal Society and resides in Marion, Ohio.

Amy Treadwell graduated from the University of Florida College of Veterinary Medicine on May 28, 2005. She is a small animal medicine and surgery intern with Georgia Veterinary Specialists in Atlanta, Ga.

'01

John Bodi is an occupational therapist at the Defiance Clinic in Defiance, Ohio, where he resides.

Elizabeth Foos (M '03) and Nicholas Obringer were married Dec. 4, 2004, in Millersville, Ohio. She is a physical therapist at the Medical College of Ohio, and he is a district manager in the circulation department of the *Toledo Blade*. They reside in Haskins, Ohio.

Jon Gaberdiel and Sarah Thiel were joined in matrimony May 21, 2005, in Findlay. He is a teacher, and she is a student at UF. They reside in Findlay.

Katie Haspeslagh has been hired as a physician's assistant at Obstetrics and Gynecology of Galion, Inc. She lives in Galion, Ohio.

Jennalee (Gates) Kaufmann and her husband, Adam, had a baby boy, Reiker, on Dec. 8, 2004. She is an ESL teacher with Norwood City Schools, and he is an emergency room nurse at University Hospital. They live in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Stanley King and **Karilane Masters ('01)** were married in June 2004. She conducts research for the cardiology department at the Cleveland Clinic, and he is an engineer in Cleveland. The couple lives in Rocky River, Ohio.

Keith Kuchera and Sara Miller were married on June 4, 2005, in Norwalk, Ohio. He is a safety professional for Filtech, Inc. The couple lives in Findlay.

Leslie (Kramer) Kuhlman graduated from the 2004-05 Hancock Leadership program. She is a corporate image consultant with City Apparel. She lives in Findlay.

Jennifer (Tomaszewski) Pauley is a trainer at Teletech and lives in Morgantown, W. Va., with her husband, Jonathan.

Jenny (Golding) Scherer and her husband, Mark, live in Lewis Center, Ohio. She is a teacher with the Marburn Academy, and he is a kindergarten teacher at W.C. Cupe Community School.

Cameron Thompson is the new fifth and sixth grade social studies teacher for the Gorham-Fayette school district. He is also coaching football at Archbold, Ohio. He previously served as a field artillery officer for the armed forces. Thompson lives in Rossford, Ohio.

Randy Tobin appeared in a made-for-television movie, "Shot from the Sky," on the History Channel. He has appeared in a number of independent films including "Anonymity," "Peace of History," "Strange Fruit" and "Taking Lives." He and his wife, **Jill (Stone '01)**, reside in Hollywood, Calif.

Stephanie Sawyer and **Alan Stephan** were married on May 14, 2005. She is a teacher with Findlay City Schools, and he is a membership representative for the National Federation of Independent Businesses. The couple resides in Findlay.

Jesse Steiner (M) was hired as middle school principal for Elmwood Schools. He taught sixth grade social studies for the Bluffton Schools and coached high school and middle school track, basketball and football. His wife, Christa, is the director of advertising for Citizens National Bank in Bluffton.

Teresa Weber (M) and Bryan Ruehle were married on Aug. 6, 2005, in New Riegel, Ohio. She is the lead tax analyst at Cooper Tire & Rubber Co., and he is the owner of BR Pallet in Alvada, Ohio. The couple makes their home in New Riegel, Ohio.

Shawna Wood graduated from Thomas Jefferson School of Law in San Diego, Calif., in 2004 and earned her license to practice law. She is employed by the Screen Actors Guild as a business representative in Los Angeles, Calif.

Courtney Wyrick has a new position as a sales service representative at TRUFAST Corporation in Bryan, Ohio. She lives in Edon, Ohio.

Richard Yockey and Andrea Lloyd were joined in marriage April 30, 2005, at Deer Creek State Park in Mt. Sterling, Ohio. He is enlisted with the Army, and she is a student. They live in Columbus, Ga.

'02

Tracee Campbell is the vice president of retail lending for Citizens National Bank in Findlay. She previously worked at Findlay Animal Care Center and Beneficial Finance. She and her husband, John, live in Findlay.

Anthony Crippen is an ironworker for Sawyer Resteel. He lives in Monclova, Ohio.

Marissa Devies and Paul Root were married on April 20, 2005, in Aruba. She is a manager for Walgreen's, and he is an advanced medical technician with Hanco EMS. The couple resides in Dunkirk, Ohio.

Jed Dorsey is a third grade teacher with Kenton City Schools. Previously, he was a fifth grade teacher at Ridgemont and a substitute teacher throughout Hardin County. He lives in Kenton, Ohio.

Brian Fawcett (M) has a new position as a relationship specialist with KeyBank in Sylvania, Ohio. He lives in Waterville, Ohio.

Nicole Forney and Daric Preston were married Nov. 6, 2004. She is a substitute teacher in the Hardin County schools, and he is a maintenance technician at Honda of America in East Liberty. The couple lives in rural Ada.

Angela Kammeyer is a manager at Family Video. She makes her home in Monclova, Ohio.

Michelle Merschman and Joseph Knippen were married on July 10, 2004. The couple resides in Ft. Jennings, Ohio.

Natalie Miller ('04 M) has been promoted to rehabilitation director at Paulding County Hospital in Paulding, Ohio. She is pursuing a doctorate of physical therapy degree and manual therapy certification at the University of St. Augustine in Florida.

Dennis Pauken (M'04) and **Elaine Foxhuber (M'99)** were joined in marriage on June 18, 2005, in Toledo, Ohio. He is a site manager for B. Oil in Perrysburg, Ohio, and she is a treasury department employee at Owens-Illinois in Toledo, Ohio. The couple resides in Portage, Ohio.

Meghan Schrick and **Chad Orians** exchanged wedding vows on June 18,

2005, in St. Louis, Mo. He is executive assistant manager at Walgreens. The couple lives in Westerville, Ohio.

Bridget Seigley and Eric Miller married on Sept. 25, 2004. She is employed as a physician's assistant, and he is a pharmacist. They live in Findlay.

Matthew Stimmel and Michelle Pehrson were married on Aug. 27, 2005, in Findlay. He is a field engineer at Vibra-Tech Geosonics, and she is the director of marketing and services at Centennial Screen Printing. The couple lives in Findlay.

Nicole Stose and **Aaron Tong ('04)** were married on June 4, 2005, in Celina, Ohio. She is an employee of the YMCA Child Development Center, and he is an employee of Lowe's Distribution Center. The couple resides in Findlay.

Noelle Vikre has a new position as merchandise manager for the Pinnacle Peak Country Club in Scottsdale, Ariz. She lives in Phoenix, Ariz.

Richard Yockey has been commissioned an OCS Cadet by the United States Army and appeared before the Officer Candidacy School board in June 2005. He lives in Columbus, Ga.

'03

Cale Arnold and Meghan Gee were married on July 2, 2005, in Tipp City, Ohio. He is a special education teacher at Piqua High School, and she is a math teacher at Miami East High School.

Michael Batdorf was awarded the Certified Commercial Investment Member (CCIM) designation by the CCIM institute in August. The designation is awarded to real estate professionals who have completed a graduate-level curriculum and who have achieved a level of experience. Batdorf is an associate with Sperry Van Ness/InvesTek Realty LLC and lives in Oregon, Ohio.

Patricia Beck graduated from the 2004-05 Hancock Leadership program. She is the director of student employment at The University of Findlay. She resides in Bloomdale, Ohio.

Bridget Campbell is a reporter with *The Elkhart Truth* in Elkhart, Ind. She lives in Elkhart, Ind.

Kathy Ferguson is a registered polysomnographic technician for Clinton Memorial Hospital Sleep Care in Wilmington, Ohio.

Stewart Hall (M) is the new director of public works for Accomack County in Tasley, Va. He previously worked for Ford Motor Company, Sherwin-Williams, Airpax and Cambridge International. His wife, Kathleen, is a teacher in Wicomico County Schools. They live with their two daughters in Salisbury, Md.

Tanya (Modispaugh) Kennedy has published her first novel, *The Terarch Rebellion*, from Publish America (ISBN 1413784739). She and husband, Edward, live in Toledo, Ohio.

Melody Knapp was named manager of risk management at Southern Ohio Medical Center. She was an intensive care nurse and has been the manager of decision support with the hospital for the past 14 years. She lives in Pedro, Ohio.

Amber Pinkney graduated from the University of Akron with a master's degree in literacy. She is a fourth grade teacher at Old Brooklyn Montessori School in Cleveland, Ohio, and resides in Akron, Ohio.

Michelle Padula is a math teacher with Vanlue Local Schools. She resides in Findlay.

Julie Renner and Bradley Hammer were married Feb. 26, 2005, in Landeck, Ohio. She is an occupational therapist at Lima Memorial Hospital, and he is employed at Out Sales. They live in Lima, Ohio.

Kyle Sharpe has been commissioned as an AAV crewman to the United States Marine Corps in Camp Lejeune, N.C. He lives in Malinta, Ohio.

Amy Shoub and David Bliss were married on July 16, 2005, in Arcadia, Ohio. She is an elementary school teacher, and he is a record management employee at Duke, Cogima, Stone & Webster. The couple lives in Concord, N.C.

Kelly Spangler is a special education teacher with Paulding Exempted Village Schools in Paulding, Ohio. She lives in Leipsic, Ohio.

Heidi Sparks is a professional model with Elite Modeling in New York, N.Y., where she resides. During the

past year, she has modeled for Maxim and Stuff Magazine.

Erin (Nenadal) Tong is a chemistry and biology teacher at Nordonia Hills City Schools in Macedonia, Ohio, and is currently earning her master's degree at The University of Findlay. Her husband, Ryan, is an irrigation supervisor at the Brickman Group Ltd. The couple lives in Aurora, Ohio.

Keri Walliser and Adam Drosky were married on June 18, 2005, in Attica, Ohio. She is a preschool teacher, and he is the owner of A&D Heating, Air Conditioning, Electrical and Plumbing. The couple lives in Republic, Ohio.

Jodi Wilson (M) has been hired as director of emergency services at Fireland Regional Medical Center in Sandusky. She was previously the emergency department director at Bon Secours St. Francis Health System in Greenville, S.C. She has worked in health care for more than 25 years. She and her husband, Steve, will relocate.

Steve Yarnell (M'05) and **Kelly Pohlman ('05)** exchanged wedding vows on May 28, 2005, in Maria Stein, Ohio. He is a volleyball coach and instructor at Bluffton University. The couple resides in Findlay.

Jill Zwiebel and Jared Askins were married May 1, 2004. They live in Wapakoneta, Ohio, where she is a physical education teacher with Wapakoneta City Schools.

'04

Amanda Bash and Paul Noascono were married Feb. 12, 2005. She works at the Bistro on Main in Findlay, and he is a technical service manager for International Paper in Kenton, Ohio. The couple lives in Findlay.

Nicholas Coale is the new director of client services at Findlay's First Choice Consultant Co. in Findlay, where he has been an employee since 2003. He will be responsible for the firm's client development and business operations. Coale graduated from the 2004-05 Hancock Leadership program and resides in Findlay.

Troy Farthing and Emily Threet were married April 9, 2005, in Findlay. He is an administrative coach with Lowe's Regional Distribution Center,

and she is a client service team leader with Sky Bank in Arlington. They reside in Findlay.

Chase Francis graduated from the 2004-05 Hancock Leadership program. She is a paralegal with Steven M. Powell Co., LPA. She lives in Rawson, Ohio.

Jacquelyn Hashbarger and Jadden Morris were married on June 25, 2005, in Findlay. She is a substitute teacher and independent provider, and he is employed at Findlay Products. The couple makes their home in Arlington, Ohio.

Darlene Herzog and **Jack Beuschlein III ('04)** were married May 14, 2005, in Findlay. She is the site director for Findlay After and Before School Sessions at Washington Intermediate School, and he is a financial sales associate for Prudential Financial. The couple lives in Findlay.

Lisa Hummel is an office manager for Fifth Third Bank in Findlay. She resides in Arcadia, Ohio.

Heather Hutton and Larry Siferd II were married on July 30, 2005, in Findlay, where they make their home.

Sara King and Nathan Dulaney were wed on Jan. 28, 2005, in Findlay. She is employed in the dietary department of Blanchard Valley Regional Health Center, and he is employed with the maintenance department at Pressed Paperboard Technologies. The couple resides in Findlay.

Michelle Lucas was featured in a January 2005 article in *The Fostoria Focus*. She is an intervention specialist with the Fostoria High School and teaches math, science and inclusionary history. She makes her home in Van Buren, Ohio.

Jada Leaders and Scott Eis were married May 7, 2005, in Hamler, Ohio. She is a substitute teacher, and is employed by Interim Healthcare and JC Penney in Defiance, and he is employed by Alex Products Inc., Ridgeville Corners, and Henry County Hospital in Napoleon. The couple resides in Holgate, Ohio.

Misty Manley and Brian Dimick were married on June 18, 2005, in Findlay. They are both employed at Heritage Inn in Bowling Green, Ohio, and make their home in Portage, Ohio.

Patrick Miller (M) and Christina Bostdorff were married on July 2, 2005, in Bowling Green, Ohio. She is a math instructor at Bowling Green State University, and he is a sales representative with A.K. Tube in Walbridge, Ohio. The couple resides in Luckey, Ohio.

Jeff Thomas is a U.S. history and world history teacher at Edgerton Local Schools. He resides in Elida, Ohio.

Emily Sattelmeyer and Phillip Jean were married on Oct. 15, 2005. She is a physical therapist for the Frazier Rehabilitation and Neuroscience Center, and he is a facility and utilities engineer for Martek Biosciences. The couple resides in Louisville, Ky.

Ashley Winebar and George Norway were married on December 31, 2004, in Edgerton, Ohio. She is an accountant for Year Round Pool Company in Bluffton, S.C., and he is a corporal in the United States Marine Corps. The couple resides in Bluffton, S.C.

'05

Vanessa Boutwell-Dietsch is the office manager and artist for Boutwell Collision Center in Findlay, and her husband, Andrew, is an agriculture technician with Findlay Implement. They reside in Mount Cory, Ohio.

Beau Carmon is the new junior high health and physical education teacher at Riverdale School. He lives in Bloomville, Ohio.

Kelly (Russell) Fisher is a substitute teacher. She and her husband, Ron, live in Forest, Ohio.

Laura Griffith and Lucas Ewing were married on July 23, 2005, in McComb, Ohio. She is pursuing her master's degree at UF, and he is a student at Owens Community College and is employed at Kohl's Distribution Center. The couple lives in McComb, Ohio.

Kari Weisenburger has a new position at Riverdale School as a geometry and integrated math I and II teacher. She lives in Findlay.