

Alumni news

Summer 2003



RACER

ROADSHOW

*makin' memories
with MSU friends*



Muhlenberg County

The Muhlenberg County chapter hosted the first event of the summer at the Career Advancement Center. Pictured are incoming freshmen from Muhlenberg North and South high schools who received scholarships from the MSUAA. From left: Terry Gregory, Harrison Yonts, Sarah Carver, Matt Knight, Chris McNeill (president of the MSU Alumni Association), MSU President F. King Alexander, Dean Rowe (president of the Muhlenberg chapter), Katie Adkisson, Jake Cornett, and Laura Graham.



Princeton

MSU alumni Phillip Van Hooser '79 and his wife, Susan '85, hosted an event at their home on July 17 in Princeton, Ky., for alumni and friends in Caldwell County. Phillip, left, and Susan, right, are pictured with incoming freshmen Tobey Williams, Kory Oliver and Rochelle Grey.

**On the
road again!**



Paducah

Jim '63 and Sue Cash '64 hosted an event at their home on Wednesday, July 23 for alumni and friends in McCracken County. During the event, Joe Pannunzio (MSU football coach), Rob McDonald (MSU baseball coach), Paul Wyczawski (assistant baseball coach), and Joi Williams (MSU women's basketball coach) helped greet alumni and incoming freshmen and their parents. Pictured with Pannunzio, McDonald, Wyczawski and Williams are incoming freshmen.



St. Louis

Alumni and friends in the St. Louis Metro area enjoyed summer festivities at the home of Rosemary '60 and Hal Prow '59. Pictured in front of the Prow home are incoming freshmen from the St. Louis area with the Prows, Jim Carter (vice president for institutional advancement), and Mark Hutchins (associate vice president for institutional advancement).

Inset: Carter presents Richard McClintock '66 a flag with the MSU Racer logo that McClintock designed for the University in 1998.



Racer Roadshow 2003 kicked off the summer tour at Muhlenberg County on June 17. Murray State University representatives from athletics, alumni affairs, school relations, career services and academic colleges traveled around the region to greet fellow friends and alumni.

Guests enjoyed refreshments and received MSU mementos and memorabilia as door prizes. Incoming freshmen and their parents along with friends of the university were able to meet and talk with alumni and university officials. Several alumni chapters host these annual summer events to welcome the incoming freshmen and communicate with alumni and friends.



Hopkinsville

An event for alumni and friends in Christian, Trigg, Todd and Montgomery counties was hosted at Murray State's Hopkinsville campus on June 24. Pictured: Re'Nita Avery '02, admissions counselor for MSU school relations, Amber Duventre, sophomore student, Chris Jones, incoming freshman, and his mother Sherrita. At left: Julie Wampler Belt '95, Brian Keith Belt '95, and their 5-month-old daughter, Katherine.



Henderson

Alumni and friends in Henderson and Union counties and Evansville, Ind., enjoyed an event at Players Club in Henderson. Incoming freshmen Jennifer Nurrenbern and Jamie Spradley visit over dinner with their mothers.

Pictured with Dr. F. King Alexander, MSU president, are incoming freshmen Jennifer Nurrenbern, Ashley Isenhood and Brandy Boucherie. Back Row: Sarah Phillips, Jamie Spradley, Dana Wagner and Austin Pruitt.

Inset: Adam Grogan '99 and Clay Bolin pose for a photo at the Players Club.



Owensboro

Emily '80 '85 and Tony Gholson '80 '87 welcomed alumni, friends and incoming freshmen from Daviess County at their home. McDonald, Alexander and Mick Cronin, MSU's basketball coach, provided an overview of the upcoming school year and athletic events.

Far right: Alexander highlights MSU's recent accomplishments and opportunities to the Owensboro crowd.



HOMECOMING 2003

LIVING *the Racer Life*



Make plans to attend Murray State's homecoming festivities on Oct. 17-18.

This year's grand marshal of the 62nd Homecoming Parade is Kristi Phillips Rowan, a 1987 fashion merchandising graduate. An Alpha Omicron Pi alumna, Rowan is founder and publisher of *MidSouth Living*, a local home and garden magazine with a circulation of 35,000, based in Memphis, Tenn. Rowan is highlighting Murray State University's attractive campus and last year's Homecoming activities in the upcoming Sept./Oct. 2003 issue of *MidSouth Living*.

Rowan said the article showcases MSU's greatest assets and traditions, which "combines Ivy League tradition with down-to-earth character on a gorgeous campus."



Many events are planned for Homecoming that include a golf and tennis tournament on Friday Oct. 17. Events will continue on Saturday, Oct. 18, with the homecoming parade beginning at 9:30 a.m. Alumni are invited to visit the Alumni Center Open House from 9 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Tent City Homecoming festival will begin at 11 a.m. in the grassy area of Roy Stewart Stadium and will continue until 2:30 p.m. prior to the 3 p.m. game against Eastern Illinois University. For a complete schedule of homecoming events please check the website at murraystate.edu/ialu/events.htm or the Homecoming brochure (shown at left) you recently received by mail.

Join us for the last
Summer Roadshow.



MSU Racers will take on the University of Kentucky Sept. 6. To purchase football tickets (\$25 each), please call 270-762-4895.

Prior to the game, a Backyard BBQ Supper will be held Friday, Sept. 5, at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Frank '58 and Pat Miller '59 with co-hosts, Bob '56 and Sylvia Waller.

Join us for this Friday night event for BBQ, music and more, then support the Racers as they face off against UK on Saturday night. Reservations are required, call Joyce Whitney at 800-758-8510 today! For information/directions only, call the Millers at 859-268-2208.

2003 Football Schedule (Tentative)



All Times are Central & Subject to Change

Aug. 30	Valparaiso University	H	6:00
Sept. 6	University of Kentucky	A	6:00
Sept. 13	Southern Illinois	A	6:00
Sept. 20	Indiana State	H	6:00
Sept. 27	TN Tech	A	7:00
Oct. 4	Jacksonville State	H	6:00
Oct. 11	Samford	A	1:00
Oct. 18	Eastern Illinois	H	3:00
	(Homecoming)		
Oct. 25	Southeast Missouri	A	6:00
Nov. 1	Eastern Kentucky	H	1:30
Nov. 13	UT-Martin	A	7:00
Nov. 22	Tennessee State	H	1:30

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