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WELCOME BACK ALUMNI!



Bringing alumni back into the University Family

Jack Rodriguez '68
President of the National Alumni Association

Since the formation of the National Alumni Association various attempts have been made to service and support the entire University of Tampa family. Let's be honest with each other; when football was dropped many of our alumni lost interest and over the past years support on the part of the administration of the University has been waning. Comprehending the singular privilege and distinct honor that is mine to serve as your president I decided to try to do something about making our alumni much more active.

The first place I went as I pursued my ambition to bring us more into the University Family was to call on the Office of Alumni Affairs. I found Mike Leding and Susan Lucas supported by a very enthusiastic group who were looking for leadership to which they could respond. I believe bringing back the *Muezzin* is a very important ingredient

in what is to become our efforts to bond better with each other.

HELP! The other officers, Gail DeCroes, '73, Sam Giunta, '60, and Fred Britt, '71, have been of great assistance but we do not believe that we can represent adequately the alumni constituency by ourselves. Therefore, we are calling for nominations from you to serve on a National Alumni Council that will be recommended for expansion at the National Alumni Association's Annual Meeting on Homecoming Weekend. The charter is being recommended for change so alumni can serve on the council as appointments by the President of the National Alumni Association (NAA). Your officers are looking for people who want to work. If you are interested in serving please indicate so on the form provided in this edition.

I want to thank those who returned their alumni surveys in response to my

letter of last summer. This really helped our Admissions Office identify alums who helped this fall in representing UT at college fairs throughout the country. The highest priority of the Alumni Affairs Office for the summer of 1988 is to clean up our files.

Homecoming 1988. Over the past ten years we have tried many different weekends for Homecoming. The most recent have been held on Gasparilla Weekend. Well, it became impossible to stage anything on that weekend anymore, especially when we decided to expand our program to include reunions, because they have moved the parade from Monday to Saturday. I hope when you read about and see all the events planned for Homecoming 1988, which is held on the final weekend in February, you will want to come back - the more the merrier!

We will institute the *Esse Quam Videri*

Awards to be awarded for the first time at the Champagne Brunch on the Sunday of Homecoming Weekend. These distinguished awards are being established to recognize alumni who have made

significant contributions to the community and to society, and whose accomplishments and career achievements have reflected glory on the

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Sam and Sissy Roberts, '71, relax at dinner on the alumni "Cruise to Nowhere" in October. See page 6.

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Alumni donate \$1 million

Robert T. Sutton, Chairman 1988 Unrestricted Giving Campaign

I am pleased to report that the 1987 Annual Unrestricted Giving Campaign resulted in over \$1 million dollars being contributed to the University of Tampa. Alumni, parents, and friends, especially those from the City of Tampa, continued to evidence their deep loyalty and dedication to the University of Tampa by their constant and generous support.

It was encouraging to note that an increased number of gifts were matched by corporate support - in some cases by as much as four to one.

The goal for the 1988 Campaign is a minimum of \$1 million. I am convinced that if we all rally together in support of the turnaround of the

University and our now-permanent President Bruce Samson, we should be able to raise \$1.4 million in unrestricted giving this fund year.

ALUMNI, in order to reach \$1.4 million we need you! Your participation counts almost more than the amount you give because it sends a signal that you care. This caring is in turn important to corporate citizens and foundations upon whom we call for support.

I thank all of the alumni listed below who contributed last year and I encourage all of you to become a part of this increasing number who have chosen to support the excellence that is the University of Tampa today!

1930 - 1939

Gillen, William A., '33

Hill, Ellis, '34

Buchanan, W. Claude, '35
Canary, George A., '35
Hutchinson, Carlisle, '35
Maniscalco, Mary M., '35
Setzer, Jane, '35
Van'Antwerp, Ted C., '35
Vann-Balen, Dorothy (Pou), '35

Kurtz, Sophie, '36
Moody, O. William, '36

Sherrill, Marjorie H. (Dennis), '37

Galbraith, James R., '39
Keating, Frances, '39
Reid, Kenneth J., '39

1940 - 1949

Beard, Malcolm E., '40
Handley, Cyril V., '40
Krist, Stephen J., '40
Pinholster, David C., '40
Sherman, John H., '40
Young, Francis A., '40
Yugo, James, '40

Ball, Mark J., '41

Bessis, Sam G., '42

Hach, Robert O., '46
Ulrich, Herman O., '46

Mills, Joe D., '47

Dale, Otto L., '48

Hobbs, Harry M., '49
McNab, James A., '49
Warner, Clories K., '49

1950 - 1959

Giargiari, Louise (Clayton), '50
Kenfield, Fred H., '50
Sible, Katherine L., '50
Turner, Robert W., '50

Fogal, Carroll E., '51

Abrahamsen, Ralph, '52
Coover, Robert E., '52
Martin, Ralph M., '52
Schultz, Priscilla R., '52

Hardee, Clyde H., '53

Conner, Maurice L., '54
McCurdy, Justine L., '54
Wycoff, Marilyn (Viscusi), '54

Beach, Robert E., '55
Peck, Edmund A., '55

Moore, Tillman D., '57
Rogers, Thomas J., '57
Wheatley, Ellis, '57

Costa, Dan M., '58

Delaparte, Louis, '58
Henry, Eugene P., '58
Leon, Lionel O., '58
Schmidt, Harry V., '58
Skaroulis, Mike G., '58
Waddell, Glenn, '58

1960 - 1965

Fitzgerald, Lawrence T., '60
Roberts, James C., '60
Stanley, Diana (Ray), '60

Correia, Edmund G., '61
Lovelace, Milton, '61
Maniscalco, Providence, '61
Otton, Guy W., '61
Pupello, Dennis F., '61
Wilson, M. Wayne, '61

Perkins, William S., '62
Possick, Charles G., '62
Ramaglia, Jean A., '62
Renos, Stanley P., '62
Smalley, William J., '62

Bourgholtzer, Raymond, '63
Christian, Mack T., '63
Clement, George A., '63
Mickler, Joseph R., '63
Mohr, Robert D., '63
Noller, Gary, '63
Polo, Lionel R., '63
Raker, Dural W., '63

Burke, Thomas N., '64
Dowd, Aaron H., '64
Lawton, Alice (Carter), '64
Lewis, George T., '64
Moore, Henry B., '64

Matthews, Durward L., '65
Sadlowski, Edward J., '65
Stuffer, Clifford, '65

1966 - 1969

Callen, Lois (Sanchez), '66
Hess, Stephen P., '66

Battenfield, Eugene G., '67
Bielwaski, Gerald, '67
Cagiano, Garrett V., '67
Jarrett, Mary Jo, '67
Park, David C., '67
Smink, B. William, '67
Straner, Frank L., '67
Stoddard, Gail E. (Fischer), '67
Thompson, Russell L., '67

Gallagher, Joseph T., '68
Haggerty, Kenneth G., '68
Hoffman, Dolores A., '68
McCumber, Norma J., '68
Minichiello, Paul N., '68
Oural, Hilda (Fulgueira), '68
Petrillo, Freddie Mae (Johnson), '68
Stoner, Charles W., '68
Wright, Richard S., '68
Zewadski, William A., '68

Brown, Ronald W., '69
Cunningham, Thomas E., '69
Smith, Robert L., '69

1970 - 1975

Benedetto, John, '70
Blanchard, Robert L., '70
Bradish, Connie T. (Ohlman), '70
Bullard, Perry C., '70
Casey, William W., '70
Harless, Sherrill M., '70
Hodgkins, Richard C., '70
Neff, Charles Y., '70
Pollock, Fred E., '70

Goerlich, James A., '71
Grela, Stanley B., '71
Hamlin, Marilyn M., '71
Prihoda, Michael F., '71
Rayburg, William H., '71
Roberts, Ellis S., '71
Scarpa, Barbara C., '71

Brunette, Alfred, '72
Corse, Thomas S., '72
Crabbe, G. William, '72
Davis, Lamont P., '72
Hauser, Edward J., '72
Lugo, Filiberto, '72
Miller, Charles S., '72
Smith, Charles C., '72
Stahl, Terrance E., '72

Chilton, Robert G., '73
Distefano, Joseph, '73
Dykeman, Frank J., '73
Garrison, Edwin B., '73
Green, Wesley, '73
Ramey, Dennis J., '73
Thomason, Jeffrey H., '73
Tulp, Douglas A., '73

Bougas, Constantine T., '74
Burghdorf, Dolores L., '74
Christensen, C. Andrew, '74
Fetzer, Mark E., '74
Radlein, Robert M., '74
Wiggins, Richard A., '74

Breidenstein, James P., '75
Churchill, Norman C., '75
Cocheu, Theodore F., '75
Cupler, Ronald E., '75
Curry, Peter J., '75
Luhren, David A., '75
Marinelli, Donald, '75
McKim, Kenneth E., '75

1976 - 1979

Bender, Douglas J., '76
Cremer, James A., '76
Covington, Virginia M., '76
Feaster, Thomas E., '76
Langer, Peter E., '76
Mattes, Frank J., '76
McDonough, Robert J., '76
Nachtman, James B., '76
Ohm, Herbert P., '76
Priore, John A., '76
Rea, William M., '76
Shuman, Alton R., '76
Skirpan, Michelle M., '76
Wilkes, Bruce R., '76

Coleman, Marie, '77
Darnell, Lindsey G., '77
Freeman, Charles W., '77
Kimbrow, Franklin R., '77

Moledor, Jeffery J., '77
Rockaway, Mark I., '77
Schelling, Martin W., '77
Thomas, Bill, '77
Wilmarth, Carl B., '77
Wynn, Susan K. (Gibson), '77

Doyle, Brian M., '78
Fangmann, Mark R., '78
Fisher, Harriet, '78
Menendez, Yolanda G., '78
Pelot, Tim J., '78
Ramsower, Jutta E. (Popesco), '78
Shaw, David A., '78
Venero, Gabriel, '78

Amihere, Joseph, '79
Flowers, Garry A., '79
Kahne, Steve, '79
Lampier, Joseph K., '79
Lopresti, Mary F., '79
Papagoda, David R., '79
Parker, E. Craig, '79
Pate, James T., '79
Rittmeyer, James E., '79
Shoopak, Alan D., '79
Sloan, Marla, '79
Sowder, Joseph G., '79
Testoni, Mark A., '79
Wolfe, Charles E., '79

1980 - 1986

Annunziata, Peter J., '80
Bowers, Charles R., '80
Carrington, Edward L., '80
Fusaro, Joseph P., '80
Pekny, Paul M., '80
Walker, William F., '80

Beuer, Genevieve E., '81
Bonacci, Joseph J., '81
Brown, Robert G., '81
Meachum, Thomas A., '81
Ross, Carl D., '81
Vondrak, James W., '81

Biddle, Cynthia W., '82
Conner, James R., '82
Denne, Peter, '82
Feick, David H., '82
Green, Harvey D., '82
Holly, Kathryn L. (Reveley), '82
Hungerford, William B., '82
Larson, Todd V., '82
McNutt, Stephen C., '82
Pangburn, Kevin P., '82
Quinn, Michael G., '82
Sanders, Lance A., '82
Sullivan, Beth Ann (Smith), '82
Tisdale, Nev A., '82
Wade, Lavinia M., '82
Whitney, Cheryl Ann Marie, '82

Cafaro, Nicholas G., '83
Diaz, Felicia S., '83
Nadon, Nancy J., '83
Simmons, Martha L., '83
Speronis, Lee P., '83

Daley, Carol V., '84
Hauser, Gerard, '84

Chrobak, Jay M., '86

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University. Please use a second form also provided in this edition and return it with your nominations. Attach any supporting documentation that you believe will assist the selection committee in making its choices.

Right now we have only one working alumni chapter - Tampa Alpha in Tampa, and it's a great one. But we should have more. All it takes is someone who is willing to organize the fellow alumni of your community. At one time we had almost 15 alumni chapters. We know that there are many locales in which there is

interest. If you want more information, indicate so on the information form also enclosed, and return it. Either Mike Leding or Susan Lucas will be in touch with you.

Personally, I invite every Spartan to participate in the many NAA events and programs which I will discuss in the future. As your president I welcome your suggestions and support and I challenge the entire University of Tampa community to join the NAA as we chart the alumni role for the future, which is a work of love and duty.

Muezzin returns

Michael J. Leding, Jr., Director of Alumni Affairs

The *Muezzin* is back. When we came to the Office for Alumni Affairs we didn't even know that there had been such a journal, let alone know what the term meant or how to pronounce it.

It wasn't long before we heard enough alumni say that they wanted their newspaper back. So we met with the officers of the National Alumni Association and they agreed its rebirth was a good idea. You will still receive the *UT Journal* but its focus will be on subjects that are

not only directed at alumni but all of the other constituencies that the University of Tampa serves. So let us live up to what a Muezzin is: "an Islamic crier who from the top of a minaret calls the faithful to worship." This will only work if you cooperate by sharing with us what you are doing so that we can share it with your fellow alumni; therefore, please keep those "alumni notes" coming.

We are trying to find all of those who attended UT, or Tampa University, as it

used to be commonly known, who want to be counted as alumni. Our mailing last summer resulted in over 1,400 returning their alumni surveys; that represented a return of about ten per cent. We have a new administrative computer being installed and our office's priority next summer is to concentrate on making our files as clean as possible so that we can do a better job of communicating with you and

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HOMECOMING '88

Friday, February 26, 1988

FIFTY PLUS CLUB LUNCHEON

Time: Noon

Place: Dome Room, H. B. Plant Hall

NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SOCIAL

Time: 5:30 pm

Place: Lobby, H. B. Plant Hall

CLASSES OF 1948, 1963, AND 1978 REUNION DINNERS

Time: 7:30 pm

Place: Dome Room, Ballroom and Fletcher Lounge, H. B. Plant Hall

Saturday, February 27, 1988

NONCOMPETITIVE FUN RUN

Time: 8:00 pm

Place: Throughout UT Campus

NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING

Time: 9:00 am

Place: Classroom 1, Old Tampa Prep Building

STUDENT-ALUMNI PARADE

Time: 11:00 am

Place: University of Tampa Campus

ANTONIO MADRID AND RUTH MASTERS EXHIBIT

Time: 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Place: Scarfone Gallery

"AND ALL THAT JAZZ" SPARTAN ALUMNI PICNIC

Time: Upon conclusion of Parade

Place: H. B. Plant Park

GREEK GAMES

Time: 12:00 - 4:00 pm

Place: Pepin-Rood Stadium, Intramural Field

UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA INTERCOLLEGIATE CONTESTS

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S SWIMMING

(UT vs. Brevard/Miami Dade)

Time: 1:00 pm

Place: Swimming Complex

BASEBALL

(UT vs. Kentucky)

Time: 1:30 pm

Place: Sam Bailey Field

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

(UT vs. Florida Southern)

Time: 5:30 pm

Place: Bob Martinez Sports Center

MEN'S BASKETBALL

(UT vs. Florida Southern)

Time: 7:30 pm

Place: Bob Martinez Sports Center

"UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA" FAMILY REUNION

Time: Upon conclusion of Men's Basketball game

Place: Bob Martinez Sports Center

Sunday, February 28, 1988

NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION CHAMPAGNE BRUNCH

Time: 10:00 am

Place: Fletcher Lounge, H. B. Plant Hall

CONFERRING OF THE ESSE QUAM VIDERI AWARDS

Time: During the program of the

Champagne Brunch

Place: Fletcher Lounge, H. B. Plant Hall

The following are a list of hotels with special rates for Homecoming/Reunion Weekend. Please mention the University of Tampa when making Reservations.

Guest Quarters
\$79 Single or Double
1 - (813) 875-1555

Harbor Island Hotel
\$69, 1 - 4 people
1 - (813) 229-5000

Tampa Hilton
\$55, 1 - 4 people
1 - (813) 223-2222

Hyatt Downtown
\$59, 1 - 4 people
1 - (813) 225-1234

Hyatt Westshore
\$59, 1 - 4 people
1 - (813) 874-1234

Holiday Inn Downtown
\$46 Single or Double,
\$7 each additional person
1 - (813) 223-1351

CLASS NOTES

1938

Hampton Dunn was commencement speaker at Tampa College graduation exercises in Ruth Eckerd Hall on June 27, and was awarded an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree. Dunn, who is currently with WTVT Channel 13 in Tampa, is the author of more than a dozen books on Florida History and is the President-Elect of the Florida Historical Society.

1960

Diana Stanley (Ray), Media Specialist at Lake Gibson Junior High School in Lakeland, Florida, was elected Teacher of the Year by the faculty. The yearbook was dedicated to her by its staff.

1967

Steven Daniel Rosado received his Doctor of Education from Duke University in December 1983.

1971

Sergeant First Class **Charles G. Cash**, an intelligence analyst with the U.S. Army, has been decorated with the Army Commendation Medal in Japan.

Rennée Fisher received the Palmes Academique from the French Government on October 20. She is one of 200 Americans to receive this honor.

1972

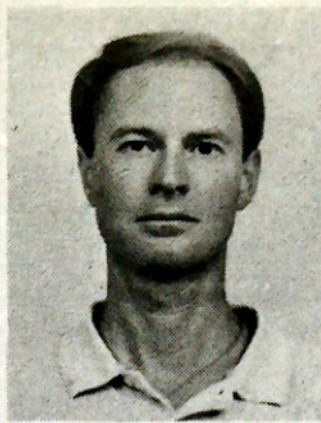
Tony Bigaila has joined the Diamond Savings and Loan Company as Accounting Manager.

1973

Air Force Major **David A. Jones** is now with the Headquarters, Military Airlift Command, Scott Air Force Base, Illinois.

Douglas C. Smith, '67, is currently Visiting Senior Professor at Tunghai University in Taichung, China. Smith holds a Ph.D. degree in History and is on a two-year academic sabbatical leave from West Virginia University where he directs graduate studies and is full professor. He also teaches in Japan part-time.

Smith, who was a History and Sociology major at UT and was awarded the 'Outstanding Graduate Award' citation in 1967, holds six



Smith, '67, on sabbatical in China.

university degrees. He is completing his fifth book on Chinese education (due for publication in spring 1988). Smith is married and has one daughter, Cathay, age 7.

1975

Freddie Solomon participated in the Fifth Annual Freddie Solomon Celebrity Classic to raise money for patients with kidney disease. He also participated in the NFL Alumni Association (Tampa Bay Chapter) charity golf tournament to benefit disadvantaged children.

1976

Army Captain **Edward M. Bloom** has graduated from the Army's Combined Arms and Services Staff School at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

James B. Nachtman was recently promoted to a senior environmental engineer at GM Truck and Bus Company.

1978

Eric Romano has been awarded Wrestling Coach-of-the-Year for Dutchess County - Section 1. He was also named Head Varsity Football Coach for 1987 at Beacon High School.

Bruce T. Ridinger has been named Program Supervisor at the Children's Resource Centers in Tampa.

1979

Dean Denegri works for Atlas Specialty Lighting as a Sales Manager.

1980

Charles R. Bowers, Jr. has retired from the U. S. Air Force and is now employed by TRW in Redondo Beach, California, as Project Manager for Design and Construction within the Facilities Department.

Army Captain **Theodore W. Koufas** has arrived for duty with the U. S. Army Security Affairs Command in Fort Myer, Virginia.

Air Force Reserve Airman First Class **Anna M. Cline** has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

John Kelly is employed by the State of Connecticut as a Corrections Officer. He married Mary Malloy of West Haven on October 10, 1986.

1981

Lisa Brandes has recently completed her Master of Science Degree in Special Education.

Robert L. Denson has been named President-Elect of the Coralridge Kiwanis in Deerfield Beach. He is currently the Director of Management Information Systems for HRS - District 10 in Fort Lauderdale.

Rod Cooper is presently employed in Sales with the GTE Yellow Pages.

Jay McAndrews is a Fiberoptics Project Manager with New York Telephone.

Charles Gafkowski is the owner of a New York deli.

1982

Liz Hildenstein is working for Data Systems of Florida in the Customer Service and Accounting Department.

Edward Ciocys has received his Master of Arts in Liberal Studies from

Georgetown University. **Austria Lavigne** graduated from Georgetown School of Medicine. She will do her residency in Family Practice at Providence Hospital in Washington, D.C.

Shelley Carnaroli (Havas) has accepted a new position as District Manager for Avon Projects of the Bay View Division.

1983

Stephen Epstein is employed as an Occupational Sales Representative with Palmer Paper Company.

Daniel Murray III is currently employed by the TOBI Corporation.

Melanie Gallicano works for Costco Wholesale.

Francis W. Allen is currently a special agent employed by the U.S. Department of State.

Judith Schmitz (Sayoc) gave birth to a daughter - Christina A. on May 29.

Jeff Murawski is a Sales Representative for Palmer Paper Company.

1984

Karen Tippet has accepted a position as Financial Analyst with Electronic Data Systems in London, England.

Michael Oppenheim is currently employed at Gelco Space as a Branch Sales Representative.

Jackie Henry is employed as an Assistant Editor for CMP Publications.

Mike Miley is a Sales Representative for Gillette.

Joe Furmanek holds the position of Controller at Baker Brown/Micro Plate.

Robert Weisbord is a Senior Insurance Adjuster with Custard Insurance Adjusters.

Mike Gallicano is employed as a Manager at Costco Wholesale.

Marsha Fleming is Assistant to the Vice President at Chase Manhattan Bank.

James Willenborg is currently employed as Assistant Athletic Director at Miami Shores.

Jeff Rubel works for Merrill Dow in Pharmaceutical Sales.

Stuart Barnes is an Assistant Buyer at Bloomingdales in New York.

Bill Fountain works for the Cheshire, Connecticut Police Department as a patrolman.

Lori J. Anger (Larson) has been promoted to Assistant Vice President at

NCNB National Bank.
Michael Norton is a Budget Manager for Barnett Bank.

Rucker, Alabama.
Donna Babian is working for Contel Business Systems as an installations specialist.

In Memorium

Harry Gordon Parker, '48. He was retired and living in Wedowee, AL. He is survived by his wife, Dorothy.
Joseph Ficarotta, '74. He worked as the coordinator of the audio-visual area at the Merle Kelce Library, University of Tampa.
Myron Gaddis, UT football coach 1948-49, and basketball coach and Athletic Director 1949-50, passed away August 1. He is survived by his wife Gertrude, daughter Lee, and three grandchildren.

1985

Leona Pezka works for Colonial Penn Insurance Company in Homeowners Customer Service.
Lisa Douglas is currently an independent insurance broker.
Second Lieutenant **Michael J. Finnegan** has recently graduated from the 58-day Ranger course at the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia. Finnegan is presently a Platoon Officer with the 2nd Infantry Division in South Korea.
Joey Emprie is the manager of a Taco Mac Restaurant.
Howard L. Williams works for National Concessions Systems as a Sales Representative.
Robin Stephenson is currently employed by Costco.
Adrienne Michelle Astorga married **Steven Leonard Yates** on November 28 in Somerset, New Jersey.
Jena L. Swindle is teaching biology and environmental science at Martin County High School in Stuart, FL.

1987

Tony Hernandez is presently studying Environmental Law at Vermont Law School, which he is attending on a \$5000 a year scholarship.
Joe Potuzak has been accepted into the Commercial Management Training Program at First Florida Bank. He is also a Second Lieutenant in the Air Force Reserves, a contracting officer stationed at Patrick Air Force Base, Florida.
Joseph C. Dellutri is currently working as a stockbroker with Sherwood Capital.
Kathleen M. Egan has accepted a new position as a Systems Analyst/Programmer at McDonnell Douglas - Kennedy Space Center.
Air Force Second Lieutenant Susan Teague is currently stationed at Goodfellow Air Force Base, Texas.
Carol Ryan is presently working for Alday-Donaldson Title Company as a Title Researcher.
Christine Higgins is currently self-employed.
Jennifer Pugsley is attending Nova University's Law Center.
Wendy Metcalf is now a Public Assistance Specialist II with HRS.
Lisa Hoernlein is working as a laboratory technician at the University of Georgia and will attend the University in a graduate program for neurophysiology next year.
Kevin Martin Reasor will marry Amy Martha Sweebe in December.
Patricia Steenkamp (Lee) is expecting a baby in January 1988. She is currently attending the University of South Florida for a teaching degree.
Jim Capellini is operating a bookstore in California.
Fiona McLatchie is attending graduate school at Seton Hall University.

1986

Manuel Jimenez works as a Staff Accountant for Tarmac Roadstone.
Donna Arsenault is employed as an Office Administrator for Comutel Business Systems Tampa Division.
Ann-Marie Willenborg (Sepuka) is a financial analyst for Southeast Bank.
Ron Miskiewicz is presently working for Robby's Sporting Goods.
Army Second Lieutenant **Jon R. Drushal** is currently stationed in South Korea with the 2nd Infantry Division.
Marine Warrant Officer **George T. Whitten** was recently appointed to his present rank while serving at Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.
Patrick Burke has received his Master of Arts degree in Genetics from Columbia University.
Army Second Lieutenant **Gilberto Selosse** has graduated from the officer rotary wing aviator course and received the silver wings of an Army aviator at the U. S. Army Aviation School in Fort



MERRY
CHRISTMAS
AND
HAPPY
HANNUKAH
FROM THE STAFF
OF THE
MEUZZIN!

FOCUS: WRITING MAJORS AFTER UT

WHERE SOME OF THEM HAVE GONE

Graduates	School/Job
Leslie Treece, '77	High school English teacher, Tampa
Debbie Everhart, '78	Newsletter editor & graduate school, Scottsdale
Lori Long Flammer, '79	Counseling degree University of Virginia, counselor Palm Beach Community College
Erica Shames, '79	Editor, <i>National Lampoon</i> , freelancing New York
G. Steven Baal, '80	1986 prizewinner <i>Writer's Digest</i> , fiction written for <i>St. Petersburg Times</i>
Rock Garramone, '80	Manager Garramone's Italian Restaurant, Schenectady
Howard Ibach, '80	Graduate school in English, Brown University
Laurel Stanley, '80	Systems analyst, ITT, New Jersey
Carrie Harden, '81	Graduate school in English, Gainesville
Tim O'Conner, '81	Head systems supervisor, New York University library, fiction writer (publishing)
Andy Pappas, '81	Graduate school, English, University of New Hampshire
Rich Vidal, '81	Gerontology graduate school, University of South Florida
Sharon Waldron, '81	Law school, formerly <i>St. Petersburg Times</i> & Vision
Sondra Archey, '82	Systems operator, Barclay Bank, Connecticut
Chad Bashaw, '82	High school English teacher, Key West
Laura Bernon, '82	Channel 10, then opened her own public relations firm
Tony DeSormier, '82	Sports editor, <i>Brandon News</i> , 1986 winner, Florida Press Association award
Amy Hill, '82	Feature writer, <i>Daytona Beach Journal</i>
Connie May, '82	Former managing editor, <i>DATABUS</i> , freelancer, now graduate student, University of Kansas
Vicki DeSormier, '83	Reporter, <i>La Gaceta</i> , Tampa
Stephanie Tripp, '83	Business writer, <i>Tampa Tribune</i>
Jackie Henry, '84	Assistant editor, CMP Publications, New York
Ann Rossetti, '84	Managing editor, <i>Florida Business: Tampa Bay</i>
Joe LoNigro, '85	Channel 8 sports news
Lezlie Mullinix, '85	Programs director, Chambers & Associates, Boca Raton
Lisa Guay, '86	Market reporter and feature writer, <i>Earnshaw's</i> magazine, New York
Lucy Rocas, '86	Price Waterhouse, Tampa
Caryn Russell, '86	Graduate school, Iowa State University
Neil Starr, '86	<i>Tampa Tribune</i> sports correspondent
Lisa Bennett, '87	Advertising ITT, New York
Non-graduates	
Steve Boyett	Novelist, screenwriter, Hollywood
W. Blake Gray	<i>Tampa Tribune</i> correspondent
Rana Holz	Marketing writer, First Marketing Corporation, Pompano Beach
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National Alumni Association's

"CRUISE TO NOWHERE"



Having a ball on board:
Top: Stacy and John
Revitte, '81. Center (L
to R): Bobbie
Damoiseau, '85,
Denise Trompetrini,
'85, Chantal Fuente,
'86, and Margaret
Marshall, '85. Bottom:
Richard and Victoria
Gregor.

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Center provides resources

The office of Career Planning and Placement Services, Division of Student Affairs, acknowledges that alumni of the University of Tampa are a valued asset to the University and offers the following services that are available upon application. There is no fee charged for these services.

Alumni Resume Referral Service

Upon application, and providing ten copies of an up-to-date resume, alumni may have their resume referred to employers whose candidate specifications match their qualifications and interest. Employers seeking candidates this way are usually very specific in their criteria for

employment and only those resumes that match will be submitted to them.

Positions Available Listing

Upon application, selected employment opportunities registered with this office will be mailed to registered alumni actively seeking employment. The *Positions Available* list is published and mailed on a bi-weekly basis during the academic year.

Eligibility for Resume Referral Services and the publication *Positions Available* may be renewed for a period of ninety days provided that an individual maintains an up-to-date referral file and/or mailing address.

Resume Consultation

A resume consultation is available by appointment only. The duration of the appointment is normally no longer than 45 minutes. This service is advisory in nature, and is designed to provide advice and feedback on an existing resume. The staff does not prepare, type, duplicate, or provide equipment as part of the consultation.

Career Information Center

Alumni are invited to use the Career Information Center as an aid to their job search or in develop-

ing plans for a career change.

The staff is developing a comprehensive collection of career development and placement information providing general and specific career materials. These include a career file, employer directories and college relations information, government employment information, graduate school information, and information pertaining to the mechanics of job search and existing employment opportunities registered with this office (on an almost daily basis) by employers in business and industry, government, and education. It should be noted that any opportunities located by the alumni in this center must be acted on by the applicant. It is up to the indi-

vidual to send a cover letter and resume or call for more information.

The Career Information Center is a browsing area, reading and research area, and a place to review employment vacancy listings. The Center is a potential source of assistance to all alumni seeking employment or a change in careers.

Location & Hours

The office of Career Planning and Placement Services is located in Plant Hall, Third Floor, Room 301. General office hours are 8:30 am to 5:00 pm except Monday through Friday from 12:00 to 1:00 pm when classes are in session. Telephone (813) 253-6218.

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helping you communicate with each other.

Jack Rodriguez talks about Homecoming in his column and you will see separate articles and an ad hyping this great event. We will be staging on-campus reunions for what we think is the first time ever. The classes of 1948, 1963, and 1978 are working feverishly trying to find each other and in turn encourage all who can to come back. The first induction of members into the Fifty Plus Club will

happen that weekend. This organization will recognize all alumni who attended UT in classes 1938 and earlier.

Had much fun on the cruise to nowhere with over 45 of our alumni. Lost too much money but had a great time. Upon our return we were in the storm that tried to become a hurricane in early October and visit Tampa. We did not even know about it until we returned ashore. Many complained about the ship almost turning

The amount you send is a feature of what you can afford. But, please remember the percentage of participation is much more important; it sends a message that the alumni truly support their alma mater.

Hope to see you on Homecoming Weekend! over but I slept like a baby. I credited it to my four years in the U. S. Navy; my wife credited it to the share of V. O. I drank.

For a few sentences permit me to slip on my Director of Development hat. Please give serious consideration to an appeal that is being directed solely at our alumni as part of our Annual Campaign this fund year. For those of you who want to remember your alma mater before the end of this tax year please do so. If not, please try to remember us before the end of our fund year which is May 31.

Association gives awards in spring

The Esse Quam Videri Award has been established by the officers of the National Alumni Association as a recognition award to be given to a member of the University of Tampa National Alumni Association. It is to be given each spring at the annual meeting of the Association to an individual who has distinguished himself in his business or professional career as well as service to humanity, so as to reflect honor upon himself, his family, and upon the University of Tampa.

The University policy is to consider anyone who has attended the University a member of the National Alumni Association. Therefore, anyone who has attended the University is also eligible to receive the Esse Quam Videri Award. Over half our alumni live in other parts of the country and other parts of the world, so it is difficult for us to know all the wonderful things being done by alumni of the University. For this reason you will find a form in this issue which you may use to nominate someone you know who has distinguished himself.

We have purposely kept the definition of this award general because we do not wish to limit the possibility of choices. There are as many different ways to distinguish oneself as there are alumni of the University and so we encourage each one of you to give this serious thought and send in a nomination and a brief description of why you think this person deserves to receive this award.

Please send your nominations in to the Alumni Office by January 15. The final selection will be made by the officers of the National Alumni Association.

TAMPA ALPHA CHAPTER

University of Tampa Alumni Association



The alumni of an educational institution are an integral part of the institution's existence. They are its legacy, its ambassadors, and its most ardent supporters. The local chapter of UT's National Alumni is an organization known, appropriately, as the Tampa Alpha Chapter. As the largest active chapter it consists of over 400 members residing in the Bay area and is governed by a board of directors. Over the last twenty years, Tampa Alpha has consistently sponsored social occasions and fundraising events with the dual purpose of providing a source of funds for UT as well as a medium for alumni to meet. The most impressive contribution to date has been a donation of \$200,000 toward the construction of the Sports Center.

Last year was no different. Tampa Alpha had a solid year with both parties and fundraising. As a result, we were able to contribute to the University a total of \$17,500 for a variety of academic and athletic programs. We extend thanks to all our members and contributors for their fine efforts.

For the 1987-88 year we expect to be able to do just as much if not more. A full slate of activities has been scheduled. If you live in the Tampa Bay area and wish to join the chapter or just attend some of our events, please call the Alumni Affairs office at UT. They will gladly help you.

On behalf of Tampa Alpha we look forward to seeing you!

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SPORTS OVERVIEW

(see Journal for details)

Once again the sports program at the University of Tampa is proving its excellence. This year's fall season got underway with many fine performances by the soccer, volleyball, golf, and basketball teams. In addition to these team efforts, excellent performances by two coaches were given due recognition.

The soccer team of first year coach Tom Fitzgerald concluded its regular season on November 7 with a 6-0 victory over Barry University. The win put the team's record at 15 wins, two losses, and one tie. Twelve of those victories were shutouts, which set a new school record. The two losses were to NAIA power Boca Raton, and to the Spartans' crosstown National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division I rivals, the Bulls

of the University of South Florida.

Driven by the leadership of seniors Frank Arlasky, Chris Sullivan, John Clarke, and Byron Triplett, the Spartans won their second-round NCAA tournament game 2-1 over the Florida Institute of Technology. However, the Spartans fell victim to a dominant foe in the semifinals: The Matadors of California State-Northridge came out of the December 5th contest with a 3-0 victory over the beleaguered Spartans.

The Spartan volleyball squad has also earned a bid to the NCAA tournament. After posting a record of 32 wins against two losses, the squad was ranked number ten nationally, and number one in the south. Unfortunately, the Lady Spartans also suffered

defeat in their quest for the championship trophy.

Head Volleyball Coach Chris Catanach has been named Division II South Region Coach-of-the-Year by the Tachikara Collegiate Volleyball Coaches Association. Catanach is on the national ballot along with seven other regional winners.

The golf team finished fourth at the Florida State Intercollegiate tournament held at Daytona Beach. They were behind Central Florida, Florida Southern, and Florida State. An impressive score of 200 helped senior Jeff Leonard take fifth overall.

The basketball team, faced with a year of rebuilding, managed to gather an excellent group of recruits. The loss of Division II Player of the Year Todd Linder, and also that of Johnny Jones,

left the team with huge holes that needed to be filled. But it appears that coach Richard Schmidt's team has found good replacements in freshmen Fred Lewis, Kevin Starnes, Drexel Deveaux, and Bryan Williams.

Starters Nate Johnston, Terry Rupp, and Roscoe Brown have all returned, with sixth-man Andrew Bailey back also.

The Spartans started their season off with a crushing victory over Edward Waters College, and then went across town and into the Sundome to defeat the U.S.F. Bulls 79-71. With a 85-60 loss to Division I power N.C. State being their only setback so far, victories over Nova University and North Central College have put the Spartans on track to a good season.

The Lady Spartans Basketball team has a new

coach, and along with her, new optimism. Even with the loss of two floor leaders, Penny Dickos and Cathy Fox, first-time Coach Kim Buford feels that the team should do well this year. And to replace those lost standouts, seniors Lori Smith and Kim Morris are ready to provide the leadership to the young team, which has seven underclassmen.

UT baseball Coach Kenny Dominguez was also named NCAA Division II South Region Coach-of-the-Year. This puts him in the running for Division II Coach-of-the-Year.

Dominguez guided the Spartans to a 42-11-1 record, and a second place finish in the Division II World Series last year.

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ESSE QUAM VIDERI AWARD

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