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End of Semester Antics



After the Fall banquet, a few friends got together to celebrate each other! Front row: Alyssa Cannistraci and Liz Siebold. Rear: Shelby Fuller, Joe Asbury, Bethany Hafer, and Sean Hamilton. Liz looks so thrilled!!

Pixley, Bryce Rinehart, Tyler Smith, Grace Smoot, Jamie Wittick, Alyssa Bingaman, Hannah Campbell, Alexis Chin, David Dieghan, Elizabeth Dulac, Mary Gilbert, Maria Glotfelter, Jason Iyobhebhe, Erin Jones, Josh Larson, Krista Mamet, Zachary Mansfield, Seth Martin, Quinn Minnich, Lauren Ostopowicz, Elizabeth Quinn, Hadassah Stoltzfus, David Wuestner, Rachel Ashmore, Sarah Barnes, Shannon Barns, Jessica Butts, Emily Cuthbert, Derick DeCamp, Sara Howell, Ivanny Jacome Ottati, Alex Kaltenbaugh, Stefanie Mangir, Brett Morgan, Peter Sitarik, Kelsy Snavelly, Jose Urena, and Lizzy Wahba.



Additional pictures of the banquet on page 3.



Fall Banquet 2016



The 2016 Fall Recognition Banquet was held on Sunday, December 4 in the University/Kline Dining Rooms of the Bolger Conference Center. Dr. Vilas Prabhu; Provost of Millersville University, was the guest speaker. The following seniors attended the banquet and were recognized: Shannon Barns, Aaron Heath, and Erin Madison. Martina Adamo is our other December graduate but did not attend the banquet.

The following students were recognized for their academic achievement: Tyler Bennett, Adam Weiner, Abigail Breckbill, Sarah Brubaker, Erin Fagan, Gabby Gieringer, Gillian Good, Luke Haldeman, Tim Keebler, Maria LaSpina, Amanda Mooney, Emily Ott, Jacquelyn

Times, Dates and Other Items of Importance:

Dec 12 (Mon): Last day of classes

Dec 13 (Tues): Final Exams begin

Dec 17 (Sat): Final Exams end

Dec 18 (Sun): Commencement, End of fall term.



!Birthdays!

Birthday greetings to our students celebrating their arrival on this earth during December and early

January:

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| Andrew Wolins | Dec. 2 |
| Haley Poust | Dec. 3 |
| Lucy Wiker | Dec. 3 |
| Brooke Dobbs | Dec. 6 |
| Jennie McIntyre | Dec. 7 |
| Delaney Costante | Dec. 8 |
| Shane Billbrough | Dec. 9 |
| Cara Discavage | Dec. 9 |
| Amanda Dzedzic | Dec. 10 |
| Alyssa Bingaman | Dec. 11 |
| Gloria Zavala | Dec. 11 |
| Emily Cuthbert | Dec. 15 |
| Kelly Brievea | Dec. 17 |
| Rachel Hubbs | Dec. 19 |
| Molly Sterner | Dec. 19 |
| Ivanny Jacome | Dec. 21 |
| Alex Paul | Dec. 21 |
| Elizabeth Siebold | Dec. 26 |
| Tyler Smith | Dec. 27 |
| Jacob Coopersmith | Dec. 27 |
| Megan Davis | Jan. 5 |
| Samantha Raum | Jan. 5 |
| David Deighan | Jan. 7 |
| Harry Betz | Jan. 9 |
| Mikayla Xander | Jan. 15 |
| Mary Gilbert | Jan. 19 |
| Ashley Wells | Jan. 19 |
| Emily Wessel | Jan. 19 |
| Lauren Davis | Jan. 27 |
| Rita Laychock | Jan. 30 |
| Bailey Knipe | Jan. 31 |

Remember your friends on their special day!

Dr. Downey's Fall 2016 Office

Hours:

**Monday, Wednesday, & Friday
9:30-11:30 am.**

Other times available by appointment! Call: 871-7552. Dr. Downey's office hours may be subject to change at times.

Director's Corner

I write this missive as final exam approach and folks are preparing for travels and the holidays. The University Honors College would not be a success without the excellent participation of its students, who set a standard for scholarship and service. And it would not exist without the wonderful work Barb provides in holding it all together. To everyone one a blessed and joyful holiday season! Thanks for all that you do.

Dennis B. Downey
Director

NEW YORK CITY on APRIL 1ST!!!!



The bus trip to New York City will be held on Saturday, April 1, 2017. Tickets have been secured for the Broadway hit show CATS!!!! Those students who have been active participants of HCSA during the first semester and completed the community service requirements will be the first students offered the chance to sign up for this bus trip. Cost for this bus trip will \$22.00 payable to Barb in the Honors College office. \$2.00 to the bus driver and \$20.00 for your ticket to CATS. These tickets are NON-Refundable. If you sign up

for the trip and show, you will be required to pay even though you may decide to back out at the last minute. **NO REFUNDS.** So, plan accordingly when thinking about going to NYC on April 1. Show time for CATS is at 2:00 pm. The show will be in the Neil Simon Theatre in New York. Stay involved with HCSA!!

Pictures from Banquet



Our Provost Dr. Prabhu, was the guest speaker for the 2016 fall banquet.



Students listen intently to Dr. Prabhu.



Senior Spotlights!



Shannon Barns December '16

During my four and a half years here at Millersville University, I have been involved in many on and off campus experiences. Freshman year I was part of ECHO, The Early Childhood Organization. I have also been involved with HCSA and the Honors College since freshman year. Off-campus I have continued to work at The Pottery Works in downtown Lancaster, part-time, while taking classes and completing field experiences. In addition, I have met and married the love of my life in July of 2015. Finally, I have just completed my student teaching placements at both Donegal Junior High and Neff Elementary Schools.