Dear Alumnus:

Greetings from the College of the Ozarks Alumni Association. I hope this note finds you well and having a nice summer. It was a busy spring for the College. The semester ended with a record number of 321 students graduating. I would ask that you continue to support the College so it can stay true to its mission of providing an education to deserving students who are without financial means.

I would also like to encourage you to join the Alumni Association; there are a number of good reasons to join. First, this helps the College educate deserving students. In addition, as an active Alumni Association member, you will receive a 35% discount at The Keeter Center Dobyns Dining Room and a 20% discount on lodging. Alumni Association dues are only $10 a year or $200 for a lifetime membership, and it is tax-deductible.

Thank you for your continued support of the Alumni Scholarship Fund. This year, the Association awarded $36,000 to students at the spring awards convocation. Additionally, four one-semester room and board scholarships were awarded by the J. Hugh and Martha Wise Scholarship Fund. J. Hugh Wise was a 1936 graduate.

Homecoming will be on November 5 this year. When on campus this fall, you will notice a grove of newly planted trees before entering the gates and directly south of the Alumni Center. Each tree is in honor of a World War II Veteran who went with C of O students on various battle field tours through the Patriotic Travel Education Program. I think this is a nice way to honor the service of so many brave men and women. It is wonderful to be part of a place where patriotism is part of the mission and our Veterans are treasured.

Sincerely,

Roy Johnson
Association President
Dear Alumnus,

Several historic events have occurred at the College during the past few months. Two highlights were the 104th Commencement, which had a record number of students graduating from Hard Work U., and the Spring Character Forum, which featured special guest 43rd United States President George W. Bush. President Bush, along with other exemplary leaders, spoke to students on “Leadership and Character.”


Each speaker had something exceptional to say about leadership. Although they came from different sectors, an overriding theme clearly emerged: hard work, integrity, and faith are required to be a successful leader. President Bush served as the keynote speaker of the Forum and provided insight on some of his most difficult decisions as our nation's leader. He was impressed with the emphasis on work ethic and patriotism at College of the Ozarks.

During the Forum events, the College dedicated Veterans Grove, comprised of 51 Sugar Maple trees planted in honor of the World War II Veterans who have accompanied students on trips as part of the College's Patriotic Education Travel Program. A total of 31 Veterans and two spouses of deceased Veterans took part in the formal dedication. The occasion served as a time for countless hugs and tears as the Veterans reunited with the student escorts from the trips.

At a private reception following the dedication, President Bush personally thanked each of the Veterans for their sacrifice. He also helped unveil a bronze plaque that will become a permanent part of Veterans Grove.

The events of the 104th Commencement and the Spring 2011 Leadership and Character Forum serve as high points in the College's history, steeped in traditional, American values. These values are not only reinforced, but celebrated, at Hard Work U. Among them is the importance of working, not borrowing, to acquire things such as a college education.

Sincerely,

Jerry C. Davis, President
The Doc Good Fellows Society is a nationwide network of alumni and friends which fosters the development and support of College of the Ozarks and its students.

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- and encourage the mission of C of O in your community.
- Participate in Doc Good Day at the College
- Host a Connection event in your area
- Encourage others to support C of O

**Pray**

- for the College, its students, faculty, and staff.
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  - C of O faculty, staff, and administration
  - Give thanks for the faithful and generous stewards who pray and have made provision for the College

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# College of the Ozarks Alumni Association
## Alumni Funds
### as of March 31, 2011

**Alumni Center Endowed Maintenance Fund**
- Balance 1/1/11: $47,772.83
- Interest and contributions 1/1/11 to 3/31/11: 1,975.00
- Total Fund 3/31/11: $49,747.83

**The Alumni Endowment Maintenance Fund**
- Balance 1/1/10: $1,035,428.83
- Interest and contributions 1/1/11 to 3/31/11: 12,942.86
- Total Fund 3/31/11: $1,048,371.69

**Alumni Scholarship Fund**
- Balance 1/1/11: $746,443.31
- Interest and contributions 1/1/11 to 3/31/11: 22,040.00
- 2011-2012 Scholarships Awarded: -36,000.00
- Total Fund 3/31/11: $732,483.31

**J. Hugh & Martha Wise Alumni Scholarship Fund**
- Balance 1/1/11: $242,223.77
- Interest and contributions 1/1/11 to 3/31/11: 2,185.00
- 2011-2012 Scholarships Awarded: -11,200.00
- Total Fund 3/31/11: $233,208.77

**Winfrey Alumni Scholarship Fund**
- Total Fund Balance 3/31/11: $38,171.15

**Curtis Memorial Alumni Scholarship Fund**
- Total Fund Balance 3/31/11: $6,536.53

**Don Schofield Alumni Scholarship Fund**
- Total Fund Balance 3/31/11: $105,160.99

**Ridinger Brothers Alumni Scholarship Fund**
- Total Fund Balance 3/31/11: $120,650.42

**Virginia Gillespie Lucas Scholarship Fund**
- Total Fund Balance 3/31/11: $1,339,116.96

**Leo and Violet (Frye) Adams Memorial Scholarship**
- Total Fund Balance 3/31/11: $13,500.00
Special Event

PRESIDENT GEORGE W. BUSH SPEAKS AT HARD WORK U

As time approached for President George W. Bush to speak, attendees in the packed Keeter Gymnasium at College of the Ozarks eagerly awaited his address.

The April 7 event represented months of anticipation for the special guest, and the 43rd President of the United States did not disappoint. Based on the continual roar of applause, his words resonated with the crowd.

President Bush reflected on both sobering and cheerful moments from his time in the Oval Office. He indicated that his most difficult decision as President was to send people into combat. Later, in a lighthearted comment, President Bush spoke of his first day out of office, when the former First Lady, Mrs. Laura Bush, informed him of his new domestic policy—washing dishes and mowing the lawn.

President Bush focused his talk on decision-making in leadership and the core principles behind most of his decisions, which are expounded in his memoir, Decision Points.

He said that a leader must develop good principles and then articulate, believe, and defend them.

“I believe in God Almighty,” he said. “And I believe a gift from that Almighty to every man, woman, and child is freedom.” President Bush also said that he believed in helping people realize that the hope for freedom ultimately lays the foundation for peace.

President Bush’s words were meaningful to College of the Ozarks student Veronica Barrientos. “When President Bush explained his belief that all life is precious, I realized his heart and how he truly cares,” Barrientos said.

During the evening, College of the Ozarks presented President Bush a “Great American Award,” an honor it reserves for exceptional individuals whose lives, careers, and service reflect the highest ideals of American values—those shared by the College.

His address culminated a two-day forum, wherein College of the Ozarks students and students from visiting institutions, including Texas A & M and the Marine Military Academy, examined the topic of “Leadership and Character.”

Students had the opportunity to hear plenary speakers former Vice Chairman of General Motors Robert Lutz, former Assistant Commandant of the U. S. Marine Corps General Terrence Dake, Hobby Lobby founder and CEO David Green, and former Attorney General John Ashcroft discuss issues in relation to free enterprise or public service.

The Forum is part of the Community Convocation and Forum series sponsored by the College's Keeter Center for Character Education. This series hosts internationally-renowned speakers, recognized for their character and leadership, who provide a keynote address reinforcing institutional values. Past speakers include First Lady Barbara Bush, British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, and Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu.
C OF O PROFESSOR/ABC NEWS CORRESPONDENT ERIN HAYES NAMED PETER JENNINGS PROJECT FELLOW

College of the Ozarks adjunct professor/ABC News Correspondent, Erin Hayes ’79, was named a 2011 Fellow with the Peter Jennings Project for Journalists and the Constitution, a program designed to help journalists and students deepen their constitutional understanding.

Fellows attend an intensive conference, as well as additional programs held throughout the year. Fellows are asked to apply what they have learned in their published, aired, or posted on-line work during the calendar year to follow.

Only 36 journalists were selected as 2011 Peter Jennings Project Fellows. Other notable 2011 Fellows include Kassie Bracken (The New York Times), Carrie Johnson (NPR) and Brian Wingfield (Forbes).

Hayes, an award-winning ABC News Correspondent with World News Tonight with Diane Sawyer, currently teaches Broadcast News Writing and Feature Writing at College of the Ozarks.

Her work has been seen on ABC World News Tonight with Peter Jennings, Good Morning America and Nightline, as well as heard on ABCNEWS Radio.

She is a four-time recipient of the prestigious Edward R. Murrow award and a winner of both the national Sigma Delta Chi Award for Investigative Reporting and the National Investigative Reporters and Editors Award. Hayes has also received three DuPont Columbia awards — and was most recently recognized for her work during ABCNEWS’ 9/11 coverage.

She received her bachelor’s in English and Speech/Drama in 1979 from The School of the Ozarks.

ALUMNI REPRESENTATIVES MEET WITH CURRENT STUDENTS

The College Republicans traveled to Jefferson City to the State Capitol to visit the Missouri House of Representatives and the Missouri State Senate in May.

Pictured front row from left: College Republican President Brett Williams, Taylor Short, Kyle Brack, Josh Smith, Vice President Micah Zivkovich, and Representative Ray Weter (MO Dist. 142).

Back row from left: C of O alumnus Representative Don Phillips ’73 (MO Dist. 62), C of O alumnus Representative Casey Guernsey ’03 (MO Dist. 3), C of O alumnus Representative Stephen Cookson ’81 (MO Dist. 153), College sponsor Kurt McDonald, and Representative Lyle Rowland (MO Dist 143).
**In Memory of:**
Paul L. Bell from Vivian (Bell) Clemons; Evelyn (Bell) Wand
Dr. and Mrs. M. Graham Clark from William and Margaret (Clark) Miller
Colleen (Elmer) Croft from David and Nina Baker; Kenneth Croft
Amy (Summers) Cox from Mildred Slack
Alpha DePew from Mr. and Mrs. Ronald W. Blessin; Dr. William H. Jackson; Gene and Pat Kenyon; Craig and Marci Linson; Cleveland and Angela Williamson; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Youngblood; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Youngblood; Youngblood Construction
W.J. Eckhardt from Marlee Eckhardt
Virginia Gibbs from Chris & Linda (Gibbs) Rebstock
Doris Hester from Peggy McGrew
Edward Huffman from Shirley Huffman
Corinne Ingrum from Mr. and Mrs. E. Joe Southerland; Gene and Pat Kenyon
Genevieve Lewis from E. Joe Smith
Roy E. Nokes from Gladys A. Nokes
Theron D. Nordin from Mildred (Murray) Nordin
Allene Overall from Gene and Pat Kenyon
Fredleen Kellett Truster from Gene and Pat Kenyon
Chris Waller from Mr. David S. Akers; Rodney and Mary Arnold; Arvest Bank; Barrington Hotel and Suites; Ms. Lois A. Barton; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bottorf; Branson Hollister Rotary; Ms. Gail A. Brookhart; Mr. and Mrs. Bill M. Budnick; Sam and Terri Burton; Mr. and Mrs. Dale A. Carley; Mr. Daniel V. Cashel; Mr. and Mrs. Rick Casper; Brad and Courtney Crighton; Jim and Marilyn Crighton; Todd and Michelle Crighton; Division of Math & Natural Sciences; Mr. Steven Eslinger; Mr. Rob Fletcher; Mr. C.D. French; Ms. Norma Gorman; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack Graves; Mrs. Karen K. Hall; Mr. and Mrs. R. Warren Hannon; Hawthorn Bank; Ms. Diana Hodges and family; Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Holmes; Ms. Jeanette Hoynacki; Tim and Teresa Huddleston; Rick and Elizabeth Hughes; Mr. and Mrs. John Hoslyn; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Keller; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kenyon; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen F. Kyle; La Quinta Inn; Dr. and Mrs. Chris Larsen; Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lewis; Dr. and Mrs. Rex R. Mahlman; Mrs. Seychelle Mahoney; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Martin; Trey Matheu – Big Cedar Lodge; Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Miller; Mr. and Mrs. Cy E. Murray; Dr. Patrick Noud; Office Concepts of Missouri; Ozarks Coca-Cola Dr. Pepper; The Pellham Group; Presley’s Country Jubilee; Quality Inn; Mr. and Mrs. Kevin J. Riley; Mrs. Ruth Raley; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Russell; Mrs. Veneda Slicer; Dr. and Mrs. Bob L. Smith; Mr. and Mrs. David L. Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Kevin P. Smith; Ms. Beth M. Strafford; Mr. and Mrs. George L. Wilson; Cleveland and Angela Williamson; Woodruff Sawyer and Company; Mr. and Mrs. Leonald R. Wolfe; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Youngblood.

**In Honor of:**
Class of 1940 from Mildred (Murray) Nordin
Rick Held from Anonymous
Gary Hughey from Jeannie Baker
Helen (DePew) Youngblood from Barbara (Neill) Hunt

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2011 Alumni Scholarship Recipients

Kathleen Benz Jr.; Nursing
Kendra Brady Jr.; Philosophy & Religion
Benjamin Brubaker Jr.; Mass Communication
Ciera Carson Sr.; Elementary Education

Jenna Dunnam Sr.; Music
Amy Rose Eaton Jr.; Sociology
Charlotte Ann Guittar Sr.; Nursing
Lindsey Grace Hardin Sr.; English

Layne Victoria Hosick Sr.; Spanish Education: K-12
Heather Isringhausen Sr.; Communication Arts
Emily Anne Jackson Sr.; Studio Art
Erve’ Joseph Sr.; Business Administration

Zachary William Knerr Jr.; Criminal Justice
Jachin Williams Mann Sr.; Music Ministry
EmmaLea Ruth Martin Jr.; Business Administration
Ryan Meeks Sr.; Agriculture Education
2011 Alumni Scholarship Recipients

Anna Sangrey  
Sr.; Agriculture Animal Science

Brailey Dawn Schockley  
Jr.; Biology

Rachel Ann Stephens  
Jr.; Early Childhood Elementary Education

2011 J. Hugh and Martha Wise Scholarship Recipients

Natalie Cheah  
Jr.; Sociology

Kelsey Oliver  
Sr.; English

Michael Schoonover  
Sr.; Business Administration

Kayleigh Sutherlan  
Sr.; Psychology

Thank you, Alumni!

Thanks to your continued support of the Alumni Scholarship Fund, $36,000 was awarded this Spring at the Annual Awards Convocation. Because of your generosity, one two-semester room and board, eight one-semester room and board, and ten $800 cash scholarships were awarded. In addition, the J. Hugh and Martha Wise Scholarship Fund awarded four one-semester room and board scholarships, valued at $2,800 each. J. Hugh Wise was a 1936 S of O graduate.

Thank you for making a difference in the lives of these students!
Class Notes

'50s

Dewbart Caudle ’56 HS ’60 JC had the pleasure of visiting C of O in May for a meeting of the Ozarks Writers League. He was promoting his new novel, A Perfect Little Murder. It’s available on Amazon now and will be available on Kindle e-books soon. Dewbart writes under the pen name of Shell Caudle. It is always great for Dewbart coming “home” to the school. Dewbart can be reached at 922 North Lone Pine Avenue; Springfield, MO 65802; dewbart@sbcglobal.net.

'60s

Sammye (Stanphill) Hooker ’60 HS address update: P.O. Box 832; Berthoud, CO 80513; shooker25@hotmail.com.

Gayle (Garrison) Keith ’63 and her husband, Herb, retired from College of the Ozarks on May 31, 2010. They bought a house and moved to Republic, MO. The Keiths can be reached at 143 Lenape Road; Republic, MO 65738; gkeith1@hotmail.com or hkeith1@live.com.

'70s

James ’71 and Martha (Meredith) Sanders ’72 address update: 860 Cherry Blossom Lane; Tracy, CA 95377; jsanderss@att.net.

Diane (Lord) Henderson ’73 address update: 507 CR 635; Berryville, AR 72616; zoomer500@yahoo.com.

Margaret Sauls ’74 started teaching in Florida after she retired from the Army in 1994. Margaret raised two wonderful girls. Jamie will graduate from the University of Central Florida this year and will enter Richmond Law School in August. Kelly will graduate high school this year and plans on attending college. Margaret would love to hear from old friends, and can be reached at 4190 Silver Fox Drive; Spring Hill, FL 34609; smaggie08@aol.com.

John Wollard ’74 address update: 3246 West Roxbury; Springfield, MO 65807; jwollard@att.net.

David Weaver, Jr. ’76 address update: 1506 Pine Bluff Street; Malvern, AR 72104; weaver5550@sbcglobal.net.

Joyce (Bell) Bealer ’77 address update: P.O. Box 1756; Branson, MO 65615; joyce.bealer@gmail.com.

Mary (Dean) Gray ’78 retired from the Department of Veterans Affairs in Chicago, and returned home to Doniphan, Missouri, to care for her elderly parents. Mary has one daughter, Mary Ashton, who is enrolled in the nursing program in Peoria, Illinois. Mary can be reached at RR 3, Box 9655; Doniphan, MO 63935; deangray84@windstream.net.

Danuiel Pate ’79 address update: 3025 Shadywood Place; Norman, OK 73026; 04captdan@sbcglobal.net.

Dr. Charles Rarick ’77 received a Fulbright Scholar Award to participate in the Fulbright Specialists Program this spring in the Philippines at De La Salle University. This is the third Fulbright Award that Rarick has received. The Fulbright Specialists Program promotes linkages between United States academics and professionals and their counterparts at overseas universities or institutions. Project activities focus on strengthening developmental needs of higher education. Rarick is in his third year at Purdue Calumet where he is a professor of International Business. In addition to graduating from The School of the Ozarks, Rarick received degrees from the University of the State of New York, Drury University, and Saint Louis University.

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Dave Wollard ’74 address update: 817 Royal Birkdale Drive; Garland, TX 75044; puangnak@windstream.net.

Kevin Reese ’82 Kevin’s play, Beneath the Upper Room, has been performed in over 80 churches all
over the country since he wrote it five years ago. The play tells the story of Jesus’ Last Supper—but from the viewpoint of the women serving the meal. You are welcome to visit the website, www.beneaththeupperroom.com. Kevin can be reached at 2015 Windsor Creek Ct; Valley Center, KS 67147; Kevin@kmrscripts.com.

Dennis Ives ’86 address update: 1483 Webber Road; Mountain Home, AR 72653; dives@centurytel.net.

‘90s

Gary D. Paddock ’90 address update: 107 Timbercreek Street; Shell Knob, MO 65747; garypaddock@gmail.com.

Norman ’94 and Mary (Stief) Combs ’85 address update: 435 Grand Avenue; Branson, MO 65616; combs5361@suddenlink.net.

Heidi Frison ’94 address update: 1165 Columbine #10; Denver, CO 80206; frison.heidi@gmail.com.

Heath D. Waters ’95 received a Specialist Degree in Education Administration and a Masters Degree in Athletic Administration from William Woods University. Heath is the High School Principal and Athletic Director at Russellville High School. Heath can be reached at 13600 Route C; Russellville, MO 65074; waters.heath@gmail.com.

Warren Latham ’96 accepted a new position as the Outdoor Recreation Director at Goodfellow AFB, Texas. Warren has served as a DoD civilian for over 12 years working in Asia, Europe, and the USA. Warren can be reached at 3018 Knickerbocker Road Apt #1101; San Angelo, TX 76904; warrenlatham@hotmail.com.

Tim Tiller ’96 accepted the position of Chief Operating Officer at Jewish Voice Ministries International located in Phoenix, Arizona. JVMI is dedicated to proclaiming the Gospel of Yeshua (Jesus) to the Jew first and also to the nations throughout the world. This is accomplished through their weekly television program, media, international festivals, outreaches and medical clinics offering humanitarian aid. This is followed by planting new and strengthening existing congregations to nurture and discipline new believers. In addition, Tim recently passed Arizona’s Board of Behavioral Health Examiners Masters of Social Work exam resulting in his approval as a licensed Masters level Social Worker. Tim can be reached at 27515 N. 64th Lane; Phoenix, AZ 85083; Tillertim@gmail.com.

Glenda (Conant) Scherer ’97 address update: 1525 Columbia Avenue; Gladstone, OR 97027; gulluke@yahoo.com.

Dr. April Jean (Smith) Hawkins ’98 graduated in December 2010 with her doctorate in Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis from the University of Missouri-Columbia. She and her husband, Jeffery, can be reached at 524 Springwood Lane; Branson, MO 65616; aprilhawkins1905@gmail.com

Josh ’96 and Brinlee (Distad) Pflederer ’98 Josh is now working for Asas de Socorro (the Brazilian chapter of Missionary Aviation Fellowship) in Manaus, Brazil. Josh and Brinlee and their three girls are adjusting to their new life serving with another mission.
in another part of the Amazon for four years. Josh is returning to work in aviation, putting to use his Aviation Science degree after being in full-time ministry for 14 years. The Pflederers would love to hear from classmates through Facebook or email: jpfled74@yahoo.com or brinleezj@gmail.com.

Jennifer Scott '98 was included in a group art show in New York. Her art has been shown in Ohio, Philadelphia, and New York, and has been included in two art publications. Jennifer can be reached at jscott_art@yahoo.com.

Jesse Christoffersen ’96, Jason Spencer ’99, and Josh Williams ’00, owners and operators of Digital LunchBox, were recently awarded six 2010 ADDY Awards. The Annual ADDY Awards, the largest advertising competition in the world, is sponsored by the American Advertising Federation to honor excellence in advertising and cultivate the highest creative standards in the industry.

Digital LunchBox has served Southwest Missouri since 2008, providing creative services, HD video production, and 3D animation services. Their goal is to help their clients tell their stories. Digital LunchBox’s award-winning ads can be viewed online at www.DigitalLunchBox.com.

'00s
Frederick B. Jones ’01 is now Minister of Education and Music at the First Baptist Church of Belton. He can be reached at 135 Crest Drive; Raymore, MO 64083.

Sundee Lee (Southards) Hume ’04 address update: 338 Surrratt; Garrison, MO 65657; sundeelee@ymail.com.

Jacob ’05 and Cheryl (Strickland) Becker ’07 address update: 10812 North Kentucky Ct.; Kansas City, MO 64157; c.k.strickland@hotmail.com.

Opal (Sanders) Stephens ’06 address update: 6301 Antioch; Merriam, KS 66202; opalcstephens@yahoo.com.

Justin D. Gilmore ’07 address update: HCR 72 Box 232-3; Wasola, MO 65773; gilmore8486@evangel.edu.

Zena Jayne Aker ’09 currently works at the Taney County Sheriff's Office as a Corrections officer while going to the Missouri Sheriff's Academy. Zena will graduate in November of this year. Zena can be reached at 1036 S. Belcrest; Springfield, MO 65804; ZenaA@co.taney.mo.us.

Haley M. Coolidge ’09 address update: P.O. Box 74; Alakanuk, AK 99554; haley.coolidge@gmail.com.

Erin Lee Klippel ’09 address update: 2540 State Hwy K #55; Kirbiyville, MO 65679; elklioppel@yahoo.com.

'10s
Jessica Mahan ’10 currently teaches Art K-8 at Joel E. Barber School in Lebanon, Missouri. She can be reached at 1847 S. Collinson Street; Springfield, MO 65804; mahanjessica@yahoo.com.

Marriages
David Crawford ’07 married Stephanie Rowe on December 18, 2010, at Carlisle Avenue Baptist Church in Louisville, Kentucky. They are both pursuing master's degrees at The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. They can be reached at 2825 Lexington Road, Box 532; Louisville, KY 40280; cozarkian2006@hotmail.com.

Luke ’07 and Robin (Morgan) Gier ’10 were married on June 5, 2010. They can be reached at 41125 High Point Road; Russellville, MO 65074; rgiere@cole.k12.mo.us.

Amy (McFarland) Harmon ’07 married Jacob Harmon on July 25, 2009, and just settled into their new house! Jacob is finishing his master's from K-State and Amy is happily working at her old school as an elementary paraprofessional. The Harmons can be reached at 425 Greenwood; Thayer, KS 66776; irelandgirl83@yahoo.com.

Amanda (Manuel) Modayil ’09 and Ashwin Modayil were married on October 24, 2010, and are in Branson for the time being, as he is the network administrator for the Taney County Health Department. She is a full-time graduate student at Missouri State University for the degree of Master in Business Administration Finance. They are preparing for Amanda's first trip to Ashwin's hometown of Bangalore, India. They will be there three weeks traveling to Mysore, Ooty and elsewhere working on establishing a dialysis clinic for children and the elderly through the Bapuji Children's Home. The Modayils can be reached at 535 Valley View, Apt. D301; Branson, MO 65616; ajmissouri@gmail.com.

Erin (Clemens) Pavlish ’09 and Ryan Pavlish were married in Milford, NE, on October 23, 2010. They moved to Waco, NE, in December. Erin can be reached at 517 Road U; Waco, NE 68460; erinc407@gmail.com.

Births
Keith Dockins ’81 welcomed his second grandson, Riley Richland Stalets on January 3, 2011. Riley is the son of Karah Ann and Aaron Stalets.

Gerald ’00 and Jennifer (Presswood) Torres ’02 are excited
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Search for Missing Diplomas

The Dean of the College Office is archiving past copies of diplomas and is missing the following years: 1945, 1946, 1947, 1958, 1965, 1966, and 1968. If you graduated in one of these years, please consider sending a copy of your diploma to the following address:

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Attn: Dean of the College Office
P.O. Box 17
Point Lookout, MO 65726

Thank you!

to announce the birth of their fifth child, Tytus Eaden. Tytus was born on December 30, 2010, weighing 9lbs. 12 oz. He is welcomed by older brothers Gideon Thomas (4), Malaki Joseph (4), and Kaleb Maverick (2). His big sister, Angel Noael, applauded from heaven. The Torres family can be reached at 152 SE 1171; Knob Noster, MO 65336; gjgmandk@iland.net.

Michael '01 and Andrea (Hall) Cunningham '00 are excited to announce the birth of their second child, Michael Joshua, born on November 30, 2010. He joins sibling Abby, who is six years old. The Cunningham family can be reached at 13125 Sycamore Ave; Grandview, MO 64030; andreadarlene@yahoo.com.

Cleveland '02 and Angela (Ussery) Williamson '00 are happy to announce the birth of their son, Rhett James, born on January 14, 2011, weighing in at 5 lbs. 4 oz. The Williamson family would love to hear from classmates and can be reached at P.O. Box 476, Point Lookout, MO 65726; usserywilliamson@yahoo.com.

Jeremy and Susan (Telle) Hetzel '03 are excited to announce the birth of their first son, Riley Jeremiah, born on January 21, 2011. Riley joins his proud big sisters, Skyler (4) and Savannah (2). The Hetzel family wants to let their friends know that they just moved to Colorado Springs, Colorado, and would love to hear from them at 3641 Cragwood Drive; Colorado Springs, CO 80907; JHetzelDCE@gmail.com.

Justin Kiehl '03 and his wife, Brittany, are proud parents of a beautiful baby girl, Jordyn. Justin was born on July 23, 2010. Justin is the Executive Director of the Black Canyon Boys and Girls Club in Montrose, Colorado. The Kiehls can be reached at 1124 Highland Street; Montrose, CO 81401; jkiehl@bcbgc.org.

Clay '05 and Ronda (Barner) Bilyeu '04 welcomed their second son, Beckett Elijah, in September 2010. Beckett joins his older brother, Brixon Taylor (born in 2006). The Bilyeu family can be reached at 5 Twilight Road; Conway, MO 65632; rondb32@gmail.com.

Seth '06 and Adrienne (Vehmann) Pike '08 announce the birth of their daughter, Ella Grace. She was born on September 1, 2010. The Pikes can be reached at 406 W. Black Oak Rd.; Nixa, MO 65714; apike118@yahoo.com.

Deaths

Paul L. Bell '45 1/6/11
Ruth (Hargis) Bunch '32 3/10/11
Bill Ferguson '55 4/30/11
Jerry (Isenhower) Garavaglia '36 6/21/11
Billy McCaleb '63 JC 1/7/11
Jimmie Rose '63 JC 6/27/11
Kevin Schuster '01 4/20/11

Websites

Go to www.cofo.edu/alumni. Online, you can:

- Update addresses
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Search for Missing Diplomas

The Dean of the College Office is archiving past copies of diplomas and is missing the following years: 1945, 1946, 1947, 1958, 1965, 1966, and 1968. If you graduated in one of these years, please consider sending a copy of your diploma to the following address:

College of the Ozarks
Attn: Dean of the College Office
P.O. Box 17
Point Lookout, MO 65726

Thank you!
Music Alumni to aid Joplin High School Band

Band and orchestra instruments are being collected to help replace those lost in the devastating tornado in Joplin, Missouri, on May 22. Band and orchestra methods books and sheet music for piano, voice, and guitar are also needed. Donations may be delivered to the Christian Ministries building on campus by Friday, July 22. Making music and regaining a sense of connection with classmates will help heal these deep wounds as we continue to pray and support the efforts to rebuild the Joplin community. There will also be an opportunity to show support at the Jammin' for Joplin benefit concert on Sunday, September 18, at 3:00 p.m. in the Royal Oak Auditorium at The Keeter Center. The concert will include Music Department ensembles, Music Alumni, and friends of the College. Please contact Lynda Jesse at jesse@cofo.edu for more information.
Gift Bricks Continue to Be Available

Alumni gift bricks continue to be available for a gift of $500, with the proceeds going to the endowment for the upkeep of the Alumni Center. Bricks can be inscribed individually, as a class project, in honor of, or as a memorial. Gift bricks will be ordered at the end of each academic year and installed during the following summer. The gift bricks beautifully flank the north and south sides of the gazebo at the entrance to the Alumni Center.

Gift Brick Order Form

Purchaser's name ____________________________________________

Address ______________________________________________________________________

City _______________________________________________________________________

State________ Zip__________ Phone______________________________________________

If you are participating in an organized class project, designate year:________

Please print or type name as it is to appear on brick. You are limited to three lines with 14 characters per line.

Return or mail to:
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Commencement 2011

College of the Ozarks President Jerry C. Davis and Board of Trustees Vice Chairman Doyle Childers present Dr. Howell W. Keeter an Honorary Doctor of Laws degree.

College of the Ozarks President Jerry C. Davis and Board of Trustees Vice Chairman Doyle Childers present Dr. Marilyn Graves an Honorary Doctor of Laws degree.

U.S. Representative for the 8th Congressional District in Missouri, Jo Ann Emerson, addresses the Class of 2011. The College presented Emerson an Honorary Doctor of Public Service degree.

(L-R) Graduates Matthew Tegg, Nancy Fry, and Brent Turpin at the reception following Commencement.

Two ROTC cadets, Brent Turpin (Left), and Austin Truelove (Right) were commissioned as Second Lieutenants in the United States Army.
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PARENTS: If your C of O Alumnus no longer lives at this address, please send us the correct address so that we may update our records. Thank you.

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*Senior Night  ^Parents Night  Home games are in BOLd.