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The Kaldron: 2007

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we are really loving it.

"Don't send our soldiers off to die for an unjust cause."
The 2006-2007 school year kicked off with the orientation of a new class of students. This year’s incoming class, the Class of 2010, was comprised of 570 full-time students representing 37 states and 31 countries. During Orientation, new students were provided the opportunity to explore their surroundings and connect with peers through various activities, including a scavenger hunt, all-college picnic and Survival Bingo. After all was said and done, new friends were made and new Gators were born. A new chapter in their lives had begun.

"Enter the Center" brought a plethora of fun... and there were TONS of people there! There was plenty to do in the game room... and there's nothing like a game of Survival Bingo to kick off the year!
Nine hundred volunteers came early to Diamond Park on Saturday, October 7, 2006 to help out with Crawford County's annual Make a Difference Day. Approximately 600 Allegheny students joined community members to do local service projects around the county. The day resulted in over 600 skilled and semi-skilled projects from gardening to house cleaning, and included the construction of seven wheelchair ramps, a shed, and the repair of roofs and porches.

Volunteers met at Diamond Park at 7:30 a.m. for a short program. Project assignments and supplies were distributed. Participants then departed to their work sites with the majority concluding their day with lunch at the Campus Center.
2006 Homecoming Weekend Schedule

**Friday, October 27**
8:00 PM
All-Campus Pep Rally

**Saturday, October 28**
11:00 AM
Vukovich Center for Communications Arts Groundbreaking Ceremony
12:00 PM
Student Research Symposium
2:00 PM
Barbara Johnson, '48 Seminar on the Allegheny Experience
3:00 PM
Ben Burtt, '70 Seminar on the Allegheny Experience
6:00 PM
Football vs Ohio Wesleyan Halftime
2006 Cornerstone Awards

**Sunday, October 29**
2:00 PM
Ray Cornils Organ Concert

This year's Homecoming weekend celebrated the arrival of many great new events at Allegheny. The celebration kicked off on Friday, with Allegheny's first ever Pep Rally. With pie and pickle eating contests, music and dance performances, and free t-shirts, fun was had by all. On Saturday, the Vukovich Center for Communications Arts groundbreaking occurred and the day culminated with a valiant, 36-13 football victory over Ohio Wesleyan, in the first ever night game at Frank B. Furver Field, making for a perfect ending to a wonderful weekend.

**Monday, October 30**
3:00 PM
Ben Burtt, '70 Seminar on the Allegheny Experience
6:00 PM
Football vs Ohio Wesleyan Halftime
2006 Cornerstone Awards

2006 Homecoming

Everyone had fun watching students go at it in the pickle eating contests!

The Dance Team kept the crowd entertained with their performance...

...and even the Pep Band got in on the action!

**Top left:** The 2006 Homecoming Pep Rally featured the revival of the Homecoming Court. The winners are as follows:

- **King & Queen (far right):**
  - Marcus Solomon, '07
  - Beth Riddle, '07

- **Princes & Princesses (mid left):**
  - Ian Cote, '08
  - Gina Veliz, '08

- **Dukes & Duchesses (far left):**
  - Leland Meyers, '09
  - Danielle Callaway, '09

- **Lords & Ladies (mid right):**
  - Danny Huang, '09
  - Nicole Fazerman, '10

**Mid left:** At halftime, the 2006 Cornerstones were recognized for their great contributions made to the Allegheny College community. The 2006 Cornerstones are listed as follows (from left to right):

- Diana Warth
- Michael McCray
- Nathan Shively
- Drew Thompson
- Cody Switzer
- Michael McClendon
- Travis Hall
- Kurt Hoffmann
- Colleen Zink
- Meghan Cole
Late Night Programming

Late Night Events
A sampling of events held this year:

- Swing Night
- Table Tennis Tournament
- Gator Improv
- GLOW Bocce
- Speed Dating
- Chess Tournament
- "Grey's Anatomy" Marathon
- Knitting at Night
- Paint Your Own Pottery
- Halo 2 Tournament
- Casino Night
- Pool Tournament
- Jewelry Making
- Think Fast Game Show
- WARC Movie Series
- Halloween Haunted House
- Night Hike
- Laser Tag
- Table Tennis Tournament
- ARGG Game Tournament
- Legion of Gamers Night
- Texas Hold'em
- Air Hockey Tournament
- Snow Tubing
- The Dating Game
- Nothing But Nets
- Spelling Bee
- Football Tournament
- Super Smash Bros. Melee
- Euchre Tournament
- DDR Competition

Late Night programming coordinated by the office of Student Activities is an effort to provide alcohol free events in which students can participate. These events occur "Late Night" beginning at 10 p.m. and are offered by a variety of organizations on campus. Student organizations are encouraged to sponsor events and in addition, receive funding from Student Activities.
WINGFEST

This year's Wingfest, sponsored by GAP, featured free music, free t-shirts, and of course... free wings. The day kicked off, as usual, with the start of the free wing madness and moved on with "Clarias," a Boston band, kicking it into drive and entertaining the crowd with their music. The Chicken made its way around the crowd, stopping random college students and getting them to do various stunts (from eating wings without your hands to performing the infamous "Chicken Dance"). This was followed by more music and plenty more fun. Certainly, it is safe to say that this year's Wingfest was a blast.

Students love any chance they get to eat free food.

"Clarias" entertaining the crowd.

"Clarias" making a very important decision.

This is indisputable evidence that college students will do anything for a free t-shirt!

"You Rock My World"

Orchesis is a dance entertainment organization made up of students with various levels of dancing experience. Every fall, Orchesis puts on a show for the college community and the surrounding area. This year, Sandie Garcia, '07 served as Director for this year's performance and was assisted by sixteen choreographers. Ultimately, the collaborative efforts of these individuals and their ensemble of over eighty dancers produced a show that everyone in attendance enjoyed, showing what can result when Allegheny students have the will to succeed.

"Diamonds are a Girl's Best Friend" and "El Tango de Roxanne"

"You Rock My World"
Allegheny Christian Outreach (ACO) grows from the evangelical Reformed tradition and provides weekly fellowship, study and worship opportunities, along with retreats and service.

Allegheny Hillel provides opportunities for Jewish students to celebrate the festivals of the calendar as well as explore aspects of Jewish culture.

Allegheny Newman provides opportunities for Catholic students to gather for study and fellowship and offers retreats and other special opportunities.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) provides weekly fellowship for athletes and non-athletes and sponsors Saturday evening alternative events.

Islamic Awareness Society provides support for Muslim students and those interested in Islam and educational opportunities for the campus community.

Sojourners Christian Fellowship provides weekly table fellowship, study, and service opportunities along with retreats and day excursions.

AWARD WINNERS

Bride Award:
Samantha Walsh '07

Community Building Award:
Afua Osei '08

Emerging Leader Award:
Aarish Riaz '10
Brett Fuchs '10

Ethical Leader Award:
Christopher DiVietro '07

Helping Hand Award:
Rachel Pileggi '08

Innovation Award:
Megan Zeune '07

Inspiration Award:
Jackie Dunkelman '08

Justice Award:
Lizzy Klinnert '10

Outstanding Community Service:
Molly McGravey '08

Outstanding Organization Award:
Allegheny Outing Club

Scholar/Leader Award:
James Savage '07

Molly McGravey '07, President Cook, and Dave Roncolato - Outstanding Community Service Award presenter

Samantha Walsh '07 and Brett Fuchs '10
Relay for Life: Saturday, April 28th, brought hundreds of people to Brooks Walk to raise money for the American Cancer Society. During the 12-hour event, activities included: a DJ, bands, car smashing, corn-hole and pong tournaments, pie eating contest and tie-dying. Morgan Tucker '08 and Emily Spencer '07 co-chaired the event.

Habitat for Humanity: The annual Hut-a-Thon, Habitat's biggest fundraiser of the year, occurred during the weekend of November 17, 2006. In the early summer of 2007, members spent a week in Meadville working at various Habitat for Humanity job sites.

Alternative Spring Break: This year over 50 students spent their spring break in various parts of the country doing service projects for communities in need. Groups traveled to New York to work at Faithkeeper's School, Chicago to assist AIDS patients, and Tennessee to help build a portion of the Cumberland Trail and Kentucky to work at Crank's Creek Survival Center. Not only did everyone participate in service but they had the chance to make new friends and have a wonderful, once in a lifetime experience.

Allegheny Students participated in over 20,000 service project hours this year including Make a Difference Day and Martin Luther King Jr. "Stuff the Bus" project. Students also help the local community by volunteering at Gill Village, ARC, Wesbury, Meadville Soup Kitchen, Cordia Commons and Bethesda.

Relay for Life during the day...  Relay for Life at night...  Habitat for Humanity volunteers on site during Habitat week...  ASB Trip - Kentucky  ASB Trip - Tennessee  ASB Trip - New York
Springfest

Springfest 2007
Schedule
Friday, April 20, 2007
4:00 PM - SEA Tie Dye
7:00 PM - DTD's "Miss Allegheny" Contest
8:00 PM - Playshop Production
"Hay Fever"
9:00 PM - WARC Presents:
"Emperor's X" & "Buffalo Killers"
9:00 PM - GAP Movie: "Alpha Dog"

Saturday, April 21, 2007
8:30 AM - Service Saturday
1:00 PM - Phi Delta Theta's Battle of the Bands
2:00 PM - Student Organization Booths
6:00 PM - WARC Presents:
"Astronautalis" & "Langhorne Slim"
8:00 PM - Playshop Production
"Hay Fever"
10:00 PM - GAP Movie: "Alpha Dog"

WARC sponsored concert at GFC
"Buffalo Killers"
Saturday night Springfest concert at the Boathouse
Gator Activities Programming

Gator Activities Programming, GAP, is the College's student programming board, providing music, comedy, entertainment acts, late night programming, and movies to the campus community. Many of Allegheny's programming traditions are rooted in GAP events such as Wingfest, Springfest, Casino Night and Survival Bingo.

GAP and ASG collaborated to bring Wayne Brady, star of "Whose Line Is It Anyway?" to Shaffer Auditorium on March 3, 2007. The high-energy performance had the near-capacity crowd rolling with laughter and will go down in history with the other great performers brought to Allegheny. Additional events sponsored by GAP included: singer, Venice Maki; hypnotist, Dale Ki musician, Tyrone Wells; comedian, Bert Kreischer; along with snow tubing, Winterfest and a Pittsburgh Pirates game.

Allegheny Student Government

"It's not crap, it's GAP...We're all about cookies, cake and sweatpants...It's GAP-tastic...GAP Love"
Grounds for Change

Grounds for Change celebrated its tenth birthday this year with a blowout larger than anything the little coffee house had ever seen. From February 2nd-4th hundreds of current students, prospectives, and alumni streamed through GFC for live bands, birthday cake, and coffee. Throughout the weekend students were given the opportunity to meet some of the founders of Grounds for Change and other ex-board members. Discussions, breakfasts, and networking sessions worked toward making connections between the past and present GFC fans. As the celebration wrapped up current board members were left with one final word from the past, keep GFC in line with its original goal. Keeping coffee flowing and being a great homework spot is important, but maintaining the status as a literal grounds for change is what really matters. - Krystle Castillo '09

The GFC birthday reunion united past and present members of GFC including Jabe Best '03; Cynthia Mason; Asuka Ishizaki and Andrea M-Millen '04; Kaitlin McCormick '05; Jen Picciano '06; Jinnelle Croesser '07; Mike McKay; JC Bangoy, and Haley Hoenke '08; and Jonathan Steele '10, along with numerous other current students and alumni.

The majority of our customers are students looking for a good caffeine fix. - Jinnelle Croesser '07

"It doesn't take much to turn us on!" - ACTV

ACTV congratulate Jordan Hammill, Dave Cov and Alex Kroponak, seniors who are 2007 graduates. ACTV was founded in the Elizabetherian era, and has been filming quality programming ever since. Members host world-renowned closed-circuit programming such as 'Critique This!', "Get to the Point," "Com-Artists," "Ladies of the "Ghemy'', and "Big Men on Campus".

ACTV's GUITAR HERO

"It doesn't take much to turn us on!" - ACTV
Diversity

Association for the Advancement of Black Culture held many events for their celebration of Black Heritage Month including speakers and having a soul food dinner. They held their annual Pajammy Jam dance party, Ebony Ball, and sponsored a diversity panel, open mic night and game nights. Members also participated in community service projects. This year ABC held the first NPHC step show, "Step it Out", in the Wise Center's performance gymnasium.

Union Latina celebrated National Latino Heritage Month with lectures, Spanish film showings, a pinata party with Friends of Youth and salsa lessons.

Allegeny Gay Pride celebrated National Coming Out Day with a week long celebration which included various events and concluded with Coming Out Day. AGP participated in the National Day of Silence and closed the evening with a Drag Show competition. They also co-sponsored a singer/songwriter, Magdalen Hsu-Li with A5. 

Association for Asian and Asian American Awareness held their annual celebrate Asia month with a variety of events. They sponsored lectures, a martial arts performance and co-sponsored a bisexual singer/songwriter, Magdalen Hsu-Li with AGP. A5 held a Chinese calligraphy demonstration and a game night. Throughout the year A5 held round table discussions and game nights. 

FACE-Feminism Amplified, Coalition for Equality

This year FACE sponsored a lecture entitled "I Heart the Female Orgasm" where students, both males and females, were able to learn about female sexuality. T-shirts with the logo were distributed to attendees.

Additional photos of Diversity Affair end-of-year barbeque on the patio of Schultz Hall.
Performing Arts

Performing Arts organizations at Allegheny consists of: Allegheny College Choirs, Allegheny Repertory Dance, Jazz Band, Chamber Choir, Civic Symphony, College Chorus, Dance Team, Improv Comedy, JaDE (Jazz and Dance Ensemble), Orchesis Dance Company, Pep Band, Swing Dancing Club, Wind Ensemble and Wind Symphony. The Playshop Theatre produces 3 - 4 shows per year.

"Although you may begin with a very strict and set idea...you have to let the art grow. Ideas change, new directions come about and inspiration happen."
- Mirja Tague '97

"What I take away from this play is: "But Not For Love" is that you can't just pigeonhole people, that people are individuals." -Angela Noffke '09

The Combined Choir Spring Concert, April 14, 2007

"But Not For Love"

"Hat Fever"

"Our Town"

The Pirates of Penzance"
Allegheny College Peace Coalition strives to encourage people from a variety of backgrounds, from the college and surrounding community, to find common ground in working towards a peaceful and just world. ACPC also strives to promote a broad definition of peace that will work to inspire a consciousness of values and social awareness dealing with issues such as war, militarism, poverty, racism, oppression, and injustice.

Amnesty International of Allegheny College works to ensure that the standards defined by the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and other international agreements on human rights are acknowledged. The organization's goals are to educate the campus and surrounding community on issues concerning violations to human rights and to take action to stop these atrocities.

The purpose of Students Advocating for Reproductive Options is to inform and educate about the condition of reproductive rights on Allegheny's campus, the nation and the world. While working with the college, SARO aims to expand the reproductive and contraceptive options that are available on campus. As a group, we are committed to ensuring that the Allegheny community has the appropriate information regarding reproductive freedom with which to make educated decisions on reproductive options. SARO welcomes open-minded, non-judgmental men and women as participating members. All are welcome regardless of race, sex, gender, ethnicity, sexual orientation and religion.

The College Democrats of Allegheny College have four main objectives: To assist in the election of Democratic candidates at all levels of government. To promote among members of the Allegheny community an increased understanding and awareness of national, state, and local elections. To make available information on individual candidates of all political parties to members of the Allegheny community. And lastly, to provide an opportunity for discussion of political topics and related issues. The College Democrats strive provide an organization through which interested students can become involved in campaigns and local Democratic Party work.

The Allegheny College Republicans organization is a chapter of the Pennsylvania Federation of College Republicans. Members support the ideals of the Republican Party on campus and will strive to promote conservative issues. The organization attempts to minimize political apathy, instill a balance in campus political dialogue, and allow students to take an active role in on and off-campus politics.

The Center for Political Participation is dedicated to fostering an appreciation for the vital link between an engaged, active citizenry and a healthy democracy. To that end, the Center seeks new strategies and mechanisms for promoting political participation among all citizens, with a particular focus on young Americans.

The CPP offers many activities for students. There are student centered programs such as internships, voter registration drives, guest lectures and related travel experiences; community outreach programs such as high school summer events, on-campus seminars, and debates. The CPP also offers conferences, panel discussions, and a lecture series.

"I know that here at Allegheny as left-wingers have a comfortable majority and are shielded from these things by our liberalism..." - Steve Hanan '70

"My prayer is that the country would return to the classical liberalism of the Founding Fathers, and the government would again limit itself to protecting the life, liberty, and property of its citizens." - Ben Sperry '09
Allegheny College has several academic, honorary and other clubs on campus. These clubs join students together under common interests whether they be academic, common hobbies or causes. Clubs such as Dimensions, Phi Sigma Alpha, Neuroscience Revolution, Philosophical Forum, Students for Environmental Action, Lambda Pi Eta, Phi Alpha Theta and Tri-Beta all have students with similar academic interests. Legion of Allegheny Gamers, Wool Gathering, Allegheny Role-Playing and Gaming Organization, and Allegheny College Game Night are organizations that unite students with common hobbies. Groups with common causes include Allegheny Non-Traditional Students, Dating Society and Global AIDS Committee. Together these organizations enable students to become active and involved in similar areas of interest, enhancing their academic experience.

On Friday December 1st the Global AIDS Committee had a World AIDS Day speaker panel. Four speakers addressed the crowd regarding AIDS related issues. Amnesty International held Jamnesty on Saturday March 10th. Jamnesty, a free concert, raised awareness of the humanitarian crisis in Darfur in western Sudan. Amnesty International has been active and involved in similar areas of interest, enhancing their academic experience.

*"Many students on this campus, whether quietly or loudly, are standing up for the things they believe in."* – James Hepplewhite ’09

"Without geometry, life is pointless." – Dimensions
Greek Life

Sororities

Sisterhood is many things. It’s a warm smile on a cold and rainy day, a friendly hug, a cheerful hello. It’s all that is good and lasting friendship is, only better. It’s treasured, it’s sacred. It’s knowing that there will always be someone there for you. It’s dreams shared, and goals achieved. It’s counting on others and being counted on. It is real.”  —Anonymous

Alpha Delta Pi held their first annual Line’s Share Challenge where they successfully raised $300 for the Ronald McDonald House. The annual Glass Slipper Project was a huge success with the collection of over 300 prom dresses for Meadville high school students. Members participated in Make A Difference Day, SAMS, and Senior Citizen’s Appreciation Day.

Kappa Alpha Theta held their annual Theta Twister event in the fall which raised over $500 for CASA, their national philanthropy. They also held an annual 50/50 raffle which raised another $200 for CASA. This year Theta held a Locks of Love event that raised over $300 for the organization as well as 10 ponytails of hair to donate. Sisters also participated in Relay for Life, SAMS, and Make A Difference Day.

Kappa Kappa Gamma held their annual carnival with the brothers of SAE to raise money for Reading is Fundamental. They held their annual Halloween Trick-or-Treat sale and Valentine’s Kappa Kisses sale to raise money for their national philanthropy. Members participated in Relay for Life, SAMS and Make A Difference Day.
The brothers of Delta Tau Delta proudly sponsored their annual "Run for the Andy Fund" as well as a security football event which supports the Meadville Free Clinic. Other events sponsored were the TTD and Phi Delta Hockey Tournament and "Miss Allegheny" pageant. Members also participated in adopt-a-school, SAMS, Relay for Life, MS 150 Bicycle Tour and Make A Difference Day.

Phi Delta Theta raised over $1400 for ALS (Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis) often referred to as "Lou Gehrig's disease", through events including Battle of the Bands during Springfest and by taking over Casey's Ice Cream & Candies shoppe and raising over $700 alone in one day. Brothers also participate in Make a Difference Day and SAMS.

Phi Kappa Psi held their annual volleyball tournament with the sisters of Alpha Chi Omega to raise money for Meadville's Women's Shelter. Members also participated in Make A Difference Day, the MS Walk, National Service Day for Phi Kappa Psi and worked with Meadville's United Way.

Sigma Alpha Epilon brothers share three common bonds, qualities they believe set them apart from other fraternities, they live: Diversity, Brotherhood, and Pride. Members strive to embody the ideals of The True Gentlemen. Sigma Alpha Epilon, True Distinction. Be True.
2006-2007
Student Organizations

- Advancement of Black Culture
- Alpha Delta Pi
- AmeriCorps
- Allegheny Christian Outreach
- Alpha Chi Omega
- American International Student Association
- Alpha Phi Omega
- Anime Role Playing Organization
- Allegheny Student Government
- Alpha Kappa Delta
- Bonner Leaders
- Boxing Club
- Campus Crusade for Christ
- Chamber Orchestra
- Chemii
- Cheerleading
- Chess Club
- Chinese Society
- Circle K
- Civic Symphony
- Coalition to End Poverty
- College Choir
- College Chorus
- College Democrats
- College Republicans
- Computer Literacy Program
- Dance Team
- Delta Tau Delta
- Dimensions
- Equestrian Club
- FEST
- Fellowship of Christian Athletes
- Fencing Club
- Gator Activities Programming
- Gator Improv
- Geology Club
- Global AIDS Committee
- Habitat for Humanity
- Health
- Ice Hockey
- Men's Club
- International Club
- Interfraternity Council
- Islamic Awareness Society
- KaDe
- Kaldron, The
- Kappa Alpha Theta
- Kappa Delta Pi
- Kappa Kappa Gamma
- Kung Fu San Soo
- Lacrosse
- Men's
- Lambda Chi Alpha
- Lambda Sigma
- Legion of Allegheny Gamers
- Literary Review
- Men Against Sexual Violence
- Model UN
- Neuroscience Research
- Newman
- Non-Traditional Students
- Orchestra
- Outing Club
- Paintball Club
- Panhellenic Council
- Peace Coalition
- Pep Band
- Phi Alpha Delta
- Phi Alpha Theta
- Phi Delta Theta
- Phi Kappa Psi
- Philosophy Club
- Phi Sigma Alpha
- Rehearsal Theater
- Pre-Legal Advocacy Committee
- Psychological Association
- Religious Life Council
- Rowing
- Rugby
- Rugby, Men's Club
- Students for Environmental Action
- Sigma Alpha Epsilon
- Ski Club
- Society for Environmental Awareness
- Society of Physics Students
- Sojourners Christian Fellowship
- Student Art Society
- Student Experimental Theatre
- Students Advice-Reproductive Options
- Students For Life
- Swing Dancing Club
- Table Tennis Club
- Theta Chi
- Ultimate Frisbee Organization
- Union Latin
- Up 'Til Dawn
- Volleyball
- Men's Club
- WARC
- Water Polo Club
- Wind Ensemble/Wind Symphony
- Wool Gathering
Club sports play an important role for Allegheny College students. Over 20% of students on campus participate in club sports, and even more are involved in intramurals. The Athletic Department offers a variety of sports to play competitively as well as intramural sports to play with friends. Some club sports have proven themselves to be excellent teams such as the Men's and Women's Rugby teams who went to Nationals this year and the Ice Hockey team who made it to the playoffs. The Outing Club had an exceptional year facilitating 30 outings to various locations. The Fencing Club hosted a sanctioned fencing tournament and the Equestrian club hosted three horse shows this year.
The 2006 Gator football season ended with a record of 6-4, 4-3 in the North Coast Athletic Conference. Highlighting this year's Homecoming weekend was the first night game at the Robertson Athletic Complex's newly renovated Frank B. Fuhrer football field. The Gators were led by head coach Mark Matalak, in his 5th season at Allegheny. Ten football players were chosen to the All-North Coast Athletic Conference (NCAC) Team, including: 1st team - Curt Anderson, Josh Whiteside & Jason Black; 2nd team - Mario Turquinio, Justin Victor, Toni Glamuzina & Mateo Villa; honorable mention accolades were received by Jimmy Savage, Dallas Robinson & Jim Lieb.

**SCORE CARD**

Results

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The Allegheny Cheerleading team had an exciting 2006-2007 season cheering at 5 football games and 6 basketball games. The team pumped up members of the college community at the first annual Homecoming Pep Rally and provided spirit at the first night football game where they cheered on the Gators in the frigid rain. The team also participated in cheering for the “Allegheny Team” when they took on the Harlem Wizards. Go Gators!
MEN'S

The men's soccer team experienced another successful season reaching the NCAC Tournament finals for the 3rd consecutive year. With an overall record of 11-5-3, including 5-4-0 in conference play, the Gators ended with a No. 9 ranking in the Great Lakes Region.

WOMEN'S

Posting their 11th consecutive winning season, the women's soccer team finished the year with a 10-7-1 overall record, and 3-4-1 in the NCAC. The team received the National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA) team academic award for a GPA of 3.16. Five players earned All-NCAC honors, including: 2nd team-Christy McShea, Katie Murphy, & Emily Spencer; honorable mentions were received by Ashley Hughes and Robin Bunch.
The Gators won their fifth consecutive NCAC Conference Championship this season, adding to their league-record eight championships. Devin Cruea, Frank Tupta, Pat Confer, Joe McMahon, Peter Sotherland, Chris Corkins, and Marco Dozzi earned All-NCAC honors at the NCAC Championships this year. Cruea won the shot put competition and Corkins won the 10,000-meter run. Ben Mourer took 16th place in the 5,000-meter run at the NCAA National Championships.

Bill Ross is in his 11th year as head coach. A team photo of all athletes was not available.

**SCORE CARD**

### Indoor

- Kent State Invitational
- Trudina State Invitational
- Penn State National Open
- NCAC Relays-Granville, OH
- Case Western Reserve Invitational
- Boston University Valentine Invitational
- Baldwin-Wallace Invitational
- Kent State Tune-Up Meet
- Oberlin Last Chance
- NCAC Indoor Championships

### Results

- Unscored
- Unscored
- 3rd of 10
- 1st of 10
- Unscored
- 1st of 10
- Unscored
- 1st of 10
- Unscored
- Unscored
- Unscored

### Outdoor

- Point Loma Nazarene Invite
- Carnegie Mellon Tri-Meet
- Bucknell Distance Carnival
- Slippery Rock Invite
- IUP Invitational
- GIna Relays-Hildale Michigan
- Slippery Adams Invite at BW
- NCAC Combined Events Championships at Oberlin
- NCAC Outdoor Championships
- Allegheny College Gator Invitational
- North Central College Last Chance Meet
- NCAC Outdoor Championships

### Results

- Unscored
- 2nd of 3
- Unscored
- Unscored
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- Unscored
- 1st of 10
- Unscored
- Unscored
- Unscored

### Outdoor (continued)

- Kent State Invitational
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- Case Western Reserve Invitational
- Baldwin-Wallace Invitational
- Kent State Tune-Up Meet
- Oberlin Last Chance
- NCAC Indoor Championships
- Granville, OH
- NCAA Indoor Championships
- Terre Haute, IN

### Results

- Unscored
- Unscored
- 2nd of 9
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**WOMEN'S**

The Gators finished second at the NCAC Championships. Liz Earley was named the NCAC Field Event Performer of the Year and took 4th place overall at the National meet in the hammer throw, earning All-America honors. Emily Pfeuffer took 11th at the NCAA National meet in the triple jump. Liz Strauss and Emily Kiciman finished in the top five at the NCAC Multi-Event Championships. A team photo was not taken this year.

**SENIORS**

- The men's track and field members, Scarlett Graham, Lindsay Svetlak, Heather Knupp, Michelle Kocum and Katie Pankowski lead the field in hurdles at Ohio Wesleyan.

NCAC Tournament, front row left to right: Matt York, Chris Moore, Jeremy Walker, Marcus Solomon, Joe McMahon, Ben Mourer, Jackson Zimmerman; middle row: Assistant Coach Matt Goldberg, Chris Confer, Craig Bell, Tom Lee, Josh Brannan, Ben Lee, Evan Provenza, Matt Smith, back row: Pat Confer, Jameson Ends, Zen Rowland, Matt Hoss, Scott Falcon; Bobby Campbell, Alan Gerdes, Frank Turco, Ryan Horner, Ben Mauer, Peter Sotherland, Devin Cruea.

(**left to right**) Jessica Gratton, Emily Pfeuffer and Elizabeth Strauss lead the field in hurdles at Ohio Wesleyan.
SENIORS

MEN'S

The Men's Cross Country team reached the national podium this year, placing 3rd at NCAA's and 1st at NCAC's. The men had their highest finish in school history at NCAA's behind performance of two All-American's, Ryan Place (6th) and Marco Dozzi (23rd). Earning All-NCAC and All-Midcast honors were Chris Corkins, Matt Hoy & Ben Mauer; All-League honors went to Matt Smith & Craig Ball.

WOMEN'S

Narrowly missing their 11th NCAC title, the women's cross country team finished a mere 2 points behind the first placed team. The Gator women closed the year with their 10th appearance at nationals, finishing tied for 25th overall. Scarlett Graham received All-League & All-Region accolades; Mia Symoniak, tabbed the NCAC Newcomer of the Year received All-MidEast Region honors; and Eva Weyers earned All-Region.

SCORE CARD Results
Case Western Invite 3rd of 12
NCAA Pre-Regionals 2nd of 16
Penn State National Invite 8th of 17
NCAC Championships 3rd of 10
NCAA Mid-East Regional 2nd of 9
NCAA Championships T-5th of 14


SCORE CARD Results
Case Western Invite T-5th of 10
NCAA Pre-Regionals 2nd of 15
Penn State National Invite 7th of 15
NCAC Championships 8th of 16
NCAA Mid-East Regional 2nd of 9
NCAA Championships T-25th of 32

Men's Soccer Team front row: Alex Rowland, Ben Mauer, Jon Welsh, Jacob Bowman, Mike Tersa, Damon Harvey; middle row: Jack Ziemer, Kurtis Falcone, Tom Lee, Garrett Pispuniad, Ryan Hanson, Craig Ball, Ben Eyer, Mike Fairs; back row: Ryan Place, Matt Smith, Matt Hoy, Chris Corkins, Marco Dozzi, Jamie Drah, JP Russell, Ryan Cole. Head Coach: Bill Ross.
Chris Moore

SENIORS

The Men's golf team finished 2nd in the 2007 North Coast Athletic Conference (NCAC) championships. Two players, sophomore Mike Wolfe and freshman Christian Goetz were named to the PING All-Mid-Atlantic Regional Team. At the 2007 NCAA Division III women's golf championships which took place at Howie-in-the-Hills, FL, the Gators placed 11th out of 20 teams. A marked improvement over their prior year record.

John Bougher

SCORE CARD-Mens Results

Fall Season

Hiram Invitational 2nd of 10
Griffin Motors Invitational 1st of 6
Wittenberg Invite 2nd of 10
Fisher Naz Shootout 3rd of 9
Gordon College Classic T-10th of 12

Spring Season

Jekyll Island Collegiate Classic 10th of 24
Mid Atlantic Regional 2nd of 15
Ohio Wesleyan Invitational 7th of 17
Kravetz Invitational 6th of 6
NCAC Championships 2nd of 9

SCORE CARD-Womens Results

Fall Season

Baldwin-Wallace Invitational 3rd of 11
Mercyhurst Invitational 8th of 14
Bucknell Invitational 11th of 17
Allegheny Invitational 2nd of 8
Rhodes College Classic 3rd of 7

Spring Season

Jekyll Island Collegiate Classic 7th of 23
McDaniel Invitational 2nd of 6
Kutztown Invitational 3rd of 6
NCAC Div. III Championships 11th of 20

The Men's tennis team finished 3rd in the North Coast Athletic Conference with two players, sophomore Matt Chiricosta and junior Andrew Zipf both receiving post-season honors by the league's coaches. For the women's team, senior Amanda Bolger received post-season honors for the first time in her career. She was named All-North Coast Athletic Conference Honorable Mention.

Front row: Christian Goetz, Tony Briggs, Paul Hoffmann, Tom Geisler, Jeff Day, Billy Waisniewski, John Bougher; back row: Head Coach Jeff Groff, Kyle Jastromb, Chris Moore, Chad Kosanovic, Mike Wolfe, Corey Shemelya, Assistant Coach Jennifer Reimer

Front row: Matt Chiricosta, Geoff Lim, Matt Winters, Ben Hurtuk, Tim McClung, Reid Levin; middle row: Head Coach Jared Luteran, Evan Gordon, Jordan Kurth, Phil Gibson, Nicholas Lieb, Ian Brost, Assistant Coach Mike Raymond; back row: Russell Nitzberg, Andy Zipf, Devin Click, Matt Spriegel, Chris Riley

Front row: Amanda Bolger, Yina Wyss, Chrissy Ungaro, Molly Finlay, Kate Freeman, Maggi Orefice, Anne Bonya, Tristen Malone; back row: Head Coach Jared Luteran, Erica Lombardo, Tamara Paine, Shannon Cruise, Tierney Wirth, Jackie Conrad, Tara Stein, Assistant Coach Mike Raymond
MEN'S
The Men's Basketball team ended their season with a final record of 12-13. Gators named to the All-North Coast Athletic Conference team were Ryan Hollihan, Bill Babe, and Jimmy Savage. Senior Casey McCloskey became the 22nd member of Allegheny's 1,000-point club.

WOMEN'S
The Allegheny Women's Basketball team finished their successful season with an impressive 19-8 record. The Gators defeated the Wittenberg Tigers at the NCAC Tournament for the first time in Allegheny history. Katie Kestler was named to the D3hoops.com All-Great Lakes Region 3rd team.
In spite of starting the season in an 0-13 hole, Gator Baseball bounced back to reach their first NCAC tournament in 3 years. The Gators ended the regular season with a 14-23 record, going 9-7 in NCAC play. The team was led by Eric Rich, James Fernandez and Colt Viehdorfer. Rich led the team in batting average, runs and RBIs. Viehdorfer posted a 2.57 ERA with 20 strikeouts in NCAC play. Fernandez and Viehdorfer were both named to the All-NCAC Honorable Mention squad. A team photo was not available this year.

The Gators finished the regular season with a 19-19 record and a 9-5 record in the NCAC. The team proceeded to win the NCAC tournament, beating Denison in the championship, to advance to their 15th NCAA tournament in school history.

The Gators were led by NCAC Player of the Year and All-Central Region First Team Abby Bodenlos. Bodenlos was the first Gator since 1999 to be named to the All-Central Region First Team. Rachel Ryan was named to the All-Central Region third team for the second consecutive year. Ryan was also named to the All-NCAC First Team along with Crystal Ptacek. Katie Wills earned Second-Team All-NCAC honors and Elizabeth Burr and Allison Korotkin received All-NCAC Honorable Mentions.

### Results

**Port Charlotte, Florida Spring Break**
- n/a

**Worcester State (DH)**
- L 4-12; L 3-12

**W & J (DH)**
- L 12-2; L 3-6

**Otterbein**
- L 12-3; L 3-9

**Hope**
- L 3-2; W 1-0

**Wooster (DH)**
- L 4-12; L 3-12

**John Carroll (DH)**
- L 2-10; W 6-12

**Pitt-Bradford**
- L 6-7; W 4-3

**Denson (DH)**
- L 2-10; W 6-12

**Denison**
- L 6-7; W 4-3

**Muskingum (DH)**
- L 2-10; L 8-11

**Hiram (DH)**
- L 6-7; W 4-3

**Hiram**
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**Oberlin (DH)**
- L 2-10; L 8-11

**PSU-Behrend (DH)**
- L 6-7; W 4-3

**Kenyon (DH)**
- L 2-10; L 8-11

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- L 5-10; L 1-9

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The Allegheny Swimming and Diving team capped off their season with a final record of 3-6 for the men and 5-4 for the women. Sophomore Erin Ham earned All-American honors in the 100 breaststroke at the NCAA Division III Championships. Coaching veteran, Thomas Erdos, announces his retirement from the athletic coaching position after 31 years of dedicated service.

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**MEN**
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- L, 109-124
- 3rd of 5
- L, 94-143
- L, 107-134
- L, 112-171
- W, 205-99
- Unscored
- W, 121-84
- 6th of 9
- Unscored

**WOMEN**
- 5th of 8
- L, 80-158
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- W, 107-98
- 4th of 9
- Unscored
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Ingomar, PA

John Ernie Warner IV
Psychology
Alpine, NV

Emily James Wapniski
Psychology
Philadelphia, PA

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Mirja Constance Tague
Psychology
Concord, MA

Andrew Beckington Thompson
Chemistry and Pharmaceutical Research
Elmwood, MA
Cum laude

James Richard Thornburg
English
Bergenstown, PA
Magnus cum laude

Antonia Marie Wells
Religion Studies and Spanish
Westminster, MD
Cum laude

Angela Marie Wells
Psychology
Brookline, MA

Richard John Whitlock III
Political Science
Owensboro, PA

Emily Barton Wicks
English
Dover, MI

Kelly Elizabeth Towns
Political Science
Pittsburgh, PA

Christina Lee Ungaro
Political Science and Afr. Studies
Elkridge, NY
Magnus cum laude

Meghan Anne Vasilescu
Chemistry
Mountlair, PA
Cum laude

Andrew William Wright
History
Brentwood, NY
Magnus cum laude

Christine Diane Workman
Studio Art
Carrick, CA

Amelie Bucchinco Whitaker
Psychology
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Political Science
Owensboro, PA

Kelly Ann Walker
Psychology
Fayetteville, PA
Cum laude

Lauren Michelle Waclawiak
French and History
Cranberry Township, PA
Cum laude

Samatha A. Walsh
Political Science
Charlestowne, RI
Magnus cum laude

Mary Colleen Zink
Biology
Idaho, OH
Magnus cum laude

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Eric Jesse Anderson
Biology
Cuban, NY

Harpal Kaushik
Religious Studies
Miami, FL magna cum laude

Valerie Ann Bassery
Physics
Norristown, PA magna cum laude

Jennifer Ann Berrogh
Political Science
Freedom, PA cum laude

Julia Wynne Blair
Psychology
Hudson, OH
Joseph John Biedrzycki
Chemistry
Pittsburgh, PA cum laude

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Laurel, MD magna cum laude

Evan Johnson Stetter
Psychology
Erie, PA magna cum laude

Joshua Adam Tarry
History
New Stanton, PA magna cum laude

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Nashville, TN magna cum laude

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Michael N. Sefcik
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Political Science
Water Mill, NY magna cum laude

Sean Christopher Locklin
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Essex, PA magna cum laude

Joshua David Mazzet
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Pittsburgh, PA magna cum laude

Patrick Michael Maitre
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Shaun Geoffrey Pronto
Economics
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Catalina Adler
"Costume Designing: Our Town" Major: Theatre/Minor: Psychology

Amanda Bolger
"Genetics and Mechanism of the Reaction of Glucose Oxidase with a Surfactant" Major: Chemistry/Minor: Spanish

Yvonne Broccoli
"2,4-Diacetylphenoxytoluidine Effects on Plant Root Development" Major: Biology/Minor: History

Nathan Clandeling
"Home Vacu-Measure Home Spares At Ground" Major: Religious Studies/Minor: Classical Studies

Jim Jones
"Applying Ecological Art to Soothing Mitigation: The Mill Run Community Wellbeing" Major: Environmental Science/Minor: Studio Art

Mark Dulleh
"Advances Towards a Tamilian Approach to the Stereoselective Synthesis of Quinazolinium Carbene Via a Borni Mediated Transfer and Aldol Condensation" Major: Chemistry-Minor: Biology

Michael Fakery
"Effects of Ultraviolet Light Filtering on Water Stablility and Related Foraging Success in the Outhunting Spider, Argiope aurantia" Major: Biology/Minor: Economics

Nicholas Fichette
"Pervenance of a Deformed Compartimente in the Mesozoic McHugh Complex: Relenge, Anchorage, Quadrangle, Alaska" Major: Geology/Minor: History

Jahnon Hammill
"Uncle Bechummary" Major: Communication Arts/Minor: Political Science

Alanna Houck
"American in Mexico: Retiree Integration and Mexican-American Relations in San Miguel de Allende" Major: International Studies/Minor: Spanish/Minor: Political Science

REALIZATION

The culminating experiences of the Senior Project are accorded to the disciplines that produce them, from recitals, performances, and exhibits to written and oral presentations on laboratory research. Many illustrate unique combinations of disciplines, interests, and skills. The Senior Project Celebration offers an open forum for students to refine their skills in presenting to a broad audience and share ideas with other students and the campus community.

Audi Hughes
"Dooming the Dark: The Civil Strike of 1933" Major: History-Minor: Political Science, Religious Studies

Jessica Krzeski
"The Lives of Anxiety on the Sleep Cycle and Dream Content" Major: Psychology/Neuroscience

Matthew Kassling
"A.R. Rothfield: The German Military and German Historians, 1871-1945" Major: History/Minor: East Asian Studies

Marla Springer
"From Egypt to Empire: The Historical Narratives of the German National Myth" Major: German, Classical Languages

Aubrey Lawer
"Accustomed by a Manner of Gold: Exploring (risk, death). As an Ideal Beauty" Major: Art History/Minor: Political Science

Patrick Martin
"Effects of Economic Induced Stress on Individual Health" Major: Economics/Minor: Biology

Molly McCay
"Prevalent Exposure and Alcoholism: A Model for Autism" Major: Psychology

Mike McCray

Valerie McEly
"Formation of Massive Stellar Objects and Intermediate Mass Black Holes Due to Runaway Collisions in Young Dense Star Clusters" Major: Physics/Minor: Psychology

Nicole Moretti
"Modeling Exhemichus coli in Lake Erie at Presque Isle State Park, Pennsylvania: Major: Biology/Minor: Religious Studies

Laura Nagel
"The Effects of Different Forest Harvesting Techniques on Small Mammal Populations in Northwest Pennsylvania" Major: Environmental Science/Minor: History

Amanda Othman
"The Possible Relationship Between Estrogen Levels and Reproductive Rate in Female Fragile X-Lnky Rats" Major: Neuroscience/Minor: Spanish

Ryan Paul
"Sustainable Lake Community Development. Committee Website (www.conservationkep.org/ Major: Art and Technology/Minor: Psychology

Michael Roth
"Pink in a Four-letter Word: The Unfortunate Passing of Mandy Roski Gdor, Year Two Thousand and Seven" Major: Studio Art/Minor: Psychology

Trista Sondal

Rahim Srivastava
"Further Characterization of the Interaction Between the FH and FBN Proteins in the Atherosclerosis disorder" Major: Biology/Minor: Psychology

Amelia Sper
"Solar at Allegheny: Model for the Future" Major: Environmental Studies/Physics

Jessica Thompson
"Early Climax Fossil Deposits of the Northern Sandstone in West-Central Montana" Major: Geology/Minor: Psychology

Jonathan Lee Rusk Memorial Prize
Jesse Thompson & Daniel Flanagan
Geology, Faculty Prize

Biochemistry Faculty Prize
Megan Rohy
Lynn Pyle Memorial Prize

Biology Faculty Prize
Nathan Hanes and Nathan Shively
Buchmueller Faculty Prize

Chemistry Faculty Prize
Valerie Bivens
Jonathan Lee Rusk Memorial Prize

History/Minor: Classical

Art History/Minor: Political Science

Majors: Neuroscience, Psychology

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Majors: German, Classical Languages

Majors: Political Science, Psychology

Majors: History-Minor: Political Science


Majors: Physics, Minor: Psychology

Majors: Biology, Minor: Religious Studies

The Senior Project Celebration was held on May 1, 2007 in Ford Memorial Chapel. The ceremony included music by Aaron Mood ‘07 with the Chaplain, Jane Ellen Nickell providing the Invocation, Following a welcoming speech by President Richard J. Cook, Linda DeVerit, Dean of the College, presented each of the 22 prize recipients their prizes followed by President Cook presenting the College Prizes. The valedictory address was given by Angela Wells, followed by the presentation of the Teaching Awards. The convention concluded with the Alma Mater.

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FALL 2000

Anne Bossmart
Meghan Coli
Christophere Deonville
Daniel Flanagan
Caroline La Rochelle
Nathan Shively

SPRING 2007

Laura Cavanagh
Georgin Chokrak
Daniel Greenbaum
Michelle Debrovnik
Gregory Debrovnik
Denis Godin
Shane Kekian
Matthew Honour
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### Senior Week Schedule

**Tuesday May 8th**
Block Party on Loomis Street

**Wednesday May 9th**
Night at the Lake: Dry Dock

**Thursday May 10th**
Class Dinner at Riverside Inn
Casino Night at Riverside Golf Club

**Friday May 11th**
Meadville Bar Crawl

### People and Places

Honorable Governor Raymond P. Shafer
3/5/1917 - 12/12/2006
Ray Shafer attended Allegheny College from 1934 to 1938. He was class president for four years, and president of the Allegheny Undergraduate Council. His various activities included basketball (All-Pennsylvania), soccer (All-American), golf, track and field, Phi Beta Kappa, Rhodes Scholarship candidacy, Phi Kappa Psi, Debate Club, and the A Capella Choir. Here he met his wife Jane Harris Davies '39; they married July 5, 1941. Shafer's later involvement with Allegheny College includes a brief stint as Instructor of Business Law, the receipt of an honorary degree in 1963, service on the Board of Trustees (elected to the Board first in May, 1964), and a year as President of the College (1985-1986). In 1990, Allegheny College with the Meadville-Western Crawford County Chamber of Commerce instituted the annual Raymond P. Shafer Award for Distinguished Community Service.

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### Pelletier Library Renovations

Built in 1976, the Lawrence Lee Pelletier Library is in the process of receiving a major $4.6 million renovation. **Phase I:** Renovation of the lower floor, elevator, and HVAC. This included the removal of offices, the Closed Stacks room, installation of the high-density mobile shelving (compact shelving), new carpet and paint. Completed. **Phase II:** Total renovation of the main floor with new offices, new study rooms, a café, new lighting, new carpet, new furniture, renovation to the entry of the library and the plaza. The main floor will be home to the Learning Commons which includes speech, writing, software support, academic skills, and library research all set up as one integrated set of services. To be completed by September 1, 2007. **Phase III:** Renovation of the Archives and Special Collections area on the upper floor. To be completed by October 15, 2007.

### Future Center for Communication Arts

Construction is well under way for the $23 million Vukovich Center for Communication Arts, a 40,000-square-foot, three-story building. The state-of-the-art center will include rehearsal and instructional areas, television production facilities, a 250-seat theater with balcony, a scene shop, a costume shop and common areas. The state-of-the-art center will include rehearsal and instructional areas, television production facilities, a 250-seat theater with balcony, a scene shop, a costume shop and common areas. The building will have a "green" roof with approximately 18 inches of soil on top, covered with grass, ground cover, and trees, contributing not only to the beauty of the building but to the goal of making it a highly energy efficient structure. The center is named in honor of Allegheny trustee Dr. Robert A. Vukovich '65 and his wife, Laura J. Vukovich. The project has also received support from donors including alumn i, friends, and foundations. Pennsylvania Governor Edward Rendell announced during an August 2006 visit to the College that the Commonwealth approved a $4 million grant for the center, see photo above left. The center is scheduled to be complete in time for the beginning of the 2008-2009 school year.
On Sunday, May 13, 2007, Allegheny awarded degrees to 355 students at the commencement ceremony which occurred on the beautiful lawn of Bentley. President Richard J. Cook and Board of Trustees, Eddie Taylor, Jr. '87 welcomed the graduates, families and guests. Featured commencement speaker, Linda Stout, an author, activist and lecturer, was awarded an honorary doctorate in humane letters from the college. The Allegheny Brass Ensemble played during the procession with Professor Lowell Hepler conducting. The 2007 class valedictorian was Amanda Wells.
The 2007 Kaldron could not have been completed without the help of many resources on campus. Among those we thank for their assistance are the employees of the Athletics, Sports Information, Community Service, and Learning Commons offices; Penny Frank, Public Affairs Graphic Designer; and the numerous students who assisted in identifying the faces and names of many who appeared throughout this book. Additional thanks is given to Allegheny Student Government for providing a portion of the finances necessary to create this memory book, as well as every student who submitted photos for consideration. Finally, we thank the staff of the Student Activities Office for all of their help and support throughout the year.

The 2007 Kaldron was designed and completed using Josten’s Yearbook Avenue on-line program. The book was published by Jostens Publishing Company, located in State College, Pennsylvania. Senior portraits were taken by DaVor Photography. The Kaldron is provided as a gift to all members of the senior class.

Congratulations to the Class of 2007, we hope you enjoy this year’s Kaldron!