



WABASH COLLEGE

Class Agents Letter

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Class of 1981

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First of all, Homecoming is a few weeks away. Saturday, October 3rd the Little Giants will take on Hiram. I'll be back and hope I see some of you in Crawfordsville. Full Homecoming activities can be found at: <http://www.wabash.edu/alumni/homecoming>

Second – our 35th reunion (yes..35!) will be held on Friday, June 3 – Sunday, June 5, 2016. **MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!** More information can be found at: <http://www.wabash.edu/alumni/reunion/schedule>

Peter, Phil and I are looking for a reunion chair (or co-chairs) plus a representative from each living unit (fraternities, dorms and independents). If you are interested, drop me a note at spavy@vom.com I'll see Peter in a few weeks at Homecoming and we'll begin making some calls then to draft some help.

THANK YOU to all who gave to Wabash this last fiscal year (July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015).

This list includes:

Kevin Altman
John Ashworth III
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Dean Beckman
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Dave Welch

Monty Woolsey
Pete Wright
Brian Wyneken
Kent Yoder
Kevin Young
Randy Zromkoski

Out of 195 alumni in the Class of 1981, 78 gave for a 40.00% giving rate. That was better than in 2014 by 5. Our class gave a total of \$71,442 in restricted and unrestricted funds.

For the college, here are a few highlights:

- 5,163 alumni, parents, and friends made gifts to the Annual Fund for \$3,115,677.
- 4,677 alumni made gifts to the College (both Annual Fund and restricted gifts). This is 139 more alumni donors than FY14. This was the fifth consecutive year for the College to realize an increase in the number of alumni donors.
- Alumni participation was at 41.03% in FY15, which is up from 40.15% in FY14 and 37.24% in FY13.
- There were 35 classes in FY15 that finished ahead of FY14 in alumni donors with an increase of at least one or more alumni donors.
- Of the top 10 classes in terms of alumni participation, nine of the top 10 were at 50% or more alumni participation. There were 24 classes above the College's alumni participation rate of 41.03%.
- Seven of the 10 Big Bash reunion classes were at or above the number of alumni donors they had in FY14.
- Celebrating their 50-year reunion, the Class of 1965 had the highest number of alumni donors (105) and the highest alumni giving percentage (65.63%) of any class.
- The Class of 2004, had the second highest number of alumni donors of any class with 101 alumni making a gift. They led all classes on the 4.22 day of giving with 90 classmates making a gift. The Class of 2004 finished FY15 with the highest giving percentage (50.25%) of any class all the way back to 1967 (56.36%).
- For the "Go for 2 on 4.22" day of giving, every class since 1949 had at least two alumni donors on the day and every class from 1959-2018 had 10 or more alumni make a gift on the day.

You can give several ways:

- By phone: 877-743-4545
- On the web: www.wabash.edu/alumni/egift
- By mail: Wabash Annual Fund, P.O. Box 352, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933
(checks payable to Wabash College)

I thank you for your support of our College!

Sincerely,

Stephen