WABASH COLLEGE



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Classmates:

We hope 2015 was a great year for each of you. As the year winds down, we wanted to update you on a few items.

Kyle Rapp

We are pleased to announce that Kyle Rapp has generously agreed to serve as Co-Class Agent for the Class of 1995. Kyle can be reached at fijidoc27@gmail.com. When you get a chance, drop him a line to catch up!

Spreading the fame of her honored name

Scott Simpson – Scott has been appointed Immigration Judge for the San Francisco Immigration Court, by the Executive Office for Immigration Review. Scott was invested on November 6th and was set to start hearing cases shortly thereafter. After Wabash, Scott earned his J.D. from Seton Hall University. From 2006 through September 2015, Scott served as Assistant Chief Counsel, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, Department of Homeland Security. In addition from 1997 through 2006, Scott served in various capacities as a member of the U.S. Navy's Judge Advocate General Corps, including serving as branch chief, officer in charge, and as an attorney. Congratulations Judge Simpson!

Roy Sexton – Trott Law, a Farmington Hills based real estate finance law firm, recently announced that Senior Vice President of Corporate Affairs Roy Sexton has been elected to serve on the 2016 Legal Marketing Association's (LMA) Midwest Board of Directors. Roy will work to provide members with vital and timely information and education on a wide variety of issues that will help advance their careers and professional skillsets.

Additionally, Roy was also elected to serve a two-year term as a member-at-large for the MMLA, an organization that aims to provide the real estate finance industry access to the Legislature and state regulatory agencies to help produce and maintain the type of legislation and regulatory climate that permits lenders to meet the real estate financing needs of Michigan residents. Prior to this role, Roy served as the chapter's membership liaison and was responsible for working closely with the state membership chairperson to stay up-to-date on MMLA news and events, and helped membership by promoting and developing events. Congrats Roy!

Class News

It is with a heavy heart that we write to inform you about the passing of Mikel Steven Arnold who passed away on Friday, November 6th, 2015 in Indianapolis. Mikel was a 1991 graduate of Franklin Community High School. He attended Wabash College for two years. He was employed by the Indiana Department of Homeland Security as a Watch Desk Officer. He formerly worked for Columbus Regional Hospital in Columbus, Indiana for seventeen years and also at the American United Life Insurance Company in Information Technology.

Mikel was a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity. He enjoyed fishing and loved music and playing his guitar. He was an avid sports fan, following the Indianapolis Colts and the Indiana Hoosiers. Mikel was a wine connoisseur. Memorial contributions may be made to the Shriners Hospital for Children Chicago, 2211 Oak Park Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60707. Our thoughts are with his family and friends.

Wabash College Athletics

I am sure many of you are aware that the Wabash College Athletics teams have been having a tremendous fall and winter sports season this year. The football team had an undefeated regular season winning the NCAC conference title and automatic invitation to the division III playoffs. The team was able to extend their record to 12-0 with wins in the first 2 rounds of the playoffs before falling to University of St. Thomas in the Division III quarterfinals. The victory over DePauw to retain the Monon Bell makes it seven in a row which ties a record for the all time most consecutive victories for Wabash in the series. Next year at home the Little Giants will be going for the record of 8 wins in a row over the Dannies, sounds like a great opportunity for everyone to reunite on campus to us, what about you?

In addition to that the Wabash Cross Country team had another incredible season as well. At the NCAC conference championship, the cross country team came in as runner up for the conference title. They then followed up that impressive performance by taking first place in the Great Lake Regional championship for the 3rd consecutive year. This then qualified them for the division III Cross Country Championship where they finished in 8th place in the nation which is the highest finish for the Red Pack since 1995.

Now that winter is upon the basketball and swimming season are in full swing and looking to improve on their performance from last year. Also the wrestling team is back in action and looking to make it back to nationals in wrestling where they finished 3rd

last year as a team. Currently the team is ranked 9th in the nation in 2 of the 3 national rankings and 14th in the 3rd format. The team is led by 2 time national champion, Riley Lefever, who is currently ranked #1 in the nation in the 184lb weight class. If the team is wrestling anywhere near you this winter, it might be worth your time going out to support these talented Little Giants.

All of this information and much more including team schedules can be found on the Wabash College website. These athletes are all great representatives of the college and would love to have support from the alumni. So even if you don't live in the area you might check to see which teams will be traveling to compete somewhere close and get out to support them on the road. WABASH ALWAYS FIGHTS!

Upcoming Dates to Remember

- Alumni/Faculty Symposium "Wally Hoops" Feb. 19, 2016
- Commencement 2016 May 15, 2016
- Big Bash 2016 June 3-5, 2016

We are always looking for information concerning class members. Please drop us a line if you have any information to share with the class.

Happy Holidays to you and your families.

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