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## The Indianapolis Association of Wabash Men

**2014**  
**Year in Review**

### **Bachelor Ads - Spring 2014**

#### **January 31**

Don't drag your ass! Get to Career Services and get that summer internship.

#### **February 7**

Congratulations, Ted Grossnickle '73 IAWM Man of the Year

#### **February 14**

"Hey, man, is that WallyTunes? "Well, turn it up, man!"

#### **February 21**

Join us at the Fine Arts Center for WallyTunes, a symposium on music.

#### **March 7**

Did you know...last year, the IAWM supported or ran more than 25 events all around Indy and on campus? Join our groups on Facebook and LinkedIn.

#### **March 21**

Welcome to Wabash, High School Seniors! These Guys were Once in Your Shoes. Good Luck on your Exams.

#### **March 28**

Catch our Summer Events! Find out more [IndyWabash.org](http://IndyWabash.org)

#### **April 4**

True or False? Busloads of women come to Wabash. True. But you have to get the bus and the women and get the women on the bus. Wabash alums line up to dole out jobs at Commencement. False. You have to connect with alumni. Start by joining LinkedIn, working on your profile, and joining alumni groups.

#### **April 11**

Don't miss the Senior Cookout! Monday, April 14 RSVP via WabashWorks ASAP

#### **April 18**

"We are at our very best when we are one Wabash. Not like-minded, don't get me wrong, but when we are united in spirit and committed to bringing out the best in one another and supporting our brothers and sisters when they need us most." Jim Amidon '87 truly Some Little Giant

#### **April 25**

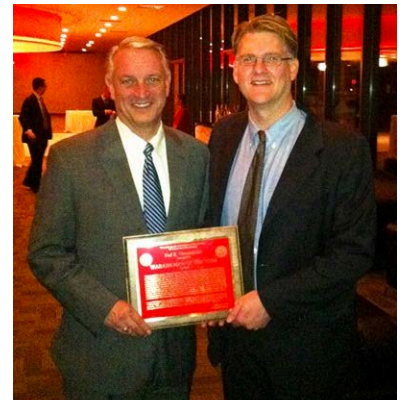
Running the Mini? Stop by our Hospitality Tent after the Race

#### **May 2**

Congratulations, J.T. Miller, IAWM Scholar-Athlete Award Winner

### **Feb. 8: Winter Bash**

The Board of Directors of the Indianapolis Association of Wabash Men honored Wabash Trustee Ted Grossnickle '73 as their Man of the Year. Ted's many accomplishments were cited by Hugh Vandivier '91, who read the award citation as best he could in the dim light. Before the presentation, Wabash President Greg Hess, gave an insider's view to his first seven months in office as he outlined his first initiatives to create a stronger, more vibrant Wabash.



### **Feb. 21: Wally at the Movies Symposium**



Rousing performances by bluesmaster Gordon Bonham '80, acclaimed world music performer James Makubuya, award-winning composer and singer Phillip Seward '82, and experimental electronic music pioneer Peter Hulen topped off Friday's celebration of music at the Fifth Annual Alumni-Faculty-Staff Symposium, Wally Tunes: Music and the Liberal Arts.

But the emotional highlight was the world premiere of 3 Phantasies, composed by B. Allen Schulz '87 especially for the symposium. Played beautifully by cellist by Kristen Strandberg and pianist Diane Norton, the piece honored Norton, Schulz's piano teacher during his Wabash days, and her late husband, Fred Enenbach, and earned a standing ovation. Members of the Wabash faculty made presentations along

with luthier Andrew McKone '07, Indianapolis Symphonic Choir and Butler University Chorale Conductor Eric Stark '88 and Chicago-based Pioneros Misticos keyboardist Rick Fobes '72.

### **Mar. 4: Career Services Networking Event**



Once again, Wabash College Career Services brought alumni and students together for a Pacers basketball game while also providing networking opportunities for Wabash men. Close to 100 alumni and students saw a close game between the Pacers and the Golden State Warriors with seats at the Legends level with free food and drink. Before the game, Voice of the Pacers Chris Denari '83 talked to the group about his career, his job, and the team.

## **Bachelor Ads - Fall 2014**

**August 29**

Welcome to Wabash, Class of 2018. Part of getting involved in the college means connecting to our loyal alumni base. The IAWM serves the largest concentration of Wabash College alumni, who are located in the Indianapolis metropolitan area. Annually, we sponsor several exciting and diverse events in support of the Wabash community. (List of events)

**September 5**

GET to Work, GET Involved, GET to Bed, GET Help. Alumni can help you GET there.

**September 12**

A Warm Welcome to New Faculty. You Carry on a Proud Tradition of Teaching.

**September 19**

Check out the IndyFringe Smash! 10 Simple Rules to Become a Gentleman

**September 26**

Congrats to Alumni Award Winners & New Honorary Alumni: Dr. Bert Stern, Jim & Susie Smith

**October 3**

Thanks for your tenacity & generosity, Football "Streak" classes of '80-'85. You're Some Little Giants!

**October 10**

Cheers to Living Humanely! Thanks for showing it at WABASH Day

**October 24**

Find a bunk. Share a bunk. Couch surfing the Wabash Way. Sign up today.

**October 31**

Congratulations, Andrew Dettmer '15 Moot Court Top Advocate

**October 7**

Wow, Wabash, Way to DOMINATE!

**November 14**

Thanks to Coach Raeburn, Tyler Wade, the "Stag" Committee, and everyone else for a successful new pre-game tradition, the Spirit of the Monon Bell! DePauw to Hell, Let's Keep the Bell!

**November 21**

Congrats, Little Giants. You've skinned the Tigers. Now, let's bag some Grizzlies!

**December 5**

"But perhaps we'll learn that there are more things to admire in men than to despise; perhaps, knowing it will never be enough to change the world, we will act more honorably than we expected we would; perhaps we'll have a lot of fun along the way. It wouldn't be a bad life."  
—Bill Placher

## **May 1: Miller '14 Wins Scholar-Athlete Award**

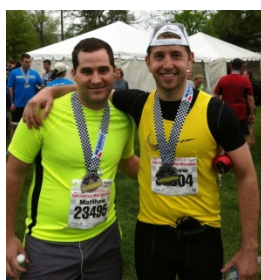
JT Miller received the IAWM Scholar-Athlete Award, which is given each year to a senior who has combined excellence in both his scholarship and athletics. The IAWM awards each recipient with \$250.

The mathematics major with a 3.81 GPA was also the NCAC's Pitcher of the Year with a Career Record of 12-9 with two saves pitching for the Little Giants.



## **May 3: Hospitality Tent at the Mini Marathon**

Credit Steve Hoffman with the great idea. Thank Mike Warren for making it happen. For the second time, Wabash set up a welcome tent in the Runners Village beside the finish line at the Mini-Marathon. Students, alumni, faculty, staff, and families stopped by after finishing their run.



## **June 13: Wabash Night @ Victory Field**

More than 50 alumni, students, family, and friends enjoyed a pleasant evening out at the ballpark to watch the Indianapolis Indians fall in extra innings 2-1 to the evil Durham Bulls in the beautiful confines of Victory Field. The game ended with a dynamite fireworks show.



## **July 9: MLB Bus Trip To Cincinnati**

For a 26th time, a busload of Wabash baseball fans boarded a bus to a Major League Baseball game. About 35 road-trippers traveled to Cincinnati to watch the Chicago take on their NL Central rival Reds at Great America Ballpark. The Cards broke a 1-1 tie in the 5th to end up beating the hapless Cubs 1-4, making Reds pitcher Alfredo Simon the first in the MLB to notch 12 wins.

## **July 7-13: OLAB**

Since 1973, Wabash has hosted rising high school seniors for a weeklong summer introduction to business and the market economy. This, the 43rd year, hosted 62 students from 16 states and France with counselors, volunteers, and a half-dozen faculty members, who came to the Wabash campus to participate in OLAB. Since OLAB's founding, more than 2,500 students have participated in the program. The IAWM has long been a supporter of this program, and many area alumni are happy to participate in simulated labor contract negotiations.





## **After-Work Get-Togethers**

**March 20**

Outliers Brewing Co., Mass Ave

**April 17**

Barley Island Brewing Co., Noblesville

**May 7**

People for Urban Progress, Fountain Square

**June 26**

Apparatus, Downtown

**July 17 & August 21**

Regions Tower Roof, Downtown

**September 11**

Irish Fest, Downtown

**October 21**

Broad Ripple Brewpub, Broad Ripple



## **Class of 2018 T-Shirts**



During the summer, rising members of the Wabash Class of 2018 received t-shirts and were asked to have their picture taken wearing the shirt for their class Facebook page. For the third year, incoming frosh could choose a red shirt that said Seriously Confident, Seriously Competitive, or Seriously Creative. The IAWM helped start this wonderful introduction to Wabash College for our future students and alumni.

## **July 24: Mitchum Crock Golf Outing**



This year's annual Mitchum Crock sold out, with more than 144 Wabash alumni, staff, students, and friends taking part in the annual. Dr. Tobey Herzog was the man of the day and gave a great talk at the dinner. From Tom Runge: "The Crock was sponsored by Bob Grand's firm - Barnes and Thornburg. The course - Plum Creek in Carmel, IN - was in tip-top shape. The Crock committee had sponsors Sun King Brewing and Sullivan's

Steakhouse set up strategically to keep the golfers hydrated and fueled. (If that isn't a true Wabash menu, I don't know what is). For after dinner - which was ribs and and the 'fixins' - they had a little Rye Whiskey from my good friend Dave Weglarz '03 from Still 630 in St. Louis."

Olsen, Christian, Flynn, and Barnard took the Crock (low net). Unfried, Bartley, Rankin, and Greer won the Petty Award (low gross). JD West had the longest drive, Akers had longest putt, and Chapman was closest to the pin.

## **August 9: Back to School Picnic**

Members of the IAWM and the NAWM welcomed Indianapolis-area incoming freshmen and their families at the Westside home of Cathy and John Bridge '72. About 80 people attended the 2nd annual event, which included President Gregory Hess.



Alumni did a great job of talking with families. Thanks to Matt Clark '00 for the food and Dave Waldman '93 for the Triton beer.

## **Sept. 9: New Faculty Reception**

Since 1999, the IAWM has hosted a reception welcoming new faculty members to campus. This year, we greeted 5 new professors in attendance. These are the teachers who are challenging the current crop of Wabash men and hopefully will become the next Placher, Butler, Heubner, and Zimmerman. After introducing themselves, they each received a membership to Athens Arts, courtesy of the IAWM.



## **W.A.B.A.S.H. DAY Sites**

**October 11-12**

### **AVON**

• B&O Trail Association  
Leaders: Jim Kerr '92 & Dave Jackson '87

### **FRANKLIN**

• Girls Inc. of Johnson County  
Leader: Brandon Clifton '05

### **INDIANAPOLIS**

• Second Helpings  
Leader: Bryan Roesler '06  
• The Villages  
Leader: Kevin Benefiel '81  
• Mapleton-Fall Creek Neighborhood  
Leader: Josh Tatum '03 & Jon Pactor '71

### **NOBLESVILLE**

• Noblesville Parks Department  
Leader: Lee Clark '73

### **SHELBYVILLE**

• Shelby Community Health Center  
Leaders: Mark Lazar '81 & Renny Esser '08

### **ZIONSVILLE**

• Morning Dove Therapeutic Riding.  
Leader: Steve Badger '87 & Scott Benedict '98.



**Website: [indywabash.org](http://indywabash.org)**  
**Facebook: 532 members,**  
**up 71 year over year**  
**LinkedIn: 411 members,**  
**up 70 year over year**  
**Twitter @IndyWabash:**  
**57 followers**

**Thank you,  
Wabash Men,  
for another  
terrific year!**

## **Oct. 25-28: Moot Court**

Thirty Wabash students participated in the 21st Annual Wabash College Moot Court Competition. Andrew Dettmer '15 was named Top Advocate. The judges panel selected Dettmer over finalists Jacob Burnett '15, Daniel



Thompson '16, and Matthew Binder '16. Rick Pitts '83 wrote this year's case involving free speech and social media.

This year the panel was led by Judge Jane Magnus-Stinson, the United States District Court for Indiana's Southern District. She was joined by Andrew R. Klein, dean of the IU Robert H. McKinney Law School at Indianapolis, and James Joven '88, a Marion County Superior Court judge. Each year a member of the Wabash faculty or administration serves as a judge, who was Dean of the College Scott Feller.

Moot Court was streamed live again this year. As in previous years, students and faculty from Lawrence North High School, Indianapolis, joined a good student turnout in the audience.

## **Nov. 13: Spirit of the Monon Bell Celebration**



This year, the IAWM had even more reason to declare, "DePauw to Hell" after the Dannies backed out of the Monon Bell Stag. Undeterred, the organization retooled things, hosting a new event with a more casual atmosphere at the Indianapolis City Market.

The result? A great turnout of more than 160 celebrating the Spirit of the Monon Bell. Tim Craft '00 served as emcee, Wabash President Greg Hess welcomed the guests, and Tyler Wade '12

gave a preview of the game. Hugh Vandivier '91 announced that the Wabash and DePauw Phi Deltis were once again joining together to run and bike a ceremonial game ball from Greencastle through Roachdale to Crawfordsville to raise money for ALS.

But the real highlight of the evening came when Wabash head football coach Erik Raeburn gave a barnburner of a speech, discussing the loss at Wittenburg, poor officiating, and the team's preparation for the Bell Game.