June 9, 2005

Class of 90:

This past weekend the Wabash Alumni and Parents office welcomed over 250 alumni back to campus for the second annual Big Bash Weekend. The weekend was filled with numerous activities, meals and conversation.

Besides fellow class agent Keith Bickley and I, members from the class of ’90 who returned to campus were: Mark "Bubba" Baker, Kevin Beausir, Andrew Burgess, Mike Costello, David Horvath, Kelley House, Andrew Miller, Chris Rozzi, Greg Shine, & Ansley Valentine. The class of ’90 had a few other reasons to be proud during the weekend with prominent colloquium presentations being presented by three of it members. Ansley's presentation titled "Puppets and Masks: From Wabash to Wooster" spoke to alumni about his work in theater, particularly his work with large puppets. Greg's presentation titled "Forts, Films, Fires, Festivals, Fees, Freaks, and Forests: 13 Years of Adventure in our National Parks" told the alumni about his interesting adventures while working for the National Parks Service. Finally Mike Costello, told the crowd about what DreamWorks SKG does in marketing a movie in his presentation titled "Movie Marketing 101". Mike came equipped with hats, posters and a few DVD's for the audience.

For pictures from the weekend go to the Wabash alumni site at www.wabash.edu/alumni.
Of special interest is the photo of the trio of Bubba, Bickley and Burgess during the alumni class chapel sing competition.

Our next official class reunion will of course not be for another 5 yrs, but alumni from all classes are always welcomed to come back to campus anytime.

Additionally if you are still in contact with members of the class of ’91 encourage them to plan on attending next year's events.

Finally, I wanted to thank the members of the class of ’90 who made financial contributions to the college this past fiscal year (as of the end of May). Nelson Alexander, Dr. Joe Anderson, Mark Baker, Keith Bickley, John Buehner, Andrew Burgess, Dean Cantrell, Michael Costello, Eric Elman, Dr. Greg Estes, Dr. Rich Evanseck, Mike Fulton, Scott Furnish, John Hauber, Eric Hoffman, Kelley House, David Hufford, Mario Joven, Mark Lee, Todd Lukens, Ruben Magana, Mitch Marcus, Dr. Loren McCoy, Patrick McEuen, Andrew Miller, John Petkovsek, Jon Porter, Scott Richardson, Chris Rozzi, Mike Sanchez, Mike Seale, Dr. Munir Shah, Brian Sheppard, Greg Shine and Bart Walker.
It is not too late to still give; any amount would help the college. The end of the Fiscal year for the College is June 30. Only 10 more donors would raise our class giving percentage to over the 25% level. The financial contributions from alumni to the Annual Fund funds scholarships, assist in technology upgrades, allows students to participate in immersion trips and provides the much needed support for campus building and facilities. If you have not already given this year, please consider giving before the end of the month. You can donate on line at http://www.wabash.edu/alumni/annualgiving or by calling 877-743-4545.

Please keep in touch and pass along any news or notes to Keith or I.

Wabash Always Fights.

Mike Fulton