January 14, 2004

Class of 1995,

- The **Greater Wabash Foundation** finished the first half of the fiscal year at $1,602,232 toward the 2003-2004 goal of $3 million. Thanks to the 2,272 alumni, parents, and friends who have made a gift so far this fiscal year. This is slightly below the GWF benchmarks (dollars and donors) set at the start of the 2003-2004 fiscal year.

- If you have yet to make your annual contribution to Wabash, there is still time. All gifts made by June 30, 2004 will be included in fiscal year 2003-2004.

- Please visit [www.wabash.edu/giving](http://www.wabash.edu/giving) for more information on the GWF, ways to give, matching gifts, and to make your gift online.

- Remember that gifts to the GWF have a direct impact on current students’ daily educational needs—scholarships, student life, teaching, and facilities.

- The GWF—It’s About Students!

  ✓ On January 13, the College received the **985th application**. The February 1 application deadline is less than three weeks away. Please encourage your recruits to apply. Remember that your signature on an application waives the $30.00 application fee. Your signature may be what it takes to get a student to apply to the College. Also, the campus visit is key to our success, so encourage any prospective student to visit.

  ✓ This winter and spring will be crucial for recruiting the Wabash Class of 2008. Here is the complete schedule of this semester’s campus recruiting events for your future needs. Feel free to pass this on to your recruits.

    February 14-16       African American Hispanic Latino Visit Weekend  
    February 27-28       Fine Arts Weekend  
    March 19-20          Honor Scholarship Weekend  
    April 15-17          Lilly Fellowship Weekend  
    May 8                Spring Visit Day

    It is still not too late to refer a senior. Send his contact information to us as soon as possible. Right now is a terrific time to refer juniors. Juniors referred now may have an opportunity to visit campus this spring. Refer a young man to Wabash by calling 800-345-5385, by sending a note to Steve Klein at P.O. Box 352, Crawfordsville IN, 47933 or by clicking on the referral link here: [www.wabash.edu/alumni/home.cfm?page_id=63](http://www.wabash.edu/alumni/home.cfm?page_id=63)

    Thank you for all your efforts in spreading the fame!

- **The Campaign for Leadership** enters its final 6 months, having increased the total by more than two million since the end of November. The total is now nearing the $126 million mark. Come to campus,
contact the advancement office, or visit the Wabash website (www.wabash.edu) to see what the Campaign for Leadership has done for Wabash College, especially its student of today and student’s of tomorrow.

- Dean of the College Mauri Ditzler ’75 has reported the awarding of tenure to 6 faculty members following a review process during the fall semester. Scott Feller (Chemistry), Dennis Krause (Physics), Todd McDorman (Speech), Dan Rogers (Modern Language), Ann Taylor (Chemistry), and Peter Thompson (Math) will each be promoted from Assistant to Associate Professor on July 1.

- The following stories are available on the Wabash website:

  - The latest news stories at Wabash have produced a range of emotions from students, faculty, and staff. From the excitement and joy that come with another Lilly Grant or students helping families in need to the sorrow at the passing of a legend.
  
  - View stories and results of Little Giant athletic action from the winter break

  - Winter athletic schedules

Drop me an e-mail (sextonr@oakwood.org) if you have news to include in the next letter, or feel free to give me a call at (248) 544-7918.

Wabash Always Fights,

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