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Dear classmates,

A great deal has happened this year! Here's a quick rundown of a few highlights:

Most importantly, and as I am certain you read from the last note from the college, we trounced the Tribe of Dan in the Monon Bell game 47-0 in the first Wabash shutout since 1967 over the previously undefeated Dannies from Greencastle. Outrushing what our friends from the south's media department had labeled the best team DePauw had ever fielded 292-11, Wabash racked up 498 total yards. Two Wabash quarterbacks had two passing touchdowns. Call the bookstore today to order your copy of the game DVD before the shelves are as empty as the DePauw stands after halftime. <a href="http://www.wabash.edu/news/displaystory.cfm?news\_ID=8487">http://www.wabash.edu/news/displaystory.cfm?news\_ID=8487</a>

Speaking of the Tribe of Dan, did you also know we won the Monon Keg rugby match as well by a score of 40-5? And, the basketball team won their game over the previously undefeated team from the south. It's not been a good year to be a supporter of Danny athletics.

It will get better; DePauw has joined the NCAC. http://www.wabash.edu/news/displaystory.cfm?news ID=8126

Also, while you are recruiting students to Wabash, keep this news in mind. Wabash and Purdue has formed a partnership whereby students can pursue a dual degree (BS in engineering from Purdue combined with the liberal arts grounding of the Wabash AB). http://www.wabash.edu/news/displaystory.cfm?news ID=8562

"Deadliest Warrior," a show that evaluates historical figures and places them into computerized combat, has been graced by a visit from our own Professor Morillo. Be sure to watch next summer/fall for his episode. <a href="http://wabash.edu/news/displaystory.cfm?news">http://wabash.edu/news/displaystory.cfm?news</a> ID=8527

More than a few members of the Wabash community have retired this fall semester. Among them are many people I'm sure you remember: Nancy and Bill Doemel, Carolyn Goff in the president's office, Carolyn Harshbarger, who is the Annual Giving Coordinator, Steve House, Cindy Munford, and Linda Wilson. See the full list here: <a href="http://www.wabash.edu/news/displaystory.cfm?news\_ID=8555">http://www.wabash.edu/news/displaystory.cfm?news\_ID=8555</a>.

I don't need to remind everyone what a loss we all suffered when we lost Professor Placher in 2008. His last book, *Mark*, was published this year. Be certain to pick up a copy. http://www.wabash.edu/news/displaystory.cfm?news ID=8286

The professors Day have been busy! Professor Joe Day has published a book, *Archaic Greek Epigram and Dedication*, which he states he's been working on for 20 years. Professor Leslie Day also published a book earlier this year on the lives of those in ancient Kavousi, Crete.

http://blogs.wabash.edu/moments/2010/12/08/joe-days-book-20-years-in-the-making/

Check out the The Bachelor archives, a labor of love by Achivest Beth Swift. Reading though the papers from our years brought back quite a few memories. Who would have thought in 1994 that Patrick Mulry would be so prophetic with his note on the internet? I won't make you search; it was in the January 27, 1994 edition. Or that Brendon Cassidy is mentioned in the February 3, 1994 edition for composing "Ford Fanfare" for the inauguration of Pres. Ford? (<a href="http://www.wabash.edu/alumni/eServices/archives">http://www.wabash.edu/alumni/eServices/archives</a>

Speaking of Brendon, he married the lovely Brook Rowland this summer! Here's a photo from Brendon's wedding reception. I'm sure you recognize Nina Gilbert, but can you ID the other former Wabash music professor?



Congratulations for Karl and Jessica Kercheval on the July birth of Bronson David!

Check out Taimur Baig's take on the East Asian economies for 2011 online at <a href="http://www.financeasia.com/News/241726">http://www.financeasia.com/News/241726</a>, asia-decoupling-is-a-myth.aspx?refresh=on

I had a great time this summer with fellow Kappa Sig Chris Wilkins and his wife Susan at their home near Chicago. In a strange twist of fate, Chris and I have both been blessed with three girls. As Chris says, God does have a sense of humor.

Check out Matt Deleget's website at <a href="http://www.minusspace.com/">http://www.minusspace.com/</a>

For the feel good story of this letter, a member of the Beta house was saved by his brothers after his insulin pump malfunctioned this past October. Read the details at: <a href="http://www.wabash.edu/news/displaystory.cfm?news\_ID=8388">http://www.wabash.edu/news/displaystory.cfm?news\_ID=8388</a>

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In Wabash,

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