

Jaking Pride
in
West Virginia Wesleyan College

musical greetings

Music department faculty members David Wright and David Milburn perform at the President's Reception during orientation activities.



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court of honor

The 2001 Homecoming court waits to be announced during halftime activities at this year's football contest.



Taking Pride in West Virginia Wesleyan College

on the cover

Clockwise: Krista Slemmer, winner of last year's Spring Sing Best Director Award, hopes to repeat the honor this year. Members of the talented Jazz Ensemble practice many hours. Christina Willis is shown with her laptop. For the first time, all full-time students received the same laptop model. Men's soccer player Anders Johnsson races to keep the ball from his opponent.

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2002 Murmurmontis

West Virginia Wesleyan College

Buckhannon, WV

Enrollment: 1,450





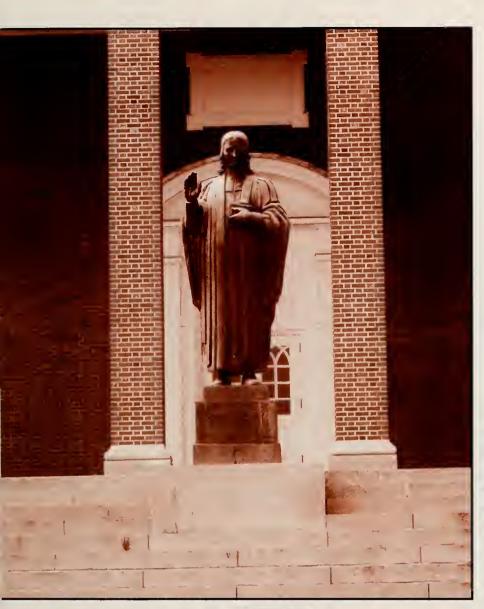
Right: The statue of Jahn Wesley stands on the steps of Wesley Chapel, woiting to greet all who take pride in West Virginia Wesleyan College.

Taking Pride In...

West Virginia Wesleyan College is a very unique educational facility. The values and traditions of this institution are founded on the basis of the Methodist Church, as well as the incorporation of technology and a liberal arts curriculum. Over the years, West Virginia Wesleyan College has also developed a great sense of pride in everything that is "Wesleyan".

One of the features that has always caught a person's eye about West Virginia Wesleyan College is the beauty of the campus. Wesleyan takes a great deal of pride in the presentation of its landscape and facilities. The students, faculty, staff, and the Buckhannon community find that the meticulous care of the grounds and buildings adds a positive boost to the atmosphere of the college and community.

Pride is a dominant force in all things at Wesleyan. Students take pride in the sense of family that has always been apparent. They are also able to take pride in such things as technology, academic achievements and honors, and sports achievements. Whatever the involvement of each student on campus, it is more than likely that each student will be able to say that there is a feeling of pride in attending West Virginia Wesleyan College.





Above: Wesley Chopel faces the campus ovol, where many students spend sunny days playing football, firsbee, or soccer.



Left: Flemming Holl houses both freshmen girls and freshmen boys, providing o safe and cozy living environment.

Family



Right: Bayfriend and girlfriend Khanh Thai and Allan Whiteman spend same time together an campus.



Above: Friends Aylyn Yalaz and Amonda White spend time together between classes.



Above: Best friends Miranda Burr and Jaclyn Knopp spend every day together when not in class.







Below: Friends Andrew Sleeth and Luke Federspiel tell stories to each ather while at a meeting







Top Center: Allison Quinn, Sharan Lynn Miner, and Emily Ames spend o lat of time tagether in the Theatre Department.

Bottam Center: Cwayna Wayne and Janna Derby just enjoy hanging aut

Left: Alpha Gamma Delta sisters Erin Lawrence, Amanda McComb, Meredith Lett, and Julie Renner are lucky to be oble to experience sisterhaad thraugh their sorority.

Campus Beauty



Right: Hoymond Hall seems to glow as the sun shines down on a beautiful March day.



Above: The Administration Building, one of the oldest buildings on compus, looks beautiful surrounded by snow.



Above: McCuskey Holl, the freshmen girls' dorm, faces the open, white grounds of Wesleyon's compus.





Belaw: The compus center is a central part of every student's life on Wesleyan's compus



Center Top: Wesley Chopel is the center of Wesleyan's compus.
Center Bottom: The campus exhibits gnef over the September 11, 2001 tragedy by flying the American flag. West Virginia stote flag, and the Methodist flag at half-most

Left: The Annie Merner Pfeiffer Librory faces the green grounds of Wesleyan's campus.



Traditions in Pride

raditions are the handing down of information, beliefs, and customs by word of mouth or by example, from one generation to another. West Virginia Wesleyan College has many unwritten traditions which are handed down as each year passes.

The students at Wesleyan enjoyed participating in a wide variety of traditions. Many of the most popular traditions were seasonal, such Orientation. as Homecoming, Christmas on Campus, Spring Sing and Graduation. Orientation, Homecoming, and Spring Sing were traditional events that revolved around the students of Wesleyan. Christmas on Campus was a community event which benefited the children Buckhannon. Graduation is a timeless tradition which honored the graduates of Wesleyan at the end of spring. Events such as these are engrained in the institution of West Virginia Wesleyan College.

Other traditions also prevailed at Wesleyan. These traditions involved many forms of extracurricular activities, such as theatre, art, music, concert, and outdoor recreation. Traditions such as these offered students the chance to pursue activities that were of interest. They also helped form the sense of family which many students and faculty felt prominent at Wesleyan. Traditions provided a sense of pride for the college and community.

Top Left: This group of Wesleyan students enjoys a day af hiking through the mountoins of West Virginia.

Top Right: President Hoden crowns Johnna Steele as the 2001 Hamecoming Queen.

Bottom Lett: Homecoming court member Brooke Seelas helps celebrate Hamecaming with her Alpha Gamma Delta sister, Lisa Pitrolo.

Bottom Right: New students gother with their family and mingle with faculty at Orientatian.





Abave: Orange and black Hamecaming banners decarate the campus of Wesleyan during the 2001 Homecoming celebratian.



Left: Nicole Ehman and Eric Fecat wait in line, ready ta march in the Homecoming Court parode.

Below: Seniors Johnna Steele and Charlie Phillips are crowned the 2001 West Virginia Wesleyan College Homecoming Queen and King.









Above: The Homecoming Court for 2001 consists of Sara Beth Wilson, Michael Malfregeot, Theresa Cummings, David Gilbert, Nicole Ehmann, President William Haden, Johnna Steele, Charlie Phillips, Betsey Flannigan, Eric Fecet, and Brooke Seelos.

Center Top: Fans gather in the stands at Ross Field to watch the 2001 Homecoming football game. **Above:** Weslevan cheerleaders and mascot take to the track to entertain and excite the crowd.



Homecoming 2001

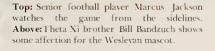


H omecoming can be defined as a return to home. To West Virginia Wesleyan alumni and students, this is exactly what it means. Homecoming is an annual event that allows students, alumni, friends, professors, and faculty to draw together in celebration of Wesleyan pride. Various events surround each year's Homecoming, such as Homecoming royalty, football games, parties, special dinners, meetings, and just a general feeling of family.

The king and queen of the Homecoming celebration were selected by their peers here at Wesleyan. This year's Homecoming King and Queen were Charlie Phillips and Johnna Steele. The football game, special dinner, and parties gave the Wesleyan community a chance to come together and express its pride in being a part of the Wesleyan family. Alumni and students were able to congregate together and exchange stories of their times here at WVWC.

Overall, Homecoming 2001 offered students and alumni the opportunity to celebrate the pride they have in Weslevan. Homecoming is a long-standing, deeply rooted tradition, and with each year's activities, a stronger sense of family and honor is achieved.







Above: The sisters of Alpha Gamma Delta get pumped up for the Homecoming Weekend.

Below: President William Haden and Betsey Flannigan mingle with the new freshman during Orientation weekend.









Above: The new freshmen enjoy a picnic outside catered by Aladdin.

Top: Freshmen report to the gymnasium to check-in for Orientation. **Above:** Freshmen and their purents try to familiarize themselves with the campus during the Orientation weekend.

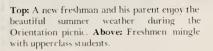
Wesleyan Orientation



Orientation 2001 was a time of nervousness and excitement. The new students had to attend orientation when they moved here to West Virginia Wesleyan College. Orientation was a weekend activity that familiarized each new student with the campus, professors, and customs of the Wesleyan community. The weekend also allowed the students to get to know each other.

Orientation weekend involved a number of activities for students. First, students had to register at their dorms and move into the room they were to live in for the next year. They were also introduced to their roommate for the first time. Next, the students had to register in the library for their classes. This also involved them attaining a meal plan, student ID, and then they had to pick up their new laptop computers. The rest of the weekend was spent in special classes called freshman seminar. Freshman seminar was a group of students assigned to a particular faculty or staff members who were responsible for acclimating their students to the campus. Seminar leaders arranged for special games, outings, and participation in the freshman Olympics.







Above: This freshmen orientation team is prepared to take on the other teams during the fresman Olympics.

Below: West Virginia Wesleyan College senior Andrea Black helps brighten the day of Buckhannon children by dressing as Santa's helper elf.











Center Top: Anne Schoolcraft works one of the booths during Christmas on Campus. **Above:** This group of children seems to be enjoying themselves and having a great time with their group leaders.



Christmas on Campus





Top: Alpha Delta Pi sisters Michelle Mace, Rachel Weaver, and Rachel Corn help a group of children makes crafts. Above: Megan Tourtillote, Elizabeth Spedding. Stephanie Cooper, Heidi Tucker, Jenny Simons. Angela Gav Kinkead. Megan Miller, and Anne Schoolcraft organized the 2001 Christmas on Campus.

Christmas on Campus is an annual tradition here at West Virginia Wesleyan College. Christmas is a season of loving and sharing, and Wesleyan's students showed this like no other. Christmas on Campus is a special day set out of the Christmas season in order to show a love for the children of Upshur County.

The day involved hours of planning and activities. The organizations of WVWC set up booths, each of which had a different activity, such as face painting. The children were able to go to each booth and spend their day making various crafts and playing an assortment of games. The children were divided into small groups, which were led by volunteer students from Wesleyan who were in charge of their group of children for the day. They led them from booth to booth, and at the end of the day, they took them to their special treat – Santa Claus. Each child was presented with a bag full of gifts from Santa Claus.

The excitement experienced by each child during Christmas on Campus is what prompted the Wesleyan students to participate. The expressions of love and happiness caused a sense of pide in each volunteer.



Above: Santa Claus and his helper elf make the children attending Christmas on Campus feel happy and special.

Below: Friends Magen Tourtillotte and Jenora Benjamin spend their day kayaking with the Outdoor Recreation Department.









Above: Jared Luteran takes a break with Wesleyan students after hiking Seneca Rock.

Top: White water rafting is one of the most popular outdoor recreation trips at West Virginia Wesleyan College.

Bottom: This group of Wesleyan students take a break to smile for the camera before their horseback riding experience.





Outdoor Recreation





Top: Christie Thompson enjoys her day skiing at Timberline Resort.

Bottom: Chris Stralev smiles for the camera as he comes to the stop at the foot of the mountain.

West Virginia is known for its "wild and wonderful" outdoors. Weslevan's Outdoor Recreational Life Department, also referred to as W.O.R.L.D., offered many opportunities to students this year. Due to the increase in interest from students during the year, the department offered more trips this year than in past years. A variety of outings were offered to students with many different interests. During the year, students traveled to such places as Spruce Knob to camp, whitewater rafting on the Gauley River, horseback riding at Seneca Rocks, skiing at Timberline Resort, and climbing and rappelling at the New River Gorge. There was also a freshmen hiking trip to Valley Falls, which gave freshmen the chance to meet and get to know one another. Many students participated in the Audra State Park clean-up to help in the conservation of the Middle Fork River, as well as earn community service hours. The year 2001-2002 was a year of growth for the department, offering numerous trips and increasing students' interest. Weslevan students who participated in these great adventures enjoyed these exciting day and weekend trips.



Above: This group of freshmen take a lunch break while hiking Valley Falls.

Below: Spring Sing Queen Tara McCartney and King Eric Fecat pose for their loyal subjects following their coronation during Spring Sing 2002 ceremonies.









Above: Court member Tina Grof proudly walks to the front of the Chapel in preparation for a very special spring evening at Weslevan.

Center Top: The 2002 Spring Sing Court stands regally hehind the 2002 King and Queen. **Above:** President Haden crowns Tara McCartney as Queen of Spring Sing 2002.



Spring Sing



Weslevan was rockin' to the 50s! The sounds of songs such as Lollipop, At the Hop, Love is Strange, and Earth Angel were performed by various organizations during the 2002 Spring Sing competition. These students devoted much time and effort to learning their dance routines and songs, and it showed. After the shows were performed, the winners were announced.

Placing first in the fraternity division was Theta Xi, with Kappa Alpha placing second, and Alpha Sigma Phi third. In the sorority division, Alpha Gamma Delta came in first, Alpha Xi Delta second, and Zeta Tau Alpha third. The best overall performance of the night went to the Black Student Union with their well-performed Banana Boat tune.

Winning the crowns at Spring Sing were Eric Fecat as King, and Tara McCartnev as Queen. Members of the Court included: Beri-Belle Manjong. Tina Grof, Sharon Lynn Miner, Meghann Dix, Kawan Gordon, Michael Malfregeot, Pete Thompson, and Stephen Oliver.

Spring Sing was a smash, bringing together students, faculty and parents in a sense of pride.





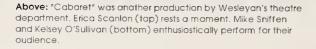
50s are the participants of Spring Sing 2002.

Above: Singin' and rockin' to the music of the Above: This group's members eagorly await the decisions of the judges following their performance.











Abave: Wesleyan's theatre department presents "The Boys Next Daar" to the Wesleyon cammunity. Actors included Craig Maravy (top), James Halland, and Jock Lefebvre.

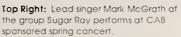


Arts & Entertainment











Left and Above: Members af WVWC's Jazz Band practice hours for their various perfarmances an and aff campus thraughaut the year









A Variety of Wesleyan Traditions











Faculty Pride

he faculty and staff at West Virginia Wesleyan College were an essential element of the community. Each and every faculty and staff member represented an important aspect of a student's life at Wesleyan.

The professors were the key to the great education that was received at West Virginia Wesleyan College. The students at Wesleyan developed strong ties to the professors they saw each and every day of their education. Not only did professors teach, they became a part of the students' family at Wesleyan.

Professors were not the only members of the Wesleyan community which aided in the education of the students. The staff of the Wesleyan campus also served in the education and familial feel of every student's experience while attending college. The professors, faculty, and staff were the glue that held West Virginia Wesleyan College together. They proudly educated and mentored the students of the college. In return, the students were proud to have them as their educators and mentor, and also as members of their Wesleyan family.

As the years have passed, the professors, staff, and faculty have learned they must say good-bye to the students they have spent years knowing. Each student left West Virginia Wesleyan College with the pride and knowledge that these wonderful teachers and mentors have engrained in each heart.

Tap Lett: Dr. Herbert Castan and Dr. Jahn Warner enjoy talking with alumni and students during the Homecoming weekend

Tap Right: Dr. Rabert Rupp spends his office haurs grading papers and meeting with students.

Bottam Lett: Suzanne Haas works with students os an advisar in the Academic Support Services program.

Battam Right: Tommy Fredrick works in her affice in the Academic and Career Service Center.





Above: Dr. Arthur Holmes chats with fellow professors during the Homecoming celebration.



Left: Dr. Kwome Booteng makes use of Wesleyan's technology during his closs lectures.

President of the College William R. Haden



Dear Graduates:

I om pleased to offer my congratulations on the completion of your Wesleyan education. Each of you has accomplished a significant step in reaching the moment of graduation, and you can be rightly proud of your success. During your time here, we have experienced many special moments together: thrilling athletic victories, musical presentations that move our spirits, moments of revelation in our educational journeys, and the best (and worst!) of Buckhannon's weather and scenic beauty.

And we have known the pain and sadness of September 11, 2001, when all of our lives were changed forever. The world you enter after Wesleyan is a far different place from the one from which you entered. Go with great confidence, though, knowing that you are well prepared to face your futures and to make your personal contribution to society.

- William R. Hoden, President



Above: President Haden speaks with the new freshmen during Orientation weekend.

Vice President for Academic Affairs & Dean of the College Richard Weeks



Vice President for Student Affairs & Dean of Students Trina Dobberstein



Dear 2002 Graduates:

Your senior year has been indelibly marked by the events of September 11th. While our nation and the world still struggle to understand the complicated and profound threads of that tragedy, my wish for you upon this momentous occasion of your graduation from West Virginia Wesleyan College is to take your place among the educated citizenry of this country who commit to making a difference in their communities, their countries, and in the world. I hope that your Wesleyan experience has helped you develop the confidence and courgae to act. Best wishes as you leave your "Home Among the Hills!"

— Trina Dobberstein



Peggy Cooning Vice President for Advancement



Duwane Squires
Vice President and
Chief Information
Officer



Stephen Jones Vice President for Finance



Shauna Aurelio Assistant Professor of Nursing



James Beeby Assistant Professor of History



Rebecca Bermes Graduate Assistant -Outdoor Recreation



Rebecca Bliesner Assistant Professor of Chemistry



Kwame Boateng Assistant Professor of Political Science



Robert Burch Helpdesk Supervisor



Debbie Bush Educator in Residence/ Education



Marvin Carr Assoc. Professor of Christian Ed. & Dir. of Parish Ministry



Tim Channell Academic & Career Advisor



Jason DePoy Associate Director of Admission



Above: Lyndo Bowers and Alice Leigh work hard to keep the Registror's Office running smoothly

Top Right: Admissions counselor Joshuo Ray speaks on the

phone with students in his office. **Bottom Right:** Dixie Shorp spends her lost semester of

Wesleyan making our dorms look good.







David Ford Assoc. Dir. of Advancement & Parent Relations



Lisa Fort Coordinator of Gift Records & Technology



Russell Francis Visiting Professor of Accounting



Jean Fruh
Asst. Prof. of Heath &
P.E. & Director of
Athletic Training



Andy Halle Lecturer in Physics



Allen Hamner
Professor of
Chemistry



Joan Harman Academic & Career Advisor



Linda Hicks Executive Assistant President's Office



Arthur Holmes Professor of Religion



Angela Gay Kinkead Dean of the Chapel







Above: Dr. James Beeby and Dr. Robert Rupp take a break autside the chopel during the Homecoming celebration.

Tap Lett: Dr. Kwame Booteng makes use of technology while teaching his Comparative Developing States class.

Bottom Left: Dr. William Mahoney speaks with a student after class.



Kristi Lawrence Visiting Instructor in Communication



Cyndi MartinAssociate Director of
Annual Giving



Randy Maus Residence Life Coordinator



Paula McGrew Assistant Professor of Library Science & Reference Librarian



Charles Miller Hd. Coach -Men's Basketball & Asst. Professor-Education



Vicki PhillipsAssistant Professor of Religion



Bert Popson
Professor of Physics
& Engineering



Nancy Porter Coord. Writing Center & ESL Program



Sandra Presar Assistant Professor of Communication & Dramatic Arts



Peter Roe Residence Life Coordinator



Above: Jerry Oldaker keeps Wesleyon's moil system flowing **Top Right:** Dr Russell Froncis, the visiting professor of occounting, works on preparing an assignment for one of his closses.

Bottom Right: The faculty of West Virginio Wesleyon College march in line ofter ottending the Homecoming chapel service.







Robert Rupp Professor of Government & History



Alfred Scalia Educator in Residence/ Education



Jeremy Sibold Instructor in P.E. & Associate Athletic Trainer



Sharon Smith Associate Professor of Education



Wanda Swiger Instructor in P.E. & Associate Athletic Trainer



Victor Thacker Visiting Professor of English



Dawn Vighetti Graduate Assistant -Tennis



Shanita Wine Chemistry Lab & Supplies Coordinator/Instructor







Above: Visiting Instructor Kristi Lawrence teaches one of her closses outside on on oddly warm winter day.

Top Left: Matt Martin works with students in the Financial Planning office.

Bottom Left: Jerry Steed. Pom Smallridge, and Sue Pugh assist students in the Burser's office



Graduating Pride

Pride was a very central feeling among all students who attended West Virginia Wesleyan College. For the graduating seniors, this sense of pride surrounded them as they prepared to move on to a life of many new and exciting experiences. As students set their sites on graduation day, various emotions were experienced. Anticipation and excitement mixed with sorrow and uncertainty. However, the feeling of pride was the most prominent emotion that overtook each student.

The formation of pride in a graduating Wesleyan student was achieved through many different modes. Accomplishing the goal of gaining degrees in the field(s) of study that students found interesting was a means to such pride. Many other things also contributed to the pride that each graduating senior felt. The feeling of being part of a Wesleyan family for many years, living in a small town setting, being involved with various sports and activities, and having the support and love of many friends were all ways in which these Wesleyan seniors formed their sense of pride.

As the senior class approached graduation, they looked forward to carrying this sense of pride with them into all other aspects of their lives. Each day of their lives, these graduates found within themselves the determination and drive to live their lives with a sense of responsibility and pride; both traits they learned while attending West Virginia Wesleyan College.

HEADING TO CLASS Top Right: Seniar Emily Stresky passes Christapher Hall on her way to class,

STUDYING

Top Left: Seniar Sarah Reider studies far an exam autside the campus center.

WORKING

Bottom Right: Seniar Jamel Williams takes a break from working at the Switchbaard to smile for the camera.

HAVING DINNER Bottom Left: Seniors Janna Derby and Frank Giallanza mug for the camera while eating dinner in a restaurant in Helvetia, WV.



Below: Senior Gavin Lawrence smiles an his way to class in Christopher Hall.





Left: Senior Nicole Ehmann spends her lunch hour serving Wesleyan students lunch in the cafeteria.



Sarah Acton Louisville, KY Business



Emily Ames Tanner, WV Biology



Nicholas Andrew Buckhannon, WV Chemistry



Anne Angelone Cinnaminson, NJ Elementary: Education



Nicole Angelone Cinnaminson, NJ Nursing



Theressa Arnold

Davis, WV

Chemistry



Issac Aurelio
Buckhannon, WV
Engineering Physics



Sarah Axton West Union, WV Mathematics



Sara Aylestock Buckhannon. WV Psychology



Scott Bennett Yarmouth, ME Sec. Education/English



Mary Bird Charleston, WV Chemistry



Andrea Black Elizabethtown, PA English



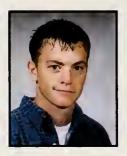
Ryan Blizzard Estell Manor, NJ Political Science



Stacey BrettPittsburgh, PA
Music Education



Christine Bringenberg Albion, NY Sociology



Eric Brookes Wheeling, WV Public Relations



Courtney Bussman
Guilford, CT
Art: Ceramics



Amie Campanicki Dover, DE Athletic Training



Devin CarrBeverly, MA
Education:Elementary



Laura Carrino Nutley, NJ Education: Elementary



Jada Carroll Lost Creek, WV Psychology



James Cassidy Brunswick, ME Art: Graphic Design



Jessica Cochran Liberty, WV Physics



Travis Cogar Sutton, WV Chemistry



Jason Comeau Bradford, MA Psychology



Stephanie Cooper Drufork, WV Education: Elementary



Rachel Corn Pittsburgh, PA Education: Elementary



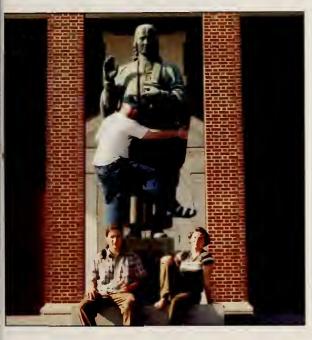
Flora Cox Gassaway, WV Education: Elementary



Shauna Crowe Williamsburg, WV Nursina



Theresa Cummings Spencer, WV Psychology/Sociology



Zack Flower and Judith Vojik enjoy an unusually sunny winter day, while Jason Comeau shows the statue of John Wesley a little affection.

Wesleyan Family

he concept of a Wesleyan family may have seemed silly to some, but as the graduates proceeded through their years here it became more believable. Leaving a real family behind in order to pursue education required these students to find a replacement family in order to form stability. Most of the graduating students here at Wesleyan found this replacement in the form of their many friends and professors. Senior Jaclyn Knopp said, "I used to think that the idea of a Wesleyan family was silly, but now I am able to say that it does exist. Every member of this community has become a part of a huge family to me."

As seniors prepared to move on to the next step in their lives, they realized that they will always have the memories of their Wesleyan family. Although this family could not stay together as one for very long, the Wesleyan family would always be around to turn to for comfort and support.



Andrea Curtin Webster Springs, WV Public Relations



Kristin Dalesandro Murrysville, PA Business: Marketing



Erin D'Aurora Follansbee, WV Biology



Grant DeHaven Lahmansville, WV Political Science



Janet Depoy Buckhannon, WV Nursing



Janna Derby Glenville, WV Public Relations



Luke Diamant
South Park, PA
Computer Science



Andrea DiPietro Skysville, MD Dramatic Arts



Meghann Dix Cuyahoga Falls, OH Business: Marketing



Heather DonlinFairmont, WV
Education: Elementary

Community

ommunity service played a large role in almost every graduating student's life at West Virginia Wesleyan College. Some students were required to perform community service in order to fulfill a specific course requirement, while others just enjoyed giving back to the community. These seniors put their hearts and souls into the work they enjoyed, in order to make a difference, and they were rewarded with the chance to see the impact they made.

As graduation approached, the realization that they, as seniors, must leave behind the service that they have dedicated themselves to for the past years began to become apparent. Senior Ashley Morris said, "The project that I have poured my heart and soul into is the Valley Green after school tutoring program. I have been there for four years and those kids have impacted me as much as I have impacted them." Such dedication to community service gave these graduating seniors a sense of pride they can carry for their years to come.



Senior Bonner Scholar Donald Robinson paints a child's face during the annual Children's Festival.



Laura Lee Dudek Spotswood, NJ Education: Elementary



Amanda Eakle Huntington, WV Music Education



Verona, NJ Sociology



Benji Farley Hinton, WV Management



Eric Fecat Glen Dale, WV Accounting



Luke Federspiel
Gilford, NH
Marketing



Heather Ferreira

Brick, NJ

Nursing



Afrim Ficic Ontario, Canada Physical Education



Heather Figura
Pittsburgh, PA
Education: Elementary



Charlene Flynn Claverack, NY Biology



Matthew Frizzell North Pomfret, VT English: Literature



Trisha Frysinger
Canton, NY
Education: Elementary



Louis Gettell McKees Rocks, PA Computer Science



David Gilbert
Ligonier, PA
Education: Secondary



Nordli Gobern-Moss Laurelton, NY Communication Studies



Nicholas Graham Bluefield, WV Engineering Physics



Tina GrofHuntington, WV
Chemistry



Ehren Gross Morehead City, NC Environmental Science



Jeff Gudzune Claymont, DE History



Michael Haines
Points, WV
Computer Science



Muhammad Hamidullah Hamilton, OH History



Erica Hamilton Coshocton, OH Business Admin.



Amber Hammond Parkersburg, WV Education: Elementary



Phil Hancock Bluefield, WV Political Science



David Hardin Huntington, WV Religion



Melissa Harrington Chestertown, MD



Kristi Haynes Ellenboro, WV Education: Elementary Education: Elementary



Nicholas Hedstrom Raleigh, NC Art: Graphic Design



Teri Hendricks Waldorf, MD English: Literature



Carolyn Henley Scott Dale, PA Psychology



Whitney Hitchcock Elkins, WV Business: Marketing



Elise Hoover Potomac, MD Education: Elementary



Steven Howard Deerfield, IL Business: Marketing



Kelly Howe Blandford, MA Health Promo/Fitness



Misti Hueth Sidney, MT Business: Marketing



Joseph Hughes North Cape May, NJ MBA



Marcus Jackson Forestville, MD Business: Management



Gera Jochum Wheeling, WV Biology



Derrick Johns Weston, WV Physics



Sara Jones Spencer, NY Biology



Syreeta Jones
Trenton, NJ
Business: Marketing



Joshua Keane Punxsutawney, PA Engineering Physics



Jennifer Keatley
Forest Hill, WV
MBA



Evan Keeling Fairmont, WV History



Karen Keller Vienna, WV Biology

Greek Tife





he Greek life at West Virginia Weslevan College thrived on the enthusiasm of its members. Many graduating seniors looked upon the fraternity or sorority to which they belonged family. The fraternities offered as brotherhood. and the sororities sisterhood. Many students here at Wesleyan were the only children in their real family and never got to have the chance to experience what it would be like to have a brother or sister. The tradition of Greek life gave them this opportunity. Senior Meredith Lett said, "Alpha Gamma Delta gave me a sisterhood of sixty wonderful, diverse sisters."

Greek life also gave many seniors the opportunity to become more confident of themselves. The many chances for leadership positions allowed students to become more outgoing. Senior Johnna Steele said, "It's completely amazing to me that something I was so unsure of at first has made me so sure of myself."

These bonds of brotherhood and sisterhood offered a lifelong family to its members, which was comforting to those who graduated. The seniors at West Virginia Wesleyan College would always say that they had a large, caring family upon whom they could turn to in times of hardship and times of joy. Their bonds to their brothers and sisters gave them pride for a lifetime.

Top left: The senior sisters of Alpha Gamma Delta are all laughs and smiles as they attempt to build their senior pyramid. **Bottom left:** The Theta Chi fraternity house is a home to a large group of fraternity brothers on Weslevan's campus.



Christopher Kimes Mineral Wells, WV Political Science



Patricia Knight Bridgeport, WV Mathematics



Jaclyn Knopp Leroy, WV Communication & Pol. Sci.



Atsushi Kobayashi Japan Computer Info. Science



Toshi Kobayashi Tokyo, Japan Psychology

Buckhannon

he city of Buckhannon was just as important to West Virginia Wesleyan College as West Virginia Wesleyan College was to the city of Buckhannon. Many graduating students agreed that they found Buckhannon small and that there were not many activities. However, as the students spent their years at Wesleyan, they found that there were certain activities that Buckhannon offered that could be found no where else.

This year's senior class graduated with fond memories of the times they spent going swimming at Audra State Park or going out to eat at Audrey's at four o'clock in the morning. Stores such as Aesops, Serendipity, and Molly's Pantry offered a unique place to shop. Places such as these made Buckhannon and the county of Upshur special to the seniors.

While many of the graduates moved to larger cities, they could always look back upon their memories of a less hectic world in Buckhannon, West Virginia. Whenever the graduates' lives felt too hurried and stressful, they would always have a place to come home to in order to relax and remember some of the best years of their lives. Hopefully, every student was able to say with pride that they attended school at West Virginia Wesleyan College in a wonderful town called Buckhannon.

Top: The Buckhannon Courthouse decorated for Christmas. **Bottom:** Aesop's cafe, coffeehouse, and tavern is a popular local hangout for many Wesleyan students.







mberly Kunzelman Floral Park, NY Nursing



Angela Kyle Elkins, WV



Jennifer LaMora Elkins, WV Business: Marketing History/English: Writing



Jonathan Langevin Beverly, WV Art: Graphic Design



Jason LaRue Wheeling, WV Biology



Ivy Leslie Cowen, WV siness: Administration



Bill Lizor Sykesville, MD Drama/Ministry



Tracie Long Greensburg, PA Christian Ed./Church Ldshp.



Lisa Longnecker Bridgehampton, NY Sociology



Amanda Lowther Volga, WV History/Sociology



Manuel Luna, Jr. Germantown, MD Computer Science



Kathryn Madsen Fairfield, PA Mathematics



Joann Maduro Bronx, NY Education: Elementary



Michael MalFregeot Clarksburg, WV



Rhonda Mast Washington, PA Business: Management Comp. Info. Sci./Accounting



Tara McCartney Parkersburg, WV arketing/Public Relations



Oliver McClung Summersville, WV English/Philosophy



Amanda McComb Marlinton, WV Elementary: Education



Luke McElwain Cowen, WV Biology/Chemistry



Alicia McLaughlin Davisville, WV Chemistry/Psychology



Sarah Meredith Glen Burnie, MD Computer Science



Adrienne Mertz Mont Alto, PA Health Promo/Fitness Mngt.



Sharon Lynn Miner Melissa Minsker Henniker, NH Dramatic Arts



Buckhannon, WV English: Literature



Roger Moats Philippi, WV Christian Education



Andrea Moore Terra Alta, WV Mathematics



Ashely Morris Harrisonburg, VA Psychology



Cynthia Mullen Riverside, NJ English: Literature



Breinne Mullins Mausel, WV English: Writing



Melissa Myers Scottdale, PA Art: Intermedia



Gi-Seon Na South Korea Art: Graphic Design



Patsy Naranjo Rockville, MD Business: Marketing



Becky Nelson Ellicott City. MD Business: Admin.



Jeffrey Noah Amity, PA Hlth. Promo/Fitness Mngt. Business: Marketing



Megan Noble Ravenswood, WV



Heather Noland Benwood, WV Psychology/Sociology



Monica Norman Parkersburg, WV Business: Marketing



Liesl Nuss Swedesboro, NJ Physical Ed/Secondary Ed



Kathryn Ossont Bowie, MD Sociology



Douglas Owen Middletown, OH History







he theater of West Virginia Wesleyan College offered many students and the citizens of Buckhannon a chance to attend many performances. The theater played a dynamic role in many classes at Wesleyan. It offered seniors a chance to further their interest in the arts, and the members of the theater were able, in turn, to practice their craft.

There were many aspects to the theater on this campus. Many people saw only the actors and failed to realize that it took many others in order to make the shows run smoothly. In this process, the members of the theater became like a family within a family. They practiced their craft and showed it off to their larger family, which was the Weslevan community. Senior Miner said, "The Theater Lvnn Department here at WVWC has been my family. They've kept me busy, helped me mature. enabled me to cultivate long lasting friendships. and in turn I've seen the department grow itself." The theater department grew, and it helped WVWC grow. The pride that all people involved in the theatre process possessed would help them grow as they left behind their years here at WVWC and entered the world, prepared to entertain and inform.

Top left: This isn't acting: these theater members enjoy a lunch together in Aladdin. **Bottom left:** Miranda Burr, Allison Quinn, and T.J. Faulkner donate their time to make buttons for the 2002 production of the *Vagina Monologues*.



James Owrey
Bluefield, WV
Economics, Management



Stacy Papamichael
Raymond, NH
Art: Graphic Design



Phillip Parsons II
Washington, WV
Business: Admin.



Charles Phillips
Craigsville, WV
Education: Elementary



Lisa Pitrolo Parkersburg, WV Chemistry

Sports

Sports teams are a very important factor at all colleges. West Virginia Wesleyan College's various sports teams offered enjoyment and pride. Wesleyan students were provided many types of events to attend, and they did so enthusiastically.

The athletes of these sports teams became very attached to their teammates, and the seniors were able to look back upon their years on the team with fond memories but also with a touch of sadness that it had to end. Senior Amie Campanicki said, "Getting used to a life without swimming here is going to be a shock, but it is worth all the memories and new found friendships."

The values of dedication and teamwork were embedded into every athlete at Wesleyan. The seniors were able to carry these values with them the rest of their lives. Senior Grant DeHaven said, "The discipline to hard work along with the dedication to the team were the standards here at WVWC, and I feel those will be the values I carry with me all my life." These values and a sense of pride were what being a part of the Wesleyan family was all about.





Top right: Wesleyan senior soccer player Stacy Papamichael is concentrating on her footwork to outsmart her opponent. **Bottom right:** Wesleyan senior Jason Green tackles his opponent in hopes of winning the game.



Erica Potter Erie, PA Psychology



Christine Pudleiner Elizabeth. PA Public Relations



Danielle PutzMcKeesport, PA
Education: Elementary



Allison QuinnHanson, MA
Performing Arts Admin.



Mark Radcliffe Elkview, WV Computer Science



Melissa Rakers Minooka, IL Sociology



Brandy RappRenick, WV
Chemistry



Thomas ReedBuckhannon, WV
Computer Science



Jason Reithmeyer Forrestville, MD Computer Science



Lora Reynolds Frankford, WV Sociology



Justin Rider Marlinton, WV MBA



Sara Rieder Morgantown, WV Psychology/Religion



Tammy Ronco
Oxford, NJ
Education: Elementary



Lawrence Ross Fredericksburg, VA Art: Graphic Design



Brooke Seelos Livonia, NY English



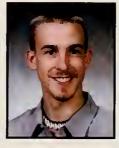
Tomoko Seo Japan Business: Admin.



Elizabeth Sheppard
Fairmont, WV
Art: Graphic Design



Katherine Shields Canfield, OH Communication/English



Josh Shomo Charleston, WV Art: Graphic Design



Robin Shugarts Egg Harbor Township, NJ Mathematics/Sec. Educ.



Margaret Sisler
Bruceton Mills, WV
Education: Elementary



Andrew Sleeth Parkersburg, WV Computer Science



Micah Snyder Buckhannon, WV Art: Graphic Design



Philip Soule Cumberland Center, ME Business: Marketing



Dane Stark Buckhannon, WV MBA



Alicia Stickel Lost Creek, WV Athletic Training



Emily Stresky Terra Alta, WV Music



Andrea Sutton Parkersburg, WV Education: Elementary



Mark Sutyak MacArthur, WV Computer Science



Jessica Talkington Waverly, WV Art: Painting & Drawing



Amy Thomason Buckhannon, WV Business: Marketing



Anne Thornton Bucyrus, OH Education: Elementary



Maari Thrall Washington, WV Graphic Design/English



Nicole Tringali Bethpage, NY English: Literature



Kristal Turner Washington, DC Psychology



Ijeoma Uduhiri Bowie, MD Political Science



Alexis Valliant Horner, WV Education: Secondary



Brian Vance Seneca Rocks, WV Business: Admin.



Donna Veach Orange, CA Environ. Sci./Chemistry



Fredrick Ward Hinton, WV Political Science



Cwayna Wayne Upper Glade, WV History/Sociology



Andrea Wesp Walkersville, MD Mathematics



Jessica Whalen Elizabeth, PA Communication



Angela White Salem, WV Bus. Admin./English



Stefanie White Belington, WV Nursing



Left: Seniors Gera Jochum, Sarah Aylestock, and Helen Caldwell enjoy a nice dinner while on a trip with their Sociology classes.

Friendship

riendship is one of the most important things in life. Having friends who stand behind you during the good times and the bad is what makes life worth living. It was friendships such as these that were developed while attending West Virginia Wesleyan College.

College life can be stressful and complicated at times. Having a group of friends at Wesleyan who would listen to problems and rejoice in fortune was what made the years easier to survive. This year's graduating class spent many years forming lasting frienships with many people. They had the chance to diversify their thinking by befriending persons of different ethnicities or beliefs. This chance of having such a wide variety of friends was what made Wesleyan special.

Wesleyan was able to offer each and every student an abundance of friends who stuck by each other, even when they made mistakes or hurt each other. Senior Lora Reynolds said, "Lord knows I have done many stupid, insane things and made any number of mistakes, but I still know there are people here who continue to love me and allow me to take them along on my crazy adventures." Feelings such as this were a common expression among the students here at WVWC. As the seniors prepared to graduate, they felt saddened that they had to leave each other behind, but they realized that life's journey was just beginning.



Christina Willis
Daniels, WV
Biology



Sarabeth Wilson Cown, WV English



Lisa Wittmeyer Thorofare, NJ Health Promo/Fitness Mgt.



Melissa Wood Cameron, WV Psychology



Julie Wooddell Harrisville, WV Business: Admin.



Christina Wright
Marietta, OH
Education: Elementary



Wendy Yingling Glen Arm. MD Physical Education



Right: Senior Amanda Lawther enjays a quiet nap before beginning work at the switchboard.



Above: Seniar Jahnna Steele studies intently for a chemistry exam.



Above: Seniar Amie Campanicki chats with a friend on the phone during a rare break in her busy day.

Below: Senior Jason Comeau smiles for the camera while making a purchase in Sunny Buck's.



Below: Seniors Jackie Knopp and Ashley Morris enjoy a warm autumn day in Buckhannon.









Above: Senior Lora Reynolds takes a break while working hard at the WVWC library.

Center left: Senior Margoret Sisler staps and smiles for the camera Bottom left: Senior Banner Scholars Chris Kimes, Stephanie
Cooper, and Phil Hancock pose with Lee Ann Brown outside the Bonner Office.



Underclass Pride

While seniors were job hunting and deciding where to go and what to do after graduation, underclassmen were continuing to display hard work and dedication here at West VirginiaWesleyan College. These students realized the importance of a college education and experienced the many things that Weslevan had done for them.

The members of the junior class had cranked through two years of a Wesleyan education and were beginning to look beyond to discover what they planned to do with their major. Sophomores settled into a major with confidence and were starting to understand and feel comfortable with the process of a typical college semester. The freshmen, new and timid, conquered those homesick feelings and fell into place with the rest of the students, reading book after book, taking notes of more than one sentence, and rewarding themselves after a hardworking week with a nice relaxing, wellearned weekend here on Wesleyan's campus.

After completing another academic year, students would take the knowledge and growth with them on their journey throughout life. West Virginia Wesleyan College had given students so much and would only continue to do so in the years to come. Way to go

underclassmen for a job well done!

Wesleyan Work-study Top Left: Jenora Benjomin

works hord to keep things running smoath in Sunny Bucks.

Good Buds

Top Right: Katie Boswell, Nick Homisevicz and Amanda Abbiate display their good friendship with smiles and hugs.

New Friends

Bottom Left: These freshmen girls are happy to hove gained such a clase family of friends.

Helpful Lab Assistant Bottom Right: Lab ossistant Jasan LaRue helps this Wesleyan student in a bialagy caurse.





Above: Mike Sniffen spends time making the "famous" Vagino Monolougue buttans for the Theatre Department.



Left: Katie Boswell, Triston Springer, Kortni Wise ond Monica Morin are mankeying around.

Cathy Alt Mark Aurelio Matthew Bachtel Beth Bailey Ava Balciunas

Crystal Barker Dustin Bortner Tina Campbell Tim Chandler Tracy Conway

Jennifer Cover Courtney Crist Katie Davis Jason Duke Amber Easter



Decisions... Decisions

Ahhhh...decisions, decisions. Wesleyan offers so great many academic opportunities to its students with a variety of majors and a great education. Upon freshman entering year, students found themselves asking, which way do I want to go? Who can I be? What can Wesleyan help me to become? No matter what route was chosen, Wesleyan was there to help students every step of the wayteaching them the most important issues in their major and about life. Students didn't even realize it when they came to Wesleyan their

first year, but Wesleyan started to mold them into who they want to become from day one.

So, a word of advice to the incoming freshman and undeclared underclassmen: ves students will be confused and maybe even pointed on the opposite path they originally wanted to be on. They will feel so lost in the beginning...but Wesleyan was the perfect place to be lost in. Wesleyan's faculty and staff will help students find their way back to the path they have chosen and achieve all of their career dreams.



Above: Freshman Stephanie Lynch pays close attention to her professor as he gives an assignment.



Josh Edgell Paul Ferguson Nicole Fletcher Teresa Fogus Chad Freeman

Heather Grim Sherry Hall Morgan Harrison Christina Hart Jessica Harvey

David Henry Kathryn Hodgdon Bethany Huff Amanda Jackson Melissa Kelley



thove: Thank goodness for laptops! This student works on inishing a paper while enjoying a nice day.



Above: Lynda Bowers in the Registar's Otfice works with this Wesleyan student on requirements that need to be met before he graduates.

Nicholas Klus Erin Lawrence James Leard Max Lewis II Amiti Maloy

Dan Merritt Megan Miller Erica Milone Kim Mi Young Jennifer Moury

Marlena Murray Florence McCaffrey Nicholas McGinnis Stephen McGrew Danielle McIlvaine



Above: The new spring pledge class of Alpha Gamma Delta show their excitement with smiles as they take a break from Spring Jump.



Above: These Wesleyan students take time to get some sun, along with finishing up some homework on this sunny day.



Abbey Niland James C. Paugh II Gustavo Machado John Rasel Julie Renner

Melissa Riffee Laura Ritchie Julie Rzeszutek Anne Schoolcraft Nicholas Selan

Amanda Sites Dawn Sizemore Chad Smith Christine Smith Tristan Springer



Love: Good friends Pam Tenney and Allison Damento enjoy nice sunny day on the Wesleyan campus.

Wesleyan Weekends

The weekends Wesleyan were usually very eventful. Between the many activities, Outdoor Recreation trips and the planned events by sororities fratemities, many students didn't have trouble finding something to keep The CAB them busy. activites ranged from the released movies, comedians, dances, hipnotists to Bingo in the Social Hall. These free events were very Wesleyan students and they were located on campus. The Club Outdoor Recreation offered trips during the weekends as well.

Adventures included ski trips to Timberline Resort, hiking at Coopers Rock, white water rafting on the Gauley River and a Buckhannon River clean-up.

The students also enjoyed Brother and Dates hosted by different fraternities throughout the months. Many of the Greek groups also had various social events including cookouts.

Many students also used the weekends as a time to get involved in the community, whether it was through the mentoring program or community service. Wesleyan's student body was very active on the weekends.

Matt Surrency Jennifer Talbert Kelly Terhune Heidi Tucker Myra Wamsley









Amanda White Elizabeth Wilson Kristin Woods Jessica Zalek







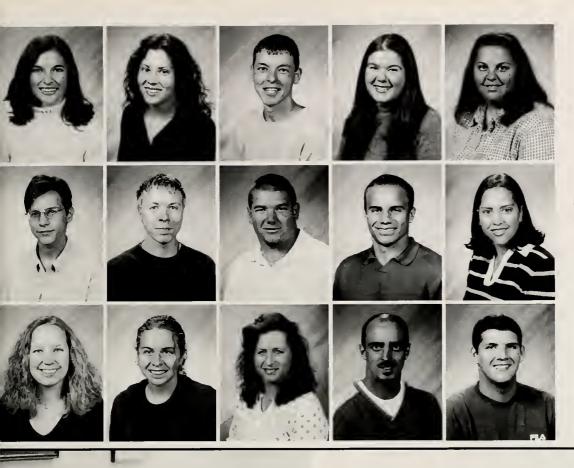




Above: Stephen McGrew, a workstudy in the Career and Advising Center, concentrates on completing a task.



Above: James Owery and Valerie Hart are hard at work at their workstudy job in the Housing Office.



Heather Allen Jennifer Allevato Shawn Amory Amy Ayoob Melissa Biller

Nicholas Brauchler Matthew Brothers Chris Burgman Brett Covert Kara Cvechko

Rebecca Davis Kimberly Druschel Tina Endicott Kevin Hissam Trenton Johns

Above: Ray Lamora and Brandon Starkey are hard at work, earning their cash at the Helpdesk.

Making Ends Meet

So the phone bill comes in and students wonder how to pay for it with the three dollars that they have in their wallet. Now mom and dad are going to give students the same, "You're at college and supposed to be independent" speech, so they have to figure out some way to pay the bills. Sounds like it's time to try out a work-study on campus.

One work-study that allowed students to learn a great deal of information about the Thinkpads was the Helpdesk. There was a brief training dealing with the database, log phone calls and working out common problems. After working for only a semester, students

were prepared for the major problems and knew what to do to fix them. There was also the good feeling that workers got when they saw the relief come over students faces when workers brought back their senior thesis that they forgot to save, or when workers allowed them back on AOL IM so they could once again be a part of the world.

The Helpdesk gave students access to new computer skills and ways to improve their everyday skills. They learned people skills and how to handle difficult tasks. Over all it was a fun and educational job that students could work to fit their schedule...oh and the money was pretty good too.

Lauren Jones Cindy Linger Kimberly Marinich Elizabeth Maxin Kelly Nelson

Leah Propst Taya Radabaugh Sarah Richards Sandy Rose Erin Schlabach

Stephanie Shriver Barbra Spring Brandon Starkey Jill Vecchio Jill Williams































Above: Home away from home...this Wesleyan student takes a box filled with things from home to use while here at school. Whether it is decorations or clothing, students do their best to make their dorm room a second home.



Above: Freshman Chelsea Zan Pelt is prepared to begin another day of Wesleyan classes.



Melissa Adkins Elizabeth Ballentine Joshua Bartlett James Booker Kimberly Bousa

Sara Brett Doris Brown Jessica Callahan Josh Carr Cara Chaney

Justin Cox Glen Cready Zachary Delevrere Brittany Eaves Laura Evans



Above: Wesleyan student Jessie Callahan has her hands full as she carries things to her room on move-in day.

Taste of Independence

All college-bound students only think about one thing when they arrive on campus—I Am Free! Coming to college was a life changing experience that was like no other. There was no one on a student's case to turn this paper in, or to go do this. Complete independence was what every teenager yearned for.

Just imagine—no curfew, no parents and no rules! These terms described college in a sense. There were no parents at college to tell students when to go to bed, asking where they were all of the time. For four years, you as a person were in charge and able to grow independently. There were

some circumstances in which students had to do something, but for the most part it was their decision. If they wanted to make a Sheetz run at 2 a.m. they could, or if students wanted to hit the Donut Shop at 1 a.m. by all means they did. That independence to do what they wanted, when they wanted was one thing that made college such a great place

College was a place to learn, not only in students' field of study but about life. Where else could they see such a diverse group of people in such a small area? This enabled college students to experience the freedom together. Boy I am glad that I'm in college! Aren't you?

Ben Floyd Rachel Fox Chris Frank Jonathan Fredrick Meg Frey

Marcy Gibbs Jennifer Goodrich Liann Gottschling Camolyn Hena Charles Hodges

Michelle Hudson Kerri Hughes Justin Irons Kara Jarrett Misty Judy













Residence Life

Many incoming freshmen were very wary of residence life. The idea of living in a small dorm room, with someone who was in many cases a complete stranger, was intimidating. Where would students keep all of their things? Would they be able to get along with the person sleeping a mere five feet away? Wesleyan students were no exception to these doubts. However, Wesleyan's small campus and relaxed atmosphere made the transition into dorm life a fairly easy and painless one.

It was not uncommon for roommates and even hall mates to become the best of friends. The close proximity allowed these relationships to grow quickly and soon it was almost unimaginable that they were ever strangers. As students experienced the ups and downs of college life, it was their Wesleyan dorm buddies who were there to support them through it all.

Years later when students pause to recall their time on the campus of WVWC, it is the wonderful times shared with their residence hall mates that will stick out in our minds. There were times they fretted over finals, agonized over grades, and laughed about situations they managed to get themselves into. It was this group of people who experienced their triumphs and defeats as they traversed the pathways of their college days.



Above: Flemming girls Kristen Slavin and Megan Niewodowski are happy to be living on the same floor.



Megan Kanick Jayme Lambert Jessie Laughery Jessica LeRoy Jackey Lewis

Barbara Lester Joseph Levay Kelly Martin Beth Massie Erica Milanese

Ann Miller Monica Morin Stacy McCallen William McMinn Kenneth Negley



.bove: Erin Lawrence, Katie Davis, Abbey Niland and manda Jackson enjoy the good times they share with each ther.



Above: Freshman Ben Floyd relaxes on his bed as he completes a homework assignment on his computer...or is maybe having a conversation over IM.

Paul Nelson Lindsey Ogorzalek John Pelham Jeff Perrine Travis Roberts

Heather Runser Theresa Sasso Ryan Silbaugh Esther Simons Amanda Smith

Chadwick Slater Bobby Smith Lacy Stallings Miranda Starkey Mary Stemple























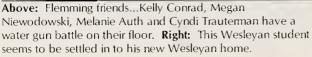


















Sarah Stout Chris Straut Christina Swecker Allison Thorp Lauren Tiberio

Daniel Tusing Amy Ward Christina Whinnery Marjorie Whitlock Crystal Williams

Sara Wood Eric Zeigler



Above: Michelle Galvin and Amanda Jackson take the time to mile for a picture in the Alpha Gamma Delta suite while visiting with sisters and friends.



Above: Amber Rizo, Megan Vassar and Emily Frankhouser take a homework break to hangout in their dormroom and have a good time.



Group Pride

Whether a group or club met once a week or once a month, Wesleyan's organizations represented the heart of activity on campus. Group pride was evident through activities and volunteerism, both on and off campus. A group's size did not effect its ability to function successfully.

A variety of groups to select from helped students find a place to belong if they were seeking extra curricular activities. An organization fair held in the beginning of the school year helped new students identify the various groups and their leaders; there was something for everyone.

Belonging to one of Wesleyan's organizations was a great way to meet people and be a part of the Wesleyan community. Students gained experience in leadership and responsibility outside the classroom. Involvement in Wesleyan's organizations allowed students to broaden their overall Wesleyan experience.

MASSAGE

Top Left: Student athletic trainer Joson Gessel begins treatment for this athlete. Notionally certified athletic trainers supervise all Wesleyan student trainers.

GREEK VOLUNTEERISM

Top Right: Greeks sponsor a Blood Drive for the compus community during Greek Week.

LEADERSHIP

Bottom Left: Junior closs officers pose in front of a Wesleyon blanket.

CENTER OF ACTIVITY Bottom Right: Wesleyon's Benedum Campus Center serves as the focal point for student organizations.



Below: Science students spend many hours in lobs. Their hard wark poys aff when they are accepted into one of the science honararies.





Left: Members of the Ultimate Frisbee Club practice on the campus aval lawn.

Hallam Math Honorary: Front Raw: Andrea Maare, Rabin Shugarts. Sarah Axtan, Kate Madsen. Second Raw: Michael Berry (Advisar), Judd Lari, Anastas Shkurti, Jeffery Sykes (Advisar).

Kappa Phi: Frant (L-R): Gretchen Wyrick, Esther Simans, Jenny Siman, Megan Miller, Danna Veach, Jennifer Leigh, Sarah Safka, Ann Sebald. Lesley Waadrum, Tanya Halbraak, Brittney Rinard, Kelly Nelsan; Secand Raw (L-R): Caralyn Baisden, Christina Swecker, Jesse Nutter, Allisan Tharp, Mindy Dean, Melissa Harrington, Stephanie Shriver, Christina Wright, Kimmie McCannell, Laura Fantane, Nara Dillard, Megan Clegg, Jessie Laughery, Brandy Sypalt, Amanda Sites, Sarah Cayne; Third Row (L-R): Liz Ballentine, Jayme Lambert, Shana Pratt, Jennifer Maury, Rebecca Prusakowski, Teresa Fagus, Marlena Vassar, Ashley Elkins, Amanda Schmid, Kari Wurtzbacher, Andrea Mincks, Andrea Psarakis, Katie Shields, Cara Chaney, Megan Vassar

Panhellenic Front (L-R): Lisa Gerner, Jahn Bahman, Karen Keller, Misti Hueth, Annie Black; Second Raw (L-R): Jessica Nigh, Denise Phillips, Bethany Huff, Sheena Bates, Patsy Naranja, Katie Ballentine

Martar Board: Frant (L-R): Mark Radcliff, Tammy Ranca, Shauna Crawe, Laura Camina, Melissa Harrington, Sara Janes, Errika Mace; Secand Raw (L-R): Lisa Pitrala, Stacey Papamichael, Megan Clegg, Nicald Leedy, Tina Graf, Alicia Stickel, Jennifer Keatley; Third Raw (L-R): Heather Figura, Braake Patterson, Jessica Talkington, Brienne Mullins, Sarah Hicks, David Hardin; Faurth Raw (L-R): Broake Seelas, David Gilbert, Dan Kasten, Benjamin Farley







Chapel Choir: Front (L-R): Melissa Adkins, Nick Brauchler, Shelly Gliebe, Liz Ballentine, Liz Hosni: Secand Row (L-R): Megan Berkebile, Heather Runser, Lindsay Valleau, Chad Smith, Desiree Langford, Chris Mazzarelli, Tanya Halbrook



Sigma Theta Epsilon: Frant (L-R): Gavin Lawrence, Michael Reed. Nick Brauchler, Scatty Reinshagen, Jashua Keane, Steven Haward; Second Raw (L-R): Nick Andrew, Micah Snyder, Janathan Langevin, Nicholas Hedstrom, Nicholas Graham, Nicholas Hamisevicz, Evan Keeling



Standard Deviators: Front (L-R): Robin Stugarts, Patricia Knight: Secand Row (L-R): Chad Freeman, Dustin Bartner, Andrea Moore, Kate Madsen



Intervarsity: Front (L-R): Nick Brauchler, Heather Runswer, Maggie Maclean, Derrick Jahns, Trentan Johns, James Crabtree: Second Raw (L-R): Steven Haward. Kevin Starcher, John Rasel, Ann Sebald, Kimmie McCannell, Christina Hart. Ken Negley; Third Row (L-R): Jessica Cochran, Donna Veach, Justin Rider, Benjamin Farley, Jennifer Keatley, Erica Milanese



Black Student Union: Front Row (L-R): Melissa Ashtan, Barbara Lester, Ashley Bland, Christiana Ijalana, Amber Turner, David Cherry, Syreeta Janes; Second Row (L-R): Kenyarte Rabertson, Greg Janes, LeAnne Mangana, Talaya Perry, Paah Bawe, Tia Eaves, Beverli Dewberry, Ijeama Uduhiri, Sherika Small, Chris Margan

Black Student Union

The West Virginia Wesleyan Callege Black Student Union addressed the needs of the African-American students an campus. During the school year, the BSU affered programs far the entering African -American freshman by pairing them with an upperclassman to guide them through the awkward period af adjusting to college life. The BSU participated in programs and projects on and aff campus. The BSU's goal was to serve not only the students of Wesleyan but also the Buckhannan cammunity. These cammunity prajects included Christmas on Campus, Halloween Bash at the Stockert Youth Center, and the Children's Festival. The BSU warked in partnership with the Office of Intercultural Relations to put an programs to educate the Wesleyan community about different cultural backgrounds and ceremonies, such as Kwanzaa and the Liberation Festival, which celebrates the liberation of African Americans through slavery, civil rights, and present day. The BSU also participated in a number of campus activities. Perhaps the most competitive and fun activity the BUS participated in was Spring Sing. The BSU wan first place in Spring Sing 2000 and first place for the Independent Organization category in 2001. The BUS was an impartant arganization an Wesleyan's campus and strived to educate and break the stereatypes and miscanceptians people may have about African-Americans students an campus.

Alpha Phi Omega

Alpha Phi Omega is a nationally recagnized coed service fraternity. Alpha Phi Omega is an arganization that values friendship, leadership, and most importantly, service! The arganization is based on the founding principles of the Bay Scauts of American. Wesleyan's chapter, Alph Delta Omicron, strives to provide service to the brotherhood, campus, nation, and youth of America.

While most of Alpha Phi Omega's energy is cancentrated an service activities, a fair amount of time is spent an becoming claser friends and stranger leaers. Every year, two formals and a vast array of different fellowship and leadership building activities are held. As Alpha Phi Omega celebrates five years on Wesleyan's campus as a significant arganization, they are excited and well prepared for the future of APO an Wesleyan's campus.

The brotherhood celebrated National Service Week. The brothers paired up and participated in a scavenger hunt. The members worked to camplete a list of various service activities, ranging from collecting food for the Food Pantry, to donating huge bags full of clothes for the hameless. Alpha Phi Omega also participated in a food drive, the Halloween Bash at Stockert Youth enter, and they painted Indian Camp Norma.

Alpha Phi Omega is canstantly seeking new patential brathers who adare doing service for others! Alpha Phi Omega holds rush twice a year, like many other fraterneties and sararities, once in the spring and fall. Pledging usually lasts about six weeks. Alpha Phi Omega does not believe in any kind of hazing. It is a great appartunity to meet people and make new friends. Alpha Phi Omega has 55 brathers and continues to grow.





SIFE - Front (L-R): Travis Stower, Amber Easter, Whitney Hitchcack. Brett Cavert, Mark Radcliffe; Second Row (L-R): Katie Ballentine, Amy Thamason, Dr. Scatt Bellamy, Katie Hadgdan, Sarah Pierpaint, Beth Bridgewater, Third Row (L-R): Rajib Alam, Max Lewis, Amellia Stultz, James Owrey, Amanda Sites, Beth Goalden



Alpha Phi Omega - Front (L-R):
Neil Villaraza, Anne Schoalcraft, Jahn
Rasel, Nicale Leedy, Crystal Barker,
Christina Willis, Syreeta Janes;
Second Row (L-R): Dr. James
Beeby, Melissa Ashtan, Laura Carrina,
Amy Schoalcraft, Jennifer Cease,
Megan Turner, David Gilbert,
Rebecca Davis, Nadine McCrady,
Jessica Cachran, Andrea Psarakis;
Third Row (L-R): Liz Sheppard.
Melissa Harringtan, Adena Barnette,
Amanda White, Elizabeth Wilsan,
Laura Ritchie, Sarah Snyder, Matt
Bachtel, Lisa Langnecker



International Students - Front (L-R): Naria Omari, Yukia Nakagawa, Tashie Kabayashi, Anastas Shkurti, Narika Kityima, Camaly Hena; Second Row (L-R): Izumi Sekiguchi, Shiuma Hayakawa, Shinji Hirana, Kaji Demizu, Hideyuki Imai, Arne Forstenberg, Rajib Alam



Murmurmontis - Front (L-R): Lesley Waadrum, Nancy Porter (Advisar); Second Row (L-R): Barbra Spring. Erin Lawrence, Carrie Skeen



Engineering/Physics - Front (L-R): Kate Madsen, Patricio Knight, Jessica Cachran, Chris Fronk, Joshuo Keone; Second Row (L-R): Andy Aurelio, Jimmy Chai, Dr. Bert Popson, Nichalas Graham, Tom Hamrick, Dr. Joseph Wiest



Loveshine - Front (L-R): Sara Rieder, Sarobeth Wilson, Jeffrey Gudzune; Second Row (L-R): Heather Runser, Whitey Mitchell, Nick Brouchler, Nora Dillard



Nurses Christian Fellowship -(L-R): Brittney Rinard, Shono Prott, Heather Ferreiro, Mellssa Biller



Campus Activities Board -Front (L-R): Jash Keone, Amanda Dougherty, Morgan Harrisan, Mellsso Biller, Heother Ferreira; Second Row (L-R): Chodwick Slater, Ken Negley, Jill Vecchia, Brittney Rinard. Amber Miller, Damion Little, Missa Crabbe



Awards and Elections Committee - Front (L-R): Nicale Leedy, Jeffrey Gudzune, Sarah Bittner; Second Row (L-R): Rob Baden, Sara Rieder, Chadwick Slater, LeAnne Mangana



Sophomore Class - Front (L-R): Dawn Sizemore, Ceasan Ransan; Second Row (L-R); Samantha Dredge, Jasan Jacksan, Mana Baugh



Delta Mu Delta - Front (L-R): Amanda Sites, Jennifer Keatley, Angie Kyle, Manica Narman; Second Row (L-R): Benjamin Farley, Scatt Ward, Justin Rider, Tany Gum



Pharos - (L-R): Kate Lawless, Missa Crabbe, Evan Keeling, Sara Aylestack



Ultimate Frisbee 2001-2002



Omicron Delta Kappa 2001-2002



Circle K- Front (L-R): Morcie Flanogan, Jill Horton, Amber Easter. Elizabeth Stemple, Sheeno Bossie; Second Row (L-R): Rick Morgon, Tanya Holbrook, Stephanie Schaefer, Megan Niewodowski, Amber Rizor, Third Row (L-R): Nicole Lane, Morie Quodros, Jesse Nutter, Aoron Burton, Louren Ercolano; Fourth Row (L-R): Ryan Powell, Robert Ridlen, Josh Boisden.

Circle K

Circle K International is a member of the Kiwanis Club family. Circle K is a service arganization, which facuses on helping children. The officers were President Aaron Burton, Vice-president Casey Cown, Treasurer Michael Malfregeot, and Secretary Jesse Nutter.

Circle K held several service projects through the year. These included Adapt-an-Elementary-School-Class, the annual Circle K/Key Club Lock-in, and a date auction. The date auction was the most advantageous fundraiser thus far. Approximately \$700 was raised for the Children's 911 Fund for children who were affected by the September 11 tragedies.

Wesleyan's Circle K is the youngest and largest Circkle K in the state. They are always looking for new people who are interested in having fun while helping other. Circle K is committed to friendship and service.



Freshman Seminar Group: Leader is Alisa Lively, Director of Campus Activities Board.



Green Club- Front (L-R): Khanh Thai, Kathleen Mulligan, Judith Vajik, Gera Jachum; Second Row (L-R): Allan Whiteman, Erin Lawrence, Kate Lawless, Danna Veach, Sara Aylestack



BBSA- Front (L-R): Melissa Ashtan, Kenyarte Robertsan, Chris Margan, Syreeta Janes, Amber Turner; Second Row (L-R): Paah Bawe. Talaya Perry, Tia Eaves, Christiana Ijalana, Beverli Dewberry, Sherika Small



Beta Beta Beta- Front (L-R):
Susan Ganshar, Gera Jachum, Jan
Cuda, Erin D'Aurara, Karen Keller.
Second Row (L-R): Sara Janes,
Tanya Turansky, Teresa Fagus.
Christina Willis, Mary Alice Bird, Khanh
Thai, Jeremy Cuda: Thrid Row (L-R):
Jessica Harvey, Julie Renner,
Rebecca Prusakawski, Nicale Bryan,
Jeremiah Sheltan, Andy Freeman,
Allan Whiteman, Zach Dragan



SAI-Front (L-R): Tanya Halbraok, Amanda Eakle, Tina Campbell, Anne Tharton, Aylyn Yalaz; Second Row (L-R): Elizabeth Fard, Kim Marinich, Adena Barnette, Taya Radabaugh, Emily Stresky, Christina Price



Bonners 2001-2002



Kappa Delta Pi 2001-2002



(L-R): Mike Sniffen, Sharan-Lynn Miner, Sarabeth wilson, Pete Thampsan, Allisan Quinn; Second Row (L-R): Andrea DiPietra. Chris Bennet, Whitey Mitchel, Bill Lizar; Third Row (L-R): Rocky Gettel, Olivia O'brien, Jenara Benjamin, Dawn Sizemore, Erica Scanlan, Maria Baugh; Fourth Row (L-R): Faculty Gregary Mach, Bess Park Reynalds, Larry Reed





Jazz Band 2001-2002



Chorale 2001-2002



Juniar Class Officers and Members 2001-2002



Wesleyan students enjoy a quiet mament on the campus lawn on a spring day.

Model United Nations

The opportunity to beome an active participant in the diplomatic process serves a two-fold purpose for education. First, it allows students to learn the history, customs, and culture of a land that is not their own and to step away from being an American and take on the identity of a foreign country. Second, it proves an effective educational tool when it comes to grasping the concepts and issues that make up international politics in the world in which we live. Model United Nations serves this purpose by toking the college student from the role an American into the role of a foreign national. This handson interaction with others who have assumed different nationalities allows the individual to come face to face with the rapidly growing world of international politics.

This spring, students from Dr. Kwame Boateng's Model United Nation's closs were afforded the opportunity of participate in the Harvard Model United Nations Convention in Boston, Massachusetts. The group took on the identity of representatives of the United Republic of Tanzania, a rapidly developing African republic. Setting aside inherent political motivations and becoming a citizen of a foreign land was not an easy task. However, the group spent two weeks in strategy meetings planning for the conferences and was finally ready to porticipate in the international forum for the continuonce of peace.

After arriving in Boston, the group was met with a growing list of international problems that would be up for debate. Schools from Canada, the United States, and South America were in attendance representing the assembled nations of the world. Since the point of the conference is to educate as well as develop viable solutions to pressing world isssues, it was necessary to begin the moment of orrival. Assembling early each morning and breaking periodically throughout the day, the delegates actively pursued solutions to the perplexing issues of the time.

This experience was valuable for the delegates, as they were oble to work with repsentatives from other nations and learn how difficult it is to maintain peace. If the objective of the the United Nations is to see to the furtherance of international peace and security, then the obective of the Model United Nations is to prepare students for interaction in the real world. From this experience, the delegation learned that it takes a combination of patience, dediction, and strong negotiation ability to secure a mutually beneficial multilateral diplomatic solution. Membersof this group included Dr. Kwame Boateng, Sorah Bittner, Chad Slater, Beri-Belle Manjong, Jeffrey R. Gudzune, Courtney Ahlborn, Megan Turner, Matt Bachtel, Nicholas Learnard.





Damien Little and Joey Kraynok keep the college's radio station C-92 operating smoothly throughout the year.



Participation in Wesleyan's music graups requires considerable practice time.



These freshmen students have a variety of campus organizations to choose from.



Freshman Kelly Canrad works on an assignment for her art class.



Sophomore Brandon Storkey ond coworker Roy Lo Moro spend their work-study hours working for the Helpdesk.



Dr. Rich Clemens supervises the distribution of new IBM laptop computers to all students this fall.



Kimmie McConnel, Areo Coordinotor for Fleming, works on her laptop in her apartment.



These freshmen just finished o game of frishee.



Christian Life Council

Left: Another Freshmon Seminor Group celebrates their Olympic victory
Below: This student athlete awaits her turn in the athletic training room.

Christian Life Cauncil is an executive board consisting of a president, treasurer, ecretary, and the Dean of the Chapel as the advisor. As a council for the Christian raups an campus, CLC listens to the concerns of Christian organizations and tries to elp them get what they need to better share the love of Jesus Christ with the Vesleyan cammunity. There are currently faur groups taking advantage of what LC has to affer. The first is Chapel Chair, which is a group of singers who perform ach week at the chapel services and occassionally go on tour to churches around ne area. The second is Sigma Theta Epsilon, which is the men's Christian service aternity. They do service projects, have gatherings for the brothers within the aternity, and an annual Chill and Grill apen to the entire Wesleyan community. lext is Kappa Phi, which is the Christian wamen's service group. They also articipate in numerous service projects and have get-tagethers for the sisters. ney have Bible studies within the groupta turther their understanding and elationship with Christ. And last, Intervarsity Christian Fellowship, which holds weekly neetings consisting of prayer, singing, ministry, and fellowship with other students. hey have accasianal retreats and gatherings open to any student interested in ttending. Each of these groups has a representative that cames to the weekly LC meeting to inform them of what is going on within their group, as well as ask or assistance if necessary. Every CLC meeting is open to any student or faculty nember wishing to give input about Christian life at Wesleyan.

CLC spansors monthly activities open to everyone. CLC also accasionally ravides popcorn far all those going to the weekend movies spansored by the ampus Activities Board. CLC offers Bible studies, devotionals, and covenant roups for all Christians, those seeking to learn more of God, and even those who ren't really interested, but have nothing else to do at that time. All people are elcome. ASK is a new program that is being started. With the assistance of hristian students an campus, opportunities will be given to people to receive nswers to their questions about Christianity, Jesus, God, the Holy Spirit, and other elated topics.

Christian Life Council believes Jesus Christ, the San af Gad, was sent to earth to e on a cross and be raised three days later so that we can redeem our sins rough an acknowledgement of this action and relationship with Jesus Christ. CLC esires to assist all organizations and students an campus with their spiritaul needs nd invites everyone to participate.





Freshman Olympics is a great ending activity tor Orientation



Greek Pride

Qooking back over the years, there is no better representation of the continuation of taking pride at Wesleyan than in the Greek sororities and fraternities. Those who join the Greek system often say what they remember most about their Wesleyan experience is their Greek brothers or sisters. The friends made as part of the Greek life become life long friends. They are forever bonded in friendship, loyalty, and pride in their sisterhood or brotherhood.

This year the Greek community had much to take pride in. The fraternities and sororities had higher scholastic records than ever before along with outstanding new member classes. Also this year, the Greek community was involved with numerous campus and community service projects that truly benefited Wesleyan and the Buckhannon area. One such project was a combined fraternity and sorority canned food drive that brothers and sisters participated in by knocking on Buckhannon residents' doors asking them to donate nonperishable food items for the local Parish House. An overwhelming 900 food items were collected by Wesleyan's Greeks. That was certainly something to take pride in!

With the coming years, the Greek system is hoping to become even stronger with higher academics and more community involvement. This past year, there was much to take pride in when wearing Greek letters on campus and throughout the community.

BALANCING ACT

Top Left: Seniars Manuel Luno and Monica Norman are helping eoch other skate as they raise maney for their philonthropies.

SEEING STARS

Top Right: Giving their pretty smiles are seniar Alpha Delta Pi sisters, Angie Kyle ond Jen LaMara, as they prepore far Skit Night.

PANHELLENIC LADIES

Bottom Right: Panhellenic executive afficers Karen Keller, Annie Black, Erin Lawrence, Lisa Gerner, and Misti Hueth ore anxiaus for fall recruitment to begin.

BOUNCING AROUND

Bottom Leff: Zeta Tou Alpho sisters Amanda Lawther, Becca Whipkey, and Jahnna Steele bounce for their philanthropy.



Belaw: Theta XI and their shirted girlfriends anxiausly await their new members during Spring Jump.





Left: The Hamecoming banner campetitian is pretty fierce as seen in the Zeta Tau Alpha first place banner.

Greeks









Tap: Alpha Sigma Phi brathers knaw how to have a good time at their spring 2002 format in Canaan Valley Middle Right: Zeta Tau Alpha sisters Erica Scanlan and Allisan Quinn and Theta Xi brather David Gilbert are enjoying the festivities at ZTA's fall 2001 formal Middle Left: These girls are having a night of fun out at Chi Phi's fraternity hause. Alpha Delta Pi sisters are Hillary Tygrett, Erica Motta, Hillary Grimm, Laura Simmans, and Kristen Dalesandra. Bottom: Panhellenic Rha Chi's for spring 2002 farmal recruitment are happy to finally jain their sisters after a

long week of recruitment.











Above Left: Alpha Delta Pi sisters join together in their suite for o night of sisterly activities and bonding.

Above Right: Theta Xi brothers such os Chris Kline are looking forward to their new members racing down the Doney path during spring 2002 Jump weekend.

Middle: Homecoming is always a time of providing service to others and roising money for a good cause. Seniors Ten Hendricks and Condice Rice of Alpha Xi Delta are doing their port during the Xi-sow-a-thon.

Bottom: Before heading out to Chi Phi's Hell's Angels, Alpha Gammo Delta sisters Amanda Jackson, Katle Davis, Kristen Joseph, Abbey Niland, and Donielle McIlvaine smile for the comera

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A Year of Celebration

On October 20, 2001, Alpha Delta Pi celebrated its 150th anniversary. The sorority was founded on May 15, 1851 at a Wesleyan Female College in Macon, Georgia. Alpha Delta Pi holds the distinction of being the first secret society in the world for college women. Alpha Delta Pi was very fortunate this school year with two beautiful alpha classes. The Fall 2001 class included twelve wonderful women while the Spring 2002 class welcomed an additional twelve.

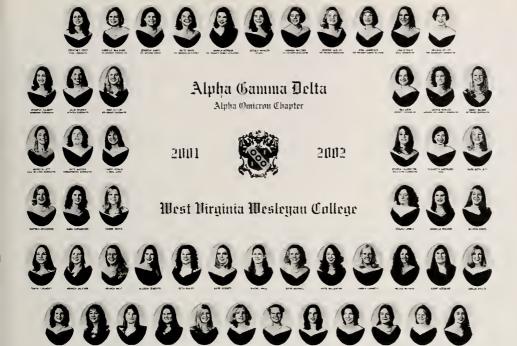
The sisters were involved in many service projects over the past year. In November, ADPi visited the Ronald McDonald House and cooked dinner for the parents of the hospitalized children. In December, the sorority participated in Christmas On Campus by making crafts and Santa advent calendars. In March, Team Pi took part in a two mile walk-athon for the American Cancer Society. This event was held on the WVWC Cross Country course and was organized by the track team. The walk had 17 sisters who participated. The sorority also made Easter cards for local elderly nursing home residents. The year was a celebratory success for ADPi sisters.





Abave Tap: The Fall 2001 Alpha class included Erin Schlabach, Tiffany Pierce, Laura Simmans, Hillary Grimm, Braake Lagasse, Gail Raberts, Virginia Gum, Sarah Cochran, Alesha Haffee, and Jen Allevata. Abave Battam: Rachel Weaver and Michelle Mace are anticipating Skit Night of farmal recruitment in the spring. The Alpha Delta Pi sisters put an quite a shaw far the patential members caming through.





lelaw: The Senior sisters of Alpha Gomma Delta join together for a sicture before they participate in the fun activities of 2002 Spring Jump Veekend.

Action: The Gams stap far a breather while skoting to raise money for heir philanthropy. The skating sisters are Tina Grof, Danielle McIlvaine, Cassandra Bradshaw, and Tonya Turansky.





Jewel Society Honors

The sisters of Alpha Omicron Chapter of Alpha Gamma Delta welcomed this year with lots of energy and heaps of excitement. The chapter was once again recognized as a Jewel Society, which is the highest honor for Alpha Gamma

Homecoming was also a wonderful event for the Gams with two sisters on the court. Many alumnae came from miles around to participate in the yearly event. In the fall, Alpha Omicron welcomed eleven tremendous new members into the chapter. After a week of formal recruitment, the Alpha Gams were excited to welcome fifteen splendid members into their sisterhood. The sisters participated in a Walk-a-thon with Theta Chi. Skate-a-thon with the brothers of Theta Xi, Christmas On Campus, camation sales for Valentine's Day, and collecting canned food monthly for the local Parish House. All the money raised was sent to the Alpha Gamma Delta Foundation for Juvenile Diabetes. The sisters of Alpha Gamma Delta were

accomplishments and looked forward to keeping the traditions of excellence in the

extremely proud of all their

years to come.

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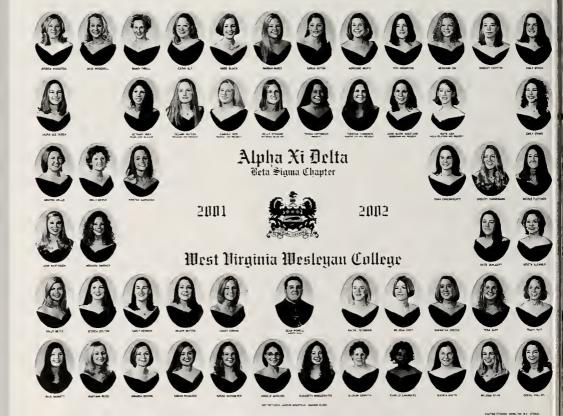
Recognizable Year

The 2001-2002 school year started out right for the Beta Sigma Chapter of Alpha Xi Delta. They reeled in nine great young women during fall recruitment. Throughout the year, the sisters participated in many philanthropic service projects such as the annual Xi-saw marathon, where the Xi's had to seesaw for twenty-four hours in hopes to raise money to support Jeremy Sibold, WVWC athletic trainer, in his twenty-six mile marathon for leukemia. The girls succeeded in being Jeremy's largest personal contributor. The Xi's also helped to decorate Stockert Youth Center for its Halloween events, participated in the Hanging of the Greens, made candy necklaces for spring recruitment's philanthropy night, and paired up with Kappa Alpha Order Fratemity to collect canned goods throughout the Buckhannon community. During spring formal recruitment, the sisters added another amazing pledge class of thirteen fun and sassy freshmen. The Xi's recognized this past year for the fun times, formals, the successful service projects, the new members, and the especially the seniors who said good-bye to school, but not to their hearts.





Above Top: Alpha Xi Delta sisters, Melissa Grey, Camille Chambers, and Carly Hedrich, are putting on a wild performance for Skit Night. **Above Bottom:** The new member class for Fall 2001 is praudly taking a picture in Hollaway's lobby with their Alpha Xi Delta gold and blue ierseys.





ttom: With much excitement, sisters Ranne Turner and Heather Figura Zeta Tau Alpha were proud to stand with the 2001 Homecoming Leen, sister Jahnna Steele.

low: Fall 2001 Bid Night was a blast far the ZTA sisters. Praving their n are sisters Amanda Roupe and Angie Burdette.





Crowning Moments

The Delta Upsilon Chapter of Zeta Tau Alpha Fratemity was honored to receive the Crown Chapter award for the third year in a row. This award is presented by the National Council of Zeta Tau Alpha for achieving chapter excellence.

This year the Zeta's were ready to do it all again! The sisters had a very exciting year. They proudly added six new members in the fall and continued their enthusiasm through Homecoming where the chapter won the Homecoming banner competition. The excitement continued when just moments later sister Johnna Steele was crowned Homecoming Queen.

In the spring, the Zeta's welcomed fifteen new members into their sisterhood. The sisters were thrilled to finally have them after a long week of princess themed recruitment parties. Throughout the year, the sisters held their annual fundraising and service events. These included the Homecoming Bounce-a-thon and the Mr. Wesleyan pageant. These traditions are growing stronger every year, and they continue to help raise money for the Susan G. Komen Foundation. The sisters enjoyed many great memories this year and looked forward to many in the future!

Sororities









Tap: Seniar Alpha Delta Pi sisters Andrea Curtin and Ivy Leslie enjay each ather's campany in their suite.

Middle Right: Zeta sisters Cat Smith and Magen Taurtillatte are excited to participate in the 2001 Hamecaming Spirit Walk.

Middle Left: Alpha Xi Delta sisters pase far the camera during half-time at the Hamecoming foatball game. Battam: Sharing a mament in their suite befare a mavie are Alpha Gamma Delta sisters Heather McRae, Cassandra Bradshaw, Katie Baswell, Katie Davis, and Amanda Jackson.











Abave Lett: Alpha Xi Delta sisters are happy to wear their animal prints for their spring recruitment Skit Night Laaking great in their jungle gear are Dee Waters, Candice Rice, and Emily Keiper.

Above Right: Abbey Niland, Katie Davis, and Danielle McIlvaine, junior Alpha Gamma Delta sisters, shared their spring break tagether at Stane Harbar, New Jersey, where they had much tun tauring Jersey's caastal wetlands and beaches.

Middle: Same Zeta Tau Alpha seniars enjayed each other's campany before they graduated at an alumnae picnic.

Battam: The time the new Alpha class was waiting for had finally arrived; they received their Alpha Delta Pi diamands and were happy to smile for the camera with their new family.

Greek Week

The chanting and screaming, the refs blowing their whistles, the grunts and chatter between team members—all familiar sounds of the most awaited week of the spring semester at Wesleyan for Greeks—Greek Week! For those athletes who enjoyed good competition and the spectators who enjoyed watching close and rowdy games, this week served both purposes.

All teams exhibitied a wonderful sense of team and hard work. The overall champions of Greek Week 2002 were Kappa Alpha Order and Alpha Xi Delta; both teams showed extreme strength and heart, as well as every other team that participated. The underdogs, who always kept hope for victory, were always footed for—and it was great to see them pull out on top for several events. Stephanie Shriver, Greek Week coordinator for Alpha Gamma Delta said, "While Greek Week was a lot of hard work, it paid off in the end. To see sororities get along made all of the problems of the week seem small."

Some of Greek Week's famed events were water polo, soccer, basketball, volleyball, wrestling, track events, women's triathlon and recently added women's and men's floor hockey. For those who prefered the less athletic events, or those who refused to come away with bruises, there was other events such as women's oval events. There was just as much competition in jello eating as there was in water polo!

Despite the strong competition and all the injuries, Greek Week was a blast for all who participated and it gave each sorority and fratemity an unexpected sense of togethemess. The biggest lesson learned was that of teamwork, support, unity, and pride—the very reasons that brought Greeks together in the first place.

Senior Manny Luna, Theta Xi, said it best, "Greek Week—a time when the members of a fratemity or sorority gather to compete in random physical tasks. A week where a single nobody can, for one moment, be the best in a glorious victory. A time of competition where pride in one's group stands above all, win or lose. A chance to prove to the rest of campus that they truly are the best in what they do. In short, Greek Week is a time where we forget about school, problems, and hardships we face in life. It is a time to bond with our members in hopes of victory. It's a chance to prove to other groups that they deserve the respect they had been deprived of. Greek Week is more than winning and losing; it's all about having fun and making memories."

Right: This year Greek Week included a Greek-sponsored Blood Drive for the compus community held in the Social Hall,





Left: Greek Waman of The Year Tara McCartney receives her well-deserved recognition at the Awards Assembly held in April in Wesley Chapel.

Belaw: Jess Whalen, Greek President, receives her award from junior Erin Lawrence.



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Steadfast Devotion

The brothers of Alpha Sigma Phi enjoyed an eventful and productive 2001-2002 year. The Beta Nu chapter added three new members during the fall semester that contributed greatly to the Alpha Sigma Phi name. During the fall semester, the brothers earned the second highest campus GPA and the highest house GPA. The incoming valuable spring pledge class of nine was the second largest on campus.

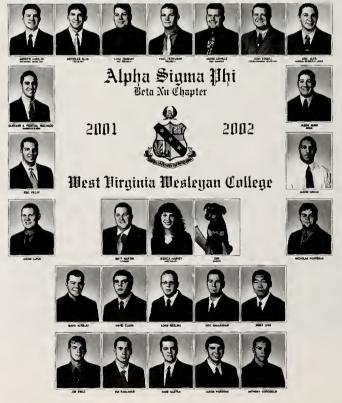
During the year, the brothers continued their steadfast devotion to community improvement through facilitating and participating in many service and philanthropy projects to benefit the area of Buckhannon. They held their second annual Haunted House during Halloween which benefited the Upshur County Head Start. The brothers also participated in a toy drive that raised over 400 toys for the underprivileged children in Upshur County. Alpha Sig also organized a fundraising golf tournament that benefited the National Down Syndrome Center of Wood County, West Virginia. The brothers looked forward to continuing excellence through service, academics, and brotherhood in the coming year.





Above Top: The brathers of Alpha Sigma Phi were proud of their recruiting skills os they welcomed nine new pledges into their fraternity during Spring Jump Weekend

Above Bottom: Alpha Sig brothers always have an enjayable time of their spring farmal.















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low: The Chi Phi brathers, alumni, and pledges are celebrating a acessful recruiting period after spring 2002 rush. The chapter elcomed eighteen pledges into their fraternity, more than any iternity on campus.

ttom: Brathers and pledges show their pride before they porticipate Spring 2002 Jump



Surviving Brotherhood

The Delta Xi chapter of Chi Phi fratemity was stronger than ever this year at Wesleyan. The brotherhood won multiple awards from its nationals along with campus wide recognition as well. The Chi Phi brothers participated in many service projects for the campus and community, which truly benefited all those involved. With this continued dedication to Wesleyan and the community, the projects and activities brought the brothers closer as a brotherhood. The 2001-2002 school year brought ups and downs for the fratemity. The brothers were disappointed in the fall, receiving no new pledges through recruitment. However, the Chi Phi brothers bounced back with a vengeance, gaining eighteen new pledges in the spring to welcome into their fratemity. Chi Phi took much pride in their recruiting capabilities.

Together the brothers and pledges participated in many fundraisers for the Hoots organization and the Stockert Youth Center. They also participated in the Buckhannon River cleanup and the Hanging of the Greens. This was one remarkable year for Chi Phi, and they hoped next year would be even better.

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Remaining Strong

The brotherhood of Kappa Alpha Order of the Beta Chi chapter at West Virginia Wesleyan College remained strong this past year. Sixteen men pledged Kappa Alpha during the 2001-2002 school year. The brothers participated in numerous activities and projects to help out the Buckhannon community. On campus, Kappa Alpha Order brothers did a fundraiser to raise money for the Muscular Dystrophy Association. They also coached a Stockert Youth Center basketball team and helped many Upshur County children. The brothers helped the Island Nursery Kindergarten to haul wood chips from Trus-Joist McMillan to the school's playground and placed the chips under the equipment.

Kappa Alpha Order was known for its strength in brotherhood, which is apparent in the increasing numbers. The brothers worked hard to possibly eam the 2002 President's Cup, a great honor that all brothers looked to solidify. Kappa Alpha Order continued to bring new members into its brotherhood and its growth and strength were expected to linger for many years to come.

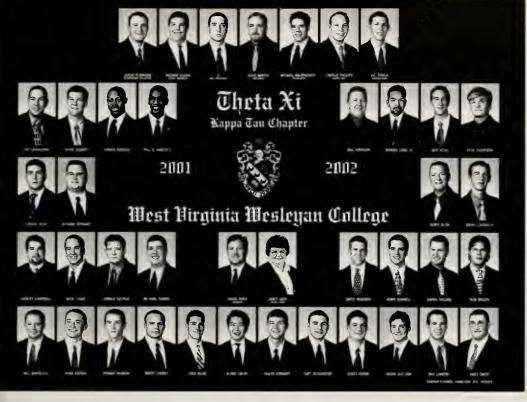








THETA X



lelow: Theta Xi brothers Jeff Naah and Michael Malfregeat enjay the ights at their fratemity's national convention in Palm Springs, California.
lottam: Enjaying each other's company at Theta Xi's spring formal in Canaan Valley are brothers James Owrey, Dave Hendren, Chris Kline, and Rob Ridlen.





Setting the Standard

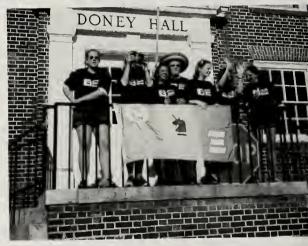
The brothers of Kappa Tau chapter of Theta Xi fratemity enjoyed another year of immense success, unmatched by its peers. With this year's fall and spring pledge classes, Theta Xi grew to over 40 brothers, retaining its place as Wesleyan's largest fratemity. Despite its avid participation in social functions, Theta Xi maintained the highest GPA of all fratemities. The brothers also were the proud owners of the 2001 President's Cup, which represents superior performance and accomplishment in academics, athletics, and philanthropy. Among the year's highlights for the brothers were their annual Hippie Friday bash, Margaritaville parties, and their spring formal which held unforgettable experiences for all those who attended. During the year, Theta Xi participated in fundraisers for Multiple Sclerosis, canned food drives, philanthropic events, a skatea-thon with the Alpha Gams, and a bowla-thon with the ADPi's. Their diverse membership and strong, unified brotherhood spoke of its continued excellence. With ongoing alumni support and their commitment to be the best, Theta Xi looked to make upcoming years even more promising.

Fraternities



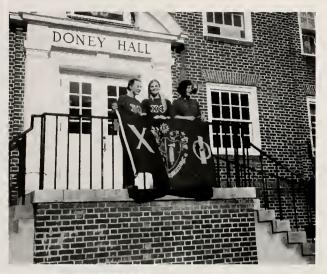
















Athletic Pride

Sports provided a bounty of reasons for pride this past year. Several WVIAC championships were achieved and some historical moments occurred for Wesleyan sports teams, athletes, and coaches.

Men's soccer and basketball, and women's soccer and softball brought home WVIAC championships this year. Men's basketball also made its first appearance at the NCAA Division II National Tournament. Women's basketball made NCAA Division II history when it played in 4 overtimes in one game. Individual athletes were named as WVIAC players of the week and year, along with Coach of the Year honors to Gavin Donaldson (men's soccer), Anthony James (women's soccer), and Charlie Miller (men's basketball).

Wesleyan men and women swimmers achieved recognition as they were named to the College Swimming Coaches Association of America (CSCAA). To be named to the CSCAA each member of the team has to have a grade point average of 2.8 on a 4.0 scale.

Wesleyan athletics took pride in its team and individual accomplishments throughout the year. Student athletes exemplified the Wesleyan spirit both in competition and in the classroom.

CONFERENCE CHAMPS

Top Left: Wesleyan saccer Cat's win the WVIAC title far the second year in a raw. Head caach Gavin Danaldsan is named WVIAC Caach af the Year.

TOP 25

Top Right: Men's basketball make history this year as WVIAC Champians and an appearance in the NCAA Divisian II Natianal Tournament.

IMPROVED SEASON

Battam Left: Caach Struble's Babcats end their seasan with a 3 4 averall recard. Several players receive past-seasan hanars.

MAKING HISTORY

Battom Right: Wamen's basketball made NCAA Division II history when it played in 4 avertime periads in ane game.







The WVWC Fall Athletes had a great season for sports.

TOP LEFT: Greg Bennett beats his apparent with his mind set on scoring a gool.

IOP RIGHT: Tennis players Emily Byrer and Rachel Scribner cheese it up for the camera.

MIDDLE LEFT: Sophomore Luke Struble runs far o tauch down as the defense misses a tackle.

MIDDLE RIGHT: The Lody Bobcots are celebrating after scoring

BOTTOM LEFT: The cross country team tokes a break befare finishing the meet.

BOTTOM RIGHT: Kristine Martinsen works around an Ashland opponent to win the

















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Next year promises to be even better!

TOP LEFT: Saphamare Vic Lambard attemps a sack against West Liberty's quarterback.

TOP RIGHT: Canar Bradley #3 moves toward the ball to help team player Chris Osberry #20 keep the ball away from the defending team.

MIDDLE LEFT: Mike Massey finishing up at Shepherd.

MIDDLE RIGHT: Ernesta Waines waits patiently far the game ta start back up, while Matt Amata walks taward him.

BOTTOM LEFT: Freshman farward Shellie Catton looks to win the ball back and scare another gaal. Catton lead the team in scaring for the year

BOTTOM RIGHT: Swimmers Adam Petersan, Matt Dammand, Bill Bandzuch, Chris Wiley, Stuart Shannan, and Dan Saucie pase far a picture that all the ladies can admire.





Building on this year's success, next season will be a breeze

West Virginia Wesleyan Crass Cauntry teams taak to the fields af Slippery Rack University to finish out a successful season. A clear coal day was expected as the wamen lined up against 26 other division II teams, all vying for a chance at the national crass country meet to be held an Navember 17th also at SRU. The wamen's team, losing to Wheeling Jesuit at the WVIAC the week befare, found themselves ranked tenth in the region and looking for retribution.

Off the line, the Lady Cats settled in with the pack for the grueling 6 kilometer event. The caurse was mastly dry yet spots and stretches freckled the course with ankle deep mud. At the mile mark Juniar Beth Gaalden last her shoe in one such stretch at mud.

The course, the weather, and field of competition began to take talls on the Wesleyan runners.

As a team the Lady Cats finished 13th averall and 2nd in the canference. Finishing her successful Wesleyan career, senior captain Melissa Waad finished 63rd averall.

On the men's side the Bobcats were ranked 9th in the region after a third place finish in the WVIAC the week before. Laoking to imprave an that ranking, the Cats came into the day canfident and looking farward to the challenge. The talented and deep field af teams included nationally ranked Edinbara and Millersville. After the mile the Wesleyan held a strang position within the pack. Seniar Adam Brantner and juniar Paul

Maare led the way loaking far All Region honors by finishing in the tap 45.

The 10k course taok its toll as the race progressed. Fighting the mud and cold air, Wesleyan held its ground against same af the finest teams in the region finishing 10th. Capping a strong seasan af canstant improvement, the yaung Wesleyan men's team looked forward to build an this year's success. Thanks ta all thase wha helped make this year's cross country season a success. The team is now laaking ahead ta 2002 and ance again hosting the WVIAC Championships.

TOP: Nick McGinnis finishes the race with ease. **MIDDLE:** Steve Smythe races apparent to the finish line.





ABOVE FRONT ROW (L-R): Justin Ragers.

SECOND ROW: Mike Massey, Steve Smythe, Justin Cax THIRD ROW: Adam Brantner, Paul Moare, Steven Nutter, Cale Carpenter, Nick McGinnis, Phil Parsans, Scatt Bennett. WOMEN'S TEAM NOT SHOWN:

Missy Waad. Ann Nakai, Beth Bridgewater, Beth Gaalden, Christina Hart, Kate Friddle. Kelly Terhune. Danielle Blanar, Liann Gattschling, Rachel Fox.

Head Caach: Jesse Skiles Asst. Caach: Hulna Han





BOTTOM RIGHT: Pretty girl Beth Bridgewater races at the WVIAC Champianship in full speed pursuit. BOTTOM LEFT: Lady Babcat Danielle Blanar makes a pivat araund a tree in the middle of the course







TOP LEFT: Lady's man Justin Ragers races down the course. TOP MIDDLE: Wesleyan Babcats racing in a pack at the Sheperd Invitationals. TOP RIGHT: Steven Nutter receives his first callege crass country award
BOTTOM: Beth Goolden

battling Wheeling Francin Hart ta the finish line.





Cross Country

	W M
at Shepherd	2nd 1st
at Davis & Elkins	Cancelled
at Greensboro, NC	4th 2nd
Bobcat Classic	1st 2nd
at Gettysburg, PA	10th 3rd
WVIAC at Wesleyan	2nd 3rd

Bobcats' winning streak helps with an improved season

The West Virginio Wesleyon Callege Bobcots opened their 2001 season agoinst Lenoir-Rhyne College on September B, 2001. The 28-55 final score in fovor of Lenoir-Rhyne was not indicative of just how close the ball game was the entire day. Senior running back Duriel Cobb, who would be o force for the Bobcats the whole seoson, scored the 'Cats first touchdown of the year.

First blood was drawn by West Virginia State Callege on September 29, and the Bobcots lost their third game of the season, 7-21

In front of a copacity
Homecoming crowd ot Ross Field
on October 20, the Bobcats of
WVWC went toe to toe with the
defending WVIAC champions,
Foirmont State College, only to

come up a couple plays shy The final score was 17-27 in favor of Fairmant Cobb ance again led the 'Cots on the ground with 77 yards on 24 carries. Defensively, senior safety Gashor Dixon led the team in tackles with 9 each, while freshman Alon Krutulis, junior Chris Morgan and sophomore Don Meyer each recorded a sock.

Wesleyan ended its 2-game winning streck by dropping its lost boll gome to the league-leading Glenville State Pioneers, 37-14 on November 10. Cobb broke the 1000-yard mark for the season by rocking up 55 yards on 16 carries. Junior nose guard Gary Woltz led all tacklers with 11, including 2 tackles for loss. Glenville combined for 21 points on 3 passes to secure the WVIAC Chompionship. The Bobcats

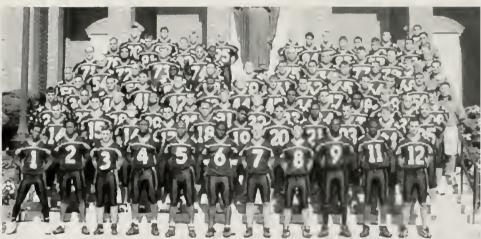
ended the 2001 seoson with o 3-6 overall record and 3-4 in the WVIAC. Several members of the 2001 Babcots were given postseason honors as well.

TOP: The Bobcat team tackles the opposing player as he receives the ball

MIDDLE LEFT: Sophomore quarterback Chris Cormier fires a poss down field to his receiver.

BOTTOM: Junior Duriel Cobb runs with the ball in an attempt to make a touchdown





ABOVE FRONT ROW (L-R): T.J. Dubone, Kenyorte Robertson, Jason Duke, Marcus Jockson, Joe Young, Duriel Cobb, Jamie Andrews, Justin Flood, Chris Morgan, Goshor Dixon, Chris Cormier, Barton Chasler

SECOND ROW: Chad Wiley, Cody Phillips, Jeremy Howard, Andrew Silva, Terrance Lucas, Chris Denardo, Brondon Corr. Don Knechtol, Mike Counahan. Jason Green, Travis Ervin.

THIRD ROW: Luke Wollace, Max Williams, James Henry, Brody Cunningham, Scott Stein, Bertrom Bowe, Brian Vonce, Corl Robinson, Josh Rose. Chris Smith, Patrick. Malia, Joe Eckhort, Mookie Mover.

FOURTH ROW: Brion Lasinski, Luke Struble, Rondall Robinson. Bloke Conklin. Chod Jones, Jared Tholl, Drew Fullmer, Calvin Springer, Billy Ackermon, Jeremy Lynch.

FIFTH ROW: Ramey Bowles, Dustin Dovis, Russell Collymore, Shown Powell, Alan Krutulis, Dustin Clowson, Andrew Whitley. Chose Stewart, Mike Orth.

SIXTH ROW: Clinton Duncon, Brad Watkins, Aren Gibson, Gary Waltz, Derrick Bane, Justin Hill, Jared Surbaugh, Chuck Eckhardt.

SEVENTH ROW: Arturo Andrade,

Richard Shinners, Chris Burgmon, Greg Jones, Joshua Westfoll, Brandon Marlin, Zach Botkins, Vic Lombard

EIGHTH ROW; Gary Volkovitch. Don Meyer, Matt Bell. Del Smith, Josh roeth, Mike Peito, Chris Brown, Ted Levine, Josh Smith, Field Terry.

COACHES RIGHT SIDE (F-B):

Head Coach - Bill Struble,

Assistant Coaches - Puol Price, Ron Boyd, Andy Upton, John Fey, Sarn Maverick, Tim Goea.







TOP LEFT: The Bobcats move into position while quarterbockChris Cormier scouts out which player will receive the ball to complete the play.

TOP RIGHT: While trying to gain yardage, fullback Brian Vonce puts up a struggle with West Liberty in their attempt to tackle him **BOTTOM:** Hut, hut ..all spectators await to see how the ploy will go down.





Football WC OPP Lenior-Rhyne 28 55 Newberry 14 42 at West Virginia State 7 21 College at West Liberty State 14 28 College Concord 49 31 at Fairmont State College 17 27 WVU Tech West Virginia University-48 24 Tech at Shepherd College 23 15 Glenville State College 14 37

The Bobcats come home with the conference title and honors

The men's soccer team of West Virginia Wesleyon College begon the 2001 seoson with high hopes. They were not disoppointed. The team finished the season with a 16-4-1 overall record and a 10-1 mark in the conference. The Bobcots also won the WVIAC Championship for the second year in a row and the 18th time in program history.

Depite losing a few games early in the season, the Bobcats finished the year strong winning their last 12 games. They outscored their opponents 70-23 and had 10 shutouts within the year. A mid-seoson, one-goal loss to rival Wheeling Jesuit was avenged in the conference title game with a 5-2 Wesleyan victory.

Several members of the

team were given honors throughout the season. Freshman striker Steve Fielding was named WVIAC Player of the Week. September 10th and junior goolkeeper Jorge Geddes nobbed that honor, October 29th. Geddes was olso nomed to the National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA) All-Great Lokes Region team along with junior defender David Palmer senior defender Hallis Struck and junior midfielder Ryan Vasseteia

Geddes earned a spot on the third team of the NCAA Division II All-American Team Geddes, Polmer, Struck, Vosseteig (first team), junior defender Mott Amoto (second team), senior defender Jerrod Fox

and senior midfielder Afrim Ficic (honorable mention) were of named to the WVIAC All-Conference team. Head Coach Govin Donoldson was named as the WVIAC Cooch of the Year for the 2001 season. Way to go Bobcats!







ABOVE FRONT (L-R): Darren Drumsta, Kai Faltat, Matthew Amato, Chris Mossarelli, Jorge Geddes, Jonothan Szeliga, Conor Brodley. Alek Filipovic, Afrim Ficio

MIDDLE ROW: Hollis Struck, Josh Lisac, Greg Bennett, Ernesto Woines, Nick Homisevicz, Anders Johnsson, Brandon Hooper, Chris Foster, Jerrod

BACK ROW; Coach Gaven Donoldson, Student Athletic Troiner Brion Potter, Sean McQuillon, Chris Osberry, Steven Fielding, David Polmer, Ryan Vosseteig, Nick Jennings, C.J. Helmick, Andrew Souerwold, Michael Page, John Aranguren, Head Athletic Trainer Wando Swiger, Assistant Coach Joe Darini.



TOP RIGHT: Senior defender Jerrod Fox choses down an opposing player. TOP LEFT: Ryon Vosseteig dominating the midfield **BOTTOM RIGHT: Senior defender** Hollis Struck ruining another opponent's chances. **BOTTOM MIDDLE:** David Palmer

settles the boll in midfield. **BOTTOM LEFT:** Fox shakes hands before the game starts.











goalkeeper Jorge Geddes, patrolling the back MIDDLE RIGHT: Senior defender

MIDDLE RIGHT: Senior defende Hollis Struck ruining onother opponent's chances. BOTTOM LEFT: 2001 WVIAC Conference Champs!





Men's Soccer

16-4-1	WC	OPP
Saginaw Valley	2	0
Charleston	4	0
West Chester	Cano	elled
at Findlay	1	2
Ashland	0	4
Salem International	5	3
at Mercyhurst	1	3
Ohio Valley	11	0
at Wheeling Jesuit	3	4
at Univ. of D.C.	1	1
California, PA	2	1
at Wingate, NC	2	4
at Lenoir Rhyne, NC	2	0
at Davis & Elkins	3	0
Alderson Broaddus	3	0
Columbia Union	7	0
at Gannon	2	1
Concord	5	0
Shepherd	5	0
WVIAC Finals:		
Davis & Elkins	3	0
Univ. of Charleston	3	1
at Wheeling Jesuit	5	2

Women win fourth WVIAC title

The women's soccer team of West Virginia Wesleyan College had a record-breaking year in 2001. They notched a 13-6 overall record and a perfect 10-0 in the WVIAC. They captured their 4th conference title while racking up several conference awards.

Early season losses did not deter the Lady Bobcats as they won 9 of their last 10 games and made a clean 3-0 sweep of the WVIAC Tournament. A penalty kick was all they needed to down rival Wheelina Jesuit for the conference title. Nabbing WVIAC Player of the Week honors were a trio of strikers: freshman Sarah St. Clair (Oct. 15), senior Kristine Martinsen (Oct. 22) and freshman Shellie Cotton (Oct. 29). Lady Babcats named to the WVIAC All-Conference Team were freshman apalkeeper Krystal Savarina, junior defender Judith Vojik, senior defender Brandee Norris, senior midfielder Wendy Yingling,

Martinsen and Cotton (first team); junior midfielder Lene Kristiansen, senniar midfielder Liesl Nuss, St. Clair (second team); and senior striker Jessica Vosseteig (honorable mention). Cotton shared Rookie of the Year honors and head coach Anthony James was named as the WVIAC Coach of the Year. Cotton broke the single season scoring record in 2001. The past record was 22 goals and Cotton netted 24 in her first season at WVWC. Kristiansen shattered the single season assist record by 15 goals; the previous mark was 11. Congratulations to the Lady Bobcats on a great 2001 season!

BELOW: Wendy Yingling prepares herself to dispossess the striker of the ball.

BELOW CENTER: Brandee Narris gets dawn to business, as she is about to deliver the perfect pass ta Lene Kristiansen (not in the picture)







ABOVE FRONT ROW (L-R):

Marie Keeler, Jessica Vosseteig, Stacy Papamichael, Heidi Burger, Krystol Sovorino, Brondee Norris, Ashley Strawn, Lene Kristionsen, Amber Cornett, Sarah St. Clair

SECOND ROW: Head Cooch Anthony James, Shellie Catton, Tracy Tutt, Rukmini MocDonald, Nikki Painter, Judith Vojik, Wendy Yıngling, Liesl Nuss, Sunnie Reardan, Kristine Mortinsen.

PICTURE NOT SHOWN: Siliphone Phetsphongy, Saroh Kurtz



BOTTOM LEFT: Kristine Mortinsen goes by yet another defender.

BOTTOM RIGHT: Ashley Strown gets her kick as she dribbles past the official.







TOP LEFT: Shellie Cotton does one of her Jonet Jockson impersonations to fake out her opponent

TOP RIGHT: Judith Vojik gets ready to destroy her fovorite species (strikers).

MIDDLE LEFT: Rukmini McDonald gets ready to display her blozing speed as she receives the boll.

MIDDLE RIGHT: *Perfection in Motion" Sarah St. Clair gracefully outruns her opponents.

BOTTOM: Cooch Anthony Jomes sits patiently with the rest of the Lady Bobcots as they focus on the game.







Women's Soccer

13-6	WC	Орр
at Lock Haven	2	3
Saginaw Valley	4	0
Northern Kentucky at	1	6
(Wheeling)		
Indianapolis at	0	1
(Wheeling)		
West Chester	Can	celled
Concord	2	1
Ashland	0	2
Mercyhurst	2	0
Gannon	4	0
at Findlay	1	2
at Wheeling Jesuit	4	1
Charleston	7	0
at WVU Tech	10	0
at Salem International	5	1
Davis & Elkins	8	0
at Shepherd	10	0
at Millersville	1	2
WVIAC FINALS:		
WVU Tech	7	0
Salem International	7	0
Wheeling Jesuit	1	0

A new coach, a new team, and a winning season was nothing for the Lady Bobcats

A new coach, a young team and a lot of determination led the 2001 West Virginia Wesleyon College women's tennis team to a third place finish in the WVIAC Tournoment behind West Liberty State College and one point shy of the University of Charleston. The team's roster consisted of two juniors, four sophomores and two freshmen as Jared Luteran took over coaching duties for the season.

The team finished with a

10-3 overall record and a 10- record. Jordan/Portrey hos 1 mark in the WVIAC. Junior co-captain Blair Thornton posted a team-best 14-3 individual record, followed by freshman Amie Crichton. who was 12-6 on the season. Sophomore Rachel Scribener (10-5), junior cocaptain Emily Byrer (10-6) finished their seasons strong Freshman Ashley Portrey (9-6), sophomores Jen Jordan (6-5), Susan Malfregeot (3-0) and Amanda Byrer/Scribner posted a very impressive 12-6 overall

a 7-6 season while Culver/Molfreaeot were 3-1. Other parings were Crichton/Thornton (3-7), Portrey/Crichton (2-1), Thornton advanced to the final rounds in their individual drows and the doubles team of Scribner/Byrer advanced to the final match of their #1 doubles draw as well.

The Women's Tennis team had a remarkable year for wins. Way to go Lady Bobcots!





ABOVE FRONT ROW (L-R): Jennifer Jordan, Amando Culver, Susan Molfregeat, Ashley Portrey, Amie Crichtan.

BACK ROW: Head Caoch Jored Luteran, Athletic Troiner Julie Carder, Bloir Tharnton, Rochel Scribner, Emily Byrer, Assistant Caach Down Viahetti.

Picture not shown: Assistant Cooch Gail Roberts

IOP: Emily Byrer hits o high backhand volley during her worm-up. BOTTOM: Gail Roberts (Left) and Jenn Jardon (Right) pase for the comero of Barton College Taurnoment in North Carolino.





TOP: The Lady Cats Family celebrating Blair's birthday! Picture:
Front Raw - Jared Luteran, Blair Tharntan, Emily Byrer, Rachel Scribner, Dawn Vighetti.

Back Row - Amanda Culver, Susan Mulfregeot, Jennifer Jardan, Ashely Portrey, Amie Crichton

BOTTOM: Blair Tharnton gets ready to hit a valley in preparation for her match in North Caralina.



Women's Tennis

	□ wc	Орр	
Bluefield	9	0	
Concord	7	2	
at Davis & Elkins	9	0	
at Fairmont	6	3	
Charleston	Postp	Postponed	
at WVU-Tech	7	2	
Davis & Elkins	Post	oned	
Slippery Rock	2	7	
IUP	3	6	
at Shepherd	8	1	
West Liberty	1	8	
ITA Regional	Tourn	ament	
(at bloomsburg):	For	Format	
WV State	9	0	
at Charleston	5	4	
Fairmont	8	1	
at Salem International	9	0	
WVIAC Tourn. (at Charleston)	3	3rd	

Lady Bobcats named to the WVIAC All-Tournament Team

The volleyball team finished the 2001 season with a 14-8 overall record and an 11-4 mark in the WVIAC.

The team had a rocky stort, losing its first 4 matches at the Wheeling Jesuit Tournoment.

They bounced back with 2 wins over WVIAC schools, and then lost to Shepherd College before going on a 5-match winning streak

They were defeoted by the University of Charleston and then went on a 6-match tear, in which they only lost 1 game.

The Lady Bobcats entered the WVIAC Tournament with a first-round bye followed by 0 3-1 defeat af Shepherd and then a loss to the eventual tournament winner, Wheeling Jesuit

Several members of the Lady Bobcat Volleyball team were given high honors for the 2001 season

Senior Meghann Dix earned WVIAC Ployer of the Week honors (Oct. 29) and was named first team all-canference.

Fellow senior Saroh Acton was alsa given first team oll-conference honors, while senior Maari Thrall was named to the second team.

Katie Morris earned allfreshman team honors. Dix ond Acton were also named to the WVIAC oll-tournament team.

The coaching staff would like to thank everyone for their support this yeor; their efforts and enthusiasm have been truly appreciated





ABOVE FRONT ROW (L-R): Jackie Armstead, Sarah Acton, Marri Thrall, Meghann Dix, Amanda Olsen.

BACK ROW: Amanda Smith, Hillory Nutter, Katle Marris, Lindsey Jacobs, Caltlin Dix.

TOP: Maari Thrall kills the ball agoinst the players from Alderson Broadus

BOTIOM: After a long practice, the Lady Bobcats deceided to take a break





TOP LEFT: Jockie Armsted prepares to set the ball to Amanda Oisen.

TOP RIGHT: Caitlin Dix, Lindsey Jacobs, and Katie Morris serve the boll during practice

BOTTOM: The team huddles before beginning the game





Volleyball

	wc	Орр
Clarion Univ.	0	3
Indiana Univ.of PA	0	3
California Univ. of PA	1	3
LeMoyne	0	3
at WVU-Tech	3	0
Ohio Vally	3	0
at Shepherd	1	3
at District of Columbia	3	0
at Salem International	3	0
West Virginia State	3	0
at Davis & Elkins	3	0
at Glenville State	3	1
at Charleston	1	3
Glenville State	3	0
at Concord	3	1
West Liberty State	3	0
Alderson-Broaddus	3	0
Fairmont State	3	0
Davis & Elkins	3	0
at Wheeling Jesuit	3	0
WVIAC:		
Shepherd	3	1

Bobcats score a win as WVIAC Champs

With 7 seniors, the West Virginia Wesleyan Callege men's basketball team had a stellar seoson. They finished as regular seoson WVIAC Champions, cracked their way into the national Top-25 for the first time in program history, and made an appearance in the NCAA Division II National Tournament. They finished the year with an impressive 21-8 overall record and a 15-3 mark in the conference.

Senior forward Damien Jackson was named WVIAC player of the week, first team All-WVIAC, and first team Daktronics NCAA Division II All-East Regian. Jackson finished the seosan ranked #7 in the conference and #47 in the nation in scoring, averaging 19.1 points per game and a total of 553 paints for the vear. He finishes his WVWC career with a total of 1,777 paints, to place him 6th on the all-time scarina list. Fellow senior center Jomar

Thampkins, the other half of the Bobcats' one-two punch, garnered several honors as well. Thompkins was a 2-time WVIAC player of the week selection, named to the ALL-WVIAC first team and named to the second team of the Daktronics NCAA Division II All-East Region team. Thompkins finished ranking #2 in the conference and #4 in the nation in rebaunding, #3 in the canference in field goal percentage, and #4 in blacked shots.

Thompkins finished his 2yeor Wesleyan career with 809 paints and 620 rebounds.

Other seniars finishing their stints at WVWC were guard Judd Lari, forward Lee Rass, forward Nordli Gabern-Moss, guard Robert Kelly and paint guard Muhammad Hamidullah.

Junior forward Richard Lindsey mode his presence know in his first seoson with the Bobcats. He was given honorable mention to the AllAll-WVIAC team and finished #30 in the conference in scoring, with an average of 13.7 and #9 in steals, picking off 55 passes for the year.

Head coach Charlie Miller was named as the WVIAC Coach of the Year as his squad posted its first 20-win season under his leadership.







ABOVE FRONT ROW (L-R): Nordli Gobern-Moss, Ted Winovich, Muhornmad Hamidullah, Judd Lori, Aswan Marris, Arne Forstenburg, Robert Kelly.

ABOVE BACK ROW (L-R): Richard Lindsey, Domien Jackson, John Hartman, Lee Ross, Jevin Toroin, Jamar Thompkins, Jason Jones, Terrence Brown. TOP: Co-Captain Muhammad Homidullah initiates the offense. MIDDLE: Jamar Thompkins going for a dunk shot.

BOTTOM LEFT: Co-Captoin Judd Lori takes time-out for a snap

BOTTOM RIGHT: Nordli Gabern-Mass goes up for a jump shot.











TOP LEFT: Richard Lindsey is looking far options on passing the ball. TOP MIDDLE: Lee Rass gets into position for the next play. BOTTOM MIDDLE: Robert Kelly looks to pass the ball inside. TOP RIGHT: Aswan Morris penetrates to the basket.

BOTTOM: Damion Jackson is airbarn as he dunks the ball.





Men's Basketball

	wc	Opp
Davis & Elkins	81	62
Glenville State	94	81
at Millersville	64	44
Rio Grande	88	71
Ashland	77	94
at Univ. ot Pitt-Johnstown	66	64
Wheeling Jesuit	106	77
Northern Michigan	80	84
Hilisdale	71	86
at Salem International	70	85
at Ohio Valley	94	57
Fairmont State	84	68
West Liberty State	88	78
at Davis & Elkins	109	114
at WV State	78	74
at Bluefield	94	63
Concord	90	74
WVU Tech	74	68
at Charleston	100	79
Alderson Broaddus	74	61
at Glenville	92	82
Shepherd	78	75
Glenville	7 5	74
at Alderson Broaddus	96	102
Davis & Elkins	82	63
at Shepherd	68	56
Wheeling-Jesuit	82	76
Charleston (WVIAC)		64
Belmont (WVIAC)	59	76

The Lady Bobcats make history...

The Lady Bobcats started the seasan still reeling from a summer trip to Sweden and Denmark. Although winless during their 4-game overseas schedule, those games were essential as the young Lady Bobcats prepared for another highly competitive season in the West Virginia Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (WVIAC).

After starting the official 2001-2002 season on a 9-game losing streak, the Lady Bobcats came back from the Christmas break to win 10 of their next 11 contests. This rally started with a history-making 107-

101 victory over the Fairmont State Callege Lady Falcons on January 10, 2002. That game was tied at the end of regulation and lasted for 4 overtime periods, making it the second langest NCAA Division II women's game in history and the longest WVIAC contest ever. In all 4 avertime periods, Wesleyan scored 38 points while both teams combined for 70 points to break the previous NCAA Division II record. The Lady Bobcats' mid-season rally included a 9-game winning streak where the Lady Bobcats beat regionally ranked Wheeling

Jesuit and conference powerhouse University of Charleston. Wesleyan finished the regular season with a road win at Shepherd College to place 4th in the WVIAC power rotings.

Several individuals on the Lady Bobcat squad ended the season with conference honors. Sophomore guard Jessie Roeth garnered All-WVIAC 1st team honors. Roeth averaged 15.2 points per game and 7.4 rebounds, both team highs for Wesleyan. Senior point guard Andrea Gianni mode All-WVIAC honorable mention with 7.8 ppg, 5.8 rpg and a team-leading 4.1

assists per game. Also, freshman center, Frances Carvajal was named to the All-Freshman team with 7.9 ppg and 5.6 rpg. The Lady Bobcats will lose seniors Kelly Howe and Sarah Meredith, both four-year contributors to the program.







MIDDLE (L-R): Heather Kauffmon.

BACK (L-R): Jessie Raeth, Kristen Wells, Sararose Smith, Fronces Carvajal, Katle Davis.

TOP: #42 Katie Davis taking the pawer dribble to the basket.
MIDDLE RIGHT: #32 Jessie Roeth holding her follow through with a three paint basket.
BOTIOM LEFT: Roeth with the hussle play far the steal.
BOTIOM RIGHT: Ca-Captain

Andrea Gianni driving pass

apponent.









TOP LEFT: Good double team effert by sophomore Katie Dovis and freshmon Frances Carvajol.

TOP RIGHT: Sophomore Jessie Roeth surveying the defense while in the triple threat position.

BOTTOM: Senior Kelly Howe gets an aggressive rebound while Kristen





Women's Basketball

	wc	Орр
Longwood College	61	77
Univ. of PittJohnstown	50	63
Ashland	66	94
Wayne State	38	81
California, PA	51	69
Southern VA College	81	83
New Haven	69	71
Green Mountain	49	5B
at Salem International	61	75
Fairmont State	107	101
West Liberty	55	92
at Davis & Elkins	76	63
at West Virginia State	87	71
at Bluefield State	79	67
Concord College	62	52
WVU Tech	65	53
at Univ. of Charleston	79	70
Wheeling Jesuit	71	43
at Ohio Valley	76	66
Alderson Broaddus	64	44
at Glenville State	53	65
Shepherd College	80	82
Glenville State	46	68
at Alderson Broaddus	82	74
Davis & Elkins	55	59
at Shepherd College	68	63
WVIAC ROUNDS:		
Alderson-Broaddus	77	70
Wheeling	54	68

Sink or swim was not an option for the Bobcats!

At the end of the first week of school, the members of the swim team returned to the pool for training that continued until their conference in the middle of February. During this time, the team participated in eight meets and went on a training trip aver the Christmas break. Their hard work paid off, however, at the Bluegrass Mountain Conference. Coach Quick was assisted this year by the new graduate assistant lain Williams and former team member Brandon Rannebarger. Three freshmen and two transfers were also new additions to the team; however, the team remained law in numbers. After the initial meet lass to Shippensburg, the women's

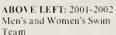
team was unstoppable, defeating Wheeling Jesuit, Fairmont, Charleston and Frostburg. Mid-Season the team swam in the Grave City Christmas Invitational, where over eight teams competed. The women finished second by a mere four points, and the team celebrated as freshman Monica Morin attained her NCAA Division II cut in the 200 butterfly.

At the three-day Blue Grass Mountain Meet, the men achieved fourth place, the wamen captured first place, and combined, the team was second only to Wheeling Jesuit. Sophamore Allisan Griffith made natianals with her win in the 100 breastrake and two weeks later she traveled with Morin and Quick to Flarida for nationals. The girls represented the

team well as they improved times and Allison brought home eight place honors in her 100 breastroke.

Just after the season ended, the members found out they were named a part of the CSCAA, the College Swimming Coaches Association of America. To be named to CSCAA each member of the team had to have a grade point average of 2.8 an a 4.0 scale. Tina Grof, women's team captain, commented, "We're a very talented, intelligent and diverse group and I was proud to be a part of this year's team."





ABOVE RIGHT: Conference Champions Jane Bartozek, Tina Grof, Cathy Alt, and Allison Griffith set school and pool record times in the 400 Medley

RIGHT: Bobcat swimmers have some fun celebrating their victories.









BELOW LEFT: Coach Denton Quick and senior Cathly Alt relax after practice.
BELOW RIGHT: Coach Quick and seniors Tina Grof, Mary Alice Bird, Cathy Alt, and Matt Dammond get together for a final pose as Bobcat Swimmers.





KNEELING (L-R): Jane Bortoszek, Monica Marin, Katie Dunleavy, Cathy Alt MIDDLE ROW: Adam Peterson, Stuart Shonnon, Allisan Griffith, May Alice Bird, Tina Grof, Katie Boswell, Chris Wiley, Dan Sauce.

BACK ROW: Bill Bardzuch, Ashley Leinbach, Triston Springer, Kortni Wise.

Swimming

WC	aaO

at Shippensburg	W: L 69.5-108.5; M: L 62-104
Indiana Univ of PA	W: W 121-79; M: L 65-
at Wheeling vs. Ashland	W: L 46-49; M: L 25-70
at Wheeling Jesuit	W: W 51-44; M L 33- 61
at Wheeling Jesuit	W: W 58-28; M: L 26- 55
at Wheeling vs. Ashland	W: W 50-36; M: L 19-
Grove City	W: W 66-29; M L 37- 57
at Grove City Invitational Fairmont/Salem Internation	W: 2nd; M: 91h al
at Salem International	W 57-28; W 61-34
at Charleston	Tied 5alem; L 22-69 W: W 134-34; M: W 49-76
at Gannon	W: W 128-106; M: L 66 103

at Bluegrass Mt/WVIAC

W: 1st; M: 6th

Bobcats round the bases as they set the season for victory

The baseball team started its seasan in Florida, during spring break. Playing ather Division II squads, the Bobcats brought a 7-8 record hame with them. After several rainouts and cancellations, WVIAC play got started.

The Babcats started their post-spring break seasan with 2 wins over Ohio Valley Callege. They then took 2 games over Aldersan-Brooddus Callege and last and tied with Davis & Elkins Callege on April 4 was included in the 'Cats winning 6 of their next 8 outings. The most exciting dauble header of the seasan was when Bluefield State College came to Buckhannon an April 27. Junior pitcher/autfielder Steve Smythe smashed a sala homer over the left

center field fence to bring the score to 2-1 in favor of the Blues. The third inning would belong to the Babcats, as they scored 9 runs in the battam of that frame.

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a dauble down the left field line to allow Townsend to score. Smythe then hit a double that knocked in Surrency and Taylor. Seniar catcher Ed Eckenroad and junior shortstop Kip Cattrill were wolked to load the boses when Honce came to the plate again. He hit another ball over the fence in virtually the same spot as the first two to clear the bases and give the Bobcats a 10-2 lead.

The Bobcats would go an to take that game by a final score of 12-3. In the second game, Smythe hit another hame run, along with Eckenroad. In the second gome, Smythe hit another hame run, along with Eckenroad and Tawnsend, to lead the 'Cats to a 7-3 victory. The Bobcats had a victorious time in the WVIAC tournament.





TOP LEFT: Bobcots Eric Schmook, Steve Smythe, Joel Rasar, Bill Nevious (Asst. Cooch) and Jorrett Townsend seriously observe the game's progress.

TOP RIGHT: Third bosemon Jorret Townsend awaits the play

BOTTOM LEFT: Senior pitcher ond outfielder Ed Eckenrood reoches for base and tokes his turn of bat.







TOP LEFT: Junair pitcher and second baseman Jae Hance heads for the next base

BELOW: Babcats Jarrett Townsend and Ed Eckenroad are pleased with their team's play.

BOTTOM: Senior pither Jael Rasor is ready to let this pitch find its mark





Baseball

RESULT

Point Park Slippery Rock at California Univ. of PA Ohio Valley College

California Univ., PA
Alderson-Broaddus
at Davis & Elkins
Fairmont State
at West Virginia State
Salem International
at West Liberty State
Shepherd College
at WVU Tech
at Concord College
Bluefield State
at Univ. of Charleston

Concord College (WVIAC Tournament)

Postponed **Postponed** Cancelled W 5-0; W 3-2 (IN 8) **Postponed** W 9-1; W 2-1 L 1-9; T 4-4 W10-1; W9-3 W10-8; L 6-8 L 3-5; W 10-6 W 4-3; W 7-5 L 2-9; L 6-10 W: W L 8-9; W 6-3 W12-3; W 7-3

L 3-4

W13-10; W 5-4

The Lady Bobcats do it again - 2001 & 2002 Defending Champs

The Lady Bobcats of West Virginia Wesleyan College had high hopes entering the 2002 season. They were defending conference champions from the 2001 seoson and they were chosen in the preseason polls to finish first in the conference again. The Lady 'Cats did not disappoint their fans; they went on to win the 2002 WVIAC championship with a 5-2 victory over West Liberty State College on April 27.

After a 3-9 spring break effort, things looked bleak. The team returned from North Carolina and tore up the WVIAC, winning all but 1 contest through the season. They stayed undefeated throughout the conference tournament, as well, bringing their conference record to an amazing 25-1. By winning the conference, the team gets an outomatic bid to the national

tournament, which took place May 10-12.

Several members of this year's squad were given high honors throughout the season. Senior pitcher Adrienne Mertz, freshman catcher Lacy Stallings, and treshman autfielder Alyssa Miller were named to the All-Tournament team, with Miller being named tournament MVP. Mertz was also named as Pitcher of the Week for March 18 and Pitcher of the Year for the WVIAC for the fourth straight year. Fellow senior pitcher/first baseman Candice Rice was named Player of the Week for March 25 and was named to the first team All-WVIAC, Junior outfielder Rayner Balciunas was nomed Player of the Week for March 18 and Player of the Year in the conference. Head coach Steve Warner, in his 10th season at

Wesleyan, was given Coach of the Year honors for the second year in a raw. Saphomores Jess White (autfielder/second baseman) and Danielle Salmons (pitcher) were given second teom all-conference honors.

Finishing out their careers at WVWC this year are seniors Andrea Wesp (shortstop). Teri Hendricks (catcher/autfield), Rice, and Mertz. This foursome has seen much success as Lady Babcats, including 2 conference championships and numerous individual awards. Their leadership and sportsmanship will be missed.

BELOW: Seniors Adrienne Mertz and Candice Rice spend haurs af practice time in order to achieve the level of succes that they have hod as Babcat athletes.





ABOVE: 2002 Babcat Saftboll: Frant Row (L-R): Catherine Smith. Second Row: Danielle McKnight, Dethany Hartan, Jess White, Courtney Crist, Beth Massie, Rayner Balciunas, Jakie Monn, Danielle Salmans. Third Row: Head Caach Steve Warner, Asst. Coach Lytle Batten, Lacy Stallings, Candice Rice, Adrienne Mertz, Andrea Wesp, Teri Hendricks, Alyssa Miller, Amy Campanic, Asst. Cooch Stephani Ehrenfeld

RIGHT: Seniar Candice Rice takes her turn at bat.

FAR RIGHT: Juniar Bethany Horton and teammates Adrienne Mertz and Candice Rice owait the play.







LEFT: Freshman Alyssa Miller takes her swing.

BELOW: Adriegne Mertz and Candice Rice complete successfully four years of Wesleyan Softball.

BOTTOM: Freshman Lacy Stallings is ready to head for the next base.





Softball

	WC	Opp
USC Spartansburg	4	9
USC Aiken	8	14
USC Aiken	8	7
at coker	0	3
Coker	3	7
at St. Andrews	3	4
at St. Andrews	6	2
Kennesaw State	1	10
Francis Marion	4	3
Armstrong Atlantic	6	10
Coker College	0	8
Edinboro College	5	6
WV State		/ 3-0
at Shepherd College		/ 7-0
Bluefield State College		/ 21-0
at Univ. of Charleston		/ 11-1
at Alderson Broaddus		/ 4-1
at Salem International		/ 6-1
Concord College		/ 8-0
Ohio Valley College		/ 5-4
Davis & Elkins		/ 4-0
at Fairmont		/ 9-8
Gannon		/ 2-0
at West Liberty		/ 6-5
WVU Tech		/ 17-0
Univ. of Charleston	3	0
Alderson-Broaddus	6	0
West Liberty	4	3 2
West Liberty (WVIAC)	5	2

Track and Field

The West Virginia Wesleyan College men's and women's track and field teams competed in the WVIAC track and field meet on April 21 and 22 in Wheeling, WV.

The men's team placed 2nd behind Wheeling Jesuit University and the women's team was 3rd behind WJU and the University of Charleston.

Individually for the Bobcats, freshman Tony Shade was given men's Rackie of the Year honors and on the Lady Bobcat's side, senior Beth Goolden was named MVP for the women's meet.









TOP LEFT: Coach Jessie Skiles, holding his son, says goodbye to a new Wesleyan graduate.

TOP RIGHT: Racheal Fox maintains a steady, hard pace for her race.

ABOVE LEFT: Bobcats Justin Cox and Paul Moore await the starter's gun.

ABOVE RIGHT: Toni Shade works hard for more distance in the long jump.

RIGHT: Bobcat hurdlers strive to keep in front of the pack.

FAR RIGHT: Freshman Justin Cox makes the turn for his lap.







LEFT: Lee Ross takes the baton for a lap in

RIGHT: Liann Gottsch takes a slight lead over her opponent in the hurdles.
BOTTOM: Paul Moore and Beth Goolden hold their pace in this race.





Bobcats racquet up the wins to make the NCAA

The West Virginia Wesleyan College men's tennis team started its season by participating in the ITA East Region match on October 6-7, 2001. The team had a decent showing, but it really came alive at the next match. That one took place on February 23-24 and the Babcats came in first place. Seniar Ben Sprenger, sophomore Clark Campbell, senior Grant Dehaven and freshman Steve Wahl placed #1-4, respectively in the singles main draw, Junior Colin Saluja took first place in the singles back draw and the teams of Sprenger/Saluja and sophomore Scatt Green/Campbell taak #1 and 2 in the doubles main draw.

The Babcats continued the season with mixed results, winning 6 of their next 9 matches. They finished out the regular season going 2-2 and had a final record

of 8-5. They entered the WVIAC taurnament looking to surprise the heavily favored Shepherd College.

Juniar Ryan Walker went down for the season a week before the tournament with a shoulder injury and the team was forced to create two new doubles teams (including one with 2 freshmen who were not even in the lineup all season). Both of those doubles teams wan the conference title at their respective positions and everyone else pulled off same big wins as well. Wahl, the Bobcats' #7 player, had to be put directly in at the #3 singles spat for the injured Walker. Wahl pulled off a big win in Charleston, defeating D&E's player who was the #2 seed in the tournament. Sprenger, WVWC's #1 player, went into the tournament unseeded after a

season plagued with multiple injuries and he made it to the finals by knacking aff the tournament's #1 seed and Shepherd's #1 player.

The 'Cats went into the final day of the tournament leading Shepherd by 3 points, much to everyone's surprise. After the final day of play, WVWC had 26 points and Shepherd had 26 points as well. In the event of a tie, the team that won the head to head match during the season gets the title, meaning that Shepherd took home the championship.

Head coach Jared Luteran said he "could not have been happier with the guys' efforts. They played remarkable and really stepped it up and gave Shepherd a serious scare."

The team advanced to the NCAA Division II Regional Tournament where they lost 0-5 to Ferris State University on May 3. Congrats to the team on a great year!





ABOVE LEFT: First Row, (L-R): Paul Nelsan, Calin Saluja, Clark Campbell, Scatt Green, Mike Malfregeat and Ben Mueller. Second Row: Head coach Jared Luteran, Ryan Walker, Ben Sprenger, Steve Wahl, Jash Olcatt, Grant DeHaven and assistant coach Eric Golloaher.

ABOVE RIGHT: Juniar Calin Saluja prepares ta make his return hit.

RIGHT: Sophomore Scott Green plays clase to the net.





LEFT: Scott Green prepares to return the ball to his opponent. **BELOW:** Tennis Bobcats Eric Gallagher (GA). Steve Wahl and Ryan Walker help with the Hanging of the Greens.

BOTTOM: Steve Wahl completes his return.





Men's Tennis

	WC	Орр
at Rawlings Tournament	-	lace
Frankiin Pierce	Cancelled	
at Fairmont State		-
Davis and Elkins	7	2
Salem University	9	0
at Univ. of Charleston	8	1
Long wood at Barton	2	7
Mount Olive at Barton	1	8
Barton at Barton	0	6
at Wst Liberty	7	2
Concord College	9	0
WVU Tech	9	0
Shepherd College	1	8
at Davis and Elkins	4	5
Bluetield State	8	1
WV State College	Cano	elled
Fairmont State	9	0
WViAC Tournament	2r	nd

Women's Lacrosse









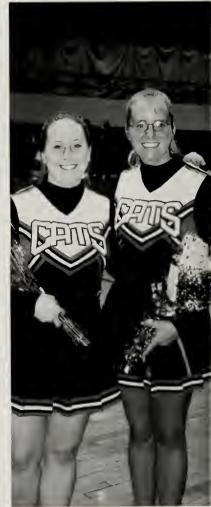




Lady Bobcat Cheerleaders













Athletic Training Program

In the fall 2001, Wesleyan's athletic training program entered its third year as a CAAHEPaccredited program. In keeping with the program's overall mission of providing the highest level of medical care for the over 300 athletes at Wesleyan while at the same time offering a rigorous undergraduate preparation for those students interested in pursuing careers in the field of sports medicine, the athletic training staff had yet another busy year. Once again with the help of Mike Kuba from the counseling center, along with featured speaker Dr. Al Kasprowicz, faculty athletic trainer Jeremy Sibold put together an excellent in-service program on eating disorders for the entire campus community.

In March 2002, eleven students were formallly accepted into the athletic training major. Those students will begin their clinical experience in the fall of 2002. During the month of April, three senior athletic training majors, Alicia Stickel, Jason Gessel and Jessee Thomaselli, were selected to present their senior research papers at the WV State Athletic Trainers' Association annual meeting in Wheeling. Five junior athletic training students were selected for poster presentations. Four members of the 2001 athletic training class passed their certification exam on the first try.

Although the class of 2002 was among the smallest for the athletic training major, the acomplishments of this group are among the most notable in the eighteen-year history of the program.





ABOVE; FIRSI ROW (L-R): Ashley Bland, Jen Jardan, Julie Carder, Beth Parter, Bethany Harton, Jesse Thomaselli, Megan Kanick, Jess White, Danielle Salmans. SECOND ROW: Jay Kitchens, Bobby Smith, Brian Potter, Travis McCarmack, Emily Frankhouser, Mary Fantane, Chris Brady, Jeremy Sibald. IHIRD ROW: Travis Rummel, Pat Cahaan, Alicia Stickel, Jasan Gessel, Amie Campanicki, April Burnell, Jen Schofield

RIGHI; FIRSI ROW (L-R): Wanda Swiger, Rae Emrick, Jean Fruh, Tammie Hamman, Jeremy Sibald

SECOND ROW: Alicia Stickel, Jasan Gessel, Amie Campanicki, Jesse Thamaselli, IHIRD ROW: Beth Parter, Julie Carder, Brian Patter, Mary Fantane, Bethany Horton, Travis McCarmack. FOURIH ROW: Jen Schafield, Jenn Jardan, Chris Brady, Jay Kitchens, Ashley Bland, Danielle Salmans,





Left: Student othletic troiners spend long hours working and studying, creating strong bonds of friendship. Gathered here are April Burnell, Bethany Horton, Emily Frankhouser, Briana Bennett, Jen Jardon, and Ann Miller.

Belaw: Bobcat #5B is helped off the football field by athletic training stoff member Jeremy Sibold and senior Jason Gessel









Above: Staff athletic trainer Rae Emrick anticipates her gift of o staff Xmos get together.

Left: Senior student athletic trainers: First Row (L-R): Alicio Stickel, Amie Campanicki, Second Row: Jason Gessel, Jesse Thomaselli.

Men's Golf

In the fall, the team's best finish was 2nd of 19 teams at the Glenville State College Autumn Classic held at the Greenhills/Riverside Country Club in Ravenswood, WV on September 9 and 10, 2001. The team as a whole shot 307 the first day and 298 the second day for a total of 605, just 3 strokes behind first place Fairmont State College.

WVWC finished 4th of 10 at the Challenge at Hideaway Farm in Graham, North Carolina on September 24-25.

On October 1-2, the team traveled to the Canaan Valley Golf Club in Davis, WV for the WVIAC Central Regional meet, where they finished tied with Ohio Valley College for 2nd place out of 15 teams.

The Country Club in Meadville, PA was the site of the October 9 Guy W. Kuhn Memorial Invitational, where the Bobcats finished 5th out of 15 teams.

The spring season found the Babcats at the North Carolina Wesleyan Don Scalf Invitational on February 18-20, 2002, where WVWC finished tied at thrid place with the host school.

On March 11-12, 2002, the Bobcats traveled to Wilson, NC to compete in the Lee Nissen-Barton College Intercollegiate match. The team placed 6th overall. At the Bobcats' own tournament on March 24-25. WVWC finished 5th of 14 teams.





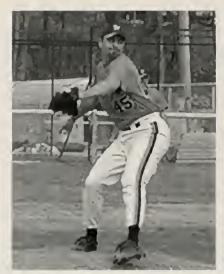


































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Taking Pride In...

I am the Orange Line.
My beginning was long ago
I have no end.
I am perpetual.
My source is in the
West Virginia hills.
My reach
Embraces the world.
I am in America's small towns.
I am in her great cities.
I cross the seas.

l grow.
I am your warm, perpetual memories.
I am your shared experiences.
I am your friends, your teachers.
I am your link to the past.
I am your dreams for the future.
Wherever you are, there too, am I.
I am you.
You are me.
We - are the orange line.

The words of Charles K. Dick's verse regarding the orange line exemplify the heritage of West Virginia Wesleyan College. The conclusion of another yearbook means the close of another year for Wesleyan. The year witnessed a number of events, some major obstacles, some surprises, all very exciting, all creating pride in the students, faulty, staff, administration, and friends of the College. As the words above indicate, the pride of Wesleyan continues, strengthens, and shines as this community does the same.

Some of us began our first year at Wesleyan, some of us completed our last year here. We saw new faces and old friends. We made memories. We breathed in the Wesleyan spirit. At times it was challenging. Ask any students, staff, or faculty member and they will agree. For instance, as first-year assistant professor Dr. Sharon Smith stated, "In a word, the past year has been ... challenging. West Virginia Wesleyan College has high expectations not only for its students, but also its faculty and staff. And, that's a good thing! It's been a learning experience, but I'm glad I came." Hopefully, those are the sentiments of all people who come to Wesleyan to experience life in this community. We strive to continue traditions established many years ago. We adapt to the changing world. We look for new experiences and opportunities. Simply put, students prepare for the day they become part of the Orange Line, while faculty and staff work to assist them in reaching that goal.

And while remembering the words of Charles K. Dick, we say farewell to another successful, breathtaking year of West Virginia Wesleyan College. We take comfort in knowing the hills will remain, the memories will continue, and the dreams will never cease. We have become a part of the Wesleyan spirit, whether as a student, a staff member, or a friend, and we will continue to embrace the essence of the Orange Line.

Tap Left: Assistant Prafessar Shauna Aurelia presents Amanda Grass the nursing department's saphamare award

Tap Right: Black and Orange banners adam the campus far special events citing the theme "Enduring values... Transfarming lives", the heart af West Virginia Wesleyan Callege

Battam Left: The beauty af Wesleyan's campus is accented by spring's flawering trees.

Ballom Righl: Wesley Chapel shines in the night light as the center of Wesleyan's cammunity.



Belaw: Dr. Danette Jahnson (far right) praudly presents Jessica Whalen and Meredith Lett with the Cammunication Department's Outstanding Prafessianal Award.





Left: Wesleyan Seniar Key recipients include: Stacey Brett, Helen Caldwell, Kara Capandanis, Andrea DiPietra, Amanda Eakle, Caralyn Henley, Mahammed Hamidillah, Tara McCartney. Charlie Phillps, Sara Rieder, Tammy Ranca, Elizabeth Sheppard, Katie Shields, Mike Sniffen, Alicia Stickle, Khan Thai, Maari Thrall, Ijeama Udahiri, Jessica Whalen, Allan Whiteman.

A Year's End



Right: Japonese students Hideyuki Imai and Koji Demizu praudly celebrate their accomplishments in learning English as their second language. Standing with these outstanding students is ESL Program Caardinator Mrs. Nancy Porter



Abave: Doniel Clapper receives the History Department's award from Dr. James Beeby.



Above: Dr. Tom Williams presents the Education Department's Exceptional Community Service Award to Laura Carrina.







Leff: End of spring semester brings warm, sunny days. Students even bring their laptops out onto favorite study spots on the compus lown.

Below: Freshman English major Sara Wood enjoys her workstudy os an ESL tutor.







Leff: Spring fever brings everone outside for study breaks. Here students enjoy a game of cotch on the lawn facing the Theta Chi house

Left: A year's end means soying good-bye to good friends made during the year

Achievement



Right: Dr. Kwame Booteng presents the Outstanding Senior in Political Science oword to Courtney Ahlborn.



Above: Director of Athletics Dr. George Klebez congratulates Outstanding Senior Athletes Judd Lari and Kristine Martinsen for their athletic accomplishments throughout their callege careers.



Above: Ms. Lee Ann Brown, drector of Bonner Scholors, presents the Community Service Award to Anne Thornton.







Left: Community Cauncil President James Phillips congratulates James Owrey an the Community Council's Service Award.

Belaw: Recognition for autstanding efforts in Christian Education is presented by Dr. Morvin Carr (Front Row, far left) to the fallowing: Marybeth Chien, Tracie Long, Brook Pattersan, Rager Moats, and Douglas Smailes.







Left: Dean of Students Trina Dobberstein presents the Greek Man of the Year Award to Matt. Sutton, who was also Greek Fraternity President of the Year.

Left: Deportment Chair Dr Mork Defae (Back raw) recognizes English Achievement Awards for the fallowing majors: First Row (L-R): Melissa Minsker, Jennifer LoMora, Moori Thrall, Braake Seelas, Teri Hendricks. Secand Raw: Angelo White, Kotie Shields, Sarabeth Wilson, and Breinne Mullins.

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