



Union College is olessed with many hard-working, talented people. We dedicate this yearbook to a member of our faculty who has demonstrated an abundance of school spirit for many years. She brings enthusiasm and experience to the classroom. She brings the sweet sound of her saxophone to ball games She sings (and swings) for the Regional Chorus choir. She helps people in the writing lab for tree. Dr. A. Candy Wood we salute you



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As the school year comes to a close once again, we are reminded of all the good and sometimes the bad times we have shared with one another. For some, this will be our last time here on campus and for others we are just starting. I would like to take this opportunity to say that without the help of those listed below I would not be where I am today. Thank You for the
 time and effort you have put into making a brighter future for myself and the many other lives you touch daily. ~Departing Senior ~


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Above: this year's Union APD chapter Vice President Emily Baker, with President Jason 'Chewie' Johnson. They're all dressed up here for Union College's answer to the Dscars.

APO Awards night: April 9th, 2010.

Below: daunlass song-and-dance man Chris Adams teads the annual dance on APD Awards night. Here he"s playing Voldemor, who is magically controlling the feet of Samantha Caidwell's Harry Potter with the imperious Curse. The song was To Dance Agan from the Harry Povler Musical. Samantha won this year's award for Best Newcomer, and was a splin-vote equal winner with Emily Baker for the Best Acress prize.


## APO is the national honorary co-ed theatre fraternity.

Students at Union can go see two plays a year, right here on cempus, for a onedollar admission ticket. If you have a passion for the stage, you can be PART of these productions, and woik towards membership of Alpha Ps Omega. Points are ewarded for acting, and also for work behind the scenes. This year the five curtent APD students welcomed three new members.

Above, right: new APO member Jennifer Mullins. She is back al Union atter 15 years to earn her second Masters, in Special Education. She was Stage Manager for Play On! and took the leading role nt Kate in She Stoops to Conquer.

Right: Pam Napiel, one of the three new members of our APO chapter, Here she is seen in her acting debut in the one-act play There is No John Garfield, directed by thearre minor Marcus Ashcraft.

This year's APD sludents voted unanimously to give Tommy Ruth (above) a special award for his excellent work as an actor here. (above) a special award for his excellent work as an actor here.
He has made a special contribution over the years to Union College Thearre. Some past honorees include DI. Dan Covington, Melissa Garrett, and Laura Love. Tommy, a member of staff, not a student, was granted Honorary Membership in APO. came to Union I didn't know anybody here. Being in thearre makes me feel like l've got a place here. I have a grear group of triends that makes
me feel like I'm pan of a lamily."


New APD member Stephen O'Oonoghue Iwith Jason 'Chewie' Johnson to the left, and Will Sanderson, right). Steve took five years of bur parts, painting and helpiul photography 10 gain APO membership. Heere he is singing in his role as Stingo, the pub landlord in She Stoops io Conquer. He played it with a comedy Scots accent, and it won him his third Best Actor in a Minor Role award. He says "I'd played a dinos aus and an evil robot before. Finally ! was acting a pan as a human being!"

Left: Ke ith Parker. seen here with Andy Messer, won the vote in this year's Walk On category.

Right: the three graduating APO members this year; Chelsea O'Connell. Bethany Hopkins (right), and $^{\text {and }}$ Marcus Ashcraft.

Bethany. II never thought of myself as a theare peison before I came here. I didn't expectio win the APD Award at the Honors Convoctation. A woman sitting beside me there sard she was sad I was graduating. because she'd never see me acting here agan!"

Marcus: The Union College Theate has been my family, and I am giad to heve been a pan of something so emazing."



KEA has allowed me to be active in schools Education


KEA is a great organization ihat has really helped me grow and develop as a student and fiuture educator. I look foward to seeing how KEA grows in the years to come.

Chelsi Deweese


KEA-SP provides Professional Development - Each year KEA Student Program members enjoy access to more than a dozen state and regional professional development events and many more at their home campuses, and includes the certificates they receive in their portfolios; Leadership skills - KEA Student Program members learn valuable leadership skills on campus and through opportunities to work with KEA's local associations; Community Outreach - KEA Student Program members visit schools across Kentucky to read with children who might not otherwise have that experience; and Scholarships \& Awards - In the last ten years, KEA has awarded more than $\$ 60,000$ in scholarships to members of the KEA Student Program.





Back row, left to righ: Kyle Hathorn, Nate Peyton, Shawi Spoon, Habio Sanogo, Cody Thompson, Sideek Sanogo
Jeff Howard, Jared Ford, Aaron McCollum. Next row: Beity Begley, Krystal Hale, Leslie Howard, Carla Jackson, Eden Ellison Samantha Sayre
Tiffany Moore, Ashhley Brown, Mollie Messmer. Leaning forward: Tasha Abbott, Shanya Jackson, Ashley Shipley, Christy Kirg. Martuka WiIf Meillendorf, Ben Jenkins, Austin Sebald. Insert pictures: Ashley Gattis, Lon Sonny' Whisson. Marcus Ashcraft. Rebecca Kiskaden anul Nirk Baltwir



## Creating Memories



Below: Eric Kinman, Ross Weller


Parrott tries his skill at rock climbing.


Left: Shawn Trinque uses one of his dorm walls for climbing practice during the

The phrase "Since the 1980's" has been on every email the club sent out this year as a reminder to those who read it that the Wilderness Club has been operating here at Union since 1980. Originally, the faculty sponsor was John Taylor, Professor of History, who handed the club over to Andy Messer. Since the beginning, the club has been popular among faculty, staff, students, community and alumni. This is one of few clubs that has an open door policy, meaning that anyone and everyone is welcome to join in on the activities available. In the past, caving was one activity the club really enjoyed but due to an infectious bat disease, White Nose Syndrome (WNS), the federal government has issued a ban on all caving on the eastern seaboard of the United States. This ban has been in effect for the past few years and has been honored by the club. Other activities include: fishing, rock climbing, rappeling, canoeing, bike riding, cookouts and the occasional Adventure Race.


Below: Wesley Lamberson doing a little free style climbing on one of the outings.


Below: Admissions counselor Dustin Adams takes his turn at scuba diving in the pool.


Above: A group of regulars to the events take time out and relax by the fire.

Below: Wilderness Club faculty advisor, Andy Messer, is prepared to assist all those that wish to rock climb up the


Shawn Trinque "Quotes from people who do nothing rememorable."

Left: Union students outfitted with the necessay

equipment for rapelling.

Below: This enthusiastic student is ready to take the plunge off the nearest cliff as she and Andy Messer make the final checks on the rack and harness.


Below Left: Although it seems like rain, the mist or water you see before you is actually a waterfall in the heart of the Daniel Boone forest.


Above: Rachel Millsop receives instruction on how to use her diving equipment before she can dive.

Below: Matt waits patiently in his little blue flippers for his turn at swimming in the pool on scuba night.
Left: As one of the exercises of the night, participants had to walk their way along the floor of the pool with their hands.

Below: Long time member and alumn Chris Osborne makes it to the top of a 40 foot cliff on the first try. (One in orange)

Cassy Kost
"I really enjoy the Wilderness Club. We went rappelling, canoeing and rock climbing this year. Unfortunately we were not allowed to go caving this year because of white nose syndrome in the bats."




Left: Kerrie Otto, Natalie Stone and Lisa Wagner make a splash during the InnerTube Water Polo games as they paddle for the ball.


Right: Brady Napier and Matt Warren take time to pose for a photo at the Ping-Pong Tournament.

Below: Daniel Boone Smith saves 3 lives by donating blood at the Blood Drive.



Above: The re-opening of the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Gymnasium commences with Monica Moreland, Jessica Florence and Arthur Johnson cutting the ribbon on February 23.

The Campus Activities Board (CAB) members are: Tommy Ruth, Alessandra Tavoloni, Jessica Burke, Christi Day, Capri Savage and Eric Ashcraft. CAB designs, sponsors, and produces a variety of activities on campus and supports and encourages individuals and organizations to create their own activities. Members help plan and sponsor major events, including homecoming, spring formal, springfest, lip-sync contests, student dinners, dances, bonfires, outdoor recreation, and other campus activities. This year they hosted The Newly Roomie Game, Dating Game, Bingo Night, Dance Dance Revolution, Baseball Poetry Reading, Open Mic Night, Bulldog Madness, Hypnotist Night, Ultimate Frisbee, Meet the Bulldogs, Billiards Tournament, Trivia Games and the other events shown on these pages.


Above: Amanda Gibson dobbs her card in hopes of getting five in a row B4 anyone else during Bingo Night.


Above: Drew Chamberlain concentr8te's on his shot during the Billiards Tournament.


Left: Onlookers laugh and cheer as they watch the UC version of the Dating Game.

Right: The Baseball Poem Reading allows Tyler Brake to show off his creative side.


Above: Brooke Porter does her civic duty in October's Blood Drive.


## Student Government Association



## Council for Exceptional Children

Core Values
Social justice, inclusiveness, and diversity.
Professional excellence, integrity, and accouniability.
Rich and meaningful participation in saciety for all individuals with exceptionalities.
Effective incividualized education for all individuals with exceptionalities.
The importance of families in the lives and education of all individuals with exceptionalities.
Collaboration and community building to improve outcomes.

Below: Justin Weaver, Marc Estep (rreasurer), April Lawson (secietary), and Brandon Asher



Above: Teri Busierre (President], Y. Moore and Theo at CEC Convention

Mission
CEC is an ineremaional community of educators who are the voice and vision of special and gifted education. Our mission is to improve the quality of lite for individuals with exceppionalities and their families through professional excellence and advocacy.

Below: Sandra Akins (President-Elect)


## Vision

CEC is a diverse, vibrant professional community working together and with athers to ensure that individuals with exceptionalities are valued and included in all aspects of life. CEC is a trusted voice in shaping education policy and practice and is globally renowned for its experise and leadership. CEC is one of the world's premiere education arganizations.

The Union College Chapter for the Council of Exceptional Children (CEC) was founded in 2007 and now has 85 members, the largest student chapter in Kentucky. The majority of the members are special education majors in the graduate program. The faculty sponsor is Yvonne R. Moore, Ed.D., who also serves on the Kentucky State Student CEC Development Committee. The CEC mascot is Theo (service dog in training).

The Union Chapter of CEC supports the values, mission and ethical principles of the International Council for Exceptional Children. The UC chapter is currently developing a community outreach and service plan for its members. In addition, professional development oppurtunities, CEC Division activities, and fund raising projects to help support these ventures are on the slate for the 2010-2011 Union College year.


Left to Right: Danielle Boggs, Brad McNew, Brandon Asher, Deva Jones, Jeri Bedord socializing after CEC meeting.


Sheena Williams ound bath conferences very beneficial to my ucational experience as an undergraduate Psychology נdent. While networking remains undoubtedly the most partant part of these conferences, I found I was also le to expand my interests which may help generate ture research ideas. Seeing the reaction fram my fellow ers as well as faculty from other institutions has overall ade me more comfortable and confident in presenting search.
Interacting with other researchers allows psychology idents to give and receive needed feedback that could issibly lead to a future publication. Representing our hool at these events allows us to promote Union College vile also raising our reputation among other instituins. Experiences such as these may produce a mare owledgeable graduate student which reflects positively om their time at Unian.

## Psi-Chi



Mission Statement
To produce a well educated, ethical, and socially responsible member committed to contributing to the science and profession of psychology and to society in general.


Jason King

The Kentucky Psychological Assaciatıon (KPA) spring academic conference gave students from Union College an apponunity to panicipate in an event that had bath knowledge gaining and networking potential. This year I (Jason King) coached the psych-bowl team, which competed against Morehead University first round. I was glad to see the team I worked with personally compete to share knowledge that few students get to participate in. Even though the team lost first round, they did significantly better than last year's team, which had several upper classmen. The team this year answered mare questions, and competed against a much larger university, that in itself speaks volumes about the quality of education Union College Psychology students are receiving.

Also at the KPA conference, as a graduate student, I had the opportunity to present research, successfully, and competitively with large universities such as: University of Kentucky, University of Louisville, Spalding, Morehead, and other much larger and better funded universities. On a scale of one to six, over six categories, I scored three fours and three fives (which is really gead considering haw rough the posters were judged). More imponantly I had the opportunity to refine my research, and get professional feedback, much like how research in our field is often done. I was also given the opportunity to network, and made a great connection with a student from the University of Louisville for example. Her research applies directly to my field. It was interesting to see current research in my area of professional development.


Dr. Susan Isaacs affers free yoga classes ta the faculty, staff, and student papulation. During the sessions paricipants free their minds in a series of stretching and breathing techniques that help them relax and stay in shape at the same time.





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Above. tutor Stephen O'Donoghue leads a group sesion
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This group is very informative on the things that go on in sociery. I was taught the proper way to prepare a resume. Another was how to prepare tor an antervew. Overal , the tup was fun (I watched the play, The Christmas Story). I really enioyed the play; it was hilarous." Malcolm Smith

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"SSS is an enjoyable resource to the studenis. This group left me with good experiences and even better Irends. Plus, the money and fiee trips are great lun too.:

Steven Rodriguez
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## The Sound of Union

"The Union College Music Program presented four major choral performances this academic year: Christmas Festival, Valentine's Day Concert, UC Singers \& Union Harmony Spring Concert, and Regional Chorus Spring Concert.

It has been a great year! The choirs sang a wide variety of works from different historical periods, genres, and styles. They sung everything from Sing We Now of Christmas to Moon River to Mozart's Ave Verum to Faure's Requiem. Talk about variety!

I could not be more proud of all my singers."


Dr. Gandy throws a gift to her choice of "singer of the week."
V. Gay Gandy, DMA, Associate Professor of Music


Left. Ashlily Shipley:


Left, Chris Saunders, who performed a piano solo of Prelude in Eminor, Op. 28, No. 4 by Chopin at the spring concert: "I learned a lot about
improving my voice in choir, and learned not to make funny faces when I mess up on a piano solo. I am transteriing to Astury University in Wilmore, KY. next year because they have one of the best music programs in the country, without going to a specialty school like Julliard."
"This was the tirss year I had a solo in choir. I have done solos in tront of crowds betore at compecitions and for church but not in front of my peers. I was one of the people singing the first lines of George and Ira Gershwin's Someone to Warch Over Me. 1 was very nervous but happy I did it!"


Regional Chorus practicing Aquinas/Franck's Panis Angelicus. Dr. Goodman is on the right.

April 7th-UC Singers burst into a chorus of Happy Birthday for Ashley Shupley.




Danny Pheips, piano accompanist and organ player, serenading some of the ladies of Regional Chorus: Maddia Peterson, Rachel Lester, Dara Lester, Mary Ellen Lester, and Laura Hahnfald. (To the right are James Russell Pope and Danny Phalps.)


Left, Stephanie Cagle: "Plato said 'Music gives a soul to the Universe, wings to the wind, flight to the imagination and life to everything."'
The yearbook asked Stephanie about the crowd cheering at her in the Valentine's Day concert. She'd just stepped forward at the start of a song to call out "Hello Max, hello Bob," and gave the crowd a huge wink. "It was Thanks A Lot But No Thanks. I was just playing the part and giving the audience a show:l"


Above, the wonderful Kathy Smuth. She's our accompanist at concerrs, rehearsals, and even plays foi individual voice practice and exarns.


Tikka Wills.


All in black for the Valentine's Day concert: Courney Sprinkles, Geri McCariney and Bradley Hobbs.


Dr. Gandy spends time on phonics, matching exactly which voices should go beside and between which others. Left to right: A.J. Gambrel, Michael Poff, Jesse Beal, Eddie Smith and Johnnie Nabors.



The altos get to sing therr part, as Chelsea D ' Conne|| gets the giggles again. Back row to front, left io right: Shanya Jackson, Chelsea D'Connell, Kassie Paterson, Raına Birchfied, Cortni Thrasher, Tikka Wills.


## In Time of War

In faraway places America is at war. Conflicts in Iraq and Afghanistan have continued for years. Here, at Union, some are thinking of friends and loved ones, they're in harm's way. Others are in training to join the armed forces. Among us are also veterans, returned from these wars.

This is what they wanted to say...


Left: the ROTC (Reserve Officer Training Corps) on an exercise near Lakeside.


Eric Kinman, above:
"I was in Baghdad, Iraq. I was with the 223rd MP, deployed in 2008 for Operation Iraqi Freedom. We were a military police company; we worked with the lraqi police over there. I worked a step up, at brigade level, with the active duty part of the army. I worked real close with Lieutenant Colonels, and officers in general. I'd log significant events through the day on computer, file special events, and monitor radar. I worked 12 hour shifts, 7 days a week. I wore my uniform for a year over there. It made me dislike it. It would be better if the boots were padded! In lraq there's sand everywhere; you have to clean the room constanily."


Whitney Bundy:
"It has paid for my college; I haven't had to pay a dime out of pocket since l joined ROTC and the National Guard. The reason I joined is? wanted to be a part of something bigger. I wantedto make a difference. A lot of people can become doctors or lawyers, but I wanted to serve and protect the country that my family lives in. I thought this would be a good way to give back to those who've loved me, raised me and pravided me with everything I needed to grow.up and be successful. Now I can give back to them by protecting the country that made it all possible."


You put your mask back on and clear it to breathe regularly again. Everybody in the room then has to take their mask off and say the Soldier's Creed. It makes your eyes water and your nose run. It wasn't as bad as I thought it was going to be."



Saturday, May 8th 2010 was a doubly historic day for Karl Smith and Thomas Saylor.
Both graduated (Karl in Human Performance and

Thomas in Criminal
Justice). Both also
became officers in the U.S. Army. Major Clifton Goins carried out the ceremony to commission the men as 2nd Lieutenants. Right: family members pin on Karl's new rank insignia as the crowd stands to chear.

Left: Thomas Saylor searches Cullen Smith. Cullen is more used to acting in Civil War era movies, but volunteered to play an enemy for this day's exercise. He was taking photographs for the yearbook, many of which are on these pages.


Nikki Bistline, tutor and Supplemental

Instructor, in September 2009.


Left, Michael Harris: "I'm going to become an officer in August. I'll be flying a Black Hawk helicopter out of Fort Knox. They have the largest US Army Reserves aviation unit, It takes a year and a half to learn how to fly. I'll be in a medical unit, to evacuate people to TCM hospitals, from out of places like Afghanistan and lraq, from battle zones.

Right: Tam Petersen is from Johannesburg. South Atrica. "It is very lar away, but my mum visits here as often as she can. I came io Union because Coach Foni emailed back faster than anyone else. Other coaches wese always replying a week later. I love raveling. I wanted the experience. I was butten by an emu in Australia! I'm sich of people asking me if we have W in Atrica, and 'why are you white?' I reply 'I'm black on the inside.' I was once asked 'do you have movie theaters?' Hearing I was irom South Africa, another person asked me 'Do you have animals on your streer?' I said 'no. we have cars and shopping centers...



Tem hares licky dogs, bur swins the butrefly very fast.


Above: Zach Winn, Canada, Union's male athlete of the year.



Above: February 27th, Estelenia Cirigliano, Camila Mendes and Parvicia Nardy brought the foods al Brazil and Argentina to the Rotary International Dinner in Corbin. The proceeds went to help the effor to eradicate polio.

Lelt: Daniel 'Cool' Kual (playing corn hole with Quintin Borders) really wanted to be on this page!

Right, Amanda Silva, Londrina, Brazil: "I am the only international student on the volleyball team. Istated playing when I was ten years old. My father didn't want me to play. It was far away; it took me two bus rides and an hour and a hall 10 get there.

In 2006 I got to South Oakota's National American Universily. We won the nationals and were undeleated; but the program was ended. Kellen Faganholi was one of my teammates. She became assistant coach at Union last year, so I transferted here.

It was ditferent; I used to have six Brazilian teammates. The way we play is different: the plays, the strategies, the pace of the game, and I spoke Portuguese on court. This year has been a good experience. I'm the libero. I enjoy doing jump serves."

Magnus Lundberg, Sweden; Ximena Aguilar, Mexico; Amanda Silva, Brazil; and Rahul Kooner, Canada; all sucking into American foad.



April bth: the swimmers borrow a ball from the volleyball team to have some fun on the sand court near Lakeside...
But ODOPS! It hits the water.


Andressa Coetho, having way too much fun. Right: at Commencement, with Patricia Nardy and Alessandra Tavaloni.


Pierre Vernin: "In France you cannot play tennis at a high level and continue your educatian. I just came here by accident, through the same recruiter organization as Aurélie. The coach thought I looked good for the Unian tennis team. It was a good step for me.
People here are very friendly. My teammates are very cool, we have good team bonding. I didn't speak English very well, but we have small classes and peaple help me a lot. I majar in athletic training and I want to be a physical therapist in France. My faverite thing in America is the parties. Peopie are cool and they really know how to enjoy themselves. The worst thing is the food. I'm already getting fat. I was super happy when I got here. There's not much fast food in France, but here it's everywhere. I'm getting tired of it, and I miss my traditional French food."


Right: Johnny Sution and Dan Johnsan of England, plus Habib Sanago of Côte d'lvoire.

Left and right: Something about being interviewed by Steve "the lishman" 0'0anaghue has the French in stitches.



The ball was lost. While he may be scared of swimming with submerged cars, fish, dangerous debris and abandoned furniture, Roberto 'Berr' Bertholo Jr. does play a mean guirar.

Paschal Glavinos and David Jahnson try to help: "Go, get it, Bert!
Go swim! Go ger the ball!" He wor't do it: "No! No. I won't swim in here!" Right: Magnus Lundberg scooped fous of the prizes on Honors Day. When he picked up the Steve Jones Memarial Award Dr. Larry Inkster gor a litita carried away!



Aurélie Harcoê:
"I am French; I'd never been in America before. I came to California a year and a half ago through an agency. It's my first semester here, I arived in January. I've not been horme in 9 months: I go home in the summer.
Barbourville is very different from California. There I was 30 minutes from the beach. Here it is always reining. A bit!" (She laughs)
"I've learned the rules of baseball and football. In football there's sa many tactics. I once watched a professional baseball game in California. I love rugby.
I don't get homesick, I have a bayfriend now: but still I can't wait to go back. I miss French food, crepas, cheese and regular vegetables."

# Commuters... 

## Heading down the highway

"I commute because I am a single mom who has to live off campus. I would rather live off campus anyway, though, because I like my privacy and thave a studio for my art work" Barbara Jackson
"I drive from Corbin. I appreciate the convenience on Union's location. Some of the downfalls of being a commuter are that most events are directed for th 'on campus' students, during inclement weather the notifications are not easily accessible (particularly if my internet and/or TV are down)."


Tamara Malloy

Habib Sonogo says "Love the comm" and the people are very friendly."

Sadeek Sonogo says "I'm the Big ATL by way of the Ivory Coast--lovin some Barbourville."

# Looking for adventure Wherever they go... 

"I like commuting because I have a family and I am not a traditional student. And it is cheaper to live off campus. But I don't like the parking." Amy Mills


Commuters at Union come in many different forms--traditional and nontraditional, male and female, young and old alike, working, not working, with children and without, from the county over to students from the Ivory Coast of Africa and from every major. Some commuters walk to campus while others drive up to 3 hours one way.
"I love to commute because I can still live at home."

Jennifer Hubbard

"I love the idea of living at home and still being close enough where I can walk and still make it to class on time."

Thomas Hamilton
"It's a short commute, and it's hice living in a house with a full citchen. Also, it is nice to get way from campus for atittle pit."


For years Kentucky and Union had experienced mild winters, with just a dusting of snow for a few days here and there.

This year the winter decided to stay People were left shivering all the way into Spring Break. We forgot what sunlight felt like...

People celebrate
having their classes cancelled!


People returning from Spring Break saw snow blizzards in the hills.

Two weeks later on April 6th, and the same spot looks SO different!


## Women's Soccer



Back row: Camila Mendes (Assistant Coach), Heather Jaques (Student Assistant), Kristina Kirk, Marcela Salum, Chelsi Walls, Olivia Brock. Jason Lanham (Head Coach)
Second row: Patricia Nardy, Stephanie Cagle, Kelsey Gregory, Danielle Gilbent, Casey Camargo, Jenn Sckirl, Renata Peixoto, Ashley Bennett Front row: Jessica Florence, Ariel White, Amy Vallandingham, Ashley Hall, Jessica Courter, Katarina Sprunk, Jessica Brandner, Hannah Goins

Even before the year began Union College was selected as the preseason favorite to win the 2009 Appalachian Athletic Conference women's soccer championship as the league's coaches poll was announced by the organization. Union garnered three first-place votes and a total of 34 points. Union College opened the 2009 season with a $14-0$ shutout victory over visiting Tennessee Temple University on the opening day of the Lady Bulldog Soccer Classic. In the victory, a trio of Lady Bulldogs posted hat tricks.

Union boasted a great season with many wins. As a team they were the AAC Regular-Season Champions, the AAC Tournament Champions, and made it to the first-round of Nationals. Individual awards include: Jason Lanham > NSCAA East Coast Region Coach of the Year, AAC Coach of the Year; Marcela Salum > AAC Player of the Year, AAC Offensive Player of the Year, NAIA AllAmerican - Third Team, Women's Soccer - Offensive Player of the Week (Sept. 21, 2009 \& Oct. 05, 2009); Patricia Nardy > AAC Defensive Player of the Year, NAIA All-American - Honorable Mention, Women's Soccer - Defensive Player of the Week (Sept. 21, 2009 \& Oct. 05, 2009); Ashley Hall > AAC Golden Boot, Women's Soccer - Offensive Player of the Week (Oct. 26, 2009); and Nikki Jeck > Women's Soccer - Offensive Player of the Week (Nov. 02, 2009). Below members of Union's team are included on some of the All-Conference and national squads.



## Men's Soccer

Not Pictured with team:


Left to Right-Back Row: Gentry Hayes, Dan Johnson, Nathan Koebcke, Jonathan Shaw. Max Sisson, Aaron Miller, Tyler Baker, Student Manager Clayton Maurer 3rd Row: Head Coach Tyler Brack, Joel Joseph, Edwin Hobson, Jonathan Sution, Kyle Applebee, Brett Smith, Patrick Hanna, Assistant Coach Ike Onyeardor 2nd Row: Andy Wiggins, Kevin Niehaus, Chris Riley, Danny Bartlett, Austın Sebald, Andy Blevins, Dominic Sheele, Jake White 1st Row: : Roscoe Moonreyan, John Harp, Rahul Kooner, T.J. Jones, Chris Elliott, Kyle Hathorn, Brandon McClinchey


This year was a milestone for the Union Men's Soccer Program. The Bulldogs finished in third place in the Appalachian Athletic Conference, their best finish since their inception into the AAC in 2002. With a record of 10 wins, 5 losses, and 4 ties, the Bulldogs secured their third consecutive 10 -win season. Continuing to prove Union is a tough place for opponents to play, the Bulldogs reopened Bulldog Field this season after a year-long absence with a strong win against Georgetown College and went 6-3-1 at home this season. The Bulldogs proved they could contend with the best in the country when they defeated \#22 Milligan College with a fantastic 1-0 overtime win. This year's team was loaded with talent from all classes, as senior captain Danny Bartlett, and junior captains Jon Shaw (goalkeeper) and Jon Sutton (midfielder) led the Bulldogs with incredible play and vocal leadership. Shaw had another strong year in goal for the Bulldogs, coming away with his second NAIA Player-of-the-Week Award to add to last year's award. Freshmen Chris Elliott (midfielder) and Dominic Scheele (forward) came in and gave the Bulldogs strong attacking options immediately. Sophomore Chris Riley (midfielder) continued to be a mainstay in the Bulldog lineup. Junior Aaron Miller (defender) once again anchored the backline for much of the season. The efforts of the team did not go unnoticed as 7 players landed on the AAC All-Conference team. The team's efforts were apparent outside of the soccer pitch as well, as 6 players made the AAC Academic All-Conference team. Bartlett and senior goalkeeper Nathan Koebcke earned NAIA Academic-All American Awards. This is Bartlett's first All-American award, while Koebcke earned his second to go along with his 2008 award. Head Coach Tyler Brock is looking forward to the 2010 season, "With only a few players graduating, there is no reason 2010 shouldn't be an ever better season than this last one. We have added some quality players to our roster and there is no reason we shouldn't be contending for a trip to the national tournament in 2010. ." Coach Brock also spoke very highly of this year's seniors, "Our seniors have done a tremendous job of helping to build this program into one that they can be proud of, and one that is now better than when they came in as freshman. They are now ready to pass the torch to a group of players who will continue to improve the program and take it to new heights." Assistant Coach Ike Onyeardor echoes "Our players are excited about what this program is capable of doing, and the players are working harder than ever to achieve some very high goals next year." With several players playing semi-professional soccer this summer and everyone working hard towards next year, 2010 will be a very special year for the Union Men's Soccer Team.




## Union College Bulldog Football 2009-2010


 Zth Row Brad Fution, Darry Jones, Parrick Brown, Willie Oliver, Nick Garofalo. Tim Coffey, Tyier Harbin, Rolando Dyer, Jordan Gilliam, Jarod Baron, Keroshe Jones, Jim Conyers, Cain Sams, Brock Evans.

6th Row. Mike Brinkiey, Deon Porter. Micheal Marker, Joey Peak, Joe Mullinax, Meechie Hicks, Josh Presley, Jason Hammontree, Oaniel Moody, Jo Coniey, Denzel Himiton, Mive Addesa, Kenny Mackey, Jared Smith, Bryant Thomas.



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Take the shortest route to the hall and arrive in bad humor.

- Bowiden Wyatt




Daniel Kual racing toward the finish lIne at Berea.


Freshmen Clerra Brown showing her speed during practice on the football field.


Women's Track
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In the 2009-2010 season Union volleyball exceeded all other records in program history with a .853 winning percentage; the previous best being a .703 in 2003 . At one point the team went on a 15 match winning streak. Whitney Elam can now claim a . 771 winning percentage in the last two years as head coach of the Lady Bulldogs.

The Union College volleyball team lunges forward with anticipation to their next season where they will look to reach even higher. The bar has been set ladies.


She flies through the air with the grealest of ease....
"I really already miss the team: we became a family over the years. Playing volleyball brought me some of the best memories of my life and I defintely will miss all of it! I hope


Nikki Bistline, a junior and a member of multiple organizations on campus, is shown above at the beginning of the Think Pink game, on October 29. She was able to stand and wave to the crowd after a miraculous comeback
from a near-fatal motorcycle accident in September. It was an emotional time for many of her teammates and everyone was happy to see her back.


Best defense in the AAC... at least, we like to think so.

After their insanely successful season, the Lady Bulldogs will be losing five seniors. These wonderful ladies will be missed on and off the court. Not many classes of athletes can say they have more wins under their belt than any other team in program history. Congratulations to the 2009-2010 seniors on a successful four years and good luck in the many years to come!




Union College Cheerleading Competition Squad. Back row, left to right: Kara Beth Lundy (F,S,C), Brooke Bingham (F,S), Jenna Fuson (F,S,C), Donna Rae Pickard (F,S,C), Carrie Lee Buck (F,S,C), Kendall Frye (F,S,C), Sasha Davisson (C), Britney Bailey (F,S,C). Kneeling: Brooke Bowlin (F,S,C), Allison Nicole Shanks (F,S,CC), Raychel Smith (F,S,C), Ashley Elen Poore $(F, S, C)$. The key is $F=$ fall semester, $S=$ spring semester, $C=$ compeition squad, $B=$ beginning of the year only.


Seniors Shaunda Mills (F,S), Geri McCartney (F,S), and Chelsea O'Connell (F,S), with Ashley Poore behind.


Think Pink! After surgery on both knees, Allison Nicole Shanks can still uumble!


Lisa Wogner (F,S)


Jeree Boles (F.S)


Kayla Ping (B)


Kayla Wilburn (F) with Britrney Bailey, left, at the game against Cumberlands.


Amanda Ballew (F)


Sasha LeAnn West (B) with Chelsea Lee Hall (F) cheering at the Faulkner game.


Justice Monhollen (F).


Kacee Jo Bargo (F,S)


Could
Union's Cheer Team top their last season, with two national title victories? Yes they could. This year they brought home THREE wins from national contests!


Above: Raychel Smith tops the pyramid in the winning performance at CANAM in Myrtle Beach.

It s a Dangerous Game



Seniors




Back Row: Clinton Dixon, Josh Hurd, Randy Carter, Brett Milier, Dan Penick, James Jahnson
Middle Row: Team Manager Ray West, Kearney Demus, Assistant Coach Kyle Mendenhall, Head Coach Sean Gillespie, Assistant Coach Matt Taylor, Beau Brown. Siudent Assistant Bill Davis Front Row: Tino Washingron, Shawn Hadley, Jerome Carmichael, Darrel Jackson, Nathan Beckley, Antonio Murry, Payton Ponzer
Nat in team picture: Ihsan Phillips, Curis Stephens, Anhhony Coote

If we were to give the season a title, it would probably be titled, "The Perfect Storm." This season certainly had it's share of ups and downs. Coach Sean Gillespie began his first season with the Bulldogs mid-summer. "It was our goal from the beginning to meet or talk with each of the players on the roster." There were several players coming back but there were quite a few new players who were added to the Bulldog roster. For most of the first half of the season the Bulldogs were trying to figure each other out as the coaching staff was gaining a better understanding of what the program had. From the first day in conditioning to the last day of the season there were many challenges and obstacles the basketball program faced. At one point in the season the Bulldog's record was 8-10 and the prospects of a good season were looking pretty dim. The team decided to put the early season turmoil behind and push towards the conference championship. From that point on there began a process of improvement that saw them go on a 12-3 run over their last 15 games to finish 1 st in the conference for the regular season and get all the way to the Appalachian Athletic Conference Championship game and a last second tip in away from a National Tournament berth for the first time in 41 years. There were many factors that led to the late season run....new players at Christmas, improved play, players getting used to system, seniors leading the team, etc. But the main factor in the late season surge can be attributed to the guys growing closer together and believing in themselves as well as each other. The coaching staff got to watch and see how a group of individuals became one unit.



D. Penick outdoes Byran Coilege

P. Ponzer dominates the court


There's no stopping J. Carmichael
K. Demus soars above Milligan



Cincinnati Christian can't keep
up with J. Carmichael
P. Ponzer shows no mercy
against UVA-Wise
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against UVA-Wise

D. Jackson races down the court

J. Johnson shoots a lay-up


R. Carter goes in for a basket against Indiana University Southeast

C. Dixon looks for an open teammate

## The Lady Dogs Pave the Way



Back Row: Coach Zack Vogelsberg, Leslie Engle, Mallory Opel, Courtney Thomas, Brittany Calhoun, Hollie Hopkins, Rachel Underwood, Brooke Smith, Tameka Meredith, Capri Savage, Ashley Lunstord, Ashley Banfield, Coach Tim Curry Front Row: Kara Pile, Jennifer Johnson, Kathryn Clark, Jessica Baker, Nikki Jeck, Carley Blankenship, Natalie Stone, Cassandra Lawson, Laura Perkins, Tara Tucker Jones, Maisie Insko
A Century and Counting .n.
Did you know...?
Union college has a rich, long tradition in intercollegiate athletics, one that goes
much further and deeper than the casual observer might realize. For instance, did you
know that the first known athletic team appeared on the Union campus in 1905 and it was
in the form of a women's basketball team? It's true. Shortly after, football, baseball, men's
basketball and tennis followed, but women's basketball was the first organized squad at
Union College.
 games ... Averaged 1.00 points and 1.00 rebounds per game ... Had 1 steal ... Scored seasonhigh three points against Milligan (Tenn.) on Jan. 31, 2009


H3 Brooke Smith
AAC Player of the Year NAIA All-American -Third Team WBCA All-American (Honorable Mention)
WBCA All-Region 6 Team All-Conterence First Team Daktronics-NAIA Scholar-Athlete All-Conference Academic Team Multiple Player of the Week

\#10 Ashley Lunsford

\# 22 Carley Blankenshi All-Conference Secons Team
All-Deiensive Team
, started 30; Named 2008-09 Appalachian Athletic Conference All-Conference Third Team; Averaged 9.61 points and 6.35 rebounds per game; Registered flve double-doubles; Scored season-high 19 points iwice, last time versus Tennessee Wesleyan on Feb. 11, 2009; Grabbed season-high 14 rebounds against St. Catharine ( Ky .) on Dec. 10, 2009 ... Dished out 71 assisis and had 48 steals ... Scored in double figures 14 times ... Led team In scoring three times, in rebounding 12 times, In assists slx times and in steals 11 times ...

## The Ladies Know Their Hoops!



Above: Ashley Lunsford sets her sights on the basket down court.


Zight: Basketball is all about making the shot.

Right: Brooke Smith is ready to score some points for the Bulldogs.

There is a $\mathbf{U}$ in T.E.A.M. and
this is what it looks like!


| Results |  |
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| Score: |  |
| Asbury College | W 88-61 |
| LindseyWilson College | L 51-72 |
| Eagles | L 86-88 |
| Emmanuel College | W 65-63 |
| Morris College | W 90-75 |
| UVa-Wise | W 102-85 |
| Bryan College | W 68-59 |
| Pikeville College | W 78-76 |
| Milligan College | L 71-78 |
| Va Intermont College | W 86-64 |
| Southern Va Univ. | W 83-53 |
| Berea College | W 84-70 |
| Pikeville College | L 69-72 |
| Warner University | W 75-63 |
| Westminster College | L. 59-74 |
| Bluefield College | L 52-61 |
| TN Weslyan College | L 52-53 |
| Covenant College | W 92-43 |
| Montreat College | W 62-61 |
| Reinhardt College | W 95-86 |
| UVa-Wise | L 77-82 |
| Bryan College | L 68-70 |
| Milligan College | W 73-67 |
| Va Intermont College | W 85-48 |
| Bluefield College | W 69-62 |
| TN Wesleyan College | W 77-70 |
| Covenant College | W 65-55 |
| Montreat College | W 88-80 OT |
| Reinhardt College | W 84-64 |
| Bryan College | W 69-60 |
| UVa-Wise | W 73-62 |
| TN Wesleyan College | L 74-77 20T |



Above: Things get painful when UC collides with UVa Wise.



Top row, left to right: Ben Schneider, David Oldham, Matthew Cupp, Derick Hérion, Joshua Goddard, Jake Woodall, Adam LaTulippe, ६Austin Barber. Middle row: Head Coach Eric Wyrick, Josh Jones, Jordan Hogue, Anthony Carruba. Josh Dyer, Daniel Greene, § Assistant Coach Sam Lee.Botuom row. Jessitie flensley, Kara Pile, Tiffany Taylor, Tiffany Willis, Nicole Miller, Danielle Hardin, Amanda Hale, Ashley Buxton, \& Katie Horn. Inserts above: Magnus Lundberg \& Kalyn Metz.
 Buxion at the Bill Sergent Invitational, Crooked Creek Golf Club - London, Ky.
 frustrates the hurellex it th af he same lime rewarting and maddenting - and it is whthout a doutt hie greatest game mankind has eve invented" Ampolif Pimer


# It's the U in Union that makes the swim... 




Back row. lell to right: Asst. Coach William Breehl. Luis Ambrosio Filho. Louis "Paschal" Glavinos Jr., Bradley Hobbs. David Johnson, Jeremiah Back. Ryan Arlams.

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4 \quad \text { Roberto Bertholo. Jr.. Coach Ralacl Ferti. }
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Front row: Dena Gonzalaz, Tamsinf Petersen, Christen Havens. Whitley Dierig. Molly Filtro, Kasey McCormick. Molie Medsmer, Kritina Kirk. Tanya Eustrom. Corini Thrasher, and Kelli Rogers


## Nationals

St. Louis, MO was an amazing showdown. We broke records: team records, individual records, school records! There were great results for all the swimmers at Nationals. The Bulldogs were up there with the big DOGS.

Molly Fittro, who swam 1650 treestyle (5th) and 200 freestyle (6th) and David Johnson, who swam the 50 freestyle (4th) became All Americans, among the top 5 swimmers in these events.

Fhhe Bulldogs swam well and fast, beating personal best times and beyond national cuts this season. They look forward to the next year for a faster season as new recruits come in with even more motivation and talent.


## Seniors <br>  <br> Karl Smith

## He was a part of two NAIA

Swimming and Diving National Cham pionship relay teams: 200 medley relay (11th place) and 200 freestyle relay (10th place). Was on four Union College record-setting relay teams 200 freestyle, 400 freestyle. 800 freestyle and 200 medley relay.


It's tough to make it through 4 years of being a college athlete and student. But in the end when you are able to look back on it and see where you have come, that's a major accomplishment.


## Bradlev Hobbs

"Being a student at Union College was a great success for me and my family; I was a first generatıon college student. This was a hard course in life which was the best I am glad I finıshed what I started ${ }^{\prime}$


Back row, left to right: Ali Blauser, Jessı Dunning, Ashlee Bertsch, Lyla Blauser (Assistant Coach), Danny Flsh (Head Coach), Missy Roberts, Britani Fisher, Ashley Tatman, Abby Sears, Bethany Rogers.
Front row: Jenniter Burke, Nicole Aikens, Autumn Greenwell, Lee Davis, Bethany Outland, Sarah Driver, Christi Day, Morgan Brown, Gina Loflin.

The Union College softball program took home eight AllConference nods as the Appalachian Athletic Conference announced its awards for the 2010 season.

Earning AAC All-Conference honors for pitching was senior Sarah Driver (Hopkinsville, Ky.). This is the third time she has been named to the All-AAC team. During the season, Driver has amassed a $12-7$ record in 19 starts, while compiling a team low 1.81 ERA to go with her 115 strikeouts in just over 127 innings pitched.

Also earning the All-Conference nod at catcher was junior Gina Loflin (Salisbury, N.C.). Loflin earns the honor in just her first season of action in the AAC. For the 2010 campaign, she carries a batting average of .358 , leads the team with 26 runs scored and is tied for the team lead in RBI's with 28. Loflin has also been a model of consistency, starting every game this season (36) behind the plate for the Lady Bulldogs.

Taking home the All-Conference and All-Academic nod at first base was senior Bethany Outland (Hopkinsville, Ky.). The award is the second straight All-Conference team honor for Outland, while the All-Academic honor is the first such honor in her

## 2010 AAC Tournament


career. In 2010, Outland has amassed a career high $\mathbf{. 3 6 4}$ batting average while driving in 15 Lady Bulldogs on the season. Starting all 36 games at the corner position, she earned a fielding percentage of .991, the highest of any Lady Bulldog in 2010.

Earning the last of the four All-Conference honors, at the Utility position, was sophomore Abby Sears (London, Ky.). The AllConference honor is her second straight All-Conference selection. On the season she carries a team high .387 batting average while also leading the team in homeruns (5), is tied for the team lead in RBI's (28) and leads the team in slugging percentage at .575 . Sears started in every game on the campaign, splitting the 36 starts between right field, third base and the pitching circle.

Also receiving conference honors were Jennifer Burke (Ewing, Va.), Lee Davis (Lexington, Ky.) and Christie Day (Outfield) as all three players were named to the 2010 AAC All-Academic team.

Davis has played and started at second base in 27 games on the year. So far in her senior season, Davis has amassed a .307 batting average to go along with her .413 slugging percentage.

Jennifer Burke has seen action in 17 games, starting in two of those contests, while Christie Day has made four starts on the year and has seen action in $\mathbf{1 5}$ games in the outfield.

The team went to the NAIA World Series--lost in game 3 of pool play.



## Bases Loaded



Back row: Jonathan Riddle, Troy Sitton, Jacob Scalf, Chris Morford, Adam Snyder, Joe Piper, Jordan Mynear, Tyler Brake, Blaine Adams, A.J. Gambrel, Jonathan Gabbard, Matt Warren.

Thred row: Maul Modlinski, Brandon Hedrick, Brady Napier, J.T. Thompson - Assistant Coach, Adam Hines - Assistant Coach, Bart Osborne - Head Coach, Lioney Henriquez -Student Assistent, Robby LeClair, Koby Hearn, Drew Chamberlain, Jacob Janutolo.
Second row: Kenny Janes, Tyler Jones, Lucas Henson, Donnie Popham, Ryon Saterlee, Trey Wheeler, Tyler Martin, Jason Parsons, Brian Mouton, Jon Fields, Charles Stewart.
Front row: Brian Mosher, Anthony Musgrove, Steve Scheelk, Josh Longbrake, Ben Hartley, Cory Estep, Garrett Fryrear, Kyle Tooley, Demertius Davis.


Left: Donnie Popham (Louisville, Ky.), in the winning game against Virginia Intermont College. He lined a two-run single down the right-field line to make it 2.0 .


Left: Jonathan Riddlie had two hits and a RBI, 23 March against UVa-Wise.


Above: Koby Hearn.


Senior shortstop Ryan Satterlee extended his hit streak by belting a two-run home run in the third inning as Union defeated visiting Georgetown (Ky.) 10-6 on 7 April. Satterlee (Youngstown, Ohio) took the program record for consecutive games with a hit, collecting base hits in 22 games.





Nicolas Ernst (Rietheim, Germany). AAC Player of the Year, gets spectacular rotation on his forehand.


Above: Alvaro Vargas, ready to pounce.
Below: Kacee Jo Bargo, Elizabeth Earick, Chrstina Prindle, Aurélie Hascoèt and Makenzie Prichard.


Above: Roscoe gives tactical advice between games.
Union had been a huge force in tennis for years, but that generation is gone, along with their head coach.
Only one male player, Alvaro Vargas, returned. With Nikki Bistline injured, only one female player, Ximena Aguilar, returned. Could a new coach build fresh teams and find any success?


Above: Pierre Vernin, Head Coach Daniel Finn and Nicolas
 Ernst. Finn won AAC Coach of the Year. The players won the 2009 Bulldog Bash Mer's Doubles division. Ernst also made it to the singles final. Vernin made the semifinals. Vernin, Ensst and Bartos Micher made the All-AAC First Team.

Below: Aurélie, AAC Player of the Year.
Kyle Shilling.




## Seniors



Above, left: Elizebeth Earick. Right: Kacee Jo Bargo, winner of the Most Improved Co-curricular award.

The women's team fought well, but a lack of players led to too many forfeit losses. The men's team won both the Appalachian Athletic Conference regular-season and tournament championships, winning them a shot at the NAIA national championship.
This book goes to print the day they play the first round...



Alvaro Vargas: "More than a team, Union tennis is my family in the states."


Above: Meredith Dambros.

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Elizabeth Earick
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Sophomores Chad Fergusen and Kayleen Hiatt posted top-five finishes at the American Hearland Intercoillegiate Bowling Conlarence in Monroe, Mich., helping Union College to ninth-place showings in both the Men's and Women's team standings. Ferguson (Louisville. Ky.) rolled a 209.8 average to finish second for the men. Hiart (Ketering. Ohio). posted a lB4.4 average for third for the women.


Union Coliege recorded is best finish in program histom as the Lady Bulldogs placed second at the Green River Classic at Phillips Lanes in Cempballsville, Ky.





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The Union volleyball team traveled to the country of Nicaragua summer 2009. The whole team was not required to attend the trip, only the players who wanted to go. The team stayed for a week and participated in several activities while there. They traveled from Managua, to San Juan Del Sur, to Granada, and back to Managua. There were several games scheduled against the Nicaragua National Team, where Union and the team competed at various locations. The team made several donations to various places around the country as well as going to an orphanage, several schools, a women's shelter, and other areas in need.


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Sideek and Habib Sanogo traveled home this summer to the Ivory Coast in West Africa, through the Bonner program here at Union. The Bonner Scholars Program is a four-year community service scholarship. It serves the purpose of creating prepared and dedicated volunteer leaders, and allowing them to serve their community. The students reach far as they attempt to serve outside the community. Each student is allotted money for two summers of service. This allowed Habib and Sideek to go home to make a difference in their own country. La Croix Bleue (Blue Cross) is the facility they helped out; it is located in the same neighborhood they grew up in, only down the street. Many of the patients had mental disabilities or drug dependencies. Sideek and Habil were able to help take care of the patients. They checked their blood pressure, helped them take their medication, and reported anything new to the assistants. They stayed there for one month and worked from 8:00am to 5:00pm on a daily basis.

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## Welcome Weekend



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## CIRCLES



Te lis a tradition for
freshmen to participate in CRICLES at Onion College to welcome i
the academic year.
Each letter represents one of Union's core values students will learn throughout their time here a Onion.
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This year the Alternative Fall Break destination was Chicago. A group of faculty, staff and students went to volunteer first, and then to have fun and enjoy all that Chicago had to offer. Some of the activities on the trip included seeing the city, helping at a nursing facility, and trying some of the famous Chicago deep dish style pizza


Ashley Quinton
"I wanted to go to Chicago to experiene the big city. I'd never been to a place lit that, and I had seen many travel shows and food network series that showcase Chicago's famous pizza, and hot dogs. While I was in Chicago, I got to experience both of those, and when I think of Chicago, my mouth begins 10 water. I really liked how open and diverse the city was as well. My tavarite thing in th city was an encased meat product on a poppy seed bun at Oowntown Dogs, an it was deeeceeeeeeeelicious. Piled high with all kinds of yummy toppings. I wis they would mail me one. I'm not sure i would arrive safely though."


Stephen O'Donoghue
"On our service day we visuted the residents of a Jewish retirement facility, run by CaJE Senior Life. I spoke 10 several of the people living there. This lady. Sheila, was the most remarkable. She was over 90 years old. She talked about seeing the days of prohibition and Al Capone's liquor wars in the 30s. She'd seen the war years, and the 60s, when Cwill Rights protests rocked the city. She lived through all those decades of the 20th century that I'd only studied as history. It was an amazing conversation.


Ouring some free time students on the trip decide to play games. Above the girls play a "Twilight" game while below some of the others play a game of RISK


The group takes a quick break in the Hershey shop cate



# Homecoming: Crowning of Royalty 

King: Quintin Borders
Queen: Autumn Combs


Adam Lee


Kristina Kirk


Jonathan Sutton


Kerri Otto


Charles Woolfort


Quintin: "Prince was good, but King is better!"
Autumn: "For this being my first year participating and my senior year, it felt great when I heard them call my name."


Nathaniel Peyton


## Homecoming: Crowning of Royalty


A.J. Gambrel


Shawn: "To be a first-year winner is awesome. It made me realize how much I'm a part of campus life."
Olivia: "To go straight from homecoming to a soccer game was fun, but it was hard to enjoy. It was so exciting though and the best part is we won our game!"


Kyle Hathorn


Nikki Jeck

Patricia Nardy


Daniel Johnson


# Play On! <br> On October 222009 the Union College The ater opened with thell tall production. Play On' Direcled and designed by Umon s own Mama. Di Pellys Play On'was a comedic whirlwind of hilarious mistakes' and excellent acling that left the audt ence saying. "Wall. was that supposed to happen? 


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## Student Christmas




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Tho annual Christ mas dimner was provided to the Union Collego students at the Milton Catetenia on December and 2009. It was divided into two different hours to allow all the students a better stay during the tancy dinner. The cafeteria was decorated with at traditional Christmas tree and red garlands, accompanied of Christmas music. The students were in the Christmas sioit during the candelelight dinner.


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nion's Common Partners program, an umbrella organization for all commurity service initiatives at the college, parthared with KGEOC to host the Angel Tree Party on December 1. 2009. Union employoest and students sponsored children on the Angel Tree, purchasing and wrapping gifts
 for each child. Ar the Angel Tree party on Union's campus, children and their families हnjoyed a meal, had time with Santa and received their gitis. Over 100 children and their families were involved in the ovent.

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 they are on the "Nice" list. Hannah said "I like going to Breaklast with Santa because there's a good chance to make new friends, and there's this special feeling that I gei when I sit on Santa's lap, even if I know i's Coach Lanham or somebody. I sill have a fun time being able to telteve that its Sanita. Sometimes at the breaklast there are pancakes with sprinkles on them. And the eggs are extra soh. My special thing with eggs is that ! ike to pour syrup on them. I really do. My brother loves gong to Breaklast with Santa. He likes it most because he gets a toy at the end. My brother and I always stick together there. it's a good feeling to have during Christmas. But, this year. I got to help with the ars and crefis. I think its a big deal, because 1 feel very independent being able to warch over other kids.


Ather the long journey from the North Pole Santa's helpers find ume to take part in the delicious pancake breakfast, made with the help of Pioneer Food Services.



This year's judges: Tim Saunders. Deloria Faulkner. and Jessica Leonard


The Lettover Turkey Pageant Degan 18 vears ago as a way for the Student Ambassadors to ratse money On Thursday December 3rd 2009.5 malt students dressed up as women and 5 women escorted them dressed as men It is the participants job to entertain the crowd of onlookers while competing in evening wear. singing. and an on-stage interview This year the contestants included Michael Privett, escorted by Morgan Brightwell. Adam Lee escorted by Katie Harris: Mike Amadeo. escorted by Saman tha Caldwell. Andy Blevins. escorted by Patricia Nardy: and Shawn Spoon. escorted by Jennifer Burke.


Ms. Leftover Turkey! | Left: Andy |
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| Machael Privelt, escorted | $\begin{array}{lc}\text { Left: Andy } & \text { Michael Privelt, escorted } \\ \text { Blevins with } & \text { by Morgan Brightwell } \\ \text { Paricial Nardy, } & \end{array}$

Left: Our larger than life host: St. Michael



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All the participants line up for one last picture before the night ends


# Spring 

 Convocation

Spring convacation is held each year in honor of Or. Martin Luther King Jr. The event highlights Dr. King's legacy by featuring guest speakers who address issues related to sacial justice. civil rights, non-violent protest and the spirit of the late leader's message.
This year's spring convocation speaker is Benice Berry, Ph.D Berry is a socialogist, author, lecturer and educater. She was the hast and co-executive producer of a nationally syndicated talk show, hosted "USA Live" on the USA Cable Network, and has appeared on "The Oprah Winfrey Shaw," "The Tonight Show with Jay Leno" and ABC's "20/20." Berry is the best-selling author of ten baoks and winner of the Comedian of the Year Award from 1991 through 1994.
Berry is known for using humor as a way to address difficult subjects such as racism and sexism, and has earned several awards
 recognizing her as a gifted speaker and comic with a serious mes. sage. Her busy schedule includes over 200 appearances a year.


Oliver Goldsmith's comedy play She Stoops to Conquer was our spring production. It starred Tommy Ruth in his fifth, and perhaps final, appearance. Jennifer Mullins was his romantic counterpart, Kate.

| Cast of Characters <br> (in order of appearance) |  |
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| Mr. Hardcasile | Andy Messer |
| Mrs. Hardicastle S | Samantha Caldwell |
| Tony Lumpkin | Jason Johnson |
| Kate Hardcastle | Jennifer Mullins |
| Constonce Neville | Emily Baker |
| Stingo | Steve D'Donoghue |
| Muggins | Will Sanderson |
| Slang | Chris Adams |
| Aminodab S | Samantha Caldwell |
| Esmereída Ga | Gabrielle Mellend orf |
| Charies Marlow | Tommy Ruth |
| George Hastings | s Jesse Beal |
| Diggory | Aaron Farmer |
| Roger | Shawn Spoon |
| Dick | Keith Parker |
| Dairy Maid | Krystal Webb |
| Servant to Marlow | Iow Chris Adams |
| Maid to Kate | Krystal Webb |
| Sir Charles Mariow | fow Charles Woolfork |

Below, Jesse Beal (with Jason Johnson on the left): "This was my first leading role, because two people backed out! Pus, I didn't have night classes. It was a lot of work. That costume was interesting. I felt like an 80s throwback rug. or a couch. It was a lot of fun and a great experience that I won't forget. The bear in the corner (Dave Emerson) won't let me forget!"


Below: Chelsea D'Connell does an expert job with hair and make-up.

## Production Staff <br> (above)

Andy Messer, winner of this year's Excellence in Teaching award, found time to play her father, Mr. Hardcastle. His outrageous wife was played by Samantha Caldwell, who keeps getting the difficult physical comedy roles along with Jason Johnson. Jason played her rowdy son Tony, whose practical jokes cause mayhem.

Emily Baker and Jesse Beal played the second romantic couple. Right: Newcomer Charles



Keith and Aaron. Woolfork played Sir Charles Marlow.

Below, left, Samantha Caldwell:


Set Construction Jennifer Mullins Bethany Proughton Steven Rodriguez tamily!" maybe Andy Messer, he was amazıng!|.

Practice was long and hard; more than once a few of us just broke down. Playing two different pant just added to the hectic mess behind the scenes. I had a 3 foot square to change in and out of a huge dress, and it had 3 layers of hugeness. Getting strep throat a day before we opened made the crazyness so much worse!

After all is said and done, I think we put on a great couple of shows and made some awesome fand not so awesome) memories together as a big happy theatre


Left, Technical Director, Emily Eaker: "I love building the sets because I get to experience a part of the theare few others enjoy. At the end of the day I can stand back and see what I've done. Il's a good feeling."

"She Stoops to Conquer was crazy! It was hard for me to act so eccentric; I was out of my comfort zone (like everyone else, except

Producer
Stage Manager
Wardrobe Mistress
Technical Director Prop Manager Asst Dir/Sound Operator Asst Dir/Light Operator Asst Dir/Asst Stg Mgr Asst Dir/Props Asst Asst Dir/Wardrobe Costumes



## Alternative Spring Break 2010 Houma-New Orleans, LA

 March 13 - March 18, 2010. In the end the group numbered 17 people representing the faculty, staff, and student population here at Union.t was amazing what the group had a chance to do and see while they were down there. The main focus of the trip was community service. Between the 17 that went, they work a total of 17 hours each which equaled 289 total hours devoted to helping the community grow. Our service site was a former Catholic church turned Pentecostal that is over 100 years old (God's House of Refuge).

Other activities the group had the chance to do were: a plantation tour, a swamp tour, a tour of a deep sea research faciilty, siteseeing in the city of
This year Union returned to the Louisiana area to help in the relief efforts of the recent hurricanes, Gustav and Ike. The trip was a 6 day venture from
 New Orleans, and the chance to try the local cuisine (pounds
 "The trip started out with a very very locoong bus ride, which I think was half the fun. I also met
new people and made some new friends on the way to New Drleans. I can't name all the people, but you know who you are!!! When we got there, we set up camp in a small church in Houma, Grand Caillou Baptist. It was interesting because I grew up in a different community and I had never been inside a Baptist church before. We got to tour the next day, visiting Bourbon Streat and I had the chance to go through the French Duarter, the local flea market. The architecture and colors through town were fantastic! We also got the chance to tour a restored plantation and mansion. That was pretty cool; the original paint jobs and furniture were all there. The next few days we got down to work, sanding and mudding and teping all around the upper story of the church we were restaring. We worked hard for 3 days, getting more done than the supervisors expected. It was a lot of fun. We did take one afternoon off to go on a swamp tour, where I almost lost my hand to an alligator. It was pretty sweet though. We saw a bald eagla and even a swamp rat! Houma was incredible; I will never forget that experience as long as I live. I made friends that I will hopefully hava for many years to come. Thanks to the Bonners and Spiritual Life programs for the amazing experience!"



## Honors Convocation

*Red names are award winners that are featured on the page.*

Dr. Mahlon A. Miller President Emeritus Award
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Governor James D. Black Senior Award
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Dr. Cecil H. Wilson Junior Avard
John Henry Wilson Sophomore Award
Arhur E. Spurlock Business Award
Or. I. A. Geiss Senior Award
Dr. I. A. Geiss Senior Award
Dr. L. A. Geiss Junior Award
Dr. L. A. Geiss Computer Award
Joe C. Hacker Computer Ansaro
Rena Milliken Award
H. B. Jones Business Enterprise Award

Stephen C. Skidmore Memorial Award "Excellence in Economics"
Evans, Miller, and Wariner CPA Scholarship Award
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Beverly P. and Mossie B. Wilson Memorial Award
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William Faulkner Rushton Writing Award - Poetry William Faukner Aushton Writing Award - Short Fiction William Faulkner Rushton Writing Award - Literary Non-fiction The Literature Award lota Sigma Nu Freshman Award lota Sigma Nu Sophomore Award

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The Jones Foundation Award in Education
Dr. Jean Letch Education Award
Yetra Frank and Billie Lynch Non-rraditional Student Education Award Calculus Award
Mathernatics Award
Theodore R. Davies M.D. Senior Biology Award
Dr. Paul Muncy Memorial Award
Outstanding Psychology Major Award
Exceilence in Research Award
Alpha Psi Omega Award
Or. Erwin S. Bradley History Award
H.H. Dwens History Award

Rev. Charles Hansel Annual Award in Religion \& Philosophy
Eastern Kentucky Essay Award
Judge W. W. Tinstey Family Memorial Award
Blackwell Political Science Award
Sampson Political Science Award
Oustanding Sociology Major Award
Outstanding Student in Criminal Justice
Alumni Student Service Award
Campus Activities Board Award
Student Developmeni Division Service Award
SGA Distinguished Proíessor Award


Magnus Lundberg
Carlena Marsee
Tabitha Wagers
Jenniter Powell
Christopher Adams
Jason Wilson
Nathaniel Peyton Jeff Howard
Nathan Yaden
Rachel Millsop
Bethany Hopkins
Kellie Parker
Caleb Williams
Rachel Millsop
Raina Birchfield
Larry Gambrel
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Isaac Abner
Billie Daniels
Billy Brown
Ashley Brown
Christi Day
Austin Maples
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eft: Stephen O'Donoghue with ev. David Miller, winning the piritual Lite Barnabus Award. tephen also won the Stespean ward (Yearbook) and utstanding Tutor Award.


Athletic Awards *not all are listed Cross Country (Men's) Most Improved: Brad Fieldhouse Cross Country (Women's) Bulldog Award: Cassy Kost Track \& Field (Men's)
Most Improved: Marekus Smith Bulldog Award: Armond Smith Track \& Field (Women's) Most Improved Brooke Tyra
Bulldog Award: Laura Perkins Volleyball
Most Improved: Lauren McMillan
Bulldog Award: Christina Prindle Women's Soccer
Most Improved: Kristina Kirk Bulldog Award: Patricia Nardy Bowling (Men's)
Most Improved: Cody Proffitt Bulldog Award: Jesse Beal Bowling (Women's)
Most Improved: Christen Havens Bulldog Award: Kayleen Hiatt Men's Basketball
Most Improved: Shawn Hadley Bulldog Award: Nathan Beckley Swimming (Men's)
Most Improved: Paschal Glavinos Bulldog Award: David Johnson

Left: Eric Kinman wins the Bulldog Award for Men's Cross Country; shown here with Coach Jamaine Gordon.

Left: Emily Baker showing off the Corum Testibus Robe presented to the Junior APO member who has contributed the most to UC Theatre. Emily also won Best Actress and Student Volunteer of the Year.

The Men's Soccer team wins the Athletic Team Community Service Participation Award.

Student Support Services Awards: Outstanding Peer Mentor: Autumn Combs Outstanding Supplemental Instructor: Betty Begley SSS Senior with Highest GPA: Jason Wilson

Psych Bowl Awards:
Most Dedicated Team Member: Rachel Millsop Participation Award: Brett Smith Most Aspiring Team Member: Alvaro Vargas Most Loyal Team Member: Sheena Williams

Spirituality Awards:
Novitiate Award: Krystal Webb Theology of the Hammer: Maddie Petersen \& Chris Osborne
Extra Mile Award: Aaron Farmer \& Amy Vallandingham Plumline Award: Bethany Hopkins Senior Award: Bethany Hopkins \& Bradley Hobbs Faculty Award: Tony Srisupandit Staff Award: Tim Saunders

Student Ambassador Awards Rookie of the Year: Will Sanderson Ambassador of the Year: Shawn Spoon


Above: JoAnna Ezell wins the APO (Theatre) Best Technician Award.

Below: Jeff Howard wins Commuter of the Year.


# Parents With Class 

Some students have more than classes, sports and exams to deal with: they have children. How do they manage?


Jeremrah Bach, with his daughter Dellah Clare 1 thinh it is not as hard to be a parent and a student as you thnok it would be. I do have a very helptul spouse, it wauld be much harder on your own. My daughter is Delilah, and my wife is Kimberley Back, a girduate of Morehead State.

The hardest thing is irying to balance family lise with being acive on carnpus I'm the captain of the swim team, I'm in the Honars Program, and I'm in Pep Band.

While it's not the most ideal situation, you should plan ahead and evaluate what really matters to you. It is the best thing for your child, to ger yout educatan and graduate from college. and not


Right: Shaina Thomas with her daughter Broaklyn:
"Having a lamily and going 10 school is doable. It is hard; it is definitely not easy. My daughter will be 3 in August. My husband Eric and I rypically aake 15 to 18 hours of classes apiece. It's rough (she laughs)!
You constantly have conflicts between family time and class time, family time vs homework time.

For me, personally, the hardest thing is knowing that every time I pull into the Union parking lot, I'm missing time with my daughter before she goes to school. I constantiy have to remind myself that it is better for her to see me balancing home and prolessional life; having an education doesn't stop you from having a "amily."

Right: Caitlin Hedrick, with her daughter Claire.
"Brandon Hedrick and I were married and had Claire before we came to Union Callege. We live olf-campus. Barbourville is my home lown, Brandon is from Corbin.
I get stressed out sometimes, but overall I think it is easy being a parent and a siudent. The day care place acrass the road really helps out. It was hard when we firsi stanted school and Claire was just a newborn. Now she's iwo, and its easier. She can keep herself enterained at home with her loys. When she was a baby I had to hold her all the time.
Brandon is a baseball player, so the spring makes it a litile harder; they travel a lot.


Below, Bethany Hopkins TI/when I do this again, I'm pinning the cap down. Wind and hugs are not compatible with graduation caps.



Baccalaureate: seven senior students speak about the core values of Union College, as they look back to the C.I.R.C.L.E.S. ceremony of years ago.

The night before Commencement sees the Baccalaureate service in Conway Boatman

Below: Alessandra Tavolont helps Andressa Coelho as she shops for the right cap for the big day. <br> \section*{The Beginning <br> \section*{The Beginning <br> The End of}

Dawn breaks, and hundreds of students rise for the day that will see them gradu It is their day of victory.


On Baccalaureate night students can award their C.I.R.C.L.E.S. medallion to someone who has helped them through coliege Bradley Hobbs (left, front) gave his to SteghponiPDonoghue. "He ponly was a friend that gave me confis Whe back up again to go anotim, to

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Right. Ashley Brown, to the right of Gabrielle Mellendorf: "I was amazed at how fast time has gone. It seems like only yesterdaythat I gntered Union as ą-feshman, I want toreally - thank wom College and the Bonner Scholars Programifor mratrgyese fast four years the mostenjoyable that I could




## to Alumni

## to the future

 a sparkling speech(Continued right.)

(Continued from the left.) While learning English, he used two words all the time: "wow" and "cool."

Right: Dr. Inkster told Jeff Erederick he couldn't believe . We was actually going to graduate, ând didn't want him to. So, neither could look!



## Year in Review

Top 10 TV Shows of 2009

1. Lost
2. Gossip Girl
3. House
4. NCIS
5. Grey's Anatomy
6. Glee
7. 24
8. Chuck
9. South Park
10. Supernatural

Top 10 Movies of 2009

1. Up
2. Star Trek
3. An Education
4. A Serious Man
5. Up in the Air
6. Precious
7. In the Loop
8. District 9
9. Coraline
10. Anvil! The Story of Anvil

Top 10 Albums of 2009

1. Merriweather Post Pavilion by Animal Collective
2. OK Computer by Radiohead
3. Middle Cyclone by Neko Case 4. Kid A by Radiohead
4. Paul's Boutique by Beastie Boys
5. The Ballads by Mariah Carey
6. Ten by Pearl Jam
7. Crazy Love by Michael Buble
8. Beauty Will Rise by Steven Curtis Chapman
9. The Bends by Radiohead

Top 10 Concerts of 2009

1. U2
2. Madonna
3. Bruce Springsteen and the E Street Band

> 4. $\mathrm{AC} / \mathrm{DC}$
> 5. Pink
6. Brittany Spears
7. Billy Joel and Elton John
8. Tina Turner
9. Cold Play
10. Metallica

Super BowI XLIV (Football)
February 7, 2010
New Orleans Saints 31
Indianapolis Colts 17
Sun Life Stadium, Miami Gard
Florida
Attendance 74,059

World Series (Baseball)
October 28 - November 4, 2009 Gm 1 Phillies 6-Yankees 1, Oct. 28 Gm 2 Phillies 1 - Yankees 3, Oct. 29 Gm 3 Yankees 8 - Phillies 5, Oct. 31 , Gm 4 Yankees 7 - Phillies 4, Nov. 1 Gm 5 Yankees 6 - Phillies 8, Nov. 2 Gm 6 Phillies 3 - Yankees 7, Nov. 4


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BFFs Aaron, me, Madtie (and Ashley Whoolum behind. Wete covered


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Plm Steve ODonoghtue, the yearbook's student editor 1 took most of the photos, ditd lots of pages, and helped ipeaple do others, This year traveled, acted, sang and did stuffi. Forme, this was the year of Aaron Beau Farmer end Maddie Peterson. Theytre the best fritend's Pre ever had.





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## Filming of the Scooby Doo



## video

Monica Moreland at the camera as Director of Photography Jeremiah Back with the boom mic


Giggles from Daphne (Maisie Insko) and Fred (Shawn Spoon) follow the action sequence

Sarah Mills, as Script Supervisor, is in charge of keeping track of the script--and every shot taken of every scene

Tommy Ruth has produced the orientation and Welcome Weekend videos since 2006 when he produced a music video. In 2007, he produced two Back to the Future videos for admissions with the help of an all student cast and crew. He then produced a Mario video and an Indiana Jones video. The 2010 theme is Scooby Doo. This year, Tommy, along with about 10 student actors and 14 mass communication majors produced a 20 minute video which included about 200 hours of filming, at least 100 hours of pre production (planning and writing) and another 200 plus hours in post production (mostly editing). The hours are long and the work is hard-but as Jerry Jackson, Dean of Admissions says "We incorporate multimedia into our event because that is what students today expect."

Tommy Ruth, Director, helps Eric Ashcraft at the camera


Sarah Mills, Tommy Ruth and Jessica Baker goofing off


Bethany Broughton, in charge of makeup, wardrobe and props, applies some makeup to Chris Adams (playing a ghost)


The Scooby gang gets out of the van in front of Union. Shawn Spoon plays Fred. Maisie Insko plays Daphne. Chelsea O'Connell plays Velma. Will Sanderson plays Shaggy and Scooby Doo is Aaron McCollum



Maisie Insko and Jessica Baker take a time out
Woolfork working the clapboard. Charles also helped with boom mics and grip work

When Jeremiah Back (Production Co-ordinator) signed on to help with the filming he said he didn't know it would involve climbing light poles

David Emerson, working a boom mic here, also helped write the script and was the first Associate Director on the project

Left: Emily Baker (playing herself in the film) waiting for the next scene to be shot



## Hopiny

Pictures: Nationalgeographic.com, www. collegian.psu.

On January 12, Haiti was hit by a magnitude 7.0 earthquake, causing terrible devastation. Haiti is a Caribbean country, on the island of Hispaniola. Over 50 aftershocks hit the survivors. Perhaps 230,000 people were killed, and a million left homeless. Houses, the presidential palace, the capital's cathedral and the UN mission were damaged or destroyed. For days people were digging in the rubble to find survivors.

Communication systems, transport links, hospitals, and electrical networks had been damaged by the earthquake, leaving the western hemisphere's poorest country unable to cope with this awful disaster.
The world responded with planes and ships full of aid and rescue workers. Here at Union, students, staff and faculty spontaneously created our response, which centered on a basketball game we called Hoopin' 4 Haiti.



Emily Baker had the idea for this event.

Right: The rowdy Jerry Jackson is taken out by Walt.



Left: People
could pay to enter, or donate essential supplies.


Back row: J.T. Thompson, Dustin Adams, Kyle Mendenhall, Tommy Ruth, Jason W. Lanham, Jamaine Gordon, Larry Reynolds, Cody Thompson, Nate Peyton, Brett Miller, Quintin Borders. Next row: faculty / staff team coach Debbie D'Anna, Demetrius Hicks, Sam Lee, Eric Ashcraft, Larry Reynolds, Joel Joseph, student team coach Jerry Jackson. Front: Jeremy Sanders,

Magnus Lundberg, James "Peanut" Manns, Chris Daniels, Tim Dandy.
Union faculty and staff faced a team of students in the fundraiser basketball game on Feb. 5. Students Eden Ellison and Jamie Van Cleave (below, left) had recently made senvice-learning visits to Haiti (page 94), and talked at half-time about the country. and presented a video.

Common Partners staffed a table near the cafeteria, to advise on what supplies were needed, and sell fundraiser T-shirts. The $\$ 1400$ raised that week was sent to Haiti via the Fondwa Emergency Relief Committee. Donated supplies were sent through The United Methodist Committee on Relief.



## Marsha Banks

This year the Union family lost one of its students. At Commencement Day there was one empty chair in the front row, with a red rose, and a cap and gown. They belonged to Marsha Banks, and her family was there to represent her. Her husband Kernel and her son Aaron Banks, a student here, came to collect her degree.

Marsha was born in Dayton, Ohio in 1953. She passed away February 23rd, 2010. She was just weeks away from completing her degree in sociology.

Everyone at Union who knew her was astonished by her determination to learn while fighting cancer. Students were humbled to see her getting to class even when she was having a very bad day. She will always remind us that our education is precious, and worth the struggle. Her attitude toward life inspires us.
Dr. Linda Silber gathered tributes from those who knew her. This is what people say, when they recall Marsha Banks:

## Dr. Linda Silber:

"Marsha was everything a professar dreams of in a student: bright, curious, and hardworking. I will never forget her final presentation in sociology theory class. Marsha
 wasn't feeling weil, she checked into the haspital afterwards, but she still managed to give one of the best undergraduate presentations I've heard for over 20 years. She was heroic in her struggle - but more than that - she cared so deeply about what she studied and the life of the mind. And Marsha could be fun and funny. too. And always outspoken. If you had a class with her, you felt her presence. And though she was not the age of the other students, she still made carmmen cause with them, and enjoyed them. I feel honored that I had the chance to work with such a dedicated student."


Aaren Banks, his wife Christina, their daughter Scarlett, and Marsha's husband Kernel Banks.


Mahlon Miller
Union's longest-serving president passed away on Dec. 19. Mahlon Miller led the college from February 1959 through 1982. He first came to Union in 1955, and last returned in 2005 to attend President de Rosset's inauguration (left). His building program transformed the campus: housing for faculty in College Park, Robsion Arena, the Patridge Campus Center, a new section of College Courts, Lakeside Hall, Lakeside Athletics Complex and the Mahlon Miller Science Center were all constructed during his tenure.
Miller also doubled and tripled faculty numbers in several departments. Student enrollment grew to 1,190 students, a number only surpassed in 2005. Miller launched the graduate education program in 1960 to meet the needs of regional teachers. It has grown and celebrates its 50th anniversary this year.
President de Rosset says that much of Miller's estate has been bequeathed to the college, with instructions to "assist students at Union who need financial aid."
"Union College was my life and remains my life," Miller wrote. "Union will always be in my blood."
irt with many a grand old mountain, stands our college dear; While the Cumberland sings ever, praise for her to hear. Union College, Alma Mater, we would praise thee, too; For the strength of precepts taught us; we'll to them be true.

CHORUS:
Union College, dear old Union! Union strong and free! Loyal sons and daughters ever, we will live for thee.

For the many lesson learned here Life shall nobler be: Strength and honor, courage, wisdom, truth, sincerity, Alma Mater--Dear old Union Thine our hearts will be As we journey down life's pathway to eternity CHORUS
For the greatest of all lessons, praise is ever thine; Faith in God and in each other, service too, sublime. As we go to meet life's conflict, we shall victors be, If we're loyal to the precepts taught so well by thee.

CHORUS


Top photo: Members of Union Harmony sing the Alma Mater at Honors Convocation. Lower photo: Chad Ferguson, Aaron McCullom, Bethany Hopkins and other students sing the Alma Mater at Fall Convocation.

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