



Alumni E-Newsletter

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Upcoming Board Meetings

All are invited to attend

February 12, 2008

March 4, 2008

April 1, 2008

May 6, 2008

June 3, 2008

Meetings are held in the Upstairs Board Room at the College and begin at 6:00 p.m.

Upcoming Events

1/23/08 Fr. Moreau Feast Day Mass

1/24/08 Doughnut Day

3/7/08 Evening of Reflection

3/11/08 Financial Seminar

3/30/08 Crawfish Boil

Annual Report

The Office of External Affairs, Communications, and Institutional Effectiveness has composed a 2006-2007 Annual Report. The report highlights the many accomplishments of the College.

Please take a moment to view the report by using the link below and clicking on 2006-2007 Annual Report, which is located on the left-hand side on the screen.

<http://www.olhcc.edu/x342.xml>

Mardi Gras

It's Mardi Gras time dawlin'...

Mardi Gras is only a few weeks away and the OLHCC Alumni Association wants to invite you to join us on the corner of St. Charles Avenue and Felicity to participate in the festivities. We'll be out there from Friday, February 1st until Tuesday, February 5th.

Please take a look at the Mardi Gras Parade schedule below.

<http://www.mardigrasday.com/schedule.php>

Christmas Party

Our Lady of Holy Cross College hosted a Christmas Party on the Creole Queen on Friday, December 14th.

Contact Us

<http://www.OLHCC.edu>

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Alumni Board Members

Shannon Daigle Taranto ('03) Vice President

Susan Lackey ('02) Treasurer

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Jason Campagna ('97)

Erin Caruso ('84) Social Chair

Johnny Danna ('98)

Kristine Hatfield-Staff Representative

Rebecca Kientz ('06)

Sr. Cynthia Knowles ('63) Marianite Rep.

Janey Ruth Lively ('88) Emerita

Mike Lopez ('92) Emeritus

Dr. Becky Maloney-Faculty Representative

Blaine Nielsen-SGA Representative

Steve Nielsen ('98)

Jeanne Noggerath ('03)

Christy Read ('97) Annual Giving Co-Chair

Tara Centanni Reese ('97 & '06) Emerita

Mary Zeringue ('03)

Mission Statement

We, as the Alumni Association of Our Lady of Holy Cross College, seek to serve as active volunteers, and community leaders

This event was attended by more than 430 people and was a perfect way to kick-off the Christmas holidays!



Fr. Moreau Mass

The Celebration of the First Feast Day of Blessed Basil Anthony Moreau will be held on Wednesday, January 23, 2008 from noon until 1:00 p.m. in the Father Basil Moreau Center at OLHCC.

Please join us as we gather to celebrate Blessed Basil Anthony Moreau's first Feast Day after his beatification.

A light lunch will be served after mass.

If you would like to attend, please contact Sr. Cynthia Knowles at 504.398.2163 or cknowles@olhcc.edu.

Evening of Reflection

Campus Ministry and the Our Lady of Holy Cross College Alumni Association will be sponsoring an Evening of Reflection on Friday, March 7th from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. in the Moreau Center. The event will be presented by Fr. Tony Rigoli, O.M.I. Please mark your calendar!!!!

dedicated to encouraging continual involvement by facilitating the efforts of our Alumni, the missions of Our Lady of Holy Cross College, and the Ministry of the Marianites of Holy Cross.

Golf Classic

On behalf of Our Lady of Holy Cross College, I would like to take this opportunity to announce to you the College's 16th Annual Golf Classic. This popular event is scheduled for **Sunday, April 6, 2008** at Stonebridge Country Club. Stonebridge Country Club is located at 1500 Stonebridge Drive in Gretna, Louisiana. Registration begins at 11:00 a.m. and play begins at 1:15 p.m. This event is open to the public.

All funds raised from this fun-filled event will impact the lives of our students and their dreams of successfully pursuing a college education.

At this time, I would ask you to consider supporting this year's Golf Classic. There are many ways to become involved in this worthy cause.

- getting sponsors for the event
- getting donations of prizes, food, etc.
- registering to play
- serving as a volunteer.

For your convenience, **a donor form and a player registration form are both attached as one comprehensive sheet.** You can mail the form to the address indicated on the sheet or fax the form to the Office of External Affairs at 504-398-2298.

If you would like to volunteer and/or donate prizes, please contact me at 504-398-2208 (office), 504-491-3854 (cell), or smcneely@lhcc.edu.

The students, alumni, faculty, staff, Marianite Sisters and the entire academic community of Our Lady of Holy Cross College join me in thanking you for your on-going interest and support of our College. And I thank you for your attention, consideration, and response to our request.

Gratefully in OLHCC,



Stanton F. McNeely III, M.B.A. ('95)
*Vice President for External Affairs,
Communications, and Institutional Effectiveness*

International Day

International Day is being revived for Spring 2008 to celebrate diversity at OLHCC. All are invited to participate: faculty, staff, students, and alumni. If you are interested in setting up a booth to represent a particular nationality, please contact Anne-Katherine Lene (aklene@olhcc.edu) or Dr. Geralyn Dell (gdell@olhcc.edu).

Food, music, dancing, costumes, and literature are some ways that participants could present a culture.

There will also be scheduled performances (music and/or dance) at this event.

Let's acknowledge diversity in our little community and revive this important event.

Sincerely,

Dr. Julie Cooper
Director of Academic Achievement

New Alumni Survey

The Alumni Association is conducting a new Alumni survey to solicit your ideas and thoughts of the College.

Please take a moment to click on the following link and participate in the survey.

http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=HUpqoI9sjKNit7cT1OZzUQ_3d_3d

Thank you in advance for your assistance!

Job Search

Are you looking for a job? Interested in changing

careers? What to post a position for your company?

If so, take a look at what the Career Services portion of the OLHCC website has to offer. You can access that link by clicking on <http://www.olhcc.edu/x371.xml>.

Prayers Requested

Please keep in your prayers the family of Dr. Darrell James Donaldson, Professor of Chemistry at OLHCC.

Dr. Donaldson passed away in December at age 72. Dr. Donaldson was a wonderful person who will be sadly missed.

Donaldson Family

Faculty, Staff, Student, and Alumni,

Thank you so much for all of your support in our terrible time of need. It meant so much to the children and me. Your thoughtfulness, caring and prayers were greatly appreciated. It was so nice to see so many of you at the funeral. I can see why Darrell liked teaching there so much!

Yours truly,

Susan Donaldson

Alumni Advertising

Are you a graduate of the College? Would you like to advertise your business on the Alumni E-Newsletter? If so, please email Chris Rholdon at crholdon@olhcc.edu.

Congratulations

Mrs. Tanya Stevens O'Rourke ('97) and her husband John gave birth to their second child, Victoria Anne, on August 31st. Their first child is William Holden who is two and a half.

Sr. Thu-Mai Nguyen ('92) has been nominated for the Nurseweek Excellence Award. If she wins, she becomes a finalist for the national nurse of the year award. Sr. Nguyen works at Ochsner Hospital.

Sr. Janet Claire Bodin ('56) is the Director of the Pre-Theology Program at Notre Dame Seminary. She is a liaison between OLHCC and Notre Dame Seminary. She is also the coordinator of Academic Resources.

Mr. John Lukey ('76) is a CASA volunteer for Area 10 Agency on ageing.

Mrs. Evelyn Nichole Lua ('00 & '06) is the Family Readiness Group Leader for the 922nd Horizontal Construction Company of the LA Army National Guard.

Mr. Nat John Cazaux ('02) is currently doing medical imaging with state of the art equipment for PEO Med—Advanced Imaging. PEO is one of only three sites in the metro New Orleans area that handles this type of work.

Keep Us Informed

- Have you changed your address, phone number, and/or e-mail address recently? Please keep us informed by contacting Chris Rholdon at crholdon@olhcc.edu or 504.398.2279.
- Has anything happened in your life recently that you would like to share with the community? Marriages, confirmations, births, deaths, and other important news events are always accepted and appreciated. We hope you will participate so that everyone can share your news.

For more information or to be removed from the mailing list, send your request to crholdon@olhcc.edu.