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WHO WOULD BELIEVE

that a small college in York, Nebraska, would be such a vital part of the world at large? The dreams of some of those pioneer visionaries like Hershel Dyer, Dale Larsen, and Harvey Childress are coming full circle these days. When I look across campus, I can't help but be thankful for the opportunity to witness the blessings that occur as people flow in and out of our lives, sharing the love of God in ways immeasurable.

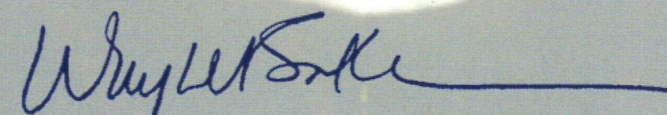
Sometimes the blessings come in. June brought the Sojourners to our campus, with their hammers and their hearts. What fabulous work they do! It also brought Soul Quest, our summer camp for teens. The camper's effervescent spirit is contagious! Summer is also a time of planning, and as we anticipate fall, we think of new students joining us, and of alumni returning for Homecoming. Indeed, it shall be an exciting time!

Sometimes the blessings go out. This year we sent nearly a fourth of our student body on mission trips around the globe, and delight as they return with tales of wonder and seeds of spiritual prosperity they helped sow, even in nations where life is bleak. With a record number of graduates leaving our ranks this May, it is my prayer that God will guide them to serve Him in the careers for which they've been training.

Chronicles of alumni making an impact in their community such as that of Archer Honea ('70) give me such joy. Lowell Anderson ('77) and his wife, Silvia, writing their monthly check for York College even when finances are tight ensures "The York Experience" for many generations to come. The 2002 Sendai, Japan mission team of Ben Berry ('01), Joel Osborne ('00), Crimsen Ruhnke ('00), and Jonathan Straker ('00) fills me with anticipation for today's young people as I wonder what amazing things they will do.

May God continue to bless the work He began in us!

Sincerely,



Wayne Baker
President

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Profile in Excellence

Worth Repeating

"My challenge to the graduates of the class of 2001 is to be a part of the process, and not to let technology be a substitute for acquiring and cultivating people skills."

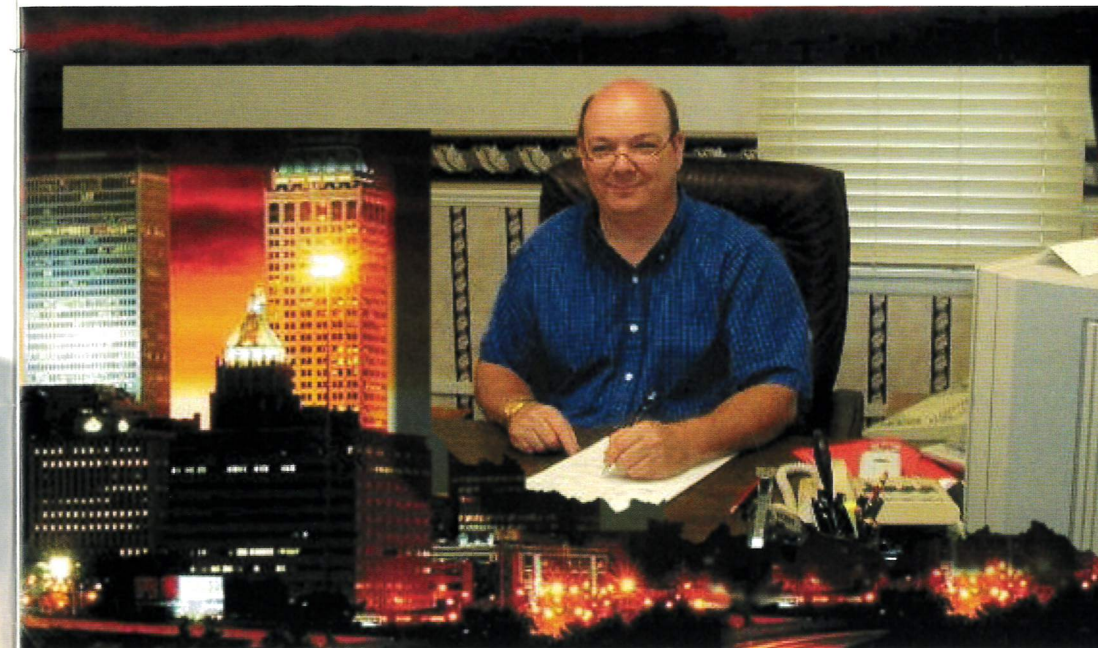
- **C.G. "Kelly" Holthus,**
President of Cornerstone Bank
2001 Commencement Speaker
May 5, 2001

"When we say 'I do' is when we roll up our sleeves. Outside of your relationship with God it (marriage) will be the most incredible experience of your life."

- **Becky Holton,**
Assistant Professor of Psychology
4th Annual "Fit to be Tied"
marriage workshop
March 24, 2001

"When I come back next year, I want to see this auditorium filled with kids, half of whom don't know Jesus."

- **Mike Myers,**
Minister for the Littleton Church of Christ, Littleton, Colorado
Keynote speaker for Soul Quest '01
June 22, 2001



Archer ('70) serves as President of Honea and Associates, P.C., in Broken Arrow near Tulsa, OK.

Archer Honea, CPA, is a person of balance. His ambitious drive for excelling in his chosen profession is equaled by his passion for kids, his family, and the lost.

He loves to get the most out of life when it comes to his hobbies of flying, scuba diving, snow skiing, and acting in playhouse productions. Yet again, his real joy has come through service. Honea has been the Chairman of the Benevolence Committee at the Broken Arrow Church of Christ for six years, travelling the last four on medical missions to Belize and Guyana. There, he served as a Bible teacher for those who were willing to listen while waiting to see the doctors. He's the past President of the Board of *A New Leaf*, a non-profit organization that uses a retail horticulture nursery to train developmentally disabled. And until recently, he was an engineer for the train at the Tulsa Zoo.

Actually, all this came to York College's attention because of the State of Oklahoma's confidence in him in

regard to his accounting career.

After being appointed by Governor Frank Keating in 1998 to a five-year term on the Oklahoma Accountancy Board - the last two years serving as Vice Chair - Honea was unanimously elected as Chair of the Board in May of this year.

His response? "The glory goes to God for giving me the ability and opportunity to serve in these and other capacities."

Honea and his wife, Roxanna, have been married 28 years and have two children: Dianna (21) and David (13).



1968-69 East Hill Minstrels: Archer Honea, Kathy Keesling, Dan Hoffman, Donna Thomas, Dave Petti, Bettye Jo Alley, Charles Ridge, Cheryl Wooten, Dan Smith, Larry Adams, and Kelly Burr.

ON THE COVER,
Rachel (Reppart) Barnacle from Nairobi, Kenya, and Cambridge, Nebraska native, Kim Johnson met each other for the first time as freshman roommates four years ago. Barnacle was this year's recipient of The Dean's Award, and Johnson is continuing her career at York College as Residence Life Coordinator and Thomas Hall Supervisor. A record 80 graduates received their bachelors degree at this year's commencement.
Background: 1925 Freshman class

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Sojourners Give Restoration Touch

Retirees often envision a life of leisure, travel and meeting new people. Well, two out of three isn't bad ... just ask a special group of folks who visited York College this summer.

Sojourners have been assisting with repairs and face-lifts on the YC campus for over a decade. Almost every summer a caravan of RVs arrives with a new group to aid in various fixer-up projects. This year nine couples arrived on campus in June to donate two weeks of their time, expertise, and manpower renovating the century-old chapel, painting classrooms, installing smoke alarms and serving as secretaries.

"We saw it was a good ministry. We were available, and we love to travel," said Darrell Moody of Chickasha, Oklahoma. "We love to work with colleges and meet people. This is the greatest group of people I know of," added Moody, who worked in engineering and construction before retirement.

Some in the group are in their first year with the service organization, while others are old hands at playing the role of traveling volunteers. This



was the fifteenth sojourn for Roy and Charlene Parks of Garland, Texas, and Josh and Virginia Lively of Bartlesville, Oklahoma are in their seventh year. The Moodys have been on about six sojourns.

The couples come from all backgrounds. Eugene Bontke of Abilene, Texas was an independent contractor, while Ralph Burris from Jeffersonville, Indiana was a preacher who decided to give Sojourners a try after he retired. Art Wells of Alma, Arkansas was a manager with the Federal Aviation



Administration. All cited travel opportunities and new friendships as benefits of the program.

The renovation was dirty, hard work. But the team, male and female, plunged in. "You can always find someone on the sojourn who knows how to do the work they ask us to do," Charlene Parks said. "And others — who don't know how to do it — can learn. We do work on our sojourns that we would pay somebody to do on our own houses," Charlene added with a smile.

York College Sojourners: Darrell and Beverly Moody from Chickasha, Oklahoma, Dale and Ann Duncan from Mesquite, Texas, Doug and Sophia Cannedy from Rudy, Arkansas, Ralph and Geneva Burris from Jeffersonville, Indiana, Roy and Charlene Parks from Garland, Texas, Eugene and Barbara Bontke from Abilene, Texas, Carlos and Willene Humphrey from Big Spring, Texas, Art and Sally Wells from Alma, Arkansas, and Josh and Virginia Lively from Bartlesville, OK.

The couples joked about being paid, but actually there is no such thing for Sojourners. In fact, while meals were provided each day, the group left a donation behind to reimburse the college for their utility expenses. They were glad to do so, they said. They noted that some of them have children who have attended the college.

"York is the neatest place to come," said Sally Wells. Charlene agreed.

"The faculty have been wonderful. They've taken us home with them and fixed us the most wonderful meals. You rate sojourns by how much weight you gain, and York is a 10-pound sojourn," she joked.

"We are so grateful," said President Wayne Baker, who donned a dust mask to join his volunteer crew. "Words cannot do justice to the appreciation we feel for these servants."

- excerpts from the York News-Times
Jackie Weiss, Reporter

Sojourners is an organization composed of members of the churches of Christ who help small congregations, camps, children's homes, schools and colleges. Members must have an RV and have to pay their own way. They can volunteer as much or as little time as they can afford. Nationally, there are about 800 to 900 Sojourners, most of whom are retired.

York College Teacher Education

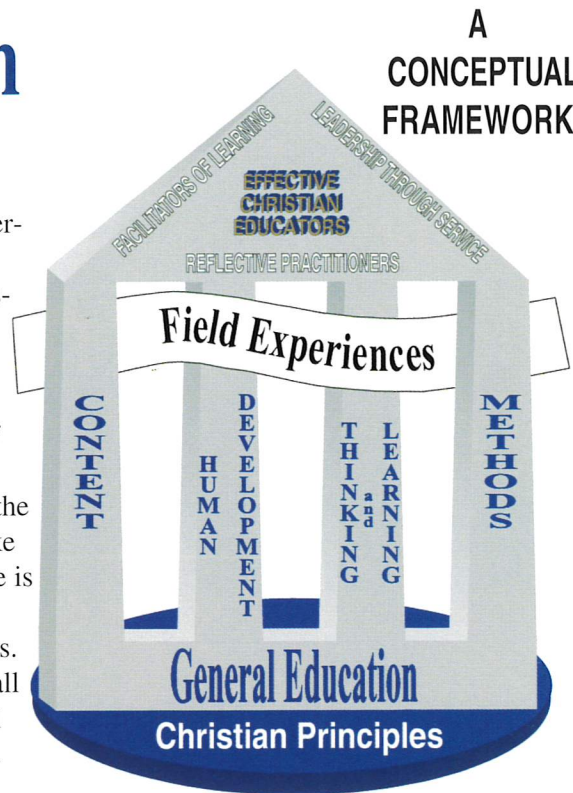
LIFELONG LEARNERS

Teacher Education at York College earnestly seeks that a major emphasis and effect of our program will be for our students to take their knowledge, skills, and attitudes of being a Christian Educator and put them into practice through their modeling as Servant Leaders.

In striving towards the preparation of classroom teachers, our goal for our students is that in whatever future classroom they may be and with whatever class configuration they may be presented, they will positively affect the learning environment and strive to empower their students to take responsibility for their own learning.

The pursuit of knowledge is a never-ending challenge. Through college classes, school connections, and professional conferences we provide for our students many open-ended learning opportunities with the expectation of initiating the concept that the pursuit of knowledge is a lifelong endeavor.

Teacher Education is centered on the beliefs that Christian teachers can make a positive difference in education; there is no substitute for competency; and teaching is the noblest of all professions. These three beliefs form the basis for all we say and do toward making our final product, Effective Christian Educators.



Children's Theater

By Chrystal Duquette on the road
reprint from the PANTHER PRESS

"To understand children, I believe that it is important to spend time with them outside the classroom before you begin teaching," said Kristina Loy, Elementary and Special Education major from Gladwin, Michigan.

Loy is one of the five Education majors that gained extra experience through participation in the Children's Theater performance of *The Emperor's New Clothes* this past semester. Of the cast of ten, seven professed aspirations of becoming teachers.

It is not surprising that so many involved in the Children's Theater program are interested in educating young people. This program, in its fourth

and connect with them personally before and after the show.

"Working with kids and performing in front of them helps education majors be more comfortable with children in the future," said director John Baker, Chair of the Communications Department.

Nate Magner, an Elementary Education major from Albert Lea, Minnesota played Sir Yessir in the show. A veteran of Children's Theater, Magner has been a part of each of the past productions and has enjoyed the interaction with children provided by the program. This fall, he will be able to use that firsthand experience as he enters the teaching profession.

Others in the group may have no interest in teaching, but still enjoy the experience. Assistant Director Rachel Byrd has performed in Children's Theater in previous years. Though she is a Speech/Theater

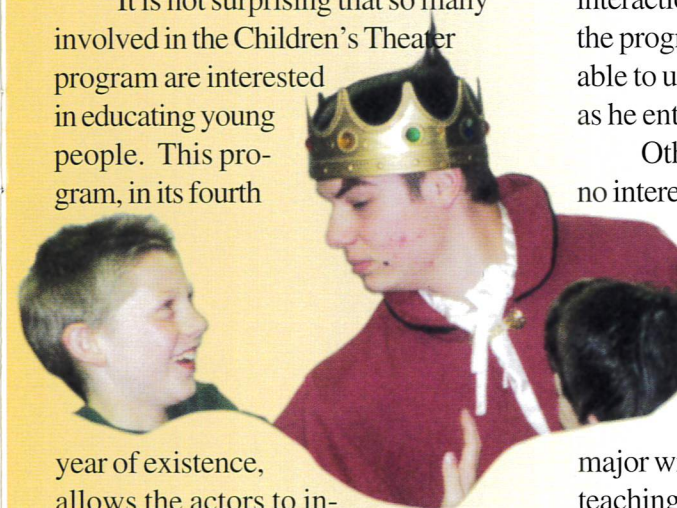
major with no real intentions of teaching, Byrd believes that the program is "rewarding for children

and for the people involved."

The actors are not the only ones learning from the experience, however. After the show, the performers fielded questions about the play and about theater in general.

"It lets children have more exposure to theater," said Education major Jessica Bentsch of Lyle, Illinois. "It peaks their interest in the performing arts."

The troupe performed 17 times over the semester traveling to elementary schools and community centers in Nebraska.



year of existence, allows the actors to interact with the children in the audience



Lady Yesmum (center), played by Kristina Loy, is shocked to discover she can't see the cloth being woven and sewn by tailors "Snip" (Chrystal Duquette) and "Tuck" (Julia Hatton).

Songfest, The Beat Goes On ... April 4-6, 2002



Locks of Love

by
Chrystal
Duquette

1 Cor. 11:15 tells us that a woman's long hair is her glory, though it does not specify whether this hair must be attached to her own scalp to be worthy of this honor.

In the spring semester, twelve young ladies at York College donated their glory to the *Locks of Love* program. Based in Palm Springs, Florida, this not-for-profit organization provides hairpieces to children under 18 whose hair loss is caused by medical reasons and they cannot afford to buy one. This program helps hundreds of children each year to feel normal again after suffering from an illness such as cancer or from severe burns.

The hairpieces are custom made and vacuum-fitted to the child. These high quality hairpieces usually run for \$3,500 or more. Because this was for charity, Sherie Hennings - owner of The Personal Touch hair salon in York - had a special deal to offer. She would cut and style *Locks of Love* participants' hair for free during the month of April.

Lori Norton, a junior from Haven, Kansas, organized the unofficial YC hair drive. Norton said that she first found out about the program from a woman from her home congregation this past summer. "I've had so many bad hair cuts in my life that I don't care how long or short it is," said Norton with a smile.

When her hair was long enough (*Locks of Love* requires at least ten inches) she started calling salons in York to see if a stylist would be willing to donate the time and labor required. When Hennings volunteered, Norton spread the word around campus. Besides



Norton, eleven other students joined the effort: Julia Hatton, Kristina Loy, Sara Tourney, Rachel McCauley, Lisa Purdy, Serena Barber, Heidi Smith, Jeni Tremaine, Becky Sobetski, Sarah Booth, and Julie Marcum.

Since most of these girls have not cut their hair in years, this program asks a large sacrifice of them. Loy commented, "Having short hair and a new look is definitely worth knowing that somewhere a little girl with no hair can have a long, beautiful wig." Loy, who is a sophomore from Gladwin, Michigan, had always wanted to participate in this program.

"I've read books that say you should give up something of value just so you know that things aren't becoming too important. I can't think of anything I'd rather not give away than my hair," said McCauley, a sophomore from Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

Dr. Ray Miller, Professor of Chemistry, commented, "I think it exemplifies a real giving spirit to give up the hair that has taken, in some cases, many years to grow that length."

"I'm just trying to imagine what my dad is going to say!" said Barber, a freshman from Fitzgerald, Georgia.



At spring commencement Mary Waller, Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean of the College congratulated Dr. Ray Miller, Professor of Chemistry and Chair of the Division of Natural Sciences and Mathematics,

on receiving the Dale R. Larsen Teacher of Achievement Award. Along with the honor, Miller was presented with a \$1,000 check.



Kerry Holton in his second year with the Bible Department was chosen by the students as Teacher of the Year for the 2000-2001 academic year. His response? "Teacher of the Year? No, not in my mind. I can tell you that there are many, many teachers on this campus who are much more deserving of this award than I." Holton added, "Still, I feel so honored that you have shown me this unexpected kindness. Let me assure you that the real honor and privilege is the opportunity God has given me to work with all of you students and with this fine faculty and staff. What a blessing and joy you are!"



The Financial Management class taught by Deb Lowry went on a road trip to Kansas City this spring to get a taste of the real world in action. Eddie Reiter, a junior Business Administration major from Chadron, Nebraska, commented, "The trip opened my eyes to what really goes on in the pit at the Kansas City Board of Trade. It's really not mass confusion going on down there."

ANSWERING THE CALL

by Chrystal Duquette

At the heart of York College is missions. Located about five hours north of the nation's Bible Belt, the college's 110-year history is filled with service to the midwest and north central states. This summer almost a fourth of the student body has been involved with mission work, including 68 students traveling overseas.

"It's important to reach out to our neighbors across the street, but it's also important to reach out to our neighbors across the water," said Paul Robison, York College Missionary in Residence.

Robison, who spent 17 years as a missionary in Italy, is one of the coordinators for the Masters Apprentice Program (MAP), one of the two missions groups on the YC campus.

Since 1966, MAP has been a ministry of the East Hill Church of Christ in York assisting college students who are interested in missions. This year they sent teams to Kremenchuk, Ukraine (7), Ogre, Latvia (4), and Maastricht, Holland (4), and individuals to churches in Italy and a congregation in Elkhorn, Wisconsin for six weeks.

Once there, the teams do a variety of things with the community, making the



Jessica Schledewitz with LST reader

biweekly meetings that discussed cultures, religions, and customs around the world. They also had a simulation weekend to prepare for the hardship of international travel.

Another large part of preparation for this trip is fund raising. Each person is asked to raise \$1,400-2,800 to pay for airline tickets, food, and other expenses ... a daunting task for most college students.

A similar program many York College students participate in is "Let's Start Talking" or LST. This ministry is slightly different from MAP. Teams are similarly matched with missionaries at sites all over the globe, but their task is more strictly defined. Using the gospel of Luke, these students offer free English lessons to people in the community. Each member of the team has approximately 15 readers. Since English skills are in high demand, this program is very popular.

"It's a non-confrontational way to give people exposure to the message while offering the community a valuable service," said Rachel McCauley, a junior from

ministry specific to the location.

A lot of work goes on behind the scenes before students get overseas. For almost two-thirds of the school year, students attended



Young readers from Songkhla, Thailand

Eau Claire, Wisconsin. McCauley is on her second LST mission trip this summer with the team at Moshi, Tanzania.

There are 45 students going on LST trips this summer: Zagreb, Croatia (4), Mito, Japan (5), Sendai, Japan (5), Takahagi, Japan (4), Gatchina, Russia (6), Lomonsov, Russia (6), St. Petersburg, Russia (5), Moshi, Tanzania (6), and Songkhla, Thailand (4). Also four York College alumni will be attending the LST Friends Camp in Osaka, Japan.

"We're just planting the seeds and letting God provide the water," said Saprina Howard, a former York College student. Howard went on two LST trips and is now a certified trainer with a future long-term interest in mission work. She added, "I just think it's amazing there are places in this world where people have never heard the name of Jesus."

In addition to the MAP and LST programs, three students will assist in a medical missions effort in Kenya; nine students are serving as interns for various congregations in the states, and 39 students will be serving as staff at Christian camps.

All together, 117 students and York College alumni are involved with various mission efforts this summer. That represents 24 percent of the student body who have answered the call to serve. □

Who Wears the Pants?

Matt Almquist, senior Mathematics/Secondary Education major and soccer player from Lincoln, Nebraska was a bit taken aback at the poverty of some of the prisoners his MAP team visited in Kremenchuk, Ukraine. In fact, one of the prisoners he met didn't have any pants. A look of surprise and disbelief came across the prisoner's face as well as others standing around as Matt pulled his off and handed them over. He commented later, "It was no big deal. I had others back where we were staying and he didn't have any." He added, "I'm always ready to play soccer and had my shorts underneath. You would have done the same thing."

Heidi (Roker) Ahrens, Sally Morton, and Fletcher Hammond were part of the Japan team in 2000. This year Hammond traveled to St. Petersburg, Russia.



SENDAI MISSIONS
a living water ministry

Established approximately forty years ago, the Sendai congregation is the only church of Christ in Miyagi prefecture; Sendai itself is a city of more than a million people. There is only one other church of Christ in northern Japan.

In 1995, the body renewed a vision for evangelism and growth. They agreed to host a Let's Start Talking team, beginning in the summer of 1996, with the hope that it would create more contacts. For the last five years, they have continued to host LST teams from York College, and each year, the number of contacts grows, with 75 to 90 people per summer and 30 people on a waiting list.

The church finds it impossible to do adequate follow-up with the overwhelming blessing of this program. That's where the Sendai Mission Team comes in. All four members of this team are York College graduates and have worked in Sendai together through the Let's Start Talking program. Familiar with the church, with non-Christian contacts, and committed to prayer, they have accepted the invitation to assist in the growth of the church. Lord willing, the team departs for Sendai, Japan on August 1, 2002. They will be involved in language study, missionary preparation and fundraising until the time of departure.

If you would like to be a part of this exciting work, visit their website for further information at www.sendaimissions.com



Sendai Team 2002
Joel Osborne ('00), Crimsen Ruhnke ('00), Jonathan Straker ('00), Ben Berry ('01)

Emails from the Edge

Hey there to all you people in the states! I am in Thailand. It's pretty different, but I really like it; however, the response here is nuts. There were over a hundred people that wanted to read before we even got here, and we can only take 60. Most of them don't speak English very well, but each of us have a few gems. I have one reader named Lambo (pronounced Rambo) who speaks very well and is at the point where he may at least start thinking about accepting Christ. Much prayer is needed here.

Everything is really laid back. The phrase is "Thai time". Basically, if they bother to schedule something, people just show up at that general time, plus or minus half an hour. No one moves too fast when the sun is out, and they're all about the late night here. Traffic is the scariest thing ever. Traffic laws are merely suggestions.

I love Thai food. You can get a plate of food over here, basically chicken or pork over rice or noodles combined with various sauces, for about fifty cents. So our whole team eats out all the time. Even if we splurge and go to some fancy restaurant, the entire team can still eat for five bucks tops. They have these really awesome slushies here (nam pan) that cost about 25 cents and are the best things ever.

Anyway, I'm chilling in an air conditioned internet cafe now, so I'm only sweating a little bit. Please pray for my team and my readers. These people are very happy and nice to us, but it's still kind of hard.

Some one send me a sirloin. - Paul Dudley





winning pitcher - Devon Teeple

BASEBALL HAS STELLAR SEASON

five named first-team

It was the biggest win, probably in the history of York's baseball program. Since moving up to the NAIA in 1993, York had never been in a position to compete for a regional. The Panthers' win over Newman University in the MCAC Tournament positioned them one game away from securing that illusive regional bid and playing in the conference championship.

But York College's hopes for making a first-ever trip to an NAIA regional baseball tournament was not to be, as perennial national power Bellevue University put the



Senior outfielder Brian Walth lays out for the score

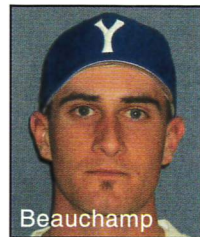
championship game out of reach, winning 10-4. Bellevue went on to win conference, regionals, super regionals, and eventually taking third in the NAIA World Series.

York's 31-22-1 season, 11-7 in the conference, set a new Panther record. In the last two seasons the home field advantage is 33-9 with again, four of those losses to Bellevue.

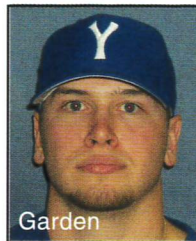
Four seniors and a junior were selected to First Team All-Conference this season: Tom Garden - first base, Devon Teeple - pitcher, Casey Thornhill - outfield, Brian Walth - outfield, and junior Aaron Beauchamp - utility. Named to the Second Team All-Conference was senior outfielder Matt Fonteno.



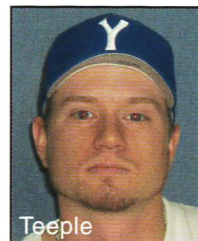
Senior power hitter Nick Harlan



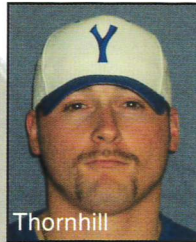
Beauchamp



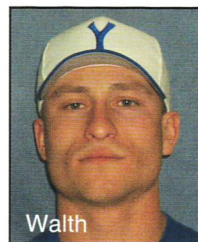
Garden



Teeple



Thornhill



Walth

MEN'S GOLF TEAM UP AND DOWN THROUGH THE YEAR



Sophomore Brian Rea puts a little finesse on his chip during a match. Rea shot a team low round of 72 during the MCAC Tournament.

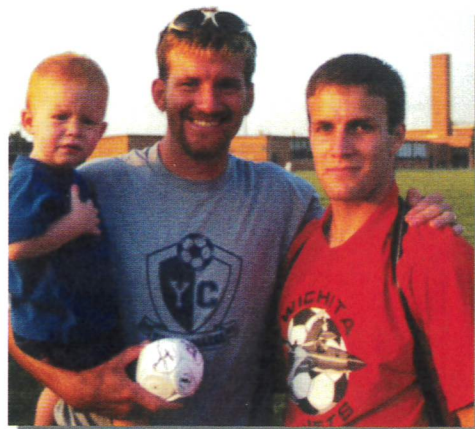
As any golfer knows, you can have your day "in the zone" and follow it with a plethora of frustration. The key is to not let it sabotage the next time out. Now multiply that by the five players on a golf team and you have a whole lot of anxiety on your hands.

However, for the second year of its existence the men's golf team did fairly well with the season. Three sophomores and a freshman made up the majority of scoring in the eleven tournaments played, and with a second place showing in the MCAC Tournament, the young team has its eyes on next year.

Coach Frank Chapman has several recruits signed that will add depth to the squad. With nine players expected to try out for next year's traveling team, tournament-like conditions should raise the level of performance. After all, practice make par-fect.

game photos courtesy of the York News-Times

Chris Luther, Head Coach for the Men and Women's Soccer Teams gets an autographed souvenir for his son from Greg Reynolds ('01). After playing four years of varsity soccer at YC, Greg is a forward for the Wichita Jets, a semi-pro soccer team in the PDL League of the MLS.



MOVING UP TO THE COLLEGIATE LEVEL

coaching preview



Harrell

After a combined seven seasons, Men's Basketball Coach Brett McDaniel and Baseball's Milan Rasic, have left vacancies in the York College coaching ranks. ... Well, there were vacancies. A Higher Power seemed to be at work on this deal as two men at the top of their game - 30 miles apart - have recently joined the Panther ranks.

Derek Harrell of Lonoke, Arkansas, and Jerry Laird of North Little Rock, have made their move to the collegiate level after very successful careers in high school coaching, both winning recent state championships. Players under their guidance have signed with NCAA Div. I universities as well as drafted into the professional league, putting Harrell and Laird in contact with some of the top coaches in the country through the recruiting process.

Harrell was named Head Basketball Coach for Team USA at the 2000 Pittsburgh Hoops Adidas Classic in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and was Conference Coach of the Year in 1998 and 2000. He's had four consecutive state tournament appearances, winning the 3A state championship in 1999 and 2000. He's compiled an overall record of 83-41 with many of the losses to 5A schools.

Harrell received his bachelors from Harding University in 1990 and earned his Masters of Education in Kinesiology from Harding in 1995. He and his wife Tammy have two children: Austin (7) and Alyssa (4).

Laird has been the Head Baseball Coach of Central Arkansas Christian in North Little Rock since 1998. His team has had three consecutive state tournament appearances: 1999 - lost in semi-finals; 2000 - state champions with top pitcher now playing for University of Arkansas; 2001 - lost in state championship game 2-1. His overall record is 99-19.

Laird also received his B.A. in Kinesiology at Harding in 1995 and earned his Masters in Secondary Administration from University of Central Arkansas in 2000. Laird will be on the education faculty in addition to coaching baseball. He and his wife Paula have two children: Easton (3) and Audrey (1).



Laird

WEATHER HAMPERS SEASON

When the York College softball team opened its 2001 season, the schedule pointed to about 52 games; however, the season closed for the Lady Panthers about 17 games short and with a pair of losses to GPAC member Doane College, ending the Lady Panthers' year at 16-19.

After the last game was wrapped up, Coach Rex Reynolds commented, "Overall just straight-up looking at wins and losses, the season was disappointing. You strive for a 25-win season out of 50 games. Strictly on effort, the inclement weather, not playing a home game until mid-April, I would say I'm not disappointed at all," Reynolds added. "I'm extremely pleased with the effort these girls have been putting out. They've known for about 10 days now they



Junior shortstop Carolyn Barr rounds third and heads for home.

would not be making the conference tournament, but they have played hard and continued to strive to win."

Coach Reynolds loses several players for the 2002 season, but the second-year coach has been hot on the recruiting trail looking to fill those spots. Eleven players have been signed, including five pitchers to join the 2002 squad. Three of the new recruits are college transfers.

Softball had two players selected to First Team All-Conference this season: senior infielder (first base) Christy VandenHeuvel and senior catcher



VandenHeuvel



Pickering

Lynnette Pickering. Named to the Second Team All-Conference were junior infielders Emi Noma and Carolyn Barr, and sophomore pitcher Tiana Endicott.

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Edward and Elma Auchard stopped by on their way back from a Colorado vacation to visit some familiar spots on campus ... this picture taken beside the Old Main marker. Edward is the Pastor Emeritus for the First Presbyterian Church in Bryan, Ohio. 418 Oxford Dr, Bryan, OH 43506



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Tony and **Janie (Stiggins) Colle** live at 508-B West 36 Ave, Hutchinson, KS 67502. Their son, Trey, is a recent grad of YC with a degree in business mang. and their son, Trent, will be a junior at York in the fall. tjcolle@netzero.net
Janetkay Gurganov moved back to Austin after four years in Chicago. She is the Director of Operations for a physical therapy clinic. 5700 Tapadera Trace #826, Austin, TX 78727 janetkay_g@yahoo.com

1968

Carol (Sybrant) Hill started working in an upholstery shop this year. She and a friend have put together their church cookbook, binding and selling them as fast as they can. Carol and her husband, Johnny, live at 455 N Division, Powell, WY 82435 and have four older sons. wyohills@wavecom.net

1969

Max and **Bonnie (Blackburn) Ellis** are expecting their third grandchild in September. Max is a professor at Northeastern State Univ. and Bonnie is a secretary at South College CofC. 1202 W Ross Ave, Tahlequah, OK 74464 cofc@ipa.net
Betty Lou (Campbell) Knowles will be gaining a daughter-in-law this summer when her son, Lucas Melott gets married to Ashley Gay. Betty's first husband, **Ken Melott ('70)** passed away in 1977. She and her husband, James, live at 3903 Double Tree Trail, Irving, TX 75061.

1970

Archer Honea, CPA was elected to be the Chair of the Oklahoma Accountancy Board for the

year beginning July 1, 2001. He recently completed his 2nd year as the Vice Chairman of the Okla. Accountancy Brd. to which he was appointed by Governor Keating. Archer is

President of Honea and Assoc. and his wife, Roxanna, is the special events coord. for Zany Brainsy. They have two children: Dianna (21) and David (13). 7100 S. Ash Pl, Broken Arrow, OK 74011 honeacpa@ionet.net

Kay Latimer/Buckley is a School Counselor/Director at Yorktown High School in Yorktown Heights, NY and her husband, Joe, is a teacher. They have one son, Ben (13). 32 Hays Pleasantville, NY 10570 kaybuckley@aol.com

1971

Ken Alley has published numerous books; the favorites are *Awkward Christian Soldiers*, *Heavenly Hoots*, and *Striking Illustrations in Christianity*. They can be ordered through any bookstore or online. 3436 Vine, Lincoln, NE 68503 alleykat51@hotmail.com

Lee and **Davida (Desha) Bland** recently celebrated their 5th anniversary and have 5 wonderful grandchildren. They own a Schlotzsky's Deli. 3906 Bucher Dr, St. Joseph, MO 64503 midland@ponyexpress.net

1974

Diane (Walsh) Schlegel has a new address: 6010 Lewis Wilson Road, Wamego, KS 66547. Diane and her husband, Andy, are renovating a farmhouse built in 1870 which will be their new home this fall. Diane still has 2 sons at home: Andrew (17) and Mark (16). Diane has been cancer-free for 4 years and spends her time at home baking, leading a "Single Again" Care Cell and serves as the DivorceCare facilitator in both Wamego and Manhattan. dianes@wamego.net

1976

Dan and Sue Boggs have a new address: 2 Drew Circle, Trumbull, CT 06611. Dan is the minister for the Trumbull C of C and is looking forward to the challenge of spreading the gospel in New England. danboggs@email.msn.com

Dan and Vernetta Felton live at 3655 W 7th St, Elk City, OK 73644 where Dan is a lab manager for Schlumberger. They have two sons, Von (16) and Corbin (12). vktf@itl.net

1977

Lowell Anderson will be starting his third year as Assist. Principal at Lorena Elem. School and his wife, Silvia, will complete her degree in May of 2002 at State Technical College. They have two sons: Lars David (16) and Loren (12). 841 White Oak Dr, Waco, TX 76712

LowellAnderson@lorena.rbec.tenet.edu
Bill and Brenda (Baxter) Beard have been married 21 years, residing in the Chicago area for 13. They have four children: Denton, Nathan, Adrian, and Ashlie. "God has really been at work in our life and blessed us." 1533 S Monterey, Schaumburg, IL 60193 Brenda_Beard@msn.com

Michael Becker was selected to be on the Advisory Board for a book entitled *Annual Editions 01/02: Child Growth and Development*. Michael is an Assistant Professor of Psychology at York College and **Nancy (Imhoff)** is the secretary for East Hill C of C. They have one daughter, Carrie (19). 916 Iowa, York, NE 68467 msbecker@york.edu

1978

Lisa (Prosser) Forrester received a promotion in November of last year to Team Leader, managing 8 other application engineers for Adobe Systems, Inc. She also became a grandmother last year to David Michael Hallet (1). 4468 E Lake Circle South, Littleton, CO 80121 forrest@adobe.com

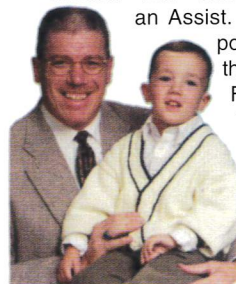
Mark and **Patti (Wolfe) Musselman** live at 1353 Autry Lane, Crowley, TX 76036 where Mark works for Edward Jones and Patti is a "Domestic Goddess" - e.g. does just about anything anybody needs and teaches swimming. tulare@swbell.net

1979

BORN
 To **Brent and Kay Ellen Wagner**, a girl, Ann Katherine, Nov. 21, 1999. She joins three older siblings: Daniel (9), Jennie (7), and Caleb (5). Brent is Director of the Annual Fund for ACU. 2459 Garfield, Abilene, TX 79601 magnerb@acu.edu

1981

William "Bill" Canney accepted an Assist. Professor position with the Education Faculty at York College beginning this fall. He and his son, Blake (4) will be moving from Lubbock, TX. bcanne@york.edu
Robbie Hill is working as a Certified Ophthalmic Technologist for a large ophthalmic practice. He is also



teaching part-time at Tyler Junior College in the Vision Care Technology program. 719 E Barbara St, Tyler, TX 75701

Bryan Miller recently completed a Ph.D. in Marriage and Family Therapy at Iowa State. He is the Director of C.F. STAR with Family Service in Lincoln. **Amy (Young)** homeschools the children and works as an artist out of the home. Amy's most recent work was to illustrate four adolescent mysteries. They have four children: Matthew (14), Andrew (12), Bethany (10), and Amalia (2). 2470 Old Cheney Rd, Milford, NE 68405 millermilieu@netscape.net

1982

Karen (Ball) Campbell has accepted a fulltime position with the State of Colorado working in the Personnel Dept. after working for 10 and a half years for the Dept. of Corrections in the Education Dept. She has one son, Kevin (12). 3248 Revere St, Aurora, CO 80011 karensue61@home.com

BORN

To **Paul and Kelly (Clark) Winkler**, twin sons, Bryce William and Blayne Charles, May 11, 2001. They have big sister, Aubrey (2), to look after them. 3420 Laura Avenue, Lincoln, NE 68510 kwinkler@alltel.net

1983

Silk and Cindy (Iversen) Clark moved from Okinawa to New Delhi, India in March for an 18-month tour of duty. Silk recently graduated from MSG (Marine Security Guard) school and is a staff sergeant (E-6). They have three children: Aimee (10), D.W. (6), and Tasha (3). AM EMB New Delhi India, Dept. of State-MSG, Washington, D.C. 20521-9000 rcclark@samparkonline.com

John and **Lisa (Burney) Moehlenhoff** have a new address: 2820 Crown Pointe Circle, Lincoln, NE 68506. John works for the city of Lincoln and Lisa runs a daycare out of her home. They have three children of their own and two foster children: Austin (14), Jordan (13), Ashtyn (12), Justin (9), and Destiny (8). lm00756@alltel.net

Frank and Deanna (Anderson) Nicholson receive the Brady Bunch Blended Family Award with 7 children under one roof: Stephanie (18), Heather (15), Jessica (14), Alyssa (12), Danny (10), Ricky (8), and Gaylin (3). 18285 Troost, Olathe, KS 66062 hizmineandourz@earthlink.net

1984

Brian and **Stephanie (Steele) Noonan** live at 9345 Strathmore Dr, Anchorage, AK 99515. They have two children: Hannah (3) and Brianne (2). bnoonan@gci.net

BORN

To **Tom and Melissa Bennett**, a girl, Marissa Ann, May 2, 2001. Marissa is the little sister of T.J. (11). 5018 Seymour, Houston, TX 77032 tom.bennett@juno.com

To **John and Sharon Fields**, a girl, Jonna Marie, Nov. 30, 2000. She makes #5: Joshua (11), Bethany (10), Elisabeth (8), and Jon Michael (4). John is a computer application trainer at Truman Medical Center. 11407 Jackson, Kansas City, MO 64137 JABMusServ@aol.com

1985

Andy and **Tracey (Strantz) Dowling** live in a small town about 100 miles east of Yellowstone National Park. They have four children: Ben (13), Kristina (11), Jessica (3), & Morgan (1½). Andy works for MI Drilling and Tracey is a stay-at-home mom. 2377 Lane 40, Basin, WY 82410 dowliat@trib.com

Terry and Cathy (Brown) Seufferlein live at 254 Brentwood Circle NE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52402 where Terry is the Minister for the Central CofC. They have two children: Lindsey (10) and Grant (6). tseufferlein@juno.com

Alan Shields moved to the IT department as a data analyst for Stellax Precision Machining, Inc. in January. He and his wife, Crystal, have two sons: Zachary (7) and Ethan (3). 422 E 10th, Belle Plaine, KS 67013 shields@oldwiz.net

Jephthah Sr. and Yvonne (Brooks) Winters celebrated their 15th wedding anniversary June 28. They have four children: Ashley (13), Rachel (9), Jephthah Jr. (7), and Skyler (5). 1617 Terrace Rd, Homewood, IL 60430 Y.Winters32@yahoo.com

1986

John Telgren is working on a masters degree at ACU after ministering fulltime for the last four years in Brattleboro, VT where the church grew from 40 to 90. He and his wife, Stacey, have three children: Shane, Jeremy, and William. preacherjohn@minister.com

BORN

To **Bernie and Sonja (Jacobson) Marr**, a girl, Anika Louise, March 5, 2001. She joins her older brother, Ryker (6). 1213 Norton St, Salina, KS 67401 xttac66@yahoo.com

To **Ken and Sharon Webb**, a girl, Matalyn Irene, March 17, 2001. She joins older sister, Symantha (4). 2003 20th St A, Tuscaloosa, AL 35476 knswebb@bellsouth.net

1987

Mark and **Rhonda (Waitman) Crouse** moved from Oklahoma to Alaska in Dec. of 1999. SGT. Mark has been with the Army 16 years and Rhonda is a fulltime teacher's aid at Ursa Major Elem. School. They have two wonderful daughters: Marki

Louise (7) and Raena Mae (6). 439-C Dyea Ave, Ft. Richardson, AK 99505 RJCMAC3@msn.com

Rob and Amy (Williams) Kranz live in Houston, TX, where Rob is a regional sales mgr. for an engineering software co., and Amy is the pre-school director of West University C of C's Mother's Day Out program. Amy is applying for her M.Ed. in early childhood education this summer. They have two sons: Adam (4) and Nathan (2). 4235 Case St, Houston, TX 77005 rob.kranz@earthlink.net

1988

Monte and Evelyn (Cox) Bryant have moved to 204 Hemlock Lane, Moravian Falls, NC 28654 where Monte is a Right of Way Land Agent. They have two sons: Justin (7) and Jordan (5). EVCHARMER@aol.com

BORN
 To **Kevin and Polly (Haselwood) Owens**, a girl, Ayden Lee, May 17, 2001. She joins older sister Bethany (10) 12513 S. 23rd St, Bellevue, NE 68123 polly@kpowens.com

1989

Juree James works as the webmaster for Emulex Corp., a fortune 1000 network storage co. 14 Iris Ct, Suite F, Acton, MA 01720 (about 30 miles west of Boston) juree@juree.com

BORN
 To **Jeff and Lorena Hannel**, a girl, Dacia Lynn, Sept. 5, 2000. They are living in Crosbyton, TX, where Jeff is a practicing family physician. 470 S Keith St, Crosbyton, TX 79322 fmjpw@door.net
 To **Steve and Kristen Simpson**, a girl, Madison, July 12, 2000. Steve is in his third year as head basketball coach for Trinity Christian Schools and Kristen is a 1st grade teacher at Waterford Oaks Elem. 1820 McAlaster, Cedar Hill, TX 75104 steve.sim@excite.com

1991

Lisa (Cantrell) Penn is currently completing a Master's degree at the Univ. of Phoenix (online campus) in Education with a concentration in e-Education. She is the President and CEO of an online learning company called GVLearn, Inc. as well as a professional trainer with Bombardier Learjet and the Wichita Area Technical College. Her husband, Sean, is a 2nd degree blackbelt Tae Kwon Do instructor with the Simba DoJang Martial Arts Acad. and drives locally for Roadway Express. 201 N. Martinson Wichita, KS 67203 lpenn@kscable.com

BORN
 To **John and Susan Morrow**, a boy, Gage Matthew, Nov. 15, 2001. He joins older sister, Megan (5). John

works for St. Anthony's Hospital as a medical delivery tech. 1300 SW 56th St, Oklahoma City, OK 73119 morrow1993@yahoo.com

1992

BORN
 To Jason and **Donna (Busch) Embray**, a boy, Eli, May 9, 2001. 620 N 24th Apt. A, St. Joseph, MO 64506 donnabusch@cs.com

To **Christopher and Leana (Watson) Evans**, a boy, Hudson Christopher, January 29, 2001. Christopher is a neurohealth specialist with GlaxoSmithKline and Leana is in pharmaceutical sales at Scandipharm. 4334 E Phillips Pl, Littleton, CO 80122 leanaevans@netscape.net

To **Stacy and Taj (Willyard) Spotanski**, a girl, Logan Marie, March 1, 2001. She joins older sister, Alexandra (7). Stacy and Taj both work at PBA Architects. 204 E 2nd Ave, Newton, KS 67114 tatanjam@hotmail.com

1994

BORN
 To **Nathan and Tammy (Mountjoy) King**, a girl, Kyra Mischelle, May 13, 2001. Older brother, Josiah (1) is looking out for her. Nathan is the Youth and Family Minister at Fairview Rd CofC. 3810 Zebra Dr, Columbia, MO 65202 tammjoy@aol.com

1995

Jon and Angie Earnhart were married Dec. 18, 1999 and live at 402 N Sunset, Cape Girardeau, MO 63701. Jon is teaching high school physical education and coaches varsity basketball and junior high football. earnhart44@hotmail.com
Karen Harvey has a new address: 26 Kessler Farm Dr, Nashua, NH 03063 karen.harvey@mindspring.com

1996

Abi Schultz will be getting married Aug. 11, 2001 to Jason Girard. They have recently purchased their first home. Abi works for Trademark Comm. Inc. 7685 Nicholas Way, Chanhassen, MN 55317 abischultz@yahoo.com

Robert "Bob" Van Egdome is hanging with his York buddies in Texas ... Jennifer (Duncan) Stitt and Mary Luker. Bob works for Keller ISD. 6931 Park Forest Dr #1138, Ft Worth, TX 76137 Rvane73@aol.com

1998

BORN
 To **Matt and Laura (Haagensen) '97) Eldred**, a boy, Timothy James, May 16, 2001. Older brother, Clayton (2), is now in charge. Both Matt and Laura work for Mountain States Children's Home. 14776 N 107th,

Longmont, CO 80504 matteldred@hotmail.com

1999

Jennifer Roerkohl recently received her paramedic license after working as an EMT for several years. She works in the E.R at Gunderson Lutheran Medical Center and for Tri-State Ambulance. 3315 Cliffside Dr, La Crosse, WI 54601 jennroerks@hotmail.com

Brian and Shelly Weisse have recently moved from California to be close to family: 3205 W Montana, Milwaukee, WI 53215. Both are teachers. weisse5@hotmail.com

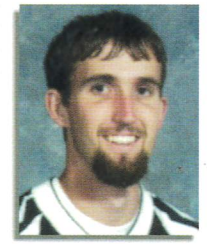
BORN
 To **Ryan and Robin (Petersen) Wilkerson**, a son, Audren Jacob, March 4, 2001. Ryan is an Assist. Mang. at WalMart and Robin teaches 6th grade science at Grand Island Public Schools. 3720 W State #C-11, Grand Island, NE 68803 Robwilkes@yahoo.com

2000

Clif and Shannon (Riech '99) Williams were married May 19, 2001 and have a new address: 27940 Solamint Rd 16-202 Canyon Country, CA 91351. After graduating from Sheriffs Academy in January, Clif is now working with the Los Angeles Sheriffs Department, and Shannon is working with a leasing agency. s_riech@hotmail.com

2001

Lane Hinton is now the Student Activities Coordinator and Middlebrook Hall Supervisor at York College. He and **Mindy Schultz** are



engaged to be married Oct. 27, 2001. 1125 E 8th St, York, NE 68467 LHinton@york.edu

Bryan and Leah (McQuiddy) Johnston have a new address: 3680 Inland Ct. Apt. 11, North Bend, OR 97459. Bryan is the youth minister for the North Bend CofC. bryanejohnston@yahoo.com

John McFarland completed his kinesiology degree at Harding Univ. in May and is now living at 11Sandview Dr, Pittsburg, CA 94565.

Upon his return from an LST mission trip to Croatia, **Jared Stark** accepted a position as an Admissions Counselor at York College. 1125 E 8th St, York, NE 68467 JStark@york.edu





After the spring commencement exercises Dr. Steve Sikes ('72) and David Hawley ('72) reminisce about the good old days and can't help but hope their children don't pull their same college stunts. Dr. Sikes teaches in the education department and is a family counselor. David is an instructor and tennis coach at Wichita Collegiate Schools.

The Board of Trustees is essential to the mission and success of York College. Twice a year they meet on campus to discuss the needs of the college and their roll in further developing it's outreach. They represent 14 states, and of the 30 who serve on the Board, nine are YC alumni.



Pictured above is The Executive Committee of the Board. Front: Dr. Jim Wilkison, Sandie Olson, Steve Belden ('76), and Ed McLoud. Back: Wayne Stuebaker, Howard Sheldon, Dwight Gray, and Rick Hendricks ('72). *not pictured:* Chester James and Norman Morrow ('62).

Pictured right is a few of this summer's "Round-Up Gang" who went on an excursion to Ft. Kearney and the Great Platte River Road Archway. On the driver's seat is Steddon Sikes ('84). Standing in front, 90+ years young, is Fern Miller ('71). For you alumni men in the 80s, there's Ma & Pa Waller in the middle and back. Elmer Baker, who has taught at YC since 1958 is standing tall in the saddle. A great time was had by all.



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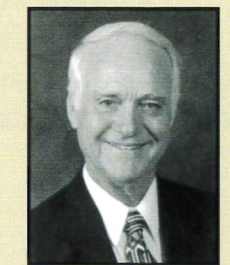
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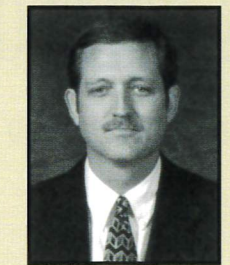
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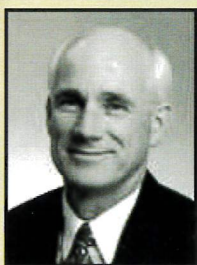
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High School Days	12-14



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Rick Marris
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Searcy, AR



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Over 200 campers and staff from 16 states enjoyed a week of summer camp at York's 21st annual Soul Quest. (Right) *ADVANCE* celebrated its 9th year of leadership training with junior and senior participants from 26 congregations and 13 states.

CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

New Student Orientation	August 18 - 20	Spring Registration	January 7
Registration	August 21	All School Banquet	February 16
Convocation/Opening Chapel - 11th Year ...	August 22	Play Production	February 28 - March 3
Classes Begin	August 22	Spring Break	March 9 - 17
Celebration Days	October 10 - 14	Spring High School Days & Songfest	April 5 - 7
Homecoming & College Days	October 12 - 14	Broadway Review	April 18 - 20
Fall Break	October 18 - 21	Commencement	May 4
Thanksgiving Break	November 21 - 25	Summer Hostel Round-Up	May 19 - 24
Christmas Production	November 29 - December 2	ADVANCE	June 12 - 16
Christmas Break	December 15 - January 6	Soul Quest 2002	June 16 - 22



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