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After being gone for more than a decade, Lincoln College Homecoming returns.



Greetings Lincoln College alums, employees, and friends. It's hard to believe how fast the school year is flying by. I hope you are having as good of year as we are here at your college. If you

haven't visited campus for a while, we would love for you to come and see us. Hopefully you will join us for Alumni Reunion Weekend April 26 & 27, but we would enjoy seeing you anytime. What makes a college vibrant is its students and what makes it sustainable is its loyal supporters.

There are numerous exciting initiatives going on at both campuses. Allow me to update you on a few:

#### **Lincoln Campus**

Work has begun on the interior build out of the Abraham Lincoln Heritage Museum. Internationally renowned Taylor Studios, Inc. is leading the project and is targeting completion in time for the Soirée the last week of September. To support the new museum's ongoing needs, a new organization has been formed called Friends of the Lincoln Heritage Museum. Twenty-one people have already signed up for the Friends and have pledged over \$50,000 to support the effort.

Another unique project that has made terrific progress is the Creekside Environmental Center under the guidance and tireless works of Dr. Dennis Campbell. This summer and fall Dennis, his family, and volunteers have made significant progress in building the infrastructure necessary for Creekside to provide students and the public a real outdoor science experience. The foundations and frameworks are up on the insectarium, green house, and pavilion. There is still much to be done and volunteers are needed. If you can help, just show up any weekend in March or April at 9:00 a.m. or after. Creekside is at the end of a white gravel road off of Logan County Road 2000N (half way between Co Rd 1100 E and 1225th Ave), just about 5 miles due north of the campus in Lincoln. If you use Google maps and search for-1230 County Road 2000N, Lincoln, IL-you will get to the entry of that gravel road. A special thanks goes to Lincoln Kiwanis, Lincoln Rotary, and Atlanta Rotary for their financial support of the Creekside Environmental Center.

#### Normal Campus

The fastest growing and highest potential for future growth in academic programs is the ABE (Accelerated Bridge to Education) Program. It features a unique model that provides classes to working adults progressing toward a Baccalaureate degree. This model presents adults an opportunity to take one course at a time in five week modules by attending class one evening a week, as well as completing on-line coursework. There are now over 300 adult students in the program. Agreements are in place with Illinois Valley Community College in LaSalle and Heartland Community College in Normal to make this program available to third and fourth year students on their campuses. Discussions are going on with several other area community colleges to provide the same program at their campuses.

#### **Both Campuses**

Every ten years all institutions of higher education go through an accreditation process. A huge part of the process is a Higher Learning Commission Self-Study that involves great time, effort, and diligence. Well over 50 of our faculty and staff will spend countless hours over a year's time conducting parts of the self-study, in addition to their full time jobs. The end result will be a deeper understanding of our strengths, weaknesses, and opportunities for the next ten years.

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We have the pleasure in this edition of the Lincoln Log to thank and recognize the generosity of many of our alumni and friends. Without the financial support we receive from our donors we could not provide the quality college experience that students enjoy at Lincoln College. No gift large or small goes unappreciated. We cannot adequately verbalize the difference donors make. Thank you so much!

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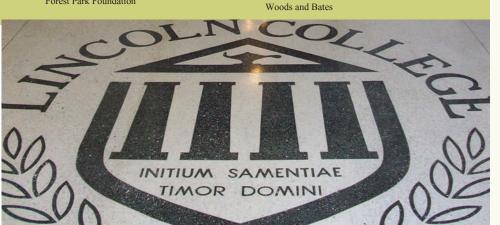
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# Alumnus Honors former teacher Mary Kimbrough with a Scholarship Fund

By John Poertner, class of 1960



Last fall I made my first installment on establishing an endowed scholarship in the name of my freshman English teacher Mrs. Kimbrough. We didn't use first names for our teachers back in the 50s. Installments allow me to spread out the full \$20,000 needed to establish an endowed scholarship. I chose to honor Mrs. Kimbrough and Lincoln College for the educational foundation that I was provided.

I came to LC in the fall of 1958 not wanting to be there. After all I was in the bottom half of my high school graduating class. I wanted to join the Navy but my father made a deal with me. He asked me to try college for one semester. If I didn't like it, I could join the Navy.

Within the first month at LC I fell in love with learning for the first time. Then midterm grades came and I received a D in English. I think that Mrs. Kimbrough was being generous. I could not write a 500-word essay. One day after class I sheepishly went up to Mrs. Kimbrough and asked what I could do to pass the course. She offered to spend extra time with me. She spent a lot of extra time teaching me. She even gave up some early evenings since that was the only time she had available. By the end of the second semester I wrote a term paper (my first) on the Chicago fire and received a B. I still have the paper.

Mrs. Kimbrough was just one of many LC instructors who expressed a personal interest in me and my academic progress. The one subject that I was fairly good at was mathematics so Mr. Balof was a constant. I even worked for him. I was cleaning toilets and digging ditches but someone had to do it. I could go on with wonderful stories about faculty but this would get too long.

One of the reasons that I am choosing to honor Mrs. Kimbrough is that in my late 3Os I made a career change. I obtained a doctorate in social work and embarked on an academic career that culminated in being a full professor at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. This meant that I was expected to research and write as well as teach. Upon retirement I had a record of over 50 articles in scholarly journals, 20 book chapters and a half a dozen books. None of this would have happened without the foundation that I received from Mrs. Kimbrough and Lincoln College.

# Dear Friends of Lincoln College,



Among the several honors bestowed upon me during the 2012 Lincoln College Alumni Reunion was the establishment of "The Coach Norm Kaye Scholarship Fund."

Students were instrumental in my professional growth at Lincoln College. To this day I carry fond memories of that time between the mid-1950s and 1960s.

Thank you all for that opportunity, your support, and your continued friendship. If you are able to participate in this scholarship fund, I would be grateful. We can all take pride in knowing that Lincoln College will always have a student on campus supported by the great student heritage of the past.

Sincerely, Norm Kaye Lincoln College invites alumni, faculty, staff and friends to help establish the Coach Norm Kaye Endowed Scholarship Fund. You may make your gift by completing and mailing in the form, by calling the Advancement Office toll free at (877) 522-5867, or by giving on-line at www.lincolncollege.edu/formboss/output/forms/aog/gift. php—just enter Coach Norm Kaye Scholarship in the "Other" field. The sooner this scholarship is fully funded, the sooner it can be awarded to a deserving Lincoln College student athlete. Thank you for helping us honor Coach Kaye!

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Many students would not be able to attend Lincoln College without the financial assistance of scholarships. Between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012, the following individuals and organizations made gifts to fund annual scholarships or have contributed to named endowment funds which will provide scholarships in perpetuity. Thank you!

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#### Leaving a Legacy by Honoring LC alumnus father and mother with Endowed Scholarship

Gary Peplow's relationship with Lincoln College is a reminder of the transformational power of higher education.

Gary Peplow never attended Lincoln College. Rather, it was his father, Marvin Peplow, who enrolled at Lincoln College in 1926 and completed his coursework in 1928.

During that time, Marvin Peplow developed a deep appreciation for the power of education to be life-changing. After graduating from Lincoln College, Marvin put his passion for education to work, spending 10 years teaching in a one-room school house near Morton, Illinois. Although he eventually left the teaching profession, Marvin passed on his belief in the value of education to his son. Marvin supported Gary's pursuit of an undergraduate degree from Bradley University and would eventually encourage Gary to get a law degree from the University of Illinois.

Aside from his academic experience at Lincoln College, Marvin Peplow saw another major development in his life during his time in Lincoln: he met Myrtle Appeman, who lived in Lincoln. Marvin and Myrtle married in 1929, and the births of Gary and his older sister Beverly followed in the next decade. Myrtle too was a strong proponent of education. Despite financial difficulties that nearly forced her to stop attending high school to work at a local factory, Myrtle graduated from high school.

Recently, in commemoration of his parents' passion for education, Gary endowed a scholarship in their honor at Lincoln College: the Marvin and Myrtle Peplow Memorial Endowed Scholarship.

Gary Peplow recalled how critical his parents' financial support during his time in college was to his professional success.

"My folks encouraged me to go on to school. I graduated from Bradley in 1962 and was part of the first class to graduate from their school of International Studies," Gary recalled. "But back then, the global economy hadn't kicked in and there wasn't great demand for a person with that degree. I was having difficulty finding a job."

"One of my professors encouraged me to go on to law school. I didn't know how I would pay for it, but my parents stressed that it would be a good idea, so I decided to go for it and went to law school. My parents encouraged me and supported me for three more years of school, and I was able get my law degree. They knew the value of education and they were willing to sacrifice for the expense."

With the endowment of the memorial scholarship at Lincoln College, Marvin and Myrtle Peplow's legacy will offer

financial assistance to Lincoln College students in perpetuity. Each year, one student will receive \$1,000 to be applied towards tuition. The scholarship is reserved for students from the three counties where Marvin and Myrtle Peplow resided: Logan County, Tazewell County and Peoria County.

Gary Peplow has also been a donor to Bradley University, his alma mater. The endowed scholarship at Lincoln College has allowed him to extend the reach of his family's legacy in Central Illinois while also paying tribute to his father's alma mater.

Gary recalls his father having a special fondness for Lincoln College's historic affiliation with Abraham Lincoln and Abraham Lincoln memorabilia. As a student, Marvin Peplow was involved in the Glee Club. As an alumnus, Marvin enjoyed receiving issues of the Lincoln Log and also attended his 50-year class reunion.

Myrtle Peplow was also fond of Lincoln College, in part because family friend Martha Brown was employed at the school's alumni office.

Gary believes that his parents would be strong believers in Lincoln College's mission to help students reach their full potential in an academically supportive environment.

"My father would support this mission," said Gary. "I think that one of the things that would be evidence of that is that he was raised on a farm. Aside from one brother who went to a business college, no one else in his family went on to college."

"I think he shared my idea that it's important for those individuals who want to go to school, but may not be elite students or at the top of their class, they need financial assistance just the same way as the valedictorian or the top 10 percent. The average student who wants to go to school and has great desire to succeed, those people need as much as everybody else. Lincoln College provides an excellent opportunity for those students."

Lincoln College appreciates Mr. Peplow's generosity and admires his passion for education as well as him honoring his parent's memory and dedication to help young people get a college education. If you would like more information on how to set up a scholarship in your name or that of a loved one's name, please contact the Office of Advancement by calling toll free: 877-522-5867.

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Myrtle Appeman Peplow





# Friends of Lincoln Heritage Museum

The Lincoln Heritage Museum (LHM) began in 1942 when Lincoln University alumnus Judge Lawrence Stringer, class of 1887, willed his Lincoln and Logan County history collection to the College for the purpose of establishing a museum. The collection grew with donations from Abraham Lincoln's last direct descendent Robert Todd Lincoln Beckwith, James Hickey, Ralph Newman, John Gehlbach and others.

The Museum's mission is to interpret for the public the life and legacy of Abraham Lincoln and the world in which he lived, particularly as it pertained to Illinois, and to be an academic resource for students from elementary school through adulthood. After many years in the McKinstry Memorial Building, the LHM will be relocating to the new Lincoln Center in fall 2013. The new facility will provide more space and opportunities to tell the story of Lincoln in an engaging manner.

The LHM encourages all to learn from Lincoln, and to live like Lincoln. To that end, the Museum invites everyone to join the *Friends of the Lincoln Heritage Museum*. A Friends of LHM Membership is an investment in our efforts to preserve Abraham Lincoln's legacy and fulfill our mission, as well as furthering conservation efforts and educational opportunities for students, the community, and domestic and international visitors.

We take this opportunity to recognize the current members of the *Friends of the Lincoln Heritage Museum*.

#### **Membership Levels & Benefits**

#### Scholar (Lincoln College Students)

The student and a guest will receive admission to the museum, and a 10% discount at the Museum gift shop with a valid student ID.

#### 1809, the year Abraham Lincoln was born (\$40-\$99)

Members receive a personalized certificate, a10% discount at Museum gift shop, and e-mail updates with special news and events.

#### 1853, the year the town of Lincoln was dedicated (\$100-\$499)

Members receive all the benefits of the 1809 membership level and advance notice of programs.

#### 1860, the year Abraham Lincoln became the 16th President (\$500-\$999)

Members receive all the benefits of the 1853 membership level, plus 3 free admissions to the Museum and invitations to exhibit previews.

#### 1865, the year Lincoln College was founded (\$1,000+)

Members receive all the benefits of the 1860 membership level, plus an engraved paver ( $8 \times 8$ ), to be placed outside the museum area.

#### Charter Membership (\$5,000+)

Charter memberships are payable over the 3-year duration of the membership. Members receive name recognition displayed in the Museum, an engraved paver  $(12 \times 12)$  to be placed outside the museum area, and a charter membership card entitling that member and a guest to free admission to the Museum and the following benefits for three years: a 10% discount in the Museum gift shop; invitations to members-only special events, including first look at up-and-coming exhibits; a members-only private showing of the new LHM before the public opening.



#### Naming Opportunities (\$10,000+)

The Museum offers opportunities to name exhibits and special areas. These naming opportunities, in grateful recognition of leadership gifts from the Museum's most generous supporters, ensure that your generosity will be recognized for years to come.

#### Engraved pavers installed outside the LHM are also

**available.** An 8×8 paver is \$250; a 12×12 paver is \$500. For more information about Museum memberships or to purchase an engraved paver, please contact LHM curator Ron Keller at <u>rkeller@lincolncollege.edu</u> or (217) 732-3155 ext. 295, or contact the Lincoln College Advancement Office at (877) 522-5867.

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# The "If It Hadn't been for Lincoln College" campaign comes to a Monumental Close

Several years ago, inspired by the stories of alumni who told us that "If it hadn't been for Lincoln College...", we launched the most significant campaign in the history of Lincoln College, a comprehensive campaign that would transform our campus. We are pleased to share that this ambitious campaign has come to a successful close, thanks to the support of alumni, parents, faculty, staff and other friends who believe in the mission of Lincoln College and desire to see that mission fulfilled in the lives of students for generations to come.

As of December 31, 2012, the "If it hadn't been for Lincoln College..." campaign total was \$10.9 million. Of this total, \$9.2 million was designated for the athletics and convocation center areas of the Lincoln Center, which houses the Jack D. Nutt Arena, Scott Joslin Fitness Center, classrooms, athletics offices and training room and for the portion of the building which will house the new Lincoln Heritage Museum.

Nearly \$1.5 million was given to establish 38 new endowed scholarships. Of those, 29 had been fully funded by June 2012 and were awarded to 41 students for the 2012-2013 academic year. Six individuals have committed future gifts of \$1,185,000 through their estate plans, and \$190,000 was given to support other campus needs.

Though the Campaign is wrapping up, there are still several Lincoln Center naming opportunities available, including the right to name the building itself. An extraordinary gift earned Downers Grovebased Magnetrol International, Inc. the naming rights, but President and CEO Jeff Swallow (class of '82) declined the privilege in case another benefactor emerges who wants to take advantage of the opportunity to name the building. Instead, a commemorative plaque will be placed in the Lincoln Center in honor of the company's late owner and Jeff's mother, Judy G. Stevenson.

Other naming opportunities that are still available include the wrestling practice area, (\$250,000); locker rooms (baseball, soccer, volleyball, women's basketball, wrestling), \$50,000 each; men's and women's coaches/officials locker rooms, \$25,000 each; concession stand, \$25,000; and coach's offices (men's soccer, softball, volleyball, wrestling), \$10,000 each. *For more information about these and other available naming opportunities, please contact the Advancement Office at 877-522-5867.* 

We are still receiving gifts and pledge payments related to the "If it hadn't been for Lincoln College..." campaign, and we will publish results of the campaign after the final gifts are received, but we take this opportunity to share the results thus far and to say thank you to the many, many donors who have made it a success.



# classnotes\_

# **1970s**

*Elmer J. Prochaska Jr.*, class of 1973, wants to say hello to all his classmates from the class of 1973. Elmer is retired and living in Mesa, Ariz. He would like to hear from his old roommate Roger Curry and fellow classmates Dennis Zak, Bob Shaver, and Guy Williamson to name a few. Elmer would love to reconnect with everyone that he knew at LC. Fellow classmates can contact Elmer at elmproaz1@yahoo.com.

## 1990s John Curcu

**John Curcuru**, class of 1997, just wrapped up playing in an off-Broadway production of "The Velveteen Rabbit" in New York City, reprising his role from the recent national tour. The off-Broadway production was produced by Theatreworks USA, in conjunction with Daryl Roth Productions. The show met



with overwhelmingly positive reviews. The New York Times wrote: "Lavished with love and imagination, 'The Velveteen Rabbit' comes thrillingly, wonderfully alive." Entertainment Weekly lauded the production for being "as beautifully engaging for adults as for children." The production ran a tenweek limited engagement from November 16, 2012 through January 27, 2013.

While at Lincoln College, John was a cast member in nearly all of the fine arts productions and was also a member of LC's show choir, Express. After graduating in 1997, John continued his education at Ball State University, graduating with a degree in Theatre Performance in 2000. He currently resides in New York.

# 2000s

*Chad Pedigo*, class of 2003, was recently promoted to Fine Arts Manager for North Central College in Naperville, Ill.

#### Chad is excited to come back to

LC for Alumni Reunion this year to celebrate his 10 year reunion anniversary and would like to encourage his fellow 2003 classmates to also return for reunion on April 26-27, 2013. Time flies so fast, it would be really great to get a group of 2003 alumni back to reconnect and see where life has taken us. Not to mention to see all the changes on the Lincoln campus. For more details on reunion see page 22. Alumni from the class of 2003 can contact Chad via email at cdpedigo@noctrl.edu about your class reunion.

#### Courtney Corrine Akers,

class of 2011, started LC in the summer between her sophomore and junior year of high school (2007). She graduated MPHS in May 2009 and had already completed 15 credit hours from LC when she officially started classes in the fall of 2009.

Because LC is not an agricultural college, she got most of her basics out of the way before transferring to the University of Tennessee in the fall of 2010 to focus on an Animal Science degree. She transferred six credit hours shy of an Associate of Science degree from LC so after transferring two classes back to LC from UT and taking one LC course online, Courtney received the announcement that she was eligible for graduation from LC. She graduated May 2012 with her mother Lisa Akers, LC's athletics secretary. Courtney and Lisa were both able to walk and receive their degrees at the same time. This was significant for the family because Courtney is the first grandchild on Lisa's side to go to college and graduate with a degree. Courtney plans to graduate in May 2013 from the University of Tennessee with a BS in Animal Science and a concentration in Bioscience. She is in the process of applying to graduate schools for Reproduction Physiology and Animal Science.

Courtney has a Research and Innovation Internship with The Maschhoffs in Carlyle, Ill. The internship will run May 13 through the second week of August. Courtney said, "It is one of the most competitive internships in the country for Agriculture college students. Out of a couple hundred applications they narrowed it down to 30 phone interviews. From there they brought in 16 of us to Carlyle for face interviews and after a few weeks of torturous waiting they picked eight college juniors and seniors for different internships with The Maschhoffs. I'm proud to say I was one of them. I will be organizing and putting together a research project that I will present at the end of the summer to The Maschhoffs board and my fellow interns. I will be given a mentor to help and aid with any problems that I have this summer as well." Courtney is looking forward to beginning her career in the world of animal science with this internship and is excited to see what lies beyond it.

Submit your class note for a future Log issue at www.lincolncollege.edu/alumni

# LINCOLN COLLEGE CLASS OF '82 ALUMNA BRENDA CHAPMAN-LIMA OSCAR WINNER BEST ANIMATED FILM - "BRAVE"

Lincoln College alumna and Beason, Ill., native Brenda Chapman-Lima '82 was the writer and co-director of the Pixar animated film "Brave" that received an Oscar at the Academy Awards on February 24, 2013. Brenda shared the win for Best Animated Film with co-director Mark Andrews. As reported in the Fall/Winter 2012 Lincoln Log, Brenda wrote the script for "Brave" after being inspired by her relationship with her own strong willed daughter, Emma. Winning the Oscar was a special moment for Brenda and Emma, who attended the Academy Awards together.

"Brave" also won the 2013 BAFTA and 2013 Golden Globe for Best Animated Film.

Lincoln College would like to congratulate Brenda for her amazing story and her big win at the 2013 Oscars. Well deserved, Brenda!





# ENCUENTROS! ON

On Wednesday afternoons during spring semester, the production studio at WLNX radio is alive with Latin culture as instructor Maria Bailey's Spanish 103 class gathers to record "Encuentros!", or "Encounters!", a program of music and conversation in Spanish.

"Many countries speak Spanish, but the cultures are all different. A person from Mexico has nothing in common culturally with a person from Columbia for example, but the different cultures come together around the music," explains Bailey, who is originally from Madrid, Spain, and has been teaching Spanish at Lincoln College since 1989. "Encuentros!" has been produced each spring semester since 2008.

"There are many Spanish speakers in Lincoln who listen to the program, and we have listeners all over the US and around the world in places like Denmark, Turkey, Germany, Spain, wherever our students are from or have family or friends, who listen to the program streaming on-line."

The students choose the music-everything from contemporary Christian to rap, but all in Spanish, then meet in the studio to record the chit-chat and introductions to the dozen songs it takes to make a one-hour program. Then it's up to sophomore Andrew Ayala, WLNX's production manager, to put it all together so it's ready to broadcast.

MARIA BAILEY SPANISH PROFESSOR





"[Recording the show] is a lot of work, but it's a good experience for the students and gives them good practice speaking Spanish, and I know our listeners really enjoy and appreciate the show," says Bailey.

"Encuentros!" airs at noon on Sundays. If you're in Lincoln, you can tune in to WLNX at 88.9FM; listeners outside the broadcast area can stream WLNX live on-line at www.wlnxradio.com.

#### In Memory

Our deepest sympathies to the families of those listed below. Due to space limitations we are only able to publish each person's name, age, class year and date of death.

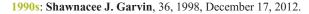
1930s: Frances Iola (Garton) Gehlbach, 96, 1935, January 5, 2013; Emmitt A. Shellhammer, 96, 1937, January 11, 2013; Edna Lois (Hale) Burke, 93, 1939, April 7, 2012.

1940s: Wesley L. Carter, 91, 1941, February 24, 2013, Doris (Crumpler) Oltmanns, 89, 1942, October 31, 2012; Elizabeth K. "Libby" (Thorp) Pekkala, 82, 1949, December 5, 2011.

**1950s: Ronald N. Platzke**, 81, 1950, August 16, 2011; **Mary Jo (Wylder) Devereaux**, 80, 1951, October 28, 2011; **Judge John T. "Mike" McCullough**, 81, 1951, October 30, 2012; **Marian Eileen (Huffman) Glenn**, 79, 1953, April 24, 2012; Harvey A. Townsend, 76, 1956, May 30, 2012; Gerry B. (Brannan) Gaedtka, 79, 1958, October 25, 2012; Erwin W. "Bill" Laudert, 75, 1958, October 12, 2012; David H. Miller, 75, 1959, December 5, 2012.

1960s: Dianne J. (Gorsko) Delia, 71, 1961, December 8, 2012; Richard L. Mazzone, 66, 1966, July 4, 2012.

1970s: Thomas E. Maurer, 69,1977, February 17, 2013. Steven R. Rogall, 59, 1974, April 27, 2012; Paula S. (Hargett) Weeks, 58, 1974, October 28, 2012.





#### 1976 Alumni Visit Mr. David Daniel - February 2013 Over the President's Day weekend, Mike Miller, Ann (Fellendorf) Williams, and Christine Peterson (all '76 grads) flew to Atlanta, Ga., to visit their beloved business professor and friend, Dr. David Daniel. "He and his wife Jonell indulged us with their Southern hospitality while we spent two days together reminiscing about our time together at Lincoln College," Christine said. Dr. Daniel sends his greetings to all of his friends at Lincoln College and would love to hear from his former students.



# ni <u>Spo</u>tlight*s* CHICAGO ALUMNI COMMITTEE

The Alumni Office works with committees of alumni in Lincoln and Chicago. The committees meet periodically to discuss alumni and campus events, fundraising, and College news. Committee members help plan and recruit alumni for Reunion and other events. The Alumni Office hopes to start new committees in St. Louis, Indy and central Wisconsin.

The Chicago Alumni Committee members are: Skip Kitchen '72, Lisa Saner '90, Bill Storie '90, Chris Boccard '72, John Iltis '62, and Fred Bunge '58.

If you are interested in serving on one of the alumni committees, please contact the alumni office via: email alumni@lincolncollege.edu or call toll free 877-522-5867. You can also nominate someone you feel would be a strong asset to one of the committees. Larger and more diverse committees will help LC and the Alumni Office engage a wider range of educational objectives and alumni.



Fredric "Fred" Bunge, class of 1958, has been on the alumni committee for over 10 years. His most recent career interest has been real estate investments. Currently Fred is pursuing a few business interests in both Europe and Panama.

He and Barbara, his wife of nearly 40 years, enjoy traveling. They have fallen in love with Panama and are in the process of building a home and retiring there in the next year or so. They plan to keep their house in Batavia and their condo at Four Lakes in Lisle,

Ill., so they will have places to stay when they come back to visit their family and friends.

Fred and Barbara have two grown children, twins David and Caroline. David works with Homeland Security, and Caroline works at an animal hospital. Fred said he is still patiently waiting for grandkids!

It was during high school when John F. Iltis, class of 1962, discovered film and, while serving in the U.S. Army, it became his preferred leisure pursuit. While at Lincoln College, John served as the manager of the 1962 basketball team and was actively involved in the fine arts department. Iltis



began his career in advertising and public relations in 1965 and, three years later, became Universal Pictures' Midwest Field Representative in Chicago, subsequently operating out of Universal's home office in New York City. He had found his forté. Read more about John in the Spring/Summer 2012 Log issue.

Karl "Skip" Kitchen attended Lincoln College from 1970-1972 and received his Bachelors from ISU in 1974. In the 70s he served as head of the LC Alumni association for several years writing a "Kitchen's Corner" column. Professionally, he has worked in the aerospace and defense arena on airborne sensors and weapon systems and served in business development roles in the performance improvement industry. He struck out on his own



methodology to convert customer loyalty points into publicly traded stock.

Skip has served on the Chicago Alumni committee for over 10 years and assisted Lincoln's Development Office on several projects in the early 2000's. Skip is also currently serving on the Lincoln College President's Advisory Council and has served in that capacity with three of Lincoln's prior Presidents. Skip was appointed by the Supreme Court of the state of Illinois as a civilian hearing panel member and has served on the oversight committee of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission of the Supreme Court of Illinois for over seven years. In addition he is a Deputy Coordinator of Winfield Emergency Management Agency, an associate member of the DuPage County Bar Association, a member of MENG and InfraGard. He enjoys time spent with his daughter, curling, golf, travel (15 countries) and cooking. Skip resides in Hinsdale, Ill.

Lisa Saner, class of 1990, currently works for Marriott Hotels as an Area Sales Leader for Chicago Northshore/Milwaukee markets. She will celebrate 18 years with Marriott this fall and has held a variety of positions from Kitchen Operations Supervisor, Purchasing, Restaurant Manager and most recently Sales, where she has spent the last 11 years. Lisa was recruited to join the alumni committee from fellow classmates and enjoys

participating as Lincoln College was exactly the right place for her to start out her college studies. She lives in the western suburbs of Chicago and owns a townhouse on a golf course which makes rounds of golf very accessible! Lisa enjoys spending time with many friends/family in

the area with hobbies that include golf, yoga, wine tasting and cheering for her Chicago teams, Bears and Cubs (rebuilding, rebuilding, rebuilding)!

Bill Storie is a native of La Grange, Ill., part of the Chicago western suburbs, and graduated from Lincoln College in 1990. After Lincoln, Bill went on to spend a year at Illinois State University in Normal, Ill., and then on to the University of St. Francis where he earned his Bachelor of Arts in Psychology

in 1995 and has been involved in a variety of business development, consulting and entrepreneurial /start-up activities. Currently, he is Sr. Vice President of

is now Cormac Benefits Group, as well as two LoyaltyShares LLC, a company whose proprietary service is providing the



other companies headquartered in Lombard, Ill., & St. John, Ind.

During his time at Illinois State, he met his future wife, Melissa. They didn't start dating until after graduation, but now Bill & Melissa have been married for over 10 years and have

twin six year old boys, Ethan & Liam. The family lives in Batavia, Ill., in the far west reaches of the Chicago suburbs. Bill and his family spend a lot of time traveling, boating, and playing sports.

After college, Bill spent several years as a Family

Employee Benefits Practice. Eventually, Bill and a

co-worker purchased a small brokerage firm from

an owner that wished to retire. Since then they

have continued to grow that business into what

Educator at Maryville Academy in Des Plaines,

Ill., before making a transition to the insurance industry. He worked for several publicly traded

insurance firms as a broker specializing in the

Bill has been a member of the Lincoln College Chicago Alumni Committee for eight years, along with fellow Lincoln classmates Lisa Saner and Patrick Ross.

**Christine (Knizeski)** 

Boccard, class of 1972, planned to make her life after Lincoln College in Chicago, Ill. She was influenced by her roommates and friends from Lincoln and to this day she is very grateful for that new direction.



Her career has been in the home furnishing business for

24 years, mainly in retail and the past 16 years in the high end carpet business as a manufacturer representative for Fabrica Fine Carpet & Rugs out of Santa Ana, Calif.

Chris has been married 37 years to her wonderful husband Dennis, and they have two grown daughters who have both graduated from college and are living successful lives and pursuing their dreams.

Chris' favorite vacation time is in Hawaii. The family has been back four times and they enjoy the beauty of the islands and the people.

Chris reflected, "Life is good when you look back and see your accomplishments, even through the ups and downs.'



Join us for America's favorite pastime -

# Cubs vs. Cardinals B A S E B A L L !



All alumni & friends are invited to join LC for a little baseball rivalry this coming summer. For the first time, LC is going to Chicago and St. Louis to watch these two teams battle it out for victory. Both events are all-inclusive and a ton of fun! Tickets are \$150 per person per game and they will sell fast, so order yours today by calling the alumni office toll free at 877-522-5867 or email alumni@lincolncollege.edu. Motorcoach transportation will be available for an additional fee if minimum guest count is met.



# Chicago Cubs vs. St. Louis Cardinals Saturday, July 13, 2013 6:15 pm game time

# Rooftop Experience - Chicago, III.

Cost: \$150 ALL-INCLUSIVE. With a great view of the 3rd base line, you watch the game from the rooftop and/or air conditioned clubhouse of 1038 West Waveland. While you are not inside Wrigley Field, you have a great view and unlimited food, beer, wine, and soda, along with outdoor and indoor seating. The rooftop seating has an incline so all can see the game and the indoor clubhouse is equipped with seating, air conditioning, a wall of windows so the field is visible and TVs broadcasting the game. The rooftop and clubhouse will be shared with others outside of the Lincoln College group. Children ages 12 and under are half price.

Motorcoach transportation will be available for an additional \$40 per person with pick ups in Lincoln and Bloomington. A minimum guest count must be met for bus to go. Parking options near the ball park cost from \$25 - \$40.

Reserve your tickets today by calling the alumni office toll free at 877-522-5867. Quantity is limited. All sales are final. Tickets are non-refundable. www.lincolncollege.edu/alumni

# St. Louis Cardinals vs. Chicago Cubs Saturday, August 10, 2013 6:15 pm game time

# Busch Stadium - St. Louis, Mo.

Cost \$150 ALL-INCLUSIVE. The LC group will enjoy allinclusive Party Suites 308-309 this year. As always the suites provide outdoor & indoor seating overlooking the 1st base outfield line plus unlimited food, beer and soda. Door prizes and Cardinal/ Cub raffle items will be available.

Motorcoach transportation will be available for an additional \$30 per person with pick ups in Lincoln and Springfield. A minimum guest count must be met for bus to go. Parking options near the ball park cost from \$15 - \$30.





# WANT YOU! at REUNION 2013

**All alumni are invited back to the Lincoln College campus** to celebrate Alumni Reunion 2013. Members of class years ending in 3 and 8 will be recognized during the Alumni Dinner and Awards Program on Saturday, April 27. This year we will have special recognition and a LC Swarovski crystal alumni pin for the classes of 1988, 1963, 1943 and 1938 as they celebrate their 25th, 50th, 70th and 75th anniversaries, respectively; however, all class years are invited to attend and everyone will be celebrated.

Several anniversary class years are in full swing with reunion planning!

Four 1988 alumni, Larry Perez, Rob Porachan, Laurel Rogers Seibert

of 1962 at last year's reunion and hope for an even better turn out this year. Tom said, "Mark your calendars, reserve your hotel and contact me via email at <u>tzurkammer@lincolncollege.edu</u> to get more details about our group dinner on Friday evening after the Wine & Cheese Reception, hotel, etc. I look forward to hearing from my fellow classmates soon! Don't forget to submit your registration form as well!"

Join us on Friday for the annual Wine & Cheese Reception featuring Kickapoo Creek Winery of Edwards, Ill. Attendees will receive three complimentary tastings. Additional wine may be purchased by the glass or by the bottle.

and Marci Rosen are working together to contact other '88 alumni about returning to Lincoln for their 25th reunion. The '88 group is excited about reconnecting after 25 years. Larry Perez '88 said, "We are looking forward to being on campus again, seeing what's new, reminiscing about the old days and reconnecting. We look forward to a great showing from the class of 1988!" Fellow '88 classmates are asked to not only submit their reunion registration form but also to contact Larry Perez at <u>perez4343@yahoo.com</u> for additional group details on hotel and the Friday evening group dinner following the Wine & Cheese Reception.

#### Larry Coveny '73 has been hard at work sending letters and emails

to fellow 1972, 1973, and 1974 classmates about returning to campus to enjoy a cluster reunion celebrating the 40th anniversary of 1973. Larry has already received some 40 responses and hopes to end up with a cluster reunion group of 100. Larry would like fellow '72-'74 alumni to contact him at lcoveny322@ comcast.net for more details about the group's Friday evening dinner after the Wine & Cheese Reception, hotel reservations, etc. The '73 cluster reunion planning committee has also organized a Cosmic Bowling get together from 12:00 to 3:00 on Saturday afternoon at the Logan Lanes. Tickets are \$15.00 per person and include 2 hours of bowling, ball and shoe rental, light show, and personal DJ. Logan Lanes also has real club & ball golf simulators, pool tables, foosball, shuffleboard, air hockey and pinball machines. Tickets can be purchased at Logan Lanes the day of the event. Larry Coveny '73 is the organizer of this event and said, "We ask that you sign up in advance with your registration form, so we can get a count to reserve the lanes. Part of the \$15.00 fee is being used for a gift to Lincoln College from our Tri- Class Reunion Group. Other class years are of course welcome to attend as well!"

**Tom Zurkammer '63 is heading up the efforts to get a cluster reunion** with the classes of 1962, 1963 and 1964 back for this year's reunion. The class of 1963 will celebrate their 50th anniversary at reunion and what better way to celebrate than with those who shared in so many of their memories. Tom and other '63 classmates enjoyed celebrating with the class

**Then on Saturday, explore the President's residence** and meet LC President John Blackburn. Alumni are also invited to work out in the state-of-the-art Scott Joslin Fitness Center in the Lincoln Center. Enjoy a Meet & Greet with current and former faculty along with the Saturday morning brunch. Interested in Environmental Education? Join LC science professor Dr. Dennis Campbell for an insightful overview and tour of Creekside, the Outdoor Environmental Education Center being developed along Sugar Creek north of Lincoln–weather permitting. How has Lincoln's image been used through the years? Don't miss *How We View Our History: The Changing Image of the 16th President.* Using a powerpoint presentation of images of historic prints over the last two centuries and video clips from a variety of motion pictures from the past century, Associate Professor of History and Political Science and Lincoln Heritage Museum Director Ron Keller will demonstrate how both historical trends and the lens of popular culture have shaped and altered public perceptions of one of America's greatest icons: Abraham Lincoln.

#### And of course, you'll want to be a part of the annual Reunion Dinner & Awards Program

where we celebrate all alumni in attendance as well as present this year's Alumni Achievement Awards. See web for full schedule.

If you haven't been back to campus for a while, we hope you'll be able to return for reunion. You'll get a first-hand look at the exciting growth of your alma mater—and what better time than Reunion Weekend to return to campus, re-visit the past, and make new memories with treasured friends! We have special rates blocked at the Hampton Inn, Holiday Inn and Best Western. The registration form and Reunion Events Schedule are available on the website at: www.lincolncollge.edu/alumni.



# The 2013 Alumni Achievement Awards

The Office of Alumni Relations is pleased to announce the candidates for the 2013 Alumni Achievement Awards that will be presented at the annual Alumni Reunion Dinner & Awards Program on Saturday, April 27, 2013. We hope you will plan to return to campus for reunion and help celebrate these alumni and all their achievements.

The Young Alumni Achievement Award will be presented to Adrienne "Adie" Harmon, class of 2001, for her achievements in the field of dentistry and humanitarian work in Haiti.



The Young Alumni Achievement Award was established to recognize future leaders among Lincoln College's young alumni, defined as those who have been alumnus/a for 20 years or less. This individual should demonstrate leadership capabilities, have a substantial indication of a commitment to the service of others, demonstrate the potential for leadership/distinction in the long term, and/or have substantial commitment to Lincoln College and its mission.

Alumni Achievement Awards will be presented to David Fischer, class of 1963 for his achievements in Higher Education Leadership; to William "Bill" E. Gossett, class of 1943, for his lifelong achievements in Business and Community Leadership/Volunteerism; and to Jack Sparacio, class of 1963, for his achievements

in Business.

The Alumni Achievement Award is

presented to a Lincoln College graduate who shows inspiration to others, characterizes the values and ideals of Lincoln College, gives distinguished service through professional

or personal achievement and demonstrates

Since 1962 nearly 150 Alumni Achievement

continuing interest in Lincoln College.





David Fischer '63



Jack Sparacio '63

Awards have been presented to alumni from all walks of life who have left their mark on the lives of others and their communities.

The LaVeta Zurkammer Alumni Award will be presented for the second time ever to Professor Emeritus Paul Beaver, class of 1956, for his lifelong dedication, passion and involvement with Lincoln College.

The LaVeta Zurkammer Alumni Award was established in 2011, and was, rightfully so, first awarded to LaVeta (Baker) Zurkammer, class of 1936. This award recognizes and honors future generations of Lincoln College alumni whose love and enthusiasm for their alma mater are demonstrated by their life-long dedication to and involvement with Lincoln College, its mission and programs, as exemplified by LaVeta Baker Zurkammer for the past 75+ years.



Professor Emeritus Paul Beaver '56



**LINCOLN COLLEGE** HOMECOMING 2013 NOV. 4-10

Spirit Veek

<u>Hall of Fame</u> BANQUET

Meet & Greet Brunch



# Men's **Basketball**

Homecoming Dance

Keep checking the web for details

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# Upcoming Events

#### Woyzeck

April 10-14, 2013 JC Hostick Theatre Wed. – Sat. 7:30 PM Sun. – 2:00 PM

## **Dance Concert**

April 20-21, 2013 JC Main Stage 7:30 pm / 2:00 pm

### Alumni Reunion 2013 April 26-27, 2013

Lincoln Campus

## Jazz Concert

April 26, 2013 JC Main Stage 7:30 PM

#### **Choir Concert**

April 27, 2013 JC Main Stage 7:30 PM

## Cubs vs. Cardinals

July 13, 2013 Rooftop experience - Chicago, IL 6:15 pm game time

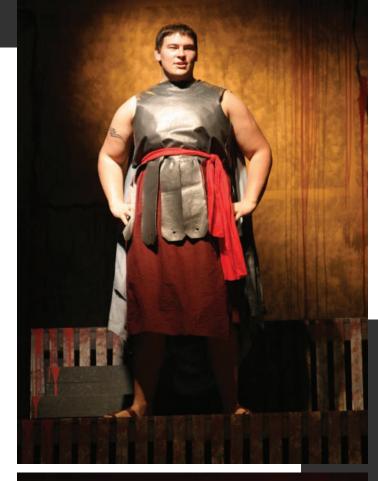
# Cardinals vs. Cubs

August 10, 2013 Busch Stadium, St. Louis, MO 6:15 pm game time

# Homecoming 2013

November 4-10, 2013

\*See the website for more details on events.





Euripides' "Trojan Women", LC Fine Arts first production of the Spring semester, featured a massive set and an outstanding cast, including Riley Dobson as Menelaus (above) and Lauren Stanfield as Hecuba (below). The production was entered in the Kennedy Center American College Theater Festival which recognizes the exemplary work produced in college and university theaters across the nation.