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May 2022



Dear Friends,

We are finishing the Spring 2022 semester with a spirit of celebration and joy. Many of our annual spring campus events returned in their traditional form, bringing a renewed vibrancy. There have been multiple wonderful opportunities to acknowledge our students' academic, leadership, and athletic achievements, to experience their talented performances, and to enjoy the camaraderie that campus life events create.

A recent highlight for me was taking our Student-Athlete Advisory Committee on a tour of the Henry D. Bullock Health and Wellness Complex. These student leaders were enthusiastic about what this facility will mean to them, their fellow students, and the community as a whole. The entire student body also had the opportunity to attend a "sneak preview" to check out the building and learn about all the great programming that will be offered there in the fall.

In just a few short days we will welcome the Class of 2022 to the Long Magenta Line with our graduate and undergraduate Commencement ceremonies. We send them on their way with many blessings and with deep appreciation for the impact they have had during their time here.

With gratitude for each one of you and best wishes for the summer ahead,

IMPACT



Honoring Scholarship, Leadership, and Athletics

The annual Celebration of Excellence, Magnus Leadership Awards, and Golden Hook Awards ceremonies recognized outstanding Muskies for their educational achievements, contributions to campus life, and athletic accomplishments.



John Glenn Lecture Returns

The John Glenn Distinguished Lecture Series brought University of Chicago geologist and paleoecologist Dr. Susan Kidwell.

ACADEMICS



Celebrating Student Achievement: Science & Arts

Student scientific research projects and artworks were on display at the annual James R. Bradford Colloquium, Homer A. Anderson Lecture and Student Poster Session, and Senior Art Exhibition.



Students Help Expand Access to University Archives

Director of the Library Dr. Nainsi Houston leads student interns in developing their skills as they make the archives more searchable for users exploring University, local, and church history.

ARTS

Performing Arts Shine



The spring's [vibrant array of events](#) included "Seussical: The Musical," the first-ever performance by Muskie Rocks, the Spring Choral and Instrumental Concert, SEOSO's season finale, and "A Touch of Broadway" by the Muskingum Valley Symphonic Winds.

ATHLETICS



Kari Hoying Winters '08 '10G Named Director of Athletics

Following a national search, Head Softball Coach Kari Winters was selected to lead the Muskie athletics program. She is the first full-time female [Director of Athletics](#) in Muskingum's history. Congratulations!

ANNUAL GIVING



Your Gift - Her Story: Brooke Robbins '23

Just after high school graduation, a devastating tornado hit Brooke's hometown, jeopardizing her Muskingum plans. "[I am a Muskie today only because of the alumni who give back to help others.](#) They have made a tremendous difference in my life!"

MUSKINGUM IN THE NEWS

The Fiscal Challenge: [Muskingum Team Among Six National Finalists](#)

Field Explorations and Conferences: [Spring Academic Trips Return](#)

Celebrating Spring on Campus: [Greek Week and The Cardboard Boat Regatta & Fishing Derby](#)

Athletics: [STUNT Wins First-Ever Collegiate Game](#) and [Hosts First-Ever Home Event on Campus](#)

Aces of Trades: [Marcy Ritzert is Dedicated to Helping Muskingum University Students Find Their Place](#)

Alumni Author: [Tim Berichon '84 Publishes Two New Books](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Graduate Commencement, May 5, 2022: [Edmund J. Romito III '11G, Chief Transformation Officer of Genesis Healthcare System, to provide Keynote Address](#)

Undergraduate Commencement, May 7, 2022: [Board of Trustees Chair Dr. Kim Gage Rothermel '71 to Address the Class of 2022](#)

Summer Registration Now Open:

* [Graduate & Continuing Studies Programs](#)

* [Undergraduate Summer Sessions](#)

Summer Camps: [Athletics, Musical Theatre, and "Be WISE" STEAM Camp for Middle School Girls](#)

Annual Athletic Booster Golf Outing: July 15, 2022: [Event Registration and Ball Drop Contest Tickets Available Now](#)

Save the Date: [Join us for Magenta Homecoming September 16-18, 2022](#)



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