



## GREETINGS FROM CAMPUS! November 2006 ISSUE

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### Membership

#### Give the Gift of Membership



An Alumni Association membership is the perfect holiday gift for anyone with affinity for the University of Georgia. Purchase a membership [online](#) or call 1-800-606-8786.

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The UGA Alumni Association is a great place for all your holiday shopping. Check out the Association's Gift Wish [List](#).

For more gift ideas visit the Association's [merchandise](#) and [discounts](#) pages. Also, don't forget, when making holiday purchases use your UGA credit card which benefits the Alumni Association. If you do not have a UGA credit card, [apply](#) today.

*Not a member yet, but want to be, then [join today](#) and find out why over 22,000 alumni and friends of UGA support the UGA Alumni Association.*

### Campus News

#### \*College of Environment and Design Tailgate

Join the College of Environment and Design three hours before kickoff of the GA. vs. GT game for a tailgate party sponsored by the

### Special Announcements

#### \*UGA Night with the Louvre Atlanta at the High Museum of Art

Join UGA alumni and friends at the High Museum of Art on Friday, November 17 from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. Discounted rate of \$12 per ticket, 10% off purchases made at the High Museum of Art Gift Shop and free admission to the High's permanent collection. RSVP [online](#) by 4 p.m., Tuesday, November 14.



#### Holiday Gift Ideas

Need the perfect gift for someone this holiday season? Check out the [Gift Wish List](#) for great ideas. See something you want? Email the list to friends and family.

#### Be a Part. Be a Sponsor

Over 6,000 UGA alumni, students, faculty, staff and friends attended UGA Night at Six Flags, more than 5,000 fans fired up the Dawgs at First Friday, and hundreds more were hosted at other UGA Alumni Association special events including: Homecoming BBQ and Bulldog Breakfast Clubs. To be a part of these highly popular Association events and get your company in front of thousands of UGA affiliates, contact [Wanda Darden](#) for sponsorship information or call 1-800-606-8786.



#### "Darius Goes Sky High"



The UGA Alumni Association was delighted to host Darius Weems in its Sky Suite for the October 7, 2006 Georgia vs. Tennessee game. Darius is known by many from his "Darius Goes West" adventure which was featured in the September [2005](#)

E-Newsletter.

#### \*Study Abroad Fellow Update



UGA Alumni Association. Tailgate for the season's last battle between the hedges will take place at College of Environment and Design, Founders Garden and House. For more information contact

[Audra Lofton](#).

#### Cox to Join School of Law



Georgia Secretary of State Cathy Cox '80 will join the School of Law as the Carl E. Sanders Political

Leadership Scholar in the 2007 spring semester. She will teach courses in election law and law and politics.

### Author Spotlight

#### \*Alumni Author Spotlight



Son of a Waycross, Ga. minister and former promoter and

booking agent of bands, [Greg Haynes](#) '72 knows a lot about the south and its music - especially the famed Beach music of the 1960's. Haynes' recently released book, "The Heeey Baby Days," complete with two music CDs, relives the story of the Beach Music era and takes readers back to the days of the Tams, the Swingin' Medallions and many other great musicians. For more information click [here](#).

### Student Programs

For information on UGA Alumni Association Student Programming please contact Student Programs and Member Discount Coordinator [Ruth Long](#) at 706-542-2251 or visit the Association's Student Programming [Web site](#).

#### \*SAA T-Shirt Giveaway



Visit the UGA Student Alumni

This month Shannon Banks, UGA Alumni Association Study Abroad Fellowship recipient is busy with school work, but still finds time to tour Uruguay and its capital. [MORE ▶](#)

#### Pollack's Road to Recovery



After a hit that left him with a broken vertebrae in his neck during a September 17 football game, former UGA defensive end and current Cincinnati Bengals linebacker David Pollack '05 is on the road to recovery. The UGA Alumni Association sends its best wishes to Pollack and his family and friends. For more on Pollack's

status click [here](#).

#### Inaugurals

UGA alumni represented the University of Georgia at these recent inaugurations:

October 12, Radford University, Dennis E. Templeton III '94, '99  
October 21, Washington and Lee University, Kipling M. Pirkle '76, '78

#### Proclamation Presented to Dean Crowley



On September 21, 2006 Deborah Dietzler presented Dean John F. Crowley with a proclamation from the UGA Alumni Association recognizing Crowley's contributions to UGA and the College of Environment and Design. Crowley stepped down as dean on August 31, 2006.

#### UGA Capital Campaign



Funds collected from the Archway to Excellence Campaign allow the University of Georgia the means to reach its goals of building the new learning environment, maximizing research opportunities, and competing in a global economy. To find out how you can contribute to these goals click [here](#).

### Athens Events



The UGA Alumni Association invites you to start your day with fellow Alumni Association members at an upcoming Bulldog Breakfast Club.



Tuesday, November 14, from 7:45 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Guest Host: [Lanie Lessard](#) '73, '96, owner of Lessard Design Associates and UGA Alumni Association Life member. RSVP [online](#).

Association table at the Tate Center Plaza on Tuesday, November 14, from 10:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. at the Tate Center Plaza to renew your membership, enter our monthly prize drawing, and pick up a FREE t-shirt.

### \*Student Alumni Council Open Enrollment

Open enrollment for the UGA Alumni Association Student Alumni Council continues through November 22. Students desiring a chance to enhance their leadership skills and represent their student body and UGA alumni are encouraged to apply. [MORE ▶](#)

Cost is \$10.00 for Alumni Association members, and \$5.00 for Student members. Seating will be limited to 10 alumni per session and guests are encouraged to bring business cards. For more information please contact [Wanda Darden](#) or 706-542-8199.

### \*Annual Holiday Open House

Join us for the UGA Alumni Association Holiday Open House and Toy and Food Drive on Thursday, November 30, from 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at the Wray-Nicholson House. Bring your children for Santa pictures. If you can, help Northeast Georgia's less fortunate children by bringing an unwrapped toy or non-perishable food item. For more information please contact Wanda Darden at (706) 542-8199 or [wwarden@uga.edu](mailto:wwarden@uga.edu).



## Atlanta Events

## Alumni Tours

### \*Berlin, Dresden and Prague May 5 - 15, 2007



Enjoy the highlights of Berlin, Germany, including the Reichstag,

Brandenburg Gate and Unter den Linden, the city's famous boulevard. Marvel at baroque buildings in Dresden on the Elbe River. Stop in the spa town of Bad Schandau en route to cosmopolitan Prague, Czech Republic, the City of a Hundred Spires, where many wonderful sites await. [MORE ▶](#)

To see other exciting UGA Alumni Association tours offered throughout the year, visit the Alumni Tours [Website](#). For more information on Alumni Tours please contact Director of Regional Programs and Alumni Tours Tami Gardner at (706)542-2251 or [tgardner@uga.edu](mailto:tgardner@uga.edu).

## Baby Dogs

Send us pictures of your newest additions! Contact [Shea Landers](#) for a free gift at 800-606-8786 and

For events held at the UGA Alumni Association Atlanta Alumni Center, the address is Atlanta Financial Center, 3333 Peachtree Road, N.E., South Tower, Suite 210, Atlanta, GA. To RSVP to any of the events below or for more information, please call 404-495-1977 or e-mail Atlanta Programs Coordinator [Chardina Choate](#) '05.



### UGA Arch Art Exhibit

Celebrate the University of Georgia Arch and more through Bob Hart's photography on display now at UGA Atlanta Alumni Center. Hart's colorful photographs display the Arch as it has never been seen before and celebrate the idea for the UGA Arch which was conceived 150 years ago.

\***Read Aloud with East Lake Community**  
Volunteer your time and voice with East Lake Community Foundation at Atlanta's first chartered school, Drew Charter School on Wednesday, November 15. [MORE ▶](#)



March 21, 2006 Read Aloud with Eastlake Community.



### DJ Shockley to Headline Humane Society Benefit Dinner

Former UGA quarterback and current Atlanta Falcons player DJ Shockley is scheduled to headline the Humane Society's Inaugural Purrls and Tails Dinner and Silent Auction on Friday, November 17 at 7 p.m. at the Tommy Hughes Ballroom of the

Gwinnett Convention Center. [MORE ▶](#)

visit the "Baby Dogs" section of our [photo album](#).



**Sydney Eavan Clayton** was born on September 2, 2006 to proud parents Erin '03, BSEd and Mitch '00, ABJ Clayton. Eavan weighed 6lbs 10oz. Proud grandparents are Carol '78, BBA and John Finley '78, BS Ed, UGA Alumni Association Associate Executive Director of Operations; and Brenda Clayton.



Scott T. Hodges '98, BFA and Allison Young Hodges '98, BA announce the birth of their daughter, **Mary**

**Laura**. She was born Sept. 14, 2006, weighed 7lbs. 2oz., and measured 20 inches.

## Online Community



### \*Class Notes

Tell us your accomplishments! Read all about your fellow alumni by registering on the [UGA Online Community](#) and post your notes as well.

### Stacey Hinton



[Stacey Hinton](#) '02, '04 was recently appointed as Director of Development for the Foundation for Digestive Health and Nutrition, the foundation of the American Gastroenterological Association.

## Multicultural Programs

For information on Multicultural events please contact UGA Alumni Association Director of Multicultural Programs Randy Grooms '92 at [rgrooms@uga.edu](mailto:rgrooms@uga.edu) or at 706-542-5158. Visit the Association's Multicultural Programs [Website](#). Download the latest [diversity newsletter](#).

### Hispanic Heritage Event a Success

Nearly 30 alumni and friends gathered at Loca Luna to celebrate Hispanic Heritage month. The fiesta included remarks by Luis Aguilar '79, attorney and UGA Alumni Association Board Member and salsa dance tips from Sophia Pando '05. The group enjoyed food, door prizes and dancing. Click [here](#) to view more photos. Alumni interested in joining a committee to plan similar events, please contact [Randy Grooms](#) '92.



## Regional News

On the [Regional Programs](#) page, use the dropdown menu to see the Regional Contact and scheduled activities for your area. For more information on UGA Alumni Association Regional Programs, contact Director of Regional Programs and Alumni Tours [Tami Gardner](#) or 800-606-8786.

### Welcome New Georgia Chapters

The UGA Alumni Association warmly welcomes the following new Georgia Chapters. If you live in one of the areas, please contact the alum listed and become involved.

DeKalb County Chapter [Bill Thomas](#) '88  
Fulton County Chapter [Amy Hokkanen](#) '95  
Gwinnett County Chapter [Ron Johnson](#) '95, '95  
Richmond County Chapter [Harriette Bohannon](#) '74 and [Clyde Lester](#) '66, '68

### Football Game Watching Parties

Don't bark alone! Visit the Regional Programs Game Watching [page](#) to see where to join fellow UGA graduates and enthusiasts from your area to watch the televised football games and cheer on the Bulldawgs.

### Dogs Doing Good



Columbus, OH Club president Caroline Clabaugh '73 and volunteers pose with their food collection to be donated to the Capital Area Humane Society.

Thanks to the participation of many UGA Alumni Chapters and Clubs, as of October 25, over 2.5 tons of food have been donated, exceeding the one ton goal. The Dawgs Feeding Dogs Campaign, a project in honor of Uga's 50 years of service, continues through December 1.

She received a Master of Public Administration, a certificate in non-profit administration and her bachelor's degree in journalism with a concentration in Public Relations from the University of Georgia.

For more, please visit the Association's [Online Class Notes](#).

## Offers & Discounts

### UGA Credit Card

Request the University of Georgia MasterCard or Visa credit card! Show your pride each time you use the card.



[Student card application](#)

[Worldpoints card application](#)

### Buckhead Athletic Club

UGA Alumni Association members can now take advantage of the Buckhead Athletic [Club](#) located at 3353 Peachtree Road NE, Atlanta, GA. With your Alumni Association member card, the Athletic Club will waive the initiation fee and offer a \$40 per month membership (month-to-month membership), and a free fitness assessment.

## Important Links

*Bookmark these important UGA Alumni Association Web addresses:*

[UGA Alumni Association Homepage](#)

[UGA Alumni Association Membership](#)

[UGA Online Community](#)

[UGA Master Calendar](#)

[UGA Today](#)

[UGA Sports](#)

If you would like to contribute, please contact your area Club or Chapter President.

### Upcoming Chapter & Club Events:

For details on the following events, click on your Chapter or Club on the dropdown menu on the Regional Programs [page](#).

#### [Athens Area Chapter](#)

November 16, Chapter Planning Meeting at the Wray-Nicholson House. Open to any graduate who wishes to become involved.

#### [Central Valley, CA Club](#)

Visiting Paso Robles for wine tasting and food during the weekend of November 18.

#### [Denver, CO Chapter](#)

Monthly SEC/ACC Happy Hours  
January 13, 2007 Snow Shoeing

#### [Tri-Cities, TN Club](#)

November 18, UGA Night at Carter Fold

#### [Washington, DC Chapter](#)

December 10, Holiday season Kickoff with the National Symphony Orchestra at the Kennedy Center.

Please visit the Alumni Association Regional Programs [Website](#) on a regular basis and attend the events in your area. Contact the chapter or club leader listed for your area and find out how you can become more involved. Your support and time are needed to keep your chapter or club fun, exciting, and representative of every graduate.

## \*Greatest Generation

### UGA's Greatest Generation

In an effort to recognize the "Greatest Generation" World War II veterans, the UGA Alumni Association is sponsoring a special project which will include collecting "war stories" from alumni, staff, and faculty who have personal memories from the war years. If you have a memory you would like included in this project, please send it via email to [Claude McBride '55](#) or mail to Claude McBride, UGA Alumni Association, Wray-Nicholson House, 298 Hull St., Athens, GA 30602.

In last month's article on Benjamin F. Parks '42 and Daniel Eugene Thompson, Jr. '42, the Association regretfully posted an incorrect picture of Thompson. The photo, taken from the 1943 Pandora, was mislabeled. The correct picture is below. In the same article the Association reported that Parks was killed on December 14, 1944,



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but he was in fact killed on December 24, 1944. The UGA Alumni Association apologizes for these errors and thanks Gene D. Guill for emailing the correct information.

## *Back Issues*

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**Thanks for reading!**

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*The UGA Alumni Association proudly supports the academic excellence, best interests and traditions of Georgia's flagship University and its Alumni worldwide.*

*Pass this e-newsletter along to other UGA alums who may not be receiving it. Encourage them to join the [UGA Online Community](#) and keep up-to-date with all the UGA Alumni Association is doing for alumni and the University of Georgia.*

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