

THE ASSOCIATION OF FORMER STUDENTS

Howdy May 1999

To keep everyone up-to-date, especially those that were not able to attend the five-year reunion last fall, the Class of '93 held the official dedication of their third class gift, a woodcarving, in the NSC during the reunion on September 12. The woodcarving is the seventh in a series constructed by Rodney Hill, associate dean in the College of Architecture, and his wife Susan. The previous six carvings, located in the hall that runs between the food court and the MSC Flagroom, were finished in 1973. Hill said this carving took him approximately one-and-a-half years to complete and it represents the major student life changes that have taken place at A&M during the 20-year period between 1973 and 1993.

Brandon Daugherty '93, member of the class gift committee and class agent, said in his welcome speech, "The Class of 1993 is proud to dedicate the third and final of our class gifts. We first gave the 12th Man lettering on the Alumni side of Kyle Field. Then earlier this morning, we gave a \$10,000 Muster Endowment." Chris Sanders, the Class of '93 v.p., said the committee consisted of people representing all different parts of campus life including the Student Rec. Center and Housing Assignments. "We wanted a very diverse representation," Sanders said. "In December of 1994, the pieces of the woodcarving started to come together and we went through a year's time of schematic representation, and now we have a final version." Julie Payne-Daugherty '93, member of the class gift committee, said the woodcarving represents students from all walks of life. "We didn't only want to put changes that have taken place, but changes that have made a significant impact on student life."

Texas A&M University President Dr. Ray M. Bowen addressed the audience at the dedication. "Through the dedication of this woodcarving, your class has added a significant dimension to this school. Student leadership is a fundamental value which distinguishes Texas A&M from every other University," Bowen said. Payne-Daugherty presented plaques consisting of small sections of the blueprints from the woodcarving to individuals who helped make the panel possible. Hill also presented the Class of '93 with a large bag of wood chips from the woodcarving and invited all students present from the Class of '93 to grab a handful.

Brandon Daugherty unveiled the walnut-paneled woodcarving which shows Albritton Tower with the Aggie Ring crest on top. The Koldus building, shuttle bus routes and a crane putting in a modular dorm are also featured. The carving depicts the emergence of the 700 student organizations on campus. In closing, Daugherty said, "You can't just walk up and take a quick glimpse and catch everything. "I'm just now noticing that there are a lot of things that I didn't even know would be included."

Sliver Taps

Our thoughts and prayers are with the following classmate, her family, friends, and loved ones.

Brenda E. Norman

of Carrollton, TX, died on July 23, 1998

Howdy, Ags!

Just a quick note Brandon had some computer trouble and he may have lost some of your information. If you do not send your info in the newsletter, please send it to him again. You should also notice that Ronnie and Jill have e-mail addresses. You are welcome to send any information to us via the e-mail system.

Aggieland

KALI (BEAZLEY) WOOD is the Main Street Project assistant coordinator for the City of Bryan. She and husband Thomas had their first child, Jacob Riley, last May. 404 May St., Bryan 77802. kwood@ci.bryan.tx.us

LAURIE (SIMS) NAUMANN is a stay at home mom to Brittany (3) and Lacey LynAnn, who was born Dec. 14,1998. Laurie and husband Drew '99 live at 12155B N. Dowling, College Station 77845, naumanns4@juno.com

Vision 2020

Texas A&M In The Next Century

A "private university" component would be incorporated into Texas A&M University if one of the boldest recommendations of an envisioning task force is adopted in the quest to propel Texas' land grant institution into the ranks of the nation's top universities. The university-within-a-university concept is but one of the ideas being advanced as part of Texas A&M's Vision 2020 project. The intention is to continue the academic evolution of the university so that it is generally considered one of the 10 best public universities in America by the year 2020, while retaining, or even enhancing, many of the unique features that define the university.

One of the more ambitious task force recommendations is to quadruple the university's private endowment, managed by the Texas A&M Foundation, by the year 2020. Not all the recommendations would require major expenditures - many are matters of resolve or reorientation of perspectives. However, some would require significant financial commitments, including a few that could prove prohibitively costly, such as the proposal to attract more faculty of national and international prominence. Another proposal seeks to achieve per-student academic program funding. Other goals include:

- * Creating an environment in which a faculty member could win a Nobel Prize or other preeminent worldwide recognition on the basis of scientific or scholarly work conducted at Texas A&M.
- * Triple the number of faculty who are members of the National Academy of Sciences or the National Academy of Engineering.
- * Gaining recognition for having the best undergraduate academic experience at a top-tier research university.
- * Strengthening the arts and sciences programs so they advance significantly in stature on a national basis.
- * Increasing the proportion of graduate students to 25 percent of the total student population from the current level of 18 percent.
- *Establishing a culture that values diversity, in which Texas A&M's student body, faculty and staff mirror the constituencies that the university services.
- * Significantly enhancing the university's library and information technology infrastructure and capabilities.

Vision 2020 recommendations are expected to be finalized and formally announced April 30 at a banquet in Texas A&M's new special events center, Reed Arena. They will then be reviewed by university officials at various levels to determine implementation possibilities.

Metroplex

MITCH and Donna (Chafin '94) COGBILL had a beautiful baby girl on Jan. 13, 1999, and they named her Kaylee Kanielle. Mitch is a football/basketball/track coach at Briarhill M.S. and Donna is a special ed. teacher at Prairie Trail Elementary. 2005 Barton Springs Dr., Corinth 76205. mitch.donna@airmail.net

GINA (BACCARI) and Ken McDONOUGH'92 are new parents to Lindsey Keaton who was born on Nov. 4, 1998. Her Aggie uncle and aunt are David & Deborah (Thomas '89) McDonough '86. 8669 Winding Lane, Ft. Worth 76120. giavanna@flash.net

KRISTI LYNN (RICKMAN) COLE married her 'favorite Longhorn' Chris on Nov. 7, 1998. Aggies in the wedding included her father Rick Rickman '70, brother Rob Rickman '96, sister-in-law Michelle (Vogds '95) Rickman, HEATHER ROBISON, and Julie

(Humphries) Lund '92. Kristi and Chris spent a month-long honeymoon in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico. 5146 Monticello Ave., Dallas 75206. kcole@cyberramp.net

JANET S. (HOLDER) MUNOZ is a stay at home mom to Victoria (21/2) and Abigail (1). Daddy Edward'94 works for GTE and plans to take an international assignment. 318 Charlotte, Duncanville 75137.

REBECCA (BANISTER) and Devin JAMES '92 have another little girl. Emma Brown was born on March 23,1998. Rebecca enjoys staying home to raise her and big sister Adaline (3). 7712 Kelly Lynn Ln., Watauga 76148.

CHAD NUNES Bouchard is a mate in the Merchant Marines at Transportation working on a tugboat in the Gulf of Mexico. 3567 33483. TUGB

LEANN (RIORDAN) and Ron NORMAN welcomed new Aggie, Riley Love, on Oct. 15, 1998. 826 Valleybrooke Dr., Arlington 76001.

KEVIN "CASEY" MOTL left a teaching-position at Garland High School after three years to pursue graduate work (an MA in history) at the University of North Texas. He and Lori were married in December'97. 1500 W. Eldorado Pkwy. #1312, McKinney 75069. CMotl@aol.com

JULIE (REYNA) CUFF is a stay-at-home mom to Jonathan Benjamin and husband CARL is a financial planner at the Ayco Company. 13312 Meandering Way, Dallas 75240. cjcuff@swbell.net

BEN and THERESA (HARRINGTON) JONES have a new miniature dachshund, Mighty Mouse! Ben is working at the Dallas Animals/Volunteers and Theresa is a project manager at Sciman Biomedical Research. 6137 Summer Creek Circle, Dallas 75231.

SHARON CALDWELL is a staffing consultant for ROMAC International where she is a professional recruiter, specializing in accounting. She returned to Dallas after spending a year and a half in Denver. 5328 Stone Falls Lane, Dallas 75287.

MELISSA (RODGERS) and Brian WITHAEGER '91 were married last September and they honeymooned in Belize. Melissa is a data warehouse consultant for Oracle and Brian is a systems analyst with MCI. 605 E. Tyler St., Richardson 75081.

KARI L. ZIMMERMANN graduated from PA school in '97 and is a physician asst. at Metrocrest Orthopedics & Sports Medicine. 3621 Frankford #836, Dallas 75287.

NATHAN UPCHURCH is a science teacher at Lancaster ISD and he met his wife Philicia during his first year of teaching. They are proud of the contributions they are making to the junior high. 1109Janeil Ln.,DeSoto 75115. aooo1280@airmail.net

ASHLEY (MATHEWS) ALFORD is now a math teacher at Carrollton-Farmers Branch ISD after five years in the retail world as an assistant buyer and financial analyst with Neiman Marcus. Her husband Dwight '92 is a senior systems engineer for Sarcom, and they have a two year old named Colin (Class of '18). 1209 Derby Run, Carrollton 75007. alforda@cjbisd.edu

GRACE (HOLMES) MATHERLY and her husband Todd '91 are proud of their latest addition ... Andrew Todd (check out those initials! ATM!) 4421 Heath Ct., Plano 75024. todgrace@cyberramp.net

Sterling C. Evans Library Annex formally opened recently with a ribbon-cutting ceremony. President Dr. Ray M. Bowen '58, Student Body President Laurie Nickel '98 and Graduate Student Council President Anneliese Reinemeyer were among the University dignitaries in attendance. Fred Heath, dean and director of Evans Library, said the annex was designed around the needs of the students. "It was meant to be a facility where students could interact with one another, with the staff and with the technologies that would enable them to engage in research and project development," he said. "The student leaders worked closely with the library staff to articulate their constituency's priorities and concerns." Reinemeyer said the library is a memorial to past writers and to the future generation of writers. "Each title, each book, each golden leaf represents a piece of the world," she said. Nickel recounted her experiences as a campus tour guide. "Students never ask me where the library is, but they soon find they will spend more time at the library than at a football game or at the Rec Center," she said. Four library-system expansions have occurred in the '90s. In 1994, the West

Campus Library opened; in 1997, the Policy Sciences and Economics Library opened and in 1998, the Cushing Memorial Library reopened after being restored. "The official opening of the annex to Sterling C. Evans Library is a milestone in library development," he said.

Gulf Coast

CARRIE (HARP) FISHER and her husband Clay welcomed baby Kelly Lyn in Dec 1998. 10315 Candlewood Dr., Houston 77042.

DANA (HALL) BUSCH received her CPA license and is now a business consultant for Arthur Andersen. She and Leon were married at Westminster United Methodist Church in Houston on May 30, 1998. 834 LaMonte Lane, Houston 77018. dana.d.busch@us.arthurandersen.com

SCOTTI (MARINO) and TRENT CAMPBELL welcomed their third little Aggie into the world on Dec. 15,1998. She weighed 7 lbs., 9 ozs. and was 191/2 inches long. Joey resides with her two sisters, Sydney and Haley, and her parents at 21402 Wildcroft Dr., Katy 77449.

Katherine Adelle, daughter of Chris and LISA (SLADECEK) NOYES, was born on March 16, 1998. She weighed 5 lbs, 15 ozs. Her Aggie relatives include JENNIFER NOYES, Jeffrey Sladecek '88, and current A&M student Brian Sladecek. 7900 Cambridge St. #22-1D, Houston 77054.

JOHN "CHRIS" SCOTT is an E-business architect at IBM. 27 Tulip Hill Court, The Woodlands 77380. cscott@ghq.net

ALYNDA (OGLE) ARMSTRONG is a teacher of 10th grade English at Cypress Creek H.S. She and husband John brought home a sweet baby girl last March that they named Ashley Alyse. 20303 Vaulted Chestnut Ln., Cypress 77429.

KIMBERLY (GRIFFIN) and Jeff CARR had a baby girl last year. Jeff is an in-house patent attorney with Schlumberger and Kimberly is staying home to take care of their daughter. 9103 S. Pass Lane, Houston 77064.

STEPHEN SCOGIN was married last July 4 to Marjorie, a PA at El Campo Hospital. Stephen is a graduate student in education at the University of Houston. 2215 Bunton "B", El Campo 77437.

BRIAN T. and E. ANN (FOSTER) KNAUP welcomed new Aggie Hannah Elizabeth, on Jan. 24, 1998. 24042 River Place Dr., Katy 77494.

TYNA (YAKLIN) and Rudy VACEK '92 proudly announced the birth of their son on July 17, 1998 and they named him Brent Colby. 3631 Wintergreen Dr., Humble 77396.

JENNIFER (JUUL) and Joe PARKEY welcomed new Aggie Ryan Patrick on Jan. 6, 1999. Jennifer is a RN at the University of Texas Medical Branch. 711 Holiday Dr. #52, Galveston 77550. jparkey@utmb.edu

AMY (BLUMBERG) and Scott KINDRED were married on Sept. 6, 1998. Amy is a Houston regional task force assistant at Jenny Craig. 6606 Broken Stone, Houston 77084. skindred@swbellnet

AMY (BEZUB) and CHRIS VAN DYKE moved into a new house at the end of August and welcomed their little Aggie Joshua Xavier on September 24. Chris is a web developer and Amy is teaching 10th grade English in Humble. 28702 Misty Oaks, Huffman 77336. VanDyke@WTnet

SHERRI (TAGGART) JURLES is an executive financial assistant at MacGregor Medical Assoc. She and husband Gregory live at 2410 Loyanne, Spring 77373. sjurls@aol.com

KIMBERLY (SPRADLING) and Robin WEITKAMP were married last May. Kimberly is a cost engineer at AMOCO and Robin is a chemical engineer. 4918 White Manor, Pasadena 77505.

KRISTIN (COLE) and Lance WOOD are proud to announce the arrival of Grant Thomas who was born last October. Kristin is a stay at home mom and Lance is a forecaster at nation Weather Service. They recently bought a new house at 4420 Running Pine, League City 77573. KristinW93@aol.com

NICOLE (FODO) and Stephen SALVERINO '91 are proud to announce the birth of baby daughter Sophie Raye, born on Nov. 8, 1998. Nicole is a stay at home mom and Steve is sr. project manager at Workman Construction. 6302 Maple Spring Pl., Kingwood 77346. sal@pdq.net

ALASTAIR and Rosemary MILLER brought home a baby brother for their daughter Cailyn (2) with the birth of Charles "Charlie" Thomas. 1206 Berrywood Ln., Houston 77077.

KRISTIN (ZAPPE) HOPPER is a staff accountant with Sonat Exploration Company. She and husband Tim have a new little Aggie, Matthew Joseph, born on Sept. 2, 1998. His Aggie relatives include Grandfather Ronald Joe Zappe '65, Aunt Tracey (Medley) Hopper'83, and Uncle Eric Zappe '94. Matthew can play with future classmate Tyler, who lives with his parents BILL and KIM (SCHILLER) EVATT down the street from the Hoppers. 4215 Appalachian Trail, Kingwood 77345. Kristin.Hopper@sonat.com

JENNY (LAUHOFF) and SPENCER BENNETT had their first baby, Garrett, last August. Jenny is in sales at Nouartis Animal Heath and Spencer is a sales rep. for Soft Plan Systems. 9202 Sandtown Ln., Houston 77064. jenpnut@aol.com

AIMEE (BAREFOOT) and John MOHR '94 moved into a new home in March with their precious baby girl, Sydney Elaine. Aimee is a tax manager at Ernst & Young. 1047 Norfolk, Pearland 77584. aimee.mohr@ey.com

MICHAEL SEAGO is a controller at Philip Services. He and wife Susan live at 6314 Faulkner Ridge Dr., Katy 77450. mseago1359@aol.com

MATTHEW MICHAELS is a consultant at Premier HR Solutions. He and. wife Tara (Vinci '94) live at 14450 Misty Meadow, Houston 77079. tara-matt@msn.com

KATHRYN (KNETSAR) BUSH is glad to be at home with her girls Megan and Riley. Her husband Billy '91 is a police officer with the Houston Police Dept. and they celebrated their six year anniversary in January. 3910 Lemon Tree, Houston 77088. ogbql991@aol.com

SHELLY (LUNSFORD) CORY is a loss control engineer at Arkwright Mutual Insurance. She and husband Ricky '92 welcomed their second child, Brooklin Nicole last October. Big brother Preston is awfully proud. 47 Lively Oaks Place, The Woodlands 77382. rcory@lcc.net

TIM DOWNING is a pilot at Continental Express where he just finished training on their new regional jet. 3030 Elmside Dr. #21, Houston: 77042. skyjamming@aol.com

COURTNEY (ANDERSON) and Rodney BEASLEY '91 had a boy, Charles Taylor, on Aug. 11, 1998. Courtney is the director of accounting at OYO Geospace Corp. and Rodney is an energy analyst with Enron. 11206 Chestnut Woods Trail, Houston 77065. cbeasley@geospacecorp.com

JENNIFER (FUCIK) MATEJ is a stay at home mom to Amber (2!/2) and Lindsey who was born Nov. 4, 1998. Jennifer and her husband Mike live at 5355 Lincoln Green Dr., Katy 77493.

MICHELE (BAIER) and John S. FOSTER '92 were married on March 6, 1999 at the Cohen House at Rice University. Aggies in the wedding included: Best Man ROBERT "OX" MARKET, Groomsmen Robert Foster '95, Staton Shed '92, and John "Chief" Pruetz '91, and Drew Luellen '92, Bridesmaid Jennifer "Elsie" Ellis '92, Gina Pruetz '91, and Amber Shed '92. Several other former, current and future Aggies were in attendance. Michele is the controller for the law firm of Franklin, Cardwell and Jones and John is the controller for Greater Texas Ice. 7119 Neff, Houston 77074.

AGGIE BONFIRE

ENDOWMENT

Since 1909, Aggie Bonfire has been a cornerstone symbol of Texas A&M University. Unfortunately, the costs associated with Aggie Bonfire have tripled over the last 30 years. Increasing costs of safety measures, equipment, construction, and fuel are some of the main reasons for this dramatic increase. Additionally, the costs of cleaning the Bonfire cut site are expected to increase. These increasing costs are threatening the very existence of the Aggie Bonfire tradition.

The Aggie Bonfire Endowment provides a permanent, stable source of funds for Bonfire. It will ease the pressure of annual fund raising and allow the students to focus on the safety and leadership aspects of Bonfire. It will also give supporters the satisfaction of knowing that their gifts will help build not just this year's Bonfire, but all the Bonfires in future years.

To find out how you can help in ensuring that Aggie Bonfire continues to play an important role in the history of Texas A&M contact:

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website: http://bonfire.tamu.edu/endowment.html

Central Texas

STEPHEN INGRAM is a graduate student at UT Health Science Center. He and wife Jamie (Lane '95) had a baby girl last August named Kayla Renee. 5808 Rue Royale, San Antonio 78240. ingram@UTHSCSA.edu

JASON T. ARBAUGH was promoted to senior product development engineer with Advanced Micro Devices after finishing his Master's of Science in Engineering. He is now taking one class per semester working towards a PhD. He is currently in California learning the 'ins' and 'outs' of a new computer processing chip, however he can still be reached at his Austin address or via e-mail. 7220B Aldea Dr., Austin 77845. Jason.Arbaugh@amd.com

ROBERT RUSSELL is a territory manager at Pioneer-Standard (the largest IBM distributor). 12445 Alameda Trace Circle #1037, Austin 78727.

RUSSELL W. and ELYSE (HOSTINAK) WHITE had a boy, Jake Thomas, on Nov. 5, 1998. Russell is an IP attorney with Baker & Botts. 10704 Redmond Rd., Austin 78739.

DAMIEN and MICHELLE (BLAKEMAN) PECHACEK welcomed their new daughter, Emery Ann, into the world on Oct. 31, 1998. She was delivered at home by Damien and two family friends. Damien is a membership coordinator at Racquetball and Fitness. 320 Bentwood Dr., Boerne 78006. pecharek4@aol.com

JAMES MANUEL married Tracey (Bronnenberg) last October. Aggie attendants included best man David Manuel '90 and groomsman SCOTT JOHNS. James is an engineer at Dell Computer and Tracey is a pharmacist for HEB. 12218 Grimsley Dr., Austin 78759. manuel@texas.net

COREY WILSON, who works for Faulkner Construction Co., married Wendy (Horn) on May 9,1998. 12125 Black Angus, Austin 78727. Cwilson@faulkcomp.com

DELAINE (WALKER) and Marcus EVANS now have two little girls with the birth of Marley Jack on April 8, 1998. Delaine is a 7111 grade math teacher at Rockdale Jr. High. 408 N. Rice St., Rockdale 76567.

ANNE LOUISE LINSTEAD was just promoted to the position of area coordinator for residence life at Southwest Texas. P.O. Box 490, San Marcos 78667-0490. al05@swt.edu

DEE (LONDENBERG) NEUMANN is the president/ therapist at Neumann/Vieregg Services, Inc. This is a private practice she opened with fellow licensed professional counselor and Aggie, Mandy Vieregg '90. Dee and husband David '92 can be reached at P.O. Box 589, Eddy 76524.

WILL RICHARDS is a mechanical engineer for Deaton Engineering. He and wife Jennifer (Nixon) celebrated the birth of their little Aggie, Annelise Clare, on Oct. 17, 1998. P.O. Box 2162 Georgetown 78627. wrichards@deatonengineering.com

TEXAS GOVERNOR GEORGE W. BUSH NOMINATED THREE NEW MEMBERS TO THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM BOARD OF REGENTS

Lionel Sosa is chief executive of Spark! KJS, a San Antonio advertising and marketing firm. Mr. Sosa was named one of the 100

influential Hispanics in the United States and was selected as one of the 25 most influential Texans.

Steve Stevens '62 is a senior partner in Arthur Andersen L.L.P. in Houston. While attending A&M, he was an executive officer of the Ross Volunteers. Mr. Stevens has served as president of the 12th Man Foundation and is a past member of the Texas A&M Chancellors Advisory Council.

Dr. Susan Rudd Wynn '78 is a specialist in allergy and clinical immunology in private practice at Fort Worth Allergy and Asthma Associates. She was the first woman accepted to the first class at A&M's College of Medicine.

North Texas

JENNIFER (CUNDIFF) and Jared SMITH proudly announced the birth of their baby girl, Caroline Grace, on Jan. 6, 1999. 2902 Cheverny Dr., McKinney 75070.

AMBER (EASLEY) BONNER is an international human resources consultant at Arthur Andersen. She and her husband Buddy live at 1450 Creekbank, Lewisville 75067. c.amber.bonner@us.arthurandersen.com

There are over 200 A&M clubs available around the world for you to become involved in! You are also encouraged to start a club if there is not one in your area. What better way to find other Aggies when you move to a new area!

For more information, contact:

Club Programs
The Association of Former Students
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A&M Clubs can provide you with a full social calendar - from happy hours, meeting for lunch and watching football games, to fundraising events providing scholarships, Muster gatherings, and long-lasting Aggie friendships. For a list of all A&M clubs, go to the website: http://aggienet.tamu.edu.

South Texas

TROY BLACKMON is an area manager with ITEQ Storage Systems, Inc. and his wife Tiffany (White '95) recently completed nursing school at Del Mar. They built their first home on Padre Island last year, and welcomed their first little Aggie, Caitlin Avery, on Sept. 7, 1998. 13937 Skysail, Corpus Christi 78418. TBLACK1741@aol.com

AMY L. GARZA is a human resources specialist 11 for the Texas Dept. of Transportation. 705 Nightingale, Apt.C, McAllen 78504.

LORI (PETERSON) and Xavier Eli PEREZ '89 were married on Oct. 10, 1998 (her grandfather's birthday - A.V. Peterson '38) and they went on an eight-day Caribbean cruise for their honeymoon. Aggies in the wedding included: RICK and Lila (Plattner '94) LaGRANGE, LANCE PETERSON, Nance Munoz'90, Michelle (Regal) HerTmann'94, Rebecca Hernandez '94, Guy Peterson '97,

Adri Peterson '97, Amy Turner '98, and current students at A&M: Daren Peterson and Jan (Higginbotham) Stovall. Lori is with a new law firm - Montalvo & Perez - as a name partner. The newlyweds bought a new home at 326 Oak St., Rio Grande City 78582.

FRANK WILSON is a self-employed farmer and rancher. He and wife Michelle (Marek '88) have a baby girl by the name of Elizabeth Marie who was born on Oct. 28, 1998. Rt. 1 Box 262, El Campo 77437. wilsonfm@wcnet.net

East Texas

CAROLINE (ROBERTS) BREAUX is a stay at home mom. She plans to home school to put her elementary education degree to good use. She and husband Michael live at 211 So. 51/2 St., Nederland 77627. john3.17@worldnet.att.net

KENDRA(YOUNGBLOOD) and DAVID MATHIS brought home a baby girl Katelyn Meredith, last June. 9310 Kelly Green, Tyler 75703. kendramathis@hotmail.com

AMY (LESTER) MIMMS runs a successful home-based business as a group manager with Discovery Toys/Discovery Quest. Her husband Brian owns Lone Star Golf Cars as the E-Z-Go dealer for 26 counties in East Texas. Their daughter Emily enjoys playing with all of the great toys mom sells., P.O. Box 315, Winona 75792. bmimms@tyler.net

JIMMY THOMPSON is a resident in family practice at t.u. Health Center and his wife GERI (CASANA) is the business manager for All Saints Episcopal School. They have two little girls now, Tierney and her baby sister Madison Elise. 1015 Hudnall Dr., Tyler 75701.

NICOLE (BLUDAU) MICHALKE is a self-employed computer consultant. She and her husband Rodney have two children - Jacob (18 mos.) and Alyssa (4). 891 North St., Schulenburg 78956. michalke@cvtv.net

MARTIN HARRIS was promoted to regeneration manager/forest analyst at Temple-Inland. His wife Elisa is a physical therapist and was promoted to clinical manger at Memorial Health Systems of East Texas. They had a baby boy named Josef Martin last October. 207 Forest Creek, Lufkin 75901.mharris@lcc.net

SCOTT and Stacie JORDAN are co-owners of Gabriel/Jordan Chevrolet Olds Cadillac in Henderson. 605 Spring Creek, Tyler 75703. gabriel/jordan@tyler.net

JOHN ALLEN is a supervisor at Union Pacific Railroad. He and wife Tara (Ward '91) bought a new house and relocated with their children Taryn (2) and Braden, who was born last September. 1403 Scenic Dr., Longview 75604. texaggie93@aol.com

Did you know?

Of the 237,000 graduates of A&M University, over half have graduated since 1982?

West Texas

KAREN(BOWLING) SPARKS and husband Todd '92 have a new baby boy they named William "Will" Christopher. Will was born on July 14, 1998. 4918 Island Dr., Midland 79707. Tsparks@Texasonline.net

The Quarterback Challenge'

The Quarterback Challenge is a fund raising competition that will run from Jan. I to Dec. 31, 1999. The competition is between the Class of '90 through the Class of '98. The rules are simple ... be the first class to have 25% of overall donation participation of your class in The Association of Former Students Annual Fund for the year 1999, The winning class of this exciting campaign will be featured in the Texas Aggie magazine.

The President of Texas A&M, Dr. Ray Bowen '58 said, 'Former Students need to ask the question, has Texas A&M added value to my degree . . . is my degree important to me now because of the wonderful things happening at A&M today, even though I may have graduated 5, 10, 15, 20 years ago ... I think In every case the answer is yes."

Please support the Class of '93, Texas A&M University, The Association of Former Students, and future Aggies by completing the Century Club membership form on page 14 and mailing it In to the Association.

Out of State

BRIAN and Sharon JOHNSON now have two girls with the birth of Taylor Rae on Oct. 20, 1998. Brian is a liaison engineer at Allied Signal Aerospace working on space station components. 250 S. Sean Dr., Chandler, AZ 85224.

LINDSEY (AGUILAR) and her husband Dr. Christopher McMILLAN '91 celebrated the arrival of their daughter Emily Ann, born on Nov. 4, 1998. They moved to Memphis in June where Chris is in training at Baptist Memorial Hospital in the field of diagnostic radiology. 3812 Shadowhill Dr., Memphis, TN 38135. cmcmillan@pd.net

WINIFER (SEWALL) and Grady MacKINNON were married in July 1997. They also built their first home and moved in December. Winifer is a product manager at Tech Data Corp. 3107 Oakellar St., Tampa, FL 33611. gwmackin@aol.com

JULIA JORDON just finished her master's in clinical nutrition at the University of Alabama at Birmingham. 37 10 SE Stark #1, Portland, OR 97214. jumejo@aol.com

CHUCK and E. Cheri PETERSEN have a sweet little girl by the name of Emma Elizabeth (1 1/2). 123 S. Bleckley, Wichita, KS 67218.

BETH (COWAN) SMAISTRLA is a flight attendant for Continental. She and her husband Scott live at 203 E. 10th St. #1, Bloomington, IN 47408.

MARTHA "WREN" (EVERSBERG) EAGLETON graduated from grad. school in occupational therapy in '96 from University of Florida and is now an occupational therapist at two local hospitals. She and Bernie were married in April of '97. 2016 Dauphin St., Mobile, AL 36606.

JENNIFER (HOLLAS) and Lt. Mitch ALBIN welcomed Hayden Dean on Nov. 21,1998. 10 Puritan Dr., Middletown, RI 02842.

JEFF COOK and wife Monica have a new little Aggie, Joshua Paul, class of '20. Jeff is a design engineer at U.S. West Communications. 8532 Bluegrass Circle, Parker, CO 80134. jbcook@uswest.com

DOUG BRADEN is a county plant manager at Cargill, Inc. He has been living in NiAaysia for the past six months where he Supervises four plants. He also spent three days a month working with a plant in Thailand. P.O. Box 5674, Minneapolis, MN 55440. douglas_braden@cargill.com

DONNA(STASNEY) LONG graduated from PT school last October and took a job in outpatient orthopedics at Baptist Medical Center. Husband JACK graduated from medical school in May and is doing a radiology residency at UAMB. They moved from Albuquerque, NM in June to 2200 Riverfront Dr. #3213, Little Rock, AR 72202.

TODD REITZ is a forester at Plum Creek and wife SANDRA (RUST) is a forester at Georgia-Pacific. 112 Crestwood Dr., Crossett, AR 71635. SkyPonds@aol.com

DEBORAH (SHAFFER) MONTGOMERY is a vet at Companion Pet Clinic. She was married last December in Hawaii to Mark who is a West Point graduate, class of '93. He is stationed in Korea. 22331 Skyview Dr., West Linn, OR 97068. DebbyShaff@aol.com

KRISTI (PHILIPS) VERNA is staying at home with Sabrina (18 months) and teaching a legal class part-time at Hawaii Pacific University. Her husband Mario '92 is a captain at the Kaneohe Bay Marine Corps base in charge of the base tax program and doing legal assistance. 1882 Marmande Dr., Kailua, HI 96734. vernamk77@aol.com

APRIL (GARRETT) and Jeffrey DIEHL were married on Jan. 2 in the Caribbean. They both graduated with MBA's from Harvard Business School in 1997 and April is now an associate at McKinsey & Co. and Jeff is a management consultant with Parthenon, Inc. 3 Durham St. #5, Boston, MA 02115. agarrett@mbal997.hbs.edu

Capt. BRIAN KEITH BOX is a pilot in the Army and is currently attending the advance course. His wife MELISSA (HATFIELD) enjoys chasing their son Jordan (18 mos.). They'll be moving to Germany in June. 40 Kirby St., Ft. 2 Rucker, AL 36362. bkbox@hotmail.com

CYNTHIA GUTIERREZ is an ambulatory vet. at Rood & Riddle Equine Hospital. She graduated from vet school in May and finally left B/CS after eight years. 2113 Larkspur Dr., Lexington, KY 40504. cvg8l98@gte.net

ESTHER COCHRAN is an associate at Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP. 221 East 76th St. #IA, New York, NY 10021. esther.cochran@weil.com

JENNIFER (DWIGHT) and JAMES ARMENTROUT had their second daughter on October 1, 1998. Jennifer is a homemaker who takes care of Hannah Joyce and her two year-old sister. Jimmy is a physical therapist at Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital. 240 Shadowbrush Bend, Lafayette, LA 70506. jnjtrout94@aol.com

JULIE BAKER is a compensation analyst at Compuware Corporation. She began working there in 1997 and was recently promoted to her present position. She is happy to be home in Michigan, but misses seeing Aggie football games. 37531 Ladue, Clinton Township, MI 48036. julie-baker@compuware.com

JOHN BABB received his MBA from Washington University last December. He is now a core team member on a production planning group for Sigma Chemical. He went to the Big 12 Championship game and loved it! John says he has had trouble getting to work lately due to the weather, but thinks most of it has to do with the road crews that seem to have been trained in Dallas. 161 Brightfield Dr., Ballwin, MO 63021. jebabb@inlink.com http://www.inlink.com/~jebabb/

STEPHEN GOTSCHALL is a project manager with McCarthy Brothers Construction Co. and he just finished working on the new Bank One Ballpark for the Arizona Diamondbacks. 3449 E. Altadena Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85028.

GREG HURST, a dentist, is currently training for the Vancouver Marathon in May. He is running the marathon in memory of his wife's father who died of Leukemia in 1994, and his grandfather, who was diagnosed with the disease last year. Greg will run with Team in Training, a group dedicated to helping raise awareness and funding for research, education, and support for patients and families with Leukemia and its related disorders. Greg asks that all classmates interested in making even a small donation to this worthy cause please contact him or go to www.leukemia.org for more information. He and Kathryn '94 reside at 15555 Frank Lloyd Wright #2095, Scottsdale, AZ 85260. hurstdds@uswest.net

CHRISTOPHER H. OLIVER was recently designated as Helicopter Aircraft Commander. He is still enjoying Hawaii, and is currently a pilot for a CH-53D. He ran into ROBERT HINTON at a recent exercise in Okinawa, Japan. 44-134 Bayview Haven Pl., Kanoehe, HI 96744-2502. PABLOFLOYD@AOL.COM

Lt. PATRICK PFANZ is on deployment with the USS Hawkbill (SSN 666) stationed in Pearl Harbor. His current deployment has him headed to the North Pole with scientists onboard to conduct experiments. He and his wife Leslie welcomed Rachael Ashley into the world on July 30, 1998. 5706 Dovekie Ave., Ewa Beach, HI 96706. Gekkogal@aol.com

BRADLEY T. REARDEN and Kristin (Hamm) brought home a baby sister for their daughter Meghan Marie (2) with the birth of Shannon Erica on October 1, 1998. Bradley is working at Oak Ridge National Laboratories to complete research for his PhD. in nuclear engineering. 302 Pheasant Lane, Clinton, TN 37716. reardenb@ornl.gov

MARIA INES (LaGRANGE) and Dr. Daniel SANCHEZ announced the birth of Carolina Ines on Jan. 14, 1998. Carolina's Aggie relatives include uncles Federico Lagrange '91, and Alex Lagrange. P.O.Box431, Vernon, NJ 07462. inesanchez70@hotmail.com

Where are You???

Abdullah Ab-Rahman

The following is a list of classmates that have moved and have not sent in their new address. It is so important for Aggies to keep in touch with each other, so if you recognize any of these Aggies, please let them know we are looking for them! Ask them to either contact one of the class agents, or to send in a change of address to the Association, or to call the Association (409/845-7514) and ask for the Records Department. Gig 'em!

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Out of the Country

ANTHONY N. NASH has been working overseas for the past few years. As a global account manager for Expeditors International, he spent most of 1996 in Amsterdam. In 1997 he was relocated to London, and then to Italy in 1998. He and his wife Amy celebrated their one year anniversary on Nov. 1, 1998. 120 Via San Zanobi, 50129, Firenze, Italia. nashtony@hotmail.com

Agents

Ronnie is busy with Bastrop county issues in his 4th month as County Judge. He was thrown in the water head first, but he's swimming! Ty is planning ways not to be busy during her summer vacation from teaching at Bastrop High.

Brandon was promoted to manager of the Evansville regional office of Alt & Witzig Eng., a consulting firm dealing with environmental and geotechnical engineering. He also joined Boy Scout Troop 363, as an assistant scout master. Julie (Payne) is manager of residence education for the University of Southern Indiana. She recently ended her run as Suzanne in 'Don't Dress for Dinner.' They both enjoy singing as members of the choir at Central United Methodist Church. Unfortunately, they have moved again, but this time they moved into their first home (even though they are still renting). E-mails are: brandon - aggietaz93@aol.com; and julie - juliedaugh@aol.com

Jill is hanging in there as zoo keeper (ha ha). Rebecca was two in March and Allison is nine months old. Jill also stays busy with her Longaberger business, Precept Ministries, and the school board. She FINALLY has email - rinic@inu.net