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The Newsletter for Marshall University

May 11, 2016

Hayes, RCBI, White enter Harless Hall of Fame

The June Harless Center for Rural Research Education and Development inducted members of the educational community in a ceremony that took place May 5 in the Brad D. Smith Foundation Hall.

Among the inductees was Dr. Robert Hayes, who served as the 11th president of Marshall University. His term (1974-1983) has been called the “Decade of Progress” because of the academic advancements and facility improvements that took place on Marshall’s campus during his tenure.

One of Hayes’ first achievements was the creation of the Marshall University Community College, in which the first classes were held in the fall of 1975. Other accomplishments included the adoption of the Board of Regents degree, the establishment of the Marshall School of Medicine, and the creation of the Colleges of Science, Liberal Arts and Fine Arts.

An expansion of campus facilities also took place during Hayes’ tenure as president, including the construction of classroom buildings, Harris and Corbly Halls, the Cam Henderson Center and additions to the science and medical school facilities.

Also inducted was the Robert C. Byrd Institute (RCBI). RCBI provides high-tech manufacturing equipment, technical training, and workforce and entrepreneurial development to more than 5,500 manufacturers that employ nearly 81,000 individuals.

RCBI has delivered skills training to more than 4,000 individuals, helping bridge the critical skills gap in American manufacturing and foster entrepreneurship.

The final inductee was Gary White, who served as interim president for Marshall for one year beginning December 29, 2014. White was president and chief executive officer of International Industries Inc. from 1992 to 2007. He also previously served as president and chief operating officer of International Resource Partners and the West Virginia Coal Association.

The Hallie Harless Distinguished Teacher Award was presented to Kelly Bryant, who is a third-grade teacher at Logan Elementary School. She is an active educator on both the school and county levels who believes teaching is about “inspiring students to become lifelong learners, independent thinkers and active problem solvers.”

The Harless Center also recognized Donna Peduto, director of operations for the West Virginia Board of Education; Hank Hager, counsel to the West Virginia Senate Education Committee; and David Mohr, chief counsel for the West Virginia House of Representatives Education Committee.

The evening also showcased the many diverse initiatives in which the Harless Center has participated.

Recreation Center announces summer kickoff event



The Marshall Recreation Center will be hosting its first Summer Rec Kickoff event from 5 to 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 19, at the Rec's intramural field. Everyone in the Huntington community is encouraged to attend the kickoff.

This is an open house event for a variety of the summer programs that will be offered at the Recreation Center. Both youth and adult programs are available, as well as coupon deals.

Healthy Herd Youth Camp staff will be available to talk with parents who are interested in summer camps for their children. Youth camps begin the week of May 31 and run the entire summer. Kids can enjoy free face painting, inflatables and an obstacle course. Information about group and private swim lessons will also be provided.

Outdoor Pursuits will display outdoor equipment that is available for rent, including canoes, kayaks and tents.

There will be an adult soccer sport league available for students and non-students this summer. More information on how to register will be available at the summer kickoff event.

Studio X will have free demos of the new high-intensity workouts offered, as well as passes for individuals to try out this new service. Group fitness classes and Acro Yoga will be available for any participant who would like to try out a class.

The Group Fitness schedule during the event will be

5 p.m.: Acro Yoga

5 p.m.: Piloxing

5:15 p.m.: Cycling (will be held indoors)

5:30 p.m.: Pound

6:30 p.m.: BodyPump

An information table will be set up for anyone interested in memberships at the Recreation Center. Memberships are available to anyone who is affiliated with the university through Big Green, the Alumni Association or as faculty/staff members.

In addition, the Naked Run 5k will take place at 7 p.m. Runners will be asked to predict their 5k finishing time and then run the 5k without a watch or phone. An award will be given to the runner who can predict his or her 5k time the closest.

The 5k course will take place around the Huntington campus and will start on the sidewalk next to the Rec Center. Participants can sign up online in advance at www.aptiming.com/race/273, or on the day of the run. The race is free, but donations are accepted to support Girls on the Run of Cabell and Wayne counties. All donations received will go towards costs to provide this after-school program to girls in grades 3-5 in Cabell and Wayne Counties.

For more information, contact Michele Muth, assistant director of Marketing and Membership, at pallante1@marshall.edu or by phone at ext.6-2943.

Maker Vault Opens at RCBI

The Robert C. Byrd Institute for Advanced Flexible Manufacturing (RCBI) is celebrating the opening of its new makerspace on Friday, May 13, from 2 to 6 p.m.

RCBI's makerspace, called the Maker Vault, is housed in a former vault – a holdover from the days when the Huntington building was home to a bank.

During the open house, RCBI will showcase its new collaborative space that focuses on making, creating, learning and exploring. The Maker Vault will feature a stable of hands-on tools that include an X-Carve (a router controlled by a computer), a vinyl cutter, 3D printers and more. The Maker Vault will be open to the public.

“Before the term ‘makerspace’ was popular or well known, RCBI was one,” said Charlotte Weber, RCBI Director and CEO. “For 25-plus years, we’ve served industry by offering access to high-tech tools, training and expertise, so entrepreneurs and manufacturers could develop the skills and operations they need to compete. We’re excited to extend our reach to members of the community, so they can develop their innovative ideas and make them real in our Maker Vault.”

The open house is part of Remake Learning Days, a weeklong celebration that highlights innovative teaching and learning. The event will include demonstrations by award-winning makers and refreshments.

RCBI is part of the West Virginia Maker Network, a group that supports “making” in West Virginia. A project of the West Virginia Education Alliance and the Children’s Museum of Pittsburgh, the network was launched with financial support from the Claude Worthington Benedum Foundation and Chevron.

RCBI is located at 1050 Fourth Ave. in downtown Huntington. RSVP for the open house by calling 304-781-1625 or e-mailing frontdesk@rcbi.org.

Reminder: Continuing Education offers chance to ‘Create Your Summer’



Marshall University’s newly created Center for Continuing Education will be offering classes this summer on both the Huntington and South Charleston campuses. In addition, culinary classes and camps will be held at Huntington’s Kitchen in downtown Huntington.

With the theme, “Create Your Summer,” the courses cover a wide range of topics aimed at ages 8 to adult. The courses begin in mid-June.

“Each class is designed to enhance our community by providing job skills, developing new talents, or exploring new hobbies,” said Erika Riley, Marshall’s interim director of continuing education. “These are quality short-term, noncredit courses, and the low cost and convenience make learning obtainable for everyone.”

With the increased emphasis on healthy eating and creative food combinations, three culinary classes and two optional dates for each, focusing on young people are being offered:

- Culinary camp for ages 8-10 will feature three days spent with a professional chef, who will reveal secrets to making snacks, main dishes and desserts. Graduates will earn a certificate and a special gift.
- Culinary workshop, for ages 11-13, is a semi-advanced class which entails challenging recipes that cover appetizers, entrees and desserts.
- Teen culinary school, ages 14-17, will offer advanced culinary training on knife skills, butchery and expanded cooking applications. Students will work toward designing their own menus.

Other classes include an archeology field school in which high school age students can participate in an actual dig with a focus on local prehistoric Native Americans who lived in this region. They will receive instruction in surveying, excavation and recording.

Young athletes ages 8-12 can receive specialized instruction and skill development in the football technique camp aimed at quarterbacks, running backs and wide receivers with USA-certified coaches.

Adults can enroll in an array of courses, including a creative writing class taught by local award-winning author, Eliot Parker, who will teach the principles and techniques of creative writing. Among the other topics for adults are a variety of computer and social media classes, knitting, calligraphy, wreath making and an introduction to Japanese culture.

The Marshall University Continuing Education Center is looking to expand and develop new special interest courses, Riley said.

“We’re always looking for elementary through postsecondary teachers, graduate students and those who have hobbies who want to share their talents to help our community discover new interests,” she added.

Anyone interested in teaching a class should e-mail cce@marshall.edu.

For a complete course listing with times and costs, and to register go to www.marshall.edu/ce.

Plans underway for the Pullman Square Thursday Night Concert Series, DAWG Dazzle



Marshall’s Office of University Communications is once again sponsoring the university’s presence at the Pullman Square Thursday Night Concert Series and DAWG Dazzle (Huntington’s Independence Day event at Harris Riverfront Park) this summer. This includes a booth space at all of the events, which will occur during the period June 2 to Aug. 25.

Over the past two summers, participating departments have found these events to have been a great way to meet and speak to nontraditional students and families, as well as some of Marshall’s area alumni and other community members.

While University Communications covers the cost of the booth space, we need assistance from our brand ambassadors across campus to staff the booth throughout the summer. Please use the

form at [this link](#) to sign up for any dates your college or department is interested in assisting with. If you are planning to participate, we do ask that you assist with giveaway items for that particular night. Please indicate which event(s) you plan to provide the giveaway items for and which department you are representing.

Event details

University Communications will provide the tent and tablecloth each week, as well as the general recruitment materials and contact information cards. These items can be picked up from our office on Thursday afternoon and returned to us the following day. Please contact Rhonda Mullins by e-mail at mullinsr@marshall.edu or by phone at extension 6-3958 to make arrangements to pick up the items. A table and two chairs will be provided by the radio station. You should also plan to bring your own departmental materials with you. If you have materials you would like us to send each week, please send them to Rhonda Mullins no later than June 1.

Pullman Concert Series

Pullman Square (booth is located across from the Pottery Place)

Thursday nights, June 2 through August 25 (except June 30)

7-10 p.m. (Booth needs to be set up by 6 p.m. and must stay up until at least 9 p.m.)

Expected attendance: 1,500-2,000

We need at least two people for each event.

DAWG Dazzle

Friday, July 1

Harris Riverfront Park

Gates open at 5 p.m.

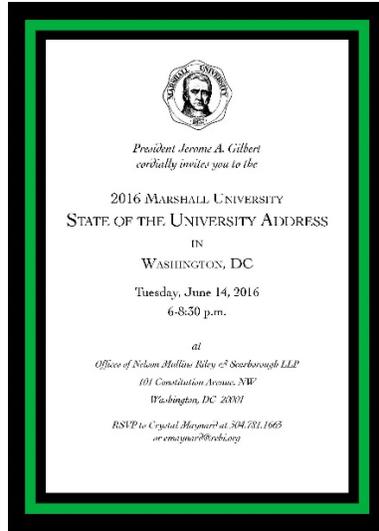
Entertainment starts at 6 p.m.

Fireworks start at 10 p.m.

Expected attendance: 10,000

This event has been divided into two different shifts. We should plan to have at least three people for each shift. University Communications will provide red, white and blue beads to be given out throughout this event.

For additional information please contact Mullins by e-mail at mullinsr@marshall.edu or by phone at 304-696-3958.



Marshall Men's Soccer to host series of camps this summer



“Marshall University men’s soccer is excited for its summer camp season to continue,” said Men’s Assistant Coach Thomas Olivier. “We will hold three different camps this year to offer young players different options.”

The Marshall Soccer School is under the direction of Head Coach Bob Gray and Olivier, and will also include other Marshall Soccer staff members. All camps will be held at Marshall’s state-of-the-art Veterans Memorial Soccer Complex, located just on the edge of the Huntington campus.

Elite ID Camp Information

This camp is designed for any and all high school players to understand what it takes to be a Division 1 college soccer player. Campers will stay in the same dorms, dine in the same cafeteria, and train at the same facilities as our own Herd players during the year and go through four typical college-level training sessions. All campers will receive a “Marshall Soccer” camp t-shirt. This is a weekend format camp that will run July 23-24. Cost is \$250.00 per player or \$150.00 for commuters.

Goalkeeper/Striker Camp Information

Spend just a day and a half and have the most fun soccer experience you can get! With five sessions, goalkeepers and strikers will be trained and put into functional exercises and games to maximize the best part of soccer: shooting, scoring and saving! Goalkeeper coaches from both

programs will train all goalkeepers, and program assistant coaches will work with the strikers on both days. All campers will receive a "Marshall Soccer" camp t-shirt. This is a weekend format camp that will run July 30-31. Cost is \$150.00 per player.

Day Camp Information

Groups will be determined by age and ability in order to create the best environment for learning, development, and fun! No experience necessary; these camps are open to any and all players between the ages of 5 and 13. All levels of ability are welcome! All campers will receive a "Marshall Soccer" camp t-shirt. We have spots open for all age groups. Camp will run Monday through Thursday from 9 to 11 a.m. the week of July 25. Cost is \$100.00 per player.

Please contact Coach Thomas in the Men's Soccer office by phone at 304-696-2434 or by e-mail at olivier@marshall.edu for more information, or click here to register and pay online: <http://www.herdzone.com/sports/m-soccer/spec-rel/soccer-camps.html>.

Women of Marshall awards reception honors students, faculty and staff

The Women's Center and Women's Studies program presented the Women of Marshall Awards at a reception last week in Drinko Library.

Leah Tolliver, director of the Women's Center, said the ceremony is for women and men who are at the forefront of affecting women's issues.

"We really want to be able to honor and give recognition to the women and men in our community who are working toward gender equity, multiculturalism, and looking at the perspective of women's issues and how to best address these programs in our communities," Tolliver said.

"I think it's important that we recognize the people who are addressing them from a proactive standpoint rather than all these reactive standpoints."

Tolliver said the awards program was initially developed in 1996, but took a hiatus and returned 5 years ago.

2016 Women of Marshall Award honorees



Dr. Jane Hill, Professor and English Department Chair

Hill has previously taught at Clemson University (where she received bachelor's and master's degrees in English), the University of Illinois (from which she received her doctoral degree in English, specializing in the American novel), the University of Georgia, Kennesaw State University and the University of West Georgia, where she served as chair of her department from 2003 to 2008. In July 2009 she came to Marshall as chair of the English department. She also worked as senior editor in small trade publishing houses from 1986 to 1990.



Dr. Paige Muellerleile, Associate Professor of Psychology

Muellerleile received a bachelor's degree in psychology from Arizona State University, and master's and doctoral degrees in social psychology from Syracuse University. She previously taught in the University of Wisconsin System.



Kim White, Director of Military and Veterans Affairs

A Navy veteran, White received a teaching credential in secondary education from Humboldt State University in northern California and earned a master's degree in social work from the University of Kansas. She is a doctoral student in curriculum and instruction at Marshall.



Kara Callison, Graduate Student

Callison received a bachelor's degree in psychology from Marshall and now studies in Marshall's graduate college. She is a graduate assistant in the Service Learning program. As an undergraduate student, she was actively involved in the University Chorus.



Isabelle Rogner, Undergraduate Student

Rogner is a senior double majoring in International Business and German, with a minor in Political Science, from Lewisburg. Most recently, she served as vice president of the Student Government Association. During her time at Marshall, she has been on the Track and Field Team and a member of Student Support Services.

The following students graduating with a minor in Women's Studies also were honored at the ceremony: Regan Martinez, Samantha Harvey, Jonathan Nance, Emily Bowen and LeeAnna Wiles.

Photos: Leah Tolliver, director of Marshall's Women's Center, presented Women of Marshall Awards to five women Thursday, May 5.

School of Medicine hosts 18th Annual Golf Classic



The Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine hosted its 18th Annual Golf Classic, presented by BrickStreet Insurance and Natural Resource Partners, Tuesday, May 3, at Sugarwood Golf Club in Lavalette.

More than 100 players gathered that morning for the golf scramble. This year's winning foursome was Joe Browning, Adrian Garmestani (School of Medicine, Class of 2001), Ben McGinnis and Chris Tolliver. The longest drives went to Bruce Dean on #1 and Boston Miller (Class of 2016) on

#11, while Jesse Fredeen (Class of 2016) was closest to the pin (#12 second shot) and Dennis Cole (Class of 2016) had the longest putt on #18. Ryan Keaton won the putting contest. Following the scramble, players gathered for an awards presentation and lunch provided by HoneyBaked Ham.

The event was generously co-sponsored by BrickStreet Insurance and Natural Resource Partners LP (co-title sponsors); Cabell Huntington Hospital, Dinsmore & Shohl LLP, The Health Plan, Holzer Health System, Marshall University Athletics, Maxor National Pharmacy Services, McKesson, Ohio Valley Physicians—Dr. Bob Hess (Class of 1984), Dr. Julia Pasquale (Class of 2003), Retina Consultants PLLC, River Park Hospital, and Kevin Wall, Tammy Wall, Brittany Wall (Class of 2016) & Jim Wells (green sponsors); Dr. David A. and Mrs. Sharon N. Denning, Marshall University Research Corporation and James H. Young for Judge (white sponsors); and Farrell White & Legg PLLC, HealthNet Aeromedical Services, Inc., HQ Publishing, Lee Graphics, Inc., Northwestern Mutual and Thornburg Insurance Agency (putting sponsors). Additional thanks go to Blenko Glass Company, Eagle Distributing and Family Medicine Foundation of West Virginia.

Proceeds from the golf classic went to support graduation week activities and helped the Class of 2016 achieve its goal of establishing an endowed scholarship before graduation.

“We are honored to be among the handful of graduating classes that have graduated with their class scholarships fully endowed,” said Matthew Snyder, fourth-year medical student and president of the Class of 2016. “The scholarships we received were so beneficial in helping reduce our student debt, so it is a priority for our class to give back.”

In addition to the golf tournament, the class conducted various fundraisers throughout their four years in medical school to help raise the \$15,000 needed to endow a scholarship. For more information, please contact Linda Holmes, director of development & alumni affairs, at 304-691-1711 or holmes@marshall.edu.

Photo: The winning foursome from the 18th Annual Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine Golf Classic included Joe Browning, Adrian Garmestani (Class of 2001), Ben McGinnis and Chris Tolliver. Proceeds from the tournament, held May 3 at Sugarwood Golf Club, raised funds to support graduation week activities and student scholarships.

Four Lewis College of Business faculty honored

Four faculty members from the Lewis College of Business at Marshall University have been honored by the college’s Faculty Awards Committee for their research, teaching and service, according to Glen Midkiff, director of stakeholder engagement.

Recipients of the awards receive a framed certificate and a monetary award in recognition of their achievements.

“We are excited to be able to recognize and honor the outstanding professors we have at Marshall University’s Lewis College of Business,” said LCOB Dean Dr. Haiyang Chen.

The winners are:

- Dr. Ralph Edward McKinney Jr., assistant professor of management, the 2016 Robert P. Alexander Award of Research Excellence
- Dr. Rishav Bista, assistant professor of economics, the 2016 Robert P. Alexander Award of Research Excellence
- Robert R. Simpson Jr., instructor of accounting, the 2016 Robert Bruce Hayes Award in Teaching Excellence
- Dr. Bennie Eng, assistant professor of marketing, the Robert Bruce Hayes Award in Service Excellence

Each year, the Research Award is presented to a faculty member(s) who demonstrates and achieves scholarly work as recognized by his or her peers.

The Teaching Excellence Award recognizes overall excellence in teaching by a business faculty member. Excellence in teaching is demonstrated by pedagogy that engages students in the learning process, creates an environment that stimulates intellectual curiosity and facilitates acquisition of knowledge.

The Service Award is presented to the individual who best exhibits outstanding service to the Lewis College of Business and Marshall University.



Photos: From left, Dr. Ralph Edward McKinney Jr., Dr. Rishav Bista, Robert Simpson and Dr. Bennie Eng have been honored by the Lewis College of Business.

Faculty Achievement: Dr. Slav Gratchev

Dr. Slav N. Gratchev, assistant professor of Spanish, will have the article “Bakhtin in His Own Voice: The Annotated Translation” in *College Literature: A Journal of Critical Literary Studies*, one of the most prestigious journals in the field of literary criticism (published by John Hopkins University Press). The journal comes out at the end of May.

According to Gratchev, “This annotated phono-document provides a look into the ‘informal’ part of Mikhail Bakhtin’s literary thinking. Bakhtin’s characterizations of the most prominent literary figures of the beginning of the twentieth century help us to place them in the context of a harsh Soviet reality and, most importantly, re-accentuate their well-known literary works. The detailed commentary permits the western reader better to refer to and understand the people and historical events that played a crucial role in the development of the Russian literary movements of the beginning of the last century.”

Huntington High School student receives Kopp Memorial Huntington Rotary Club Scholarship



Christian Joel Paredes, a senior at Huntington High School, is the recipient of the President Stephen J. Kopp Memorial Huntington Rotary Club Scholarship.

The scholarship award, which begins in the 2016-17 school year, is for \$5,000, with \$1,250 provided each year for up to eight total semesters.

Paredes has been a volunteer for Big Brothers Big Sisters, Special Olympics, American Red Cross, Guyandotte Civil War Days, National Honor Society and JROTC.

Rotary President Jeff Faucette said the club has a long history of supporting Marshall University “by providing scholarships and providing oversight to the university’s Rotaract club, the college version of Rotary.”

Photo: Pictured from left are Dr. Chong Kim, Dan Smirl, Gilbert Ratcliff, Ted Kluemper, Christine Anderson, Yanet Paredes, Christian Paredes, Jaime Paredes, John Anderson and Steven Paredes.

Marshall student receives Fulbright summer scholarship to study in Wales

Hunter Barclay, a freshman at Marshall University, has received a place on a Fulbright Summer Institute to study at Cardiff University, Bangor University, and Aberystwyth University in Wales in one of the most prestigious and selective summer scholarship programs operating worldwide.

Barclay’s six-week summer program will allow him to study at the three different universities during that time, where he’ll learn about Welsh culture, history and more. He said he is particularly interested in studying in Wales because of his desire to see how Welsh citizens have adapted to deindustrialization and responded to the emergence of sustainable energy sources.

“For my first time traveling out of the country, I’m excited to go to Wales and learn about the United Kingdom’s culture and economy. I’m thrilled to be the first student from Marshall

University to receive this honor and to bring back lessons from Wales to West Virginia and my hometown of Frostburg, Maryland,” Barclay said. “I’m grateful to Marshall University and the Society of Yeager Scholars for giving me the tools to be a competitive applicant and to the Office of National Scholarships for introducing me to this opportunity.”

The U.S.-U.K. Fulbright Commission is the only bilateral, transatlantic scholarship program, offering awards and summer programs for study or research in any field, at any accredited U.S. or U.K. university. The commission is part of the Fulbright program conceived by Sen. J William Fulbright in the aftermath of World War II to promote leadership, learning and empathy between nations through educational exchange.

The commission selects participants through a rigorous application and interview process. In making these awards the commission looks not only for academic excellence but a focused application, a range of extracurricular and community activities, demonstrated ambassadorial skills, a desire to further the Fulbright Programme and a plan to give back to the recipient’s home country upon returning.

Fulbright Summer Institutes cover all participant costs. In addition, Fulbright summer participants receive a distinctive support and cultural education program including visa processing, a comprehensive pre-departure orientation, enrichment opportunities in country, a re-entry session and opportunity to join Fulbright alumni networks.

For additional information, contact Mallory Carpenter, program manager of national scholarships at Marshall University, by phone at 304-541-8142, or by e-mail at mallory.carpenter@marshall.edu.

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