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The Art and Science of Beautiful Music

Stephen Pemberton '89
B.S. Electrical Engineering Technology
Engineer at IIT in Rome, NY
Entrepreneur

After a discussion with Steve the words that come to mind are inventive and entrepreneur. Since childhood Steve has been able to develop and combine interests and talents in a unique manner that provides him both personal and financial satisfaction.
Steve has always had a talent for things musical and electrical. Steve's father and brother were both accomplished guitarists, and quite naturally, Steve began playing the instrument at the age of 10. While not playing his guitar, Steve was likely to be found talking something apart and, more importantly, putting it back together!!
Steve described the day he decided to take up guitar. "While watching TV I suddenly decided to ask my dad for a "real" guitar. The next thing I knew I was on my way to the music store, having just begun improving some of my brother's and dad's feet not touching the ground." And so began a life-long fascination with music. It was only a matter of time before Steve was re-building his own electric guitars.
Steve was intrigued by the music of Les Paul. His unique sound achieved by a multi-track play-back device fitted to an electric guitar. Les's secret technology was an industry mystery sought after by industry giants like Gibson and Fender. The guitar industry never has completely copied the engineering of the "Les Paul" whichproduced the unique Les Paul sound. However, Steve, while still in high school, via trial and error, was able to figure out the technology. As Steve relates the story, "I Get Les a few times. On a trip to New York City to see Les play, I finally thought that I had duplicated his technology. I explained what I had done to my guitar to recreate the Les Paul sound. Les just smiled with a glint in his eye and said, "you're on the kid" motion and walked away. I had figured it out."

From the Director's Desk...

Amy D. Gash
Director for Alumni Affairs

This has certainly been an exciting six months. I feel as if I have been in a whirlwind since that day in April when I met the alumni board. Looking back, we have accomplished a great deal. The alumni association is growing stronger, gaining new members every day. We are planning travel programs, regional events and more special opportunities for alumni association members.
The Alumnigram

In an effort to better serve you, I have included in this and every newsletter to follow the Alumnigram. Please use the form to jot notes for the alumni newsletter about anything you wish to share: a marriage, job birth, personal note, or an award. I also encourage you to contact me anytime you have questions about what is going on at the college.
The service

The service committee is forming to provide projects and programming to benefit the college and alumni. Currently underway is planning for another alumni admissions reception in the mid-Hudson Valley region. If you are interested in helping in the Hudson Valley area, or setting up a reception in your area, contact Sue Newland at 914/831-5639 for the alumni reception or I will forward the information to her.

Donovan Family Donates $25,000 to James H. Donovan Fund

Undergraduate students at SUNY Tech will benefit annually because of the generosity of the James H. Donovan family. They pledged an additional $25,000 to the James H. Donovan Scholarship Fund in memory of the senator's 25-year tenure in the State Legislature and in honor of the college's 25th anniversary. Jerome Donovan announced the gift on the occasion of the dedication last May of the former Arts, Science and Technology Building in his name. Thanks to this gift, the Donovan endowed remains the largest single scholarship fund administered by the Institute of Technology Foundation and will continue to raise $7,000 to $7,000 annually to support four to seven $1,000 scholarships for SUNY Tech students from Herkimer, Leesville for Clinton County.

Foundation chairman, and Utica attorney, E. Porter Felt said, "This is fitting recognition for a man who devoted so much of his life to education in general and to the Institute of Technology, in particular. Donovan has been generally acknowledged as a prime mover, along with President Emeritus William R. Kunela, in achieving the construc-
Beginning With a Brick... 25 Years of Growth

by Elizabeth Latus

A dream that faded in and out of sight, a success story beyond expectations, now 25 years have passed since its inception. The State University Institute of Technology at Utica/Rome, was the brainchild of Dr. Michael Brick, an education professor at Columbia University. In 1965 Brick conducted a study which showed a lack of higher education degrees for the citizens of the Utica/Rome area. The Brick Plan was to establish an upper division college in this area. The SUNY Board of Trustees approved the plan and the wheels were set into motion.

In 1965, Americans were welcoming Lyndon Baines Johnson to the White House. We were watching a young Mohammad Ali become the heavyweight boxing champion. Black Nationalist Malcolm X was slain. Most young Americans were rallying against the Vietnam War and singing along with the Beatles.

In 1969, the college opened its doors in the West Frankfort Elementary School, with an enrollment of 58 students. The first classes offered were graduate-level education courses for teachers. In 1973, President William Kunsela was hired and the college was authorized to grant degrees. As the college grew, plans to build a new campus were developing.

Classes by that time were being held at the Old Glove Mill in Utica. By 1974, the layout for the Marcy campus was ready. Many things were going on at this time. There was a great deal of racial hostility in the country, the Watergate hearings were underway, and people were flocking to the theater to see “The Godfather II.” The cost of a postage stamp jumped from 10 to 13 cents.

By 1979, the college was graduating a class of 650. That same year the “Wildcats” were born. Intercollegiate sports for the college at that time consisted of both men’s and women’s basketball teams and a women’s softball team. Ground was finally broken on the Marcy Campus on October 3, 1981. Also that year a local high school basketball coach, Jim Klein, became the head coach for the men’s basketball team. In May 1981 the graduating class exceeded 700.

After nine years of service with the college President Kunsela retired in 1981. Named as his successor was Peter J. Cayan. The growth of the college continued with the development of sports programs and other organizations. The Student Activities Council was formed in 1983, planning events such as concerts, plays, dances and other programming for the ever-expanding student body.

By 1985, the move was on to the Marcy campus with Governor Mario Cuomo laying the cornerstone for the first building. Ronald Reagan was in his second term as President, and the age of MTV was upon us. The college continued to prosper, offering what Michael Brick had intended, a chance for higher education for the people of this area.

By 1990, new sports fields were built, and the sports program was granted NCAA Division III membership, allowing them eligibility for postseason tournaments. Going through some name changes over the years, it has now become the Institute of Technology, an obvious sign of its increasing presence in the SUNY system.

From Vietnam to Desert Storm, 25 years and many changes have occurred and the college continues to prosper. This fall residence halls open for students. When we look back on all that has occurred, we can only smile, and the prospects for the future loom even brighter on the horizon.

A QUARTER OF A CENTURY

As we celebrate our 25th anniversary, we gaze around campus and marvel at the progress made since 1966.

Yet, there is still an important part of campus left unfinished...the clock tower. The carillon (the clock chimes) bought by the Class of 1984 is still in its “temporary” location atop Kunsela Hall waiting for the clock tower addition to the Alumni Plaza created by the class gift of ’85.

The construction of the clock tower to house the carillon continues to be a long-range goal of the college. To commemorate the anniversary, and aid the clock tower project, we are making available these attractive, custom-made pins, tie tacks, and charms. Each piece is a miniature gold or silver model of the clock tower.

As envisioned by alumni in the Classes of ’84 and ’85, the clock tower and chime will become the focal point and signature building of campus.

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SUNY Tech Sociology/Anthropology News of Note

Increasingly, social service agencies are employing, graduates of the SUNY Institute of Technology programs in sociology and anthropology. Several recent changes in the programs have further enhanced the social service connection more solid.

One important change is the addition of sociologist Linda Weber to the staff. Linda, a Ph.D. in sociology from North Texas State and solid research experience in a variety of social issues, including national level work at the Boys and Girls Clubs and the Association for Retarded Citizens. In addition to her work in clinical sociology, Linda has taught at Louisiana State and Glassboro State in New Jersey.

Several recent curriculum changes enhance the focus on social service. A few years back, we added several courses in criminology to complement our core courses in theory and work. This year, we add courses in social policy and social welfare. Just as important as the new courses are students returning to the program. These make it easier for sociology/anthropology majors to concentrate on their area of interest and ensure their access to advanced courses.

Sociologist Bill Jack Harrell, who has spent the last two years as Dean of Arts and Sciences at SUNY Tech, is returning to the staff of the program. Bill is chairing the program committee of the New York Sociological Association this fall. Sociologist Alphonse Sall and anthropologist David Hakken will also be back full time for the fall. For the last two years, Alphonse has been developing the Center for Drug Prevention at SUNY Tech, a major drug addiction prevention program for the Federal Fund for the Improvement of Post Secondary Education.

David has also been busy on a number of projects for SUNY Tech's Technology Policy Center, including a needs assessment for local United Way public agencies and community foundations; development of an assistive technology for people with disabilities funded by the New York State Science and Technology Foundation; and attending conferences on disability technology policy and new horizons in rehabilitation equipment sponsored by the U.S. National Science Foundation and the Rome Developmental Disabilities Service Office, respectively.

Our thanks to Chris Riley and Joe deFrancisco for filling in for Bill, Alphonse, and David. Joe will continue to teach at SUNY Tech.

In short, we have assembled the ingredients for an outstanding undergraduate program relevant to careers in social service. During the coming year, we will develop a formal advisory committee and an assertive recruitment program. SUNY alumnae and alumnus can make a substantial contribution to these developments by referring prospective students to us and helping us raise awareness of the program at work and in their communities. For further information, you can contact Dr. David Hakken, 315/789-7437, Technology Policy Center, SUNY Institute of Technology, PO Box 8050, Utica, NY 13504.

Dr. Roy J. DeCarvalho, Excellent Example of College's Dedicated Faculty

DeCarvalho received an Excellent Example of College's Dedicated Faculty. Dr. McGann Dresherour Achievement Action Leave Award, allowed him this research leave. Dr. DeCarvalho's research has been well received abroad. Particularly, the Eastern European democracies and scholars in the U.S.S.R. have shown interest in his ideas and work. In the U.S. he has been recognized in the Newsletter of the Association for Humanistic Psychology.

With an average of 110 students per semester, Dr. DeCarvalho carries the heaviest teaching load at the institute. He is also busy advising the Latin American Student Association and working toward greater cultural diversification at the college. Along with all his research and heavy class load, Dr. DeCarvalho speaks three languages, and enjoys such activities as karate, windsurfing and sailing. He lives in Utica with his wife Celizia.

Look Back, Librarian: Remembering 25 Years at SUNY Tech

Dear Alumni:

I make an unusual contribution, not because I'm retiring (I am, effective August 28, 1991, after 22 continuous years as Library Director). As the first appointed member of the Institute, I am particularly privileged to share some of the happenings of these 22 years.

I remember... the first day? August 28, 1969. The staff consisted of myself and my long-time secretary, Mary Zenetzides, a four room facility in the West Franklin Elementary School, east of Utica, and 30 boxes of library books in an empty room. The curriculum consisted of 15 evening courses offered through the SUNY Cortland graduate teacher education program. Our college was Upper Division College and we were busy operating the fledgling library, selling text books, scheduling classrooms, acting as admissions and bursar, payroll expediter, staff registration, drop-add clerk, and managing waiting lists. Remember... the Marcy campus purchase in November 1969. Our present 853 acre site was selected, thus ending fierce competition by various local groups. It only took 17 years to move into our present academic facilities.

Remember... moving, The college moved into the ground floor at 811 Court Street (remember Temp 17) in May 1971, for a brief sojourn. The library was to undergo four more expansions/moves before finding its present Kunsela Hall home in 1986.

Remember... name changes. First we were Upper Division College; then we metamorphized to SUNY College at Utica/Rome; then came SUNY College of Technology at Utica/Rome. Now we are SUNY Institute of Technology at Utica/Rome.

Remember... the first financial crisis. 1972 found the State budget recommending elimination of the Upper Division College. After several uncertain months, the Legislature reinstated our small open enrollment budget as a Supplementary Budget item.

Remember... Bill Kunsela, our tough talking, determined, stubborn, dynamic president who, beginning with appointment in 1973, set the building and academic program agenda. The next eight years saw many financial and political setbacks to his dedicated objectives, but he maintained the resolve to fight to deliver the kind of college he foresaw as appropriate for us. Bill and the late Senator Jim Donovan, more than any other individuals, protected and led the college through trying times.

I remember... our first full-time faculty. Numbering seven, (appointed in 1973). Four - Cory Cipriani, Ray Jesaitis, Mike Hochberg, and Al Maria are still with us. I remember... the class of 1975. An act of faith and a mutually stimulating learning experience. I remember... building plans, 1974. Heady excitement as architectural plans finalized for our Marcy campus. The first building (Kunsela Hall) was to be an all-purpose building, but ultimately the library in an ambitious academic plan.

I remember the alternate campus plans. There was the downtown Utica campus, based on the former Boston Store (the library actually purchased the shelving for the Boston Store), the Varick Street corridor campus, purchase of Utica College, the Oneida County Airport, co-location with Utica College (I have a fat folder of personnel and staff plans on this), Utica Psychiatric Center, and lastly (I think) co-location with Mohawk Valley Community College. The last proposal was so unacceptable locally that then-Governor Carey was promptly to return to the original Marcy campus as the only viable site.

I remember... ground breaking. November 1981 was marked by ceremonies and confidence.

I remember... Marcy Campus occupation, when phase one relocation moved our library into its present location in 1986.

I remember... the library's first on-line catalog, 1988.

I remember... the new library resource sharing Consortium developed between the State Colleges at Utica, Oneonta, Utica/Rome, 1990.

And, of course, there are the many students, faculty, and staff to remember - all of us participating in our uniquely special college. I'm retiring, but look forward to a long, continuing attachment with the activities and people at the Institute.

Brian Keeney
Who's New at the Institute of Technology

We are pleased to welcome and announce the addition of several new members to our college community.

New Dean of Arts and Sciences
Michael Spitzer

Dean Spitzer joins us from his former position as Dean of the School of Humanities at New York University. He is a graduate of Brooklyn College, receiving his master's and doctorate from New York University.

New Faculty
Gregory Mendell

Dr. Mendell will be teaching mathematics sections. He joins us from Montana State University where he has completed his doctorate in physics.

Daniel Murphy

Dan Murphy is our newest assistant professor of communications in the School of Arts and Sciences. His previous position was as the director of writing assessment at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.

Edmund Rusjan

Dr. Rusjan joins the arts and sciences faculty as an assistant professor of mathematics. He holds both his master's degree and doctorate from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University in Blacksburg, VA. Before coming to SUNY Tech he was employed by the Bartol Research Institute of the University of Delaware.

Steven Schneider

From Wellesley College, Dr. Steven Schneider will be teaching political science classes this fall. His courses will cover such topics as political science, including a B.A. in Economics at George Washington, M.A. from the University of Pennsylvania, and Ph.D. from M.I.T.

Linda Weber

Dr. Weber is joining the sociology department as an assistant professor. She joins SUNY Tech's faculty from her previous position as an assistant professor at Glassboro State College. She holds a B.S. from Syracuse, and an M.S. and Ph.D. from the University of North Texas.

Rafael Romero

Dr. Romero will be teaching business courses as our newest assistant professor of the business faculty. He is originally from Costa Rica, and holds a B.S. from the University of Costa Rica, both an M.A. and M.S., as well as a Ph.D. from West Virginia University.

Louis Mazzucco

Dr. Mazzucco will begin teaching computer science classes this fall. He holds the rank of assistant professor in the CS department. He holds degrees from University of Connecticut and University of New Haven.

Student Affairs
John Borner

John will be our first Director of Residential Life. He previously worked in Housing at SUNY Geneseo. He has a B.S.in management science from Geneseo, and an M.S. from SUNY Buffalo.

Christine Johnson

Our first Residence Hall Director will be Christine Johnson. She has a B.A. in political science from the University of Tampa and an M.A. in college student personnel from Bowling Green University.

Rostropovich To Receive Honorary Degree at College's First Convocation

On Sunday, October 6, 1991, the Institute of Technology at Utica/Rome will continue its 25th Anniversary celebration with its first Academic Convocation. This celebration of the never-ending pursuit of knowledge, will be further enhanced by conferring the honorary degree of Doctor of Human Letters (L.H.D.) on Maestro Mstislav Rostropovich.

A solo cellist without peer, Mstislav Rostropovich is music director and conductor of the National Symphony Orchestra, Washington, D.C. As a true citizen of the world, Rostropovich has transcended musical genius to become a leader in the struggle for human rights.

The telecommunications program is continuing to flourish as it enters its sixth year of existence. To date, over 150 students have graduated from the B.S. degree program. Of these grads, almost 92% are working in the telecom field - not too shabby.

The program has three full-time faculty, Patrick Fitzgerald, Paul Lohnes, and Eugene Newman. We are also in the process of reciprocating on an agreement for a faculty exchange program that was forged with France Telecom Institute in 1989. We are expecting to have the privilege of welcoming a colleague from FTI to SUNY Tech for the spring 1992 semester.

The telecom department has developed two labs dedicated solely to telecommunications, and has joined the computer science department to create a third lab devoted to networking and distributed processing. This "high powered" computer lab comprises a dozen SUNY SparcStations and two SUN file servers that feature some very powerful software programs used by our students.

One of these software programs, ALLINK, has been provided by NYNEX as part of a unique arrangement in which the college will develop some specialized application programs (e.g., Message Handlers) that will interface with the ALLINK Network Operations Coordinator. In return for this, NYNEX has made SUNY Tech a "strategic partner" in an effort to make ALLINK even more of a success in the integrated network management arena. We are currently the only educational institution in the country that has this extremely powerful program as a "teaching tool."

The distributed processing lab (DPL) is also home to a network design simulation package called "BONES." This "new generation" of event-driven simulation packages is distributed by CompuSim, Inc.

Our other two telecom labs have been fortunate with the continued support of a number of leading companies, including IBM, Kodak, New York Tel, Racal-Milgo, IBM, and Rolm. In just a few years we have succeeded in attracting over $2 million worth of equipment.

The college has also networked our two telecom labs together via a fiber optic link. Northern Telecom has not only donated a "full blown" digital C.G. (DMS-10), but they also provided us with their current flagship PBX, a Meridian 1 Communications System-Opt. 21A. This system is networked to the other switching equipment housed in our labs.

Another noteworthy facet of the telecom program is the national prominence that our program has attained. This past June, two of our most recent telecom graduates, Keiko Tanaka and Richard Nicholas, were honored at the International Communications Association (ICA) Annual Conference, held in Anaheim, CA. As finalists in the undergraduate student paper competition, both Richard and Keiko were invited to present their papers at a special ICA forum. If any of you have also received special awards or been recognized by your organization for "above and beyond the call of duty," we would like to hear about it.

Two Institutions of Technology students were honored as finalists in the undergraduate paper competition of the International Communications Association (ICA) Annual Conference held in Anaheim, CA. Taking part in the awards ceremony were (left to right) Mary Hill and Mark Manalo from ICA; Don Ward, another student finalist; and a student at Texas A & M, and Keiko Tanaka and Richard Nicholas of SUNY Tech.

soon you will have the opportunity to share your professional expertise with other SUNY Tech telecom alumni and aspiring grads via the "magic" of telecommunications. We will be inaugurating an electronic bulletin board sometime this fall semester that will be open to all SUNY SUNY Tech alumni and grads. This system will enable you to keep in contact with your fellow grads and also allow us to keep the "SUNY Spirit" going strong. We will be sending you a notice when this system is ready to go"online."

We will also be making various electronic newsletters available to those who wish to keep abreast of current developments in the field. This should help ease the common ailment suffered by many of our grads referred to as "handout withdrawal."

Finally, we are interested in having any interested telecom grads participate in a new concept, called "TeleLunch." We will invite various alumni to participate in an audio-conference that will allow students to ask questions about jobs, professional opinions, etc. Please contact us if you are willing to participate.
SUNY Tech Student Affairs Update

by Dr. Davud Keyner
Dean of Students

It was spring. The sun shone down on the campus. The leaves had turned green at last. But something still seemed missing. Then it struck me. It was spring but no students lay out on the grass. No sunbathing, no towels and blankets on the lawn, no Frisbee or softball.

All that changes this fall when four hundred students arrive to take up residence on campus. The campus will become their home not just the place where they take their classes. In future years students can choose between living on-campus or off-campus. On-campus students have the benefit of college services at their fingertips. They can access the college's computers from their rooms, walk to the library or class or lab, or to the racquetball courts or swimming pool in a matter of minutes.

I had come from a small residential college, where I knew from experience the difference that residence halls can make to "campus life." Student organizations are more active. Your apartmentmates become your lifelong friends. Students expect more in the line of service—around the clock service. The campus doesn't fall into a coma on weekends. Life will never be the same at the Institute now that we have residence halls. It'll be better, more exciting and challenging. We've waited for this to happen for a long time. Now that the halls are here, let's enjoy them!

Minority Affairs Committee Reports Positive Steps

In October 1990, President Cayan constituted the Ad Hoc Committee on Minority Affairs, with membership from all parts of the campus. Dr. Bill Harrell, Dean of Arts and Sciences, and Dr. David Keyner, Dean of Students, served as its co-chairs. The committee was charged with:

- Determining how best to recruit, retain and serve minority faculty, staff, and students; establishing and nurturing a culturally diverse community of learners, scholars and professionals;
- Recommending to the President a permanent structure to oversee these activities;
- Reviewing activities and services that influence recruitment and retention of minority faculty, staff, and students with particular attention to the underrepresented minorities;
- Assisting the college's planning bodies in planning activities and services in the area of minority affairs.

In its end-of-year report, the committee recommended establishment of a permanent Committee on Minority Affairs. It endorsed recommendations concerning the recruitment and retention of underrepresented minority students. It emphasized the importance of continuing funding for the Colleague Science and Technology Program. The Committee stated: "(CSTEP) has had a positive effect on the recruitment and retention of underrepresented minority students. Its success would deliver a disheartening message to the very students we seek to attract to our college." (The State restored funding for CSTEP in mid-year.) The Committee cited a number of positive steps taken by the college in the area of minority affairs.

Facilities staff help new students move into the residence halls for the first time ever.

Alumni Donors

The following honor roll of donors features the names of alumni of the SUNY Institute of Technology at Utica/Rome who contributed to the college's annual Alumni Phonathon for 1990-91. With sincere appreciation, we wish to thank all of the donors listed here for their generous support.

The Alumni Phonathon held during the fall is the only way in which each and every alumus can contribute to the tradition of academic excellence at Utica/Rome. The alumni scholarships, and faculty development grants, we are able to award through the generosity of those listed below are critical to our continued success.

This roster lists all donors through June 30, 1991. If we have omitted or misspelled your name, please accept our apologies, and notify the Foundation Office so we can correct the error.

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The SUNY Tech sports program is set to move forward as its Intercollegiate Athletic Association (ICAA) sports schedule for the 1991-92 school year. Induced into the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) last September, SUNY Tech brought its athletic program on a par with the majority of the nation's Division III institutions. Next up for SUNY Tech is membership in the Colgate Athletic Conference (SUNYAC) which will intercollegiate sports schedules be listed below.

WILDCAT SOCCER
Coach: Kevin Eckid

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- Wed 9/18 at St. Vincent 3:30 p.m.
- SAT 9/21 MEDGAR EVERS 1:00 p.m.
- Wed 9/25 at Utica 3:45 p.m.
- SAT 9/28 at Geneseo 1:00 p.m.
- Sun 9/29 at St. John Fisher 1:00 p.m.
- SAT 10/5 POTSDAM 2:00 p.m.
- MON 10/7 UTICA 4:00 p.m.
- Thu 10/10 at Skidmore 4:00 p.m.
- Sat 10/12 at Roberts Wesleyan 2:00 p.m.
- SAT 10/19 GREEN MT. 2:00 p.m.
- Wed 10/23 at Hamilton 7:00 p.m.
- Thu 10/24 at New Paltz 2:00 p.m.
- SAT 11/10 MOUNT ST. MARY 1:00 p.m.
- TUE 11/12 OSWEGO 3:00 p.m.

LADY WILDCAT VOLLEYBALL
Coach: Kevin Czappa

- THU 9/11 HAMILTON 7:00 p.m.
- Sat 9/14 at Skidmore Invitational 10:00 a.m.
- SAT 9/21 RUSSELL SAGE 7:00 p.m.
- SAT 9/24 SKIDMORE 7:00 p.m.
- Fri 9/27 at SUNYAC at 5:00 p.m.
- Sat 9/28 at Geneseo 11:00 a.m.
- Wed 10/7 at Keuka 7:00 p.m.
- THU 10/8 OSWEGO 7:00 p.m.
- Sat 10/12 Wittenberg Invitational
- Fri 10/18 at SUNYAC at 6:00 p.m.
- Sat 10/19 SUNYAC 7:00 p.m.
- WED 10/23 LEMOYNE 7:00 p.m.
- Sat 10/26 at Potomac Invitational 10:00 a.m.

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY
Coach: Ralph Stump

- Sat 9/14 at Brockport Invitational 12:00 p.m.
- Sat 9/21 at Oswego Invitational 12:45 p.m.
- Sat 9/28 at St. Rose Invitational 12:00 p.m.
- Sat 10/5 at Roberts Wesleyan Invitational 11:00 a.m.
- Sat 10/12 at Geneseo Invitational 12:30 p.m.
- Sat 10/19 at SUNYAC/SUNYWOGO Invitational 10:00 a.m.

WILDCAT GOLF
Coach: David Zaleski

- Thu 9/12 at Hobart w/Naz. 1:00 p.m.
- Sat 9/14 at Cornell Invitational 10:00 a.m.
- Fri 9/17 at Skidmore Invitational 1:00 p.m.
- Thu 9/19 at Oswego Invitational 10:00 a.m.
- Mon 9/23 at LeMoyne Invitational 10:00 a.m.

THU 9/26 GREATER UTICA COLLEGE GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP 1:00 p.m.
- at ECCA Qualifiers (Colgate) TBA

MEN'S BASKETBALL
Head Coach: Jim Klein
Assistants: Mike Zwick, Jim E. Ellis

- Fri 11/22 Potsdam 6:30 & 8:30 p.m.
- Sat 11/23 Invitational 1:00 & 3:00 p.m.
- TUE 11/26 ONEONTA 8:00 p.m.
- Fri 12/6 Geneseo 6:00 & 8:00 p.m.
- Sat 12/7 Tompkins 1:00 & 3:00 p.m.
- TUE 12/10 NEW PALTZ 7:30 p.m.
- Sat 12/14 Fredonia 8:00 p.m.
- Sat 1/4 Webber College (FL) 7:30 p.m.
- Thu 1/6 OSWEGO 8:00 p.m.
- Fri 1/19 Hamilton 7:30 p.m.
- Thu 1/25 Hamilton 6:00 & 8:00 p.m.
- Sun 1/26 Invitational 1:00 & 3:00 p.m.
- Tue 1/28 Oswego 8:00 p.m.
- THU 2/10 CORTLAND 8:00 p.m.
- Sat 2/1 Nazareth 8:00 p.m.
- Sat 2/8 Skidmore 8:00 p.m.
- Sat 2/9 UTICA 2:00 p.m.
- Fri 2/14 Matt Evers 7:00 p.m.
- Sat 2/18 Monticello CC 8:00 p.m.
- Thu 2/25 HAMILTON 8:00 p.m.
- Sat 3/6 Skidmore 8:00 p.m.
- Sat 3/22 WILDCAT 6:00 & 8:00 p.m.
- SUN 3/23 CLASSIC 1:00 & 3:00 p.m.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL
Head Coaches: Kevin Zicker, Assistant: Mary Ward

- Fri 11/22 Oswego State 6:00 & 8:00 p.m.
- Sat 11/23 Tournament 1:00 & 3:00 p.m.
- Sat 12/1 Nevada 6:00 p.m.
- TUE 12/3 ST. LAWRENCE 7:00 p.m.
- Sat 12/7 Utica College 6:45 & 9:00 p.m.
- Sun 1/18 Invitational 1:30 & 3:00 p.m.
- WED 1/21 RUSSELL SAGE 7:00 p.m.
- Sat 12/14 Fredonia 6:00 p.m.
- Sat 1/4 Webber College (FL) 5:00 p.m.
- Sun 1/15 Walsh Southern 5:00 p.m.
- TUE 1/14 CORTLAND 6:00 p.m.
- Thu 1/16 OSWEGO 7:00 p.m.
- Fri 1/18 New Paltz 7:00 p.m.
- Wed 2/22 Russell Sage 7:00 p.m.
- Mon 2/27 Nassau 7:00 p.m.
- FRI 3/1 POTS DAM 7:00 p.m.
- MON 3/2 UTICA 6:00 p.m.
- Wed 3/4 SKIDMORE 7:00 p.m.
- SAT 3/7 GREEN MT. 3:00 p.m.
- SAT 3/14 OSWEGO 7:00 p.m.
- Wed 3/21 Hamilton 7:00 p.m.
- Mon 3/27 Union 7:00 p.m.
- TUE 3/31 New Rochelle 1:00 p.m.
1976

Patrick Perfetto was elected President of the Eastern Association of College Auxiliary Services on June 13, 1991. Pat previously served as vice-president and chairman of the association's Annual Conference. This organization includes membership of 500 institutions of higher education throughout the eastern United States and Canadian provinces east of Manitoba. Pat earned a master's degree in business administration from Syracuse University. He is employed as Director, Supply Group, at the University of Maryland where he directs a staff of 128 people. Pat lives in Columbia, Maryland with his wife, Carol, and two children.

1977

Marla Byrnes, a registered nurse at Hutchins Psychiatric Center, was named as the center's 200 Employee of the Year. Byrnes, who resides in Syracuse, NY, was cited for her outstanding work and dedication. Marla is a community health nurse and primary therapist for Hutchins' Extended Care Clinic.

Donald Kane was recently honored as an outstanding employee in classified service by the College of Technology at Alfred. Don joined Alfred in 1980 and was Alberton in 1989 as a campus security officer.

Stella Sroka, RN, CCRN, has been chosen as this year's recipient of the St. Joseph's Hospital Health Center Sr Patricia Ann Award in the nursing category. Stella is assistant director of nursing, critical care/scien/ency department. She holds a master's degree from Syracuse University.

Stella is also an adjunct assistant professor at SUNY Health Science Center, College of Nursing. She is a resident of Liverpool.

1978

An Alumna Achiever

Recognition of this alumna's accomplishments is long over due and deserving of revision. Audrey Tescano had the honor of being named one of the first to receive the New York State Nurses Association Profiles in Professionalism award. She was cited the award in 1988. What makes this state-wide award so special is that the nominations come only from students. As any educator or graduate trainer understands, the praiseworthy student is usually sparse and not often shared in a public forum. The fact that her students held her in such high regard to call for her nomination made this award very special to Audrey. The award recognized Audrey for her excellence in teaching, her commitment to her profession, and her caring nature that makes true "education" happen. Audrey is a nursing instructor at Fulton-Montgomery Community College.

1979

Shirley Peyton was chosen unani-
ously by her peers at Oneida City Hospital's Nurse of Distinction. Shirley, who coordinates the hospital's diabetes clinic, is one of 407 nurses statewide receiving this recognition. She joined Oneida City Hospital in 1978 as a volunteer in the diabetes clinic, which was just getting off the ground, and was hired in April of that year as a clinic staff member and has been with the program ever since. She completed her master's degree in health education from SUNY Cortland in 1986.

1980

Anne Parkhurst was promoted to assistant vice president and accounting manager at Herkimor County Trust Company. She joined the bank in 1983 as an accounting control clerk. Anne has also served as an administrative assistant and assistant treasurer. She resides in Ilion.

Melanie Marruffi is the new program director for Intermediate Care Facilities. She was formerly assistant administrator at the Charles T. Strum Home. Melanie lives in Utica with her husband, Dan, and their son.

1981

Catherine Craft received her master's degree in management science from SUNY Binghamton this past May. She received her degree by taking classes through the Griffiss Air Force Base program. She has worked at Rome Laboratory for the past 32 years.

Capt. Ronald T. Millis has graduated from the Army's Combined Arms and Service Staff School, Fort Leav-

enworth, Kansas. The school is designed to train officers in the skills needed to be effective staff members with the force in the field.

James Salany has accepted the position of Human Resources Coordinator at Utica College. He has previously worked in personnel for the Utica School District, Mohawk Valley General Hospital and nursing homes. He completed his master's degree at the Institute of Technology in 1981. Jim resides in New Hartford with his wife and two children.

Carol S. Redkfoot, of Baldwinsville, was selected as the 1991 New York State Legislature's Nurse of Distinction by the Visiting Nurse Association of Central New York, Inc. She has been a community health nurse with the association since 1981. Carol was recently appointed a nurse manager supervising 15 professional staff, and responsible for a case load of almost 400 home care clients.

1982

Carmen Paone, vice-president of residential health care facility services, Amsterdam Memorial Hospital, was recently advanced to Fellow in the American College of Health Care Admin-

istrators. This action is in recognition of professional achievement and continuous adherence to the ethical and professional standards of the college. He joined Amsterdam Hos-

pital in January 1988, and was promoted to vice-president in 1990.

Kevin Snider earned a master of sci-
ence degree in educational psychol-
ogy in December 1990 from the Col-
lege of St. Rose, Albany. He is em-
ployed as a behavioral psychologist for Residential Opportunities, Inc., Albany, as behavioral consultant to other non-profit agencies. Kevin is an adjunct instructor at Columbia-Greene Community College. He lives in Troy with his wife, Diane, and their daughter.

1983

Jane Moore is the new vice president for quality assurance at Mary Imogene Bassett Hospital. She will manage several departments and all of the hospital's quality assurance efforts. Jane lives with her husband in Oneonta.

Rev. William A. Mudge was ordained elder and received into full membership in the North Central New York York Conference of the United Methodist Church. Prior to entering the ordained ministry, he was employed by the County Highway Department and Catholic Charities. He became pastor of the Boonville United Methodist Church on July 1, 1991.

Stephen Vargulich has been pro-

moted to assistant comptroller of the Watertown Daily Times. He had been the newspaper's financial manager. Before joining the Times, he worked for Urbach, Kahn and Werline, an accounting firm, and Touche Ross & Co., an accounting firm in Rochester.

1984

Norman J. Landis had a photograph included in the Adirondack Moun-
tain Club's 1991 calendar. Used as the February picture, the photo shows a cross-country skier on a trail heavily laden with fresh snow. In January he received a state license to guide hik-

ing, camping and fishing trips. He resides in Rome, NY.

Edward Mamalski is now the mort-
gage sales executive at Up State Fed-
eral Credit Union.

Ricky Stevens has been appointed accounting manager at Brownville Specialty Paper Products, Inc. He was formerly employed at Snowblast-
Sicard, Inc. where he was accounting manager.

1985

Frank Kapusta is the new assistant vice president and manager of Norstar Bank of Upstate NY Little Falls and Dolgeville offices. He joined the bank in 1985. Frank lives in Herkimer with his wife Kathy and their two children.
1986
Lorraine Bogdan is the owner of Stitch-n-Stuff, a specialty gift shop located on Route 30 North in the Adirondack Center. She opened the shop on June 1, 1991. She and her husband, Michael, reside in the Town of Broadalbin.

Deborah Kent, RN, head nurse of Canton-Potsdam Hospital's second floor, traveled to Germany to teach a course in Child Abuse Recognition and Training. She has more than 15 years experience at the hospital in emergency services, medical-surgical, and pediatrics areas. She also worked for two years as an Infant Health Assessment Program Coordinator. Deborah, her husband, Bruce, and their three children live in Sanfordville.

Donald Pinto has joined the staff of Safeguard Business Systems of Utica, where he will sell and support computerized accounting systems.

Cynthia Yager resigned from her position as Rome school district treasurer to take a job at City Hall as deputy to Rome's chief financial officer. She had been employed by the school district for nearly ten years. Cynthia will begin working toward a master's degree in municipal management at SUNY Brockport.

1987
Michael Mayhew is currently teaching computer courses at MCCV's Rome and Griffiss Air Force Base campuses as an adjunct instructor. In 1987, he established M.J.M. Enterprises which specializes in personal consulting and training for area businesses and home computer users, and is currently pursuing a master's degree.

Robert Warner was selected for inclusion in the 1990-91 edition of Who's Who in American Nursing. As a registered nurse and education coordinator at Littauer Hospital, he is responsible for the development and coordination of patient education programs. He was instrumental in establishing the Fulton-Montgomery branch of the American Diabetes Association. Robert is currently enrolled in the master of science degree program in nursing at SUNY Institute of Technology.

Kimberly Schilde, RRA, is the new manager of medical records at the Community Hospital of Schenectady County.

Bruce Miller has completed Officer Induction School at Naval Education and Training Center, Newport, R.I. Bruce joined the Navy in September 1990.

Thomas Hawkins has been promoted to area engineer in the plant technical organization at Remington Arms. He and his family live in Utica.

Terry Pilaga, branch manager of the Whitesboro office of the Savings Bank of Utica, was presented the Young Careerist Award by the Metro Business and Professional Women's Club of Greater Utica. Terry, of Yorkville, has worked at the bank since May 1987 and won the 1990 President's Award as the top manager in sales and service. Prior to joining the bank, she worked as director of food services for the Saga Corp. in Avon, CT.

Bruce Youmann was chosen as PAR Technology's "Employee of the Year" for 1990, and was presented the award by Dr. John Sammon, president of PAR. He is a software engineer for RRC's Stockbridge site and for the Precision Antenna Measurement System facility in Verona. Bruce completed his 14th year with PAR this past August. He and his wife, Pam, have a five-year-old daughter, Melissa.

1988
Mark Lado, U.S. Naval Reserve Petty Officer, recently returned from a two-month deployment to Guam, where he served in support of Operation Desert Storm.

Martha Harvey graduated from the University of Pennsylvania with a master's degree in nursing. Ms. Harvey majored in nurse-midwifery. She previously worked as a staff member on obstetrics at St. Elizabeth Hospital. She has accepted a position at the Mary Imogene Bassett Hospital in Cooperstown, NY, where she will be joining three certified nurse midwives.

Maureen Hinckley has been named a controller at the James Square Health and Rehabilitation Center in Syracuse, NY. Before joining James Square, she held the position of chief accountant for the Department of Orthopedic Surgery at University Hospital in Syracuse, NY. She is an active member of the National Association of Accountants. Mrs. Hinckley resides with her husband in Manlius, NY.

James Szrama, was commissioned to the rank of Coast Guard Ensign upon graduation from Officer Candidate School. James joined the Coast Guard Reserve in August 1990.

1989
Rev. Jone Porter has been appointed pastor of the United Methodist churches of Lycoming and New Haven. She started in her new position on July 1, 1991. Rev. Porter is an ordained deacon in the North Central New York Conference of the United Methodist Church. She is completing her master's of divinity degree.

Phil Rockwell recently received his master's degree in management science from SUNY Oswego. While working toward his degree, he also obtained membership in Delta Mu Delta National Honor Society in Business Administration. Phil is currently employed by Haderday Corporation doing regional sales in northeastern U.S. He and his wife, Deborah, reside in Alexandria Bay, NY.

Bill Martin, of Troy, joined OA Systems, Inc., as a computer and network engineer. He will be responsible for installing and supporting Novell Networks and personal computer maintenance. He had been employed by Logical Micros.

Sebastian Domenico, Jr., has been appointed to the position of firefighter for the Rome Fire Department. His previous work experience includes recreation leader at Mohawk Correctional Facility.

1990
Tim Farrell joined the Century 21 sales staff of its Ogdenburg office. He completed a 43-hour training course, as well as being trained in the aspects of real estate law, financing, marketing, relocation and sales psychology. Tim is employed at St. Lawrence Psychiatric Center as a registered nurse. He resides in Ogdenburg with his wife and their two daughters.

Julie Murawski was commissioned into the U.S. Army Nurse Corps Reserve. She will be a part of the 331st Army Reserve Unit, Utica, NY.

Josephine Howlett, director of the medical record department at Chenango Memorial Hospital, has completed the requirements to become a registered medical record administrator. She worked at Mid York Health Center in Hamilton before joining Chenango Memorial Hospital in 1979. Josephine became records department director in 1989. She resides in Boonville.

1991
Laurie Fikes was crowned Miss Central New York Princess 1991. Laurie lives in Clifton Park, NY.

Scott Gorgas has been appointed to fill the position of accountant/bookkeeper for the College Association at the SUNY Institute of Technology at Utica/Rome. Scott joined the college in May 1991.

Sue Matuszczak attended the Nurse of Distinction Conference, an honor for which she had been nominated, sponsored by the NY State Legislature on May 7 and 8, 1991. She is employed as a registered nurse at Lewis County Public Health Nursing Service.

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Wildcat Weddings

Kenneth Abeles '85, and Melissa Ingrow '84, were married in an April 1991 wedding. Melissa is a senior DRF consultant at Validation Review Associates, Inc. Ken is director of marketing and customer relations at Choice Concepts, Inc.

Joseph Arpino '90, married Tara Cetkovic June 6, 1991. Joeseph is employed by New York State Electric & Gas. They live in Auburn, NY.

Carl Almeier '88, recently married Lisa Tower. Carl is an electrical sales engineer with Siemens Energy and Automation, Inc.


Donna Batcheller '87, and Garrett Trexer '87, were married on September 27, 1991. Donna is a registered nurse at Saratoga Hospital in Saratoga Springs, NY. Garrett is plant rental and leasing manager at Burt's Florist.

Colleen Bennett '83, married John O'Brien in a June 1991 wedding. Colleen is employed as a New York State parole officer at Oneida Correctional Facility, Rome, NY.

Rebecca Bitteler '91, and Kyle Hoyt were wed on July 6, 1991. Rebecca is employed at St. Luke's Memorial Hospital, Utica, NY.

Kathleen Borden '89, became the bride of Jeffrey Cole '89, on July 20, 1991. Kathy is an admissions counselor at Mohawk Valley Community College. Jeffrey is a customer service rep at Chicago Pneumatic Tool. They make their home in New York Mills, NY.

Anne Boulter '80, married Capt. Clifford Davis, Jr. on August 24, 1991. Anne is employed as regional director of Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Ogdensburg in Watertown, NY.

Denise Brandenburg '88, became the bride of David Rihan on April 13, 1991. Denise is a financial analyst at PAR Microsystems. They make their home on Leslie Avenue, Utica, NY.

Loren Carpenter '90, and Mary Lou Dolan were wed on August 17, 1991. Loren is owner and operator of Carpenter's Construction. They reside at 109 Stanwix St., Rome, NY.

Mark Chanalty '86, married Kristin Wakte on April 27, 1991. Mark is employed by Chanalty's Supermarket. They reside at 1623 Dudley Avenue, Utica, NY.


Sherry Colosimo '77, became the bride of Frank Cerrace, Jr., on May 11, 1991. Sherry is director of social services at the Eden Park Nursing Home. They are residing at 245 Oxford Road, New Hartford, NY.

David Cordone '91, and Rebecca Rice '91, were married on June 8, 1991. The couple will reside in Atlanta, GA.

Susyn Cos '87, became the bride of Dr. Edward Casper, Jr., on September 21, 1991. Susan is employed as an accountant.

Salvatore D'Amico '84, and Diana Pokorny exchanged marriage vows on July 5, 1991. Sal is a sales representative for the Syracuse District of the Keebler Corporation.

Charlene Himmam '91, married Jerry DeHinere on June 8, 1991. The couple reside at Westover Village Road, Ava, NY.

Jennifer Decker '91, and Leslie Dunlap were wed on May 25, 1991. Jennifer is a registered nurse at St. Luke's Memorial Hospital. They make their home in Utica, NY.

Celestine Denohue '89, became the bride of David Drake on May 25, 1991. She is employed at Auburn Memorial Hospital. They reside in Auburn, NY.

David DuChene '82, married Lynda Davis on June 29, 1991. David is employed in the public safety department at SUNY Morrisville.

Mark Ernest '81, and Jo Anne Wagner were wed on May 19, 1991. Dan is employed at Shop 'N Save. They make their home at 62 Main Street, New York Mills.

Diane Evans '86, became the bride of Gregory Gray on June 6, 1991. Diane is medical record director at Clinton Spring Hospital. The couple resides at 50 Willowbrook Drive, Fairport, NY.


Thomas Fletcher '83, and Maureen Collin were wed on July 18, 1991. Tom is assistant director of admissions at SUNY Morrisville.

Michael Fontana '80, and Gail Sisti exchanged marriage vows on September 14, 1991. Mike is employed by Norstar Bank Upstate New York.

Mary Jo Gabryelski '81, became the bride of Kenneth Burdick on June 29, 1991. Mary Jo is a certified public accountant. They reside at 29 Lead Road, New Hartford, NY.

Nancy Gacek '88, married Lance Brown on June 8, 1991. Nancy is a registered nurse at St. Elizabeth Hospital. The couple lives in Utica, NY.

Amy Galloway '89, became the bride of Capt. John Gill, Jr., on September 14, 1991. Amy is employed as business manager of WWTV-TV 50.


Diana Gendron '89, became the bride of Anthony Delo '88, on June 8, 1991. Diana and Anthony are graduate students at the Medical College of Virginia.

Philip Giordano '89, married Sharon Clother on June 7, 1991. Philip is director of engineering for the communications department at Capital District OTB Corporation.

Tracy Griffths '87, became the bride of James Yahneke on June 1, 1991. Tracy is a claims representative at Metropolitan Life Insurance. They make their home in Oriskany, NY.

Tuffie Hadley '84, married Elinor Telford on June 22, 1991. Toffie is employed in the audiovisual department of Herkimer County Community College. They reside at 44 Pearl Street, New Hartford, NY.

Gregory Harris '88, and Norma Shepardson '86, were married on June 22, 1991. Both Gregory and Norma are employed by General Electric as software engineers.

Dale Hart '84, married Lynda Seidler on August 17, 1991. Dale is an engineer with the Utica Corporation.

Donald Herbert '88, and Laurene Drucker were wed on September 22, 1990. Don is sales manager for Freight Liquidators, Kingston, NY.

James Hughes '82, and Danielle St. Pierre were married on August 2, 1991. Jim is an operator for Pfizer, Inc. and is currently pursuing a master's degree at SUNY-ESF.

Sheila Humphrey '86, and Michael Keboe exchanged marriage vows on September 21, 1991. Sheila is employed by Jefferson County Office for the Aging as a services specialist.

Mary Ellen Janes '90, became the bride of Karl Frankowski on June 7, 1991. Mary Ellen is married at Rome City Hall.


Patricia King '83, married Jeffrey Mark '84, on July 13, 1991. Patricia is the owner and manager of King Rehabilitation Associates. Jeff is the assistant administrator of Oneida City Hospitals. They reside in Oneida, NY.

Howard Kingdon '83, and Donna Longo were wed on August 31, 1991. Howard is employed by Eaton Corporation of Danbury, CT.


Paul Kowbel '83, and Linda Rondolfo were wed on September 7, 1991. Paul is a service manager with Lowery Brothers Jeep Eagle.

Loree Kreyburg '89, married Mark Farber on April 28, 1991. Loree is employed by the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. The couple resides in Chapel Hill, NC.

Phyllis LaPolla '91, and Raymond Beck '88, were wed on October 5, 1991. Phyllis is a medical secretary at St. Luke's Memorial Hospital Center. Ray is a firefighter with the City of Utica.

Christina Latta '89, and Mark Davis exchanged marriage vows on May 25, 1991. Chris is employed by Metal Air, Inc., Springfield, IL.

Andrew Levi '85, and Linda Weisebeck were married on June 15, 1991. Andrew is an electrical engineer with the Burdick Corporation.

David Martin '87, married Cynthia Cuzie on June 29, 1991. David is employed by ICL Retail Systems as a network controller.

Kimberly Matteson '89, became the bride of Joseph Gizzio on June 1, 1991. Kimberley is a registered nurse at St. Elizabeth Hospital.

Michael McQueeney '80, and Darci Hickley exchanged marriage vows during a July 1991 wedding. Mike is employed in the Office of Mental Health's Children and Youth Services at Hutchings Psychiatric Center, Syracuse, NY.

Teresa Mielnikov '83, married Amy Bottaro in an August 1991 wedding. Torrane received his master's degree at the New School for Social Research, while Amy was pursuing her administrative internship at Barnes. He is employed at Rome Developmental Disabilities Service Organization, Rome, NY.

Sherrill Morton '89, became the bride of George Yorden on May 18, 1991. Sherrill is a registered nurse at Mary Imogene Bessette Hospital.

Michael Molinaro '84, and Christa Kuhnle '84 were married on February 3, 1991. Mike is an assistant broker with Ronald Molinaro Real Estate. Christa is a registered nurse at St. Elizabeth Hospital. The couple resides at 13 Elm Street, Dolgeville, NY.
**Engagements**

Gina Albano '90, and Matthew Tavino '89 are planning a June 1992 wedding. Gina is employed at Impco. Matthew is presently employed by the IBM Corporation.

Michael Basi '91, is engaged to marry Renée Girle Gubaitis. A November 6, 1991 wedding is planned. Mike is employed by the State of New York.

Thomas Durso '88, is planning to marry Diana Erb in 1992. Tom is employed by Utica National Insurance Group, New Hartford, NY.

Frank Dybas '88, has been engaged to marry Wendy Pabis on October 5, 1991. Frank is employed as a consultant by NYNEX.

Kimmie Havis '89, is engaged to marry Lawrence Tamburrino. A September 26, 1992 wedding is planned. Kim is employed by Little Falls Hospital.

Brian Fedor '89, and Donna Fermon are planning a June 20, 1992 wedding. Brian is employed by General Electric, Syracuse, NY.

Brian Fitzpatrick '90, is engaged to marry Amy Plof '89, on October 12, 1991. Brian is employed by Celotex Corporation. Amy is registered nurse at Carthage Area Hospital.

Bret Fopps '86, is planning to marry Lawrence Oswald on October 19, 1991. Beth is a project assistant with the New York State Department of Taxation and Finance, Albany, NY.

Pamela Gianfreda '88, and Anthony Stefanelli '88, are engaged to be married on February 15, 1992. Pam is a registered nurse and is employed by Blue Cross and Blue Shield, Albany, NY. Anthony is employed by Gruman Corporation at IBM in East Fishkill, NY as an electronics engineer.

Michael Kokot '89, is engaged to marry Tammy McQueen on October 5, 1991. Mike is an electrical engineer with Dresser-Rand in Wellsburg, WV.

Laureen Marrotta '88, and Dennis Violante are engaged. Lauren is a financial analyst with the Slocom Dickinson Medical Group. No wedding date has been set.

Vincent Mazzel '81, is engaged to marry Gemma Siringo. Vince is employed in the human services field. No wedding date has been set.

Rebecca Putnam '92, has become engaged to Duane Williams. They are planning an October 12, 1991 wedding. Rebecca is a contract specialist at Rome Laboratory, Griffiss Air Force Base, Rome, NY.

**Births**

To Helen [84] and Richard [83] Sherman, a 7 lb, 4 oz, 20 1/2" son, on December 19, 1982.

Michael Tenenon '86, is planning to marry Annette DeGirnino in a fall 1991 wedding. Mike is employed by the U.S. Postal Service.

James Wellington '84, is engaged to marry Tracy McKay. Jim works for GE in Cape Canaveral, FL.

Jeffrey Weshe '89, and Lisa Bower are engaged to be married in September of 1992. Jeff is a technical support specialist with Solution Technology Group.

James Wheeler '88, is planning to marry Christine Comenale on October 12, 1991. Jim is employed by Jack Eisenbach Engineering P.C.

**In Memoriam**

Henry Arzey '80, died January 1991 as a result of injuries suffered in an automobile accident. He had been employed as a design engineer.

John Cessell '77, passed away on July 12, 1991, from injuries he sustained in an automobile accident. John had been employed by NY State Department of Labor.

Mary Dorn '77, passed away on March 11, 1991, at her home. Mary was employed at the Little Falls Hospital.

Eric Jaworski '77, passed away on April 14, 1991, after a long illness. Eric had been employed as a parole officer by the State of New York.

Kathleen Kauser '77, passed away on December 23, 1990. She was director of students at Utica School of Commerce.
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