

A free monthly newsletter for Lebanon Valley College alumni, parents, and friends  
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#### REGISTER TODAY—ALUMNI WEEKEND 2008

Alumni Weekend 2008, June 13–15 is fast approaching! Don't forget to take advantage of our early registration incentive! For alumni who register before May 23, we'll waive the registration fee. We've packed the weekend with activities and there's something for everyone to enjoy. Classes ending in 3 and 8 are celebrating milestone reunions, but Alumni Weekend is for ALL LVC alumni—whether you graduated one or fifty plus years ago. To register, see the weekend schedule, see who's planning to attend, post a message to your classmates, and more, visit

<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/AW08>.

#### LAST CHANCE—LVC SPECIAL EVENT: ORIOLES VS. RED SOX

Forty tickets remain! Don't miss your chance to join fellow alumni on Saturday, May 31, at Oriole Park at Camden Yards. The evening begins with a reception in the Championship Cafe from 5:30–7 p.m. Afterward, enjoy the game from great seating in section 68 (left field, lower box) as the Orioles take on the Red Sox at 7:05 p.m. Reception menu includes a build-your-own burger bar, hot dogs, baked beans, Caesar salad, an assortment of hors d'oeuvres, desserts, and beverages including domestic beer. Cost is \$75 for adults, and \$65 for children ages 12 and under. Contact the Office of Alumni Programs by April 28 at 1.800.ALUMLVC (1.800.258.6582) to reserve your tickets.

#### RATES ARE FALLING...BUT NOT UNTIL JULY 1

Effective July 1, 2008, charitable gift annuity rates will decrease because of present economic conditions. However, if you act now you can lock in at the current higher rates. To benefit from the higher rates in effect now through June 30, 2008, contact Jessica Bostdorf-Ritchie '99, M'06, director of major gifts, at 717.867.6224 or [bostdorf@lvc.edu](mailto:bostdorf@lvc.edu). To learn more about the benefits of charitable gift annuities, visit <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/supportlvc/CGA-article.aspx?bhiw=1024>.

#### 37TH ANNUAL JURIED ART EXHIBITION

Through May 4, visitors can view the perennially popular Juried Art Exhibition at the Suzanne H. Arnold Art Gallery. The exhibition is the longest-running visual arts event at the College and attracts works in all media by the leading artists in the region and beyond. This year's juror was Daniel Olivetti, director of the Lore Degenstein Gallery, Susquehanna University in Selinsgrove, PA. For gallery hours and more, visit <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/gallery/index.aspx?bhiw=1419>.

#### ATHLETIC ALUMNI GOLF TOURNAMENT

On June 13, kick off Alumni Weekend '08 and join fellow alumni, teammates, coaches, and friends for a great day of golf and dinner at Fairview Golf Course in Quentin. Registration and lunch is 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., and the shotgun start will take place at

12:30 p.m. The cost is \$55 (includes golf, lunch, prizes, and refreshments) or \$75 to include post-match steak dinner. The tournament is a little known LVC tradition, dating back to the 1920s. To learn more or to register, visit <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/alwknd08/golf.aspx?bhiw=1419>.

#### LANCASTER RECENT GRAD EVENT: THE BRICKYARD

Join fellow recent graduates on Thursday, May 29, and kick off summer early! Join us at The Brickyard Restaurant and Sports Pub, 415 N. Prince St., Lancaster from 6–8 p.m. for a casual reception. No cost to alumni; non-alumni guests: \$10. R.S.V.P. by calling 1.800.ALUMLVC (1.800.258.6582) or [alumni@lvc.edu](mailto:alumni@lvc.edu).

#### ALUMNI CHALLENGE SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

All LVC alumni are invited to participate in the tournament during Alumni Weekend '08. The tournament is a casual, fun way to gather your classmates, former fraternity brothers or sorority sisters, former teammates, or anyone else looking for a chance to show their LVC spirit on the diamond. Form your team (minimum of 8 players) now! Send rosters to [alumni@lvc.edu](mailto:alumni@lvc.edu) before May 23. LVC Athletics will form the tournament bracket and contact team captain with final pairings.

#### ATHLETICS

The LVC softball team has qualified for the 2008 Commonwealth Conference championship and will host the tournament on May 2 and 3 at the LVC Softball Park. Visit [LVC athletics web page](#) for more information on how you can follow the Dutchmen as they try to win the conference championship for the first time in history!

For more about LVC's spring sports and all athletics news, visit the [LVC athletics web page](#).

#### SPECIAL EDITION: DO YOU REMEMBER?

##### WE NEED YOUR HELP WITH *THE VALLEY* ALUMNI MAGAZINE

Did you land in your current career as a result of an internship, study-abroad experience, student volunteer work, or other out-of-class experience while a student at LVC? The cover story for the fall 2008 *VALLEY* MAGAZINE will focus on how students have turned such experiences into lifetime careers. We plan to feature several stories of alumni who are currently employed in a field as a direct result of an out-of-class experience while a student at LVC. We can only feature a few stories in the magazine, but we will be creating a special LVC web page to tell all of the stories. If you have a story to tell, please send your story to Tom Hanrahan, *The Valley* editor, at [hanrahan@lvc.edu](mailto:hanrahan@lvc.edu).

Be sure to include your name and class year in your message.

#### DO YOU KNOW?

During Alumni Weekend '08, the Class of 1958 (celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> reunion) will be inducted into what honorary society?

Please submit one answer only to [hayward@lvc.edu](mailto:hayward@lvc.edu) and include your name and class year in your message. Everyone who answers the trivia question correctly will receive a small token of appreciation for participating in the trivia challenge. All entrants will receive a personal response and a confirmation of the correct answer.

The last trivia question was... What spring sport recently set a program wins record?

Answer: Women's Tennis. The answer to this month's question will be posted soon on <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/enewsletter.aspx>.

We value your input and comments about this newsletter. Please e-mail your suggestions to [Jayanne Hayward '01](mailto:Jayanne.Hayward@lvc.edu), director of alumni programs. If you wish to be taken off our mailing list, forward a message to [hayward@lvc.edu](mailto:hayward@lvc.edu) with "unsubscribe" in the subject line of the e-mail.

Do you have friends who would enjoy hearing about Lebanon Valley College? Encourage them to sign up for this free newsletter by logging on to: <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/e-newsletter-form.aspx>.

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