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SCIENCE SYMPOSIUM

Join Dr. H. Anthony "Tony" Neidig '43, professor *emeritus* of chemistry, current LVC biology, chemistry, and physics faculty members and students, and fellow regional scientists on September 16 & 17 at a science symposium to discuss the "Disappearing Boundaries" of emerging science. Log on to

<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/science> for more information.

BARNES MEMORIAL

On March 11, 2005, the Lebanon Valley College Community was devastated to learn of the death of the Hon. Rowland W. Barnes '62, a successful alumnus, generous supporter, and treasured friend. In the aftermath of the sorrow, alumni and friends have come together for a special purpose -- to honor this man who gave so much of himself to his family, his community, and his Alma Mater. Visit

<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/barnes> to see how you can be a part of this special memorial project.

OKTOBERFEST '05

Oktoberfest (Homecoming/Family Weekend) is set for October 7-8, 2005. Athletic Hall of Fame inductees include Dawn Hickman Connelly '92, Pat Flannery, Mike Rhoades '95, and Glenn Stech '65. The 1973 championship men's basketball team will also be honored. The Classes of 1995, 2000, and 2005 will celebrate reunions. Log on to the class reunion web pages for a look at the latest list of attendees;

<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/oktoberfest-attendees.aspx?class=1995> will take you to the lists for all reunion classes. For a schedule of events or to register online, visit <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/oktoberfest05.aspx>.

LARGEST CLASS EVER ADMITTED

Lebanon Valley College welcomed the largest freshman class in its history last Saturday when 458 first-year students gathered for Convocation in Miller Chapel for the official start to the new academic year. Fifty-one transfer students also began their studies at LVC, for an all-time-high total of 509 new students. Visit

<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/news-events/index.aspx?id=787> for more details.

LVC IS A “GREAT SCHOOL AT A GREAT PRICE” AND RANKS IN U.S. NEWS TOP TIER AGAIN

Lebanon Valley College moved from 9th to 8th in the list of “Great Schools at Great Prices” ranked by U.S. News & World Report magazine in its 2006 edition of the book *America’s Best Colleges*, which hit newsstands and bookstores Aug. 22. Log on to

<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/news-events/index.aspx?id=784> for more information.

GLOBALIZATION, TRADE, AND WORLD HUNGER

Francis Moore Lappé, called one of the 20th century's “most vibrant activist thinkers” by *The Washington Post*, will debunk the myth that there is not enough food to feed the world when she speaks at Lebanon Valley College on Thursday, Sept. 15 at 7 p.m. Her talk *Globalization, Trade, and World Hunger* is free and open to the public in Leedy Theater of the Mund College Center. She is the keynote speaker in the College’s 2005-2006 Colloquium on Food. More information may be found by visiting

<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/news-events/index.aspx?id=790>.

JAZZ CONCERT THIS WEEKEND

Steve Rudolph, an internationally known jazz pianist, will accompany Lebanon Valley College’s Thomas Strohman ’75 in a free, public concert that will offer both classical music and jazz. Strohman, an associate professor of music at LVC, will also be joined by fellow faculty members Dr. Dennis Sweigart ’63 on piano for the classical portion of the program, and James Miller on string bass, who will accompany the jazz selections along with Rudolph. The concert will be on Sunday, Sept. 4 at 3 p.m. in Lutz Hall of Lebanon Valley College’s Blair Music Center. Log on to

<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/news-events/index.aspx?id=779> for details.

ALUMNI WEEKEND ’06

Reunion committees are forming now for Alumni Weekend 2006. The classes of 1951, 1956, 1961, 1966, and 1976 have committees in place and would welcome additional members. If you are a member of the class of 1946, 1971, 1981, 1986, or 1991, please consider working with the College to establish your committee. A festive reunion requires input from the reunion classes, so sign up today! E-mail Jamie Cecil (cecil@lvc.edu), associate director of annual giving, if you are interested. It’s a great way to get in touch with classmates and ensure a wonderful event in June 2006.

ATHLETICS

Visit <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/athletics> for the latest news on all fall sports.

DO YOU REMEMBER?

Doug Ross '60 shared his tug of war remembrance on the alumni web page (<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/l-online/ross-tugofwar.aspx>). Do you have a favorite tug story? Please submit your fondest memory to dwescott@lvc.edu and include your name and class year in your message. Thanks!

Log on to <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/l-online/remember.aspx> to enjoy some great LVC academic memories (submitted last month).

DO YOU KNOW?

What are the words to the first verse of the Alma Mater? (Hint: singing it helps!) Please submit one answer only to dwescott@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. As always, all answers will receive a personal response and confirmation of the correct answer.

The last trivia question was ... The letters "R.A." refer to what campus job?

Answer: R.A. stands for resident assistant or resident advisor.

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>. We value your input and comments about this newsletter. Please e-mail your suggestions to dwescott@lvc.edu. If you wish to be taken off our mailing list, forward a message to dwescott@lvc.edu with "unsubscribe" in the subject line of the e-mail.

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