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# Once upon a time...

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Once Upon A Time...

## Randolph-Macon

*R-MC has shown much change in 168 years. In*

College was a small school when it

*1868, the college moved to Ashland, VA. After the Civil War, new*

was established in Boydton, VA, in

*buildings were constructed, including the "Old Chapel" still in use*

1830. It was an all male college with

*today. More change came with WWII. Daughters of faculty &*

a very small enrollment. By 1837,

*women from Ashland were permitted as commuters. On campus*

the enrollment grew to 108 students.

*residents did not include blacks until the late 60's & women in the*

The first president was Stephen Olin

*early 70's. More change came in 1998 with the Brock Center, a new*

in 1833, then times changed...

*President, Dr. Martin, Macon Coffee, & over 1,000 students.*

RANDOLPH-MACON COLLEGE

1830



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George Allen  
Governor

A MESSAGE FROM GOVERNOR GEORGE ALLEN

On behalf of the citizens of the Commonwealth of Virginia, I congratulate the students, faculty and staff of Randolph-Macon College on the 100th volume of the Yellow Jacket Annual.

You have all worked hard. You have earned your degrees, and now you are ready for full-time participation in the world of commerce and competition, the professional world, the business world, the world of enterprise – the world of work. It's time to start a job and to launch your careers.

In addition, you will discover that the many service and sporting organizations you have belonged to have provided you with many valuable resources. You have made friendships that will last a life-time because you have worked hard with these friends to achieve shared goals and visions. Whether they were on the playing field, in the local community performing service or working on campus to help make the college a better place for students and faculty, your dedication has provided you many lasting bonds and instilled the values of volunteerism, teamwork and service to others.

Best wishes to the students of Randolph-Macon College, especially to the Class of 1998 for many years of success and prosperity.

*George Allen*  
Governor

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Former Virginia Governor, George Allen shares his support and best wishes for the Randolph-Macon class of '98 in his letter to the left. He also acknowledges the effort of keeping the Yellow Jacket Annual tradition going strong with our 100th volume.



Once upon a time Randolph-Macon was known for being a very distinguished men's college in the south. Many great leaders, athletes, and people are now alumni of R-MC. Even through it all, R-MC's reputation has withstood the pressures of society and change of the times. The picture at the left shows some R-MC students from the late 1800's and how far back the history of R-MC goes. The picture above shows how far the excellent and distinguished reputation of R-MC has come in the times of diversity and equality. Current students Amy Whitcomb '00, Tanya Robinson '98, and Kristin Hriniaik '00 demonstrate the most prestigious gift of all provided at R-MC, friendships that will last a lifetime.

Below: Casey Beck gets an autograph picture of Wopat and John Scheinder, AKA Bo Duke.

Right: Wopat having some laughs with R-MC students backstage after his talk about life as a 'Good Ole Boy.'



## Tom Wopat

*"Just some good ole boys,  
never meaning no harm..."*

On Sept. 16th 1997, R-MC students and faculty flocked to Blackwell Auditorium to see their longtime hero, or obsession, in living color, Tom Wopat, better known as 'Luke Duke' from the hit TV series the *Dukes of Hazzard*. He came to share the secrets of the show and details of his own life.

After sharing scenes from the first episode and other favorite moments from the Duke clan's history, Wopat showed various rope tricks and how

to throw fake punches. He sang *Death*, a song he wrote and now performs with his band, *The Full Moon*.

During the question and answer period, Wopat said that although he was only mildly injured during his days on the show, he "wouldn't trade his past career for the world." He also said that his favorite thing about being a "good ole boy" was that he got to mess around and drive the *General Lee*.



Above: Shelley Dunn waits patiently for her very own autographed picture of Wopat and Schneider.

Right: Wopat poses quickly for a picture after his demonstration of the life of a Duke in Hazzard County.



# Robert Pinsky

*Poet laureate arrives at R-MC  
to give poetry reading*

On February, 25 1997, US Poet laureate, Robert Pinsky participated in a poetry reading in Blackwell Auditorium. The evening began with a dinner in the upstairs part of Estes. In Pinsky's honor, guests included English majors and minors, Washington Literary Society, and various members of the faculty and staff.

Following dinner, Pinsky began his reading in Blackwell. He read several poems and translated pieces from *Dante's Inferno* to his

audience. Pinsky said that "he loves 16th century English poems the best." He likes the speed and sound of poetry. Pinsky also spoke about the techniques poets use when writing poetry and how difficult poems can be to write.

After the poetry reading, a brief reception was held in the Brown Campus Center. There Pinsky offered his autograph for those who wished to have it. He also was glad to host questions.

Below: Many students and faculty attended the evening's events which included dinner with Pinsky and guests.



Above: Members of the Ashland community also came out to listen to Pinsky read poetry. It was a night for everyone to enjoy.



Above: Pinsky a renowned poet, essayist, and translator. He has written 5 books of poetry and has won numerous awards.

# Parents' Weekend

## 1997

### Thanks Mom & Dad

Once upon a weekend at R-MC, students' dorm rooms were neat and tidy because Mom and Dad were coming to town. Preparations for Parents' Weekend included Physical Plant and housekeeping cleaning up campus, dining services making extra food for festivities, athletic teams practicing, parents packing, filling up their cars, and boarding airplanes and trains for the festivities October 4-6 honoring Mom and Dad. The weekend was filled with athletic games, social gatherings, meeting-n-greeting R-MC faculty and staff, and lots of family memories. For some, it was their first, and for others, it was their last. Parents' Weekend was once, is still, and will continue to be one of the biggest traditions at R-MC.



Above: Fathers of the men's soccer team boosters kept a lookout for new members while they raffle off a carved wooden Yellow Jacket soccer player created by Bud Shelton, father of alumni Shawn Shelton '97.

Below: Going in for the tackle, R-MC football players stop Washington and Lee while their families watched the Yellow Jacket victory 24 to 3.



Middle: Parents of the men's soccer team were able to see their sons in action as one of the many highlights during Parents' Weekend.



Above: Parents and students mingle around the fountain before the football game at the alcohol-free tailgating area, a new addition in 1997.

Below: Many students had a good time hanging out with their Mom and Dad at the 21 and over tailgating area in the Conrad, Moreland, Mary Branch circle.



Below: Jenny McGregor shows off her talent to the parents as she takes a free kick against Southwestern. R-MC won the game 3-0.



Above: Roanoke College and Mom and Dad were amazed at the moves and skill of the Yellow Jackets field hockey team in the close R-MC 2-1 win over RC.



### *CAB's 1st Annual Talent Show*

*The 1st talent show sponsored by CAB was one of the main highlights of Parents' Weekend. It was a chance for parents, students, and staff to see the hidden talent on R-MC's campus. Pictured above, some of the Community Service House members demonstrate their comedic talent in a skit. They provided the audience with many laughs throughout their performance, while other performers pleased the crowd with singing and playing musical instruments.*

# The Brock Center

*A modern time , state of the art recreation center  
opened for the R-MC community*

On February 9th, Randolph-Macon College students, faculty and staff were invited to enter the Brock Center for the first time. There they put to use the free weights, weight resistance machines, cardiovascular machines, racquetball courts, squash court, indoor track, indoor pool, saunas, rock climbing wall, and volleyball and basketball courts. Many students made the Brock Center part of their daily routine, as did many professors and

staff members. The center is useful to so many different people for so many different activities. With a wide variety of fitness, recreational and intramural sport activities, there is something for everyone at the Brock Center. Unstructured recreational, competitive and intramural play, along with instructional programs and classes, it is obvious that the Brock Center is an amazing asset to the R-MC campus.

Below: The Vice President of W.C. English, Maurice Law, spoke at the ribbon cutting ceremony of the Brock Center. W. C. English was the contracting company that built the Brock Center.



Above: The Brock Center made its debut in February 1998. The center added a modern touch to R-MC's campus and a place for playing, working out ,and just hanging out.



Left: Macon Brock, Class of '63, and Whitney Kasmerowski, Class of '98, cut the ribbon at the grand opening ceremony.



Above: Students make use of the state of the art weight room. At any given time, college athletes and nonathletes alike can be seen working out.

Left: Robyn Diehl and Betsy Capers take a moment to relax at the Brock Center. The new facility quickly became a place for socializing and hanging out.

Far left: Kristen Leake and Gina Roccia take time out of their Brock Center welcome desk duties to take a picture. Most of the duties, such as life guarding and the welcome desk, are taken care of by students.

# Homecoming

## 1997

### Rememberances & Memories

Right: The R-MC Cheerleader's chant for victory was heard loud and clear for the first time in 4-5 years.



Right: With possession of the ball, R-MC makes another play in their Homecoming game against Emory & Henry. The Jackets came from behind for an upset win over the nationally ranked E & H team.



### The Royal Couple

During the 1997 Homecoming festivities, seniors Tim Mayhew and Whitney Kazmerowski were crowned as King and Queen. Both Tim and Whitney were leaders of the R-MC community in and out of the classroom. Tim found leadership in the duties of being a resident assistant and Whitney presided as the president of the Student Government Association. As natural born leaders, these two particular young adults will make R-MC proud out in the "real world" after graduation.



Above: Huddled under umbrellas and blankets to keep warm and dry, a group of Randolph-Macon students shared their school spirit during the Homecoming celebration.



Left: Our Yellow Jacket mascot takes a break from on field activities to visit and entertain the fans in the stands at Day Field.

Below: Battling the elements, some R-MC students took time out to pose for a picture at the the homecoming football game.



*The Homecoming football game was a kind of matchup of David – R-MC & Goliath – Emory & Henry on October 23, 1997. R-MC went into the game as the underdog due to Emory & Henry's national ranking. It was a tough task playing in the rain and mud, but when the game went down to the wire with 13 seconds left on the clock, R-MC saw a ray of light on this all too gloomy day. A sharp pass from quarterback Sidney Chappell to Sean Eaton decided the game with the scoreboard reading R-MC 27, E&H 24!*

*They were other winners that weekend also. Kappa Alpha Theta took home first place in the float competition and the tailgating prize went to the combined group of Kappa Alpha Theta, Phi Kappa Alpha, and Pi Kappa Alpha. When it was all said and done, everyone who took part in the festivities of Homecoming Weekend went away with the best prize of all...remembrances of old times shared with friends and new memories of Homecoming '97.*

Above: Defense stope the ball again. R-MC defensive line had one of their best games against E & H on Homecoming Weekend.

Left: Several alumni were inducted into the Athletic Hall of Fame during the homecoming celebrations. They were Wade P. "Bill" Chambers, Everett G. "Buddy" Allen, Syd W. Thrift, Alexander Frank "Alex" Walaski, Paul E. Webb, Jr., and Roland Harris Woodson.



Right: The freshmen football players were psyched about their first experience of the H-SC and R-MC rivalry.

Below: Hampden-Sydney and Randolph-Macon shake hands to show good sportsmanship after the big game.



Above Middle: The scoreboard shows the dominance of the Yellow Jackets over H-SC during the 1997 matchup.

Above: Crossing the field after the game, the R-MC football team celebrated their huge victory over the Tigers, 49-18.



Above: Jamie Deafenbaugh, a senior, relaxes in the Campus Center after giving blood to help R-MC in the annual H-SC vs. R-MC blood drive

Below: Patrick Henry High School's marching band struts their stuff for the Tigers and Yellow Jackets half-time entertainment.



Above: Jeff Oelrich shows his R-MC spirit by donating blood to the Virginia Red Cross during Hampden-Sydney week.

# Hampden-Sydney Week

*Once upon a time...a rivalry between R-MC & H-SC was begun...*

And is still alive today. Hampden-Sydney Week was again a great success for 1997. The schools participate every year in a friendly rivalry, competing various activities such as a blood drive, to see which school could donate the most blood for the Virginia Red Cross and a football game. We had tremendous support from our faculty, staff, and students here at Randolph-Macon. Even President Martin himself took part in the fun! This year, the school who donated the most quarts of blood donated had the honor of throwing a pie in the face of a Dean from the losing school. Of course, Randolph-Macon won again! The trophy can be

seen in the Brown Campus Center trophy case.

The football game was also a glorious victory for the school. On November 15, Randolph-Macon hosted Hampden-Sydney at Day Field. The Hampden-Sydney Tigers did not fair well against our own Yellow Jackets. Randolph-Macon took the lead early and never looked back. The Tigers came back with two touchdowns in the third quarter, but our awesome Yellow Jackets prevented H-SC from a victory. R-MC easily handled the Tigers 48-17. Once again, Randolph-Macon triumphed over Hampden-Sydney in the annual activities of the R-MC - H-SC friendly rivalry.



Above: One of our brave Randolph-Macon women makes the sacrifice of donating blood during Hampden-Sydney week, but not without giving a look to the Virginia Red Cross Volunteer.

# Community

November 8, 1997

## Outreach Program

Below: Painting waste receptacles, Taegan Doyle and Meghan McSheffrey spread their good will. They were among many who helped spruce up Gandy Elementary.



Right: At the head of the fireline, Brandi Adams and Stormie Koiner helped fellow students and community members make the Richard Gillis Library the new home for these books on Super Service Saturday.



### C.O.P.

Members of SGA painted the walls of a miniature garden as part of their efforts to help make Ashland a brighter and more beautiful place. Many organizations across campus volunteered their time helping the Ashland community.

*The Community Outreach Program became the organization that students flocked to this year. Not only was it a program that helped out the school service wise, but it reached into the community to provide resources to those who needed it. COP volunteers helped several organizations this year including Habitat For Humanity, Richard Gillis Library, book buddy program, and house winterizations.*



Below: The public library enrolled the aide of Brandi Price, Anne Bridi, Layla Deller, and Kate Whitacre to move the books into the new building.

Middle: Instead of letting the books get out of order, the assembly line method assured that the books would be kept in neat stacks.



Above: Trying not to hold the progress up too much, passing books to pose quickly for a picture.

Right: Many students were found at Gandy Elementary painting the bricks of the flower bed to make it a little brighter for the children.



## Volunteers Move Books and Hearts

*November 8, 1997 will go down in both R-MC and Ashland history as "Super Service Saturday." On this day, students and community members alike joined together to help make our world a little brighter. A certain warmth was felt in many hearts throughout the community.*

*R-MC students, staff, and faculty shared their time and energy with library patrons and workers, the Hanover Courthouse, Gandy Elementary School, Ashland Christian Emergency Service, and other organizations. 150 Randolph-Macon citizens came together to put in numerous hours of community service. It showed the Ashland community another side of the R-MC campus: the service-oriented side that is always willing to help out someone in a time of need.*

Right: Two R-MC students enjoy beating each other up with their jousting sticks.

Below: Jen Richter shows her excitement after accomplishing the wall.



Middle: Hanging out on the lawn with friends enjoying the Earth Day festivities was a common site on April 18th.

Right: The band Alter Ego was a big part of R-MC's Earth Day celebration.





Far left: An R-MC student shows off the technique needed to climb the wall.

Left: Prepared to joust.

Below: Matthew Marshall hitches a ride from a friend.



Above: Cara Jean Long and Carrie Smith race each other on the Bungee Run.

## Earth Day

*A celebration in honor of the environment*

On Saturday, April 18th, the Campus Activities Board sponsored R-MC's own celebration of Earth Day. Earth Day is a nationally recognized day to enlighten people about potential problems with the environment and to remind them to take care of the only planet we have.

The main attraction during the Earth Day celebration were the games brought to the college campus. Among these games were the Bungee Run, the soft Rock Climbing Wall, and Jousting. Live entertainment

also provided by the sounds of a few bands, including Alter Ego.

Throughout the day, ARA food services provided refreshments for the students, staff, and friends who attended the Earth Day festivities. Everyone enjoyed the hot dogs and hamburgers and the relaxed picnic-like atmosphere of the special day.

Although it was its own small celebration, R-MC students participated in one of the largest national celebrations of the year.

# Dedication to Walter R. Hawkins

*Campus Safety Officer, Husband, Father, Grandfather,  
Search and Rescue Dog Trainer, and Volunteer*



*The 1998 Yellow Jacket Annual is dedicated to one of the most respected, well-known, and nicest men ever to work at Randolph-Macon College, Walter R. Hawkins. He began his career as a Campus Safety Officer November 4, 1990. Through the years, Walt has made numerous friends: faculty, staff, students, and parents. He touches the lives of everyone he comes in contact with on and off campus. On campus, Walt is a stern, yet friendly man who can be found at athletic events and patrolling the R-MC community making sure all is in order. Off campus, he is busy volunteering his time in everything from training dogs for Western Hanover's Search and Rescue Team to spending time with his family. As of August 1998, Walt will be a retiree of R-MC Campus Safety. We, the Yellow Jacket Annual Staff, would like to take this opportunity to thank Walter R. Hawkins for all of the time and effort he has put forth ensuring that R-MC is a safe and friendly campus. We wish him the best and thanks for everything!!*



*Walt has always been the helping-hand kind of man. He has volunteered over 25 years with the Red Cross, donated gallons of blood, volunteered with the Beaverdam Fire Department, was a member of the Coast Guard Auxiliary, and was in the National Guard and later the 29th Artillery. Now Walt is busy with his children and grandchildren.*



*Walt not only enjoys his R-MC Campus Safety job and volunteer work, he is also a great outdoors man. He enjoys long walks, canoeing, fishing, and is a certified scuba diver. He also does not mind patrolling R-MC's campus on a bicycle.*

*While with the Henrico Fire Department, Walt did his own kind of teaching. He taught fire safety classes to elementary school children in Henrico.*



Far left: Senior Becky Bealer and Freshman Alice Collins share fun times at Olive Garden.



Above: Rata Lugo, Keith McMillan, Joe Goldin, Mike Cooke, and Mo Kohistoni show their school spirit at the Women's Basketball NCAA Tournament game.



Left: KΣ brothers show their singing abilities at Karaoke.



Above: Several R-MC students cheer on the Women's Basketball team during their NCAA Tournament game.



Far left: Senior Sean McAloon studies hard in the library.

Left: AXA 'meat-heads,' Tom Gans, Rich Polchinski, Dusty Beekman, and Scottie Brubeck take time to pose for a picture.



Above: Freshman Niki Arrington tries to stay dry during a football game.

Right: Despite the rain, R-MC students were out to cheer on the football team in the fall.



Left: R-MC students show the real reason why they're here as they are walking from class.



Right: Kristen Leake, Tanya Robinson, and Jamie Durbin hanging out and having some laughs.

Far right: Mo Kohistani and Chad Burns pose for a photo during Earth Day.



Right: April Collins, Carolyn Esposito, and Elizabeth Parker play Taboo and drink Coke.



Above: Jon Working trying to look sweet and innocent.



Right: Looking pretty in his dress and bonnet is sophomore Jim Fitzpatrick.

Far right: Showing off different hairstyles are Melissa Kristofak and Breanne Schlenke.



Below: Senior Julie Pryor and sophomore Peggy McCauley sharing a moment at the Olive Garden

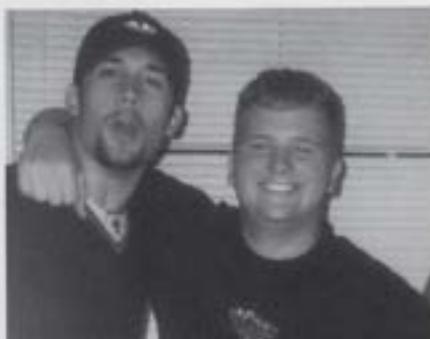


Right: Kevin Gill, Amanda Key, and friend show off their pearly whites for the camera.



Above: Getting ready for class is Aaron Perkins.

Below: R-MC was a family thing for the Beightol sisters, Lisa '95, Aimee '99, and Allison '99.



Left: Junior Dusty Beekman and senior, Jamison Barnett hanging out at the AXA house.

Below: Kim Bokesch and Megan Parrington share a hug and good times at R-MC.



Far left: Jamming to the music.



Left: Joe 'Cartman' Inge will live forever!

Below: Three freshmen enjoying their first season of R-MC football.



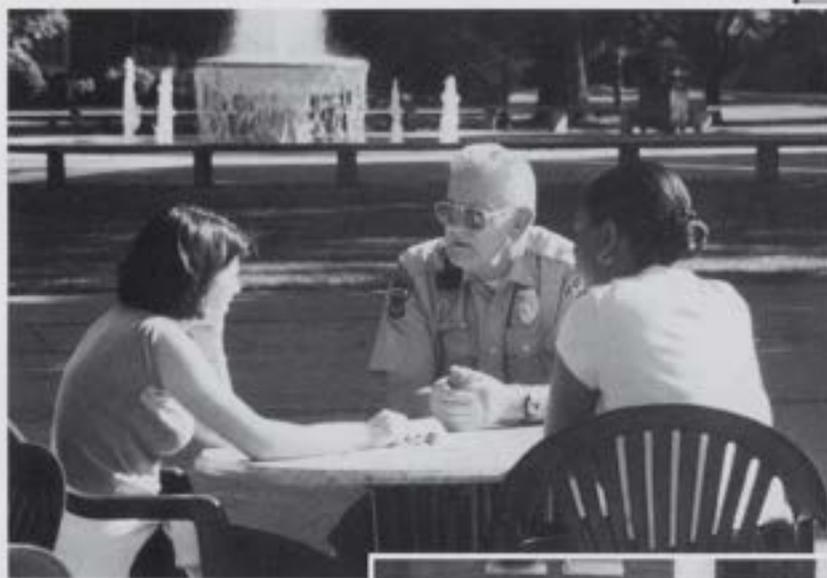
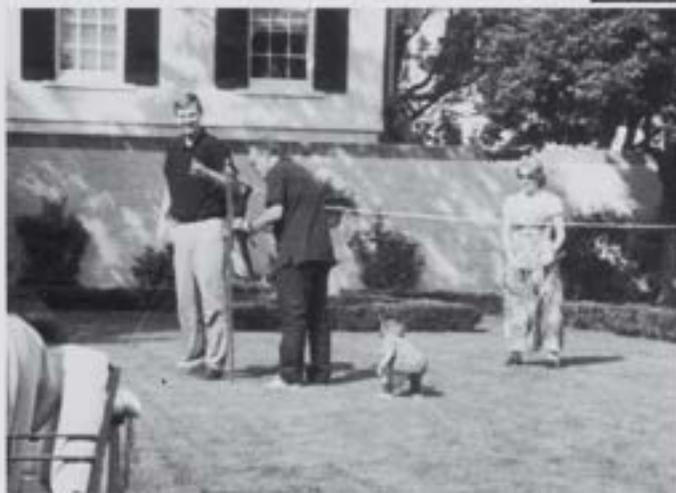
Left: Intense study groups can be found all over campus, especially during exam time.

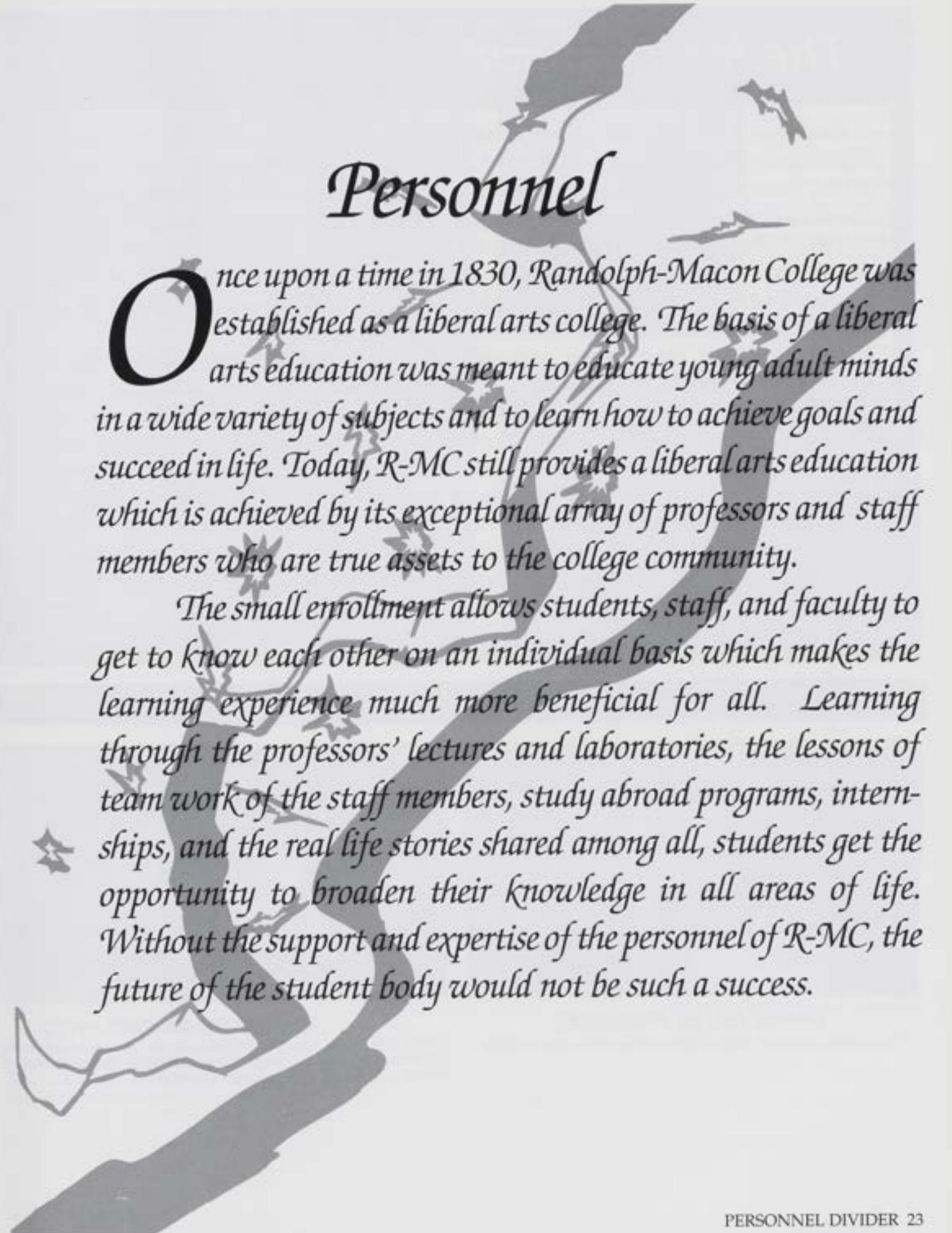
Right: Visiting with classmates before class begins.



Left: A fan of the women's basketball team, George Webb cheers them on during the NCAA Tournament.







# Personnel

**O**nce upon a time in 1830, Randolph-Macon College was established as a liberal arts college. The basis of a liberal arts education was meant to educate young adult minds in a wide variety of subjects and to learn how to achieve goals and succeed in life. Today, R-MC still provides a liberal arts education which is achieved by its exceptional array of professors and staff members who are true assets to the college community.

The small enrollment allows students, staff, and faculty to get to know each other on an individual basis which makes the learning experience much more beneficial for all. Learning through the professors' lectures and laboratories, the lessons of team work of the staff members, study abroad programs, internships, and the real life stories shared among all, students get the opportunity to broaden their knowledge in all areas of life. Without the support and expertise of the personnel of R-MC, the future of the student body would not be such a success.

# *The New Leader: Dr. Roger Martin*

On January 21, 1997 the big announcement was made by Beverley Dalton, chair of the college's Board of Trustees. The man to become Randolph-Macon College's fourteenth President was Dr. Roger Martin. Dalton said, "The board was looking for someone who can take what is already a very strong liberal arts college and move it ahead to greater prominence nationally. We believe Dr. Martin is that person."

The Board was not only impressed with his resume, but also with Dr. Martin's interest in British Methodism and its founder John Wesley. They were also impressed with all he accomplished at Moravian College in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. During his ten-year term at Moravian, Dr. Martin increased the endowment by more than

400%, led a successful \$20 million capital campaign to build a library, student union, residence halls, and a recreation center, and increased student scholarship funding. The Carnegie Foundation also awarded Dr. Martin and Moravian College with Baccalaureate liberal arts college status.

Dr. Martin only has one year under his belt at R-MC, but many prominent issues on campus are already on his slate, such as building renovations, increasing the college's endowment and diversity, and decreasing campus drinking. Rest assured, these issues along with many others will be addressed by Dr. Martin during his tenure at Randolph-Macon College.



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SECOND ROW: Rita Dillon, Molly Phelps  
THIRD ROW: Tonia Rolle, Kendall Malone, John Conkright, Kathy Sullivan, Jeff Papa



Far left: Dr. Roger Martin and his wife Susan outside of their new home on R-MC's campus. They have two daughters, Katherine and Emily.

Left: Dr. Martin, President of the winning college R-MC, was presented the trophy from the Hamden-Sydney Week competition.

Below: Part of his duties as president of the college, Dr. Martin poses with Dan Bedsole, library director and Hugh Stallard, Bell Atlantic president and chief executive officer in front of the newly renovated computer lab in the library.



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## Pace-Armistead Hall Dedication

By Raymond Berry  
Chair, Department of the Arts

The studio arts of Randolph-Macon College came to Pace Hall in the usual way that studio arts come to most working and teaching spaces: they inherited a building that no one else wanted. In the years since this occupation, hundreds of students have produced good works, investigated the mysteries of creativity, and have found formidable means to express themselves in studio setting. Now, with this most generous and timely gift, Bill and Polly Armistead have created a wonderful reversal of this most ancient formula: the studio arts

will live in a building wanted by everyone.

Future generations of Randolph-Macon students will learn in a beautiful space that maintains the atmosphere and quality of an older, somewhat romantic Pace Hall, but has the design and possibility of an exciting and vigorous Pace-Armistead Hall. The refurbishing of this proud and handsome building establishes an important and special status for the studio arts and the educational importance of the creative spirit in the liberal arts.

## BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

FRONT ROW: Steve Lang, Tracey Tuten, George Lowry  
BACK ROW: Catherine Staples, Edward Schmidt, David  
Brat



## PHYSICS DEPARTMENT

William Franz, Robert Harmon, George Spagna



## BOOKSTORE

Sara Bremner, Rebecca Bowles, Anne  
Vlahakis, Barclay DuPriest



Above: Dr. Ladell Payne, former R-MC president, speaking at the Pace-Armistead Hall dedication with the newly renovated building behind him.

Upper left: Major benefactors in the renovation of Pace-Armistead Hall enjoying the dedication.

Far left: M. William "Bill" Armistead, III, for whom the building was renamed, with Dr. Roger Martin in front of watercolor paintings by R-MC senior Tanya Robinson.

Left: Nancy Witt, whose work was on display in the Flippo Gallery during the dedication of Pace-Armistead Hall, is a nationally renowned artist who resides in Hanover County.

Below: Rachel Anderson has had numerous positions with R-MC. Now she may add Aquatics Director of the Brock Center to her list.



Far right: Sam Kennedy, Mac Hamlett, and Rachel Anderson are the backbone of the new Brock Center.

Right: A new daddy to Rebecca Macon, Mac Hamlett still finds time to keep all the systems in the Brock Center running smoothly.



### **ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT**

FIRST ROW: Kelly Mahlum, Sue Bias, Missy Ackerman, Ted Keller, Todd Hilder, Helmut Werner, Carroll LaHaye, Sheila Roccia SECOND ROW: David Burch, Aaron Boston, Mike Rhoades, Stephen Devlin, Jim Woodcock, Jeff Burns, Gregg Waters THIRD ROW: Jon Reinmuth, Hal Nunnally, Scott Boone



### **POLITICAL SCIENCE**

Brian Turner, Howard Davis, Bruce Unger

# The Backbone of the Brock Center

Opened on February 9, 1998, the Brock Sports and Recreation Center is primarily for students, faculty, and staff. In order for everyone to be able to enjoy the new state-of-the-art facility, there must be people behind the scenes to make sure things run smoothly within the building. These people are Sam Kennedy, director of the center, Mac Hamlett, facilities manager, and Rachel Anderson, aquatics manager.

Sam Kennedy stepped down from the Students Activities Advisor position to become the Director of the Brock Center. For a few years, Kennedy was the person to go through for activities around campus and in the Brown Campus Center. Now he can be found in the Brock Center scheduling special events, classes, and other activities at the Brock Center.

For many years, Rachel Anderson has been employed at R-MC. Positions she has held in

the past have been women's tennis coach, aerobics instructor, physical education professor, and others. Now that the Brock Center is open, Anderson is the Aquatics Director in charge of the pool area, lifeguards, and special swim programs for the campus and other organizations from the Ashland area.

Mac Hamlett, the facilities manager, moved from a Physical Plant position to the Brock Center. He takes care of the maintenance and upkeep of the building. If any plumbing, electrical, heat, or air conditioning problems occur, Hamlett can be found checking things out and finding a solution.

Since the Brock Center opened, daily use and special events, such as President Martin's Inauguration, Net Night, and the Brock Center Dedication have run smoothly. With the organization and leadership of Kennedy, Anderson, and Hamlett, the Brock Center has been and will continue to be an enjoyable facility for all.



## PHYSICAL PLANT

FRONT ROW: George O'Mara, Mac Hamlett, Donna Geisler, Eddie Emerson  
BACK ROW: Dani DesRoches, Randy Buchanan, Wanda Dunn, Elaine Ferguson, Jim Earles, Rick Spore



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Above: Students wait in line to order and pick up their freshly prepared food from the grill of Macon Coffee.

Above and right: Just about every night, one could find Macon Coffee packed with students hanging out with friends, eating, watching television, and playing Nintendo.



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## Macon's own "Central Perk"

The time of change came in the '97 spring semester when the doors of Club Macon closed, but as the saying goes, "change is good." On October 2, 1997, the doors to Macon Coffee opened with a new look, new food, new everything. R-MC students found Macon Coffee to be a new place to relax and socialize. Students also enjoyed the food options and prices.

The main intent of Macon Coffee was to cater to the financial demands and time schedules of the students on campus. Many students took advantage of the option of eating dinner on their meal card in Macon Coffee at a later time in the evening rather than in Estes Dining Hall or going out to fast food restaurants

and spending money.

Another advantage of Macon Coffee students seemed to appreciate was the change of environment. The college brought in couches, bar stools, televisions, computers, and a Nintendo system for everyone to enjoy. These little things made Macon Coffee a very comfortable place to hang out.

The big draw to Macon Coffee was the menu, though. A large array of gourmet coffees, cappuccinos, hoagies, fries, hamburgers, and pizzas had people lined up at the doors waiting for it to open at 7pm.

Whatever the reason for going to Macon Coffee was, it was a place that appealed to everyone and hopefully it will stay around for all to enjoy for a long time.

# Studying Outside of the United States

Studying abroad has always been encouraged at Randolph-Macon College. Whether it be for J-Term or for an entire semester, studying in a foreign country is considered a great way for students to learn about other cultures while becoming educated in academic areas.

## Chi Chi Castanengo

Twenty-two members of the R-MC community spent 12 days of J-Term in Guatemala, touring the country and working in an orphanage. The project supports youths ages 13-21 and provides them with a place to live, employment, and night schooling so they can further their education. The R-MC students stayed in the orphanage for 7 days of their trip. Their job there was to help dig a ditch for the water filtration system so the orphanage's new malnutrition center could have clean water. However, all of their time spent in Guatemala was not spent digging. They traveled around the country to Pana Jachel and Antigua.

## Wroxton College in England

Thirteen students traveled abroad to Wroxton College in England during this past J-Term. The students were from the education and economics departments. The top reason for the trip was to study British schools and economics. The education students attended classes every day while the economics students studied the European Union and international economics in class every day. As side trips, the group traveled to London where they visited Stonehenge,

Warwick Castle, and other historical sites.

## China

About ten R-MC students took the opportunity to travel to China to experience Chinese culture and way of life first hand. They visited attractions such as Tianamen Square, the Forbidden City in Beijing, the Great Wall. They also had the opportunity to observe the operation of a silk factory, the Chinese division of AT&T, and the Jade Buddha Temple in Shanghai. Besides touring the many sites in China, the R-MC group had the chance to interact and exchange ideas with Chinese college students from Capital Normal University in Beijing.

## France and Italy

Jen D'Agostino had the privilege of spending the year in Nice, France and Ande Redford spent the fall semester in Italy. Their experiences abroad were those of adaptation, patience, and learning. Although one semester seems like an eternity to be abroad, Jen and Ande's experiences were to make it through the setbacks, homesickness, and difficult times and to learn and grow from them. They both have become a stronger people due to their wonderful experiences.

R-MC prides themselves on their great opportunities to travel outside of the United States and study other cultures. These groups are only a few students who have taken part in such a wonderful educational experience.



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PROFESSOR OF  
HUMANITIES**

Thomas Inge



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DEPARTMENT**

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Below: A number of R-MC students got to experience the Chinese culture first-hand during J-Term.



Below: Sophomore Julie Smith was a part of helping the people of Chi Chi in Guatemala.



Far left: Wroxton College was the home to several R-MC students during their stay in England.

Below: Senior Ande Redford spent the fall semester in Italy studying and site-seeing.

Bottom: While in Chi Chi, R-MC students attended a church service at the local Methodist Church.



### INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

FRONT ROW: Bruce Unger, Tracy Tuten, George Lowry BACK ROW: Brian Turner, Howard Davis, David Brat



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FRONT ROW: Hannah Moyer, Elizabeth Sudduth, Chris Bryant, Joyce Latney, Alice Corin, Lily Zhang BACK ROW: Janci Caldwell, Shaun Mason, Cyndi Hartung, Raiha Howard, Jim Meyer, Dan Bedsole

Right: Political science professor, Earl L. "Bob" Koontz shared his expertise as a frequent lecturer in the Richmond and Ashland areas on the U.N. and China. He was also a member of the American Political Science Association, the American Society on International Law, and the Southern Political Science Association.

### **INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**

FRONT ROW: Jia Xin Wu, Thomas Porter, Earl Koontz  
 BACK ROW: William Reinhardt, Masahiro Yamamoto, Thomas Inge



### **WOMEN'S STUDIES**

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# In Loving Memory of Earl L. Koontz

Information provided by Office of Public Relations

Earl L. "Bob" Koontz, a member of the R-MC faculty since 1964, passed away April 9, 1998 at his Ashland home. He is survived by his wife, Pat Koontz; a daughter, Heather Koontz Gomez of Atlanta; and two brothers, Sam and Jim Koontz both of Harrisonburg.

Koontz, a professor of political science, was a specialist in the governments of Asia and Western Europe, international law, and the United Nations. He received a B.A. degree in foreign affairs from UVA in 1960 and earned his M.A. degree in political science from the UNC. He received a National Defense Education Fellowship for further study at Duke University. He also received the first UNC graduate internship to the United Nations and was later appointed the university's director for undergraduate interns at the U.N. From 1953 to 1957, Koontz served in the U.S. Air Force, attaining the rank of staff sergeant.

Born in Martinsburg, W. VA, Koontz grew up in Harrisonburg, VA. After completing his master's degree, he joined the R-MC faculty in 1964, serving as chairman of the department of political science from 1970 to 1996. Other positions he held were faculty advisor to the international affairs student organization at R-MC and later for six years as an advisor to the Collegiate Council of the United Nations, a national U.N. student organization,

approximately 20 years on R-MC's scholarship, Asian studies, and teacher preparation committees, and annually as an advisor to more than 30 students. In 1993, the General Board of Higher Education and Campus Ministry of the United Methodist Church gave him an Exemplary Teaching Award.

An active member of Duncan Memorial United Methodist Church, Prof. Koontz served on the church's board for 28 years and was vice-chairperson at the time of his death. He was also in his 30th year as a member of the church's Missions Committee, for which he was chairman for 10 years. He also served on the nominations, pastor-parish relations and finance committees, was involved in various gleaning programs to assist the hungry from the local level through the Society of St. Andrew, recruited members of other churches to participate and spoke on the district and local levels of the United Methodist Church about the society's work. He attended and advised the annual School of Missions for the Virginia Conference of the United Methodist Church for more than 20 years and helped organize Volunteers in Mission teams to go to areas of need in the U.S. and abroad.

A great man, Professor Earl L. "Bob" Koontz touched many, many people in his life from students to people abroad. He will be sadly missed by all.



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# Greek Life

Once upon a time, Greeks became known for their camaraderie and fierce competitiveness. At Randolph-Macon College, these two important aspects of Greek life are seen in the seven fraternities; Kappa Alpha, Kappa Sigma, Lambda Chi Alpha, Phi Kappa Sigma, Pi Kappa Alpha, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, and Theta Chi and four sororities; Alpha Gamma Delta, Delta Zeta, Kappa Alpha Theta, and Phi Mu.

Throughout the 1997-98 school year, Greek organizations conformed to new tailgating and party regulations, helped raise funds and collected goods for their respective philanthropies, attended annual events, and participated in numerous activities on and off campus. They also found time to bond with their sisters and brothers to form lifelong friendships.

Greek life is one of the many traditions still growing at R-MC. Although Greek life may not be the reason many chose to attend R-MC, those who do get involved gain friends and memories they will never forget.

# A Greek Rush '97 - '98

## Brotherhood & Sisterhood

**B** During Rush, the fraternities and sororities of Randolph-Macon College set out to find new members. At this time, new members learn about brotherhood and sisterhood, discover leadership opportunities and refine leadership skills, participate in various service organizations and philanthropies, and enjoy social functions.

**Γ** Throughout the week of rush, men discover that the meaning of brotherhood is understood only through first hand experience, and that no matter where they might decide to become members, the primary goals are to build values, traditions, honor, and friendship. Women begin to understand the importance of sisterhood as well:

**Δ** making lifelong friendships, providing a comfortable support system, encouraging individual goals and joining women together in friendship.



Above: ΔZ sisters put on a skit for Skit Night.



Below: Perspective rushees look at various sororities' paraphernalia.



Above: ΦΚΣ brothers and rushees get to know each other better.

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Below: ΦM rushees pose for a picture at bid turn in.



Below: Sisters share what it means to be a sister during the first night of Rush.



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## Skit Night

*Skit Night is a fun filled night during rush week. Sisters work hard putting together original skits to entertain rushees. This is a time of Rush when rushees get to see the closeness, fun, and to learn about each sorority. Pictured here are ΔZ sisters dressed as the men of "Grease" for their skit. Skit Night is always one of the most memorable nights of Rush.*



Above: ΦΚΣ brothers and rushees play a game of foosball.

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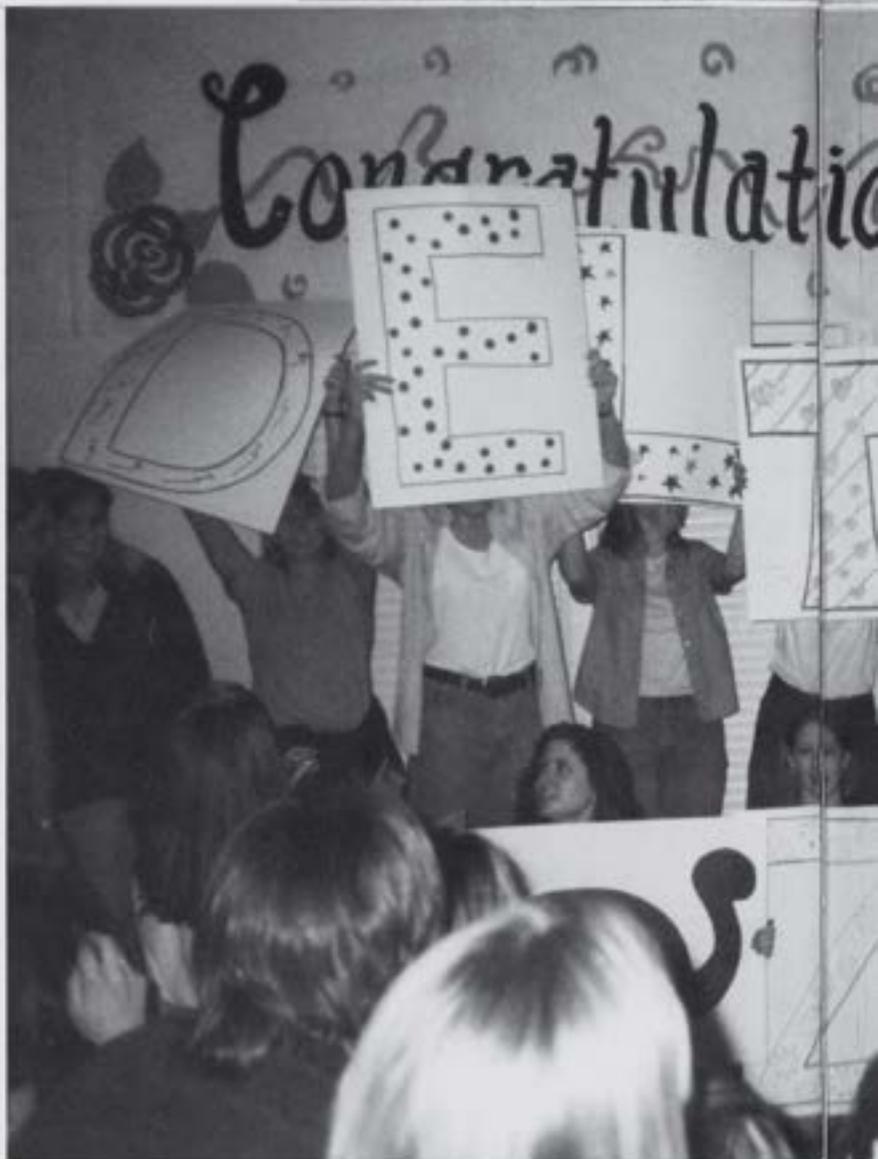
Below: Carreen Lawrence and Whitney Kazmerowski on Skit Night.



Below: ΔZ sisters enjoy a picnic in their backyard.



Above: The sisters at their new tailgate table at the Fountain Plaza.



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Left: New fall members play in the fountain after initiation.

Below: In the spring, ΔZ celebrated their new members.



# DELTA ZETA DELTA ZETA DELTA ZETA

Delta Zeta is now finishing up its sixth year as a part of the Randolph-Macon College Greek life system. Founded in October of 1902 at Miami University, Delta Zeta has kept growing through the years. The Omicron Zeta Chapter is quite active on campus. This year, as in years past, the sisters of Delta Zeta raised money for their philanthropy: Gallaudet University for the Hearing Impaired. The sisters' big fund-raiser was the Big Man On Campus pageant which students from all over campus enjoyed. Delta Zeta sisters do not only work hard for good causes, but also like to have a good time. They enjoy Winter Ball every fall and Rose Fest every April. This year Delta Zeta was fortunate enough to receive new members in both the fall and spring. Although Delta Zeta is the smallest sorority on Randolph-Macon College's campus, the Omicron Zeta Chapter is growing in leaps and bounds.



Above: Alecia Marzullo, Heather McTavish, Kim Jonas, Bekah Trimble, Jeannette Pugh, and Jaime Deafenbaugh hang out in the living room of the ΔZ house.







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Academic support was a key reason the four founders of Kappa Alpha Theta came together and scholarship continues to be Kappa Alpha Theta of Randolph-Macon College's number one aim. They hold a scholarship banquet to honor the achievements of their sisters every semester and also help support the academics of elementary school students through the Book Buddy Program. Kappa Alpha Theta's Philanthropy Court Appointed Special Advocates Association is an organization that assists abused and neglected children in the court system. In addition to providing resources for academic excellence and enhancing leadership skills, Kappa Alpha Theta offers its members another element of college life-FUN! They hold numerous social events including Crush Party, Spring Fling, Hayride, and Fall Formal.



Above: Heidi Powell, Marne Repetto, and Sarah McCarthy having some fun times together.



Right: These four KAO sisters smile big for the camera.

Below: All the sisters find time from their '98 Spring Fling to get a group photo taken.



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Below: KAΘ pledge class gathers around the fountain and Brian Lenertz.



Below: Ann Stratton, Emily Morse, Maria Scalise, Debbie Barry, and Lucy LoRomer enjoy their sisterhood and the time they spend together.



Middle: All decked out, a group of KAΘ sisters at their formal.



"Dear seniors,  
Your contribution to Theta over the past few years will be missed by us all. We wish you the best of luck."

Deb Barry & the rest of the Theta girls

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# KAPPA SIGMA KAPPA SIGMA KAPPA SIGMA

Kappa Sigma has been a part of R-MC for over 100 years. Starting anew in 1994, Eta Chapter currently consists of over 30 devoted brothers who participate in athletics, Christian Fellowship, Student Government Association, Drama Guild, and Campus Activities Board, along with many other campus organizations. Their pledge class, in cooperation with the strong upperclassmen leadership, has helped to promote and carry out the chapter goals. Each brother actively contributes to these fraternal goals of Fellowship, Scholarship, and Philanthropy. They participate in feeding the homeless and Habitat for Humanity. The Kappa Sigma close knit brotherhood is something these brothers will hold on to for their R-MC career and a life time.



Above: KΣ and ΔΖ sponsored a haunted yard for area kids to raise money for the Freedom House.



Right and below: "welcome to KΣ, where the brotherhood is real."



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Left: AXA brothers decked out for ΔZ's formal.



Left: The '98 Spring Associate members at the house Bid Turn In night.



Above: The AXA brothers pile in for the photo opportunity at their Christmas party.

Left: All the brothers take time out from their Luau for a group photo.

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Below: Dan Staats shows his stuff at Skull's Weekend.

Below top: Chris Getaz, Kirt Hunter, Tim Flagg, Tony Scatena, and John Smoot share some moments at Skull's Weekend.

Below middle: ΦΚΣ during Box City.



Above: For Halloween, Mark Abromaitis, Alex Herman, Matt Loda, Charlie Crittenden, Mike Crupi, and Tim Flagg dress up in costumes.

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Left: ΦΚΣ brothers and alumni during their Rush Banquet.

Below: Brothers and alumni enjoy Skull's Weekend.



# PHI KAPPA SIGMA PHI KAPPA SIGMA PHI KAPPA SIGMA

Founded in 1850 at the University of Pennsylvania, the Tau Chapter of Phi Kappa Sigma was established at Randolph-Macon College in 1872. Phi Kappa Sigma is now the second oldest fraternity on campus and through out the years has included very active members of campus. Many brothers are leaders in organizations such as the Judicial Board, Student Government Association, and Interfraternity Council. This Spring was the second time Phi Kappa Sigma received the Interfraternity Council Philanthropy Award. The Tau Chapter is full of brothers who exhibit great dedication to their philanthropy: the National Leukemia Society. With dedication, the first annual Phi Kap golf tournament to benefit the National Leukemia Society was able to come to fruition in the Spring of 1998. The brothers also participate in the Freedom House fund-raiser, "Box City." The Phi Kappa Sigma brothers at R-MC also know how to have fun. They participate in various social activities, the highlight of which is Skull's Weekend in the Spring, when they celebrate their brotherhood.



Above: Guests hang out at the ΦΚΣ house on a beautiful Skull's Weekend day.

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Left: Sally Yaugo and Kate Parker take a moment to smile for the camera while hanging out together.

Below: The sisters of Phi Mu get psyched for skit night during Rush in their Mardi Gras costumes.



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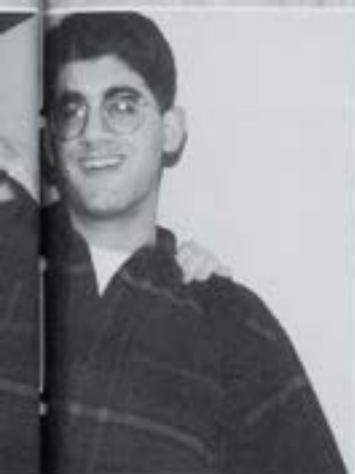
Founded at Randolph-Macon College in 1982, Phi Mu Fraternity is a family of friends working towards bettering themselves and the community in which they live. The Lambda Alpha Chapter is one of 129 chapters throughout the USA. Phi Mu is a group of diverse sisters who enjoy social functions, as well as social services together. Throughout the year, Phi Mu's enjoy mixers with fraternities, an annual Crush Party and Christmas Dance, and a Crab Feast in the Spring. They participate in small social services such as volunteering in soup kitchens and winterizing homes for the less fortunate throughout the year. Each Fall, as a group philanthropy, Phi Mu has a spaghetti dinner with proceeds going to the Children's Miracle Network, and in the Spring they dedicate their time to Project HOPE in a See-Saw-A-Thon. Phi Mu is a group of sisters who not only benefit from philanthropy opportunities and fun times year-round, but who also appreciate and benefit from the lasting friendships and bonds that are made their four years here at Randolph-Macon College.



Above: Laura Bolen, Whitney Hovland and Mandy Luxton are welcomed to Phi Mu by Laurin Merrick on Bid Turn-In.

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Left: Some ΠΚΑ brothers hanging out in their house enjoying good times with friends.

Below: Aaron Alberti having fun for the camera.



Above: Matt Meehan, Chip Hall, and friend hanging out together.

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Left: ΣΑΕ brothers and dates take time out from dinner for a picture.

Below: The Sigma Alpha Epsilon Virginia Alpha chapter.

The Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity was founded on March 9, 1856 at the University of Alabama in Tuscaloosa by eight young visionaries. The Virginia Alpha chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon was founded on November 11, 1967 at Randolph-Macon College. After the opportunity of an R-MC education and leadership within the strong brotherhood of Virginia Alpha, alumni have gone on to distinguished careers. The men of Virginia Alpha have always participated in projects within the community. In recent years, the projects have included participating in the Book Buddy program in the Hanover County School system, painting the Good Samaritan Inn in Richmond, and winterizing a home in the Ashland area. The Virginia Alpha Chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon provides important teachings and memorable experiences which last a lifetime, two things that no gentleman should do without.



Above: ΣΑΕ brothers enjoying fun times together.

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Theta Chi Fraternity was founded in the Old South Barracks of Norwich University in Vermont on April 10, 1856. The goal of the founders, Fredrick Norton Freeman and Arthur Chase was to "bind together the bonds of true brotherhood a group of congenial young college men..." Since their founding in Vermont, the fraternity has grown to 157 active chapters with 8 colonies and recently crossed the border into Canada to gain international status. Here at Randolph-Macon College, Gamma Chi became the 91st chapter of Theta Chi on May 14, 1949. The brothers of the Gamma Chi Chapter are known for their diversity and their leadership within the R-MC community. Several brothers also compete for R-MC in varsity athletics such as soccer, basketball, baseball, football, tennis, and lacrosse. Theta Chi's are also involved in Student Government Association, Campus Activities Board, Interfraternity Council, Drama, Judicial Board, and many more organizations. Brotherhood involvement on campus extends beyond the undergraduate members, as several alumni serve on R-MC's faculty such as Dr. Wooten, Dr. Scanlon, Prof. Berry, Prof. Keiser, and Coach Burns.



Above: Rafa Lugo caught on camera.



Below: ΘΧ brothers and friends, Dwight Williams, Sean McAloon, Mark Grissom, Mike Cowgill, Dave Brown, and Andrew Lengua enjoying fun times in the house.

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Below: Freshman David Dew became a new fraternity member of ΘΧ in the spring.



Above: ΘΧ brother Andrew Lengua.

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Right: Waiting patiently, KAΘ pledges get ready to "Bust a Move."

Below: Tomorrow! Tomorrow! AXA associate members Steve Ott and T. K. Dean entertain the crowd with their rendition of "Annie."



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Below: Kevin O'Connor concentrates on the dizzy bat race during Greek Games.



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### The Chariot Race

The Chariot Race is one of the most exciting events of Greek Games. Greek Games occurs at the end of Greek Week and is a way for the new members to show their spirit for their respective Greek affiliation. The popular Greek Games events include tug-of-war, dizzy bat race, and the chariot race. The picture above shows the start of the women's version of the chariot race. Each group must provide their own chariot and racers. Creativity is a huge part of the chariot race and other events of Greek Week.

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Above: ΔΣ demonstrates Greek spirit with their creative banner.

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Below: ΦΧ displays their Greek Week spirit in their articulate banner hung in the Campus Center.



Above: Two fraternity members are dressed in their lip-synch outfits ready for their turn to entertain the audience.

Left: AXA associate members, John Working, Sean Fields, Joe, Kehoe, Chuck Davis, and T.K. Dean show off their brute strength as brothers cheer them on.

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Left: Seniors Caroline Seaman and Sellers Davis have been KΑΘ sisters since Rush of their freshman year.

Right: ΦM sisters gather on their front steps before the most fulfilled night of Rush-Skit Night.

Below: Senior ΔZ sisters showing off their letters.



Right: Fraternity brotherhood is one of the closest bonds men have here at R-MC.

Far right: Enjoying one of the special times that goes along with the involvement of Greek life are Leslie Buhrman and Shelley Dunn.

Below: We don't want to know?!?!?



Far right: Brothers of ΠKA hanging out, enjoying good times with friends.

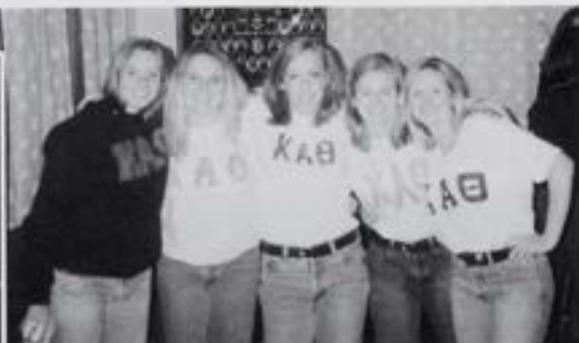
Right: Joe Seetoo and his date take time out for a photo at a ΣΑΕ formal.

Bottom right: Jim Beck and John Crocks show the closeness of their ΦΚΣ brotherhood.





Left: Although brothers in different fraternities, Cooper Pollard and Brent Waters were brought together by Greek life at a ΔΖ formal.



Above: KΑΘ pledges just learning the togetherness and closeness of Greek life.

Left: Non-Greek students enjoy Greek life through special invitations to parties and formals. Here Tim Flagg and Ande Redford looking good at a ΦΚΣ formal.



Far left and bottom middle: Sisters on and off campus, these ΔΖ women having fun in the Bahamas.

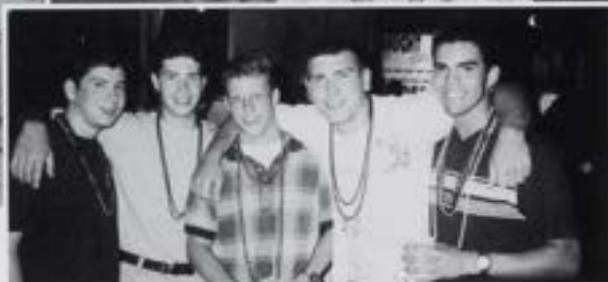
Left: These ΑΓΔ sisters enjoy the togetherness Greek life has brought them.

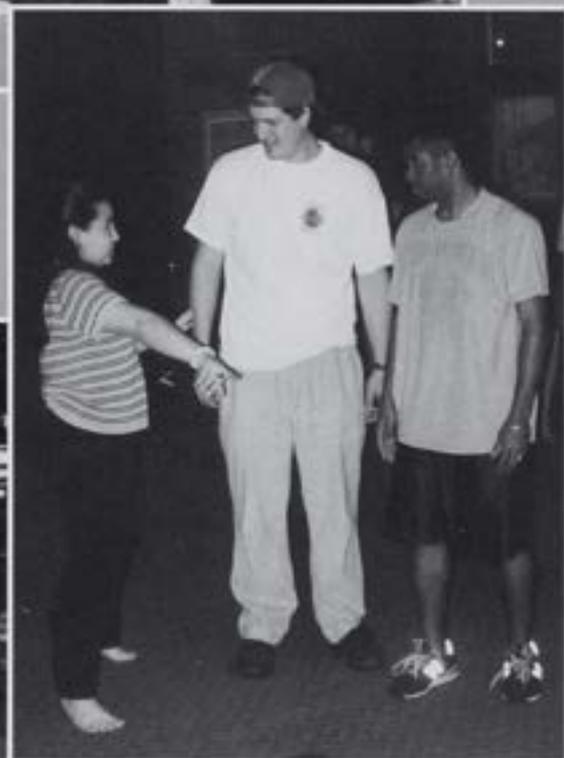
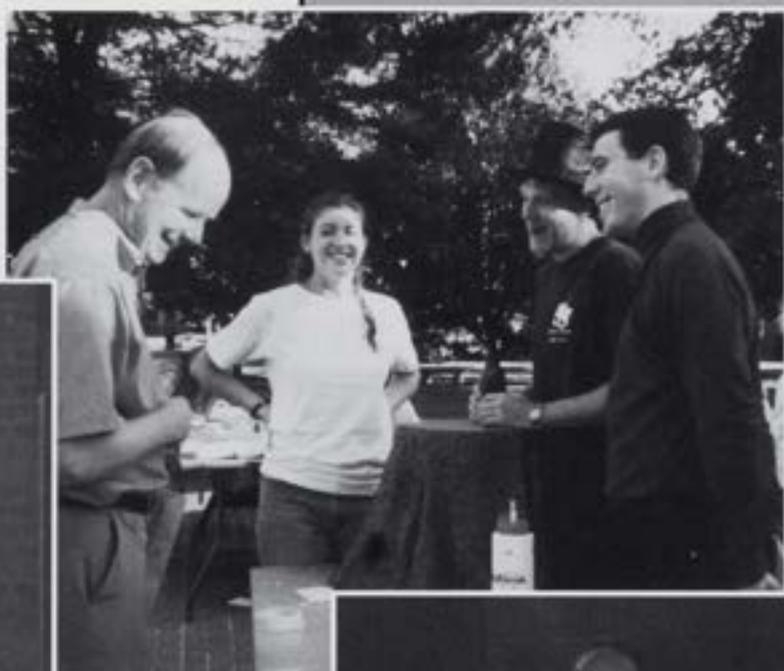
Below: The ΦΜ pledge class of '95 who are seniors now, had only just begun four years ago the friendships that would last a life time.



Left: Seniors Jenny McGregor and Maria Scalise have thanked KΑΘ for their close friendship.

Bottom: KΣ brothers at Mardis Gras in New Orleans show that they stick together everywhere and always.





# Organizations

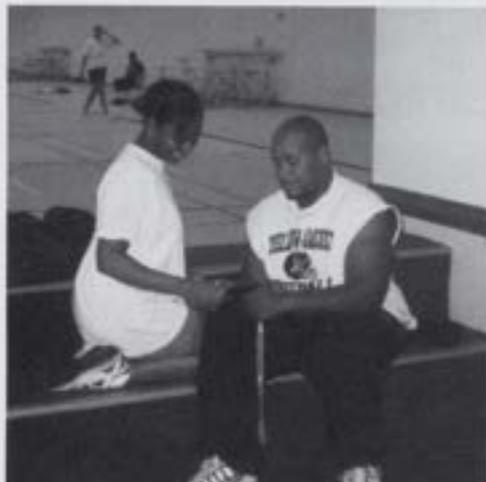
Once upon a time, school and community organizations were not very evident in many places. Schools or towns were too small to financially support organizations and much of the problem was the lack of participation and volunteers. The students of Randolph-Macon College have shown that organizations are very important to them and they get involved in everything they can.

Throughout the year, students were involved in various organizations as well as studying. Through the efforts of the Campus Activities Board's fall activities carnival, students were able to discover the different organizations on campus and find out how to get involved. The organizations found at R-MC range from entertainment groups, such as the Drama Guild and Improv, to administrative groups, such as the Student Government Association, to academic groups, such as Beta Beta Beta and Washington Literary Society, to current event groups, such as the Yellow Jacket Newspaper and Annual, and to athletic groups, such as intramurals and cheerleaders. Although many organizations and their efforts may seem to be unappreciated and unnoticed throughout the year, R-MC would be a boring place without its organizations and those who volunteer their spare time to run them. Campus organizations are important to the campus and help to make R-MC an enjoyable campus for all.

# Net Night

*A night of fun, games, prizes, sports, and hanging out with friends, thanks to the Intramural Board*

*Net Night was once again a highlighted event at R-MC. This semester event featured a men's and women's 3-on-3 basketball tournament, a coed volleyball tournament, a 3-point shoot-out and a slam-dunk contest. Students who attended this event shared a night filled with food, fun, and games. They also got a chance to win a free money giveaway. For the two lucky people who had the winning tickets, it meant money prizes of \$50 and \$100. The Net Night festivities, sponsored by the Intramural Board, occur at least once a semester, near final exam time to help students to relax and have some fun before they sit down to study. Net Nights are well remembered as crowd pleasing activities and is no wonder that they have become one of the many long standing traditional events found at R-MC.*



Above: Mychael Askew and Damon Pratt hanging out in the Brock Center during a Net Night.



Far right: Some of the volleyball tournament action of the spring Net Night.



Above: Showing off nice form is a competitor shooting in the 3-point contest at Net Night.



Right: Numerous students enjoying the activities of Net Night.



Far right: Not only did the Intramural Board sponsor Net Nights, they were also in charge of numerous other tournaments, such as Powder Puff, basketball, volleyball, and soft-ball. Here is a picture of the action of the final Team Basketball Championship game.

Right: Two competitors in the coed basketball tournament at Net Night.



**FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES**

FRONT ROW: Alex Herman, Debbie Marvel, Sarah Kleiner, Betsy Capers, Lee Garter BACK ROW: Christian Finningan, Jon Baltaglia, Sean McNamara, Fred Donahoe, Hunter Leemon, Chris Carr, Chris Sheppard, Shannon Warnick, Laura Herring, Parker Green



**RESIDENT HALL ASSOCIATION**

FIRST ROW: Meghan McSheffery, Rodney Pierce SECOND ROW: Cammie Tutwiler, Brook Wittine, Susan Kelly THIRD ROW: Dave Gohrband, Leigh Goodwin, Krissy Skinner, K. C. Hothem, Eric Scirto



**INTRAMURAL BOARD**

Chad Burns, Keith McMillan, Jim Blackburn, Jason Eichelberger



**OMICRON DELTA KAPPA**

FRONT ROW: Jonathan Weyer, Keith McMillan, Erin Sammons, David Brown, Chad Burns, Brent Waters BACK ROW: Bruce Unger, Brooke Baldwin, Jean Paxton, Heidi Powell, Whitney Kazmerowski, Dina Abbamondi, Robyn Deihl, Jamie Deafenbaugh, Jessica Gokee, Carreen Lawrence, Amy DeVitto, Brian Pirtima, Ira Andrews

Far right and right: Members of the Jazz Poets Society Band pump up the audience in the Brown Campus Center as an event for Black History Month.



**THE YELLOW JACKET WEEKLY**

FRONT ROW: Emily Morse, Kristen Leake, Krista Pfunder, Stacy Biddinger, Jennifer Collins BACK ROW: Keith McMillan, Ken Hanenburg, Garrett Gooch, Andrew Turner



**BLACK CULTURAL SOCIETY**

FIRST ROW: Kenya Jones, Charlitta Richardson, Adrian Hughes SECOND ROW: Damon Pratt, Melanie Allen, Brad Austin, Tamee Kendall, Mychael Askew, Ketsela Chapman, Bonita Archer, Shalise Bates, Heather Sheridan, Omar Bennett THIRD ROW: George Webb, Tonya Witcher, Dorian Cunio, Amanda Fubler, Mo Kohistani



**FRENCH AND SPANISH EMERGENT HOUSE**

TOP PHOTO: Jamie Durbin, Tracy Waugh, Mercedes Torres, Chris Hansford BOTTOM PHOTO FIRST ROW: Evelyn Brandt, Rosemary Carlin, Thad Selden SECOND ROW: Lauren Zagorski, Kim Hooper, Heather Sheridan THIRD ROW: Jeanette DeRosa

# Jazz Poets

*Jazz Poets rock the campus center*

By Keith McMillan

*The world of music is defined into categories. Often the categoric guidelines are so strict that music becomes predictable. The Jazz Poets Society is a group that defines predictability. They displayed their searing blend of poetry, jazz, and hip-hop to a quietly appreciative audience on February 10th. The crowd's reaction was as often one of sheer stupor as one of rhythmic head-nodding. Each song performed was a combination of three vocalists, two horn players, one drummer, and one man switching between bass guitar and upright bass. Their hip-hop and powerful freestyle music included contexts of social politics and love. Their performance was a dose of originality during a time when music is caught up in repetition. Much of it was spontaneous, which is part of the Jazz Poets Society flavor. The audience also enjoyed mingling, around getting to know the members of the musical group after their performance. It was a nice, upbeat, change of pace brought to us by the Black Cultural Society. Look for this group in the future at R-MC.*



Above and left: The Black Cultural Society sponsored the performance of the Jazz Poets Society in the campus center. The Jazz Poets Society rhythmically brought down the house on February 10, 1998.

# R-MC Students, Community Helpers

*Coming together to help a family in need*

*When a local family lost everything they owned in a fire two weeks before Thanksgiving, R-MC students were there to help. The R-MC community came together to provide food, money, toys, clothing, and friendly support to Ashland native Angela Miller and her family. Donations from SGA, IFC, Panhel, ΠΚΑ, ΛΧΑ, ΣΑΕ, ΘΧ, ΦΜ, ΦΚΣ, ΚΑ, ΚΣ, and ΑΓΔ were collected and the family received a check for \$650, but the support did not end there. The family also received a Thanksgiving dinner made possible by Bob Gordon and Estes Dining Hall. Further support came after students returned from Thanksgiving break. Through the efforts of the Community Service House and a campus wide e-mail, toys and clothing were collected for the family by students, faculty, and the administration, and were delivered just in time for the Christmas holiday. Ashland and surrounding counties can depend on Randolph-Macon College students and their continuous dedicated service whenever needed.*

Right and far right: Mark Donnelly, Angela Miller, and Jamison Barnett show off and look at all the gifts collected by the R-MC community.

Below: Lending a helping hand to Angela Miller are Mark Donnelly and Jamison Barnett.





Left: Mark Donnelly and Jamison Barnett help Angela Miller load all the collected items into her car to take home for her family to enjoy.



**IMPROV**

FRONT ROW: Barb Allen, Keith McMillan, Stephanie Meilinger BACK ROW: Shannon Warnick, Brian Pluta, Will Plum, Charles Raffetto, Jamie Allen, Corey Warnick Dean Browell



**CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP**

FIRST ROW: Carolyn Sutton, Caroline Kozonasky, Leigh Goodwin, Crystal Jones, Betsy Capers, Jeremy Gentry, Dan Clark, Kylie Spencer, Jennifer White SECOND ROW: Tommy Royston, Doug Turner, Will Plum, Parker Green, Kevin Gill, Tom Plum, Bill Wheatly, Kara Smith, Lauren Herring, Chris Carr, Rev. Darryl Headrick, Steve Brigido, Beth Savelle, Katie Haskins THIRD ROW: Katie Hawhurst, Brook Wittne, Kathy Negaard, Susan Anderson, Todd Elise, Mark Donnelly



**INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL**

FRONT ROW: Chris Carr, Rich Gordon, Kevin White, John LeLay BACK ROW: Jason Lilly, Mark Donnelly, Troy Anderson, Jim Beck, Dan Staats, Andrew Turner, Joe Carney, Steve Wiseman, Charlie Crittenden, Brian Sullivan, Trey Lawhorn, Ian Gordon



**STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION**

FRONT ROW: Heather Sheridan, Mark Donnelly, Megan Munsey BACK ROW: Chip Hull, Andre Elliot, Heather McTavish, John LeLay, Brooks Garris, Steve Wiseman, Whitney Kazmerowski, Nicole Pugar, Meghan McSheffery, Marian Rosaaen, Mandy Beasley, Andrew Turner, Hunter Leemon, Jean Paxton, Kenny Vialva, Peggy McCauley

Far right: The Drama Guild is one of the largest groups on campus. Here Caine MacLeod signs up as James Allen looks on.



Right: Linda Thomas, Dan Clark, and Professor Beth Gill sit at the sociology table ready to give out information to those interested.



**CAMPUS ACTIVITIES BOARD**

FIRST ROW: Linda Thomas, Cameron Wise, Jeremy Gentry SECOND ROW: Heather McTavish, Marian Rosaaen, Colleen Jenkins, Stephanie Parady, Robyn Diehl, Jaime Deafenbaugh, Alecia Marzullo, Debbie Marvel, Brook Wittine, Julie Pryor, Becky Thatcher THIRD ROW: Diana Skinner, Jenny Moreau, Joe Rezabeck



**PANHELL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL**

Betsy Hulick, Stefanie Sturtevant, Jenny Moreau, Danielle Pallia, Johanna Carroll



**CHI BETA PHI**

FRONT ROW: Caroline Thompson, Page Waugh, Dina Abbamondi, Anne Kugler, Lucy LoRomer BACK ROW: Drew Rhodes, John Jordan, Tom Plum, John LeLay



**SOCIOLOGY CLUB**

FIRST ROW: Mycheal Askew, Shamika Talley, Lindsey Huffman SECOND ROW: Tommy Royston, Page Waugh, Linda Thomas, Lisa Bonvegna, Kim Callazzo, Caroline Seaman, Elizabeth Gill THIRD ROW: Trey Lawhorn, Dan Clark, Ashley Tyner, Kevin Simonds, Lacie Litz, Laura Axelle

# Activities Carnival

*Time to sign up, see what's here, and have fun*

Once again the Campus Activities Board sponsored the annual activities carnival in the fall semester. Numerous clubs and organizations were represented to enhance the carnival's theme of attracting new members to their respective organizations. It was a time for students to learn about the many different clubs and organizations on campus and to obtain information about how to become a member. Tables were set up around the fountain plaza and were manned by students and faculty to answer questions about each organization. Every participating group had sign-up sheets and information packets including background information and mission statements for existence on R-MC's campus. Not only were the various clubs and organizations there, but there were also refreshments, entertainment, and games which added some extra excitement to the day. One of the main attractions of the activities carnival other than the clubs and organizations was the Velcro Wall. Students took turns jumping high and sticking themselves to the wall. This annual event provided students with the opportunity to learn more about R-MC and how to get involved in campus activities.



Above: Students enjoyed finding out information about campus organizations and hanging out with friends.



Above: Looking for singers, the Ujima Gospel Choir members attended the Activities Carnival.



Left: The Velcro Wall was a big attraction at the Campus Activities Board Activities Carnival.

# Lights, camera, action!

*Productions of a number of contributors*

The Randolph-Macon College Drama Guild works in many different ways to perform a play in Old Chapel Theatre on campus. It consists of much more than actors. Students come together to perform a multitude of tasks that go into a show. They may be working at directing, writing, technical work, set construction, ushering, acting, or any of the other essential jobs. A great deal of work goes into a production, but the Drama Guild has a variety of social functions. Having picnics, parties, movie nights, and traveling off campus to see professional and college theatre are among the activities that the students enjoy. Among this year's activities, the Drama Guild went to Henry Clay Elementary School to do a variety of Halloween skits for their Fall Festival. At the end of the year, the "Roast Awards" was held where several students received infamous awards for their individual quirks.

The Drama Guild is made of a variety of people. Outside of the drama majors and minors, a number of people pursuing various majors as well as athletes and fraternity brothers and sorority sisters come together to share a common goal. Theatre is a year round activity. Some students involve themselves in every production while many participate when they are able. The Drama Guild brings different people, who might not have met, into a team to work and play together, to share ideas, and form relationships that are never forgotten.



Above: Two members of the Drama Guild busy rehearsing for the opening night.



#### **DRAMA GUILD**

FIRST ROW: Evelyn Brandt, Areanda Moore, Stormy Koiner, Ashley Stingle, Brian Pluta  
SECOND ROW: Christina Batiato, Dorian Cunion, Adrian Hughes, Barbara Allen, Stephanie Mellinger  
THIRD ROW: Devon Mattys, LaKiesha Joia, Elizabeth Getaz, Julie Hyman, Faith Spear, Sarah McFather, Kathryn Timmons, Catherine Lowry, Laura Coleman, Carrie Kozonasky, Blaze Miller, Megan Munsey  
FORTH ROW: Marcy Zahornacky, Joe Beavis, Jen Ritche, Keith McMillan, Nick Karry, Dean Browell  
FIFTH ROW: Joe Mattys, Thomas Nelson, Matthew Smith, Cory Warnick, Adam Carroll, Shannon Warnick, Charles Raffetto, James Allen



Left: Busy reading the paper? No, just part of the act.



Left: Adrian Hughes reciting his lines during drama rehearsal.



**STUDENT VIRGINIA EDUCATION ASSOCIATION**

Lauren Condrey, Jenny Moreau, Sheila Mills



**ORDER OF OMEGA**

FIRST ROW: Matthew Marshall, Susan Pope, Mark Donnelly, Dina Abbamondi SECOND ROW: Becky Conley, Jaime Deafenbaugh, Amanda Hale, Jenny McGregor, Becky Bealer, Kate Gaskins, Laura Gilmour, Carreen Lawrence, Kevin White THIRD ROW: John Jordan, Carol Hargrett, Jason Matthews, Troy Anderson, David Brown, Jim Speede, Barclay Dupriest, Sam Kennedy, Bob Gordon, Art Conway



**BETA BETA BETA**

FRONT ROW: John Jordan, Kristin Hriniaik, Kate Whitacre, Kerri Smith, Bocky Walker, Dina Abbamondi, Anne Kugler, Bren Elliot SECOND ROW: Art Conway, Drew Rhodes, Leslie Buhrman, Joe Carney, Caroline Thompson, Page Waugh, Tom Plum, John LeLay



**YELLOW JACKET ANNUAL STAFF**

FIRST ROW: Laura Bolen, Ande Redford SECOND ROW: Tanya Robinson, Megan Davis, Linda Thomas THIRD ROW: Candace Abbott, Jamie Durbin

Right: Showing their spirit even in the rain are the R-MC football cheerleaders.



**SOCIETY FOR COLLEGATE JOURNALISTS**  
 Krista Plunder, Keith McMillan, Tanya Robinson



**VOLUNTEERS IN ACTION**  
 FIRST ROW: Tommy Royston, Julie Smith, Tamoko Miyagawa SECOND ROW: Carrie Kozonasky, Rosabeth Ward, Ashley Stingle THIRD ROW: Kevin Gill, Amanda Key, Tesi Wiemer, Kimytta Fairley, Tagean Doyle, Julie Pryor, Jaime Daalenbaugh, Matthew Smith



**WASHINGTON LITERARY SOCIETY**  
 Robin Silberman, Christi Brown, Jonathan Weyer, Chad Edwards, Brandi Adams, Laura Gawlinski, Kori Ward, Anne Kugler



**SOCIETY OF PHYSICS STUDENTS**  
 Alvin Carter, Will Plum, Thad Seldon,

# Cheerleaders for R-MC

*Long time, no cheer*

*Cheerleaders return to boost R-MC spirit after a three year absence. There has always been an interest in a cheerleading squad at R-MC, but it was a matter of administrative backing and numbers. About 20 - 25 women expressed a deep interest to sophomore Tarnee Kendell who got the ball rolling. Eventually, support came from admissions counselor Tonia Rolle, coordinator of Greek life Renee Ashe, SGA, and CAB. They began meetings and practices in September and brought it together by the Homecoming football game October 18th. The squad consisted of mostly freshman, but almost all the women had some type of previous cheerleading experience including some national competitions. They only cheered at home games this year, but stayed together through the fall sports season and the winter sports season. If you went to football, women's, and men's basketball games, you probably saw the peppy spirit of the R-MC cheerleaders. Although this year was the first year for the cheerleaders since 1994, they were a great addition to school spirit and will continue to be a success in the forthcoming years.*



Above: The R-MC cheerleaders cheered their hearts out during the Homecoming game.



Above: Just like other organizations, the cheerleaders became very close friends from their long hours of practice and togetherness at games.

Below: Missy Bass and Kate Parker happy to be in Cancun.

Right: Alecia Marzullo and Scott Newman take time for a Kodak moment.



Below: Heidi Powell and Cindy Norris decorate Dr. Schreiner's office for his birthday.

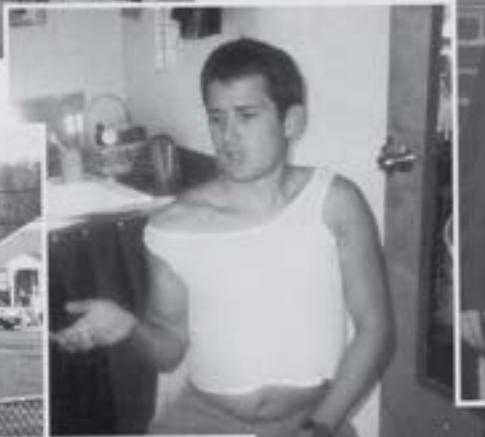


Far right: Kevin White and friend show their pearly whites.



Middle: Being his goofy-self is Seth Clabough.

Below: Several times throughout the year, one can look out to Day Field and see something that does not quite belong.



Right: Sidney Chappell, Kim Callazzo, Scott Tucker, Jonathan Talley, Brian Lansing, and Cheney Patrick having a great time during spring break in Cancun.



Far right: Looking for the monster in Loch Ness, Scotland are Nick Karry and Doc Peterson.





Left and below: Taking a little break during Earth Day festivities and in the library.



Far left: Scott Currie and Dr. Poon ate alot of shrimp at the ACS Convention in Dallas, Texas.

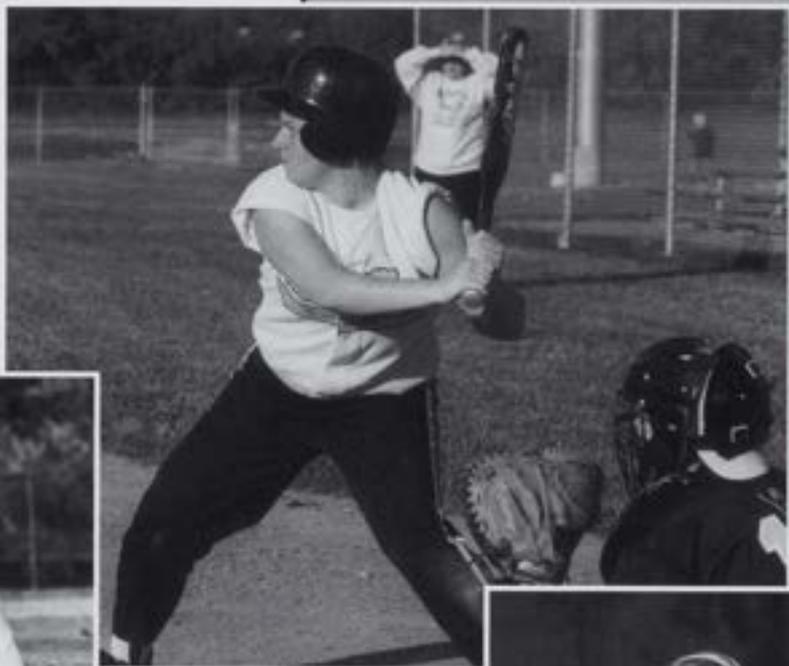
Farleft: Diana Skinner, Jamie Deafenbaugh, Cameron Wise, Betsy Capers, and Bekah Trimble at the national Association of Campus Activities Regional Conference in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Below: ΦM pledges hanging out with some AXA brothers.



Left: Tim Mahew riding a mechanical bull in Cancun.

Left: Passing books down the line are Shelley Dunn, Kimberly Beckerdite, and Sheila Mills during Super Service Saturday.



# Athletics

Once upon a time the tradition of athletics at Randolph-Macon College was started with football, baseball, and men's basketball. In 1998, the tradition continues with a total of seven men's teams: football, soccer, basketball, lacrosse, tennis, golf, & baseball, & seven women's teams: soccer, field hockey, basketball, lacrosse, volleyball, tennis, & club softball.

During the 1997-98 school year, Yellow Jacket Athletics proved to be very successful. All R-MC athletic teams combined for a 145-90-1 overall record and an 82-39-1 ODAC record. The football team was tri-ODAC Champions & the women's basketball & men's basketball teams finished as the Regular Season ODAC Champions. Other teams were very close to the top. Finishing as ODAC Runner-up were the field hockey & women's soccer teams & second place in the regular season were the volleyball & women's lacrosse teams.

Athletics has always been a great tradition at R-MC. The success of all the programs has brought many talented athletes here. With continued success, the tradition of athletics at R-MC will be evident for all time.

**MOMENTS BEFORE IMPACT**

Right: Showing off her form, Beth Kirby, one of five players to start every game, is about to kick the ball away.



**LET'S TANGO**

Far right: ODAC Co-Player of the Year Jenny McGregor blocks off her Nazareth opponent.



**MINE, NOT YOURS**

Below: Senior, Linsey Huffman battles her opponent for the ball as Carrie Winkler looks on.



**Scores**

	RMC	OPP
Notre Dame	1	0
Elizabethtown	3	4
Shippensburg	2	4
Sweet Briar	6	0
Guilford	4	0
Roanoke	4	1
Cornell Col.	9	1
Lynchburg	1	1
E & H	13	0
Southwest U.	3	0
Mary Wash.	2	6
Nazareth	1	2
Hollins	7	1
NC Wesleyan	1	2
VA Wesleyan	3	0
Methodist	3	0
W & L	0	1
VA Wesleyan	2	0
Lynchburg	0	1



**WOMEN'S SOCCER TEAM**

FRONT ROW (L-R): Sarah Presson, Beth Kirby, Jenny McGregor, Lindsey Huffman, Sally Kleiner, Carrie Plunkett. MIDDLE ROW (L-R): Aimee Beightol, Ellen Calcaterra, Sarah Williams, Cheryl Dickter, Tara Manson, Colleen Jenkins, Katie Mehrling, Allison Beightol. BACK ROW (L-R): Missy Derr, Julianne Jackson, Jen Dadura, Liz Skorny, Carrie Winkler, Wendy Winkler, Mara Richardson, Amy Usher.



## Rebuilding season...

**A**lthough they made it to the championship game, and ended the season with an impressive 13-7-1 record, it was not enough for the women's soccer team. This year was an unusual rebuilding year for them.

The team lost seven senior starters from last year's squad, but gained some young, talented freshman. The freshman women alone produced 50 goals and 33 assists.

The Yellow Jackets still dominated Notre Dame (Md.), Roanoke, and Methodist, which proved that women's soccer was still a very strong program. It was a season for the women to get used to each other's specialties. The next few years should be very successful in keeping the tradition of ODAC Championships and NCAA Tournament bids for the women's soccer team going.



### AHOLD ON THINGS

Top: Junior Allison Beightol pushes her opponent out of her way so she can help her team to victory.

### IN FULL STRIDE

Above: Missy Derr, a freshman midfielder, stays one step ahead, showing her speed.



### COMING THROUGH

Left: Junior sweeper, Amiee Beightol passes through two W & L players to go up field.



### SCREENED OFF

Left: Positioning herself between her opponent and the ball, Cheryl Dickter shows why she was the only freshman to start every game for the Yellow Jackets.

**THE FIGHT FOR THE BALL**  
 Right: John LeLay #4 attempts to keep the ball from an opponent. LeLay started in all 19 games played and helped the team to a winning season.

## Full of promise...

**T**he men's soccer team had a great season in 1997 ending with a 12-7-0 record.

Looking back at some of their big wins, the Yellow Jackets shut out Salisbury State, Allentown, Bridgewater, Catholic, and Guilford while out-scoring these opponents, 21-0.

Leading the offense was junior, Gray Thouron, (9 goals), junior Mark Grissom, (8 goals), freshmen Scott Eley, (7 goals), and Josh Laux, (6 goals). With this young talent returning next season, the men's soccer team is full of promise to help themselves achieve an ODAC Championship.



**QUICK, GET RID OF THE BALL**  
 Above: Freshman Paul Clark #13 tries to keep the ball in Yellow Jackets favor. Paul had a successful first season as a Yellow Jacket.



**SET UP THE PLAY**  
 Far right: Junior Gray Thouron #12 outruns his opponents with the ball. Gray was among the highest scorers on the team.



**CONCENTRATION**  
 Above: Merritt Lentz #5 rolls with the ball down the field in hopes of scoring. Merritt played in all 19 games of the season and started 18.

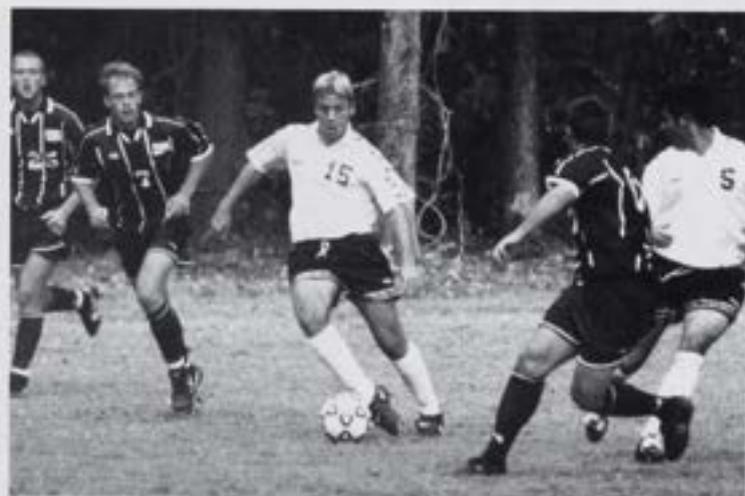
## MEN'S SOCCER TEAM

FRONT ROW (L-R): Aaron Coleman, Matt Driscoll, Paul Clark, Bayne Keenan, James Sprinkle, John LeLay, Robert Messinger, Scott Eley, Josh Laux. MIDDLE ROW (L-R): Jeff Kyle, Gray Guy, Mark Grissom, Fraser Schaufele, Robert Lentz, Merritt Lentz, Tim Hawk, Brian Bear, Chapman Wright, Steve Wiseman. BACK ROW (L-R): Jim Honig, Robert Messick, Trevor Risk, David Dew, Ben Armstrong, Gray Thouron, B.T. O'Keefe, David Brown



## Scores

	RMC	OPP
Lebanon Valley	5	2
Salisbury State	3	0
Conn. College	1	2
Allentown	3	0
Longwood	1	0
Roanoke	0	3
Shenandoah	4	2
Emory & Henry	2	0
NC Wesleyan	2	0
Bridgewater	6	0
H-SC	2	3
Catholic	4	0
VA Wesleyan	0	5
Guilford	6	0
Mary Wash	1	2
Wash & Lee	2	1
Lynchburg	7	4
E Mennonite	2	4
*E Mennonite	1	2
*ODAC Tournament		



### THREADIN' THE NEEDLE

Above: Scott Eley #15 and Merritt Lentz #5 fight off the opposing team. Scott was the team's leading scorer while merely a freshman.

### PRO HANDLING

Far left: Mark Grissom #11 handles the ball well as he wards off his opponents. Mark, a junior, was among the leading scorers for the Jackets.

### EYE ON THE BALL

Left: Sophomore midfielder, Chapman Wright #3 charges the ball at the expense of his opponent.

#### IN THE CLEAR

Middle: #25, captain, Erin Sammons uses her speed to carry the ball into the open space.

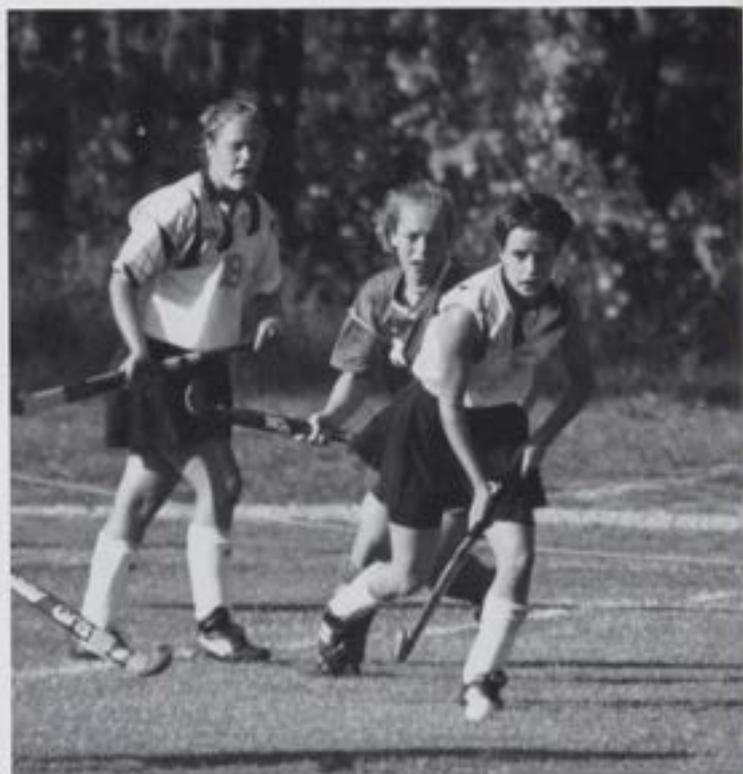
#### GET OUTTA HERE

Below: Aggressively pushing the ball out of the defensive end is senior captain, Julie Pryor.



#### SHE'S ON HER WAY

Right: R-MC forward, Mary Beth Sammons dribbles the ball toward the goal. Teammate, Jamie Durbin follows in support.



## One for the record books

**T**he Field Hockey team finished the season with the school record for the most season wins with 13. Their overall record was 13-6 and their ODAC record was 6-2.

The season was highlighted with an overtime game with ODAC powerhouse EMU and shutting out Div. II rivals Longwood (2-0) and Catawba (1-0). Another highlight was hosting and playing the ODAC Championship game against EMU where the Yellow Jackets earned Runner-up.

Other records broken on the season were most goals scored in a season (19) and most points in a season (25) by Erin Sammons. Goalkeeper Tanya Robinson also broke nine school records in her four year career: most saves in career (829), most career shut-outs (18), and most career minutes played (4802), are a few.

You can bet that the R-MC Field Hockey team will be back next year looking for that ODAC Championship.

#### DOWN AND READY

Right: The defensive line, Alice Collins, Tanya Robinson, Kate Daniecki, Casey Latrobe, and Julie Pryor, ready to protect the goal cage on a penalty corner.



Photo courtesy of Mr. Daniels



#### THE NEW BEALER DANCE

Left: Senior captain, Becky Bealer dances around the ball to block off the VA Wesleyan player. Kate Daniecki, Jessica Burke, and Alice Collins line up behind for support.

#### BABA

Below: On a short corner, Jamie Durbin and Kate Daniecki exemplify how R-MC's Field Hockey team was "Being A Bad A\*\*\*" against Roanoke. RMC 2 and Roanoke 1.



#### JUST ANOTHER SAVE

Middle: Senior goalkeeper, Tanya Robinson makes one of her 232 saves of the season while Alice Collins does her best to help out.

#### STOP ON A DIME

Below: Forward, Karen Gibbs stops the ball dead and gets ready to make her move up field.



#### FIELD HOCKEY TEAM

FRONT ROW (L-R): Kristin Hrinak, Candace Abbott MIDDLE ROW (L-R): Amy Whitcomb, Alice Collins, Megan Mc Dade, Julie Pryor, Erin Sammons, Becky Bealer, Sara Campbell, Tanya Robinson BACK ROW (L-R): Assistant Coach Annie Pelliccio, Kara Robertson, Elizabeth Parker, Mary Kathleen Puccinelli, Casey Latrobe, Jamie Durbin, Becky Brandt, Kate Daniecki, Mary Beth Sammons, Karen Gibbs, Peggy McCauley, Jessica Burke, Megan Munsey, Coach Missy Ackerman

#### Scores

	RMC	OPP
Hollins	5	0
Bridgewater	2	1
College of Notre Dame	0	1
Lynchburg	2	4
Sweet Briar	8	0
Longwood	2	0
EMU (OT)	2	3
E-Town	3	1
RMWC	2	0
Roanoke	2	1
Catholic	1	3
Frostburg St.	2	0
Kenyon	3	2
VA Wesleyan	3	2
Mary Wash	3	4
Catawba	1	0
VA Wesleyan	3	2
Roanoke	4	2
EMU	0	3

#### GUARD IT WITH YOUR LIFE

Right: R-MC's #24, Mike Klazas, stiff arms his way through the opposing team while #51, Charlie Crittenden, throws a block for him.

#### OUTTA MY WAY!

Right: Junior, Jon Wells, protects the ball from an oncoming tackle by a Gettysburg player.

#### GO FOR IT ALL

Below: Mike Hurt, #21, R-MC's secret offensive weapon, dives for maximum yardage as #39 George Webb comes to help out. Hurt led the team in net rushing yards (572) and 7 rushing touchdowns.

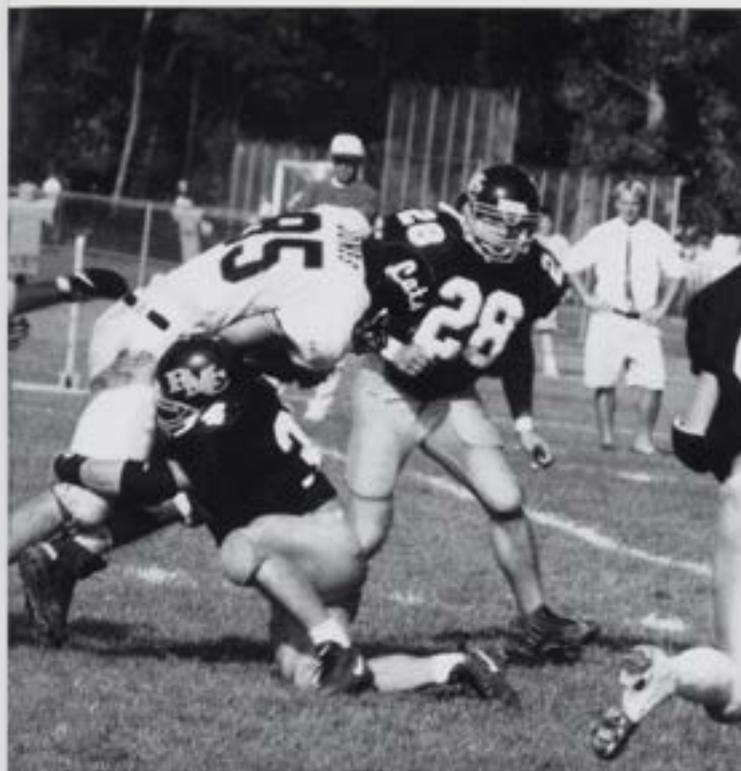


## Scores

	RMC	OPP
F & M	37	25
Catholic U.	21	34
Chowan Col.	38	3
W & L	24	3
Gettysburg	44	13
E & H	27	20
Davidson	22	15
Guilford	21	35
Bridgewater	37	20
H-SC	49	18



1ST ROW: Joe Inge, Jamison Barnett, Mike Klazas, Dave LaBelle, George Bland, Chad Burns, Joe Seeto, Sidney Chappell, Kevin Simonds, Michael Hurt, Neal Ferguson, Brent Waters. 2ND ROW: Jason Matthews, Bailey Martin, Scott Tucker, Joe Kehoe, Chuck Davis, Keith McMillan, Jon Crooks, Jason Eichelberger, Francel Smith, Josh Lively, Dusty Beekman, Bryan Esmond. 3RD ROW: Joe Carney, Damon Pratt, William Massello, Mike Cooke, Ryan Boggs, Mohammad Kohistani, D'Andre Murray, Steve Lawhun, Charlie Crittenden, Bart Dexter, B. J. Lanier, Pat Mahon. 4TH ROW: Paul Thalheimer, George Webb, Wil Brush, Ben Johnson, Brian Parlow, Steve Ott, Jason Bardnell, Jon Wells, Chris Mercer, Phillip Hutter, Josh Williams. 5TH ROW: Dorian Cunion, Mike Rea, Rick Albrecht, Jonathon Thompson, Shawn Fields, Mike Dellinger, John Working, Ryan Sheck, Tim Nolan, Scottie Brubeck. 6TH ROW: Sean Eaton, Adrian Hughes, Peter Cain, Jason Shumway, Aaron Perkins, Brian Moore, Kevin Cherwa, Willie Jarmon, Sean Sullivan, Jared Herring, Chris Valis. 7TH ROW: Jessica Applegate, Brandy Price, Richard Lilly, Brad Alston, Jeff Bublitz, T. K. Dean, John Battaglia, Matt Wiggins, Derek Stout, Steve Rennick, Craig Reed, Clint Sullivan. 8TH ROW: Alvin Carter, Jon Reinmuth, Brian McGehee, Ed Hodgkiss, Brent Gilchrist, Will Kitchen, Curtis Schultz, Scott Boone, Martin White, Mark Puccinelli, Aaron Boston, Bren Elliot, Brittany Hott, Cristyn Barns, Alex Carter, Kenya Jones.



#### THE BUCK STOPS HERE

Left: R-MC #34, Joe Seeto, successfully stops a Davidson runner, while teammate Steve Lawhun, #28 waits to back him up.



#### WHAT FORM

Middle: Senior, Sidney Chappell, was the starting quarterback for '97. He was named the ODAC Player of the Year this season.

#### YOU'RE NOT GOING ANYWHERE

Below: R-MC's #1, Kevin Simonds, stops the run of the W & L player in the R-MC victory Parent's Weekend.



## A Story book season...

**T**he 1997 football team was a force to be reckoned with. Under the guidance of first year head coach Scott Boone, the Yellow Jackets ended their season with an 8-2 record and a share of the ODAC Championship with both Guilford and Emory & Henry.

The season was filled with nail biting, down to the wire action. Two weeks in row, the Jackets came from behind to win. They beat E & H 27-20 on Homecoming Weekend and then Davidson 22-15. With the success of this year's campaign, the years to come could be just as exciting.

#### GET BACK HERE

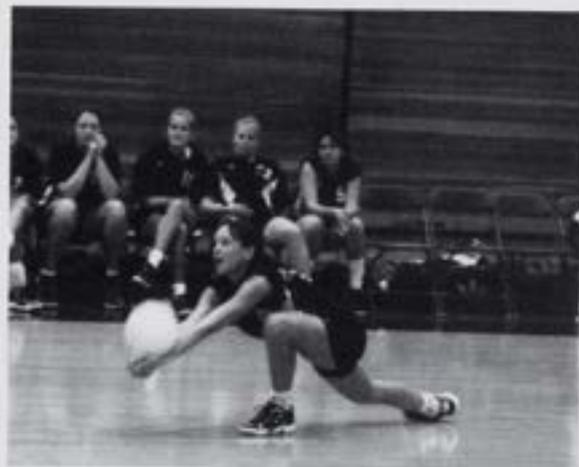
Left: Senior Keith McMillan, #26, sacks the Cats' quarterback from behind. Keith had a total of 32 yards on 4 interceptions for '97.

## VOLLEYBALL TEAM

FIRST ROW (L-R): Kim Hooper, Leslie Buhrman, Mandy Beasley, Carrie Wells SECOND ROW (L-R): Brandi Moore, Katie King, Sarah Flood, Meghann Morris, Tonya Witcher THIRD ROW (L-R): Kyla Ward, Ashley Anderson, April Collins, Kristen Leake

## Scores

NC Wesleyan	15-7, 10-15, 15-8, 15-11
Mary Wash	1-15, 6-15, 2-15
Christopher	
Newport	5-15, 15-10, 15-5, 7-15 19-17
Guilford	8-15, 15-1, 15-11, 15-4
Maryville	15-8, 15-11, 17-19, 15-7
Greensboro	15-8, 15-11, 18-16
Sweet Briar	15-8, 15-6, 15-5
Guilford	15-11, 15-9, 15-10
Marymount	15-5, 10-15, 15-8, 15-12
Thomas More	4-15, 3-15, 9-15
Averett	14-16, 7-15, 13-15
EMU	15-13, 15-10, 4-15, 12-15, 15-12
Maryville	15-6, 15-7, 4-15, 9-15, 10-15
Hollins	15-6, 12-15, 15-6, 15-10
RMWC	15-12, 7-15, 16-14, 16-14
Bridgewater	5-15, 11-15, 15-12, 9-15
Roanoke	11-15, 15-8, 15-1, 8-15, 15-13
E & H	15-6, 15-8, 6-15, 15-11
W & L	6-15, 11-15, 8-15
Messiah	15-2, 15-17, 15-8, 9-15, 14-16
Stockton	8-15, 15-9, 15-9, 9-15, 15-9
Susquehanna	15-4, 15-7, 15-12
EMU	12-15, 15-8, 8-15, 15-4, 15-12
Lynchburg	15-12, 15-6, 15-10
Lynchburg	7-15, 15-10, 13-15, 4-15

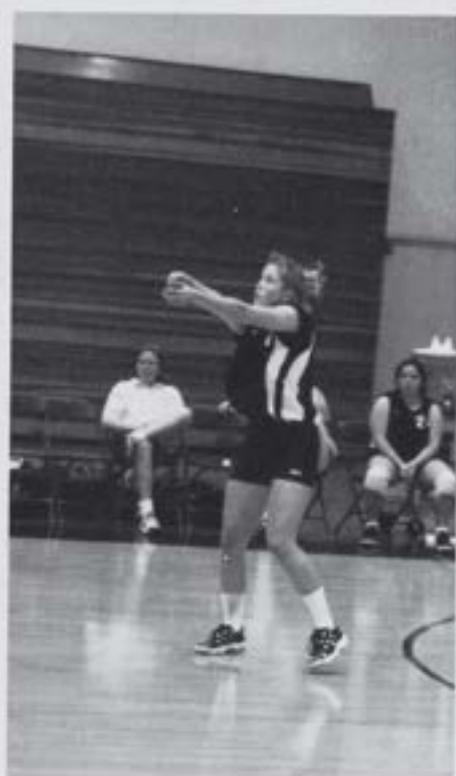


**HOW LOW CAN SHE GO?**  
Above: Junior captain Mandy Beasley goes low for the dig.

**DOUBLE TEAM**  
Middle: Tonya Witcher and Carrie Wells jump high above the net in attempt to block the ball.



**GOING INTO ORBIT**  
Right: Katie King concentrates on the ball as she makes a strong defensive return.





#### HIGH FIVE

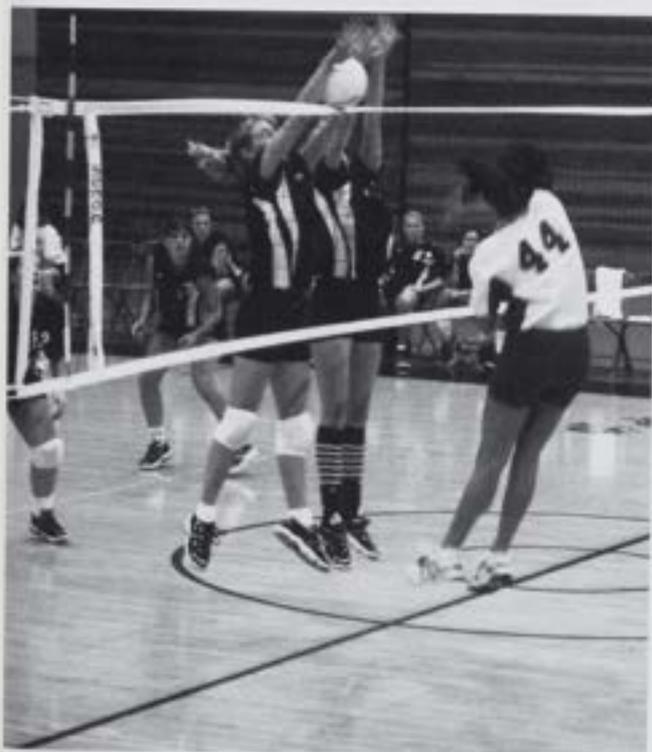
Left: The team brings it together to celebrate winning a point and 17 matches.

#### THE WALL

Bottom: Senior Leslie Buhrman and sophomore Meghann Morris deny the rifled hit by their opponent.

#### ON TARGET AND READY

Below: Getting some air under her, Carrie Wells jumps high for the spike.



## Soaring to new heights

**T**he Volleyball team in only its third year of existence came close to reaching #1. The team finished the season with a record of 17-8 overall and 8-2 in the ODAC. It was the best season yet.

With the most wins in the program's history (17), the women brought home second place in the ODAC for the regular season. But tournament time took its toll on the team as they lost in the first round.

The team leaders were senior captain Leslie Buhrman and junior captain Mandy Beasley. However, the statistical leaders were Katie King and Carrie Wells. Katie led most categories except for Carrie's outstanding 534 assists which led to the first ever post season honor for volleyball, 2nd Team All-ODAC.

# Memorable season

**T**he Men's Basketball season was filled with many memorable moments. From Coach Nunnally's 400th win, a dedication in the memory of Kurt Axe, the team's run in the ODAC Tournament, and to a bid to the NCAA's, it was a season that will be remembered for a long time.

The team finished 20-8 overall and 13-5 in the ODAC. The men tied for first place in the ODAC regular season and were the ODAC Tournament Runner-up. The team also earned a berth to the NCAA Tournament and traveled to San Antonio, Texas.

Contributing to the team's success were 16 talented and hard working men and all but seniors, Sean McAloon and Chris Gerlufsen, will return to next year's squad.



#### THE PLAYMAKER

Above: R-MC's Jonathan Talley looks to make a play as he begins to drive past his defender.

#### REACH OUT & TOUCH SOMEONE

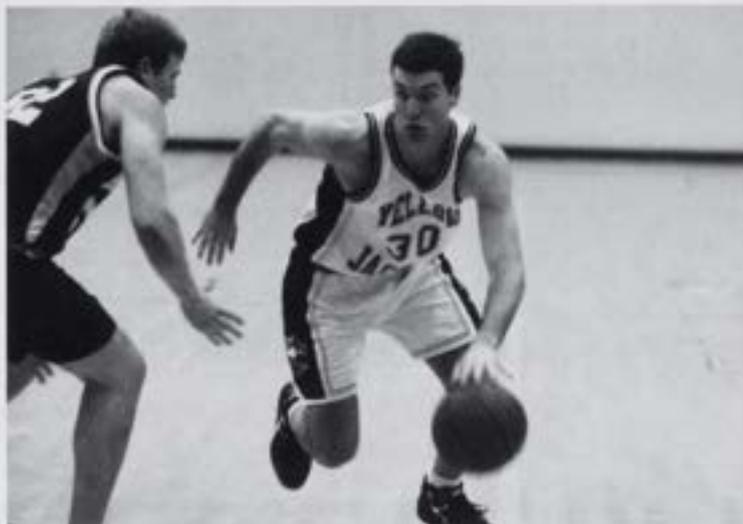
Top: Junior Matt Meehan battles a Bridgewater opponent underneath the basket.

#### SOPE ON A ROPE

Right: # 30, Josh Soper dribbles by his Eagle defender.

#### JUST AN AFTERSHOT

Far Right: Joe Goldin, a junior, displays what a good three-point shooter looks like after he releases the ball.

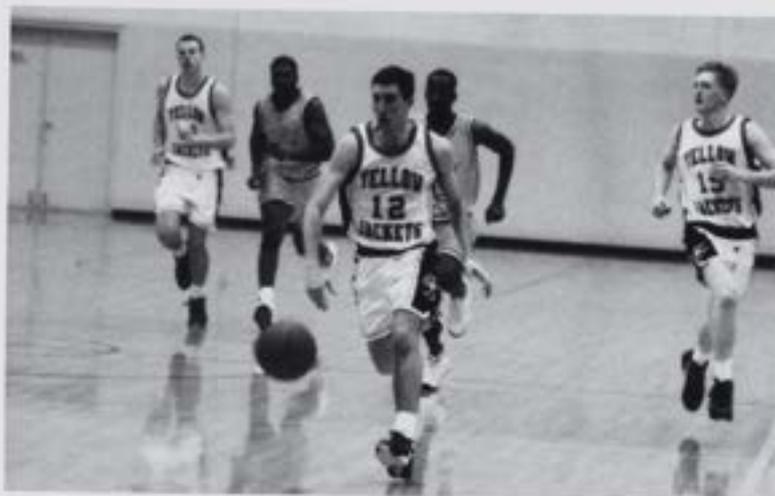




**A DRIVE BY SHOOTING?**  
Far left: An Emory & Henry player gets left behind as R-MC's Chris Gerlufsen heads toward the basket.

**UP, UP, AND AWAY**  
Left: Junior Brian Pirrtima shoots up and over his opponent.

**LEAVING 'EM IN THE DUST**  
Below: Joe Goldin sprints up court for a quick transition basket while Sam Brick, #55 and Sean McAloon, #15 trail behind.



**MEN'S BASKETBALL TEAM**

FRONT ROW (L-R): Omar Bennett, Joe Goldin, Jonathan Talley, Chris Gerlufsen, Manager Garrett Gooch, Sean McAloon, James Urban, Doug Cunningham BACK ROW (L-R): Assistant Coach Mike Rhodes, Byrne Huddleston, Josh Soper, Matt Meehan, Sam Brick, Randall Austin, Brian Pirrtima, Dan Krapf, Casey Johnson, Head Coach Hal Nunnally

**Scores**

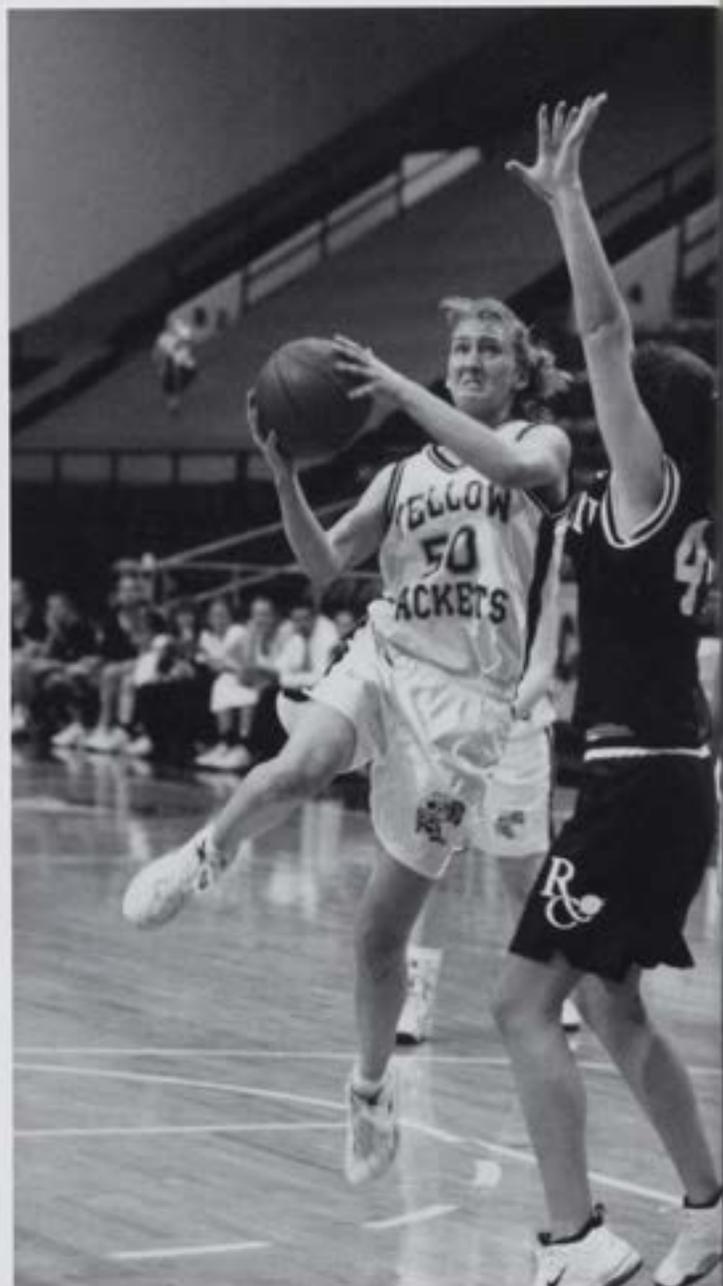
	RMC	OPP
Shippensburg	54	71
Oneta St	88	79
VA Wesleyan	48	71
W Maryland	84	77
So Virginia	99	40
Bridgewater	61	57
EMU	72	57
Hartwick	72	42
Mount Union	60	37
H-SC	55	63
Roanoke	69	63
Lynchburg	76	58
Guilford	53	51
W & L	49	34
H-SC	50	68
Roanoke	62	55
VA Wesleyan	59	72
Guilford	75	50
E & H	54	71
EMU	69	68
Lynchburg	66	33
W & L	50	45
Bridgewater	68	66
E & H	84	71
W & L	66	53
VA Wesleyan	65	59
H-SC	51	52
Trinity Univ.	55	60

# Dominating the court

**W**ith their 21-6 overall record, 18-2 ODAC performance, the Women's Basketball Team finished as the ODAC Regular Season Champions. They also earned a bid to the NCAA Tournament where they received a first round bye and were selected as the host site for their second round game.

Their season was highlighted by a huge win over Bridgewater, which ended the Eagles undefeated rampage. The victory for the Yellow Jackets was a team effort and the unstoppable scoring of sophomore, Renee Zando. She set a career high and ODAC single game high for most points scored in a game with 38. For her effort, she was named the Columbus Multimedia National Player-of-the-Week.

Next season, the team will be returning all players, except for senior Leslie Buhman. Look for the Women's Basketball team to dominate again next year.



#### ON THE MOVE

Above: Lindsey Carney, a freshman, drives the ball to the open space.

#### READY TO SCORE

Top right: Senior Leslie Buhman makes a strong move to the basket against Roanoke in an ODAC Tournament game.

#### INTENSITY

Right: #10, Allison Beightol is bound and determined to beat her defender.

#### DEFENSE!

Far right: R-MC's Beth Richard plays man-to-man defense on her EMU opponent.



## WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TEAM

FRONT ROW (L-R): Melissa Kristofak, Allison Beightol, Beth Richard, Aimee Beightol, Lindsey Carney, Manager Richard Lilly MIDDLE ROW (L-R): Coach Carroll LaHaye, Amy Nelson, Jamie Tanner, Catherine Ham, Assistant Coach Kelly Mahlum BACK ROW (L-R): Leslie Buhrman, Bren Elliot, Renee Zando, Heather Mitchell



## Scores

	RMC	OPP
Alvernia	58	61
Methodist	89	62
W & L	81	53
Plymouth St.	77	60
Gallaudet U.	80	82
VA Wesleyan	97	76
EMU	86	48
Hollins	68	28
Guilford	90	85
E & H	90	56
W & L	67	45
Roanoke	71	51
Bridgewater	62	66
Guilford	78	80
Hollins	83	49
RMWC	89	77
Lynchburg	83	43
Roanoke	70	54
E & H	75	67
Bridgewater	84	68
Lynchburg	71	62
VA Wesleyan	72	39
RMWC	70	64
EMU	75	44
W & L	78	49
Roanoke	72	74
Austin Coll.	52	64



### GET OPEN

Above: Waiting for a teammate to get away from her defender, # 11, Amy Nelson holds the ball and waits patiently.

### CAUGHT IN MID-AIR

Left: To gain control of the rebound, Bren Elliot reaches high to pull it down.

### PLOWING THROUGH

Far left: Center, Renee Zando, looks to the basket for 2 of her 38 points against the Bridgewater Eagles.

Right: Examining the green before the putt is a very important part of the game.



Right: From mid-swing, it looks like it is headed in the right direction.



### Fall Scores

Tournament	Rounds	Score	Place
W & L Invitational	2	627	5th
R-MC ODAC Invit.	1	312	2nd
Gulford Invit.	2	627	8th
Ferrum Invitational	2	648	10th
Christopher Newport Invit.	1	326	2nd

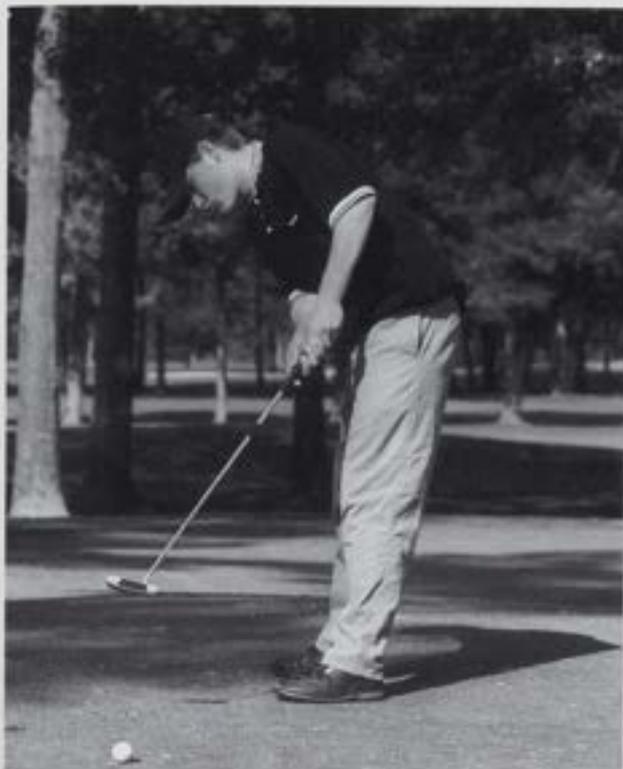
### Spring Scores

Tournament	Rounds	Score	Place
Ferrum Invitational	2	679	9th
Camp Lejeune Invit.	3	922	
Virginia State Div. II-III	2	660	5th
Roanoke Invit.	1	324	3rd
VA. Wesleyan Invit.	1	325	3rd
NNAS Invitational	1	328	1st
ODAC Tournament	2	658	4th



### GOLF ROSTER

Aaron Carney, Ryan Carver, Stefan Cox, Charles Flint, Doug Gentilcore, Tom Lancaster, Ben LaPointe, Andrew LeBorgne, James Massey, Ryan Mayo, Matt Meadows, Colin Moorhouse, Ben Stick, Jon Virtuoso, Kevin Watt, Coach Ted Keller



Left and below: Two R-MC golf players showing off their idea of a perfect putt.



Below: Good form and nice follow-through.



## Consistency is the key

**R**andolph-Macon College was proud to put together one of the most talented golf teams ever in 1997-98. They played with consistency and heart the entire year.

In the fall season, the team scored 19 of 30 rounds in the 70's. They also placed 2nd out of 6 teams in the R-MC Invitational and the Christopher Newport Invitational.

Then the spring season arrived and they proved to be a bit better than the fall. Out of a nine field team, the R-MC golf team finished 4th in the ODAC Tournament. They also won the team championship in the Newport News Apprentice Invitational.

Left: The chip is up from the rough and looking good.

#### PLANT 'N ROLL

Far right: Taking his defender one way and rolling the other is freshman Bryan Miller.

#### PICK!

Middle: R-MC's Jeff Smollen drives to the goal while Hunter Lynn sets the pick.

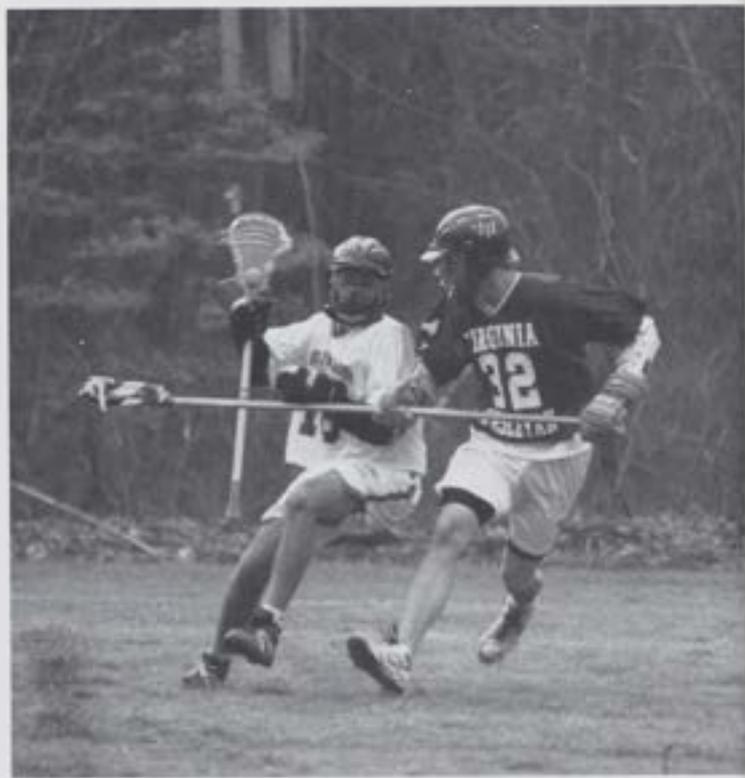
#### LOOKING TO PASS

Below: #24, Brad Kimball looks to pass off as the VA Wesleyan player reaches in on him.



#### WHAT A SAVE

Bottom: Goalkeeper, Sean McNamara makes the save to his right. His teammate Ben Dease is to his left for support.



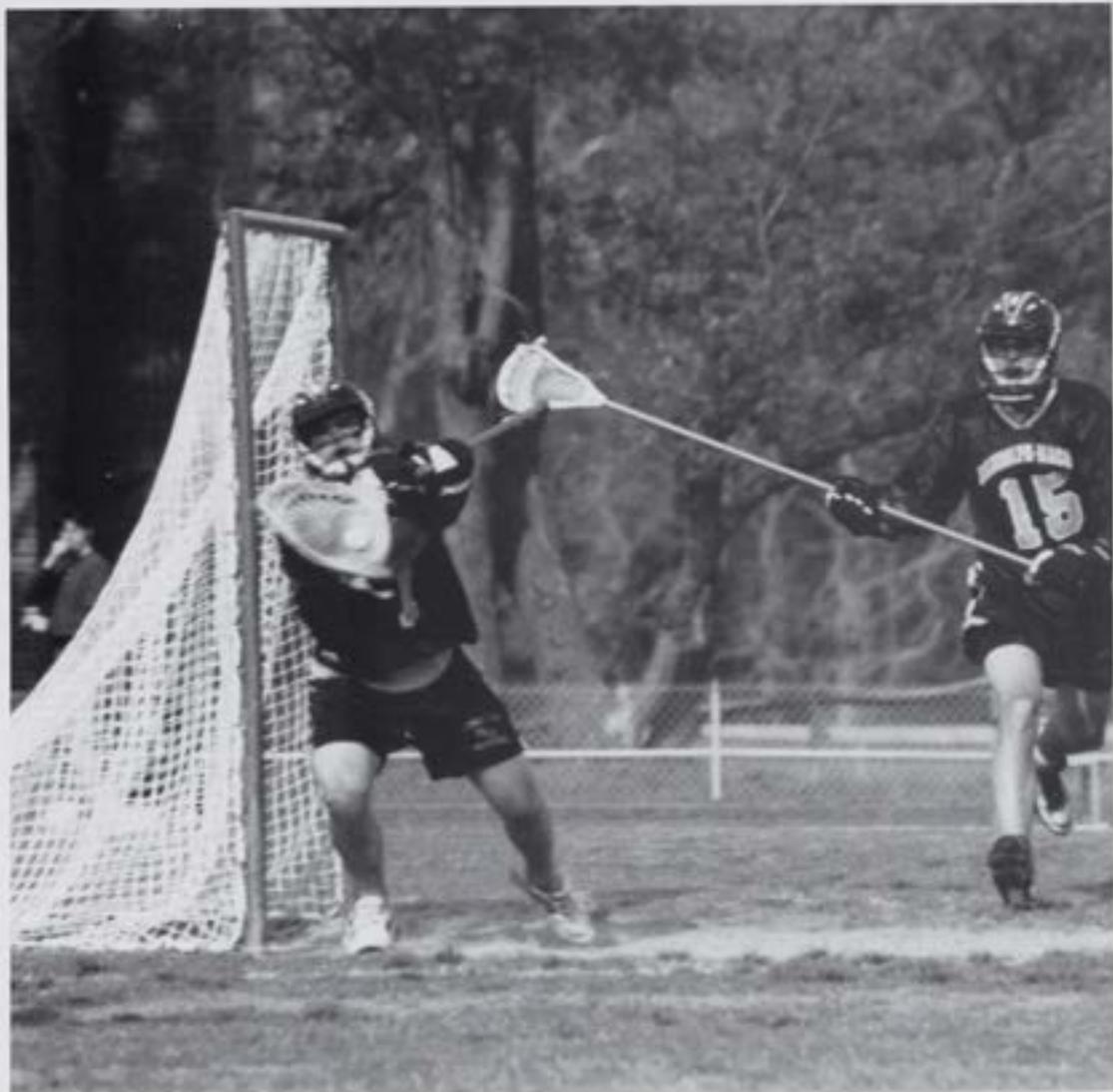
## Injury plagued

The Yellow Jacket Men's Lacrosse team finished the season with an 8-7 record overall and 1-5 in the ODAC. The season was not exactly what was expected for this solid team.

The biggest unexpected event occurred April 16th when their senior goalkeeper, Sean McNamara, was taken out for the rest of the season. He suffered one of his many concussions on the season. Another senior, Adam Newman had to sit out with a knee injury.

Despite some key player losses, the men still ended the season with a winning overall record and Ben Dease was named 2nd Team All-ODAC.

Keep an eye out for the R-MC Men's Lacrosse team to come out fired up next year, especially against all their ODAC rivals. They will be looking for revenge.





#### ON THE MOVE

Left: Yellow Jackets top points holder for the '96 season, Dan Carver dodges by his defender.



#### DUCKING UNDER

Left: #4, Brian Cleary, ducks under his defenseman and sprints up field.

#### TEAM SUPPORT

Below: Freshman Bryan Lambert runs with the ball with sophomores Mike Crupi and Gregg Blinn following in support.



#### MEN'S LACROSSE TEAM

FRONT ROW (L-R): Greg Blinn, Jacob Johnson, Brett Reichhart, Hunter Lynn, Brian Casey, Mike Smith, Dan Carver, Fred Donahoe, Thomas Bain, Randolph Cloud SECOND ROW (L-R): Alex Herman, Bryan Lambert, Michael Crupi, Hugh Purvis, Brian Cleary, Rob Allred, Tim Flagg, Brad Kimball, Matt Loda, Paul Thalheimer, Matt DiMauro THIRD ROW (L-R): Coach Jim Woodcock, Adam Newman, Bryan Miller, Charlie Carter, Adam Vasquez, Jeff Smollon, Ian Gordon, James Graham, John Nichols, Ben Dease, Sean McNamara, Todd Strausburg, Henry Johnson, Assistant Coach Stephen Devlin

### Scores

	RMC	OPP
Wittenburg	7	1
Swarthmore	18	4
Alfred	8	6
Mary Wash	9	7
H-SC	5	9
VA Wesleyan	5	20
Villa Julie	15	11
Shenandoah	11	6
Guilford	17	5
Roanoke	6	19
Goucher	16	13
Lynchburg	9	13
W Maryland	9	13
W & L	5	19
St. Mary's	8	20

#### I'M COMING THROUGH

Far right: Jessica Burke carries the ball high toward the goal. As a sophomore, she scored 15 goals and had 20 assists.

#### SWITCH!

Right: Freshman, Casey Latrobe concentrates on her hand switch to help herself get away from her defender.

#### YOUNG TALENT

Below: Using her speed and skill, #23, Carrie Winkler sprints past her Mary Washington defender.



## Scores

	RMC	OPP
VA Wesleyan	18	4
Lynchburg	7	6
St. Mary's	4	14
Roanoke	15	13
Sweet Briar	14	3
W & L	6	8
Wellesley	15	12
Shenandoah	17	11
Colby	8	14
Longwood	10	9
Mary Wash	12	11
Hollins	15	9
Bridgewater	12	10
Guilford	16	6
Roanoke	7	18



#### WOMEN'S LACROSSE TEAM

FIRST ROW (L-R): Sara Campbell, Ann Baicer, Melissa Posner, Liz Wilson, Brooke Gibson, Meghan McDade, Lauren Pannenbacker SECOND ROW (L-R): Maggie Litz, Casey Latrobe, Meghan Lyons, Amy Whitcomb, Jennifer Naccari, Liz Skorny THIRD ROW (L-R): Peggy McCauley, Jessica Burke, Laurel Mullen, Laura McFadden, Carrie Winkler, Rendall Harris, Lacie Litz, Becca White, Coach Missy Ackerman

## Striving for success

The R-MC Women's Lacrosse team finished their incredible season with a record of 11-4 over all and 7-2 in the ODAC. They also wrote their way into the Yellow Jacket record books by being one of the most successful women's lacrosse teams ever. Eleven wins was the second best in school history. Their 73% win percentage is the top mark of all time.

Their season was highlighted by overtime victories over Mary Washington (12-11) and Bridgewater (12-10). The Yellow Jackets also ended the regular season in the highest seed ever, 2nd.

With only one player graduating from the team, Lacie Litz, the Women's Lacrosse team will look to be very tough next season.



### NOT IN MY GOAL CAGE

Above: The lone goalkeeper for the Yellow Jackets, Amy Whitcomb, comes up with a save against Mary Washington in the overtime victory by R-MC.

### DETERMINATION

Top: Senior, Lacie Litz threads through two Colby players and heads up field. She was the top scorer on the '98 team with 39 goals.



### PATIENCE IS THE KEY

Above: Junior Erin Sammons looks for a teammate to pass off to, from the defensive end.



### SHE SHOOTS, SHE SCORES

Above: R-MC's #18, Brooke Gibson takes a hard shot on goal. She scored 12 goals on the season.

## A tough season

**T**hroughout the season, the men's tennis team had to share its ups and downs. They began the season with two tough losses to Virginia Wesleyan and St. Mary's, but then bounced back to win 4 of their next 5 matches. The men ended with a 4-5 overall record and a 2-4 ODAC record.

The team was led by David Dew (5-3 singles record), Eric Guacema (6-5 singles record), and Rafa Lugo (6-5 singles record). Brandt Daniel also helped lead the team in doubles competition when paired with Rafa Lugo. They ended with a 7-4 overall doubles record.

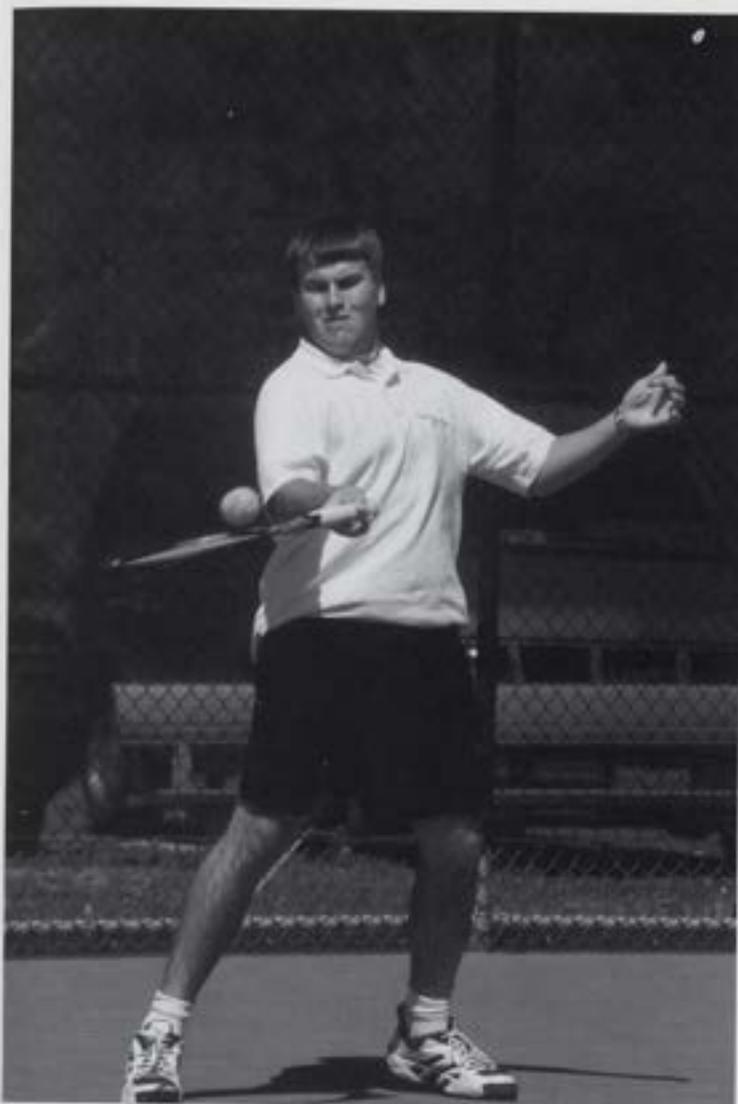
With much gained experience from the 1998 season, next year should prove to be better for the R-MC men's tennis team.



Above: Rafa Lugo gets set and ready for the strong return.

Right: Brandt Daniel concentrates on the ball.





Left: Balancing the ball on his racquet is Brandt Daniel.



### **MEN'S TENNIS ROSTER**

Brandt Daniel, David Dew, Eric Guacema, Gray Guy, James Holmes, Rafa Lugo, Fraser Schaufele, James Shewey, Coach Helmut Werner

### **Scores**

	RMC	OPP
VA Wesleyan	0	7
St. Mary's	0	7
E. Mennonite	5	2
Roanoke	6	1
Bridgewater	3	4
Chowan	5	4
Chowan	5	4
H-SC	0	7
Lynchburg	1	6
ODAC Tournament	8th place out of 10	

## Scores

	RMC	OPP
Chowan	7	2
Hollins	1	8
W & L	0	9
Bridgewater	6	3
E & H	2	7
VA Wesleyan	6	1
Roanoke <small>(DND)</small>	4	1
Lynchburg	5	4
Christopher Newport	3	6
RMWC	6	3
ODAC Tournament		6th Place

## WOMEN'S TENNIS TEAM

L-R: Heather Goodman, Katie Haskins, Sarah Curbow, Sally Yaugo, Lee Garter, Melissa Holloway



### WATCH THE BALL

Above: Sophomore Sarah Curbow concentrates intensely on hitting the ball.



### LINE DANCIN

Right: Junior Katie Haskins looks in perfect rhythm for the return from the line.

## Hard work & dedication

**N**ot only were the six ladies of the R-MC Women's Tennis team dedicated, they exemplified skill and improvement on last year's squad. As a team, the women finished 5-4 overall and 4-3 in the ODAC and placed 6th among 11 teams at the ODAC tournament.

Much of the improvement was due to the return of junior Katie Haskins, who recorded a 6-6 season, and sophomore, Sally Yaugo, finished with a 9-4 record. These two women combined their talents for a 7-6 doubles record, also.

The four newcomers to the team contributed much talent and one established the best record overall. Sarah Curbow established a fine singles record of 11-2. Although they are a young team, R-MC Women's Tennis has a lot to look forward to next season.



### GRACEFUL

Top: Determination with graceful style, Sally Yaugo reaches for the return.

### TIGHT FORM

Far Left: Sophomore Heather Goodman shows off her form and follow through as she watches where her volley lands.

### BALANCE IS THE KEY

Left: Sophomore Lee Garter gets into position to make the return.

#### GETTING INTO THE SWING OF THINGS

Below: #20, Tripp Boyd follows through on his swing and crushes the ball.

#### READY, AIM, FIRE

Below: Pitcher, Brian Partlow rares back and fires to the plate.



#### ...AND IT'S OUTTA HERE

Right: Adam Taylor, a junior, concentrates on the pitch just before hitting a grand slam against Bridgewater.

#### 4 TO 3

Below: Second baseman Ben Nucko is throws to first base to get the out.

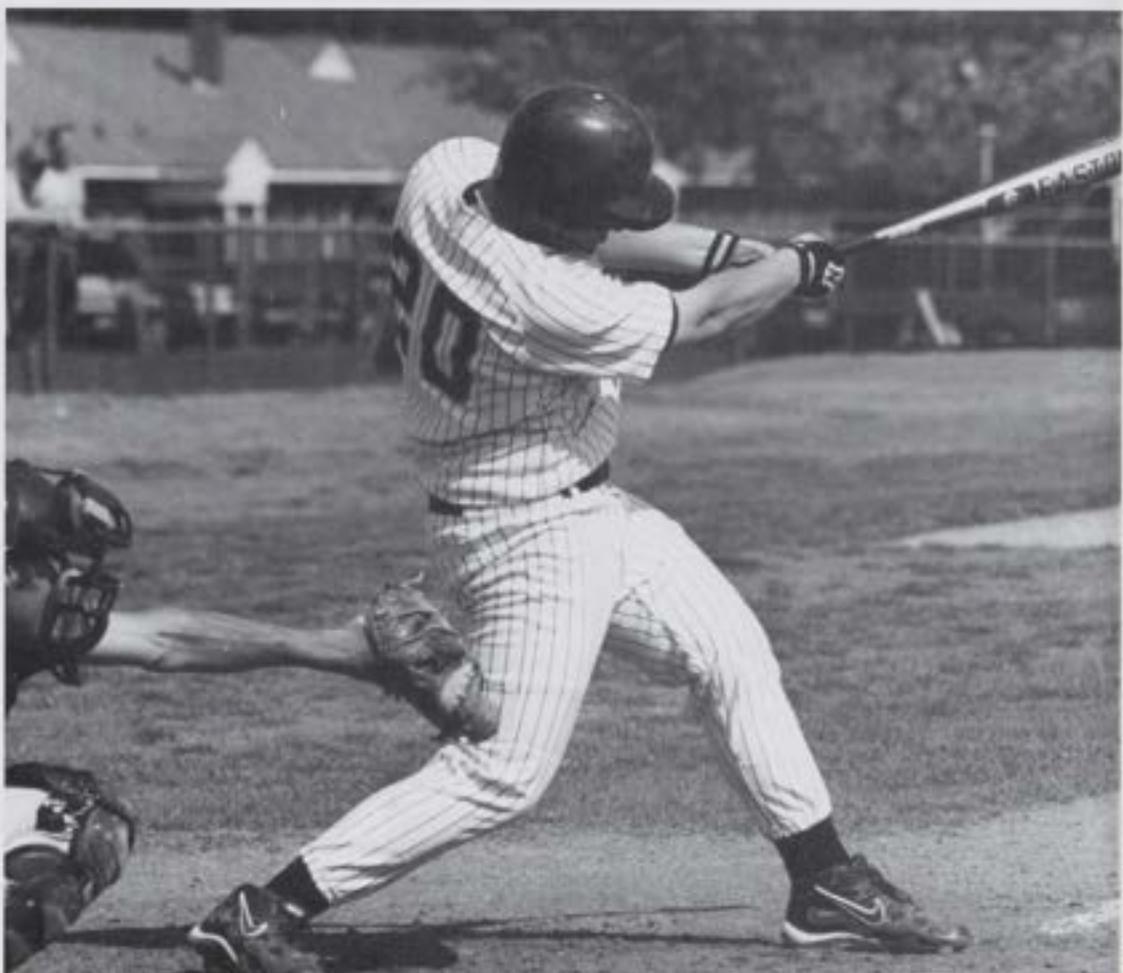


## Improvement with each game

**A**lthough they ended with an 11-20 overall record and a 7-9 ODAC record, the R-MC Baseball team played hard everyday and improved throughout the season.

Their record does not show how well they actually played. The Yellow Jackets were 6-6 in one or two run ball games and won some other games by 5 or more runs: Guilford (15-1), W & L (10-5), and Newport News Apprentice (11-4).

There are high hopes to turn the program around next year. Look for the R-MC Baseball team to get revenge on their opponents.



## BASEBALL TEAM

FRONT ROW (L-R): Brian Sloan, Tim Condon, Kevin O'Connor, Jason Condrey, Ben Nuckols, Bryan Hill, Kevin Simmonds, Matt Blakeley, Scott Paciocco, Eric Atkinson BACK ROW (L-R): Phil Gwaltney, Sean Carley, Chad Edwards, Chris Creswell, Kevin Plummer, Eric Drotleff, Blair Brantley, Tripp Boyd, Brandon Ramsey, Jason Borgert, Adam Taylor, Chuck Davis, Brian Steadman, Dan Krupansky, Head Coach Gregg Waters



## Scores

	BMC	OPP
WV Tech	3	5
Newport News Appr.	10	7
Allentown	4	8
Kutztown	5	12
Newport News Appr.	8	9
FDU-Madison	9	13
FDU-Madison	7	3
H-SC	10	17
EMU	2	5
EMU	7	6
SUNY-New Paltz	5	2
Christopher Newport	7	11
Greensboro	8	26
Guilford	15	1
Guilford	4	11
St. Mary's	7	17
St. Mary's	4	12
E & H	8	13
E & H	6	7
VA Wesleyan	5	7
Bridgewater	8	7
Bridgewater	7	8
H-SC	7	6
Longwood	10	24
W & L	6	4
W & L	10	5
Mary Wash	3	6
VA Wesleyan	3	7
Lynchburg	3	1
Lynchburg	3	4
Newport News Appr.	11	4



### TAG, YOU'RE IT

Above: Third baseman, Adam Taylor tags out a VA Wesleyan baserunner.

### FALLING DOWN ON THE JOB

Left: Outfielder Matt Blakeley falls to his knees before catching an fly ball.

### SLIP 'N SLIDE

Left: Tripp Boyd begins his slide for home plate while the Marlins catcher awaits the ball.

#### THE PRESSURE IS ON

Right: Coach Sherrie Sharpe gives sophomore outfielder, Elizabeth Parker the game plan at third.

#### MAKING THE PLAY LOOK EASY

Below: Freshman Jamie Durbin fields a hard hit ball to her at third base and gets ready to make the throw to first.



#### 3 UP, 3 DOWN

Right: The infield brings it in for a pre-inning cheer while the outfield does the same.



## It's about time

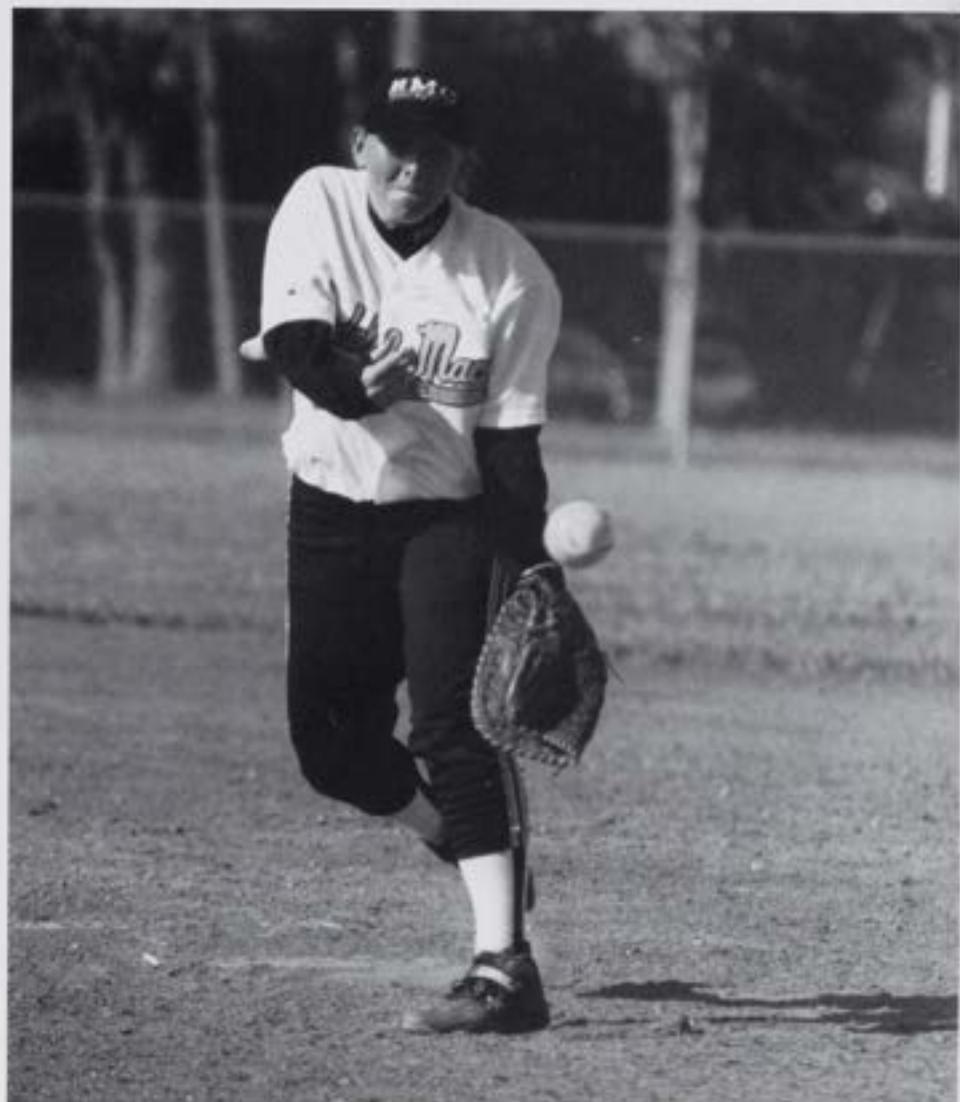
Wrapping up the first season ever, the R-MC Softball team finished with a record of 3-6. They were victorious over University of Richmond, Randolph-Macon Woman's College, and Old Dominion University. They went through some very tough times, but the 10 women who stuck it out had lots of fun.

Throughout the season, the team had to deal with no field to call their own, practice many hours in the confined space indoors due to the wet conditions outside, and only 10 women to play. Despite all of these attempted setbacks, the team played and gained some experience for next year's varsity squad.

Only losing one senior, Tanya Robinson, the R-MC Softball team will be ready to go in the spring of '99 to take on the ODAC for the first time. These women were the pioneers of R-MC Softball and will be remembered for all time.

#### FIRE AWAY

Right: The lone senior and pitcher, Tanya Robinson, whips a pitch to the batter.





**I DARE YOU**

Far left: Egging on the catcher to pick her off at third base is freshman Carolyn Esposito.

**READY, AIM, FIRE**

Left: Shortstop, April Collins aims to first base to throw the runner out.

**STRETCH THAT QUAD**

Below: Junior captain, Betsy Capers lunges to catch the ball to get the out at first.



**SOFTBALL TEAM**

FRONT ROW (L-R): Betsy Capers, Tanya Robinson BACK ROW (L-R): Jenn Saunders, April Collins, Carolyn Esposito, Kristen Leake, Jamie Durbin, Crystal Jones, Elizabeth Parker, Samantha DePrisco

**Scores**

	RMC	OPP
E & H	5	13
E & H	7	15
University of Richmond	13	11
ODU	15	16
JMU	4	21
JMU	2	14
RMWC	4	11
RMWC	8	7
ODU	15	14

# ATHLETIC AWARDS

## FOOTBALL--8-2 OVERALL \* 4-1 ODAC \* ODAC TRI-CHAMPIONS

**Scott Boone**--Richmond Touchdown Club Coach of the Year

**Sidney Chappell**--Richmond Touchdown Club Offensive Back of the Year

ODAC Conference Player of the Year

All-ODAC 1st Team

VaSID Virginia State Player of the Year

VaSID 1st Team All-State

Broke 10 school records

**Kevin Cherwa**--All-ODAC 2nd Team

**Phillip Hutter**--VaSID 1st Team All-State

All-South Region 2nd Team

All-ODAC 1st Team

**D'Andre Murray**--VaSID 1st Team All-State

All-ODAC 1st Team

**Dusty Beekman**--VaSID 1st Team All-State

All-ODAC 1st Team

**Chuck Davis**--VaSID Honorable Mention All-State

All-ODAC 1st Team

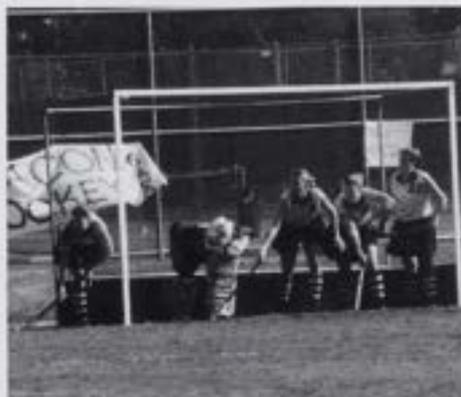
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**Josh Williams**--All-ODAC 2nd Team (Defense)



## FIELD HOCKEY--13-6 OVERALL \* 6-2 ODAC \* ODAC RUNNER-UP

**Erin Sammons**--All-ODAC 1st Team

All-South Region 1st Team

Broke school records for goals and points in a season

**Tanya Robinson**--All-ODAC 1st Team

All-South Region 2nd Team

Broke 9 school records

**Kate Daniecki**--All-ODAC 2nd Team



## VOLLEYBALL--17-8 OVERALL \* 8-2 ODAC \* ODAC 2ND PLACE REGULAR SEASON

**Carrie Wells**--All-ODAC 2nd Team



## WOMEN'S SOCCER--13-7-1 OVERALL \* 7-1-1 ODAC \* ODAC RUNNER-UP

**Jenny McGregor**--ODAC Conference Co-Player of the Year

VaSID 1st Team All-State

All-ODAC 1st Team

**Aimee Beightol**--VaSID 1st Team All-State

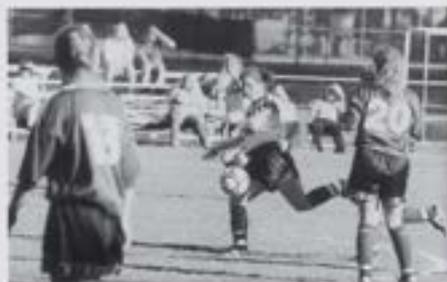
All-ODAC 1st Team

**Beth Kirby**--All-ODAC 1st Team

**Allison Beightol**--All-ODAC 2nd Team

**Cheryl Dickter**--All-ODAC 2nd Team

**Katie Mehrling**--All-ODAC 2nd Team



**MEN'S SOCCER--12-7 OVERALL \* 5-4 ODAC**

**Josh Laux**--ODAC Newcomer of the Year  
All-South Atlantic Region 2nd Team  
VaSID 2nd Team All-State  
All-ODAC 2nd Team

**John LeLay**--All-South Atlantic Region 3rd Team

**Gray Thouron**--All-ODAC 2nd Team



**MEN'S BASKETBALL--20-8 OVERALL \* 13-5 ODAC \* ODAC RUNNER-UP**

**Hal Nunnally**--400th Career Victory  
**Matt Meehan**--All-ODAC 1st Team  
NABC All-District South  
**Joe Goldin**--GTE Academic All-American

**WOMEN'S BASKETBALL--21-6 OVERALL \* 18-2 ODAC \* REGULAR SEASON CHAMPIONS**

**Carroll LaHaye**--IKON/WBCA District V Coach of the Year

**Allison Beightol**--All-ODAC 2nd Team  
VaSID Honorable Mention All-State

**Leslie Buhrman**--All-ODAC 2nd Team

**Jamie Tanner**--ODAC Freshman of the Year  
All-ODAC 2nd Team  
Division III News All Freshman Team



**BASEBALL--11-20 OVERALL \* 7-9 ODAC**

**Tripp Boyd**--All-ODAC 1st Team



**MEN'S LACROSSE--8-7 OVERALL \* 1-5 ODAC**

**Ben Dease**--All-ODAC 2nd Team

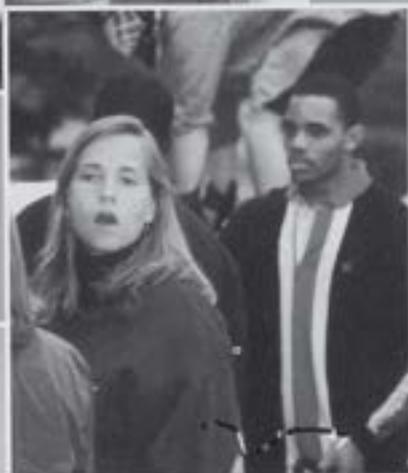
**WOMEN'S LACROSSE--11-4 OVERALL \* 7-1 ODAC \* 2ND PLACE REGULAR SEASON**

**Lacie Litz**--All-South Region 1st Team  
All-ODAC 1st Team

**Carrie Winkler**--All-South Region 1st Team  
All-ODAC 1st Team

**Anne Balcer**--All-South Region 2nd Team  
All-ODAC 2nd Team





# Underclassmen

Once upon a time, the young men and women who make up the freshmen, sophomores, and juniors of Randolph-Macon College had no idea that R-MC was the place for them. There were probably no thoughts of college in elementary school. There were other worries of boyfriends and girlfriends, fitting in in junior high and high school, and if they would ever be able to go anywhere without mom and dad tagging along. College was an eternity away.

As time passed, they made it through junior high, fell in love with who they believed was Mr. or Miss Right (although mom and dad knew differently), received their driver's license, and graduated from high school. All of a sudden, the thought of college was upon these young minds. How far away from home do I really want to be? Does the college I like have the major I want? Are there fraternities or sororities? What are the class sizes? What kind of campus life is there? These are just a few questions asked in the college decision process.

Then, the time came to find the answers to these questions and move into their dorm room at R-MC. Many answers were found the first two weeks, while others will not be answered until the third or fourth year. Each day is a new experience as a freshman and become old habits as sophomores and juniors, but no matter what year they are, everyone who has attended R-MC for at least one year can say they made life long friends and memories that will last forever.

# FRESHMEN

## Time of Adjustment

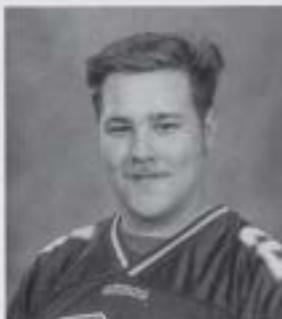
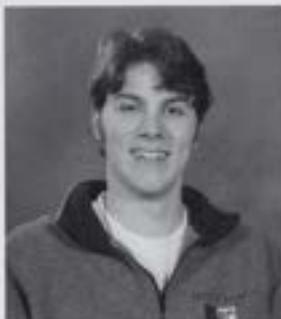
At the time in which they moved from mom and dad's home and into their new college home, freshmen began to adjust themselves to college life. One of the first things they had to adjust to was sharing a room with someone they hardly knew. As the days passed, roommates learned so much about each other they became almost as close as brothers and sisters.

Another adjustment these freshmen had to experience was Estes Dining Hall. Of course, most students were accustomed to cafeteria food in high school, but that was for only one meal a day. The biggest adjustment to Estes was the set schedules for breakfast, lunch, and dinner and that mom's home cooking was not an option for any meal.

One of the more exciting, but maybe the scariest adjustment, was becoming part of the R-MC student body. There were numerous events provided throughout the year to allow freshmen to become involved on campus. In the fall, there were such events as the CAB Activities Carnival, Hampden-Sydney Week, Homecoming, the Macon Coffee opening, guest speakers, movies, and Karaoke. The essence of campus life was continued into the spring with Greek Rush, the Brock Center opening, Intramurals, and more guest speakers and movies. Many freshmen became involved by playing sports at the collegiate level. Although the adjustments were new and tough for them all, the Class of 2001 quickly became a part of R-MC and will fit in more and more throughout the duration of their college career.



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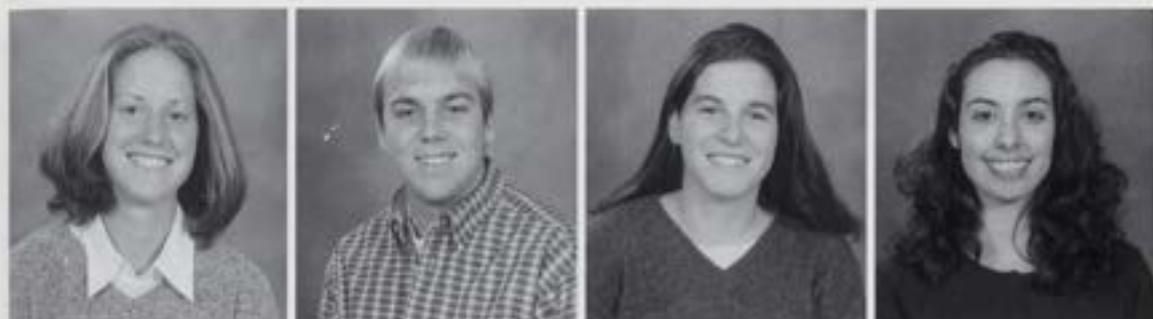


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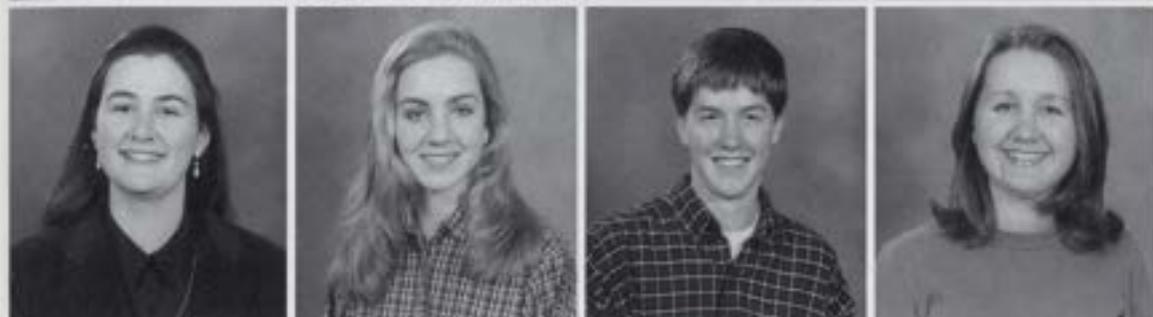


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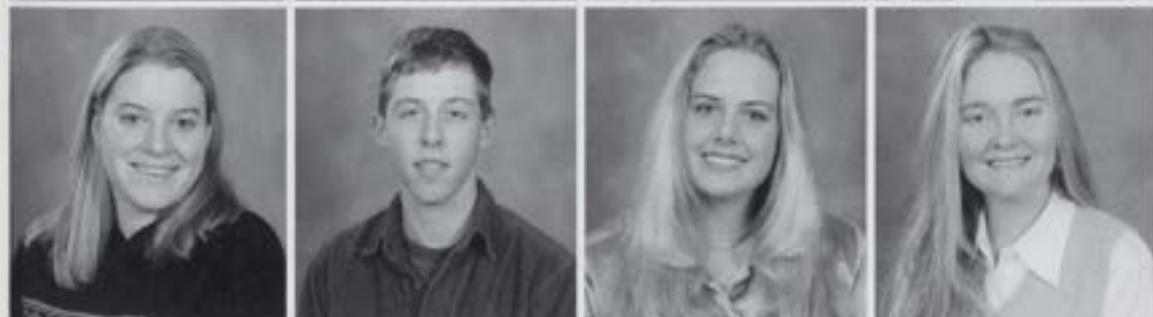
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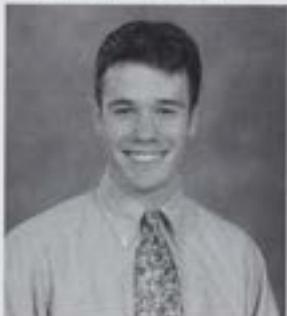
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Kenneth Vialva



Carrie Wells  
Jennifer West  
Lynna Westcott  
Leon Williams



# SOPHOMORES

## It's Halftime

At the end of their second year of college, the sophomores had the thoughts of their college careers being halfway over. For many sophomores, it was a time to complete most of their collegiate requirements and decide on a major. There were also opportunities to travel abroad for these second year students.

Sophomores were also glad to be rid of that "freshmen" name. By this time, they knew how to get around campus, what professors to take and which ones to avoid, could recognize many faces on campus, and had their personal routines pretty much set.

Other aspects of college life that many sophomores took part in were getting involved in the Greek system, clubs, and organizations. For those sophomores who wished to concentrate only on the new routine of college life their first year, the opportunity to join these groups arose again in their second year. Many were able to take part in Fall and Spring Rush and pledge a fraternity or sorority. Many also decided to become involved by joining SGA, CAB, BSC, or Christian Fellowship.

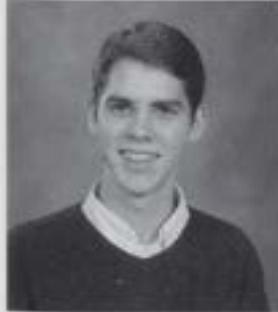
The Class of 2000 saw many changes occur at R-MC from their freshmen year. When they arrived back to school in September, there was a new President of the College, a new Resident's Life Coordinator, a new Greek Coordinator, and new rules for tailgating and fraternity and sorority parties. Since it was their second year, the adjustments were not too difficult for them.



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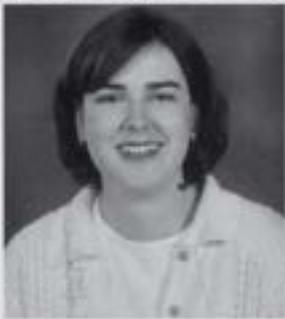


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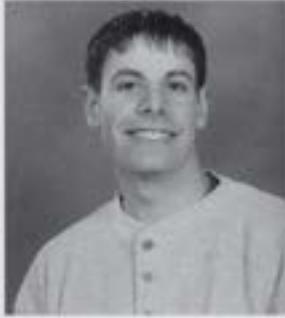
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Julie Smith  
 Kristen Wade  
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Emily Weber  
 Carrie Winkler  
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# JUNIORS

## Running out of time

As the juniors completed their third year at R-MC, many breathed a sigh of relief and hit the panic button at the same time. By this time in their college careers, most had met their collegiate requirements and were concentrating on their majors, but time was running out to enjoy college life.

The junior year was the time to begin thinking about post graduation plans. Some began thoughts of graduate school and others thought about employment opportunities. The Class of 1999 kept themselves busy as they had to schedule times to take graduate school tests, go to interviews, and look for internship positions.

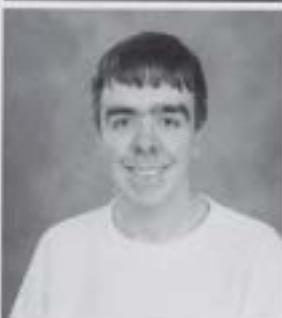
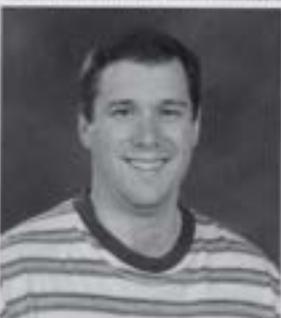
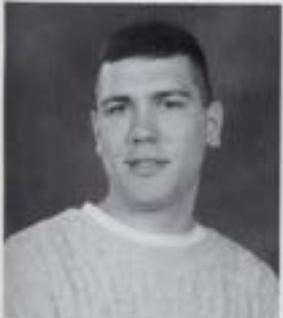
The juniors definitely had their work cut out for them throughout the year. Although there is not much time left to enjoy college life, their hard work now will pay off in less time than they will realize.



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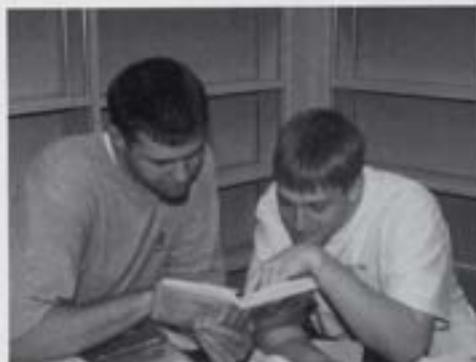
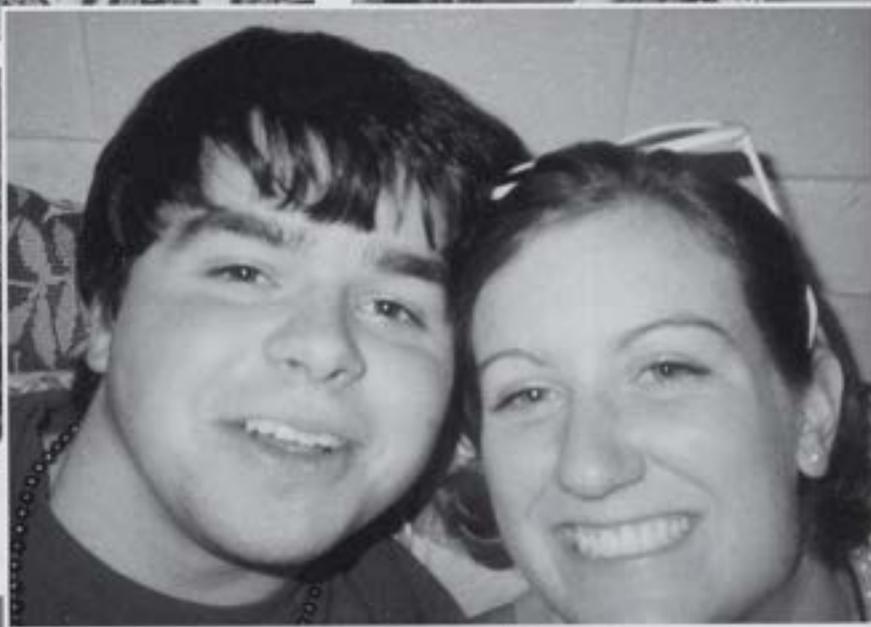
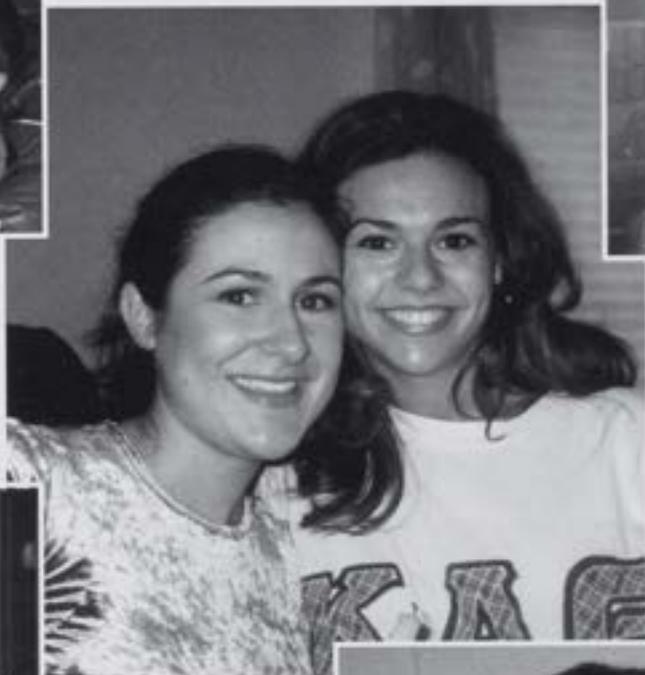
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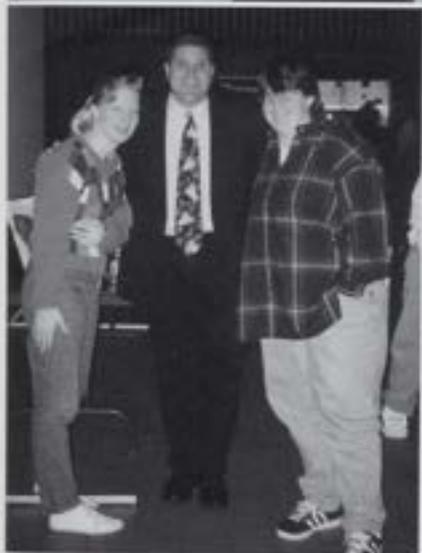


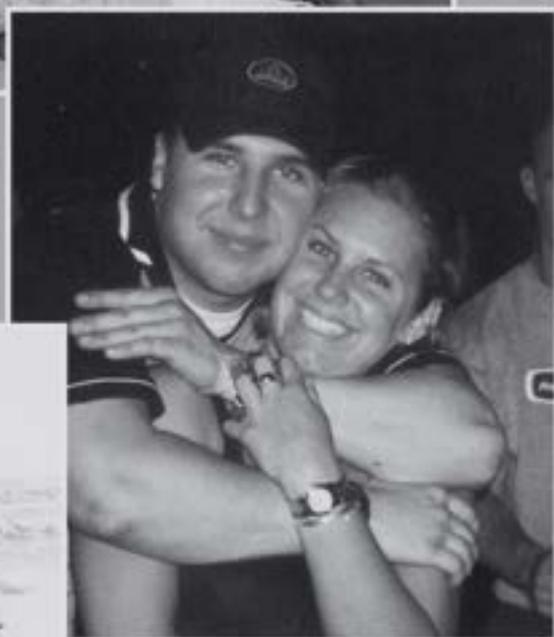
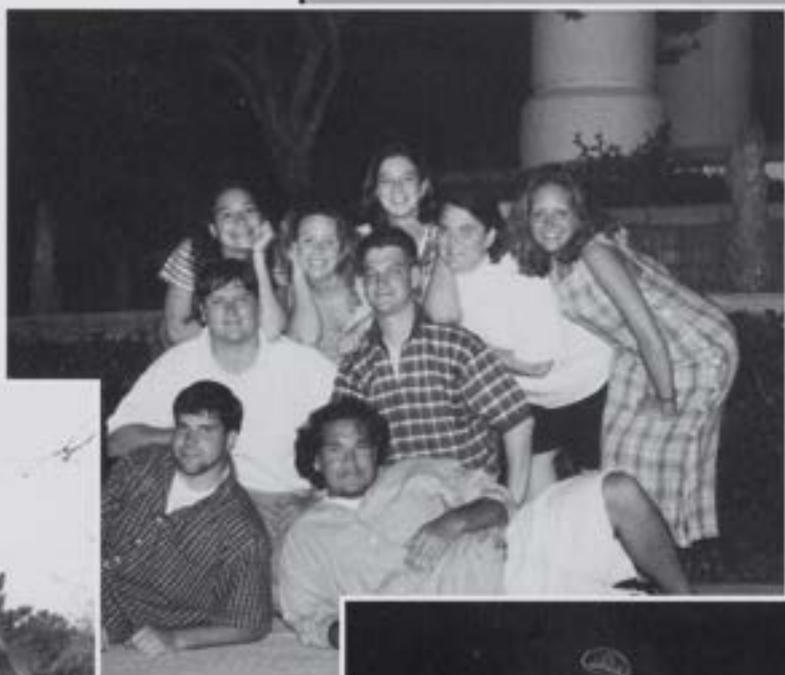
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# Seniors

**O**nce upon a time, the thought of leaving home for the first time was scary. Now the thought of having to go out into the real world and find a job is even scarier for the Class of 1998.

It was just four years ago, these young adults entered the college world of Randolph-Macon College ready to conquer it. They had to deal with new experiences on a daily basis, get to know a new person who they were supposed to live with, learn how to manage their time between studying, socializing, sleeping, eating, and athletic practices, get used to Estes Dining Hall, and how to get up for 8:30 am classes.

By the time their sophomore and junior years rolled around, they learned that no matter what time their first class was, they were going to over sleep, they should not room with their best friend, naps were sacred, Estes was wonderful when they were flat broke, and by making friends with upperclassmen, they could learn which professors were nice and gave A's and which were mean and gave B's.

Then, it was time to look back to the timid, modest, shy freshman and laugh at a how silly they were just four years ago. That little freshman grew into a mature, knowledgeable young adult ready to take on another challenge—the real world.



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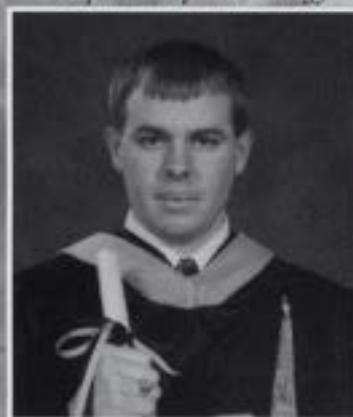
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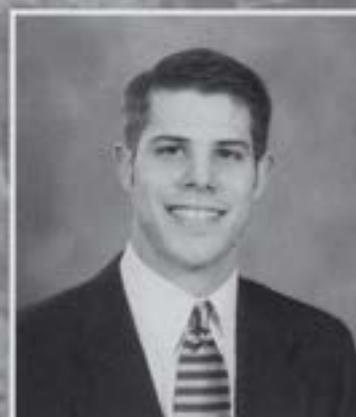
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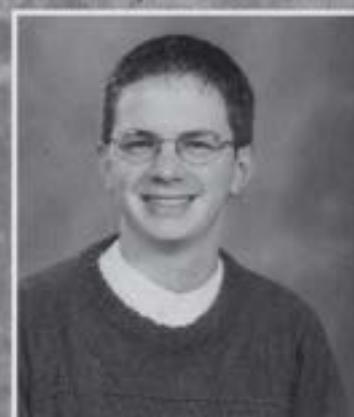
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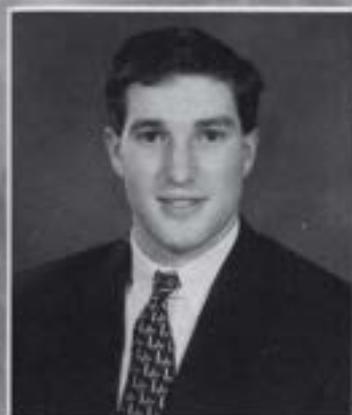


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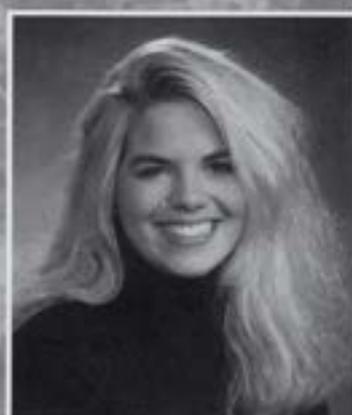
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*Emphasis and Spanish*



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# *Four Years of Learning About Oneself*

One of the first things students learn at college is how to make ends meet. Four years ago was the first time away from home for most of Randolph-Macon College's Class of '98. They quickly realized in only their first semester that they were the only ones making decisions for themselves. They decided what classes to take, what area to major in, if they should go to class, when to study, and when to go out. They also realized that money was hard to come by after buying books and when they did have money, it was easy to spend.

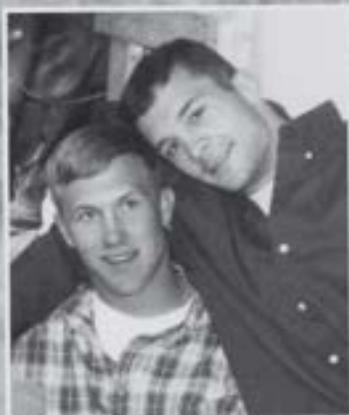
Randolph-Macon College is the last step before many of these seniors go out on their own. The small college in Ashland, Virginia was where many realized some of the most important things about themselves and the way the world works. They learned that Mom and Dad would not always be there to

look over their shoulder to make sure they do things right, that friendships are the most important things to have, that life is not always fair, and that making mistakes are the best way to learn.

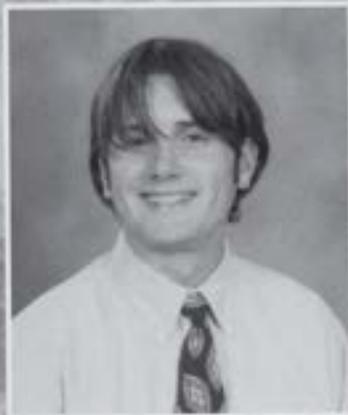
The senior class knew during their first overnight visit or the first day of freshman orientation that Randolph-Macon College is a special place. It is not a huge university with hundreds of major fields and thousands of students. What they found was that it is the attitude of everyone from the president of the college to the housekeeping staff that makes this college what it is. The relationships and friendships the Class of '98 has gained over their four years at Randolph-Macon College have made the difference for them and have helped them mature into young adults ready to take on the 'real world.'



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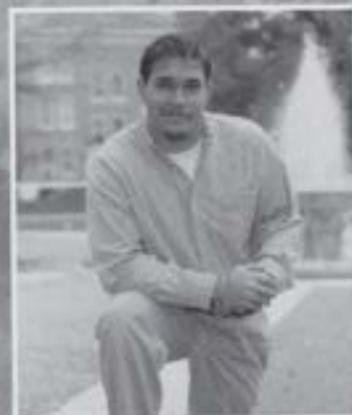
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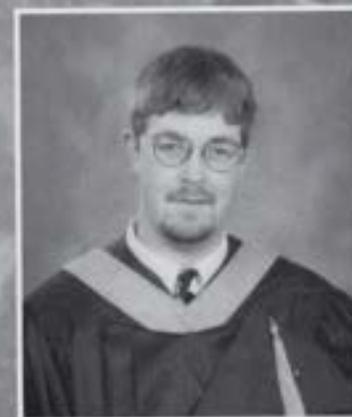
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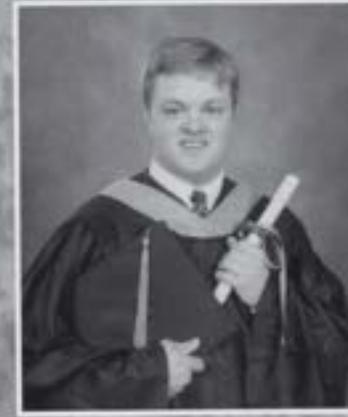
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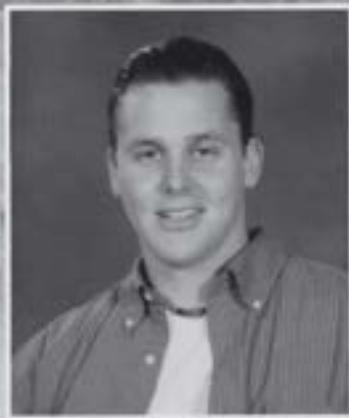
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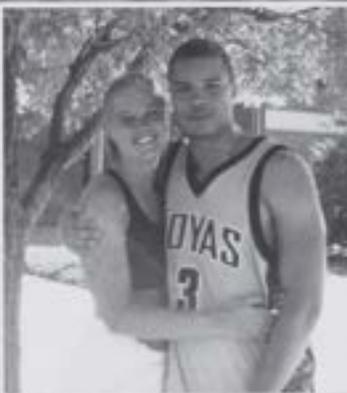
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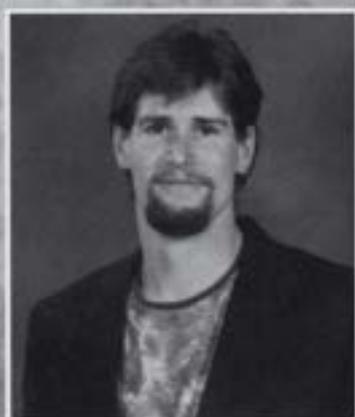
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# *Halloween Party*

Beginning in 1992, the Senior Halloween Party became an annual tradition among each graduating class. When the tradition first started, it was a time for the senior class to raise money for the senior gift and a time for the entire senior class to come together, hang out, and have a good time.

This year's Senior Halloween Party proved to be no different. The Class of '98 gathered in the Alumni Gymnasium for the celebration. Music and drinks were provided, but the seniors had to provide their own costumes and fun. A variety of costumes from gypsies, cowboys and Indians,

French maids, and cats and dogs filled the gym on the night of October 31st. Even several 'celebrities' showed up including Cruella DeVille, Elmo, and even Elvis.

The night was filled with seniors laughing at each others costumes, stories about good times they have had at Randolph-Macon College, and worries about what will happen after graduation. This party is one of the last class get-togethers before everyone goes their separate ways in June. All those who attended seemed to have a wonderful time and will cherish the memories of the Senior Halloween Party and other memories of R-MC for years to come.



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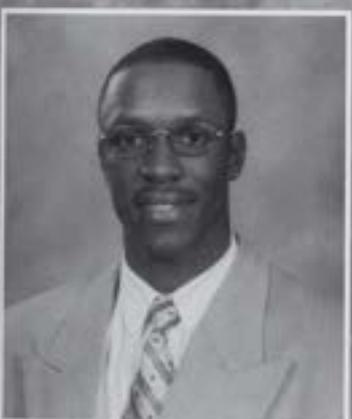
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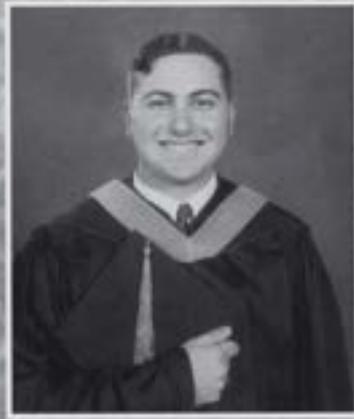




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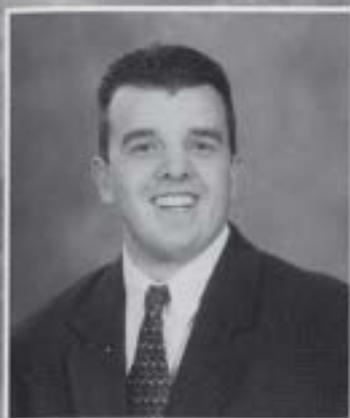


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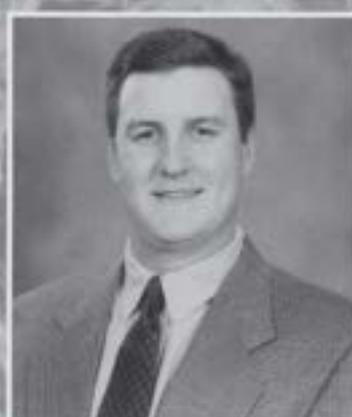
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*Political Science / English / Writing and  
French*



*Ronald J. Matthews*  
*Biology*





*Kira A. Matukaitis*  
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*Kelly A. McDonald*  
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*Psychology*



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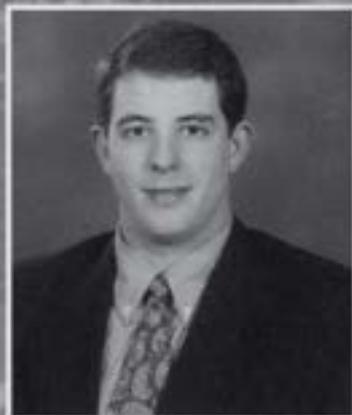
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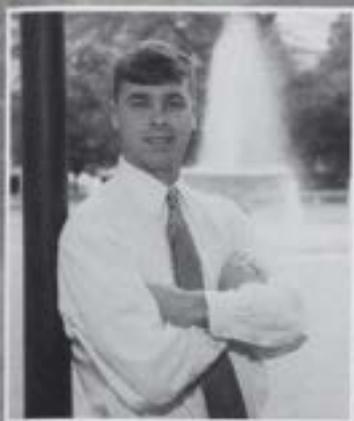


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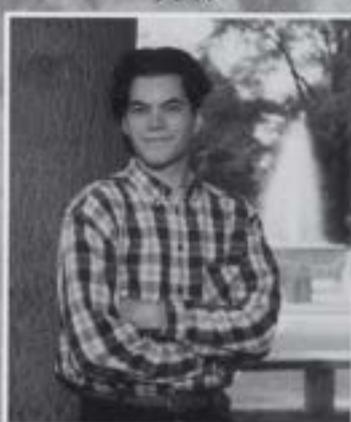
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Economics & Business and German



*Catherine S. Patterson*  
International Studies Latin American  
Emphasis and Spanish



*Stephen J. Paulson*  
English



*Jean M. Paxton*  
Political Science / Journalism

# *In Loving Memory of Jennifer Haines Jolly*

Jennifer Jolly was a member of the Randolph-Macon College Class of '98, whose life was taken in a tragic automobile accident on January 30, 1996. We knew Jen as a classmate, a roommate, and above all, a friend. Her warm spirit, "jolly" smile, and especially her love of frogs are etched in our memories of her and her life at R-MC. Jen will forever remain in our hearts as part of our R-MC family.

*Written by Beth Savelle  
and Kathy Negaard*



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*International Relations Economics &  
Business Emphasis*



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*Environmental Studies*



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*International Studies Latin American  
Emphasis / Spanish*



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*Jody Purvis*  
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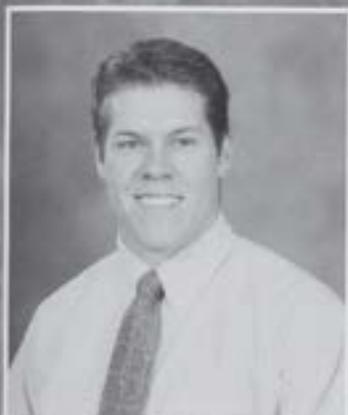
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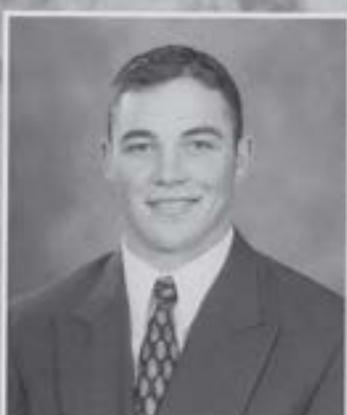
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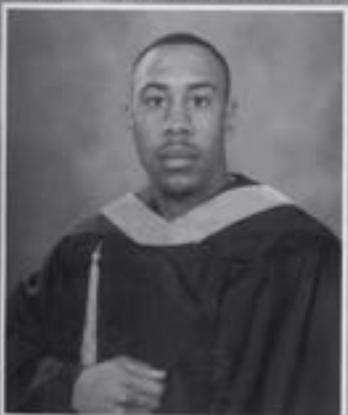
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Political Science / English Literature



*Susan L. Smith*  
Psychology and Spanish





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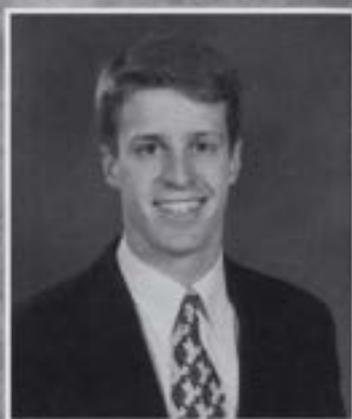
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*Biology and French*



*Rebekah S. Trimble*  
*Biology / Art History*



*Andrew G. Turner*  
*Accounting and Economics & Business*

# *In Loving Memory of Alec John Vitarius*

**I**t is next to impossible to find the words to describe Alec Vitarius. Alec had so many aspects to his character that it is difficult to choose one or two that would accurately define him. The various groups of friends Alec made over his three years at Ran-

dolph-Macon College is a testimony to his diverse personality. His endearing sense of humor, caring nature, and strong sense of loyalty are just a few of the traits that made him a unique individual and dear friend who will be sorely missed by all who knew him.

*Written by Jonathan Weyer  
and Anne Kugler*



*Douglas H. Turner*  
*Religious Studies*



*Ashley K. Tyner*  
*Sociology*



*Mark E. Vineyard*  
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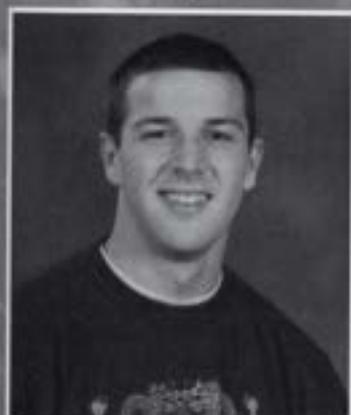
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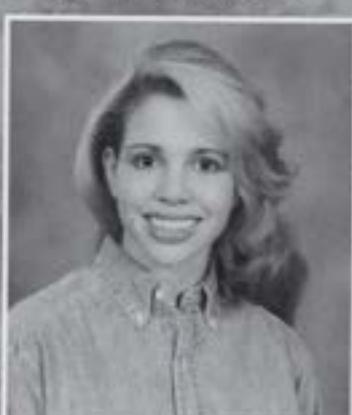
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*Sociology*



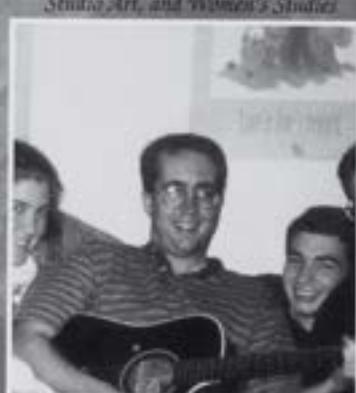
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*Jennifer B. Zary*  
*Political Science / English Literature,  
Studio Art, and Women's Studies*



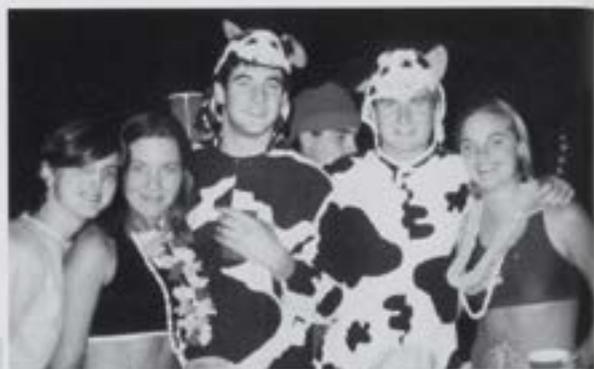
*Bethany A. Zinner*  
*English / Studio Art*



Below: Senior John Jordan having some fun with his Sesame Street friend.



Right: Regan Parady, Carreen Lawrence, Jeff Smollen, and Whitney Kazmerowski show off their Halloween costumes.



Far right: Amy Prince and Bethany Zinner dancing the night away.

Middle: A group of ΦM seniors waiting for their plane to whisk them away to Cancun.

Below: Mike Klazas and Joe Kehoe brought together through Greek Life.

Bottom: Hanging out at the Great Wall of China is senior Shelley Dunn.



Right: Keith McMillan pauses a moment from his writing to give us a smile.



Above: Showing her wild and crazy side is Emily Ann Herstein.



Far left: Dennis Grinestaff and Kelly McDonald sporting their Halloween costumes at the senior Halloween party.



Left: Seniors Amy DeVitto and Laura Axselle enjoying the fun times at the senior party.

Below: Cooper Pollard and Wendy Lewis look like they are having a blast.



Far left: What a cute photo of Kevin Merhar and Grandma!!!

Middle: Nick Karry and Julie Hyman stop from site seeing in London, England for a photo.



Above: Enjoying a little R & R are William Plum, Anne Kugler, and Jonathan Weyer.

Left: Sara Stevenson, Susan Smith, and Caroline Seaman are all decked out and looking pretty for a K&G formal.

Far left: Seniors Heather McLearie and Jodie Cook show the true meaning of friendship.



### Dina Lee Abbamondi

Smithville, NJ

Activities: ΔZ Sorority, Honors Program, Panhellenic Council-VP of Rush (97-98), Order of Omega-President

Quote: "The horizon leans forward, offering you space to place new steps of change. Here, on the pulse of this fine day..." Maya Angelou "On the Pulse of the Morning"

### Susan J. Anderson

Amelia, VA

Activities: Honors Program, French Club, Christian Fellowship, WAVE Radio

Quote: Mom, Dad, Sandra, & family and Scott-Thank you so much for your love and support. Kathy-I can't imagine what the past three years would have been like without you here. I also want to thank all my friends for the great times and the late nights when we spent more time talking and laughing than studying.

"Success is getting what you want. Happiness is liking what you get." -H. Jackson Brown

### Raymond C. "Trey" Arnold

Richmond, VA

Quote: "Fare the well, let your life proceed by its own design."

"There is nothing left to do but smile, smile, smile."



-Grateful Dead  
Thanks Mom & Dad for everything

### Jamison Scott "Barney" Barnett

Schwenksville, PA

Activities: AXA Fraternity, Football, IFC, MAA, Pi Mu Epsilon, ODK, Gamma Sigma Alpha, Order of Omega

Quote: I would like to thank Mom, Dad, John, Mark, Shelly, Justine, & Lambda for the financial and emotional support.

"We are students of words; we are shut up in schools and colleges and recitation rooms for ten or fifteen years, and come out at least with a bag of wind, a memory of words, and do not know a thing." -Emerson

### Melissa Bass

Virginia Beach, VA

Quote: "You've always been, time and again, the one to take my hand and show to me it's okay to be just the way I am with no apology." -Garth Brooks  
Thanks Mom, Michelle, & Jon for all that you have done to help make me what I am. I love you! Jon-Good luck with the rest of your years here at R-MC and let the tradition continue. To ΦM-I always knew that I would look back on tears with laughter, but I never thought I'd look back on laughter with tears. ΦM Rocks! To my partners in crime-Thanks for all the memories and laughter. I will miss you all! Always be yourself and smile, smile, smile!

### Rebecca Bealer

Bethlehem, PA

Activities: Field Hockey (4)-Captain (1), Political Science Student Association, Gamma Sigma Alpha, Order of Omega, AΓA Sorority, Phi Alpha Theta

Quote: "Live well, laugh often, love much." -The Smokey Pig

### Joy Marie Bechtold

LaPlata, MD

Quote: To my family-Thank you for the love, laughter, and support that made these four years possible. To my friends-Thank you for the love, laughter, and support that made these four years wonderful.

"Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Some stay for awhile and leave footprints on our heart and we are never, ever the same." -Source unknown

"Wisdom comes more from living than from studying."

-Anonymous

### Lisa Bonvegna

Boca Raton, FL

Quote: Thank you Mom and Dad for everything. I love you.

### Dean Browell

Yorktown, VA

Activities: Drama Guild President (96-97), Alpha Psi Omega President (97-98), Alpha Phi Omega Charter President (97-98), RA (97-98), BCS, YWCA Volunteer for Rape Crisis at Battered Women's Shelter, Improvisational Comedy Troupe, Drama Guild, Zoo Story, As You Like It, The Crucible, wrote "Surreal Estate"-traveled as part of the American Dream Play Festival, wrote and directed One For All or Nothing

Quote: "Luck favors the prepared mind."



### David Lawrence Brown

Richmond, VA

Activities: Soccer-Captain, ΦX Fraternity-Secretary, Treasurer, Social Chair, SGA-Senator, RA, ODK-President, Head Tour Guide-Admissions, Christian Fellowship, Senior Advisory Council

Quote: "Remember: It's not what you have, it's what you do with what you have that makes all the difference."

To Gamma Chi & those who have made college special-Thanks. Mom, Dad, & Chris-What a wonderful family I have. Thanks for making it all possible. I love you!!

### Leslie Buhrman

Richmond, VA

Activities: Basketball, Volleyball, AΓA Sorority

Quote: "What point could there be troubling, head down wondering what will become of me, why concern we cannot see, but no reason to abandon it, time is short but that's all right, maybe I'll go in the middle of the night, take your hands from your eyes, my love, everything must end some time, don't burn the day away." -Dave Matthews Band

Thanks to my friends for your support, dedication, friendship, and love. To my family-Thank you for this great opportunity.

### Kimberly Anne Callazzo

Downingtown, PA

Activities: Field Hockey (2), Lacrosse (2), ΦM Sorority, Sociology Club-VP

Quote: I have had the best of times with the best of friends. The memories will never be forgotten. Thanks to all of my friends and everybody special in my life. I couldn't have done it with out any of you! Mom, Dad, & Kristin I love you and a million thanks to you too!

"We laughed until we had to cry and we loved right down till our last good bye. We were the best I think we'll ever be. For just a moment." -St. Elmo's Fire

"We all take different paths in life, but no matter where we go we take a little of each other." -Tim McGraw

**Sidney B. Chappell III**  
Kenbridge, VA

**Quote:** "If you can imagine it, you can achieve it. If you can dream it, you can become it."

**Jodie K. Cook**  
Middletown, MD

**Quote:** "I feel your silent laughter at sentiments so bold that dare to step across the line to tell what must be told, so I'll just say I love you which I never said before and let it go at that old friend, the rest you may ignore." -Jerry Garcia  
"In life, do what gives you pleasure, nothing ages like happiness."

-Anonymous

"If you don't like what you are doing, you can always pick up your needle and move to another groove."

-Timothy Leary

Thanks to Mom & Dad for putting up with me and donating a lot of money to a good cause.

Thanks to everyone I can call my friends especially the biking team, with-



**Michael B. Cowgill**  
Malvern, PA

**Quote:** To Mom, Dad, & family-Thank you for your unconditional love, support, guidance, and encouragement during these years. Thanks also to OX for the best four years of my life. Whit-Thanks, it has been memorable! Sean, Mark, Mike, Drew, Brandon, & David-Our paths will cross again, thanks for the journey!!

**Jonathon Joseph Crooks**  
Westminster, MD

**Activities:** Football, ΦΚΣ Fraternity, Christian Fellowship, Fellowship of Christian Athletes

**Quote:** Thank you to the brothers of ΦΚΣ for being the cornerstone of my four years here. Thank you Carrie for being my best friend and Jim for running a close second. Mom & Dad thank you for sticking with me and understanding. I love you.

"I am the smartest man alive." -B. Madison

**Kimberly Ann Cuyler**  
Chatham, NJ

**Quote:** Thanks to my family and friends for their love and support. To my AΓΔ sisters-"United in the unbroken circle." Thanks for the memories and laughs.

**Virginia Sellers Davis**  
Birmingham, AL

**Activities:** Campus Key (94), KAΘ Sorority-Vice Administrator (96-97), Service (97-98), Senior Advisory Board, Yellow Jacket Annual

**Quote:** Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things you didn't do than by the things you did do. So throw off the bowlines. Sail away from the safe harbour. Catch the wind in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover." -Mark Twain

**Jaime Deafenbaugh**  
Chesapeake, VA

**Quote:** "No one who achieves success does so without acknowledging the help of others. The wise and confident acknowledge this help with gratitude."

-Unknown

Thank you Mom, Dad, & Brad for everything-I love you so much! Thank you to all of my friends and ΔZ-so many wonderful memories. I wish all of you the best of luck!

**Amy Michelle DeVitto**  
Pittsburg, PA

**Quote:** Graduation is a bittersweet moment. The memories are unforgettable, but my future is a path with many crossroads to the past. I will smile brightly as I see one of these road signs ahead on my journey. ΔZ my love and steadfast appreciation. I want to thank everyone who played a special role in my successes. To my family-I thank you for all your support and guidance. Mom & Dad-Thank you for being so strong and for all your love and dedication. You have



out you this would have been worth nothing. I love all of you and wish you all the best. Thanks for all of the memories (or lack thereof).

never let me down. Scott MILE.

"Yesterday's are over my shoulder, so I can't look back to long there's just too much to see waiting in front of me and I know that I just can't go wrong."

-Jimmy Buffett

"Bite off more than you can chew and chew like hell!" -Anonymous

**Robyn Lynn Diehl**  
Fredericksburg, VA

**Quote:** " And we'll blow away together soon and go on to different lands. And please do not ever look for me, for with me you will stay. And you will hear yourself and song blow by one day" -Suzanne Vega

Thank you to R-MC, all my friends, and sisters at ΔZ for making this the best four years ever! Mom and Diehl-without your support and ability to be wonderful parents, I could not have accomplished anything. I love you more than you love me! The girls of Coch 2-Thank you will never be enough. I love you all!

**Mark Edward Donnelly**  
Houston, TX

**Activities:** IFC President-VP of Recruitment, Representative, SGA Senator (3 ), Political Science Student Association-President, Christian Fellowship, WAVE Radio, North East Inter-Fraternity Council Area VP, Young Republicans, KA Order-Corresponding Secretary, Scholarship Chair, Rush Chair, Order of Omega Charter Member, Lacrosse (2), Outstanding Senior Award

**Quote:** "Trying is the first step toward failure" -Homer J. Simpson

"A flute with no holes is not a flute, a donut with no holes is a danish." -Ty Webb

**Mark Downs**  
McLean, VA

**Activities:** ΦΚΣ Fraternity, Intramural Sports, Chinese Club

**Quote:** I'd like to thank God, my mother, ΦΚΣ, the Nest and all of its extended

family, my boat, the Cleaning Fairy, Natural Light, and UVA Emergency Room for getting me through these four years and making them such an adventure. Dad, I know you were here in spirit and I hope you weren't disappointed.

"The finest reward of a job well done is having done it." -Anonymous

### Shannon M. Dunn

Glen Riddle, PA

Activities: AFD Sorority-Social Chairman and Property Manager, Panhellenic Judicial Committee, '98 Greek Week Committee, '97 Homecoming Court

Quote: Special thanks and love to my Mom, Dad, Lex, and Lew. Your love, support, and encouragement is always greatly appreciated. Love and loyalty to my sisters of AFD. Thanks to all of my friends and family for making my four years at Randolph-Macon great!

"You grow up the day you have your first real laugh--at yourself." -Mae West

### Shelley Lynn Dunn

Virginia Beach, VA

Activities: Alpha Phi Omega, Beta Beta Beta, Chi Beta Phi, Gamma Sigma Alpha, AFD Sorority, RA, Sociology Club, Christian Fellowship

Quote: Thanks mama and daddy for your love, support, and making the past 4 years possible! I love you!! To my sisters of Alpha Gam, "Now and forever you are a part of me."



"This is a magnificent journey you're on, don't be afraid to explore unfamiliar territory. If you do happen to get lost, you will stumble across some of the most interesting discoveries you will ever make. Wander down roads you've never taken before or ones you'll never chance upon again. Life isn't a travel guide to follow. It's an adventure to undertake."

### Ann-Stewart Parrish Ege

Virginia Beach, VA

Quote: Thanks to my parents and family for their love and support and the unforgettable years at R-MC. To my closest friends and Theta-Thanks for the lifelong memories, you are the best friends in the world. I will miss you all!

### Christi Fecteau

Fredericksburg, VA

Activities: CAB (94-97), Spanish Club (96-97), RHA (95-96), Mathematical Association of America (94-95)

Quote: "Live well, laugh often, love much!"

### Christine Wallace Garrison

Richmond, VA

Activities: ΔZ Sorority, Literacy Magazine, Drama Guild-"As You Like It," "The Actors Nightmare"

Quote: Thanks Sara, Susan, and Trey for four years of memories. Thanks Jean for a lifetime. Thanks Professor Watson for believing in me and thank you Beeks for always. I love you Mom, Dad, Drew-good luck next year! I love you Nanny, wish you were here. God bless you all and may you always get what you wish for.

### Katherine Lee Gaskins

Urbanna, VA

Activities: AFD Sorority-VP, Membership Development, President, Christian Fellowship, Order of Omega, Diversity Committee, Outstanding Sorority Chapter President Award (98)

Quote: "You've got to love like you'll never get hurt. You've got to dance like

there's nobody watching. You've got to come from the heart if you want it to work." -Susanna Clarke

Mom and Dad-Thanks for the wonderful opportunities and experiences you have given me-you are the best parents ever!

To cherish friendships with but a chosen few and to study the perfecting of those friendships.

"We had a moment, just one moment, that will last beyond a dream, beyond a lifetime. We are the lucky ones-some people never get to do all we got to do. Now and forever, I will always think of you." -Carole King

AGD-Thanks for the experience of a lifetime and for all the laughter, tears, love, and memories. Kristyn-Thanks for being one of the greatest friends in the universe!

### Laura Gawlinski

Claymont Heights, DE

Activities: Student Honors Association, Washington Literary Society

Quote: "forsan et haec olim meminisse iuvabit." -Vergil, Aeneid

### Christopher S. Gerlufsen

West Chester, PA

Activities: Men's Basketball, ΘΧ Fraternity

Quote: I would first like to thank my family, most



importantly Mom, Bob, and Jamie. Without your love, support, and guidance none of this would be possible. Thank-you friends and ΘΧ-It's been a wild four years. El Rancho it's been great! To the "J" members and the rest of the team-Carry on the prestigious tradition. I know you will. R.I.P. Kurt Axe-you will never be forgotten.

### Jessica Lynn Gokee

Orlando, FL

Quote: "Ah, great it is to believe the dream, as we stand in youth by the starry stream; but a greater thing is to fight life through, and say at the end, 'the dream is true'." -Edwin Markham

Thank you to my family for making the past four years possible. You have given me more than I could have ever asked for. And to my girls-"I never counted friends on a sunny day when the sky was blue and smiles came by the bushel...Instead, I waited for a storm, when the clouds were rolling in and the day grew dark and laughter was scarce...The one's that stood with me were the one's I knew I could depend on." No distance can change what is in our hearts. Thank you for always being there for me-I love you and I will miss you. THETA LOVE!

### Anna Kelly Goodall

Chestertown, MD

Quote: "Some people say I live in my own little world. That's okay, they know me there." -Stephen Wright

"Don't sit upon the shoreline and say your satisfied; choose to chance the rapids, and dare to dance the tides." -Garth Brooks

### Dennis W. Grinestaff, Jr.

Baltimore, MD

Activities: Gamma Sigma Alpha, Order of Omega, Chinese Cultural Society-President, KA Order-Recording Secretary, Risk Management Chair, Intramural Chair

Quote: Thanks KA for four years of happy hour. 1995, the last great KA pledge class. Thank you Mom and Dad for sacrificing everything in your life to make

mine better. Matte-enjoy your next four years, you won't forget them. Kelli-3 years and counting, I love you. What's up Otis!

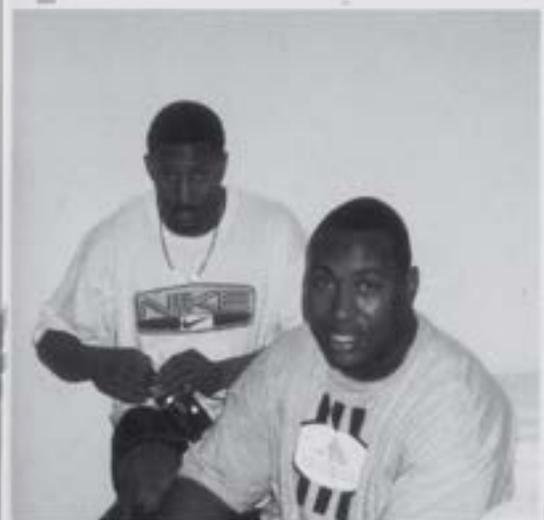
"The ideal of the gentleman is that of the chivalrous warrior of Christ, the knight who loves God and country, honors and protects pure womanhood, practices self-respect to ill-gotten wealth." -Samuel Z. Ammen on Robert E. Lee

**Emmett "Chip" Hall**  
Spotsylvania, VA

**Quote:** Mom, Dad, Jess-Thanks for all your love and support. To all my friends and brothers-I love you all. PPKa  
"I'm going to Graceland." -P. Simon

**Carol Hargett**  
Atlanta, GA

**Quote:** "This is not the end; this is not the beginning of the



end; This is just the end of the beginning" -unknown  
Thank you to my family, I love you dearly! Thank you to my wonderful friends and Theta. I will miss you all.

**K. Justin Harris**  
Alexandria, VA

**Quote:** "But whatever happens, keep your eyes on the road and your hands upon the wheel." -The Doors  
Thanks to Pops and Mom for their love and support. Chrit, Nick, Kerri, the brothers of Pika for being there.

**Amber Dawn Hennis**  
King George, VA

**Activities:** ΔZ Sorority, Business/Economics Society, Honors Program, French Club  
**Quote:** Thank you Mom, Dad, April, and Reid for all of your love and support. I could have never made it this far without you. To the sisters of ΔZ-Thanks for all the fun memories. You made these past four years the best of my life.

**Emily Ann Herstein**  
Baltimore, MD

**Quote:** "I'd like to think life is like a drink and I'm hoping that it tastes like Bourbon. You know that I've been drunk a thousand times, but these should be the best days of our lives." -The Boo Kadleys  
To everybody at "Melrose Place"-Thanks for all the laughter, the tears, the

memories (and the gossip).

**James Hickle**  
Westminster, MD

**Activities:** Kappa Sigma, Order of Omega, Phi Alpha Theta, Political Science Organization  
**Quote:** Spede and Carley-I hope those M.S.A meetings finally pay off for you. Trey-I'm sure you'll find the issues you've always been looking for. Joe-Be sure to make the most of these next three years. I've been proud to call you my little brother. What would you say if...? To my brothers of KΣ-Thank you for all the great memories and friendships that I know will last a lifetime. A.E.K.A. B.

**Linsay Thornton Huffman**  
Norfolk, VA

**Activities:** Soccer, ΦM Sorority  
**Quote:** "These are days you'll remember...And as you feel it you'll know it's true, that you are blessed and lucky. It's true that you are touched by something that'll grow and bloom..."  
"I don't remember how we happened to meet each other. I don't remember who got along with who first. All I remember is all of us together, always."  
Thanks to all of the wonderful people I have met here and all of my friends who have touched my life deeply. You all mean the world to me! And thanks to everyone who has been so giving and allowed me to spend all of my 4 years here. Finally, thank you Mom and Dad for being my parents and always supporting me through my life. I am grateful to you both forever and I love you both dearly.



**Julie Hyman**  
Reistertown, MD

**Quote:** "Tshaw! What is this paltry little dog-cage of an earth? Who art thou that sighest whining there?" -Matthew Arnold  
I love you Mom, Dad, and Carla. Nick-Thanks for everything.

**Joseph R. Inge, Jr.**  
Ft. Leavenworth, KS

**Quote:** "I hope you had the time of your life." -Green Day  
To Mom, Dad, and Amy-Thank you for all your love and support. To Becky-Thanks for all you do, have done, and will do. To Donk and JJ-Make it stink! To FKS-Thanks for the fun, it will be remembered. Cartman will live forever! Steccis aequus durando

**Amanda Johnson**  
Richmond, VA

**Quote:** "Live for today, but dream of tomorrow because one day tomorrow will come and all your dreams will come true."  
Thanks ΔZ and Flippo 2 for an unforgettable 4 years.

**Gwendolyn Kimberly Jonas**  
Richmond, VA

**Activities:** Delta Zeta-President, Secretary, CAB-Chair of Special Events (95-96), Political Science Student Organization  
**Quote:** "Live well, laugh often, love much." -Anonymous  
"Some people come and go into our lives, others come, leave footprints on our heart, and we are never, ever the same." -Anonymous  
"To be a Virginian is an introduction to any state in the union, a passport to any foreign country, and a Benediction from above." -Anonymous  
Thanks Mom for picking up the tab for the last four years! I love you, Ann and Cabell. To all the ΔZ girls-Too many fun times we've shared-can't wait for more post-graduation! Thanks again!



**John "J.J." R. Jordan, Jr.**  
Midlothian, VA

**Activities:** SGA Senator, Judicial Board Chairman, Order of Omega, Gamma Sigma Alpha, ΦΚΣ Fraternity-2nd VP, Risk Manager, Beta Beta Beta, Chi Beta Phi, Environmental Action, Intramurals

**Quote:** I'd like to thank my family, friends, and ΦΚΣ for making these the best years of my life.  
Stellis Aequus Durando and "Dynamite!"

**Whitney W. Kazmerowski**  
Nashville, TN

**Quote:** Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Others stay awhile leaving footprints on our hearts and we are never, ever the same." -Flavia Weeden

"Life is a memory except for the one present moment that goes by you so quick that you hardly catch it going." -Tennessee Williams  
Thank you all for 4 years of wonderful memories!!

**Amy Lynn Kilmon**  
Warsaw, VA

**Activities:** Amnesty International, CAB, Yellow Jacket Annual, Environmental Action, Campus Keys, Study Abroad

**Quote:** "The great learning takes root in clarifying the way



where in the intelligence increases through the process of looking straight into one's own heart and acting on the results; it is rooted in watching with affection the way people grow." -Confucius

I thank you greatly Filippo 2: "Thou wert my guide, philosopher, and friend."

-Pope And to the one person who made these past four years possible-I love and thank you; "Who ran to help me when I fell and would some pretty story tell or kiss the place to make it well?" My Mother. Peace. -Unknown

**Mike Klazas**  
St. Clair, PA

**Quote:** Special thanks Mom and Dad for the love and support over the years. All of this wouldn't be possible without you. To my Grandma-I will always remember you and know that I'm thinking of you always. Tony, Bridget, Erin, and Michael-All the thanks and love I could give for everything you've done. Thanks Ashley for everything. Finally, thanks AXA for providing me with loyalty and friendship that will last a lifetime. Yours in Zeta Alpha Chi-K.  
"The only things I've left behind are those things I have not yet discovered."  
-Unknown

**Robert D. Kozak**  
York, PA

**Activities:** ΘΧ Fraternity

**Quote:** Mom, Dad, and Matt...(K)-Thanks for the opportunity and guidance, but especially for the understanding and support. All my friends in York, PA-Thanks for all the love, it's forever mutual. Shout outs to ΘΧ (M), Cochrane 1, El Rancho, BAN, and friends and acquaintances elsewhere, for the most lovely and ridiculous years (A). I did it! Keep in touch. (#) 4-ever in our memories. Peace & love.

**Anne Jacqueline Kugler**  
Richmond, VA

**Activities:** Beta Beta Beta-Historian (97-98), Chi Beta Phi, Phi Beta Kappa, Society of Physics Students-Secretary (97-98), Student Honors Association, Washington Literary Society-Secretary (97-98)

**Quote:** "Don't bother to pack your bags or your maps. We won't need them where we're goin'. We're goin' where the wind is blowin', not knowin' where we're gonna stay." -Weezer

A final good-bye to my best friend Alec..We'll always have Stargate.

**Carreen Lawrence**  
Sullivan, MO

**Activities:** SGA, Honor's Program, ΔZ Sorority, Christian Fellowship

**Quote:** "There is never any end to Paris and the memory of each person who has lived in it differs from that of any other...Paris was always worth it..." -Ernest Hemingway *A Moveable Feast*

Thank you to my family and friends- It's been an amazing four years!

**Don Lefevé**  
Alexandria, VA

**Quote:** To Mom, Dad, and all my friends-Thank you for supporting me all these years.

"It's not your enemies that get you into trouble, it's always your damn friends."

PPKA



**Wendy Elizabeth Lewis**  
Farmville, VA

**Activities:** ΔZ Sorority, Spanish Club, Christian Fellowship, CAB

**Quote:** "When you feel your life ain't worth living you've got to stand up and take a look around then, look way up to the sky. And when your deepest thoughts are broken, keep on dreamin' Boy cause when ya stop dreamin its time to die!"

Blindmelon

Thank you Mom, Dad, and grandparents for all the love and support you've given me in the past 4 years. To all my friends-Thanks for the memories that will last a lifetime. ΔZ-Thank you for the past year. I am so proud to have been a part of you.

**Lacie Tattersall Litz**  
White Hall, MD

**Activities:** Lacrosse (4), ΦM Sorority

**Quote:** Mom, Dad, Laurie, and Maggie-Thank you so much for making my dream a reality. I couldn't have done it without you. I love you all. To my friends-We did it. You all have given me memories to last a lifetime.

"Some day when we reminisce, we'll say there wasn't too much we've missed. And through the tears we'll smile when we recall, we had it all for just a moment." -St. Elmo's Fire

**Joseph A. Lombard III**  
Gloucester Point, VA

**Quote:** Thank you Mom and Dad for all of your guidance and support. Thank you to my brother Chris for always being there and to my little inspiration. To my brothers of KA-good luck in all of your successes and God bless.

**Lucy LoRomer**  
Norfolk, VA

**Activities:** KAΘ Sorority-Secretary, Rush Chairman, Eta Sigma Phi-Secretary, Psi Chi-Treasurer, Chi Beta Phi, Gamma Sigma Alpha, Higgins Academic Center Tutor, S.V.N.-President

Quote: "May life bless and teach you always. May your wishes all come true. May you always do for others and let others do for you. May you climb a ladder to the stars and climb on every rung. May you stay forever young." -Bob Dylan  
Thanks to all my friends, Theta sisters, and especially Mom and Dad!

**D. Caine MacLeod**

Ashland, VA

Activities: Drama Guild, Alpha Psi Omega

Quote: "Sturm Und Drang" "Solus Unus Est"

**Kristen Marcel**

Midlothian, VA

Activities: Orientation Leader, New Student Orientation (97), Junior Coordinator, RISE (96), SVEA-Treasurer (96-97), Pi Delta Phi

Quote: Thanks Mom, Dad, and Greg for always being there for me. "Dare to be different, different is good!"



**Matthew C. Marshall**

Scottsdale, AZ

Quote: "Do not go gentle into that good night, old age should burn and rave at close of day; Rage, rage against the dying of the light; and you, my father, there on the sad height, curse, bless, me now with your fierce tears, I pray. Do not go gentle into that good night; Rage, rage against the dying of the light." -Dylan Thomas

Mom, Dad, Lily, Andrew-Thank you. To Pika, especially the Pi Pledge Class-I'll never forget the good times! Phi Phi Kappa Alpha

**Alecia Marzullo**

Matawan, NJ

Quote: "So many adventures could happen today. So many songs we forgot to play. So many dreams, ringing out of the blue. Oh let them come true. Forever young, I want to be forever young." -Alphaville

**R. Jason Matthews**

Suffolk, VA

Activities: ΦΚΕ Fraternity, Beta Beta Beta, Order of Omega, Gamma Sigma Alpha, Pre-Medical Society, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Football, Virginia Academy of Science

Quote: "...Up, up, the long delirious, burning blue. I've topped the windswept heights with easy grace, where never lark, or even eagle flew-And, while with silent, lifting mind I've trod. The high untrespassed sanity of space, put out my

hand and touched the face of God." -John Gillespie Magee, Jr. A selection from "High Flight"  
The DONK will be with you...always.

**Kira Ann Matukaitis**

Newark, DE

Quote: "Life is what happens while you are busy planning other things." To everyone who knows and have seen me through the past four years, thank you. It hasn't been easy. To the one that I hope will one day know; here's to rainy nights.

**Kelly A. McDonald**

Virginia Beach, VA

Quote: "We'll be friends forever, won't we, Pooh?" asked Piglet. "Even longer," Pooh answered.

Thank you to all my friends and Theta sisters for all of the wonderful memories! Mom and Dad-Thank you for all of your support and for providing me with these wonderful years. I love you! Dr. Bryan-Thank you for your support, you are the best role model, but also my best friend. I love you. Bunky-Thanks for all the special memories. I love you!

**Heather McLearie**

Windsor, CA

Quote: Thank you to all of my beautiful family and friends for four wonderful years. I love you all more than the sun and the moon and the stars.



Editor-in-Chief, WAVE Radio-Pioneer DJ, Program Director, Improv Instant Theatre-Chairman (4 yrs), Intramural Executive Board, ODK-VP, Society of Collegiate Journalists-President, BCS-VP, Multicultural Association, K-MC Young Democrats, Board of Publications, College Bowl, Drama Guild-"One for All or Nothing," Book Buddy Volunteer, Honors Program (94-95), Honors Gazette (94-95)

Quote: Where I grew up, kids didn't go to college. So to everyone who took advantage of every opportunity, adjusted to change, defied the odds and stood out from the crowd when necessary, remember you are privileged. You are now the one out of every five Americans to graduate college. Make the most of it. Those of you who were so real you never had to say you were keeping it real, I thank you. College has made a man out of one more boy. BAN N4L

"Infinitely go against the grain, that's why my motto is to never do what they do." -The Roots

"The difference between ordinary and extraordinary is that little extra." -a plaque in the mall

**Heather Anne McTavish**

Winchester, VA

Activities: CAB, SGA, Senior Senator, Senior Advisory Council, Spanish Club, Political Science Student Organization, Aerobics Club, AZ Sorority-Social, Ways and Means Chair, Christian Fellowship, Community Outreach Program, International Interest Organization, Alpha Phi Omega

Quote: "To laugh often and much; To win the respect of intelligent people and the affection of children; To earn the appreciation of honest critics and ignore the betrayal of false friends; To appreciate beauty; To find the best in others; To leave the world a bit better, whether by a healthy child, a garden patch, or redeemed by social condition; To know even one life has breathed easier because you have lived. This is to have succeeded." -Ralph Waldo Emerson  
Olin you are forever in my heart, live long and drink much. Thanks OZ, it was all I ever hoped it would be. LITF.

**Amy Sarah Metzger**

Alexandria, VA

Quote: "I'm looking for people that I used to know. I'm looking for places that



we used to go. I promise the changes have never changed me, no matter how distant that we seem to be." -Samples  
"Whatever you do take care of your shoes." -Phish

### Heather Millar

Hampton, VA

Quote: "All the world's a stage, and all the men and women merely players" -Shakespeare from "As You Like It"  
Thank you Dad, Mom, Valerie, and Ginger for everything you've helped me with these 4 glorious years! Thank you to Theta for all the memories and I would have never of made it without my theta girls!! I love you all and hopefully each time I see this in the yearbook, I will be happily employed!! Thank you again Dad for all the support and to again in this crazy world one piece of advice... "To thine own self be true."

### Katherine Minahan

Salem, VA

Quote: Thanks Mom and Dad and to my friends for a wonderful four years. "Nothing lasts forever. Not the mountains or the sea, but the times we had together, they will always be with me." -The Samples  
"There is truth and simplicity in genuine friendship." -Cicero



### Melissa Lee Mitchell

Annapolis, MD

Quote: "They are hopeful... Their lives are filled with expectation... They are more brave than persons of other ages... They are high-minded... And they choose to do what is noble rather than what is expedient. Such then is the character of the young." -Aristotle  
To Mom and Daddy-Thank you for giving me more than I could ever possibly repay. Thanks for being more than parents, thanks for being my friends. To Laura, Mike, and Renata-Thank you for all of your love and support. To Theta-The memories I have made with all of you I will keep and cherish all of my life. To Amanda H.-Keep the D.F. alive. And lastly, to the girls on the wrong side of the tracks-Pineapple forever!

### Kathy Negaard

Amelia, VA

Activities: WAVE Radio, Christian Fellowship  
Quote: Mom and Dad-Thank you so very much for the countless sacrifices. Without your love and support, this would not be possible. Susan-How did I get along as a freshman without you here? It's been so much fun and truly a unique experience for us both. I love you all!  
"Every new beginning comes from some other beginning's end." -Semisonic

### Ben Nuckols

Goochland, VA

Quote: Thanks Mom and Dad for all of the love, patience, understanding, and money over the past four years. Thanks Brooke for always being there and for being my best friend. AXA-Thanks for many lasting friendships and memories. Thanks R-MC baseball for four years of fun.  
"A day which is wasted is one in which we have not yet laughed." -unknown

### Brian T. O'Keefe

West Chester, PA

Quote: "Hard work is the key to success."  
Thank you Mom and Dad for the last 4 years of my life. I love you. Thanks Nan,

Pops, and Grandpop O'Keefe for all your support and love. Thanks Key for being the best friend a brother could have, also thanks to the brotherhood of 0X, my little brothers and family, Coch I, my teammates, and Katie for making senior year so special.

### Regan Michelle Parady

Martinsville, VA

Quote: "You have to laugh at yourself because you'd cry your eyes out if you didn't." -Emily Saliers  
"Don't want to leave but we all know sometimes its better to go, somehow we know we'll meet again. I'm not sure quite where and I don't know just when, you are in my heart so until then, back of my mind, bottom of my heart, always and forever."

Anyu and Steffi-Thank you for your never ending love and support. I will always cherish the friendships I have made. LITF.

### Katherine Ballard Parker

Richmond, VA

Quote: Fortune favors those who dare." -Virgil  
"What lies before us and what lies behind us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us." -Emerson



-Lauren Bacall  
Mom, Dad, Beth, Nanny, and Poppy-Thank you for all of your support throughout my years at R-MC. I would also like to thank my friends and Theta for the most special times ever! BT-Thanks for all of the smiles!

### Cheney Serpell Patrick

Norfolk, VA

Quote: "Always laughing; never sad; sometimes naughty; never bad"  
"We were children in our places with the world beneath our feet. Growing up was in our faces I'll remember yours so sweet." -Samples

### Jean M. Paxton

Richmond, VA

Activities: SGA-Senator (96-97 Safety of Campus Chair, 97-98 Programs Chair), Senior Advisory Council-Social Chair, Traffic Violations Appeals Board, Case Committee, ODK, Gamma Sigma Alpha

Quote: Thanks to Mom, Dad, Joshua, the sopers, my family, and friends for your unconditional love and support. I couldn't have asked for a better four years. Thanks also to Theta for memories that will last me a lifetime. May we always be the best of friends.

"None of us know what is ahead... The important thing is to use today wisely and well, and face tomorrow eagerly and cheerfully and with the certainty that we shall be equal to what it brings." -Channing Pollock

### Lucian Allen Peacock III

Bluefield, WV

Quote: Mom and Dad-Thanks for the \$80,000 vacation. Hey Lambda Chi and



### Catherine Stuart Patterson

Virginia Beach, VA

Activities: Spanish Club, Sigma Delta Pi, HAC Mentor, HAC Rise Tutor

Quote: "You gain strength, courage, and confidence by every experience which you must stop and look fear in the face... You must do the thing you think you cannot do." -Eleanor Roosevelt  
"Imagination is the highest kite one can fly."

Jimmy and the boys-Thanks for all the memories...KTZ 931.  
"For every Southern boy, there comes a time when it is still not yet three o'clock on the afternoon of July 3, 1863..." -William Faulkner

**Krista Suzanne Pfunder**  
Davidsonville, MD

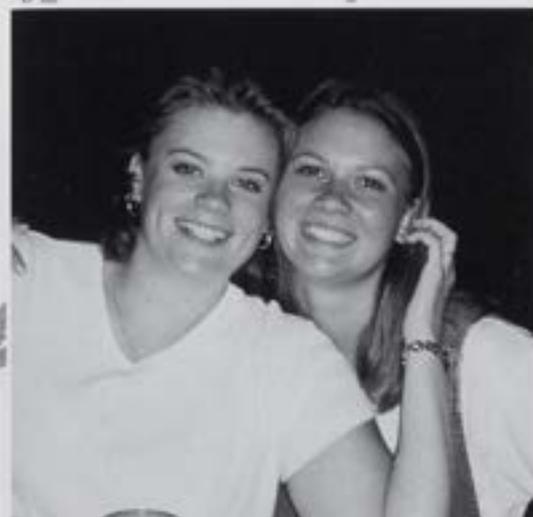
**Activities:** Yellow Jacket Weekly, Society for Collegiate Journalists (IJA/ AOT), SGA Board of Publications

**Josh Andrew Pillion**  
Blue Bell, PA

**Quote:** "Boatdrinks!" -Jimmy the Saint

**Cooper Rice Pollard**  
Baltimore, MD

**Activities:** KA Order-President, Ritualist House manager



**Quote:** Thanks to all my friends and family especially my Mom and Dad. I could not be where I am today without the support you have given me and I love you both very much. Thanks KA, the pledge class of 95, and I wish all the brothers good luck.

"If a man were to know the end of this day's business were to come, but it suffice that the day will end, and the end be known, and if we meet again well then we'll smile. But if not by then this party was well made." -Julius Caesar

**Susan S. Pope**  
Wayland, MA

**Activities:** ΦM Sorority-President, Panhellenic Delegate, Order of Omega-VP, Business/Economics Society-VP

**Quote:** "Don't cry because its over, laugh because it happened." -Ashley Malcolm  
Thank you ΦM and all my friends for the memories and to my family for all your support.

**Amy Caroline Prince**  
Richmond, VA

**Activities:** Gamma Sigma Alpha Academic Honor Society, ΔZ Sorority-Treasurer, Stylus Literary Magazine

**Quote:** "Drink it up, this one's for you-Its been a lovely cruise..." -Jimmy Buffett  
Thanks to my friends for all the drives and good times and to my family for their love and support. I wouldn't have made it through without you!

**Julie Pryor**  
Fredericksburg, VA

**Activities:** CAB, Field Hockey-Captain (97), Women's Tennis, ΔZ Sorority-Historian, Philanthropy Chair, Gamma Sigma Alpha, Alpha Phi Omega, Community Outreach Program

**Quote:** "Listening to your heart, finding out who you are, is not simple. It takes time for the chatter to quiet down. In the silence of 'not doing' we begin to know what we feel. If we listen and hear what is being offered, then anything in life can be our guide. Listen."

Mom and Dad-Thanks for making these four years possible. To my friends and ΔZ-You have truly made this the best time of my life. I love you all.

**Jeannette Southwell Pugh**  
Herndon, VA

**Activities:** RHA Representative, HAC Mentor, CAB, Orientation Leader, ΔZ Sorority-VP of Programs, Activities Co-Chair

**Quote:** Thank you to my family, friends, and ΔZ for making the last four years incredible! I love you all!  
"I knew that looking back on my tears would make me laugh, but I never thought that looking back on my laughter would make me cry."

**Jody Purvis**  
Houston, TX

**Activities:** Phi Beta Kappa, Psi Chi, Chi Beta Phi, Amnesty International, Environmental Action, Habitat for Humanity

**Quote:** "The unexamined life is not worth living."  
-Socrates  
Thanks Mom and Dad and all my friends for your love and support these past four years!



**Ande Redford**  
Winchester, VA

**Activities:** Phi Beta Kappa, Eta Sigma Phi, CAB, RHA, Christian Fellowship, Yellow Jacket Annual

**Quote:** "The tongue hath sworn, but the soul is unbounded." -Euripides Hippolytus



**Andrew Brice Rhodes**  
Kennett Square, PA

**Quote:** "And the kids they dance and shake their bones." -GD  
Thank you to my family and friends for allowing me to grow, express myself, and experience life's pleasures. I love you all for the balance of freedom and support that you give me everyday. I'll never take for granted how much you have given me. Our roots are planted, so let's keep growing and learning with a goal in mind and persistence and each other as the means to attain it.

"Don't waste your breath to save your face when you have done your best."  
GD  
Let's keep "havin' a good time!" -Panic

**Tanya L. Robinson**  
Smyrna, DE

**Activities:** Field Hockey (94-97), CAB (96-98), Club Softball-Captain (98), Society for Collegiate Journalists (97-98), Yellow Jacket Annual-Sports Editor (96-97), Editor-in-Chief (97-98)

**Quote:** "Great spirits have always encountered violent opposition from mediocre minds." -Albert Einstein

My entire family & the Sheltons-Your support in hockey, softball, yearbook, and everything else meant more to me than you'll ever know. Thank you! Mom & Dad-Thanks for always being up-in-arms, ready to fight all my challenges. The Robinson's will never be forgotten!! Nana-Thanks for the monthly cards and believing in me. Monmom-Thanks for all the XOXO's and support. Kim-Thanks for being there when I needed to vent. Chris-Thanks for putting up with me and my study habits. Thank you to all the other people who believed in me, especially Clayton, Mahaffy, Ackerman, Rocca, Crowder, and Redford. (And to those who didn't, the quote is for you.)

**Toni Roccia**  
Ashland, VA

**Activities:** Intramural Board, Intramural Executive Council, Volleyball  
**Quote:** "We need people who cannot be bought-whose word is their bond-who put character above wealth-who possess opinions and will-who are larger than their vociferous-who do not hesitate to take chances-who will make no compromise with wrong-who will not lose their individuality in a crowd-who will be as honest in small things as in great things-who will not say they do it 'because everyone else does it-whose ambitions are not confined to their own selfish desires-who give 36 inches to the yard and 32 quarts to the bushel-who will not have one brand of honesty for business purposes and another for private life-who are true to their friends through good and evil report, in adversity as well as in prosperity-who do not believe that shrewdness, sharpness, cunning, and long-headedness are the best qualities for winning success-who are not ashamed or afraid to stand for the truth when it is unpopular-who can say 'no' with emphasis, although the rest of the world says 'yes'." -from the California Free Enterprise Association

**Beth Savelle**  
Virginia Beach, VA

**Activities:** Christian Fellowship-Small Groups Co-Leader, French Club-President, College Choir, RHA, Cheerleader, Eta Sigma Phi

**Quote:** -Psalm 37:5 "I am only one; but still I am one. I



cannot do everything, but still I can do something. I will not refuse to do the something I can do." -Heien Keller  
To Alec, Jen, and all of my friends-You will always be part of my life. I thank God for the times we shared.

**Maria Athena Scalise**  
McLean, VA

**Activities:** Sigma Delta Pi, Fall Tennis Team (94), Spanish Club, KAΘ Sorority-Social Chairman, Alternate Panhellenic Delegate, Rush Counselor (98), Chinese Cultural Society-VP, Admission's Tour Guide

**Quote:** "I have always grown from my problems and challenges, from the things that don't work out, that's when I've really learned." -Carol Burnett  
Thank you Mom, Dad, and Yaya for supporting me throughout all of my life's decisions. I truly love you all. To all of my best friends-Thank you for all of the unforgettable memories. To KAΘ-I wish you all the very best!

**Caroline S. Seaman**  
Roseland, VA

**Quote:** "Come along let's have some fun, seems our work is done." -Jimmy Buffett

"Those crazy days and crazy ways we never want to undo. We'll be together now and forever."

-Jimmy Buffett

"Where it began...I can't begin to knowin'...But then I know it's growin' strong...Good times never seemed so good..." -Neil Diamond

To my family-Thanks and I love you. To my friends and sisters of KAΘ-Thanks for the memories and the best four years ever. I love you all.

**Joseph Seetoo**  
Mt. Airy, MD

**Activities:** Football (94-97)-Captain and Leadership Squad (97), EAΘ Fraternity, Gamma Sigma Alpha, Order of Omega, ODK, Phi Beta Kappa, IBC Representative (95), Honors Program, JYA-Lancaster, UK (97)

**Quote:** "Whatever their future, at the dawn of their lives, MEN seek a noble vision of man's Nature and of life's potential." -Ayn Rand (1943)

**Diana Skinner**  
Fredericksburg, VA

**Activities:** CAB-Lecture Chair (97-98), Honors Program, ODK, Phi Beta Kappa, Chi Beta Phi-Secretary (96-97), VP (97-98), Beta Beta Beta-Secretary (97-98), American Chemical Society-President (97-98)

**Quote:** Thanks for a great four years R-MC. To Mom and Dad-I couldn't have done it without your support. To Robb-Thanks for being my best friend and for standing by my side for the past four years! To everyone in the R-MC Class of 1998-"Do not be anxious for tomorrow; for tomorrow will care for itself"  
-Matthew 6:34

**Matthew G. Smith**  
Lexington, VA

**Quote:** Mom, Dad, Cindy, Julie-Thanks for keeping me afloat. "Take my hand I beg of you. Take all these weary burdens too. Then turn my eyes so I can see what my father's father saw for me" C & M  
"So many people waiting. And so little time. Our most important discovery will always be our next one."

**Shiloh Smith**  
Sandston, VA

**Quote:** "That best portion of a good man's life, his little, nameless, unremembered acts of kindness



and of love" -William Wordsworth  
Thank you so much Mom and Dad. You are the best parents a kid could ask for. And to my friends-I will never forget all of the great memories. I love you so much. I'll miss this place and Theta for the rest of my life.

**Susan Lynne Smith**  
Boca Raton, FL

**Activities:** KAΘ Sorority, Sigma Delta Pi, Chi Beta Phi

**Quote:** "What a long, strange trip it's been" -Grateful Dead  
Mom, Dad, and Barbara-Thanks for all of your love and support. Thanks to my friends and Theta for four unforgettable years.

**Sara Ann Stevenson**  
Lake Tahoe, NV

**Activities:** KAΘ Sorority-Member Education Assistant, Alumni Committee, Community Service Committee, WAVE Radio-VP

**Quote:** "Everybody smiles in the same language."  
I would like to thank my family, friends, and Scott for all of your love and support over the years. Theta-You will always hold a special place in my heart.

**Peter Stith**  
Nassawadox, VA

**Quote:** Mom, Dad, and all my friends-I love you very much and thank you for always supporting me. PPKA

**Shawmika W. Talley**  
Richmond, VA

**Activities:** Alpha Kappa Delta (97-98), Pre-Law Society (95-98)-Secretary (96-97), VP (97-98), Sociology Club (96-98), RA (96-97), BCS (94-98)-Secretary (94-96), President (96-97), Multicultural Association (94-98), Implemented Ujima Gospel Choir (96-98)-Secretary (96-97), President (97-98), Implemented First African-American Alumni Reception (96), Founder and Editor-in-Chief of Ujima Reference Manual (96), Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.-Chaplain (96-98)

**Quote:** "I can do all things through Christ who strengthen me." -Phil. 4:13

I would like to take this time to thank the Lord above for all of his many blessings He has bestowed upon me. Without Him, we all labor in vain. I also want to thank my parents, family, and friends for all of your love and support. I could not have done it without you. I love each and every one of you!!

**Linda Thomas**  
White Marsh, VA

**Activities:** SVEA, Sociology Club, Campus Keys, Yellow Jacket Annual, CAB, Volunteers in Action, Alpha Phi Omega, Tutoring Services, Christian Fellowship, Phi Theta Kappa, Study Abroad-England

**Quote:** "Never say never"

To my children-When I went away to college I knew it would be hard for you to adjust, still I never gave up on you. Thank you for not giving up on me. To all of my friends-Thank you for all of the good times we have shared. May we always keep in touch. Thank you R-MC.



**Caroline Thompson**  
Richmond, VA

**Quote:** "Tomorrow is the most important thing in life. Come into us at midnight very clean. It's perfect when it arrives and it puts itself in our hands. It hopes we've learned something from yesterday." -John Wayne  
And to the girls in the haven-Flippo 2 was home when there wasn't one, my heart beats for you.

**Rebekah Trimble**  
Huntingtown, MD

**Activities:** CAB-Committee Chair, ΔZ Sorority-Social Chair, Yellow Jacket Weekly-News Editor, Aerobics Club Instructor, Pre-Medical Society

**Quote:** "I always knew looking back on the times I cried would make me laugh but I never thought looking back on the times I laughed would make me cry." -Anonymous

Thank you Mom, Dad, Dave, and Elaine for all your support. To my friends and DZ-Thanks for the memories.

**Douglas Turner**  
Barnegat, NJ

**Quote:** Thanks to my family, AXA, Nat, Charlie, Brad, and Dr. Tuell.  
"You will know the truth, and the truth will make you free." -John 8:32

**Ashley Tyner**  
Chester, VA

**Quote:** "Quote: Another turning point, a fork stuck in the road. Time grabs you

by the wrist, directs you where to go. So make the best of this test, and don't ask why. It's not a question but a lesson learned in time. It's something unpredictable, but in the end is right. I hope you had the time of your life. For what it's worth, it was worth all the while." -Green Day

**Mark Vineyard**  
Hendersville, NC

**Quote:** "The suspicious parent makes an artful child." -Thomas G. Halliburton (Thanks Dad!)

"Everything is funny as long as it is happening to someone else." -Will Rogers  
"Every generation laughs at the old fashions, but follows religiously the new." H.D. Thoreau

To all my friends-Thanks for all of the great memories! It's been a great ride!  
To my grandparents and my parents-The education you have provided me with is invaluable. I am forever in your debt and I love you all!

**Brent C. Waters**  
Poquoson, VA

**Quote:** "In songs and dances, men are allowed to express themselves freely, this is the only moment they feel closest to God, or they may realize their potential to become God. They are free to walk, sing, run, or even take flight to the sky. They are no longer artists because they are already works of art." -Nietzsche

To KTZ- It has been a great ride. I could not have done this without you. Thank you, #929.



**Quote:** "There's a time for feeling as good as we can. The time is now, and there's no stopping us. There's a time for living as high as we can. Behind us you will only see our dust." -Rush

**Jonathan Craig Weyer**  
Jefferson, NJ

**Activities:** Honors Program, Model OAU, French Club, Young Democrats, Yellow Jacket Annual  
**Quote:** I'd like to thank my family, specifically my Mom and Dad, for their support, financial and otherwise, over the last four years. I'd also like to thank my friends at Macon for making the past four years the most enjoyable, and definitely the most interesting time of my life and my friend, Alec, for teaching us all what's really important.

"Every new beginning comes from some other beginning's end." -Semisonic

**E. Ashley Whitehurst**  
Chesapeake, VA

**Activities:** Women's Basketball (94-96), ΦM Fraternity, Panhellenic Council-VP (97-98)

**Quote:** "I'm not afraid of tomorrow, for I have seen yesterday, and I love today." -William Allen White

Thanks ΦM for a great last year and to my family for all of your love.

**Meg Wright**  
Petersburg, VA

**Quote:** "I know who I was when I got up this morning, but I must have changed several times since then!" -Lewis Carroll *Alice in Wonderland*  
Thank you Mom & Dad!

**Bethany Zinner**  
Lehighton, PA

**Activities:** Stylus Literary Magazine-Editor, Washington Literary Society, International Interest, Young Democrats

**Quote:** Many thanks to my parents and friends who have been there with me the past 4 years. I've had a great time and will always cherish the memories.  
"Many dreams come true, and some have silver linings. I live for my dream, and a pocketful of gold." -Led Zeppelin

Right: Dr. Ladell Payne and his wife Jean Payne were presented with an Honorary Degree of Humane Letters during the 166th Commencement ceremonies.



Above: A view of the 194 seniors and proud family members as they all listen to words of wisdom during the graduation ceremony.



Above: Happy as can be to finally be graduating is Amy Spagna waiting for her sponsor and father, Dr. George Spagna, to hood her.

# Graduation '98

*Time to begin a new chapter of life*

Below: Amy Harrell reaches out for that prized diploma from Dr. Roger Martin.



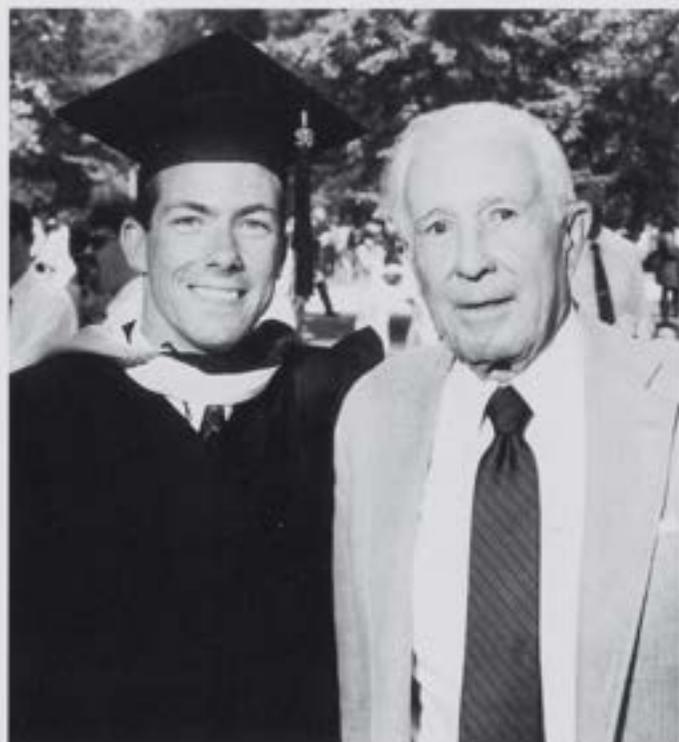
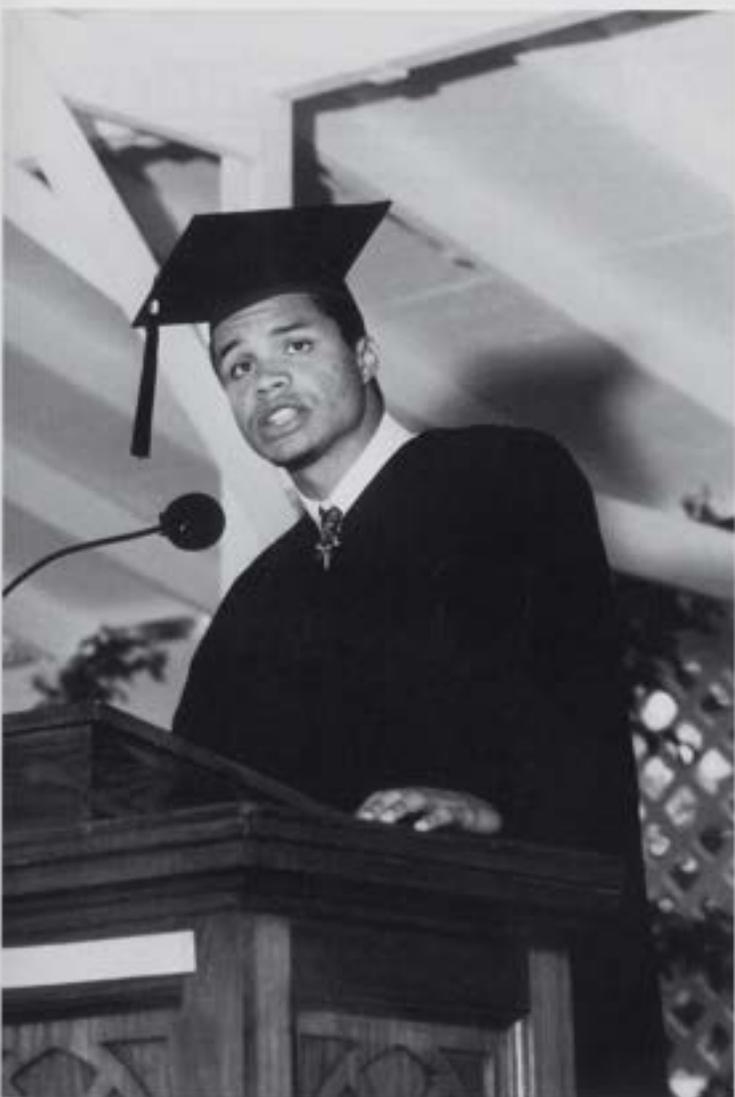
On Sunday, May 31, 1998, Randolph-Macon College held the 166th Commencement Ceremony for the Class of '98. A total of 194 baccalaureate degrees and two honorary degrees were awarded during the graduation ceremonies.

The commencement address was given by Donald T. Regan who has been a distinguished professional in business and government as a major Wall Street leader, chairman and chief executive of Merrill Lynch & Co., and chief of staff and secretary of the treasury during the Ronald Regan administration. Mr. Regan reminded the Class of '98 that they have the power to make a difference in the tough world of

today.

Keith McMillan spoke on the behalf of the senior class. Keith reflected on the days the senior class had while at R-MC and the memories and lessons they learned. He urged the Class of '98 to take those life's lessons and apply them to their lives outside of the blanket of R-MC.

After the procession, family and friends met the graduates at the fountain plaza for photo opportunities in and around the fountain. Although their careers as R-MC students are officially over, the Class of '98 will take what they have learned from the past four years to begin the next chapters in their lives.



Above: Graduate Don LaVeve poses for a photo with his proud grandfather and the 1998 Commencement speaker Donald T. Regan.

Left: The senior speaker, Keith McMillan reminded the Class of '98 to remember life's lessons that they learned from their college careers as they go out into the 'real world.'



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Below: Senior Tom Gans, freshman Shawn Fields, and sophomore Scott Pomante demonstrating the close friendship they have gained through their time at R-MC. Being a small college, R-MC has an advantage over large universities...everyone knows everyone else and close bonds that last a lifetime are formed.



To the Graduating Class of 1998

I am very pleased to have been invited to write this letter to the graduating class of 1998 at Randolph-Macon College. It is a great pleasure to have this opportunity to congratulate each of you for your achievement.

I sincerely hope that some of you will become teachers in elementary and secondary schools in the Commonwealth. We are dedicated to educational excellence in our public schools, and I am confident that those among you who may become teachers will be committed to the same objective.

The unequalled importance of education was emphasized many years ago in a statement by William Doughty, at the time president of the American Newspaper Publishers Association. I believe his message is worth repeating to you. Here it will be read:

Education has come to play a highly valued practical role in the technological, materialistic civilization of today, yet its unique and profound significance in ancient and changing the great spiritual economy by which man, limited only by individual capacity, takes possession of his human inheritance.

Today, as always, it provides the light by which the individual explores the meaning of life.

For modern society education supplies the skills essential to successful communication.

To the government, dependent upon minimum citizen participation, it gives the vital momentum of logic and responsibility.

And today the universal mental language of education affords the greatest probably the only hope of eventual world understanding.

I believe Mr. Doughty summed up very effectively the value and importance of education to all of us. The education that you have received has made, and will continue to make, a difference in your lives!

Good luck to each of you and my best wishes for success in the future.

Sincerely,  
*Richard T. LaPrite*  
Richard T. LaPrite  
Superintendent of Public Instruction

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Above: School spirit is such a big part of R-MC. Whether you dress-up like a Yellow Jacket or just hold a sign and cheer, the students of R-MC are very supportive of athletic teams and other groups.

*Once upon a time...*



Beginning the 1997-98 school year,

*By the end of the year, the Brock Center was open for use, Pace-*

the Brock Center was still under

*Armistead Hall was completely renovated and ready for fall visual art*

construction, Pace Hall renovations

*classes, Macon Coffee replaced Club Macon as the snack bar, a new*

were just starting, Club Macon was

*class adapted to their new home-away-from-home, a new president of*

closed, and there were many new

*the college was inaugurated into office, and another class said their*

lessons to be learned. Looking back

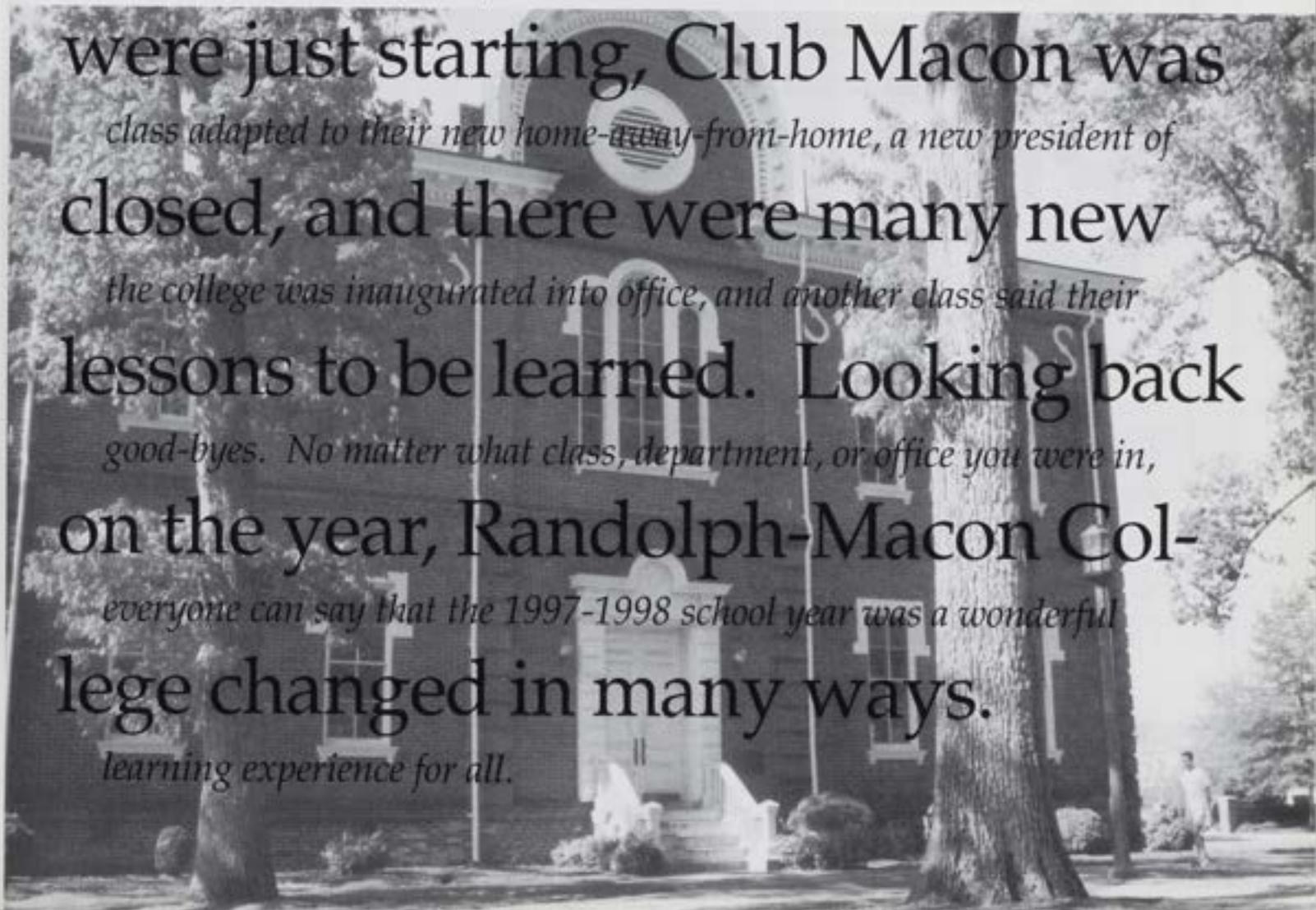
*good-byes. No matter what class, department, or office you were in,*

on the year, Randolph-Macon Col-

*everyone can say that the 1997-1998 school year was a wonderful*

lege changed in many ways.

*learning experience for all.*



# LANDY MCCUE

WE LOVE YOU!  
CONGRATULATIONS ON GROWING INTO A  
BRILLIANT, LOVING, AND BEAUTIFUL PERSON.



WE ARE SO PROUD  
OF YOU!

LOVE,  
MOM & KIMBERLY

*Katherine Lee Huskins*



*Congratulations,  
Kate!*

We are proud of the way  
you have grown,  
in stature and in so many  
other ways.

*Love,*

*Mom, Dad, Susan and Joe*

*To Suze -*



*May you clear the  
rails and jump the  
ditches. Take a  
deep breath.*

*Congratulations!!*

*Much love, Mom,  
Brad, & Spence*



Dina,

"It's the song you sing and the  
smile you wear, that makes  
the SUNSHINE EVERY-  
WHERE." THANKS FOR  
GIVING US 22 YEARS OF  
SUNSHINE. WE LOVE YOU  
SO VERY MUCH.

MOM, DAD,  
JULIE, & PAUL



**WHAT A "PEACH"**

**KATE PATTERSON**

**CONGRATULATIONS!**

LOVE

DAD & BETH

MOM & MIKE

DONALD

NANNY & POPPY

LUCIE & BUCK

BONNIE & ERIC

SUSIE & JERRY

VIRGINIA & TIM

MARIE

MIKE

KATRINA

JEFF

CRAIG

KARIANNA

NATALIE

CAREY

RICHARD

KRISTIN

BECKA

HEATHER

CHRISTY

**Matthew Marshall • Class of 1998**



*Reach for your dreams, Matthew...  
you can do anything.*



*We're very proud of you!*

*Love,*

*Mom and Dad*

*Katherine  
Parker*



*We are proud of all that  
you have accomplished and  
we hope all your best  
dreams come true.*

*Love always,  
Mom, Dad, & Jenny*



*LAURA GAWLINSKI*

*Congratulations Laura, our best  
wishes go with you as you swing  
into the future.*

*Love,  
Mom, Dad, and Cathy*



Justin Harris  
  
 CONGRATULA-  
 TIONS, JUT!!!  
 WE ARE PROUD OF  
 YOU AND LOVE  
 YOU VERY MUCH.



Congratulations,  
 Bekah!

We are so proud  
 of you.

Love, Mom Dad, Dave,  
 Elaine, & Wolfie



POPS, MOM,  
 CHRIT, & NICK

“  
 ‘You certainly  
 look like an in-  
 tense young  
 man...’  
 Carl Sandburg to  
 Bob Dylan, 1964  
 ”

## Jonathan J. Crooks



From your  
 grandfather's "little  
 man," to the man  
 you've become today,  
 you've brought us  
 love, joy, & pride  
 every step of the way.

# Congratulations!

## To Our Angel Baby



Love, Mom & Dad





*If you spread your dreams before you  
like a stairway to the sky—  
No star you dare to reach for  
will ever be too high!  
We love you.  
Mama and Daddy*

*Shelley Dunn*





Christopher S. Cox

CONGRATULATIONS KRIS !!

We love you!  
We celebrate your success!

(and We are grateful for  
the official expiration of your  
membership in the  
Randolph-Macon Country Club. . .

. . .Your sister really  
needs new clothes!) →

Love always, Mom & Dad



*E. Ashley Whitehurst*

*Congratulations to you,  
Ashley! Our love and sup-  
port are yours always.*



*Love, Mama & Daddy*

"TO OUR LITTLE  
COWBOY"- B. T.  
O'KEEFE

"GREAT SUCCESS  
IN THE FUTURE"



LOVE, MOM, DAD, KEVIN,  
NAN, AND POP



WITH MUCH PRIDE  
AND LOVE,  
MOM, DAD, NICKY,  
SYLVAN, & YAYA

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JOHN A. HARTLOVE

Congratulations!

We always knew that you would be successful. Even when you thought that each grade would last a day and soon found out they were years. We knew that you would make it. Even during the years when you wanted to know what you needed to get by and just pass the course, instead of doing your best. We always knew that you would get to this milestone in your life.

Congratulations, John!

Love,  
Mom and Dad

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## **Mark E. Vineyard**



*It's a clean sweep! Now you're a graduate and the path is clear ahead. We wish you success filled with happiness and love.*



*Your family,  
Andy, Teri, Maddie Scott, Mom & Dad Vineyard,  
Grandmom & Granddad Jones*



*Ashley,*

*We will always take pride in your achievements.*

*"Aim at the sun, and you may not reach it, but your arrow will fly far higher than if aimed at an object on a level with yourself." - J. Harves*

*Love,  
Mom & Dad*

**CONGRATULATIONS  
MISSY!**



**WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU.**

LOVE, MOM, JON, AND MICHELLE



**Bonjour Kristen,**

**COURAGE...GRACE...DIGNITY...TENACITY...INTELLIGENCE...**

*These are the words that describe how you met the challenges presented to you. No two parents could be prouder of their daughter as we are of you. May all your future endeavours be met with the same success.*



*All our love and may God bless you always.*

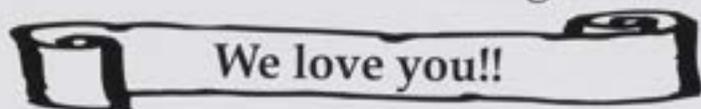
**MOM & DAD**

**P. S. PARLEZ-VOUS  
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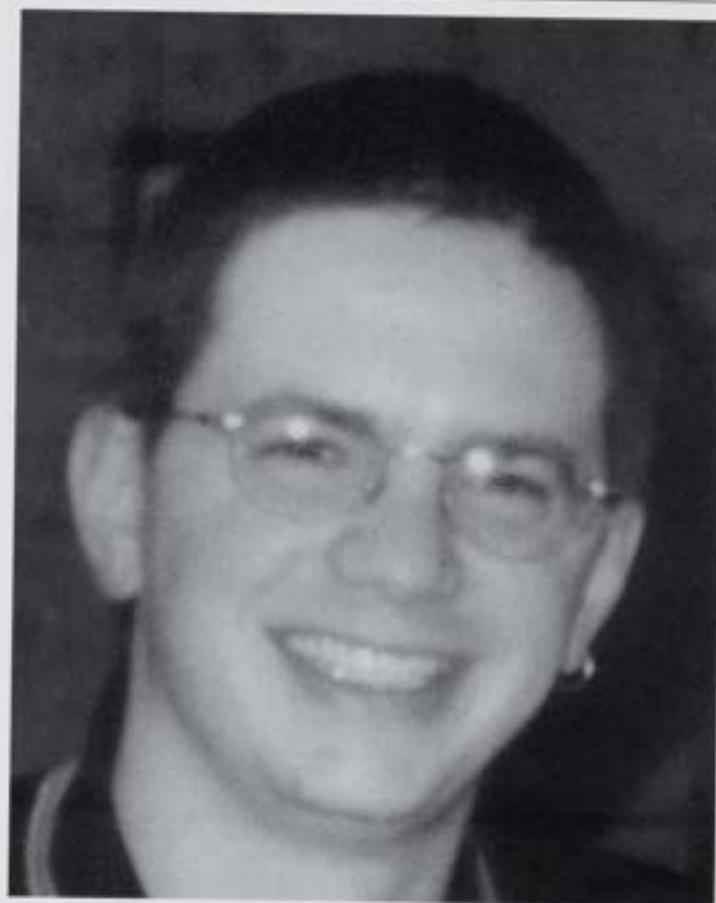


**To our son,  
DEAN BROWELL,**

You have given your mom and dad (your parental units) so much love and joy throughout your life. We are so proud of all your many accomplishments at R-MC. We wish for you a future filled with love, excitement, and all the richness of a full and meaningful life.



**Mom & Dad**



*Melissa Mitchell*



*Not too long ago when you  
were young, WOW where  
has the time gone.*

*Mom & Dad*



*Tanya - You have been through so much in your 4 years of college. It all had a purpose, though, we may not understand what the purposes were, it has been a growing experience for us all. We are very proud of you. Keep working hard and know that only you can bring you down, no matter who may try. Also know that we will always be there to support you. Way to go, T!*

*Mom, Dad, Kim, Bubba,  
Auburney, & family*

Good luck and happiness  
to the  
Class of 1998

The Keller Family



CONGRATULATIONS  
GRADUATES!

# A Word from the Editor

In the spring of '97, signs were posted around campus for the Editor-in-Chief position of the Yellow Jacket Annual. I saw the advertisements everywhere I went and I kept thinking about it. I went to the Public Relations Office and picked up an application. I thought about it over and over and called home to ask my family's opinion on the position. Everyone kept telling me that I would do a good job and that I should do it, but it was totally up to me. So I sat down and filled out the application. There were two other students vying for the position. I know the decision was difficult to make. I received the phone call from Cathe Kervan informing me that I would be the Randolph-Macon College Yearbook Editor for 1997-98. I was pretty excited and nervous at the same time. I knew that a huge project was upon my shoulders, but I knew I had the confidence and experience to produce a great yearbook. Then the process began and through it all, I believe the finished product speaks for itself.

At this time, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the many people who helped me throughout the year in producing the 1997-98 Yellow Jacket Annual. First of all, thank you to Josten's Inc. They provided the computer, printer, programs, guidance, and produced the yearbook. Within Josten's Inc., I would like to personally thank *Judy Walls* and *Valerie Ezell*. They were always ready to answer all of my questions and help guide me through the production process. A huge thank you goes to *Tina Kariotakis*, my Josten's Representative. If it was not for Tina's patience, big smile, and laid back attitude, I would have driven myself crazy. Thank you Tina for those late nights, weekends, and fixing the printer every time you came in. Second, I would like to thank the Public Relations Office. Thank you *Linda Evans* and *Angela Fountain* for all of your support, opinions, and especially your smiling faces when I came to the office. Thank you very, very much *Cathe Kervan* for having the confidence in me to produce the yearbook and for all of your support throughout the year. I had a great time and would work with you on any project any time. Third, thank you to my staff, *Candace Abbott*, *Megan Davis*, *Laura Bolen*, *Linda Thomas*, *Sellers Davis*, *Megan Munsey*, *Sheila Mills*, and *Ande Redford*. I know some of your spare time was taken helping out with this yearbook and every little bit was a great help. Forth, thank you so much *Todd Hilder*. Even though you were pretty hard to get in touch with, your photos, captions, and editing were a bigger help to me than you could ever imagine. Thanks to you, the sports section is probably the best in the book. Fifth, a huge thank you goes out to all those people who helped with other various things- *Sarah Hamby*, *Dean Keitt*, *Barclay DuPriest*, *Sheila Roccia*, *Gina Roccia*, *Toni Roccia*, *Kristen Leake*, *Sharon Jackson*, *Kristin Hriniaik*, *April Collins*, *Tim Flagg*, *Krista Pfunder*, *Keith McMillan*, *Kimberly Beckerdite*, *Melissa Posner*, *Leslie Nollie*, *Kate Whitacre*, *Ray Berry*, *Sam Kennedy*, *Campus Safety*, *Becky Bealer*, *Joe Inge*, *Kate Daniecki*, *Brian Pluta*, *James Allen*, *the Library Staff*, *Registrar's Office*, *Susan Donavant*, and everyone else. Finally, thank you *Jeff Cowder* for putting up with my yearbook mess all over your house, *Mr. and Mrs. Shelton* for all of your support, my finance, *Chris Shelton*, for putting up with all the late nights, stressful days, messy life style, all of your suggestions, and helping to write numbers on folders and photos, and *my family* for all of your confidence and support. I would especially like to thank *Mom* and *Dad* for editing, writing numbers on photos and folders, putting stickers on photos, all your suggestions, and allowing me to make a mess of your house the summer of '98. *Thank you all and I hope the 1997-98 Yellow Jacket Annual was as fun for you to look at as it was for me to produce.*

Tanya L. Robinson  
Editor-in-Chief

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