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Front Campus, circa 1962

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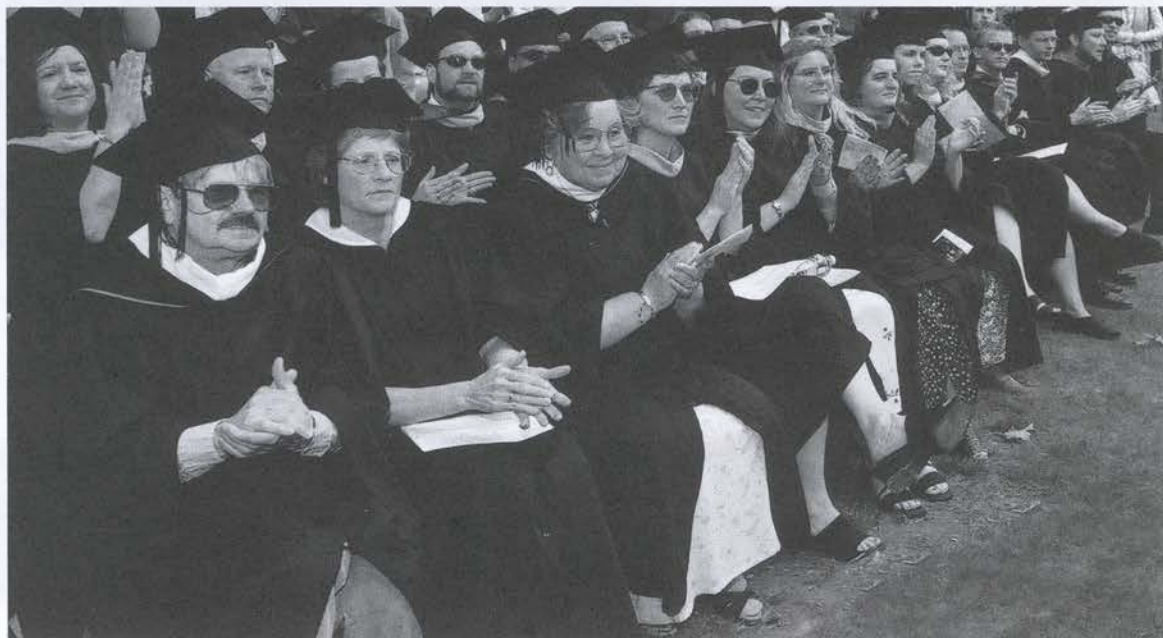
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MCI's Vision for Its Future: 2002 Strategic Planning

By Douglas C. Cummings, Head of School

Maine Central Institute's faculty and staff are outstanding. The 2002 Strategic Planning will continue to stress the importance of endowment for salaries, also one of four major initiatives in the Campaign for MCI.



This past March 8th and 9th, 39 members of the MCI community participated in strategic planning sessions with consultant John Bird. Four subgroups were developed that each included trustees, faculty, staff members and administrators as well as parents of students currently enrolled at our school. Group leaders were trustees Mike Gallagher, Carol Rogers Good, John LeMieux and Peter Williams.

The entire group identified and discussed external issues that may impact our school which included technology, global dynamics, environmental concerns, diversity, standards based education, shifting of demographics and funding sources, world events and how these could impact philanthropic giving, concerns about violence in schools and preparation for a variety of careers, to name but a few. The school's mission, adopted in 1995, was reaffirmed:

MCI pledges to provide a rigorous, comprehensive educational program to a multicultural student body with a wide range of abilities and interests. In a safe and caring atmosphere, students will acquire knowledge, self-esteem, social responsibility and the critical thinking and communication skills necessary for global citizenship and life-long learning.

Participants in the Strategic Planning went on to identify, by group consensus, the six core values of the school which should never change, the vision of the school fifteen years later in 2017 and the six critical priorities on which to focus over the next 3 to 5 years.

Core Values:

Comprehensiveness: MCI is a comprehensive school. As a school, we are open to those who choose to attend as long as they will not adversely impact the school community by way of safety or disruption of the day.

Diversity: The school deeply values the diverse makeup of the school community and encourages a continuing effort to

bring individuals to the school from every possible way of life. It is through this student makeup that the school is truly able to celebrate the diversity of the world.

Community and Family: The sense of community and family, not only within the school itself, but also in the greater community, is a critical value of the school.

Standards of Excellence: A high level of rigor and excellence in all components of the school's operation is critical, whether that be the academic program, residential program, co-curricular activities or the overall support system at the school.

Focus on the Individual: The people at MCI work diligently to focus on each student as an individual. It is through this approach that each person grows academically, socially and physically as well as becoming a global citizen.

Independence: The status of our school as independent is critical to the continued operation of the institution. We are extremely proud of our founding as a private Maine academy. This foundation upon which we have built for 136 years must never be sacrificed.

Vision: What Maine Central Institute will be like in the year 2017 can be categorized into four specific components.

Facilities: It is anticipated that in the year 2017, the construction of a fine arts center, dining commons/student union and a solid base of technology infrastructure will have been completed. The tremendous commitment to the maintenance of the school's total infrastructure will be obvious to any visitor stepping onto the MCI campus.

Programs: There will be significant growth in the number of boarding students attending MCI. There will be a much larger Maine student boarding population in addition to significant increases nationally and internationally in the residential program. MCI will be the school of choice in the area of fine arts within the State of Maine. Its academic

program will be greatly expanded in both offerings and activities provided to students. The school will also be recognized for its technological excellence.

People: Compensation will have dramatically increased and faculty/student load will be improved to enhance the teaching and learning experience. The school will have developed a clear compensation philosophy, which will be followed as it relates to the compensation of all employees. There will be a significant increase in the number of both professional and paraprofessional staff. It will continue to be the expectation that all people at MCI will treat everyone with the utmost dignity and respect.

Funding: The school will experience a strong financial base by the year 2017. There will be significant growth in endowment as well as funding for faculty development. Increases in revenue beyond endowment will come from significant increases in tuition revenues and greater philanthropic support from friends of the school as well as increased support from educational foundations.

Policy Priorities: To achieve this vision in 15 years, we must accomplish the following in the next 3-5 years:

Achieve financial stability: Through extensive expansion and refinement of the residential program and significant growth of the development effort, it is necessary to increase the financial resources of the institution. Such growth is integral to the successful implementation of the remaining four priorities. There will be growth in endowment as well as funding for faculty development. The school must also thoroughly examine its operating efficiency to ensure that every dollar is utilized to the greatest benefit for each student.

Establish a standards-based curriculum that is individually focused: Consistent with the schools core values of comprehensiveness, standards of excellence and focus on the individual, it is critical to establish a curriculum based on predetermined standards. Such standards will result in assessment tools developed for the purpose of assuring that each student meets the standards prior to successful graduation from Maine Central Institute.

Retain and attract quality faculty and staff: Retention of strong faculty and staff is critical as we strive toward our determined vision. The ability to attract new people is also critical. This entails all components of the above including compensation, workload, professional development and the instructional culture at the school.

Address current infrastructure needs, i.e. technology and physical plant: The current technology infrastructure is in need of great support and renewal, as is the physical plant. It is critical that both technology and the physical plant be a priority on an annual basis to ensure that high standards are maintained. As it relates to the physical plant, this point is not meant to refer to expansion, but to the maintenance and repair of the current physical plant. Every physical space on the campus must meet the same standards of excellence that we expect of our curriculum, faculty and staff.

Develop a plan for a fine arts center: Over the last 5-9 years, the program in the fine arts has grown dramatically. The theater department now has 40-50 students involved in theater production on an annual basis. In the past fifteen years, the music program has grown from fewer than 20 students to more than 140 students. The visual arts at MCI has reached a point where the art shows display extraordinary levels of work by many members of the student body. The fine arts department includes two music instructors, one visual arts instructor and one part-time theater director. Despite this limited commitment to the fine arts, these people have developed extraordinary programs in all areas. Likewise, our partnership with the Bossov Ballet Theatre continues to grow despite less than ideal rehearsal areas in

Powers Hall and the Joseph R. Cianchette Hall. The spaces currently used for the fine arts include the Ruth Plummer Cook Music Building, formerly a Cianbro machine shop, two classrooms in Founders Hall committed to the visual arts, which lack necessary ventilation and offer no space for expansion of staff. The theater program, having no performance space to speak of, has been given the former earth science laboratory in the J.R. Cianchette Hall as well as a former science classroom and storage area for set construction and costumes storage. None of these spaces comes close to meeting a minimal standard for space needed for the fine arts. The growth of these programs has been solely attributed to the expertise and leadership provided by the individuals who have committed endless time to their development. The addition of a fine arts center would allow us to expand the opportunities for all students in the arts substantially.



The very old stairs in Founders Hall.

Continue to integrate our diverse population: Continuing efforts need to be developed, implemented and monitored to integrate all of our student population into the total school, especially our residential students. The international population is minimally involved in co-curricular opportunities whether that be athletics or the fine arts. Students participating in the postgraduate basketball program are not integrated to a significant degree into other components of the school, nor are the community students integrated, to the degree necessary, into the residential culture of the school. Neither are the residential students truly integrated into the local community. Great advances have been made in the last seven years, but a great deal more work and energy needs to be devoted to this area.

The Strategic Planning, adopted by the Board of Trustees in late April, has resulted in the formation of six task forces that parallel the six priorities. Co-chairs, a trustee and an administrator, have been appointed for each of the task forces and potential participants identified and contacted. Meetings will be held throughout the coming year and are expected to culminate in an implementation proposal specific to each given priority that will be presented to the Board in June of 2003.



MCI's recent graduating class, with students from 12 countries, represents the marvelous diversity the school enjoys.

Maine Students Are Encouraged to Apply for Aspire Scholarships



Helen Cianchette and her late husband Chuck had created the original Aspire Scholarship Fund several years ago, to enable Maine students to have the opportunity to attend the central Maine school with which they both had been so involved for over thirty years. Head of School Doug Cummings commented that Chuck and Helen, both members of the Class of 1948, have been two of the School's most enthusiastic and important benefactors and emphasized that the Cianchette's contributions have included every facet of the school. In recognition, MCI's new 24,000 square foot building has been named the Chuck and Helen Cianchette Math and Science Center. Chuck was an MCI trustee for many years and President of the Board. In the Cianbro Corporation memorial tribute to Chuck, who died in a plane accident in early 2000, the Cianchette's daughter Lynn is quoted as saying, "Dad may be the eagle, but Mom is the wind beneath his wings."

Helen Cianchette has recently made another very generous gift to the Aspire Scholarship Fund to continue to help Maine students 'soar' at the school she and Chuck have always loved. She commented that most often scholarships are awarded to students when they graduate from the school; she wants the Aspire Scholarships to make it possible for capable Maine students to enroll at Maine Central Institute and to benefit from all it offers.

The Aspire Scholarships will be awarded to qualified students from Maine who will benefit from the strong academic, residential, fine arts and extracurricular programs the school offers and who will make significant contributions to MCI but who are unable to enroll unless financial assistance is made available to them.

The Aspire Scholarships will be awarded, based on demonstrated financial need. The Aspire Scholarship Committee and the administration of MCI will renew the Aspire Scholarships for subsequent years, provided the students' academic achievement and citizenship records continue to be satisfactory and on-going financial need is demonstrated.

The number of international students and American boarding and private day students enables a rare degree of diversity in Maine that significantly enhances the learning experience at this school of 500 students. The rigorous academic curriculum and average class size of 14 well-prepares MCI students for acceptance by competitive colleges and universities. MCI has won the prestigious Future Problem Solvers State Championship for the past two years. Each senior is required to complete a senior project and exhibition; this independent study is a year-long planning process that requires intense study the quarter just before graduation. Each student's senior project culminates in a formal written and oral presentation.

The Bossov Ballet Theatre Program, directed by noted Russian dancer Andrei Bossov, a featured soloist with the Kirov Ballet for 18 years, is an important part of the school's outstanding fine arts department. This year MCI's Vocal Jazz Ensemble was awarded the state championship for the fourth time in eight years; the other four years the group came in second in the state! MCI's drama group was again one of the top schools in its region, Division I, to go on to the State One-Act Play Festival. The studio arts program is also very strong and students' work is quite often selected for traveling exhibitions. Other outstanding extracurricular activities are the 133-year-old Manson Prize Speaking competition, Fencing Club, math team and Masardis, the literary magazine. There are a total of 28 club activities at the school.

MCI offers 32 sports for undergraduates, 19 of which are at the varsity level, and an internationally recognized post graduate basketball program. Athletic offerings include: soccer, football, field hockey, cheerleading in the fall; basketball, rifle team, wrestling, skiing and cheerleading in winter; baseball, softball, track and tennis in spring. The rifle team has achieved state champion honors for the second consecutive year.

One of MCI's great strengths is that the school's scheduling makes it possible for students to be involved in athletics as well as the fine arts each quarter if they wish.

Interested applicants, especially children or grandchildren of alumni, are encouraged to contact MCI's Admission Office.

By Carolyn J. Smith

Maine Central Institute's Hall Of Fame

Charter members of the Hall of Fame include: Chuck Cianchette '48; Ival R. Cianchette '44; Sanger M. Cook '17; E. Robert Kinney '35; J. Dominique LaChance '31; Herbert Leonard '35; George Newhouse '54; George M. Parks 1885; Johnson W. Parks; Ann S. Parks; Edwin Purinton; Boutelle Savage; Alice Sinclair, Guy Susi '35; Clifford L. Wright '38; Carl R. Wright '43.

Other Hall of Famers include: 1984: Iva Cianchette Cregnoles '35 and Paul W. Legge; 1985: Paul Bertrand '59 and Willard W. Lehr, Jr. '42; 1986: Joseph R. Cianchette and Malaka "Tookie" Russell; 1987: Dr. Ernest Stein and Frank Haseltine '40; 1988: Roy U. Sinclair and Elmer W. Leonard '39; 1989: Kenneth L. Cianchette '42 and E. Burnell "Bun" Overlock '24; 1990: Miriam McMichael Robinson '25 and Myrtle Main Sherman; 1991: Michael J. Fendler '70 and Frank "Parney" Koris '40; 1992: Senator Margaret Chase Smith, Peter G. Vigue '65, Norval "Bud" Lewis and Harry True; 1993: Leona Haseltine; 1994: Roderic L. Smith and Hazel M. Earle; 1995: Frank "Bud" Homstead '35 and Ted Susi '70; 1996: Albert L. Card '49 and Tom Clark '62; 1997: Louise Dow and W. Howard Niblock; 1998: Susan Smith Norris England '73; 1999: Michael T. Savage '62; 2000: Roger B. Percival '45; 2001: Milton Lindholm, Gregg Patterson '69, Norbert W. Young, Sr., The 1866 Founders of MCI: Oren B. Cheney, Nathaniel Weymouth, Ebenezer Knowlton, Going Hathorn, William C. Stinson, Lot L. Harmon, Jesse C. Connor and Aura L. Gerrish; 2002: Harry Rowe '06, Richard Boisvert '62, Bill Ball '63.

The Cowan Bequest: Their Legacy for Our Future



On May 13, 2002, in recognition of the most generous bequest by Herman G. and Sara J. Cowan, the grateful administration and faculty of Maine Central Institute hosted a reception in their memory for family, classmates and friends of the Cowans in the Ella Powell Room of the Library. Headmaster Douglas Cummings delivered the following tribute:

In recognition of the very generous bequest made to Maine Central Institute by Herman Cowan and his sister Sara, it is appropriate that I say a few words about these thought-

ful and dedicated educators who so highly valued their experiences at Maine Central Institute.

To date, MCI has received over \$136,000 from their estates, a magnanimous sum which has enabled the Chuck & Helen Cianchette Math & Science Center component of the The Campaign for MCI to be completed and the goal of \$4.5 million to be achieved. In recognition of their extraordinary generosity, MCI has named two rooms in their memory.

Room 204 in the new Chuck & Helen Cianchette Math & Science Center has been designated the Herman G. Cowan Science Classroom. Room 15 on the third floor of Founders Hall, the beautifully renovated classroom of Ron Bessey, Humanities Department Chair, that overlooks the front campus of MCI, has been named in Sara's honor.

Herman and Sara were the children of Louville and Ellen Johonnett Cowan and they grew up in Pittsfield. Herman graduated from Maine Central Institute in 1935 and as a student here he was very much involved in music and drama. He played in the orchestra for four years, had a lead part in the Senior Play and the Musical Comedy and had also been in the Junior and Senior Plays as a junior.

He initially attended college in Boston, then entered the United States Army's 43rd Division which fought so gallantly in the South Pacific, seeing action in the Solomon Islands, New Guinea and the Phillipines from 1941 to 1945. Herman was also stationed in New Zealand.

After returning to the United States, Herman enrolled at Boston University, receiving a Bachelor of Science in Education and two years later, his Masters Degree in Education from the same institution. He was also a graduate of Columbia University Teacher's College.

He began as a math instructor at New York Military Academy in 1956 and nine years later was named the department chair, a position he held until his retirement in June 1981.

For many years he was in charge of the school's AV materials and equipment and then assisted with the integration of all media services into the Library. His close friend, Calvin Fenton, Librarian and Archivist at NYMA, wrote to say that he was a member of the evening library staff for several years in the 1960's. He was a voracious reader and a music lover; together he and Mr. Fenton made numerous trips to the Metropolitan Opera in New York City. He was an active member of the New York Theatre Organ Society for many years and volunteered with organ concerts at the Academy's Davis Chapel.

Always very formal with students, he never used first names but called them "Mr. Jones" or Mr. Smith", etc. "Without ever raising his voice," Mr. Fenton commented, "he was in complete control of his classes."

The graduating students of New York Military Academy's Class of 1975 dedicated their yearbook to Herman with this

inscription: "I have Cowan."... these words have been said one time or another by most of the members of our graduating class. Mr. Herman Cowan is a true head of the math department. He can teach calculus, analytic geometry, but also pre-algebra, business math and all those courses in between. He came to New York Military Academy in 1956, has been recognized for his services by the Regiment of Graduates, who, after he had been here ten years, made him an honorary member. It is with deep appreciation that we, the graduating Class of 1975, dedicate the Shrapnel to Herman G. Cowan, master mathematician."

NYMA became coeducational in September 1975 two years before the US Military Academy at West Point began admitting girls; Herman as a department chair had a significant voice in the decision to enroll young women.

After retiring in 1981 Herman returned to Portland to live with his sister Sara, also a life-long educator.

Sara was Valedictorian of the Class of 1933, Secretary and/or Treasurer of her class for three years, a member of National Honor Society and involved in Manson Prize Speaking and Alumni Prize Speaking, Senior Play, MCI Board and The Trumpet. A fine athlete, she played basketball and field hockey for three years and was a member of M Club.

After she graduated she enrolled at Colby College where she received her Bachelor of Arts degree. She also earned a Master of Arts Degree from Columbia University and took additional graduate work at St. Joseph's College and the University of Maine.

In 1937 Sara began teaching at New Gloucester High School and then transferred, in 1939, to Deering High School where she taught Latin for the next 36 years until her retirement in 1975.

Past President of the Maine Teachers Association and a member of the local and country teachers associations, Sara was also active in the Classical Association of New England, was a member of and trustee of Clark Memorial Church and president of the WSCS there. A member of the Portland College Club and Western Maine Colby Alumni, Sara was a vice chairman of the Maine Council of Young Republican Clubs and active with the city and county Republican Committees. She assisted with the writing of "The Maine Origins of the Republican Party"; her hobbies included history and politics. She loved to travel and went on tours of Italy and the Roman roads, all the way to Great Britain. She even worked on an archeological dig in Europe.

Several people have commented on one of Sara's charming and endearing habits: as a teacher she rose to her toes whenever she wished to emphasize a point in her teaching ...and as a driver she alternately pressed the accelerator and the brake...which resulted in a motion similar to her rising and settling back on her heels in her classroom.

Sara seldom missed an MCI reunion and thus she maintained close ties with old friends and acquaintances and with her school.

Herman and Sara Cowan are very special to Maine Central Institute and we honor them and their magnificent contribution to the future of their school. Herman's and Sara's heirs are the generations of MCI students who will directly benefit from their generosity. MCI is deeply appreciative.



Remember, Reconnect, Rejoice at Reunion



Class of '52. Front Row L-R: Bob Knowles, Lynn Blood Stavro, Bev Turner Breau, Elaine Gillis Burgess, Shirley Fields Libby, Pat Buxton Whitten, Dolnar Whitten, Na Sinclair Wilson. **Row 2:** David McGaffin, Phil Lenentine, Bruce Pinette, Nancy Linton Michaud, Nancy Smith Noyes, Violet Foster Higgins, Kay Tilton Newman, Gleny Gifford. **Row 3:** Bill Higgins, Bill Hamlin, Bob Belanger, John Shaw, Armour Brown, Ralph Braley. **Back Row:** Bob Benoit, Dexter Dyer, Herm Roberts, Art Spilane, Ed Buker, Maynard Jacobs, Alvah Wyman, Wayne Tilton. Attended reunion, but not present for picture: George Cray, Reggie Smart, Arlene Cookson Miles, Joanne Doherty Miville, Gerald Sedgwick, Lois Snow Brooks.



Harry Rowe's daughter Ruth Rowe Wilson and grandsons James and Alden Wilson attended the festivities. Alden accepted the award from Milt Lindholm who gave the induction speech.



Jeannie Boisvert accepted the Hall of Fame award on behalf of her late husband Dick, Class of 1962.



Bill Ball '63 spoke at length about MCI's growth during the tenure of Headmaster Doug Cum

A Little Wet....But Warm with Lots of Wonderful Reminiscences, Reuniting, Remembering, Rejoicing, Relaxing and Reflecting.... Reunion 2002

Despite the rainy weekend, Reunion 2002 was bright with the broad smiles and the joyous reminiscences shared by the more than 200 alumni who attended; many were there for their 50th and 40th reunions. As they arrived at Parks Gym for registration and the Continental breakfast, alumni were greeted by Key Club members wearing antique clothing, dating back to the early part of the last century that belongs to Development Director Carolyn Smith. On display on the Boutelle Savage Front Lawn were nine gorgeously restored antique cars, one of which was an exceptional Sears Roebuck open carriage from 1908; Charlie Cianchette '78 also exhibited a 1929 Model A, 1932 Cadillac, 1937 Cord and a Ford. Kenny Clark's 1930, 1935 and 1936 Packards were rather outshone by his dazzling 1929 white Cord with red leather interior. Inside the gym were mounted photo displays from 1927 through 1997 and much old memorabilia.

A delicious buffet luncheon in the colorful gold and white reunion tent followed the inductions of Harry Rowe '06, Dr. Dick Boisvert '62 and Bill Ball '63 into Maine Central Institute's Hall of Fame. Entertainment by MCI's award winning Instrumental and Vocal Jazz Ensembles charmed the Reunion crowd before and during the luncheon.

Thirty-six members of the Class of 1952 reunited on campus for their 50th anniversary but we only got 30 in the picture! They came from as far away as Arizona, Nevada, California, Alabama, Georgia and Florida to join their New England classmates in celebration. Bob Knowles '52 and his wife Rae Jean hosted the afternoon class get-together at their lakefront home in Unity.

The 40th Reunion class was also well-represented; twenty-two members of the Class of 1962 remembered, reflected, rejoiced in being together once again. Ron Bessey '62, Chair of the Humanities Department at MCI, hosted their afternoon party, in his home just off campus.

Late Saturday afternoon 33 members of the Class of 1953 assembled in old Founders Hall for their "formal" portrait that will appear on the cover of next spring's *Alumnus Magazine*. Saturday night was the annual barbecue and party at the J. W. Parks Golf Course that also was the scene of the Alumni Reunion Golf Scramble on Sunday morning.

Next year's reunion will be held the first weekend in August.

By Carolyn J. Smith



Key Club kids visited with the alumni at Registration.



Many in the Class of 1962 returned for their 40th reunion: standing left to right are Tom Clark, Charlie Ramon, Peter Redfern, Dean Stern, Linda Hubbard Cummings, Tom Winsor, Ron Bessey, Mike Savage, Rosalie Brooks Withee, Linda Swift, Charlotte Martin Fawcett, Wayne Hall, Henry Hinman and Currie Stafford. Seated are Carol Rogers Good, Janet Brooks Perkins, Cynthia Stafford Lewis and Colleen Fairbrother Irish.



Sarah Chipman '53; Cynthia Brown Johnson '53; Arthur Johnson; Walter Moores '50; Kay Doyle Moores '53; Gloria Beattie McNichol '53; Dale Raye Seaburg '53; Mildred Stackpole Wyman '53; Priscilla Foss Renda '53



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Beatrice N. Billings '51
Class Agent 1951 - 2001

*Engraved bricks and granite tiles are
still being installed in the
Chuck & Helen Cianchette Math & Science Center.*

A gift to The Campaign for MCI of...

\$250 ... is honored with an engraved 4 x 8 inch brick
\$500 ... is honored with an engraved 4 x 12 inch granite tile
\$1,000...is honored with an engraved 6 x 12 inch granite tile
\$2,500 ... is honored with an engraved 12 x 12 inch granite tile

MCI Capital Campaign Gifts

JESSE C. CONNOR FOUNDERS SOCIETY \$1.00 - \$4,999

Jason Allen
Michael J. Ames '73
Linda Amsden
Earl Anderson
Anonymous
Anonymous '62 Challenge
Anonymous
Douglas Archibald
Richard F Austin
Alfred Bachrach
Roderick Badger '62 Challenge
Erma V. Bailey '40
Steven Barden '73
M/M James Basford '63
Tina Baumgardner
John & Nancy Baxter
Robert S. Beattie '48
Robert C. Beattie '90
Robert Belanger '52 Challenge
George and Joan '50 Benoit
Paul '59 & Carla Bertrand
Ronald Bessey '62
Ruth Bickford '31
Faye Bickford '66
Debra Billings
Margaret Blaisdell '42
Troy Blodgett
James A. Boissoneau '67
Jeanne Boisvert '62 Challenge
Joan Bradley '60
Beverly Breaux '52 Challenge
Robert '50 & Lois '52 Brooks '52 Challenge
Bill Brooks
Linda & Ben Brown
Ronello Brown '40
Kenneth Brown
Martha Brown
James & Tam '71 Bryce
Victor Burnheimer '40
Elizabeth Calise '53
Carleen Carlson '64
Jean Carnes '62 Challenge
David and Jean '62 Carnes
Bill Carr
Sandra Humphrey Carson '52 Challenge
Scott Carter '73
Susan Cassidy '75
Ellen Catalina
Terry Chadbourne '61
Thomas and Laura Chadwick
Norris Cianchette '40
Charles Cianchette '78
Mac Cianchette '69
Ruth Cianchette '62 Challenge
Douglas Clapp '85/Jana Morra
Ralph Clark '47
Richard Clark '44
Philip Coburn '47
M/M Jeffrey Coffin
Dr. John Cole '40
Duncan Colley '68
Clarke Conlon '57
Elizabeth Connolly '83
Kenneth Connors '77
Sherman Cookson
Jean Crangle '61
Cynthia Crocker '43
Susan D. Crowell
Linda Cummings '62 Challenge
Dr. William Cunningham
Kenneth & Pauline Curtis
Irma Cushing
Janet E. Daily '76
Ralph Damren '64
Emily Dana
Arthur W. Danielson '33
Roy Davis
Joseph & Terri deNatale
Robert Desjardins
John T. Dow
Michael Dow '84
Louise Dow
Robert & Cynthia Downs

Irene Furbush Dudley '44
Pamela Dufour '77
Andrew Dumont
Arnold Dunning '62 Challenge
Dexter Dyer '52 Challenge
Nancy Edge
Keith C. Emery '52
Susan Smith England '73
Carlene Engstrom
Jeffrey T. Farkas '69
Charlotte Fawcett '62 Challenge
Deborah J. Feegel '79
Michael J. Fendler '70
Mr. & Mrs. Ryan Fendler
Allan L. Fernald '60
David Ferren
Sonia & Jack Filoon
Alice Fitts '47
Gary Fitts
Albert C. Fitts '50
David Flanagan
MCI Food Service
Andrea Fowler '62 Challenge
Beatrice Frederick '25
Forest G. Frost '56
Kelli Frost '77
Mike & Helen Gallagher
Brenda Gammon
Syrene Gatewood '74
Marla Gerber
Sandra Gerry
Lori Glidden '80
Barbara Golder
Carol R. Good '62
Max Good '61
Gary C. Goodrich '53
James E. Gould '65
John Gould '60
Harry & Gerry Gould
Donna J. Graham '46
William Graham
Kathleen Grant '29
Heather Gray '96
Hazel Grove '50
Teri Hagelin
Dena Hall '79
JuHyun Han '04
Donna Handoe '88
Lee Harper
Philip Harriman
Donald Harriman
Jason Harris
Lynne Harvey
Larry Hatch '62 Challenge
Thelma Hayward '25
Kester Heaton
Vaughn Heffren '42
Eugene O. Henderson '47
Philip Hendricks '79
Violet Higgins '52 Challenge
Robert Higgins '62 Challenge
M/M Michael Hodgins
Steven P. Hodgkins '70
Kurt Hoffman
Laurie Holden '62 Challenge
Theodore Holmes '78
Jodi Holmes
Frank Homstead '35
Dean Homstead '69
John Hubbell
Bud '75 & Tammy '77 Ingraham
David Inman '62 Challenge
Colleen '62 & Gene Irish '62 Challenge
Susanna Jacob '65
Floyd James '41
Edna Jameson
G. Steven Jinno '62 Challenge
Evelyn Joy '36
Anne Kaan
Helen Karamanos '57
Rich Kent
Tanya Kingsbury
Wendi Knowles
Susan Koch '74
Ann Kondax

William Labarge '67
Donald LaCount
M/M Ronald C. '73 Lambert
Bayford Lancaster
Carol Lancaster '53
Jeanne Landry '52 Challenge
Douglas Latham '69
Avis Latimer in memory of Robert Burns
Andrew Laughton '37
Buck LaVallee-Davidson
Floyd A. Lawrence '60
Wayne A. Lawton '59
Robert LeCours
Lee Management (Shep Lee)
Sang Hwa Lee '05
Paul Legge
Willard Lehr '42
Ron Lehr '63
Linda Leighton '66
John LeMieux '78
Patricia Levasseur '50
Norval Lewis
Shirley Fields Libby '52 Challenge
Blair '46 and Rita Libby
Jane Cianchette Linscott '69
Wayne Little '66
Sharon Littlefield '79
Samuel D. Lloyd
Benjamin E. Longenecker
Laurie Loosigian '71
Michael Lynch '84
Eric Lyons '90
M/M James MacMichael '59
Marjorie Maloon '62 Challenge
M/M Steve Martin '73
James Maynard '69
Jean Maynard
David McGaffin '52 Challenge
Barney & Ann McGowan
Dawn McMann '72
Dale McQuarrie '60
Mike Mercier '86
John P. Messer '65
Amy '91 & Erik Michaud
Anne Miller
Eddie Miller
Maxine Mittelstadt
Maureen Montgomery
Catherine Mooers '53
Walter Mooers '50
Richard Morrison '62 Challenge
David Mosher '57
M/M Mark Mosher '84
Robert Moulton '40
M/M Norman Moyer
Posey Nason
Dean Neal
Gerald Newhall '66
Brent & Donna '82 Newhouse
Lawrence Newman '62 Challenge
Patricia Norton
Lynn Nunez
Bill Nye '76
Peter Oliver
Margaret Olson '84
Martin Orloski
Merlon Ouellette '62 Challenge
Susan Ouellette '77
Carol Palmer
Alfred & Avis '60 Pareson
John & Pat Payelian
Patricia Pellegrino '61
Barbara Perkins
Ed Perkins
Helmi V. Perry '44
Wayne '49 & Ellie '53 Perseille
Anna '81 & Steve Peterson
Steve Peterson
Theresa Philbrick
Thomas W. Pierce '80
David Pierce '81
Paul Pietranico '88
Bruce '52 & Elaine Pinette '52 Challenge
Linda Plusquellic '61
Barbara Pomeroy '87

Edward Porter '83
Thurston Powell '62 Challenge
Winn Price
Jon Ramgren
Craig Reynolds '77
Barbara Roach
Glen Robinson '66
Julia Rodenbeck '50
Richard Rodgers '65
Roy Rodgers '72
Roger Ross '53
Alice Fitts Ross '51
Dale David Rowley '84
Deborah Rozeboom
Malaka (Tookie) Russell
Garry Sawtelle
Mary Sawyer
James Scribner '64
Cecelia Shatney '49
Amanda Sherburne
Linda Shorey '69
M/M Arnold '85 Shorey
Aric Shorey '91
Kim Shorey '86
David Silsby '49
Marilyn '51 & Clarence Sirois
Patricia Skaling '63
Persis Smith
Beatrice Smith '44
Carolyn Smith
Linda Snow
Elizabeth Sobey '35
Laurence Springer '51
Michael St. John
Lawrence M. Stafford '38
Currie Stafford '62 Challenge
Lynn Stavro '52 Challenge
H. Dean Stern '62 Challenge
Ted Susi '70
Sharon Sweatt
Marilyn '62 & Robert Tardy '62 Challenge
George Tenedios '70
Albert Thibault
Ruth Thomas
M/M Eric '84 Thompson
Linda Thornton '71
Rebecca Williams
Julie Treadwell
Kathryn Trudell '75
M/M Thomas Tureen
James Tyson
Judie Vacchina '62 Challenge
Kari Vanadestine
Joseph Veilleux
Norman Viger '61
Andi Vigue '89
Karen Wagner '75
John Wentworth '50
Cyrus E. Wentworth '50
Elizabeth Whalen '48
Richard B. Whalen '45
Glen Wheaton
Rupert White
Leigh White '65
Gilbert White '48
Jennifer Whitesel
John & Madelyn Whitmer
Ted Williams
Joyce Williams '48
Clint Williams '86
Peter & Rosalie Williams
Nancy Wilson '52 Challenge
Margaret Witham
Ruth D. Witte '76
Warren Wolf
Frank Woodworth '74
Gail Drake Wright '65
M/M Thomas '62 Wright '62 Challenge
Rose Wright
Stanley Wyman '46
Linwood Wyman
Takahiko Nomura '03
Norbert W. Young '66
Yvonne Young

In Memoriam

The Alumni Office has been notified of the passing of these members of the MCI Family:

Evelyn Anderson '40
Colleen Bane '66
Robert Blake '39
Peter J. Bradshaw
Paul Brinkman
Gillmore D. Calder '32
Gerald E. Charity '56
Donna Chisholm-Allen '53
Christine Coffin '35

Herman G. Cowan '35
David D. Dean '63
John Dickson '35
Marguerite Douglas '30
Durward Emery '46
Richard G. Farnsworth '51
Robert L. Franchetti '47
Ione Garcelon '37
Roland Graves '28

Evelyn Hersey '30
Alton Hunt '48
Ned H. Jewett '53
Merritt G. Leavitt '62
Mildred Martin
Arthur A. Mitchell '50
Gayland A. Moore '47
Patrick J. O'Connor '88
Alfred Pareson

James T. Small '40
Elizabeth Sobey '35
Delmont Soule
Galen Spencer '51
Glenys Sprague '42
Esther Stitham '25
John S. Towle '48
Jeannette Walker '49
Grace Wyman '31

The Alumni Affairs Office tries its very best to accurately record the names of alumni and friends who have passed away. Please contact the Alumni Affairs Office about the deaths of alumni or friends of MCI, particularly those which occur outside our local news area.

The Herman G. Cowan '35 and Sara J. Cowan '33 Bequest \$145,592.28

Marguerite Gee Douglas '30 Bequest \$5,000



Alice Sinclair Memorial

Beverly & Dick Berry; Ellena Burt; Estelle Cianchette; Ival Cianchette; Cigna Corp.; Galen Cole; Joseph Dumont; Roger Elliott; Dave & Sue England; Roy & Marilyn Fairfield; Mary Foss; Mr. & Mrs. John Harmon; Leona Haseltine; Frank Homstead; Sallie Huot; Alfred Kany, Jr.; Kimball Health Center; Willard Lehr; Jean Maynard; James R. Maynard; Karyn Murphy; Tookie Russell; Rose Sinclair; Stephen Sinclair; Persis Smith; William C. Taylor; Sally & Al Webster; Raymond Whitney; Sarah Williams; Nancy Wilson; Margaret Witham; Carl & Rita Wright. \$8,200.00



Frank Haseltine '40 Memorial Biology Laboratory

Blake Bartlett; Scott Carter; Preston Carter; Norris Cianchette; Dr. William Cunningham; Emily Dana; Deborah Feegel; Mike Fendler; Alice Fitts; Gary Fitts; Mike Gallagher; Leona Haseltine; Susan Haseltine; Frank Haseltine, Jr.; Mike Hodgins; Dean Homstead; E. Robert Kinney; Bob and Rae Jean Knowles; Ron Lambert; Douglas Latham; Willard Lehr; John LeMieux; Laurie Loosigian; Jean Maynard; Dawn Duplisea McMann; Elton Nason; OES Bethlehem Chapter #36; Anna Maria Parker; Roger Percival; Ginger Russell; Mike Savage; Elizabeth Whalen; Jennifer Whitesel; Peter Williams; Rosalie Williams; Ruth Witte; Gail Wright. \$108,970.00



Peter Bradshaw History Scholarship

Mr. & Mrs. Alec Alenskis; Mr. & Mrs. B. R. Babcock; Mr. & Mrs. Richard Berry; Ron Bessey; Ms. Marcia Bickford; Carlton Brackett; Merrill & Joyce Carter; Scott & Debra Carter; Jean Carter; The Christie Family; Ival & Priscilla Cianchette; Helen Cianchette; Linda Cregno; Wally & Pat Cunningham; Robert & Rita Desjardins; Stuart Dexter; Ann Dunnett; G. Clifton Eames; Lisa Tweedie Fowler; Mr. & Mrs. Peter C. Friend; Ron & Sue Friend; Brent & Kelli Frost; Mr. & Mrs. Goodwin Gilman; Harry E. Graves; Don Harriman Family; Leona Haseltine; Susan Haseltine; Barbara Knowlton; William R. Laney; Mr. & Mrs. Willard Lehr; Theodore Littlefield; Henrietta Mason; James R. Maynard; Jean Maynard; Allan & Lorraine McGown; Mr. & Mrs. Bernard McGowan; Mr. & Mrs. Brent Newhouse; Newport Elementary; North Elementary School; Mr. & Mrs. Richard Pellegrino; Joan & Mell Randall; William Richardson; Tookie Russell; Nancy Sander; Cecelia Shatney; Linda J. Shorey; Frederick Sigrist; Dr. Peter Mason, Vivian Mason; Patricia & Michael Skaling; Josephine Smith; Persis Smith; Evelyn Springer; Fred & Stella Stafford; Mr. & Mrs. Bruce Stafford; Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Taylor; Dorothy Verrill; Waldo County Oil; Janet & Lon Winchester; Janet Woodward; Gregory & Gail Wright. \$3,685.00



Laurice Gould Memorial

Pearl Barry; Danielle Barry; Karlene Boylan; Ival & Priscilla Cianchette; Richard & Marilyn Cook; Sandra Cote; Charles & Mary Davis; Richard Dutton & Family; David & Sue England; Curtis & Alice Farmer; Phyllis Fernald; First Union National Bank; Susan & Terry Goddard; Harry (Ken) & Gerry Gould; Meyra Green; Evelyn Hersey; Frank & Tina Homstead; Florice Hubbard; Willard & Doris Lehr; Joe & Beth Leska; Robert & Linda Makos; Jean Maynard; Pauline McGowan; Robert Parker; Charles & Rae Philbrick; Roland (Pat) & Eloise Reilly; Related Support Staff; Charles & Kathleen Roberts; Elizabeth Roderick; Norman & Novella Rogers; Dorothy Rowell; Donna & Larry Rowell; Pauline Sawyer; Grace Shatney; Cecilia Shatney; Carlton & Martha Siegmund; Persis Smith; Nelson Talbott Foundation; The Rittenhouse Trust Co.; Carl & Janice Tucker; Sarah Williams; Margaret Witham; Alvah & Mildred Wyman. \$1,985.00

David Dean Memorial

Ronald Bessey; Deb & Dean Billings; Ellen Catalina; Doug & Lori Cummings; Carlene Engstrom; Brent & Kelli Frost; Brenda Gammon; Anne Kaan; Richard Kent; Buck LaVallee-Davidson; MCI Food Service Employees; Anne & Edward Miller; Patricia Norton; Carol Palmer; John & Pat Payelian; Carolyn Smith; Julie Treadwell; Jennifer Whitesel; Peter & Rosalie Williams. \$460.00

In Kind & Matching Gifts

Gifts-in-Kind Annual Giving

Annual Giving 2001-2002 Total: \$71,183.62

CM Almy: engraved commencement awards and cups; musician uniforms, Weymouth Hall signs, computer equipment; books, State Championship banners for Vocal Jazz, Rifle Team, Future Problem Solving Team, engraved plaques
Atkins Printing Service: MCI Reads As One programs
Maurice Atwater '64: books for Hazel Earle Memorial Collection
Bath Iron Works/Computer Services Corporation: 83 computers, 83 monitors, 3 printers
Tam Cianchette '71 Bryce and James Bryce: Rifle Team equipment
Cianbro Corporation: 4 IBM Pentium laptop computers, 10 computers, 3 printers
Doug and Lori Cummings: Bethel Inn gift certificate
Michael Fendler '70 and Melissa Loveitt: window blinds for Math & Science Center
Thomas A. Gordon '61: MAC Quadra 650, 2 hard drives, 2 monitors, keyboard, mouse; gift certificate
J. S. McCarthy/Letter Systems: Alumni Open 2001 programs
Jostens: commencement invitations
Richard Kent: 20 books on education
Allen Knowles '80: Rifle Team equipment
Buck LaVallee-Davidson and Bruce LaVallee-Davidson: 2 computers and 1 printer
Northeast Environmental Services: removal services
Frank Randall '77: CAD House lawn care
Michael T. Savage '62: computer monitor
Carolyn J. Smith: Development Office travel expenses
David Silsby '49: two watercolor paintings
Peter G. '65 and Carole Daily '64 Vigue: loam, granite, iron railings
Jennifer Whitesel: cellular phone

Gifts-in-Kind Capital Campaign

Capital Campaign 2001-2002: Total: \$898,350.00

CM Almy: banners and scissors for Opening Ceremony
Cianbro Corporation: reduction of construction costs
Cowan Estate: coin collection
Massachusetts Institute of Technology: oak cabinets - new building
David Silsby '49: painting to present to major donors
Staples Oil: oil burner installation

Matching Gifts Annual Giving

Annual Giving 2001-2002: Total: \$3,690.00

Boeing Gift Matching Program, matching gift of Kenneth Lane '59
Cigna, matching gift of Nancy Sinclair Wilson '52
John Hancock Financial Services, matching gift of William H. Niblock
Prudential Foundation, matching gift of Cheryl Austin '82
SPX Foundation, matching gift of Kathy Palmer
Wachovia Matching Gifts Program, matching gift of James E. Gould '65

Matching Gifts Capital Campaign

Capital Campaign 2001-2002: Total: \$13,055.56

Charles Schwab Corporation Foundation, matching gift of Paul Pietranico '88
Phillips Petroleum Company, matching gift of Michael J. Ames '73
Unocal Corporation, matching gift of Gregg '69 and Elaine Patterson

Generous Gift of BIW Technology is Very Much Appreciated

This spring Maine Central Institute was notified that it would be the first recipient of the newly instituted computer donation program developed by Bath Iron Works and its sub-contractor Computer Sciences Corporation. CSC, which is the service provider for BIW's technology, refreshes one third of all its equipment each year.

In late May, MCI personnel loaded fifty heavy duty Pentium II class computers and 17 inch monitors into several large trucks at the BIW Technical Center in Bath. A second large donation of 30 computers and monitors as well as three laptops was made in June. Computer Sciences Corporation's Finance Manager for the BIW account Mark Kenney and his associate George Peck worked with MCI's Dean of Students Winn Price and Technology Director Buck Lavallee-Davidson to facilitate the donation of this outstanding equipment.

Mr. Price, formerly Vice President of Business Development at Bath Iron Works, had worked closely for a number of years with Mr. Kenney and Mr. Peck. When Mr. Price and Mr. Peck happened to run into each other at Bookland in Brunswick Mr. Price talked about his association with MCI. During the course of their reminiscing and catching up with each others' lives, Mr. Peck told him about CSC's new program of gifting used computer equipment to schools and other non-profits and, as a result of this casual meeting, the donation of much-needed technology to MCI became a welcome reality.

Mark Kenney commented that CSC's computer gifting program is a win-win situation for his company and for the organizations that receive its marvelous used equipment. Mr. Kenney said it feels wonderful to be able to supplement the limited budgets that non-profits often face and for Computer



Bath Iron Works/Computer Sciences Corporation's George Peck and MCI maintenance man Ted Holmes '78 begin loading the 83 computers donated to the school this spring.

Sciences Corporation to be a good citizen of the greater community in which it operates.

The new BIW/CSC computers are being installed in computer labs and classrooms all over campus; these will increase, significantly, the number of computers available for classroom instruction and full access computer use by students. Many aspects of MCI's educational mission will be enhanced. The school, its students, faculty and administration are deeply grateful to Computer Sciences Corporations and to Bath Iron Works for this most generous of gifts.

By Carolyn J. Smith

MCI Donor Category Report 2002 ~ Annual Giving

Victory Society - (\$2,500.00 +)

CM Almy
Bath Iron Works
Cianbro Corporation
Mrs. Helen Cianchette
Mrs. Marguerite Douglas
Mr. Michael Fendler and
Ms. Melinda Loveitt
Football Boosters
Sallie Huot
Mr. Robert H. Libby
Mr. Alfred Menendez
Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Patterson
SAD 53 Music Boosters
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Savage
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vigue
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson
**13 Victory Society Members
Gave \$150,542.15**



The first weekend in August, MCI alumni sailed on the glorious three-masted schooner Victory Chimes. In front are Sue Smith England '73, Marcia Bickford '70, Nancy Morley (mother of John Morley '90) who was the high bidder for the Victory Chimes sail in our Annual Auction; in the second row are David England '70, Steve Hodgkins '70, Victory Chimes captain Kip Files '70 and standing are Doug Brown '65 and Bill Redfield '68. Class Agent Roy Milke and his wife Ann were unable to sail at the last minute. Two of the alumni sailors were so thrilled with the trip that they are planning another voyage this fall.

President's Society - (\$1,000.00 +)

Mr. and Mrs. William Ball
Flik Independent Schools
by Chartwells
Mr. Kenneth Cianchette
Mrs. Evelene Cianchette Estate
Cigna
Doug and Lori Cummings
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dow
Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Frederick, Jr.
Friends of Laurice Gould
Mr. Thomas Gordon
Mr. and Mrs. Jeffery Hazell
Mr. Dean Homstead
Ira Berry Chapter #57
Mr. Tae-Se Jung
Mr. E. Robert Kinney
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knowles
Mr. Raymond LaVallee-Davidson
and Mr. Bruce LaVallee-Davidson
Meridian Lodge
Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Moskalewicz
Mr. William Niblock, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Roger Percival
Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Royal
Mrs. Ginger Russell
Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Sander
Mr. David Silsby
**25 President's Society Members
Gave \$31,305.00**

Head of School's Society - (\$500.00 +)

Mr. Maurice Atwater, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Austin
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brooks
Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Carnrick
Mr. and Mrs. Ival Cianchette
Ms. Linda Cregno
Mrs. Connie Curtola
Dr. and Mrs. Joseph DeNatale

Elks Lodge 2713
Mr. and Mrs. David England
Field Hockey Boosters
Mrs. Donna Graham
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Homstead
John Hancock
Financial Services, Inc.
Mr. and Mrs. Shigeru Kawanago
John and Cindy LeMieux
Mr. Elmer Leonard
Mr. and Mrs. Milton Lindholm
Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Lord
Dr. and Mrs. Howard Margolskee
MCI Alumni Association
Northeastern Environmental
Services
Ms. Anna Maria Parker
Peoples Heritage Bank

Pittsfield Kiwanis
Prudential Foundation
Matching Gifts
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Savage
Carolyn J. Smith
Unity College
**27 Head of School's Society
Members Gave \$17,115.55**

Alumni Dean's Club - (\$250.00 +)

Atkins Printing Service
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bickford
Mrs. Lancy Bradshaw
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brown
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bryant
Bud's Shop 'N Save
Mrs. Jean Carter
Dr. Preston Carter and
Dr. Beth Carter
Mr. Scott L. Carter
Mr. Christian W. Cookson
Mr. Nicholas Craig
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Damren
Michael and Helen Gallagher
Mr. James Gould and
Ms. Page Talbott
Mrs. Ann Hamlin
Mr. Michael Heath
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hodgins, Esq.
Dr. and Mrs. Paul Houston, M.D.
J. S. McCarthy/Letter Systems
Mr. Richard Kent
Mr. Michael Lynch
Mr. James Maynard
Mrs. Jean Maynard
Mr. Robert Menucci
Mid State Gas
Miss Marilyn Nash
Mr. William Nolan
Mr. and Mrs. Kiyoshi Nomura
Mr. Michael Parker

Pittsfield Community Garden Club
Mrs. Mary E. Quint
Mr. Frank Randall
Miss Linda Shorey
Mrs. Persis Smith
Soccer Boosters
Wachovia Matching Gifts Program
Mrs. Jennifer Whitesel
Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Williams
**39 Alumni Dean's Club
Members Gave \$12,313.43**

Alumni Captain's Club - (\$100.00 +)

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Agostinelli
Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Allen, Jr.
Mr. Juan Altgelt
American Legion Post #32
Mr. Dwayne Ames
Mr. and Mrs. Van Ames
Mr. David Anastasio
Alexis F. Arroyo
Mrs. Adrienne Ashbaugh
Mr. Norris Ashe
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bachrach
Dr. and Mrs. Steven Badeen
Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Baird
Mr. and Mrs. Blake Bartlett
Mr. Herschel Basford
Mr. Robert Beattie
Mrs. Ervena Belcher
Mrs. Janet Belisle
Mrs. Sylvia Berry
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bertrand
Mr. Ronald Bessey
Mr. Bennett Bickford
Mr. and Mrs. Brian Bickford
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bickford
Boeing Gift
Matching Program
Mrs. Marjorie Bolger
Joan Basford Bradley
Ms. Pamela Brooks
Mr. and Mrs. Lance Browne CLU
Mr. and Mrs. James Bryce
Mr. Weston Bubar
Mrs. Geraldine Carleton
Mr. John Carroll
Mrs. Marilyn Chamberlain
Mr. Mac Cianchette
Mr. Douglas Clapp and
Ms. Jana Morra
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clark
Mr. and Mrs. Galen Cole
Mr. Garret Cole
Ms. Mary Connolly
Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cunningham
Dr. and Mrs. William Cunningham
Mr. Clayton Curtis, Ph.D.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Downs
Mr. Richard Dutting
Mr. Roy Dyke
Col. Carl Estes USAF Ret
Mr. and Mrs. John Floom
Mrs. Nancy Fisk
Miss Carrie Fontaine
David and Tracy Fortin
Ms. Lisa Fowler
Mr. Forest Frost
Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Gacetta
Mr. and Mrs. George Gatewood III
GS Building Systems Corporation
Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Hallee
Mr. Kenneth Hallee
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harper
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Harriman
Mr. and Mrs. Austin Harris
Mr. Ashley Hart
Mr. Frank Haseltine
Mrs. Leona Haseltine
Mr. Larry Heim
Mr. and Mrs. David Higgins III
Mr. John Howarth
Mrs. Gloria Huff

Dr. and Mrs. Allen Jervey
Mr. Bradley King
Mr. Ronald Kinney
Mr. Kenneth Lane
Mr. Paul Legge
Mr. John Leonard
Mrs. Patricia Levasseur
Mrs. Donna Liimatainen-Peterson
and Mr. Erik Peterson
Mr. and Mrs. David MacGown
Mr. Norman MacLeod
Mr. and Mrs. Michael McCready
Mr. David McGaffin
Merrill Merchants Bank
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Mr. Duane Morin
Mr. and Mrs. David Mosher
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Ms. Karyn Murphy
Mrs. Betty Nathaniel
Mr. Leonard Nemon
Mr. Bradley Newhouse
Mr. Gregg Newhouse
Reverend Thomas Niblock
Mrs. Rita Norton
Ms. Lynn Nunez
Mr. Carl Nutter
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ouellette
Mrs. Martha Overlock
Mr. Bruce Parker
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pellegrino
Mr. Louis Pepin
Pittsfield Arts Club
Pittsfield First
Congregational Church
Pittsfield Tuesday Club
Pride Manufacturing Co.
Mr. Wayne Ray
Mr. and Mrs. Roland Reilly
Mr. and Mrs. Craig Reynolds
Mr. Alton Richardson IV
Mrs. Barbara Roach
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rogers
Mr. Bruce Rosewell
Mr. Walter Sauer
Miss Cecelia Shatney
Mrs. Rosalie Shaw
Mr. Michael Sinclair
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Skaling
Mr. Sterling Smith
SPX Foundation
Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stafford
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Susi
Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor
Mrs. Ruth Thomas
Mr. and Mrs. Eric Thompson
Mr. Nelson (Henry) Tibbetts
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tredinnick, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry True
Mr. James Tyson
Mr. and Mrs. John Watson
Mr. and Mrs. David Welch
Mrs. Elizabeth Whalen
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Whalen
Peter and Kathy Whyte
Dr. and Mrs. Peter Williams
Mrs. Janet Winchester
Ms. Phyllis Wright
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wyman
Mr. Kenneth Yanco
**138 Alumni Captain's Club
Members Gave \$16,725.50**

Alumni Club - (\$1.00 +)

Mr. Earl Anderson
Mr. Walter Anthony
Mr. Timothy Archibald
Mr. Herbert Bailey
Mr. and Mrs. Rick Basford
Mrs. Arlene Beardsley
Mr. Robert Beattie

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Berry, Sr.
 Ms. Marcia Bickford
 Mrs. Margaret Blaisdell
 Mr. Frank Blanchard
 Mrs. Jeanne Boisvert
 Mr. and Mrs. Terry Booth
 Mrs. Ann Bragdon
 Mr. Dwight Brown, Jr.
 Mr. Ronello Brown
 Mr. Arey Bryant
 Mrs. Tamara Bryce
 Mrs. Patricia Buck
 Mr. Edson Buker
 Mr. E. Vance Bunker
 Mr. William Bunnell, Jr.
 Ms. Ellena Burr
 Mrs. Ellen Catalina
 Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Catell
 Mrs. Carolyn Chadbourne
 Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Chadwick
 Ms. Donna Chale
 Mr. Harvey Chambers
 Mr. Richard Chick
 Miss Sarah Chipman
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cianchette
 Mrs. Estelle Cianchette
 Mr. Norris Cianchette, Jr.
 Circles, The Salon
 Class of 1981
 Mrs. Muriel Clement
 Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Coffin
 Mr. William Coffin, Sr.
 Dr. John Cole
 Mr. Frank Collamore
 Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Collett
 Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cook, Sr.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. Nelson Corey
 Mrs. Sandra Cote
 Mr. Brian Craig
 Mrs. Jean Crangle
 Mrs. M. Jean Crawford
 Mrs. Eunice Damren
 Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Danielson
 Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Degifico
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Desjardins
 Mr. John Dickson
 Mrs. Pauline Dorr
 Mrs. Pamela Dufour
 Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dumont
 Mr. and Mrs. Austin Durette
 Mr. and Mrs. Roger Elliott
 Mrs. Mary Emerson
 Mr. and Mrs. Durward Emery
 Mr. and Mrs. David England
 Mr. James Englehardt
 Mr. Robert Englehardt Sr.
 Ms. Carlene Engstrom
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fairfield
 Mr. and Mrs. Ryan Fendler
 Mr. Charles Ferguson
 Mr. Douglas Fernald
 Mrs. Alice Fitts
 Mr. and Mrs. Gary Fitts
 Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fitts
 Mr. and Mrs. Stacey Fitts
 Mr. Stanley Fletcher
 Mrs. Mary Foss
 Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Foster
 Mr. Stephen Francis
 Mr. Gilman Friend
 Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Friend
 Mr. and Mrs. Brent Frost
 Mr. Michael Fulling
 Ms. Judy Gerald
 Mr. Christopher Gerry
 Mr. and Mrs. Terry Goddard
 Mrs. Maxine Gorten
 Mr. Harry Gould
 Mrs. Suzanne Guild
 Mrs. Mary-Ellen Hackett
 Mrs. Marion Hanson
 Mr. Harold Harding
 Mr. Carl Harmon, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harmon
 Mrs. Vicki Harriman
 Dr. Susan Haseltine
 Mr. Michael Haynes
 Mr. Russell Haynes
 Mrs. Evelyn Hersey
 Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hicks
 Mrs. Violet Higgins
 Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Hikel
 Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hincks
 Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Holbrook
 Mr. Knute Holmsen
 Mrs. Florice Hubbard
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hubbard
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Humphrey
 Mrs. Ruth Hunt
 Mrs. Marion Hutchinson
 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ingraham, Jr.
 Mr. and Mrs. Floyd James
 Mrs. Anne Jenkins
 Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Jones
 Jostens
 Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kany Jr.
 Rev. and Mrs. Philemon Karamanos
 Kimball Health Center

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Miller
 Mr. Thomas Millett
 Senator Betty Lou Mitchell
 Mr. Bernard Monkiewicz
 Mrs. Meredith Monte
 Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mooers, Sr.
 Mrs. Gloria Morgan
 Miss Patricia Morgan
 Mr. Gardner Moulton
 Mr. and Mrs. Norman Moyer
 Mr. Henry Nason, Jr.
 Mr. and Mrs. Brent Newhouse
 Ms. Laura Norris
 Mr. and Mrs. Martin Orloski
 Mrs. Dorothy Orr
 Dr. Robert G. Parker
 Mrs. Edith Payson
 Mrs. Eleanore Perkins
 Mr. and Mrs. Steve Peterson
 Mr. Charles Philbrick
 Mr. Paul Pietranico
 Mr. and Mrs. Edward Porter
 Mr. Winn Price
 Mr. Elbert Prince
 Mr. and Mrs. Martelle Quint

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stafford
 Mr. Thomas Staples
 Mr. Alan Stevens
 Mr. Frank Susi
 Mr. Wayne Susi
 Mr. Earle Tarbell
 Mr. John Tarbox
 Mr. Basil Tasker, Jr.
 Mr. Lawrence Templeman
 Mrs. Jennie Thompson
 Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thompson
 Mrs. Linda Thornton
 Mr. Wayne Thurston
 Mr. Wayne Tilton
 Miss Eleanor Toothaker
 Ms. Julie Treadwell
 Mrs. Ruth Valore-Heaphy
 Mr. and Mrs. Andi Vigue
 Ms. Karen Wagner
 Mrs. Arlene Wakefield
 Mr. Neal Ward
 Mrs. Betty Webber
 Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Webster Sr.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Welch
 Mr. Glen Wheaton
 Mr. Gilbert White
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Whitney
 Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wiers
 Mrs. Betsey Williams
 Mr. Clint Williams
 Ms. Joyce Williams
 Mrs. Sarah Williams
 Mr. Tom Winsor
 Mr. and Mrs. Eric Witham
 Mrs. Margaret Witham
 Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wright
 Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Wright
 Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Wright
 Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wright
 Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Wyman
**242 Alumni Club Members
 Gave \$8,441.65**



The Class of 1942: Margaret Blaisdell '42, center, then left to right are Arlene Fredrick Beardsley '42; Carolyn Brown Foster '42; Ann Milliken Hamlin '42; Ken Cianchette '42 and Percy Almonte '42.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Kingsbury
 Mr. and Mrs. Allen Knowles
 Mrs. Linda Lambert
 Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lambert
 Mr. Scott Lapanne
 Mr. Douglas Latham
 Ms. Avis Latimer
 Mr. and Mrs. Edward Loughton
 Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lawrence
 Mr. Les Leggett
 Mr. and Mrs. Willard Lehr, Jr.
 Lehr Insurance Agency
 Mr. Norval Lewis
 Mr. and Mrs. Blair Libby
 Mr. and Mrs. Peter Logiodice III
 Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin E. Longenecker, Jr.
 Ms. Judith Mann
 Mr. and Mrs. Scott Marquis
 Mr. Stanton Martin
 Mr. and Mrs. Glen McCormick
 Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McGowan
 Ms. Jean McGowan
 Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McLaggan, Jr.
 Mr. and Mrs. Randy McLaggan
 Mrs. Nancie McLeod
 Mr. Eric McMann
 Ms. Phyllis McMann
 Mrs. Suzanne Mercier
 Mr. James Merrill
 Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Miles

Mr. and Mrs. Jon Ramgren
 Mr. Jon Rice
 Mr. William Richardson
 Mrs. Jacklyn Robinson
 Mrs. Julia Rodenbeck
 Mrs. Colleen Rohrer
 Col. and Mrs. Justus Rose
 Mr. and Mrs. David Ross
 Mr. and Mrs. Randy Ross
 Mrs. Joyce Rowe
 Mr. Larry Rowell
 Mrs. Malaka Russell
 Mr. and Mrs. Steven Salley
 Mr. and Mrs. David Saucier
 Mr. Richard Schofield
 Mr. and Mrs. William Scholz
 Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Scribner, Sr.
 Ms. Seven Shaw
 Mr. William Shepherd
 Mr. and Dr. Shawn Sidelinger
 Ms. Rose G. Sinclair
 Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Sinclair
 Mrs. Gail Sleeper
 Mr. Paul Slocum
 Miss Cynthia Sloma
 Mr. Lyle Small
 Mr. and Mrs. Keith Smith
 Mrs. Linda Snow
 Mr. and Mrs. Delmont Soule, Jr.
 Mrs. Evelyn Springer

ANNUAL GIVING 2001-2002

531 Alumni, Parents, Friends of the
 MCI, Organizations, Corporations
 and Foundations Contributed
\$241,293.28

In Comparison:

Annual Giving 2000-2001

454 Alumni, Parents, Friends of the
 MCI, Organizations, Corporations
 and Foundations Contributed
\$99,264.97

One Year Increases:

**16.3% more donors (77) gave
 144% more in contributions
 (an increase of \$141,878.31)
 to Annual Giving 2002**

Thank You!

Everyone at MCI
 appreciates your generosity!

MCI Annual Giving Campaign: Class Analysis



CLASS OF 1928
Marion Louder Hanson
14.29% (1 out of 7)
gave \$50.00

CLASS OF 1930
Pauline Mahoney Dorr
Marguerite Gee Douglas Estate
Evelyn Farnham Hersey
Nelson (Henry) Tibbetts
Eleanor A. Toothaker
38.46% (5 out of 13)
gave \$5,315.00

CLASS OF 1931
Ruth Clark Bickford
7.69% (1 out of 13)
gave \$100.00

CLASS OF 1932
Edward L. Laughton
Lawrence I. Templeman
Sarah Wren Williams
15.79% (3 out of 19)
gave \$105.00

CLASS OF 1933
Geraldine Stott Carleton
William S. Coffin
Arthur W. Danielson
Jennie Reynolds Thompson
19.05% (4 out of 21)
gave \$200.00

CLASS OF 1934
Norman L. Bickford
Edith Hoffses Payson
Josephine Hilliker Smith
12.50% (3 out of 24)
gave \$422.50

CLASS OF 1935
John Dickson
Frank B. Homstead
Marion Crawford Hutchinson
E. Robert Kinney
Keith N. Smith
16.67% (5 out of 30)
gave \$1,970.00

CLASS OF 1936
M.J. Davis Crawford
Roland E. Reilly
Norman A. Rogers
13.64% (3 out of 22)
gave \$205.00

CLASS OF 1937
Paul C. Houston
Betsey Libbey Williams
7.41% (2 out of 27)
gave \$325.00

CLASS OF 1938
Bunny Doherty Bickford
Nicholas J. Craig
Florice Baker Hubbard
Elbert M. Prince
Eloise Dean Reilly
Fred C. Stafford
Ruth Shuman Valore-Heaphy
Charles F. Welch
Phyllis Baker Wright
30.00% (9 out of 30)
gave \$782.50



CLASS OF 1939
Ervena Frederick Belcher
Carl A. Estes
Stanley L. Fletcher
Harry K. Gould
Harold J. Harding
Elmer W. Leonard
Phyllis McMann
Rita Bouchard Norton
Eleanore Davis Perkins
Betty Knight Webber
Raymond C. Whitney
34.38% (11 out of 32)
gave \$1,157.50

CLASS OF 1940
Ronello F. Brown
John H. Cole
James H. Merrill
Meredith McFarland Monte
Robert M. Moulton
Dorothy Whitman Orr
Novella Cookson Rogers
Dorothy Hammond Whitney
Laurence E. Wright
24.32% (9 out of 37)
gave \$422.50

CLASS OF 1941
Marjorie Tilton Bolger
Gladys Pendexter Durette
Floyd James
Jean Purinton Maynard
Arlene Bryant Wakefield
Neal R. Ward
19.35% (6 out of 31)
gave \$470.00

CLASS OF 1942
Arlene Frederick Beardsley
Sylvia Snow Berry
Margaret Gosline Blaisdell
Kenneth L. Cianchette
Carolyn Brown Foster
Ann Milliken Hamlin
Willard W. Lehr
Herbert C. Scribner
Rosalie Varnum Shaw
Wayne L. Thurston
28.57% (10 out of 35)
gave \$1,845.00

CLASS OF 1943
Ann Hatch Bragdon
Frank N. Collamore
Clayton C. Curtis
Mary Buker Foss
Martelle C. Quint
Gail Banton Sleeper
Carl R. Wright
20.59% (7 out of 34)
gave \$417.50

CLASS OF 1944
Ival R. Cianchette
Richard O. Clark
Raymond C. Humphrey
Ruth Libby Hunt
13.79% (4 out of 29)
gave \$787.50

CLASS OF 1945
Muriel Kenniston Clement
Roger B. Percival
Evelyn Webendorfer Springer
Wayne E. Susi



Richard B. Whalen
18.52% (5 out of 27)
gave \$1,170.00

CLASS OF 1946
The Estate of Evelene
Lancaster Cianchette
Durward Emery
Donna Hodgins Graham
Blair B. Libby
Henry W. Nason
Lyle Small
Ruth Shaw Thomas
Joyce Almonte Wyman
Stanley G. Wyman
20.00% (9 out of 45)
gave \$1,957.50

CLASS OF 1947
Alexander C. Agostinelli
Stanley D. Catell
Eunice Soule Damren
Margaret Webb Emery
Alice Wright Fitts
Gilman N. Friend
Austin F. Harris
Shirley Bradbury Humphrey
Les R. Leggett
Cecil L. McLaggan
Thomas F. Staples
18.03% (11 out of 61)
gave \$525.00

CLASS OF 1948
Robert S. Beattie
Arey C. Bryant
Carolyn Shatney Chadbourne
Helen Esty Cianchette
Roy H. Dyke
Knute Holmsen
Robert H. Libby
Norman MacLeod
Thomas O. Millett
Elizabeth Coolidge Whalen
Gilbert M. White
Joyce Beattie Williams
21.43% (12 out of 56)
gave \$57,815.00

CLASS OF 1949
Marilyn Fowler Chamberlain
Dominic J. Gacetta
John A. Howarth
Cecelia A. Shatney
David S. Silsby
Basil C. Tasker
9.38% (6 out of 64)
gave \$2,500.00

CLASS OF 1950
Herschel Basford
Jerome P. Hallee
Mary E. Dysart Quint
Julia Jackson Rodenbeck
Colleen Roundy Rohrer
7.14% (5 out of 70)
gave \$512.50

CLASS OF 1951
Walter T. Anthony
Beverly Sennett Berry
Richard P. Berry
Mary Nutting Emerson
Maxine Young Gorten
David R. Higgins
Patricia Tinkham Levasseur



Sterling I. Smith
10.96% (8 out of 73)
gave \$570.00

CLASS OF 1952
Edson Buker
Violet Foster Higgins
Robert E. Knowles
David M. McGaffin
Gloria Bates Morgan
Wayne A. Tilton
Nancy Sinclair Wilson
Alvah H. Wyman
10.13% (8 out of 79)
gave \$6,687.50

CLASS OF 1953
Sarah G. Chipman
Phillip L. Coffin
Louis H. Pepin
Joyce Hunt Rowe
Mildred Stackpole Wyman
7.69% (5 out of 65)
gave \$227.50

CLASS OF 1954
Weston A. Bubar
Mary-Ellen Spear Hackett
Kenneth Hallee
Carl P. Nutter
7.27% (4 out of 55)
gave \$450.00

CLASS OF 1955
Sonia Call Bartlett
Janet Eaton Belisle
Harvey R. Chambers
3.95% (3 out of 76)
gave \$165.00

CLASS OF 1956
Laurence S. Allen
Norris M. Ashe
John H. Carroll
Forest G. Frost
Sallie Huot
7.2% (5 out of 69)
gave \$2,950.00

CLASS OF 1957
Beverly Thompson Allen
Phillips C. Baird
Bruce S. Collett
Joseph G. K. Dumont
Helen Kellis Karamanos
Michael P. McCready
Alfred S. Menendez
Patricia J. Morgan
David A. Mosher
9.78% (9 out of 92)
gave \$4,035.00

CLASS OF 1958
Gloria Sedgwick Huff
1.28% (1 out of 78)
gave \$100.00

CLASS OF 1959
Adrienne Cyr Ashbaugh
Paul E. Bertrand
Frank B. Blanchard
E. V. Bunker
Anthony J. Frederick
Kenneth C. Lane
5.45% (6 out of 110)
gave \$1,485.00



CLASS OF 1960

Joan Basford Bradley
Sandra Homstead Cote
Floyd A. Lawrence
Marilyn A. Nash
Leonard I. Nemon
Michael Parker
5.66% (6 out of 106)
gave \$750.00

CLASS OF 1961

Dwayne M. Ames
Strategic Planning E. Bickford
Sally Smith Bryant
Jean Cregnole Crangle
Judy Mitchell Gerald
Thomas A. Gordon
Patricia Wright Pellegrino
Bernard C. Williams
7.02% (8 out of 114)
gave \$2,050.00

CLASS OF 1962

Ronald E. Bessey
Preston L. Carter
Jeremy M. Lord
Betty Cole Nathaniel
Michael T. Savage
Tom J. Winsor
4.58% (6 out of 131)
gave \$6,450.00

CLASS OF 1963

William B. Ball
Carla Hunt Bertrand
Linda J. Cregnole
Anne Witham Jenkins
Suzanne Huff Mercier
Alton L. Richardson
Patricia Rodgers Skaling
Earle W. Tarbell
Jacqueline Dunphy Williams
8.04% (9 out of 112)
gave \$2,505.00

CLASS OF 1964

Maurice Atwater
Ralph W. Damren
Frank T. Haseltine
Ronald G. Kinney
Robert Menucci
Charles R. Philbrick
Thomas W. Savage
Carole Daily Vigue
Gregory T. Wright
7.96% (9 out of 113)
gave \$8,383.05

CLASS OF 1965

Pamela Houston Brooks
Ronald H. Friend
James E. Gould
Delmont Soule
Bruce Stafford
Maryjane Christie Stafford
Peter G. Vigue
4.76% (7 out of 147)
gave \$6,725.00

CLASS OF 1966

Lance Browne
Richard L. Chick
Susan Barrett Friend
Vicki Boetsch Harriman
Anna Maria Parker
3.60% (5 out of 139)
gave \$762.50



CLASS OF 1967

Dwight A. Brown
William R. Bunnell
Douglas L. Chadwick
Norris L. Cianchette
Douglas I. Fernald
Nancy Jones Fisk
Carl A. Harmon
Susan D. Haseltine
Larry C. Heim
Linda Mitchell Lambert
John A. Leonard
Anna Watson Peterson
17.65% (12 out of 68)
gave \$1,910.00

CLASS OF 1968

David F. Anastasio
Herbert M. Bailey
Garret E. Cole
Dora Barrett Miles
Gregory S. Miles
Norman L. Mitchell
Richard A. Schofield
Seven Shaw
6.02% (8 out of 133)
gave \$405.00

CLASS OF 1969

Christine Humphrey Chadwick
Mac C. Cianchette
Gary Fitts
Susan Witham Goddard
Dean A. Homstead
Douglas L. Latham
James R. Maynard
Bruce R. Parker
Gregory J. Patterson
Linda J. Shorey
8.47% (10 out of 118)
gave \$5,087.50

CLASS OF 1970

Van W. Ames
Marcia L. Bickford
William A. Cunningham
David B. England
Michael J. Fendler
Charles V. Ferguson
Jacklyn Mercier Robinson
Ted Susi
7.41% (8 out of 108)
gave \$10,662.50

CLASS OF 1971

Tamara Cianchette Bryce
William F. Nolan
Steven Salley
Frank J. Susi
Linda Sweet Thornton
Kenneth J. Yanco
6.32% (6 out of 95)
gave \$555.50

CLASS OF 1973

Brian Bickford
Tania Rogers Camrick
Scott L. Carter
Susan Smith England
Lisa Tweedie Fowler
Jill Cianchette Lambert
Ronald Lambert
Stanton J. Martin
Arthur Ouellette
Bruce E. Rosewell
Paula Rollins Salley



Michael W. Sinclair
Wayne A. Ray
Nancy Christie Sander
Paul G. Slocum
John W. Tarbox
Michael A. Wiers
11.04% (17 out of 154)
gave \$2,247.50

CLASS OF 1974

Terry R. Booth
Patricia Davis Buck
Syrena Thompson Gatewood
Russell L. Haynes
Cynthia E. Sloma
7.46% (5 out of 67)
gave \$225.00

CLASS OF 1975

Ralph S. Ingraham
David B. Ross
Karen Reynolds Wagner
Janet Carter Winchester
4.65% (4 out of 86)
gave \$190.00

CLASS OF 1976

Tamara Caldwell Bickford
1.41% (1 out of 71)
gave \$100.00

CLASS OF 1977

Pamela Newhouse Dufour
Brent D. Frost
Kelli Russell Frost



CLASS OF 1979

Barbara Morra Basford
Kelly Breau Fitts
Jeffrey P. Hazell
Roberta Huff Hicks
Dwight C. Holbrook
Eric Witham
5.83% (6 out of 103)
gave \$1,075.00

CLASS OF 1980

Rick D. Basford
Stacey Fitts
2.35% (2 out of 85)
gave \$20.00

CLASS OF 1981

Tracye Caldwell Fortin
Suzanne Lynch Guild
Nancie Breau McLeod
Gregg Newhouse
Anna Watson Peterson
3.38% (5 out of 148)
gave \$351.15

CLASS OF 1982

Cheryl Paresson Austin
Christian W. Cookson
Tina McDonald Fitts
Donna Liimatainien-Peterson
Brent R. Newhouse
Donna Andrews Newhouse
Crystal Engelhardt Witham
7.45% (7 out of 94)
gave \$895.00



The Class of 1947 from front left are Alice Wright Fitts '47; Phyllis Fredrick Luke '47; John Luke '47; Cecil McLaggan '47; Doris McLaggan; Mary Achroyd Davis '47; Perley Davis; Margaret Webb Emery '47

Tamara Andrews Ingraham
Susan Williams Ouellette
Frank E. Randall
Craig Reynolds
Randy Ross
William P. Scholz
9.28% (9 out of 97)
gave \$707.50

CLASS OF 1978

Charles B. Cianchette
Lewis Fitts
Ashley Hart
John A. LeMieux
Michelline Boulanger Ross
7.81% (5 out of 64)
gave \$670.00

CLASS OF 1983

Mary E. Connolly
Bradley M. King
Duane E. Morin
Edward E. Porter
3.77% (4 out of 106)
gave \$336.00

CLASS OF 1984

Timothy T. Archibald
Michael P. Dow
Michael D. Lynch
Bradley J. Newhouse
Eric L. Thompson
David M. Welch
6.38% (6 out of 94)
gave \$2,025.00

Class Analysis

CLASS OF 1985

Douglas W. Clapp
Jana Morra
2.00% (2 out of 100)
gave \$100.00

CLASS OF 1986

Michael A. Hodgins
David MacGown
Shawn L. Sideliner
Clint Williams
4.05% (4 out of 99)
gave \$450.00

CLASS OF 1987

Michael D. Heath
Scott J. Lapanne
Jean E. McGowan
4.17% (3 out of 72)
gave \$300.00

CLASS OF 1988

Nicole Grant Degifico
C. J. Mitchell
Paul C. Pietranico
Emily Melvin Vigue
4.21% (4 out of 95)
gave \$167.50

CLASS OF 1989

Carrie E. Fontaine
Andi Vigue
2.56% (2 out of 78)
gave \$212.50

CLASS OF 1990

Robert C. Beattie
Eric R. McMann
1.98% (2 out of 101)
gave \$45.00

CLASS OF 1991

Michelle Vigue Hodgins
1.20% (1 out of 83)
gave \$150.00

CLASS OF 1992

Stephen A. Francis
Bernard J. Monkiewicz
Laura Norris
Jon Rice
4.00% (4 out of 100)
gave \$145.00

CLASS OF 1999

Alexis F. Arroyo
.93% (1 out of 108)
gave \$100.00

CLASS OF 2001

Christopher T. Gerry
.95% (1 out of 105)
gave \$20.00

CLASS OF 2002

Juan Altgelt
.74% (1 out of 135)
gave \$100.00



From the left are Joyce Almonte Wyman '46; Ervena Fredrick Belcher '39; Marilyn Bunker Cianchette '47; Norris Cianchette '40; Irene Furbush Dudley '44; Jeannette Webb Fitts '46; Stanley Wyman '46.

The decade of the 1930's had the largest percentage of alumni donors: 19.56%

The Class of 1948 made the largest gift: \$57,815.00

The Honor Classes, with highest percentage of alumni donors are:

1930 ~ 38.46%	5 out of 13
1939 ~ 34.38 %	11 out of 32
1938 ~ 30.0%	9 out of 30
1942 ~ 28.57% *	10 out of 35
1940 ~ 24.32 %	9 out of 37
1948 ~ 21.43 %	12 out of 56

Special recognition goes to these two classes which had the largest percentage increase in the number of donors in the past year:

1967 ~ 17.65%*

1973 ~ 11.04%

*1967 was a reunion year.

Two other Reunion Classes, 1952 and 1962, made significant Class Challenge contributions to the Capital Campaign as well as to Annul Fund/Annual Giving 2001-2002.

DECADES OF DONORS

1930 - 1939 (10 of 10 classes)

46 of 231 known alumni gave for an average of 19.56 %.
The largest class percentage was 1930 with 38.46% contributing.

1940 - 1949 (10 of 10 classes)

79 of 419 known alumni gave for an average of 18.85 %.
The largest donor class percentage was 1942 with 28.57% contributing.

1950 - 1959 (10 of 10 classes)

53 of 767 known alumni gave for an average of 6.91%.
The largest class percentage was 1951 with 10.96% contributing.

1960-1969 (10 of 10 classes)

85 of 1267 known alumni gave for an average of 6.7%
The largest class percentage was 1967 with 17.65% contributing.

1970-1979 (9 of 10 classes)

56 of 759 known alumni gave for an average of 7.38%
The largest class percentage was 1973 with 11.04% contributing.

1980-1989 (10 of 10 classes)

39 of 971 known alumni gave for an average of 4.2%.
The largest class percentage was 1982 with 7.45% contributing.

1990-1999 (4 of 10 classes)

8 of 392 known alumni in these four classes gave for an average of 2%.
The largest class percentage was 1992 with 4% contributing.



Dr. Bill Hamlin '52 and his wife Karlene

370 MCI Alumni Contributed

\$153,005.70

Alumni Annual Giving Increased

141%

But the rate of Participation Declined~
6.3 % of the 5,885 Known Alumni Contributed

Please Help MCI Reach 7 % Participation in 2003!

Any Size Gift Is Truly Appreciated.

Annual Fund contributions are applied to the annual operating expenses of the school and help to make up the difference between tuition revenue and the actual cost of educating our students.

Annual Giving contributions include gifts-in-kind and matching gifts made by corporations when an employee makes a donation to the school. Annual Giving contributions also include restricted gifts, such as memorial funds, donations to support special trips like the one to Disney World or gifts to specific organizations such as Rifle Team or the Art Department.



The Class of 1953 is already meeting regularly to organize their 50th reunion next August. At a recent pool party were, in the front: Gloria Beattie McNichol, Catherine Doyle Mooers, Charlene Hunt Call, Priscilla Foss Rende, Joyce Hunt Rowe; in the second row are Loretta Doherty Brown, Faye Ellingwood Shaw, Mildred Stackpole Wyman, Gloria Bridgham Lovejoy and Sarah Chipman. Thelma Sennett Vining and Cynthia Brown Johnson are in the third row and standing in the back are Philip Coffin, Clifton Buddy Gage, Gary Goodrich and Jackie Smith Bennett.

Annual Fund 2001-2002

Unrestricted Annual Fund (for annual operating expenses)(includes Matching Gifts) . . . \$ 67,311.66

Restricted Annual Fund:

Whitewater Rafting	\$ 2,450.00	
Disney World Trip	\$ 14,650.00	
Art Club	\$ 150.00	
Botany Award	\$ 150.00	
Drama Program	\$ 200.00	
Music Program	\$ 400.00	
Future Problem Solvers	\$ 220.00	
Library Horticulture Book	\$ 150.00	
Rifle Team	\$ 700.00	
Boys & Girls State Sponsor	\$ 2,128.00	
Athletic Booster Clubs	\$ 4,205.00	
	\$ 25,403.00	\$ 25,403.00

Restricted Scholarship Contributions to Annual Fund:

Libby Fellowship	\$ 5,000.00	
Scholarship Funds	\$ 60,560.00	
Bradshaw History Scholarship	\$ 3,685.00	
Sinclair Endowed Fund	\$ 8,200.00	
	\$ 77,445.00	\$ 77,445.00

Annual Giving 2001-2002:

Gifts-in-Kind	\$71,133.62	\$ 71,133.62
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Total Unrestricted and Restricted Annual Fund and Annual Giving 2001-2002: \$241,293.28

Annual Auction 2002 Income \$ 19,848.43

Total Annual Fund, Annual Giving and Annual Auction Revenues: \$261,141.71



White Water Rafting ~ Helen Cianchette; Merrill Merchants Bank; Thomas & Nina Moskalewicz; Ronald & Michele Royal; Thomas & Sally Savage

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MCI's Eighth Annual Auction Cruises To Success

Wright Gym was magically turned into a departure pier, roped gangway and cruise ship interior by the talented Decoration Committee chaired by Tracy Caldwell Fortin '81 and Colleen Lancaster. Shipboard gaming tables, a souvenir photo stand run by Julie Treadwell, Director of Athletics, Activities and Wellness, charming 'portholes' painted by MCI's student artists, a lounge featuring punch served in tall glasses etched with the MCI logo and a palm tree were all part of the nautical scene.

The Instrumental Jazz Ensemble, led by Dean Neal, MCI's truly talented Chair of the Music Department, entertained more than 250 guests during the event's first hour with nostalgic numbers like *In the Mood*. Head of School Doug Cummings, decked out in ship captain's garb, led the festivities, which included a mail-in silent auction of eight items that raised \$5,000 and the Treasure Chest running bid auction which preceded the buffet. Silent Auction items included a Bradco chair and a pendulum clock (both bearing the MCI logo), a deluxe stay at the Harras-eket Inn, a David Silsby '49 watercolor of this year's Winter Carnival tug-of-war, eight white water rafting trips, two Old Town kayaks, a computer with all the trimmings and a Victory Chimes sailing adventure, donated by Kip Files '70 and his co-captain.

MCI's Vocal Jazz Ensemble sang a wonderful selection of songs that included *Danny Boy* and *You Are the Only One* in addition to their dazzling jazz riffs, which, this spring, won the group its fourth state championship in eight years. Yard Sale Chair Debbie Ladd and her husband Kyle were "invited" to perform with the group and both proved to have marvelous voices and jazz skills!

Dinner, a fabulous buffet of exotic mahi-mahi, baked stuffed chicken and ship's roast of beef, was arranged by Dinner Committee members Lori Cummings, Helen Gallagher and Sherry Mayhew Littlefield '79, and underwritten by MCI's outstanding food service provider Chartwells/FLIK. Towering strawberry and chocolate pies and other delectable desserts were provided by Randy Wadleigh and Governor's Restaurant. Festive round tables, draped in bright yellow, lavender or white, were donated for the evening by Taylor Rental and were decorated with shells and sand, messages in castaway bottles, large starfish and other denizens of the deep.

Following the buffet, Head of School Cummings introduced the Annual Auction's honorary chairs, Trustee Carl Wright '43 and his wife Rita. Carl spoke at length about his love of the school and his connection to it as trustee and benefactor. Wright Gym, built in 1988, is named in honor of the contributions made by Carl and his brother Cliff; Carl and Rita are the donors for whom the main floor of MCI's new Chuck and Helen Cianchette Math & Science Center is named. They were presented with a lap throw that depicts each of MCI's 12 Main Campus buildings.

Auctioneer Pamela Houston Brooks '65 solicited bids on more than one hundred donated items that included a second watercolor, this one of Founders Hall, painted by David Silsby '49,



New Key Club President Ashley Holt had a wonderful time serving lemonade in specially etched glassware. The fancy stemmed glasses, complete with palm tree, were a real collector's item!



Honorary Chairs of Auction 2002 were Rita and Carl Wright '43.

a beautifully realistic loon hand-carved by donor Norris Cianchette '40, a marvelous gas grill given by Mid State Gas, tickets "Rent" in Boston donated by Trustee Mike '62 and Cilla Sava and weekend get-aways for two at the Portland Regency and the Black Point Inn, gifts made by Eric Cianchette '68. Kelli Frost '01 donated a number of wonderful books, Trustee Sunny Brown offered an enormous basket filled with exquisite chocolates and former trustee Tom Gordon '51 gave 50 pounds of grass seed!

Cashiers at the dinner auction's end were Lori Wyma Glidden '80 and Dena Frost Hall '79. They were thrilled to report that MCI's Eighth Annual Dinner Auction raised more than \$20,000! All proceeds from the Eighth Annual Dinner Auction will directly support MCI students; 45% will go to the Music Department, another 45% will be given to athletics and 10% will benefit other student needs throughout the next year.

Each year, MCI's annual poinsettia sale is part of the auction. For the first time, the Poinsettia Committee, headed by Lori Cummings, will offer two other lovely colors, pink and creamy white, in addition to the traditional red. Each plant priced at \$10 each, will have at least six large blossoms. The three different color options will be available until September 13; after that only red poinsettias may be ordered for delivery the first weekend in December. A total of 350 will be available. 172 already have been ordered. To reserve your beautiful poinsettias, please call Lori Cummings at 487-3355, ext. 111, Carlene Engstrom at 487-5915, ext. 139. E-mail orders at ssavasuk@mci-school.org are also encouraged.

Another important element of MCI's annual fund-raising event is the giant yard sale which precedes the dinner auction. Assisting Debbie Ladd were Mike and Helen Gallagher, Colleen Lancaster, Judy Richardson and Peggy Thompson.

The Items Acquisition Committee, headed by Doug Cummings, included Jeff Coffin, David Fortin, Bayford Lancaster, Carlene Engstrom, Director of Alumni/ae Affairs and Carolyn Smith, Director of Development.

The Decorating Committee also included Peter and Sunny Brown, Donna Chale, Wendy Coffin, Suzie Reynolds Furrow '01 and Denise Drake Holt '81. Assisting with the decorations were Lori Cummings, Tammy George, Jim '77 and Donna Hammond, Debbie Ladd, Jane Welch and Marian Zarolinski.

The Auction Booklet was compiled by Jeff Coffin, Carlene Engstrom and Alumni/ae and Development Administration Assistant Sharon Savasuk. J.S. McCarthy Printers donated the 28-page auction booklet.

Those planning the Eighth Annual Dinner Auction were Doug and Lori Cummings, David and Tracy Caldwell '81 Fortin, Bayford and Colleen Lancaster, Sunny Brown, Debbie Ladd, Jim and Wendy Coffin, Julie Treadwell, Dean Neal, Carlene Engstrom and Carolyn Smith.

Thanks to the generous donors who made Auction 2002 so successful!

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Shipboard games were a big hit at the well-attended Cruisin' for the Huskies.

Michael Heath '87, A Most Supportive Alumnus

Michael Heath has been an incredibly supportive alumnus the past two years - he has bought more of the Annual Auction's silent auction items than anyone else - by far. Collector of MCI "art" of all kinds, he has paid top dollar for two David Silsby '48 watercolors. Both adorn the mantle of the home on Falmouth Foreside that he is so painstakingly restoring. And between the two nostalgic paintings is the MCI pendulum clock. And sitting on either side of hearth are the rocking chair and the Bradco cherry chair that each bear engraved MCI logos. He said he loves beautiful things and that he wanted to "give back to MCI because I am so grateful for the education I got there."

A very soft-spoken, mannerly and genuinely nice young man, Michael is also an incredible dare-devil! Few would dare to climb a swaying tower 160 feet higher than the Empire State Building...in the dark...with only a hat-mounted lamp like miners wear...in the wind of an ice storm. But that's what Michael does for a living.

Vice President of Eastern Communications in which he is a partner, Michael regularly climbs 1600 feet into the air as he builds towers, like the one in Raymond, as far as away as Hilton Head and Charleston, South Carolina. Actually, now that he's an executive, Michael doesn't climb nearly enough to suit him. He commented, "I love being in the air. It's another world up there with the birds flying along below where you are. I climb the tower structure itself or go up in a creaky elevator the size of a coffin. Actually, sometimes I ride on top of the little elevator, just holding on to the cable. When I first started in this business I was free climbing more than a thousand feet in the air. Sure, I've had some heart-stopping slips and near falls but now the safety equipment is really sophisticated. It slows you down as you climb, clipping and re-clipping but you are really safe."

To realize how very far in the air he climbs, Michael described the large transmitter building of the Raymond tower as appearing about half an inch long and the very large white ser-



Michael Heath '87 with some of his treasured annual auction purchases including the embossed MCI rocker in which he sits, the chair and pendulum clock. Over the mantel are his David Silsby '49 watercolor paintings.

vice truck looks like a dot the size of a pinhead when he is at the top. These towers weigh about 530,000 pounds and some take up more than 100 acres because of the span of the guy wires than hold them relatively steady in the 115 MPH winds sometimes experienced up that high. When asked if he enjoys rock climbing he quickly answered, "You'd have to be crazy to climb so high with just little pins in the rocks to hold you up!"

Michael didn't go on to college; he got strong math skills at MCI that have enabled him to be very successful in his career. "MCI was like college for me, and that's why I am so willing to give back as much as I can." He intends to keep on bidding for every Silsby painting of the MCI campus offered at the Annual Auctions. Thank you, Michael.

By Carolyn J. Smith

The Seventeenth Annual Alumni Open Golf Scramble Is MCI's Largest!



The victorious Tookie's Team with the woman herself out front. Behind her stand three generations of Ross men: David '75, Shane '99 and Roger '53.

On August 17, twenty-two teams of avid golfers 'scrambled' over the J. W. Parks golf course on an absolutely glorious day; two of them, Head of School Doug Cummings and Tom Gordon '61, were playing in their 17th event. Spirits were high, the food was fabulous, the ribbed gray sweatshirts embroidered with MCI's logo were terrific and the fun everyone seemed to be having was infectious. Eight Alumni Association Executive Committee members were on hand during the event. President Ralph Damren '64 welcomed the record numbers of golfers, Treasurer Alice Shaw Patterson '48, Karen Wagner '75 and Michelle Vigue Hodgins '91 registered the participants, helped by Maggie Hodgins '18 who also 'helped' her mother at the luncheon tent. Bette Bagley '54 handed out the 87 sweatshirts and Vice President Clint Williams '86, Buddy Ingraham '75 and Craig Littlefield '77 were members of teams.

Two more teams played this year than last year, and the seven corporate sponsors, twenty tee sponsors and ten prize sponsors made this Alumni Open the best and biggest so far. Proceeds from the annual event, which netted well over \$11,000, support MCI's Alumni Association scholarships, reunions, Homecoming and student events. This past year the Alumni Association was able to donate a substantial amount to the music students' trip to Disney World and the Florida Reunion, as well as to the Capital Campaign.

The tee package this year, sponsored by Tom Gordon '61 and his Hydro Grass Corporation and MCI's Alumni Association, included the Alumni Open sweatshirt, a sleeve of MCI embossed golf balls and cookies for on-course snacking. Tournament entry fees also included golf carts, greens fees, Continental breakfast courtesy of Dean Homstead '69 and Bud's Shop 'N Save and a fairway-side grilled lunch and magnificent buffet dinner sponsored by Flik Independent Schools By Chartwells, which is MCI's food service provider. This year's buffet featured delectable baked stuffed scallops with cheese and steamship roast of beef as well as homemade rolls, delicious salads and elegant desserts. Soft drinks consumed throughout the day were donated by Seltzer and Rydholm.

There were some wonderful surprises at this year's Open. Winning the Team Gross and the \$400 Pro Shop prize, was Tookie's Team with a marvelous score of 58. Joining veteran coach and

athletic director Tookie Russell, who plays a mean game of golf, were three generations of the Ross family, Roger '53 who was a member of the Alumni Association Executive Committee for a number of years, his son David '75 and grandson Shane, who graduated in 1999.

For the longest drive on Hole #2, a radiant Lori Cummings, who doesn't play a lot of golf, won the beautiful leather handbag, donated by Irving Tanning; she also won the wind shirt given by Finyl Vinyl. And Lois Peters, whose husband Earle was on the Hydro Grass Team that won First Team Net, bought a strip of raffle tickets as long as her arm. As a result, Lois won gifts worth nearly \$1,000: the marvelous Adirondack chair, footstool and plump pillow donated by Walpole Manufacturing; the gorgeous Vermont slate and oak MCI bookends donated by Harpswell House; the Aetna portable canvas chair with carrying case; and a fabulous get-away weekend with all the trimmings at the Portland Regency, donated by Eric Cianchette '68. Hydro Grass team members - Tom Gordon '61, Earle Peters, Kevin and Michael Tozier, with a great score of 47 each won \$100 to be spent in the Parks Pro Shop.

Second Team Net prize of \$200 went to the Walpole Team of Bob Hayes, Tony Caruso, Scott Neal and Paul Fernald.

Third Team Net, \$100, went to the Pittsfield Motor Inn Team of Casey Comfort, Tammy Higgin, MCI Trustee Ginger Russell and her husband Charles. Other prize winners included Paul Williams who had the most accurate drive on Hole #3 and received a terrific golf book from Circles, The Salon. The other longest drive on Hole #2 was made by Ross McGee who received a leather travel bag from Irving Tanning. Bayford Lancaster got the Samoset Resort certificate for four golfers and Steve Miles was closest to the pin on Hole #13 so he got the University of Maine hockey tickets donated by Berry, Dunn, McNeil and Parker.

The Alumni Open has continued to grow. In the past four years, there's been a 49% increase in revenue, the number of teams has grown from 12 to 22 and 39 more players were on the course this year. A lot of people have worked hard to make this all happen.

By Carolyn J. Smith



The Irving Eight - Committee Member Paul Larochelle is front right.

The Alumni Open 2002 Committee Members: Board of Trustees President Mike '86 and Michelle Vigue '91 Hodgins; Buddy Ingraham '75; Craig Littlefield '77; MCI Admission Director Clint Williams '86; J. W. Parks Golf Pro Mike Dugas and Pro Shop Manager Paul Greco; MCI's Director of Alumni Affairs Carlene Engstrom and Director of Development Carolyn Smith; Director of Athletics Julie Treadwell; Trustee Sunny Brown; Bayford Lancaster; Paul Larochelle.

Participating Teams: Almy Advantage; Cyr/SAD 53; EST; Hydro-Grass; Irving Tanning I; Irving Tanning II; Advest; MCI; Investment Recovery; President's Club; SVH; Somatex, Inc; Buddy's Team; Staples Oil; Walpole; Pittsfield Motor Inn; S & G Construction; Sunny & Lori's Team; Franklin Printing; Stevie's Farmway Wonder Boys; Advantage Gases/Norton Abrasives; Tookie's Team.



Lori Cummings was totally tickled with her longest drive on #2 and the Irving Tanning leather bag prize! She was thrilled with her wind shirt as well!

Corporate Sponsors: Blouin Motors for the Hole-In-One Contest; Bud's Shop 'N Save - Continental Breakfast; Flik Independent Schools By Chartwells - Grilled Lunch and Buffet Dinner; Graph X Signs, Inc. & Norris Cianchette '40 - Tee Sponsor and Corporate Sponsor Signs; Tom Gordon '61 and Hydro-Grass Corporation - Tee Packages; Kelly-Smith Printing - Tournament Programs; Seltzer & Rhyholm - Soft Drinks.

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The Alumni Association of Maine Central Institute sincerely thanks the 88 golfers, seven corporate sponsors, twenty tee sponsors and ten prize sponsors for the hugely successful 17th Annual Alumni Open Golf Tournament, as well as the Alumni Open Committee, J. W. Parks Golf Course and MCI's Bill Carr and his food service staff for making it all happen!



The Hydro Grass team, Earle Peters, Tom Gordon '61, Mike and Kevin Tozier, played hard and deserved to win the Alumni Open's First Team Net Prize.



Norris Cianchette '40 and son-in-law Joe Loring created the great signs for the Alumni Open. And J. W. Parks Golf Course never looked better!



Lois Peters' husband Earle was most admiring of all she won in the raffle! Lois was definitely the BIG winner!

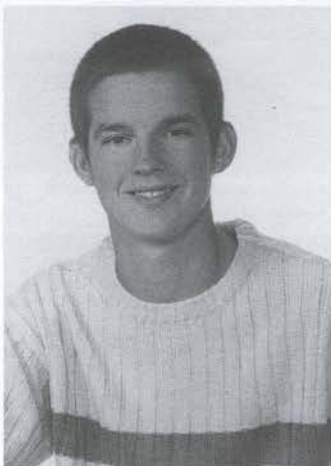


Alumni Association Executive Committee members Karen Wagner '75 and Treasurer Alice Shaw Patterson '48 were busy at the registration table.

The Tradition of the Cups

Maine Central Institute's Masters Cup was first presented in 1941 by the faculty's masters who voted to honor the boy who best represented the ideals of the school in athletic ability, character, leadership, loyalty to MCI and school spirit. The Masters Cup is considered the highest award given to any male graduate, by virtue of the sterling qualities of the first recipient Frank J. Koris '41, who was later killed in a World War II battle in Italy.

Thirty-three years later, in 1974, the faculty established a new award, to be given to a female graduate. Voted upon by the entire MCI faculty, The MCI Faculty Cup is awarded to that girl who has demonstrated the highest qualities of character, leadership and involvement in school activities.



The 2002 recipients of these most prestigious of Commencement honors are both highly respected by faculty and students for their modesty and genuine sincerity, their extraordinary dedication to their school and repeatedly demonstrated leadership. Both are true scholar-athletes.

The 61st Masters Cup was presented to Andrew St. Clair, son of John and Wendy

St. Clair of Pittsfield. Elected to National Honor Society his sophomore year, Andrew has achieved Honors or Highest Honors every quarter but one since ninth grade. In tenth grade he was the recipient of the Oceanography Academic Award. He has a GPA of over 90 and feels math is his strongest subject. He credits much of his academic success to the truly great teachers he had at MCI and said he always found the time and had the drive to do well in both academics and athletics. "MCI is an experience you just can't get elsewhere." He was determined to make the most of that experience.

Andrew was involved with drama for four years, largely due "to the influence of my Aunt Debbie." He was onstage his freshman year and was a terrific stage manager backstage for the next three.

A three-sport athlete, Andrew played soccer for his first three years and was captain his junior year. He played basketball and baseball all four years and was captain of baseball his senior year when he was named to the KVAC All Academic and 1st Teams and selected as the MVP.

Basketball, his great love, has been his passion; he "made varsity" his freshman year and got to play with his older brother, the realization of a dream. He received the Coach's Award the past two years for his leadership and sportsmanship. He was named KVAC Player of the Year and to the KVAC All Academic and 1st Team All Defense Teams. He commented that

"being a leader in athletics is not at all easy and that sometimes friends disagreed with my decisions." His dream was to be named Athlete of the Year; his dream was realized at Commencement.

Andrew received a number of awards at Senior Chapel and Commencement: MCI Masters Cup; MCI Mathematics Award; High Honors Certificate of Merit; Athlete of the Year; Roderic Smith Basketball Award; Maine Sports Hall of Fame Scholar-Athlete Scholarship; United State Army Reserve Certificate for Academic and Athletic Excellence; United States Marine Corp Distinguished Athlete Award; Peoples Regional Federal Credit Union Scholarship; CM Almy Scholarship. Andrew St. Clair will attend Colby Sawyer next fall.



A dream come true.

The 28th Faculty Cup was presented to Jennifer Cummings, daughter of Doug and Lori Cummings of Pittsfield. A three-year member of National Honor Society, Jennifer was President of Student Council and Vice President of the Class of 2002 her senior year. Jenn was class secretary her sophomore year and Student Council Secretary as a junior. She received the Maine Principal's Award this spring and attended Girls State last summer. Jennifer also was the Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership Seminar attendee two summers ago.

A three-sport varsity athlete all four years, she led her soccer, basketball and baseball teams as co-captain for the past two years. During the past three years she received a number of awards including Most Improved Player, Coach's Award and Most Valuable Player in soccer and Coach's Award in softball. This spring she pitched a shut-out and led her softball team to two playoff game wins. She was named to the KVAC 1st Team, KVAC All Academic Team and to the East-West All Star Team and named softball's Most Valuable Player.

A member of the Vocal Jazz Ensemble for four years, Jennifer also participated for two years in the Instrumental Jazz Ensemble; both groups appeared at Disney World this past February. She was also a member of the Jazz Band for the past two years. A four-year member of the Drama Competition Team which was a district finalist in the State Meet in Caribou, Jennifer is also an artist whose works often win in various categories in student art exhibits.

She commented that MCI means the world to her. "Everyone here is like my family - I grew up on this campus. I've appreciated the opportunity to be very involved and to stay really busy. No, it wasn't always easy to be the daughter of the headmaster of the school but I tried so hard to be myself and to be my own person. After all, I am the third of the Cummings kids to graduate so sometimes I felt it was a little

difficult to make my own impression on people. I truly appreciate what my parents do here at MCI - they've been great and they have given me a strong sense of what is right and what is wrong."

She went on to say that being a leader hasn't always been easy, "But you get through it. Sometimes things need to be said to resolve team problems. I didn't feel Homecoming this past year should have any conflicts so I spoke up."

Jennifer was extremely active in volunteerism while at MCI. For four years she devoted many extra hours to the Community Christmas Project and to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital fund-raiser. After the September 11 tragedy, she organized a candlelight vigil in town as a Student Council project, gave blood, helped to organize assistance to Red Cross area blood drives and as Council President developed a fund-raiser for NYC disaster relief. During the ice storm of 1998 she spent countless hours in the MCI gym disaster shelter, entertaining elderly residents who had been forced from their homes. She volunteered hundreds of hours in the Alumni/Development Office at MCI as an archivist and helped every year with the Annual Auction.

At Commencement and Senior Chapel Jennifer received the following awards: MCI Faculty Cup; Principal's Leadership Award; Wright Family Scholarship; Ruth Plummer Cook Music Award; Billings Family Scholarship; Pitter Patter Pre-school Scholarship; Student Council Scholarship; Tilson and Ruth Thomas Scholarship; High Honors Certificate of Merit; Athlete of the Year; the U. S. Marine Corp Distinguished Athlete Award. Jennifer will attend Endicott College in the fall.

Unassuming, unusually mature and poised, dedicated to their school and to being all they possibly can be, Andrew and Jennifer have demonstrated exceptional character, loyalty and determination throughout their high school careers. They are both selfless and compassionate leaders who exemplify the very best of personal qualities. MCI is all the richer for having educated these outstanding young people.

By Carolyn J. Smith



And her dream came true, as well.

Commencement Address 2002



A Very Special Dollar

By Douglas C. Cummings, Head of School

Welcome to this, the 133rd commencement at MCI. You are a wonderfully diverse group of graduates, representing twelve countries: Bermuda, Ecuador, Egypt, Germany, Japan, Korea, Norway, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Spain, Taiwan and the United States. Two states other than Maine are represented, New York and Pennsylvania, and eight Maine communities, Pittsfield, Burham, Detroit, Hartland, Palmyra, St Albans, Augusta, and Lewiston. Congratulations to all of you and thank you for all that each of you has brought to our school.

As I have pondered what to say today, there have been two thoughts in my mind. One, how can I say what ever it is to be said so that you will remember it, and second, what can I say that will be meaningful to you as you go about your journey?

Parents, I'll bet there are certain questions that your son and/or daughter ask you on a regular basis. Having now had three children make their way to the Boutelle Savage Lawn, I have a pretty good sense of what Lori's and my children would ask when they have a question. The first thing any of the three might ask is, "Can I have some money?" All of the other questions fall a distant second to that one question. Now it just happens that on Thursday, my wife Lori won the Track Team Raffle. The prize was \$100.00, almost the same amount as there are people in the class of 2002. Thanks to her good luck, Lori has agreed to give each member of the class of 2002 one dollar to help me make the points I want to make in this address. Goal number one was to make this address memorable. This should give it a good start.

You all have now, in your hands, the material component of my message, a crisp one-dollar bill. This gift is not about the

value of the dollar but the meaning of it as we go from here. As we walk to the end of the lawn today, graduates, and you throw your hats in the air, a new time in your lives will have begun.

The dollar you now have in your hand is called paper money but it really is not. It is, in fact, cotton and linen with red and blue silk fibers running through it. Special ink is used. It is overprinted with symbols and then starched to make it water resistant and pressed to give it that nice crisp look.

You too, are a special blend of fibers, thanks to your parents both biologically as well as the manner by which you have been reared. You are resilient. I've seen each and every one of you on days when it looked like you just came out of the washing machine – the same way a washed dollar looks. And I've seen you at other times when you look as nice as that crisp one-dollar bill. Your crisp, sharp days will assuredly out weigh the days when you feel like you just came through the permanent press cycle.

On the front of the dollar you will see the United States Treasury Seal. On the top you will see a set of scales symbolizing the need for a balanced budget. You need to find balance in your lives. Assess what you want as a human being. Decide what your core values are and put in place a plan to get there. We all want many things. Find the right balance among all of those desires.

In the center of the seal is a carpenter's square, a tool carpenters use to insure an even, straight cut. When you attack any task, go about it right, just like the carpenter making a straight cut. Use the tools given you. And remember, if you haven't got time to do something right the first time, how will you ever have time to do it over?

Let's now look at the back of the dollar. You will see two circles. Both together comprise the great seal of the United States. Ben Franklin and a group of people took four years to create this seal. On the left side you see a pyramid. The country was just beginning when the seal was developed, just like you people today are beginning your adult lives. There was, and is, so much left to be discovered. The pyramid is uncapped, signifying that it is unfinished. But, like you, a great deal of the pyramid has been built. You are not just starting to build your pyramids either. You have learned a lot in the last 13 years of schooling. Take that knowledge and run with it.

Inside the capstone is the All Seeing Eye, an ancient symbol of divinity. It was Franklin's belief that one man could not do it alone, but a group of men with the help of God, could do anything. My point is the same. No one of you should see yourself as alone but as a part of a society that is interdependent. As we all go about our work or play remember that great things can happen through collaboration and cooperation with our fellow friends from all around the globe. I mentioned earlier where we are all from. Granted we are from all around the globe but above all else we are people. We are not Japanese or American or Bermudan or Egyptian, we are people. As a group together we'll do well.

The Latin above the pyramid, ANNIUT COEPTIS, means, "God has favored our undertaking". The Latin below the pyramid, NOVUS ORDO SECLORUM, means a new order has begun. Class of 2002, you are the new order and you are ready to begin. The symbol on the right is the seal of the president of the United States.

The bald eagle was selected for two reasons: first, he is not afraid of a storm; he is strong, and he is smart enough to soar above it. Secondly, he wears no crown. We had just broken away from the King of England. The country could now stand alone.

Class of 2002, there will be storms. Early in my time here at MCI we came upon some difficulty. The president of our board

of trustees at the time was Chuck Cianchette. I went to him for advice and reassurance. I will never forget his remark, "You cannot tell a good sailor in calm seas". Stay the course. Like that advice that was given to me and like the symbolism of the bald eagle, all of you will be tested many times. Like the eagle, don't be afraid of the storm and stay strong. Soar above adversity and always take the high road.

Notice that the eagle holds, in his talons, an olive branch and arrows. This country wants peace, but we will never be afraid to fight to preserve peace. The eagle always wants to face the olive branch that depicts peace, but in time of war, his gaze turns toward the arrows. I urge of you to focus on the olive branch too. We must commit ourselves to world peace. To be specific to our daily lives we must work toward the mindset of interdependence with our friends, family and colleagues, but

like the eagle, we can never sacrifice our core beliefs. There will be times in our lives when we must stand up for those beliefs. There will be hard times, but you are ready for them.

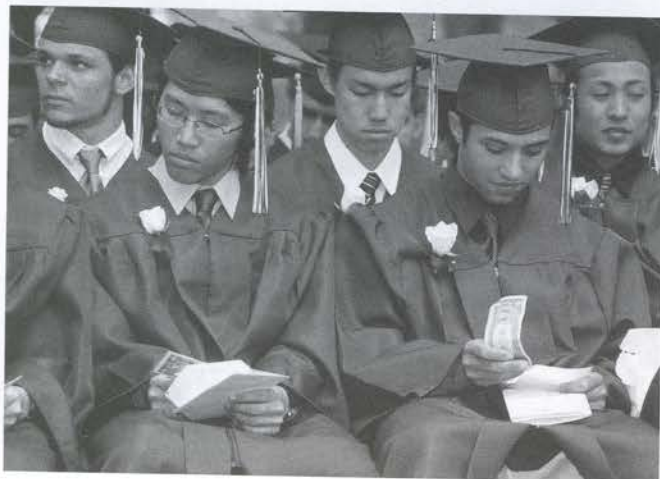
We think of the number thirteen as being unlucky, but on the dollar there are 13 stars on the seal, there were 13 colonies, 13 steps on the pyramid, 13 letters in the Latin "E PLURIBUS UNIM, 13 leaves on the olive tree and thirteen arrows. Ironically the 13th amendment to the US Constitution abolished slavery in this country. And one last little 13. You folks will complete your 13th year of school today.

I ask a special favor. Tuck this dollar bill into your purse or wallet and carry it with you always. Consider it a reminder of your years at MCI. In times of stormy weather, when you feel all alone, when you find your gaze moving from the olive branch to the arrows, or if you feel like that dollar bill that just went through the washing machine, know that you can always call on us here at MCI for help. And please make every effort to stay in touch with those sitting around you today who thus far have been an important part of your journey.

As to the rest of your journey, good luck and God speed.



Commencement Marshalls Amanda Quint and Richard MacDaid.



Honor Parts 2002

VALEDICTORIAN



Valedictorian Lucy Elizabeth Orloski is the daughter of Martin and Mary Orloski of St. Albans. A truly outstanding student, Lucy achieved a final GPA of 100.26, while taking Maine Central Institute's most challenging courses: two years of Advanced Placement (AP) Humanities English, AP Calculus, AP Physics, French for four years and two years of Honors Seminar. She earned Highest Honors every marking period of high school. Her senior year Lucy

took seven courses, most at the Honors or AP levels. Her classmates voted her Most Likely to Succeed.

Her activities included: Drama Club – two years; Civil Rights Team – two years; National Honor Society – three years; French Club and Student Council for a year and four years of involvement with the MCI Radio Station, of which she is the founder. Lucy also received recognition for prize speaking in ninth, tenth and twelfth grades. Last summer she attended Rhode Island School of Design and studied jewelry making.

Lucy received a total of nine undergraduate awards, including several her freshman year. Her sophomore year she was awarded the R. Libby Fellowship and her junior year Lucy received the Parks Prize and was awarded a \$1000 Maine Scholarship Achievement Award from the University of Maine. A truly dedicated scholar, Lucy focuses on her academics and says she is happiest when she is challenged and working very hard.

At Senior Chapel and Commencement, Lucy received the following awards: Valedictorian Trophy, John Slagle Humanities Award, Norval B. Lewis English Award, Myrtle Main Sherman French Award, George M. Parks Senior Award, Highest Honors Certificate, President's Award for Educational Excellence and U. S. Marine Corps Scholastic Excellence Award.

Lucy will attend Bowdoin College in the fall and major in government and legal studies.

FIRST HONOR ESSAYIST



First Honor Essayist Jasmine Jeanette Jones, daughter of the Rev. Scott Jones '70 of Pittsfield, was involved in music to an extraordinary degree. A four-year member of the Concert Band, Pep Band and Jazz Ensemble, Jasmine was in the Jazz Combo her senior year. She played with the Portland Youth Wind Ensemble for two years and participated in the Kennebec Valley Honors Band all through high school.

She became an MCI Peer Leader in twelfth grade. A member of National Honor Society, Jasmine received the math and science academic awards her freshman year, the Spanish II and Jazz Ensemble academic awards her sophomore and junior year respectively and the Outstanding Music Student – Concert Band, Hazel M. and Maurice L. Earle Memorial Scholarship, President's Award for Educational Excellence, SAD # 53 Association Scholarship and High Honors Certificate at Senior Chapel and Commencement.

A member of the field hockey team in ninth and tenth grades, Jasmine played varsity softball all four years. She will attend Boston University in September.

SALUTATORIAN



Salutatorian Danielle Paige Scribner is the daughter of Herbert '65 and Nancy Scribner of Hartland. Danielle is a third generation Maine Central Institute graduate. Her grandfather is Herbert '42 and her uncle James is a member of the Class of 1964.

Her academic record at MCI was excellent; Danielle took seven courses her senior year that included Humanities English AP, Philosophy, AP Calculus and AP Physics. Forensic Problem Solving and Honors

Humanities History. Her overall GPA was 96.768.

A member of the Math Team, Danielle was involved with Civil Rights Team and National Honor Society for two years, Student Council and Key Club her junior year and Drama Club for three years. Her junior year Danielle was awarded the Society of Women Engineers Award. After attending Girls State last summer, Danielle went on to Engineering Camp at the University of Maine in Orono.

A varsity athlete, whose hard driving style resulted in two knee surgeries, Danielle was a member of MCI's track team, concentrating on the long jump and triple jump, and the ski team. She plans to continue skiing in college, for she loves the exhilaration of the speed of downhill skiing across fresh untracked snow and how it "clears her mind." She has been a member of Sugarloaf's Ski Patrol for the past three years and finds that helping others is gratifying.

At Senior Chapel and Commencement, Danielle received the Salutatorian Trophy, Bertha Wheeler Carter Memorial Scholarship, High Honors Certificate and Math Team Certificate of Merit.

Danielle will attend the University of British Columbia where she plans to study biochemical engineering before her medical school studies.

SECOND HONOR ESSAYIST



Second Honor Essayist Laura Beth Robison, daughter of George and Martha Robison of Burnham, was involved in a variety of activities. Her freshman year she was Vice President of the Class of 2002 and active in Student Council. Sophomore year Laura was in the Concert Band and Concert Choir and received the Band Character Award. She was on the Civil Rights Team for two years and Teen Outreach Christian Group for three. Her junior

and senior year she was a member of Art Club and its treasurer this past year.

A member of National Honor Society she was selected Student of the Month twice. Laura played soccer for two years.

Laura was awarded, at Senior Chapel and Commencement, the MCI Mathematics Award, American Math Competition Recognition Award, Wright Family Scholarship, President's Award for Academic Excellence, Burnham Extension Scholarship and High Honors Certificate. She will attend Liberty University.

THIRD HONOR ESSAYIST



Third Honor Essayist Cameron Frank Bryce, son of James and Tamara Cianchette '71 Bryce of Palmyra, was very active with Rifle Team activities and was team captain his senior year. He was a member of the State Championship team and qualified for the Junior Olympic competition in Colorado. He also played soccer and tennis for two years.

A member of National Honor Society, Cam received three academic awards his junior year: Spanish, mathematics and the Rensselaer Mathematics and Science Award. Cam received the MCI Citizenship Award, Paul Legge Physics Award, President's Award for Educational Excellence, Air Force Recruiting Service Mathematics and Science Award, U.S. Marine Corps Scholastic Excellence Award and High Honors Certificate at Senior Chapel and Commencement. He will attend Texas A & M University.



Meredith Lynn Susi, daughter of Michael '75 and Debbie Susi of Pittsfield, was a member of the Drama Competition Team for four years and a Manson Essayist her junior year. A National Honor Society member and consistently on the Honor Roll, Meredith attended Girls State. She played varsity basketball and was co-captain for three of the four years she was on the team. Also a four year member of the varsity field hockey team,

Meredith was co-captain her senior year and named to the KVC field hockey 2nd team her senior year. This past year Meredith was named for All-Academic Teams for field hockey and basketball.

At Senior Chapel and Commencement, Meredith received the U.S. Army Reserve National Athlete Award, Sebasticook Valley Hospital Auxiliary Scholarship and High Honors Certificate. She will attend Ithaca College in the fall.



Luke Martin Zarolinski, son of Bill and Marion Zarolinski of Pittsfield, was very active in the performing arts. Active with the Drama Competition Team for four years, he played the title role of Cyrano in this year's Drama Competition Team play of the same name. A four-year member of the Concert Band, Concert Choir, Vocal Jazz Ensemble, Luke was named to the All State Vocal Jazz Group. Captain of the bowling team for

two years, Luke also was a member of the track team for two seasons.

A member of National Honor Society, Luke received the Spanish and history academic awards in ninth grade and the English academic award in tenth. The University of Rochester Humanities Award was presented to him his junior year. At year-end ceremonies, Luke received the John Slagle Humanities Award, MCI Drama Award, President's Award for Educational Excellence, Peter Bradshaw Memorial Scholarship and High Honors Certificate. He will attend Macalaster College this fall.

Other Outstanding Scholars....



Henrik Sladeczek, son of Erika Sladeczek of Paderborn, Germany, was an exchange student this past year. At MCI he participated in wrestling and Jazz Band. In Germany he participated in a number of sports, including basketball, swimming, baseball and soccer, as well as in drama and chorus. A serious piano student for eleven years, Henrik and four others won the German Ensemble Championship for their performance with five pianos. He also participated, two years ago, in an international concert in Amsterdam, playing Mozart's Symphony #40. Henrik performed in a number of ballroom dancing competitions in 2001.

Henrik received a High Honors Certificate at year-end ceremonies. He has returned to Germany to complete his secondary school education before beginning his medical school studies.



Megan Jean Ladd, daughter of Kyle and Debbie Ladd of Pittsfield, was very involved with MCI's music program. She played in the Pep Band, Concert Band and Jazz Ensemble all four years. She also was a member of the Drama Competition Team her senior year. A member of National Honor Society, Megan was involved with Prize Speaking in ninth grade and was a Girls State delegate. She also participated in three sports all four years: girls soccer, track and ski team the latter of which she was co-captain her senior year. She was named track Most Valuable Player her junior year and was co-captain of the team her last two years.

Megan was the recipient of the Sanger Cook Track Award, SAD #53 Association Scholarship, Pittsfield Grange Scholarship and High Honors Certificate, presented either at Senior Chapel or Commencement. She will attend the University of Maine.



Stephanie Marie Fletcher, daughter of Scott and Tina Fletcher of Pittsfield, was a four-year member of Concert Band, Concert Choir, Pep Band and District 4 Band and Chorus. She was on the Drama Competition Team for one year and Prize Speaking her freshman year; she earned second place in the Manson Essay Contest.

Key Club President for two years, Stephanie was a significant fund-raiser for MCI's Annual Fund. A member of National Honor Society, she received the science academic award in ninth grade and was named to the KVC All Academic Team her senior year. For three years Stephanie was active in the Teen Outreach Christian Group and also in the Big Brother/Big Sister Program her junior year. A varsity field hockey player for four years, Stephanie also played tennis one season and was basketball manager in tenth grade.

At end of year recognition events Stephanie received the Outstanding Music Award for Concert Choir, Pittsfield Kiwanis Ideals Award, Sebasticook Valley Chamber of Commerce Award, MELMAC Education Foundation Scholarship and High Honors Certificate. She will attend the University of Maine.

June 2, 2002 Commencement Scholarships

MCI Masters Cup	Andrew St. Clair	
MCI Faculty Cup	Jennifer Cummings	
Valedictorian Trophy	Lucy Orloski	
Salutatorian Trophy	Danielle Scribner	
Senior Class President Award	Crystal Baker	
Student Council President Award	Jennifer Cummings	
MCI Dean's Award	Jonathan Volpi	
MCI Dean's Residential Leadership Award	Kiyoshi Miyako	\$360
MCI Citizenship Award	Cam Bryce	\$125
MCI Mathematics Award	Laura Robison	
MCI Mathematics Award	Andrew St. Clair	
American Math Competition	Laura Robison	
Principal's Leadership Award	Jennifer Cummings	\$2000
Wright Family Scholarship	Jennifer Cummings	\$2000
Wright Family Scholarship	Daniel Gibson	\$2000
Wright Family Scholarship	Corrie Johnson	\$2000
Wright Family Scholarship	Laura Robison	\$2000
Wright Family Scholarship	Katie Salisbury	\$2000
Senator George J. Mitchell Scholarship	Carrie Perkins	\$4000
Athlete of the Year	Jennifer Cummings	
Athlete of the Year	Andrew St. Clair	
MCI Alumni Association Scholarship	Carrie Perkins	\$500
Margaret Witham Challenge Cup	Jonathan Volpi	
MBNA Maine Scholarship Award	Amy Knowlton	\$3800
Betty Webber Human Development Award	Alisia Melvin	
Dale McDonald Baseball Award	Steven Kennedy, Jr.	
Electronic Publishing Award	Dianna Cronkite	
Electronic Publishing Award	Shen-Wen Peng	
Frank T. Haseltine Biology Award	Katie Salisbury	
Frank Haseltine Rifle Award	Eric Saucier	
Gary S. Duptill Sportsmanship Award	Daniel Gibson	
Husson Medal	Devin Mitchell	
Husson Medal	Amy Knowlton	
Iva Cregnole Softball Award	Jennifer Cummings	
Jill Quint English Award	Jonathan Volpi	
John Slagle Humanities Award	Lucy Orloski	
John Slagle Humanities Award	Luke Zarolinski	
John Slagle Soccer Award	John DeRosby	
Malaka Russell Field Hockey Award	Kerri George	
Mark Porter Memorial Award	Daniel Gibson	
MCI Coaches Award	Kerri George	
MCI Coaches Award	Eric Saucier	
MCI Drama Award	Luke Zarolinski	
Outstanding Art Student	Danny Schumpert	
Outstanding Art Student	Won Joon Lee	
Outstanding Music Student - Concert Band	Jasmine Jones	
Outstanding Music Student - Concert Choir	Stephanie Fletcher	
Outstanding Music Student - Vocal Jazz	Amanda Quint	
Outstanding Music Student - Instrumental Jazz Ensemble	Zachary Sposato	
Paul Legge Physics Award	Cameron Bryce	
President's Award for Educational Excellence	Cameron Bryce	
President's Award for Educational Excellence	Shelby Dyer	
President's Award for Educational Excellence	Jasmine Jones	
President's Award for Educational Excellence	Lucy Orloski	
President's Award for Educational Excellence	Laura Robison	
President's Award for Educational Excellence	Nicole Woodworth	
President's Award for Educational Excellence	Luke Zarolinski	
Roderic Smith Basketball Award	Andrew St. Clair	
Ron Rogerson Award	Daniel Rumph II	



Lucy Orloski receives the Valedictorian Trophy.

Rosalie Williams Speaking Award	Alisia Melvin	
Ruth Plummer Cook Music Award	Jennifer Cummings	
Ruth Plummer Cook Music Award	Erin Fitts	
Sanger Cook Track Award	Megan Ladd	
Air Force Recruiting Service Mathematics and Science Award	Cameron Bryce	
U.S. Army Reserve National Scholar Athlete Award	Andrew St. Clair	
U.S. Army Reserve National Scholar Athlete Award	Meredith Susi	
U.S. Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete Award	Jennifer Cummings	
U.S. Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete Award	Andrew St. Clair	
U.S. Marine Corps Scholastic Excellence Award	Cameron Bryce	
U.S. Marine Corps Scholastic Excellence Award	Lucy Orloski	
U.S. Marines Youth Foundation and Marine Corps League Semper Fidelis	Eric Saucier	
U.S. Marines Youth Foundation and Marine Corps League Semper Fidelis	Amanda Witham	
Burns W. Knowlton, Jr. American Legion Scholarship	Wassem Amin	\$50
George M. Parks Award (Junior)	Karlyn Moyer	\$50
Hazel M. & Maurice L. Earle Integrity Award	Daniel Gibson	\$50
Norval B. Lewis English Award	Lucy Orloski	\$50
Sibley Pond Scholarship	Ryan Small	\$80
Gladys Gleason Award	Corrie Johnson	\$90
Billings Family Scholarship	Jennifer Cummings	\$100
Detroit Good Cheer Club	Heather McLaggan	\$100
Edna Reed Scholarship	Amanda Quint	\$100
Pittsfield Tuesday Club	Lucy Orloski	\$100
George M. Parks Award (Senior)	Jasmine Jones	\$100
Hazel M. & Maurice L. Earle Memorial Scholarship	Crystal Baker	\$100
Mabel S. Andrew Scholarship	Stephanie Fletcher	\$100
Pittsfield Kiwanis Ideals Award	Alisia Melvin	\$100
Pittsfield Kiwanis Ideals Award	Matthew Riley	\$100
Pittsfield Volunteer Fire Department	Amy Knowlton	\$100
Robbie Tibbetts Memorial Scholarship	Colin Hubbard	\$100
Rodney Johonnet Memorial Scholarship	Katie Salisbury	\$110
Tammy Bodwell Memorial Scholarship	Laura Robison	\$150
Burnham Extension Scholarship	Carrie Perkins	\$150
MCI Key Club Scholarship	Katie Salisbury	\$150
MCI Key Club Scholarship	Lindsey White	\$150
Pittsfield Garden Club Botany Award		

Student Council Scholarship	Jennifer Cummings	\$150
Student Council Scholarship	Allison Ross	\$150
Myrtle Main		
Sherman French Award	Lucy Orloski	\$180
Robert H. Libby Scholarship	William Belanger	\$195
Bertha Wheeler Carter		
Memorial Scholarship	Danielle Scribner	\$200
Christopher Dionne		
Memorial Scholarship	Amanda Quint	\$200
Cook Music Fund	Amanda Witham	\$200
Elizabeth Crocker		
Memorial Scholarship	Katie Salisbury	\$200
George Damren		
Memorial Scholarship	Erin Fitts	\$200
Vroom Scholarship	Renee Paradis	\$245
Hancock Lumber Scholarship	Sara Plamondon	\$250
SAD #53 Association	Jasmine Jones	\$250
SAD #53 Association	Nicole Woodworth	\$250
SAD #53 Association		
(Sons/Daughters)	Megan Ladd	\$250
Richie McCorkill		
Memorial Scholarship	William Belanger	\$280
Gordon Construction Corp.		
Scholarship	Eric Saucier	\$300
Pitter Patter		
Preschool Scholarship	Jennifer Cummings	\$300
Pittsfield Arts Club Scholarship	Heidi Andrews	\$300
Pittsfield Kiwanis Scholarships	Katie Salisbury	\$300
Thornton Scholarship	Wassem Amin	\$315
Tilson and Ruth		
Thomas Scholarship	Jennifer Cummings	\$345
Pittsfield Grange Scholarship	Megan Ladd	\$370
Pittsfield Grange Scholarship	Amanda Witham	\$370
Margaret Purinton		
Memorial Scholarship	Won Joon Lee	\$390
MCI Football Boosters Scholarship	Brian Wintle	\$400
MCI/SAD 53 Music Boosters	Amanda Witham	\$500
CM Almy and Son Scholarship	Andrew St. Clair	\$500
Beth Hathaway		
Memorial Scholarship	Jessica Thompson	\$500
Peter Bradshaw		
Memorial Scholarship	Luke Zarolinski	\$500
Ira Berry Chapter #57		
Royal Arch Masons	Lindsey White	\$500
Detroit Fire Dept. & Auxiliary		
Memorial Scholarship	Carrie Perkins	\$500
Maine Sports Hall of Fame		
Scholar-Athlete	Andrew St. Clair	\$500



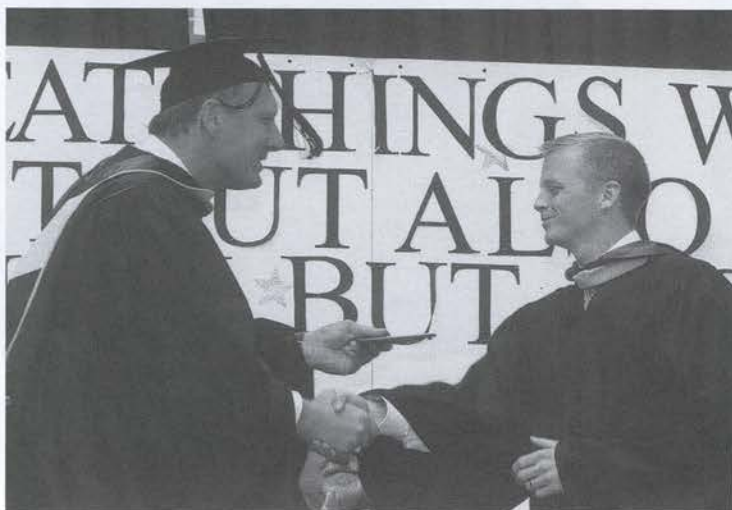
Jonathon Volpi was awarded the MCI Dean's Award.

Mr. & Mrs. Marshall Nash	Allison Ross	\$500
Scholarship	Michelle Batchelder	\$500
Masons Grand Lodge of Maine	William Belanger	\$500
Masons Grand Lodge of Maine		
Sebasticook Valley	Meredith Susi	\$500
Hospital Auxiliary		
Sebasticook Valley	Stephanie Fletcher	\$500
Chamber of Commerce		
Crystal Brooks	Nicole Woodworth	\$525
Memorial Scholarship	Andrew St. Clair	\$750
Peoples Regional FCU Scholarship	Erin Fitts	\$750
W. Howard Niblock Scholarship	William Belanger	\$1000
Elks Lodge #2713 Scholarship	Stephanie Fletcher	\$1000
MELMAC Education Foundation		
Pittsfield Bowling Center	Heather McLaggan	\$1000
Scholarship		
Pittsfield Bowling Center	Matthew Riley	\$1000
Scholarship		
Pittsfield Bowling Center	Katie Salisbury	\$1000
Scholarship	Crystal Baker	\$1000
Pittsfield Kiwanis Scholarship	Corrie Johnson	\$1000
Pittsfield Kiwanis Scholarship		
Skowhegan Savings Bank	Erin Thurlow	\$1000
Business Scholarship		

The Class of 2002 Graduates

Jeremiah William Adam, Juan Sebastian Altgelt-Bartolo, Wassem Makram Amin, Heidi Marie Andrews, Ryuto Arakaki, Hirokazu Asato, Sara Nicole Bailey, Crystal Lynn Baker, Michelle Lee Batchelder, Antonin Beckert, Christopher William Bedford, William Andrew Belanger, Sarah Elizabeth Berryman, Kristin Elizabeth Brooks, Cameron Frank Bryce, Katherine Irene Carmichael, Min-Kuei (Jeff) Chiang, Alex Carl Cianchette, Andrew Gordon Condon, Daniel Joseph Cournoyer, Susan Nichole Croft, Dianna Sharron Cronkite, Jennifer Lynn Cummings, Joshua Willis Daniels, Joseph Francis deNatale, John Anthony DeRosby, Shelby Erin Dyer, Erin Nan Fitts, Sarah Le-ann Fitts, Stephanie Marie Fletcher, Elizabeth Marie Fraser, Kerri Lynn George, Julia Ellen Gerry, Daniel Lyle Gibson, Choanna Elizabeth Givens, Anton Igorevich Gorbounov, Beth Tomi Hewins, Shuo-Kai Hua, Colin Andrew Hubbard, Amanda Mae Huff, Corrie Danielle Johnson, Jasmine Jeannette Jones, Chiharu Kawanago, Stephen Kennedy, Jr., Jennie Therese King, Felix Alexander Kirchfeld, Amy Meghan Knowlton, Claire Lorraine Lackie, Megan Jean Ladd, Matthew Frederick Lambert, Won-Joon Lee, Chih-Wei (Ellis) Lin, Hsin-Yi Lin, Heather Lynn Long, Heidi Ann Long, David Lopez Bernal, Richard Leonard Macdaid, Heather Marie Marsh, Melanie Danielle Martin, Cory Brandon McAvoy, Jamie Lynn McClure, Lucas Colby McGowan, Heather Lougenu McLaggan, Alisia Mae Melvin, Devin Charles Mitchell, Frederick Leonard Mitchell III, Kiyoshi Miyako, Timothy Allen Myers, Lucy Elizabeth Orloski, Renee Lynn Paradis, Kenton Leivo Paulino, Shen-Wen (Steve) Peng, Carrie Lynn Perkins, Sara Beth Plamondon, Carmen Ann Pleasanton, Young-Shik Pyun, Amanda Marie Quint, Tae-Hyun Rho, Matthew Ambrose Riley, Hope Ann Robbins, Laura Beth Robison, Allison Elizabeth Ross, Daniel Eric Rumph II, Donna Teresa Russo, Kathleen Rose Russo, Katie Marie Salisbury, Eric David Saucier, Derek Allen Saunders, Danny Clay Schumpert, Danielle Paige Scribner, Danielle Lyn Shaw, Henrik Sladeczek, Ryan Denver Small, Zachary Ferland Sposato, Andrew John St.Clair, Meredith Lynn Susi, Elizabeth Leona Thompson, Jessica Eileen Thompson, Erin Elizabeth Thurlow, Victoria Charmaine Trott, Sindre Vad, Jonathan Keegan Volpi, Seth David Patterson Wells, Lindsey Jean White, Marc Anthony Williams, Brian Norman Wintle, Amanda Noelle Witham, Jong-Min Won, Nicole Ashley Woodworth, Masahiro Yamamoto, Luke Martin Zarolinski

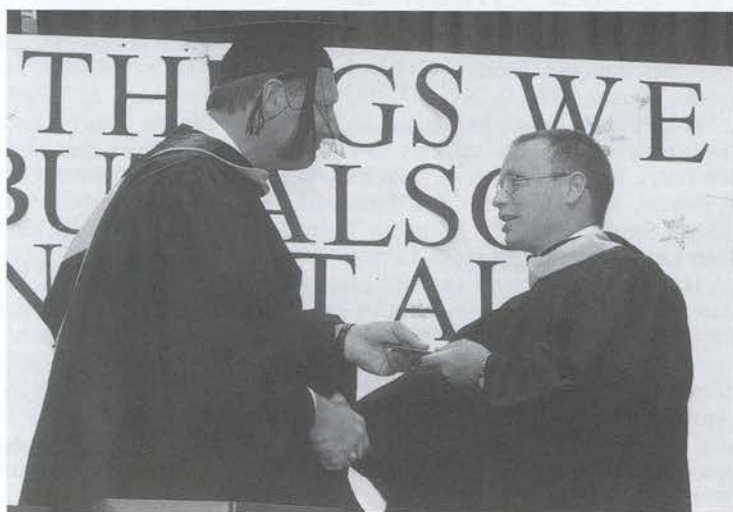
Five Faculty Members Honored for Distinguished Service



Mike Libby



Amanda Sherburne



Dean Neal

During Commencement, Head of School Doug Cummings presented three endowed Faculty Fellowships and two endowed Faculty Chairs. These honorariums were established as part of *The Campaign for MCI* and were first awarded last year.

"The honored recipient of the Herbert F. Newhouse '23 Faculty Fellowship was Mike Libby, health and physical education teacher, for his determined efforts to consider student needs and structure his classroom in such a way that all students have an equal opportunity to learn. Mike, for your commitment to your students and to your own professional growth, we award you the Herbert F. Newhouse '23 Endowed Faculty Fellowship."

Finishing his second year at MCI, Mike has incorporated lifelong sports, cross-country skiing and golf, into the PE curriculum and has been named chair of the Health/Physical Education Department. He serves as athletic trainer for all 32 MCI teams and is a volunteer coach with the wrestling team.

"The honored recipient of the Roger B. Percival '45 Faculty Fellowship is Amanda Sherburne. As a teacher in the ever-growing and changing field of computer technology, Amanda has become a student herself, seeking first to know and then tailor her program to meet the needs of students in today's world. Amanda, for your accomplishment and to support your continued professional development, we award you the Roger B. Percival '45 Endowed Faculty Fellowship."

Amanda, who is advisor to the yearbook, *The Trumpet*, is completing five and one-half years at MCI; she taught elsewhere for twenty years. She has been teaching introductory computer and Photo Shop classes. Next year, following her summer's study, she will be instructing the Computer Assisted Design (CAD) classes.

"The honored recipient of the Adrian E. Hallee Faculty Fellowship is Dean Neal. As a passionate and skillful teacher of music, Dean has inspired his students, who in turn have thrilled audiences and won acclaim from Pittsfield, Maine to Orlando, Florida. Dean, the Adrian E. Hallee Endowed Faculty Fellowship is to support your ongoing commitment to the professional development and excellence of MCI's music programs."

During his eleven years at MCI, Dean has developed an outstanding music program. The Vocal Jazz Ensemble has won four state championships and four second places in the past eight years and produced an unusual number of state champion soloists. Conductor of the 77-member band and Music Department Chair, Dean also leads the well-known Instrumental Jazz Ensemble.

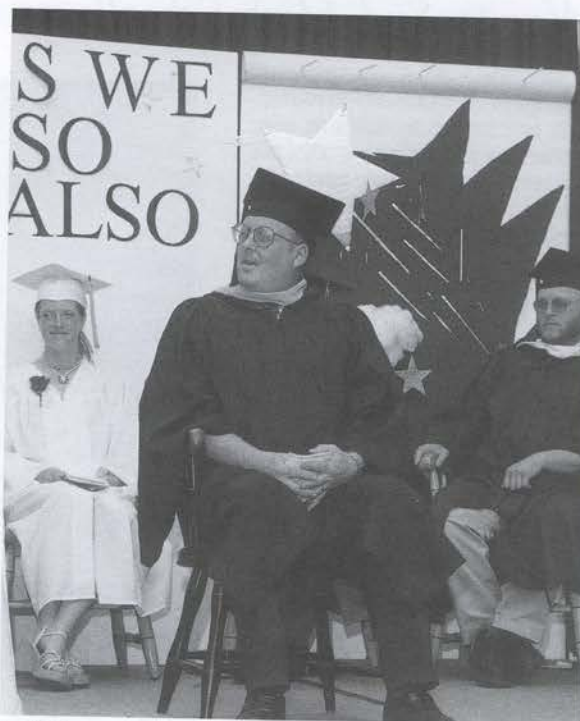
"With distinct pleasure, I present the Roderic L. Smith Faculty Chair to the honored recipient, Joe Veilleux, whose skill as a teacher of science has created a vital atmosphere for learning, inspiring many students to study and love science. Joe, it is with respect and gratitude that we honor you today with the Roderic L. Smith Endowed Faculty Chair for your commitment to the science program and to all MCI students."

Chair of the Science Department and famous for the gorgeous greenery in his classroom, the Frank Haseltine '40 Memorial Biology Laboratory, Joe has been a teacher at MCI for twenty years. He is the school's State Certification Officer and he is advisor to the Magic Card Club during lunch hour each day.

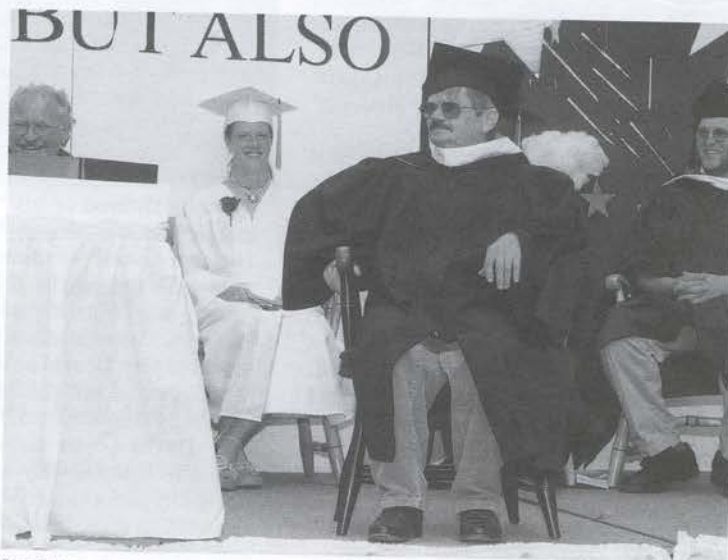
"With distinct pleasure I present the Norbert W. Young Sr. Faculty Chair to the honored recipient, Ron Bessey '62. A teacher of history at MCI for his entire career, Ron, with his dedication to scholarship, has challenged hundreds of students to go beyond the facts to higher levels of thinking. As a founder of the Humanities Program, he has challenged himself and his colleagues to develop greater learning opportunities for all students. Ron, for your dedication to MCI, its students and our academic programs, we proudly award you the Norbert W. Young Sr. Endowed Faculty Chair."

Ron became Chair of the History Department in 1978, then Humanities Department Co-Chair and chair of that department, the position he currently holds. Coach of the golf and bike teams for a number of years, he was assistant dorm master from 1966 to 1968 and 1973 to 1978. Ron has been a class advisor for 29 years. During his 31 years at MCI, Ron helped to create and develop the Humanities Program, was co-founder of the Senior Projects Program and facilitated the development of the handbook for that program and also for the Manson Prize Speaking. He was the originator of the Philosophy Seminar.

The italicized passages above are quoted from Mr. Cummings' text at the presentation of these awards.



Joe Veilleux



Ron Bessey

The Golden Apples Are Awarded

At a late May ceremony, faculty and staff members with five or more years of service to Maine Central Institute were recognized and presented with glowing golden apples. Those who have been at the school five years included Deb Susi, Paul Bernier, Kelli Frost '76, Bert Thibeault, Tina Pike, Carol Palmer, Bill Brooks, Marla Gerber, John Payelian, Amanda Sherburne, Terri Haglin, Don LaCount and Brenda Gammon.

Five were applauded for their ten years of service: Debra Rozeboom, Jon Ramgren, Sandy Wright, Dena Hall '79 and Ed Porter '83. Linda Amsden has been at MCI for fifteen years and Patty Norton Anderson has been on staff for twenty years.

Rosalie Williams, retiring Associate Head of School, was especially applauded for her twenty-five years of dedication and service as a teacher and administrator.



What a Way to End High School!

The senior project graduation requirement is now in its seventh year. Each senior must develop an idea, submit it in writing to a faculty advisor for approval and then research, learn, practice it before doing what they set out to do in a verbal and visual presentation.

The 115 senior projects, presented the week of May 20th, were spectacular. **Alisia Melvin** developed a butterfly garden at her home, **Jonathan Volpi** learned to parachute, **Matt Lambert** worked with local 5th graders to construct a car, **Crystal Baker** learned to weld and **Susan Croft** demonstrated her expertise with auto body repair. **Henrik Sladeczek** and **Heather McLaggan** each taught ballroom dancing, **Vladi Khazanovitch** gave a piano recital, **Seth Wells** completed a job shadow with an electrician, **Kathy Russo** learned about alternative healing, **Jasmine Jones** gave a benefit concert and **Nicole Woodworth** organized a Walk for Cancer.

Some of the projects were closely related to anticipated post-graduate studies or occupations like nursing, dentistry, teaching, radiology, writing, computer programming and landscaping. All were meaningful and valuable culminating experiences to mark the end of the students' high school years.

On May 28th, six students presented their senior projects at Exhibition Night in Parks Gym. **Stephanie Fletcher** was first to present her project - an extremely comprehensive overview of the CPR process. With a superb PowerPoint presentation behind her and wonderful visuals, including demonstrations of CPR on a dummy, Stephanie maintained excellent rapport with her audience throughout her 30-minute speech, a true multi-media performance with smooth transitions between topics.

Kiyoshi Miyako, who will study to become a teacher when he returns to Japan, gave a wonderfully engaging, humor-



Stephanie Fletcher

ous and articulate overview of the physical education teaching experiences he had during his senior project. He commented he wished he could have taught how to play volleyball in his native language because, "Teaching is hard to do and it is not easy to be on the other side of the desk." The lesson plans he displayed were carefully completed and the video he showed of his "second day" of instruction was almost like a painting. The five double windows of Parks Gym were reflected on the shiny floor as his "class" sat upon it quietly during his excellent demonstration of proper techniques of play. He said he learned a lot from Mr. Libby and was thrilled with his evaluation by the 'students' in his P.E. class.

David Lopez came from Spain to Maine to learn to play his native instrument. His performance was charming and astonishing, considering he taught himself, with some help and advice from Juan Algel and faculty member Phil Hendricks, to play classical guitar numbers like *Malaguena* and a haunting flamenco piece that his totally silent audience obviously found spellbinding. David had researched the study of music and accompanied his performance with an articulate speech that also compelled his listeners to close attentiveness. One of his dorm mates commented, "David has been driven to learn to play well. He practiced hours and hours, even at 3:00 A.M., until his fingers were

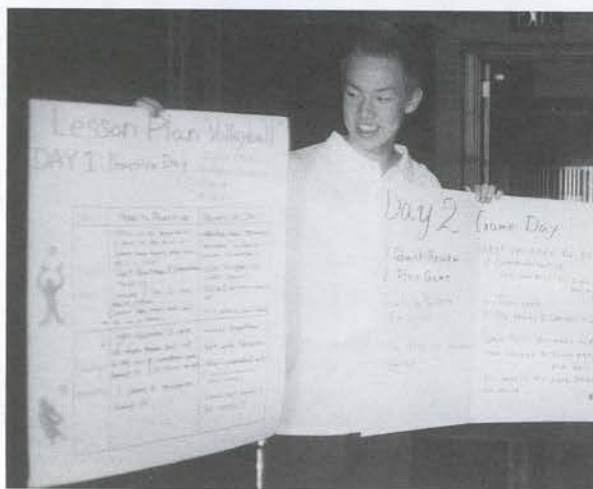


David Lopez

raw." The three pieces he taught himself were memorized, played somewhat slowly but beautifully and the third was performed on a classical, steel-strung guitar. It was almost unbelievable that he had accomplished so much musically in just two months.

Katie Salisbury undertook an in-depth study of nursing at area hospitals. She spoke at length about her experiences as an observer in operating rooms during two colonoscopies, a mastectomy and a microscopically completed surgery on a finger. She spoke of giving a newborn his first bath. She led her audience through a display of all the things a surgical nurse must wear, handle and do with a series of photographs she took on-site during the surgeries she observed and through her PowerPoint presentation that listed various functions of each of the hospitals in which she worked. Incredibly poised and mature in her presentation, Katie deservedly won first place in the judging by Headmaster Doug Cummings, Librarian Anne Miller and Associate Head of School Rosalie Williams. Katie will enter a four-year nursing program in September.

Won-Joon Lee created an Art Gallery in two rooms on the lower level of Manson Hall for his senior project. On display were his paintings and drawings, one of which was an exceptional self-portrait created with his thumbprints. Another on display was the horrifically realistic drawing, entitled *What If...*, of Adolf Eichmann being shot. The cuff link on the assassin's shirt is a Star of David. The piece won Best of Show this spring. Won-Joon spoke of being a serious art student and about his excitement about



Kiyoshi Miyako

entering the Art Institute of Chicago in the fall. He commented that he wanted people to really know him through his art so he advertised his gallery exhibition with posters all over campus; he was gratified by the number of students who visited his gallery to view not just his paintings and drawings but also his ceramic sculptures, his unusual and stark white porcelain lamp and the artistic and professional way in which he displayed his work. A number of his paintings were sold by exhibit's end, which received the Second Place Senior Project award.

Dan Cournoyer explored *What Is Art?* for his project. Focal point of his



Katie Salisbury

presentation was a very large bright red and yellow 'painting'— he had painted himself, then laid his naked body on the canvas to create the piece of art. There was a humorous and wry touch to his speech because he wasn't at all sure that the various clever things he had created were truly art. However, without any art training, he wanted to learn about art by making art of his own. Several Mondrian look-alikes were stunning and unusually powerful, the knitting needle through the



Won-Joon Lee

baseball was arresting, the plain hammer was just that and the three condoms in an electric fry pan was questionable but shocking. Art? Maybe. Dan was articulate, intellectual, interesting and funny. His presentation was a great way to end an incredible evening.

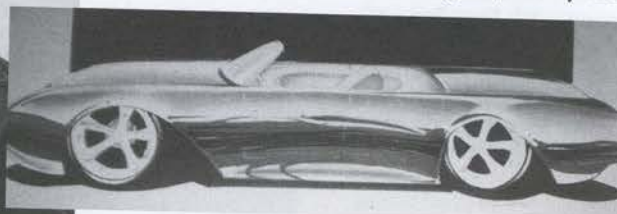
By Carolyn J. Smith



Dan Cournoyer

The Center for Creative Studies *An Unusual and Exciting College Choice*

Ford Motor Company sponsors The Center for Creative Studies, a four-year program college program on a beautiful campus in Detroit, that is devoted to preparing students for advanced automotive design careers. Danny Schumpert has always been fascinated by cars, ever since someone gave him a special Matchbox – a silver DeLorean with gull wings – when he was just a little fellow. When he visited CCS and met with several of the car designers, Danny knew that was the college for him.

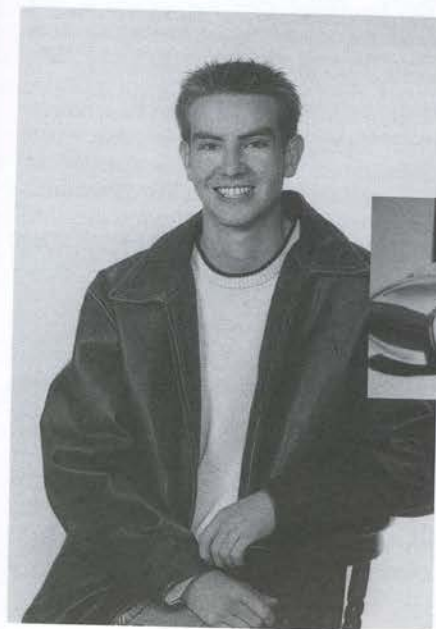


religious young man, one of his memorable charcoal drawings is of an American soldier carrying a wounded German on his shoulders. A realistic image of the Twin Towers reflected in the shiny chrome of a hub cap was thought provoking.

He has loved MCI. "Everyone knows everyone, the diversity is wonderful and the school is so very beautiful. The classes here have pushed me to achieve my dreams."

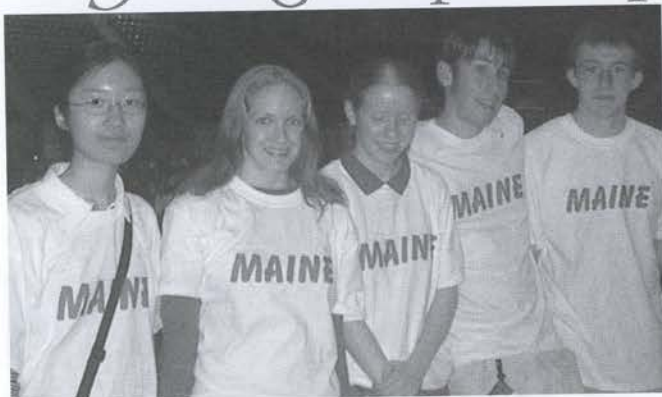
At this spring's art show, Danny's passion for cars was clearly evident in several of his exhibits. A low-slung, shiny red sports car caught the eye. His ultimate dream is to design one just like it for Ford Motor Company!

By Carolyn J. Smith



Danny Schumpert and the car he dreams of designing.

Three State Championships This Spring!



MCI's awesome Future Problem Solving Team: Lok-wah Li, Megan Becker, Karlyn Moyer, Chris Cochrane and Alex Cunningham

State Champion Future Problem Solving Team

The Future Problem Solving Team, under the leadership of faculty members Anne Miller and Deb Rozeboom, competed against three other very strong teams in late April; only four teams from any state may compete for state championship honors in the FPS program. Team members Megan Becker, Chris Cochrane and Karlyn Moyer, all juniors, and sophomores Alex Cunningham and Lok-Wah Li worked cooperatively to meet the state competition's challenge. Teams were expected to project forward in time to 2022 and to devise strategies that would convince North American communities and corporations to develop 'brown fields', formerly polluted and toxic sites that had been cleaned up. Further elements of the challenge required teams to hypothesize and then generate, in writing, 16 potential problems that might evolve as a result of the site development strategies. MCI's team generated potential solutions and developed an action plan that won the state title. Mrs. Rozeboom commented, "MCI students generally excel in written skills, thanks to the school's rigorous humanities programs. Our FPS team rose to this year's challenges quite readily with their precise and articulate written position statements." Mrs. Miller went on to say, "Only the top 1% of American Future Problem Solving Teams qualify for the National Competition, which this year will be the Internationals, since teams from several other countries will be competing."

State Champion Rifle Team

For the second year in a row, Maine Central Institute's Rifle Team won the Maine Junior Four Position State Championship this past March. Eric Saucier '02, A. J. Knowles '03, Cam Bryce '02 and Heather McLaggan '02 competed against nine other teams and scored 1496 out of 1600 possible points, 71 points higher than the next highest scoring team. Against 66 other competitors, Eric's hard-earned 388 out of a possible 400 won him the Individual State Championship; he shot ten perfect 'bulls eyes' on his prone target. A. J.'s 376 points placed him second. Co-coaches Allen Knowles '89 and Tam Cianchette Bryce '71 are proud of all twelve rifle team members for their dedication and persistence this year; MCI had the winning team and first place individual marksman at every small bore rifle match all season. At the USA Shooting State Junior Olympic Rifle Championship, MCI's team of Eric, Cam, Heather and Stuart Allen '04 placed first of eleven teams and Junior Olympic medals were won by Cam who received Gold, Eric who was awarded Silver and Heather who received the Women's Silver. At the NRA National Junior Indoor 4-Position Sectional Championship, MCI was the winning team against three others.

By Trustee Tam Cianchette Bryce '71

MCI students had the incredible good fortune to win not one, but three state championships this year that reflected each of the school's three main elements: academic, artistic and athletic.

State Champion Vocal Jazz Ensemble

MCI's 20-member Vocal Jazz Ensemble won the State Vocal Jazz Championship at a competition in Ellsworth in early April. Competing in Division II with other schools of similar size, the Vocal Jazz Ensemble, under the direction of Dean Neal, performed three numbers during the afternoon preliminary competition and again in the final competition that evening. MCI's jazzy singers won first place for the fourth time in eight years with their renditions of *Danny Boy*, *There Will Never Be Another You* and *Walkin'*. (The other four years they placed second in the state!) In late February the jazz vocalists performed at Disney World to rave reviews and at the prestigious Berklee College of Music Festival in Boston this winter, the group placed third in competition with more than 2,500 students.

Vocal Jazz Ensemble Maine State Jazz Festival

Division II

1994: 3rd Place	1995: 1st Place	1996: 1st Place
1997: 2nd Place	1998: 1st Place	1999: 2nd Place
2000: 2nd Place	2001: 2nd Place	2002: 1st Place

Most Outstanding Rhythm Section: 1997, 1999

Most Outstanding Male Vocalist: 1999, 2000

Most Outstanding Female Vocalist: 1995, 2002

Two young men were selected for All State Vocal Jazz in 2001; one received the highest score of any tenor in the state. In 2002, four students were selected for All State Vocal Jazz and one young woman received the highest alto score in the state.

Berklee College of Music Jazz Festival

Division II: 1998: 2nd Place 2001: 2nd Place 2002: 3rd Place

In Division II, MCI singers competed against 2,500 other students from schools enrolling as many as 800 students from all over New England, New York, New Jersey and Wisconsin. MCI musicians earned \$1,500 in scholarships for Berklee summer 2001 programs and \$2,000 for summer 2002 programs at Berklee College.

Big Apple Music Festival, New York, NY

1st Place Superior Rating: Spring 2000



Rifle Team: A.J. Knowles, Cam Bryce, Coach Tam Bryce '71, Heather McLaggan and Eric Saucier. The other coach, Allen Knowles '89, is absent from photo.

MCI Future Problem Solvers Attend International Conference

By Anne Miller, Librarian

"The incoming message flashed across Aluui's terminal. An untaxed deposit of 25,000 digital monetary units had just been transmitted into her global-commerce account by Virtua Tech Enterprises. 'They accepted my software for Intent-10,' she thought. As the message slowly faded from her screen, Aluui began work on her next project. She hoped it, too, would be accepted by Virtua Tech – the corporation was quickly becoming one of her favorite virtual work centers."

Thus began the *Future Scene* on the topic of "Virtual Corporations" at the Future Problem Solving Program International Conference, held at the University of Connecticut campus in Storrs June 6-9, 2002. Some 2000 elementary, middle, and high school students and their coaches from all 50 states, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand gathered to compete for top honors at the prestigious FPSP conference on the beautiful U. Conn. campus. Among those teams gathered were five MCI students: tenth-graders Alex Cunningham and Lok-Wah Li, and eleventh-graders Megan Becker, Chris Cochrane and Karlyn Moyer, the Maine State Champions who competed in the Team Problem Solving component.

Under the guidance of a teacher/coach, teams of four students use the FPSP six-step model to explore challenges and propose action plans to complex societal problems, such as alternative energy, educational options, organ donation, environmental law, and virtual corporations. Teams complete two practice problems and one qualifying problem throughout the school year. Trained evaluators score student work and return it with feedback including suggestions for improvement. The top scoring teams on the qualifying problem are invited to Affiliate Future Problem Solving Bowls held each spring. The winners of each respective Affiliate FPS Bowl advance to the FPSP International Conference in June (www.fpsp.org).

The problem solving team of Alex, Chris, Megan, and Karlyn competed against 46 other senior division teams in the team booklet competition and presentation of action plans. This creative group, joined by Lok-Wah, placed 5th for their presentation of action plan, a four minute skit in which the team must convey the action plan proposed in their booklet using minimal props and scenery. In addition, Lok-Wah Li joined three students from other schools in the booklet competition for team alternates, a particularly challenging category because these students have never met nor worked together before the conference. Cooperation is an essential component for success in team problem solving. Lok-Wah's alternate team placed a fantastic 2nd in the Team Problem Solving Alternates category. Coaches Anne Miller and Deborah Rozeboom were thrilled for the students and extremely proud of their hard work and year-long dedication to learning the complex FPS process.

In addition to the thrill of victory, the MCI group had a great time meeting students from other teams, staying in the dorms and touring the U. Conn. campus, and enjoying the many activities offered to conference attendees.



Our Future Problem Solving Team at the international competition at the University of Connecticut. (Yes, Connecticut's mascot is also a husky!)

Disney World ... A Once in a Lifetime Event

Amanda Quint '02 expressed her reaction very well. "Performing at Epcot was a magical experience. I felt as if I were one of Walt Disney's princesses and that all my dreams had just come true!" Eric Saucier '02: "I feel the trip to Disney not only enhanced our music program at MCI but it also strengthened each individual as a musician." "Having the opportunity to go to Florida and perform at Disney was amazing. I had the chance to make many memories and other people had the chance to see what us 'Mainers' are all about," commented Megan Ladd '02. Jenn Cummings '02 commented, "Going to Florida gave our music program opportunities we otherwise could never have had. The professional feeling was overwhelming as we grew as performers." Tyler Richardson '04 was thrilled and said, "It was great to be treated as a professional group in a very professional setting."



Parents also had much to say about the Disney World experience. Trudy Ferland: "It was quite exciting and surprisingly emotional for me to watch our kids take the stage at Epcot. I feel such gratitude that we live in a small Central Maine community yet our students have opportunities to excel in fine arts. I was thrilled by the number of Pittsfield people in the audience. Helen Gallagher said: "We are so fortunate to have Dean Neal for our Music Director. He has taken these kids to a new level and it is because of his energy that Epcot happened."

Colleen Lancaster: "The 'Florida Trip' is the kind of experience that we will all remember as a highlight of the MCI years. Performing at Disney is a once in a lifetime event. Perfect weather, great kids, an excellent director and an amazingly sup-

portive audience from Maine. Add in the fabulous jazz music and you are approaching perfection! The alumni group at Reddington Beach was such a wonderfully warm group. Debbie Ladd: "The Florida experience was an unforgettable one for all our musicians, chaperones and MCI family. For me the memories that remain most vivid are of the students encouraging and helping each

other through security checkpoints, waiting in endless lines. Throughout the entire trip they treated each other and the adults with respect. As a parent watching my daughter perform, I experienced the proudest moment ever."

Lori Cummings: "A feeling of intense pride ran through me as I watched our musicians perform on the stage at Epcot. I felt like the proud mother of 32 young adults. The whole Florida experience was one of personal growth for our students. From Saturday when they performed at the Alumni Reunion at the Reddington Beach until Monday's performance at Epcot, I witnessed a remarkable difference in their confidence as young artists and performers. Their love for music and Mr. Neal, as well as their respect for each other, reached new heights. This experience is one they will remember forever."

Katelyn Gallagher '03 summed it up for everyone. "Performing in Epcot was a musician's dream and MCI made that dream come true." Thank you to all the alumni and friends, local companies and organizations that made the trip possible. As Dean Neal said when they all returned, "Wicked good!!!"

A list of all donors who made possible the Disney World trip is on page 19 of the *Alumnus*.



Manson essayists Karlyn Moyer, Lindsay DiPasquale and John Rancourt.



Forrest Peterson won Sophomore Prize Speaking.



HOBY ambassador Emily Wagner was a Sophomore Prize Speaking finalist.



Student Council Officers for 2002 - 2003: Treasurer Mike Adams, Secretary Lizbeth Quint, President Teresa Kingsbury and Vice President Andrew Coffin.



Student Council honors their 2002 Teacher of the Year, Tanya Kingsbury. Left to right are President Jennifer Cummings, Vice President Heidi Andrews, Mrs. Kingsbury, Katelynn Gallagher, Julie Lancaster, Ryan Bennett and Ben Hoffman congratulating her.

The tradition of the **Manson Essay** is now in its 132nd year; virtually every MCI graduate has completed the research and written the speech he or she will deliver in front of classmates and teachers. To be a Manson Essay finalist is certainly the highest honor and recognition a junior student can achieve.

Lindsay DiPasquale, with her impassioned rhetoric about animal emotions, the images she so graphically described and her exceptional delivery of her carefully researched speech, won first place.

Two second place winners were awarded ribbons and embossed picture frames in which to display their certificates. John Rancourt's talk about nuclear power was forceful and thought-provoking and Karlyn Moyer's persuasive and rather humorous presentation about school bus rules resulted in the tie for second. Judges Karl Henrikson, Anne Kaan and Carolyn Smith were impressed with all ten finalists and with the coaching of teachers Marla Gerber and ElisaBeth Martin. The other Manson Essay finalists were Mike Broccio, Amy Brown, Ashley Holt, Julie Lancaster, Sarah Margolskee, Danielle Montana and Lisbeth Quint.

Forrest Peterson '04 won first place in the Sophomore Prize Speaking Contest. His speech, entitled *The Chaser*, was a dramatization of a short story about love potions. A sophomore Prize Speaking finalist, **Emily Wagner '04** was selected as the **Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Award** recipient. As HOBY Ambassador for Maine Central Institute she attended Maine's Leadership Seminar at the University of Southern Maine.

Participants in this summer's **Boys State** were Andrew Coffin and Bradley Martin and **Girls State** were Bonnie Collier, Michelle Cote, Crystal Gagnon, Katelyn Gallagher, Ashley Holt, Louise Knox, Julie Lancaster, Sarah Margolskee and Lisbeth Quint.

At the Last Campus Coffee of the year, the new **Student Council Officers** for 2002-2003 were announced. Taking over as President will be **Teresa Kingsbury '03**; Vice President will be Andrew Coffin '03, Secretary will be Lizbeth Quint '03 and Treasurer will be Mike Adams '04. For the past four years members of MCI's Student Council have awarded recognition to the faculty member who, in their estimation, goes above and beyond the duties of teaching and who has had a great impact on students. Foreign Language Department Chair **Tanya Kingsbury** was selected by Student Council members for their annual '**Teacher of the Year**' award. Mrs. Kingsbury is well-known to the Student Council organization for she has served as its faculty advisor for a number of years. The commendation was delivered by senior Heidi Andrews, Student Council Vice President.

Mrs. Tanya Kingsbury is definitely very deserving of this award. Many of us have had her in class, and if not, we have seen her at sports events and extracurricular activities. She is always willing to find time, despite her hectic schedule, for a student. Whether she is cracking a joke, singing or even dancing, she always has a good classroom atmosphere. She has had a huge impact on so many students and on me personally. Some of us may not realize how much actual time and effort she contributes to help both her students and the Student Council. Having had her as a Spanish teacher for three years and as advisor to Student Council for four years, I am very proud to be able to present Mrs. Kingsbury with the 'Teacher of the Year' award on behalf of the Student Council. A donation of \$100 in her name will be given to the charity of her choice. Thank you very much for everything you have done, Mrs. Kingsbury. It is greatly appreciated.

and Activities

Key Club sponsored a really different fund-raiser this spring. For \$1.00, students, faculty and staff could lob a whipped cream or chocolate or butter-scotch pie or even directly squirt the whipped cream at or on a number of different people. Head of School Doug Cummings, Assistant Head of School Rosalie Williams, Dean of Students Winn Price, and faculty members Rob Bessey '62, Kim Shorey '86, Jim Tyson, Maureen Montgomery, David Ferren and Dean Neal were not recognizable after nearly an hour's bombardment. Nearly \$250 was raised to benefit Seabasticook Hospital.



Pie-in-the-Eye at MCI raises \$\$\$... (The Lindburg look-alike at right is Doug Cummings.)

At the annual **National Honor Society induction** in late May, four senior members of the organization spoke about the four core values of the Society. Renee Paradis spoke about the requirements of Scholarship, Dan Gibson presented the standards for Leadership, Luke Zarolinski talked about Service and Katie Salisbury spoke about Character. Every student nominated for membership in NHS must have demonstrated these core standards.

At the evening ceremony, two seniors, Daniel Cournoyer and Henrik Sladeczek, were tapped for membership as were eleven juniors and twelve sophomores. Class of 2003 inductees included Amy Brown, Bonnie Collier, Michele Cote, Amanda Cowing, Ellen Dickinson, Lindsay DiPasquale, Katelyn Gallagher, Ashley Holt, Mark McCrillis, Merri-Ella Sullivan and Christopher Talbot. Class of 2004 inductees were Michael Adams, Brenda Coffin, Alex Cunningham, Ju-Hyun Han, Lok-Wah Li, Nicole Monk, Jae-Hyun Myong, Forrest Peterson, Frederick Poindexter, Emily Wagner, Crystal Wescott and Kevin Williams. MCI's NHS chapter advisor is Ron Bessey '62, Humanities Department Chair.

Other end of the year activities included a formal dinner in honor of the graduating residential seniors and post graduates. Residential hall supervisors distributed gifts and fond farewells were exchanged.

New Senior Class Officers were announced at Senior Chapel in June. **President of the Class of 2003 is Mike Broccio**; he has been class president all four years at MCI, is very active in athletics, Key Club and as co-editor of the Trumpet. Vice President is Matt Nichols, Secretary is Katelyn Gallagher and Treasurer is Julie Lancaster.



Wassen Amin '02 from Egypt says goodbye to Alexis Swan '04 from Bermuda at the farewell dinner for residential students.



Michael Broccio was handed the Senior Class Presidency Gavel at Senior Chapel.

Students of the Month

Commendations for Students of the Month are compiled by members of Student Council and announced at Morning Meetings.

JANUARY



Freshman Dan Welch was selected as the Ninth Grade Student of the Month because he is so cooperative and very hard working and also because everyone at MCI likes him! Friendly and humorous, Dan is a "wonderful kid" who played soccer last fall and took part in the American Mathematics Competition Exam.



Sophomore Ju Hyun Han was commended by her classmates and teachers for her service as a class officer and her excellent scholarship and her high honors grades. An extremely hard worker, she is cooperative and a very well-liked residential student who serves on the dorm council. Ju Hyun is known for her great smile and her music ability on the flute. She played tennis and field hockey.



Junior Amanda Cowing was chosen Student of the Month in recognition of her growth during the past two and one half years at MCI. Her teachers commended her for her serious approach to her classes and for her genuine interest in learning. Classmates commented on Amanda's "upbeat attitude and friendliness." She was active in Diversity Day planning and as a volunteer in the library. Amanda took an independent study course in Japanese this past winter.



Senior Megan Ladd was selected because "she has been an outstanding and interested science student who also does well in all her other classes." Megan was complimented by her classmates for her participation in a number of areas and for being willing to help others in class. She was a member of National Honor Society, Instrumental Jazz Ensemble and a three-season athlete. Active in soccer, skiing and track and field, Megan was co-captain of each her senior year.

FEBRUARY



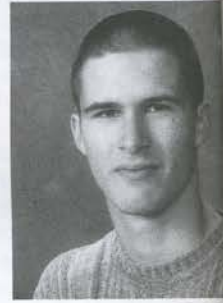
Freshman Ryan Kennedy was nominated for Student of the Month because "he treats others respectfully and is described by classmates as friendly, fun and polite." He played golf and basketball his first year at MCI.



Sophomore Casey Nash was commended by his classmates for being a hard worker and by his teachers for the creativity and effort he put into his assignments. He made Honor Roll every quarter. "He is appreciated for showing respect for others but perhaps is best known for his unique sense of humor."



Junior Haley Ingraham was chosen to be Student of the Month because she is known to be "friendly and fun." An honor roll student who participates well in class, Haley is involved in many co-curricular activities as well. She has been on the field hockey, ski and softball teams each year and involved in the drama program.



Senior Dan Gibson is "a helpful person in and out of school and has a good sense of humor." People say this friend is easy to work with and he certainly has stayed busy. He has been in drama for four years including participation every year in the award-winning drama competition team. In vocal jazz for three years and four years in tennis and football, he was one of this year's football captains. Elected to NHS as a sophomore, he is currently NHS vice-president.

MAY



Freshman Matt Huff "is a dedicated and very capable student who has made Honor Roll each quarter. He is respected by his peers and seems to have good rapport with everyone." He was a member of the golf team and JV basketball this year.



Sophomore Fred Poindexter "is an energetic, positive and good person." A hard worker, he was inducted into National Honor Society this spring. He was a member of this year's rifle team. Active in community service through his church, Fred provides service to his school as an office runner.



Junior Chris Talbot "is commended for being a very hard worker and a good class participant." He is described as being outgoing, energetic and friendly. A participant in intramurals, Chris is a Student Council Representative this year.



Senior Jonathan Volpi "puts forth his best effort in every subject and cares greatly about classmates and people at our school. A Student Council representative and member of the Dorm Council, he often brings concerns from fellow resident students to Dorm Council meetings; he works hard to make residential life better." A member of the track team, Jonathan lifts and runs...and runs...and runs daily.

Undergraduate Awards

Michael AdamsIntegrated Science II
 Michael Broccio.....Electronic Publishing
 Eun-A ChoiSophomore Art
 Christopher CochraneSpanish III
 Amanda CowingJunior Humanities History
 Alex Cunningham.....Sophomore Math,
 Integrated Science II Honors
 Lindsay DiPasquale.....Vocal Jazz
 Alexander DownsFreshman Humanities
 History CP
 Ann DurhamLife Skills Computers
 Matthew DupliseaFreshman Art
 Danya GlabauJunior Math, Concert Band,
 Rensselaer Medal for
 Mathematics and Science,
 American Society of
 Women Engineers Award
 Hannah GrantBotany
 Aaron Greene.....Computer Animation
 Ju-Hyun HanSophomore Math
 Ashley HerrComputer Animation
 Matthew HuffFreshman Math
 Trevor KelleyArchitectural Drawing
 Amber Kett.....Integrated Science I,
 Life Skills - Human Development
 Sung-Ho KimJunior Math
 Fuirea KiuchiESL
 Caleb LandryComputer Animation
 Joshua LeongFrench II
 Lok-Wah LiAnatomy & Physiology,
 Integrated Science II,
 Sophomore Humanities History CP,
 Sophomore Humanities
 English CP, Psychology

Heather Logiodice.....Freshman Humanities History
 Corey McGinnis.....Freshman Humanities English CP
 Bradley MartinChemistry, Junior Humanities
 History Honors,
 Xerox Award in the Humanities
 and Social Services
 Karlyn Moyer.....Junior Art, Junior Humanities
 English AP
 Adrienne NayockLife Skills - Human Development
 Chelsea NeathSpanish I
 Rachael OlivaresPsychology of Communication
 Marilyn PerkinsSophomore Humanities History
 Tyler RichardsonInstrumental Jazz
 Jarod RichmondFrench I
 Amanda Salley.....Freshman Humanities English
 Naoki ShibuyaESL
 Thorn SilviaMusic History
 Jung-Rae SuhJunior Humanities English
 Merri-Ella SullivanPiano, French III
 Alexis SwanSophomore Humanities English
 Emily WagnerSpanish II
 Tara WeemanArchitectural Drawing
 Daniel WelchFreshman Math
 Crystal WescottChild Development
 Kevin WescottLife Skills - Human Development
 Katie WhiteConcert Choir
 Katie WithamJunior Academic Block -
 Humanities, Junior Academic
 Block - Math & Science



Danya Glabau



Bradley Martin

MCI Honor Roll Third Quarter, Academic Year 2001-2002

High Honors: Vladimir Khazanovitch, William O'Connell

CLASS OF 2002:

Highest Honors: Stephanie Fletcher, Jasmine Jones, Matthew Lambert, Lucy Orloski, Laura Robison, Danielle Scribner, Henrik Sladeczek, Meredith Susi, Nicole Woodworth

High Honors: Heidi Andrews, Sara Bailey, Crystal Baker, Michelle Batchelder, Christopher Bedford, Kristin Brooks, Cameron Bryce, Min-Kuei (Jeff) Chiang, Daniel Cournoyer, Jennifer Cummings, Shelby Dyer, Erin Fitts, Elizabeth Fraser, Kerri George, Daniel Gibson, Anton Gorbounov, Beth Hewins, Colin Hubbard, Corrie Johnson, Chiharu Kawanago, Jennie King, Megan Ladd, Chih-Wei (Ellis) Lin, Heather Marsh, Cory McAvoy, Jamie McClure, Lucas McGowan, Heather McLaggan, Alisia Melvin, Kiyoshi Miyako, Timothy Myers, Renee Paradis, Shen-Wen (Steve) Peng, Carrie Perkins, Sara Plamondon, Amanda Quint, Hope Robbins, Allison Ross, Katie Salisbury, Eric Saucier, Andrew St. Clair, Jessica Thompson, Erin Thurlow, Lindsey White, Brian Wintle, Jong-Min Won, Luke Zarolinski

CLASS OF 2003:

Highest Honors: Bradley Buckland, Danya Glabau, Sung-Keon (Sean) Kim, Furea Kiuchi, Bradley Martin, Mark McCrillis, Karlyn Moyer, Su-Mi Park, Jung-Rae Suh, Katie Witham

High Honors: Megan Becker, Heather Berry, Michael Broccio, Amy Brown, Hillary Cianchette, Christopher Cochrane, Andrew Coffin, Bonnie Collier,

Michelle Cote, Amanda Cowing, Lindsay DiPasquale, Ashley Flood, Katelyn Gallagher, Molly Gawler, Benjamin Gerry, Dustin Gray, Christopher Harriman, Autumn Hendricks, Ashley Holt, Haley Ingraham, Amanda Killam, Teresa Kingsbury, Julie Lancaster, Jessi Littlefield, Sarah Margolskee, Jeanette McLeod, Sonja Merrill, Lizbeth Quint, John Rancourt, Jarod Richmond, Ashley Roy, Luke Simmons, Merri-Ella Sullivan, Christopher Talbot, Cassandra Wagner, Eric Witham

High Honors: Matthew Strategic Planning

CLASS OF 2004:

Highest Honors: Ryan Casey, Alex Cunningham, Lok-Wah Li, Jae-Hyun Myong, Casey Nash, Crystal Wescott

High Honors: Michael Adams, Ryan Strategic Planning, David Chale, Brenda Coffin, Jason Hall, Ju-Hyun Han, Taisuke Hayama, Kristen Hume, Melissa Hussey, Eun-Sun Lee, Joshua Leong, Nicole Monk, Stacey O'Donal, Forrest Peterson, Frederick Poindexter, Akiko Satoh, Naoki Shibuya, Calder Taylor, Marc Turner, Emily Wagner, Tara Weeman, Matthew Welch, Dong-Yoon Yoo, Marc York

CLASS OF 2005:

Highest Honors: Chelsea Neath

High Honors: Jessica Cote, Ashley Currier, Megan Dodge, Alexander Downs, Megan Dunphy, Michael Dunsmore, Ann Durham, Craig Gibson, Matthew Huff, Amber Kett, Caleb Landry, Jessica Millett, Amy Reid, DaNeil Sullivan, Daniel Welch, Katherine Zarolinski

Spotlight on the Arts



Danny Shumpert's rendering of the Twin Towers reflected in the chrome of a hubcap was selected for the back cover of the Masardis 2002.



Won Joon Lee's award-winning drawing asked the question *What If?* In the written explanation he carefully posted beneath the drawing each time it was exhibited, Won Joon wondered how the course of history might have been changed if someone has assassinated Adolph Eichmann before the beginning of the atrocities of World War II. The cuff link of the assassin's shirt bears the image of the Star of David.



Eun-A Choi's oil pastel won People's Choice and one of four Best of Show awards in the High School Art Contest sponsored by the Maine Federation of Women's Clubs.



Awarded Best in Show at The Spring Art Exhibit was *What If?*, the disturbing and stunningly realistic painting by Won Joon Lee. Receiving firsts in various categories were: Danny Schumpert's *Back Pain*, a drawing; Sarah Alexander's *New Moon*, a copy of a master's painting; Hsin-Yi Lin's calligraphy; Ashley Herr's clothing model; Amanda Quint's portrait entitled *10 Days*; a coil pottery piece by Sarah Berryman, a piece of furniture and a book by Amanda Palumbo; and *Time*, a sculpture by Ryan Strategic Planning. The exhibit, in the lobby of Pittsfield's Merrill Merchants Bank, was simply wonderful.

The talented artists of MCI were well-represented in the High School Art Contest sponsored by the GFWC/Maine Federation of Women's Clubs, District 4. There were 84 entries by students from 5 local high schools and ten of these were MCI artists' works. Winning the People's Choice, the Oil Pastel category and one of four Best of Show awards was Eun-A Choi's oil pastel piece. Taking first place in the linoleum print category was Ashley Herr. Karlyn Moyer and Ryan Strategic Planning received 2nd and 3rd places for their pastels.

The quality of the art produced by MCI students is marvelous; the spacious and newly renovated double art studios in J. R. Cianchette Hall should enable the already wonderful program to expand even further.



The old chemistry classroom and laboratory were gutted and renovated this summer by MCI's great maintenance staff that is headed by Ed Porter '83. This picture shows part of the 2,000 square foot space as the new art studio neared completion this summer.



Won-Joon's Skeleton also won raves.



Stephen Lawrence and Ann Husted Dunham performed in *Don Quixote*, the Bossov's summer production.



Molly Gawler and Ryan Nye danced as Juliet and Romeo.

The Bossov Ballet Theatre performed, for the second time this year, at the Waterville Opera House. The April performances featured three major works by Ravel: *Bolero*, *Morning Song of a Jester* and *Pavane of a Dead Princess*. The fourth ballet was *Romeo and Juliet*.

Bolero featured Natalya Getman, new Bossov faculty member, who until recently was a principal dancer with the Moscow Ballet, in the lead role accompanied by a number of the young women in the Bossov Ballet Theatre program. *Morning Song's* jester was danced by post graduate student Lee Oaklander who so thrilled audiences with his leaps in last December's *Nutcracker*. Seniors Shelby Dyer and Renee Paradis appeared with him. *Romeo* was danced by Ryan Nye '04 and Stephen Lawrence and Juliet was performed on alternating nights by Shelby and Molly Gawler '03.

Bossov dancers and teacher Natalya Getman scheduled an after-school beginning ballet and fitness class that was eagerly attended by a number of post graduate basketball players. The troupe's spring recital in June showcased all of the dancers, many of whom stayed to attend the Bossov's summer program. The summer program production of *Don Quixote* featured Michael Dunsmore '05 in the title role with Shelby and Ann Husted Durham '05 in the female roles.

Now beginning its seventh year at MCI, the Bossov Ballet Theatre program is exceptional and very unique.



Rehearsals are vigorous and rigorous.



The Bossov Ballet Theatre's spring production featured the intricate choreography of Ravel's *Bolero*; dancing with the ensemble was new faculty member Natalya Getman, far right.



Luke Zarolinski starred as Cyrano.



Cyrano's onstage instruments included flute, bassoon, oboes and dulcimer playing medieval melodies.

The Drama Competition Team, directed by Deb Susi, won the Division I Regional Competition and qualified for the Maine State Drama Festival in March. Elegantly staged and beautifully costumed, *Cyrano*, a one-act play by Jo Roets, was a stunning production. For his portrayal of Cyrano, Luke Zarolinski was named to the All State Festival Cast.

Wearing historically accurate costumes and hair styles, the large cast of 19 thespians performed against the backdrop of the exceptionally intricate and multi-sided stage set, designed by Amanda Quint and constructed by Tyler Richardson and Mike Adams, that won the Festival Awards for Set Design and for Set Construction. As the set revolved from hotel to bakery to house façade to battlefield encampment to garden, the sad tale of the long-nosed lover was told. Meredith Susi researched historical makeup and hair design. Haley Ingraham and Megan Ladd, who designed the patterns for the authentic stage dress, received the Festival Award for Costume Reproduction and Design.

Cyrano was enhanced by the on-stage orchestra whose instruments included a dulcimer played by Kate Zarolinski and whose members were costumed to create the mood of long-ago France. The musicians were given a Special Festival Commendation for Music. Sixteen students provided the backstage work necessary to stage such an ambitious production. One of the judges commented, "The costumes, hairstyles, music and sets were all exquisitely authentic. The versatility of the set was remarkable – just beautiful. It was stunning to look at and the musical concert provided lovely background."

In 1998, MCI's Drama Competition Team won first place in the State Drama Festival that moved the school to Division I level competition. MCI's actors have won first place in the regional drama festivals four of the past six years. The drama department at MCI is truly superb.

Julie Lancaster, Amanda Quint, Jennifer Cumming, Sarah Margolskee and Lizbeth Quint wearing the elaborate costumes and authentic hair styles.



The Spring Concert featured the 70-member Concert Choir, conducted by Linda Snow, and the 73-member Concert Band, led by Dean Neal. The hundreds of people who attended marveled at the quality of the music. Both groups performed wonderful classical as well as more contemporary selections that demonstrated technical excellence far beyond that of the usual high school musical groups.

The choir performed J. S. Bach's *Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring*, with all the beautiful nuances of tone and volume the piece demands. Their *Patriotic Salute* and *Sing to the Lord a Marvelous Song* were also particularly impressive. For their final number the graduating seniors sang *Like An Eagle*.

For their first number, *From Sea to Shining Sea*, the band was joined by Warsaw Middle School's terrific eighth grade instrumentalists; MCI's music program will be much enhanced by the fine young musicians who will enter ninth grade in the fall. The Concert Band's next three numbers quite astonished the crowd. Manuel De Falla's *Ritual Fire Dance* was indeed fiery, emotional and perfectly played.

Higgins' *Habitat - Visions of a Fragile Planet*, a modern, atonal selection, was played with an impressive symphonic quality and very rich timbre. *The Darkness is Always Soft* featured gorgeous flutes, clarinets and oboes; the clarity and velvety smoothness of these winds were marvelous.

The Music Department at Maine Central Institute is truly outstanding; other musical groups include Jazz Band, Instrumental Jazz Ensemble, Jazz Combo and the Vocal Jazz Ensemble. Four students, Luke Zarolinski, Lindsay DiPasquale, Kate Zarolinski and Tyler Richardson, qualified for All State Vocal Jazz. David Chale, Ellen Dickinson, Karlyn Moyer and Danya Glabau all qualified for All State Band and Orchestra; Ellen and Danya both also qualified for the Mid Maine Youth Orchestra.



The Instrumental Jazz Ensemble wowed everyone at Auction 2002!



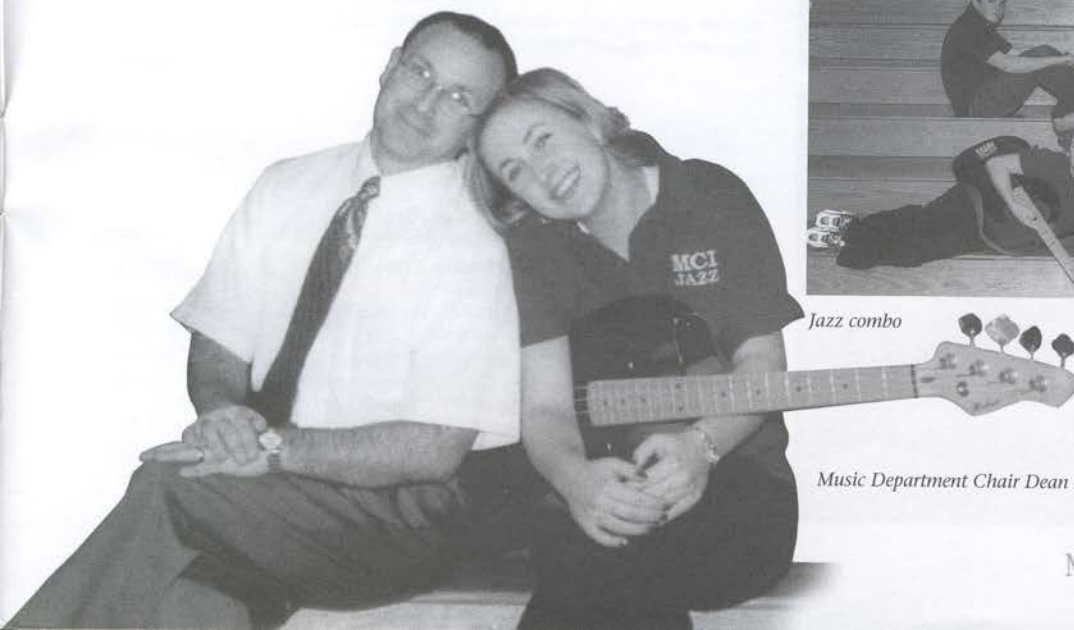
Concert Band



Concert Choir



Jazz combo



Music Department Chair Dean Neal with Julie Lancaster '03.

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Girls Basketball 2001

Head Coach: Frank McGrady, Assistant Coach Earl

Scott Varsity Record: Won 6, Lost 13

JV Record: Won 7, Lost 9

Individual Honors: KVAC All Academic Team: *Meredith Susi*. KVAC Honorable Mention: *Jessica Thompson, Meredith Susi*. Coaches Award: *Jennifer Cummings*. Most Improved: *Jessi Littlefield*.

About the team... The girls varsity, again, made the MPA playoffs—traveling to Rockland for a heart wrenching loss to the Tigers. This team also loses a number of seniors but has a good core group ready to lead in 2002-2003.



Boys Basketball 2001

Varsity Coach Bill Brooks, JV Coach Steve Strategic Planning, Freshman Coach Jason Furbush

Varsity Record: Won 15, Lost 5

JV Record: Won 10, Lost 8

Freshman Record: Won 2, Lost 15

Team Honors: Played KVAC Championship Game

Individual Honors: KVAC Player of the Year: *Andrew St. Clair*. KVAC 1st Team All Defense Team: *Andrew St. Clair, Hiro Asato*. KVAC 2nd Team: *Chris Bedford*. KVAC Honorable Mention: *Ryuto Arakaki, Sindre Vad*. Coaches Award: *Andrew St. Clair, Sindre Vad, Luke McGowan, Hiro Asato*. KVAC All Academic Team: *Andrew St. Clair*.

About the team.... The boys varsity team had a successful season going into the playoffs with a record of 14-4, winning their first prelim game against Rockland and lost to Ellsworth in the quarterfinals. This team loses a number of seniors and with no juniors in the program, it looks to be a young team next year.



Wrestling 2001

Coach Lance Richmond '86, Volunteer Assistants Mike Libby and Troy Blodgett

Record: Won 0, Lost 21

Individual Honors: Regional Runner-Up: *David Cavanagh*. 3rd in Eastern Maine: *Jacob Lasselle*. 4th in Eastern Maine: *Joey Bell*. Coaches Awards: *Nicole Woodworth, Joey Bell and David Cavanagh*.

About the team... This year's team had a lot of younger participants which will work to their advantage in years to come. First year wrestler, Freshman David Cavanagh, was runner-up in his weight class at the Regional Meet.



Rifle Team 2001

Coaches Tamara Bryce '71 and Allen Knowles '80

Team Honors: State Championship Team (*Eric Saucier, A.J. Knowles, Cameron Bryce and Heather McLaggan*)

Individual Honors: Most Valuable: *Eric Saucier*. Most Improved: *Luke Simmons*. Coaches Award: *Krystal Booth*.

About the team... Winning the State Championship again this year, the rifle team enjoyed many successes. Two team members, Eric Saucier and Cameron Bryce, also qualified to go to the Junior Olympic competitions in Colorado.

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Ski Team 2001

Coach Paul Bernier

Individual Honors: KVAC All Academic Team: *Megan Ladd, Danielle Scribner and Colin Hubbard.* Coaches Awards: *Allison Ross and Alex Cianchette.*

About the team... The ski team placed 1st in their division several times in both boys and girls competitions and ended in 8th place at the State Meet. Coach Paul Bernier loses a lot of seniors this season but looks forward to rebuilding next year.



PG Basketball 2001

Head Coach Karl Henrikson and Assistant Coach Ryan Krueger

Record: Won 26, Lost 6

Team Honors: Won the St. Francis/Xavier Tournament in Canada, won the MCI Invitational, and were runners-up in the MCI Classic and New Hampton Tournaments.

Individual Honors: Most Valuable: *Jai Lewis.* Coaches Award: *Joshua Daniels.* Most Improved: *Daniel Rumph.*

About the team... Another very successful season for the Huskies—starting with a huge tourney win in Canada and ending the regular season with a big home win vs. the Winchendon School. MCI entered the NEPSAC tourney ranked 5th and lost in a first-round game vs. St. Thomas More.



Winter Cheering 2001

Coach Crystal King '97

Individual Honors: Coaches Award: *Michelle Batchelder.* Spirit Award: *Amanda Quint.*

About the team... This year's team had many more participants but was still a young squad. The girls worked very hard in preparation for the KVAC and Regional competitions, as well as supporting the Huskies.



Girls Tennis 2002

Coach Paul Bernier

Record—Won 6, Lost 6

Individual Honors: KVAC All Academic Team: *Erin Fitts.* Most Valuable: *Bonnie Collier.* Coaches Award: *Krystal Booth.*

About the team... The girls got off to a slow start this season but with the help of new coach Paul Bernier, turned things around to end the season even while winning 5 of their last 6 matches.



Boys Tennis 2002

Coach Jon Ramgren

Record: Won 2, Lost 11

Individual Honors: KVAC All Academic Team: *Daniel Gibson.* Most Improved: *Tyson Quint.* Coaches Award: *Daniel Gibson.*

About the team... The boys tennis team was quite inexperienced this season having more than one member never playing before. A lot of fun took place and the future looks bright.



Track 2002

Coaches John Hubbell and Jason Allen

Team Honors: State Qualifiers, girls 4X800 meter relay team (Sr. Kerri George, Jr. Sarah Margolskee, Fr. Sarah Frost and Fr. Laura DiPasquale), Megan Ladd qualified for 100 meter high hurdles, Andrew Coffin qualified 110 meter high hurdles, long jump and triple jump events and Mike Broccio competed in shot put, javeline, and discus events.

Individual Honors: KVAC All Academic Team: Megan Ladd, Crystal Baker and Nicole Woodworth. Most Valuable: Andrew Coffin. Most Valuable: Megan Ladd. Most Improved: Kevin Moody. Most Improved: Hannah Grant. Coaches Award: David Cavanagh. Coaches Award: Sarah Frost.

About the team... The track team would again get the Most Improved of the spring season. This year saw more students participating and even more qualifying for regional and state meets.



Baseball 2002

Coach Phil Hendricks '79, Assistant Coach Ray Philbrick

Record: Won 2, Lost 14

Individual Honors: KVAC 1st Team: Andrew St. Clair. KVAC All Academic Team: Andrew St. Clair & Eric Saucier. Most Valuable: Andrew St. Clair. Most Improved: Mike Adams. Coaches Award: Stephen Kennedy. Coaches Award: Eric Saucier.

About the team... The varsity team graduated three seniors leaving a young but skilled squad for the future. Many freshman members started on varsity so team next season should be a promising one.



Softball 2002

Coach Matt Kamarck, Assistant Coach Bill Graham, Volunteer Assistant Alycia Kerr

Record: Won 7, Lost 9

Individual Honors: KVAC 1st Team: Jennifer Cummings. KVAC All Academic Team: Jennifer Cummings and Jasmine Jones. East-West Allstar Team: Jennifer Cummings. Most Valuable: Jennifer Cummings. Most Improved: Autumn Hendricks. Coaches Award: Jasmine Jones.

About the team... The varsity softball team was again an exciting one to watch. The Huskies went into the playoffs and won 2 games before losing to eventual State Champions Erskine Academy.





Top left: March in Maine.

Top right: Alumni Hall was built in 1928 ~ and surely a car like this one parked out front. Bonnie Collier loved it.

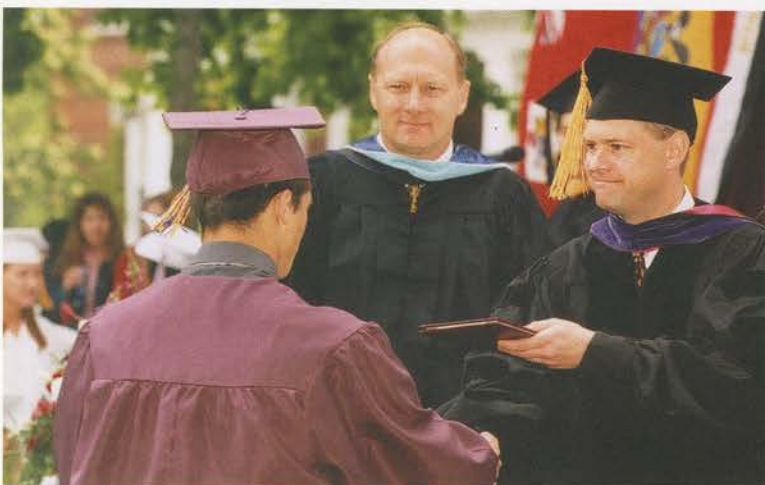
Above left: Auction committee members Helen Gallagher and Lori Cummings

Above right: A large crowd of eager bidders attended Auction 2002.

Right: Commencement Marshalls Amanda Quint and Richard MacDaid.

Bottom left: Board President Michael Hodgins '86 handed out the diplomas.

Bottom right: Class of 2003 Secretary Katelyn Gallagher and Student Council President Teresa Kingsbury thought Kennie Clark's 1929 Cord was the cat's meow!



HIGHLIGHTS Fall 2002

Save the Dates

Parents/Homecoming Weekend

October 10 to 13, 2002

*Coach Tookie Russell will receive
the Distinguished Achievement Award
at halftime during the Friday football game.
Her teams are encouraged to join
Tookie on the field!*

Winter Carnival

January 9 to 11, 2003

Alumni Reunion

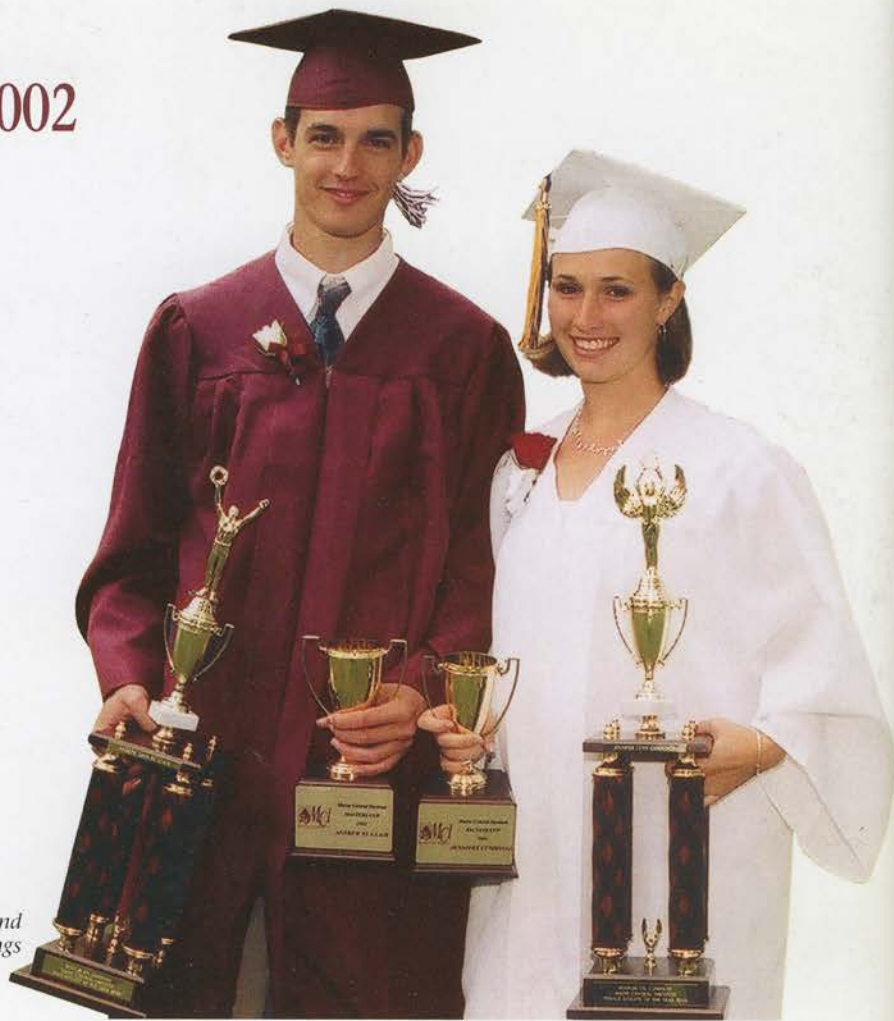
August 2 and 3, 2003

Alumni Open

August 16, 2003

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Andrew St. Clair and
Jennifer Cummings



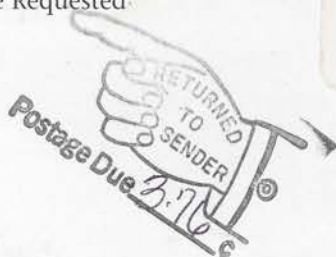
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