

# Pathways

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There is a story about the German author of *All Quiet on the Western Front* (1929), Erich Remarque. Once he was introduced to a young American woman visiting Germany. She asked him in German why he had never visited the United States. He said it was because he knew only a few sentences in English. She asked him what the sentences were. In slow, guttural English he said: "How do you do? I love you. Forgive me. Forget me. Ham and eggs, please." To which the young girl said, "My goodness, why with that vocabulary you could tour my country from Maine to California."

Since this spring issue of our Department of Health and Kinesiology alumni newsletter, *Pathways*, will be touring from Maine to California, we say to you all: How do you do? We love you. Forgive us. (Don't) forget us. Ham and eggs, please.

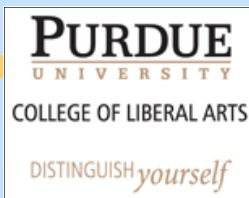
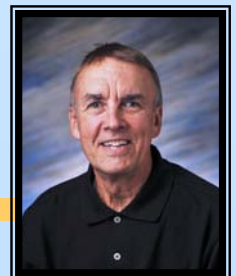
Now that we have invited ourselves back into your lives—

what with a breakfast order no less, if we happen to drop in on you—we wanted to help catch you up on all kinds of doings. In this issue you will meet a few alums of our department up close and personal, beginning with Pepper Burruss ('76), head athletic trainer for the Green Bay Packers. You will also get a chance to read up on some really interesting research from a couple of our younger faculty members: Meghan McDonough is working with breast cancer survivors who are racing dragon boats; and Haslyn Hunte reveals a surprising discovery on the impact of discrimination as a stress factor related to obesity. Also, you'll want to take a look at a couple of our newer and intriguing community engagement programs, Operation Purple and Pete's Pals. There are other stories to boot, plus some news that you, our alums, have shared about paths taken since graduation from our department.

So please read on. We were thrilled with the feedback we received on our inaugural issue of *Pathways* last fall. Please continue to send along updated information on your whereabouts, your doings, and anything else you would like to share in our bi-annual newsletter. We very much want to maintain contact with you as you move along on your journeys.

Given the frustrations of the economy, we know this has been a difficult year for so many people. We hope you have fared well nonetheless. We are certain that you will continue to strive to do the very best you can do in all that you do. After all, you are a Purdue alum!

William Harper  
Department Head



## Pepper Burruss, Head Athletic Trainer-Green Bay Packers



One of the more visible people in the Green Bay Packers organization, Pepper Burruss embarks upon his 16th season as the club's head trainer, his 32nd in the NFL overall. Overseer of the team's medical care on a daily basis, Burruss, a certified athletic trainer and physical therapist, joined Green Bay in 1993 following 16 seasons with the New York Jets as an assistant athletic trainer.

The 54-year-old Burruss was hired by the Jets in 1977 after receiving his B.S. degree in physical therapy from Northwestern University Medical School. One year earlier, he had graduated with honors from Purdue University, where he earned a B.A. degree in health and safety education. At Purdue, Burruss was fortunate to be a student trainer working under a legend in the field, the late William 'Pinky' Newell.

The Jets' training staff twice was honored during his stint with the team. In 1985, the unit was the first-ever recipient of 'NFL Athletic Training Staff of the Year' recognition, an award given by peers. The staff was honored again at the National Athletic Trainers Association (NATA) clinical symposium in 1994 by former Jets defensive lineman Dennis Byrd, who credited the team's emergency care as a contributing factor in his miraculous recovery from quadriplegia. Byrd had suffered a fractured neck after an on-field collision in a 1992 game with Kansas City at the Meadowlands.

More recently, and closer to home, the Packers' medical staff received the second-highest approval rating

from its players among all National Football League teams in a 2000 survey conducted by the NFL Players' Association, finishing behind only the Giants.

Professionally, Burruss has served two terms on the executive committee of the Professional Football Athletic Trainers Society (PFATS), first as an AFC assistant trainer representative, then as the NFC head trainer representative.

This past season, he was one of two NFL Athletic Trainers appointed to join a distinguished group of physicians serving on the NFL Cervical Spine Committee. Their goal was to review current research and recommend state of the art cervical spine emergency response procedures in the NFL arena. Previously he served as the PFATS representative to the NATA Inter-Association Spine Task Force, which has created guidelines for the appropriate care of the spine-injured athlete. The task force distributed that information across the country in the form of published guidelines, a videotape series and numerous educational seminars.

A product of Wappingers Falls, N.Y., where he attended Ketcham High School, he was inducted into the school's hall of fame in 2000.

Born Thomas Pepper Burruss April 15, 1954, in Beacon, N.Y., he and his wife, Nancy, have one son, Shane, 19, a sophomore at the University of Minnesota, and one daughter, Christina, 14, a freshman at DePere High School. Also a medical practitioner,

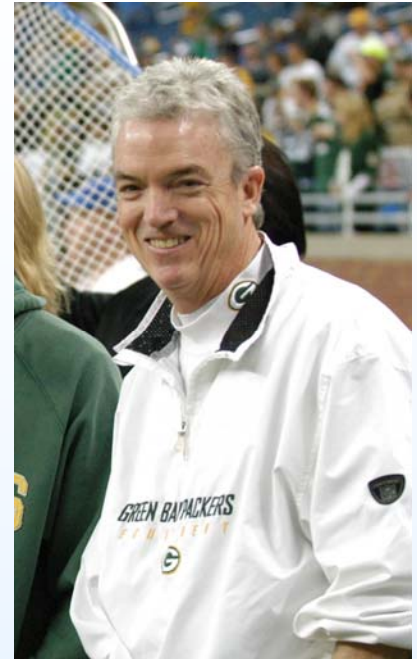
Nancy is an Associate Professor and Director of the Undergraduate Program at the Bellin College of Nursing in Green Bay.



Burruss currently serves on the corporate board of Curative Rehabilitation Center in Green Bay and is active in the Packers' annual "Rebuilding Together" (formerly "Christmas in May") house renovation project, serving as a house co-captain.

A gifted public speaker, Burruss has lectured at seven National Athletic Trainers' Association (NATA) Clinical Symposia, multiple state, district and college meetings, as well as numerous service organizations throughout Wisconsin. His lectures are supplemented with an extensive collection of photos that has recently grown with the addition of more than 5,000 images of the progression of Lambeau Field's redevelopment.

Burruss enjoys collecting and studying firearms cartridges; he is the President of the International Ammunition Association (IAA) and recently won his fifth consecutive "Best of Show" honor for his display at the annual St. Louis International Cartridge Show. His other hobbies include detailing and rehabbing a 1973 Corvette Stingray, and any home maintenance project that allows him to work with tools.



## Alumni Profiles

## Dr. Roseanne Lyle, HK Professor of Public Health

I was born and raised in a suburb of Detroit in a very tight knit and large Italian family. Mick and I were high school sweet hearts, but following graduation, I went on to college and he went on to “serve the country”. I was on a fast track to a PhD at Penn State when he returned to the US, after surviving the army and Vietnam, we decided to get married. I put the PhD on hold and finished a Master’s degree in exercise physiology instead. We spent 10 great years living in a 100 year old farmhouse in PA ( I think they call houses like this “fixer uppers”) while I taught dance, coached women’s swimming and track and field at Allegheny College in Meadville, PA., and we started our family. Mick finished his college education there, worked on “fixing up” the house and helped take care of the boys.

When I came to Purdue in 1982 to finish my PhD, we thought we would only be here 3-4 yrs, so it’s hard to believe it has been 26 yrs now! I have had plenty of opportunities to follow my passions in teaching, research and service in the areas of physical activity and nutrition behaviors as they relate to health in women and older adults; and, I have thoroughly enjoyed working and playing with some wonderful colleagues and students over the years. Currently, I am enjoying working with the public health faculty on the implementation of our MPH program.

Mick, and our sons Hagen (wife Carolynn) and Cullen (wife Mckenzie) continue to keep me grounded, sane and looking forward to life after Purdue. The boys live in Colorado now, and we enjoy visiting them - and our 15 month old grandson, Sesto,



every chance we get. Depending on the season, we can always find something active to do. Mick and I started hiking Colorado’s 14,000 foot peaks and learned how to downhill ski in our mid-40s. We have bagged 9 “fourteeners” so far, including the two highest.

I have many interests and hobbies that I will return to eventually, but I always find time to stay active. I attend a dance class every semester and perform when opportunities arise. I love getting outside to run in the early morning hours year round, and I look forward to the months when spending time in our flower gardens lifts my spirits and helps me relax. Our cats, Gerry and Bubby, make sure we take regular breaks from yard work to give them some attention.

We enjoy having friends and family over for cookouts and bocce ball tourneys and our favorite local restaurants include LaScala and the Baja Peninsula. We also enjoy all of the various festivals that are held in our community. We enjoyed a month in New Zealand and additional visits to Colorado during a sabbatical this spring and, sometime in the near future, we hope to live in Italy for an extended period of time so that we can get re-acquainted with our extended family there.



## Travis Dorsch



I am from Bozeman, Montana (though I've now been in West Lafayette for 10 years ... don't know if that's a good or bad thing ... and I'm not yet ready to call myself a flatlander). I

am currently taking a semester off from my own study while I am preparing to embark on a Ph.D. program in Sport and Exercise Psychology in the department of Health and Kinesiology at Purdue. During this semester away, I was not really away, as I was teaching HK 372 (introduction to sport and exercise psychology) to an eager gaggle of undergrads!

I came to Purdue as an undergraduate in 1998 (B.A., Psychology, Purdue University, May 2003. M.S., Kinesiology, Purdue University, December 2007), and my only experience prior to that was as a high school student in Bozeman, Montana.

After my time at Purdue as an undergraduate, I spent a few seasons in the NFL and a couple more playing overseas in Germany. Finally, I decided to come back and do my Masters with Dr. Alan Smith in the Department of Health and Kinesiology.

I thoroughly enjoyed Dr. Vine's wine class in 2003. Contrary to popular belief and fraternity myth, it is not just about the wine tasting. The class delves into the history of the ancient world, how and why wine was discovered and produced, and how it lives on today through the science and technology employed by modern vintners. A must take!

My first job was as a punter for the Cincinnati Bengals. It was a pretty sweet gig for a not-yet college graduate, but there's not a lot of job security in the NFL. After my two year stint in the Queen City, I bounced around between Wisconsin (Packers),



Minnesota (Vikings), and New Jersey (Giants). It's a crazy and rewarding lifestyle, but tough on the body and mind.

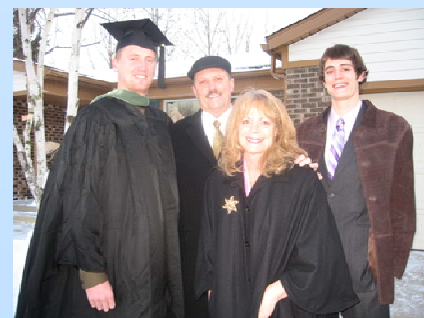
For the past two years I have been competing in triathlons as a means of fueling my competitive spirit. I ramped up my preparation last summer and won my division for the first time in Indianapolis on July 5th. Next Thanksgiving I will compete in Ironman Cozumel in Quintana Roo, Mexico. I'm pretty sure I can go 140.6 miles, but I just need to find a way to get myself (and my bike) there in one piece! I have traveled extensively in Europe and will probably always continue to do so. In the future, though, I would really like to find a way to ski or hike Patagonia, and I would like to get to Base Camp Everest to drink that in. All that said, my favorite place in the world to explore is still back home in the Beartooth Mountains of southern Montana.



My favorite restaurant is the Hofbrauhaus in München, Germany. I always get *Schweine und Spätzle mit Käsebrot* (Pork filet and noodles with cheese bread). Wash that down with three or four...teen beers and you've got yourself a traditional Bavarian feast!

I am the only student-athlete in Purdue history to both throw a touchdown pass and kick a field goal in football, *and* hit a home run and win a game as a pitcher in baseball.

I am the founder of *The Rosebud Group*, a charitable organization which raises money and awareness through sport. Our two current projects are the *Kings of the Court* 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament here in West Lafayette which supports the Christian athletic ministry *Athletes in Action* and the *Jay Cooperider Memorial 5K* which will raise money and awareness for the *Mental Health Association*.



## All in the Same Boat



When **Meghan McDonough** was a graduate student training for sprint-kayak races, she often noticed a team of breast cancer survivors practicing dragon boat racing at the same Vancouver canoe club.

"They were a very visible and amazing group of women," McDonough remembers. "I knew how hard it was to be out on the water paddling those boats. And knowing what they were overcoming, I was inspired."

McDonough now is an assistant professor of sport and exercise psychology in the Department of Health and Kinesiology who is following about 50



breast cancer survivors on Indianapolis's newly formed dragon boat racing team, **Indy Survive Oars**. McDonough wants to better understand how such camaraderie affects the lives of these

women. "These breast cancer survivors are literally all in the same boat," she says.

Dragon boat racing began more than 2,000 years ago in China. The boat, which has the head of a dragon, is 43 feet long and is propelled by 20 paddlers. In 1996, a sports medicine physician at the University of British Columbia encouraged a team of breast cancer survivors to begin competing. Since then, hundreds of breast cancer survivors have formed dragon boat racing teams.



By Amy Patterson Neubert, photo provided by Meghan McDonough  
This article first appeared in the fall 2008 issue of THiNK Magazine.



## Obesity Related Discrimination



A new study confirms that discrimination is a stress factor that is related to obesity, but surprisingly, this is most true among ethnic white groups and not blacks or Hispanics. "We wanted to determine whether feeling discriminated against was linked with having excess tummy fat in adults," says **Haslyn Hunte**, an assistant professor of health and kinesiology at Purdue University who led this study as a Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Health and Society Scholar. "We did find such a link – but not where we expected. Feelings of discrimination were associated with excess stomach fat among ethnic whites – Italians, Jews, Irish and Polish Americans in Chicago – but not among other whites, blacks or Hispanics. "White ethnic groups that include those of Polish, Italian, Jews and Irish descent have been historically discriminated against in the United States. Some will argue that we as a society have moved on from discriminating against others because of their race or ethnicity, but this data and other recent research suggests a different story."

Hunte and David R. Williams at Harvard University analyzed personal information collected between 2001 and 2003 on more than 3,100 adults living in Chicago. The researchers assessed perceived discrimination based on if individuals believed they were treated with less courtesy, received poorer service, thought others acted as if they were not smart or if they felt threatened or harassed. These survey responses were correlated with measures of abdominal obesity. The American Journal of Public Health study, which was funded by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, was published online in October and appeared in the journal's December issues. The analysis found that ethnic whites who said they'd experienced discrimination were two to six times more likely to be obese than ethnic whites who'd experienced no discrimination, Hunte says. "There are a couple of possible reasons why there is a link between discrimination and obesity in ethnic whites but not among blacks or Hispanics," he says. First, blacks and Hispanics may have developed mechanisms for coping with stress that ethnic whites have not developed. Second, blacks and Hispanics may be more likely to accept larger body types. Third, discrimination may simply be more pervasive and insidious than is widely believed. "We talk a lot about stress contributing to obesity," Hunte says. "Discrimination is another form of stress, and as we've heard many times before, such stressful experiences may actually make us sick. The feeling that we're not being given a fair shot on a day-to-day basis gets under our skin in a variety of ways, including our health. For example, scientists believe that excess fat in the stomach area is a risk factor for cardiovascular disease, so discrimination can literally harm the human body." The researchers will be looking at similar long-term data, as well as national data.



**OperationPurple**<sup>®</sup>  
A program of the National Military Family Association

Purdue University has been chosen once again as a host site for Operation Purple Camp, a free national summer camp program designed to offer support in a fun and exciting atmosphere to the children of military parents who are or will be deployed. 2009 will be the second year for the camp at Purdue.

The camp, created by the National Military Family Association, will take place May 31 through June 6, and is free to all participants through a partnership with the Sierra Club Foundation.

Campers will participate in common summer camp activities including arts and crafts, a ropes course, swimming, fishing and canoeing. The local National Guard unit is organizing a Military themed fun day.

There will also be daily, small groups sessions that focus on stress management and interpersonal communication activities to encourage campers to build trust and friendships among their peers.

Mary Scott, chairman of the board of the National Military Family Association, said Purdue offers a location that makes attendance possible for children from around Indiana and several surrounding states.

Operation Purple camp at Purdue is for children ages 10-15 and is open to children of service members of any branch of the service, whether active duty, National Guard, or reserve.

Operation Purple camp at Purdue is supported by a collaboration between the Military Family Research Institute in the College of Consumer and Family Sciences and the Department of Health and Kinesiology.

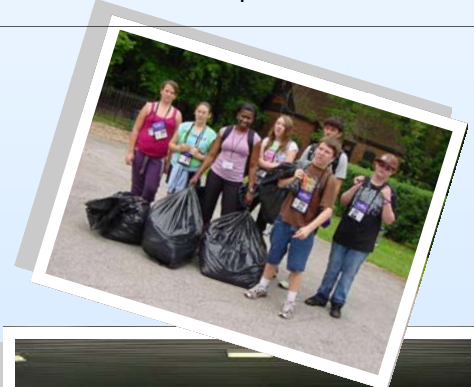
Dr. Bonnie Blankenship, Associate Professor in the Department of Health and Kinesiology has served as the Camp Director for both the 2008 and 2009 camps. HK Graduate students J.D. DeFreese and Jan Eichenaeur are co-directors this year. Other students serving as counselors are HK grads Kathryn Campbell, Andrea Rubalcaba, Kevin Richards, Michael Hemphill, Nick Skinner, Thomaseo Burton, Alicia Rosse and undergrad Michaela Miller.

For more information about Operation Purple, go to <http://www.cfs.purdue.edu/mfri/op>

You can view OP video at <http://news.uns.purdue.edu/x/2008a/080428MacDermidPurple.html>



Counselor Frank Baute gives instructions during a judo activity to Operation Purple Camp participants Hanna Richards of Rossville and Keliann Mast of Lafayette in June 08 at Purdue's Recreations Sports Center



# PETE'S PAL'S Gym & Swim Program



**The Pete's Pals** program is an aquatic and motor program offered for children with disabilities ages 3-18.

The four week program is designed to help the participating children become efficient movers in a fun and safe environment. Each child in the program is assigned a trained clinician who works one on one for the two hour gym and swim program. A child's program may include physical fitness activities to improve muscular strength, endurance and flexibility, body awareness and special orientation, fundamental and motor patterns and sports skills, swimming and water safety skills, and sensory motor activities. A parent support group forum and guest lecture series is also part of the program. This program was offered for the first time in May and June of 2008.

The program is designed to offer Purdue University students the opportunity to gain professional experience and to apply theory to practice, while also providing a



valuable community service element. The clinicians are recruited undergraduate and/or graduate stu-

dents from Purdue's education and therapy disciplines who have shown an eagerness to work in the program and demonstrate a willingness to learn and accept an educational challenge to motivate and teach children and youth with disabilities. Interested students are interviewed and agree to a commitment of the Pete's Pals program. Throughout the program, undergraduate students will not only benefit from the interactions with expert educators and therapists, but also from valuable hands-on learning experience through the program's orientation and training.



Susan Flynn, Clinical Associate Professor in Health and Kinesiology is the director of the program. Pete's Pals is sponsored by the Department of Health and

Kinesiology, the College of Liberal Arts Engagement Office and Faith Community Center



## **Jo-Ann Price**

### **Purdue University Intercollegiate Athletics Hall of Fame**

**Jo-Ann Price became one of several new members to be inducted into the Purdue University Intercollegiate Athletics Hall of Fame in April 2009.**

Jo-Ann Price came to Purdue from Poland, Ohio, after earning her bachelors degree from Youngstown State University (1950) and her masters at the University of Wisconsin (1955) She began at Purdue as a member of the faculty in physical education (now Health and Kinesiology) and coached both women's basketball and golf from 1955 through 1965 as recreational and club teams before they were recognized as varsity sports. She was instrumental in laying the groundwork for today's women's program.

Jo-Ann earned her doctorate from Indiana University in 1969 and became head university supervisor for physical education student teachers. She was the first woman selected to the University Athletic Affairs Committee and served as chair in 1976-77 She also served as officer at the state and regional levels for several physical education organizations.

Jo-Ann competed regularly and often won amateur golf tournaments throughout the state. She won the Lafayette Women's City Golf Tournament 10 times and the West Central Golf Association Tournament 15 times.



Jo-Ann was named in the Who's Who of American Women, was awarded the Salute to Women Outstanding Woman in Sports, and was inducted into City of Fort Wayne Athletic Hall of Fame. She became first woman accepted into the John Purdue Club and endowed the first women's basketball scholarship in 1993. Jo-Ann earned a prestigious Black Coat Award from the John Purdue Club. She served for many years as alumni coach and avid supporter of women's basketball until her death in 2006, 16 years after her retirement from the University.



## 2009 Distinguished Alumni Award

Since 1986, the Distinguished Alumni Award has recognized CLA alumni for their professional achievements, dedication to their communities, and involvement with Purdue. This year, HK alum Leroy Keyes, is among the recipients!

### M. Leroy Keyes

Coming to Purdue on a full athletic scholarship, Leroy Keyes chose physical recreation education as his major, believing that a healthy body and mind would lead to success. As a tailback and defensive back, Keyes was a two-time All-American, led the Boilermakers to the 1967 Big Ten Conference Championship and their 1967 Rose Bowl win over USC, was the Big Ten's Most Valuable Player in 1967, and was runner-up in the 1968 Heisman Trophy balloting. Keyes was a first-round NFL draft choice in 1969 and played for five years with the Philadelphia Eagles and the Kansas City Chiefs. Keyes was voted the University's "All-Time Greatest Football Player" in 1987. In 2000, he was named assistant director of the John Purdue Club. "Purdue is still one of the greatest universities worldwide," he says. We are still producing outstanding students, world leaders, athletes, and meaningful ways of living."



Leroy Keyes and Dean John Contreni at the 24th Annual CLA Awards Banquet

## 2009 Outstanding Senior Award

The alumni board recognized 13 Outstanding Seniors from within the College of Liberal Arts. These students are selected by departmental committees on the basis of their academic achievements, commitment to their majors, balance of academic loads with extracurricular activities and/or jobs, and leadership.



Dean John Contreni presents the Outstanding Senior Award to Chris Kapp

### Christopher Kapp, West Lafayette, IN

**MAJOR**  
Health and Kinesiology, Movement and Sports Science

**ACTIVITIES**  
Purdue Athletic Department tutor, Follett's Bookstore customer service representative, Leadership Journey (Dean of Students), Caduceus Club, Liberal Arts Dean's Ambassador

**HONORS**  
Phi Beta Kappa, Thayer Scholar, Mihee Yi Scholarship recipient

**FUTURE**  
Medical school

# THE MACKEY ARENA PROJECT



Purdue University's Mackey Arena is undergoing a construction project designed to complement it as not only a basketball venue, but also benefit each of the university's nearly 500 student-athletes.

The university's board of trustees voted to award a contract to HNTB Architecture of Kansas City, Mo., for a project that extends from the outer edges of the arena north along Northwestern Avenue to Cherry Lane. The scope of the Mackey Arena Complex project is the most comprehensive and significant facility undertaking in the university's athletics history, said Morgan J. Burke, director of intercollegiate athletics. It will bring a 40-year-old campus landmark into the 21st century while preserving its rich history and tradition.

Burke said the project affords Purdue some flexibility in using available space for its entire sports program. He said the greatest challenge for student-athletes is time management. Having athletic, academic and training facilities under one roof will give athletes a tool to better juggle their academic and athletic schedules, he said. A three-level structure is planned north of Mackey and currently is being referred to as the Student-Athlete Development Center. Its highlights include:

- A sports medicine facility approximately three and a half to four times larger than the current area in Mackey.
- A strength and weight training facility approximately four times larger than the existing Intercollegiate Athletic Facility weight room.
- An oversized basketball practice facility with a full-size court and three breakout shooting areas.

The Mackey Arena Complex project will significantly enhance the overall fan experience at Purdue games. The concourse width will be approximately doubled, concessions will increase four times (from 12 to 48 points of sale) and restrooms will increase three times for women and by 35 percent for men. In addition, the lower seating sections on the east side will be modified to allow for some premium seats, with club seats (fixed padded sta-

dium chairs) and loge seats (office-style chairs on casters) provided. A limited number of premium courtside seats will be available in the west pit area. Accessible seating will increase approximately six times. Two club spaces will be created, one for general fans on the west side and a premium club to the east.

Other upgrades will include new locker rooms and lounges, meeting rooms, offices, laundry facilities and equipment storage. A new ticket office will be created in Mackey that is approximately twice the size of the existing one in the Intercollegiate Athletic Facility. The current ticket office will be converted to a locker room for volleyball. The entire upper level of the IAF will be transformed into an academic center spanning approximately 10,000 square feet.

A landscaped corridor will extend between Ross-Ade Stadium and Mackey. Burke said the view of the brick athletic facilities along Northwestern Avenue will give the appearance of an athletics campus unto itself. In a larger sense, the kind of commitment Purdue is making to Mackey replicates the vision for Ross-Ade Stadium before its renovation in 2003, he said.

The construction is now underway. Football practice fields will be relocated to the area where the Grand Prix Track is located northeast of the stadium. The track has been moved to an area west of campus near the intersection of McCormick Road and Cherry Lane. Parking Lot F will be relocated to the site of the current outdoor practice field. Construction will be completed by the start of the 2011-12 season. Mackey will remain the home court for Purdue's teams throughout the construction process.

*The content of this article was taken from the official Purdue sports website. For more information, visit: <http://www.purduesports.com/genrel/051807aar.html>*

Dr. Laura Claxton's paper titled *"Self-directed action affects planning in tool-use tasks with toddlers"* was accepted for publication in **Infant Development and Behavior**.

The National Athletic Trainers' Association Board of Directors has approved **Dr. Larry Leverenz** to serve as Vice President of the World Federation of Athletic Training and Therapy.

**Dr. Larry Leverenz** is the recipient of the Great Lakes Athletic Trainers Association's Outstanding Educator Award. This award is to recognize those members who have significantly contributed to the education of GLATA members through academic presentations, published manuscripts or editorials, and educational program development.

Health Promotion Doctoral student, **Kosuke Tamura** presented a paper entitled *"Hospital Competition and Uncompensated Care" at the 2nd World Conference of the Spatial Econometrics Association* in November, 2008. Kosuke is a senior author along with Dr. Susan Chen from the Department of Agricultural Economics. Secondary authors are Dr. Raymond Florax from Agricultural Economics and **Dr. George Avery**, Professor of Public Health.

Health Promotion Doctoral students, **Heather Whitcomb** and **Kosuke Tamura**, and undergrad student **Lauren Milius** presented a poster entitled *"Exploratory Study of Environmental Effects on Physical Activity and Overweight in Older Women: Research Update"* at Purdue's GIS Day 2008 on November 19. The poster was a research update of a current two-year study funded by the National Cancer Institute that is led by **Dr. Philip Troped**, Professor of Public Health, along with his colleagues at the Harvard School of Public Health and Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

**Dr. Howard Zelaznik**, Professor of Movement and Sport Science, recently published a chapter in the book entitled: *"The Psychology of Time"*, edited by Simon Grondin, Professor of Psychology, University of Laval. The chapter, co-authored with **Rebecca Spencer**, (Purdue alum, Department of Psychology, University of Massachusetts) and Richard Ivry, (Department of Psychology, University of California at Berkeley), summarizes 10 years of work examining whether timing processes can be considered to be the responsibility of a general purpose timing mechanism or a collection of specific processes that make each timing task unique.

**Dr. Howard Zelaznik**, Professor of Movement and Sport Science, presented a colloquium to the Kinesiology and Psychology Departments at the University of Tennessee at Knoxville on October 17th. The talk was entitled: *"Goals and Events in the Event-Emergent Timing Framework"*.

**Susan Flynn**, Clinical Professor of Pedagogy, has been awarded the Prestigious Honor Award by the Indiana Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance (IAHPERD). This award is the highest recognition by IAHPERD and recognizes Susan as one of its members who is clearly outstanding in her pro-

fession with long and distinguished service to health, physical education, recreation dance and/or allied areas. Susan also received the District Honor Award from the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance (AAHPERD) which represents excellence in teaching, leadership, and service to the profession.

**Dr. Larry Leverenz**, Clinical Professor of Athletic Training, represented the Department of Health and Kinesiology at Purdue in the first ever CIC Big Ten traveling delegation to China in October 2008. The purpose was to establish direct ties to a number of universities in China as a Big Ten cohort. The trip included visits to Tianjin University of Sport, Beijing University of Sport, Chengdu University of Sport, Xian University of Sport, East China Normal University in Shanghai and the 2008 Olympic Games facilities.

**Dr. C. Harold Veenker**, Professor Emeritus, passed away on September 17, 2008 in Palo Alto, CA. He was 89. He was born in George, Iowa and attended George High School. He graduated from the University of Northern Iowa. After graduation he joined the Marine Corps and Officer Candidate School at Quantico, VA. He trained with the 28th Regiment of the 5th Marine Division that took part in the invasion of Iwo Jima. He received a Purple Heart. On Jan 1, 1944, he married Elizabeth Louise Higgins and she survives. He taught school in Osage and Mason City, Iowa for 10 years and earned a Master's degree in Health Education. In 1954 he was a visiting lecturer at Indiana University and earned a doctorate degree in 1957. He established the Department of Health and Safety at Purdue and was chairman from 1961-1976. He wrote the Veenker Health Knowledge Test and was editor of the first Synthesis of Research in Health Instruction, a series that has become a standard reference in the field. In 1969, he was president of the Indiana Association of Health Educators. He retired in 1984 as professor emeritus. He was chairman of the President's Advisory Council on Retirement for Purdue University, received IU's Endwrite Alumni Service Award and was inducted into the University of Northern Iowa's Hall of Excellence. In October 2007, he moved to Palo Alto. Surviving with his wife are two daughters, Jo Lee Shaffer, (husband John) and Vicki Susan Veenker (husband Tim Crockett) and a sister, Irene Veenker.

**D. Verdelle "Pert" Parker**, 94, of West Lafayette, died Friday, October 10, 2008 at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. He was born Oct. 1, 1914 in Muncie, the son of the late Clifford and Lacy Dale Quirk Parker. He graduated from Muncie Central High School in 1933, received his bachelor of science degree from Ball State in 1941, his master of Science degree from Purdue in 1946, and furthered his studies in 1962 at the University of Oregon. He married Mary Lou Jones June 15, 1941 in Muncie. She survives. Mr. Parker was a teacher and coach of track and filed at Lincoln High School in Cambridge City from 1941 to 1943. Then he was a graduate student and graduate assistant in physical education from 1945 to 1946, instructor of physical education from 1946 to

1949, assistant track coach from 1948 to 1966, assistant professor from 1949 to 1959, associate professor from 1960 to 1981 and was awarded emeritus professor in 1981, all at Purdue. He retired on July 31, 1981 with 35 years of service. He served on several university and department committees, television instruction, university senate, library and curriculum and certification councils. From 1964 to 1979 he was supervisor of auxiliary personnel for Ross-Ade Stadium and Mackey Arena; was a member of the Indiana and American Alliances for Health, Physical Education And Recreation; Indiana and Big 10 Track Coaches Associations and National Federation of Track Coaches. He served the IHSAA as a referee-starter for Track and Field championships for many years; co-starter for the Big 10 Conference, NCAA several times and U.S. Olympic Decathlon Trials at Wabash College in 1955 and 1959; twice was a starter for the NAIA National Swimming championships; was a referee for the Big 10 Indoor Track championships in 1978. He was retained by Americana Encyclopedia to submit an article on Calisthenics, which was published in 1966 and is still included. In 1962 and 1968, he received a plaque from Muncie YMCA Alumni Association for leadership and contribution to youth programs and in 1980 was voted in the Delaware County Athletic Hall of Fame. He was a member of First United Methodist Church. He was a member of and past president of Lafayette Kiwanis, in which he served on several committees. In 1978 the Kiwanis Foundation, which he founded and organized that year, presented him a plaque for his work. He was a member and past worshipful master of West Lafayette Masonic Lodge, 32nd Degree Mason; a member of Scottish Rite; Murat Shrine and received 33rd Degree Mason in 1984. He served with the U.S. Navy as a physical fitness instructor in the V12 Program at Purdue from 1943 to 1945. Surviving with his wife are a son, Larry Parker (Beverly) of Thorntown and a daughter, Terry Lynn (Graham) Bright of Toms River, N.J.; five granddaughters and three great-grandsons. He was preceded in death by his brothers and sisters.

**Dr. George Avery's** paper will appear in the June 2009 issue of *Evaluation and the Health Professions*. Avery GH and Zabriske-Timmerman J. *The Impact of Federal Bioterrorism Funding Programs on Local Health Department Preparedness Activities*.

**Dr. Randy Black** and **Dr. George Avery** are coauthors along with **Dr. Scott Butler**, of the following presentations that have been accepted: Butler SM, Black DR, Avery GH, Kelly J, Coster D. *Diffusion of Sexual Health Innovation among US College Health Centers*. Oral presentation accepted for the Society for the Scientific Study of Sexuality Eastern and Midcontinent Regions Conference, June 5-7, 2009, Saint Petersburg, FL  
Butler SM, Black DR, Avery GH, Kelly J, Coster D. *HPV Vaccine and STD Testing Availability among Colleges and Universities in Rural Settings*. Poster presentation accepted for the Rural Center for AIDS/STD Prevention (RCAP) Conference, April 16-18, 2009. Bloomington, IN.

The following book chapter has also been accepted for publication: Butler SM, Black DR, Avery GH, Kelly J, Coster D. (In Press-2009) *The Sexual Health Services Questionnaire* in **Handbook of Sexuality-Related Measures**. Sage Publications: Thousand Oaks, Ca.

Scott is a former HK graduate student and is currently an Assistant Professor of Health Promotion and Community health at Georgia College and State University in Milledgeville, Georgia.

**Dr. David Klenosky** and graduate students, **SaraJane Marshall** and **Steve Howell**, attended the 2009 Northeastern Recreation Research (NERR) Symposium held in Bolton Landing, NY in March 2009. Now in its 21st year, NERR has grown to a national meeting that provides opportunities for researchers and managers from universities and agencies at a variety of levels to share research results and discuss current issues and problems in the recreation, travel, and natural resource management fields. Dr. Klenosky served as this year's conference chair. Sara Jane Marshall co-authored a presentation with Dr. Klenosky entitled, *"Place Visitation, Place Avoidance, and Attitudinal Ambiguity: New Concepts for Place Research in Urban Recreation Settings,"* which reported results from a recent study, sponsored by the U.S. Forest Service, examining Chicago residents' recommendations of places to visit and to avoid in the Chicago land area. Steve Howell was first author on a presentation entitled, *"Investigating the Weather Related Impact of Attendance for Nature-Based Visitor Attractions,"* which explored the effects of weather variability on weekend visitor numbers for the Brookfield Zoo. Sara Jane and Steve also served as session chairs during the conference.

**Dr. David Klenosky** co-wrote a paper with Eric Brey of University of Memphis which was recently accepted for publication in the **International Journal of Sport Management and Marketing special Issue on Event Marketing**. Klenosky, David B. and Eric T. Brey (in press), *Permission to Promote: A Conjoint Investigation of E-Newsletter Preferences*.

Graduate student **Syidah Abdullah's** abstract was accepted for a poster presentation at the 42nd meeting of The Society for Epidemiologic Research in Anaheim, CA, June 23-26, 2009. The paper is titled *"Will Grandma Leave Too?: The Health Burden of Obesity on Custodial Grandparents."* The Society for Epidemiologic Research is considered the premier professional organization for epidemiologists in the United States. Additionally, she presented an earlier draft of this work at the Indiana Public Health Association meeting on April 8th, 2009. Her work on this project is mentored by **Dr. Haslyn Hunte**. Syidah won second place for her poster presentation in the poster competition.

**Dr. Jeffrey Haddad** co-authored a paper entitled *Relative Phase Coordination Analysis in the Assessment of Dynamic Gait Symmetry* that will be published in the **Journal of Applied Biomechanics**.

Graduate student **Thomaseo Burton** was recently recognized at the IPHA Joint National Health Week Conference called "Building the Foundation for a Healthy Indiana." He received the Stephen Jay Leadership Award for Improving Public Health in Indiana. He was selected by the HK health faculty to receive this award for 2009.

**Thank you for your responses and comments following the first issue of Pathways. It's fascinating to read about all of the different paths have taken! Here are some of the HK Alumni who contacted us.**

**1950**

**Richard A. Sollar** ('50, PE) retired from Proctor & Gamble Marketing, active in Senior Olympics track and field at age 81, married to Jean. North Bend, OH

**Kenneth Meyer** ('50 PE) New York Life, General manager, retired. 83 years old former coach and Boiler fan. Lansing, MI

**Harold R. Harris** ('56, PE) Chicago Public Schools, PE teacher/coach 38 years, retired, Lafayette Jefferson HS alum, band "Harold Harris Trio" opened for Johnny Mathis and Redd Foxx.

**Joseph Stepanek** ('57 PE) retired, New Lenox, IL

**1960**

**W.L. Harrison Jr. ('60 PE) USA Colonel, golfer, retired. Cornwall, NY**

**Dr. Kathleen Hildreth** ('63, PE), retired, member of the Thayne Senior Center Board, secretary with the Star Valley Medical Center Auxiliary. Thayne, WY

**Gary Holobek** ('64, PE, Health) Eastern Kentucky University, Driver's Ed instructor, Excellence in teaching in the USA, AAA, Outstanding Dr. Ed Teacher in KY, Richmond, KY

**Paul LaRocca** ('65, MS PE) Central Catholic HS, retired head football coach, Athletic Director, assistant principal, superintendent of Lafayette Area Catholic schools, Indiana Football Hall of Fame, '82. VP of Business and Dev/Marketing for Lafayette Bank & Trust. Married to Alice Ann 45 years. 3 sons, 7 grandchildren, Lafayette, IN

**Randall Minniear** ('66, PE) UBS Investment Bank, Executive Director, retired. Trustee NFL Dire Need Trust Member, NFL Alumni Executive Board Founding Board Member, NFL Payer Care Foundation, Easton, CT

**Judith Saxton** (67, PE) Teacher, Coach, Director of Athletics, retired, but working for the CT Interscholastic Athletic Conference, Windsor, CT

**James Schuller** ('67) retired Coldwater, MI

**Kenneth Ciosek** ('67, PE) retired, Hoffman Estates, IL

**Genelle (Fernandez) Garverick** ('68 MS Human Movement) retired, Columbia, MO

**John Hines** ('68, PE) Zionsville Community Schools, Elementary principal for 36 years, retired, Zionsville, IN

**James Kite** ('66, PE, '69 MS) CVS Pharmacy, Store Manager, retired, Indianapolis, IN

**1970**

**Michael J. Dunn** (70, PE) Ohio State University, Director of Recreational Sports, past president of the National Intramural Rec-sports Assoc., one son Aaron, 2 grandchildren, Columbus, OH

**Charles Carothers** ('70 REC) Director of Financial Aid, MacMurray College, Jacksonville, IL

**Bob Reese** ('70, PE, Health, AT) Jefferson College of Health Sciences, Associate Professor of Psychology, 25 years in NFL as an AT, E-Teacher of the year, author of "Develop the Winner's Mentality". Roanoke, VA

**Lynn Eikenbary** ('67 PE, '70 MS REC) Schaumburg School District #54, Elementary School PE Teacher, retired, Schaumburg, IL

**Tim Hollis** (72), Subaru, group leader, Lafayette, IN

**Rick Ormes** ('72, PE) Sintz and Associates, Independent Insurance Agent. Greenwood, IN

**Nancy (Gaither) Blum**, (73, PE), Apex, NC

**Kirby Stolte** ('73, PE), Monsanto, Business Development Leader, IN

**Robert Johnson** ('73) Greene County Park Board, City of Springfield, Community Recreation Outdoor Initiatives Supervisor, Springfield, MO

**Hugh Tonagel** ('73) Purdue University, Extension Educator. LaPorte, IN

**Kirby Stolte** ('73 PE) Monsanto, Business Development Lead-Eastern Corn Belt, married to Norene (Stouder), 2 children, Chad 38, Kristi 33, 4 grandchildren. Fort Wayne, IN

**Jean (Minton) Fogle** ('74 REC) Freelance photographer and writer, 1st book, Salty-Dogs : Dogs at the Beach, photo celebration of the joy dogs find at the beach. Fort Valley, VA

**Kathryn (Wolaver) Beaver** ('74 PE, Health Ed, '78 AS Nursing, '89 MS HP) South Carolina Research Authority, Nutrition Research Consortium-Grant Dev Manager, past Assistant Director of Bindley Bioscience Center at Purdue. Charleston, SC

**Becky Zaseck ('74 Physical Rec Ed) Director of REAL Services, married to Todd, 3 children-South Bend, IN**

**Linda (Leighton) Beck** ('76, PE), National Health Service, Head of Social Inclusion. 2 daughters, Jill 24 and Kirsty 22. Scotland, UK

**DeeAnn (Kennedy) Shaughnessy**, (77, PE) Lake Ridge School Corp, PE/Health Teacher, Schererville, IN

**Roger Ladd** ('77, PE) RAL Landscaping and Garden Center, President/Owner. Crown Point, IN

**Nancy (Dykstra) Williams** (78, Health/Rec), Princeton Healthcare System, Administrative Asst-Rehab services, Princeton, NJ

**Gordon Brookhart** ('79 Biomech), McCloy Financial Services, Investment specialist, 4 sons, Brandon 27, Brent 24, Bradley 22, Bryant 19- who is currently serving in Iraq. Westerville, OH

**1980**

**Linda (Gulian) Andrews** ('81 Health Ed), A.I. DuPont Hospital for Children, Area Manager-Nemours Cardiac Center, married to John, 2 children, Brian at Pur-

due, Nick at Antonelli Inst of Photograph. Medford, NJ

**Nancy (Smith) Kincaid** ('81 PE) Ted Everett Auctioneers, Independent Real Estate Broker, Martinsville, IN

**Emily Joette Webber** ('81, PE) Kokomo, IN

**Robert Otten** ('82 MS) American Medical Association, Vice President, Health Policy, Grayslake, IL

**Joanne (Dance) Greer** (83, MS Health Ed), IU Medical School, Dept of Family Medicine, retired. Daughter born 4/00. Scottsdale, AZ

**Karen Weaver** ('83 MS), Penn State University, Abington College, Director of Athletics, Intramurals and Recreation, Abington, PA

**John R. Health** ('84), retired, Lafayette, IN

**Luanne (Mihalov) Mansfield** ('84 MS EX PHYS) Upstate Fitness Consultants, Inc., President, married, 4 children, recently purchased a winery, Ho-neoye Falls, NY

**Suzanne Mone** ('84 MS Ex Science) MD, currently practicing Cardiology, Morristown, NJ

**Joanne (Nelson) Sommers** ('85 Health) Bowling Green State University, Instructor. Rudolph, OH

**Kellie Layman** ('85 PE, MS), North Dakota State University, Assistant Director Athletic Academics, Fargo, ND

**Martin Zelezinski** ('85, PE), Dept. of Homeland Security, Operations and Coordination Center Manager, married to PU grad Diane Pilarski, 2 children Fran-nie 13 & Jack 8. Houston, TX

**Marilynn (McDonald) Brooks** ('85 MSS) Health and PE teacher, Girls BB coach. Master's in '04, Ed Specialist Admin, '06, married in '87, one son, Yanni, born 6/93.

**Harvey Wallmann** ('85, MS '86) University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Chair, Dept of Physical Therapy, Henderson, NV

**Thomas Baur** ('85 EX PHYS) Virginia Military Institute, Professor of Biology, Lexington, VA

**Lisa Mion** ('85 MS Health Ed) State Farm Insurance, Life Claims Supervisor, Bloomington, IL

**Nancy (Moore) Tierney** ('85 MSS) Northwestern University, Director of Fitness/Wellness, Wilmette, IL

**Ken Hughes** ('86, PE) Rochester Community Schools, Math Teacher, Football Coach, married, 4 children ages 12,8,6 & 5. 2 time cancer survivor, Rochester, IN

**Joan Cowdery** ('86 EX PHYS) Eastern Michigan University, Assistant Professor, Ann Arbor, MI

**Ginger (Marley) Hill** ('87 MS Health Ed), Park District Management Agency, Health Risk Management Services Consultant, Naperville, IL

**Joseph Sagorsky** ('87 MS Ed), Indiana Heart Physicians, Director of Marketing and Business Development, Greenwood, IN

**Andrea (Lombardi) Whitesell** ('88, Rec), University of IL at Champaign Urbana. Urbana, IL

**Kristen (Jones) Webster** ('88, REC) married Daniel L. Webster on 6/28/08 in Crawfordsville, IN

**Jill (Gresley) Stutts** ('88 AT) USTA, Physical Therapist, Athletic Trainer, Woodland Park, CO

**Elizabeth Dexter-Wilson** ('88 MS, ED) Spring Hill College, Coordinator of Career Services, Mobile, AL

**Carla (Nixon) McGee** ('88 EX PHYS) Indiana University, Nurse Practitioner, Bloomington, IN

**Jeff Williams (BA '87, MS '89, Phys Rec Ed) married to Christine, 5 children, Zanesville, OH**

## 1990

**Kirsten (Kirby) LaMere** ('90, MSS) Gundersen Lutheran Medical Center, Athletic Trainer, Certified Golf Fitness Instructor, Holmen, WI

**Natalie (Weston) Swisher** ('93, PE) Physical Education Teacher, Southeast Fountain School Corp, Williamsport, IN

**Chad Baron** ('93 MSS) Willis Independent School District, Instructor of German, Health/PE, Head Tennis coach. Married to Amy, nursing student. 5 children Emma 4, Amanda 20, Nicole 18, Chris 14, James 10, Willis, TX

**Scott Muncy** ('93, PE) Tippecanoe School Corp, McCutcheon HS, PE Teacher, Head Boys Track Coach, Asst. FB Coach, married to Lisa, 2 children, Matt 14, Megan 12, received 20 year IFCA award in '05. Lafayette, IN

**Jeffrey DeGroot** ('93, MSS) Nightengale Home Healthcare, Physical Therapist, MS in PT from Midwestern University in Downers Grove, IL, married to Carolyn for 10 yrs, 2 children Christopher 6 and Katherine 2, expecting 3rd in June. Plainfield, IN

**Jennifer Priser** ('93, AT) married to Shannen, son Kael Owen Priser born 3/16/09, Indianapolis, IN

**Dawn (Barry-Bruner) Knight** ('94, MS Ex Phys), Nelnet, Inc, Vice President-Campus Solutions for Pacific NW, married to Ed Fertig. Parker, CO

**Heidi Burger Yamada** ('94 REC) Aurora, CO

**Ian Wood** ('94 AT) US Army, Director of Sports Medicine, US Army World Class Athlete Program. Colorado Springs, CO

**Allison (Hill) Modra** ('94, MS, HP) stay-at-home mom, daughter Beth 11, Jacob 9. Murray, UT

**Vicki Robinson** ('95) Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, Shakopee, MN

**Kirsten (Falkenburg) Stone** ('92 BA, '95 MS) IKEA, Manager, Home Organization, Husband Joe. Woodbridge, VA

**James Shirley** ('95, MSS) Montana State University, Environmental Microbiologist, son Zachariah born 10/28/06, Bozeman, MT

**Stephanie (Wicks) deOlloqui** ('96, HP) University of TN, Chattanooga, Adjunct Faculty. Hixon, TN

**Christopher Skelding** ('96) Caesar's Palace, Senior Catering/Convention Services Manager, Las Vegas, NV

**Lisa (Benz ) Scott** ('96 MS HP) Stony Brook University, Health Science Center. Associate Dean of Research, Associate Professor, married to **Blake Benz** ('94, M.HA.) in '97, two children, 7 and 3 years old. Port Jefferson, NY

**Colleen Morfoot** ('96 PE) Forest Road School, PE teacher K-6, Master's degree, 2 children. Chicago, IL

**Jenny (Thieme) Scheiderer** ('97, MSS) Select Physical Therapy, Physical Therapist, married to PU grad Pat, 2 children, Drew 4 & Abby 2. Fort Wayne, IN

**Timothy Kempf** ('88 BA, '97 PhD) married to PU English Grad, 2 sons ages 7 and 9. Palo Alto, CA

**Jennifer (Treffinger) Thompson** ('97 HP) Health Promotion Specialist, US Navy, Union Grove, WI

**Scott Smith** ('97, MSS) Eastern Hancock Community School Corp, Teacher, Coach, Greenfield, IN

**Dominique O'Neill** ('98, MSS) Paramount Pictures, Attorney, Los Angeles, CA

**Shannon Donahue** ('99 HP, H&F) Medtronic, Senior Territory Manager, works with health care professionals and patients with insulin pump therapy and glucose monitoring systems. Chicago, IL

**Andrea (Taylor) McMurtry** ('99 PE) Hamilton Southeastern Schools, Wellness Department Chair, Fishers Jr High Volleyball/Track Coach, Noblesville, IN

## 2000

**Julie Harrison** ('00 HP) Superior, CO

**Brian Pilarski** ('97, AT, '00 Health/PE) West Central School Corp, PE teacher, AT, Francesville, IN

**Kevin Horsky** ('00, MSS) Charlotte, NC

**Tara (Murcek) Stien** ('01 HF) Behavioral Specialist, Mercy Medical Center, Cedar Rapids, IA

**Matt Miller** ('01, MS) North Carolina State University, Director of Recreational Facilities, Raleigh, NC

**Kelly (Fowler) Tanner**, ('01, HF), El Paso, TX

**Jennifer Ewalt** ('01, MSS), Purdue Employees Federal Credit Union, Sales Manager, Lafayette, IN

**Danika Nice** ('01, MSS) Valley Medical Center, Pediatric Physical Therapist II, specializes in the evaluation and treatment of movement disorders, birth-21 years. Seattle, WA

**Dan Schmidt** ('02 Ph.D.) University of Wisconsin, Oshkosh, Dept Chair, Kinesiology, married to Lisa ('92) physical therapist, 3 children, Zach 17, Seth 15, Jaime 12. Oshkosh, WI

**Heather (Skertich) Kominski** ('02, HP, H&S) Henry County School Corp, teacher, McDonough, GA

**Anissa (Brown) Need**, ('03, PE, Health), Twin Lakes High School, Health and PE Teacher, 2 children, Emma 3, Ethan 1, MS in Ed from Wesleyan University, Monticello, IN

**Kelsey (Green) Wesley** ('03 HS), Lawrenceburg Community School Corp, Health Teacher, married, one son, Preston born 11/30/07. Hebron, KY

**Monica Beaman** ('03 HF, HP) RehabCare, Doctor of Physical Therapy from IU. Columbia, SC

**Shannon (Justice) Hitchcock** ('03 MSS) St Vincent, Physical Therapist, doctorate from U of Indianapolis, married to Shawn Hitchcock ('03) 2 children Abby (2) and Owen (4 mo)

**Kristin (Patterson) Kalb** ('04, MSS) Alliance Rehab, Occupational Therapist, West Lafayette, IN

**Jared Manning** ('04), Greenfield Comm School Corp, Greenfield Middle School, PE Teacher. Greenfield, IN

**Julie Cozart**, ('04, AT), Schneck Medical Center, Physical Therapist, Doctorate of PT in '07 from University of Indianapolis. Seymour, IN

**Sarah (Scheu) Jankowski** ('04), Orthopaedics & Sports Medicine, Owensboro PC, Occupational Therapy. Evansville, IN

**Rebecca Ketron** ('04), St Francis Hospital, Athletic Trainer/ RN Indianapolis, IN

**Maram (Sweis) Sabbagh** ('04, HF) Amman Acacamy, IB Stage Principal

**Stacey Trock**, ('04, HP), Newell Rubbermaid, Account Manager. San Francisco, CA

**Kjestin Woods** ('04 HP), American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network, Advocacy Specialist, Washington, DC

**Brian Dershowitz**, ('05 MS Sport Psych), Argyle Executive Forum, Director of Programming, co-owner and associate editor of BOMBIN' magazine, New York, NY

**Ebony (Jones) Gilbert** ('05), Purdue University, College of Education, Graduate Assistant, Admissions, working on MS in School Counseling, married March '07, daughter born April '07. Lafayette, IN

**Ashley (Rogers) Morris** ('05, HF) Mary Margaret Community Hospital, Community Health Improvement, 2 children, Mason & Parker. Greensburg, IN

**Megan (Gunther) Stevenart** ('05, AT), Great Plains Orthopaedics as needed/stay-at-home mom to son David born 7/24/07. Washington, IL



**Laura Stewart** ('05 Ph.D. EX PHYS) Louisiana State, Assistant Professor. married to **Russell**

**Carson** ('06, PhD. PED) also a Professor at Louisiana State. Daughter Bella Renee Carson, born 4/8/09, Baton Rouge, LA

**Kelsie Jo (Ishmeil) Muller** ('05 HP) Girl Scouts of Central Indiana, Membership Development Manager, Boswell, IN

**Anne Cox** ('06, PHD Sport Psych), Illinois State University, Assistant Professor, Husband Daryl, daughter Isabel Rose born 7/8/08. Normal, IL

**Marialena Dominguez**, ('06, HP), Benedictine University, CHES, MPH with a concentration in Administration of Health Care Institutions. Hobart, IN

**Melissa Fadler** ('06, MS Rec), Washington State University, Assistant Director of Aquatics, chair of NIRSA Aquatics Committee, CPO instructor. Pullman, WA

**Heidi Hancher-Rauch** ('06, PHD HP), University of Indianapolis, Assistant Professor, Lebanon, IN

**Megan McGrath** ('06 AT), US Olympic Training Center, Operations Intern

**Sarah Anderson** ('06, HF) YMCA of Greater Indianapolis, Health and Fitness Coordinator. Indianapolis, IN

**Matthew Peterson** ('06 PE, Health) Carmel High School, Noblesville, IN

**Matthew Cherry** ('07 MS) Hamilton Southeastern Schools, Teacher/ Coach. Fishers, IN

**Lindsey Watson**, ('07, MS) Aledo High School, Athletic Trainer. Fort Worth, TX

**Jordan "Zach" Howard** ('07, MSS) Louisville Athletic Club, Membership Manager, working on MS in PE and Health at University of Louisville. Charlestown, IN

**Elizabeth Kalicak** ('07, HP), Barnes-Jewish Hospital, Community Health Coordinator, Public Relations, St. Charles, MO

**Greg Messick** ('07), Community Health Network, Preventative Care Specialist, Fishers, IN

**Jessica Powell** (07, HF), WebMD Health Services, Quality Assurance Analyst, working on MBA at Indiana Wesleyan, Indianapolis, IN

**Audra Sanders** ('07, HF), St. Elizabeth Regional Health, Therapy Attendant, working on MS in Occupational Therapy. Indianapolis, IN

**Jorge Valdez** ('07PE) Joliet Public Schools, Dyer, IN

**Nich Lee** ('07 Ped & Admin) Yale University, Assistant Coach, Heavyweight Crew, New Haven, CT

**Alexis Chaddock** ('08, MSS, Psych) Minnesota State University, Mankato, Graduate Student, Exercise Physiology, Mankato, MN

**Angie Meeks** ('08 PE, Health Ed), Northeastern Wayne Schools, High School Health and PE Teacher, Knightstown, IN

**Trista Smith** ('08, MSS), Sacred Heart University, Doctorate of Physical Therapy Student, Stratford, CT

**Mary Sutliff** ('08 Health and PE), Lowell School, PE Teacher, VA

**David Haberman** (08, PE) Licking Valley Local School District, Health and PE Teacher/Coach, New Albany, OH

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 BIOMECH Biomechanics  
 AT Athletic Training  
 CHES Certified Health Education Specialist  
 EX PHYS Exercise Physiology  
 H F Health and Fitness  
 HS Health and Safety  
 MSS Movement and Sport Science  
 PE Physical Education  
 PED Pedagogy  
 MS Master of Science  
 MPH Master of Public Health  
 PhD Doctorate  
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