We hope you are making plans now to attend the 25th Annual FACS Alumni Luncheon to be held on April 27, 2012 at the Brewer-Hegeman Conference Center on the UCA campus!

The registration form for the luncheon and the nomination forms are included in this newsletter for your convenience.

This is an event we look forward to all year. We look forward to seeing you all at the FACS Alumni Luncheon!

Exhibits and Student

We will again showcase the work of our students with Student Organization Exhibits and Reports.

The exhibits will showcase student research and service projects for each organization. Student organization presidents will report their service and achievements for the past year:

- Brittnie Williams, American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences (AAFCS),
- Lauren Mesker, American Society of Interior Designers (ASID),
- Sarah Stephens, Phi Upsilon Omicron, and
- Brooklyn Pyburn, Student Dietetic Association (SDA).

A new endowed scholarship, the Martha Stone Harding Endowed Scholarship, was announced and awarded at the 2011 Alumni Luncheon!

Pictured above (right to left)
Martha Stone Harding, Rush and Linda Harding
Scholarships

Each year thanks to your generosity, scholarships are awarded to deserving FACS students. These scholarships make a huge impact on our students by enabling them to continue their education.

To date, approximately $150,000 has been awarded to deserving students studying FACS Education, General FACS, Interior Design, and Nutrition. Please consider making a contribution to one or more of these scholarship funds.

There are twelve scholarship funds available to FACS students including:
- Adams-Lindsay-Webb Endowed Scholarship
- Cecily Coffelt-Bullard Endowed Scholarship
- Connie Westbrook Scholarship
- Martha Stone Harding Endowed Scholarship
- Dr. Mary Harlan Scholarship
- Dr. Roy & Dollie Randleman Holl Endowed Scholarship
- Emily Oates Scholarship
- Georg Andersen Scholarship
- Grace Dupree Endowed Scholarship
- Mary Ann and Andrew Hiegel Endowed Scholarship
- National Wall-Covering Scholarship
- Nina Russ Endowed Scholarship

We will also recognize a “Friend of the Department of Family and Consumer Sciences” to recognize an individual who has contributed to our students, faculty, and programs in a meaningful way.

Past winners include UCA administrators, Advisory Council members and the UCA Division of Institutional Advancement. We are very grateful for the support of these great friends!

2011 Scholarship Recipients

Back row: Kerriann McKee, Marla Manning, Rachel Casebeer, Rebel Moore Womack, Sarah Stephens, Allison Kreimeier, Kristin Hopkins, Brooklyn Pyburn

Front row: Gina Mayfield, Audrey Justus, Sarah Keathley, Ashley Davis, Cessarina Johnson, Rebekah Lindsey, Daniella Utrera

Distinguished Service Award

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Dr. Allen Meadors

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2011 Distinguished Alumni with Rush Harding

Dr. Argie Nichols

Dr. Judi Robison

Diane Brown

Marilyn Thomas
2011 Young Achievers with Dean Hattelstad

Rachel Shell

Terrah Alexander

Jennifer Wray

Christine Bradd
As our alumni, you are a very important part of the Department of Family and Consumer Sciences at the University of Central Arkansas. Thank you for your continued support and encouragement. Plans are under-way for the TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL ALUMNI/STUDENT RECOGNITION RECEPTION/ LUNCHEON to honor our alumni and students.

Highlights include: Recognition of Alumni/Students
Address by Special Guest Speaker
Scholarship Announcements
Re-acquaintance with Former Students

Please join us and make your reservation to attend this special occasion!

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Please detach and return your registration form by APRIL 1, 2012.
Check the appropriate box, detach and return to the address listed below.
___ Yes, I (alumnus) will be able to attend the luncheon. (Enclosed is my $20.00 luncheon reservation)
___ Yes, I (student) will be able to attend the luncheon (Enclosed is my $17.00 luncheon reservation)
___ Yes, I plan to bring a guest. ($20.00 enclosed for each additional person)
___ No, I will be unable to attend, however, please include my name on future mailings.

(Please make checks payable to Family & Consumer Sciences Alumni Association.)
Upon receipt of your reservation, additional information will be mailed:

Name:__________________________________________________________________________
Address:________________________________________________________________________
Email:__________________________________________________________________________
Year of Graduation:_________________________ Degree:______________________________

Please return to: Dr. Mary Harlan
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DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI - YOUNG ACHIEVER NOMINATION FORM
Department of Family and Consumer Sciences
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Please provide as much information concerning your nominee as possible.

Name of Nominee:_________________________________________ Category: (Check One)
Address:_________________________________________________ Young Achiever:_______
_________________________________________________________ Distinguished Alumni:_______
Telephone: (Work)__________________________
(Home)__________________________
E-mail ________________________

Please enclose a copy of the nominee’s resume -OR- complete the following information -OR- PROVIDE US WITH A PHONE NUMBER TO CONTACT THE INDIVIDUAL TO OBTAIN ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

I. Professional Work Experience:
II. Professional Memberships and Offices held:
III. Professional Activities: (presentations, publications, etc.)
IV. Community Service Activities:
V. Summarize a few key points why you feel this individual should be selected.

PLEASE RETURN BY MARCH 1, 2012 TO:

Dr. Mary Harlan
Dept. of Family and Consumer Sciences Nominated by:______________________________
McAlister Hall Room 100 Telephone: (Work)______________________________
University of Central Arkansas (Home):______________________________
Conway, Arkansas 72035 E-mail:______________________________
Telephone: 501-450-5950
Fax: 501-450-5958
E-mail: maryh@uca.edu
Scholarships and Contact Information

Family and Consumer Sciences Scholarship Contribution

Please apply my contribution to the following FACS Scholarship Fund (please check one):

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___Nina Russ Endowed Scholarship
___Other (wherever the need is greatest)

My gift qualifies me for membership in (please check one):

___Coffee Club ($125-$249)
___Dean’s Club ($250-$449)
___University Club ($500-$999)
___President’s Club ($1000 or more)
___Other amount ($___________)

Please designate my contribution in honor of _________________________ or in memory of _________________________.

How to Reach Us

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