

JMU Emeriti Association



LeDhu Tynes, Ben DeGraff, Betty DeGraff, Larry Tynes at 2008 Emeriti Picnic

Mark Your Calendars...

- February 11, Luncheon Meeting at the Spotswood Country Club, 11:30 a.m.
- March 18, James Madison Day Ceremony, 2:30 p.m.
- April, Emeriti excursion
- Mid July, Emeriti Picnic

From the President's Desk...

I am happy to report that we have again set a membership record-- 130 emeriti, all very active members. Much is happening this semester. We plan to develop an emeriti brochure for campus distribution; if you have photos of us at emeriti events and are willing to share, please email me.

Your opportunity to be a star has

finally arrived with videotaping of all members for posterity. A new interest group is forming led by Tom and Jerry and our Feb. event has been planned. A special event will be held in April and, as usual, our summer picnic will be held at the JMU farm.

Read all about it.....

Nancy O'Hare

Passages

We mourn the loss of our friends, colleagues, and emeriti association members.

- Mildred Dickerson, Professor Emerita of Education
- C.B. Dix, Jr., Associate Professor Emeritus of Trade and Industrial Education
- Mae M. Frantz, Professor Emerita of Speech Communication
- Carl David Swanson, Professor Emeritus of Psychology

In order to keep this information as accurate as possible, please email to holmesmc@jmu.edu those names of faculty who pass away.

News and Notes

- The Video Archive Project is scheduled to begin this January and all emeriti members are invited to participate. This project will create a video library containing a living history record of our university. Bill Wilson is coordinating the project and if you will call him at 568-3979 to set up an appointment for videotaping it will be much appreciated.
- Remember that if you should need a ride you can always call on "Emeriti Friends" by contacting Mary Lou Wylie at wylieml@jmu.edu.

**"We have no porch,
no rocking chair - and
no time. My biggest
need is a calendar
because there are so
many things to do.
Now I encourage
people to retire - the
younger the better."
-Maurice Musholt**



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*"The school is the last
expenditure upon
which America should
be willing to
economize."
-Franklin D. Roosevelt*

Interest Groups

- **Book Club:** Rex Fuller, coordinator
Meets the second Wednesday monthly at 2:00 PM in various locations. The group is always looking for good reads and new members. E-Mail Rex at rfuller@northriver.coop to get on the distribution list.
- **Wine Tasting:** Mary Lou Wylie, coordinator
Meets monthly on Friday afternoons. The group alternates monthly wine tastings and socials. Contact Mary Lou at wylieml@jmu.edu for more information.
- **Breakfast Group:** Eileen Nelson, coordinator
Meets the second Wednesday monthly at 8:30 AM at the Harrisonburg Courtyard Marriott. The group enjoys great food, fellowship, and conversation. Contact Eileen at nelsons@jmu.edu to learn more.
- **Play Reading Interest Group:** Tom Arthur and Jerry Minskoff coordinators
This is a new interest group is forming this spring. Call Tom at 433-8588 or e-mail arthurth@jmu.edu or Jerry at 434-6973 or e-mail minskojg@jmu.edu for specific details.
- A **Travel Interest Group** is forming. If you have interest in this activity contact Mary Lou Wylie at wylieml@jmu.edu for more information.

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