

Class of 1969

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With the cold weather spring has been late arriving in Indiana but now the weather is finally warming and the red buds and dogwoods are reaching full bloom. Spring in Indiana is always so pretty. On Monday 8 April we were able to see a total eclipse

indeed spectacular! If you enlarge the eclipse picture you can see red dots around the rim of the moon. These are called "Bailey's beads", discovered in 1836. This is sun light shining through the



it goes at Wabash. Only two weeks left before finals start 29 April.

The Wabash College 186 Commencement is Saturday 11 May.

Big Bash 2024 May 31

Now is the time to begin making plans to return to the Wabash

Reunion. After a

fraternity brothers in a fun filled weekend with events, colloquia, and excellent Bon Appetit
will be the last time you will see the Sparks Center. Demolition 3 June. The book store
has already moved over to the Allen Center into a racquetball court. The student mail boxes have
moved into the armory. Following finals on 3 May the kitchen in Sparks Center closes and Bon Appetit

The following 13 Class of '69 Gentlemen have registered for Big Bash:

	Green	Bill Mabin	Doug Sparks
Richard Elson	Terry Harter	Dave Pancost	
Craig Fox	Rik Lineback	Jim Willhi	

You can register for Big Bash by going to _____

Use this link to check on lodging: _____

The Best Western Plus has a special Wabash rate for \$89, non 302 3990
ash portal does not now show the \$89 rate. Best to call.

Call the other hotels to check their availability and rates:

361 362 8884 Holiday Inn Express 765 363

On Wednesday 24 April, Wabash College will have its 2024 Day of Giving and will be reaching out to students, staff, alumni, and friends of Wabash to hopefully achieve a new record in one day of giving. Last year's 419 DOG achieved a record \$1.68 million with more than 3,570 donors, of which 435 were first

This year's goal is to achieve 5,000 gifts. Join us on 24 April as we Celebrate Wabash for an exciting day of giving! Again, give to the Annual Fund, our Dean Moore challenge, or any of the many affinity The fraternity and sports challenges always do well.

In October the Scholarship Committee awarded our Dean Moore scholarships to five Wabash men, with \$42k awarded. The following Gentlemen are our 2023 24 Dean cipients:

Avery Beaver '24	Independent	Rogge Hall	West Lafayette, IN
Jacob Irick '25	Independent	Rogge Hall	Tempe, AZ
Andrew Sinkovics '25	Independent	Martin	
Evan Stonis '26	Fraternity	Phi Kappa Psi	Naperville, IL
Austin Dalton '26	Independent	College Hall	Pimento, IN

This is Avery Beaver's third year, Austin Dalton and Andrew Sinkovics second year.

This was Avery's year playing basketball

Some Little Giant!

our Dean Moore fund over these ten years, and especially on our Days of Giving, we extend a heartfelt Thank You! and a sincere debt of gratitude. Your philanthropy and generous donations to Wabash and our Dean Moore Scholarship fund over these years have significant and greatly appreciated. Your gifts make a significant impact on Wabash men and their liberal arts education.

The Wabash basketball team completed a very good 2009 season with 13-3 in the NCAC and first year in a row, going to play in the NCAA Division III playoffs, but unfortunately losing in the first game to Coe College in OT. The Wabash wrestling team finished their season with 6 wins and 4 losses, placed second of 19 teams in the NCAA Div III central tournament, and tied for 20 of 66 teams in the NCAA Div III National championship. Sophomore James Day, 125 lb class, placed third and receive All American honors. Some Little giant! You can find a good summary of Wabash sports on pages 20-21 of your spring Wabash Magazine.

Kim Johnson and her staff always do an excellent job writing stories, taking photographs, and editing the magazine. The Spring edition is a beautiful piece of their work!

I inform you with sadness the passing of two of our classmates:

Jeff Torell, Independent, Winchester, TN, passed away 23 March from cancer. After serving with the US Army in Ethiopia he was a consultant in the aerospace industry, loved to travel, visit National Parks. After his cancer diagnosis, determined to help others, he participated in a long time member of Kiwanis and Mensa.

Larry Biestek, Kappa Sig, Huston, TX, attended two semesters at Wabash, played basketball on to Purdue majoring in industrial management, serving in the Air Force Reserves. He worked for a long time for a Presbyterian

Our thoughts and prayers go out to

the Wabash community and thousands of students for 70 years, since 1954

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The footprint of the Campus Center is essentially the same as Sparks Center but expanded forward to the building line of the Lilly library and Goodrich. The new campus Center is projected to be completed by August 2026, just in time to ring in the Class of 2030.

Again, I thank you for your support to Wabash and your generous philanthropy to help the young men of Wabash to achieve a remarkable liberal arts education. We look forward to hearing from you
It will be an interesting and fun Day!

Please keep us informed of any change in your contact information. Email Mike Warren at mike.warren@wabash.edu you, and we like you to keep in touch with Wabash! If you have any news you wish to share with our class please let me

We look forward to seeing you at _____ on 31 May and

My Best to All!!

Ken