



Hello Alumni and Friends of Lebanon Valley College,

For the next few months, the alumni e-newsletter will be sent from the Office of College Relations instead of from the Office of Alumni Programs. This is because Deb Wescott '95, assistant director of alumni programs, recently delivered a member of the Class of 2025 – think about that one. Deb and her husband, Jonathan Wescott '93 (director of residential life), became the proud parents of Abigail Rose Wescott '25 at 9:31 a.m. on Friday, May 9, 2003. Comments or suggestions regarding your e-newsletter may be sent to Tom Hanrahan, director of college relations, at [Hanrahan@lvc.edu](mailto:Hanrahan@lvc.edu).

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### **Alumni Weekend - June 13, 14 and 15, 2003**

CELEBRATE REUNIONS AND A TRADITION OF MUSIC

Things are heading into full swing in anticipation of Alumni Weekend. Read the complete [schedule](http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/events/alum-wkd03schedule.html) at (<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/events/alum-wkd03schedule.html>) and plan on attending! There is a list of all activities and there is something for everyone. Information on campus housing and local accommodations is included.

Questions can be directed to Marilyn Boeshore by calling (717) 867-6320 or 1-800-ALUMLVC, or by e-mail ([boeshore@lvc.edu](mailto:boeshore@lvc.edu)). We look forward to seeing (and hearing) you in June!

[Register](https://www.lvc.edu/alumni/registration/reg-basic.aspx?bhiw=1000) (<https://www.lvc.edu/alumni/registration/reg-basic.aspx?bhiw=1000>) for Alumni Weekend 2003 online! Click to access the [music reunion registration form](http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/events/aw03musicregform.html) (<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/events/aw03musicregform.html>) and for more details. For director biographies and notes on the music planned for the weekend, click (<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/events/alum-wkd03biosandnotes.html>). Want to know who

else is coming to the music reunion? Click (<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/events/alum-wkd03attendees.html>)!

#### BASEBALL, HOT DOGS AND LVC

Family fun and entertainment. Join fellow LVC graduates for two American pastimes – a picnic and a baseball game – and see the AA Harrisburg Senators in action. All alumni and friends are invited to attend the event to be held at Riverside Stadium on City Island in Harrisburg on August 14, 2003 beginning with the picnic at 5:35 p.m. The Senators take on the Akron Aeros at 6:35 p.m. Call 1-800-ALUMLVC to reserve your space or visit <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/events.html>.

#### REGISTER NOW FOR THE ALUMNI GOLF TOURNAMENT

To help start off Alumni Weekend, the College is hosting the annual Alumni Golf Tournament at Fairview Golf Course on Friday, June 13. Lunch will be served at noon followed by a shotgun start at 1:00 p.m. To register as a foursome or as an individual, call 1-800-ALUMLVC.

#### LVC FEATURED ON ABC'S *World News Tonight* WITH PETER JENNINGS

LVC President David Pollick and Dean of Admission and Financial Aid William Brown '79 were recently interviewed as part of a news segment that aired on *ABC World News Tonight* with Peter Jennings on Wednesday, April 30. The ABC crew spent the day on campus exploring LVC for a 2-1/2 minute feature on the College's nationally recognized presidential scholarship program. For more information on the presidential scholarship program, visit <http://www.lvc.edu/financial-aid/presidential-scholar.html>.

#### GREAT EXPECTATIONS CAMPAIGN MOVES FORWARD AS LYNCH INITIATIVE BEGINS

With the relocation of the gymnasium from the center of Lynch Memorial Hall to the North Campus, a tremendous space for learning will evolve in Lynch and allow for innovative use of that area. The revitalization plan includes converting the space once occupied by the gym into several new general-purpose, technology-enabled classrooms. Lynch also will gain a 90-seat lecture hall, faculty offices and seminar rooms for the Departments of Mathematical Sciences and Psychology, observation laboratories for psychology courses, and new facilities for the Business Administration and Economics Department, the Education Department and the new Digital Communications Program.

For more information visit [http://www.lvc.edu/campaign/lynch\\_begins.asp](http://www.lvc.edu/campaign/lynch_begins.asp)

#### LANCASTER ARTIST JEROME HERSHEY TO SHOW AT ARNOLD GALLERY

Join us as we welcome local artist Jerome Hershey and help celebrate the opening of his latest exhibit. You are also welcome to come hear the artist speak about his show. The Suzanne H. Arnold Art Gallery will present the exhibition, *Jerome Hershey: New Rose Variations and Permutations* from May 22 through June 29. An opening reception will be held at the Gallery on Friday, May 23, from 5 to 7 p.m. The artist will speak about his work on Tuesday, May 27 at 7 p.m. in the Zimmerman Recital Hall at the Gallery. All

Gallery events are free and open to the public. For more information, visit <http://www.lvc.edu/gallery>.

**CELEBRATE NEW YEAR'S EVE! MAKE A GIFT TO LVC BY JUNE 30, 2003**  
Did you know that July 1 is the beginning of a new fiscal year at Lebanon Valley College? Time is running out to have your name added to the Honor Roll of Donors that recognizes our yearly supporters. Please join thousands of alumni and friends in supporting the scholarships, academic resources and facilities that make the Valley such a special place. Use the attached link and our secure server to make your gift today. Go to <https://www.lvc.edu/advancement/online-gift-form.asp> .

**CONVERSATIONS WITH ARTISTS SET FOR MAY AT ARNOLD GALLERY**  
The first two of four 'Conversations' were a resounding success including a discussion led by LVC artist-in-residence Dan Massad that was attended by around 80 people. Join us for the final two 'Conversations' and listen as the artists themselves provide the ultimate insiders' perspective. The 2003 *Conversations with Artists* series at the Suzanne H. Arnold Art Gallery provides an intimate opportunity to listen to a prominent local artist speak about his or her work, technique and experiences. The conversations will be in the Zimmerman Recital Hall adjacent to the gallery at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 20 and Tuesday, May 27. Each conversation will be followed by a reception, during which the audience may engage in a lively discussion with the artist. The conversations are made possible by the generosity of Weik Investment Services, Inc. in Wyomissing. Admission to the *Conversations with Artists* series is free and open to the public. For more information, please contact the Suzanne H. Arnold Art Gallery at 717-867-6445 or visit <http://www.lvc.edu/gallery/conversations.html>.

**OVER 500 STUDENTS GRADUATE AT THE 134th COMMENCEMENT**  
Lebanon Valley College awarded diplomas to over 500 students during its 134th annual Commencement ceremony on Saturday, May 10. The day's ceremonies began at 9 a.m. with a baccalaureate service in Miller Chapel, where the Rev. Timothy Dewald thanked the ancient Iraqis for giving us, "Math, Writing, Beer and God." Dewald is coordinator of academic advising and community programming at the College.

At the 11 a.m. Commencement ceremony on the Henry and Gladys Arnold Field, speaker Marie Bongiovanni, chair and associate professor of English at LVC, urged graduates to explore new realms, seek varied experiences and step outside their comfort zones. In an address titled, "Write Your Own Life," she asked, "Why should your own life be any less exciting than the most compelling tales?"

During the ceremony, Dr. Ross W. Fasick '55, a member of the College's Board of Trustees since 1992 and as its chair since 1997; Dr. Carl Wigal, professor and chair of chemistry; Marion Markowicz, adjunct instructor in sociology; Matthew Russell '03 and Julia Wolfe '03 each earned prestigious awards and recognition. For more information on the Commencement ceremonies and the achievements of these honorees, visit <http://www.lvc.edu/news-events/2002-03/commencementwrap.html>.



## PROFESSOR'S NEW BOOK FINDS COMMON GROUND FOR THEOLOGY AND PHILOSOPHY

In a book that suggests a new relationship between faith and thought, and a new understanding of the relationship between theology and philosophy, Dr. Jeffrey W. Robbins, LVC assistant professor of religion and philosophy, tackles what many identify as the defining issue of contemporary philosophical theology--namely, the problem of ontotheology. *Between Faith and Thought: an Essay on the*

*Ontotheological Condition* is both an examination of the history of 20th-century religious thought, and an argument for a new, less dogmatic and less antagonistic future for philosophical theology. For more information, visit

<http://www.lvc.edu/news-events/2002-03/Robbinsbook.html>

## ATHLETICS

LVC student-athletes had another successful season with record-setting performance, coach-of-the-year honors and numerous academic awards, including a pair of district academic All-Americans (all links below). In baseball, two student athletes were named First Team Academic All-District and four players were named to the All-Commonwealth team. The women's and men's track teams had individual Middle Atlantic Conference champions. The softball team had a trio named to the All-Commonwealth team. In men's tennis, LVC was honored with the Men's Commonwealth Tennis Player of the Year, MAC Commonwealth Coach of the Year, and three All-Commonwealth selections. Finally, in golf, LVC had three finishers among the top 25 at this year's Middle Atlantic Conference Championships.

## ATHLETIC LINKS

### *Baseball*

[http://www.lvc.edu/athletics/newsFetch.aspx?id=702&table=news\\_links](http://www.lvc.edu/athletics/newsFetch.aspx?id=702&table=news_links)  
[http://www.lvc.edu/athletics/newsFetch.aspx?id=700&table=news\\_links](http://www.lvc.edu/athletics/newsFetch.aspx?id=700&table=news_links).

### *Outdoor Track*

[http://www.lvc.edu/athletics/newsFetch.aspx?id=34&table=new\\_scores\\_outdoor\\_track](http://www.lvc.edu/athletics/newsFetch.aspx?id=34&table=new_scores_outdoor_track)  
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### *Softball*

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### *Tennis*

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*Golf*

[http://www.lvc.edu/athletics/newsFetch.aspx?id=66&table=new\\_scores\\_golf](http://www.lvc.edu/athletics/newsFetch.aspx?id=66&table=new_scores_golf)

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