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DR. JOSEPH TOM, PROFESSOR *EMERITUS* OF ECONOMICS, DIES AT THE AGE OF 82

Dr. C.F. Joseph Tom, who for more than three decades taught economics at Lebanon Valley College, died Friday, Sept. 22, at his home in Cornwall Manor, Cornwall, Pa. He was 82. Tom arrived at the College in 1954 as an assistant professor, and stayed at LVC for 35 years. For more information, log on to

<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/news-events/index.aspx?id=662>.

OKTOBERFEST 2004

Don't miss Oktoberfest '04, a combination of Homecoming and Family Weekend, on October 8-9! The Classes of 1989, 1994, 1999, and 2004 will be celebrating reunions: log on to the link below to check out your class web page and send a message to your classmates on the class message board. Other events include a campus ghost tour, the 20th reunion celebration of the LVC women's volleyball team, the unveiling of the John Zola memorial, and Parent's Breakfast. Reservations are "technically" due today, but we'll be glad to take any reservations we receive online over the weekend or on Monday via the internet or the telephone (1.800.ALUM.LVC).

Log on to

<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/oktoberfest04.aspx> for a weekend schedule, reunion attendance lists and message boards, and to register online. Information on hypnotist Keith Karkut and his Friday night show is available by visiting <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/news-events/index.aspx?id=504>.

Oktoberfest Athletic Hall of Fame honors will go to Joseph T. Oxley '52, Susan Leonard McClain '92, Norman G. Lukens '51, Diane Churan Billman '90, and Robert H. Stull '62, and the '69, '70, and '75 field hockey teams will be recognized. For information on how to nominate LVC alumni for the Athletic Hall of Fame, log on to <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/halloffame-nomination.aspx>.

UNDERSTANDING YOUR INVESTMENT OPTIONS SEMINAR

Lebanon Valley College continues our "Lunch & Learn" seminars with an informative session on investing on Thursday, October 21 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Four LVC alumni, Thomas W. Weik '64, Todd Dellinger '85, M'95, Rebecca Witherite M'93, and W. Ross Young '99, have kindly offered their time and expertise to review this sometimes confusing topic. The seminar will be held in Faust Lounge of the Mund College Center and will include a free lunch to participants. To attend, please R.S.V.P. to LaRue Troutman at 717-867-6325 by Friday, October 15. We hope you can join us to learn more about your investment options. For a profile of the alumni and the businesses they represent, log on to <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/development/lunch-learn.aspx>.

NATURE OF GOD COLLOQUIUM DISCUSSION

Lebanon Valley College's 2004–05 Colloquium, God in the 21st Century, will explore the nature of the Divine in a panel discussion that brings together area clergy representing four of the world's major religions. *What's Really Real? An Inter-Religious Dialogue on the Nature of the Divine* will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 5 at 7 p.m. in Leedy Theater of the Mund College Center. For more information, go to <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/news-events/index.aspx?id=655>.

TROMBONE QUARTET TO PLAY

Novus, the resident trombone quartet of Rice University in Houston, Texas, will bring their award-winning sound to Lebanon Valley College when they perform a musical mosaic here: from classical and contemporary to ragtime and rock 'n' roll. Their performance, which is free and open to the public, will be in Lutz Hall of the Blair Music Center on Tuesday, Oct. 12 at 7:30 p.m. For more information, log on to <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/news-events/index.aspx?id=657>.

LISTER VOICE RECITAL

The audience will be invited to sing when Lebanon Valley College soprano Dr. Rebecca Lister presents a faculty voice recital. Sunday, Oct. 17 at 3 p.m. in Zimmerman Recital Hall of the Suzanne H. Arnold Gallery on the LVC campus. For more information, log on to <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/news-events/index.aspx?id=651>.

RACHMANINOV CONCERT

Sergei Rachmaninov's famous masterpiece, *Rhapsody on a Theme by Paganini for Piano and Orchestra*, will be the featured work in a concert by Dr. Shelly Moorman-Stahlman, an associate professor of music at Lebanon Valley College. The all-Rachmaninov concert, which is free and open to the public, will be Sunday, Oct. 3 at 3 p.m. in Lutz Hall of the Blair Music Center. Details may be found by visiting <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/news-events/index.aspx?id=647>.

NEW FACULTY AT THE VALLEY

Visit <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/news-events/index.aspx?id=640> for information on the new faces around campus!

ALUMNI WEEKEND '05

Next year's Alumni Weekend, set for June 10, 11, and 12, 2005, will be bigger and better than ever! The classes of 1945, 1950, 1955, 1960, 1965, 1970, 1975, 1980, 1985, 1990, 1995, and 2000 will be celebrating reunions during the weekend. Mark your calendars now for what promises to be something you can't miss! If you are a member of any reunion class and would like to participate in planning your reunion, please contact Deb Wescott '95 (dwescott@lvc.edu) or Jess Bostdorf '99 (bostdorf@lvc.edu). Being a member of your reunion committee is a great way to reconnect with old friends and the College, and it's a flexible, time-efficient, instantly gratifying way to get involved!

Information on nominating LVC alumni for College awards (presented at Alumni Weekend in June), including the Distinguished Alumni Award, Alumni Citations, the Creative Achievement Award, and the Young Alumni Award, is available by logging on to <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/alumni-awards.aspx>.

CALLING ALL CLASS OFFICERS

If you were an officer for your class at any point during your college career, we'd like to hear from you! Our records from years gone by are unfortunately full of holes, and we'd like to have a complete list of class officers. Please e-mail Deb Wescott '95 (dwescott@lvc.edu) with your name, class year, position, and the year in which you held that position.

ATHLETIC NEWS

Get all the latest on LVC athletics by logging on to <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/athletics>.

DO YOU REMEMBER?

Were there any "ghosts" on campus when you were a student? Our annual ghost tour will be held during Oktoberfest, and we have stories of strange happenings all over campus. We'd be glad to add your stories to the tour.

Please submit your answer to dwescott@lvc.edu and include your name and class year in your message. Thanks!

DO YOU KNOW?

What was the name of the student who passed away after playing in the Drexel football game in September 1961?

(Hint: <http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/zola/index.aspx>)

(Please submit one answer only to dwescott@lvc.edu and include your name and class year in your message.)

Everyone who answers the trivia question correctly will receive a small token of appreciation for participating in the trivia challenge. As always, all answers will receive a personal response and confirmation of the correct answer.

The last trivia question was ... What was the name of the campus organization whose members helped "initiate" the freshman class by way of air raid day, etc.?

Answer ... The White Hats.

The answer to this month's question will be posted soon on

<http://www.lvc.edu/alumni/tracker.aspx?url=http://www.lvc.edu/alumni>.

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