

ALUMNI Bulletin

A RESOURCE FOR BRYANT COLLEGE ALUMNI

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

This issue of our alumni newsletter marks the first in our new format. We've changed the name and style to what we think is a more contemporary reflection of today's Bryant. We've kept the essential elements that you've told us are important: calendar of events, marriages, births and chapter news, but we are presenting it to you in a new design. We hope you like it! Give us your feedback via e-mail: alumni@bryant.edu or call us at (401) 232-6040.

ALUMNI DIRECTORY UPDATE

Soon locating your old friends will be as easy as turning a page or turning on your computer – with the 1998 Bryant College Alumni Directory, in hard copy or CD Rom version. Exclusively for Bryant College alumni, this directory will be available on a reserved basis only. Representatives of the Harris Publishing Company will be calling you **beginning April 6** to take your order. Alumni names, addresses, telephone numbers, current occupations, business information and e-mail addresses will be printed in the directory: you will be able to find your friends by last name, by class, or by geographic location. So whether you're relocating, starting a new business or simply want to call your old friends, you'll have all the information you need. But only if you act now! Only prepublication orders will be guaranteed. If you have any questions about the directory or the information to be published, please contact **Harris Directory Publishing at 1-800-860-9093.**

Alumni Weekend Update '98

"We're looking forward to a record attendance and a full weekend of activities: family fun, old friends, and a chance to enjoy Bryant's first rate facilities. There are many exciting changes that have taken place since we graduated, and we want to share them with as many of you as possible. I'm excited about our Reunion Program this year, and delighted to be a part of it." – *Jim Gibney '68, General Reunion Chair*

Class of 1988 - 10th reunion: Committee members met at **Paul Kelly's** office to finalize plans for their class event on Saturday, June 6th. The 10th reunion outdoor festival will feature the Cape Cod AllStars for alumni and their guests, as well as entertainment for the children. Child care will also be available later in the day so that parents will be able to relax and attend the evening's activities. On-campus housing is available, with plans to house the class together for maximum fun. Plans also include sending special invitations to the following class favorites: *Pat Keeley, John Jolley, Leo Mahoney, Ron DiBattista, Bill O'Hara, "Pete" Peterman, Ron Deluga and Coach Reall.* If you haven't heard from the committee, contact **Karen (Gallo) Riddell** at (617) 522-3619 or **Bob McCaffrey** at (617) 469-3603 – they want to hear from you!



Making plans for the 10th reunion are l-r: Bob McCaffrey, Paul Kelly, Susan Ghize-Vanliew, and Karen (Gallo) Riddell.

Class of 1973 - 25th reunion: Remember the times spent under the Rotunda dome? Remember Louie's? The Class of 1973 is **inviting all 70s alumni** to join them again for a look back at this funky decade. Entertainment will be provided by a 70s specialist – so fasten your seatbelts, you're in store for some nostalgic surprises! The Committee is planning to share memorable moments from each class, as well as songs that were popular during your Bryant days. Calling all Greeks and independents – **the plan is a casual one:**

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Mergers

Alda Braga Machado '43 to George Schladensky on 7/5/97
 Howard J. Siegal '77 to Lois Stolzenberg on 6/22/97
 Vincent L. Smith Jr. '77 to Maria Procaccini on 10/25/97
 Lynn M. Casale '82 to Edward Tetreault on 8/31/97
 Donna R. Chace '84, '88MBA to Raymond Larson on 8/10/97
 Donna M. Esposito '86 to Jason Yong on 8/30/97
 Robert G. Panczak '86 to Lisa Johnson on 10/17/97
 Paula A. Pezzullo '86 to Michael Lucia on 9/6/97
 Gregory Derderian '87 to Bethany Bonczek on 9/14/97
 Maria D. DeRita '87 to David Ferreira on 11/15/97
 Karen L. Gallo '88 to Lawrence Riddell Jr. on 9/27/97
 Lynn M. Gardner '88 to Timothy Breitenbach on 8/30/97
 Kimberley A. Gloria '88 to Scott Slowik on 10/18/97
 Joseph T. Shannon '88 to Linda Cenicola on 6/14/97
 Michelle J. Ledoux '89 to Denis Robinson on 10/11/97
 Karen J. Santucci '89 to David Rizzo on 10/5/97
 Todd A. Walls '89 to Lorraine S. Pallotta '92 on 10/11/97
 Michael V. Caleo '90 to Janeen M. Canal '90 on 10/17/97
 Vivian de Mello '90 to Christopher Strukus on 9/25/97
 Kathleen M. Dolnier '90 to Dale Martin on 9/6/97
 Barbara J. Mezzatesta '90 to Robert Sobolisky on 6/6/97
 Kimberley S. O'Connell '90 to Kevin Kanzler on 1/24/98
 Janine L. Tetreault '90, '94 to Scott Parker on 6/7/97
 Kimberley P. Barrett '91 to Kent McCord on 9/27/97
 Kimberly J. Borges '91 to Sean Lannigan on 9/6/97
 Anne M. Child '91 to Gregory J. Tyimok '92 on 9/20/97
 Stacie A. Cohen '91 to Timothy Williams on 9/14/97
 Randy V. Dumont '91 to Christine Arvanites on 9/6/97
 Steven J. Hubbard '91 to Jewell McLain on 5/24/97
 Doreen B. Isadore '91 to William Fontes on 11/22/97
 Jaimye M. Wright '91, '95MBA to Brian Levine on 6/28/97
 Lori A. Anter '92 to Jeffrey Janton on 9/6/97
 Joseph B. Bombard '92 to Jennifer Carew on 7/18/97
 Peter A. Carlisle '92 to Lisa Gagliardi on 9/20/97
 Peter A. Ceresa '92 to Yvonne Ingamells on 10/5/97
 Tamara L. Claffey '92 to Geoffrey O. Wrenn '92 on 10/24/97
 James P. Bergeron '92 to Teresa Hoskins on 10/18/97
 Marina S. DeNicolo '92 to Raymond T. Dunne '92 on 8/23/97
 Noelle L. Emmette '92 to David Raymond on 9/13/97
 Misti R. Leonard '92 to David Pechaski on 10/18/97
 Kathleen E. Libby '92 to Kenneth Amonte on 10/11/97
 Julie M. Mias '92 to John Parenteau on 9/20/97
 David P. Ogiba '92 to Laura Calaway on 5/10/97
 Kimberly-Ann Rego '92 to Robert Eddleston on 9/6/97
 Lisa A. Saglio '92 to Dante Casinelli on 11/2/97
 James W. Sisk '92 to Regina M. Bernard '93 on 12/1/97
 Sharon D. Suchecki '92 to David Jondrow on 5/31/97
 Marc A. Varricchio '92 to Sharon Ryall on 11/1/97
 Michael E. Anderson '93 to Donna Perna on 6/28/97
 Lisa A. DeLuca '93 to Scott Grenon on 10/5/97
 Jennifer A. Duggan '93 to Andrew Malatesta on 9/20/97
 Melissa L. Ernst '93 to Michael Escobar on 4/5/97
 Steven M. Justo '93 to Jennifer Cannillo on 9/28/97
 Scott D. McQuiston '93 to Ann Marie Piwko on 9/27/97
 Tammy St. Pierre '93 to Darryl K. Marshall '94 on 8/23/97
 Craig A. DiForte '94 to Jill L. Storey '94 on 9/7/97
 Keith D. Hanson '94 to Laura J. Zegzdryn '95 on 9/13/97
 Richard R. Pelosi '94 to Michelle M. Barbato '95 on 11/15/97
 Karen A. Thorn '94 to Matthew J. Putvinski '95 on 9/20/97
 Michael J. Tiberii '94 to Beatrice Ameen on 5/31/97
 James J. Boland Jr. '95 to Kristen Sullivan on 8/30/97
 David A. Frezza Jr. '95 to Kerri Cavanaugh on 8/23/97
 Jeremy D. Horowitz '95 to Megan Dalpe on 9/20/97
 Craig W. Picard '95 to Jennifer Beaudet on 8/9/97
 Virginia Blin '96MBA to Jason Forget on 10/26/97
 Lisa M. Camastro '96 to Lou Piccirilli on 9/27/97
 Gail M. Giambazi '96MBA to James McCarthy on 7/19/97
 Michael J. Trask '96 to Kathleen A'Hearn on 8/30/97
 Richard J. Vogler '96 to Heather Rogers on 12/27/97
 Maria Cecchi '97MBA to Joseph M. Pedorella '97MBA on 10/11/97
 Glenn R. Clark '97MBA to Michelle Cruz on 10/25/97
 Meghan M. Fraleigh '97 to Brian Parker on 7/26/97

Membership Services

"Your Career - What's Next?" A Conference for Alumni

Are you a young professional re-assessing your next job move?
 Are you a mid-career professional re-evaluating career choices?
 Are you interested in investigating a variety of work options?

Then this Alumni Conference is for you! Join us on April 25 at Brandeis University in Waltham, MA for a day-long conference sponsored by a seven-institution consortium: Bryant, Babson, Bentley, Stonehill, Brandeis, Boston College, Suffolk University, and Tufts University. Keynote speaker will be Dr. Sam Osherson, a noted psychologist and teacher specializing in career issues, who will discuss "Revitalizing Your Career." In addition to representatives from professional associations who will be on hand to assist you in the networking process, you will have an opportunity to participate in workshops on resume writing, interviewing and salary negotiation, using technology in the job search, balancing work and family, among others. Fee is \$45 and includes lunch. (This conference is not open to the public.) **For registration information, contact the Office of Career Services at (401) 232-6090.**

Weekend Update '98 (cont.)

jeans, a buffet dinner, dance contests, and good music. Wear your tie-dyed shirts and love beads. Several former professors have also been invited to join the fun. The list of alumni planning to come grows daily - why not join them?

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| <i>Frank Amodeo '75 (BSC)</i> | <i>Bob Berk '73 (BSC)</i> |
| <i>Annie (Logiudice) Brereton '76*</i> | <i>John Brereton '73 (TKE)</i> |
| <i>Ken Bowman '76 (TKE)</i> | <i>Nancy (Middleton) Buckley '76 (SIX)</i> |
| <i>Jim Buckley '76*</i> | <i>Anthony Camilleri '77 (PSN)</i> |
| <i>Claudia (Scalise) Chaffee '73 (SIB)</i> | <i>Donna (Di Chiara) Cosenza '76 (SIB)</i> |
| <i>Paul Choutka '73 (BSC)</i> | <i>Susan Coassin '74 (SIB)</i> |
| <i>Madeline (Disanto) Cole '74 (SIB)</i> | <i>Scott "Hip" Daly '74 (BSC)</i> |
| <i>Mark DeSantis '72 (BSC)</i> | <i>Paula (Silva) Devine '75 (SIB)</i> |
| <i>Dan Doherty '73 (BSC)</i> | <i>Mike Doherty '72 (BSC)</i> |
| <i>Lori (Malamed) Doris '73 (SIB)</i> | <i>Carol (Malone) Farmer '76*</i> |
| <i>Frank Godfrey '78 (BSC)</i> | <i>Sam Greco '73 (TKE)</i> |
| <i>Bob Griggs '73 (BSC)</i> | <i>Patricia (Murphy) Hawksley '74 (SIB)</i> |
| <i>Mark Hyde '72 (BSC)</i> | <i>Patricia (Cody) Lyons '74 (SIX)</i> |
| <i>Rich "Stretch" Komita '73 (DSP)</i> | <i>Tina (Buda) Lavery '77 (SIB)</i> |
| <i>Bridget Mahon '75 (SIB)</i> | <i>Bill Marshall '73 (BSC)</i> |
| <i>Joe Miller '73 (DSC)</i> | <i>Ted McCallum '73 (BSC)</i> |
| <i>Marianna (Massed) McKim '75 (SIX)</i> | <i>Mike McGregor '74 (DSC)</i> |
| <i>Nancy McHugh '76*</i> | <i>Ed McSorley '73 (KT)</i> |
| <i>Emil Morales '74 (BSC)</i> | <i>Beverly Stukas '77 (SIB)</i> |
| <i>Judy Panetta '76 (SIB)</i> | <i>Steve Pascarella '77 '87MST (TE)</i> |
| <i>Robert Rhault '74*</i> | <i>Bill Rehm '73 (BSC)</i> |
| <i>Linda (Leopold) Rhault '73 (APK)</i> | <i>Lloyd Robertson '73 '79MBA (TKE)</i> |
| <i>Susan (Ricci) Robertson '73 (SIB)</i> | <i>Kevin Ross '74 (BSC)</i> |
| <i>Donna (Labbadia) Searles '76 (SIB)</i> | <i>Jon Sikorski '74 (DSC)</i> |
| <i>Joe "Tiny" Smeltz '76*</i> | <i>Claudia (McElroy) Spagnola '74 (SIB)</i> |
| <i>Jim Verraster '77 (PEP)</i> | <i>Andy Vidra '73 (BSC)</i> |
| <i>*Independent</i> | <i>Richard Wontka '72 (TKE)</i> |

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Weekend Update '98 (cont.)

Class of 1958 - 40th reunion: Chairman **Peter Barilla** is actively contacting as many classmates as he can to assure a good turnout for this milestone reunion. The Class of 1958 will get together on Friday, June 5 for a class cocktail party, to give everyone a chance to get reacquainted. "58ers" will then gather again on Saturday night with other classes for the Alumni Dinner. In between, you'll have an opportunity to see how Bryant has grown, to take part in workshops, athletic events, or an outdoor festival. The Class of 1958 is also one of the classes without a class flag, which Peter would like to change. If you would like to see your class recognized with a flag that will hang in the main building during this and all future reunions, contact Peter at (401) 434-8253 or call Paula Iacono in the Alumni Relations Office at (401) 232-6041. All class flag donations are welcome and appreciated. Joining Peter in planning the 40th reunion activity are **John Viola, Rob Beaudoin, Paul Alexander and Marilyn (Jenkins) Alexander**.

Class of 1948 - 50th reunion: Chairpersons **Rita (Saccoccia) Anderson** and **Gloria (Sabetta) Gardner** are planning a wonderful golden anniversary dinner for Friday, June 5 on campus. Members of the Class will be inducted into the Loyal Guard of Bryant College as part of their class reunion activity. Several special mementos and a commemorative class book are planned exclusively for the 50th class. **Gloria** and **Rita** will be mailing everyone a letter with a questionnaire which will be the basis for the Class Book. Please take a moment to fill it out and return it to the College, so that your information will be included. In the meantime, mark your calendar for Friday, June 5 - your 50th anniversary celebration!

Class of 1993 - 5th reunion: The name's been changed from "The Comfort" to "The Cornerstone" but the memories remain. Come back for your 5th reunion at the old "Comfort". It's a casual evening on Friday, June 5 exclusively for the Class of 1993. Your Class Committee members **Mike Deotte, Sue Haley, Shannon Dunnigan, Cindy Gale, Suzy Oliveira,** and **Rebecca Flori** invite you to come for the whole weekend: the Class of 1993 needs a team for Saturday morning's road race, and they are planning quite a few tables for the 5th reunion class for Saturday night's dinner, with lots of surprises in store. If you would like to help contact your old friends, call the Alumni Relations Office at (401) 232-6041. The Class of 1993 will be housed together if reservations are received on time. Reserve early for best results!



Shannon Dunnigan, Mike Deotte, and Sue Haley are reaching out to the Class of 1993.

Increase In Annual Support Reported

Alumni, parents and friends are supporting the College and its future as never before, reports trustee Joseph T. Duffy '69, Chair of the Institutional Advancement Committee of the Board of Trustees. Highlights shared at the January Board meeting include:

- Operating fund goal for the year is \$814,000 of which 48% has already been committed.
- Total dollars are up **76%** for fiscal year 1998 (August 1, 1997-July 31, 1998).
- Alumni commitments have **increased 125%** over the same period for 1997.
- The number of alumni making commitments **increased by 33%**.
- Participation among parents has more than doubled, with total gifts to date at **\$32,120**.
- The telefund program has raised \$211,396 in individual gifts and pledges as of January, 1998.
- The President's Leadership Council (\$1000+ donors) has welcomed **53 new members** since August 1; goal was to reach 50 new members by July 31, 1998.

For information about making **your** gift to Bryant College, please call the Development Office at (401) 232-6252.

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Alumni Chapter Spotlight

NEW YORK CHAPTER

On January 8 alumni and students were treated to an inside look at what it's really like behind the scenes with three prominent alumni in diverse professions. This inaugural program was created to provide an opportunity for current Bryant students to experience Manhattan and network with alumni prior to their active job search. By all accounts, it was a successful event. Students were advised:

"Don't overlook opportunities with little known and smaller companies. When I started with STC in 1979 at a salary of \$13,000, I opened the mail and made the coffee. We now have over 100 employees with training programs in London, Hawaii and Hong Kong." **Paul Weisman '79, President & COO of Securities and Training Corporation**

"I was given an opportunity through networks to succeed. I had to work hard and learn, and not be afraid to ask questions. I never said 'no' to an assignment, no matter what it was." **Brien McDonald '84, Producer, "Inside the NFL," HBO Sports**

Students and alumni had plenty of opportunity to interact before the speaking panel shared their insights:

An added feature was the drawing for two tickets to the U.S. Open, donated by **Dave Goodman '89**, Executive Director of the Eastern Tennis Association, one of the presenters, and won by student **Rob Kurisko '98**, a marketing major from Trenton, NJ.



Senior Rob Kurisko is congratulated by Dave Goodman '89 as the lucky winner of the 1998 U.S. Open tickets at the New York Alumni Chapter event on January 8 at the Marriott East.

Due to positive student and alumni feedback, chapter officers are considering making this an annual event. Among the student comments:

"An excellent program! I learned a lot from everyone here tonight."

Sean Kenny '98

"I hope this becomes a regular program, so that other students have this opportunity."

Rob Kurisko '98

"I really enjoyed it. And I felt very welcome by the alumni."

Stephanie Zanfagna '98

Special thanks to Chapter Treasurer **Carolyn Crouch '94** for on-site coordination of this great event.

Acquisitions

Ian James to **Stephen J. '81 and Joann Lawrence** on 7/16/97
Katherine Anne to **Nicholas A. '82 and Susan (Caprio) DeCarlo '82** on 5/30/97
Zachary George to **George F. III '82, '92MST and Cynthia Warner** on 1/7/97
Ashley Catherine to **Christopher J. '83 and Susan (Engels) Denmark '84** on 1/31/97
Mark Nelson to **Frank J. Jr. '83 and Mary D'Ostilio** on 7/6/97
Edina Sophie to **Jeffrey D. '83 and Amy (Clark) Lemkin '84** on 10/24/97
Elaina Lloyd to **Edward J. Jr. '83 and Barbara Greene-Madden** on 3/28/97
Lauren Rose to **Richard A. '83 and Linda Pelaia** on 12/19/97
Matthew Thomas and Scott Zachary to **Mary (Lehtinen) '84 and Robert Brauer** on 9/23/97
Allison Susan to **John C. Jr. '86 and Wendy (Bullock) Burns '86** on 5/23/97
Jack Morgan to **David A. '86 and Betsey Pashayan** on 10/14/97
Nicholas Richard to **Erica (Cahoon) '87 and Robert Campagna** on 10/23/97
Ariana Nicole to **Ralph M. '87 and Lisa Ciunci** on 1/27/98
Bailey Nicole to **Kimberly (Starrett) '87 and Scott Knous** on 12/29/97
Megan Mae and Ashley Victoria to **Lori (Hoenes) '87 and Daniel LeBlanc** on 7/3/97
Evan Tyler to **Richard A. '88 and Bonnie Birns** on 6/8/97
David Alexander to **Dyana (Kanevski) '88 and John T. Bogdan '88** on 3/3/97
Vincent Christian to **Deborah (Case) '88 and John Brigada** on 1/29/98
Ian Patrick to **Kimberley (Bryant) '88 and Scott Cady** on 2/28/97
Marc Victor to **Scott R. '88 and Pia Dobos** on 10/3/97
Stephanie Danielle to **Eric R. '88 and Linda (Syphers) Greene '88** on 4/30/97
Joseph Nash to **Anne (Belanger) '88 and A. Joseph Guyotte** on 7/29/97
Katherine Anne to **Christopher R. '88 and Morgan Lewis** on 4/2/97
Robert John to **Dawn (Mudrick) '88 and Robert Noel** on 8/25/97
Brian Andrew to **Kristen (Bryant) '88 and Dan Patterson** on 5/7/97
Audrey Ruth to **David R. '88 and Robin Penn** born 10/30/95 and adopted 9/26/97
Chelsea Lynne to **Janet (Magliozzi) '88 and Dennis Reis** on 4/23/97
Thomas John to **Douglas G. '89 and Karen (Tennant) Battaglini '89** on 8/23/97
Robert Tyler to **Allison (Willett) '89 and Robert Trudeau** on 9/14/97
Trevor James to **Kevin '90 and Suzanne (Fonner) MacDonald '90** on 10/13/97
Peter Gustav to **Steven P. '90 and Michelle (Kuczma) Vogt '91** on 10/6/97
Jamie Nicole to **Neal N. '91 and Julianne (Paul) Beliveau '94** on 5/31/97
Bailey Katherine to **Andeen (Tarrant) '91 and Kevin Fischer** on 9/27/97
Miranda Paige and Alexa Marie to **Jeffrey M. '91 and Raquel Landry** on 10/17/97
Andrew Squillante to **Brian D. '92 and Lisa Esten** on 1/17/97
Christina Nicole to **Robert W. Jr. '92 and Heidi McManus** on 6/14/97
Marina Carmel to **Kevin M. '93 and Melina Lajoie** on 6/26/97
Alex Joseph to **Drew A. '95 and Meredith Diskin** on 1/16/98

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Bulldog Bullets

- The women's volleyball team reached the NCAA Division II Tournament for the second time in four years this fall. The Bulldogs, who lost to New Haven 3 to 1 in the tournament, were the only non-scholarship team in the 32-team field.
- The men's golf team, currently ranked 22nd in the division, shoot for their 12th consecutive NCAA Division II Tournament bid this spring.
- For all the latest Bulldog scores, call the **Bryant College Sports Hotline at (401) 232-6736**.
- One of Division II's brightest young women's basketball stars is Bryant's Heather Chase. The first-year player won the Northeast-10 Freshman of the Week six times this winter, eclipsing Liz Davies '96 (Bryant's all-time leading scorer) record of five established in the 1992-93 season. Fellow freshmen Ali Curry and Stephanie Tobey also were honored as conference freshmen of the week this season.
- The winter track team posted a solid winter season. Adam Gray and Jackie Ely both broke school records at the Wheaton Invitational. As of press time, six Bryant athletes had qualified for the prestigious ECAC Division II championships, and one, Abednego Dahn, had already qualified for the New England Indoor Championship.

COMING UP:

**Bulldog
Football -
Fall 1998
Join us for
the inau-
gural game
on Saturday,
September 26!**



Alumni Chapter Spotlight (cont.)

NETWORKING.....NEW YORK STYLE

Business cards were exchanged, resumes were distributed, and relationships begun at the first Alumni/Student Networking Breakfast held in Manhattan on January 12. The Office of Career Services hosted some of Bryant's finest young alumni along with an eager group of current Bryant students. This event was held in conjunction with "Careers '98", an annual job fair. Many thanks to the alumni in attendance: **Heather Hartwick '97, Jennie Lynn Rice '94, Jennifer Quinn '95, Joe Finocchiaro '96, Jeni Gordineer '97, Rob Fontanella '95, Peter Vermette '97, Scott Kauffman '96, Francesco Piovonetti '95, Rob Covino '92, Eric Mischel '89, Dale Murawski '96, Susan Kuney '96, and Kristin Sewall '96.**



Networking Breakfast Participants

COMING UP.....Plans are underway for the next New York Chapter get-together: **Thursday, April 23 at the Downtown Athletic Club** (home of the Heisman trophy): join Bryant's new football coach **Jim Miceli** for a look at his recruiting efforts and plans for the inaugural football season. Don't miss it! To add your name to the mailing list, contact Vicki Paquin in the Alumni Office at vpaquin@bryant.edu or call (401) 232-6041.

RI CHAPTER

It was Bryant Bulldogs vs. Bentley Falcons at home – and Coach Ed Reilly's Men's Basketball team had an outstanding showing. Final score: Bentley 91-Bryant 85. Prior to the game, the RI Chapter hosted their first reception in the new Bulldog Room (second floor, MAC/GYM) for area alumni and their families. Black and gold t-shirts were given to the attendees who cheered the Bulldogs on.

The RI Chapter Steering Committee is in the process of gathering nominations for chapter officers for election in May to a two-year term.

Mark your calendar for **Sunday, May 3**: The RI Chapter invites you to attend "**CHICAGO**" at the Providence Performing Arts Center at 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$40 per person. Reserve early for best seats! Call the Alumni Office at (401) 232-6041.

Dateline

- March 7** National Alumni Council, Reunion Committee Chairs, and Alumni Awards Selection Committee Meetings on campus
- March 18** New York Chapter Meeting, 6:30 p.m. HSBC, 140 Broadway
- March 27** SAA Alumni Day II
- March 27-29** SAA/SF District I Conference at UMASS Amherst
- April 4** GMAT Review Course begins. For info call (401) 232-6000.
- April 6** Alumni Directory Telephone Verification Phase Begins
- April 23** GO BULLDOGS! New York Alumni Chapter Reception with guest speaker Jim Miceli, head football coach, at the Downtown Athletic Club, 19 West Street, NYC at 6:30 p.m.
- May 3** Bryant Night at the Providence Performing Arts Center for CHICAGO, the Broadway musical, at 7 p.m. Tickets are available by calling (401) 232-6041. Sponsored by the RI Chapter, Bryant College Alumni Association.
- May 15** Graduate School Commencement
- May 16** Undergraduate School Commencement
- June 5-7** Alumni Weekend '98
- July 30** NY Chapter Harbor Cruise (tentative date)
- Sept. 25-27** Homecoming Weekend '98

Weekend Update '98 (cont.)

Class Flags - The Tradition Continues

In 1988, the late George J. Kelley '39 '69H established a fund for the purchase of a flag for the senior class each year. The flag is designed by representatives of the Senior Class and proudly carried during the commencement procession; it's then hung in the Rotunda each year for Alumni Weekend. He also challenged each reunion class to follow his lead by funding a flag for their class.

Reunion Class Committees are encouraged to meet this challenge by designing and funding their own class flags. Reunion classes currently not represented are: 1948, 1958, 1968, 1973, 1978, 1983 and 1988.



The class flag leads the procession each year at Commencement.

For more information or to volunteer for reunion, contact us via
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