

# From the Hill



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## Rosary Hall



As the College prepares to observe the 80th anniversary of its opening, it also notes the centennial of Rosary Hall, the first building the Dominican Sisters of St. Mary of the Springs purchased for the College. Designed by Peabody & Stearns of Boston in 1904 for the Stoddard family, the house, originally called "Tenacres," was completed in 1906.

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# Sister Marie Louise Hubert, O.P.

*On March 2, Sister Marie Louise Hubert, president of Albertus from 1956 to 1971, died at the Mohun Health Center of the Congregation of St. Mary of the Springs, Columbus, Ohio. She would have been 91 in June. President Julia M. McNamara offered this tribute to her at the March 5 funeral service in Columbus.*

It is a privilege to bring greetings from the Albertus Magnus College Community—from the Dominican Sisters, the trustees, the faculty and staff, the students and the alumni—on this day when we celebrate and remember Sister Marie Louise Hubert, O.P. We at Albertus cherish our long and fruitful relationship with the Congregation of St. Mary of the Springs whose members founded the College in 1925 and continue to support and strengthen its mission and purpose. Many persons have eagerly contributed to these reflections about the life and commitment of a woman who embraced the Dominican motto *~Contemplata aliis tradere~* and who effectively preached it in word and deed for nearly 60 years in New Haven.

These reflections criss-cross her Albertus years; and they end up where they should—as a brief tribute to a great woman’s purposeful, prayerful and fulfilled life on this earth. In 1972, on the day that Sister Marie Louise Hubert, O.P., was formally received into the Order of the Star of Italian Solidarity by permission of the President of the Republic of Italy, the official presenter stressed her *courage of commitment* as the essential quality of Sister Marie Louise’s personal style. Indeed, one does marvel at the consistency and clarity which emerged in her work and service during each and every phase of her Albertus years. Consider her scholarly and professional work as professor of French Language and Literature. Her serious engagement with the text itself (so critical to all literary study) enabled her students to emulate the depth and quality of her research while encouraging them in their own pursuit of this aspect of truth.

In an e-mail received on Thursday at Albertus, two of her 1997 students recalled that she “really kept us on our toes” and made French class a very exciting experience. They then added, “Of course, you would never go to class unprepared; and you *never* cut class because there were only two of us in the class with Sister Marie Louise!” A 1991 graduate, now a New York attorney, has commented that “ML” had been a national treasure in residence at Albertus; and that her thoughtful approach and the valuable lessons learned through the study of French literature with Marie Louise had stood her in good stead in law school. Such testimonials have been received from students who knew her in 1942 when she arrived at Albertus right up through 2000. The fact is that Marie Louise saw those students as her treasures, too.

When called to assume administrative leadership at the College, (quite literally so, for the then Mother General who resided in Columbus, Ohio, telephoned Sister Marie Louise one summer’s day to announce: “You are now to be president...”), she responded affirmatively and with faith and some trepidation. Thus, in 1956 when the College was 31 years old and she about a decade older, Sister Marie Louise began her years of leadership which resulted in the successful and Board-planned expansion of the College’s facilities. What are now the key buildings on campus were constructed during her dynamic presidency along with the acquisition of several Prospect Hill properties that today give the campus its charming look and style.



Under Marie Louise’s leadership, Albertus flourished and, as is always necessary in this life of ours, changed with the times. Whether the road was smooth or rocky, often the latter in the late 1960’s and early seventies, both nationally and internationally, her commitment to the basic mission of the College, the search for truth in all dimensions, remained firm. She envisioned a vibrant Albertus and pursued that objective relentlessly in the company of distinguished and talented colleagues on the faculty. At the end of her presidency in 1971, she often spoke and wrote about the need for institutions to adapt and to change—to consider “the signs of the times.”

Marie Louise’s personal *courage of commitment* was also manifest during her move to a “new phase of her career” which was at least as busy and engaging as the first one. After a brief sabbatical, she returned to the College to teach, to create the Office of Institutional Research and to direct it for nearly 30 years; and to found the Begin Again evening and weekend program for adults who wished to pursue an academic degree. Early on, she grasped the importance of this trend in higher education; eventually, what she started led to the College’s commitment to current adult learning programs.

While it was always evident that *fidelity* to the *mission* of Albertus was most important to her, it was also true that she (and all of the Dominican Sisters who have served at Albertus) really “got it” about adapting to new challenges and conditions and to “moving forward.” Colleges and universities, communities of persons whose purposes are truly noble, flourish when grounded in faithful and loyal support; for this type of enthusiasm is a virtual endowment of spiritual riches. Lulu understood this and, for many years, personified this concept at the College.

These reflections conclude where her academic work began. For Sister Marie Louise’s overall contributions at Albertus find expression in the result of her doctoral work at Yale where she explored the “interior foyer of Pascal’s thought,” as she succinctly described her thesis. This distinguished academic effort, begun as the culminating academic exercise of a young scholar teacher, was eventually published by the Yale University Press and by the Presses Universitaires de France à Paris as “Pascal’s Unfinished Apology,” the third volume of Yale’s French Romance Series. Throughout the text, Sister Marie Louise considers the structure and significance of the *Pensées* of Blaise Pascal and seeks to understand the purpose of these often confusing, often brilliant, sometimes seemingly meaningless jottings. Her honest and straightforward conclusion about her research efforts gives us a bright glimpse of her career-long personal style and conviction about mission and service. She writes: “As yet, the work is far from complete. There is always room for fresh, critical approval; for original investigation which may help to clarify the problem and eventually reach a solution.” Her at once intellectual, spiritual and practical approach to her Dominican religious life, to her academic work, and to her years of leadership at Albertus provides those of us who have come after her with a strong legacy and many reasons to be grateful to God for the gift of her life and service. *Merci bien, cherè Soeur; au revoir et adieu.*

# Reunion 2005

## Reunion 2005—Schedule of Events Saturday, June 11

Time	Event	Location
10:00	Registration begins; Coffee and... Bookstore open Athletic facilities open	CC CC
10:30–11:30	Alumni College—Special Presentation New Academic Center: ALIVE!	TA
11:30–2:00	BBQ Picnic—children/families welcome Featuring food, live musical entertainment, Frisbee, Badminton, and more... <i>Special tent area: for 50th and post 50th reunion classes or just for those who prefer to be out of the sun</i>	Aquinas Lawn (rain/CCDH)
2:00–4:00	Afternoon Activities • Campus Tour, dorms open • Bookstore open (10:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m.) • Cyber Lounge (hospitality table, internet, movies) • Open swim for children from 2–3 p.m. with lifeguards on duty <i>(a parent <u>must be present</u> with his/her child/children during the swim)</i>	Departing from TA CC HOB/CC AC
4:00	Alumni Mass	TA
5:15	Alumni Association Board of Governors Report Presentation of the Alumni of the Year Award(s) Golden Society Induction Ceremony Followed by a Champagne Toast	TA TA TA CY
6:00–6:45	Cocktail Reception 6:15 President's Address	WH/CY
6:45–9:30	Buffet Dinner for all classes and their guests 8:30—Live performance by Mark Verselli, Impressionist	Tent Tent/TA

### Location key:

AC = Athletic Center; BCR = Behan Community Room, located in the Campus Center;  
CC = Campus Center; CY= Courtyard, New Building; DH = DeDominicis Dining Hall,  
located on the second level of the Campus Center; HOB = House of Bollstadt  
(Campus Pub), located in the Campus Center; TA = The Atrium of the New Academic  
Center for Science, Art and Technology; WH = Walsh Hall (newly renovated)

*Family, friends and guests are welcome  
at all Reunion 2005 activities.*

*Please visit the Albertus web site [www.albertus.edu](http://www.albertus.edu)  
frequently to see updates for Reunion 2005!*

## Reunion 2005 Registration Form RSVP by June 1, 2005

Name	first	maiden	last	Class Year
E-Mail address				
Phone Number				
<input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed is my check for \$_____ payable to Albertus Magnus College				
<input type="checkbox"/> Please charge my (Visa, MasterCard, Discover) credit card \$_____				
Card Number				Exp. Date
Signature				
Please indicate the name(s) of your guest(s):				
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**Please indicate if your guests are adults or children twelve and under.  
Please print clearly.**

### Event Schedule and Pricing

Check the event(s) you plan to attend and indicate the total number attending.  
**We welcome our 50th Reunion Class (and 1 guest) as guests of the College  
for all Reunion events.**

BBQ Picnic Lunch	# Attending	
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult \$20	_____	<i>Note: special tent area for our 50th and post 50th reunion classes, and for those who do not want to be in the sun. Please let us know if you would like to reserve a seat(s) <u>under the tent</u> for lunch.</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Children 12 and under \$10	_____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Children 5 and under N/C	_____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Golden Society Members \$10	_____	
Other Activities N/C		<i>(Swim: A parent <u>must be present</u> with her/his child.)</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> New Building Presentation	_____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Campus Tour	_____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Open swim for children	_____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Alumni Mass	_____	<b>To assist you better...</b> Please let us know of any special dietary needs for you or your guest(s):
<input type="checkbox"/> Golden Society Induction	_____	
Cocktail Reception		
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult \$10	_____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Golden Society Members \$5	_____	
Dinner Buffet		Do you or anyone traveling with you have any special needs we should be aware of? Please call the Alumni Office at 203-773-8502 or e-mail to <a href="mailto:alumni@albertus.edu">alumni@albertus.edu</a> . Our staff is happy to assist you.
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult \$25	_____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Golden Society Members \$12.50	_____	
All Reunion Events		
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult \$50	_____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Golden Society Members \$25	_____	

**Please RSVP by June 1, 2005 to Office of Alumni Relations,  
Albertus Magnus College, 700 Prospect Street, New Haven, CT 06511**  
This registration form with credit card number may be faxed to 203-785-8652

For questions, please e-mail to [alumni@albertus.edu](mailto:alumni@albertus.edu) or call the Office of Alumni Relations  
at 203-773-8502. Form available on-line at [www.albertus.edu](http://www.albertus.edu)

## Reunion 2005—Area Hotels

Several area hotels have blocked rooms at a special rate  
for Albertus graduates traveling to campus for Reunion  
2005. Listed below are the participating hotels.  
Reservations for "block" rooms must be made via tele-  
phone direct to the hotel. **Please be sure to mention  
that you are attending the Albertus Reunion when  
making a reservation.**

### Quality Inn (formerly Holiday Inn Express)

30 Frontage Road, East Haven  
203-469-5321  
\$89 per night, plus tax  
special rate deadline: May 11, 2005

### Fairfield Inn by Marriott

400 Sargent Drive, New Haven  
203-562-1111  
\$89 per night, plus tax  
special rate deadline: May 11, 2005

Other area hotels available for individual reservations—*please call the hotel directly for rates and room availability.*

### Marriott Residence Inn

Long Wharf Drive, New Haven  
203-777-5337

### Best Western

just off I-95 in West Haven  
203-933-0344

### Holiday Inn North Haven

Route 5, Exit 12 off I91  
203-239-4225

### Omni Hotel

155 Temple Street, New Haven  
203-772-6664

### Local Bed and Breakfast

#### Touch of Ireland Guest House

670 Whitney Avenue, New Haven  
203-787-7997  
[www.TouchofirelandGuestHouse.com](http://www.TouchofirelandGuestHouse.com)

#### Farnam Guest House

616 Prospect Street, New Haven  
888-562-7121  
[www.farnamguesthouse.com](http://www.farnamguesthouse.com)

**N.B.: We have just received word from the managing company for  
Howard Johnson's on Whitney Avenue, Hamden (soon to be Clarion  
Hotel & Suites) that construction delays have pushed the opening  
date for the new hotel to July of 2005, making it unavailable for  
Reunion guests. We apologize for any inconvenience.**

# CAMPUS NEWS

## Russell and Perlaza Named GNAC Players of the Year

In a first for Albertus, the Great Northeast Athletic Conference (GNAC) has named two senior members of the men's and women's basketball teams—Tim Russell and Natalia Perlaza—players of the year.

Russell became the first Albertus player to break the 2,000-point mark in a February 10 game against Eastern Connecticut State University; he is the second GNAC player to do so. He finished his season with 2,234 career points. Russell set a GNAC and Albertus regular season record of 64 points in a February game against Mitchell College. He led all divisions of the NCAA in men's basketball scoring this year.

Perlaza broke the Albertus women's basketball record of 1,557 total career points, set by Liz Lacroix '94, on February 19 against Norwich University. She led the team nine times as game high scorer and 15 times as top rebounder. She also is only the second player in Albertus and GNAC history to reach over 1000 career rebounds.



Ron Waite



The Albertus observance of Black History Month featured Joe Rogers, a former lieutenant governor of Colorado and a practicing attorney there, in a representation of some of the famous words of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Rogers traced the history of the civil rights movement, interjecting excerpts from King's speeches.



Fifteen Albertus students attended the annual Careers 2005 Career Conference in New York City. More than 100 employers were available to speak directly with students about entry-level opportunities in a wide variety of career fields. Shown in the front row, left to right, are Perri Levy, Meaghan Lovelace and Mary McCready; back row, Suzanne Yurko Wall, director of career services, and Dr. Norman Davis, chair of the department of business administration and management.



Dr. Mihaly Csikszentmihalyi, C. S. and D. J. Davidson Professor of Psychology at the Peter F. Drucker School of Management at Claremont Graduate University and director of the Quality of Life Research Center, spoke at the College earlier this month on "flow and the making of good business." The College's Tagliatela School of Business sponsored the event in the atrium of the new Academic Center for Science, Art and Technology.

# ALUMNI NEWS



The final event of a three-part series of reception/cooking demonstrations to celebrate The Year of the Adult Learner took place April 6 in the atrium of the new Academic Center for Science, Art and Technology on the main campus in New Haven. Left photo: left to right, Peggy Sweeten Sanders '74, Jackie Zorena Albis '74 and Eileen Perillo, registrar of the College, enjoyed the evening. Center: Chef Rusty Cammolli describes the BBQ seasonings and rubs he will prepare. For recipes, see page 11 or go to the alumni section of the College's web site at [www.albertus.edu](http://www.albertus.edu). Right: Accelerated Degree Program students, left to right, Maria Calandrelli, Patricia Mastrangelo and Greta Kraszewski checked out the event.

## ACAN Wants You!

The Albertus Career Advising Network (ACAN) continues to attract alumni who want to help current students prepare for all-important career interviews and to share other career-related information.

Alumni mentors worked with students in the spring Career Preparation course. The process gives students the opportunity to interview someone in a career path they plan to pursue. Interviewing takes place in person, by phone or by e-mail.

To date, there have been 35 matches between mentors and current students. Mentors represent a wide variety of fields including business, consulting, education, management, international business, human services, information technology and government.

Mentors have been impressed by students taking part in the program. Said one, "I enjoyed meeting with the student. Her current and prior work experiences were reflected in both demeanor and approach to the meeting. She was professional and inquisitive. Her questions were relevant and showed a degree of preparation. We spoke at length about ways to leverage her interests and emerging skills in several business sectors she had not considered."

Another noted, "Great meeting. Well-thought out questions, good presentation and communications skills."

Students were positive, as well. "I will apply everything that was given to me about confidence and résumés, and how to be successful on the job," said one. Another said of the program, "It gives me another role model to look up to, and it has let me know that I can be happy and financially comfortable in a small-sized business."

In April, students had the opportunity to work with Elaine McDonald '72, who has her own management consulting company—The McDonald Group in Middletown, Connecticut—to sharpen their interview skills. Mock interviews, including videotaped segments tailored to students' career interests for realism, provided tips and practical experience for use in actual job interviews.

If you would like to share your career expertise and advice with students, consider signing up for ACAN. Visit the Alumni section of the College web site at [www.albertus.edu](http://www.albertus.edu) to download a form; or contact Suzanne Yurko Wall, director of career services, at 203-773-6989 or e-mail her at [yurkwall@albertus.edu](mailto:yurkwall@albertus.edu). You also may contact Carolyn Behan, director of alumni relations and special events, at 203-773-8502 or [alumni@albertus.edu](mailto:alumni@albertus.edu) for information.

## Update from the East Shore Alumni Chapter

The East Shore Alumni chapter met on Sunday, April 17 at the Scranton Library in Madison. The afternoon began with a book review sponsored by the local R.J. Julia Booksellers. The presenter was Elizabeth George, a mystery writer whose books have been on the New York Times bestseller list. Following the book review, members gathered for a meeting at the Dolly Madison Restaurant over dessert and coffee. Anyone interested in joining the chapter should contact Bev Fagan at 203-245-8266 or Margaret Mary Clancy at 203-469-3299.

## Get to Know Your ABCs

Become a part of **Alumni Business Connections**, a networking venue created just for Albertus alumni small business owners or alumni who are employed in the exciting world of the small business enterprise!

**Purpose:** To bring together alumni small business owners in a structured, social setting for business growth and networking purposes.

**Goal:** To create a community environment for its members to improve competitiveness and growth of their businesses, while maintaining ties to the College community as alumni.

**Structure:** Each meeting will include a formal presentation of approximately 20–30 minutes by a speaker whose topic will be relevant to the small business owner, followed by a socializing/networking reception.

For more information, contact: Carolyn Behan, director of alumni relations & special events, [alumni@albertus.edu](mailto:alumni@albertus.edu), 203-773-8502

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# Celebration of



On St. Patrick's Day, everyone is Irish.



Regular fans Helen Yutenkas, John Mutkoski and Dorothy Yutenkas Mutkoski '67 always enjoy the event.



Pat Del...  
green a...



Carol Treat, and Bob and Sharon Hotchkiss enjoyed the evening with Dr. Lynne S. Farrell, right, Trustee of the College.



Many members of the Dominican Sisters attended the festivities, including, left to right, Trustee Sr. Mauryeen O'Brien, O.P., Sr. Gilmary McCabe, O.P., and Sr. Sheila O'Brien, O.P.



President McNamara, right, with Patricia Sanders Behan '55 and her husband, Robert F. Behan, Chairman of the Board of Trustees.



Dan Cosgrove gives a big hug to Nina Ardito Gambardella '45.

# St. Patrick



Maney '97 CE and her husband attended in full attire.



Sr. Helen Kieran, O.P, sings along with Billy Donaldson's Celtic Kick.



Friends and family alike joined in the spirit of the evening.



Faith Augur McCarthy '49, second from the right, celebrated in true Irish style with her husband and family.



Dr. Joan Venditto '63 and Sr. Mary Faith Dargan, O.P., '53 take a moment for our photographer.



Director of Chartwells Food Service Mary Ann Haller serves up the traditional corned beef and cabbage feast.



Celtic Kick...superstars in the making.

# CLASS NOTES

## 1929

**Mary O'Brien Houk**, Acton, MA, celebrated her 96th birthday in October with a gathering of family and friends. Among her favorite gifts was an enlarged photo of Rosary Hall taken at the 70th Reunion. It hangs on a wall in the midst of family photos.

## 1930 *75th Reunion June 11, 2005*

## 1932

**Barbara Horrigan Lee**, Las Vegas, NV, who now lives with her daughter **Sheila Lee Dickinson '57**, has celebrated her 94th birthday. Relatives flew in from Massachusetts, Texas and California for the festivities.

## 1935 *70th Reunion June 11, 2005*

**Antoinette Fusco**, West Haven, CT, is a former head guidance counselor. She is a Red Cross volunteer.

## 1940 *65th Reunion June 11, 2005*

**Theresa Sibielski Jarvis** is now living permanently in Woodland Hills, California.

## 1943

**Virginia Bracken Isakson**, South Kingston, RI, has her first great-grandson. "Independent living is great but expensive," she notes.

## 1944S

**Ellen Bree Burns**, Hamden, CT, senior judge of the U.S. District Court, received Sacred Heart Academy's Heart of the Community Award in March at a dinner in Yale Commons.

## 1945 *60th Reunion June 11, 2005*

**Marjorie McHenry Jones**, Tucson, AZ, had a broken leg unsuccessfully repaired three times; she now lives in assisted living and will "hobble around in a walker

on good days or a wheelchair on bad days. Would love to hear from all of you."

**Phyllis Warner Sabine**, Graniteville, SC, has been happily married for 55 years. She is retired now but taught school in many states and foreign countries as she and her husband moved often because of his jobs.

**Joan O'Brien '46 and Joanne Pawlikowski Blair '56** had articles published in the November 2004 issue of *The American Catholic* newspaper.

## 1947

**Anne Connelly Dillon**, Springfield, MA, and her husband, Jerry, keep busy with family, friends and the Community Service Committee at their church. They play bridge and golf with friends, and they are lucky to live near three of their six children and their families. They have nine grandchildren.

## 1950 *55th Reunion June 11, 2005*

**Marie Pagnam Buller**, Westbrook, CT, is a commentator at her church and enjoys reading and gardening. She and Bill have five children and 15 grandchildren.

**Elizabeth Farrell Duffy**, Fall River, MA, and her husband, Jim, recently celebrated their 54th wedding anniversary. They also have welcomed their first great-grandchild. Four of their six children live in nearby Rhode Island, one daughter lives in California and a son in Florida.

**Marie Zeterberg**, Ft. Meyers, FL, has retired from the practice of pediatrics and is now a resident of Barkley Retirement Home.

## 1955 *50th Reunion June 11, 2005*

**Catherine Wilkinson Coburn**, West Hartford, CT, has purchased a condo and is enjoying retirement.

## Maryann Cronin Horgan '68

### PROFILE

For years, Maryann Cronin Horgan found the culture and people of Japan fascinating. When an advertisement in the magazine of the National Education Association about the Fulbright Memorial Fund Teacher Program in Japan caught her eye, she decided to apply.

"This amazing program provides teachers and administrators with the opportunity for a fully-funded, short-term study program in Japan," says this AMC biology major who went on to earn an MS in biology and a Sixth Year Certificate in environmental education. After teaching in public and private schools in several states—her husband's career at IBM meant lots of moves—Horgan has taught at Connecticut's Greenwich High School for the past 16 years. She developed an ESL (English as a Second Language) biology course there so that immigrant students could earn science credits and learn English at the same time.

"This proved to be very successful, and we have added a second-level ESL biology course, followed by an ESL chemistry course. Each year many of my ESL students are from Japan. I felt that being immersed for three weeks in the Japanese language and culture would help me to better understand and empathize with what my Japanese students experience daily in the cross-cultural journey," Horgan explains.

"My hope was to visit Japanese schools, learn about their methodologies and culture, and become a better teacher to help all my students be more successful in their learning. I highly recommend this program to every teacher who has a desire to travel and experience the exotic!"

The Government of Japan established the Fulbright Memorial Teacher Fund Program in 1997 to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the U.S. Department of State's Fulbright Program. To apply, Horgan had to submit two essays: one describing her reasons for wanting to participate, her skills and qualifications; the other, her personal and professional goals for the future and ways in which she would share knowledge gained from visiting Japan in her classroom, school and community. She also provided the required letters of recommendation.

Selected for the program, Horgan spent a week in Tokyo last November with 200 participants before traveling to a prefecture, or state, with a smaller group of 20.

"At the public schools I visited in Yamotokoriyama, which is four hours south of Tokyo by bullet train and the place where I spent my home-stay, we were the very first Americans to be invited, and we were treated like curious celebrities.

"Japan has begun to dramatically change its methodology, and in the elementary and junior high schools is modeling itself on the American system. After the economic downturn in the '90s the central government felt that Japan needed to produce problem solvers and critical thinkers, not rote memorizers. High schools are still very stressful, with stiff competition to get into the top universities based on one government test."

Horgan counts her time in Yamotokoriyama as one of the highlights of her visit. "My host family was a typical household of three generations; all were generous, gracious and very curious about the United States," she remembers.

Back home, she has had a round of speaking engagements and interviews to share her Japan experience. "Now that my jet lag is over, and I have filled my album with photos, I still dream of Japan. The gracious people and the natural beauty, the traditions of the tea ceremony, the cleanliness of the cities, the mineral baths under the stars, the slippers, the sushi and, most importantly, the respect that was ours because we were teachers, will never be forgotten."

## Immersion



## "A Woman's Voice in Barkhamsted"

On Sunday, December 26, the Connecticut section of *The New York Times* ran its annual tribute "The Extraordinary Who Lived Among Us"—remembrances of some of the Connecticut residents who died in 2004. Among them was **Carmella Siena Lattizori '55**.

"Carmella Lattizori's election as the first selectwoman of Barkhamsted in 1985 ended what the Hartford Courant called, 'about 200 years of Republican males serving in that office.' She would serve for 11 years and was a leader of the community and an advocate for its citizens for decades.

"Ms. Lattizori had unsuccessfully run for first selectwoman in two previous elections and after retiring as first selectwoman, she continued to serve on the board of selectmen until 1999 and was also Barkhamsted's Democratic registrar of voters and a member of other town boards.

"Ms. Lattizori was co-founder of the Valley Thrift Shop in New Hartford and the Susan B. Anthony Project for battered women in Torrington. As first selectwoman, she also helped organize the bipartisan Litchfield Hills Council of Elected Officials. During her years on the board of selectmen, she played a leading role in two major community projects, the construction of a new town hall and renovations of the elementary school.

"Ms. Lattizori died at St. Francis Hospital in Hartford July 7. She was 70. Her husband, Francis, will help dedicate a flag pole in her memory on the grounds of the Barkhamsted Town Hall following the town's Independence Day parade next year."

She has three grandsons: Nate, Michael and Max. She enjoys traveling and has participated in several Elderhostel trips.

**Maureen Reidy Maguire**, Wilton, CT, an assistant professor at Western Connecticut State University, is a board member of Catholic Family Services and a member of her church choir. She and Frank, who retired from the Army, have eight grandchildren.

**Sr. Mary Augustine, O.P. (Edna Conroy)**, Guilford, CT, is a contemplative religious. She is an organist and enjoys music and gardening. She has 16 grand nieces and nephews, including two sets of twins.

## 1959

**Arlene Fanucci Johnson**, Fairfield, CT, has retired from teaching biology full-time at Staples High School in Westport, but still teaches two sections of advanced placement biology.

## 1960 *45th Reunion June 11, 2005*

**Janice Clark Butcher**, Westfield, MA, is a fifth grade teacher in the local school system. She has four grandchildren: Michelle, Quinn, Seamus and Clark. She is a member of Beta Sigma Phi, The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International and the Westfield math curriculum committee.

**Carol Parcesepe Truluck**, Cheshire, CT, sends word that she and classmate **Virginia Avallone Proto** plan a September trip to Italy for a two-week walking tour of Tuscany.

## 1961

**Angela DeFilippi Errico**, Plandome, NY, sends updates: she is painting up a storm; her husband, Michael, gave several piano recitals in New York City this fall; Melanie works for a design house and has moved to



her own place; Michael has just written the theme song for a new VH1 program; and Melissa starred in the Broadway production of "Dracula, The Musical."

#### 1962

**Patricia Wells Doyle**, Northboro, MA, is enjoying her second year of retirement from her position as social studies curriculum coordinator at Marlborough High School—and her first grandchild. She works fulltime with Skip in their photography business.

#### 1964

**Clare McMahon Bernard**, Cheshire, CT, a Mary Kay skincare consultant, recently completed four courses for enrichment at Gateway Community College. She has undergone a total knee replacement. She would "love to hear from any in our Albertus community."

**Lynn Burns Surwilo** and her husband have moved to Venice, Florida, and "love it."

#### 1965

*40th Reunion June 11, 2005*

**Kathleen Gallagher**, Haddam, CT, is retired, but keeps busy following UCONN basketball, learning digital photography and traveling.

**Marie Lessard Roy**, Toronto, Canada, has completed 25 years as a physician.

#### 1967

**Mary Ann Wiedl**, Southboro, MA, retired from teaching high school math in 1997, and has been tutoring, doing SAT prep and enjoying this transition. Her son, Craig, a West Point grad, settled in Vail, Colorado, after his Army service.

#### 1969

**Mary Kay Mulligan**, Onancock, VA, reports that in November, she "married a wonderful friend from graduate school (only 35 years later!). Orest Pelech is the Slavic librarian for Duke University, so we will commute between Durham and Virginia's Eastern Shore."

**Linda Doyle Staneck**, Cincinnati, OH, works in advancement for Ursuline Academy. Her son, Joe, 28, lives in Denver, where he is a criminal psychotherapist; daughter, Kimberly, 24, is working toward a master's as a pediatric nurse practitioner and will be married in August. Linda and her husband will celebrate their 35th anniversary, also in August.

#### 1970

*35th Reunion June 11, 2005*

**Janet Coggeshall Chadie**, North Falmouth, MA, has joined Bridgewater Savings Bank as assistant vice president and investment officer.

**Carol Gose DeVine**, Brooklyn, NY, head of school of The Caedmon School, is secretary of the Board of Trustees of the New York State Association of Independent Schools and a member of its accreditation committee. She sings in the Brooklyn Community Chorus. Her twins graduate from college this year—Anne from Smith and Patrick from Emerson.

**Sherry Eichorn**, El Paso, TX, principal of Bill Sybert School, is the Texas Council of Administrators in Special Education's Region 19 Regular Educator of the Year. She has been principal of the school since it opened two years ago, and a school administrator for ten years.

**Carol Esposito Gillispie**, West Haven, CT, took several trips in the spring and summer; and continues to volunteer with CT Radio Information System, Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic, Library for the Blind, the Lions and talk to schoolchildren about blindness issues. In November she received the outstanding Corporator of the Year Award from Oak Hill School for the Blind.

#### 1973

**Denise Pavano Staples**, Deep River, CT, has joined Page-Taft Real Estate in its Essex office.

#### 1974

**Susan Peters Crawford**, Dallas, TX, and her husband, Ken, are looking forward to being empty-nesters.

## Karreem Mebane '04

*"Play Ball!"*

### PROFILE

**Lots of kids grow up thinking about a career in baseball as a pitcher or centerfielder. Karreem Mebane wanted to be an umpire.**

"When I was a child, baseball was the 'great American pastime,' and I wanted to be part of that," he says. Baseball was in his blood: his grandfather was an umpire for the Negro Leagues in North Carolina for several years. His father has worked as a football and basketball official on the high school and college levels.

Today Mebane remembers a remark from his childhood that made him determined to succeed in a career behind home plate. "One of my baseball mentors told me that I would never be able to make umpiring a vocation, that this line of business would be more of a hobby for someone like me. This comment stung me as a child; however, as an adult it really made me work harder so that I not only could prove the doubter wrong, but so that I could fulfill my destiny," he says.

In 1998 Mebane completed a five-week course at the Harry S. Wendelstedt Professional School for Baseball Umpires in Ormond Beach, Florida, one of the two training schools approved by Major League Baseball. For seven years he worked minor league games throughout the professional baseball system, officiating in 140 games a season.

"The greatest satisfaction in what I've been doing comes from being part of the game, being able to work at something I truly love...and baseball is the grandest game of all," he says.

While working at this job he loved, he also was keeping a promise to his parents: he would complete his degree.

He found the flexibility of the Accelerated Degree Program at Albertus just what he needed. "I appreciate everything that people at the College did for me, but special thanks go to Annette Bosley, director of continuing education, and her staff. Their knowledge and assistance allowed me to be where I am today," he says.

Mebane, a social sciences major, recalls several faculty members who had a great impact on him as a student, and he still carries the lessons from their classrooms with him.

"Dr. Patricia Yeaman gave me guidance on how to juggle my academic life and professional life, and still graduate in a timely manner; Ron Waite suggested a plan for doing post-graduate work while still umpiring on a full-time basis; Jim Swan Tuite—my first instructor, in a religious studies course, and also my last one, for a humanities seminar—inspired me to explore further study in the field of ethics; and Greg Neagle showed that we can take the theories we are taught in academia and apply them to our professional work here in the 'real world'."

Mebane, a member of the Alumni Association's Board of Governors, recently traded the Minor Leagues for the Office of the Commissioner of Major League Baseball, where this spring he will be assisting with on-field operations. That's not the only change in his life; he also is now enrolled in the Yale Divinity School, where he will focus on the field of ethics.

"There are two career goals I'm currently pursuing: to one day become Commissioner of Major League Baseball and to become part of the faculty at Albertus. I want to 'give back' to the College, and help to inspire others to attain their dreams just as instructors did for me."



## Appellate Court Honors Alumna

The Connecticut Appellate Court in January unveiled a portrait of the Honorable **JoAnne Kiely Kulawiz '56**, judge of the Connecticut Appellate Court, who died in 1999. Judge Kulawiz, the first woman appointed to the trial court in Connecticut, had a 27-year judicial career, which included service on the Circuit Court, Superior Court and Appellate Court benches. Albertus awarded her an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree at the winter Commencement in January 1999; in 1972 she received the Alumni Association's award for outstanding professional achievement.

President Julia M. McNamara, Sr. Charles Marie Brantl, O.P., '51, Sr. Mary Faith Dargan, O.P., '53 and Sr. Ann Bailie, O.P., attended the unveiling. John F. Getlein, a cousin of Judge Kulawiz and father of Arleen Getlein Yacobacci '85 represented the family and participated in the unveiling ceremony.



Mary Schaefer Badger of Spokane, Washington, a physician, and her husband, T.J., a teacher, snowshoed to the top of Mt. Spokane in December. She received the Visiting Nurse Association 2004 Spokane Physician Partner of the Year Award.

In May, Tyler graduates from Yale, and Eliza and Rory from high school.

**Kim Mancuso**, Ashfield, MA, artistic director of Pilgrim Theatre, in March directed two staged readings—one at Harvard and one at the Boston Center for the Arts—of "N," a new play about Napoleon's exile on St. Helena.

#### 1975

*30th Reunion June 11, 2005*

**Patricia Flynn**, Glen Ridge, NJ, still works in the theater. Her latest project: coordinating and directing an international production of a musical version of the Wakefield Cycle of medieval plays this August in Germany.

## Key to Abbreviations

CE Undergraduate Accelerated Degree Program/Continuing Education

ND Undergraduate New Dimensions Program

MA-LS Master of Arts in Liberal Studies

MA-AT Master of Arts in Art Therapy

MSM Master of Science in Management

MBA Master of Business Administration

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# CLASS NOTES

**Lisa Zuccarelli, O.P.**, Portsmouth, RI, chair, departments of chemistry and biology and biomedical sciences at Salve Regina University, is a member of the Swanhurst Chorus of Rhode Island and helps out at a local animal shelter.

## 1976

**Claudia Lyons**, Deerfield, MA, had a reunion with **Valerie Moliterno** and **Harriet Buckman** in Cheshire, Connecticut; two hours later they had just begun to catch up. Lyons and her husband are on sabbatical until Labor Day 2005. They are spending time in their home on Prince Edward Island, and in Montreal, Miami, Paris and southern France.

## The Double Sevens

Several members of the Class of 1977 met in Williamsburg, Virginia, over the Dr. Martin Luther King Day weekend for a few days of catching up. This is the second time the group has gotten together, and they intend to make it an every-two-year event at a new location each time. Attending this year's gathering were **Nancy Moggio Forbes**, **Sue Hamel Hughes**, **Debbie Jaworski Kendrew**, **Roni Krisavage**, **Tina Barsh Mulhare**, **Angela Sabatino Richert** and **MaryEllen McGee Sutherland**. They enjoyed spa services and walking around Colonial Williamsburg until they dropped, lounging in villas and "laughing, talking and listening with each other" until the wee hours of the morning. Next stop: Arizona in 2007.

If classmates from other years get together on a regular basis, please let us know...and send a photo of your gathering to [alumni@albertus.edu](mailto:alumni@albertus.edu).

## 1978

**Eddie Davis**, Hamden, CT, spent two weeks in Korat in northeast Thailand shortly after the tsunami ravaged coastal areas of Southeast Asia. She visited friends made when she taught English there to nursing school students two years ago.

## 1980 25th Reunion June 11, 2005

**Patricia Drax**, New Haven, CT, is a certified financial planner and the chief investment officer of Drax Asset Management, LLC. She has a daughter and son.

**Gail Gradzewicz Kallinich**, Meriden, CT, a rehab therapist at the Masonic Healthcare Center, and her husband, Rob, have two sons—Bill, a sophomore at Keene State College, and Jim, a high school senior—and a daughter—Molly, a fifth grade student. She is secretary of the St. Joseph School Board and the Platt High School Booster Club, as well as a Eucharistic Minister.

## 1983

**Gretchen Wehrle-Scott**, Somerville, MA, has rejoined the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston to support the head of the supervision, regulation and research departments. She spent 6 1/2 years with State Street Bank & Trust where she was director of risk and compliance. She and her husband, Hilary Scott, have two children: Hannah, 11, and Gabriel, 9.

## 1985 20th Reunion June 11, 2005

**Debra Palana DeNicola**, Hamden, CT, is a nursery school teacher. She and her husband, Joe, have a daughter and son.

## 1986

**Michelle Lombardi Henry**, Ft. Washington, PA, sends word that she was married on July 24.

## In Memoriam: Alumni Relatives and Members of the Albertus Community

**Virginia Russo Avallone**, mother of Virginia Avallone Proto '60  
December 6, 2004

**Edward (Teddy) Ebersol**, son of Susan Saint James, recipient of an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters from AMC in 1994  
November 28, 2004

**F. Selwyn Gay**, director of purchasing at AMC  
December 5, 2004

**Sister Marie Louise Hubert, O.P.**  
President of the College 1956–1971  
March 2, 2005  
(see page 2)

**Philip Johnson**, recipient of honorary Doctor of Humane Letters from AMC in 1992  
January 25, 2005

**Arthur Mitchell**, husband of Carol Panico Mitchell '67 and father of Michael Mitchell '07  
February 21, 2005

## 1987

**Lisa Kollar Kang** has relocated from Michigan to Chapel Hill, North Carolina, where her husband, Emil, is the new executive director for the arts at the University of North Carolina. Prior to the birth of her daughter, Emma, she served as vice president of marketing and communications at the Detroit Science Center and associate director of marketing for the Seattle Symphony.

**Jackie Patrick-Lee**, New York, NY, sends word that she and Chung are the proud parents of James Albert Chung-Su Lee; big brother, Jack, is now three years old.

## 1988

**Gina Baldo**, Stamford, CT, a product marketing manager for the Surgical Division of Olympus America, Inc., in New York, married Richard Cusano on Block Island, Rhode Island, September 5. He is supervisor of radiology at the Hospital of St. Raphael and a licensed realtor in the New Haven area.

## 1990 15th Reunion June 11, 2005

**Diana Edwards Bogue**, Colchester, CT, has two sons—Samuel, 4 1/2, and Anthony, 1 1/2. She is a part-time consultant for an ad agency.

**Cynthia Detullio Butterfield**, Middletown, CT, is currently a full-time graduate student in a master's program for elementary education at the University of Bridgeport. She's also a part-time dance teacher and social worker. Her daughter is 12 and son 8.

## 1992

**Carmelo Rafala**, Brighton, England, sends word that his wife, Amanda Protheroe, gave birth to their first child, Isabella Rose, in January. He is teaching at a secondary school and continues to have his fiction published. He recently was a finalist for the Anubis Award and the Writers of the Future Award. His latest work will appear in a British anthology this year.

## 1993

**Samantha Kefford**, Kew Gardens, NY, a vice president with Bank of America Investment Services, was a panelist this month at the Securities Industry

**Natardia Lee Soy '98** is directing the spring musical, "Grease," at Mount Vernon High School. Work began on the production in October; it had a three-night run in mid-April. "The cast is comprised of 32 students who constantly surprise me with their wit and talent," she says.

This is her first project since completing 15 months of training at The Lee Strasberg Theatre and Film Institute in New York City. "Most likely, after this production, I will continue training at Strasberg and seek work as an actor/director."

Association, Compliance and Legal Division national conference. This is her third time on a panel at this national conference.

## 1994

**Susan Bishop**, CE, Peabody, MA., continues working in the field of ESL (English as a Second Language) as a teacher on the secondary and college level. Last fall she spent two months in California helping a friend build a timber frame house in the Sierra Nevada.

## 1995 10th Reunion June 11, 2005

**Amie Keddy**, Deerfield, MA, an upper school English teacher at the Bement School in Deerfield, spearheaded a drive among upper school students who wanted to raise money to purchase school supplies for their peers in need in Galle, Sri Lanka, hard hit by the tsunami.

## 1998

**Martha Dye**, CE, New Haven, CT, head teacher at Yale-New Haven Hospital Day Care Center, was one of five Yale-New Haven Hospital employees honored this year with the Dream Builder Award for personifying the ideals and virtues of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., in their daily interactions with patients and co-workers.

## Prospect Hill Society

Many loyal alumni and friends have indicated that they have included Albertus Magnus College in their estate planning. To recognize, honor and say thank you to these benefactors, the College has established the Prospect Hill Society.

If you have mentioned Albertus in your will or other estate plans, please let us know. We will list you as a Member of the Prospect Hill Society in the College's 2003–2004 Annual Report. Please contact Carolyn Behan, director of alumni relations and special events, at [cbehan@albertus.edu](mailto:cbehan@albertus.edu) or 203-773-8502.

## In Memoriam

**Francine Lavigne Lemke '03**  
December 9, 2004  
East Hartford, CT

## Send Us Your News

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**Beverly Barnes**, CE, New Haven, CT, retired from SBC on December 30 after 35 years of service. She is a certified fitness instructor for water aerobics and a member of the National Council of Negro Women.

**Daniel O'Connor**, North Haven, CT, is an account manager with the Pepsi Bottling Group and the head women's soccer coach at Albertus.

**Donna Sjogren**, MSM, Guilford, CT, president of the College's Alumni Association, is the newly elected vice chairman of the Connecticut Chapter of the American Fire Sprinkler Association.

**Mary Ann Cass**, ND, Bridgeport, CT, is now with the payroll department of Fairfield University, where she is pursuing a master's degree in American Studies.

**Christopher Everone**, West Haven, CT, sports complex manager for West Haven High School, received the John Wentworth Good Sport Award from the Connecticut Sports Writers' Alliance April 17. The award honors those who unselfishly devote their time and resources to the promotion of athletics in their communities.

**Friedrich Maurer**, CE, began a new job in January as program director of His Mansion Ministries in Hillsborough, New Hampshire. He will complete his studies at the Alliance Graduate School of Counseling in May.

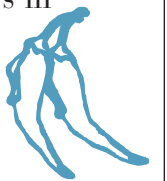
**Marlyn Medina**, Meriden, CT, has been named staff accountant at Weinstein & Anastasio, PC.

**Joy Cehovsky**, CE, Fairfield, CT, has rejoined William Raveis Real Estate & Home Services as an agent. She is the founder and president of the Connecticut Chapter of the International Association of Home Staging Professionals, and is the owner of Staging Spaces, LLC, of Fairfield.

# The Checkered Tablecloth



In celebration of the Year of the Adult Learner, the College presented a series of three reception/cooking demonstrations for the busy adult student and area alumni. Couldn't make it to the events at the New Dimensions Learning Centers in East Hartford and at New Haven's Long Wharf or to the final session on April 6 at the new Academic Center for Science, Art and Technology on the main campus in New Haven? We're bringing a few recipes—all quickie, under 30-minutes, gourmet home-style menu ideas from Jordan Caterers of Cheshire, Connecticut—right to you. Bon Appétit!



## Series 1—Quesadilla's Every Which Way (held in September 2004 at the East Hartford Learning Center)

**B. L. T. Quesadilla—  
[Bacon, Lobster, and Tarragon]**  
Yield: 3 1/2 Dozen

### Ingredients & Amounts

Olive oil 1 Teaspoon  
Cooked bacon 8 oz  
Flour tortillas  
Roasted red bell pepper 2 sliced into 1/8-inch strips  
Ricotta cheese 12 oz  
Baby spinach 2 1/2 cups  
Lobster tail 1-10 oz cooked cut into 1/2-inch pieces  
Fresh tarragon 1/2 cup  
Kosher salt  
Freshly ground black pepper

### Procedure:

1. To assemble: Arrange 1/2 of the flour tortillas on a baking sheet. Spread 2 teaspoons of the ricotta onto each of these tortillas. Place a spinach leaf on top of the cheese. Cover with 1 slice of the cooked bacon, 2 pieces of lobster, and 3 tarragon leaves. Add a small dollop of cheese, and season with salt and pepper to taste. Cover the filling with a second tortilla. Press down so that the layers stick together. Repeat with the remaining tortillas. Cover the tortillas with plastic wrap or a damp towel to keep them from drying out.

2. Heat a dry cast iron skillet over medium heat until very warm, 1 to 2 minutes. Working in batches, cook the quesadillas until the cheese is melted and they are warm throughout, about 1 1/2 minutes per side. Cover with foil and keep warm in the oven. Repeat with the remaining quesadillas. Serve warm.

### Serving Suggestions:

Serve with sour cream, guacamole, or salsa on the side

## Cilantro Roasted Corn & Sweet Potato

**Quesadillas**  
Yield: 3 1/2 Dozen

### Ingredients & Amounts

Large sweet potato 1 (13 oz)  
Fresh corn on the cob 1 whole  
Fresh goat cheese 8 oz  
Recipe miniature flour tortillas  
Large roasted poblano or red bell peppers 1 cut into 1/8-inch wide strips  
Tomatoes, seeds removed 8 oz cut into 1/8-inch wide strips  
Ancho chili paste 1/4 cup  
Kosher salt  
Freshly ground black pepper

### Procedure:

1. Preheat oven to 400 degrees F, with the rack in the center. Line a baking sheet with parchment paper. Use a fork to prick the sweet potato and place it on the baking sheet. Scrape kernels off corn cob with back of knife and lay out on sheet pan as well. Roast until very soft and the natural sugar begins to caramelize, about 1 hour.

2. Halve the sweet potato lengthwise. Scrape out the flesh and transfer to a bowl. Discard the skin. Place corn in bowl and hold to the side. Reduce the oven temp. to low.

3. To assemble: Spread a thin layer of goat cheese, about a 1/2 teaspoon, onto 1/2 of the tortillas. Spread 1 teaspoon of the roasted sweet potato over the cheese. Place a teaspoon of corn on top of sweet potato. Top with 2 pepper strips and a tomato slice. Drizzle 1/2 teaspoon ancho chili paste over each and top with a small dollop of cheese. Sprinkle with salt and pepper to taste. Cover the filling with a second tortilla. Press down gently so that the layers stick together. Repeat with the remaining tortillas. Cover the tortillas with plastic wrap or a damp towel to prevent them from drying out.

4. Heat a dry cast iron skillet over medium heat until very warm, 1 to 2 minutes. Working in batches, cook the quesadillas until the cheese is melted and they are warm throughout, about 1 1/2 minutes per side. Cover with foil and keep warm in the oven. Repeat with the remaining quesadillas. Serve warm.

### Serving Suggestions:

Serve with sour cream, guacamole, or salsa on the side

## Series 2—Mashed Potato & Vegetable Bar (held in December 2004 at the Long Wharf Learning Center)

### Potato and Celeriac

Wild Mushroom and Thyme with Truffle Oil  
Thyme Sprig for garnish

2 medium Yukon Gold or Idaho potato, peeled and cut into 2-inch pieces  
2 small Celeriac Roots, peeled and cut into 2-inch pieces  
Kosher salt  
1 to 3 tablespoons unsalted butter, melted into 1 cup of milk, or half and half  
Freshly ground black pepper  
1 pound assorted fresh wild mushrooms (such as stemmed shiitake, crimini, and oyster), sliced  
Fresh Thyme  
Truffle Oil

### Carrot and Ginger

Fried Plantain Rounds  
Fried Ginger for garnish

4 large carrots, peeled and cut into 2-inch pieces  
Fresh Ginger Root  
Kosher salt  
1 to 3 tablespoons unsalted butter, melted into 1 cup of milk, or half and half  
Freshly ground black pepper

### Sweet Potato

Caramelized Apple and Onion  
Dried Apple Crisp Round for garnish

2 medium Sweet potatoes, peeled and cut into 2-inch pieces  
Kosher salt  
1 to 3 tablespoons unsalted butter, melted into 1 cup of milk, or half and half  
Freshly ground black pepper  
1 Granny Smith Apple, peeled and diced  
1 small onion, peeled and diced  
Dried apple crisp rounds, cored and sliced granny smith apple, dried in 225 degree oven for 15–25 minutes

### Preparation Method for all:

In a medium saucepan, combine the vegetables, add a good pinch of salt, and cover by 2 inches with water.

Bring to a boil, then reduce to a simmer and cook until the vegetables are tender, 30 to 40 minutes. Drain the vegetables and then return them to the saucepan to dry out over medium heat for 2 minutes. Transfer the vegetables to a food mill, or food processor and puree. Add the butter, milk, and salt and pepper to taste, and reheat if necessary before serving. Garnish as suggested.

## Series 3—BBQ Dry Rubs (held in April 2005 in the atrium of the New Academic Center, AMC main campus)

### Ancho Chili Dry Rub

This rub is great for poultry, fish and all types of burgers if you're looking for a delectable Southwestern flavor. For added zest, rub it on the meats up to twenty-four hour in advance and place in the refrigerator. Drizzle a little bit of olive oil on the surface of the meat to help evenly distribute the rub.

### Ingredients:

1 tablespoon ancho chili powder  
1 1/2 teaspoons sea salt  
1 tablespoon dried oregano  
1 1/2 teaspoons sugar

### Jamaican Jerk Seasoning

Jerk seasoning can be either rubbed directly onto meat, or blended with a liquid to create a marinade. In the Caribbean, the most common meats seasoned in this fashion are pork and chicken. Such preparations are referred to as "jerk pork" and "jerk chicken."

### Ingredients:

1 tablespoon chili powder  
1 1/2 teaspoons sea salt  
1 tablespoon dried thyme  
1 tablespoon ground cinnamon  
1 tablespoon allspice  
1 tablespoon ground cloves  
1 tablespoon garlic powder  
1 tablespoon onion powder

**For both the Ancho rub and Jerk rub:** In a coffee grinder or food processor, grind all the ingredients together and store in an airtight container. Rub will keep for months in a dry cool place.

### Memphis Dry Rub

This spicy and deeply flavorful rub is the best friend a rack of ribs, pork butt, or brisket of beef can have. Mix up a big bunch of this and keep it on hand.

### Ingredients:

1 tablespoon ground cumin  
1 tablespoon chili powder  
1 tablespoon kosher salt  
1 tablespoon sugar  
1 tablespoon freshly ground black pepper  
1 tablespoon dried oregano, crumbled  
2 teaspoons garlic powder

In a small bowl, stir together the cumin, chili powder, sugar, salt, pepper, oregano, and garlic powder. Pat the rub thickly over the meat you are going to smoke/grill. Cover and let stand at room temperature for at least 1 hour, or refrigerate for up to 24 hours.

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