



Alumni Update

Celebrate 2010 and Happy 2011 to all

GREETING FRIENDS!

2010 was exciting for LGMC Alumni with recognitions, more events, and a re-energized Alumni Association. Much has been accomplished in the first six years of the Alumni Committee, most notably a very active recruitment team for program participants, and **Lend A Hand Day**. The latter has “Modeled the Way” for leadership organizations across the nation, so we salute everyone who has influenced LAHD by contributing in one way or another. We are stepping into a new year with tremendous verve and solid plans for alumni engagement and education.

ALUMNI SURVEY

At the Raue Center Reunion the Alumni Association asked for feedback via a survey. We include the survey on page 2, and ask for your response by January 15. (Disregard if you completed it at the Raue)

In the February **UPDATE** we will post results and share how the committee intends to utilize this information. Thanks in advance for your valuable feedback.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION REUNION and 2010 LGMC RAFFLE

The Alumni Association Reunion was a terrific event, and LGMC thanks the Raue Center for the Arts for making it a robust and richly memorable experience. For a detailed review of the evening, please read the Leadership article in the January **Business Journal**.

Congratulations to the winners! Three folks from True Value in Cary and one of their vendors who happened by while Rich White, '10, and Lori Feuerhelm, '11, were generating ticket sales, were the lucky recipients of \$10,000 prize. Rusty Foszcz '08 was recognized as the alumni who sold the most tickets (20).

COMMITTEE CATCH-UP

Alumni - The committee is in the process of planning a **Recruitment Rally** for early February. More information will be coming soon.

Curriculum—The Class of 2011 recently attended two Program Days. November 18th was Health care Day presented at Health Bridge in Huntley, hosted by Judy Andronowitz, '09, Lisa O'Neil, '10 and Candice Yeargin, '10. The most beneficial aspects of the day according to the class members, “learning about the complexities of delivering and paying for healthcare.”

On December 9th, coordinators Gwen Koehler, '08, Mary Margaret Maule, '10, Jean Bevevino, '10 and Kimberly Hornberg, '10 delivered Education Day at the MCC Shah Center in McHenry. The Class of 2011 said it best, “Learning there are still good things going on in spite of the funding issues.”

Next Program Day is **Law and Justice** January 20 coordinated by Bona Heinsohn '08, and Rich White '10.

Marketing— The new logo was unveiled at the Raue with appreciation to Mike Nygren, '06, for his leadership in design and development. Susan Milford, '08, spoke to the need for alumni to describe LGMC using a “common language.” She encouraged including the key words in our mission: to *educate*, and *inspire* professionals to *engage* community leadership.

Congratulations are in order for ALUMNI IN THE NEWS

Ralph Webster '05 Recently awarded Centegra Health System's 10th annual Community Leadership 2010 Award. The award recognizes McHenry County leaders who demonstrate service on a broad scale that has resulted in improvements and contributions in the realm of community service and overall community health.

Robin Ostrem '06 Newly appointed Executive Director of Big Brothers Big Sister of McHenry County by the Board of Directors.

Kurt Bogott '08 and Corey Tafoya '09 Committee members of "Operation Warm" a cause which distributes free coats to Woodstock School District 200 students.

Ryan Farrell '10 Recently named to partner at Zukowski, Rogers, Flood and McArdle. He's also running for D-47 Board of Education—good luck on the campaign.

Jason Holschen '10 Relocating within Emerson/Knaack to Huntsville, Alabama. He will be the Director of Global Product Marketing for the Avocent division.

LGMC 2010-11 Alumni Survey

Happy New Year!! Let's make 2011 an engaged and exciting year for you with LGMC. The survey below will help us meet that vision. Please print, complete and **fax to Toni** by **January 15**. Thank you for your feedback and enthusiasm. **Fax 815-337-8752**

Name _____ **LGMC Class** _____

How often do you want to connect with Alumni?

- Monthly Quarterly Twice a year Annually

What time of day works best for you?


- Morning After work Saturday morning

What type of activities are of interest?

- Run / Walk Golf Outing
 Education Wine tasting
 Book Club Class reunion
 Small interest groups Other _____

Email address: _____

Boards / Committees you serve on:


Have yourselves a very Merry Holiday!
I look forward to seeing everyone in the new year!
Marcy

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