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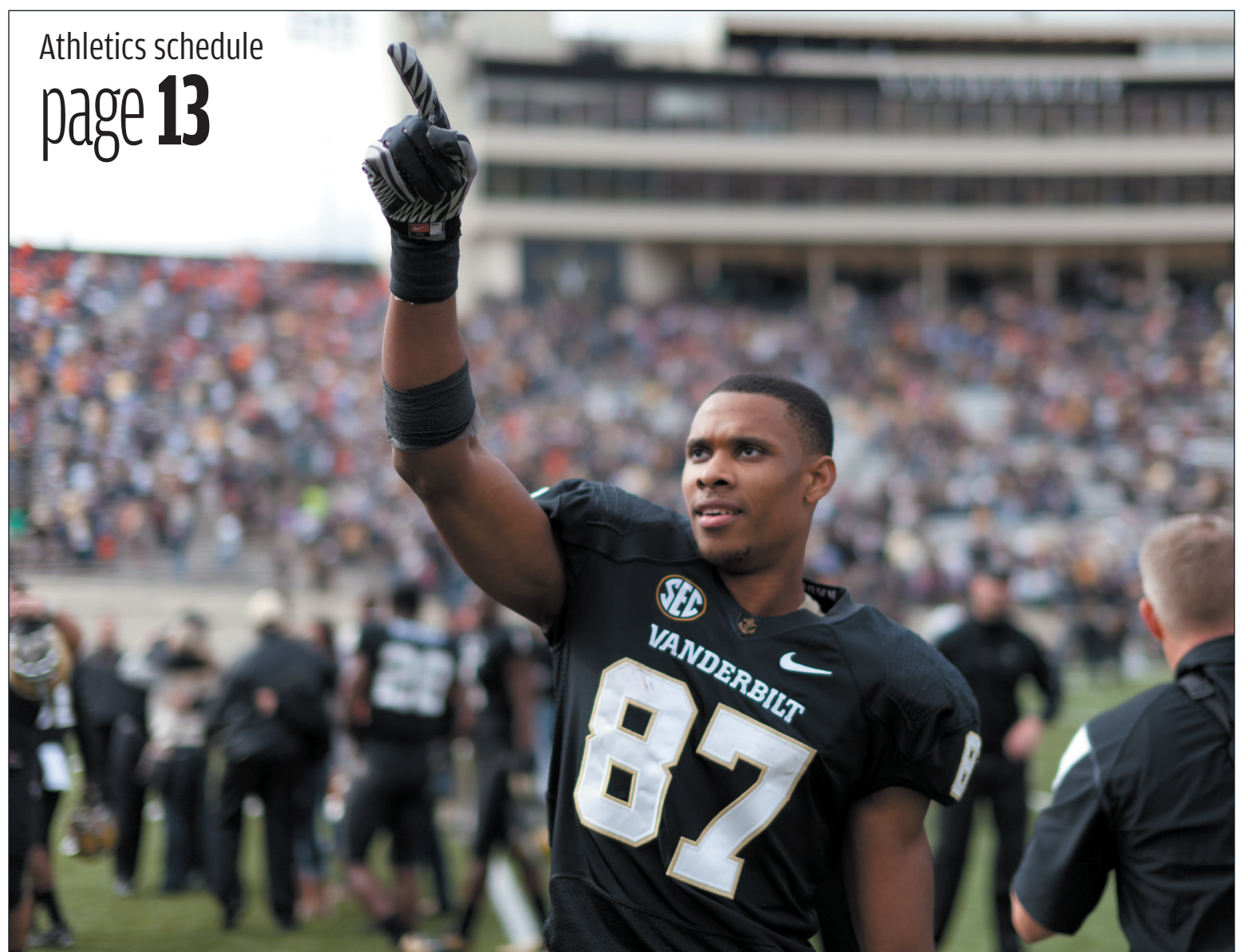
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EAMONN HUGHES, FORMER DEAN OF STUDENTS



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IN THE NEWS

Vanderbilt ranked 13th among best value private universities

By SAM McBRIDE
News manager

Kiplinger, a Washington D.C. based financial advice publisher, ranked Vanderbilt as the 13th best value among American private universities.

Kiplinger rated universities along a number of categories, including admittance rates, graduation rates, sticker price, different forms of financial aid, student-to-faculty ratio, and average student debt at graduation.

Vanderbilt compared especially well to other universities in the amount of financial aid it gives out. Vanderbilt gives out an average of \$37,478 in need-based aid to those students who need it, and an average of \$23,533 in non-need based aid.

Vanderbilt was sandwiched between Brown University at No. 12 and the University of Chicago at 14. Yale University came in at No. 1 on Kiplinger's list.

Tennessee upholds voter ID laws

The Tennessee Court of Appeals upheld the state's new law requiring voters to show photo identification at polling places and ruled Thursday that election officials must accept an ID issued by the Memphis public library.

A three-judge panel of the court ruled unanimously in a case brought by the city of Memphis and two voters who lacked photo ID and cast provisional ballots during the August primary.

After hearing arguments a week ago, the court expedited the ruling because early voting for the Nov. 6 election is under way.

The court cited Tennessee case law in finding that the city of Memphis is a branch of the state, so the library card, which was redesigned this year to include a photo, is sufficient for proving identity.

In Thursday's ruling, the appeals court said that allowing local governments to produce photo ID cards that can be used as identification for voters furthers the goals of securing the "freedom and purity of the ballot" and encouraging maximum participation of all citizens at the polls.

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Administrators at Vanderbilt host a town hall meeting to hear the concerns of students about the enforcement of the all-comers policy in January 2012.

Halfway into the semester, Vanderbilt's new all-comers policy is still raising questions about First Amendment rights. Tufts University has also enforced similar policy recently.

By COLLIER BOWLING
News reporter

Tufts University banned the evangelical Christian group Tufts Christian Fellowship from campus last week due to its requirement that student leaders follow "basic biblical truths of Christianity." As a result, the group cannot operate under the Tufts name, reserve space or schedule events through the university or receive money from activity fees.

According to Vanderbilt University Professor of Political Science and Law Carol Swain, there is a reason that the incident at Tufts might sound similar to the repercussions of the all-comers policy that was implemented at Vanderbilt last year.

"Tufts University follows Vanderbilt University's approach to Christian groups," Swain wrote in a tweet on Oct. 22.

In an interview with The Hustler, Swain said that she had been informed that Chancellor Nicholas Zeppos has expressed a desire for Vanderbilt to serve as an example for other institutions with regard to Vanderbilt's policy, which states that all registered student groups at Vanderbilt must be open to all students and members in good standing must have the opportunity to seek leadership positions.

"The Chancellor wanted to see Vanderbilt lead the way for other institutions in its implementation of this policy," Swain said.

The Hustler reached out to Beth Fortune, vice chancellor for Public Affairs, who released the following statement regarding the University's intentions:

"Vanderbilt University's nondiscrimination policy has always been about ensuring that Vanderbilt students can fully participate in the life of the university, including its registered student organizations. It was not developed nor has it been implemented with an eye toward what other schools are doing or might do."

Swain also said that "only a handful of conservative Christian groups were singled out," and that by preventing organizations' rights to have faith requirements, the policy denies faith. She pointed out her opinions on the faults of the leadership selection system in further detail.

"You can't remove leaders who (later) say they don't believe anything this organization stands for," Swain said. "There is no mechanism in place for (removing) mischievous people who (might) use subterfuge to get themselves elected in these organizations."

She said she feels that leaders of these religious groups should have more knowledge, regarding their faith, to direct and guide people than the members need to — therefore, the leaders need to be required to hold certain beliefs.

Richard McCarty, provost and vice chancellor for Academic Affairs, on the other hand, defends the university's policy, expressing the policy's effects on leadership as unproblematic and non-forceful.

"If the person is eligible to run and loses in a fair election because of the internal requirements of its members, that is not discrimination," McCarty said at a town hall meeting held last semester. "That's a misstatement of what we

are trying to achieve."

Professor Swain is not the only person still fighting back against Vanderbilt's implementation of the all-comers policy. In Oct. 25's edition of The New York Times, Greg Lukianoff published an op-ed referencing Vanderbilt's policy as a violation of First Amendment rights.

"Rules that aim for inclusiveness do more to confuse students than to encourage debate. Earlier this year, Vanderbilt prohibited student groups ... from barring students from leadership positions based on their beliefs," Lukianoff wrote. "The apparent goal was to prevent evangelical Christian groups from excluding gay students from leadership positions."

Swain said that the supposed friction between the gay and Christian communities that led to the creation of the all-comers policy was "created by the university."

The Vanderbilt administration, however, has not backed down with regard to the policy.

"Any student in good standing must be eligible for membership in any registered student organization that he or she has a sincere interest in," McCarty said. "When it comes to leadership, the same basic principle must apply, that is, all members must be eligible for leadership positions."

Swain, who was recently awarded the William Bentley Ball Award by the Christian Legal society for her work in religious liberty, said that she feels that through this policy, Vanderbilt University is providing a disservice to a large percentage of students on campus.

"This policy is unfair for students who are paying student activity fees, especially when twenty percent of the student population is affiliated with these unregistered groups," Swain said. "Something important has been lost and needs to be restored."

— Tyler Bishop contributed to this report.

Non-student DJs dismissed from WRVU

By ERIC SINGLE
Editor-in-chief

WRVU staff members moved this week to appeal a decision made by the Vanderbilt Student Communications Board of Directors forcing the student radio station to dismiss its non-student DJs and trainees.

A 6-to-1 vote by the VSC Board at a meeting last Friday amended the organization's bylaws to limit participation in all media divisions exclusively to students. The standardization of policy had minimal effect on the other groups under the purview of the VSC Board, such as The Vanderbilt Hustler and Vanderbilt Television. But for WRVU, which has long opened its airtime to Vanderbilt staff, alumni and community DJs, the announcement of the staff dismissals struck a more direct chord.

In an email sent to all station staff and DJs on Monday, WRVU General Manager Robert Ackley responded to the board's line of reasoning and outlined his correspondence with the board prior to the decision.

"The Board's primary expressed reasoning for this decision is the claim that Vanderbilt Student Media exists primarily to serve its Vanderbilt student members," Ackley wrote. "The WRVU Executive Staff and I unanimously and fundamentally disagree with the idea that our non-student members must therefore be eliminated in order to achieve this goal. Indeed, we believe that their participation serves rather to enhance the student experience and that their removal is in fact a detriment to WRVU's best interests."

Ackley said he was given approximately five minutes to make his case for keeping the non-affiliated DJs at last Friday's board meeting. Shortly after the initial email, Ackley sent out a petition to the station staff with a counterproposal for



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Former WRVU DJs David Garrison and Nat Howry peruse CDs at the WRVU CD Sale in Sarratt 189 on April 11.

the board's consideration that would reinstate at least the Vanderbilt-affiliated non-student DJs. The petition received over 40 signatures by student members in the first two days.

"We don't believe VSC's purpose of primarily serving students is mutually exclusive with our desire to keep the non-students, but rather that these goals are mutually reinforcing," Ackley said.

The group of those dismissed includes Nat Howry, a Vanderbilt Medical Center employee who started as an intern at the station in the fall of 2009 and started his own show, "Digital Pillage," the following summer.

"I was definitely disappointed and kind of shocked that it happened," Howry said. "I know the purpose of the station is for student participation and experience, but the non-student

DJs contribute to that as far as training and just being there for general troubleshooting things. I know I've helped several cases where students were having trouble, and because I've been around for several years, I was able to help them with that quickly."

Howry, known on the air as DJ Longstride, was quick to bring up the contributions of fellow non-student DJ Ron Slomowicz, who would have begun his 20th year as a WRVU DJ this fall.

"That's a community service, providing community news and interviews for the LGBTQ community here in Nashville," Howry said. "I hate to see that gone because of a decision that, in my opinion, could've been better thought through."

Student VSC Board member and WRVU Training Director Neal Cotter was the lone dissenting vote.

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IN THE NEWS

Vanderbilt professor addresses possibility of Ahmadinejad indictment

By **SAM McBRIDE**
News manager

During the presidential debate on Monday, Mitt Romney pledged to make sure that Iranian President Mahmoud Ahmadinejad would be indicted under the Genocide Convention.

On Thursday, Vanderbilt law professor Michael Newton wrote an article for CNN assessing the possibility of an indictment, calling such a proposition "potentially feasible, but fraught with practical and political barriers."

Newton acknowledges that some of the incendiary statements made by Ahmadinejad could possibly be considered "direct and public" incitement to commit genocide, which the Genocide Convention of 1948 obligates countries to criminalize.

However, Newton wrote that the practical reality of prosecution against Ahmadinejad would face a significant barrier in the form of sovereign immunity.

"One country cannot simply disregard the sovereign immunity claims of another country to issue criminal charges against a sitting leader," the article states.

Still, Newton suggests that there are potential ways to get around this and press a criminal case against the Iranian President in the International Criminal Court.

"Initiation of a case against Iran's leader would no doubt be controversial and could galvanize Iranian domestic political unity," Newton said. "On the other hand, it could be a game changer in the diplomatic status quo that would prompt countries either to stand for principle or surrender to political expediency."

'2012's worst candidate' goes to Nashville resident Mark Clayton

By **SAM McBRIDE**
News manager

Nashville resident and Democratic nominee for one of Tennessee's U.S. Senate seats Mark Clayton has been dubbed "2012's worst candidate" by the Washington Post.

According to the Post, Clayton has no campaign office, only one yard sign and has raised a mere \$278. Clayton has disputed these numbers, saying that his total fundraising is somewhere between \$1,000 and \$10,000.

Clayton, who secured the Democratic Party nomination with 30 percent of the vote, possibly because his name came first alphabetically among the candidates, is running against incumbent Republican Senator Bob Corker.

The Democratic Party has all but conceded the seat already, disavowing Clayton for his participation in Public Advocate of the United States, a group that has been branded as a hate group for its anti-gay rhetoric.

Many of Clayton's views depart strongly from Democratic orthodoxy, or, for that matter, any orthodoxy. According to the Washington Post, he has said he believes that the Transportation Security Administration "mandates (transsexuals) and homosexuals grabbing children in their stranger-danger zones."

Despite the minimal funding, bad press and lack of any noticeable support staff, Clayton remains confident in his ability to prevail in the election.

"Jesus did not have a campaign staff. And he had the most successful campaign in human history," Clayton said.

Clayton previously ran for Senate in 2008, when he failed to win the primary race.

ASB's life map

ASB celebrates **25 years of service** this spring, and The Hustler **ASBreaks it down** for you



By **ZACH BERKOWITZ**
News reporter

Now-retired Vanderbilt classics professor Susan Wiltshire addressed the student body 27 years ago, posing a challenge to students — a challenge that has now turned into the largest student-run organization on campus.

"When I was in college, I had two experiences of very short service projects that made me realize that you didn't have to go very far or stay very long to change your life," Wiltshire said. "Years later, as a faculty member ... I realized that I didn't want to do something honorary without doing something that counted."

She said the first time she asked if anyone was interested in initiating an alternative break program, she got no response. The next school year she asked around again, with the same determination she had as a college student. This time she got an answer — resulting in what would eventually become Alternative Spring Break (ASB).

"One student called me and asked if we could talk about it," Wiltshire said. "She had told her parents she would only come back to Vanderbilt if she could find a way to change it. She did."

With the help of a few other students, ASB began in the spring of 1987, with four sites and just over 50 participants. Today, Vanderbilt's ASB program is the largest student-run organization on Vanderbilt's campus and has

spread to multiple institutions throughout the country.

Last spring's ASB trips marked the 25th in the history of the program, a significant milestone according to ASB cochair Megan Twomey.

"This anniversary ... really shows the progress we've made in this organization," Twomey said. "That (original) program was incredible, but it was such a smaller scale than what we currently do. I just think 25 years is great, as well as the fact that we've been able to sustain our organization and also grow."

The program today is able to send around 500 students to 39 different sites across the world, according to Twomey. The original idea of having sites both near and far was Wiltshire's.

"We set up four sites for the first year: one local, one regional, one national and one international — to recognize that needs occurred everywhere," Wiltshire said.

To celebrate 25 years of ASB, the "ASBoard" is hosting a tailgate on Saturday, Oct. 27, for students and alumni. Twomey hopes the tailgate will be a great way to reflect on how far the program has come, as well as what the future of ASB will bring.

"With the alumni coming back, we get to really show our appreciation for what they've done in the past, as well as give them a taste of what we're doing now in ASB," Twomey said. "We're all about reflection in ASB."

Besides the number of sites and participants, Twomey said much more has changed from 1987 to today.

"The triangle actually hasn't always been something integral to the Alternative Spring Break movement," she said. "It was actually introduced in the early 2000's ... really focusing on the key components that make ASB a really great alternative breaking experience: service, education and reflection."

Behind all of the changes, as well as the expansion of ASB to other institutions nationwide, Twomey and the rest of the ASB board pride themselves on keeping the founding ideals of the program alive.

"I think (the founders) would be really impressed with how efficient and how much of a community ASB has become on campus, because I definitely think in their original goal they wanted to create this community relationship," Twomey said. "I don't know if they ever envisioned the community that ASB on campus would become, though."

As for the future of ASB, Twomey believes the program will continue to change and improve.

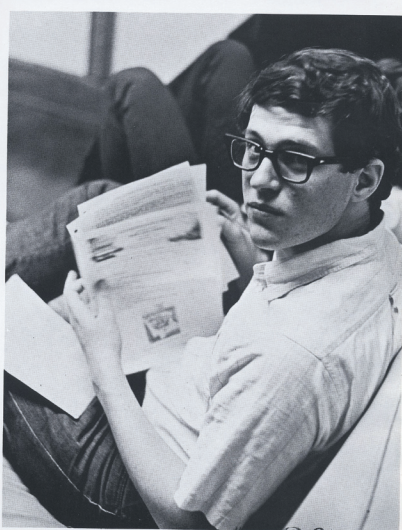
"Something we focused on this year is looking for a lot of new types of service. The dynamics of the (Vanderbilt) community change from year to year. Students' interests are being reflected, because ultimately you want passionate participants and passionate site leaders going on all these sites."

Twomey sees ASB lasting "as long as Vanderbilt is here."

"People love it too much and there's too much of a community for it to ever go away," Twomey said.

Student media welcomes new inductees to Hall of Fame

By **JENNA WENGLER, HANNAH SILLS**
News staff reporters



The Vanderbilt Student Media Hall of Fame will induct its three newest members today in a ceremony at the First Amendment Center on campus. Clay Harris, Class of '72, Willie Geist, '97 and Lee Jenkins, '99, all served as leaders on The Hustler's staff during their undergraduate years at Vanderbilt and have since gone on to distinguished careers in journalism. The three inductees will join 16 other alumni in the Hall of Fame, which was established in 2009.

Clay Harris spent the majority of his career with the Financial Times, a business-oriented news organization based in the United Kingdom. Over almost 30 years with the Times he served in many roles, ranging from reporter to news editor. He retired in mid-2007 and currently resides in London with his partner Alan.

Harris was on The Hustler's staff from 1968 to 1972, serving as editor-in-chief his senior year. "Being editor-in-chief is still my proudest single achievement in journalism," he said. "The lessons of teamwork learned on The Hustler ... shaped my outlook forever."

From his tenure with the Times, Harris cited the development of the international edition in 1979 and the expansion of FT.com in 1999 as two especially memorable time periods. He served as news editor for both publications during those transitional periods.

In addition to these two milestones, Harris's career has featured other exciting moments, such as a lunch with the Queen of England.

"I was one of about 20 journalists chosen to have lunch with her and Prince Philip when she came to the FT ... To give the experience full justice, I'd have to act it all out. But what every mother might be interested in is — I've never met a woman who wasn't — it's OK to touch up your lipstick at the table; I've seen the Queen of England do it!"

Harris considers his most satisfying experience from his days at the Times, however, to be the creation of Mudlark, which he described as "a daily diary column about the British financial and corporate world that looked at personality and offbeat stories."

"It was entirely unlike anything I'd ever done before and did not fit in with my image of myself as a very serious journalist. Yet, I enjoyed it far more than I'd ever expected and it even gave me a nom de plume that carries on even after my FT career."

Willie Geist has worked in the television industry in roles such as writer, editor and producer for organizations including CNN, Sports Illustrated, Fox Sports Network and MSNBC. In addition to work on other programs, he has been cohost of MSNBC's show "Morning Joe" since 2007 and will join the "TODAY" show as cohost of the 9 a.m. hour starting

Nov. 12, according to an NBC News press release.

Geist is also the author of "American Freak Show: The Completely Fabricated Stories of Our New National Treasures," a New York Times bestseller, and coauthor with Boyd McDonnell of the humorous "Loaded!: Become a Millionaire Overnight and Lose 20 Pounds in 2 Weeks, or Your Money Back." He and his wife Christina, also a Vanderbilt graduate, reside in New York City with their two children.

Geist covered sports during his time on staff at The Hustler, serving as an associate sports editor and then ultimately as a contributing editor his senior year. "I had never covered sports because I'd been playing them my whole life," Geist said. "Sports writing kept me close to the games in college."

"I encourage students to focus on liberal arts and to simply get smart," Geist said. "Take political science, history, economics and whatever else interests you. That base of knowledge will prepare you to think critically about the world. We can teach you the ropes of journalism later."

Lee Jenkins has been a senior writer with Sports Illustrated since 2007 and previously covered sports for publications such as The Orange County Register, The Colorado Springs Gazette and The New York Times. He lives in Los Angeles with his wife Elizabeth, also a Vanderbilt graduate, and their two children.

Working on The Hustler's staff helped Jenkins develop into the journalist he is today. "I learned the craft (of sports writing) at the Hustler," says Jenkins.

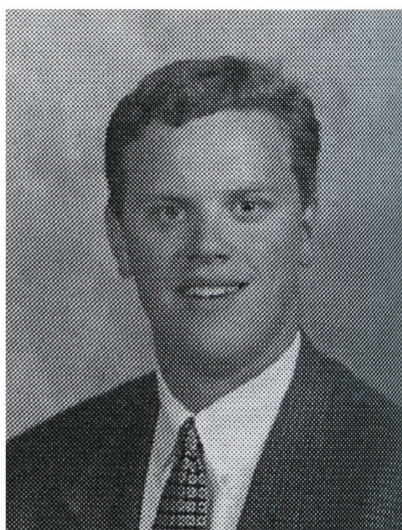
"A lot of my stories now are about people, like they were at The Hustler ... At The Hustler I wrote a lot of long features about athletes. Oddly enough, that's what I do now, on a larger scale," explained Jenkins. "My process is more involved now than it was then, but the fundamentals are the same."

Jenkins also served as editor-in-chief during his time with The Hustler. "It (being editor-in-chief) was like a full time job. ... We were up all night twice a week, on Sundays and Wednesdays — and those all nighters just crushed you the next day."

In his professional life, Jenkins has been honored by both the New York Press Association and the Football Writers Association of America for his work in sports journalism.

"Sports journalism is what I've done forever, since I was fifteen," Jenkins said. "I grew up reading Sports Illustrated. It was the reason why I wanted to be a sports writer. I in part learned how to write from reading SI, so to know that I'm giving that to new readers is really great."

For interested students, Geist and Jenkins will be featured in "Chat With a Pro" student Q&A sessions today from 1:30-2:30 p.m. Geist's chat will be held in Rand 308, Jenkins's will be in Sarratt 361. Seating is limited, so please email paige.clancy@vanderbilt.edu with "Pro RSVP" in the subject if you'd like to attend.



THE VANDERBILT COMMODORE YEARBOOK
From top to bottom: Clay Harris, Lee Jenkins, Willie Geist



Congratulations to the
Vanderbilt Student Media
Hall of Fame
Class of 2012

to be inducted today as part of Reunion Weekend



Lee Jenkins, Class of 1999

Lee Jenkins grew up in San Diego and was awarded the Russell-Rice Sportswriting Scholarship in 1993. He started his work at the *Hustler* covering sports. "Tyler Kepner assigned me my first story for the *Hustler* on Vanderbilt baseball player Josh Paul, who later went pro, before I had finished moving into my dorm," Jenkins said. Jenkins served as *Hustler* editor-in-chief, which he calls "the best job I ever had." After graduation, Jenkins, an American Studies major, covered UCLA basketball and football for the *Orange County Register* and the Colorado Avalanche and Denver Nuggets for *The Colorado Springs Gazette*. In 2003 he joined *The New York Times*, where his assignments included being the beat reporter for the New York Mets. Jenkins' numerous honors include first place in the New York Press Association (Sports Reporting) category and the Football Writers Association of America (Best Game Story). In 2007 he was named senior writer at *Sports Illustrated*, where he has covered everything from the Super Bowl to the NBA finals, with an emphasis on feature writing. Jenkins lives in Los Angeles with his wife, Vanderbilt alumna Elizabeth Cook Jenkins ('99), and their two children.



Willie Geist, Class of 1997

Willie Geist recently was named co-host of the 9 a.m. hour of the *Today* show. He has hosted MSNBC's "Way Too Early With Willie Geist" and co-hosts political show "Morning Joe." He has a video blog on MSNBC.com called Zeitgeist. Geist grew up in Ridgewood, N.J., and when he joined the *Hustler* staff, he first worked as a staff sports writer and then an associate sports editor. "I had never covered sports because I'd been playing them my whole life," Geist said. "Sports writing kept me close to the games in college." Geist was named a contributing editor of the *Hustler* his senior year. Meanwhile, his interest in American, and particularly Southern, politics deepened with classes from political scientists like John Geer, Bruce Oppenheimer and John Kuzenski. Geist earned his bachelor's degree in political science in 1997. He jumped into sports television as an editor and producer for CNN/Sports Illustrated, a 24-hour sports network based in Atlanta. In 2005 Geist joined MSNBC as a senior producer for "The Situation with Tucker Carlson." His newsroom banter with Carlson became a regular feature of the program where Geist would report and offer his unique spin on the day's news. Geist's big break came in 2007 when he was named co-host of "Morning Joe," which has grown to become arguably television's most influential political show. Geist lives in New York City with his wife, Vanderbilt alumna Christina Sharkey Geist ('97), and their two children.



Clay Harris, Class of 1972

Harris, who grew up in Tampa, Fla., came to Vanderbilt as a national merit scholar. The university's lack of a journalism school actually attracted him to campus, as he preferred to focus on the liberal arts. "In a remarkable way we were self-taught. None of us was a journalism major," said Harris, who was editor-in-chief of the *Hustler* his senior year. He majored in history and economics. After his junior year, Harris competed with some 1,200 applicants for a *Washington Post* internship and won a coveted slot with the *Los Angeles Times/Washington Post* News Service. Harris was hired by the *Tampa Times* after graduation. In 1973, the *Washington Post* offered him a position in London, where he would select and edit stories for their syndication clients. "This was long before the Internet and email so we were dealing with satellite windows, ticker tapes and telex operators," Harris said. During that time, Harris met the man of his dreams and they have been together for more than 38 years. That relationship was a deciding factor in Harris' decision to settle in London and build his career there. In 1979 Harris became a news editor at the *Financial Times*, which was launching its first international edition. He stayed at the *Financial Times* for nearly 30 years in a variety of reporting and editing positions and created Mudlark, a financial diary column, before retiring in 2007. Harris now is a freelance columnist for *Securities & Investment Review*.



Past Hall of Fame Inductees

2009

Sen. Lamar Alexander (1962), Skip Bayless (1974), Roy Blount Jr. (1963), Mary Elson (1974) and Sam Feist (1991)

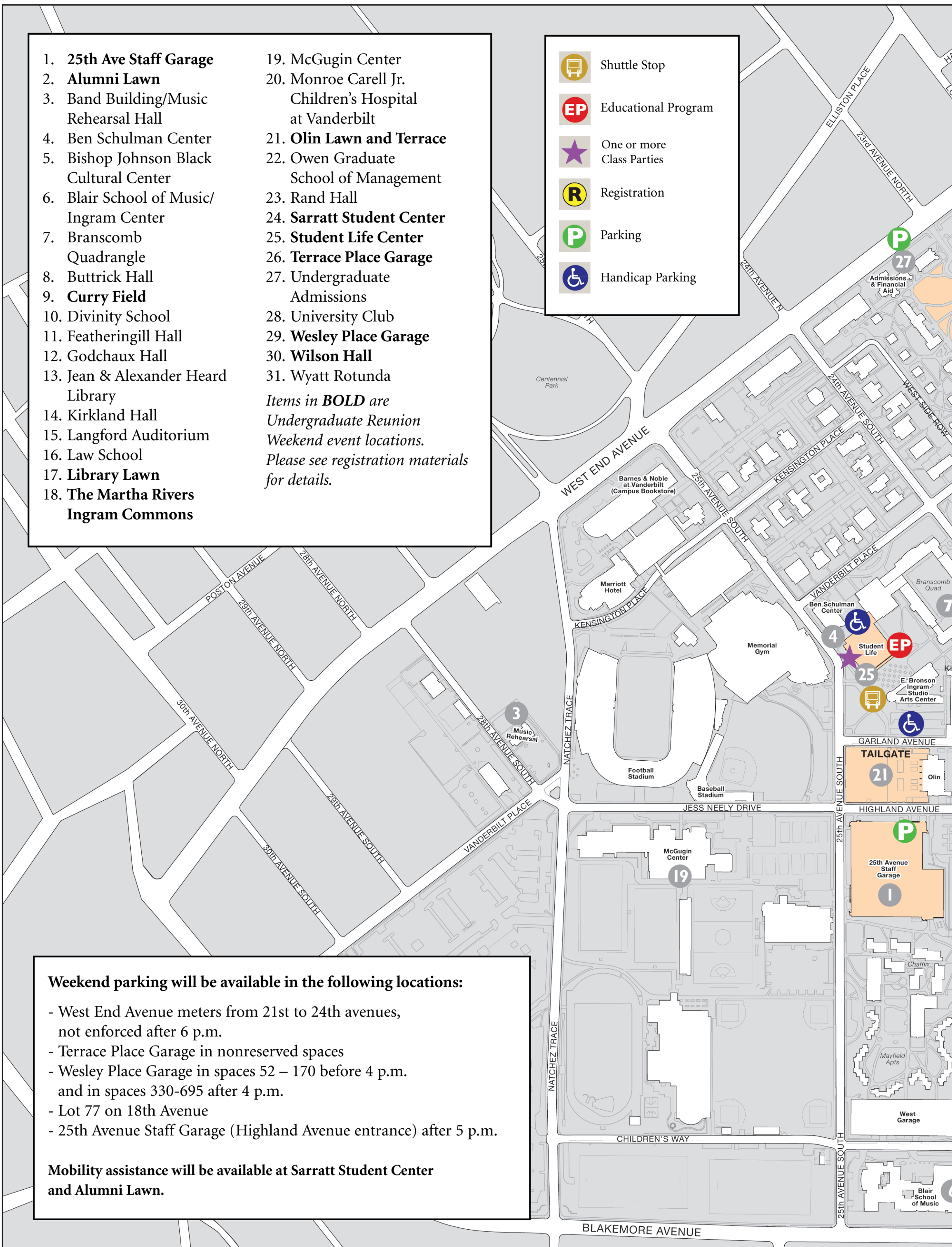
2010

Don Benson (1974), Alex Heard (1980), Ralph McGill (posthumously), Buster Olney (1988), Dr. Raphael Smith (1955) and Tracy Wilkinson (1980)

2011

Tyler Kepner (1997), Fred Buc (1979), Neil Skene (1973), Terry Eastland (1971), and Frye Gaillard (1968)

Need to find your way around campus



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| 1. 25th Ave Staff Garage | 19. McGugin Center |
| 2. Alumni Lawn | 20. Monroe Carell Jr. Children's Hospital at Vanderbilt |
| 3. Band Building/Music Rehearsal Hall | 21. Olin Lawn and Terrace |
| 4. Ben Schulman Center | 22. Owen Graduate School of Management |
| 5. Bishop Johnson Black Cultural Center | 23. Rand Hall |
| 6. Blair School of Music/Ingram Center | 24. Sarratt Student Center |
| 7. Branscomb Quadrangle | 25. Student Life Center |
| 8. Buttrick Hall | 26. Terrace Place Garage |
| 9. Curry Field | 27. Undergraduate Admissions |
| 10. Divinity School | 28. University Club |
| 11. Featheringill Hall | 29. Wesley Place Garage |
| 12. Godchaux Hall | 30. Wilson Hall |
| 13. Jean & Alexander Heard Library | 31. Wyatt Rotunda |
| 14. Kirkland Hall | |
| 15. Langford Auditorium | |
| 16. Law School | |
| 17. Library Lawn | |
| 18. The Martha Rivers Ingram Commons | |
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-  Shuttle Stop
-  Educational Program
-  One or more Class Parties
-  Registration
-  Parking
-  Handicap Parking

Weekend parking will be available in the following locations:

- West End Avenue meters from 21st to 24th avenues, not enforced after 6 p.m.
- Terrace Place Garage in nonreserved spaces
- Wesley Place Garage in spaces 52 – 170 before 4 p.m. and in spaces 330-695 after 4 p.m.
- Lot 77 on 18th Avenue
- 25th Avenue Staff Garage (Highland Avenue entrance) after 5 p.m.

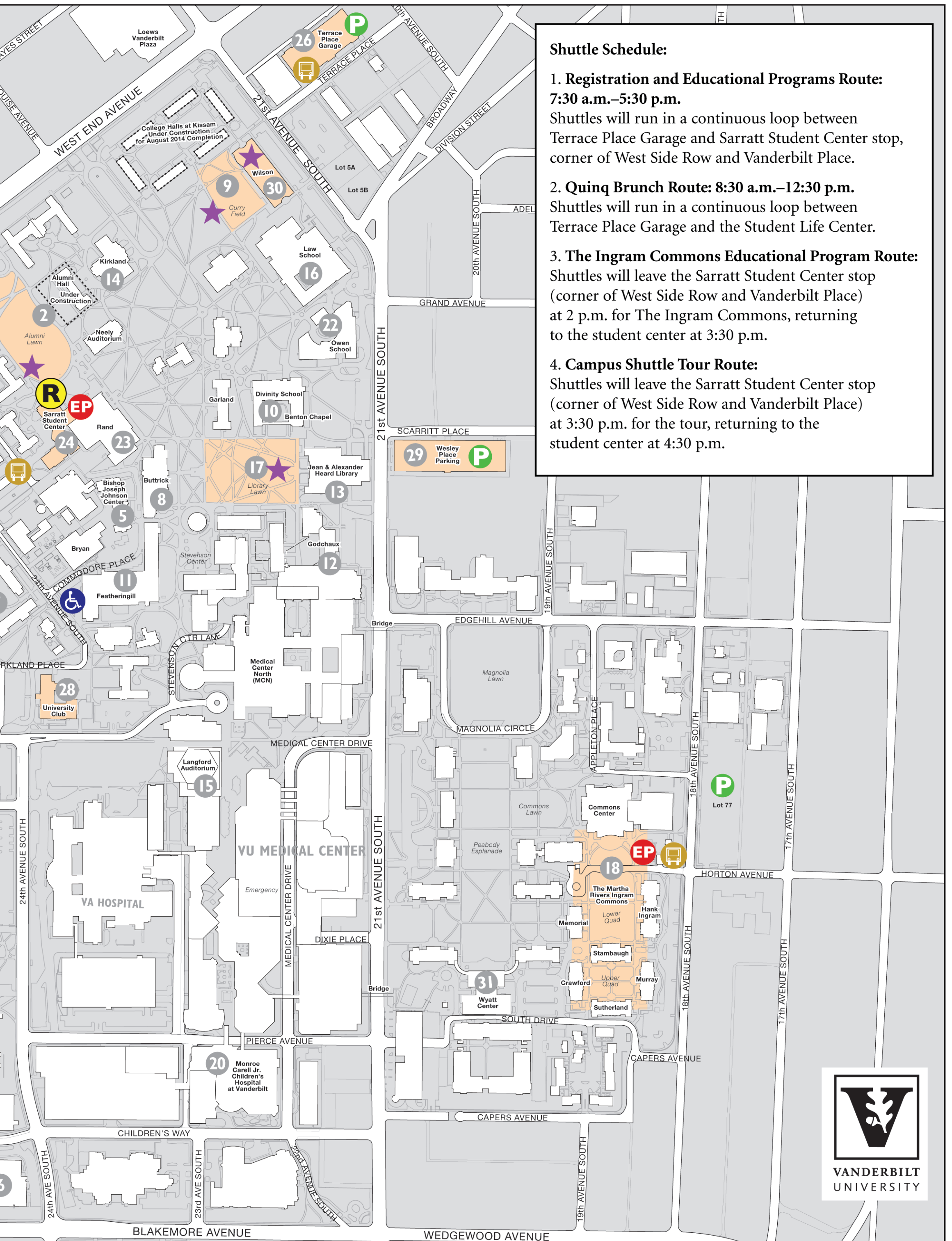
Mobility assistance will be available at Sarratt Student Center and Alumni Lawn.

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Check out the newest additions to campus:

“New Rand” (Pi and Leaf dining options), student organization space in Rand and Sarratt, Jumbotron in Vanderbilt Stadium, Blakemore House residential hall

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Shuttle Schedule:

- 1. Registration and Educational Programs Route: 7:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m.**
Shuttles will run in a continuous loop between Terrace Place Garage and Sarratt Student Center stop, corner of West Side Row and Vanderbilt Place.
- 2. Quinq Brunch Route: 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.**
Shuttles will run in a continuous loop between Terrace Place Garage and the Student Life Center.
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Friday

8 a.m.-5 p.m.
Reunion Registration/Packet Pickup
Sarratt Promenade, second floor

9:30-11:30 a.m.
Quinc Brunch and Program—Classes of '62 and Prior
Student Life Center

10 a.m.
Divinity School Cole Lecture
Anthea Butler
Benton Chapel

11 a.m. and 2 p.m.
Undergraduate Admissions Campus Tours
2305 West End Ave.

11 a.m.-1 p.m.
McGugin Center Open House
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11:30 a.m.
Peabody Pioneer Lunch
Peabody Library, Fireside Reading Room

11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

VUSN Lunch and Learn: Then and Now—A Conversation between Nursing Alumni and Students
Frist Hall, Room 140
Lunch reservations are required.

1-2 p.m.
Conversation with the Chancellor
Sarratt Cinema
Chancellor Nicholas S. Zeppos will deliver a campus update.

2-3:30 p.m.
AVBA Alumni/Student Panel: Life as a Vanderbilt Alumnus/a
Bishop Joseph Johnson Black Cultural Center

2-3:30 p.m.
K.C. Potter and the Office of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer and Intersex (LGBTQI) Life Open House
Euclid, 312 West Side Row

2-4 p.m.
Chemistry, Physics and Astronomy Reception
Magnolia Courtyard (just outside the Stevenson Center)

2:30-3:30 p.m.
Divinity School Alumni/ae and Faculty Memorial

Service
Benton Chapel

2:30-3:30 p.m.
School of Nursing Dessert Social and Tour
Godchaux Hall Living Room
Tour begins at 2:45 p.m. Reservations are requested.

2:30-3:30 p.m.
Wilson Hall Tour
301 Wilson Hall
Sponsored by the Department of Psychology

3-4 p.m.
Margaret Cuninggim Women's Center Open House
316 West Side Row

3 p.m.
Vanderbilt University Fine Arts Gallery
Fine Arts Gallery, Cohen Memorial Hall
Tours led by student docents

3-5 p.m.
Managerial Studies Program Open House
FEL Keck Center, Suite 315

3:30-4:30 p.m.
Campus Shuttle Tours
Leaving from Sarratt Cinema Lobby
Shuttles will take you on a tour of campus with students as your guides. Self-guided walking tour maps are also available at registration.

3:30-5 p.m.
Student Media Hall of Fame: Inducting Lee Jenkins, BA'99, Willie Geist, BA'97, and Clay Harris, BA'72
First Amendment Center (corner of 18th and Edgehill avenues)

4:30-5:30 p.m.
AVBA Annual Business Meeting
Bishop Joseph Johnson Black Cultural Center

5-7 p.m.
Greek gatherings
Hillel Shabbat Services and Dinner
Ben Schulman Center for Jewish Life

5:30 p.m. services, 6:30 p.m. dinner

6:30 p.m.
Class Parties Begin
7 p.m.
Landon House 40th Reunion Social
University Club

8 p.m.
Commodore Quake Memorial Gym

9:30 p.m.
All-Class Party
Alumni Lawn
Desserts and dancing to the Jimmy Church Band

Friday (Mini reunion events)

2-3:30 p.m.
AVBA Alumni/Student Panel: Life as a Vanderbilt Alumnus/a
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2-3:30 p.m.
LGBTQI Alumni Group Gathering
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Open House
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3 p.m.
AVBA Homecoming Mixer
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Keck FEL Center, Suite 315

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5:30-7 p.m.
Ingram Scholarship Program Happy Hour
Admiral Room, Memorial Gymnasium

7 p.m.
Landon House 40th Reunion Evening Social
University Club

Saturday

8:30-11:30 a.m.
School of Nursing Reunion Brunch
University Club

10-11:30 a.m.
Blair School of Music Reunion Breakfast
Wilma Ward Courtyard

11 a.m.-2 p.m.
Landon House 40th Reunion

Picnic
Fannie Mae Dees Park
2400 Blakemore Avenue

Noon
NPHC Step Show
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3 p.m.
AVBA Homecoming Mixer

Bishop Joseph Johnson Black Cultural Center

6 p.m.
Homecoming Football Game
Dudley Field

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6:30 p.m.
Landon House Reunion Evening Social
Home of Barbara Moss, BA'72

Saturday (Mini reunion events)

11 a.m.-2 p.m.
Concert Choir Alumni Reunion
Music Rehearsal Hall (MRH)

11 a.m.-2 p.m.
Landon House 40th Reunion Picnic
Fannie Mae Dees Park
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2 p.m.
Alumni Band Tailgate
Deck at the Music Rehearsal Hall
204 28th Ave. S.

3 p.m.
Class of 2007 Civil Engineers Pregame Mixer
Adams Atrium (Featheringill Hall)

4 p.m.
Alternative Spring Break 25th Anniversary
Student/Alumni Tailgate
Student Life Center Courtyard

4 p.m.
Army ROTC Alumni Cookout
Army ROTC Department
1114 19th Ave. S.

6:30 p.m.
Landon House 40th Reunion Saturday Evening Social
Home of Barbara Moss, BA'72
2707 Belmont Blvd., Nashville, TN 37212

Friday (Educational)

11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.
The Silver Lining of Attack Advertising in Presidential Campaigns
Sarratt Cinema
John Geer, Gertrude Conaway Vanderbilt Professor of Political Science

11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.
Vanderbilt Travel Program—Explore the World your Way in 2013
Student Life Center, Board of Trust Room
Cary Allyn, A'75, director of the Vanderbilt Travel Program

11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.
The World of College Admissions

Sarratt 189
Janet Schneider, BA'73, MAT'76, director of college counseling at University School of Nashville; Terry, BE'81, and Dawn Graser Moore

1-2 p.m.
Conversation with the Chancellor
Sarratt Cinema
Chancellor Nicholas S. Zeppos will deliver a campus update.

2:15-3:15 p.m.
Good Enough

Rand Function Room
John Lachs, Centennial Professor of Philosophy

2:15-3:15 p.m.
The Ingram Commons Turns Five and What's Next
Dean's Residence at The Commons (1235 18th Ave. S.)
A tour of The Ingram Commons follows.

2:15-3:15 p.m.
Networking Tips and Tricks for Success (You might even use them this weekend!)
Sarratt Room 189
Adam Small, founder and CEO of Strategic Business Network

2:15-3:15 p.m.
Vanderbilt Athletics Update with Vice Chancellor David

Williams
Sarratt Cinema

3:30-4:30 p.m.
"Becoming a USA Like Never Before, Never Intended..."
Sarratt Room 189
Lucius T. Outlaw, Jr., Professor of Philosophy and of African American and Diaspora Studies

3:30-4:30 p.m.
How to Draw A Nekkid Man
Rand Function Room
Tricia Rose Burt, BA'82

3:30-5 p.m.
"The Evolving Role of U.S. Military Intervention and Its Implications for U.S. National Security"
Sarratt Cinema
General Anthony Zinni

Share your favorite memories of Mary McClure Taylor

Mary McClure Taylor, who welcomed generations of students to Vanderbilt from her desk at Kirkland Hall, died Aug. 5 after a short illness. She was 81.

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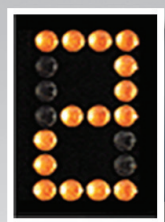
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Vanderbilt's all-time record in homecoming games. Last year's homecoming win over Army snapped an eight-game losing streak in homecoming games for the Commodores.

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WHAT'S ON TAP



BOSLEY JARRETT / THE VANDERBILT HUSTLER

Friday, Oct. 26

10 a.m.

Men's cross country at SEC Championships

Nashville, Tenn.

1 p.m.

Women's swimming vs. Alabama

Nashville, Tenn.

6:30 p.m.

Baseball Black & Gold Scrimmage

Nashville, Tenn.

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Women's Cross Country at SEC Championships

Nashville, Tenn.

Saturday, Oct. 27

6 p.m.

Football vs. Massachusetts

Nashville, Tenn.

Sunday, Oct. 28

1 p.m.

Baseball Black & Gold Scrimmage

Nashville, Tenn.

BASKETBALL NOTES

By JACKSON MARTIN
Sports editor

Fans will get their first chance to see the Vanderbilt men's and women's basketball teams next week in Memorial Gymnasium. The men's team will play St. Xavier (Ill.) Nov. 2 at 7 p.m. in an exhibition game. The women's team will face the University of Alabama-Huntsville Nov. 3 at 2 p.m.

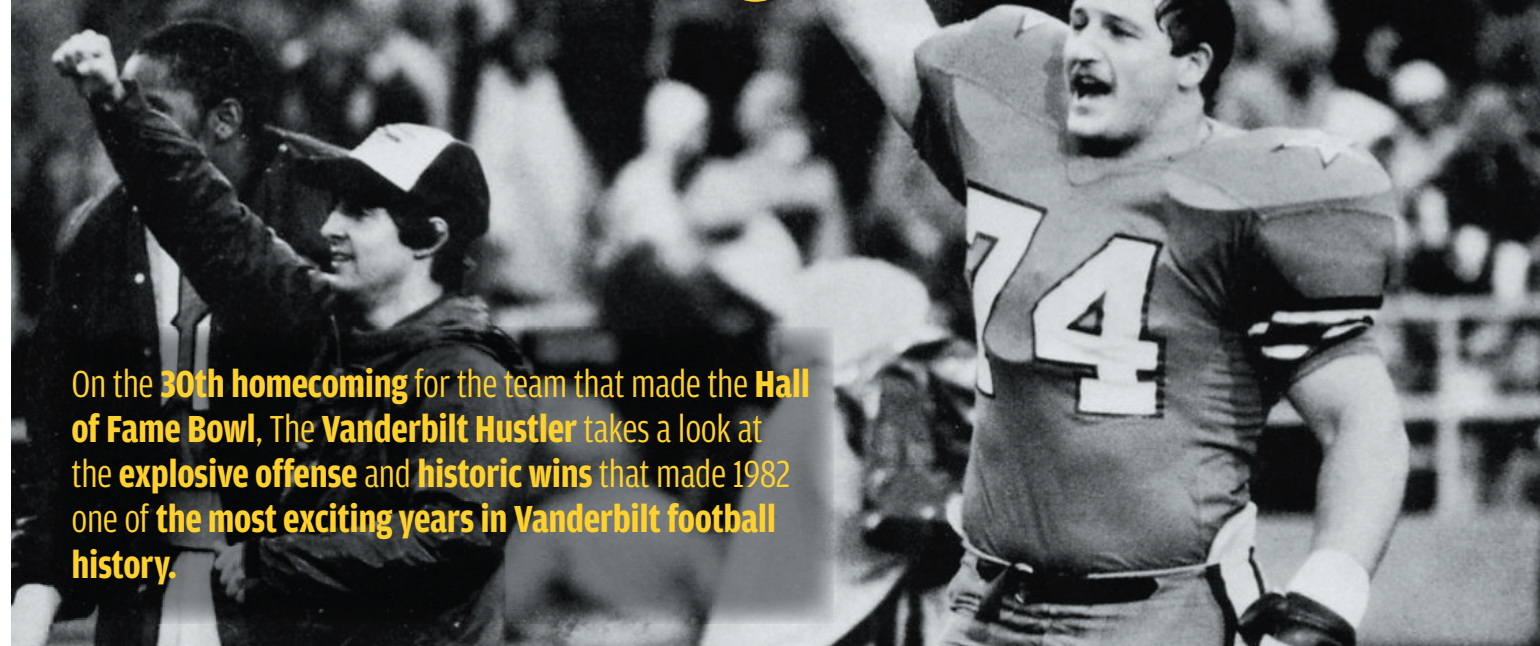
The women's team was picked to finish third in the Southeastern Conference by the league's media, behind Kentucky and Georgia. The Commodores return all five starters from last season and 10 players overall, including the SEC's leading scorer from last season, Christina Foggie. Nearly all of the team's offensive production from last year will return for this season, leading most preseason polls to place the Commodores in the top 20 of rankings.

The men's team was picked to finish 10th of 14 teams in the SEC by the league's media. When asked about how he will cope with an entirely new rotation this season, head coach Kevin Stallings acknowledged the challenge of undertaking such a task.

"We lost our top six guys," Stallings said. "Our leading returning scorer averaged 3.5 points per game. It's just an entirely new proposition, but we've done this before. We've had significant turnover on teams in the past, so we know how to deal with it. I think the biggest difference is we have nobody on this year's team that will be in a role anywhere similar to the one they had a year ago. Everything is going to ratchet up for all these guys, and that's part of what makes college basketball coaching exciting because you do have some turnover."

The regular season begins on Nov. 10 for each team. The men will take on Nicholls State and the women will play McNeese State, with times to be determined for each game at Memorial Gymnasium.

Remembering 1982



CAROL THACKSTON / THE 1983 COMMODORE

On the 30th homecoming for the team that made the Hall of Fame Bowl, *The Vanderbilt Hustler* takes a look at the explosive offense and historic wins that made 1982 one of the most exciting years in Vanderbilt football history.

By JACKSON MARTIN
Sports editor

Thirty years ago, a football team from Vanderbilt University won eight games, beat Tennessee and qualified for a bowl game. That team will reunite this weekend as a part of Vanderbilt's homecoming festivities.

The 1982 squad did not come into the season with high expectations. Having only won four games the year before, George MacIntyre's team was lightly regarded. The program had only been to two bowls in its history, with the most recent coming in 1974, eight years and two coaches before this team.

MacIntyre, who would be named the Bobby Dodd Coach of the Year at the end of the season, and offensive coordinator Watson Brown found success in 1982 with an innovative offense that relied on throwing short passes on nearly every play rather than running the ball, something that was almost unheard of at that time in college football.

"We were doing some things that really nobody was doing," quarterback Whit Taylor said in a 2011 interview. "We were throwing all over the yard 40 or 50 times. It was a West Coast offense before that became a popular term. There were a lot of things that went into it. We had a lot of guys who could catch the ball. We really didn't throw it down the field because we didn't have anybody that would run off and leave anybody. We had a bunch of really smart guys that figured out some things and got open."

The Commodores and their potent passing attack opened the season in the Liberty Bowl against Memphis, then known as Memphis State. The Tigers would finish the season with a record of 1-10, but they gave the Commodores all they could handle in the season opener. Taylor would throw for three touchdowns to lead the Commodores to a 24-14 victory in front of 25,704 fans. Fullback Ernie Goolsby ran for 134 yards in the game, the only time a Commodore would top 100 yards rushing all season.

The next two games were immense challenges for the team. Away dates with ranked opponents in North Carolina and Alabama would have been tough for any team, but a combination of extreme weather and injuries would take an

even bigger toll on the Commodores.

The Tar Heels, ranked No. 11 in the country at the time, put on a blistering second-half performance to break a 10-10 halftime deadlock and emerge with a 34-10 victory on a hot day in Chapel Hill that wore down the Vanderbilt players. Taylor threw for the only touchdown of the game for Vanderbilt.

Taylor would be knocked out of the Alabama game in the second quarter with a concussion. The Commodores trailed 24-7 at halftime when backup quarterback Kurt Page led a furious comeback that fell just short. Page threw two touchdowns to All-American tight end Allama Matthews, who set the school record for touchdown catches that season with 14, but a costly intentional grounding penalty stopped the Commodores' final drive short to secure a 24-21 Alabama victory.

In the home opener the next week, nearly 40,000 fans watched the Commodores struggle with a mediocre Tulane squad. Potentially feeling the effects of a physical game with Alabama the previous week, the Commodores were outgained by more than 100 yards in the game but still emerged with a 24-21 victory.

With a 2-2 record and the next two games coming against highly-ranked Florida and Georgia, it looked like the Commodores might be destined for another subpar season. The Florida game, however, would turn out to be a major turning point in the team's historic season.

The 14th-ranked Gators came to Nashville at an inopportune time for Vanderbilt. Fullback Ernie Goolsby was injured, leaving a huge hole in head coach Watson Brown's offense. Instead of trying to replace Goolsby, Brown switched to a rarely-seen one-back offense with two tight ends. The strategy negated Florida All-American linebacker Will Marshall and allowed Whit Taylor to throw for 287 yards and three touchdowns. Leading 24-21 late in the game and looking to add a game-sealing touchdown, the Commodores fumbled the ball into the Florida end zone, only to see All-SEC tackle Rob Monaco recover the fumble for the touchdown. The Commodores would win 31-29 thanks to Monaco's heroics.

The next week would not prove to be so lucky. The Commodores held a 13-10 lead over undefeated Georgia going into the fourth quarter, but three Taylor interceptions doomed the Com-

modores to a 27-13 loss at the hands of Heisman Trophy-winning running back Herschel Walker and the Bulldogs, who would go on to finish No. 4 in the country after losing the national championship game to Penn State.

The loss put the Commodores at 3-3, with the meat of their schedule behind them. George MacIntyre and the team took full advantage of an easier second-half slate, rattling off five straight wins to secure a bid to the Hall of Fame Bowl Classic in Birmingham, Ala. The Commodores accepted a bid to the game after defeating Tennessee-Chattanooga 28-21 on Nov. 20.

The only regular season game remaining after the Commodores secured their postseason plans was against Tennessee. The in-state rivals traded leads the entire game, with neither squad able to gain more than a seven-point advantage. With only three minutes left in the game, Whit Taylor took off on an option run around the right side of the line and scored the game-winning touchdown to break a 21-21 tie. In 2004, Vanderbilt fans voted Taylor's run as the greatest play in Vanderbilt football history.

The Hall of Fame Bowl was a game of contrasting styles: Vanderbilt's wide-open passing attack matched up against Air Force's wishbone running game. The two offenses combined for one of the most prolific games in either team's history. Air Force would run the ball 69 times in the game, while Vanderbilt would throw 51 times.

"We would score in two minutes and then they would take it and run the wishbone, and they would score in 12 minutes," said Taylor. "We couldn't stop them and they couldn't stop us. It was a great game to watch offensive-wise."

The final stat sheet from the game looks like something out of a video game. Taylor set the Hall of Fame Bowl record with 452 yards passing, the second-highest total in Vanderbilt history. He completed 38 of his 51 passes and threw for four touchdowns. Running back Norman Jordan set a Vanderbilt record with 20 catches in the game, totaling 173 yards and three touchdowns.

The Commodores fell 36-28 in the game, as Taylor's three interceptions proved to be too much to overcome for the team. The loss has not diminished the memories of the 1982 football team, however. The Hall of Fame Bowl team lives on in Vanderbilt history as one of the most exciting and successful squads in the school's history.

XC at home in SEC Championships

By ALLISON MAST
Sports reporter

Last October, the Vanderbilt women's cross country team captured its first SEC title in Maryville, Tenn. The team was built for success. Individually, the runners were extremely talented, but they attributed their early victories to their cohesion as a group. When they lined up on the starting line, not even their coach Steve Keith could foresee the magnitude of their success. Five Vanderbilt runners placed in the top 10. Overall, the Commodores accumulated 30 team points — 31 points better than the second-place team Arkansas.

This Friday, the team looks to defend its title. If the runners can repeat their spectacular performance, they will be the first Vanderbilt team to hold an SEC title in consecutive years since the women's soccer team in 1994. This adds a considerable amount of pressure to a team that received dazzling reviews before the season even started.

Friday's SEC Championship meet takes place at Percy Warner Park in Nashville. Contrary to popular belief, home-field advantage (or in this case, home-course advantage) applies to cross country. One look at the team's 2012 results proves that the runners are well prepared for

Friday's challenge.

The first two meets of Vanderbilt's season, the Belmont Opener and the Commodore Classic, were both held at Percy Warner Park. At the Belmont Opener, Coach Keith chose to display the talent of the young team members, only running his freshmen and sophomores.

The Commodores showed that the depth of their roster would be one of their greatest assets; they took first place over seven other schools, including Kentucky and Tennessee. Sophomore Hannah Jumper won the race with a time of 14:09:10, two seconds faster than the second-place runner. Three other members of the Vanderbilt squad placed in the top 10: Rebecca Chandler, Sarah Barron and Vanessa Valentine.

Two weeks later, the team returned to Percy Warner Park to play host at the annual Commodore Classic. Despite some health issues, the women defended their home turf and brought home the title. The top five Commodores placed third, fourth, sixth, seventh and 23rd, combining for a total of 42 team points. In second place, Mississippi ended the competition with 84 points. Coach Keith was extremely pleased with the execution of his plan: the top four runners must stick together. Junior Liz Anderson was the first of this group to cross



JAMES TATUM / THE VANDERBILT HUSTLER

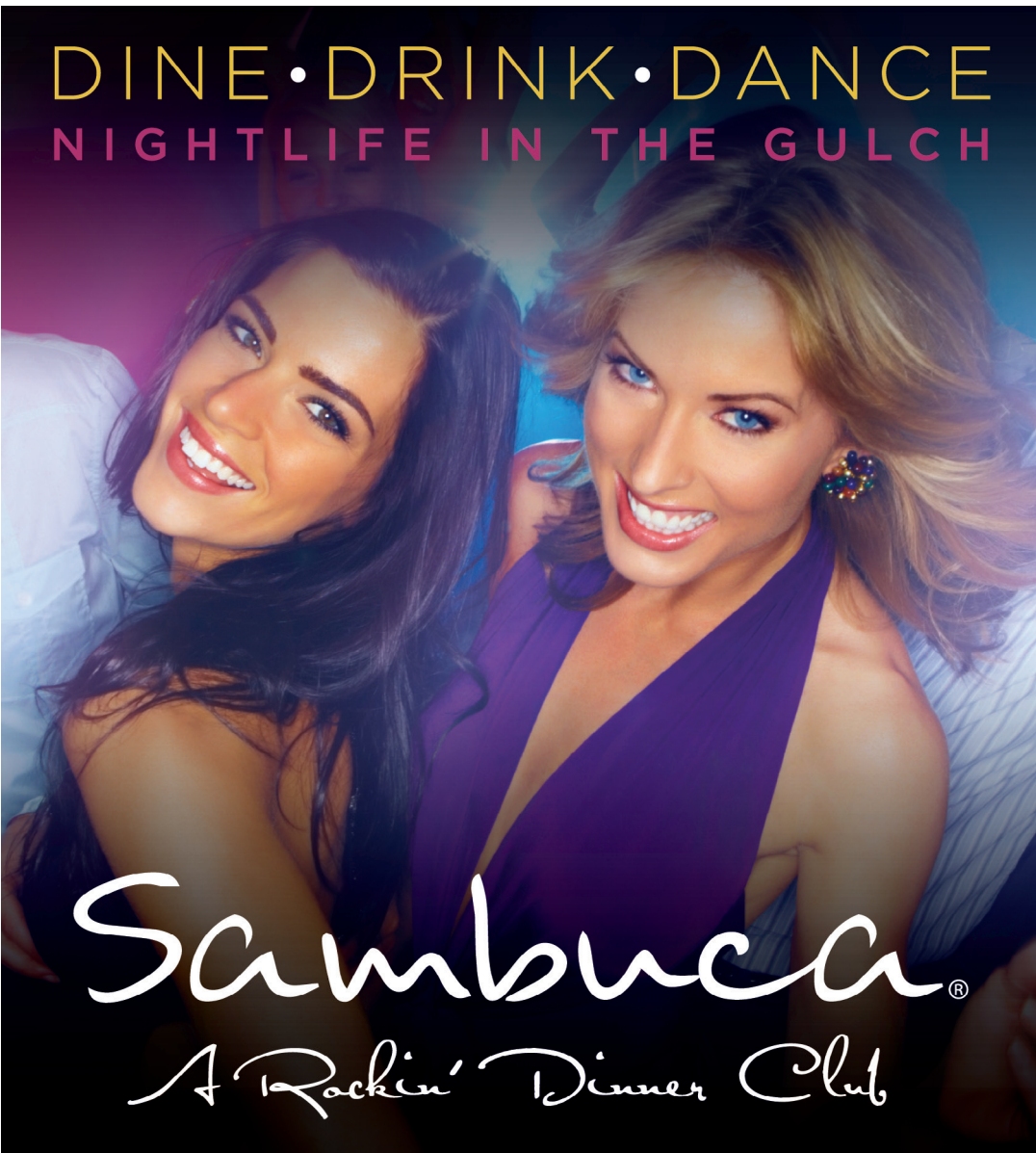
the finish line, followed by Kristen Findley, Kristen Smith and Hannah Jumper. Barron was the final scoring member for the Commodores.

Although they have not experienced the same degree of success as the women, the men are also looking forward to Friday's meet. The men's cross country team is the only non-scholarship sport at Vanderbilt. Despite not receiving the financial benefits, the men run 60 to 70 miles a week and compete as a Division I team. At their last meet, the Commodores, led by sophomores John Ewing and Matthew Cleveland,


finished strong and placed fourth as a team. This performance was their best of the 2012 season so far, and they hope they can improve at the SEC Championship meet Friday.

Going into the meet, six SEC teams are ranked in the latest poll from the U.S. Track & Field and Cross Country Coaches Association. Arkansas is the top men's team in the SEC at No. 9. Following Arkansas is Georgia at No. 28 and Texas A&M at No. 29. On the women's side, Arkansas is No. 12, Vanderbilt is No. 28 and Florida is No. 30.

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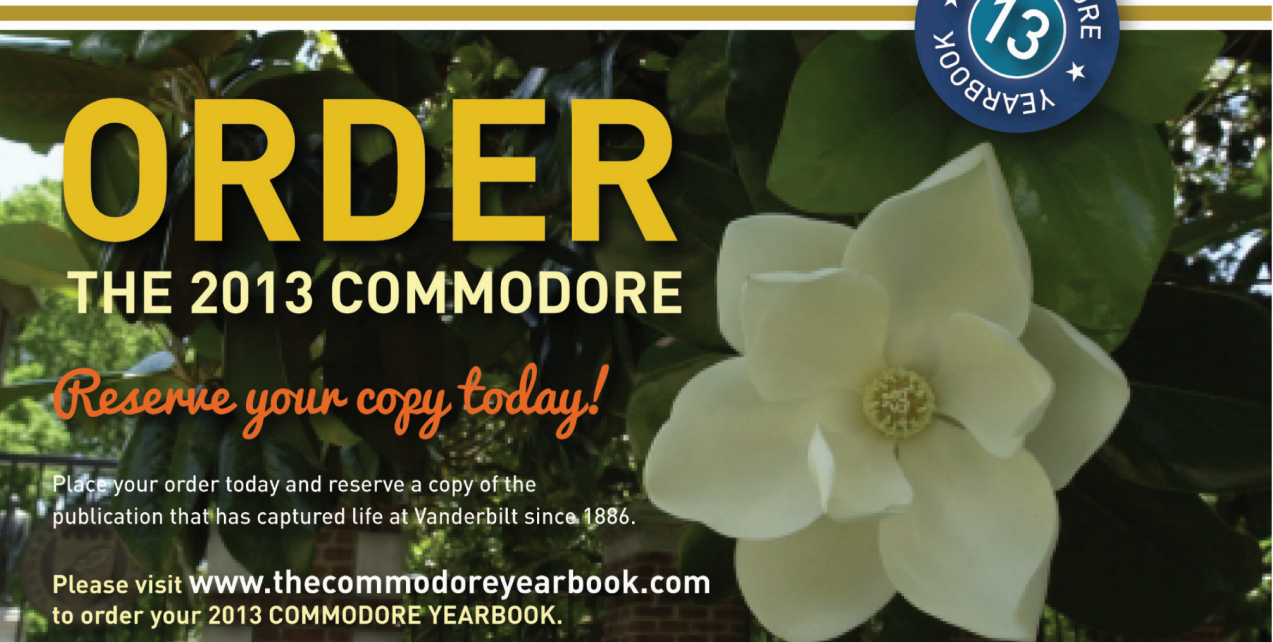


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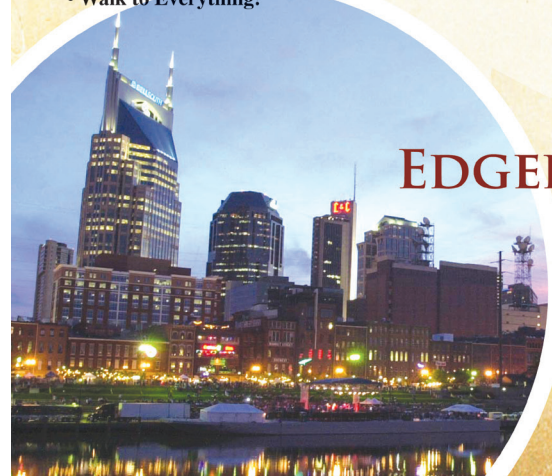
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