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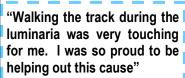
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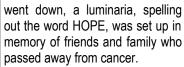
CURING CANCER, ONE LAP AT A TIME

After 24 hours, 17 sword were even carrying around a tiny fights, 83 bottles of water and puppy in a basket." countless laps around the track, the Penn State Alumni Association Montgomery County Chapter Team for Relay for Life was exhausted! Add up all those num-

There was plenty to occupy the senses besides viewing the creative movie themes during the walk. There were always sports activities to keep busy and a band to dance to. After the sun



- Doug Lavenberg



Overall, 650 registered included Doug Lavenberg, Dan and Derek Dureka.



Cymerman, Karen Cymerman, John Shoemaker, Doug Dolfman, John Baranauskas, Meredith Setzman, Bridget Daly, Laurie Dougherty, Jacob Schatz, Martin walkers attended the event. The Cepeda, Scott Cymerman, Ray representatives from PSU MontCo Nyahay, George Conway



Karen Cymerman breaks for a game of catch.

bers and factor in the other 55 participating teams to get \$130, 567.82. Proceeds go to the American Cancer Society, funding research and other programs.

To bring to life the theme of movies. PSU MontCo turned the tent into more of a ship at sea. inspired by Pirates of the Caribbean. "We got to have a lot of fun with the theme we chose," Doug Lavenberg, community service chair, said. "But, probably the most interesting sight was little children dressed up as characters



from The Wizard of Oz. They Bridget Daly and John Baranauskas take a late night lap around the track.



Making cancer walk the plank!

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SOCIAL EVENTS

Freshman Sendoff Facts

WHO: YOU! (All alumni are invited, as well as incoming freshmen)

WHAT:

Games, food, fun, and Penn Staters

WHERE:

Mondauk **Common in Fort** Washington

WHEN:

Sunday August 12, 3:15 - dusk

WHY:

To have a great time and meet your fellow members



Penn State plays Temple in Philadelphia on November 10, 2007.

FRESHMAN SENDOFF

classmates and share your Penn State experience!

The Penn State

Montgomery County Alumni

Association invites you and

your guests to attend our an-

nual Freshman/Alumni Picnic

on Sunday, August 12th from

3:15 to dusk (rain or

shine). This year's picnic will

be held at the pavilion at Mon-

dauk Common (1451 Dillon

Road near Keisel Lane in Fort

Washington), five minutes

from the PA turnpike. This fun

and casual event will allow

vou to meet fellow alumni/

game and unite with fellow Big

Ten alumni to cheer together. On

July 29th, we will be attending the

Philadelphia Phillies game versus

the Pittsburgh Pirates along with

the Ohio State Philadelphia

Alumni Chapter. Tickets are ex-

tremely limited for this event and

will be sold on a first come first

serve basis. We expect our ticket

social@psumontco.com or go to

psumontco.com for ticket orders

Come out to the Phillies

Phillies Game

The Chapter will supply the main meal (hamburgers, hot dogs, hoagies), drinks and ice cream. We request that you bring either an appetizer (last name A-L) or dessert (M-Z) for 8 people. Feel free to bring lawn chairs, for available seating may be limited.

There are basketball courts, horseshoes, beach volleyball, baseball fields and a playground near the pavilion to help entertain the fam-Speakers from Penn ily. State - Abington will be on hand to help answer guestions of the freshmen or to discuss happenings at Penn State.

If you have any questions or require transportation, contact Eric Lindhult by phone at 215.659.3105 or by email, Lindhult@aol.com.

SPORTING EVENTS

Temple Game

Its not very often we get the opportunity to watch a Penn State football game in Philadelphia. On November 10th, the team will be traveling to our city to play Temple University. Local alumni chapters are joining together for a tailgate outside Lincoln Financial Field prior to kickoff. You'll feel like you are right back in Happy Valley surrounded by food, friends and football, More details are to come soon. but save the date!

TV Tailgates

The best place, besides Beaver Stadium of course, to watch Penn State football games is with other alumni who can keep up with your football knowledge, cheering skills and beverage consumption. There are at least two TV tailgates scheduled for games this fall, including Penn State v. Michigan and Penn State v. Notre Dame. Check psumontco.com for date, time and place details, or email George at

social@psumontco.com.

allotment to sell out very quickly. Please contact George at

Message From The President

and details.

often difficult to judge our current offer- Box 1031, Blue Bell, PA 19422. ings to our Chapter members.

Providing feedback is simple.

Summer has arrived and the 1) You can always email me at presi-Penn State MontCo Alumni Association dent@psumontco.com with your wants to be a part of your life. As your thoughts about the Chapter, 2) You can local Alumni Chapter, our goal is to contact any board member by using the keep you connected to a) The Univer- contact information on our board consity and its offerings, and b) to local tact list posted on our website's About Penn Staters that share your similar Us / Board of Directors link, or 3) You interests. To accomplish our goal, we can send an anonymous note to our rely on feedback from members such mailing address, PENN STATE Montas yourself. Without your feedback, it is gomery County Alumni Chapter, P.O.

By providing feedback and

suggestions, you allow us to tailor our Chapter decisions around your interests. You also help our Chapter continue its fantastic growth by attracting new members. Our new website is now six months young and has proved to be a very wise investment. I thank those who have sent me positive comments about the new psumontco.com. Our goal was to make the Chapter's communications more interactive and user friendly to you. In addition, we also wanted to provide you with a centralized (continued on page 3)

GETTING TO KNOW YOU: FEATURED MEMBERS

ALL AROUND ACTIVE: AN INTERVIEW WITH ERIC LINDHULT

Name: Eric Lindhult

E-mail: lindhult@verizon.net

Years at Penn State: **'76 - '81**

Degree: Environmental Engineering

Current Residence: Willow Grove

Children: Grant, 16 and Kurt, 12

Where do you work?

ing for GZA Environmental.

consulting?

I went into that field after PSU memory? earning my graduate degree from Drexel.

Penn State Alumni Asso- Sugar Bowl in 1982. ciation County Chapter?

To meet new people. I've What happened on that always loved Penn State flight? and I wanted to meet some new Penn Staters in the area, and help out in the community

come to Freshman Send- on the way home. off?

meet fellow alumni, partici- vet? pate, learn about maybe get interested in the club. It's also a chance for them to share their Penn I do environmental consult- State experiences with new Geo- students.

And everyone loves talk-How did you get into ing about Penn State...

What is your favorite

Why are you active in the National Championship get your glove! Montgomery ended up taking a charter flight with the Georgia Bulldog Alumni Association.

I had to listen to "how 'bout them dawgs" the whole way down. I was outnumbered severely. However, Why should everyone it was a much quieter flight

Have you convinced your It's a chance for alumni to sons to go to Penn State

I have taken them up to see a football game every year for the past four years to let them experience the atmosphere.

What sports will we see you participating in at the Freshman Sendoff?

There will be basketball. beach volleyball, horse-It would have to be when I shoes, a playground and a flew down to watch the baseball field, so don't for-



(continued from page 2) source of infor- encourage mation in regards to Chapter events and to take advantage of these forums as the right path with the current format of be found at the following website: One thing to note is the the website. website's message boards / forums. These free forums allow members and non-members to communicate easily in an electronic environment. Exchanging tickets, searching for a job, offering a service, and suggesting happy hour locations can all be done using our message boards. In addition, we have a "general forum" that can be used to discuss whatever you feel needs to be discussed. I

you

news. We feel that we have started on members of our Chapter. The forums can

http://www.psumontco.com/forum.html.

I wish you all a safe and happy remainder of the summer months. I look forward to meeting up at one of our upcoming events! Until then... We are.... Penn State!

- Martin R. Cepeda, Jr **PSU MontCo Alumni Chapter President**





Eric Lindhult shows his PSU MontCo spirit.

IN THE NEWS...

Penn State Professional Women's **Network of Philadelphia (PWNP)**

Still in its first year, PWNP is an exciting and ambitious new association created to network and learn more about the professional world, alongside fellow Penn State alumni. Their mission statement is to provide a forum for professional and personal growth through educational and social experiences that will enhance the lives of Penn State women, alums. current students and our immediate community and result in enriched lives and stronger bonds both with Penn State, the Alumni Association and each other.

Find out more at http:// www.psualum.com/affiliate/ PWNPhiladelphia/default.asp, or e-mail them at

PSUProfWomen@yahoo.com.

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Montgomery County Chapter



Upcoming Events 2007

<u>July</u>

26—Member Football Single Ticket Sale Starts

28—Alumni Beach Happy Hour in Dewey, DE

29—Phillies Game with OSU Alumni

August

12—Freshman Sendoff Picnic—Fort Washington, PA

18—Manna on Main Street

<u>September</u>

2-9 Main Coast Sailing and Rock Climbing (National Association)

8—TV Tailgate PSU v. Notre Dame

10-15—San Francisco Getaway (National Association)

22—TV Tailgate PSU v. Michigan

29—Penn State Abington 10 Year Homecoming

October

November

10—Alumni Tailgate at Lincoln Financial field for PSU v. Temple

Do you have an idea for an event? E-mail Martin at president@psumontco.com!

Check www.psumontco.com for up to the minute details!