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Congregation of Holy Cross breaks ground for new residence



Present at the ground-breaking ceremony for the new Holy Cross residence, from left: Rev. Anthony Grasso, C.S.C., Religious Superior, Holy Cross Community; Rev. Donald Grimes, C.S.C., vice president for academic affairs; Rev. James Lackenmier, C.S.C., Holy Cross Eastern Province; Rev. William Ribando, C.S.C., associate professor of theology; John Homza, Sordoni Construction Company; Joseph Balz, assistant to the president for special projects; Lisa Marie McCauley, vice president for business affairs and treasurer; Dino Galli, of Sordoni Construction Company; Edward Price, project clerk. Absent from photo: Kevin Scott, architect for Celli-Flynn, Brennan & Turkall.

Ground was broken for the construction of a residence for the Fathers and Brothers of the Congregation of Holy Cross at King's College at the corner of North Franklin and North streets on November 22. The residence and community house is a project of the Congregation of Holy Cross, Eastern Province. The project will house Holy Cross priests and brothers who work at King's and in Wilkes-Barre.

Rev. Arthur J. Colgan, C.S.C., Provincial Superior of the Holy Cross Congregation and member of King's board of directors, comments: "The Eastern Province's investment in this new

community residence is a renewal of our commitment to King's and to Northeastern Pennsylvania."

The building, when completed, will house about a dozen Holy Cross priests and brothers. Rev. Anthony Grasso, C.S.C., Religious Superior, Holy Cross Community in Wilkes-Barre and professor of English at King's, views the residence as "the ideal way for us to live is together as a community. Our life together includes prayer, meals, conversation and recreation. We call ourselves a 'brotherhood.' We are very much like a family. This new residence will be the center of our daily

life at home. We hope that it will enliven and strengthen our community life."

The architect, Celli-Flynn, Brennan, Turkall, and Associates of Pittsburgh, has designed a 9,000 square-foot community house with chapel, community dining rooms, guest rooms, and 12 one-bedroom apartments for the local priests and brothers of the Holy Cross community.

Rev. James Lackenmier, C.S.C., former president of King's College and Eastern Province Steward, is project supervisor. Sordoni Construction Company will build the new residence, which is scheduled for completion in summer 2005.

Nominations being accepted for Rosenn Award

Nominations are currently being accepted for the annual Max and Tillie Rosenn Award for Faculty Excellence. The award, established in 1998 by the Hon. Max Rosenn, Senior Circuit Judge of the Third District Federal Court, recognizes an outstanding member of the teaching faculty of King's College at Commencement exercises each year.

Members of the King's College community are invited to participate in the nomination process by submitting a brief statement identifying a faculty member and stating the case for recognition. A selection committee chaired by last year's recipient, Dr. Frederick Sauls, will choose the finalists to be submitted to Rev.

Donald J. Grimes, C.S.C., vice president for academic affairs.

This year's award will be given to a tenured member in the Business Division. The following faculty eligible to receive this year's award are: Dr. Barry Williams, Dr. Marian Boscia, Dr. Claire Gilmore, Dr. Robert Liebler, John McGowan, Atty. Joseph Falchek, Dr. Christopher Alexander, Dr. Marc Marchese, Cheryl O' Hara, Dr. Amy Parsons, Dr. Bernard Healey, and Dr. Hamid Hosseini.

Deadline for nominations is Wednesday, April 20, 2005. Send your statement to Father Grimes or e-mail to djgrimes@kings.edu.

Experiencing the Arts



Family Traditions

Through Feb. 11

Meet the Artist receptions:

Jan. 26, 3:30-4:30 p.m.,

Jan. 28, 6-8 p.m.

Linda Keck's watercolors encompass her family's tradition of quilts
Widmann Gallery
Sheehy-Farmer Campus Center

Patron's Day

Monarch Notes continues with a photo presentation of those King's employees honored on Patron's Day, the Vigil of the Feast of Christ the King. On this day, the college traditionally honors those employees for their years of service to King's. This year Patron's Day recognized over 50 honorees whose service to King's spans 10 to 40 years with a Mass and a dinner.



Dr. Henry Nardone '60, professor of philosophy, and Dr. Donald Stevens, professor of history were honored for 40 years of service.

Applications for McGowan Scholarship

Faculty, staff, and administration should encourage qualified students to apply for The William G. McGowan Scholar Program. Applications are being accepted for full-time second semester juniors graduating in May 2006. The scholarship is open to students with a 3.0 GPA or better pursuing a primary major in the McGowan School in accounting, business administration, finance, human resources management, international business, or marketing. For more information, contact Anne Noone at ext. 5932.

King's Blood Drive

King's College is holding a blood drive for the Red Cross on Thursday, Jan. 27, on the third floor of the Sheehy-Farmer Campus Center from 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

The Red Cross has instituted a new online scheduling tool, eDonor, to create a data base of donors for our blood drive and to register interested applicants. To register online, log on to <http://www.givelife.org>.

Remember to bring proof of identification. For more information, contact Valerie Musto at 5725.

Slimming down at work

King's College will be featuring a new Weight Watchers at Work program beginning on Feb. 3 at 1 p.m. The program runs for eight weeks in Mulligan Physical Science Center, Room 129. The cost of the program is \$80, and the registration deadline is Jan. 27. For more information, contact Kyle Fetterolf at ext. 5428.

Do You Have News to Share with the King's Community?

Please e-mail your information to Public Relations Assistant Joseph Giomboni at: jrgiombo@kings.edu or call ext. 5957.

Wilkes-Barre Wage Tax

The City of Wilkes-Barre will withhold \$52 for the 2005 Wage Tax. This tax will be deducted from employee paychecks for four (4) consecutive payrolls at a rate of \$13 per pay.

For the Thursday payroll, the deductions will be withheld on the following pay dates:

Feb. 3 and 17, and March 3 and 17

For the Friday payroll, the deductions will be withheld on:

Feb. 4 and 18, and March 4 and 18

People at King's

Ann Joyce, assistant professor of mass communications, presented a paper entitled "3 Successes of a Sophomore/Junior Diagnostic Project to Assay Critical Thinking, Creative Problem Solving, Effective Writing and Effective Oral Communication" at the annual conference of the Pennsylvania Art Education Association (PAEA) in Lancaster, and, as Higher Education Division Director of the PAEA Board of Directors, presided over the annual Higher Education Division Meeting.

Dr. Brian Pavlac, associate professor of history and director of the Center for Excellence in Learning and Teaching, edited *Great Events from History: The Middle Ages, 477-1453*, 2 vols, published by Salem Press.

King's welcomes

James Hoffman, maintenance

Lita Piekara, human resources

Calendar of Events

Daily Mass

Chapel of Christ the King
Monday through Friday: Noon
Sunday: 11 a.m., 7 and 9 p.m.

Alumni Fitness Center

Lower Level, Alumni Hall
Mon.-Thurs.: 9-9 p.m.
Fri.: 9-5:30 p.m.
Sat: noon- 3 p.m.; Sun: 2-9 p.m.

Swimming Pool

Scandlon Gymnasium
Mon.-Thurs.: 11-7 p.m.
Fri.: 11-5 p.m.
Sat.-Sun.: noon-5 p.m.

Tuesday 1/25

Men's J.V. basketball vs. Johnson College, home, 8 p.m.

Wednesday 1/26

Men's basketball vs. FDU-Florham, away, 8 p.m.
Women's basketball vs. FDU-Florham, away, 6 p.m.

Thursday 1/27

Red Cross Blood Drive
Sheehy-Farmer Campus Center, Lipo Room, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.,
Wrestling vs. Muhlenberg College, away, 7 p.m.
Men's J.V. basketball vs. Susquehanna University, home, 8 p.m.

Saturday 1/29

Men's basketball vs. Delaware Valley College, home, 3 p.m.
Women's basketball vs. Delaware Valley College, home, 1 p.m.
Wrestling MAC Dual Albright/ Elizabethtown/ Del Valley@
Lycoming, away, noon
Men's & women's swimming vs. Juniata College, away, 1 p.m.