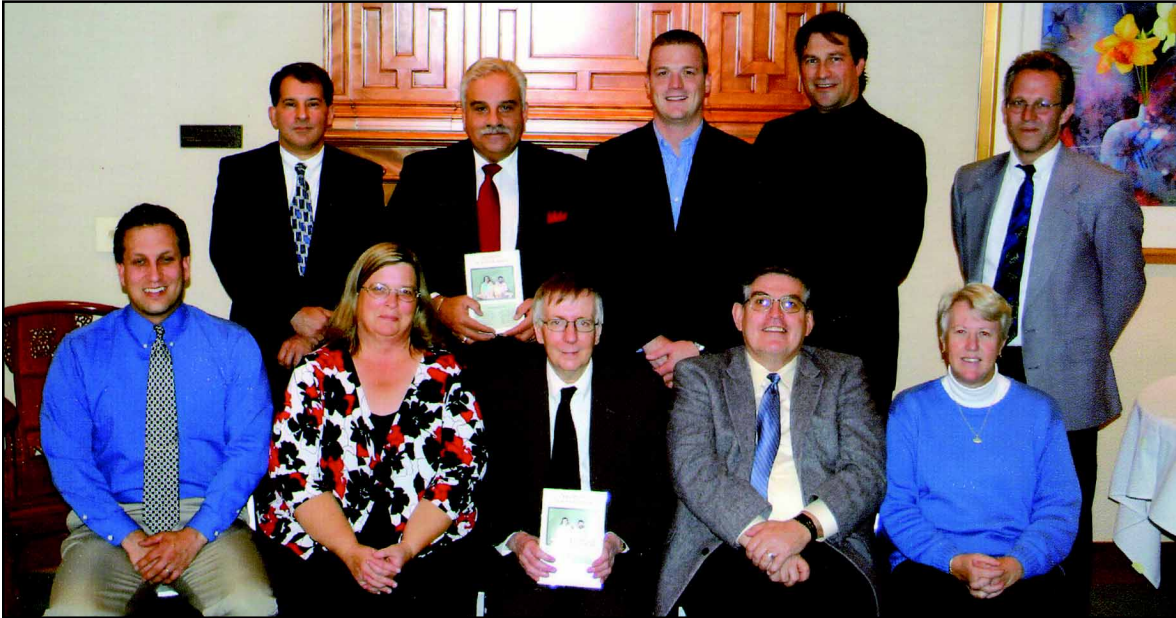


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## Book focusing on children's health available free



*Pictured at the book signing seated from left are: Andy Gegas, City of Wilkes-Barre Health Dept.; Deborah Shaw, McGowan School of Business; Dr. Bernard Healey, director of health care administration program; and Cheryl O'Hara, assistant professor of marketing. Standing: Dr. Jason Smith, Forty Fort Eye Associates; Carmen Ambrosino, Wyoming Valley Drug and Alcohol Association; Jim Davis, Blue Cross; John Plucenik, ARK; and Dr. Thomas Ross, assistant professor of health care administration.*

The 170-page book of essays, *Children's Health Problems*, is available free to the members of the King's College community. Dr. Bernard J. Healey, Chairperson of the Health Care Administration and International Business program, recently wrote the book while recently on sabbatical leave.

He was assisted in this project by several community leaders in the Wilkes-

Barre area. Contributors to the volume include Drs. Christopher Alexander, Fevzi Akinci, Thomas Ross, and others. The book was edited by Cheryl O'Hara.

The essays deal with such topics as tobacco use by children, diabetes, obesity in children, preventing high risk health behaviors, juvenile arthritis, and eye problems in children.

The cost of publishing this volume was

made possible in part by the generosity of Erwine's Home Health Care, Forty Fort Eye Associates; John Heinz Institute, Mercy Health Partners, Schellen Partners, Yudichak Family Lighthouse Fund, and Offset Paperback Mfrs.

*Children's Health Problems* by Dr. Healey can be picked up at the College bookstore.

## Happy Birthday from King's

Employees are getting a special gift rich in potential from King's in their birthday card this year, a lottery ticket. King's is participating in the Pennsylvania Lottery's Golden Opportunities Program, which challenges business across Pennsylvania to purchase lottery instant tickets in bulk for employee reward programs.

Beginning on Jan. 1, King's birthday recognition program began sending a birthday card to each full or part-time employee on behalf of King's College wishing them a happy birthday and enclosing a \$1 lottery ticket.

Gov. Ed Rendell introduced the Golden Opportunities program and King's College and Fairchild Semiconductor were invited to participate. The Pennsylvania Lottery held a press event on Sept. 16, 2004 at the Charles T. Adams Senior Center in Wilkes-Barre. Erin Savitski, director of human resources, represented King's at the event, and the human resources department is overseeing the distribution.

## Nominations for Alumni Awards

King's Alumni Office invites alumni to submit nominations for 2005 alumni awards. King's College annually honors outstanding alumni with four awards that recognize their contributions to the College and the community.

The awards are: Outstanding Professional Achievement; Robert J. Ell Service to Alma Mater; Service to Society; and the Leo Award, open to alumni who have received their degree in the last 15 years.

All King's alumni are invited to submit their nominations by Feb. 6. For more information about 2005 alumni awards, contact Louise Wasserott at ext. 5698.

## Experiencing the Arts



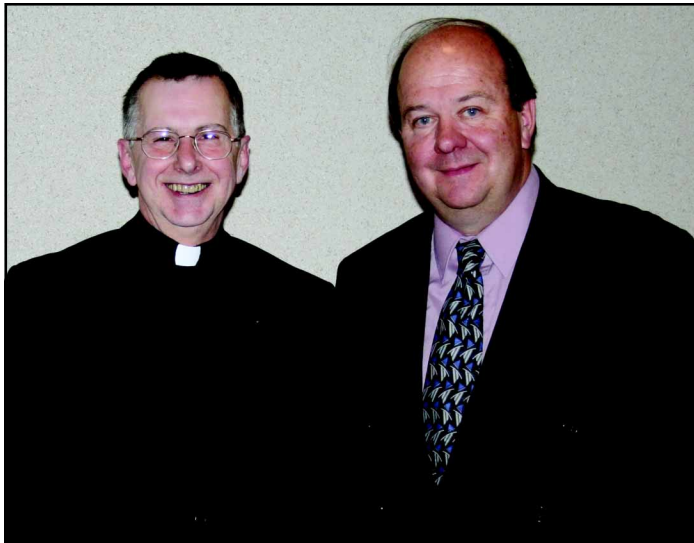
### **Family Traditions**

Through Feb. 11

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

## Patron's Day

Patron's Day, the Vigil of the Feast of Christ the King, is the College tradition of honoring those employees giving years of service to the institution, celebrated with a Mass and a dinner. This year Patron's Day recognized over 50 honorees whose service to King's spans 10 to 40 years.



From left: Rev. Donald J. Grimes, C.S.C., vice president for academic affairs; and Dr. Francis X. Smith, associate professor of chemistry, were honored by King's College for 30 years of service. Absent from photo was Bernard Goncherowski.

## Expresso yourself at Moreau Auditorium

Members of the King's College community will have a chance to showcase their talent at an open jam session at Moreau Auditorium. The music, poetry, stories, or songs are up to you, but it must be centered on a theme.

The jam session is on Feb. 3, at 9 p.m., and the theme is "New Beginnings." The event will feature Kate Hearity (K8), followed by an open mic. For more information, contact Campus Ministry at 5890.

## Raffle to benefit Relay for Life

The Pre-Health Professions Society is holding a 50-50 raffle to benefit the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life. Tickets are available through Feb. 21 from any club member or from the main office of the Physician Assistant Program, and will also be sold in the lobby of the Sheehy-Farmer Campus Center.

Tickets will be drawn at noon on Feb. 21. Tickets are \$1 each, or 3 for \$2.

## Support 'Go Red for Women'

"Go Red for Women" promotes awareness of heart disease, the number one killer of women. Sponsored at King's by Physician Assistant program, a \$5 donation allows the donor to select either a red dress pin or Go Red bracelet. Those wearing the pin or bracelet or anything red can dress down on Friday, Feb. 4. Proceeds will go to the American Heart Association. Donations should be directed to either Kyle Fetterolf or Jocelyn Hook in the Mulligan Physical Science Center.

## 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](mailto:jrgiombo@kings.edu) or call ext. 5957.

## People at King's

**Dr. William Irwin**, associate professor of philosophy, and his philosophy series were featured in a review in the Chronicle of Higher Education's "The Chronicle Review," entitled "And Have You Been a Good Little Epistemologist" by Carlin Romano. The review also mentioned **Dr. David Baggett**, assistant professor of philosophy.

**Dr. Brian Mangan**, assistant professor of biology and director of the Environmental Program, recently received a \$6,500 grant from the Central Susquehanna Community Foundation. The grant commissions Dr. Mangan to investigate the relationships between the environment and health and wellness in 23 municipalities in Luzerne and Columbia Counties.

On Jan. 22, **Dr. Phil Muntzel**, professor of theology, was installed as Moderator of the Presbytery of Lackawanna, the highest ecclesiastical office in the five county regional body of the Presbyterian Church, USA. He will serve a one-year term.

## Latin dance lessons at King's

The Alumni Relations and College Misericordia will sponsor A Night of Latin Dance Lessons on Saturday, Feb. 19 from 7-10 p.m. in the Sheehy-Farmer Campus Center.

Lose yourself in the rhythms of Latin-style dancing. Don't know how? This is your opportunity to learn all the moves from master teacher, Vince Brust, of Vince Brust Studios, Scranton. Brust is on the faculty of the department of Exercise Science and Sport at the University of Scranton, conducts numerous dance programs, and was an invited guest teacher at the White House Athletic Club.

Hors'd'oeuvres, as well as beer and wine, will be provided. The event costs \$24 per couple. For more information, contact Alumni Relations at ext. 5879.

## Calendar of Events

### Daily Mass

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

### Candlemas Celebration

Wed., Feb. 2, noon

### Feast of St. Blaise

Following Thurs., Feb. 3, Mass

### Alumni Fitness Center

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

### Swimming Pool

Scandlon Gymnasium  
Mon.-Thurs.: 11 a.m.-7 p.m.  
Fri.: 11 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Sat.:noon-5 p.m.; Sun.1-5 p.m.

### Monday 1/31

Men's J.V. basketball vs. University of Scranton, away, 8 p.m.

### Wednesday 2/2

Men's basketball vs. Wilkes University, away, 8 p.m.  
Women's basketball vs. Wilkes University, away, 6 p.m.

### Thursday 2/3

Comedian Buzz Sutherland, Connerton's Café, 8 p.m.  
Men's J.V. basketball vs. PSU Wilkes-Barre, away, 8 p.m.

### Friday 2/4

Men's J.V. basketball vs. Susquehanna University, home, 8 p.m.

### Saturday 2/5

Men's basketball vs. Desales University, away, 3 p.m.  
Women's basketball vs. DeSales University, away, 1 p.m.  
Wrestling vs. NYU/ SUNY Maritime, home, noon  
Men's & women's swimming vs. FDU-Florham, home, 1 p.m.