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# BUFFALO 1981 Milligan College Milligan College, Tennessee 37682 




The class of 1981 colors the Milligan campus with vibrance and life. Activities and attitudes of our
reflect the uniqueness of the individuals and their "total effect" as a class. In graduating and reaching out for higher goals, they take that special effect wherever they go



Club service projects, ventures in learning, and group goofoff sessions comprise the kaleidoscope of activities occurring both on and off the Milligan campus. ORGANIZATIONS which sponsor these efforts strive to meet personal, campus, and community needs.



Milligan's standards demand the best of everyone associated with her. The quality of the 1980-81 FACULTY AND ADMINISTRATION verifies these ideals of excellence. Not only do these people act as our professors and authorities, but they are also our counselors, friends and companions in learning.



Textbooks set aside, classes forgotten, assignments wait until tomorrow. Academics must take second place for a time as the other side of college life emerges. More than idleness or rest, STUDENT LIFE lets us cement friendships and test our experiences against those of others. As much a part of learning as the classroom, it is an expression of life.



From conquering the Milligan Mile to cramming for Junior semester finals, UNDERCLASSMEN discover friendships and "grow in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man." These years, a priceless investment, educate and direct us toward vital objectives.



Energy flows are channeled into a spectrum of direc tions. Intramural and intercollegiate games, individual and group SPORTS satisfy our inner drives toward competition, discipline, and excellence.





Families develop through caring and relat

ing. Likewise,
fosters both the uniqueness of each person and the family growth through shared study sessions, moments of relaxation, and hard work, Relationships bud and mature, and one might be tempted to say, "Campus, sweet campus.


## DEDICATION



Rodney D. Irvin came to Milligan College in 1972. Until January 1981, Rod served as Director of Communications at the college.

Rod is a native of Kingsport, TN. A graduate of Milligan, Rod received his M.S. degree in Communications from the University of Tennessee. He has served on many collegiate and community organizations. He chaired the Education Committee of the Tri-Cities Metro Advertising Federation, and served on the nominating committee of the Southeastern District of the American College Public Relations Association. He was also a member of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics Sports Information Directors Association, and served as Basketball Information Director for the Volunteer State Athletic Conference.

Rod also served as Director of the Milligan College Alumni Association, and advisor to the yearbook staff. For a time Rod and his wife, Ann, lived on campus as head residents at Hardin Hall, when Hardin was a men's residence.

Well thought of by all that know him, Rod has proven to be an outstanding example to the entire college community. The 1981 Buffalo staff proudly dedicates this book in his honor.

Since his leaving in January, Rod has received a position at Tennessee Eastman as a Director of Public Relations.


## FROM THE PRESIDENT

Milligan College has a unique mission and provides a unique and valuable service to our people. Its history binds it to the Christian Church and to the ideals of the New Testament. Inherent in those ideals is the concept of the priesthood of all believers.
My commitment during my term president has been to the education of the people of God in order for them to fulfill their priesthood in the finest way possible.

I hope that the last fifteen years have contributed to a fulfillment of that mission and that Milligan's future will further enhance it.

Jess W. Johnson

Dr. Jess W. Johnson has served as vice president and president of Milligan College since 1966. As of this year, Dr. Johnson accepted the appointment as Chancellor of Milligan College effective June 1, 1981 through May 31, 1982. This appointment followed the announcement of his retirement from the presidency of Milligan College.


Dr. Johnson speaks at faculty retreat.


Dr. Johnson enjoys ice cream social with Milligan students.


In a class room at Derthrick Hall, Dr. Johnson lectures.

## BUFFALO

## MILLIGAN COLLEGE



## SENIORS

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Graduation, May 17, 1981, is a milestone at which we find ourselves reflecting on the past and contemplating the future. 1980-81, has been a hectic, rewarding year for seniors in many ways. As a class, we conducted monthly prayer breakfasts, shared in moments of devotion, hosted skating parties, and cooperated in several fund raising efforts. We were instrumental in the revival of the ever-popular Faculty Follies, an event enjoyed by the entire Milligan community in January. Most seniors would agree the highlight of our year was the Senior Class Retreat, held April 3-4, at Christmont Christian Assembly, near Ashville, N.C. For those who attended, the Retreat was a memorable weekend for strenghtening friendships and renewing faith for the days ahead.

The Class of 1981, has provided active participation and responsible leadership in all aspects of campus life since our arrival in August of 1977. Yet far greater than what we may have accomplished at Milligan is what we have acquired here. Surely we have increased in wisdom, stature, and favor with God and man. May we be thankful for those who have aided and inspired us along our journey thus far, and building on already established foundations, continue to, grow in Christ's love, always seeking God's will and favor in our lives.

(left to right) Donna Bean, Treas.; Randy Nicks, rep; Birdie Black, rep.; Don Reeves, V. Pres.; Vicki Jones, rep.; Mary Lynn Dell, Pres.; Carl Ryden, rep.; Kathie Bailey, Sec.

The final words of Laban to Jacob in the Old Testament, now known as the Mizpah Benediction, are most appropriate as we past and follow new paths. "May the Lord watch between me and thee." Genesis 31:49.

Mary Lynn Dell, President Class of 1981







Sleve Lady shows how a senior makes it through class.



Picnics and Shari Stephens just seem to go together






Tom Fasham, freshman Richard Wead, and Jeff Cook find Rhonda French willing io try the water slide.



Duane Palmer enjoys Milligan Basketball. Sorry to wake you Duane




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Lisa Robinson checks oul her figures.

## UNDERCLASS




Junior Executives: Cindy Wead, Jaye Rupert, Lane Thompson, Jim Green, president, Vickie Hill, Sue Rossen, Doug Anderson

Cynthia Alber Doug Anderson Jean Anderson Gwen Babel

Debbie Baines Marianne Barnharte Beth Bingaman David Boden




Jan Bristoe
Joe Brickey
Thomas Brunsman
Amy Bucher

Lorí Anne Cain Kathy Campbell Sandy Chamberlain Allen Dean

Rebecca Duncan
Bill Dunn
Marvin Elliot
Lisa Evans

Craig Fair
Dennis Freeman
Carrol Garbin
Denise Gaston

Teresa Gee Cheryl Gilbert Harry Gill Susan Gray

Linda Graybeal
Jim Breen Bob Hall Jayne Hardy

Laurie Harvey Susan Hamilton



Daphne Hill Laura Beth Hill

Vickie Hill Pam Huckleberry

Victor Hull Scott Hundley

Tim Johnson Beth Keefauver Sherry Lancaster Mike Luke

Trev Lyons

Caralyn McFaddin

Stacy Means John Meredith

Dave Miller Sue Miller

Darla Morris Chris Mussard Nancy Owen

Ruth Perry

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JUNIORS


Tom Phillips Gary Pringle Patty Profitt Barry Ratliff

Pam Rhoades Marlessa Rose Becky Ross Tammy Ross


Sue Rossen Jaye Rupert

Sandy Saylor Randy Seals

Mary Beth Seay Shelyne Shipman Charles Shores Jeff Smith


Cory Spotts




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Ken Summay Paul Sutherland

Brian Tucker Rick Tull

Fred Wallenfelsz Cindy Weed

Marv Westfall
Gladys Wine Tim Wolther Doug Yeaton

## SOPHOMORES



Sophomore Officers: Charles Sanders; public relations, Candy Witheer; treasurer, Bill Weekly; representative, Cindy Jackson, representative, John Green; president, John Hall, representative, Suzie Ross; representative, Sharon Dowty; vice president, Theresa Messimer; historian, Charlotte Witte; secretary

Rod Andrews Laura Arnold Amy Black Phil Bolus


SOPHOMORES


Beth Bostwick
Robert Burkhart Kay Carmichael Ann Carter

## Robin Carter

Randy Chestnut
Stan Clevinger
Margaret Cloud

Corri Cosatta Becky Currier Steve Curtiss Martie Dameron

Cindy Davidson
Taffey Davis Eric Deemer Jeff DeVries

Jim Dodd
Nora Dorton Sharon Dowty John Dyer

Lisa Ellenberger Renee Epps Jeri Fisher Dan Foote

Barb Fordyce Bonnie Gardiner Connie Gardiner Todd Gattis

Paula Gilley
Rick Gray John Green Karen Gwinn


## SOPHOMORES



John Hall
David Hamlin
Tim Hartman Charlie Hill

John Hopkins Jeff Ingram
Ty Johnson Rhonda Jones


Laura Arnold has mixed feelings about taking a ride on the slip ' $n$ ' slide.

Kathy Karnes

Donna Kidner

Kendra King
Phil King Kelly Kraemer Steve Leach

Dana McBrayer William Mclntosh David Mayberry Theresa Messimer


e announcement of a pop quiz does not seem to make John Green very happy.


## SOPHOMORES



Cindy Miller Lisa Miller Lori Morrell Patty Morrell

Debra Overdorf Ted Pierce Kimmie Poteet Kathy Rhea

Randall Richesson Sandy Richely

## Chris Robinson

 Elizabeth RossSuzanne Ross
Jeff Russ Denise Taylor Carolyn Scarem

Tina Shatto Greg Small Steve Smith Anne Stilwell

Kathy Suchan Lane Thompson Mike Tuttle Marcia Vick

Vic Vogt
Lisa Walker Janet Waterbury Bill Weekley



Our own Lady Diana converses to another Hardin Princess, Corri Casatta


Freshman officers: Felicia Walther, Mark Harris, Dave Bowyer, Brenda Garfeild, Tressa Wiggington, Mike Brown: president, LaDonna Coy.

The class of 1981 is a very special and spirited group of people. What other class was able to run the Milligan mile twice? Yes, we did it. Both backwards and forwards! Then, as we began our freshman year, we quickly began to show our spirit and enthusiasm in all areas. Whether it was in athletics, music, student government, spiritual events, and all other activities, if one looked at each area one would find freshmen, not just participating, but
making a big impact. Then came our first Humanities exam. One hour and twenty minutes of pure pain! Yet we survived, and even more, we have now completed a full year of humanities. Will miracles never cease? However, in all that we did, we did it together, we grew, both spiritually and all around. We also grew closer to each other and made many fantastic new friends. When things got tough, we stuck together, and together we made it
through. I can only praise the Lord for what I see and saw Him doing in our class, and thank every member of the class of 1984 for giving me the privilege of serving as your president. May our Father truly bless and keep each one of you over the summer, and next year, LOOK OUT MILLIGAN, because here comes the class of 1984!

Mike Brown, president

Lisa Abbott Gregg Alexander Denise Anderson Mike Apple



Debra Bane
Tom Banks
Melanie Beahon
Kristi Beck

Julie Benedict Janice Berryman
Holly Bert
Cornelia Betz


Rives Blanton
Dave Bowyer
Kim Boyer
Kelly Brown

Mike Brown
Amy Brunsman
Patrick Bunton
Stephen Bus

Randy Cabus Cris Campbell Kim Cassetty Lorí Chestnut

Marcia Clements Melanie Cochran

Tammy Cole Debra Cook

Sharon Cook Allen Coswell LaDonna Coy Karen Day

Eric Deaton Starlene DeBord Dan Deremer
Sherry Detraz


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FRESHMEN


Loriann Devare Joel Deyton

Treva Draper Mike Dunn

Nancy E. Dunn Nancy L. Dunn Renee Elkins Robin Elkins

Carla Eshelman
Linda Fink
Tracy Fisher Brenda Garfield

Meredith Gattis Jnanne Gentry Dale George Timmy Gephart

Jana Gray Tammy Grindstaff Ed Hall Mark Harris

Elaine Harrison Duane Haupt Julie Hensley Leanard Hill

Donna Hudson Debbie Huntley Mark Hurst Sally Jacobs


FRESHMEN


A look of surprise comes across Donna Hudson's face when she is caught unawares by the camera.


Stan Johnson Tim Justice

Jennifer Kelly Teresa Kepner

Beth Kirby
Jerry Lane
Adair Lattimer Beth Lewis

Melissa Lilley
Robin Linkous
Pete Malmquist
Brenda Marshall

Karol May Sonny McDonald Butch McMurray Marsha McNabb

Sue Mills Allen Miller Robin Miller Karen Mosher


Mark Yeatin takes some time out from studying to take a nap.

## FRESHMEN



Relaxing in the dorm is Alyssa Swiney's favorite pasttime.


Steve Murry Dave Mutchmore

Randy Neff
Ellyn Nesbit
Donna Oliver Matt Osborne

Laura Page Michele Pate Cindy Peters Jennifer Peters

Curt Pinkstaff Cassandra Pitts Debbie Porter David Read

Brian Reed Suzie Reeves Jerry Rose Harold Ross


FRESHMEN


Holly Ross Bob Rote Jalyn Sales Scott Sanders

David Sapp
Alicia Schultz
Gregg Shepphard
Barb Simpson

Missy Smith
Beth Somppi Kevin Sparks Gary Spemcer

Nancy Steinbach
Connie Stevens
Diana Stoughton
Tim Sutherland

Kenny Sweitzer Alyssa Swiney Denise Taylor Hilda Thomas

Laura Thompson Paul Travis Peggy Trent Anita Uebele

Diane Walker
Patty Wall Mary Ann Wallenfelsz Felicia Walther

Wendy Ward Valerie Watson Richard Wead Tim Wesley


FRESHMEN


Athletics is an important part of Dave Muchmore's lite.


Mara Worchester Diana Wornicki Mark Yeaton Allen Young

## FACULTY AND ADMINISTRATION




## ADMINISTRATION

Dr. Jess Johnson
President



Dr. Kenneth Oosting
Academic Dean


## Eugene Wigginton

Director of Development


Phyllis Fontaine Registrar and Director of Admissions


Dr. Joe McCormick
Assistant to the President


Dr. Bertram Allen, Jr. Director of Student Life


Dr. Kenneth Johnston Director of Church Relations


## B.J. Moore

Business Manager



Opal Lyons
Campus Nurse


Steve Marshall
Enlistment Officer


Bo Deaton
Director of Encounter Ministries


Mark Richardson
Enlistment Officer


Dr. Orvel Crowder
Professor of Psychology and Bible


Dr. Paul Clark
Professor of Education


Phillip Worrell Assistant Professor of Physical Education


John Wakefield
Assistant Professor of Music


Randy Kirk
Head Resident/Coach


Rowena Bowers
Associate Professor of Health and P.E.


Dr. Robert Hall
Associate Professor of Sociology


Jeanette Crosswhite Associate Professor of Music


Earl Stuckenbruck Associate Professor of Bible


Duard Walker
Professor of Health and P.E.


Eugene Price
Professor of Business Administration



Sue Abegglen Assistant Professor of Education


Billie Oakes
Assistant Librarian


Bill Rhoades
Associate Professor of Business Administration


Carolyn Nipper
Associate Professor of English


Dr. James Shields Professor of Education


Dr. Henry Webb Professor of Church History


Edwin Nelson Associate Professor of Bible


Dr. Susan Higgins
Assistant Professor of Sociology


Dr. James Balch
Associate Professor of Mathematics


Dr. Richard Phillips
Associate Professor of Bible


Dr. Eugene Nix
Associate Professor of Chemistry


Dr. Gary Wallace
Associate Professor of Biology


Anna May Crowder
Assistant Professor of English


Mary Jane Cabus
Christian Education


Dr. Donald Shaffer
Associate Professor of German


Dr. Charles Gee
Associate Professor of Biology and Education


Dr. John Dowd Associate Professor of Music


Dr. William Gwaltney Professor of Bible



Mr. Nelson, what a swinger.


Ronald Weir
Business Administration


## Dr. Patricia Bonner

Associate Professor of Health and P.E.


Dr. Euel Ownby
Associate Professor of Education


Dr. Richard Lura
Associate Professor of Chemistry

## David Jarvis

Economics

## STUDENT LIFE




## MILLIGAN MILE

What would life at Milligan be without the Milligan Mile? The chance of a lifetime for upperclassmen who wish to intimidate freshmen. And what freshman would miss a chance at dodging eggs, water balloons and fire hoses? The Milligan Mile was and will continue to be a major part of a freshman's first week.
Pictured clockwise: stretching before the run; Matt Osborn walks it in; Beth and others enjoy the show.


## BARF



Members of the 1980 BARF trip scanned the waters near North Carolina viewing birds, dolphins, sharks, and flying fish. The trip involved three days of camping out for all twelve participants. Dr. Lura and Dr. Wallace were the advisors for the trip which occurred during Freshmen Week. BARF stands for Birds Aquatic Mammals Research Foray.

Pictured clockwise: Dr. Wallace thinking about lunch; Dr. Lura views the coast line; everyone ready to sail, Ruth Perry, Dr. Wallace, Kathy Suchan, Mike Harrison, Connie Gardiner, Ginny Gwaltney, Janet Schuchardt, David Russell, Brian Nash, Vickie Heinen, Anne Harker.


## OF MICE AND MEN

Of Mice and Men was the first theater performance of the 1980 academic year. The show was directed by Tim

Ross a senior. Stars of the cast included Tim Hartman and Dan Foote. The show was performed October 1-4 in Derthick Theater. Pictured right: George and Lennie, below: Candy and George, bottom right: George and Lennie.



Pictured upper right: George, left; Slim, above: Valerie Neth and director, Tim hard at work in the light booth. Members of the cast included Tim Hartman, Dan Foote, Mark Inskeep, Ira Read, Tom Brunsman, Paul Blowers, Jennifer Ross, John Sichting, Mark Hurst, and Marion Steele.

Dennis Elkins, a 1981 graduate, directed this play which was written by Tom Stoppard. The play is a take-off on Shakespears "Hamlet'". Each of the major characters in Stoppard's play have minor roles in Hamlet. John Hall and Diana Young played Rosencrantz and Guildenstern, respectively. During the course of the play, The player and his troop of followers brighten the stage as they make their appearances.


## ROSENCRANTZ AND GUILDENSTERN



## ANDRUS-BLACKWOOD AND COMPANY

On Thursday night,
during Prospective Student Week, Andrus.

Blackwood and
Company performed in Seeger Chapel. Andrus and Blackwood are contemporary Christian singers.
They sang many songs from their albums which entertained and inspired the anticipating audience.



## FOUNDER'S DAUGHTER

Gilan Wetzel was the recipient of this year's Founder's Daughter award. The award was presented on November 13, 1980 in the midst of the Founder's Day activities. Tanya Oakes, winner in 1979, was present to transfer the award to Gilan. Runner-up for 1980 was Melanie Means. Twenty-five girls, representing various clubs and organizations on the campus, participated in the event. Pictured right: Gilan, bottom right: Melanie, Bottom left: candidates,
below: Gilan with her escort, Mike Corbit.



Pictured upper left: All twenty-five candidates with their escorts, above: Melanie and Tanya, left: Tanya and Gilan.

AMY GRANT



Amy Grant, a contemporary Christian singer, performed on October 3rd, in Seeger Chapel. Gary Chapmen also appeared in the concert as singer and accompanist.


## MADRIGALS



The Madrigals are a recreation of the Elizabethan Christmas tradition. The dinners included Wassail, Boar's Head and flaming pudding. Music by the strolling minstrals and Madrigal singers provided delightful entertainment for eight evenings. Members of the chamber singers included Carl Ryden, Lisa Voke, Jeff Mutchmore, Margaret Cloud, Charles Sanders, Debbie Frye, Tim Johnson, Debbie Crum, John Meredith, Beth Bostwick, Jeff Moody, Cindi Leimbach, Monty Taylor, Jody Charlton, Marvin Elliot and Robyn Self.


## HELICON CONCERT

This year the Helicon Concert occured on Saturday, April 11. Dan Foote was the M.C. for the two hour concert which was comprised of the music groups from Milligan. The proceeds from the concert went to the Helicon Literary Magazine.


Pictured upper left: Brian Reed; upper right; William Sowder; above: Steve Murray; right: Kathy Replogle.



Pictured upper left: part of the Jerk Band from Pardee; upper right; Dave Jones; left: Tim Giese; above: Eric Evans.

## CLASS SWEETHEARTS

Class Sweethearts were chosen on February 12, 1981 at the Valentine's Day Banquet. The girls represented the sweetest of their class. Fourteen girls participated in the final festivities from which four winners were chosen. The Freshman finalist was Beth Lewis. Amy Hysell was chosen
to represent the Sophomore class. The Junior class sweetie was Sue Miller and Yvette Owens was the Senior sweetheart.


Pictured upper right: Sue Miller with her escort Tom Brunsman, above: Yvette Owens with her escort Dina Senesi, right: Amy receiving her award from MC's Tim Hartman and Tom Brunsman.



Pictured left: the fourteen
sweetheart candidates, lower left: Amy Hysell with her escort Dan Foote, below: Beth Lewis with her escort Paul Tickle.


PICNIC



The first theater production of the 1981 spring semester was "Picnic", which centered around life in a small town in Kansas during the 1950's. Mark Inskeep directed the play; the first play under his direction at Milligan. Pictured clockwise from left: Millie (Vickie Sichting): Madge (Jennifer Ross): Rosemary and Flo (Melanie Means and Treva Draper); Melanie backstage; Helen and Hal (Diana Young and Tim Hartman); Alan (John Hall), and Hal; Madge and Howard (Dan Foote); Alan and Madge. Cast not pictured include Pete Moore, Beverly Naham and Elaine Harrison.

## FACULTY FOLLIES




The Faculty Follies was a collection of twenty-one members from the administration and faculty who joined together to reveal their hidden talents. The show included, songs, skits, and dance? January 23 was show time of this tremendous event which was sponsored by the Senior class.

Pictured clockwise from far left: Mr. Stuckenbruck, Dr. \& Mrs. Crowder, Mr. Price, Mrs. Oakes, Mrs. Hall, Bob Hayden, and Dr. Webb.



Godspell was the spring musical in 1981
Colorful costumes, stage and music combined together to make the performance an exceptional one. Tim Hartman led the cast in skits and stunts which told parables and proverbs of Jesus. The
show was performed April 17, 18, 21-25 in
Derthick Theater. Godspell was directed by Ira Read with assistance from John Hall. Lisa Atkins
was choral director and Melanie Means was choreography director. Tim Giese directed the band which consisted of Dave Jones, Mary Lee

Sowder, William Sowder, and Pete Moore.
Pictured above: "On stage" Dan Foote, Greg Moffitt, Diana Young, Jennifer Ross, Dennis Elkins, Nancy Staughton, Melanie Means, Valerie Watson, Jim Burgen, Cinci Leimbach, David Ladd.
Picture to right: Followers Dan and Valerie find some of the pleasures of life.


## GODSPELL



Pictured at left moving clockwise; Cindi shares her heart with Jesus (Tim); living parable; Jesus (Tim) and John (David) meet; Diana and Valerie.


## WONDERFUL WEDNESDAY




Thursday, April 14, was the date for this year's Wonderful Wednesday. The Student Union Board planned such activities as, cleaning up the campus, a faculty-student softball game and a Wild West Wagon Twain relay. A square dance in Sutton and the movie "The Electric Horseman' were highlights of the evening activities.


## GENE COTTON

Once again Gene Cotton made a stop at Milligan College. A part of Milligan as the students themselves, Gene Cotton has become a tradition of entertainment with his music and humor.



## JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET


"As Time Goes By" was the theme of the 1981 Junior-Senior Banquet which took place at Emmanuel School of
Religion. Over 150 students were served dinner by the faculty and staff as the Al Bryan Orchestra played popular tunes from the 1940's. Dr. Gee was
M.C. for the evening and Eugene Wigginton was speaker at the banquet. Senior Superlatives were also announced that evening.



## SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

Cutest Couple
Best Dressed
Most Easy Going
Class Comedians
Most Studious
Best Buddies
Laziest Seniors
Most Likely to Succeed
Most Athletic
Best Looking
Class Hot Rodders
Shyest
Class Flirts
Best Built
Cutest Smile
Most Mischievous
Most Cheerful
Most Talkative
Most School Spirit
Last to Get Married
Most Likely to Break
the Curve

Jim Meding
Dan Poulter
Loren Stuckenbruck
Duane Palmer
Tom Guy
Duane Palmer
Dennis Elkins
Tom Fasham
Mike Gee
Vince Lowry
Dave Shaeffer
Doug Church
Rusty Lycka
Don Reeves
Mike Harrison
Frank Frye
Duane Palmer
Loren Stuckenbruck
Tom Guy
Jeff Cook
Keith West
Mike Gee

## Barb Christian

Jennifer Ross
LuAnn Heller
Kathy Replogle
Mary Lynn Dell
Kim Hale
Janet Cross
Debbie Frye
Mary Lynn Dell
Kathy Replogle
Gina O'Dell
Carol Grimes
Donna Bean
Debbie Crum
Gina O'Dell
Shari Stevens
Katy VanLew
Shari Stevens
Bonnie Moorhouse
Teresa Jacobs
Katy VanLew
Birdie Black

## COMMENCEMENT



One hundred forty five seniors graduated in Commencement exercises at Milligan College on

May 17.
The Commencement address was delivered by Dr. Nat T. Winston, Jr. Dr. Winston is Executive Vice President of Health Care Corporation. Dr. Marshall Leggett preached the Baccalaureate sermon. Dr. Leggett is minister of the historic Broadway Christian Church in Lexington, Kentucky.



## SPORTS



(back row) Greg Moffatt, David Russell, Mike Harris, Steve Leach, Paul Alexander, Carlton Brown, Bob Lassiter, Juan Chiu-Coach. (front row) Bob Gailey, Pete Cummings, Jeff Cook, Rob Denning, Harold Ross, Ty Johnson, Steve Lady.


Carlton Brown ready for the pass for Greg Moffatt.

The 1980 soccer season was far from being one to be happy about. The team never played up to its ability. Even with the poor record the team always acted in a spirit of unity and sportsmanship.
(right) Bob Gailey sets to clear the ball as Mike and Carlton look on.


## SOCCER



Rob Denning gives an ETSU player a dribbling lesson.


Keeping the ball in front of him, Richard Wead.


David Russell heads the ball to stop Carson-Newman drive.

Rob Denning and Paul Alexander moving the ball down the field.


Becky Merriam plays the net with authority.


Jan and Karla find part of volleyball is played on the floor.

## VOLLEYBALL


(left to right) Karol May, Beth Lewis, Kim Deaton-Coach, Anne Harker, Karen Smoak, Karla May, Lori Chesnut, Stephani Dougherty, Becky Merriam, Kim Cassetty


(top) Anne and Becky wonders what happened.
(left) Lori Chesnut fires one across the net.

## MEN'S BASKETBALL


(left to right; front row) Charles Brown, Paul Ogerro, Harold Bradshaw, Kelvin Avery, John Hutchins, Chris Crawford, Alfonso White, Pete Malmquist, Stan Johnson, Steve Dowdy, (second row) Lee Morrow, Randy Kirk, Vince Lowry, Rod Andrews, Steve Smith, Craig Fair, Greg Edmundson, John Dyer, Tim Brakaw, Rob Aubrey, Phil Worrell, (third row) James Bowden, Brien Crowder, Walter Bradley, Arthur Bradley, Marion Steele, Keith Huchstep


Alfonso White, Greg Edmendson, and Charles Brown work on breaking the Eagles' defense.

The 1980-81 season was a rough one for the Buffaloes. Finishing the year with a 8.21 record the Buffalos were a better team than what books show. Much of their poor performance came as a result of the loss of James Bowden and Keith Huchstep. With no one under the boards and to take charge the team looked lost on the court. Losing more than their fair share of games by one or two points, the Buffalos just didn't get the breaks.


Charles Brown takes to the air against Tennessee Wesleyan big men.


Marion Steele sets to slam one home for the Milligan fans.


Craig Fair drives to the hoop, not letting the bodies get in the way.


Gentlemen, and that's the way it is done.


Hitting his shot, Walter Bradley, seemed as if nothing could siop him.

## LADY BUFFS BASKETBALL


(back row) Sandy Williams, Kay Schek, Jeri Fisher, Sandy Richley, Jill Grove, Janice Berryman, Sharon Kelley, Treva McLean, Bonnie Gardner. (front row) Tammy Waybright, Randy Kirk-Coach, Tembra Chaplain.


Kay Schek brings the ball down the court.


Randy talks over the game plan with the Lady Buffs.


In a crowd Tembra Chaplain goes for the rebound.


Jill Grove setting up for her shot.


Back on defense the Lady Buffs show they are ready to play basketball.

The Lady Buffs record, 7 14, on the court showed only part of the story. Against a tough competition the Lady Buffs performances was strong.

Tammy Waybright led the Lady Buffs with a 15.9 point average per game. Second was Jill Grove with 13.9 per game. Jill was also selected for the all-state tournament team.


Back Row. Left to Right: Brian Reed, Jeff Aldridge, Dave Hamlin, Joe Brickey, Dave Oler, Brien Delp, John Hutchins, Scotty Davis, Ron Revis, Gary Walker, Craig McCurry, Jeff Merrymam. Front Row. Left to Right: Dave Sapp, Berry Shelton, Mike Corbett, Joey Doyle, Mickey Clifton, Michael Hawkins, Tommy Hamilton, Dino Senesi, Austin Taylor and Tim Hardin.


Coach Stout looks on from third base.


Berry Shelton rounds third headed for home.


Tommy and Ron discuss highlights of the game.

Watching Milligan Baseball this year was a little like going on a Fourth of July picnic: there was plenty of excitement because of all the fireworks, but there was sometimes rain as well. Coach Harold Stout characterized the year with Spartan brevity: " good hit, good field, poor pitching.' But Buffalo batters weren't just good; they were incredible. Eight starters hit over .300, led by Joey Doyle whose stunning performance in hitting . 492 betters even the pros.

While Doyle was lighting run-producing firecrackers half the times he batted, Gary Walker, Milligan's alltime home run leader, was nearly keeping pace. Walker belted eleven home runs and hit for a .486 average. A third Buffalo, Mickey Clifton, joined the "Council of .400 " by ripping the ball at a .435 clip.


Gary Walker makes the most of his double.


Mickey Clifton shows the form that produced his tremendous season at the plate hitting . 435

(back row) Dr. Bonner-Coach, Judy Brunner-Ass't Coach, Belinda Brown-Trainer, Cindy Alber, Karol May, Jill Grove, Beth Lewis, Lori Chesnut, Becky Merriam. (2nd row) Tracy Fisher, Becky Currier, Regina Carrier, Jalyn Sales, Missy Smith, Kim Cassetty, Sally Mason. (1st row) Charlotte Witte, Sherry Lancaster, Kathy Replogle, Karla May, Cindy Jackson, Anne Harker, Stephani Dougherty.


Beth Lewis reaches to make the play at 1st base.


Karla May at bat swings with authority

(top) Kathy Replogle has no trouble making it to second standing up. (right) Stephani Dougherty isn't as lucky but still makes it before the tag.

On their home field for the first time the Lady Buffs turn in a record of 18-16 for the 1981 season. Anne Harker led the team with a . 474 average and 30 R.B.I.'s Anne was named 'Most Valuable Player."

Becky Currier was second with a . 404 average and was named "Most Consistant Player." Three of the Lady Buffs were chosen for the Tennessee State Tournament Team, Stephani Dougherty, Karla May, and Becky Merriam.

## MENS TENNIS


(Left to right) Coach Walker, Tracy Moore, Mike Tuttle, Mark Tuttle, Jeff Ingram, Steve DeLong, Randy Gibbs.


Tracy shows his form on the serve.


Coach Walker shows the team how it is done

## GIRLS TENNIS



Left to right: Back Row: Carla Eshelman, Carolyn McFadden, John Sichting-Coach, Katnie Bailey, Jan Busche, Down: Corri Casatta, Kay Carmichael, Alyssa Swiney.


Alyssa Swiney shows good backhand form.

Kathie concentrates on the return.

## INTRAMURALS



Mark Gotchall looks for an open man underneath.


Butch shows a lot of enthusiasm in rebounding.

Guys enjoy a weekly romp in Football.



Dave Sapp learns to fly in Flag Football.


Who says you don't need talent to play intramurals.


That's no way to build a pyramid.

Intramural sports play a big part in campus life. Such sports as football, basketball, and softball are included in the intramural activities. The intramural program starts in the fall and runs until spring. With each team scoring points which can lead to a possible intramural championship title to finish off the season. Intramurals is designed to build character and sportsmanship, but these characteristics are sometimes hard to find.

## ORGANIZATIONS




## SUTTON HALL



Sutton girls enjoy a picnic along Buffalo Creek.


Cindy Jackson takes advantage of a cool creek on a hot day.


Sutton Dorm Council. Top to Bottom: Kathi Replogle, Patty Hatfield, Becky Currier, Teresa Gee, Rhonda Rhodes, Daphne Hill, Becky Reeves, Lydia Rivera.


Sutton Hall Head Resident, Becky Reeves.


Sutton R.A.'s: Stephani Dougherty, Vicki Jones, Barb Christian, Yvette Owens


Webb Dorm Council: Standing: Mike Gee, Tim Wolter, Dan Poulter, Don Reeves, Randy Seals, Denny Callahan. Third Row: Paul Sutherland, Doug Church, Kenny Summay Second Row: Tim Bates, George Wilson, Mark Weimer. Front Row: Rob Lehman, Steve DeLong.


Mark Fletcher and Mike Corbett making dorm life like home.


Escape committee reveals the latest second story escape device.


Tim Hartman confides with a few close triends.


Webb Hall makes even the announcement of an engagement fun!

Prof. Sisk accepts the Honorary Dearhart T-shirt with pride.


RA's: Robyn Self, Ginny Gwaltney, Mary Lynn Dell, Lane Thompsom, Sarah Oursland, Kathy Rae.

## HART HALL



Hart Dorm Council: Charlotte Witte, Carol Grimes, Sharon Alexander, Brenda Garfield, Anne Stilwell, Cindy Davidson, Lisa Robinson, Kathy Suchan, Teresa Jacobs.


Mary Lynn-Typical pre-med student.

Ross Brodfuehrer wins the Dearhart award.


## HARDIN HALL



Welcome back Wendy
Cindy Weidner caught in the act of enjoying studying. Stop that!


Punk Rock hits Hardin Hall hard. Way to stay with the times.



Dorm Council: Corri Casatta, Jay Rupert, Jan Busche, Karen Hughes, Wendy Oosting, Bonnie Gardiner, Vickie Hill.


Tressa studies tor science exam by acting like an ameba.

Hardin Hall, home of many wild Uno card games. Seen here are the hard core players.

## PARDEE HALL



The view from Pardee porch


Pardee Hall, home of the Pardee Rowdies.


Tom Fasham and Bob Hall lead the way down the Pardee Water Slide.

## S.G.A.



John Hall, Randy Nicks, Theresa Jacobs, Jim Green, Vickie Hill, Doug Anderson, Birdy Black, Frank Frye, Carl Ryden, Dino Senesi, Tom Who, Donna Kidner, Duane Palmer, Loren Stuckenbruck, Katy VanLew, Ruth Perry, Vicki Jones, Nancy Owens, John Green, Cindy Jackson, Mary Lynn Dell, Mike Brown, Brenda Garfield, Jay Rupert, Bill Weekly.


Duane Palmer-Secretary, Katy VanLew-Vice-President, Loren Stuckenbruck- President, Donna Kidner-Treasurer.

## PRESIDENTS' COUNCIL


(Left to Right) Back Row: George Wilson, Dennis Elkins-Pres. Fourth Row: Melanie Means-Sec., Robyn Self, Kathy Rae, Loren Stuckenbruck. Third Row: Mary Lynn Dell, Eric Deemer, Jan Bushe, Mike Brown, Keith West. Second Row: Becky Crook, Daphne Hill, John Green, Victor Hull, Dave Russell, Tony Tench. Front Row: Jim Green.

## SERVICE SEEKERS


(Lett to Right) Back Row: Vic Vogt, Patty Hattield-V. Pres., Ross Brodfuehrer. Front Row: Kathy Suchan, Deb DanielsPres., Debbie Baines, Kathy Rae, Brenda Hawkins.

## STUDENT UNION BOARD



Clockwise: Melanie Means, Sue Miller, Dennis Elkins, Dave Bowyer, Starlene DeBord, Dave Jones, Ross Brodfuehrer, Kathy Rae.


Loren enjoys wonderful Wednesday softball.


How was I suppose to know he was going to catch it!

## TAKE MY HANDS



Left to right, Back Row: Carol Grimes, Dale George, LouAnn Heller, Curt Whitesell, Katy VanLew. Front Row: Laurie Harvey, Tim Bates, Donna Bean.


Laurie Harvey rides in the trunk this trip.

## MILLIGAN MEN



Back row: (left to right) Mark Harrison, Paul Travis, Don Sheffey, Mac McIntosh, Greg Allen, Mike Luke. Third row: Jim Meding, Greg Small, Dave Croy, Charles Shores, Brian Reed, Hank Bolten. Second row: Eric Deemer, Randy Seals, Kevin Johnson, Jeff Russ, Chris Robinson, Steve Majors. Front row: Denny Callahan, Jerry Aurigma, Robin Zimmerman, Matt Osborn, Randy Neff, Alan Miller.


## CONCERT CHOIR



Back row: (left to right) Debbie Crum, Jeff Moody, Nancy Dunn, Tim Hartman, Patty Morrell, Victor Voght, Margaret Winkler, John Meredith, Amy Black, Jon Hagee. Third row: Carl Ryden, Brenda Garfield, Eric Scites, Margaret Cloud, Phil Bolus, Tammy Ross, Phil Rodefer, Karen Hughes. Second row: Kim Hale, Marvin Elliott, Renee Wooters, Ed Hall, Lisa Walker, Charles Shores, Mara Worcester, Mike Brown, Alyssa Swiney. Front row: Dr. Morrison, Mary Lynn Dell, Laura Thompson, Jim Burger, Lisa Voke, Allen Dean, Debbie Frye, Diana Young, Denise Elkins.


Members enjoy time off on choir tour. Seen here getting in touch with the past.

## ASSOCIATION OF CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES

The Association of Christian Ministries is organized to supplement the ministerial training program at Milligan by providing situations within which the student may obtain insights into areas of ministry that are not directly approached in class. Through this organization, students are able to seek practical guidance in their ministerial pursuits.

(Left to Right) Back Row: Bruce Cameron, Mr. Stuckenbruck, Ross Brodfuehrer - Vice Pres., Dave Hamilton, Loren Stuckenbruck, Vic Vogt, Duane Alexander. Second Row: John Hagee, Carl Ryden, Ruth Perry, Kathy Suchan, Bill Weekly, Laurie Harvey, Tony Tench - Pres. Front Row: Mr. Nelson, Carolyn McFadden, Ted Pierce, Steve Huddleston, Alan Dean, Dr. Webb-Sponsor.

## MUSIC EDUCATORS NATIONAL CONFERENCE



Robyn Self-Pres., John Meredith—Treas., Margaret Cloud, Renee Wooters, Laura Thompson, Debbie Frye-Secy

## LIBRARY CLUB


(Left to Right) Back Row: Mrs. Billy Oakes-Sponsor, Tatfie Davis-Secy. Second Row: Donna Moffitt, Beth Somppi, Julia Bennedict, Becky Crook-Pres., Sherry Detraz, Sherry Toney.

The Library Buffs were organized to help promote interest in the Library as well as to provide a means of communication among library staff, students workers and interested patrons. Since our club is made up of mostly student workers, we work together to help in the efficiency and effectiveness of library service.

## FRENCH CLUB


(Left to Right) Back Row: Mrs. Woolard-Sponsor, Victor Hull, Cornelia Betz. Front Row: Sharon Dowty, Kathy Rae, Brenda Garfield.

## SCIENCE CLUB



Back Row: Left to Right: Dave Jones-Pres., Mary Lynn Dell, Tom Fasham, Tom Brunsman, Sandy Saylor, Steve Cruitss, Dave Oliver, Vickie Heinen, Jody Moore, Paul Tickle, Ruth Perry-Treas., Deb Bane, Angie Moyers, Dave Bowyer, Meredith Gattis, Candy Witcher. Front Row: Suzie Ross - Vice Pres., Barb Fordyce, Kathy Suchan, Cindy Miller, Becky Crook-Sec., Charles Sanders.


Charles helps with Science Club work day.

## CIRCLE K CLUB



Back Row: Left to Right: Eric Deemer-Vice Pres., Denise Taylor. Second Row: Jess Russ, Amy Black, Jnanne Gentry - Treas., Dave Croy, Rick Tull. Third Row: Dale George, Debbie Baines, Kurt Whitesell, Beth Dunfee-Sec., Brian Tucker. Front Row: Suzie Ross, Marcia Clements.


Within the past few years, Milligan has experienced the benefits of the growth and impact of the Circle K Club. Circle K is a national and international service club affiliated with the Kiwanis groups. Her members are striving to make a difference for the college and the surrounding community. Milligan's Circle K'ers are not yet finished improving their organization and outreach. During the past year they have worked with the children's home of Elizabethton and the Carter County mens and womens residence homes. Through fund-raising, they have been able to contribute to needs of people around them. Circle $K$ is an active group and is shown here after presenting a special program for convocation.

## STUDENT NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIAT!ON


(left to right) Jan Busche-Pres., Brien Crowder, Anne Harker, Cheryl Bickel, Diane Schlauch, Beth Rhinehardt, Marilyn Belingham, Paula Hill, Lisa McDuff, Melissa DahIman, Barb Christian, Janet Cross, Debbie Polkow, Diane Warren, Linda Graybeal, Carol Talbert, Randy Nicks.

## DELTA KAPPA


(Left to Right) Back Row: Debbie Bane, Carol Grimes, Tressa Wigginton, Nancy Dunn, Julia Bennidict, Kelly Wilkinson, Third Row: Kathie Bailey - Historian, Linda Fink, Sandy Williams, Diane Warren, Debbie Polkow, Nancy Dunn, Sue Mills, Mary Beth Seay, Merrillyn Bellingham, Second Row: Lane Thompson-Tres., Ginny Gwaltney - Pres. Barb Christian, V-Pres., Front Row: Charlotte Witte-Sec.

(Left to Right): Candy Witcher, Pete Moore, Sharon Lequieu, Donna Kidner, John Hall.
Our editing staff joins in fulling the arrival of this literary magazine.
Growing that you will appreciate the wonk of the contributing writers
 and artists, we ask
simply that you, the reader, tale time to croon.

## PHI BETA LAMBDA


(Left to Right) Back Row: George Wilson, Donna Hazeltine, Dave Shaffer, Kenny Sumi, Mark Fletcher, Doug Church, Mark Weimer. Fifth Row: Becky Moorhouse, Tim Bates, Cindy Wead, Donna Bean, Sue Rossen, Dennis Freeman. Fourth Row: Frank Frye, LuAnn Heller. Birdy Black, Kathy Bailey, Shari Stephens. Third Row: Wendy Oosting, Beth Brinkley, Lisa Robinson, Vickie Hill, Jim Green. Second Row: Phil Bolus, Paul Sutherland. Front Row: Theresa Jacobs, Rhonda French, Berry Ratcliff, Randy Seals, Keith West-Pres.


Mrs. Laws makes award presentation at club picnic.

## CHEERLEADERS


(Left to Right) Back Row: Gina O'Dell-Captain. Second Row: Rebecca Duncan, Jayln Sales, Mary Anne Wallenfelsz. Front Row: Renee Epps, Kathy Karnes, Brenda Marshall.


Renee Epps is stuck in the same old routine!


How is that for a side of Beef?

Guess what's in our hands!

## SWIM CLUB


(left to right) Back Row: Mike Gee-Co-Captain, Paul Sutherland, Margaret Winkler, Ken Means, Mike Brown, Victor Hull, Rick Cross, Front Row: Barbara Simpson, Rachelle James-Co-Captain, Betsy Bushnell, Ruth Perry, Kathie Bailey, Diana Young, Valerie Watson, Anne Stilwell, Jennifer Peters, Dr. Gee-Sponsor, Ted Pierce.

The Water Buffs, Milligan College's version of a swim team, completed their competitive season with a perfect $11-0$ record. Although the team competes on a club and not a varsity status, the Buffs challenged varsity intercollegiate teams such as Greensboro and Western Carolina University. Milligan's winning record includes victories over Emory and Henry and Brevard besides Greensboro and Western Carolina. Both early and late, the season of competitive swimming was a magnificent success.



Mike Gee and Dr. Gee talk over strategy.




Back row: (left to right) Tom Brumsman, Dan Foote, Amy Hysell, Victor Hull-Editor, Donna Bean-Bookkeeper, Gary Spenser. Front row: Tom Fasham, Shari Stephns, Tom Banks, Theresa Messimer, Rod Andrews, Steve Curtiss, Scott Hundley, Jeff Ingram.

The Stampede is a loosely organized club, designated with the goal of producing a monthly campus newspaper cleverly called the Stampede. Working as a staff member affords students the opportunity to sharpen their writing skills, whether it is in the field of newswriting, sports, feature or editorial areas. Students can also participate in fields such as photography and cartoon work. The Stampede aims to "maintain an atmosphere of free and responsible discussion and of intellectual exploration on the campus."


Vic Hull finds the job as editor has its rewards with Laura Beth Hill on his lap.


Dan Foote working on another cartoon idea in his room.

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Back row: (left to right) David Russell, Rhonda French, Teresa Gee, LuAnn Heller, Diana Young, Dan Foote, Dan Seals. Sitting: Candy Witcher, Gary Spencer, Barb Simpson, Alyssa Swiney.

The Buffalo is a historical record of the activities of Milligan College. The staff gives freely of their time in order to bring this book to the students. The staffs' abilities in journalistic and creative style are tested. The desire of the Buffalo is to produce a book that will represent the Milligan College community in a true light. The staff hopes that Milligan College will not only enjoy this book but also profit from it.

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Alyssa Swiney caught in a duel, shooting it out with cameras.


Randy Seals this time on the other side of the camera.


Teresa Gee eating out.


Becky Crook and Sandy Souder clowning around.

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## A Russell in the Bushes

Since starting college 2 degrees and 6 years ago, I have learned a great deal. Not all of that knowledge has some from textbooks.

Some college professors shouldn't be . . . the best part of dorm life is moving out . . . that being on your own shows how much you need others. . . that everything looks better with your eyes closed ... and making changes at a private college is like pushing a wet noodle.

My special thanks to all those who helped in making this book possible. To everyone that gave of their time, my deepest appreciation.

Thanks to Pual Bader and Rod Irvin for their time and help. Thanks to Sandra Smith of Herff Jones for putting up with me and for lunch. To Steve, my roommate, for another fun year. And to my close friends Mark and Marsha for being just that.

It has been a good year, Toge parties, skiing trips, lobster dining, beach parties, Barf trip, soccer games, Doonesbury, eating at the Pitts', who could ask for anything more.

My hope is that everyone finds in life what he is looking for.
God's Grace,
David Russell




## A Look

at Some Friends.



I wage not any feud with Death
For changes wrought on form and face:
No lower life that earth's embrace May breed with him, can fright my faith.

Eternal process moving on, From state to state the spirits walks; And these are but the shatter'd stalks, Or run'd chrysalis of one.

Nor blame I Death, because he bare The use of virtue out of earth: I know transplanted human worth Will bloom to profit, otherwhere.

For this alone on Death I wreak
The wrath that garners in my heart;
He put our lives so far apart
We cannot hear each other speak.
Alfred Tennyson

Woody Wallenfelsz
Front Royal, Virginia

To our friends
Butch and Woody.

Their lives expressed
the fullness of living.
Their death touched the heart of our emotions.

Butch and Woody die in two separate auto accidents this year.

## Butch Gallagher

Kingsport, Tennessee


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