

ALUMNI CONNECT



December 2010

Thank you!

In this season of Thanksgiving, we give thanks for YOU—our alumni! Your generosity contributed to our success in 2010. In the past year, your gift, along with donations from fellow alumni, enabled your Alumni Association to:

- Award full scholarships to these five deserving students —Jennifer Black, Elizabethtown, Media Studies; Sarah Bradley, Dover, Business Administration; Shawna Dixon, Lancaster, Cardiac Sonography; Treasa Jakob, New Cumberland, Nursing; and Anne Martin, Lebanon, Psychology.
- Contribute \$10,000 to the HACC-Gettysburg Campus' *Share the Vision, Shape the Future* campaign;
- Support HACC-York Campus' Access and Opportunity Scholarship Fund with a \$10,000 gift;
- Pledge \$10,000 to expand and upgrade the Senator John J. Shumaker Public Safety Center;
- Give a \$5,000 gift to the Frank J. Dixon Tournament for Scholarships at HACC; and
- Sponsor the Richie Havens concert on January 22, 2010, at the Rose Lehrman Arts Center on the Harrisburg Campus.

Turtle Island Quartet brings holiday flare to Rose Lehrman

Turtle Island Quartet makes a stop on its 25th anniversary tour for a *Live at Rose Lehrman* performance at 8 p.m. on Friday, December 3, in the Rose Lehrman Arts Center on the Harrisburg Campus.

Guest musicians Mike Marshall(mandolin) and Cyrus Chestnut (piano) accompany the group in a concert featuring a mix of jazz, folk, and R&B styles

with a
flavoring of
holiday tunes.
Tentative
selections
include: "Jesu
Joy of Man's
Desire," "Linus
and Lucy"
(from "A
Charlie Brown
Christmas")
and "Swing Low Sweet Chariot." [More](#)



Shop at HACC's Artisan Marketplaces for one-of-a-kind holiday gifts

This holiday season you can find unique gifts created by Central Pennsylvania's craftspeople at two artisan marketplaces sponsored by HACC's Institute for Entrepreneurial Studies and the Perry County Council of the Arts and the YorkArts@City Arts.

The Artisan Marketplace of Perry County opened November 23 and runs through December 23. The works of more than 50 juried artisans are on display and available to purchase at the nationally recognized [Perry County Council of the Arts](#) Gallery at One S. Second St., Newport. [More](#)

Fifty artists from York County and the region will have their juried work on sale at the third annual York Artisan Marketplace, which began on November 20 and continues through January 8, 2011, at the [YorkArts@CityArts Gallery](#), 118 W. Philadelphia St. in York. [More](#)

Help PA community colleges

A Message from Interim President Ron Young –

HACC needs your help. Now that the elections are over— it is time to make sure that Governor-Elect Tom Corbett understands the importance of restoring and increasing the much needed funding for Pennsylvania's community colleges. It is no secret that one out of every five Pennsylvania college students graduates from a community college. It is our job to help Governor-Elect Corbett understand the vital role we play and let him know that we are and need to be a priority.



The goal is to collect 8,000 more signatures for the [Advance PA petition](#). With more than 50,000 alumni, I firmly believe we can meet that goal. This petition will be placed on the Governor's desk in his first days in office and draw his attention directly to the vital role of community colleges.

Celebrate the holidays at HACC

Looking for a special place to hold your holiday party this year? Consider HACC's [Wildwood Conference Center](#) on the Harrisburg Campus. The Conference Center offers the perfect setting for your holiday event, which includes free parking and three elegant dining rooms that accommodate up to 240 people. The center's professional staff provide one-on-one customer service and are involved in every meticulous detail of the event—from initial planning and budgeting to choosing menus, room set up, and audiovisual needs. [More](#)

Ski at Killington this spring break

The HACC-Gettysburg Campus' Ski/Board Club is sponsoring a trip to Killington, Vermont, over spring break, March 6-10, 2011. All students, faculty, staff and alumni are invited. [More](#)

Holiday gift idea...PSC discount card

The Friend of PSC [discount card](#) is a perfect holiday gift or stocking stuffer for any HACC graduate. The card offers discounts at many businesses in Dauphin and Cumberland counties –the Macaroni Grill, Pizza Hut, Texas Roadhouse, Dunkin Donuts, and Jiffy Lube—that are good until November 15, 2011. The cost is only \$10, which more than pays for itself in a short time.



All proceeds support HACC's Shumaker Public Safety Center expansion project. For more information, contact the [HACC Alumni Association](#).

HACC alumni in the news

HACC takes pride in its alumni. With more than 50,000 members, HACC is making a difference in communities and workplaces in Central Pennsylvania, across the nation, and around the world. Find out what our [graduates](#) are doing. Please share your [news](#) with us, so we can publish it in future issues of "HACC Alumni Connect" or our "HACC Connections" magazine.

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