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#### **On the Inside:**

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Alumni News  
Echoes  
Coming Events

**W**e meet again, now at a point in time when the College is facing unprecedented changes. I seem to recall suggesting change was an inevitable factor a few issues back. I expect we may look back on this period too and consider it somewhat stable relative to what is yet to come.

Recent announcements regarding the realignment of some academic programs and services offered by the College have raised concern among the various publics which we serve. However, there are also many exciting initiatives which help to advance the College in its mission. In this, our 15<sup>th</sup> issue of Voyageur, we hope to report on both.

Inside you'll read about our efforts to provide you with more current information about the College and our graduates through the worldwide web. We bid farewell to some old friends when we talk about the retirements of a few well known St. Lawrence personalities. We'll also welcome some new friends as we announce the formal establishment of the St. Lawrence College Foundation. Our "Report on Giving to the College" will highlight the success of the Opportunity Trust Fund Appeal and acknowledge the 200 plus individuals and organizations who have made financial gifts to St. Lawrence during the past year.

Most important, we'll hear from you, our alumni. For this particular issue, almost half of the graduates who have dropped us a note for the Echoes section of our publication, have done so using the magic of the worldwide web. How times are changing!

I hope you enjoy this issue and we welcome your letters, comments and suggestions.

Frank Lockington, Business - APR/83  
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Mary-Gayle Dillon, Chair,  
Board of Governors of St. Lawrence College  
is pleased to announce the establishment of the



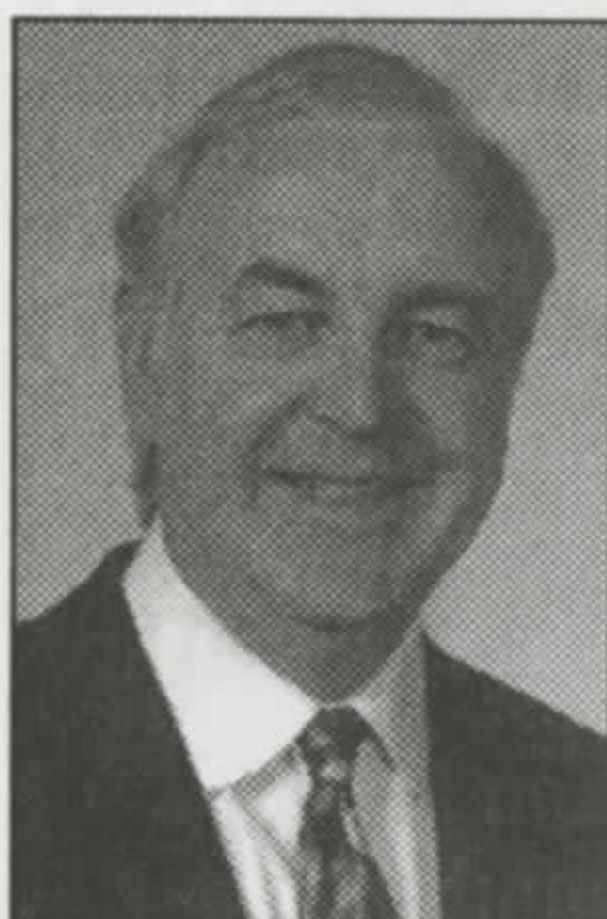
# St. Lawrence College Foundation

The College's Foundation was incorporated earlier this spring and has been created to support St. Lawrence College in its mission. The Foundation is run by a volunteer Board of Directors who give of their time and expertise.

The primary function of the ST. LAWRENCE COLLEGE FOUNDATION is to oversee the various fundraising activities undertaken on behalf of the College as well as the

management and allocation of donations received. The work of the Foundation will benefit academic programs, student services and facilities at all three of the College's campuses. The work of the Foundation is supported through the College's Alumni & Development Office.

The election of directors and appointment of officers took place during the Foundation's first meeting held March 27, 1998.



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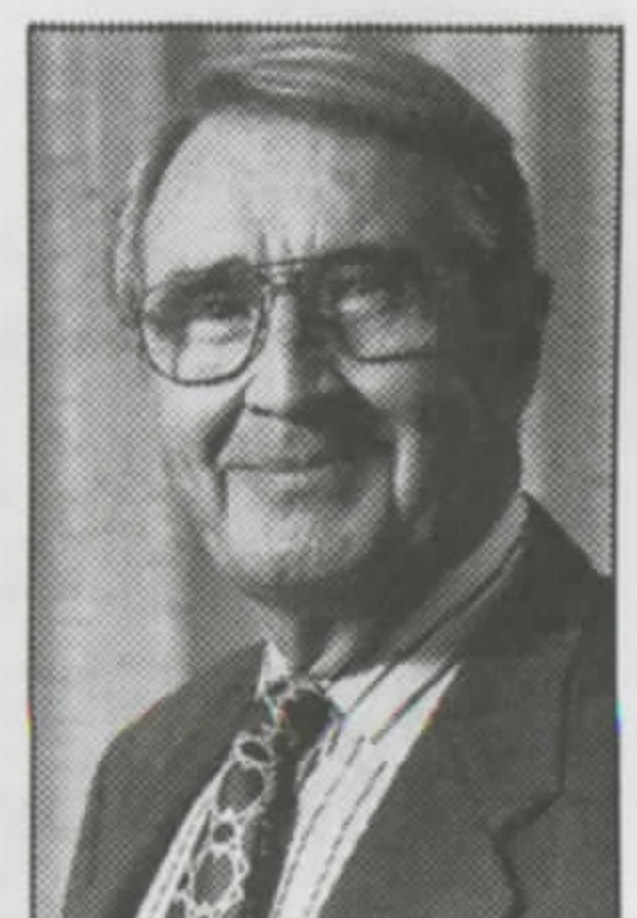
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# Fore...

## St. Lawrence College

*A warm spring day with clear blue skies greeted over 120 golfers who turned out May 27<sup>th</sup> to support the St. Lawrence College Foundation golf tournament.*

*The event was held at the Brockville Country Club.*



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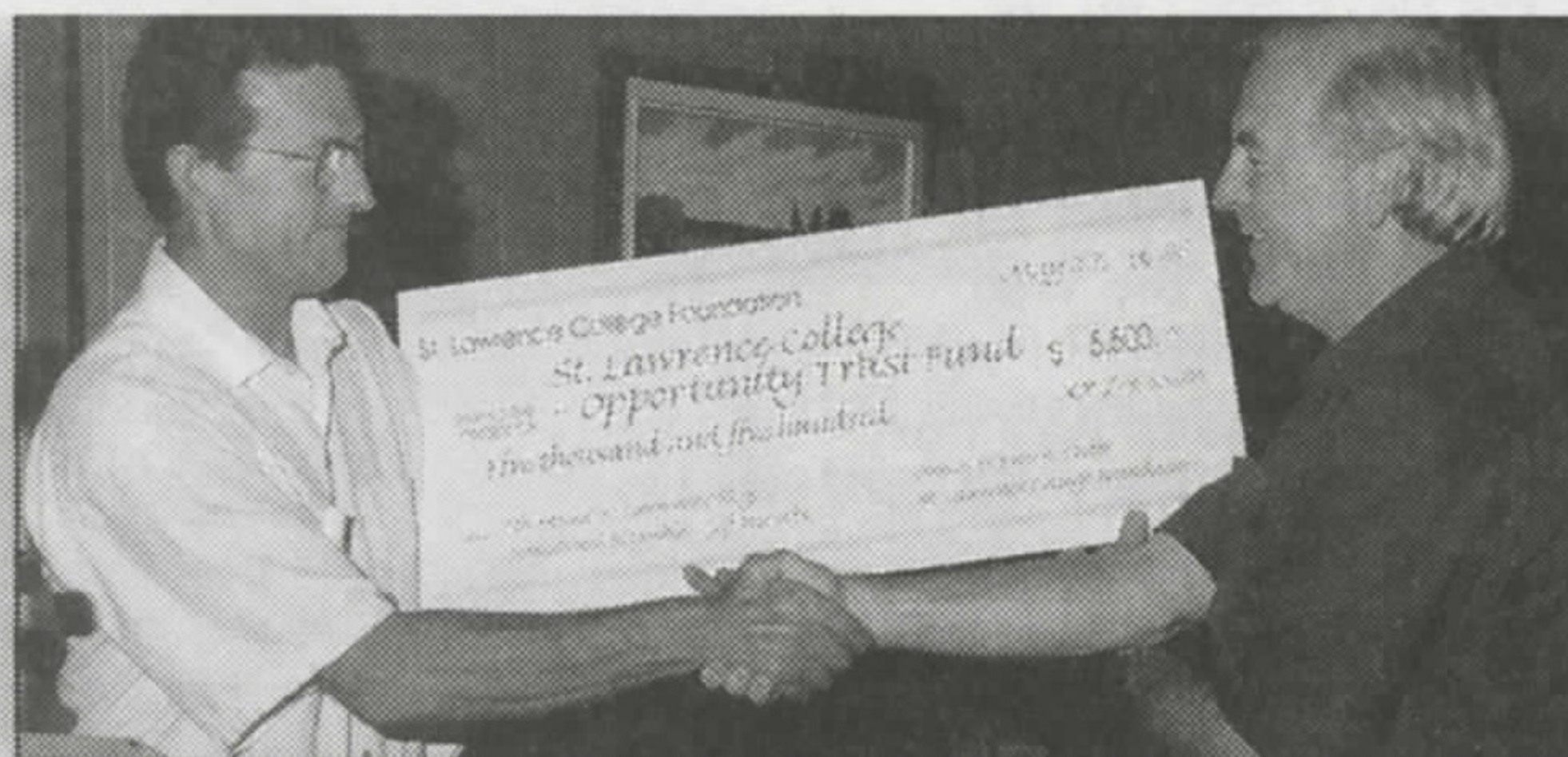
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The tournament marked the first major activity for the Foundation which received its incorporation earlier this year. The 'best ball', scramble format helped to keep the game friendly and the scores low. Top honors for low gross went to a team from the City of Cornwall. Although the tournament was not billed as an alumni event, a number of grads turned out to lend their support and enjoy the day.

In a cheque passing ceremony late in the day, Foundation Chair Jim Brown delivered a \$5,500 to College President Dan Corbett. Mr. Brown asked that the College consider these proceeds as a

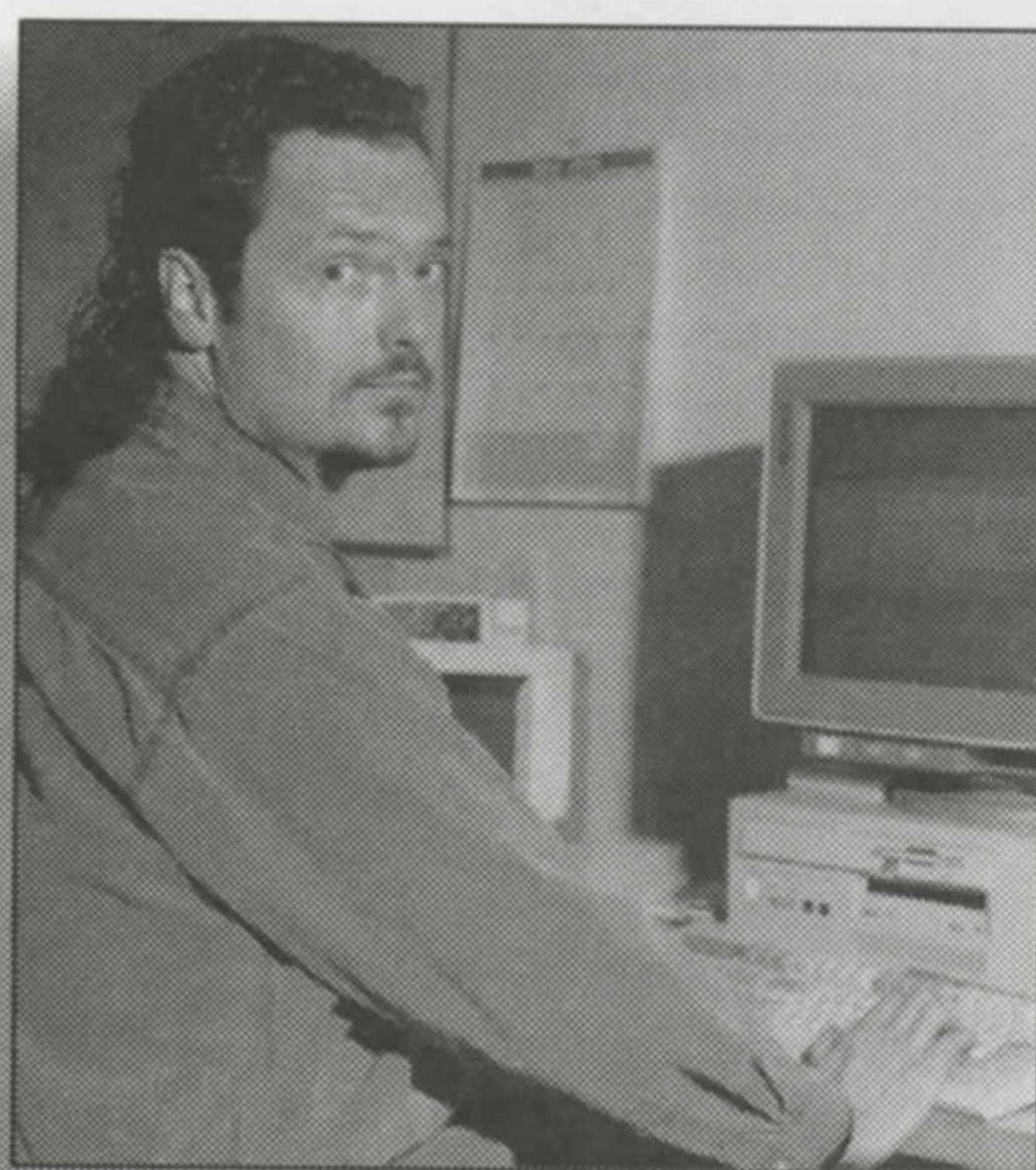
payment on the Foundation's pledge to support the College's Opportunity Trust Fund Appeal. With provincial matching, the fund will grow by \$11,000 as a result of the tournament this year.

Over the next 18 months, the Foundation aims to raise an additional \$145,000 in support of the appeal which is intended to provide bursaries for St. Lawrence College students in financial need.

The Directors of the Foundation would like to express their sincere appreciation for the participation of all the golfers and the support of their many sponsors and prize contributors.



# Spider man spins his web



*The College  
has its own Spider man.  
In most organizations  
he would be referred to as  
"the web master."  
At St. Lawrence  
we call him Keith.*

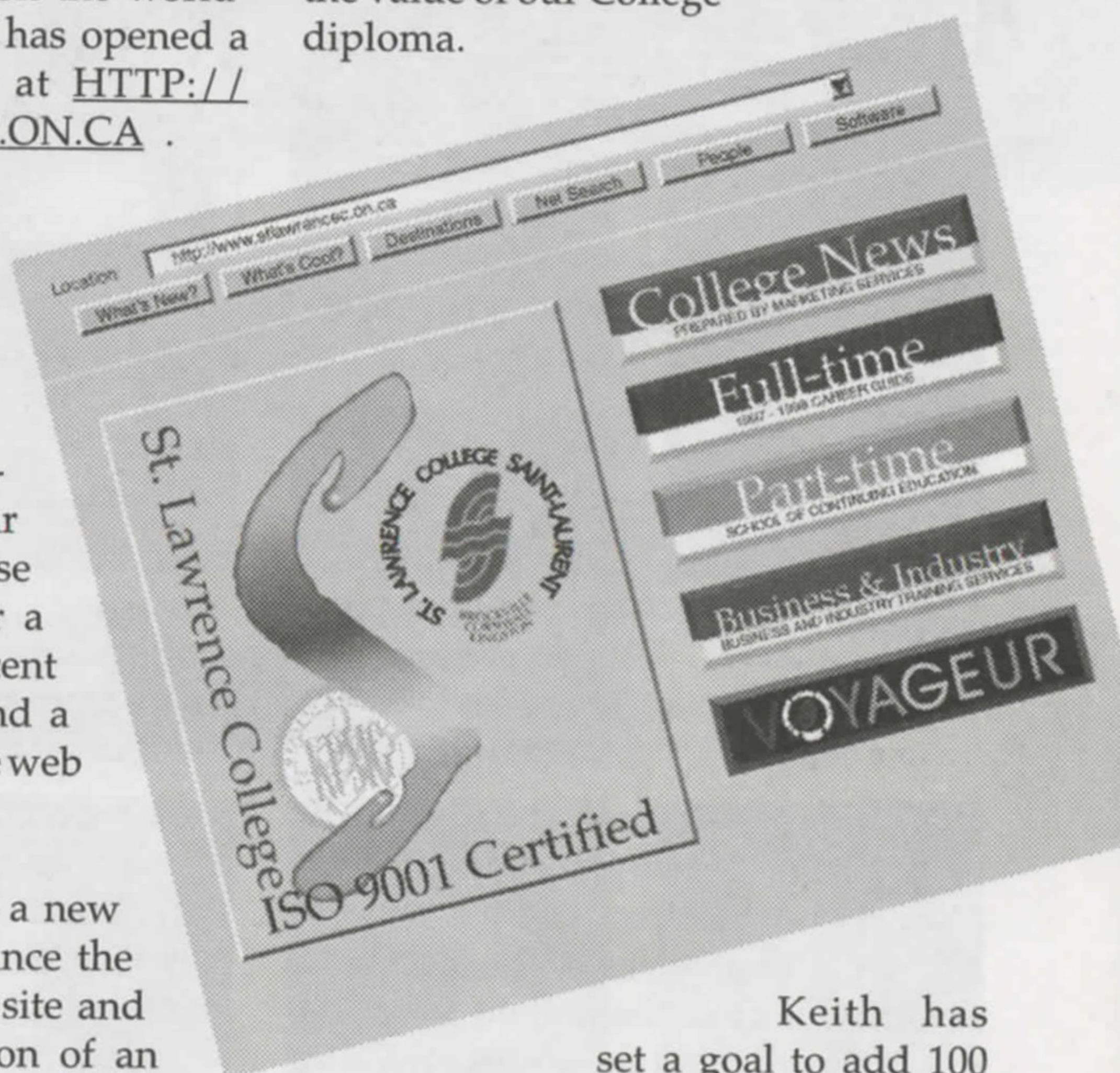
A two-time graduate of St. Lawrence, Keith Hare is a member of the College's Educational Technology Division. Keith joined the College's staff more than 10 years ago and has recently assumed responsibilities for maintaining our official home page on the world-wide web. The College has opened a window to the world at [HTTP://WWW.STLAWRENCE.ON.CA](http://WWW.STLAWRENCE.ON.CA).

"We have seen an increase in the number of people who are choosing to contact the College using the web," explains Keith. "Although we have had our full and part-time course offerings on the site for a couple of years, the recent addition of Voyageur and a directory of alumni on the web has attracted attention."

Long term plans call for a new computer server to enhance the performance of the web site and allow for the introduction of an expanded alumni connect feature.

"I would like to see an alumni discussion group at some point in the near future," says Keith. "A lot of grads have been asking how they can keep better contact with each other and how to comment on issues of interest to the College and students."

The enhancement of a "links" page is also expected to help graduates find new employment opportunities and make it easier for alumni to explore continuing education at degree granting institutions which recognize the value of our College diploma.



Keith has set a goal to add 100 new alumni email addresses to our directory before the end of the summer. Visit the site, check it out and update your alumni record. Most importantly, let us know if the site is meeting your needs and what you would like to see done to improve it.

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# St. Lawrence College

## Job Training Services

One of the extra ways St. Lawrence College continues to add value to our communities is through enterprises such as the Job Training Service offices in Brockville and Kingston. Put simply, staff at both locations work with unemployed people to help find jobs.

The main business of the Service is to deliver the On-the-Job-Training (OJT) component of the provincial Job Connect initiative. This programme is designed to help youth between 16 and 24 find and keep work. Our consultants work as job developers, calling on employers to uncover the potential for work within a company.

"We work together with our Job Connect partners, the Employment and Education Centre in Brockville and Kingston Employment and Youth Services, who provide employment related information and work preparation courses," explains Barry Keefe the College's OJT Director. "After their clients are prepared to enter the job market they are referred to our Service where our consultants attempt to make a match with an employer."

There is work to be found. In 1997-98, staff worked with employers in our communities and found 325 jobs for youth. These are not free labour placements but actual work that needs to be performed. The criteria for youth registering with Job Connect is to meet the age requirement, to be out of school and out of work and not insured under the Employment Insurance Act. Peo-

ple placed may have left high school early, may have finished high school or be college or university graduates.

"The jobs they fill are varied," says Barry. "They could be working on a farm, in a framing shop, a factory, a hotel or as a book editor. Employers receive reimbursement for a portion of wages for an initial period of work that is negotiated with our consultants, typically \$4 per hour over 12 to 16 weeks. Our objective is to find full time, ongoing jobs, which occurs in many cases, but also to help young people gain valuable experience and perhaps their first introduction to the demands and rewards found in the world of work. We also find that employers gain considerably from the expertise of our staff. We provide work-ready applicants and ongoing support. Most of our employers are from small to medium size firms which often don't have human resource expertise. We can save them time and energy, two valuable components of any work day, and we do it for no charge."

A second component offered through the office is the Summer Job Service. This hugely successful programme, again sponsored by the Ministry of Education and Training, works to match returning students with summer employment in the Kingston, Gananoque and Brockville area. Last summer the programme was over-subscribed and placements have disappeared even faster this year.

"We helped place 323 students in 1997 and are on track to help the same number in 1998", claims Barry.

A third service offered through the Kingston office is the Targeted Wage Subsidy programme in conjunction with Human Resources Development Canada. This component is designed to find employment for those people who qualify for employment insurance and is not age restricted. It also offers a reimbursement incentive to employers to offset some of the costs of initial employment. What the staff do at St. Lawrence Job Training can best be summed up by their slogan - *Matching Talent to Opportunity*.

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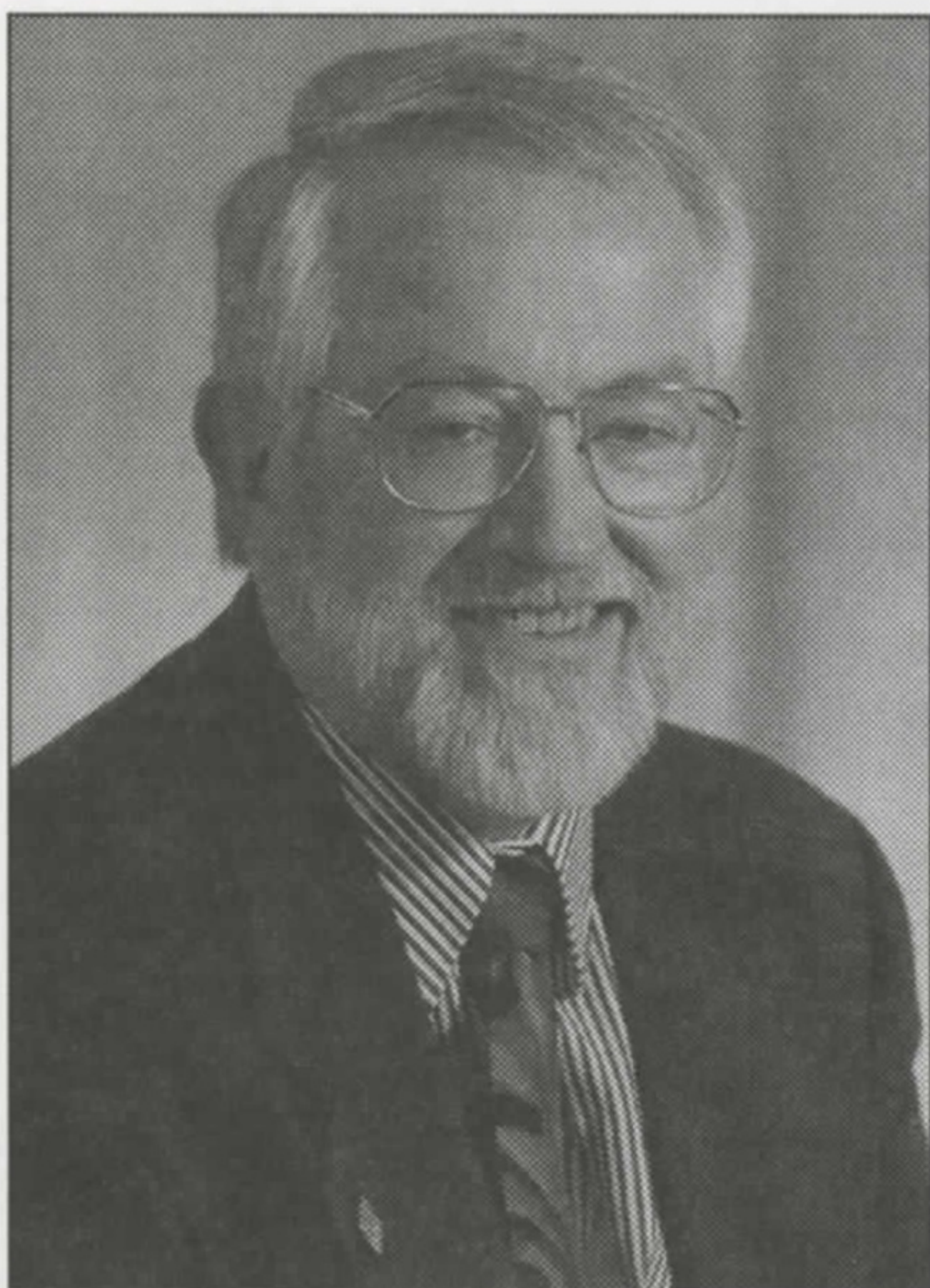
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# Collegenews

## Ron Robinson bids farewell

Over 140 friends joined Ron Robinson and his family May 1<sup>st</sup> for a grand send off. The occasion was his retirement from St. Lawrence College.



Ron first joined the College in 1974 and held several key positions including principal at the Brockville and Cornwall campuses, Vice President and Director of the School of Engineering Technology and Trades.

Veteran faculty member, Stuart Payne emceed the event which was held at the Portsmouth Olympic Harbour. A host of speakers paid tribute to Ron and a video produced by Stuart and Tom Harpell poked fun at the life and times of Ron Robinson.

Blayne Mackey announced at the event that a new endowed bursary in Ron's name has been established and each year a student in the School of Engineering Technology and Trades will be presented with an award of \$500 to support the cost of their studies at the College. The award has been made possible through the generosity of students, staff, alumni and friends of the College.

## College to honor Allan and Peggy Cohoe

The Board of Governors of St. Lawrence awards, from time to time, Honorary Diplomas of College. Honorary diplomas are awarded to recognize outstanding achievement of individuals or groups whose accomplishments are of such excellence that they provide an example, inspiration, and leadership to the graduates of the College.

This year, two very special individuals will be recognized. Allan and Margaret (Peggy) Cohoe have both made outstanding contributions to the College.

Peggy's involvement with St. Lawrence began even before the College opened its doors some 30 years ago. She was one of the charter members of the College faculty. Peggy was instrumental in establishing the Early Childhood Education program, which was originally on the Kingston YM-YWCA site. The ECE program still thrives at the campus in Kingston today. Her efforts had an impact on other Colleges in the system as St. Lawrence's program was seen as a leader among the CAATs. Following her retirement in 1982, Peggy served as Chair of the ECE Advisory Committee and later, as Chair of the General Arts and Science Advisory Committee.

Peggy's contributions to her field and community have been recognized over the years through such awards as the gold medal from the Early Childhood Education Association, Children's Services Award from AECE Kingston and a City of Kingston Appreciation Award for ECE. Peggy continues to support the College with a personal gift to the College's annual fund raising efforts and can frequently be found at special events held at the campus.



Allan retired as a banking executive in the Kingston community and soon after, joined the College's Board of Governors. He was later appointed Vice Chair, then Chair of the College's Board during the mid 1980's. While Allan was on the Board, he was among the first directors of the Kingston Student Centre Building Fund Corporation, a non-profit charitable organization which raised \$500,000 to design and construct a new Student Centre at the College's Kingston campus. Allan continues to support the College through personal donations and participation at various College functions.

Allan and Peggy will receive their diploma, at the College's convocation ceremony to be held, Friday, June 19<sup>th</sup> at the Kingston campus.



# New programs launched at Kingston and Brockville campuses

At the Kingston Campus, a new two-year diploma program entitled "Police Foundations" will be starting in September 1998.

"This is great news for Kingston", says Kingston Mayor Gary Bennett. "It's good for the economy and can only benefit Kingstonians."

According to Bill Closs, Chief of the Kingston Police, "Training at St. Lawrence College will result in better opportunities for instruction in police foundations from professors like Stuart Payne who are also very much involved in the community. While practical skills will still be learned at the police academy, there is real value in having future officers already living and working in the community."

With the local training at St. Lawrence College, Closs believes that the Kingston Police will have more opportunity to recruit qualified candidates already familiar with Kingston. The Police Learning Systems Advisory Committee (PLSAC), under the direction of the Solicitor General's Office, is working with the colleges in Ontario on a new training program for those interested in a police services career. Although the program is not yet mandatory, PLSAC has recommended this training and subsequent certification examination be a requirement for entering Police Services at the recruit level as of May 1, 2000.

Along with the Correctional Worker Program already offered at the Kingston Campus, a base is being developed through the College's Institute

for Justice Training and Community Safety to provide ongoing training to the existing workforce in addition to these entry level programs. Closs says he sees real interest for this type of training for police forces in the Brockville-Belleville-Perth triangle.

In the next 5 - 10 years it is anticipated that 800 -1000 new police officers will be needed in Ontario to replace huge numbers of officers hired back in the early to mid 1960's. Already 133 students have applied for the 60 available seats in Police Foundations.

A new program at the Brockville campus will also get off the ground this fall. The two-year program, Computer Networking & Technical Support, integrates the principles of running a modern business with the latest in networking, operating and PC hardware. Students will study everything from PC Hardware & Software, Internet, Networking and Database Management to Accounting and Marketing.

"This is an exciting development for the Brockville Campus," says Chris Whitaker, Director of the College's School of Business. "The Computer Networking and Technical Support Program complements our existing menu of business programs at Brockville."

Graduates can expect to find employment in computer networking and troubleshooting, installing networks, hardware/software installations, help desks, technical support and computer sales.

# Law and Security Program to stay in Brockville

St. Lawrence College has listened to community partners and will keep the Law and Security Administration program in Brockville.

Following discussions with Wilsie Hatfield, Board of Governors Liaison for Program Advisory Committees, and Brockville Police Chief Barry King, St. Lawrence College has decided to maintain the popular program at the local campus. The college's academic management group has been meeting with advisory committees, faculty, and students on how best to implement recommendations to balance the 1998-99 budget and eliminate the accumulated deficit. It made the recommendation to keep the program in Brockville.

"While the board had to make some difficult decisions to ensure the College is financially sound for the future," said Hatfield, a manager at the Dupont Canada Maitland Site and former Brockville Chamber of Commerce Citizen of the Year, "you can't ignore the kind of support this program has. This is a good decision for Brockville. Now it's up to the community partners to work cooperatively with the College."

The Law and Security Administration program had been targeted for a move to Kingston. The recommendation to keep it in Brockville provides a two-year window in which to meet a series of critical performance indicators.

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# Collegenews

## Residence

'Year one' is coming to an end for the new student residence at the College's Kingston Campus.

The first students to live on campus full time arrived late last summer and certainly changed the face of 'college life' on the campus.

"I am certain that the students who stayed with us this year have had an experience they will never forget," says

Pat Lewis, Residence Director. "I know I have."

Although some students will be staying on, the facility is also available for alumni traveling to the Kingston area this summer and looking for affordable accommodation.

"Kingston certainly offers a number of special activities over the summer including the Buskers festival

downtown and the Sunset Ceremony at historic Fort Henry," says Pat. "The annual Canadian Olympic Training Regatta in Kingston (CORK) is also expected to attract thousands of sailors to the waterfront in August."

For information regarding a summer stay at St. Lawrence you can contact the residence directly at (613) 544-6600, Ext. 4999.





# @TEC

## Developing the Workers for Our High Tech Cluster

A Partnership between educational facilities in Kingston has ushered in a new era of growth for the city, and may signal the beginning of Kingston's new future.

The Advanced Technology Education Consortium (@TEC) is a non-profit organization comprised of the regions four post secondary education institutions including St. Lawrence College. The consortium is involved with developing and producing education and training programs specially designed to meet the needs of knowledge based companies. Through partnership with public and private organizations, @TEC is poised to offer both education and work placement opportunities for its students.

But education is just part of the solution, says Laurene Clark, @TEC's Director. The consortium has a two pronged approach: educate much-needed workers, and then bring those knowledge-based companies to town in order to provide jobs for the students.

"It's the intellectual property, or skilled minds that make these companies," says Clark. "We want to show companies that those skilled minds are

right here in Kingston, and that our area is an excellent choice for doing business."

@TEC has worked hard to make the training relevant to the high tech industry, meeting with companies to develop courses and work placements that are relevant and meaningful to both students and the companies that will one day hire them. High tech companies often locate in "clusters" to allow them to work together in developing new products and services.

"The notion of a "high tech cluster" in Kingston is certainly a viable opportunity, says Clark. Not only have we started the beginnings of such a cluster, but also we have the facilities and geographic location to continue this trend. Add in Kingston's lifestyle amenities and beauty, and it's easy to see why Report On Business Magazine chose Kingston as one of Canada's Best Cities For Business."

What's needed, however, is support for these companies. "We don't need to separate our heritage from our businesses," says Clark. "In order to survive and grow, these businesses need to be part of our community and part of our heritage. Only then will we all succeed."

## Sandwell Exchange

Six St. Lawrence College students, back recently from a student exchange in England, presented an oral report to the Board of Governors at their April meeting.

The exchange students, Kirsten Long, Business Administration - Marketing; Melissa Phillips, Business Administration - Accounting; Chris Veldman, Business Administration - Accounting; Amy Watkins - Business Administration - Marketing; Martin Koolhaas, Electronics Engineering Technology; and Collin Wilson, Electronics Engineering Technology, returned to Canada on March 22. The group spent four weeks at Sandwell College in West Midlands, England.

St. Lawrence College representatives first visited Sandwell College while exploring ISO registration and then met again last November to explore additional partnerships. Out of this came the opportunity for St. Lawrence students to spend a month at Sandwell College this past winter. Bursaries, made possible through the generous support of donors to the College, helped the students cover the costs associated with their flights and living expenses while in England.

Future cooperative projects with Sandwell could include staff and faculty exchanges, transfer agreements in targeted program areas and an annual exchange of views relating to governance and strategic planning.

Students from Sandwell College are expected to visit St. Lawrence College in the Fall of 1998.

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# Collegenews

## Tech Open Houses bring back the grads

On Wednesday, March 25, 1998, St. Lawrence College held a Hi-Tech Job Fair at the Cornwall Campus. Professor Bill Tennant who spearheaded the event says the Hi-Tech Job Fair is a two-edged approach.

"We are trying to market graduates and help them get placements. At the same time, we are hoping the presence of high tech firms and our students' presentations of their projects will attract people into these programs."

The event kicked-off in the Aultsville Auditorium with Cliff Knowles, of Mitel Corporation as the keynote speaker.

Organizations including Mitel, Newbridge, Revenue Canada, NavCan, The Treasury Board, Manpower High-Tech Division, Public Service Commission, DataMirror, Software Kinetics, Glen-Net Communications, CIPS and CareerBridge had reps on hand to meet and talk with future graduates. Several of these firms were represented by employees who are also St. Lawrence Alumni.

Students from Business Technology and Engineering Technology programs displayed projects throughout the day. Six break out sessions were held concurrently throughout the day with Business Technology graduates. They talked about their specific careers (including computer programming, data base management and help desks) since leaving the College.

All area high schools were invited. Approximately 50 Business Administration - Information Systems and Engineering Technology graduating students were bussed in from Kingston, as well as Brockville's 3<sup>rd</sup> year Marketing students.

Three weeks later, at the Kingston campus, the annual Technology Open House was held to showcase the work of senior students in the School of Engineering Technology and Trades. High school students interested in pursuing a post-secondary career in technology or trades and many of the 1998 applicants to technology and trades programs checked out Civil Engineering, Computer Engineering, Computerized Automation & Control, Electronics Engineering and Trades programs.

Each program had displays and in many cases, students demonstrated work they had undertaken for companies in the field. There is a massive world-wide shortage of people trained to work with microchips. Currently a very high percentage of graduates of the Electronics Engineering Technology Program find full-time employment starting at approximately \$31,000.

An Electronics Engineering Technology project on display involved the use of microchip electronic design at the KGH Renal Unit. Technicians in the Renal Unit will be able to test their dialysis units before they put them into the wards. Right now when the unit fails, they don't know why. With the microchip technology, they can run the device, record the parameters, track back and find the problem (before it's hooked up to a person).

A group of Computer Engineering students have completed a "virtual office" project for SHL System House in Calgary, allowing SHL employees to communicate world wide via Internet.

A second project has been done for Newbridge. Newbridge is very successful in selling telecommunications networking to large telephone compa-



## College Passes Fourth ISO Assessment

Auditors from KPMG announced April 3<sup>rd</sup> that St. Lawrence College has passed its fourth periodic ISO assessment,

The next assessment is scheduled for October 2. The areas under review are expected to be the School of Business in Brockville, the School of Applied Arts in Kingston, and the quality system overall.

The auditors also pointed out that St. Lawrence's registration certificate expires April 24, 1999. A major reassessment will be required one month prior to the expiry date.

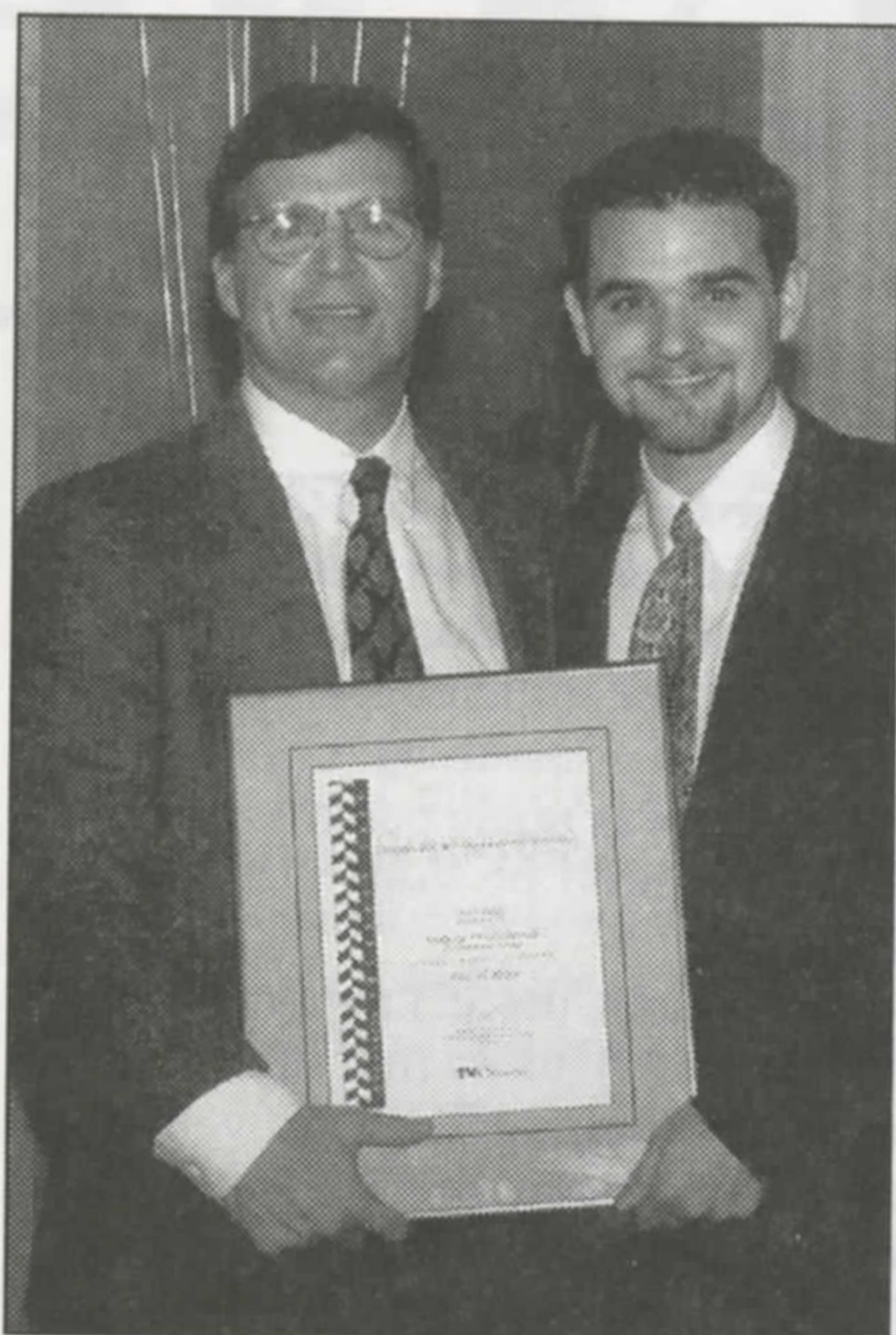
nies world wide. One of the reasons is that they have a very good software package allowing telephone companies to monitor the lines between cities. St. Lawrence Computer Engineering students are rewriting part of that program in "JAVA" to allow the Internet to be used with this software.

A third group of students have written a portion of a project dealing with banking across the Internet for Entrust Technologies (a Nortel affiliate).

Graduates of the Computer Engineering Technology Program are also very sought after by employers. Graduates start off in the \$35,000 range and again, there are a very high number of employment opportunities for these graduates.



# Alumnews



Kip Tuckwell (left) with 1997 TVO Telefest Award Winner Justin Chenier, (Business - Apr/97)

## Greg Awards

The highlight of the evening came with a special announcement by David Schleich, a co-founder and large supporter of the Greg Awards. David, who is currently the President of the Canadian College for Naturopathic Medicine, awarded a \$7,500 contract to the students of the College for the production of a new corporate video for his organization. The funds will be used by St. Lawrence to purchase new equipment for the video production studio.

Although the video equipment at St. Lawrence College is not as advanced as the producers would have it, the student groups still produce award winning videos. This year, the corporate video which took the honour of "Best Video" at the Greg Awards was, *Healing Begins at Home*, produced by Stepping Stone Productions, for the Almost Home Program of the Kingston Hospitals. The winners of this particular award will be representing St. Lawrence College at the upcoming TVO Telefest Awards in Toronto, in May. Over the past three years, St. Lawrence College has continued to increase its recognition at Telefest, capturing two first place prizes and one third.

The "Spirit of the Greg's" Award, which is presented to an avid supporter of the Greg Awards, on an external level, went to Duncan Holt and Christine Tripp. Even though these people are not directly related to the Greg's the production of the videos would not have been possible without their support. The high quality of videos produced this year, is attested to the fact that each participant won at least one award this night.

The Master of Ceremonies for the evening was David O'Neill, Advertising and Public Relations graduate (class of 1989). For the past few years, David has graced the event with his humour and charm, by hosting the Greg Awards. This year was no exception, for he had the audience completely entertained as he introduced presenters and faculty.

As each group of winners approached the podium to deliver an acceptance speech, one name echoed throughout the room: Tom Harpell. Tom, has yet again, assembled a first-class group of student video producers. Without the constant work and guiding hand of this man, corporate video production at St. Lawrence College would not be what it is today.

The event organizers would like to take this opportunity to offer a few words of gratitude to those who were vital to the overall success of the Greg Awards. The St. Lawrence College Student Association were generous with their donation of money and services. A special note of thanks goes out to Pierre Spenard, who was responsible for the design and layout of the invitations, programs, and certificates awarded to the student winners. The Alumni Association aided a great deal with funds and helped with the preparation of documents necessary for the awards.

A big thanks goes out to everyone who attended the Greg Awards. Have a great year, keep in touch, and we hope to see you next year.

Prepared by:

**Tim McArthur**, Bus APR/99 - Kingston  
**Teresa McEachen**, Bus APR/99 - Kingston  
**Jocelyn Richard**, Bus, APR/99 - Kingston  
**Nicole Verkaik**, Bus APR/99 - Kingston

In keeping with the tradition of community involvement, the Advertising and Public Relations (APR) class of 1998, produced corporate videos for non-profit organizations again this year. These videos were presented at the 18<sup>th</sup> annual Greg Awards.

The students, by producing these corporate videos, were given invaluable experience in the Public Relations field. The beneficial winners of the Greg Awards are the organizations for which the videos are produced. Without the help of the APR students, these organizations would likely pay \$5,000-10,000 per video, which is not possible for many of these low budget groups.

The videos this year were created for; Big Sisters Teen Group, Kingston Area Youth Diversion Program, Kingston Hospitals Almost Home Program, Kingston Military Family Resource Centre, and the Ongwanda Best Buddies Program.



# Report on

APRIL 1, 1997 - MARCH 31, 1998

Fiscal 1997/98 has been a notable year for development initiatives at St. Lawrence College. Early in the year, the provincial government announced the extension of the Opportunity Trust Fund (OTF) Program for colleges in Ontario. Under OTF, the province agreed to match private donations given to colleges for student bursaries.

Building on the success of our 1996/97 OTF appeal, St. Lawrence focused on major gifts which resulted in an additional \$325,000 been raised for our program. Under OTF, the College has raised a total of \$590,000. When all pledges are paid in full and matched by the province, we expect to have an endowed bursary fund which approaches \$1.2 million. Each and every year, interest earned from the endowment will be used to finance more than 100 bursaries for St. Lawrence students in need. The first of these awards were presented at student awards ceremonies held last fall.

New named bursaries have been established under this initiative with the support of several generous donors. The Davies Charitable Foundation, The Chawkers Foundation, Cataraqui Rotary Club-Kingston, Kingston Frontenac Rotary Club, Brown's Fine Foods, Sodexo Marriott, Metis Nations of Ontario, Information Systems Student Council of St. Lawrence College, the Student Association, Student Administrative Council and Student Union are among our major donors this year. Each organization will have a new bursary established in their name.

A number of new student scholarships have also been established with the support of donor gifts. Program advisory committees have been the driving force for many of these awards. Students in General Arts & Science, Social Service Worker/Teaching Assistant, Correctional Worker, Business Marketing programs are expected to benefit. A number of new awards, established in the names of retiring staff are also now in place.

The College received its first gifts through an appeal which will support the new Biotechnology program at the Kingston Campus. An expenditure of \$70,000 from trust accounts allowed the College to leverage an additional \$70,000 from the federal government and \$70,000 from Ontario government under the Canada-Ontario Infrastructure Works program. Construction on new laboratory facilities for Biotech, Vet Tech and Med Lab programs in Kingston are nearing completion. The appeal continues to seek support for equipment and capital funds for this construction.

A gift in-kind from Celanese Canada is expected to benefit full time students and area employers. The new Moore equipment is now in service in the Computer Automation and Control program. Valued at more than \$30,000, the equipment will allow full time students to gain exposure to state of the art control technology. As well, employees from Celanese, and other area manufacturing firms will receive training on the new system.

For the first time in the College's history, students have been involved in an international educational exchange program. Six students spent one month in England at Sandwell College. This exchange was made possible with bursaries financed by donors to the College.

In March, the St. Lawrence College Foundation held its first official meeting. The Foundation will oversee future fund-raising initiatives, donation investments and project expenditures.

The new fiscal year, which began April 1<sup>st</sup>, also promises to be exciting, as the Foundation begins its activities. As well, an alumni appeal is planned for the fall. The need for instructional equipment continues to be critical at St. Lawrence College. Efforts to take advantage of government matching programs for capital equipment will be a priority for the year ahead.



# giving...

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR GIVING TO ST. LAWRENCE COLLEGE

Many individuals and organizations ask how they can make a gift to the College. The College's Development Office is always available to help answer any questions related to making a donation to St. Lawrence. Of course, as a registered charitable organization, St. Lawrence College issues official receipts for tax purposes.

**Gifts of cash**, paid one time or pledged over a period of time are the most common type of gifts made to St. Lawrence College. The donor can either give an unrestricted gift to be used by the College for its highest priorities or, donors can direct their gift into a variety of projects at any of the College's three campuses. A charitable receipt for tax purposes will be issued promptly.

**Gifts made "in-kind"**, are welcomed provided the College has a need for the item being donated. An official receipt for tax purposes can be issued for the fair market value of the gift in-kind if the donor also provides a third party appraisal of the value of the item being donated. Examples of gifts received this year include computer hardware and software for the video production studio in Kingston, control systems for the Computer Automation and Control program and pharmaceuticals for the Vet Tech program. The College maintains a listing of capital equipment requirements. The Development Office can assist individuals or corporations considering making a gift in-kind to St. Lawrence.

**Gifts through wills** provide donors with the opportunity to leave a legacy with the College. The establishment of a named bursary of designated room within the College helps to ensure the donor is remembered for generations to come.

**Alternative gifting opportunities** are growing in popularity. Gifts of stocks and life insurance allow donors to make a significant gift without using personal cash on hand.

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**For more information on Giving to St. Lawrence, contact the College's Development Office through the campus nearest you or call 1-800-228-4664.**

### TRUST FUND REVENUES RECEIVED APRIL 1, 1997 - MARCH 31, 1998

Gifts of cash and payments on pledges to other trust funds ..... \$ 86,811

Gifts of cash and payments on pledges to Opportunity Trust Fund ..... \$130,760

Matching Gifts received from provincial Opportunity Trust Program ..... \$223,722

Receipted gifts received in-kind ..... \$ 4,705

Non-receipted gifts received in-kind ..... \$ 37,668

**\$483,666**

### TRUST FUND EXPENDITURES APRIL 1, 1997 - MARCH 31, 1998

Opportunity Trust Bursary Endowment Fund Investments ..... \$230,000

Capital projects and capital equipment ..... \$ 76,000

Special student project initiatives ..... \$ 41,500

Student Assistance for bursaries, awards, scholarships, special projects ..... \$ 49,500

**\$398,000**



# Donors 1997/98

## INDIVIDUALS, INCLUDING ALUMNI, STAFF, FORMER STAFF, AND FRIENDS OF THE COLLEGE

(Includes donor pledges to the St. Lawrence College Opportunity Trust Fund, made prior to March 31, 1998)

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Jennifer Adams	Allan & Margaret	Gail Easton	Betsy Hotchkiss	Blayne Mackey	Robin Pepper	Pat Speyer
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**St. Lawrence College would like to acknowledge the very generous support of individuals and organizations who sponsor our ongoing student awards programs. During the past year, these award sponsors included:**

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	VWR Canlab



# Changes to 1998/99 Full-time Academic Programs

*At St. Lawrence College,  
our programs are based  
on academic quality,  
community need, and giving  
students the skills and  
opportunities to succeed.  
In our effort to redefine our  
programs according to these  
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be moved, consolidated or  
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When you suggest a  
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Recruitment Officer  
(613) 933-6080, ext. 2532

**Kingston** Admissions Office  
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Financial Aid Office  
(613) 544-5400, ext. 1287  
Recruitment Officer  
(613) 544-5400, ext. 1627/1610

**Ontario College Application Service  
(OCAS)** toll-free 1-888-892-2228

## SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

### Business Administration - Accounting **NEW**

A third year will be added to the Business - Accounting Program in Cornwall starting in Fall 1998. This program will offer students an intensive background in advanced accounting, finance, cost accounting and taxation.

### Computer Networking and Technical Support Analyst\* **NEW**

This two-year program (formerly called Business - Information Systems) will be offered at the Brockville Campus, in addition to the Kingston Campus. It will emphasize networking, operating systems and PC hardware.

(\*Name change pending Ministry approval.)

### Office Administration

Office Administration will be discontinued at both the Brockville and Cornwall campuses. Your application will be considered for the Office Administration Program at the Kingston Campus.

## SCHOOL OF HUMAN STUDIES

### Child and Youth Worker

The Child and Youth Worker Program in Kingston will not have a Fall 1998 intake. Your application will be considered for the Child and Youth Worker Program at the Brockville Campus. The program in Kingston will change format and resume in Fall 1999.

There will be a Fall 1998 intake for the Child and Youth Worker Program in Brockville; however, students will transfer to Kingston for their second year.

### Developmental Services Worker

There will be a Fall 1998 intake for the Developmental Services Worker Program in Brockville; however, students will transfer to Kingston for their second year.

### Police Foundations **NEW**

The new two-year Police Foundations Program starts at the Kingston campus in Fall 1998, providing training for a career in Police Services. There will be no intake of Police Foundations at the Brockville Campus in Fall 1998.

### Teacher Assistant

The Teacher Assistant Program will be discontinued at the Brockville Campus. Your application will be considered for the Teacher Assistant Program at the Cornwall Campus.



Let your former classmates know what you have been up to since college days!

ECHOES, the "who's where?" section of Voyageur provides the opportunity for you to inform and stay informed! Update your alumni record at the back of Voyageur and indicate that you wish to share this information with other alumni. Then watch for the next issues of Voyageur!

# Echoes Where are they now ???

## 1970

### Doucett, Robert

Computer Data Proc./70 - Kingston. Robert is working at Mitech in Napanee as a Millwright.

## 1972

### Olav H. den Ouden

Public Administration/72 - Kingston. Olav is the Director of Revenue for the City of Kitchener. He is married to Kathleen Cleary.

### Rutley, Neil D.

Marketing/72 - Cornwall. Neil has 3 children, David (16), Cynthia (13), Amanda (11). For the past 23 years he has been an Investment Planner and is also a landlord for several properties.

## 1974

### Watson, Michelle G. (Nee: Reuben)

Accounting/74 - Kingston. Michelle is the lead dispatcher for Pro Guard in Missouri. She is married to John Watson and they have two boys, Christopher (17) and Philip (13). She also has 2 dogs, 1 cat, tropical fish and 1 iguana.

## 1975

### Pulver, Cheryl Ann (Nee: Davidson)

ECE/75 - Kingston. Cheryl Ann has two sons. In January 1997 returned to Loyalist College to take the WITT program (Women in Trades and Technology). In May and June she took a half credit course at Queen's University through audio-conferencing. Most recently, she enrolled full-time at Loyalist College in Agricultural Journalism.

## 1977

### Oomen, Nancy (Nee: Merkley)

CYW/77 - Kingston. Nancy is working at the Frontenac County Board of Education as an Educational Assistant. She is married to Matthew Oomen.

### Meunier, Phil

Civil/77 - Cornwall. Phil is the sole proprietor of MECS Contracting Services in Victoria, BC.

### Winnington, Richard

Mechanical Engineering Technology/77 - Kingston. Richard has been married for twenty years, has four children, the oldest being 19 and the youngest is now 11. He has worked at Syncrude since graduating from St. Lawrence. Still heavily involved in soccer, but now has moved on to the coaching side of the game. Still proud to be a St. Lawrence graduate.

## 1980

### Hart, Tim

APR/80 - Kingston. Tim married Joanne who was a graduate of Med Lab in 1981 and they have four children. He is the Director Loss Prevention/Risk Management at Zehrs Markets, in Cambridge.

## 1982

### Hill, Vicky

HRM/82 - Kingston. Vicky is an Avon Representative and is living in Kingston.

## 1983

### Henderson, Laurel O. (Nee: Runions)

Marketing/83 - Cornwall. Laurel was married in July 1997. She worked at Kmart in Cornwall for 15 years and was transferred to Kmart, soon to be Zellers, in Scarborough.

### LeBlancq, Andrée (Nee: Jean)

HRM/83 - Kingston. Andrée's work experience in HR is within the Federal Public Service, in 2 different departments and at the field, regional and national levels. Andrée and her husband, Peter, also a graduate of the HRM program, recently became first time grandparents.

### Marlin, Scot

Business Admin./83 - Cornwall. Scot is married and living in Phoenix, Arizona. He is a General Manager for Reynolds Aluminum.

### Stoddart, Teena

Business Legal Assist./83 - Kingston. Teena is an O.P.P. Constable in Manotick and will be transferred to Ottawa, Carleton Regional Police in July, 1998.

### Turner, Alec

Accounting/83 - Kingston. Alec is the President of Roseworks Inc. and is married to Jo-Ann Howell.

## 1984

### Hare, Keith

Data Proc. & Computer Programmer/84 - Brockville. Keith is a computer operator at St. Lawrence College and just completed the first conversion of Voyageur for the College Website. Also, he maintains the "SLC Alumni on the Web" list.

### Heeney, Brian D.

Electronic Eng. Technology/84 - Kingston. Brian was hired in 1984 by Alcatel Canada to work on the Automatic Train Control equipment installed on the Vancouver Skytrain LRV type trains at UTDC (Bombardier) in Kingston. Within six months was transferred to Vancouver to assist in its installation. In 1996, had an opportunity to work for Bombardier in Kingston as a Sr. ATC Technologist. He has two great kids, Marc (14), and Sarah (11).

### Mathieson, Alan

Elect. Eng. Technology/84 - Kingston. Alan is married to Carol-Anne Tyndall. He works as a Maritime Engineer in Nova Scotia for the Department of National Defence.

### Merpaw, Dave

Mechanical Eng. Technologist/84 - Cornwall. Dave has been married to Colette for 13 years and has three children, Daniel (9), Melanie (7), Jenna (3). He works for Meridian-Richmond Division as a Process Engineer.

### Webb, Joanne (Nee: McGregor)

Legal Secretarial/84 - Kingston. Joanne is married to Randy Webb graduate of Mechanical Eng. Technology program. She works for Ontario Hydro.

### Webb, Randy

Mechanical Eng. Technology/84 - Kingston. Randy is working at Dupont Canada in Kingston.

## 1985

### Elvidge, Dean

Marketing/85 - Cornwall. Dean graduated from Lakehead University, Bachelor of Administration in Marketing 1986. He married Kathi, January 1987 and has three children, Brooke (9), Jordan (7), Laura (5). Founded "Performance Plus Windows & Doors Ltd." January 1988, marketing through a dealer network and internationally (i.e. Japan).

### McKnight, Lorna

HR/85 - Kingston and Finance/87 - Brockville. Lorna is the Manager, Financial Services at Belleville General Hospital.

## 1986

### Banks, Douglas

Fine Arts/86 - Kingston. Douglas and his wife Teresa had their first child, Ciera Emily Taylor February 28, 1998.

### Daigle, Lise Ann

Corrections/86 - Kingston. Lise Ann is currently the Office Administrator at the Locator, Canada's largest independent telephone directory. She has a son, Sean (the joy of her life) who was born November 21, 1993.

## 1986

### Workman, Teresa

Fashion Merchandising/86 - Kingston. Teresa was married in September 1994 and had a daughter in October 1996. She works for South Regional Library in Nova Scotia as a Public Relations Coordinator.

## 1987

### Haley, David H.

Electronics Engineering Technology/87 - Kingston. David retired from the Canadian Navy in August 1997 and is now a professor in the Computer Studies Department at the Kirkland Lake Campus of Northern College.



## 1988

### **Dyck, Caroline** (Nee: Stevenson)

Legal Assistant/88 - Kingston. Caroline is living in Alberta where her husband Art and her two boys are very much enjoying life. Since graduation, she has been working in the legal field as a para-legal; however, presently, she is an Administrator of a seniors retirement facility and is enjoying the challenges that this change has brought. Is there anyone from the 1988 graduating class of the Bus. Legal Assistant program out there?

### **Heximer, Dianne** (Nee: Snider)

Office Admin./88 - Kingston. Dianne moved to St. Louis, Missouri in August 1997 where her husband Scott is a Research Assistant in the Dept. of Cell Biology and Physiology at Washington University School of Medicine. She is also working at the Washington University as Secretary to the Executive Vice Chancellor for Medical Affairs.

### **Todd, Lisa** (Nee: Ryan)

Office Systems Admin./88 - Brockville. Lisa is the owner of Todd's IGA in Orangeville, Ontario.

## 1989

### **Banks, Teresa** (Nee: Thompson)

Nursing/89 - Kingston. Teresa is married to Douglas Banks who is a graduate of our Fine Arts program. They had their first child Ciera Emily Taylor February 28, 1998. She is working for a local company as an office manager.

### **Lynch, Patricia**

CYW/89 - Kingston. Patricia received her BA from Queen's University and is now an educational assistant for the Upper Canada District School Board.

### **MacDonald, Dale B.**

Finance/89 - Kingston. Dale and his wife Colleen are owner/operator of Cross Road Kennels in Elgin. They provide boarding, training and grooming of all dogs. They also breed labrador retrievers for both show and hunting.

### **Robertson, Bernie**

Marketing/89 - Brockville. Bernie received Canadian Accredited Insurance Broker Designation June 1996 and is now working on his Chartered Insurance Broker Designation. Special Thanks to Allan Jones and Greg Libitz for their encouragement and patience.

### **Vander Baaren, Tony**

Marketing/89 - Kingston. Tony has three sons and is expecting 4<sup>th</sup> child in June 1998. He is the Account Supervisor, Honda Canada, Toronto.

## 1990

### **El Mouldi Cosgrove, Myriam**

ACT/90 - Kingston. Myriam moved from Vancouver to Guelph in March 1996 to start working at the University of Guelph and to start her Bsc (Honours) in Animal Biology in September 1997.

### **Seyler, Darren**

Marine Engineering/90 - Cornwall. Darren left the Canadian Armed Forces in April 1997, and returned to home town of Edmonton for employment. He is working at Celanese Canada Inc.

## 1991

### **Bertotti, Keri** (Nee: Brooks)

Legal Assistant/91-Kingston. Keri has been married for 2½ years, and has been working at Paroian, Raphael, Courey, Cohen & Houston as a Receptionist/Bookkeeper for the past 6 years. In addition to her bookkeeping duties, she performs overflow work for various lawyers ranging from litigation to municipal law.

### **Craig, Robert** (Bob)

Elect. Eng. Technology/91 - Brockville. Bob just purchased his first home in Barrie, and is still single. He is the Design Manager for the Municipal Department at CFB Borden.

### **Gallant, Wayne**

Medical Lab. Tech./91 - Kingston. Wayne returned to P.E.I. after completing his program. He has two children, Christopher born in April 1994 and Emma born in July 1996.

### **Mekitarian, Owen G.**

Electronics Tech/91 - Cornwall. Owen is the President for MTS International in Cornwall. He is married to Kristin Whitney.

## 1992

### **England Meulenbroeks, Victoria**

Information Systems/92 - Kingston. Victoria works at Queen's University as a System Administrator for the Economic Department.

### **Morris, Margaret Bryant**

Nursing/92 - Brockville. Margaret is working at Life Care Home Health in Florida as a Registered Nurse. In December 1997, was nominated Employee of the Month and is enjoying her work.

### **Webb, John**

Human Resources/92 - Kingston. John was married in July 1995 to Karen Baddely. He has now retired and is enjoying life.

## 1993

### **Armstrong, Debbie**

CYW/93 - Kingston. Debbie is a full-time Child Youth Worker at the Children's Mental Health Residence in Belleville.

### **Belyea, Janice**

Health Care Aide/93 - Kingston. Janice married Andy Belyea in August 1996. They are currently living at CFB Kingston, as Andy is in the Air force. They are due to be posted (her first) in September 1998 to destinations unknown. Looking for Felix Garcia (Hojas) who graduated from Kingston Engineering program.

### **Cayen, Linda**

Nursing/93 - Kingston. Linda is an Occupational Health Nurse at Falconbridge Limited in Sudbury.

### **Cook, Shana Lee** (Nee: Piche)

Nursing/93 - Cornwall. Shana is a Registered Nurse in Cornwall. She has two children and is presently creating children's personalized books.

### **England, Jeff**

APR/93 - Kingston. Jeff was promoted to the position of Production Manager for The Ottawa Business Journal in the summer of 1997, and also gained the additional title of Art Director for the new publication Metro which was launched April 19, 1998.

### **Gilpin, Theresa** (Nee: Gouin)

ECE/93 - Kingston. Theresa married Chad Gilpin and they have one child Janzen born August 24, 1995. She is a receptionist at Canadian Logistics Systems.

### **Godkin-Jackson, Tracy**

Medical Lab. Tech./93 - Kingston. Tracy was married to Robert Jackson in July 1993. In 1994, received a contract with Canadian Museum of Nature-Invertebrate Zoology division. Presently, working part-time as a medical office assistant to be home with her daughter, Rachel, born 1996.

### **Jackson, Robert**

Instrumentation Eng. Technician/93 - Kingston. Robert married Tracy Godkin in July 1993 and has a daughter born October 1996. He works at Ottawa General Hospital as a Dialysis Technician.

### **Neil, Nancy L.**

Hotel Management/93 - Brockville. Nancy works at the Canadian Pacific Chateau Laurier. Recently promoted from Reception Agent to Night Manager.

## 1994

### **Kenwick, Wynn**

Computer Eng. Technology/94 - Kingston. After 13 months at HavenTree Software in verification/technical support and Head Programming Instructor for 14 months at CDI College in Kingston, he accepted a position at Nortel in Ottawa in Security Technology, Information Systems. His wife Cyndi and boys Wesley (4) and Aaron (3) still live in Kingston until their house sells.

### **LaBelle, Roger**

AMCTO/94 - Kingston. Roger is the CAO - Clerk for the Corporation of Dubreuilville.

### **Mountain, Tamara**

ECE/94 and Office Admin./96 - Kingston. Tamara is engaged to be married to Dwayne Thomas July 18, 1998. They are living in Alberta and she operates an "in home caregiver" business for children ranging in age from infancy to five years.

### **Thomson, Christine**

CYW/94 - Brockville. Christine is married to Darren and they had their first baby boy, Denver, born July 19, 1997. She is a family support worker for Family & Children's Services in Brockville.

### **Thomson, Darren M.**

Instrumentation Eng. Technology/94 - Kingston. Darren has just accepted a promotion and has moved to Calgary after having worked three years in the Vancouver office for Davis Controls.

### **Tishchart, Jamie**

Business Technology/84 - Brockville. After graduating from SLC, he worked a couple of odd jobs in Brockville, then packed up and moved to Ottawa. He got a job in Digital's warehouse, then was offered the position of Quality Assurance Specialist at Corel Corporation. After 3 years accepted a position as Automated Test Designer at Newbridge Networks. He has been there for 5 months and loves it.



**1995**

**Adrain, Victoria** (Nee: Kirkham)  
ECE/95 - Kingston. Victoria married Brad Adrain April 12, 1997 and Hannah was born January 7, 1998. She works at Westport Creative Child as a Toddler/Preschool Teacher.

**Anderson, Martin G. D.**

Hotel Restaurant Management/95 - Brockville. Martin is to be married August 7, 1999 to Danielle Pridham a recent grad of the Travel & Tourism Program at Sheridan College.

**Falle, Jeremy James**

Law & Security/95 - Cornwall. Jeremy works for Loomis Armored Car as an Armed Security Guard.

**Hird, Alison**

SSW/95 - Cornwall. Alison is the Before & After School Program Supervisor/PT Student at the YMCA of Hamilton & Burlington.

**Jones-Moar, Darlene A.**

Office Admin/95 - Kingston. Darlene works at NCIC Clinical Trials Group at Queen's University as a Receptionist/Secretary.

**LaFrance, Tammy Therese**

BST/95 - Kingston. Tammy is a Behavioural Science Technician at Para Med and also a Correctional Worker Officer.

**McKenzie, Julie A.**

Nursing/95 - Kingston. Julie is currently enrolled in the Post-RN BscN program at Ottawa U with an estimated graduation date of April 1999, with the hopes of continuing her education in the Nurse Practitioner program or the MBA degree program in the fall of 1999. Currently, she is working for ParaMed Health Services and Bradson Health Services.

**Peters, Edward W.**

Municipal Administration/95 - Kingston. Edward received a diploma from CDI College in Computerized Accounting. He has his own accounting business (part-time) in Napanee.

**Voloudakis-Plausini, Kalliopi**

Addictions Counselling/95 - Kingston. Kalliopi was married Valentines Day 1996 in Hamilton, daughter, Natalie was born May 28, 1996, new home August 1, 1997 and son, Zachary born February 6, 1998. Kalliopi also finds time to volunteer for the Red Cross and is active in a new business called Premier Aide - Health & Safety Consultants.

**1996****Austin, Katrine Marie**

Vet. Tech/96 - Kingston. Katrine has been with the same company for 1½ years, and previously worked in Mississauga with the sister clinic. The hospital she is currently working in opened May 1997 and is doing well. She is single, no children.

**Day, Tammy**

Office Admin. - Medical/96 - Kingston. Tammy is the Medical Receptionist at Country Roads Community Health Centre.

**Dunnington, Allan Paul**

EET/96 - Kingston. Allan was married on September 27, 1997 to Stacy. He started two new businesses, Riverview Electronics Repair (repairs TVs, VCRs) and Dunnington Exteriors (install windows, siding, doors).

**Howalchuk, Jeremy J.**

Marketing/96 - Kingston. Jeremy is the Administrative Manager for Electronics Boutique #821 in London.

**McHattie, Andrea**

Marketing/96 - Kingston. Andrea is the Marketing Coordinator for Phase 2 Clothing Inc.

**Ruigrok, Peter**

Marketing/96 - Brockville. Peter is the Assistant Manager at Zellers in Ottawa and he is still single.

**1997****Aiken, Polly**

Legal Office Admin./97 - Kingston. Polly married Tom Rutledge.

**Belanger, Daniele**

Social Work/97 - Cornwall. Presently enrolled at Carleton University in Ottawa to obtain her BA in Social Work. Also, employed through the Community Integration in Cornwall.

**Bonham, Lorelei**

Legal & Medical Office Admin./97 - Kingston. Lorelei is the Office Manager for Park Thermal in Georgetown. She is married to Paul who was also a graduate of SLC.

**Bonham, Paul**

Computer Eng. Technology/97 - Kingston. Paul is the Customer Service Specialist at Nortel in Brampton and married to Lorelei.

**Burnside, Nancy**

Marketing/Accounting/GAS/97 - Brockville. Since graduation Nancy has had a successful knee surgery and is currently running a home-based marketing/advertising business.

**Dunnington, Stacy Lee Ann (Nee: Lyons)**

DSW/97 - Brockville. Stacy was married September 27, 1997 to Allan Dunnington. She runs a home daycare and works part-time as a Community Support Worker with a child with disabilities.

**Gilker, Joseph**

Computerized Automation and Control Tech/97 - Kingston. Joseph is the IT Manager/Electronic Publisher for the Army Publishing Office in Kingston.

**Hamer, Valerie Lynne**

BST/97 - Kingston. Valerie is getting married August 22, 1999. She is working as a Child and Youth Worker at Arden Court Children's Residence.

**Lakins, Kari**

Marketing/97 - Kingston. Kari works at Dupont Canada, Kingston as a Production Worker.

**Leduc, Christopher**

Nursing/97 - Cornwall. Chris is now living and working in Amarillo, Texas as an R.N. at Baptist Hospital, a 400 bed facility. He is among several Canadian R.N. friends and found it quite easy to settle into a community with such southern hospitality.

**McGuire, Stephanie L.**

CYW/97 - Brockville. Stephanie is not working presently because of a car accident.

**Reddick, Jennifer**

Legal Office Admin./97 - Kingston. Jennifer recently got engaged and purchased a home in the country. She is actively seeking a job in her field.

**Sheppard, Carol Michelle**

Vet. Tech./97 - Kingston. Carol is now attending Mercy College in Dobbs Ferry, NY. Also doing internship at Bronx Zoo.

**Titley, France**

Social Service Worker/97 - Cornwall. France is still looking for full-time employment in the field. Presently working part-time as a Residential Counsellor at Glengarry Association for Community Living.

**Van Polen, Anita**

BST/97 - Kingston. Anita was married November 1997 and is a Special Needs Worker for a private family.

**Viola, Alicia**

CYW/97 - Kingston. Alicia is working in Bolton as a Caregiver for two children, 9½ months and 2½ years old.

**Warren-Scally, Lesley Kristina**

Legal Assistant/97 - Kingston. Lesley is working as a Legal Assistant for C.L. Rotar, Barrister & Solicitor in Elgin.

**Whalen, Cherie**

CYW/97 - Kingston. Cherie was married September 13, 1997 and is expecting twins on June 18, 1998.

**Wolf, Richard**

Civil Eng. Technology/97 - Kingston. Richard is the Restoration Technician/Team Leader at Benchmark Restoration Inc.

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