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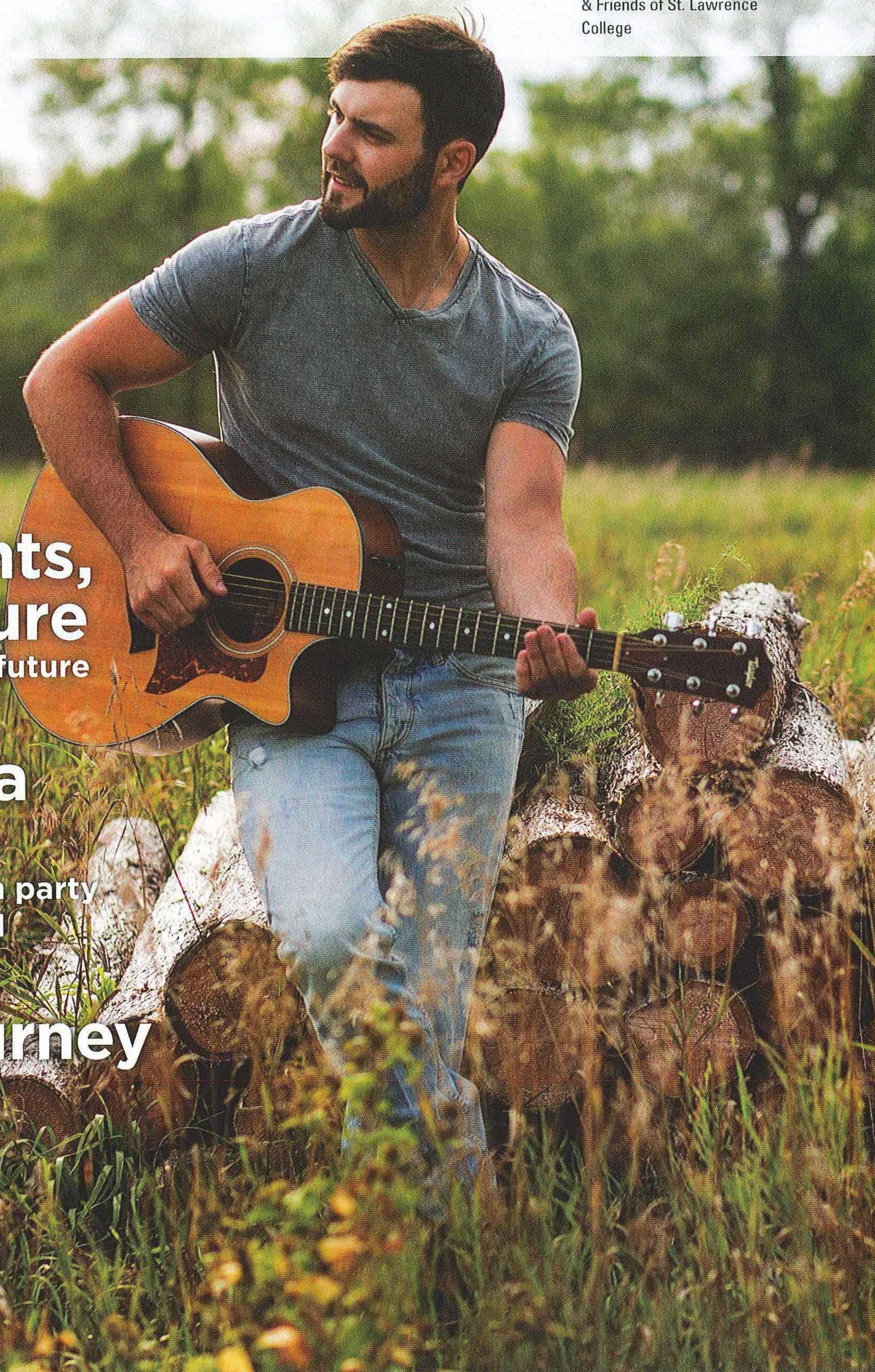
Kyle Dunn's Nashville future

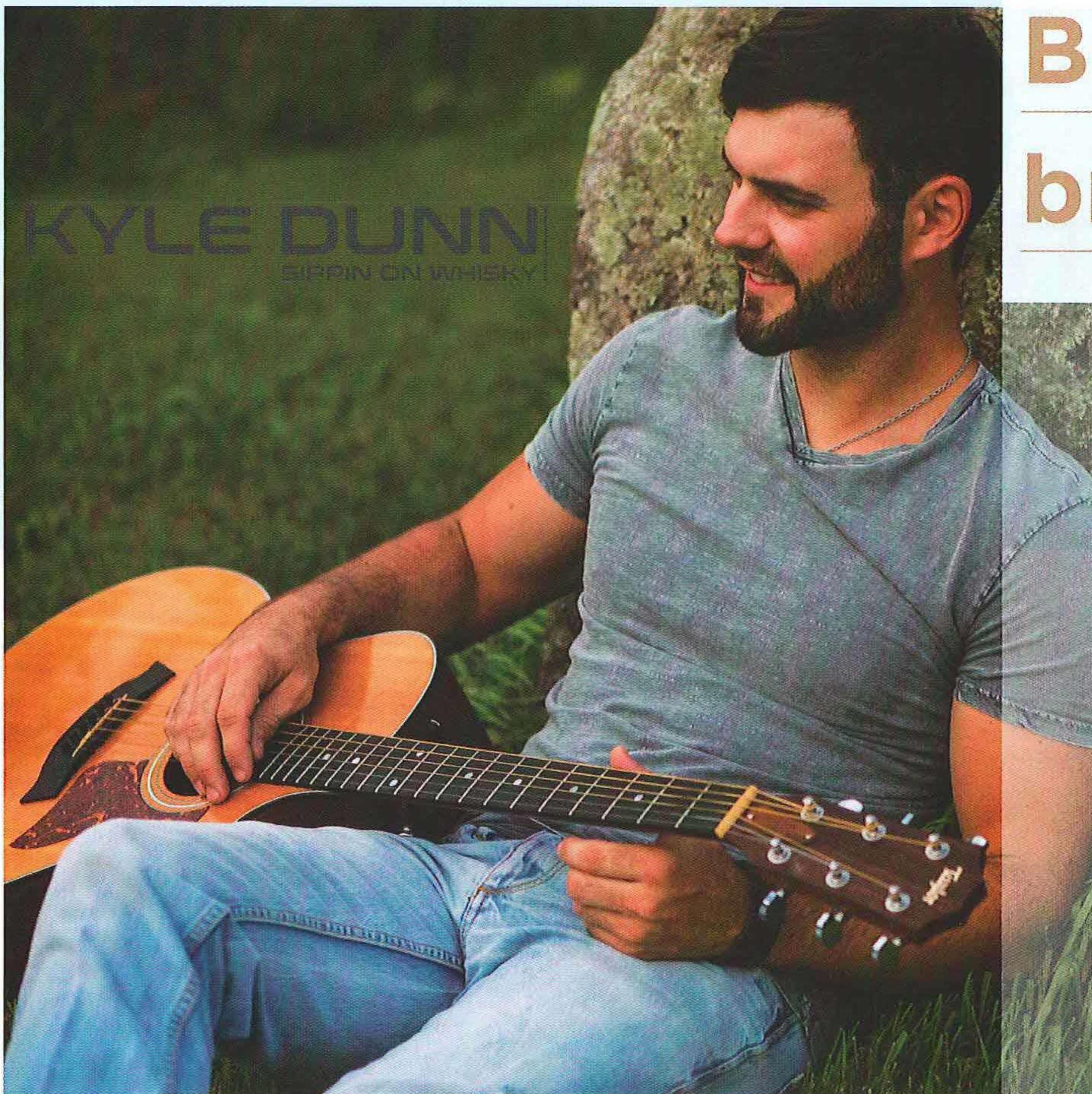
Ready for a Reunion?

We're throwing a 50th party
and everyone's invited

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Dual SLC Grad Kyle Dunn Sees His Name in City Lights

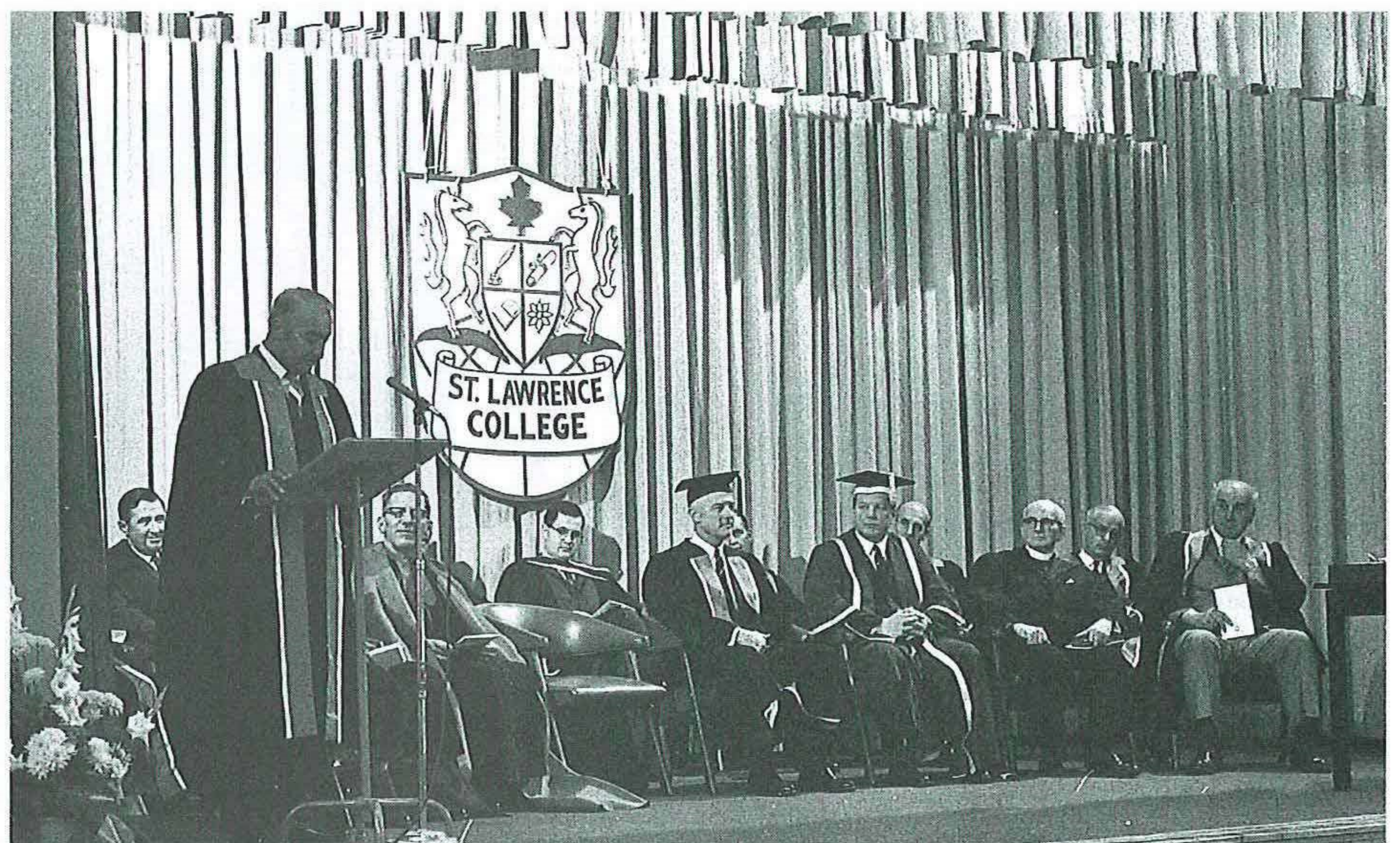
Kyle Dunn is a born entertainer who commands the stage. The singer, songwriter, musician & Nashville recording artist hails from Kingston, and when he's not on stage, he's working in his field. In fact, you could say that Carpentry (2011) and Industrial Mechanical Engineering (2010) grad is always building something – whether it's a home or a musical career.

Kyle released his first EP in summer of 2015, entitled City Lights while still maintaining the trades and engineering skills he achieved as a dual SLC grad. His bandmates are grads too, so any performance – like the ones they've booked for the upcoming SLC Alumni Days this summer - is like a reunion.

READ MORE ABOUT KYLE AND LISTEN TO A SONG AT
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Turning 50 is a great big deal, and we're looking for your help in finding our pioneering graduates. We're planning a special Convocation ceremony on each campus to recognize our first graduating classes (Cornwall & Kingston in 1969 and Brockville in 1972), but we need your help to find these 'lost grads'.

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Golden Grads: Seeking the 'lost alumni' from the Classes of 1969 and 1972

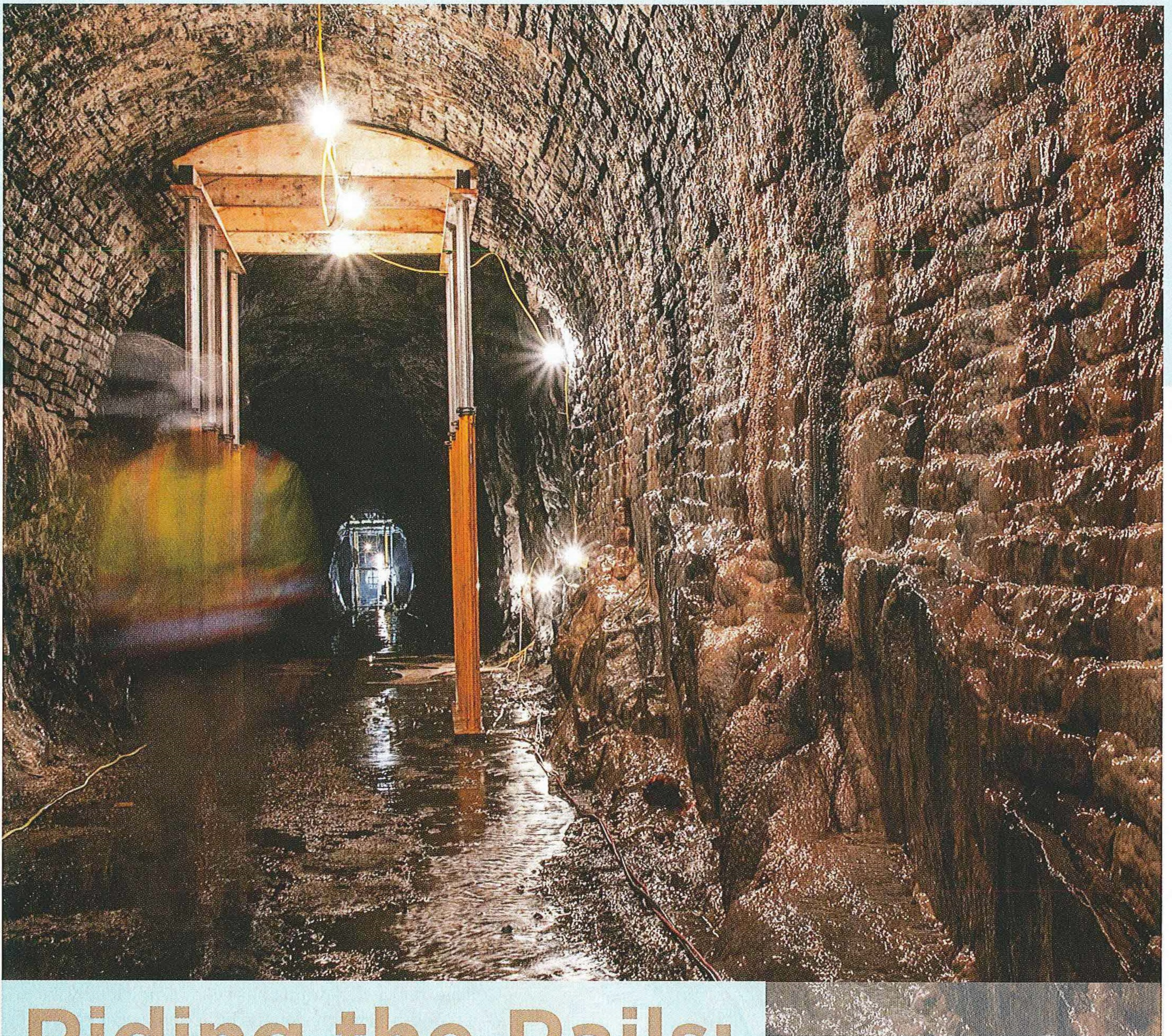


Photo Credit: Keith Hare

Riding the Rails:

Alumni shine a light on railway history

Brockville is home to Canada's First Railway Tunnel and with the country poised to celebrate 150 years, the City of Brockville is working toward the restoration of the 1860 Railway Tunnel. Leading the charge are two of our Alumni: David LeSueur, Brockville Councillor and Committee Chair and Keith Hare.

LeSueur, an Historical Restoration Techniques grad who works as a systems analyst, and Hare, a Business Data Processing grad who works in IT at the College, may have day jobs in the digital age, but their hearts are in restoring this remarkable piece of our pre-industrial past.

**FIND OUT MORE ABOUT THE PLANS TO RE-OPEN THE
TUNNEL THIS SUMMER AT voyageur.slcalumni.ca**

What You're Missing

Look who's 50!

SLC is celebrating its 50th anniversary this year and we're throwing a party for you! It's a full day of activities - including an Alumni Family Picnic & BBQ, and ending with an outdoor pub and concert. And it's all free!

SAVE THE DATES AND LEARN MORE AT
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Saturday, June 24, 2017 Kingston Campus
Saturday July 8, Cornwall Campus
Saturday July 15, Brockville Campus



Getting together 'the old gang' is easier than ever

Uncommon Generosity

SLC Receives Largest Donation in our history

Britton Smith is no stranger to philanthropy. In fact, the Britton Smith Foundation has been a large and generous supporter of our public institutions – such as our hospitals, Queen's University, and his alma mater, Royal Military College.

But it wasn't until he sat down to think about just how many SLC grads contribute to the life of the city he loves, that St. Lawrence College made it to his list of worthy recipients – and he became the lead donor to the College's largest fundraising campaign to date.

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The St. Lawrence College Alumni & Development Office is launching a new program for its growing alumni base. Throughout the history of St. Lawrence College, reunion planning has been completed by a few eager alumni who take on the bulk of the event planning work themselves for the rest of their classmates to enjoy.

With the college approaching its 50th Anniversary in 2017, a new Alumni Reunion Program was launched in January to encourage and support reunion event planning. We've partnered with local accommodation partners and other providers, and of course, we'll help!

**FIND OUT ABOUT THE REUNION IN A BOX
PROGRAM AT** voyageur.slcalumni.ca





Photo Credit: Bernard Clark

First Responders: The Unsung Heroes

Catching up with our grads in uniform

by Kris Ward



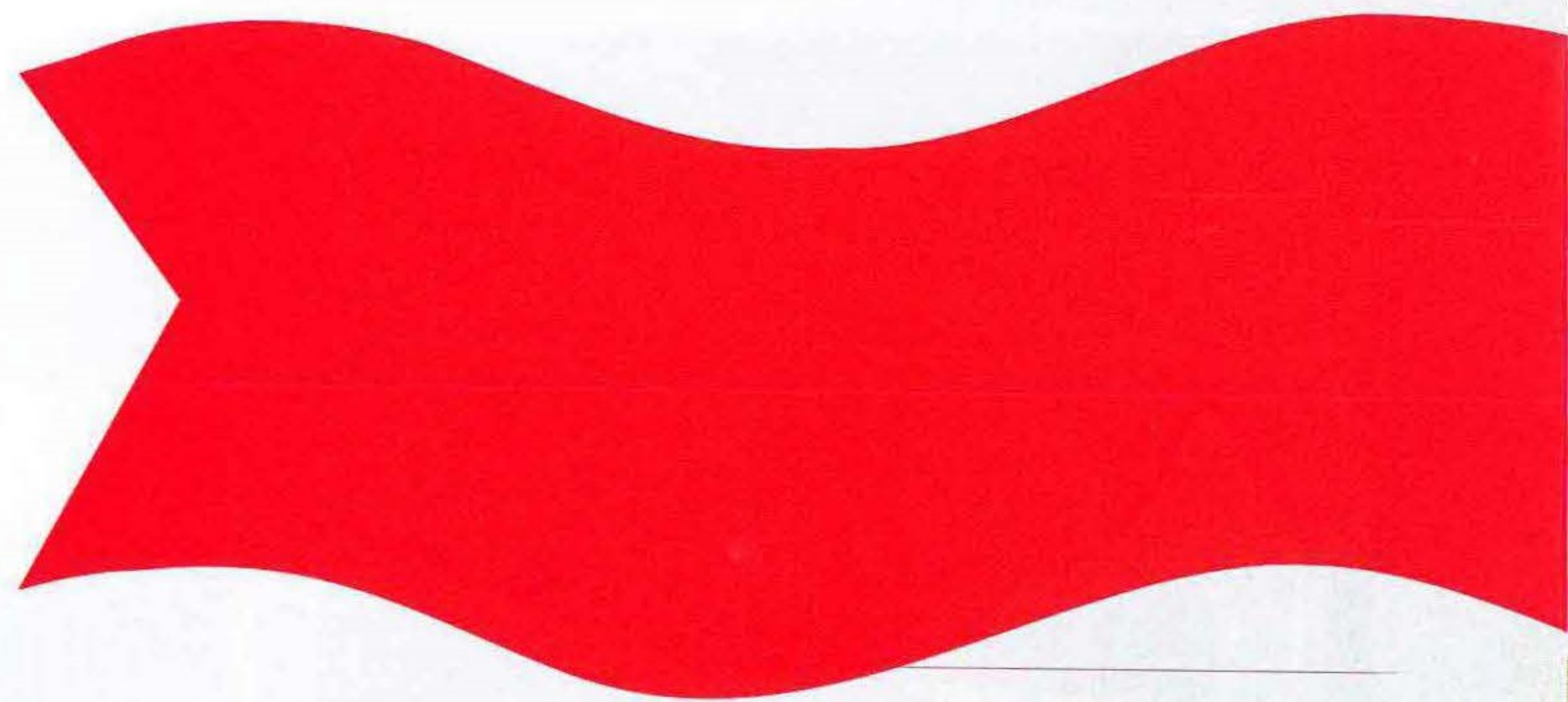
If you undertake a career as a first responder, you know that holidays and birthdays may not be celebrated on the actual day and that date nights and family outings could be delayed if an emergency arises or you're called in to lend a hand. This is the life of a police officer, a firefighter and a paramedic, but the sacrifices are worth the rewards. They don't do it for the glory or acknowledgement, they shy away from accolades or special recognition. It is part of their day to day and is ingrained in their DNA.

With the Paramedic program offered in Cornwall, the Pre-Service Fire Education and Training program in Brockville and Police Foundations offered across our three campuses, we wanted to shed some light on these incredible individuals who put themselves on the line to be the first responders.

Read more about the memorable moments in the work of Constable Sherrie Edmunds (Police Foundations 2011) of the Kingston Police Force, Joshua Massimo (Pre-Service Firefighter 2008) of the Brockville Fire Department and James Doherty (Paramedic 2005) of the SD&G Emergency Services.

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JOIN US FOR ALUMNI DAYS ON EACH CAMPUS THIS SUMMER.

Visit your old haunts, bring your kids (or grandkids) and gather the old gang to renew old friendships.

Alumni Family Picnic & BBQ featuring:

- ▶ Inflatable midway for the young and young-at-heart
- ▶ Free BBQ
- ▶ 50th photo booth
- ▶ "Bring your Thing" Pop up Museum of SLC memorabilia
- ▶ Campus self tours
- ▶ Special gift for our SLC Sweethearts
- ▶ And more to come . . .

Outdoor Pub & Concert featuring:

- ▶ Nashville recording artist Kyle Dunn (Mech Engineering 2010)
- ▶ 102.1 Edge Next Big Thing winners JJ and the Pillars (featuring JJ Thompson – Music Theatre 2011)
- ▶ Sing it! Bring it! A fun Karaoke of the songs of your grad years!

Why not organize a reunion to meet up at Alumni Day?

We can help! Find out more at

www.stlawrencecollege.ca/alumnireunion

www.slcalumni.ca REGISTER TODAY!

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