MAY HIGHLIGHTS

Educator &
KC Golden Grad
Dr. Mable Carey '60
Donates $50,000 to Alma Mater

Dr. Carey shared her story at the Golden Grad's banquet just prior to presenting a check for $50,000 representing $1000 for each year since graduating from KC.

"My mother loved KC," she said. "She took me to Knoxville

President's Update

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Dr. Horace A. Judson

Greetings KC Bulldog Nation and Friends,

The school year ended well with seven seniors and three golden graduates marching proudly across the stage of Colston Performing Arts Center to receive their diplomas. Dr. Ingrid Sanders Jones, honorary alumnus
College in January although my classmates started college in the fall."

Dr. Carey was an outstanding student, graduated in 3 1/2 years and marched with her classmates. After graduating from KC, she attended Indiana University where she earned a Doctorate of Education. Dr. Carey dedicated her life to educating young people.

Dr. Carey presents $50,000 check to Interim President Judson at Golden Grads' banquet. During convocation, Dr. Judson asked Dr. Carey to stand before an audience of over 200 to be recognized for her leadership gift to the College.

KC Alumnus honors $100,000 pledge with sixth $10,000 donation to KC

of Knoxville College, delivered a challenging message to our graduates and encouraged the Knoxville College family to remain steadfast in our efforts to revitalize this historic institution. Dr. Jones' father (deceased) and mother, a former Miss Knoxville College were both KC graduates of 1936. This was a special day for Dr. Jones and Knoxville College. To honor Dr. Jones with an honorary doctorate is to honor the College. We extend our thanks to George Curry and the Knoxville College Board of Trustees for their foresight in officially bringing Dr. Ingrid Jones into the Knoxville College Family. Also, a special thanks goes to the dedicated staff of Knoxville College for their hard work in organizing a meaningful weekend of Convocation activities. Our graduates, families and friends appeared to have had an enjoyable commencement weekend.

My travels to meet and fellowship with KC graduates continues to be a very productive use of time. Alumni have graciously received my abridged "State of the College" speech and were given an opportunity to ask questions. Our exchanges have been beneficial in enhancing understanding and strengthening hope and belief in the College's future.

Homecoming 2010 is being planned with KCeans uppermost in mind. We hope to bring record numbers of alumni, family and friends back home to celebrate the College's 135th Anniversary, to honor the College's noble mission of educating thousands of students through excellence in teaching, scholarship and service. Our theme: The Renaissance of Knoxville College signals a new beginning for the College and our firm commitment to position KC for the 21st century. We call on alumni, Knoxville neighbors and surrounding communities to support the Renaissance campaign.
KC Board Trustee, Anthony Lewis ’62, makes sixth payment toward his $100,000 pledge in Philadelphia at the May 14 Chapter gathering. The College greatly appreciates Tony’s long-term commitment and dedication to Knoxville College.

Since February 2010, Alumni have donated a little more than $106,000 to the College. We thank you for your generosity. We continue to count on alums to honor your pledges and we ask those who have neither made a pledge nor sent a donation to join our efforts and donate today. A Donor Honor Roll will be published in the June eNewsletter and posted on the College's website. There is still time to add your name to the growing list of supporters.

Lastly, with regret, I report that Dr. Johnny Cannon has tendered his resignation as volunteer Chief Operating Officer of Knoxville College. The Knoxville College family extends a heartfelt thanks to Dr. Cannon for his valuable support of the College over the past four years. His loyalty to Dr. Robert Harvey and dedication to the College are greatly appreciated and helped to sustain KC during a most challenging time in the College’s history.

Horace A. Judson
Horace A. Judson, Ph.D.
Interim President

MAY TRAVELS

Friday, May 14
Philadelphia, NJ, DE Alumni Chapter

Rev. Dr. James Reese, Chairman of KC Board of Trustees
Chapter President: Frank Williams '81
Hosts: Tony Lewis '62 and Honorary Members, Sam Lewis, Sr. and Sam Lewis, Sr.

Sunday, May 16
New York Alumni Chapter

Chapter President, Ted Davis '74
Hosts: Mr. Anthony & Henrietta Blackburn '59, Roosevelt, NY
Not Pictured: Roderick Wilson '74, Mrs. Lois Olden '54 & Mr. Olden

Friday, May 20
Greater Jacksonville, FL Alumni

Host: Efferem Williams '92
Attendees: Perselphonie Coleman '69, Carol Ballou '74 & guests
Place: University Club, 27th Floor, Jacksonville, FL

and Dr. Horace Judson, Interim President, shown hooding Ingrid Saunders Jones after conferring an Honorary Degree of Humane Letters.

Dr. Ingrid Saunders Jones dubbed Knoxville College's seven 2010 graduating seniors "The Mighty Six Plus One" since one student was absent during her keynote address Saturday, May 8, 2010. She encouraged the graduates to overcome their fears: "Even though it is natural to be afraid," she encouraged the graduates to "be fearless in pursuit of your future endeavors." She announced that a gift awaited each graduate along with her personal email address. "Just add Knoxville College in the subject line and you will hear from me," she told the graduates. Dr. Saunders Jones emphasized the importance of distinguished KC graduates providing examples which included: Vernon Jarrett, former Journalist of the Chicago Tribune; Joseph Lowery, former President of SCLC; Dr. Edith I. Jones, (Internal Medicine) and first Black woman President of American Medical Association and several others.

Dr. Ingrid Saunders Jones, the daughter of two KC graduates ('36), knows KC's culture and has always felt part of the KC Family. "I am who I am because of Knoxville College", she said. "Had my parents not gone to KC, I would not be here." Her address was received by family and friends of KC with great warmth and appreciation. Dr. Jones is a Corporate Executive who cares deeply about education. She is Vice President for the Global Division of Coca-Cola Corporation and Corporate Director of the Coca-Cola Foundation, Atlanta, GA.
Saturday, May 29, 2010  
(Confirmed)  
Cleveland, OH Alumni Chapter  
Place:  Kappa House  
12450 Shaker Blvd.  
Cleveland, OH 44120  
(216) 283-5840  
Host:  Rayshawn Lowe & KC Staff  
Time:  9:30 a.m. - Noon  
R.S.V.P. - Rayshawn Lowe  
rayfall90@msn.com

2010 KC Graduates with Interim President Horace Judson and Dr. Ingrid Saunders Jones:  
Gemelli Bricano  (Summa Cum Laude) - New York;  
David Green - Augusta;  
Chester Hurlston - Grand Cayman Islands;  
LaDreama McClellan-Knoxville;  
Yaquub Darboe - Gambia Africa;  
Tivaar Quant-Bahamas;  and  
Bernard Jackson - Detroit.

Saturday, June 19, 2001  
(Confirmed)  
Cincinnati, OH Alumni Chapter  
Time:  1:00 p.m.  
Place:  Six Acres Bed & Breakfast  
5350 Hamilton Ave.  
(College Hill)  
Cincinnati, OH  45224  
President: Clarence Frazier  
Contact:  (513) 681-1838

2010 Golden Grads, Class of 1960 Return Home to KC  
A commencement would not be the same without the Golden Grads.  During Commencement ceremony, Ann Vinson Love '60 passed the Torch to David Green, 2010 KC Class Representative.

Summary of Chapter donations since February 2010:

- Philly/DE/NJ Chapter - $15,100  
- Baltimore/DC/VA Chapter - $11,450  

SAVE THE DATE
Chicago, IL Chapter - $9,750
Knoxville Chapter - $8,976
Nashville Chapter - $2600
New York Chapter - $2,250
Florida Alumni/Chapter - $2100
Texas Alumni - $2010
Atlanta Chapter - $1540
Chattanooga Chapter - $1000

Total Alumni Giving since February 2010 - $106,021

"All donations regardless of size are greatly appreciated. Thank you!" ... Horace A. Judson

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW!! NEW !! NEW !!!

CALLING ALL KC BULLDOG GOLFERS & FRIENDS!

The Iota Alpha Chapter of Omega Psi Phi will co-sponsor with Knoxville College a Golf Outing to benefit Knoxville College on Friday, October 15, 2010.

REMINDER: Make reservations for the inaugural R.H. Harvey Alumni Hall of Fame on or before September 15 to reserve Tables of 10. Contact any committee member, Vernell Gray (524-6694), Jim Burnett (524-6512) or Mary Termon at (850) 524-6511.

ADs to congratulation inductees in the souvenir program booklet should reach the committee on or before August 31. AD prices can be found at the link below. Make checks or money orders payable to Knoxville College (in memo write AHOF) and mail to: Knoxville College, 901 Knoxville College Drive Knoxville, TN 37921. Candidates-select for induction will be announced in the June 2010 eNewsletter.

Interim President Dr. Horace Judson Participates in HBCU Symposium
The Golf Tournament format will be: 2 Man (Captain's Choice), Shot-Gun start 9:00 a.m. at Wee Course @ Williams Creek Golf. The Omegas and KC encourage all golfers to register by October 4, 2010 to guarantee a spot for you and/or your team (first 72 golfers). KCeans should contact Sarah Marshall at sarahm827@sbcglobal.net or Frank Robinson, KC Board Member at mfrobinson37922@aol.com.

This event is spear-headed by TN Rep. of the House, Joe Armstrong (D-District #15), to include KC and co-hosted by Interim President Judson and KC Board member, Frank Robinson. Join us for a morning of fellowship with KC Family and Friends of the College! (Click link below to view fliers)

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(2) Golf_Ad2.1.doc

Interim President Horace A. Judson will preside over the session on "Community Engagement" at the HBCU Symposium sponsored by North Carolina Central University on Saturday, June 4, 2010. The full agenda and list of participants can be found at link below.

http://web.nccu.edu/hbcu-conference/schedule.html

Don't forget to donate to KC today! Bulldog_Annual_Fund_Donor_Form2010.5.pdf

MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND
A Legacy of Academic Excellence Fundraiser
A Special Tribute to
Dr. Robert H. Harvey

**Saturday, October 16, 2010**

Knoxville Convention Center; Admission ~ TBA
Proceeds will benefit KC and establish the

**Dr. Robert H. Harvey Scholarship Fund**

This event is sponsored by KCNAA
For more details, contact Ardia W. Cunningham, KCNAA VP Fundraising

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**Pilot Gas Station Repurchase**

The deadline is approaching to repurchase the station on behalf of Knoxville College
Those interested in investing should contact Evit Smith at (770) 981-0000 or Ardia Cunningham at (901) 345-727; To participate, the minimum required is $10,000.

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