

## PRESIDENT'S NOTE

## Homecoming is just around the corner



Mark your calendar! Homecoming is Friday and Saturday, October 4 and 5, 2002. The Homecoming Committee and

Alumni Association Events Committee have put together a great schedule.

Come to the University Center on Friday and sign in at our reception table in the bookstore rotunda. You can pick up a schedule of all Homecoming activities and leave messages for your friends on our alumni note board. Plus, we'll have information for you regarding your Alumni Association and how to become a member.

Friday night, don't miss the traditional Homecoming parade on Third Street, where you'll see the ren-

ovated Alumni float. My thanks to **Dick Peura '69 BA, Dan Trotochaud '68 BS, John Dahlke '62 BS, Carl Mayer '59 BS, '62 MA, and Paul Wainio '65 BS, '70 MAE,** who volunteered their time and talent to give this float a new look.

After the parade, attend the alumni awards ceremony at the University Center, where we will be recognizing individuals with distinguished alumni, outstanding young alumni, and alumni service awards. Following the ceremony, meet up with friends at an alumni and friends reception in the Peter White Lounge featuring live music.

Saturday morning put on your green and gold to attend the Alumni Association/Golden Wildcat Club member appreciation tailgate reception at the Superior Dome beginning at 11:30 a.m. Members of either organization attend for free. If you're looking for some new green and gold

attire, check our merchandise brochure insert in this issue of *Horizons*. You'll be set for the Homecoming football game.

The Fifth Quarter reception will be held at the Holiday Inn with hors d'oeuvres and a DJ immediately following the football game.

A special note for the class of 1962: If you would like an informal get-together during Homecoming, contact me. I'll be happy to help you coordinate that event.

Check out more Homecoming details on the Alumni Association Web site at [www.nmu.edu/alumni](http://www.nmu.edu/alumni). If you have any questions about or suggestions for this year's festivities, give the Alumni office a call toll free at 1-877-GRAD-NMU (472-3668), or contact me at [susijo@up.net](mailto:susijo@up.net) or at 906-339-2367. I'm looking forward to seeing all of you in just a few months.

—SUSI DAHLKE '63 BS

## NMU Alumni Association Calendar of Events

### May 31, June 1, 2002

Alumni Association Board of Directors Meeting

### June 28-29, 2002

Chemistry Alumni Reunion - On Campus

### July 5-6, 2002

Women's Swimming and Diving Reunion - On Campus

### August 1, 2002

Michigamme Pasty Picnic

### August 25, 2002

Student Welcome Rally - Berry Events Center

### September 13-14, 2002

Delta Chi Reunion - On Campus

### September 21-22, 2002

Sports Hall of Fame Weekend

### October 4-5, 2002

Homecoming  
Alumni Association Board of Directors Meeting  
Alumni Awards Ceremony

Questions about these events? Contact the NMU Alumni Association toll free at 1-877-GRAD-NMU or [alumni@nmu.edu](mailto:alumni@nmu.edu) or check out the Alumni calendar online at [www.nmu.edu/calendar.htm](http://www.nmu.edu/calendar.htm).

## LOST ALUMNI



Where in the world are these alumni? Can you help us locate the following people?

**Patricia Rae Allen '69 BS, '71 MAE**

**Ivan G. Landau '78 AS**  
**Richard C. Sundstrom '84 MA**  
**Michelle T. Boissonneau '85 MAE**  
**Diane M. (Maki) Kytta '86 BSN**  
**Melissa L. Rosbacka '89 BS**  
**Danielle M. Harvieux '93 BA**  
**Chad M. Rowley '94 BS**  
**Jayne L. Schricker '94 BS**  
**Judith A. Kovala '96 MSN**  
**Chad M. Davis '97 BFA**  
**Tony E. Korpi '97 BFA**  
**Tricia M. Stennes '97 BS**  
**Paul J. Werner '97 BS**  
**Jesse Whipkey '98 BS**  
**Melissa K. Meldrum '00 BS**  
**Jeremy F. Nelc '01 BS**

If you can help us, please drop us a note at [alumni@nmu.edu](mailto:alumni@nmu.edu) or call us toll free at 1-877-GRAD NMU.

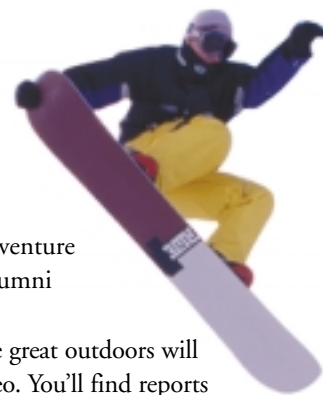
## LIFETIME MEMBERS

We would like to thank the following alumni who have recently joined as lifetime members of the NMU Alumni Association. We appreciate your support.

**John '75 BS and Blanche Shibley '87 MAE**  
**Thomas '54 BS and Mary (Goodney) Knauss '53 BS, '70 MAE**  
**Kurt Lahtinen '95 BS**  
**Lloyd Houle '93 BS**  
**Tina M. Sehl '95 BS**

Want to learn more about the benefits of being a lifetime member? Visit us on the Web at [www.nmu.edu/alumni](http://www.nmu.edu/alumni), e-mail us at [alumni@nmu.edu](mailto:alumni@nmu.edu), or call us at 1-877-GRAD-NMU.

# Adventure Marquette



Do you like the outdoors? Then you'll love Adventure Marquette, the latest addition to the NMU Alumni Association home page.

Subscribe to Adventure Marquette, and the great outdoors will be delivered to your desktop in streamlined video. You'll find reports on snowmobile trail conditions, highlights from Marquette County outdoor events, and much more. Signing up is free. Simply enter your e-mail address and Internet connection speed and away you go.

Whether you're a skier, cyclist, or hiker, Adventure Marquette will whet your appetite for Upper Michigan's great outdoors. Visit Adventure Marquette at [www.nmu.edu/alumni](http://www.nmu.edu/alumni), and plan your next adventure to Marquette!

## U.P. State Fair

Northern will be at the Upper Peninsula State Fair on August 13-18 in Escanaba. Stop by the NMU booth and chat with current students, faculty, and staff members. While you're there, you can update your alumni file information, provide *Horizons* with notes for Keeping Track, leave messages for other alumni that will be passed along by the Alumni office, and sign up for our daily prize drawings. If you can't make it to the fair, check out the live Web cam photos at [www.nmu.edu](http://www.nmu.edu). You never know what old friends you might see.

## Get your lab drawer here

NMU's chemistry department is challenging alumni to create a legacy of proof that you came, you tested, you discovered, and conquered your NMU chemistry lab experience.

The department is sponsoring a fundraiser where alumni can "buy" a laboratory drawer for a gift of \$100 or more. The donor's name will be engraved on a brass tab that will be attached to a lab drawer in the new Seaborg Science Complex. Donations will go into an equipment fund that will help replace basic lab equipment.

The Seaborg Science Complex, which was dedicated last October, currently has laboratories that rank as some of the best in the nation for a comprehensive university, according to Eugene Wickenheiser, head of the chemistry department.

"We want to see the labs remain at the level they are today," he said. "Costs for lab equipment continue to escalate at an amazing pace."

To contribute, contact the Development Office at 906-227-2627 or [devfund@nmu.edu](mailto:devfund@nmu.edu) or online at [www.nmu.edu/development](http://www.nmu.edu/development).