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PRESIDENT'S CORNER

George E. Tabb, Jr. ('72 and '74)

It has been an eventful few months since I became President of the Association. Two Executive Committee members, Gary Miller and Tony Scardina, have rotated off the Executive Committee. Gary not only served on the Executive Committee but also served as co-editor of the newsletter and as vice president of the organization. He decided that it was time for him to turn over the reigns to someone else. Gary did an absolutely great job during his tenure and all the Executive Committee members were quite sad to see him resign. Thanks, Gary for doing a stellar job. Both Gary and Tony have had a great impact on the Alumni Association and the Division of Forestry and Natural Resources. I thank both of them so much for their service.

Two new Executive Committee members are Gannon Boone ('14) and Shawn Grushecky('93, '95, and '11). Gannon works for Bartlett Tree Experts and Shawn is Program Coordinator and Assistant Professor of Energy Land Management at the WVU Division of Forestry and Natural Resources. Rob Barricelli will take on the role of co-editor position for the newsletter. Rob is the Recruiter within the WVU Division of Forestry and Natural Resources.

Another change on the Executive Committee is that Tom Armstrong ('75) has agreed to serve as our Vice President for the next three years. Along with these changes on the Executive Committee are opportunities to make our organization stronger and more vibrant.

One of the opportunities we must address over the next few months is building a more sustainable fundraising program to better support our newsletter and several other items our Association undertakes on an annual basis. This effort is separate from our annual request for funding to support student scholarships. Members with ideas for additional fundraising campaigns should contact me.

The next Alumni Weekend is set for April 12-13, 2019, with the social hour, silent auction, and banquet to be held on April 13th at the Erickson Alumni Center on the Evansdale Campus. We will meet on Friday evening and Saturday at noon for good food and fun with the faculty, students and alumni at Percival Hall. Watch for more details in upcoming newsletters.

The next Executive Committee meeting is scheduled for January 26, 2019, at 10:00 am in Percival Hall or by teleconference.

George



Mark Your CALENDAR!

Executive Committee Meeting

January 26, 2019
10:00 am
Percival Hall

2019 Alumni Weekend

April 12-13, 2019
Percival Hall
Erickson Alumni Center

NEWS FROM THE DIRECTOR

Dr. Robert C. Burns

Division of Forestry and Natural Resources News

- In early 2019, Dr. Daniel Robison will depart WVU to become dean of Iowa State University's College of Agriculture and Life Sciences and director of the Iowa Agricultural and Home Economics Experiment Station.
- Honors College Dean Ken Blemings, will serve as interim dean of the Davis College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Design. He plans to return to the Honors College once a permanent Davis dean is named.
- Dr. Jim Anderson will be part of the WVU Institute of Water Security and Science's \$800,000 grant from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to assess and monitor more than 200 wetlands across the state, establish numeric criteria for chemical constituents based on the type and location of the wetlands and improve how to identify and classify water pollution problems through comprehensive, science-based research and analysis. Full Article: <http://bit.ly/WVUwetlandwatergrant>
- Dr. Robert Burns was at the IX Brazilian Congress of Conservation Units (CBUC) in Florianópolis, Brazil. The Brazilian Congress of Protected Areas (CBUC) is one of Latin America's most important congresses on nature conservation.
- Dr. Gregory Dahle led a trip of forest resources management students on a field trip to Collegiate Arboriculture Day at the Bartlett Research Lab in Charlotte, NC in October.
- Dr. Steve Chhin, led a group of nine forest resources management and wood science and technology students on a North Carolina Mill Tour. Special thanks to Jeff Neidert ('82) from Prime Lumber Company for funding and organizing this trip.
- Energy Land Management (ELM) faculty and ten students attended the Appalachian Land Institute in Washington, PA in October. Speakers this year included WVU ELM Faculty Stefanie P. Hines, JD CPLTA, and Andrew Graham, JD.
- Bruce Beehler presented the 2018 Maurice Brooks Lecture "North on the Wing: Travels with the Songbird Migration of Spring" on October 9, 2018.
- The paperbark maple, *Acer griseum*, in front of the Agricultural Sciences building was named a "State Champion" by the West Virginia Big Tree Program. Full Story: <http://bit.ly/WVUpaperbarkmaple>
- Dr. Jamie Schuler led the efforts for the inaugural Southern Syrup Research Symposium held in Summersville, WV in September.
- WVU held an Arbor Day event in October, which included the planting of a Kousa dogwood, *Cornus kousa*. This is part of the efforts to have WVU attain the Arbor Day Foundation's Tree Campus USA designation. An inventory of the 2,317 trees on campus was conducted this past summer as part of this effort.
- The Davis College Career Fair, in October, attracted 50 employers, 35 seeking students from natural resources degrees. Over 320 students attended the event. If your employer would like to recruit students for internships or full-time employment, please have them contact WVU Career Services. (careerservices.wvu.edu)
- In October, there was an educational effort to increase awareness of resources available to students on campus wanting to start their own natural resource based business. Students interested in becoming consultant foresters were put into contact with WV DOF and OH DOF. Jacob Dolence, Davis College Value-Added Experience Program Coordinator, assisted some students in entering the West Virginia Collegiate Business Plan Competition.
- The ceiling replacement project for the Division's main office was completed in November.
- Faculty and students attended the national conferences for the American Fisheries Society, Society of American Foresters, Society of Wood Science and Technology, and The Wildlife Society.

NEW EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS



Shawn Grushecky (WFR '93, MS WFR '95, PhD FRS '11)

Dr. Shawn Grushecky is currently an Assistant Professor and Program Coordinator for Energy Land Management in the School of Natural Resources at West Virginia University. He received a PhD in Forest Resource Science from the WVU School of Natural Resources. Shawn led the development of the curriculum and degree program in Energy Land Management, which is one of only twelve programs accredited by the American Association of Professional Landmen. Shawn maintains an active research program in the area of natural resource and related energy development and has been the investigator or co-investigator on research grants totaling over \$4 million while with WVU. Currently, Shawn's research and outreach is mainly in the areas of energy development and land management as well as natural resource enterprises.



Gannon Boone (FRM '14)

I grew up loving the outdoors at the base of the Appalachian Mountains in Warrenton, VA. I knew I never wanted to sit in an office all day so I decided to study Forestry at WVU. This is where I was first introduced to Arboriculture. I quickly became fascinated with this fast-paced ever-changing side of forestry. Bartlett Tree Experts took me on as an intern for two summers, while I attended WVU. I was granted an opportunity to be a forestry technician for the University of Alaska Fairbanks the summer between my Junior and Senior year. I conducted inventory on permanent sample plots so the data could be used to create a growth and yield model for black spruce. Once I graduated in 2014, Bartlett hired me on full-time as a Plant Health Care Specialist. This past winter I was promoted to an Arborist Representative with Bartlett and relocated to Canonsburg, PA to work out of our McDonald office. I love hunting, fishing, skiing and of course WVU football. LET'S GO MOUNTAINEERS!!!

ALUMNI SURVEY FOR 2019 ACCREDITATION PROCESS

The Division of Forestry and Natural Resources is conducting a survey of alumni who have graduated from with a major in Forest Resource Management (FRM), Recreation, Park, and Tourism Resources (RPTR) or Wood Science and Technology (WST) since 2014. This survey will query you as a recent alumnus to learn how we did preparing you for your career as a natural resource manager or your pursuit of graduate education. The results from this survey will help us improve our educational product and serve as a feedback for our successes during our upcoming Society of American Foresters (SAF) and Society of Wood Science and Technology (SWST) accreditation review.

Online Survey Link: <http://bit.ly/WVUAlumniSurveySAF>

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Natural Resource Doctoral Student Awarded Ruby Scholars Fellowship



Hannah Clipp (WFR '16), from Bel Air, Maryland, is one of four students pursuing doctoral degrees at West Virginia University to receive funding through the Ruby Scholars Graduate Fellowship Program. The fellowship includes a stipend of \$34,000, a \$2,000 travel grant, and tuition waivers to continue their research at WVU. Hannah earned two bachelor's degrees in wildlife and fisheries resources and multidisciplinary studies (conservation ecology, biology, and English) from WVU and a master's degree in wildlife ecology from the University of Delaware. She returns to earn her doctoral degree in forest resources sciences, specializing in wildlife resources.

"I want to answer novel questions and generate scientific knowledge to better inform and guide wildlife conservation and management. Specifically, my goal is to study avian responses to anthropogenic impacts, management actions, and environmental factors," Clipp explained. Full WVUToday Article at: <http://bit.ly/HClippRubyFellow2018>

Doctoral Student's Paper Wins First Place

Oluwatosin Oginni won first place in the 2018 ASABE-AABFEIO Graduate Student Research Paper Competition Ph.D. Category for, "Effect of Impregnation Route on Activated Carbon Properties from Herbaceous Biomass."

Alumni Scholarship Thank You Note

I am writing to express my thanks for the financial support from the WVU Forestry and Natural Resources Alumni Association. I appreciate your contribution to my academic career. It will allow me to focus on my work more completely, so that I will be able to achieve academic excellence and give back to others in turn. **Nicholas Paitsel, Alumni Scholarship Recipient**

Silent Auction Thank You Note

On behalf of everyone at the WVU Chapter of the Society of American Foresters, I've like to sincerely thank you for all of the time and effort that went into the silent auction (2018). We were able to raise money that will be put to good use throughout the year. It was a pleasure meeting you and hope to see you around! **Kevin Schaus, WVU Chapter of the Society of American Foresters**

WVU EMERITUS STAFF SELECTION



Robert "Bob" Driscole was selected for the inaugural group to receive the status of WVU Emeritus Staff for his 37 years of service.

Interested in becoming a mentor to a current student?

Contact: Jacob Dolence,
Value-Added Experience Program
Coordinator
Phone: (304) 293-2874 or
Email: jacob.dolence@mail.wvu.edu

FEEDBACK AND FEEDFORWARD

Alumni News

1950-59

Mike Petruccelli (FRM '56) from Pittsburgh, PA is retired after serving two years in the US Army, working one year at Mead Corp. in Macon, GA, five years at Allied Chemical in New York, NY, and thirty-five years at PPG Industries. He and his wife Brigitte have four children and three grandchildren.

1960-69

Al Barker (WFR '64) from Bordentown, NJ enjoys his time painting, fly fishing for trout, skeet shooting, making birdhouses and wood duck boxes, and listening to the NY Mets baseball games.

John R. Cannon (FRM '66) from Midlothian, VA. "I am in the first stage of retirement. Hopefully I'll graduate in 2019."

1980-89

Jeff Newton (WST '81) is still living happily in Westminster, MD with his wife of 36 years, Sue. He has three sons and welcomed his first grandchild, Alistair Jeffrey Newton, in December 2017. Since 2010, Jeff has been the sales manager for Cochran's Lumber and Millwork in Berryville, VA, a custom hardwood flooring mill. Life has been good.

Jerome Perez (FRM '85) from Prescott, AZ. After six years with the Bureau of Land Management, most recently as State Director of California, he returned to the Forest Service in October 2018. Jerry is now the Forest Supervisor of the Angeles National Forest based outside of Los Angeles, CA.

Obituaries

W. David Kolb (FRM '50) from Tigard, OR passed away on March 22, 2018. Dave worked for the US Forest Service his entire career.

Elvin Frame (FRM '61) from Charlottesville, VA passed away on November 11, 2018. He was retired after a long career with the Virginia Division of Forestry.

Mike Gallegly (FRM '72, MSF '74) from Staunton, VA passed away on October 24, 2018. Mike was a forest silviculturist with the US Forest Service for 30 years in Oregon and Virginia.

Dr. Mary Dorcas Clark Harley from Indiana, PA passed away on November 9, 2018. Dorcas and her brother Thomas G. Clark established the Thomas G. Clark Scholarship, given out each year at the WVU Forestry and Natural Resources Alumni banquet.

Dr. Robert Leo Smith from Pittsburgh, PA passed away on September 26, 2018. Dr. Smith was a Professor of Ecology at WVU for 42 years. Dr. Smith also authored *Ecology and Field Biology*, *Ecology of Man*, and *Elements of Ecology*, an acclaimed textbook now in its ninth edition.

Kenneth A. Maxwell (FRM '01) from Iaeger, WV passed away on September 12, 2018.

Fred Fromhart, (WFR, '58) from Dunmore, WV passed away on August 28, 2018. He was a manager at Seneca State Forest when he retired in 1988 after 30 years of service.

Newsletter SPONSORSHIP

Please help sponsor an issue of the Newsletter. We need \$1,500 to sponsor an issue. Let's make it happen! Please send a \$10 donation, and all money will go to the production and distribution of the Newsletter. Donors will be recognized in the sponsored issue. Larger donations from alumni-owned businesses are welcome!

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PLEASE SUPPORT THE WVU WOODSMEN TEAM

The WVU Woodsmen Team participates in lumberjack competitions and provides educational outreach to preserve the legacy of forestry and logging skills. We are organizing the Mountaineer Lumberjack Championships. We plan to invite teams from other forestry programs up and down the east coast and across Appalachia.

Please make your check payable to the Division of Forestry and Natural Resources Alumni Association, write Woodsmen Team on the memo line of your check, and send to:
WVU Division of Forestry and Natural Resources Alumni Association
806 Daverton Road
Charleston, WV 25303

Also, The WVU Woodsmen Team is selling stacked firewood to the Morgantown area at \$110 per truck load, primarily made of White Ash, Red Oak, and Locust. For more information, please contact:

Matt Young, President -WVU Woodsmen Team
Phone: 804-920-9734
Email: may0001@mix.wvu.edu

WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY DIVISION OF FORESTRY AND NATURAL RESOURCES ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Outstanding Alumnus/Faculty Nomination Form

Outstanding Alumnus

Outstanding Faculty

Nominee: _____ Year Graduated/Program: _____

Address: _____ Telephone No.: _____

Nominated By: _____

Address: _____ Telephone No.: _____

Please attach a cover letter stating why you believe the nominee deserves this honor and a resume or curriculum vitae listing the nominee's achievements.

Criteria for Outstanding Alumnus Award Nominations: (1) Nominations are accepted from Alumni Association members and non-members; (2) All graduates of the Division of Forestry and Natural Resources, both living and deceased, are eligible for nomination; (3) Nominations should include a written description of the nominee's accomplishments; (4) Nominations received by December 31 will be considered for the current year; (5) Nominations remain active for three years; (6) No alumnus may receive this award more than once.

Criteria for Outstanding Faculty Award Nominations: (1) Nominations are accepted from Alumni Association members and non-members; (2) Current and former faculty members, both living and deceased, are eligible for nomination; (3) Nominations should include a written description of the nominee's accomplishments; (4) Nominations received by December 31 will be considered for the current year; (5) Nominations remain active for three years; (6) Nominated faculty who are members of the Alumni Association Executive Committee may not vote; (7) Not more than one Outstanding Faculty Award will be given each year.

Contact Tom Armstrong (75) for more information: armstrongarboriculture@gmail.com

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

—Submitted by Ralph Glover, Treasurer

As of November 1, 2018, our active membership stands at 518. The total membership is 642 and this includes the 2017 graduates. They have completed their free year of membership and will be receiving a renewal notice soon. The May and August 2018 graduates will be added as soon as the listing is received. We hope they will continue membership when their renewal time comes. The Life Membership category continues to be a strong category of membership and we now have 385.

New members who have paid their dues for the first time are:

Samuel A. England, '84
Paul A. Cotter, '01
Michael V. Shingleton, '74
Lisa E. Funderburke, '84
Walter E. Buck, III, '17
Michael E. Petroccelli, '56
David A. Goodson, '76
James E. Kolb, '74
Dane R. Cunningham, '11

Alumni who became Life Members since the last newsletter:

James E. Buckle, '65 - #379
Michael V. Shingleton, '74 - #380
Michael E. Petroccelli, '56 - #381
David A. Goodson, '76 - #382
Justin E. King, '03 - #383
James E. Kolb, '74 - #384

Alumni who made a donation and the designate use of the funds are listed below. We sincerely thank them

for helping make the year ahead a success.

Scholarship

Joseph F. McNeel, '79
Luke P. Sergos, '74
George E. Tabb, '72
John R. Cannon, '66
Steven D. DeLappe, '85
James N. Kochenderfer, '59

Newsletter

Leonard E. Tennant, '69
John E. Perry, '65

David L. Andres, '75
Al Barker, '64
L. Thomas Jones, '61
Luke P. Sergos, '74
Jeffrey A. Spohn, '93
George E. Tabb, '72
James R. Fazio, '64
John R. Cannon, '66
Robert Kline, '74

General Fund

Luke P. Sergos, '74
George E. Tabb, Jr., '72
Edd L. Bills, '68



2018 WVU Arbor Day

AMAZONSMILE PROGRAM

Shop on Amazon and Benefit the Forestry Endowment Fund

Step 1: Go to smile.amazon.com and sign in using your email address and Amazon password.

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Step 3: Ready to shop? ALWAYS GO TO smile.amazon.com whenever you shop. AmazonSmile remembers your charitable organization, and Amazon donates 0.5% of your purchase to the WVU Forestry Endowment Fund at NO EXTRA COST TO YOU.

FINANCIAL REPORT

January 1, 2018 - September 15, 2018

—Submitted by Ralph Glover, Treasurer

CHECKING ACCOUNT

Balance Forwarded (January 1, 2018)		\$20,380.39
Income		
Alumni Dues - Regular (27)	750.00	
Life Memberships (7)	1,525.00	
Contributions	4,305.00	
Newsletter Sponsorship (Life Members)	670.00	
Forestry Banquet	4,615.00	
Titus Scholarship	1,350.00	
Silent Auction	1,624.00	
Woodsmen Team	125.00	
Interest	44.61	
Redeposit of expired checks	290.00	
Passthrough Donations	10.00	
Total Income	<u>\$15,308.61</u>	
Total Revenue		\$35,689.00
Disbursements		
(01/04) Logan Ervin (Tryon Scholarship)	2,000.00	
(01/04) Sydeny White (Shreve Scholarship)	500.00	
(01/04) Maxwell Gustafson (Alumni Scholarship)	500.00	
(01/04) Emma Orndoff (Alumni Scholarship)	500.00	
(01/13) WVU Woodsman Team (Passthru Donation)	70.00	
(02/17) Postmaster (2 Rolls Stamps)	100.00	
(03/9) Toni Jones (March Newsletter)	250.00	
(03/25) Shaffer's Printing (March Newsletter)	1,050.00	
(04/04) S&S Teamwear (Award Plaques)	132.00	
(04/20) WVU Forestry Forest Products Society (Silent Auction)	32.50	
(04/23) WVU Park & Rec. Society (Silent Auction)	120.00	
(04/23) WVU Forestry Club (Reissue of expired check)	95.00	
(04/23) New Checks	17.26	
(04/24) WVU Alumni Association (Banquet)	4,959.30	
(04/29) WVU Soc. of American Foresters (Silent Auction)	795.75	
(07/25) Ewan S. Williamson (Tryon Scholarship)	1,000.00	
(07/25) Jillian F. Clemente (Alumni Scholarship)	500.00	
(07/25) Nicholas S. Paitsel (Alumni Scholarship)	500.00	
(07/25) Katherine A. Adase (Shreve Scholarship)	500.00	
(07/25) David A. Blades (Titus Scholarship)	1,850.00	
(07/25) Savoila A. Spottswood (Titus Scholarship)	1,850.00	
(07/27) Toni Jones (August Newsletter)	250.00	
(09/04) Shaffer Printing (August Newsletter)	1,075.00	
Total Disbursements	<u>\$18,746.81</u>	
BALANCE ON HAND (September 15, 2018)		\$16,942.19

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WVU Division of Forestry and Natural Resources Alumni Association

WVU Division of Forestry ENDOWMENT FUND REPORT

—Submitted by Ralph Glover, Treasurer

The WVU Forestry Endowment Fund was formed by the WVU Division of Forestry and Natural Resources Alumni Association in 1969 for the purpose of providing scholarships for students enrolled in the programs of the Division of Forestry and Natural Resources. It operates totally with contributions from alumni, friends and other interested individuals and companies. Only the revenue earned from the invested donations can be expended for scholarships. It is overseen by three Trust Committee Members who are appointed by the Alumni Association and serve at no pay or expense reimbursement. Since the first scholarship was issued in 1989, scholarships have been awarded to 89 students for \$429,750.00.

Since the first of the year, we have received 24 donations for \$8,862.52. We also paid out \$22,000.00 for the nine scholarships for the current school term. As of March 31, the total in the fund is \$1,041,585.20. The amount in each of the 4 major funds is \$368,287.26 in the General

Fund, \$202,558.87 in the W. C. Percival Memorial Scholarship Fund, \$341,413.98 in the George Myles Memorial Scholarship Fund and \$129,325.09 in the John & Pat Crites Forestry Scholarship Fund.

In August and October, we received two donations from the Amazon Smile Foundation for \$47.22 and \$29.39. The total since registering with Amazon Smile is \$157.07. Although this is a small amount, it benefits the H. Clay Smith Memorial Scholarship Fund and it does not cost anyone anything extra. You are encouraged to urge family members and friends who shop on Amazon to join the Smile Program and select the Forestry Endowment Fund to receive the credit for the purchase.

Donations may be sent to the WVU Forestry Endowment Fund, 806 Daverton Road, Charleston, WV 25303. Copies of the annual report for the fund can be obtained from the same address.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION LIFE MEMBERSHIP FUND ON DEPOSIT WITH THE WVU FORESTRY ENDOWMENT FUND

Established April 22, 2010	\$4,655.00
Deposited April 10, 2011	4,900.00
Deposited March 26, 2012	1,575.00
Deposited December 24, 2013	4,275.00
Deposited December 29, 2014	1,825.00
Deposited December 30, 2015	2,600.00
Deposited December 29, 2016	1,750.00
Deposited December 29, 2017	2,750.00
TOTAL PRINCIPAL - Sept. 15, 2018	\$24,330.00

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION LIFE MEMBERSHIP FUND ON DEPOSIT WITH THE WVU FOUNDATION

Established February 17, 1997	\$10,150.00
Deposits since February 17, 1997	33,760.00
Change in Principal (02/17/97-09/15/18)	(1,517.07)
TOTAL PRINCIPAL - September 15, 2018	45,427.07
Operating Funds Available	5,638.64
LIFE MEMBERSHIP FUND TOTAL	\$51,065.71

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WVU Division of Forestry and Natural Resources Alumni Association

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

2018-2019

Members — Term

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EDITORS' CORNER

Rob Barricelli ('04, '10) and Toni Jones ('98)

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MEMBERSHIP NOTICE

Join Today!

Dear WVU Division of Forestry and Natural Resources Alumnus:

We now have 518 active members in the WVU Division of Forestry and Natural Resources Alumni Association. This means there are over 2500 members who are receiving the newsletter but are not paying dues. If you are an active member, you receive an invoice in November of each year (or when dues are due if you pay multiple years). You then receive a membership card and decal after returning your check. If you are one of the non-paying members, you can use this form to become an active member. For only \$15.00, you can help support your Alumni Association and help us reach our current goal of 800 dues-paying members. The Division of Forestry and Natural Resources will match the \$15 dues for first-time members. Please join today and your \$15 dues provides \$30 of support for the Alumni Association. Remember —your dues go primarily toward student scholarships and publishing the newsletter to reach all alumni of the Division.

You may wish to become a Life Member. This avoids the annual renewal drudge; 378 alumni have selected this option. You can pay the fee in a lump sum (\$250) or over a 3-year period (\$100, \$75, and \$75).

As in the past, contributions will also be accepted for special use (Newsletter, Student Support, Woodsmen Team, Alumni Weekend, Operating Fund, Cruiser, etc.). Simply include it in your check and indicate the use you desire. While you are returning your dues, why not add some news about yourself for a future Newsletter.

Ralph P. Glover, Jr., Treasurer



I want to become a member!

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| <input type="checkbox"/> ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP | <input type="checkbox"/> LIFE MEMBERSHIP |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$15.00 Annual Membership | <input type="checkbox"/> \$250.00 (Lump Sum) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ___ for ___ Years Membership @ \$15.00/year | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100.00 1st (Payment Method) |
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| | <input type="checkbox"/> \$75.00 3rd |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> \$125.00 (Over 65) |

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Class of: _____ Major: _____

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November 2018 - Submission Form

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