



***The DEDICATION of
Founders Hall***

and

The Fourth Annual

RECOGNITION DINNER

of

The John Wilkes Club of Wilkes College

Sunday, August 22, 1982

5:00 p.m.

Founders Hall



PROGRAM

5:00 p.m. Welcome Reception	Rifkin Lounge Maslow Wing Wood Recreation Room Pew Trust Wing Davidowitz Plaza
5:45 p.m. Dedication Ceremonies	

Invocation	George Ralston <i>Dean of Student Affairs</i>
Welcome and Introductions	Robert Capin <i>President</i>
Remarks	William Conyngham <i>Chairman of the Board</i>
	Donald Sanderson <i>Architect</i> <i>Pyros and Sanderson</i>
	Paul Adams <i>Director of Housing</i>
Closing	Robert Capin <i>President</i>

6:15 p.m. Dinner	Henry Lounge Aeroflex Fdn. Lounge Top Floor Lounge
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Dinner and Reception Music — The Serenades

RESIDENCE HALL MAJOR DONORS

<i>Wings</i>
Marilyn and Richard Maslow J. N. Pew, Jr. Charitable Trust
<i>Main Lounge</i>
Sandra and Arnold Rifkin
<i>Lounges</i>
Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Henry The Aeroflex Foundation Nell K. Huffey Kay K. Clarke William A. Perlmut, '51 Trustees
<i>Plaza</i>
The Davidowitz Family
<i>Recreation Room</i>
Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Wood
<i>Suites of Rooms</i>
Mr. and Mrs. Donald F. Carpenter The Crystal Trust Martha Stott Diener David and Kathryn Hall The Moffatt Family
<i>Residence Hall Office</i>
Edward Darling and Dorothy Dickson Darling
<i>Rooms</i>
The Air Products Foundation Andrea and Jack Barnes, '65, '65 Mr. and Mrs. W. Carey Evans, '41 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fortinsky George F. Fry, Jr., '48 Mr. and Mrs. A. Todd Gibbs, '66 Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey S. Gibbs, '68 Ingersoll-Rand Company David and Alice Kline, '62, '63 Dr. and Mrs. Robert Mayock, '36 Jerry A. and Rowena Simms Mohn, '63, '63 Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Pearsall Pennsylvania Power & Light Co. Frank L. Pinola, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Pinola, '49 Edith Agnes Plumb Mr. and Mrs. William Rabinowitz Clyde H. Ritter, '50

Rooms (continued)

The Hon. and Mrs. Max Rosenn, '57
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Roth, '57
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Savitz, '48
Nathan N. Schiowitz
Mr. and Mrs. J. Barry Shevchuk, '63
Mr. and Mrs. Ronald W. Simms, '60, '78
Mr. and Mrs. Anthony F. Suraci, '57
Ben and Marion Weaver, '62
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Weiss
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Wiendl
Wyoming National Bank

Special Gifts

Mr. John S. Adams, '63
Judy and Bob Arenstein, '68
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Badman, '41
Dr. and Mrs. J. Warren Blaker, Jr., '55
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Boscov
Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Capin, '50
Mr. and Mrs. William L. Conyngham
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Davies
Diamond Manufacturing Company
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dziak, '67, '64
Mrs. Richard M. Ehret
Mrs. Eberhard Faber
Franconi Auto Parts Co.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Kiley
The F. M. Kirby Foundation
Mr. Mark S. Levey, '63
Mrs. Esther Wargo McCormick, '68
Mr. Robert H. Melson, '35
Atty. Frank H. Menaker, Jr., '62
Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Miner, Jr.
Mr. Kenneth G. Northrop, '51
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pensieri
Pyros & Sanderson
Mr. James M. Revie, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rhodes, '77
Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Rose, Jr., '61
Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Ross, Jr.
Marvin and Stella Schub
Mr. Michael S. Schwefel, '63
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schwartz
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shaffer
Mr. John J. Sickler, '65
Mr. and Mrs. Allan Slaff
Dr. David A. Thomas, '68
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Van Dyck, '66
Mr. and Mrs. William J. Umphred, '52
Wayne and Carolyn Yetter, '67, '69

MENU

Sparkling Fruit Frosh

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Fettuccine Salsa Salmone

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Rolled Tenderloin Champignon

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Vegetable Vinegarette Bouquetierre

Beet and Cabbage Kiszence

Risi Bisi Pomodoro

Cheddar 'n Chive Biscuits

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Chocolate Rum Charlotte

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Coffee - Tea

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You are cordially invited to the diverse programs in celebration of our

50th ANNIVERSARY

— A few highlight events in the fall —

Date	Event
September 12	An Evening of Thanksgiving
September 19	Sordoni Art Gallery Exhibition: <i>Four from Wilkes</i>
September 20	World Futures Society Lecture
September 24	Founders' Day Convocation
September 25	Parents' Day Concert: <i>Fitzwilliam String Quartet</i>
October 8, 9, 10	Special Alumni Homecoming Weekend
October 9	Open House: New Residence Hall
October 28	Northeastern Pennsylvania Intercollegiate Careers Conference
October 31	Wilkes-Bucknell Concert: <i>Haydn's "Creation"</i>
November 6	Alumni Business Symposium: <i>American and Japanese Management Styles</i>
November 19	Special Lecture: <i>Education of the Gifted</i>

The Site of Founders Hall

Founders Hall is built upon an historic site. Indian tribes lived along the river nearby and Fort Wyoming was built on this spot. General Sullivan's armies camped here prior to their northward march which broke the Iroquois' power. And Colonel Zebulon Butler was deeded this land, the 3-acre — 103 perches of No. 3 Town Plott in Durkee's 1770 Plan for Wilkes-Barre.

Colonel Butler, an original Connecticut settler with the Susquehanna Company, first came to this fertile valley in 1769. In spite of the Wyoming Massacre, Revolutionary War battles, Yankee-Pennamite troubles and dreadful hardships . . . he brought his Yankee family here in December, 1772 (a 30-day journey by sleds, sloop and borrowed oxen-carts).

The three buildings situated on this site before Founders Hall were Zebulon's "commodious 2-story structure of logs," removed in 1792 to make way for his son Lord's handsome white frame residence, "Whitehall," occupied until 1867-68. Still within the family, Judge Stanley Woodward then erected the elegant Victorian-style frame house, purchased by Wilkes in 1973 and called Butler Hall. (That fine dwelling housed court sessions, a post office and the distinguished Woodward family of such judicial eminence that it included five judges, three of whom served on the state Supreme Court, one as Chief Justice.)

Charles Miner's "History of Wyoming" states: "The life of Zebulon Butler is the history of Wyoming." Butler and eight generations of his descendants lived on this property for 200 years, always closely allied with the area's growth. (Members of the last two Butler generations are Wilkes graduates.)

The Butler-Woodward-Conyngham relatives who built their homes under the copper beech trees on No. 3 Plott have continued that same heritage of leadership and service for Wyoming Valley and their country through two centuries. Many young men and women were brought up on this site . . . studied, read for law, medicine and high government posts, suffered disappointments and experienced the happy times of youth. In short, they grew up here.

It is good to know that Founders Hall will enable present and future generations of young people to continue that tradition of living and learning and maturing on this same historic land . . . a link back to Butler's homestead and forward to Wilkes College's second half-century.