



**CHANCELLOR'S
FORUM**
MARCH 29, 2011

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UPCOMING HLC VISIT (APR. 18-20)

What to expect:

Open Meetings for Faculty, Staff and Students

Specific meetings with campus groups (Faculty Senate, Student Government, etc.)

Two changes requested:

To become master's degree granting institution

To offer degree programs online

Self-Study now available online for review before visit.



BS IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

- **Approved by the Purdue Board of Trustees on Dec. 18th**
- **Approved by ICHE on March 11th.**
- **PNC's 20th baccalaureate degree program!**
- **Thanks to Dean Matthews, the members of the College of Engineering and Technology and Vice Chancellor Schmid for their work on this proposal.**



SPRING ENROLLMENT DATA

- **Another record enrollment for 2011 Spring Semester!**

Head Count = 4,845

Credit Hours = 49,484

- **Second straight spring with higher enrollment than fall.**

Retention Rate for fall to spring = 86%



VICE CHANCELLOR FOR ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT & STUDENT SERVICES

- **Thirty-nine applicants for the position of Vice Chancellor.**
- **Thanks to Steve Turner and the Search Committee for all of their hard work. Committee members include: Jason Curtis, Sandy Czekaj, Mary Jane Eisenhauer, Jan Hanchar, David Meyers, Steve Turner, Lance Werner and Janice Whisler.**
- **Paul began at PNC on Feb. 3rd which just happened to be a snow recess day!**
- **His appointment was ratified by the Purdue University Board of Trustees on Feb. 4th.**



NURSING ACCREDITATION

Major Points from NLNAC visit:

Exemplary support from administration and peers for the nursing program.

Dedicated, caring faculty committed to student success.

The curriculum prepares students to achieve the outcomes of the nursing education unit, including safe practice in contemporary health care environments.

Continued accreditation with next visit in 8 years.



CARNEGIE CLASSIFICATION

- **Special thank you to Laura Weaver for preparing the PNC application!**
- **The Community Engagement Classification recognizes colleges and universities with a dedication to community engagement documented in the institution's mission and culture and with the leadership, resources and practices to support dynamic and noteworthy community engagement.**
- **311 number of colleges/universities with this classification in USA; 11 colleges/universities with this classification in Indiana**
- **300 institutions applied for the designation this year; only 115 received the classification.**



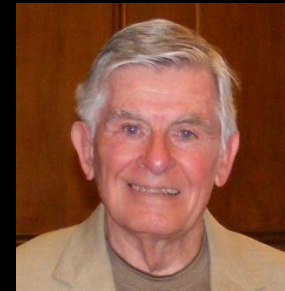
PNC LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

- **First academy of its kind at PNC.**
- **First cohort includes:**
 - Glen Piper, Information Services*
 - Natalie Connors, Career Development*
 - Lisa Opperman, Bursar's Office*
 - Dave Pratt, Education*
 - Carol Kurmis, PNC-Porter County*
 - Tom Albano, Student Activities & Athletics*
- **Program will run for two years; new cohort begins each year.**



UNITED WAY AWARDS

- **PNC was awarded 2010 Cornerstone Award**
- **Mary Jane Eisenhauer – Recipient of the Success by 6 Service to Children Award.**
- **Fred Miller (PNC retiree and member of PNC Advisory Board) – Recipient of the Burton B. Ruby Award.**
- **Dworkin, McNulty, Schmid, Rogalin and Micer work directly with the UW of LaPorte County; Dworkin on board of UW of Porter County.**
- **PNC reached its goal of \$11,500 in 2010.**
- **Liz Depew will serve as 2011 Loaned Executive**



EARLY RETIREMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAM

- **14 PNC staff and faculty members are taking the ERIP. 7 are clerical/service; 7 are faculty.**
- **7 retired as of Dec. 31, 2010 or Jan. 31, 2011.**
- **Remainder are retiring at end of spring semester or June 30, 2011.**
- **A total of 18 retirees will be recognized at the annual Staff Recognition Luncheon on Thursday, May 5th.**



MBA SATISFACTION SURVEY

- Over 100 graduates of the MBA program
- 32 items on survey of 40 ranked above 3.5 on a 5.0 scale.
- Items that received high ratings:

Facility

Parking and Safety

Location and Its Proximity to Westville Campus

- **Recommendations included:**

Textbook and optional course book availability

Structure of the MBA program

Ease of the Financial Aid process

Academic Advising Concerns

Food/Snack/Beverage Catering



PURDUE DECADAL FUNDING COMMITTEE

- **Chancellor Dworkin will represent regional campuses on this initiative.**
- **Will be looking for creative ways in which the university can bring in new revenues over a ten year period.**
- **Ideas may be submitted by any student, faculty or staff member to Rab Mukerjea in the President's Office.**

DECADAL FUNDING PLAN

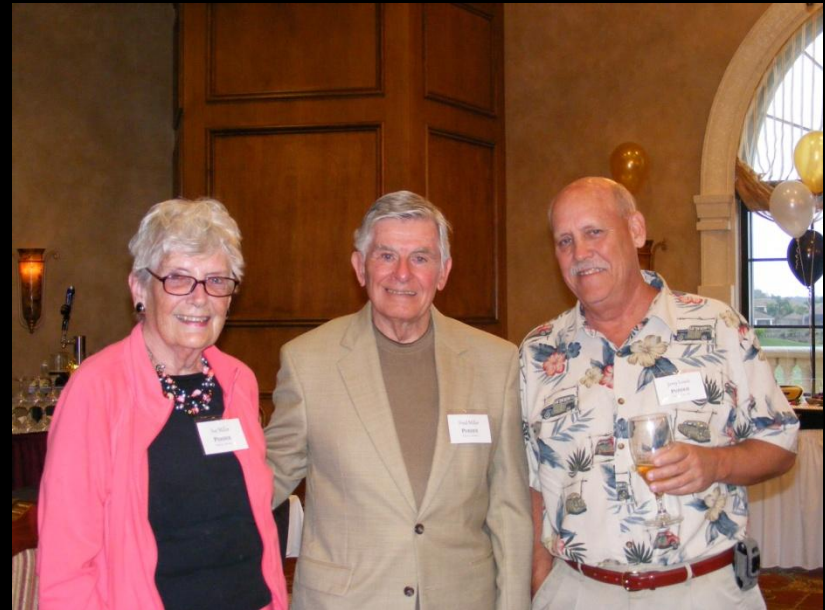
Increased funding from:

- Research
- Philanthropy
- Commercialization of research and royalty income
- Corporations and foundations
- Transformations
- Other streams of revenue



CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

- **Have already received several large gifts.**
- **Recent PNC reception in Naples, Florida for PNC alums and friends.**
- **Still in silent phase of campaign.**



E85 CAR & TRUCK

- **E85 is an alcohol fuel mixture that typically contains a mixture of up to 85% denatured fuel ethanol and gasoline or other hydrocarbon (HC) by volume.**
- **Thanks to help given by Pat Carlisle and the receipt of a grant, PNC has purchased two vehicles dedicated to the use of E85 fuel.**
- **Also installing E85 gas pump on campus.**



2011 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

- Long way to go – session officially ends as of April 29, 2011.
- Dworkin attended “Purdue Day” at the General Assembly on March 22, 2011; visited with local legislative team from Porter and LaPorte Counties.
- Big issues include:

Budget

Redistricting



CURRENT LEGISLATIVE SESSION

- **Scheduled to end by April 29, 2011; may have to go into special session.**
- **Several bills affecting higher education:**
 - SSACI (written by Rep. Dermody)*
 - University Police*
 - Concurrent Enrollment/Dual Credit/Early College*
 - Budget*
- **Hope to be able to give salary increases this year.**
- **Hope that funding will be released by the State Budget Agency for the Student Services and Activities Complex.**



OTHER NEWS UPDATES

- **Chancellor Search at Purdue Calumet is almost completed. Chancellor Dworkin has served on this committee.**
- **Promotion and Tenure decisions will be approved at Trustees meeting on April 8 at IUPUI.**
- **Chancellor Dworkin to give Strategic Plan update at Trustees meeting on April 8.**

James B. Dworkin, Chancellor
April 8, 2011



**Strategic Plan Update
Purdue University North Central
2010-2011**

DISC GOLF COURSE

- **Disc golf** is a disc game in which individual players throw a flying disc into a basket or at a target.
- To be installed at south end of campus near baseball diamond.
- Consultants are Mike Jenneman and Allen Pier.



UPCOMING CAMPUS EVENTS

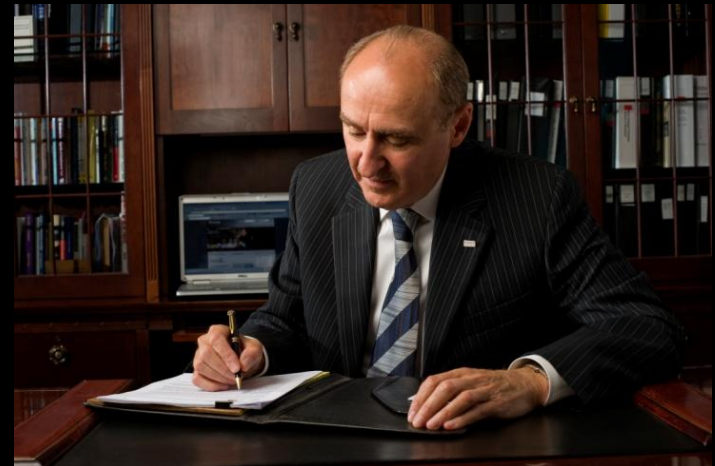
- **Production of William Shakespeare's *Much Ado About Nothing* directed by Dr. Paul Hecht and starring PNC students and staff. April 16, 17, 22 and 23 at Mainstreet Theatre in Michigan City.**
- **COM 240 Oral Interpretation Class Presentation – March 31 & April 3.**
- **PoetryPalooza – April 7**
- **PNCWA Spring Luncheon – April 9**
- **Hyde Park Forum Speech Contest – April 13; Hyde Park Speak Off – April 15**
- **5th Annual Early Childhood Conference – April 30 – dedication of the Nancy E. Dworkin Born Learning Trail.**
- **Annual Staff Recognition Luncheon – May 5**
- **Commencement – May 16**



**Graduating Seniors Photo at Running Arch
April 27 at 12 noon**

DWORKIN COMMITTEE OR BOARD ASSIGNMENTS

- **Purdue System Wide Committees**
 - Purdue Calumet Chancellor Search Committee*
 - Blue Ribbon Health Care Committee*
 - Human Resources Governance Council*
 - Purdue Decadal Funding Committee (co-chair of the Regional Campus Subcommittee with Audeen Fentiman)*
- **State/National/International Boards**
 - Indiana Campus Compact*
 - Campus Compact (incoming President)*
 - Talloires Network*



QUESTIONS???



Come out and support the Lady Panthers Softball Team and the Panthers Baseball Team – schedules available on the web pages for each sport.

