

Golden Bear News

Campus News

OCTOBER IS DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

Please join us on Tuesday, October 27 at 7 PM for the opening reception of the Berks County Women in Crisis Silent Witness project in the Old Main Concourse, when KU collaborates with the Kutztown Community Partnership and the local Purple Purse Campaign to raise awareness about domestic violence. A donation box collecting non-perishable food, diapers, cleaning supplies, bath towels and personal care items for BWIC's Safe House residences will be available as well as local and national information on domestic violence and how to find assistance.

On campus until Sunday evening, November 1, the Silent Witness Project is a visual life-size display depicting Berks County women, children, pets and men. Each figure wears a shield that describes the victim's life and untimely death due to domestic violence. For more information visit purplepurse.com and berkswomenincrisis.org or call the Women's Center, 126 Old Main, at 610.683.4655.

Former Kutztown University pitcher and two-time MLB World Series Champion Ryan Vogelsong returns to KU on Saturday, October 24. He will be honored by the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference (PSAC) and the KU President at a private ceremony and will have his #14 jersey retired publically during halftime at KU's homecoming football game at Andre Reed Stadium.



Katrina Danyluk and Cynthia Wright, both social work undergraduate students, received an award in the Undergraduate Poster Competition at the Annual Conference of the National Association of Social Workers (NASW Pennsylvania Chapter) in State College, PA on Friday, October 16. Their poster, entitled "Reexamining Push and Pull Effects on Retention in Post-Secondary Education," was selected as the top undergraduate presentation winner. The research project was sponsored by Kutztown University Assessment Grants Programs.

KU HISTORY: October 13, 1948: A rifle range is installed in the basement of Schaeffer Auditorium for use by the U. S. Army ROTC program. It has a range of 50 feet.

As a part of the KU Sesquicentennial Celebration, be sure to visit the Old Main Concourse inside the main entrance portico for the “**150 Years of Kutztown University of PA Memorabilia Display.**” This special display of historical KU artifacts is open weekdays from 7 AM to 8PM through September of 2016. It will also be open for special occasions, such as this weekend’s Sesquicentennial Homecoming. This weekend’s hours are Saturday and Sunday from 10 AM to 8 PM. The display features 11 cases of historic memorabilia, including nine cases in the rear concourse and two permanent cabinets on the wings. Historic photographs are on display throughout the concourse. In addition, the entire concourse has new carpeting and furniture, thanks to the efforts of KU facilities.



KUF&AR Events

Meet the New KU President: Special Reception

Wednesday, November 11
5 PM to 7 PM

You are invited to attend a special reception to meet Kutztown University’s new President, Dr. Kenneth S. Hawkinson, and his wife, Ann Marie Hayes-Hawkinson, on Wednesday, November 11 from 5 PM to 7 PM at Adams Outdoor Advertising, located at 2176 Avenue C, Bethlehem. [Registrations](#) are being accepted online. For additional information, please call 610.683.4110 or email info@kutztownUfoundation.org. *Special thanks to Tony Cioffi '88 (Adams Outdoor), Tony Iannelli and Frank Facchiano '85 (Lehigh Valley Chamber) for helping to sponsor this event!*

Alumni Recognition

The Penn State Berks Freyberger Gallery will present the [exhibition](#) “Industrial – Primitive,” featuring assemblage sculpture by **Robert Hakun '76** from November 11 through December 17. He collects and salvages discarded common objects that reflect ravages of time and decay.

Lori Heffner '85 is a [candidate](#) for Northampton County Council. She is a first-time candidate with an occupation in psychotherapy.

William Harris '08 will [exchange vows](#) with his bride-to-be, Susan Moore, on November 13 in Bethlehem. William is employed as an engineer with Brooks Instruments Inc. in Hatfield, PA.

Chip Paillex '89 was one of several featured [TEDx speakers](#) at Morristown High School, founder of *Grow-A-Row*, an effort to feed the hungry with fresh produce for free and introduce kids to farming.

Heather Stenlake '00 invented the [Bridal Buddy](#), the only product on the market that helps a bride use the bathroom without assistance from the bridal party.

