Trustees recognize emeriti at spring meeting

Furman University
of Notre Dame and is teaching high school level students at St. George College in Santiago, Chile.

Jordan Teague has been promoted to Web analytics manager in the Epinion division of Erwin-Penland Advertising in Greenville.

MARRIAGES: Nicole Aquino and Jonathan Davis, May 19, 2007. They reside in Columbia, S.C., where Jonathan is in medical school at the University of South Carolina and Nicole works for The Cason Group.

Kelly Criss and Matthew Felten ’03, September 3. They are associated with the Atlanta Shakespeare Company, he as an artistic associate and she as a teacher. Matthew played the role of Curley in the company’s production of “Of Mice and Men” this spring. Kelly is also an associate producer with Laughing Matters, an improv and entertainment company.

Lauren Fryer and Scott Tucker, May 26, 2007. They live in Atlanta where she is a campaign manager with Coxe Curry & Associates.

Mary Hedges and Matthew Ward Stackpole, June 3, 2007. Mary earned her master’s degree from the University of Colorado and works as an underwriting services manager for ICAT Managers in Boulder, Colo., where they live.

Grants Hendrickson (M.S. ’06) and Lee Evans ’07, November 17. They live in Atlanta.

Jim Jenkins and Kelly Ann McLaughlin ’06, December 28. Jim has completed law school at Stetson University, where Kelly Ann just completed her second year.

Michael Orr and Morgen Young ’06, December 30. They live in Columbia, S.C., where Morgen is a graduate student in public history at the University of South Carolina and Michael works for Airline Information Research, Inc.

Janine Carruthers Rogers and David Courreges, January 19. They live in Piedmont, S.C.

TRUSTEES RECOGNIZE EMERITI AT SPRING MEETING

During the spring meeting of the board of trustees in May, trustees with emeritus status were honored in a special ceremony at the home of outgoing board member Emlyn Sanders and her husband, Dan.

In 1997 the trustees approved the emeritus title to recognize board members for their devotion, leadership and length of service to Furman. Thomas S. Hartness, a Greenville businessman who served as a trustee across four decades, was the first person elected to emeritus status.

Trustees emeriti serve as special ambassadors and liaisons on the university’s behalf. The tribute was organized by Leighan Rinker, a current trustee and former board chair.

The 2007-08 trustees emeriti recognized at the meeting were, back row from left, Hartness, Lloyd Batson ’47 of Easley, S.C., Ralph Hendricks of Simpsonville, S.C., and Elizabeth Peace Stall of Greenville. Front row, from left, Mary Peace Sterling and Max Heller, both of Greenville, and Sarah Belk Gambrell of Charlotte, N.C. Hardy Clemens of San Antonio, Texas, has been elected an emeritus trustee for 2008-09.

In addition to recognizing the emeriti, the board elected six new members for 2008-09. They are Robert Buckman of Memphis, Tenn., C. Jordan Clark of Atlanta, Randy Eaddy ’76 of Winston-Salem, N.C., David Ellison ’72 of Greenville, R. Todd Ruppert of Owings Mills, Md., and Peace Sterling Sullivan of Miami, Fla. Buckman, Eaddy and Ellison have previously served as trustees.

In addition to Emlyn Sanders, board members who completed their terms June 30 were H. Neel Hipp ’73 of Greenville, William Howes ’59 of Flat Rock, N.C., Stanford Jennings ’84 of Alpharetta, Ga., and Carl Kohrt ’65 of Columbus, Ohio.

Vance Arthurs is pursuing a doctorate in physical therapy at the University of South Carolina.

Ian Calhoun has moved to Tamarindo, Costa Rica, to work as a project manager for Frontera Properties & Developments.

Hale Edwards (M.S.) has been named the national middle school social studies Teacher of the Year. She has taught seventh grade at Riverside Middle School in Greenville County since 1999. In 2006, the South Carolina Council for the Social Studies named her a Middle School Teacher of Excellence.