

Bell Tower Newsletter



As I looked across the front lawn today, it reminded me that fall is my favorite time on the hill. I am amazed at the number of students who have passed by the bell tower over the years and hopeful for those to come. In our family, three generations of graduates have walked this campus full of hopes and dreams, and I hope that is the case for years to come. Today I'm thankful for Prince Edward Academy/ Fuqua School and the strong foundation it has provided for our students and will continue to provide to the children in our community.

A lot has been happening here on campus this fall. I've highlighted some of the events and also included the Alumni News that was shared with me. If you have any exciting news that you'd like to share with your fellow alumni, please be sure to send it my way!

Tammy



Alumni News



Clayton Worrell '12 & Claudia Sadler '16 welcomed daughter Annabella Winters on July 3rd



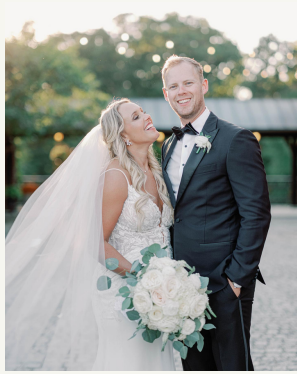
Boris Ngundji '13 and Caroline Hollandsworth were married on May 6th



Jai Jamerson '13 and Cescily welcomed son Jaice Jermaine on the 4th of July



Trent Jacobs '15 and Haley Reeg announced their engagement. Trent is the son of Bobby '81 & Krista Jacobs



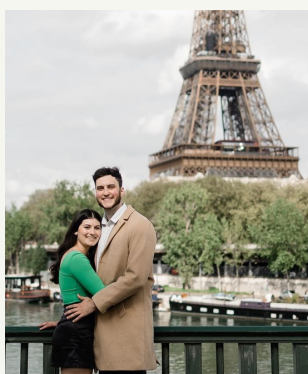
Tatum Davis '12 and James Overbeck exchanged vows on Oct 7th. Tatum is the daughter of Wayne '77 and Teresa '80 Davis



Big Brother, Rhett, along with parents Sarah Ingram Hicks '08 and Travis welcomed Miles Logan on September 26th



Carter Gantt Moore '13 and husband Morgan Moore welcomed daughter Sullivan Mayes on October 25th. Carter is the daughter of Jimmy '78 & Lisa Gantt



While in Paris this spring, Nitalia Summa '14 & Joel Thomas got engaged



Chassidy Bragg '13 and Owen Duncanson were married on October 14th

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Jacob Epps '13 and LeAnne Harris are engaged and planning a Fall 2024 wedding. Jacob is the son of Tony Epps and the late Paige Epps '85 and the grandson of Gene Southall '60



Karleigh Pepper '11 and Tyler Weller were married September 23rd



Caleb Gaines '12 and Madison Glover were married on October 21st



Emmalee Klein '13 married Liam Burke. Emmalee is the daughter of David Klein and the late BA Klien '73



Keaton Cunningham Riddle '10, along with husband Scott and big brother Rhett welcome Rylee, Carter in May. Keaton is the daughter of Ted Cunningham '77 & Diane Ward Cunningham '80



Hunter Gilliam '18 addresses the upper school students at the Fall Academic Assembly. Hunter is the son of Cameron Gilliam '89



Tony Mitchell and Keith Mitchell '93 grilling up Tony Mitchell's Famous BBQ Chicken before a football game this season



Cali Foster '15 and Sam Nash got married in October. Cali is the daughter of David Foster '84 and Tracy Grile Foster '84



Roman Davis '20 flying drones in Spain. Roman is working with DelMar Aerospace Corporation.

Welcoming Alumni to the Fuqua Faculty



Welcome
**MICHAEL
DAVIS**

Fuqua School Class of 2018
**Director of Technology
7-9 Technology Teacher**

Mr. Davis graduated from Hampden-Sydney College in 2022 with a major in Computer Science. His passion for technology began at a young age which has developed into a way of life.



Welcome
**MARY QUINN
FERGUSON**

Fuqua School Class of 2001
Head of Lower School

For over 15 years, Mary Quinn Ferguson '01, has been in the education field working primarily as a special educator in a variety of public and private school settings. She holds an Administration and Supervision endorsement from Longwood University and a Masters in Education (K-12) from the University of Virginia.



Welcome
**BRITTANY
MALONE**

Fuqua School Class of 2019
Lower School P.E. Teacher

Brittany is excited to be able to return to the school that meant so much to her, and to share the love she feels for our school with the students of today.



Welcome
**KATHLEEN
REDFORD**

Fuqua School Class of 2003
**Learning Support Specialist
Substitute Coordinator**

For the past 8 years, Mrs. Redford has worked in school settings providing services and strategies to students with learning differences to help increase their academic success. She is the mother of rising 8th grader Kyle Redford and rising 6th grader Landon Redford.



Reunions



Class of 1978 Reunion on September 30th



Class of 2003 - 20th Class Reunion



Class of 1973 - 50th Class Reunion



Class of 1963 - 60th Class Reunion
in October



Ladies from the Class of 1974 had the special treat of seeing many retired teachers as they met for their monthly lunch.



Class of 1983 returned to the Kilpatrick Library to celebrate their 40th class reunion.

CALLING ALL ALUMNI CLASSES

**Wolverine or Falcon -
Let's Talk Reunion!**

The Office of Alumni Affairs wants to reminisce with all of you, hear your stories, and celebrate your coming together after all these years. Each year the Alumni Office holds activities where alumni can come together on campus. If you need help planning your class reunion connecting with classmates or just brainstorming ideas about getting your class together, the Alumni office is here to help. Contact Tammy at franktm@fuquaschool.org.

Fall on Campus



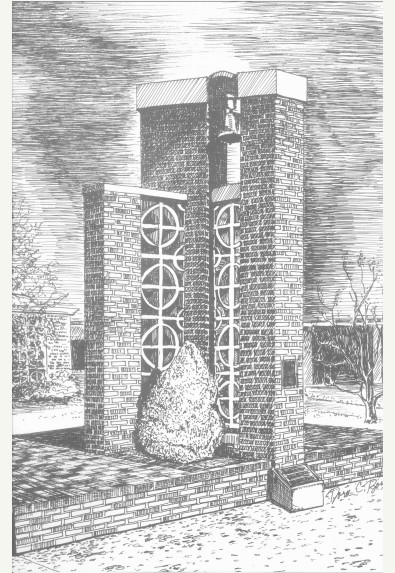
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FUQUA 2023 HOMECOMING COURT



Fuqua Upper School students recently selected the 2023 Homecoming Court and Queen. The Homecoming court included: Freshman princess LottieMae Hazelgrove, daughter of Mr. Robert & Dr. Elizabeth Hazelgrove of Farmville; Sophomore princess Elizabeth Ledger, daughter of Mr. Steven Ledger & Mrs. Shawn Johnson Ledger '90 of Burkeville; Junior princess Gracie Shank, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Shank of Farmville; Senior princesses Summer Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Carter of Jetersville; Avary Collins, daughter of Drs. Jonathan & Angela Collins of Vernon Hill; Vivian Gearheart, daughter of Mr. Ford Gearheart '83 & Mrs. Jennifer Gearheart of Farmville; Aubrie Jefferson, daughter of Mr. Robert Jefferson '83 & Mrs. Kathy Jefferson of Farmville; and Sydney McDowell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher McDowell of Crewe.

Vivian Gearheart was crowned the 2023 Homecoming Queen.



SLIDING into SENIOR YEAR
The Class of 2024 started
a new tradition -
SENIOR SLIP'N SLIDE



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2023-2024
Basketball
Schedule](#)

2023 VCC Champions



2024 Athletic Hall of Fame

Plans are being made for the next inductions into the Prince Edward Academy/Fuqua School Athletic Hall of Fame.

Established in 1999, the Athletic Hall of Fame honors those who have made lasting contributions by their outstanding achievement in athletics or service to the athletics program. The Hall of Fame inducts not only former athletes, but also coaches, administrators, and others who have contributed to our rich athletic history. In addition, "Special Citations" are awarded to recognize individuals making similar contributions in supportive roles.

To be eligible for selection, the candidate's most recent contribution in high school athletics must have occurred five or more years prior to his/her induction. Consideration is given to All-State, All-Conference, MVP, and other similar awards, as well as team captaincy, how the individual compared to other athletes during their time, and leadership.

Please use the following link to see review the members of the Athletic Hall of Fame. If there is an athlete you believe should join this list of worthy Wolverines and Falcons please submit a nomination form at franktm@fuquaschool.org.



Stay Updated!

The Alumni Office would like to have updated information about you in our files. Often, we have some of the information, yet there is always some missing. In order to have as accurate a record as possible, we ask that you take a few minutes to update your information. The information gathered will help our office as we plan events and help with ways to communicate with all of our alumni. As part of our family, we want to know all of the big and little things happening in your life- from marriages, children, degrees, job promotions and more. Please keep us updated with your latest news and information through our Alumni Office.

To update your info, please contact Tammy in the Alumni Office at franktm@fuquaschool.org or 434-392-4131 ext.235

Gee-Price Activity Center Renovations

J.B. Fuqua Tribute Wall



J. B. FUQUA

Leader—Public Servant—Philanthropist

The ultimate rags to riches story, J. B. Fuqua was a self-made businessman who started with handmade ham radios and built a multimillion-dollar empire. Mr. Fuqua was a great philanthropist and businessman who proved that the American dream was alive and well. Through his generosity to countless organizations, Mr. Fuqua's legacy lives on today helping others realize their dreams.

LAYING A FOUNDATION

Coming up first and then back to the office in a small business firm... J. B. Fuqua... Laid the foundation for the school...

FAMILY

J. B. Fuqua... Family... Laid the foundation for the school...

PATH TO PROMINENCE

J. B. Fuqua... Path to Prominence... Laid the foundation for the school...

We are thankful to our generous donors who made the renovations to the Gee-Price Activity Center possible.

Linda Stokes Johnson '64	Stokes Construction LLC	Jack & Lynne Boswell	Joyce P Eggleston '76
Collin Stokes '98	Buckingham Family Dentistry	Chris & Chassity Pembelton	Hunter & Llewellyn Watson
Robert M. Jones '77	Dr. R. Kirland Hubbard		



Falcon Fund Goal: \$175,000

"It's not the amount of the gift that matters.
It's that our school matters to you!"

-Paul "Chance" Reynolds

The Falcon Fund supports Fuqua School's greatest needs and provides key academic resources for our school. Please consider making a donation by Giving Tuesday, November 28.

Visit www.fuquaschool.org/falconfund to donate online.
Thank you for your continued support.