2010 pathways
McDaniel Senior Memories...

“We will never forget the good times on the hill”

Lauren Laker: One of my favorite memories at McDaniel is on graduation day, filing through Big Baker and out towards the quad, through a mass of people surrounding us as the bell was being rung by President Coley. But this time it wasn’t just the same old ring I would hear everyday at the hour on the hour, it was the same sound that I heard when coming into McDaniel when I rang the bell as a freshmen, and chills just went shivering down my spine. I felt like a celebrity and couldn’t believe that this time had come so fast. Four years really does fly by, but I have memories that will last a lifetime.

Casey Taub: Running down the newly windexed floor hallway and my feet sliding out from underneath me! Cleaning up the dishes from dinner and as usual, an impatient person wants all the dirty ones off the table immediately...so naturally the large vase of flowers and molded water goes all over the counter and kitchen floor :) ohhh college!

Roxanne F: One of my favorite memories is with the cross country team. After Regionals my freshman year, it was freezing cold and pouring down rain. After the race, we were already so muddy that we decided to go mud sliding down a hill off to the side of the course. We were then covered in mud from head to toe. I guess we didn’t think the whole thing through because we had a 5 hour bus ride home before we could get clean. It was worth it though!

Jodi Feehan: Senior week was one of my favorite times. Hanging out in the quad and staying up late with friends and laughing at each other. Also having fun times in the apartment and goofing off will be the times I never forget. Though my all-time favorite memory has to be when my best friend came out of the bathroom and told me she found a jimmie in her pants after ice-cream night in GLAR. I never laughed so hard in my life!
Mary Grace Gozalez: Winning ECACs at home for lacrosse freshman year and all the awesome times with my teammates especially the trips to Costa Rica and Disney World to celebrate my senior season.

Lisa Katchan: My favorite memory from McDaniel is eating dinner in glare with the cross country and track teams after practice every day.

Ryan Graves: My favorite memory was Saturday home baseball games when all the fans would come out lay on the side of the field and support all the players of the green terror.

Jessie Dunn: Even though we all got a little stir crazy, I loved snowmaggedon and sledding down the golf course!

Kristen McGeeney: My two favorite memories are climbing the great wall of China and hiking up to the beautiful castles in Germany during jan term.

Emily Hajjar: My favorite memory from McDaniel was having girl nights with Roxy, Sepo, Jodi and Casey in the ANW suite. We would plan to get homework done but end up talking and laughing for hours.

Gordon Webb: My favorite memory happened in 2007. It was freshman year, and my girlfriend was out for the day with her roommate. I was having some problems with my hamstring at the time, so much that I had to stretch like 5 times a day just so I could walk. This day also happened to by April 1st, so I thought of something... I sent my girlfriend one text that went something like this: “My doctor thinks I tore my hamstring so I am going to the ER now. I can’t walk. I have to turn off my phone now but I’ll call you when I can xoxo.” and then I turned my phone off. At this point I was in the Library, and my girlfriend was on her way back to campus with her roommate. She was worried sick (I felt bad). She tried calling and texting me but it wasn’t going through. She didn’t know how to contact my parents at the time, and she wasn’t sure where I was. She went to Campus Safety and asked if they knew anything, but of course they didn’t. She called the local hospital. She gave the hospital my name, and they said it back to her on the phone, to confirm my last name. My girlfriend said “yes, that’s the name!” (thinking I was there), but they said “no, no one by that name here”. Hours passed and she looked everywhere she could think of for me on campus, thinking it could have been a joke. When she finally found me, her face was priceless: pissed off, relieved, excited, and sad, all in one. It was the best prank I ever did to anyone, and I will never forget it. Sorry baby!
Whether Teaching, Learning or Just Having a Good Time

Activities Across Campus are Shared by Everyone
McDaniel Buildings

College

[Images of various buildings on a college campus]
January Term

Travel

Explore

Experience
The lionfish and fire coral - what a lovely sight. Don't get too close because you will regret it! The students were warned about these two dangers before they even got on the plane. DO NOT TOUCH! Most students did not have a problem with obeying that rule. Despite the threat of danger, students had an amazing experience snorkeling at numerous spots throughout the Bahamas. After long days of swimming at various reefs, students always found time to have fun doing flips off boats or to relax in the crystal blue water while soaking up the sun.
Treasures of Central Europe
Pirate Hats, Dancing Princesses, and Mickey Mouse brought joy to McDaniel students during this fun filled trip.
Greek Life
Relay for Life
2010

12 hours...One Community...One Mission = Raise money for Cancer

Money Raised: $33,506.00

Participants: 448

Teams: 34

Top Teams:
Phi Alpha Mu, McDaniel Admissions, RiffRaff

Top Participants:
Heidi Reigel
Florence Hines
Jack Rinn
SCENES
Man sentenced to 10 years in hit-and-run of McDaniell student Thomas Rouleau.

Music honors society brings tunes to the Pub.

Fashion Show delights.

Beware of malware: McDaniell Internet users.

McDaniel Allies joins fight for LGBT rights.

Zimbra vs Gmail.

Government subsidies help raise cost of college tuition.

Terror spring sports.

Off-campus party bust.

Freshmen athletes take congrats.
McDaniel Increases Tuition Almost $2000

Rachel’s Law: Student advocates for better Closed Captioning

Freshmen lounge in style

Cost of ‘Snowmageddon’

Snow-cancelled 100 Days party rescheduled for March

Field Hockey player can balance school and fun

Coley will be no ‘lame’ lame duck

Walking for a cause

Women’s b-ball wins fourth championship in college history
Blood Wedding

VANITIES
Musical Performances
Clubs at McDaniel
We bring together dancers from around the campus community to share our love of dance with one another and with McDaniel College. We do many styles of dance and draw from member experience to develop original choreography. We have an annual recital and perform on campus.

Back row: Fatmata Timbo, Sydney Kirchoff, Jason Harder, Missy Jameson
Front row: Terre Martin, Anna Beers, Jess Nanney
Splits: Karly Ziegler, Maria Fauconnet

The belly dancing club is a way for students to learn belly dancing and perform on campus. We sponsor Belly Dancing Hafla and perform before Vagina Monologues.

Top: Markia Davis, Heather Sands, Kelly Witowsky, Raquel Melendez, Kendra Shillenn, Sunita Patnik and Darcy Sullivan

We represent the LGBT community and its straight allies on campus. We advocate equally for the populations we represent and strive to provide a safe place for discussion and expression. Activities such as day of silence, drag show fundraiser and kindness notes are performed throughout the school year.

First row: Nadine Heron, Courntey Chang, Graham Miles, Alex Vazzano, Pamela Knopp, Masha Makhlyagina, and Laura Manos-hey
Second Row: Warren Herman, Raquel Melendez, Jen Solmon and Julie Thommen
Third Row: Hanna Barker, Clara Burgess and Dani Allen
CAPBOARD is a student run organization made up of six committees: Films, Special Events, Cultural Arts, Mainstage, Second Stage and Promotions. Throughout the school year CAPBOARD helps with Spring Fling, bus trips to NYC, pub performances, Friday night moves, comedy nights, hypnotist and karaoke night.

First Row: Laura Foley, Kristen McGeeney, Timothy Foley,
Second Row: Luke Schmidt, Rebekah James
Third Row: Mitchell Alexander, Rob Rosenberg, Chris Rondo

We represent the commuters of this institution, which comprises 23% of the entire student body. We are the representation for all commuters concerning issues that affect the entire college that requires input from the students. Activities such as suicide prevention week, homecoming parade and "Note This" are done throughout the school year.

First Row: Garret Tjueatt, Masha Makhlyagina, Steve W. Carney
Second Row: Mitchell Alexander, Jenna Litte and Kristina Martin

Circle K is a community service club. Activities such as volunteering at the humane society, bingo and making sandwiches for the homeless are performed throughout the school year.

First Row: Dani Allen, Krystina Shulet, Bryannia Bongioni
Second Row: Clara Burgess, Ashlynn Parker, Rebekah James, Catherine O'Keeffe
Third Row: Hanna Barker, Max Ebert, Kelsey Dickman
Fourth Row: Mara Seibert, Luke Schmidt
Fifth Row: Anna Galloway and Kerri Wallis
Student run radio station with student DJs and student-designed events. Broadcasts on AM1620 and streaming on the campus. Activities such as cookouts, club rooms, concerts and dances are performed throughout the school year.

First Row: Melanie Darling, Becky Bones, Henry Warsteiner, Rich Esposito, Matt Defonzo, Mike Monaco, Pinball Wizard, Hanna Barker

Second Row: Charles Mullin, Josh Vyskocil, David VanTassell, Jacob Friedman, Evan Kreuzinger

We do philosophy. Activities performed throughout the school year are Know Your Rights and Soapbox.

First row: Jacob Friedman, Issac Wolinska, Darcy Elburn  
Second Row: Brandon Senter, Sean Shaffer, Lin Oo  
Third Row: Darcy Sullivan, Andrew Strahosky, Doug McKeene  
Fourth Row: Omar Brown and Alex Vazzano

The psychology club is not just for psychology majors, and is open to anyone interested in any form of psychology. We discuss current issues, plan events, and help members pursue career goals in psychology. Activities such as visits from sex therapists, hypnotists, internship fairs and t-shirt fundraisers are performed throughout the school year.

First Row: Max Ebert, Alexandria Zimbicki, Jessie Dunn, Lauren DiNatalie  
Second Row: Casey Dunn, Julia Strumpell, Nancy Franklin and Molly Barker
Maryland Student Legislature is a statewide debate organization that offers debate and legislation. Activities such as 4 statewide events simulating the Maryland General Assembly are done throughout the school year.

First Row: Max Ebert, Raezel Geiser, Sarah Martin
Second Row: Hayoung Kim, Ryan Spicer, Steven Carney, Claire Turpel
Third Row: Matt Emery and Henry Warsteiner

Relay for Life is a student run event in which the students, faculty and community help raise money for the American Cancer Society. Relay for Life is a 12 hour walk hoping to raise money for education and research.

First Row: Kaitlin Cutter, Marilyn Topper, Emily Reed, Jessie Dunn, Jodi Feehan and Chris Zimmerman

Alpha Lambda Delta is first-year honor society. Community service events, and campus academic encouragement is done throughout the school year.

First Row: Johanna Caruthers, Sabrina Clark, Claire Turpel, Kristin Behrie
Second Row: Raquel Melendez, Jessie Dunn, Molly Barker, Kelly Hauprich, Steven Carney
Third Row: Kim Williams, Nadine Heron, Pamela Knopp, Sarah Martin, Ben Andres
Fourth Row: Sunita Pathik, Jennifer Rouzer, Warren Herman, Jenna Little, Masha Makhlyagina
Fifth Row: Justin Hones, Jennifer Garnatt, Matt Defonzo and Alex Vazzano
Sophisticated Ladies and Gentlemen is a club that promotes unity among college students and allow students to express themselves and grow together in a sophisticated environment. Activities such as curse free week and sophisticated party are done throughout the school year.

First row: Kwel Maduot, Ashley Dwumfuor, Rita Kabaso, Karia Saravia and Selam Andu
Second Row: Omar Brown and Rafael Seyum

We promote enviromental issues on and off campus. Activities such as trash quest, green festival, recycle bowling, recycle mania, international day of peace, and much more are done throughout the school year.

First Row: Anna Martin, Sunita Pathila
Second Row: Kristin Behrle, Claire Turpel, Kim Williams
Third Row: Lin Oo, Matthew Beach, Darcy Sullivan
Fourth: Omar Brown, Kendra Shilleen, and Justin Jones

Psi Chi is McDaniel's chapter of the National Honor Society in psychology. Activities such as graduate school panel, service projects and internships are done throughout the school year.

Front Row: Kaitlin Cutter, Molly Barker, Jessie Dunn
Second Row: Kelly Scheler, Adina Oved
Third Row: Raquel Melendez, Rebecca Tilyou, Mary Crocamo
Fourth Row: Chris Rondo, Ashleigh Rizzo, Warren Herman
Honors Club does smart stuff together and act like dorks! Activities such as SERRV, Relay for Life, Blood drives and random suite activities are done throughout the semester.

First Row: Jake Friedman, Claire Turpel, Kristen McGeeney, Sabrina Clarke, Katie Bonaduce
Second Row: Morgan Thomas, Rhaelynn Givens, Ashlynn Parker, Stefanie Quintero, Danni Allen, Krystine Shultz
Third Row: Kristin Behrie, Kim Williams, Sunita Pathik, Dallas Tolbord, Clara Burgess
Fourth Row: Mara Seibert, Kerry Morrison, Rebekah James, Hanna Barker, Ben Andres, Nadine Heron, Pamela Knopp
Fifth Row: Kelsey Dickman, Caitlin Roethel, Matt DeFonzo, Alex Vazzano, Gus Foley, Tyler Justice
Sixth Row: Casey Dunn, Ethan Wilson

Women's Issues Group acts as an open forum and support group for all those dealing with any issues regarding gender. Activities throughout the school year include, Love Your Body Week, Co-Sponsor The Vagina Monologues, Co-Sponsor Phenomenal Women Luncheon.

left to right, back row: Laura Abbasi, Hanna Barker, Jeneice Shaw, Nathan Wuertenberg, Andrew Rauch
left to right, middle row: Kendra Shilenn, Dawn Aldrich, Lauren Hamby, Siri Hiltz
left to right, bottom row: Turner Conrad, Mike Monaco

McDaniel Cheer Squad cheers for Football and Men and Women's Basketball. Activities such as games, midnight madness, parade, and community serve are done throughout the school year.

(Left to Right)
Back Row: Derrick Woolfson, Megan Cook, Allison Short, Julia Linko, Jenny Trigueros, Ashley Chase, Michael Gainor.
Middle Row: Leslie Tanamar, Allison Schmitz, Karla Saravia, Tiffani Scott, Kyrra Goldring
Front Row: Amber Lassen (Captain) and Susan Prodoehl (Coach)
Trumpeters is a campus leadership honor society to recognize senior women displaying exemplary qualities of leadership, integrity, and sincerity. Acceptance into the Trumpeters is one of the highest honors at McDaniel. Activities such as Boo Grams, Undergraduate Leadership Banquet, Undergraduate Awards Ceremony are performed throughout the school year.

Top Row: Julie Busch, Dawn Aldrich, Melissa Atkinson, Brittany Wells, Michael Beard, Anna Moffett
Bottom Row: Lindsay Anderson, Dr. Sara Raley

The Asian Community Coalition (ACC) is a group devoted to educating and spreading awareness on the diversity of Asian cultures. Activities such as arigato sensei, origami night, rose exchange, and Taste of Korea are done throughout the school year.

Back: George Williams
Second Row: Anna Conley, Hei Sung Choi, Tiara Tirasawasdichai, and Hayoung Kim
Front Row: Derrick Woolfson, Sarah Conley, Eric Tunder, Kim Trang, and Mike Bartoo-Abud

The Outdoors Club travels to many state parks in Maryland and Pennsylvania doing a lot of different outdoor adventures. We perform activities throughout the school year such as: hiking, mountain biking, camping, skiing, rock climbing, bouldering, tubing, and much more.

First Row:
Mara Seibert, Paula Senff, Cindy Sordo
Second Row: Natalie Fitzpatrick, Sunita Pathik, Kristin Behrie
Third Row: Kim Williams, Joe Ottomano, Chris Bosco, John Gore'langton, Anna Martia
Fourth Row: Autumn Morrison and Kim Moran
The Maryland State Education Association completes community service at local schools in Carroll County and spreads awareness of Education on and off campus. Through workshops and networking, we expand our development in the field of Education on a local and national level. Our service projects and membership workshops for 2009-2010 year include Oktoberfest, Read Across America, Jump Rope and Hoops For Heart, Student Teacher and First Year Teacher Panel, and Teacher Appreciation Week.

From left to right (top row): Alexa Panayi, Kelly Whall, Ashleigh Rizzo, Elizabeth Brown, Frannia Bryant, Victoria Pickett, Morgan Cosmin, Sara Boteler, Erika Clark, Catherine Mills, Kate Zimmer.
From left to right (bottom row): Chris Zimmerman, Henry Belfont

BSU is an organization that stimulates unity on campus, serves as a base from which African American students can address their views and needs and helps the McDaniel community understand the heritage of various Black cultures through implementing artistic, intellectual, and constructive activities and programs. Activities such as the annual fashion show, soul food dinner, and jazz nights at the pub performed throughout the school year.

First Row: Justin Harmon, Omar Brown, Kandice Wilson, Trevor Crest, Jocelyn McKinley, Ashley Day
Second Row: Dovetta Blair, Niya Wills, Dwight Carmon, Frannia Bryant, Kendal Ford
Third Row: Kristina Karim-Makle, Jaina Maultsby, Markia David

The puppy club is an affinity group on campus who raise service dogs while spreading the word about our parent organization, CCI. Activities such as free Ritas night, trips to Long Island CCI Facility and other CCI events are performed during the school year.

First Row: Abby Vickers, Whit, Liesel Parrish, Zach Thompson
The Ultimate Frisbee Club is a coed group that plays four times a week, usually at night with light-up Frisbees. We play in a relaxed manner and are always looking for new members to add to the fun.


The Ultimate Frisbee Club

First Row: Kyle Heppner, Andrew Erickson and Kevin Felza
Second Row: Jesse Nagle, Albert Leach, Ross Smith and Bob Gibbons

The brothers of Alpha Gamma Tau have successfully completed another year on the Hill. The tradition lives on.

Alpha Nu Omega is a local sorority founded right here at McDaniel in 1979. It has evolved into a bigger network than the founding sisters could have ever imagined. We just celebrated our 30th reunion this year!

These girls are proud members and will have friendships that will last a lifetime. The Omegas know how to get down to business but more importantly know how to have fun.

President: Kaiti Reynolds, Vice President: Jessie Largent, Secretary: Kelly Schaub, Treasurer: Lauren Laker

Top Row (left to right): Kaylee Beal, Kaiti Reynolds, Amanda Burke, Jessie Largent, Gaby CFuentes, Kelly Schaub, Annie Myers, Jessica Gelber, Nicole Cristy, Ismatu Daramy, Stephanie Nichols
Middle Row: Chelsea Watkins, Stephanie Tompson, Brittany Lines, Lauren Laker, Erin McDonnell, Maria Malloy, Megan Giroux, Jennie Wiener, Austin Westermann
Bottom Row: Paris Fossa, Kristin Nelson, Sarah Maize, Jamie Latham
Phi Sigma Sigma is an international sorority, founded in 1913. We became Phi Sigma Sigma at McDaniel in 1981. Activities throughout the year: Sisterhood Retreats, St. Jude Writing Campaign and Finale event, Relay for Life, Soup Kitchens, Alcohol Awareness Luminaries, Groove to Move Dance-a-Thon, Recruitment Events, Polar Bear Plunge to support the Special Olympics, Basket/Vera Bradley Bingo. Participated in the Reveal of the Carpe Diem Campaign, and many more!

(left to right)
Front Row: Jessica Minacapelli, Anna Moffett
Second Row: Lila Snow, Amy Glock, Logan Burke, Lindsay Anderson, Rachel Sanchez, Samantha Nucci, Maggie Bentley, Courtney Jackson, Courtney Proudlock
Third Row: Lee Wallick, Annie Armiger, Whitney Younghans, Candice Voland, Sarah Byron, Brooke Hogan, Rachel Thrasher, Alyssa Barry, Sarah McGuirk, Hannah Markuson
Fourth Row: Meg Biggart, Melody Voland, Samantha Staub, Alyssa Cobuzio, Kelly Toms, Caitlin Flynn, Alex Spivack, Abbie Morgan, Whitney Pritchard, Rachel Hansell, Kathleen Phelan, Ashley Tieperman, Chelsea Gunther, Adina Oved, Kendall Fielding, Katie Jo Ferguson

Phi Delta Theta is a fraternity aimed at making men better men. Activities such as Miss McDaniel, Delta-Palooza and Polar Bear Plunge are performed during the school year.

First Row: Garrett Souers, David Bond, Brandon Taormina, David Rosenblatt, James Eu and Nick Bender

The Hispano-Latino Alliance of McDaniel College provides an open forum for Latino and other students interested in the current issues and culture of the Hispano-Latino community. HLA seeks to increase awareness and cultural understanding. The largest event the Hispano-Latino Alliance puts on is the annual "Taste of Latin America" dinner.

First Row: Angel Gálvez, Tyler Kudravetz, Fernando Gomes, Rachele Fortier, Chris Bosco, Julia Strumpell
Second Row: Rachel Lopez, Laura Thompson, Caitlin Rivet, Hannah Elovich
GREEN TERROR!

SPORTS
2009 ROSTER

Saum Sami  
Nick DeLuca  
Travis Wenrich  
Paul Smith  
Tom Massucci  
Aaron Slaughter*  
Jake Nichols  
Joe Lapkowicz  
CJ Billera  
Kevin White  
Sean Copko  
Tim McLister  
Nick Brunner  
Tyler Martin  
Tyler Jaworowski  
Tom Little  
Chuck Kronmiller  
Ian Procter  
Matt Lafrennie  
Tommy Prazencia  
Tanner Cannavo  
Skyler Fults  
Zach Swope  
Chris Kolb  
TJ Develin  
Rick Gonzalez  
Jesse Jarvis  
Micah Brown  
Brady Akers  
Ryan Blaser  
Jamal Booker  
Donny Sherman  
Ray O'Hara  
Steve Long  
Albert Leech  
Mike Weck*  
Paul Sellinger  
Elec Trainor  
Will Neutzling  
Jimmy Sellinger  
Tyler Lloyd  
Patrick Desmond  
Matt DeFonzo  
Obi Ilupeju  
Scott Magerer  
Juris Eyles  
Casey Briggs  
Joseph Timpanaro  
Sujan Baniya  
Larry Thomas  
Shelby Dolby  
Andrew Rosenblatt  
Sean Urbany  
Diego Weiner  
Eric Zwilsky*  
Jeff Shoolbraid  
Joe Soellner  
Steve Wetherhold  
Billy Wessells  
Brian Garbutt  
Kenny Dockal  
James Henthorn  
Jason Bryan  
Sean Searfass  
Austin Herr*  
Patrick Floyd  
Nick Bender  
Ryan Procaccini  
Morgan Brooks  
Tom Orrok  
Ryan Hyde  
Matt Cahill*  
Aaron Burns  
Woody Butler  
Shane Edmond  
Roger McGuinn  
Sam Cox  
John Dunford  
Mike Ford  
Jackson Drury  
Bill Gerdes  

*Captain

HEAD COACH:  
Tim Keating  
17th Season

Assistant Coaches:  
Aaron Bartolain  
Mike Dailey  
Chris Bassler  
Alonso Escalante  
Greg Furhman  
Joey Garner  
Todd Parsons  
Josh Rutter  
Jamie Unger
Green Terror 5-5
Men's Soccer

2009 ROSTER

Paul Jaworski
Adam Dobey
Adam Sommers*
Nathan Greenwood
Micah Powell
Paul Seegren*
Matthew Gillen
Eddy Lingue
Michael Beard
Marrio Davis
Seth Marple
Timothy Wineke
Bram Wilson
David Cross
Johh LaRocca
Tony Vormdran

Brian Mauck
Ben Eveler
Trevor Crest
Max Rutherford
Donald Dokas
Benjamin Knight
Robert Holaesch

Head Coach:
Jim Reigel
3rd Season

Assistant Coaches:
Ed DeVincen
Kevin Henderson

*Captain
2009 ROSTER

Leanne Hollinger
Kristin Cochran
Jan Woolley
Becky Newman
Rachael Hurst
Kelly Scheler
Jessica Peyton*
Cara Roig
Kelsey Dennis
Emily Harman
Ellen Nicey
Hilary Hanus
Tia Scott
Claire Woolley
Liz Beal
Lisa Jurd
Lauren Strumsky
Ariel Cangemi

Brittany Baer*
Kelly Crawford
Emma Adams
Melaine Armstrong*

Head Coach:
Bryan Shumaker
3rd Season

Assistant Coaches:
Maurice Boylan
Meagan Mattson
Michelle Keller

*Captain
2009 ROSTER

Sarah Byron  
Lanni Reisinger*  
Jackie Hawkins  
Maggie Fennelly  
Anny McShea  
Sara Hanlon  
Kristen Knuckles*  
Katie Ferguson  
Emily Creighton  
Taylor Herrgott  
Jaina Maultsby  
Kelly Toms

Head Coach:  
Carole Molloy  
17th Season

*Captain
2009 ROSTER

Kevin Bowman
Matthew Hale
Rob Kelvey
Torin Lehmann
Graham Miles
Russell Morin
CJ Naper
Alex Rieser
Ron Shriver

Kristen Bell
Missy Black
Joy Chand
Lauren DiNatalie
Forest Fleischer
Roxanne Fleischer
Jennifer Garnett
Emily Hajjar
Sarah Holbrook
Lisa Katchen
Monika Lemke
Emma Nichols
Emily Peoples
Laura Shinn
Lindsay Wilson
Head Coach:
Doug Renner
25th Season

Assistant Coaches:
Diana Pool
Tim Snyder
ROSTER

Greg Bowman
Alex Campbell
Bryan Johnson
Paul Kovalcheck
KJ Mazurek
Chris Merrill
Conor O'Maille
Jeff Smith

Head Coach:
Scott Moyer
24th Season

*Captain
Field Hockey

7-10

ROSTER
Jessica Largent
Mandy Pickard
Kaitlin Boerman
Elza Blatchford
Samantha Castle
Stephanie Hammond*
Lindsay Riordon
Kerry Campbell
Kaitlin Mahoney
Emma Ardolino*
Paige Messersmith
Katherine Jones
Michelle Deitrick
Hope Battista
Kathryn Corson
Kelly McGarry
Stephanie Thomson

Head Coach:
Melissa Miranda Jones
4th Season

Assistant Coach:
Kristin Ramey

*Captains
ROSTER

Mitch Belella
Christopher Cowles
Michael Jarboe
Joseph Potucek
Dwayne Whiten
Michael McClain
Tyler Rudd
Karl Nelson
Louis Sarris-Grau
Max Keenan
Miguel Jones*
Marcus Dyson
Chad Eckenrode
Grant Mumert
Steve Wilson*
Woody Butler

Head Coach:
Kevin Curley
3rd Season

Assistant Coaches:
Michael Crawford
Chris Prior
Joe Yeck

*Captain
ROSTER

Katelyn Fischer
Ali Moreland *
Sally Grace
Kim Acton
Catherine Mills
Kate Zimmer
Meg Biggart
Meredith Larsen
Kelsey Franklin
Emma Adams
Sam Witman
Cara Thompson
Rachael Rybak
Whitney Snoops
Ashley Lyles
Amy Bare
Katherine Restrepo

Head Coach:
Becky Martin
29th Season

Assistant Coach:
Jerry Georgiana
Brian Hollingsworth
Phil Popieliski

*Captain
Wrestling

ROSTER

Tim Boehm*
Joe Camlin
Marcus Carter
Peter Caruso
Sean Crimmins
Sean Ensign
Earl Eppard
Scott Forrester
Brock Gitoffity* 
Mason Goldbach 
Tommy Goretsas 
Tim Hall*
Mike Hill
Torin Lehmnn
Mark Loebeck
Brent Lowe 
James McGarry 
Sean McGarry
Joshua Moore
CJ Naper
Matt Peters
Jacob Relk
Jake Schuster
Jimmy Selfinger
Ryan Spicer
Michael Tancredi
Tony Vorndran
Will Yeo*
James Young III

Head Coach:
Davey Blake
3rd Season

Assistant Coaches:
Steve Colasuonno
Wes Winters

*Captains
ROSTER

Ty Wittelsberger  
Jed Barnes  
JS Duke  
William Clary  
Kyle Hadden*  
Nick DiBernardo  
K.H. Schultz*  
Michael Woghom  
Brad O’Brien  
Deane Mellor  
DJ Rickels  
Joe Browning  
Brad Motley  
Nick Sicuranza  
Evan Peoples  
Nelson Hannahs  
Chris Gore  
TJ Willoughby  
Zach Weedon  
Michael Young  
Greg Mayer  
Kevin Wright  
Matt Dean  
Andrew Mummert  
Gibbs Preston  
Nick Hogan  
Preston Ketchum  
Warren Kraft  
Austin Gutowski  
Evan Roberts  
Ryan Hennessy  
Alex McCoy  
Mike Marks  
Mike Craig  

Alec Farrell  
Zach Woods  
Marrio Davis  
James Gibbons  
Bobby Ward  
Daniel Alderman  
Matt Mummert  
Chris McLaughlin  
Jordan Scott  
Anthony Falgares  

Head Coach:  
Matt Hatton  
4th Season  

Assistant:  
Brian Chaapel  
Jared Nutter  
Zach Hinton  
Jim Talbert  

*Captain
ROSTER

Lisa Jurd
Stephanie Serbun
Jacqui Williar
Ivon Martinez
Steph Nichols
Alison Rose
Kerry Campbell
Emily Harman
Kaitlin Mahoney
Erin McDonnell
Kelly Schelter
Emma Ardolino
Paige Messersmith
Lauren Vilkas
Brittany Baer
Anna Beaudrey
Brittany Lines
Ellen Nicely
Sarah Mintz
Katherine Jones
Leanne Hollinger
Chelsea Watkins
Gretchen Griffith
Katherine Herzog

Head Coach:
Muffie Bliss
6th Season

Assistant Coaches:
Kristin Ramey
Meagan Mattson

*Captain
Women's Lacrosse
ROSTER

Matthew Bodnar
Brian Rosato
Dan French
Kyle Pruitt
Andrew Worm*
Tyler Jackow
Brandon Kline
Ray Hart*
Chris Zimmerman
Zach Jones
Ricky LaSota
Patrick Christopher
Jimmy Najera
Ian DeLancey
Greg Povlow
Sergio Nieto
Mike Freeman
Russell Coover*
Patrick Quinn
Gio Fricchione
Ryan Byrnes
Robert Rowse
Dan Wawrzusin
Greg Davis
Joe Drzonsc
Danny Snigh
Christian Wingate
Kevin McNealy
Matthew Pace
James Ways
Garret Nemser
Brad Kline

Head Coach:
Dave Seibert
30th Season

Assistant:
Ryan Graves
Bob Ackerman
Ben Garver
Michael Jarett

*Captain
ROSTER

Lauren Fusco
Jordan Beans
Ashley Crawford
Tracy Davis
Devon Fogarty
Brittany Jarboe
Samantha Staub
Ashley Meister
Samantha Reigel*
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CONGRATULATIONS,

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CONGRATULATIONS,
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CLASS OF 2010!
"The thing always happens that you really believe in; and the belief in a thing makes it happen."

- Frank Loyd Wright
Seniors of 2010
Pamela Knopp
Tyler Kudravetz
James Kunkel
Lauren Laker
Jessica Largent
Amber Lassen
Casey Taub
Daniel Taylor
Claire Turpel
Alex Vazzano
Andrew Velnoskey
Joshua Vyskocil
"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams."

-Eleanor Roosevelt

Best of Luck Seniors!
MCDANIEL COLLEGE

Graduating Class
of 2010
Pathways Yearbook Staff

Lauren Laker
Jodi Feehan
Luke Schmidt
Rebekah James
Heather Sands
Closing Remarks

Congratulations...WE DID IT! It feels like yesterday that we were all in Little Baker discussing our summer reading book and meeting with our Peer Mentors. These four years went by so fast and I wish everyone the best of luck. I hope this book helps you all to remember the great times that happened on the Hill. I want to thank all the staff members for helping create this book. Lauren, Luke, Rebekah and Heather have worked very hard in order to recreate the special memories we have all shared together. We could not have done it without our yearbook advisor Nicole Robbins, thank you for all your dedication and hard work. I will miss being the McDaniel Pathways editor but I know the club is in good hands. Good luck and farewell Seniors of 2010. I hope you all can look through this book years from now and remember the great times we all had at McDaniel College.

Jodi Feehan
- Editor
TJ,
Congratulations!
What a wonderful son we were blessed with, and a remarkable young man you became. It has been a real joy watching you through the years with playing football and basketball, and all of your accomplishments so far. Keep up the good work as we are proud of you. No matter where life takes you always remember we will be there for you. We wish you success, joy, and a life full of happiness.
Love,
Mom and Dad
Karen and Debbie

Mandy Slenn

It seems like yesterday we welcomed you into our world. You have grown into a smart, beautiful, and special young woman, and we are proud to have you for our daughter. We hope the future paths you choose always bring you happiness and success. We will always be there for you.

Love, Mom & Dad

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The light of our lives is the SON in our eyes
Congratulations to our SON
Arturo Andres Abreu - 2nd Lt
Maryland National Guard
Bachelor Degree in Political Science
Class of 2010
We Love You, Mom & Dad

Austin Miller,
We are very proud of your successful transition and completion at McDaniel College! You have proven that through hard work and perseverance you can accomplish amazing things. It is evident that McDaniel has prepared you with self-confidence and personal credibility that will allow you to excel in this competitive world. Your positive attitude, decision making and leadership traits will give you the fortitude to prevail and achieve your desired goals.
All our Love,
Mom, Dad, Jordan and Cassie
Mark Allen Steiding

"Dream big, plan well, work hard, smile always and good things will happen."

Congratulations Mark on your graduation from McDaniel College. We are so very proud of you! We love you so much and will always be there for you!

Love,
Mom and Dad
CONGRATULATIONS DAN!

You have always made us so very proud!

Remember that we will always be here for you!

We all love you so very much!

With All Our Love and Pride,

Mom, Dad, Robby, Brittany, Kaitlyn and Joey
LINDSAY ANDERSON
May 22, 2010

We are your biggest Cheerleaders!

It has been our honor to have you in our family.....
You've grown to be a lovely young woman. A fierce desire to help those around you is to be admired.
Your infectious smile, joyful attitude, generous heart, and constant compassion are truly gifts from God. Treasure those qualities.

We wish you the very best out of life and pray God will bless you always. Good luck at Grad School.

Remember...... you are special!

Love, Pa & Ma Shawley
Pap & Gram Long
"The reward of a thing well done is to have done it." Emerson

Dear Andrew,

Yes you have done it! You began your time at McDaniel as a teenager we could be proud of, and you are leaving as an adult we are even more proud of, if that is possible.

Andrew, you have made excellent choices in life so far, and we can't wait to see what life holds for you in the future.

Congratulations on your college graduation. And even though you are no longer our "little boy", know that we will always love you bushels.

Mom & Dad

Mazel tov, Sabrina

We are all so proud of all you have achieved...

You approach the world with joy & song...

...And each day, another person sings!

We love you!

Mom, Dad

Stuart & Elaina

Jess,

Keep being all you can be,
Keep doing all you can do,
We're all so very proud of you!

Love,

Mom, Denny, Nick, Jimmy, Krisy
ROBERT SHAWLEY

Remember........

Be joyful always, pray continually, and give thanks in all circumstances for this is God’s will for you in Christ. 1st Thessalonians 5:16-18

From the day of your birth, you’ve been a gift to us. We’ve been excited and proud to watch you grow and find your path in life. What a privilege it has been for us to share everything with you. Thank you Rob for making our life a joy!

As this chapter is about to close, we hope you are excited to begin the next. Never be content. Learn all you can and know that no one can hold you back except yourself. Dream big and go for it. Approach your future endeavors with grit and determination.

What else can we say? Keep God at the center of all you do. Be happy and enjoy your graduation........you’ve earned it.

Love You, Dad & Mom, Billy, Grandmaw, and Pappy

May 22, 2010
Chris Molloy

“All the world’s a stage...”

"BREAK A LEG BUD!"
BEST OF LUCK &
SUCCESS AHEAD!
LUV, MOM, B, & FAMILY
Dear Whitney,

How can it possibly be four years since we watched you ring the bell on "the hill". That was the beginning of your journey at McDaniel and now we are going to watch you ring that same bell for the second time. We have enjoyed watching you mature into a beautiful, well-rounded, independent woman. We could not be prouder!

We love you always and forever,
Mom, Dad, Wayne and Patty
JESSICA MINACAPPELLI

TWENTY YEARS FROM NOW YOU WILL BE MORE DISAPPOINTED BY THE THINGS YOU DIDN'T DO THAN BY THE ONES YOU DID. SO THROW OFF THE BOWLINES, SAIL AWAY FROM THE SAFE HARBOR. CATCH THE TRADE WINDS IN YOUR SAILS. EXPLORE. DREAM. DISCOVER.

Love always,
Mom, Dad, & Nic
Congratulations Anthony!

It felt like yesterday we were dropping you off for the start of your Freshman year and now four years later you’re graduating McDaniel College. We are so proud of the man you have become and are honored to have you as our son. Have the courage to follow your dreams and remember that God is with you wherever you go. You are a blessing to our family.

Love always,
Mom, Dad and Joey

Congratulations Class of 2010
The task of the excellent teacher is to stimulate "apparently ordinary" people to unusual effort. The tough problem is not in identifying winners: it is in making winners out of ordinary people.

~K. Patricia Cross

Matt—We are all so proud of the many accomplishments you have achieved at McDaniel and know that you will make an excellent phys-ed teacher. You are about to embark on a new phase of your life and it will be exciting to see where it leads. Congratulations too on your outstanding football career. We have loved every minute of watching you and your teammates!

Love, Rick, Mom, Nicole, James and April

Lars, R. Hankin
Major: Business Administration
Minor: Economics

Lars,
You have made us very proud every day, every step of the way. We couldn't have asked for a more loving, dedicated, and caring son. Congratulations as you enter yet another phase of a remarkable journey. And in the words of Adlai Stevenson remember, "When you leave here, don't forget why you came."

Much love,
Mum and Dad
To our Jersey Mike,
Congratulations! We are so very proud of you.
Love, Mom, Dad and Jane

For everything there is a season, and a
time for every purpose under heaven.
Ecclesiastes 3:1
Dear Sara,
Thank you for the wonderful memories & accomplishments you shared with us during your college years. Watching you play volleyball through the years filled us with such pride and joy. You are the song in our hearts.
Love,
Dad & Mom
Dear Ashley,

You showed a lot of PERSEVERANCE the last 4 years. Be proud of all you have accomplished and anticipate all you will achieve. Reach for the Stars. Your Dreams will come TRUE. With a Proud Family at your side, the World is Waiting for YOU.

Love,

Sissy, Wayne, Zach, Mom Mom, Kelsey, Collin, Lauren, Matt & Noah
Congratulations Caitlin!!

We are so proud of what you have accomplished in 4 years! The qualities you have always possessed have grown and matured. Your empathy and ability to view issues from multiple perspectives and ability to relate to people from many cultures will make you a wonderful nurse practitioner. Vayas con Dios!

Con mucho amor,
Dad, Mom and Colin

The Power of Attitude

Our lives are not determined by what happens to us, but rather how we react to what happens; not by what life brings to us, but by the attitude we bring to life. A positive attitude causes a chain reaction of positive thoughts, events, and outcomes. It is a catalyst... a spark that creates extraordinary results. -Author unknown

Congratulations, Ben!

We are so proud of you! Thanks for the ride!
Love,
Mom, Dad, Carly, and Thomas

SERGIO - CONGRATULATIONS!! We Love You And Are SO Proud Of You!!
XO

“You gotta have fun. Regardless of how you look at it, we’re playing a game. It’s a business, it’s our job, but I don’t think you can do well unless you’re having fun.” ~ Derek Jeter

“People ask me what I do in winter when there’s no baseball. I’ll tell you what I do. I stare out the window and wait for spring.” ~ Rogers Hornsby
Eric,

We were in awe of you from the very beginning.

We've enjoyed watching you grow, even the many challenges along the way. We are so proud of the man you've become,

And look forward to the amazing future we know lies ahead of you.

Love,
Mom & Dad
We know how hard you’ve worked,
The determination you’ve had,
The admirable work ethic you possess,
How many hurdles you have jumped over,
How you give of yourself to anyone in need,
How you’re willing to step out of your comfort zone.

You’re an amazing daughter, sister, sister-in-law,
granddaughter, aunt, niece and friend.

We love and adore you more than words can say.

Congratulations on all your achievements!!

Much love,
Mom, Dad, Jamie, Alex, Jill, Andrew,
JJ, Grammie, Aunt Jo, J.B., Jake and Mael

Bubba would be so very proud of you!!
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Farewell, President Coley!

"It has been my great fortune to spend almost all of my working life on this [McDaniel] college campus, a place I love and believe in with unreasonable passion."

Joan Develin Coley

Joan Develin Coley served 10 years at the helm of the 141-year-old liberal arts college. She took office on October 20, 2000, as the eighth president and holds the distinction of being the college's first female president and first to be promoted from the faculty ranks.

"Dr. Coley is a transformational leader who shaped McDaniel into the great institution that it is today. For nearly four decades, she acted as a friend and mentor to faculty, staff, and, most importantly students. Her strong leadership, steadfast commitment, and contributions to McDaniel will never be forgotten. She will be greatly missed!"

Ben Cowman
Farewell, President Coley!
President Obama orders an increase in troops in Afghanistan with a goal of starting to withdraw forces from the country in July 2011.

Haiti's earthquake — with a magnitude of 7.0 — is declared by the United Nations as the worst disaster it has ever confronted. Aid pours in from the United States and around the world.

The United States draws closer to providing health care for all with the passage of reform bills in both the House and the Senate.

A University of Utah study finds that texting while driving can be up to six times more dangerous than talking on a phone while driving.
Belgian Prime Minister Herman Van Rompuy is elected the first president of the European Council (EU) under the Treaty of Lisbon.

In August, Sonia Sotomayor is sworn in as the Supreme Court's first Hispanic justice and only third female member in the top U.S. court's history.

The H1N1 virus appears to affect teens more than typical flu viruses. Hand sanitizer is a commonplace sight in classrooms and other public spaces.

America honors the lives of 13 innocent victims of a tragic shooting spree at Fort Hood, Texas, in November.

In efforts to make General Motors more economically viable, the company discontinues the Saturn brand and announces plans to phase out its Pontiac division.

Unemployment rate in 2000: 4%
2009: 10%

U.S. population in 2000: 281 million
2009: 305 million

Facebook users 2000: 0
2009: 350 million
The Armed Forces Network broadcasts five NBA games to U.S. troops on Christmas Day. The NBA gives the AFN broadcast rights for free.

The number of first-time visitors to food shelves surges, as families cope with the economic recession. Food banks report that demand is up 30 percent on average.

Consumers have more alternative fuel options as the number of biodiesel stations continues to grow across the United States.

During October, Breast Cancer Awareness Month, pink products are everywhere: from printers to power tools, snowboards to golf balls, blow dryers to water bottles.
1. Turn off the lights when no one's in the room.
2. Carry a reusable tote bag when you go shopping.
3. Bike or walk instead of driving.
4. Get a reusable metal water bottle.
5. Unplug and shut down electronic devices when not in use.
6. Buy music online instead of purchasing CDs.
7. Use rechargeable batteries instead of disposables.
8. Replace standard light bulbs with compact fluorescent bulbs.
9. In winter, turn down the heat and wear more layers.
10. In summer, set your air conditioner thermostat to 72° or higher.
**SPORTS**

- At the Rose Bowl in Pasadena, the top-ranked Alabama Crimson Tide defeats the second-ranked Texas Longhorns to finish the Bowl Championship Series.

- Sidney Crosby becomes the youngest captain to host the Stanley Cup as he leads the Pittsburgh Penguins to their third championship and first since 1992.

- Team USA heads to Vancouver, British Columbia, for the Winter Olympics. More than 200 athletes represent the United States at the XXI Olympic Winter Games.

- The New Orleans Saints beat the Indianapolis Colts 31-17 to win Super Bowl XLIV, their first championship title.

- The New York Yankees capture their 27th World Series Championship when they beat the Philadelphia Phillies, four games to two.
Brett Favre retires from retirement to lead the Minnesota Vikings. At 40, Favre continues to rewrite the record books, including the most-consecutive regular-season games.

At the 12th IAAF World Championships in Berlin, Jamaican sprinter and three-time Olympic gold medalist Usain Bolt beats his own 100-meter and 200-meter world records.

Shaun White leads a talented roster for the 2010 Olympic Snowboarding Team that also includes fellow gold medalists Kelly Clark, Hannah Teter and Seth Wescott.

Minnesota Twins' Joe Mauer becomes only the second catcher in 33 years to win the American League Most Valuable Player Award, finishing first in a near-unanimous vote.

2008 Wimbledon final: Rafael Nadal vs. Roger Federer
Super Bowl XLIII: Steelers 27, Cardinals 23
World Series 2001, Game 7: Diamondbacks 3, Yankees 2
2007 Fiesta Bowl: Boise State 43, Oklahoma 42
2006 Rose Bowl: Texas 41, USC 38

2008 Olympics: 100-meter men's butterfly, Michael Phelps
2009 Big East tournament: Syracuse 127, UConn 117 (6 OT)
Super Bowl XLII: Giants 17, Patriots 14
2002 NBA West finals, Game 7: Lakers 112, Kings 106 (OT)
2005 UEFA Champions League final: Liverpool beats AC Milan
After the release of their fifth studio album, the Black Eyed Peas launch The E.N.D. World Tour, with stops in Australia, Japan, Malaysia, New Zealand and Thailand.

Paramore takes home the title of Favorite Rock Band at the MTV's People's Choice Awards. Lead singer Hayley Williams kept in touch by Tweeting with fans throughout the awards program.

Taylor Swift has an amazing year with four CMA Awards and the Grammy for Best Album of the Year.

Glee geeks go wild! Volume 1 of the Glee soundtrack features 17 songs from the hit Fox show about a struggling high school glee club.

Mary Mary's album Praiseworthy reaches No.1 on Billboard's Christian & Gospel Album Charts, No.2 on the Top R&B/Hip-Hop Chart and No.7 on the Billboard Top 200.
Alicia Keys guest stars on Jay-Z's album, The Blueprint 3. Their joint effort, "Empire State of Mind," is one of the most successful songs of the year.

Michael Jackson, the legendary King of Pop, dies unexpectedly at the age of 50, just weeks before his This Is It world tour is to begin.

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Beyoncé broke the record for a female artist at the Grammys with six awards, including Song of the Year and Best Female Pop Vocal Performance.

1. Fearless, Taylor Swift
2. I Dreamed a Dream, Susan Boyle
3. Number Ones, Michael Jackson
4. The Fame, Lady GaGa
5. My Christmas, Andrea Bocelli
6. Hannah Montana: The Movie Soundtrack, Hannah Montana
7. The E.N.D., Black Eyed Peas
8. Relapse, Eminem
9. The Blueprint 3, Jay-Z
10. Only By the Night, Kings of Leon
A new generation discovers the Fab Four. The Beatles: Rock Band is a smash hit among teens, parents and even grandparents!

Reality TV shows like CBS's Survivor and The Amazing Race continue to draw in viewers of all ages.

Tina Fey's acclaimed NBC comedy 30 Rock receives a record 22 prime time Emmy Award nominations and wins five, including Best Comedy Series and Best Actor in a Comedy Series (Alec Baldwin).

New Fox hit TV show Glee takes home the Golden Globe for Best Musical or Comedy Television Series over such veteran shows as The Office, 30 Rock and Entourage.
After just seven months, Conan O'Brien receives $45 million to surrender his position as host of The Tonight Show after NBC decides to return Jay Leno to his previous time slot.

SpongeBob SquarePants celebrates 10 years on the air with the debut of Truth or Square, a Nickelodeon TV movie featuring celebrity guests and several shocking twists.

GAMES

TOP 10 TOP-SELLING VIDEO GAMES OF 2009
1. Wii Fit
2. Wii Play
3. Pokémon Platinum Version
4. Mario Kart Wii
5. Resident Evil 5 (Xbox 360)
6. Killzone 2
7. Call of Duty: World at War
8. Resident Evil 5 (PS3)
9. Halo Wars
10. Street Fighter IV

Source: cnbc.com
Sandra Bullock wins the Golden Globe for Best Actress in a Motion Picture—Drama for her performance in The Blind Side, based on the true story of Baltimore Ravens football player Michael Oher.
Avatar overtakes Titanic to become the highest-grossing movie ever worldwide at $1.859 billion.

Are you "Team Jacob" or "Team Edward"? "Twihards" around the world swoon over the supernatural love triangle in The Twilight Saga: New Moon.

TOP 10 BOX OFFICE HIT MOVIES

2000
1. How the Grinch Stole Christmas
2. Cast Away
3. Mission: Impossible II
4. Gladiator
5. What Women Want
6. The Perfect Storm
7. Meet the Parents
8. X-Men
9. Scary Movie
10. What Lies Beneath

2009
1. Avatar
2. Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen
3. Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince
4. The Twilight Saga: New Moon
5. Up
6. The Hangover
7. Star Trek
8. The Blind Side
9. Alvin and the Chipmunks: The Squeakquel
10. Monsters Vs. Aliens
Snuggie, the blanket with sleeves, is a runaway hit. The company introduces versions for kids and pets and features designer styles in a fashion show.
Graphic tees, worn alone or paired with zip-front hoodies, are a comfortable way to make a style statement, promote your favorite band and express your individuality.

**FASHION TRENDS**

1. Skinny jeans
2. Big '80s shoulders
3. Over-the-knee boots
4. Graphic tees
5. Hoodies
6. Animal prints
7. Rachel Roy bags
8. Ripped jeans
9. '90s grunge
10. Flared jeans
Now you can carry a whole library in a device the size of a hardcover. Consumers crave readers like Amazon's Kindle and the Sony Reader.

In January 2010, teen employment rates hit a record low of 26.2 percent due to a lack of entry-level jobs available at the minimum wage.

Quinceañeras, the Latin American culture's coming-of-age celebration on a girl's 15th birthday, are becoming larger and more elaborate like Sweet 16 parties.

More than half (55 percent) of Americans ages 12-17 use social networking websites.

Pass the potatoes, please. Busy families are cutting back on expensive take-out meals and making time to sit down together for healthier, home-cooked family dinners.