events ALL ACROSS AMERICA

DCAN has a full schedule of events planned for 2009 and a revamped Yellow Jacket Classic is set for June

WHAT'S IN A REGION?

YOU ARE! Defiance College has had more than 90 alumni events in the last 18 months, as the Institutional Advancement team has hit the road in an effort to meet our 10,000 alumni and friends of the college. Events and get-togethers have taken place in 33 different regions across the country, and we're pleased with the connections DC is making with an ever-expanding circle of alumni.

While the schedule (to the right) shows the dates of upcoming events and regions to be visited, our on-line list of events at http://alumni.defiance.edu will have the most complete and updated information.

How can you be part of this DC alumni activity?

- 1. Help us communicate with you more effectively. Go to the alumni website, (http://alumni.defiance.edu/) and confirm that your personal information is correct, or make any necessary changes. If you haven't registered on the alumni website, don't delay any longer!
- 2. If you can't find a DCAN (Defiance College Alumni Network) event in your area, give us a call and help us set up one. We'll do most of the work, if you'll be our area contact and help host the event at your home, place of
- 3. Be sure to read the e-mail or snail-mail communications from DC. That's the best way to stay up to date with what's happening here and in your region. business or a local venue.
- 4. Come back for a visit! You'll love what you see on campus, and there's always something fun going on: athletic events, plays, speakers and student presentations. And don't forget to stop by the IA office in Defiance Hall, for a personal tour, a quick update on college news, or a chocolate fix. We've always got time to chat.

Director of Alumni and Parent Relations Dave Plant

Gretchen McGinley Alumni Network Coordinator



DCAN Schedule of Events

MAY

(3) Michigan*

Coffee with President Gordon

(10) All Regions - Commencement

(15) OH-Lucas County*

Mud Hens Game

(19) Sandusky*

Dinner at Berardi's

JUNE

(8-11) Philadelphia Regional Events* (12-13) All Regions

Regional Leadership Training at DC

(14) Columbus*

Clippers Baseball Game

(16) OH-Lucas County*

Mamma Mia! at the Stranahan

(27) All Regions

Yellow Jacket Classic Golf Outing

(28-29) Grand Rapids, MI*

Attended by President Gordon

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(16) Fort Wayne, IN*

Tin Caps Baseball Game

(17) Indianapolis*

(TBD) Chicago

Regional Events

(TBD) New York/NewJersey*

(TBD) OH-Cleveland*

(TBD) OH-Akron*

It's official. The Yellow Jacket Classic on June 27 has gone through a major upgrade it. The highlights on this page show that the event is bigger and better, with great prizes and an opportunity to win \$1,000,000! The golf will be followed by a terrific dinner and auction. It will be a great day for those who play and those who help sponsor the event. And what if you aren't a golfer?

A trip to Sauder Village is being planned for family members who may be in town but not into golfing. The trip will be done in time so that family members can attend the banquet.

All alumni and friends of Defiance College are welcome to be part of the day with the proceeds going toward the annual work of supporting Defiance College athletics and a five-year goal to help our alumni athletic organization

build the new fitness and athletic field house. To seek more information or register your participation go to the alumni website http://alumni.defiance.edu and click on the Yellow Jacket Classic tab or call the Alumni Office at 419-783-2572. Plan to be part of this great day.

Mike Snyder Chair, Alumni Varsity D

AUGUST

(15) OH-Sandusky

Wine Fest and Campaign Kick-Off

(20) MI-Jackson*

Campaign Kick-Off Events

(18) OH-Cincinnati

(TBD) OH-Dayton

SEPTEMBER

Campaign Kick-Off Events

(10) Colorado

(22-30) Massachusetts/Connecticut

(22-30) Boston/E. Mass/New Hamp

(22-30) New York/NewJersey

OCTOBER

(5-11) All Regions

Homecoming

Campaign Kick-Off Events

(TBD) Cleveland/Akron

NOVEMBER

Regional Events

(TBD) Carolinas*

(TBD) Pennsylvania*

Campaign Kick-Off Events

(5) OH-Lima/Van Wert

(17) OH-Lucas County

(TBD) Atlanta

(TBD) Maryland/Delaware/DC

* Regional DCAN events

For more event information contact:

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Yellow Jacket Classic INFORMATION

The Alumni Varsity D welcomes you to the 2009 Yellow Jacket Classic hosted at Kettenring Country Club on Saturday, June 27.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

11:00 a.m. Registration

Practice Range

Sandwiches

Noon Shootouts

12:15 p.m. Shotgun Start

6:00 p.m. Banquet and

Live Auction

INDIVIDUAL PLAYER REGISTRATION \$125.00/GOLFER

INCLUDED IN PRICE:

18 Holes of Golf

Banquet

Welcome Bag

Prizes For Following Contests

\$1,000,000 Shootout \$100,000 Shootout

Putting Contest

Longest Drive Contest

Closest To Pin

To register for the Yellow Jacket Classic:

http://alumni.defiance.edu use the Yellow Jacket Classic tab

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

YJC Tournament Sponsor.....\$3,000

(4) Golf invitations and (8) Dinner invitations \$1,000,000 Shootout Sponsor Main Banner and Major Signs Front placement all print publications Introductions at all activities Advertising to 6,000 local alumni

YJC Major Sponsor\$2,000

(4) Golf invitations and (4) Dinner invitations \$100,000 Shootout Sponsor Major signs Placement in all print publications

Introductions at all activities
Advertising to 6,000 local alumni

YJC ACE Sponsor\$1,000

(2) Golf invitations and (2) Dinner invitations
 Putting contest sponsor
 Special sign posting
 Placement in all print publications
 Introductions at banquet

YJC Eagle Sponsor\$500

(1) Golf invitation and (1) Dinner invitation
List in banquet print publication
Primary sponsor of any one of the following
Lunch, Banquet, Golf Ball Welcome Bag,
Closest to Pin, Longest Drive Contest,
Par 3 Hole or Hole 1 or 9

YJC Birdie Sponsor\$250

(1) Golf invitation and (1) Dinner invitation

Tee box and banquet table sponsor with sign
List in banquet print publication

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List in banquet print publication

YJC Patron Sponsor\$50

Practice range general sign List in banquet print publication