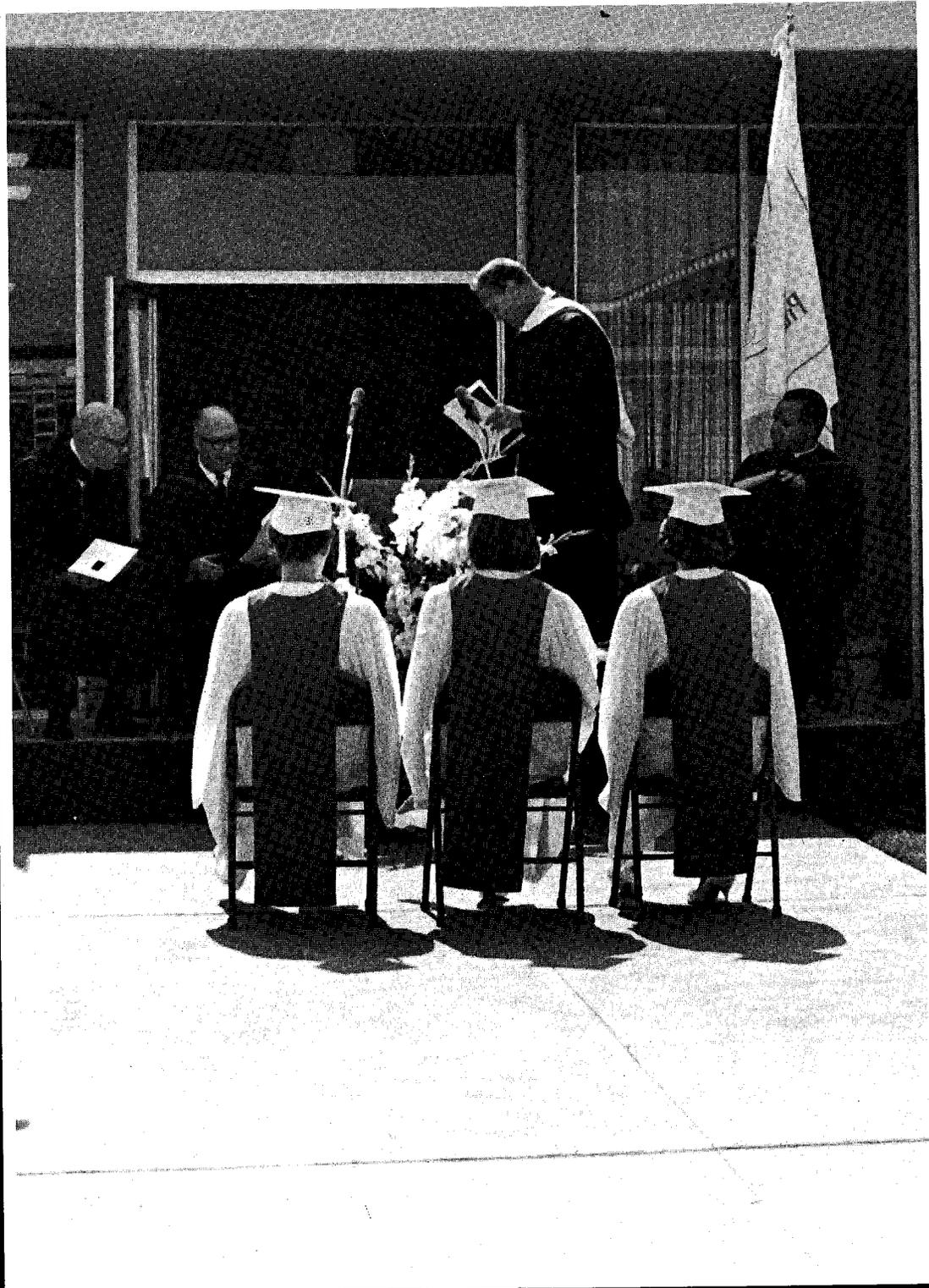


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Young and old enjoyed the 20th Anniversary reunion. Pictured are Kevin Spicer '77 (left) and Ed Hernandez '75 (right) with Douglas, son of Holly Hatsumi Ochi Hidinger '72. Photo by Sid Fridken

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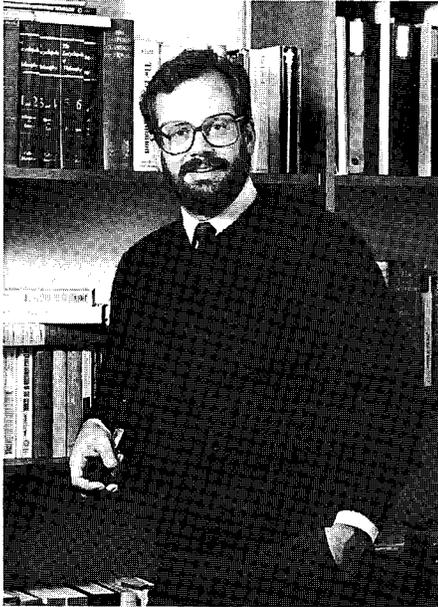
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From the President

As we enter Pitzer's third decade, and as we consider plans for Pitzer's future growth and development, I have been impressed by the parallels between the success of our graduates and the success of the College. And, as there is a great diversity in Pitzer's graduates, so there is a great diversity in definitions of success.

Two of my favorites are by Einstein and W. C. Fields, each an undoubted star in his own line of work. Einstein observed that, "If A equals success, then the formula is A equals X plus Y plus Z, with X being work, Y play, and Z keeping your mouth shut." W. C. Fields summed it up, "If at first you don't succeed, try again. Then quit. There's no use being a damn fool about it." Their definitions are also in harmony with the Pitzer tradition of taking ourselves very seriously — but not *too* seriously.

I am constantly impressed by the creative ways in which you have approached the world of work. In what seems to be the majority of cases, you have created exciting and satisfying lives, in which work is a major ingredient, but only one of many.

One might say, in fact, that there are two Pitzers. One is the Claremont campus and the present generation of the Pitzer community. The other is the campus at large, the Pitzer graduates who are living all over the United States and in many other parts of the world. A letter, a telephone call, or a visit from one of you is both a highlight of my day and a reminder that the campus at large — our graduates — is as important to our future as the campus in Claremont.

Do keep in touch with us.

Frank L. Ellsworth
President and
Professor of Political Studies

From the Editor

This issue of *Participant*, For Alumni Only, was planned just for you. We will be watching our mailboxes for your responses.

In case you were wondering, that envelope bound into the magazine is for your ballot (don't forget to vote!) but if you also enclose a check for the Alumni Annual Fund, we'd be delighted!

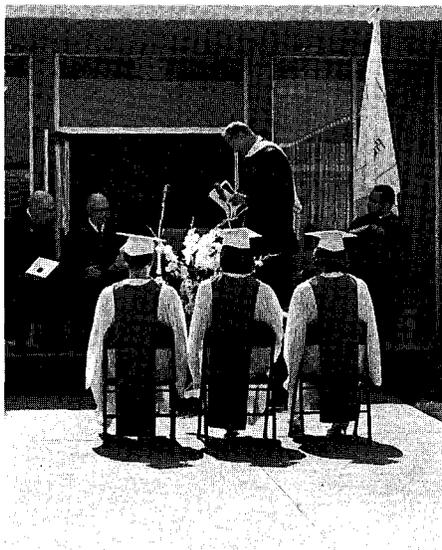
From the Alumni Council

by Kathleen Blunt '72
Alumni Council President

With this first edition of For Alumni Only and the advent of the Regional Clubs, comes the promise of a closer connection among Pitzer alums. Continuing to extend the Pitzer community, from our honored Class of '65 to the newest January 1985 graduates, will benefit all of us.

I am bolstered by the enthusiasm, creativity, and capabilities of the group of people running for election to the Alumni Council for the coming two years. These people and the many other alums I have been lucky enough to meet during my tenure on the Council reaffirm my feelings that Pitzer exists beyond the confines of Claremont and the physical space its buildings occupy. Pitzer is more than a place, more than an academic center. It gave to and took from many of the best qualities of its participants, past and present. Pitzer is continually newly evolving; that so many of its former participants are growing and enriching their new worlds while maintaining bonds to Pitzer is evidence of that. That so many Pitzer alums are successful, no matter what your definition of success, is further evidence of the quality that permeates Pitzer and all of us that Pitzer has touched.

I'm pleased with the strides the Alumni Association has made in advancing Pitzer and retaining Pitzer. With the high-caliber commitment, energy and fun-spiritedness of those peopling the Association, I'm convinced we'll only get better.



On the Cover: Our First Three Graduates

"The educational objective of Pitzer College is a graduate who is able to take her place in family, community, and professional life with wisdom, competence, and grace." —1964-1965 Pitzer College Bulletin

The descriptions of the graduates are taken from the commencement address, "A Private Brinkmanship," given by poet James Dickey on June 6, 1965. Dickey was the graduates' own choice of speaker.

Marlene Bates '65

"There is first the girl who is gravitating, seriously and with great dignity, toward a quiet farm life. Poets like to describe things, and I could describe that kind of life for a long time, for I know it well. A farm is something like a kind of practical Eden . . ."

Marlene graduated with a concentration in English literature, and is now living in Harbor Beach, Michigan, where she is Chairperson of the English Department at Harbor Beach High School. She and her husband Peter have three children. Wynter, whom many may remember as the first "Pitzer baby" (born while Marlene was still a student), is now a sophomore at Michigan State University. Shawn is a junior in high school and Harper is in the eighth grade.

Katie Gibbs Gengoux '65

"Then there is the girl who will be going into the creative world, the world of the architect, the musician, the intellectual, the life of the mind, . . . the occasional certitude that she has made a thing that could not have existed if it had not first happened . . . to her."

Katie's was one of only two concentrations in architecture in Pitzer's history. She is now living in Meylen, France, with her husband Claude, an "Expert Comptable," which Katie translates to mean a CPA, and their three boys: David, Marc, and Patrick. Katie obtained her Ph.D. in urban studies from the University of Grenoble, where she received national honor as an Urbaniste (City Planner), and where she is presently teaching English.

Nicole Scheel Buser '65

"Another of these girls wants to go to India and teach. She has been there before, and has connected in deep and creative ways with the land and its people."

Nicole graduated with a concentration in sociology. She, her husband Eberhard, and their two daughters live in Weil am Rhein, West Germany. In the fall of 1982, Nicole traveled throughout the United States, "refreshing my feeling for the language and for what Americans are like."

She completed studies in group leadership and was beginning to plan and direct family weekend retreats, women's discussion groups, and parent seminars; she then returned to West Germany. The Alumni Office tried to contact Nicole for an update and a "hello" prior to publication, but were unable to reach her — hope she'll drop us a line for inclusion in the next *Participant*.

Pictured on the cover are (left to right) James Dickey, speaker; Robert J. Bernard, Chairman of the Board of Trustees; John W. Atherton, President of Pitzer College; James Joseph, Chaplain of the Claremont Colleges, 1969-70; Trustee, 1970-77; Class of 1965: Marlene Bates, Katherine Gibbs, Nicole Scheel

Our cover photo was taken by Arthur Dubinsky, who chronicled Pitzer's history with his camera from the first groundbreaking to photographs for the 1984-85 catalogue. Many alumni will remember him, and be saddened to learn of his death on January 13, 1985.

Alumni Annual Fund

Deborah Bach Kallick '78
Scott Citron '77
Co-Chairs

The Alumni Annual Fund Committee is responsible for assisting the College in raising funds from our alumni. At the beginning of 1984-85, the Committee's goal for fundraising for the year was set at \$87,320 from 829 alumni donors. The Committee is doing this through a combination of personal solicitation of past donors, a direct mail campaign and a total of nine phonathons.

Helping with this effort are the following committee members: Susan Brock '70, Darcel Detering '82, Tom East '78, Lorraine Terrell Hayes '81, Andy Heytow '82, Mickey Jannol '78, Joyce Kaneda '74, Meg Perry '72, Madeline Pinsky '73, Trish Quinn '84, Linda Reszetylo '79, Pierre Ratte '76, Davy Rosenzweig '75, Diana Ryan '81, Tim Schifter '80, and Steve Smith '83.

One of the major factors of this year's success to date has been the matching program with The James Irvine Foundation. The Committee is pleased to report that we have reached, as of January 25, 1985, approximately 50% of our goal!

S.O.S. — The Regional Programs Committee Needs You!

Sandy Segal Faigin '78
Pierre Ratte '76
Co-Chairs

The Regional Programs Committee has assumed the challenge of organizing the Pitzer Alumni Association into regional clubs, reflecting the broad distribution and the coming of age of our alumni base. This is not a task that

can be completed overnight. We look forward to growing at a rate of two or three regional clubs per year over the next five years, starting in 1985-86, until the network encompasses all major geographic areas of alumni concentration. At this time we are seeking centers of high interest, as well as high density, for our pilot programs.

Before we can even begin to set up our regional clubs, we need your assistance in our organizing and activities. First, the current mailing list is in some disrepair, and we call on all interested alumni to aid in the search for "missing persons." Second, we are producing a handbook to assist the organization of clubs. A finished draft will be available in late spring, and we would appreciate the input of interested alums who are in touch with the needs of other alums striving to organize outside of the Claremont community.

Alumni/ Admission

Randy Moskowitz Ross '76
Rita Lynch '77
Co-Chairs

Pitzer's graduates have always been important representatives of the College to prospective students. This year, at the request of the Director of Admission, Paul Ranslow, Los Angeles area alumni will assist at the President's Reception for interested and accepted students and their parents, to be held on February 20th at the Sheraton Universal Hotel. Alumni volunteers will be asked to call students who have expressed interest in the College and to attend the reception as representatives of the College community. The use of alumni to support the College's recruiting efforts will increase in the coming years as the program of President's receptions is expanded to include other metropolitan areas.

Alumni who are interested in working on the Alumni/Admission committee, or who know of a student that is interested in Pitzer, are asked to contact the Admission Office (714) 621-8129 or Alumni Council. The Pitzer Admission Office is composed of: Paul Ranslow, Director, Katie Leighton '83, Jon Parro '82, and Patricia Abilez, Assistant Directors.

All-New Alumni Directory Planned For Fall

Plans are currently underway for the publication of a Pitzer College Alumni Directory in Fall, 1985. Discussions are in the final stages with Publishing Concepts, Inc. of Dallas, Texas to produce the Directory. Questionnaires will be sent to all Pitzer alumni during the late Spring, 1985 to ascertain up-to-date and correct information for inclusion in the Directory. The need for a Directory has long been discussed by alumni across the country, as well as members of the Alumni Council. Thanks to the urging of Council member Pierre Ratte '76, the directory will become a reality. It will be a great way to keep in touch with your Pitzer-mates. Your help is needed in order to keep the plans moving along. Please complete the questionnaire that will be mailed to you this Spring and return it as soon as possible. Also, if you know of a Pitzer classmate or friend who is not receiving information from the College (which would mean we don't have a correct address), please drop the Alumni Office a note and let us know. We'll only be able to send questionnaires to those alumni that we have addresses for — and there are quite a few alumni that we have listed as "missing."

Although prices are not yet firm, the Alumni Council hopes to be able to sell the Directory at a very reasonable price — definitely under \$15!! However, if you would like to order early and save \$1 on your Directory, merely return the coupon on page 10 and your Directory will be reserved for you at a discount price. What a deal!!

Keeping Intellectually Alive After Pitzer

by Linda Powers
Leviton '74

For those of us whose careers have proven intellectually disappointing, graduating from Pitzer might sometimes feel like the last stop before mental exile. Do not despair. Pitzer faculty and administration are anxious to help in any way they can. Of course, the closer you live to Claremont the easier it is to maintain the connection, but you are only a phone call away as the GTE commercial reminds us. Maybe you need some suggestions:

As you know, Pitzer faculty are generally more than willing to go out of their way to challenge a student. They don't care when you wrote last as long as you are showing some genuine interest. So write or call the professor of your choice. Request a reading list in your area(s) of expertise or interest. The phone number at the colleges is (714) 621-8000. The operator can give you the extension of your choice.

We also have a terrific alumni office with a friendly, efficient full-time Director of Alumni Activities named Meg Wilson. She can help you contact former friends or other alumni in your area.

The Pitzer College Alumni Association is another excellent resource. Kathy Blunt, President, and other members of the Alumni Council are working to provide programs that will meet some of your needs. You can attend alumni functions, volunteer to help organize events in your area, or just send a few encouraging words. There are the alumni all-class reunion and alumni college in the spring, and various social and educational activities during the year. They're well worth attending.

For those of you who are far from Claremont, the alumni office and council are working to form regional clubs that will diversify the locations of some of our activities. A speakers bureau will be coordinating lectures with these regional groups. Plan to participate and/or volunteer to help organize the

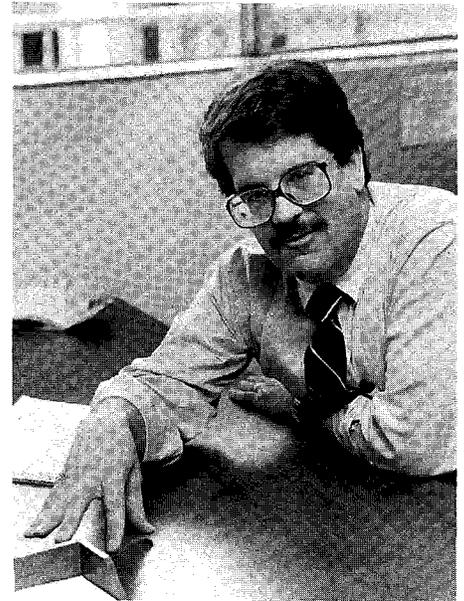
club in your area.

The variety of Pitzer's on-campus offerings remains one of its most valuable resources. Well, all those lectures, film series, scholar-in-residence programs and conferences are still flourishing, and they are all open to alumni. To receive the calendar of the Claremont Colleges, call (714) 621-8028 and ask for your name to be added to the mailing list. And if you are particularly motivated, you, as an alumnus/na, can audit Pitzer classes. Call the registrar's office for details and course lists.

As we all know, it takes an effort to exercise, be it physical or mental. So add some cerebral calisthenics to your daily schedule; it's well worth the effort.

Pitzer Alumni Become Television Stars

Los Angeles area alumni — watch your local television listings in early Spring for the date that KCET will feature three Pitzer alumni on their "On Campus" program. "On Campus" is sponsored by The Independent Colleges of Southern California and is an opportunity for private colleges, like Pitzer, to showcase their programs and campus. For the Spring one-half hour program, we have a chance to show off three very interesting graduates. Featured will be Deborah Deutsch Smith '68, Chair, Special Education Department, University of New Mexico. Deb will demonstrate the use of educational materials that she has developed, as well as reflect on the changes she has seen in the field of special education. Another segment will feature Sue Feniger '76, who is the co-owner of the City Cafe on Melrose Avenue in Los Angeles, and also the soon-to-be opened City Restaurant at La Brea and Second in the city. "On Campus" followed Sue for a day — from the fish market at 6:00 a.m. through the hectic preparation for a delicious lunch. Sue shares her perspective on the life of an entrepreneur. The final segment will find you meeting with E. Scott Reckard '78 for a discussion on his position with Associated Press and the everchanging world of journalism. Three very different Pitzer graduates, each with a very special edition of "life beyond Pitzer."



Donald Brenneis
Acting Dean of Faculty and
Professor of Anthropology
Photo by George Adams

Donald Brenneis to Be Acting Dean of Faculty Second Semester

by Josephine DeYoung

"To facilitate and felicitate," is how Donald Brenneis describes the additional duties he will take on as he serves as acting Dean of Faculty during this Spring semester. Ronald Macaulay, Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean of Faculty, will spend the semester completing a linguistic study in Scotland.

Brenneis has taught at Pitzer since 1974, and this semester will be no exception; he will be team-teaching a course on the ethnography and history of the American West with Hal Barron from Harvey Mudd College.

Of his new role, Professor Brenneis comments: "I think that one of the reasons I feel relatively confident about surviving the next six months stems from my contact with the alumni. It's from meetings, phone conversations and correspondence with them that I feel I've learned what Pitzer's all about — what's important about this institution."

Dates to Remember

February

- 19 Alumni Annual Fund Phonathon, Claremont
- 20 Alumni-Admissions President's Reception for interested new students, Los Angeles, 6:00 p.m.
- 28 Alumni Annual Fund Phonathon, Los Angeles

March

- 9 Alumni Council Meeting, Van Nuys, 10:30 a.m.
- 11 Alumni Annual Fund Phonathon, Los Angeles
- 28 Dallas, Texas Alumni Reception (tentative date) Watch for details!

April

- 18 San Diego area Alumni Reception (tentative date) Watch for details!
- 20 Class of 1975 Ten Year Reunion Picnic, Pitzer College campus, 11:00 a.m.
- 20-21 Kohoutek Festival, Pitzer College campus, all day
- 25 President's Annual Spring Dinner for donors, Pitzer College campus (for donors of \$100 or more between 3/1/84-2/28/85), 6:00 p.m.

May

- 2 Presentation of Alumni Academic Excellence Award College Council Meeting, Pitzer College campus, 4:15 p.m.
- 3 Los Angeles area Alumni Reception, time and place to be determined. Watch for details!
- 11 Alumni Council Meeting and Annual Alumni-Senior Party President's home, Claremont, 1:00 p.m.
- 19 Commencement, Pitzer College campus

Upcoming Alumna: Lisa Smith '85

by Josephine DeYoung

"You may as well reach for the stars. Someday I want to have my own network television talk show." And someday alums might turn on their TV sets to watch Lisa Smith '85. In June Lisa will graduate with a double concentration in communications and sociology. "I came to Pitzer planning to study communications, but I fell in love with sociology. Studying both has helped to broaden my perspectives."

But Lisa has done more than pursue strictly academic interests; she has taken those interests and applied them to furthering her goals outside the academic community. A talented singer, Lisa has pursued her musical career and, through numerous internships, has managed to wedge her foot firmly in the door of the music and entertainment industry.

Lisa came to Pitzer having already secured her first internship with KCPQ, Channel 13, in Tacoma, Washington. She started out "watering plants and changing the vending machines," and by the end of her third summer with the station had spent time as a switchboard receptionist, worked in the newsroom, and had written copy for reporters. "What was important for me was the constant rapport with people— that's important in the industry."

With her background at KCPQ, Lisa was able to convince KTLA in Los Angeles (Channel 5) to create an internship for her for their talk-format show "Woman to Woman." Lisa wrote promotional spots for the show and helped on the set. When entertainer Smokey Robinson guested on the show, Lisa seized the opportunity to ask him for an interview at Motown for some advice on breaking into the music business. He agreed. Lisa met Robinson armed with a documentary video tape about her made for the KCET-TV Los Angeles "On Campus" program. Interested, he suggested that she return with a better audio tape. For that tape, Lisa and a pianist are collaborating on a song of her own composition. She also managed to secure an interview with



Lisa Ann Smith '85
Photo by Kristina Serianni '87

Suzanne Coston, vice-president of television for Motown, and will soon be working with Coston on special production projects.

At Pitzer she is juggling classes and a busy schedule as singer for "The Heat," a much-in-demand local band. And she has managed to secure yet another internship with the Los Angeles-based, magazine-format show "Entertainment Tonight," where she is assistant to host and reporter Dixie Whatley. Of Lisa, Whatley says, "Have you ever met someone and thought that, if you could, you'd buy stock in that person? Well, I'd buy stock in Lisa."

Alumni Council Election Information

PROPOSED REVISIONS TO THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS

The Alumni Council has proposed the following changes in the By-Laws of the Alumni Association for approval by the general membership:

- 1) eliminate the current position of Vice President, to be replaced by two newly created positions of Vice President/Annual Giving and Vice President/Programs;
- 2) create the position of Faculty Representative on the Council to act as liaison between the faculty and the Association;
- 3) make the Student Representative a voting member of the Council;
- 4) include Alumni Regional Club representatives on the Council, ex-officio, as full voting members;
- 5) allow Council members and officers, with the exception of the President, to be elected to the same position two times in succession;
- 6) adopt timing changes to bring the Association calendar in line with the fiscal year of the College;
- 7) give broader executive powers to the President to appoint appropriate Council committees;
- 8) streamline the election procedures; and
- 9) streamline the process for revision to the By-Laws.

The full text of the proposed revised Association By-Laws may be requested from: Meg Wilson, Director of Alumni Activities and Annual Giving, McConnell Center, Pitzer College, Claremont, California 91711 or by calling (714) 621-8130. Please be sure to complete the section of the ballot on page 9 regarding your approval of these proposed revisions.

PRESIDENT

Deborah Bach Kallick '78
Los Angeles, California

Deborah had a double concentration while she was at Pitzer: history and the study of education. She was a voting member of the Faculty Meetings and served on the Student Appointment Committee. She was active in the peer counseling program, a student academic advisor and Pitzer News Editor for the Collegian. In addition, she was the student representative to the Alumni Council.

Since leaving Pitzer, Deborah earned an MBA degree from the University of Southern California. After working in corporate marketing for a major bank, she recently decided to go "out on her own" and do independent consulting. Deborah has been very active in the Alumni Association since graduation. She has served as the Secretary and the Vice President. She has been co-chair of the Alumni Annual Fund for five years and, in that capacity, volunteered at many phonathons! She has chaired the committee that determines the recipient of the Alumni Academic Excellence Award and participated in many career networking and alumni-admission programs.

"I am running for President of the Alumni Association in order to continue my efforts of reaching out to the Pitzer community and alumni, as well as strengthening our current programs and activities."

VICE PRESIDENT/PROGRAMS

Sandra Segal Faigin '78
Glendale, California

Sandy received her degree in organizational studies and participated in practicum experiences for that concentration that included work for the Office of the Vice President to secure a contract from the Association of Bank Women Educational Foundation. While at Pitzer, she served on the Sabbaticals and Leaves Committee, the Judicial Council, as a voting member of the Faculty Committee, and on the Development and Student Recruitment Committee. She was a resident advisor in Holden Hall in 1976-77 and a co-organizer of the Student Academic Advisor program in 1977-78. Since graduation, Sandy has worked on

behalf of the Admission effort, participated in the planning for the 20th year reunion, and has served as a member-at-large for the Alumni Council. As a Council member, she has served as the co-chair of the Regional Programs sub-committee.

Sandy is currently the assistant to the project managers of Investment Building Group, a Los Angeles-based developer of industrial, research and development properties. She and her husband, Alan, live in Glendale.

"The growth, maturity and diversity of the alumni population presents exciting challenges. I look forward to seeing the Alumni Association become more responsive to and interactive with our membership as Pitzer reaches toward its second twenty years."

SECRETARY

Rita Lynch '77
Sierra Madre, California

Rita concentrated in history while at Pitzer and you may remember her as the person who checked you in for breakfast or dinner at McConnell Center from 1974 through 1977.

She was an RA in Holden (J2 with the Harvey Mudders) in 1975-76. She performed for the first three years of the now famous Talent Show with a group known as "Peer Pressure."

Since leaving Pitzer, she earned a Masters degree in public history from the University of California/Santa Barbara. She lived for a number of years in the Midwest, working on a history project. She is currently a Public Relations Officer for the Wells Fargo History Museum in Los Angeles. She has been an active alumni volunteer — representing Pitzer at numerous College Fairs in the Chicago area, helping with Alumni Annual Fund phonathons, serving as a member-at-large of the Alumni Council for the past two years. She is presently co-chair of the Alumni-Admissions sub-committee of the Alumni Council.

"I have enjoyed keeping in touch with the Pitzer community as a member-at-large, and I would like to continue to be involved with Pitzer activities. Having finally figured out how the Alumni Council works, I feel I can be a valuable contributor to future Council projects."

MEMBER-AT-LARGE

Jon Bradley '81
Los Angeles, California

While at Pitzer, Jon concentrated in biology. He was the Student Convener in 1980-81, a voting representative of the student body, and a member of the Research and Development Committee, as well as a member of the Student Activities Committee and the Five College President's Council. Jon worked for KSPC and played on the varsity baseball team.

Since Pitzer, Jon coached baseball at Santa Monica City College for two years and was a baseball announcer at UCLA and Santa Monica City College. He is presently continuing his education at Cal State/Long Beach. He has volunteered to help with Alumni Annual Fund phonathons, as well as with the Alumni Admissions Network.

"As a member-at-large I would like to firmly establish a Pitzer community that would involve the alumni, students and faculty. Each group should gain from the experiences of the other groups and work together toward Pitzer's becoming a 'fully' recognized and respected private college."

Charles "Chuck" Diaz '75
Silverlake (Los Angeles), California

Chuck concentrated in economics and psychology while at Pitzer. He was a member of the Pomona-Pitzer football team, and of the Judicial Council, and was an academic intern.

After commencement, Chuck studied at the University of Chicago under a trustee fellowship before obtaining his law degree from the University of Southern California. He then traveled in Asia for about eight months before entering law practice. He is presently an attorney with the Los Angeles firm of Chase, Rotchford, Drukker and Bogust. Chuck attended the 20th year reunion last May.

"I am interested in insuring that the admissions and recruiting policies retain Pitzer's high academic standards, as well as its progressive and dynamic student body. I would also like to develop programs whereby alumni interact with students concerning career goals and life after college."

Jeff Rollert '82
San Diego, California

Jeff graduated from Pitzer with a concentration in economics/business. He was active while on campus with the Outward Bound program, as well as involved with the organizing of entertainment and music groups for the Grove House. He was also a "security guard" for the Pitzer Escort Service.

Presently, Jeff is a Securities Analyst for Pacific Century Group in San Diego, where he is busy doing equity economic research. Jeff hopes to become involved with volunteer activities of the Alumni Association.

"As a member-at-large I would like to expand Pitzer's reputation in order for others to benefit from the 'Pitzer concept' of education."

Joanne Butera Turner '70
Irvine, California

Joanne concentrated in chemistry while she was at Pitzer, as well as completing all requirements for a social psychology concentration, except one course! She was involved with town meetings, as well as working on a committee determining graduation requirements, especially as those requirements related to science. For Joanne, Pitzer was "guided freedom — no system limitations at all."

These days, Joanne keeps herself very busy as the owner of two companies: Management Services Consultants and System Specialties. She plans to participate in her first "Earth Watch" program and rumor has it that a trip to Borneo is in her plans! She has participated in Alumni Annual Fund phonathons and attended the 20th year reunion in May.

"As a member-at-large I hope to be able to develop opportunities for alumni to increase their professional, personal, and business networking. We are a group that definitely has much to offer one another — all we need is a base on which to build these contacts."

Carolyn Wright '73
Inglewood, California

Carolyn concentrated in sociology. She was a member of the Judicial Council, served on the Commencement Committee, and was the assistant manager of The Pit in 1971/72.

After graduation, Carolyn continued her education at the University of Michigan, where she obtained a masters degree in social work. She is currently employed as a social worker in the role of private contractor for a social service agency. She has volunteered her assistance at Alumni Annual Fund phonathons and attended the 20th anniversary reunion.

"I want to be a member-at-large of the Alumni Association because I sincerely appreciate the education I received at Pitzer. Although I do not have lots of money to give, I would like to return a little bit of what I've learned by devoting some time and energy, and by showing some enthusiasm to encourage others to get involved. I hope that my participation can help Pitzer."

Maggi Klassen (Wargin) '68
Claremont, California

Maggi's concentration was in English/writing. As one of the first "older" students to study at Pitzer (before the days of New Resources), Maggi combined her role as a student with that of wife and mother — and often amazed her classmates!

Since leaving Pitzer, Maggi has earned an M.S. degree in counseling psychology from the California State University at Los Angeles, as well as her Ph.D. from the Claremont Graduate School, where her concentration was in life-span human development. She is currently a psychotherapist in private practice. She has been an active alumni volunteer during the past years. She was a member of the Alumni Annual Fund Committee, participated in fund-raising phonathons, hosted alumni seminars at her home, attended alumni career nights on campus, and joined in the activities for the 20th anniversary reunion.

"Having spent an unprecedented amount of time completing my college education, I aspire to work on the Alumni Council of Pitzer in order to contribute to the nurturance of the groves of academe from a base of retrospective experience."

Class of 1975 Join the Kohoutek Festivities



Members of the Class of 1975 are busy preparing for a trip down memory lane — as well as a visit to Claremont this spring. As a way of celebrating their 10 year reunion, class members have decided to gather on campus for an afternoon picnic and get-together — and what better time to do it than

(continued on next page)

Photo by David Wells '79

Clip here and mail in the attached envelope.

BALLOT

OFFICERS OF THE ALUMNI COUNCIL

According to the Alumni Council By-Laws, only one candidate is needed to run for each office. Your vote will indicate your endorsement of the individual in question, and is thus of paramount importance in the election process. Please vote your choice by placing a check mark next to each person's name below.

PRESIDENT

Deborah Bach Kallick '78

VICE-PRESIDENT/PROGRAMS

Sandy Segal Faigin '78

SECRETARY

Rita Lynch '77

MEMBERS AT LARGE (select three of the six persons)

Jon Bradley '81

Jeff Rollert '82

Chuck Diaz '75

Joanne Butera Turner '70

Maggi Klassen (Wargin) '68

Carolyn Wright '73

REVISION OF BY-LAWS

Before you complete this section of the ballot, make sure you have read the proposed revisions on page 7. Then answer this question:

I agree with the revisions to the Alumni Council By-Laws. Yes No

DON'T FORGET! There are four (4) sections of the Ballot to complete: 1) Officers of the Alumni Council, 2) Revision of By-Laws, 3) Regional Programs Questionnaire, and 4) Interest in Alumni Directory.

Please continue voting by turning the page

Ballot

**Please return
ballot by
APRIL 15!**

during the College's annual festival in honor of that famous Comet Kohoutek, which was originally set to "land" on the Pitzer campus during the Spring of 1974. The Comet will be making its 1985 landing during the weekend of April 20th and 21st. In the last few years, the Kohoutek Festival has become "the" event in Claremont. Last year hundreds of people, young and old alike, spent numerous hours on the Pitzer campus, enjoying the entertainment of live bands every hour, browsing through booths sponsored by campus organizations and village merchants, and sampling some of the great food and drink.

Members of the Class of 1975 have already received preliminary informa-

tion on the reunion (if you haven't, please contact the Alumni Office) and it looks as though alumni will be arriving from all across the country. Their celebration will take place on Saturday, April 20, 1985 from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. — that's the planned part, at least.

Then there will be plenty of time to enjoy the Festival or join friends for dinner (at McConnell?) until the wee hours of the morning. It should be a fun, relaxing, informal afternoon with family, classmates and faculty. Although it is planned for the Class of 1975, if there are other alumni who would like information on the reunion, or the Kohoutek Festival, please contact the Alumni Office.

Clip here and return in attached envelope (Don't forget to fill out the other side of the page.)

REGIONAL PROGRAMS QUESTIONNAIRE

NAME: _____ CLASS YEAR: _____

ADDRESS: _____

Street *Apt. #* *City* *State* *Zip*

TELEPHONE NUMBERS: () ()

Work Home

Rank your Pitzer-related interests (from 1=most interest to 5=least interest):

___ Admissions ___ Social ___ Fund Raising ___ Career Networking ___ Other _____

What are your personal interests? _____

Would you like to:

1. review and update 15-20 names/addresses of alumni in your area?

___ Yes ___ No

2. read and comment upon the alumni handbook when available?

___ Yes ___ No

Do you know someone who has not been receiving alumni mailings? If so, please give us the following information on her/him:

NAME: _____ CLASS YEAR: _____

ADDRESS: _____

Street *Apt. #* *City* *State* *Zip*

INTEREST IN ALUMNI DIRECTORY

___ Yes! I am interested in ordering an Alumni Directory and receiving a \$1.00 discount toward the purchase price.

NAME: _____ CLASS YEAR: _____

ADDRESS: _____

Street *Apt. #* *City* *State* *Zip*

TELEPHONE NUMBERS: () ()

Work Home

Beyond Pitzer

'68 Joan Anderson, Claremont, CA. Joan has been named assistant to the director of the Western Regional Office of the Statue of Liberty-Ellis Island Foundation. The office will be responsible for raising \$25 million of the \$230 million nationwide for the renovation and preservation of the Statue of Liberty and the historic Ellis Island immigration station. Joan is in charge of the grass roots campaign.

'70 Cornelia Reynolds Cooper, Martinez, CA. Cornelia is working for Coopers and Lybrand as Chief Legal Counsel for the Pension and Profit Sharing Group for the San Francisco office. She has two children, Jasper, 5 and Anna, 3. Her husband, Bill, is an attorney.

Linnea Sowers Edwards, Porterville, CA. *I am currently married with a seven-year-old daughter and a husband who got his teaching credential last June. We are both teaching sixth grade in Porterville.*

'72 Deborah Adler, Claremont, CA. Deborah has joined the staff of the Karem J. Monsour Counseling Center of the Claremont Colleges as a counselor. She received her doctorate from the California School of Professional Psychology in Los Angeles, and most recently worked as a therapist for young people at the Psychological Center in Orange, California.

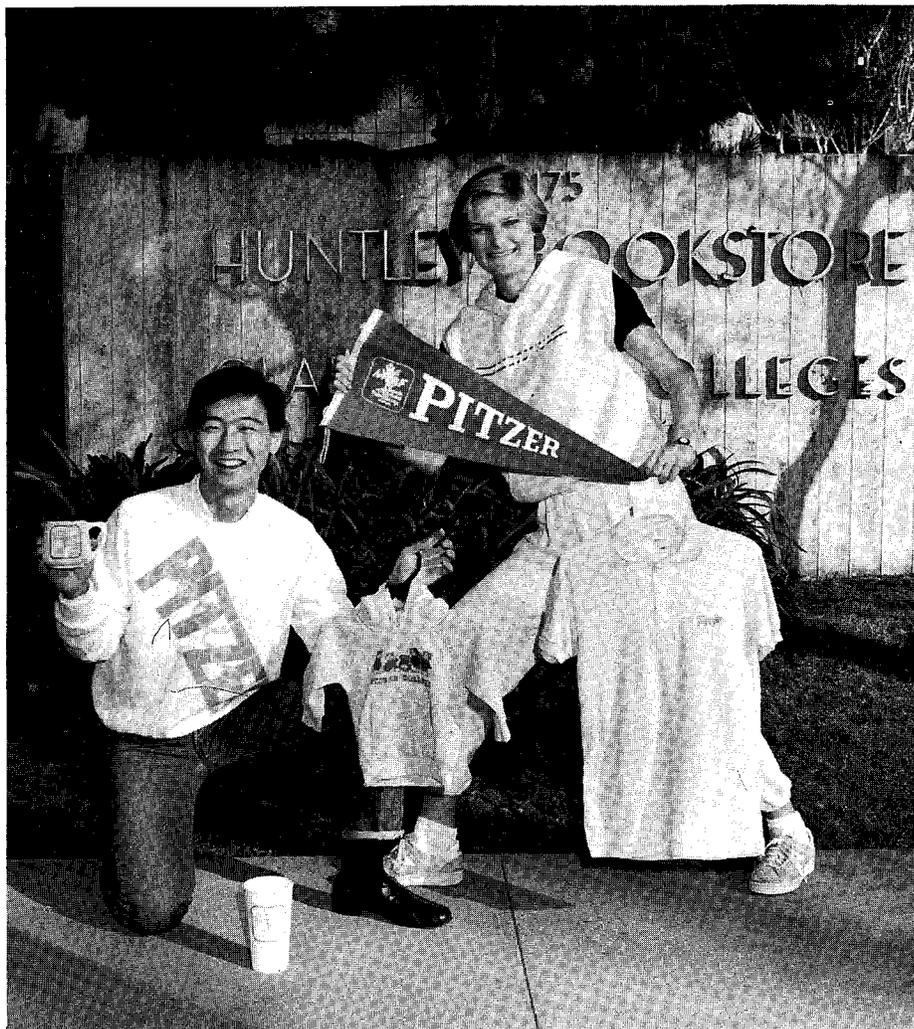
Kristin Olsen, Orinda, CA. *Life is a continual amusement park ride . . . shifting priorities, burgeoning social life, Tibetan Buddhism my new spiritual exploration and energy work! Two of my 21 years of TV GUIDES got soaked in a flooded basement so I guess it is time to give up that collection . . . I seem to be molting the last feathers of the old me. My six months working with Futurist Jay Ogilvy makes my old interest pale and fade in comparison . . . moving to a huge, peaceful house on the other side of Orinda that has a neighbor that gives us fresh eggs, and fruit trees in the back 40! I always knew I was a confirmed exurbanite!*

'73 Ramelle Cochrane Pulitzer, Venice, CA. Ramele is conducting a program in pregnancy, birth, and recovery exercises for pre- and post-natal women, and childbirth education for fathers or their surrogates. The program is one developed by Femmy Delyser for use in Jane Fonda's Workout Program, which Ramelle has also taught.

'78 Carol Kruidenier Luery, Sacramento, CA. *My husband and I have recently moved to Sacramento. Mike is working as the Call 3 Reporter for KCRA-TV. I am teaching first grade at Sacramento County Day School. We have just bought our first home.*

'81 Lou Driever, Fort Lewis, WA. *I've been out of the net for a while and thought I'd bring anyone who remembers me up to date. Been in the Rangers for 3 years now and have been everywhere but Asia (it seems). Took part in Urgent Fury (Grenada) and got a medal, but then, who didn't? Planning on emigrating to New Zealand in a year when I get out and getting my Ph.D. in clinical psychology down there.*

'82 Matthew (Matt) Wallace, San Diego, CA. Matt has joined Spear/Hall Com-



Show your Pitzer colors! Katharyn Pinder '85 and Jimmy Kang '87 model Pitzer long sleeve sweatshirt, sleeveless sweatshirt with hood, polo shirt, child's long sleeve sweatshirt with hood, pennant, coffee mug, and plastic tumbler, all available from Huntley Bookstore. Use the handy order form on the inside back cover.

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munications, Inc., of San Diego, as Public Relations Account Executive, serving them tempting, well-prepared news releases. In addition to his work related to public relations he has been assigned as assistant account executive for Chi-Chi's Restaurant, Rancho Vista National Bank and Gentlemen's Choice Restaurants. Wallace is a recent graduate of the La Jolla Academy of Advertising and Art.

'83 Link Nicoll, Washington, D.C. *I am working as a staff assistant for Senator Gary Hart in Washington, D.C. I started in this office as a receptionist in January and have been promoted twice. I am now a legislative correspondent. I write letters for the Senator on civil rights and business and do legislative research on these issues. On occasion I cover a bill on the floor or write a column. Meeting with lobbyists is also one of my responsibilities. My job, to say the least, has been very*

exciting. I find that I am successful at what I am doing and that I have gained that little extra bit of confidence I so desperately needed at Pitzer to propel me through exam time with flying colors. Most of my success I attribute, without reservation, to Pitzer. My writing skills, my ability to come up with new ideas, and my competence in speaking before large groups all result from the discussion-oriented classes I took and the assignments I completed. Given my position academically when I entered Pitzer, I couldn't have advanced any further in four years.

'84 Kevin E. Small, Fort Knox, KY. *Second Lt. Kevin E. Small has completed an armor officer basic course at the U.S. Army Armor School, Fort Knox, Kentucky. The training includes instruction in automotive principles and maintenance, communications, weapons and tactics.*

A Pitzer Planner



Ann Lawson Bilodeau '69

“When my husband, Ken, asked me what I wanted as a birthday present, I told him I wanted an appointment with an attorney to have our wills prepared,” smiled Ann Lawson Bilodeau, an alumna and member of the Pitzer College Board of Trustees.

Ann received her birthday wish. She and Ken had their wills prepared which make provisions for each other and for their daughter, Katie. In addition, Ann also made provisions for Pitzer by including the College as ultimate beneficiary on one of her life insurance policies. Ann Bilodeau has planned carefully and thoughtfully for her husband, for her daughter, and for Pitzer College.

If you would like to learn more about ways in which your will and life insurance can assist your goals, telephone Lee A. Jackman, Vice President of Development, Pitzer College, at 714/621-8130.