



## DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION & ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Annual Report 2017



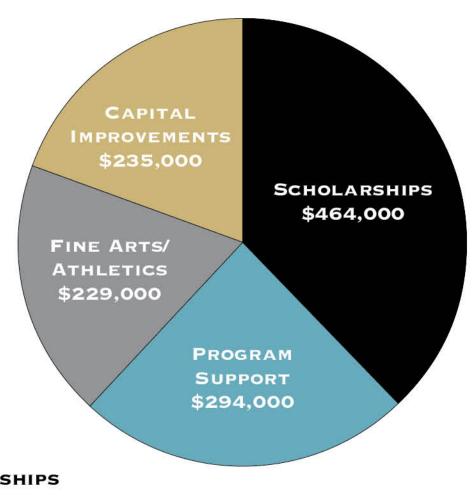
his report includes many impressive statistics on the Foundation's growth, as well as analysis of how these activities have occurred. More important, the following pages illustrate the growing need for all Northeast Mississippi Community College and how donors, alums, and businesses are working with us to meet that need. While the information told here accounts for only a small portion of Northeast's large impact in providing higher educational opportunities in Northeast Mississippi; all can take great pride in the achievements highlighted in this report.



#### **MISSION STATEMENT:**

The Northeast Mississippi Community College Development Foundation, Inc., a non-profit corporation, has worked and will continue working to strengthen the college through its private fund raising efforts. The Foundation solicits and receives gifts to support students, faculty and administration for Northeast Mississippi Community College.

## FISCAL YEAR 2017 DIRECT SUPPORT TO NEMCC



SCHOLARSHIPS

PROGRAM SUPPORT

FINE ARTS/ATHLETICS

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

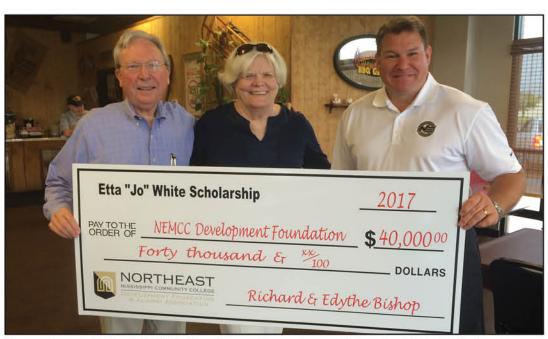
TOTAL DIRECT SUPPORT \$1,222,000

The Northeast Mississippi Community College Development Foundation, Inc. annually engages the services of an independent accounting firm to perform an audit of the Foundation's financial statements. As part of the audit, the firm also reviews the internal controls and various policies and procedures to ensure the Foundation staff is adhering to the most current accounting practices. The Foundation's auditor, Sparks CPA Firm, has issued an unmodified audit opinion on the financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2017.

## BISHOP FAMILY ESTABLISH THE ETTA "JO" WHITE SCHOLARSHIP

Richard & Edythe Bishop established the Etta "Jo" White Memorial Endowed Scholarship. This scholarship is awarded to a full time sophomore student maintaining a 2.5 GPA with preference given to science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) majors.

If you are interested in establishing an annual or endowed scholarship, please contact Patrick Eaton at (662)720-7165 or dpeaton@nemcc.edu.



Pictured inside Bishop's BBQ Grill in Booneville are donors Richard and Edythe Bishop along with Patrick Eaton, Vice President of Institutional Advancement and Executive Director of the Development Foundation & Alumni Association.

#### TIGER PAW SUPPORTERS

Amber Nelms
BNA Bank
Bo & Tiffany Johnson
Booneville Community Pharmacy
Camille Beals

Camille Beals
Crystal White
Danielle Wilcoxon
David "Bubba" Pounds
Debra Hazel-Lambert
Donna Hill
Dr. William Jackson

Glen Murry

Jean Bower

Joey Williford

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Sam Tull
The Sparks CPA Firm

# NORTHEAST EMPLOYEES RECEIVE FOUNDATION GRANT

College Development Foundation
Board of Directors allocated \$15,000
for Employee Enhancement grants during
2017. These funds are fully funded through
the contributions of the Northeast employees.



The Members of the 2018 EEF Steering Committee are: Will Bowlin (Committee Member), Angie Mason (Committee Chairperson), Justin Treloar (Committee Member), Bonnie Bell (Committee Member), Melody Shinn (Committee Member), and Carlena Benjamin (Committee Member). Pictured with the members of the committee is Foundation Executive Director Patrick Eaton and Northeast Mississippi Community College President Ricky Ford.

## 2017 T.I.P/T.O.P. AWARDEES

Patrick Eaton, VP & executive director of the Northeast Development Foundation, and the Foundation Board of Directors awarded the 2017 T.I.P/T.O.P. Awards. Because of the continued dedication and commitment to Northeast, the Northeast Development Foundation created the T.I.P/T.O.P. ("Tremendous Individual Performance" and "Teaching Outstanding Performance") Awards. The T.I.P. Awards program is designed to recognize "Tremendous Individual Performance" for non-administrative staff members of Northeast Mississippi Community College. The T.O.P. award is given to one outstanding faculty member from each of the academic divisions who show innovative teaching methods.



Pictured at the T.I.P/T.O.P. presentation are (I-r) Foundation Executive Director Patrick Eaton, Justin Treloar, Shelia Gann, Brad Holley, Will Bowlin, Rocky Hughes, Donna Hill, and NEMCC President Ricky Ford. Not pictured is T.O.P. award winner Jenna Fincher.



2017 T.I.P. Award Winners: Brad Holley Shelia Gann

#### 2017 T.O.P. Award Winners:

Jenna Fincher, Division of Fine Arts

Will Bowlin, Division of Social, Behavioral, & Applied Sciences

Justin Treloar, Division of Humanities & Languages

Donna Hill, Division of Health Sciences

Rocky Hughes, Division of Mathematics & Sciences



## NORTHEAST

MISSISSIPPI COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION & ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Pictured with each group of donors and recipients are Ricky Ford, Northeast Mississippi Community College President and Patrick Eaton, Vice President of Institutional Advancement and Executive Director of the Development Foundation & Alumni Association.



Alcorn Career & Technology Center Scholarship Recipient: Kaitlyn Box (Walnut)



Alcorn County Chapter of Delta Waterfowl Scholarshi Recipient: Elijah Potts (Rienzi) Donor Representative: Franz Schnabl (not present)



Ben Taylor Smith Memorial Scholarship Recipient: Laura Brown (Booneville) Donor Representative: David Jenkins



Beth VanWinkle Memorial Scholarship Recipient: Trevor Claunch (Rienzi) Donor: Jay VanWinkle (not present)



Recipient: Jackson Hamm (Booneville), Meagan Hill (Ripley, not present), Reed Hill (Booneville), Trevin Moore Booneville, not present), Sam Rutherford (Booneville), and Preston Stroup (Booneville, not present). Donor: Norma Jones and her daughter Lori Sims



Bric Turner Memorial Scholarship Recipient: Addelyn Jones (Booneville) Donor: Tommy & Anita Turner



Bryan Steele Memorial Scholarship Recipient: Jake Wilcox of Hernando Donor: David and Maria Steele and their daughter Stephanie Laboe



BT & Ida Knight Moore Endowment

Recipients: Great-Great Grandchildren of BT & Ida Moore Cora Geno (Booneville), Chase Calvary (Booneville),
& Trevin Moore (Booneville)

Donor Representatives: 1957 NEMCC Alumni & Granddaughte
of BT & Ida Moore - Anita Geno Deaton & 1982 NEMCC
Alumni & Great Grandson of BT & Ida Moore - Kent Geno



Carleigh Vick DARE Scholarship Recipient: Kazarian Shumpert (Booneville)



Carlos Ginn Memorial Scholarship Recipient: Alexis White (Rienzi) Donor: Tom (not present) & Angela James



Cecelia Tollison Memorial Scholarship Recipient: Shelbie Cartwright (Booneville)



Cynthia Langston Memorial Scholarship Donor: Joey Langston Recipient: Lewis Bryson Cass (Tishomingo, not present)



David Carnell Memorial Endowment

Donor Representative: Jody Long

Recipient: Jeffrey Lee (Corinth, not present)



Dodge Store Scholarship
Recipients: Ashton Johnson (New Site)
and Emily Sykes (Iuka)
Donors Representative: Jennifer Michaels,
Booneville Dodge Store Leader



EJ Goddard Memorial Scholarship Recipients: Miriam Sisk (Booneville) Donor: Clarene Goddard (not present)



Etta "Jo" White Memorial Scholarship
Recipient: Caleb Smith (Burnsville)
Donors: Richard & Edythe Bishop (not present), James
& Sue White (Sue not present), and Thomas White



Fairey Eaton Miller Endowment Recipient: Megan Leigh Mauney (Ripley)



Recipient: Jamie Johnson (Blue Mountain)

Donors: Bill & Carol Harding (not present), Carl & Melanie

Rowell, and Caleb Rowell, the grandson of FL "Spud" Rowell.



Hall Adams Fund Scholarship Recipient: Devyn Walker (Corinth) and James Wood (Corinth)



Harold, Jane, & Hal White Memorial Scholarship Recipient: Alex Ball (New Albany) And father Keith Ball



Jack Gandy Memorial Scholarship Donor: Regina Coats Recipient: Mary Alyse Jamieson (Booneville)



James L. Triplett Memorial Scholarship Donor: Luzene Triplett (not present) Recipient: Jamie Henderson (Booneville)



Jane Williams Memorial Scholarship Donor: Harold Williams, Tina Bryan Recipient: Victoria Brown (Ripley, not present)



Jim & Judy Hopper Scholarship (In memory of Jeffrey Hines Hopper) Recipient: Luke O'Neal DeVour (Walnut) and William Jeffrey Skinner (Walnut)



Jimmy Murphy Memorial Scholarship

Donor: Martha Murphy, Amanda & Mike Mattox,
Erin Mattox, Lauren Mattox

Recipient: Camrie Mayo (New Site, not present)



30 years awarding scholarships to over 80 students.
2017 recipients: Carlee Cook (Booneville, on field with band),
Harlee Cook (Booneville, on field with band), William Reed Hil
(Booneville), Harper Hughes (Booneville, not present), Kayla
Moore (Booneville), Emily Taylor (Marietta, not present)
Donors: Joey & Tracie Langston



Kappa Kappa Iota Gamma Chapter Memorial Scholarshi Donor Representative: Donna Wilkerson Recipient: Laken Eaton (Corinth, Not present)



Keith Vaughn Memorial Scholarship Recipient: Kaylee Ruth Stephenson (Booneville) and Karah Stephenson (Booneville)



Kiwanis Club of Corinth Scholarship Recipients: Kaitlyn Box (Walnut), Tierra Damron (Rienzi), Nathan Hodum (Corinth, not present), Kelli Kiddy (Glen, not present), Madison Raines (Corinth, not present), and Dylan Streff (Rienzi, not present)



Marathon Cheese Scholarship
Recipients: Jonathan Burress (Corinth), Max Stennett
Mauney (Booneville), Bailey Church (Booneville),
Victoria Pannell (Marietta), Weston Coggin (Booneville),
Abigail Williford (Booneville), Ashton Johnson (Booneville)



Michael Epting Memorial Scholarship Recipient: Weston Roberson (Tiplersville, not present) Donors: Linda Epting, Tracy Kennamore, Paxton Kennamore, Maddox Kennamore, Lennox Kennamore



Michael Hisaw Memorial Scholarship Sponsored by Rotary Club of Booneville Recipient: Jonathan Burress (Corinth)



North MS Education Consortium Scholarship

Donor Representative: Susan Scott

Recipient: Amy Kowalkzyk (Belmont), Lindsay
Lauderdale (Blue Mountain), Missy Voyles (Glen)



Northeast Foundation Excellence Scholarship Recipient: Laura Avant (Corinth) and Jacob Wilcher (Corinth)



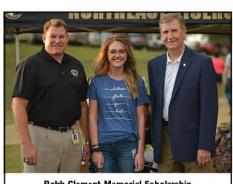
Oscar L. Shannon Memorial Scholarship Recipient: Mark Tomlinson (Walnut) and mother Jennifer Tomlinson



ProVia Products Scholarship Donor Representative: Danita Cartwright Recipient: Morgan Bane (Rienzi)



Ralph A. Johnson Memorial Scholarship Donor: Mitzy Johnson Mills, Patsy Johnson Recipient: Jacob Wilcher (Corinth)



Robb Clement Memorial Scholarship Recipient: Addelyn Jones (Booneville) Donor Representative: Jason Shackelford (not present)



ZonaDale & Charles Taylor Endowed Scholarship Donor: Charles & ZonaDale Taylor Recipient: Amy Kowalkzyk (Belmont)



#### **Bryan Steel Memorial Statue**

Prior to the first home football game of the 2017 season, sophomore offensive lineman Jake Wilcox of Hernando was recognized as this year's recipient of the Bryan Steele Memorial Scholarship. Steele's parents David & Maria Steele established the scholarship in memory of their son who played quarterback at Northeast during the 2010 and 2011 seasons before his unexpected passing in 2012. In 2013 the Tupelo Restaurant Association, of which Bryan's father was a long-time member, recognized his love for the game of football and Northeast by donating a bronze Tiger statue to the school. It stands directly in front of the field house at Tiger Stadium. Pictured (I-r) is David Steele, Maria Steele, Bryan's sister Stephanie Laboe, Patrick Eaton, and Ricky Ford.



## Leave your Legacy



Alumni Hall of Fame Inductee Hugh McLarty was represented at the NEMCC Homecoming court presentation by his son Mark McLarty. Pictured here at the presentation of the queen are (left to right) NEMCC President Ricky Ford, Homecoming Queen Lainey Stevens of Booneville, Mark McLarty, and PTK Vice President and escort Caleb Smith.

#### WILLIAM & MARY REESE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Toe C. Rees (class of 1951) has established a scholarship program for Northeast Mississippi Community College students who currently reside in Tippah County or have previously lived in the county for five years or more. The scholarship will go to Northeast students who have successfully completed at least one semester, who have need of financial help, who have demonstrated academic ability, and who show further potential promise. A

committee composed of Northeast administrators, faculty who have taught the applicant, fellow students and other appropriate individuals may be called on for evaluation of the applicant.

Mr. Rees was born in 1930 in Tippah county and attended Palmer High School through 12th grade. He received an A.A. degree at NEM-CC in 1951.

From 1951 till 1953 he served as an Electronics Specialist in the U.S.

Air Force. He received a B.A. at Ole Miss in 1957, after which he worked in Washington, D.C. at the Library of Congress. In 1962, he earned his master's degree in Library Science at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He then became a Reference Librarian at Duke University. Where he retired in 1992 and continues to live in Durham, N.C., cultivating his garden and reading and "contemplating the rapid approach of old age."

### NORTHEAST HONORS CHAMPIONS

ortheast Mississippi Community College welcomed back members of its 1981-82 men's basketball state championship team.

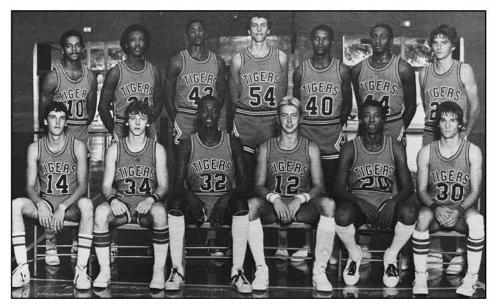
The Tigers, who were under the direction of then first-year head coach Richard Mathis, went 21-4 during the regular season. Northeast pieced together an undefeated February to enter the postseason with momentum.

The Tigers first captured the Mississippi Association of Community and Junior Colleges (MACJC) North Division Tournament championship by defeating Northwest Mississippi Community College by a 42-39 margin inside Bonner Arnold Coliseum.

Northeast then bested Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College in the state semifinals before downing host Utica Junior College 86-78 for what was the third MACJC state championship in program history.

Five Tigers reached double-digits in the title tilt against Utica, which is now part of the Hinds Community College system, including Tim Kesler with 18 points, Anthony Anderson with 16 points and Maurice Stafford with 15 points.

That edition of the Tigers featured three players in Anderson,



Members of the 1981-82 Northeast men's basketball state championship team were: (front row I-r) Glenn Mauney, Anthony Webb, Raphael King, Mike Wray, Anthony Anderson, Darryl Hatfield; (back row I-r): Ralph Griffin, Stanley Carter, Tim Copeland, Tom Cooper, Gary Hill, Maurice Stafford and Tim Kesler.



Members of the 1981-82 state championship basketball team reunited at Bonner Arnold Coliseum on February 8, 2018.

Kesler and Stafford that are members of the Northeast Sports Hall of Fame. Stafford earned National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) All-American honors following the 1982 season while Anderson received the same recognition one year later.

## Field of Dreams BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL COMPLEX

Capital Gifts Campaign



#### PEOPLES BANK OF RIPLEY

Recently Bobby Martin (center), president and chairman of the board of The Peoples Bank of Ripley presented the Northeast Mississippi Community College Development Foundation with a \$100,000 donation on behalf of the bank to its "Field of Dreams" capital campaign, the goal of which is to raise funds to construct a \$5.7 million state-of-the-art baseball/softball complex on the Northeast campus.

Pictured at the check presentation were (back row I-r) D. Patrick Eaton, vice president of institutional advancement and executive director of the Northeast Development foundation, Martin and Ricky G. Ford, president, Northeast Mississippi Community College.



#### **RENASANT BANK**

Recently officers with Renasant Bank presented the Northeast Mississippi Community College Development Foundation with a \$20,000 donation to its "Field of Dreams" capital campaign, the goal of which is to raise funds to construct a \$5.7 million state-of-the-art baseball/softball complex on the Northeast campus.

Pictured is (back row I-r) Northeast head softball coach Jody Long, Northeast athletic director W. Kent Farris, vice president of institutional advancement and Foundation executive director Patrick Eaton, (front row I-r) Jerry Robbins, senior Vice President, Northeast Mississippi Community and Business Banking; Reid Bostick, banking officer; Blake Manley, banking officer; Northeast president Ricky G. Ford; Larry Coggin, president, Northeast Mississippi Community and Business Banking; Jason Marlar, market president - Corinth and Michael Brown, market president - New Albany.



#### **ACCO BRANDS**

Recently members of ACCO
Brands of Booneville presented the Northeast Mississippi Community College Development Foundation with a \$100,000 donation to its "Field of Dreams" capital campaign, the goal of which is to raise funds to construct a \$5.7 million state-of-the-art baseball/softball complex on the Northeast campus.

Pictured at the check presentation were (back row I-r) NEMCC head baseball coach Richie Harrelson, NEMCC head women's softball coach Jody Long, David James, ACCO site controller, Patrick Eaton, vice president of institutional advancement and executive director of the Northeast Development Foundation and Alumni Association, Randy Talley ACCO facilities and maintenance manager, (front row I-r) Tracie Arnold, ACCO operations manager/distribution, Leigh Cole, ACCO operations manager/manufacturing, Beth Brimingham, ACCO fleet manager, Lisa Davis, ACCO customer care director, Christina Lawless, ACCO human resources director, NEMCC president Ricky G. Ford, and Bob Alley, ACCO general manager/manufacturing and distribution.



#### **SOLUTIONS RX**

the Northeast Development Foundation Board of Directors, board member Chris Cornelison of Iuka and owner of Solutions Rx presented the Northeast Mississippi Community College Development Foundation with a \$10,000 donation to its "Field of Dreams" capital campaign, the goal of which is to raise funds to construct a \$5.7 million state-of-the-art baseball/softball complex on the Northeast campus.

Pictured is (back row I-r) Board members Mark Segars, Alvia Blakney, Hal Wright, Rick Willis, Douglas Jackson, Matthew Goolsby, Bill Morgan and vice president of institutional advancement and Foundation executive director Patrick Eaton, (front row I-r) Board members Jack Ramsey, David "Bubba" Pounds (president), Rich Harrelson, head baseball coach, Cornelison, and Board member Angie Mason.



#### 2017 NORTHEAST SPORTS & ALUMNI HALL OF FAME

## Recognition Banquet





Pictured at the 2017 Homecoming Alumni & Sports Hall of Fame Recognition Banquet from left to right are NEMCC President Ricky Ford, inductee Hugh McLarty's sons Mike and Mark, and Vice president of Institutional Advancement and Executive Director of the Development Foundation & Alumni Association Patrick Eaton.



Pictured above are Hugh McLarty and his wife Shelby. Hugh passed away on December 26, 2016.

#### HUGH MCLARTY INDUCTED INTO NEMCC ALUMNI HALL OF FAME

stablished in 2013, the Alumni Hall of Fame's purpose is to recognize the achievement of an outstanding Northeast alumnus who has excelled personally and professionally, making a continued and significant difference in their community on a local, state, national, or international level.

Business man and U.S. Army veteran the late Hugh McLarty of New Albany is the newest inductee into the Northeast Mississippi Community College Alumni Hall of Fame. In 1953, McLarty graduated from University High School in Oxford then went on to enroll at Northeast and play football. He also served in the United States Army, rising to the rank of Sergeant, First Class.

McLarty finished his bachelor's degree in business at Memphis State University and began his career at Humble Oil in Charlotte, North Carolina. He later joined Futorian, Inc. in New Albany.

In 1976, McLarty left Futorian Inc. to start Benchcraft, an upholstered furniture manufacturing company in Blue Mountain. In 1995, McLarty founded a second furniture company, Albany Industries, Inc. in New Albany with his wife and three sons, continuing his commitment to the area he loved.

McLarty was an avid Northeast Tiger Softball supporter.

He passed away on December 26, 2016.

Representing the McLarty family at the 2017 Northeast Sports and Alumni Hall of Fame Recognition Banquet are Hugh's sons Mike and Mark McLarty.

## NORTHEAST INDUCTS FOUR TIGERS INTO SPORTS HALL OF FAME

Community College Sports Hall of Fame was conceived in the interest of recognizing coaches, athletes, and administrators who coached and/or played or were loyal supporters of Northeast athletics.

Selected in the tenth class of dignitaries to enter into the prestigious Sports Hall of Fame were Emma Braddock, Dontae' Jones, Jim Lamb and Josie Lindgrin.



Pictured at the 2017 Alumni & Sports Hall of Fame Recognition Luncheon from left to right are NEMCC President Ricky Ford, inductee Jim Lamb, inductee Emma Braddock, inductee Josie Lindgrin, inductee Dontae' Jones, and Director of Athletics Kent Farris.





#### NORTHEAST MISSISSIPPI COMMUNITY COLLEGE DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION AND ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

#### Alumni Hall of Fame

**Purpose:** To recognize the achievement of an outstanding Northeast alumnus who has excelled personally and professionally, making a continued and significant difference in their community on a local, state, national, or international level.

#### Criteria:

- 1. Individual must be an alumnus of Northeast Mississippi Junior/Community College. An alumnus is any person that has a verifiable academic transcript with the college.
- 2. Award is presented to the alumnus who has demonstrated outstanding traits of leadership and character to such an extent that it has brought great C. At least two letters of support credit to the recipient and to the alma mater.
- 3. Nominee is distinguished in his/her chosen profession.
- 4. The accomplishments to be recognized may be achieved through the nominee's career, service, or volunteer efforts.
- 5. Nominee has demonstrated a high level of integrity in his/her personal life and has gained the recognition of various other persons around him/her.

#### Additional considerations include:

6. Preference will be given to nominees who have demonstrated continuing interest in and support of Northeast through contribution of time, talent, or resources.

#### **Nomination Process:**

1. Nominations can be initiated by anyone including the nominee. All nominations must be received in an electronic (email) written format and include the following:

- A. Completed nomination form
- B. A written nomination letter explaining why the nominee should be considered for the award and summarizing the nominee's collegiate, professional accomplishments, and community involvement. (community service, awards, organizations, etc.)
- D. Electronic headshot of the nominee

#### **Selection and Award Process:**

The Northeast Alumni Relations Council members will review and select from the nomination documents. A maximum of five individuals will be inducted into the Alumni Hall of Fame each year.

#### Awardee will receive the following:

- 1. Award recognition at the annual homecoming Alumni & Sports Hall of Fame Recognition Luncheon.
- 2. 'Grand Marshall' during homecoming court ceremony during half time of homecoming game.

To obtain an application form, please email the Northeast Development Foundation & Alumni Association at tjohnson@northeast.ms

Deadline: August 31st

#### **2017 FOOTBALL GAME SPONSORS**

rea businesses supported Northeast Mississippi Community College by sponsoring a football game during the 2017 season. These sponsors helped by providing promotional items for fans at the game, sponsoring the Halftime Field Goal Kicking Contest, and setting up a tent inside the stadium on game night.

Dr. William Jackson of Corinth served as the official game sponsor for the Tigers' first home football game of the season Thursday, September 7th. In addition to providing promotional items to the capacity crowd at Tiger Stadium, Dr. Jackson also sponsored the Halftime Field Goal Kicking Contest that gave Matthew Eaton of Booneville the chance to kick for \$100 cash.

During the 2017 Homecoming festivities on October 12th, Dodges of Booneville was the official game sponsor. Along with providing promotional items, Dodges representative Jennifer Michaels was present for the Halftime Field Goal Kicking contest which they sponsored.

On October 26th, Domino's joined in on the celebrations by being the official game sponsor for an event filled night. This game night featured the annual "Pink Out" game in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month as well as Sophomore Recognition Night. Matthew Edge, a member of the 2017-2018 Tiger Band was selected as the contestant for the Halftime Field Goal Kicking Contest.

If you or someone you know would like to become a sponsor of a Northeast Football game, please contact Patrick Eaton at (662)720-7165 or dpeaton@nemcc.edu.



Pictured is (I-r) freshman cheerleader Maggie Knight of Hately, field goal contestant Matthew Eaton of Booneville, freshman cheerleader Mikenlee Stephens of Belmont and Northeast VP for Institutional Advancement



Pictured above is Dodge's Store Representative Jennifer Michaels with the October 12th Field Goal contestant and Vice President for Institutional Advancement Patrick Eaton.



Several representatives from Domino's gather with the Field Goal Kicking contestant Matthew Edge, who is a member of the NEMCC Tiger Band, and Patrick Eaton, Northeast Vice President for Institutional Advancement.

#### DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION & ALUMNI ASSOCIATION RECOGNIZES ATHLETIC ALL-STAR SPONSORS

ortheast Mississippi Community College's Development Foundation and Alumni Association recently recognized the individuals, companies and corporations for their generous support in becoming an Athletic All-Star sponsor for the 2017-18 academic year. Members of the Athletic All-Star Sponsor program included Modern Woodmen, BancorpSouth, Dodge Store, North American Pipe, Physicians Urgent Care, Coke, Baptist Memorial Hospital, and Dr. Erik Dukes/Dr. Sean Reynolds.



At the recognition ceremony Rick Willis and Bryan McCutchen represented BancorpSouth. Pictured is (from left) Northeast Mississippi Community College president Ricky Ford, Bancorp-South's Rick Willis, Bryan McCutchen and Northeast Development Foundation executive director Patrick Eaton.



At the recognition ceremony Angle Smith represented Dodge Store. Pictured is (from left) Northeast Mississippi Community College president Ricky Ford, Dodge's Angie Smith and Northeast Development Foundation executive director Patrick Eaton.





At the recognition ceremony Brian Thrasher represented North American Pipe. Pictured is (from left) Northeast Mississippi Community College president Ricky Ford, North American Pipe's Brian Thrasher and Northeast Development Foundation executive director Patrick Eaton.



At the recognition ceremony Zeb Taylor and Steven Eaton represented Modern Woodmen. Pictured is (from left) Northeast Mississippi Community College president Ricky Ford, Modern Woodman's Zeb Taylor, Steven Eaton and Northeast Development Foundation executive director Patrick Eaton.

#### YEARS OF SERVICE RECOGNITION

n 2005, the Northeast Foundation & Alumni began the Years of Service Recognition Program for all full-time employees. Each year ▲ at our annual faculty/staff in-service meeting, employees are recognized for their years of service. The recognitions are done in five year intervals...5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, and plus.

#### 5 YEARS

Misty Norris

Kristi Reece

Louis Sacran

Morgan Tucker

Davey Whitley

10 YEARS

Carlena Benjamin

LaShay Blansett

Nicky Cartwright

Misty DeVaughn

Amber Garner

Shannon Goolsby Kay Jackson Raina Michael

John Shelburne

Sherita Taylor

Joey Williford

Romelia Agnew Gina Bray Russell Bullard Catherine Byars Greg Davis Elizabeth Dawson Chris Dunn Jove Farris Cathy Floyd

**Emily Fondren** Kim Smith Kim Harris **Brittney Hudson** Candace Miller Shannon Tucker Melissa Morgan

Nadara Cole

Donna Hill Mark Hurley Angie Mason

#### 15 YEARS

Michelle Baragona Amy Haynie Chassie Kelly Angela Mott George Nock

#### 20 YEARS

Cassandra Evans Jody Long Mark Nichols Charlotte Tennison

#### 25 YEARS

Stephanie Freese Melinda Hamblin Deborah Kehoe Mac McCalmon Alissa McCreary Pam Meeks

Ray Harris

Mike Snowden,

31 years

Marvin Ozbirn, 31 years

Terry Anderson, 35 years

Ricky Ford, 36 years



Ann Smith

#### 30+ YEARS

31 years

Paula Stennett,

Vickie Huggins, 32.5 years

#### 35 YEARS

#### 35+ YEARS

Bonita Crump, 38 years













FOR YOUR CONTINUED DEDICATED **SERVICE TO NORTHEAST!** 

## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The Northeast Development Foundation is governed by a Board of Directors, which establishes policy for all its functions — fundraising, public relations, administration, accounting and investments. The Board of Directors of the Northeast Development Foundation is composed of twenty members, which are made up from the five county areas the college serves. Firms, corporations, and individuals may become members of the Northeast Development Foundation subject to approval by the entire board.

Alvia Blakney, Tishomingo County
Angie Mason, Prentiss County (Secretary)
Bill Gray, Union County
Bill Morgan, Prentiss County
Chris Cornelison, Tishomingo County (Vice-President)
Daniel Tucker, Prentiss County (Board Attorney)
Danny Dilworth, Alcorn County
David Pounds, Alumni Chairman (President)
Douglas Jackson, Tippah County
Hal Wright, Prentiss County
Jack Ramsey, Tishomingo County

John Anderson, Alcorn County
John O. Cunningham, Prentiss County
Lainey Stevens (SGA President)
Mark Segars, Tishomingo County
Mary Childs, Tippah County
Matthew Goolsby, Tippah County
Mona Lisa Grady, Alcorn County
Rick Willis, Alcorn County
Tony Smith, Prentiss County
Vance Witt, Union County

#### Ex-officio Ricky G. Ford, (NEMCC President)

#### **Northeast Development Foundation Staff**

D. Patrick Eaton, Vice President of Institutional Advancement and Executive Director of the Development Foundation & Alumni Association

Tiffany Johnson, Foundation Financial Officer

