... this is now
That was then, this is now.

How can there be a place that is constantly changing, yet always staying the same? This mysterious situation can only be achieved with a finely tuned combination of tradition, pride, knowledge and ambition. And maybe a little Dooley. Oxford is a prime example of this exceptional balance. We carefully embrace our history and we strive to excel to new and unimaginable heights. Then and now, Oxford is still the heart of Dear Old Em'ry.
Oxford College is a place that just feels historic. Phi Gamma is 159 years old and is in use 24 hours per day. In total, there are seven buildings on the quad that were constructed before 1900. The quad itself is graced by the Few Monument and shaded by ancient oaks. First time visitors to Oxford remark that the College feels deeply grounded in its history.

But history is constantly unfolding. It is made up of moments of individual experience, and the moments of the Class of 2009 are a vital part of the unfolding history of Oxford College. What you did and how you experienced it while on the Oxford campus was in some degree affected by what others before you have done and experienced. For those who follow after you, it will be the same. So your moments at Oxford are part of Oxford's history, and part of Oxford's history is you.
Some of those moments are captured in the photographs in this yearbook and they will help you to remember many of the wonderful friendships and experiences you shared with your classmates over two years. You will be reminded of the comforting sense of friendly community, the caring support and challenges of your faculty, and the amber light pouring from Hearn Woods into the quad on an autumn afternoon.

Your yearbook title is more than a little ironic. That (the past) is distinguished from this (the present), but the take-home message is one of continuity over time. Then is contrasted with now, but the now is the moment of the photographs and is also in the past. Like all good irony, this points to the greater truth that although in the past Oxford will always be an immediate part of your lives.
"Presidents may come, Presidents may go;
Professors may come, Professors may go;
Students may come, Students may go;
But Dooley lives forever!"

--James W. Dooley
For a small college, there is PLENTY to do! The campus calendar is bursting with events, from cultural programs, concerts, sporting events, guest lecturers, Movies on the Quad, social mixers, and more. You can always find something to occupy your time outside of the classroom.
New Student Orientation is held several days prior to the beginning of classes, and between moving in and getting settled, registering for classes, PAL Group Meetings, Club Fair, Convocation, and social programs like Daniel James, hypnotist, Saturday Night Fever, and the Ice Cream Social, new students quickly experience all there is to offer at Oxford.
Fall Retreat, an annual program offered by the Chaplain's office, is a great opportunity for students, faculty, and staff to experience the beauty of the Georgia mountains. There's time for reflection, relaxation, and recreation.

This year's retreat was attended by almost 100 Oxford students and 20 faculty and staff members, as well as their families.
Oxford's first Chuseok celebration, a Korean Thanksgiving-like service, was proudly sponsored by some of Oxford's Korean students. Those in attendance enjoyed delicious food, music, drumming, and dance. Chuseok was widely attended by students, faculty, and staff, and this program's success and broad interest spurred the chartering of KASA, Korean American Student Association.
ExCEL, a leadership program for sophomore students, is a great way for students to further develop their leadership skills, learn more about themselves and how to interact with others within a group, and form tight-knit bonds with other students in the program. Consisting of several events during the week and concluding with a weekend-long retreat, students who attended claim that it was one of their best experiences from their Oxford career.
For the first time, Oxford Day was held in the fall. There were horse and buggy rides around the Quad celebrating the newly paved brick walkways on campus. The class of 1958 celebrated their 50th reunion and Dooley decided to make a visit to campus to see them as well as the students. The new residence hall, East Village was dedicated on Oxford Day, not more than a year after ground was broken in August 2007. Reunions were held for classes ending in "3s" and "8s" including the classes of 1998, 1988, 1983, 1978, 1973, 1968, 1963, and 1958. It was a fun filled weekend for both alumni and students.
The Oxford community invited families and guests to attend Family Weekend in the fall, a great opportunity for parents to see their son or daughter acclimated to their new "home." The jam-packed, fun-filled schedule included live music in the Tavern, interest sessions led by faculty and staff, WallE on the Quad, a picnic, an interfaith peace service, and more.
Hindu Student Council proudly hosted Diwali, the Festival of Lights that celebrates good over evil. The brightly and colorfully decorated Rathskeller housed delicious Indian food, traditional music and dancing, and more. Their program was not only of great educational value to the rest of the Oxford community, but it was also a treat for eyes, mouths, and ears as well!
The Student Activities Committee worked hard to get everyone in the spirit of Halloween this year. From kicking the week off with Coffeehouse Comedy House of Horrors featuring comedian Dan Ahdoot, to a Haunted Tour with Dean Moon, from a showing of *Ring* on the Quad to CarnEvil with a pie eating contest and bobbing for apples, there was something for everyone to enjoy.

*Halloween*

October 27-31
Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil. Red and black. Chic decorations. Dooley. Delicious food. Dancing until 2 AM. The Fox Theatre. Students could any of these phrases to describe this year’s Fall Formal, SAC’s largest and most popular event of the year. With over 200 students in attendance, those that came claimed it was every bit as enchanting as they had hoped. Even Dooley would agree.
POOCH, Delta Psi Epsilon, Eagle Energy, and Dooley’s Dolls proudly represented Oxford College in Covington’s annual Christmas Parade. On floats craftily designed by Facilities Management and festively decorated by the dedicated students, Oxford students passed out candy and sang holiday carols through the route.
Students line up by the hundreds outside of Lil's anxiously awaiting the opportunity to be served breakfast food by staff and faculty the night before reading day. A diet of protein, grease, and carbohydrates always proves to be a great source of sustenance for students as they prepare to study on a full stomach.
Students celebrate the life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. through a thoughtfully planned program including singing, monologues, and inspirational messages sponsored by the Chaplain's office, with contributions by Diversity Council, Black Student Alliance, and Voices of Praise Gospel Choir.
Many dreamed of making the trek to Washington, DC, but in the end, only few were able to go.

Students, faculty, and staff gathered in the Student Center TV Room to witness history as President Barack Obama was sworn in.
SAC proudly hosted Sleeperstar, a rock band out of Dallas, TX, in the Tavern after being blown away by their demo. Students seemed to share their opinion as they flocked to the Tavern to enjoy their set and immediately requested the band’s return in 2009-2010.
Curtis Zimmerman wowed the crowds when he spoke to faculty, staff, and students about "Living Life at Performance Level." Through his memorable presentation using juggling, fire-eating, and witty banter as a means to convey his message, those who attended walked away with powerful, inspirational stories, the knowledge of how to juggle (both literally and figuratively), and a stomach cramp from laughing so hard.
Oxford's beautiful women eagerly competed for the title of Miss Oxford by showcasing their talent, intelligence, and style for a panel of judges and over 200 of their peers.

It was a close competition which proved to be a difficult decision for the judges, but in the end, Ameenay Khan was crowned Miss Oxford.

Participants were judged on a group choreographed dance, talent, question and answer portion, and evening wear.
Spring break is the traditional time for college students to relax, enjoy some fun in the sun, and prepare for the deadlines and exams that are ahead at semester's end. But for 45 Oxford College students and staff, Spring Break 2009 was a time to get up early, not sleep in; wear a tool belt, not a bikini; and head to the construction site, not the beach. Instead of enjoying a cushy hotel room, they slept on air mattresses on the floor of a church fellowship hall, shared 2 bathrooms, and split daily chores. Are they crazy? No, just dedicated to making a difference and having fun doing it. They gave not only their time, but their hands to build a home for a family in need. This group spent their week volunteering with Habitat for Humanity in Mobile County, Alabama and enjoying every minute of it!
Holi, the Hindu Festival of Colors, occurs each spring and is an Indian celebration in anticipation of the harvest season. During Holi, Hindus pray and celebrate by throwing colored powder and colored water on each other. Hindu Student Council (HSC) brought the community together and educated the rest of the campus about this holiday through a colorful celebration on the Quad, followed by an evening event in the Rathskeller, where students enjoyed performances of dance and song and Indian food.
What would you have done for a Spirit Week shirt?? How did you show your spirit?? Some demonstrated their knowledge by answering Oxford trivia questions, while others put their safety in danger by building pyramids and doing backflips.

SAC worked diligently to plan a week of fun to promote school spirit throughout the campus. Events included a car show, followed by Gran Torino on the Quad, field day games, tailgating for the Men's Soccer Club (with free ice cream!), and Wet and Wild.

**Spirit Week**
April 13 - 17
Social Clubs wait all year for the opportunity to host a Tavern Party, a dance party hosted in the Tavern. They come up with creative themes and plan the whole event around it with decorations, food, and other activities.
Even Dooley can't resist the tasty pancakes in Lil's.

The end of the year is a bittersweet time for many. The Pancake Breakfast in the spring semester means the upcoming academic freedom of summer vacation, but it also means saying goodbye to many of our sophomore friends.

Pancake Breakfast is the perfect place to make lasting memories before finals and Commencement.
Every Monday night, students flock to SAC's Coffeehouse for cappuccinos (brewed and served with a smile by Oxford's very own SAC baristas), food, board games, the pool table, music, and the overall cozy ambiance of Dooley's Tavern. From stand-up comedy to acoustic musicians, from karaoke to slam poetry, each week is something new and exciting.
The Oxford students just couldn't get enough of Brenn, a band from Nashville, TN, who sounds strikingly close to Coldplay and Radiohead. SAC initially brought the musicians to campus in November, and students were begging them to come back again. So SAC offered the loudest study break of all in the spring, complete with refreshing smoothies to serve as brain food during finals.

SAC Concert: Brenn

May 2
New graduates excitedly show off their diplomas and meet each other’s families after Oxford’s Commencement ceremony.

We congratulate our sophomores and wish them well, though we most certainly miss having them on campus!
Residence halls aren't just a place to do your laundry and lay your head. They are a place to live, learn, and grow. Students experience a strong sense of community through hall programs, roommate and hallmate relationships, and hanging out in the common areas.

This was an exciting year for RES with the introduction of the new residential complex, East Village, a LEED Gold building with incredible sustainable features. Those living in Alpha and Beta halls were the envy of many of our students.
East Village: Alpha Halls

Rachel Abraham
Alicia Adams
Phyllicia Adams
Fayyaz Adatia
Nourine Ahmed
Olufemi Ajibade
Robert Alexander
Hamad Al-Helal
William Allisberg
Agnes An
Jace Angell
Shaina Azam
Andrew Bailey
Monique Bailey
Saira Bana
Charles Barber
Tori Barlow
Monya Behnia
Fernanda Blanco
Andrea Bozja
Marisa Brewer
Celeste Brewer
Tara Brooks
Camillia Brown
Heather Buzzard
James Byrd
Jonathan Calaj
Elizabeth Cappello
Gabriela Caputa
Andrew Carlone
Emilio Casillas
Sarah Castle
Catherine Castle
Alexandra Cavanaugh
George Chandler II
Clara Choi
Hyun Jeong Choo
Sharreda Cornes
Christopher Dall
Shafin Damani
Kwadjo Danso
Louis Darden
Tedi Davidson
Lyndsey Davis
Laurinda La Casas
Dora Dhakal
Amreem Dharani
Charles Dickson
Andrea Dircksneider
Philip Dollard
Vanessa Dooley
Christopher Elliott
Omid Esrailian
Rachel Factor
Perry Fitzgerald
Raphaela Fontana
Niakaela Frederick
Blake Friedman
Monica Gandhi
Liang Ge
Amy Gormaley
Leza Gotkin
Erica Greene
Kyla Griswell
Stacie Habowski
Mary Hackman
Lynn Hargrow
Allison Harper
Tiffany Haynes
Lauren Heeke
Nichole Hembree
Sarah Henderson
Daniel Herwood
Jennings Heussner
Phillip Hook
Vincent Hu
George Huang
Shivani Jain
Patrick Jameson
Dylan Jones
Sara Kabir
Sheetal Kandola
Digan Kapoor
Alexandra Kayhart
Eric Kelliher
Conor Kelly
Shaudi Khansari
Hira Khanum
Alina Kharina
Noorin Khorsai
Lee-Lye Kim
Beatrice King
Jonathan Lafer
Iqbal Lakhani
Afsheen Lakhani
Jayden Landeck
Andra Langouassia
Taylor Lanier
Samuel Lee
Nicole Lee
Heather Lenahan
Ada Leung
Nicole Leung
Edward Levin
Jesse LeVine
Qian Li
J'Alme Louis
Mary Magruder
Jared Malcom
Tara Mann
Brittany Mayo
Shrinia Mazumder
Sarah McNabb
Whitner Milner
Callie Moncus
Justin Natic
Thanh Nguyen
Jeffrey Obiora
Chinedum Onyeka
Elizabeth Panatera
Amirin Panjwani
Susanna Parrish
Natalie Paul
James Payne
Muzi Peng
Christina Petty
Ryan Phillips
Matthew Pitts
Jessica Probst
Vedran Prorok
Uneeb Rahman
Khaliq Rajahn
Daniel Real
Darius Redmon
Nathan Reeder
Garth Reeves
Peter Ricks, Jr.
Hannah Rogers
Louie Romain
Veronica Roman
Taylor Rothchild
Elizabeth Rudd
Jay Rughani
Kearstin Sale
Markese Sanders
Chinar Sanghvi
Mitchell Schwartz
Deidre Scott
Mariam Sheikh
James Shope
Susanna Sierra
Kaitlin Smith
Letisha Smith
Amy Sobol
Adam Stockhausen
Hall Stokes
David Sykes
Jordan Szaroletta
Kevin Szu-Tu
Bethel Tezera
Tina Thapar
Thi Tran
Yisha Wang
Courtney Ward
Jasmine Webb
Andrew Webb
Tracey Webb
Jenna Weiner
Jacob Weiner
Kendall West
Seth Westerman
Linda Willoughby
Clayton Winter
Mone Wright
Luyuan Xu
Elijah Yang
Simon Yang
Jingling Yie
East Village: Beta Halls

Abbas, Hadi
Ali, Zina
Ajanbade, Adeseni
Ajanbade, Adeola
Albers, Kyle
Ali, Atira
Arias, David
Arreola, Aerith
Asherman, Victoria
Asheman, Isan
Babwani, Zainab
Baker, Sydney
Baker, Arielle
Baldwin, Andrew
Barkley, Andrew
Barnes, Aathin
Barnes, Austin
Barr, John
Barton, David
Basaldua, Sophia
Beraki, Aleta
Bishop, Victoria
Biza, Madeleine
Bogdan, Ashley
Bogdan, Emily
Bough, Sarah
Boykin, Paulina
Boykin, Nadja
Breslawer, Lindsey
Broadie, Nicky
Brown, Jacob
Brunlow, andace
Brune, Kelly
Byrne, Madison
Byrne, David
Byrne, Carfield-Farris
Carroll, Stefavia
Carter, Celeste
Chang, Kristine
Chen, Anna
Cheung, Takan
Chin, Shana
Chiu, Nicole
Chiu, Alexia
Clemens-Smith, Sharon
Covington, Harlan
Dagalakis, Bekhzod
Dancing, Julia
David, Paula
Donaldson, Yavanna
Dye, Chelsea
Elrod, Elise
Fediganov, Andrei
Fernandez, Monica
Fong, Monica
Franklin, Becica
Gardner, Emily
Ghassemian, Ramin
Gilani, Aleena
Graves, Olivia
Groves, Theresa
Gu, Yifan
Haddad, Rachel
Hammond, Christopher
Han, Hinson
Hassen, Hodan
Hayden,羲am
Henderson, Joshua
Herrera, Jessica
Higginson, Madeleine
Hodges, Ashley
Hock, Samuel
Hooten, Hannah
Ishaq, Ali
Joseph, Ricky
Joyave, Jenna
Joven, John
Keese, Caitlin
Khant, Khadijadeja
Byrnes, Addison
Kim, Minoo
Kim, Heeyoung
Kim, Shana
Kim, Grace
Kim, Suk
Kith, Timmy
Klein, Justin
Koch, Travis
Koons, Alisha
Krumholz, Cecily
Krumholtz, Matthew
Kuruvilla, Michael
Kwak, Alina
Laghrab, Rachel
Larowe, Kate
Lee, Seul-Ah
Lee, David
Lee, Andrew
Lee, Grace
Lee, Suk
Levin, Joel
Lewis, Lauren
Lightwala, Mishkat
Lim, Jinah
Lin, Tiffany
Liu, Xiaoyuan
Liu, Timothy
Lobd, Anthony
Long, Kylie
Lopez, Mario
Malik, Suleman
Martin, Gabriel
Martin, Paul
Mitt, Rachel
Mcleroy, Collette
Medile, Samantha
Merchant, Imran
Miller, Katherine
Minotti, Amy
Mitchell, Alexandra
Mizuki, Irene
Moore, Ashley
Moran, Anna
Morelock, Austin
Morrow, Jennifer
Nill, Lindsey
Nitime, Maximilian
Nocks, Chiagozie
Nwosu, Jacob
Olsen, Jacob
Park, Minoo
Park, Minsoo
Parton, Joshua
Patel, Ashaka
Patel, Vimla
Perkins, Maxwell
Phillips, Katlyn
Platko, Travis
Pollard, Lance
Portas, Ethan
Puramani, Shikha
Ramjee, Amit
Ramsey, Spencer
Raise, Nicholas
Rheingans-Carrion, Roman
Roseman, Mark
Sabree, Makeen
Sadikhitdinov, Bekhzod
Santamarina, Francisco
Savoi, William
Schein, Jennifer
Schwartz, Tabitha
Shaw, Mark
Shearad, Brittany
Sheridan, Juliet
Shu, Cheng
Sneed, Justin
Snyder, Haley
Spears, Stella
Still, Caitlin
Stoyer, Elliot
Surbey, Kathryn
Taganajan, Kenneth
Thomas, Telania
Topping, Amegie
Undie, Elena
Villa, Alisha
Washington, Jordan
Watson, Jol’A
Whitehead, Samuel
Williams, Jordan
Winfield, Manas
Wirani, Menka
Woodezemaet, Shiworke
Woodruff, Whitney
Yates, Lauren

53
Haygood & Stone

Ivan Acker
Hermela Agiz
Sanil Akbarali
Carolina Araujo
Alfred Artis
Jason Austin
Sabrina Bana
Candice Bang
Alexander Baumgartner
Harni Bhamidipati
William Boykin III
Arthwan Braumuller
Spencer Breidenbach
Dashay Carter
Geoff Chen
Pearl Chiu
Con Chung
Thomas Church
Kelly Collins
Rebecca Crockett
Spencer Davis
Jan Debeuckelaer
Ani Dossani
Akelia Dowdy
Ellen Dugan
Ev Dunn
Brittany Echols
Michelle Elliott
Anwar Ferdinand
Timothy Fetzer
Benjamin Freedman
John Freyermuth
Savannah Gilmore
Stephanie Granada
Sarah Grant
Eric Heiny
Helen Hill
Caprice Howard
Sarah Husain
Michelle Ihewunwa
Natasha Jivani
Benjamin Johnson
Lauren Johnson
Jonathan Kessler
Ameenay Khan
Kathy Kim
Clinton Kimzey

Larissa Kovalchuk
Christopher Lamb
Acilea Lanier
Dylan Lay
Kevin Leu
Hui Li
Shenaz Lilywala
Karen Lin
Jacquelyn Linzer
Julie Longo
Kandice Maxwell
Derek Mazur
Jaimie McIntyre
Elizabeth McLaughlin
Briana McLaughlin
Travis Meezier
Angelica Moreyra
Leslie Munoz
Emilomo Mwendapole
Kristopher Myers
Eliza Netter
Francisca Oredoko
Samantha Owusu
Raj Patel
Hinel Patel
Ashley Pinkston
Nousheen Pirani
Fan Qi
Sara Radmard
Caren Ramillard
Lucy Rice
Jaclyn Richter
Zachary Rigney
Alexa Roth
Zachary Seawright
Sasha Shackelford
Michka Sharpe
Jennifer Sheu
Robert Soifer
Elizabeth Stamps
Elle Stay
Sean Steffen
Alison Tammany
Pamela Tee
Cydney Unvala
Marcella Vallone
Angie Villegas

Adrienne Vinson
Zheyuan Wang
Jonathan Wang
Melanie Wang
Jessica Williams
Brianne Williams
Fiteum Woldeesellasse
Nienao Yu
Kelly Zhou
Leqi Zhu
Xuyang Zou

Nirja Acharya
Patrick Agrippina
Maryam Ahmad
Christina Auo
Emma Babich
Brandon Belcher
Emily Brennan
Malcolm Campbell
Gillian Cannon
Alexander Carstairs
Jamie Chen
Carter Comrie
Alexandra Couvarae
Evon Crane
Ian Cunningham
Tracy Davis
Ngan Du
Petra Ehler
Charles Eline
Patryk Fital
Hok Fung
Alx Grant
Hanna Hashtroudi
Florin Hoxha
Sabrina Jeppsson
Zarpheen Jinnah
Amadu Kamara
Euk Kim
Homin Kim
Jong Min Kim
Aritra Koul
Samhita Kumar
Young Kyu Kwon
Michael Macaluso

Kirsten Mahoney
David Manco
Carson Mayberry
Danielle Milano
Jessica Millman
Naureen Mitha
Pratibha Nagarajan
Phan Nguyen
Anna Oh
Andres Oliovares
Daoum Park
Joane Pascal
Calla Patel
Katharine Perry
Moiz Rahim
Irma Rashid
Katherine Riddle
Jennifer Robbins
Meredith Russell
Ashrani Sami
Leah Shapiro
Jonathan Sheeh
Jonathan Simmonds
Natalia Teekah
Petria-George Thompson
ToTrinh Tran
Meghan Trau
Brittni Williams
Jeremiah Williams
Emali Williamson
Joe Zhang
Campus Clubs and Organizations

Oxford prides itself in its ability to offer a club or organization for everyone's interest. With over 60 SGA-chartered student organizations, ranging from academic to social, spiritual to recreation & leisure, service to special interest, students are able to get involved as soon as they arrive on campus.
Circle K

Roster:
Ameenay Khan
Jennifer Sheu
Narjit Aujla
Alycia Adams
Phyllicia Adams
Jola Watson
Marlena Knop
Seul-Ah Lee
Carolina Araujo
Francisca Oredoko
Michelle Iheuwuwa
Jasmine Ruffin
Ellen Dugan
Shiworke Woldeemant

Above: Narjit Aujla, Alycia Adams, Phyllicia Adams, Jola Watson, Ameenay Khan and Jennifer Sheu are showing off their colorful poster from club fair.

Catholic Student Union

Roster:
Patrick Agrippina (President); Cecilia Yu; Liz Capello; Kelly Burke; Eric Rusiecki; Mike Cruz; Christy Hackman; Emily Brennan; Hobie Daniels; Angelica Moreyra; Shea Fontana; Hanna Hashtroudi; Arielle Hayden; Grace Lee; Gabriel Martin; Jordan Szaroletta

CSU strives to foster a spiritually supportive environment for Catholics on campus by organizing weekly Mass trips, praying together to grow in our relationship with God, as well as providing an atmosphere during meetings to talk and discuss various aspects of our faith. Leaders of the Emory Catholic Center such as Michael Tigue and Fr. Bryan Small frequently visit Oxford to support this endeavor and help organize events.
Delta Psi Epsilon

Current members, Alison Tammany and Elizabeth McLaughlin are letting Tiffany Phan, know what they want for Christmas at Delta Psi Epsilon's fall tavern party.

Roster:

Khalil Rajahn (President)  Ben Freedman
Alison Tammany  Mark Lentini
Elizabeth McLaughlin  Chad Eline
Tedi Davidson  Kendall West
Justin Natic  Lexi Cavanaugh
Jonathan Kessler  Elizabeth Stamps
Jonathan Simmonds  Nikki Hembree
Pete Vandezekr  Dave Manco
Scott Lyon  Florin Hoxha
Michael Romanelli  Hali Stokes
Roster:

Emi Mwendapole (President)
George Huang
Catherine Higgins
Kevin Szu-Tu
Kenneth Taganajan
Shikha Pursnani
Amegie Undie
Vanessa Dooley
Maggie Dancel
Logan Okun
Aeisha Lanier
Tamanna Huda
Sarah Henderson
Alisha Virani
Chris Dickson
Sasha Shackleford
Emily Lafferman
Apraha Henry-Fisher
Pence Wiant
Andrew Webb
Travis Platek
Andrew Bailey

(Above) Vanessa Dooley, Emily Lafferman, Amegie Undie, Alisha Virani and Shikha Pursnani are helping out at the Earth Day Celebration serving snow cones on a beautiful spring day.

The Dolls anticipate Dooley's speech at the Black and White Day Celebration.

(Above) Amegie Undie, Travis Platek, Ken Taganajan, Sasha Shackleford, Maggie Dancel, Shikha Pursnani, Sarah Henderson, Vanessa Dooley and Catherine Higgins are enjoying Cocoa on the Quad.

(Left) Sasha Shackleford, Emily Lafferman, Sarah Henderson and Chris Dickson are enjoying Lil's at weekly Doll Dinner.
The Interfaith Council is a welcoming group on the Oxford College campus that initiates friendly dialogue between numerous faiths. The group meets once a week to discuss different topics pertaining to faith, religion, and spiritual experiences. Every meeting is done in a different format. Meetings are often conducted as an open forum, a lecture format or even leading in meditation. The group is also responsible for hosting on campus events such as the annual peace service. Overall, Interfaith Council is a place where students are encouraged to come and share stories, questions, perspectives and insecurities about faith.

Roster:

Caitlin Keesee
Andrea Bozja
Isaac Payne
Aaron Esraelian
Heather Buzzard
Kalila Castle
Liz Cappello
Zohal Rahim
Gillian Ayers
Kylie Long
Mary Magnuded
Hannah Rogers
Omeca Delta

Omeca Delta ladies and their sweetheart Isam Rashied are enjoying the sun before family dinner.

(Above) Sophomores Kayla Mills, Audrey Stanley, Karen Shultz and Katherine Liu are looking to share their spirit of sisterhood at the fall club fair.

(Below) Shelly Gu is chilling with her freshmen sisters Shana Kronish, Kristy Fittis and Allie Shifflet.

(Above) Marlena Kropp, Katherine Liu and Shelly Gu are partying like rockstars at Omega Delta’s fall tavern party. Party Like a Rockstar.

(Above) April Rim, Eliza Netter, Shaila Manjyani, Olivia Graves and Karen Shultz are having a great time at Omega Delta’s fall tavern party.
Below) Natalie Paul, Kris Myers and Aimee Louis are taking a break from dancing at their spring tavern party, the Rumpshaker.

(Far Left) Vanetta Thomas, Darius Redmon, Natalie Paul, Dashay Carter and Markese Sanders are cleaning up from a successful club fair.

(Left) Deidre Scott and Markese Sanders are breaking it down at their spring tavern party traditionally held in the student center.
Muslim Student Alliance

(Left) Muslim Student Alliance had yummy food at their spring semester study break.

(Below) Students celebrate the Muslim holiday, Eid.

(Above) Zohaib Abbas, Afzan Tharani, Aneel Shermohmad, Ali Jooma, Sami Tabbaa, Aleka Kazi and Irma Rashid took care of Oxford students during finals by serving delicious Taco Bell.

(Right) Zohaib Rahim, Ali Jooma, Imran Merchant, Usman Chatta, David Joseph and Afzan Tharani all attended the Eid Celebration.
Member Digant Kapoor is all riled up and ready to celebrate Holi, the Hindu festival of colors and spring, on the quad.

(Right) HSC members Amit Ramjee, Marshall Khant, Digant Kapoor, Lauren Lewis, Rishi Patel, Shantha Gowda, Chinar Sangvi, Ashaka Patel, Harini Bhamidipati, Kinjal Vora and Dina Patel are decorated by colored powder at the Holi celebration with Dr. Eve Mullen.
Jewish Student Union

Asian Cultural Club
Pre-Law Society

Roster:

David Joseph (President); Shikha Pursnani; Maggie Dancel; Tina Thapar; Shelly Gu; Meredith Mann and Madeline Hobbs.

Oxapella
Black Student Alliance holds its annual Blackstar Diversity Dinner.

Korean American Student Association

(Above) KASA celebrated the harvest festival, Chuseok, dressed in traditional Korean wear.

(Above) KASA serving delicious Korean food after the festivities.

(Left) Grace Lee and Jecika Kim modeling their beautiful ethnic dresses.
Experience in Cultivating Excellence in Leadership

CORE
Freshman Council

Roster:

Anthwan O. Puranda-Braumuller
Anwar S. Ferdinand
Ashley S. Hodges
Bethel A. Tezera
Digant R. Kapoor
Hannah B. Hooten

Irma Raashid
Joe Moon
Jonathan M. Shieh
Mark S. Rozeman
Phan H. Nguyen
Eric D. Rusiecki

Sarah K. Henderson
Spencer D. Ramsey
Vanda F. Chou
Zahra Ali
Elizabeth M. Cappello
Emily C. Brennan

Who's Who 2009

Oxford Alliance for Global Health
Student Government Association

President: Suleman Malik
Vice President: Sharon Caslin
Secretary: Ryan Valeriano
Treasurer: Shafin Damani
Parliamentarian: Jaclyn Richter
SAC Chair: Garth Reeves
PR Chair: Madison Byrnes
Attorney General: Louis Romain
Honor Council Chair: Imran Merchant
Sergeant of Arms: Pence Wiant
Sergeant of Arms: Andrew Webb
Emory Liaison: Satvik Hadigal
Emory Liaison: Chinar Sanghvi

Senators:
- Phillip Cheng
- Vanessa Dooley
- David Joseph
- Marial Khant
- Kevin Szu-Tu
- Amy Yie
- Grace Lee
- Azmi Abusam
- Eric Beard
- Farhan Kamili
- Kamron Zia
- Rishi Patel
- Nafela Hojeij
- Mohamed Ahmed
- Mark Rozeman
- Dino Munroe
Anime Club

College Bowl
Student Activities Committee

Roster: Garth Reeves (SAC Chair), Veronica Roman (Traditions Chair), Alex Heussner (Weekends Chair), Caitlin Still (PR Chair), Aaron Esraeilian, Gozie Nwosu, Hamad Al-Helal, Christine Chang, Ali Dirkesneider, Phil Dollard, Shea Fontana, Ally George, Allison Harper, Richard Mclean, Callie Monous, Sasha Shackelford, Brian Tsang, Sarah Woodruff
Business Club

Roster:
Gabrielle Broadie (President);
Tiffany Lin; Mijeong Myung;
Aaron Esraeilian; Grace Lee;
Andrew Lee; Jecika Kim;
Andrew Tan; Diana Chen; and
Vincent Hu

UPhi
Mu Epsilon Delta

(Above) Oxford students and Mu Epsilon Delta members alike, enjoy the annual MED club barbecue. This year the barbecue was held in front of the Haygood residence building.

Culinary Club

Roster:

Kevin Szu-Tu (President);
Arielle Hayden; Shivani Jain;
Rachel Laney; Latavia Carroll
Pooch

Gospel Choir
Athletics, Intramurals and Club Sports

For a small campus, Oxford is full of athletic energy! From the early morning spinning classes to the daily evening intramural events and the late night mens and womens soccer practices to the Mens Tennis Teams 3rd National Championship title, our students work hard in and out of the classroom, representing Oxford well to the local community and the country.
Team Highlights

NSCAA Team Academic Award 2008

NSCAA Team Ethics Award 2008

Distinguished Academic All-Americans 2008:
Erica Greene 3.92 GPA & Alison Tammary 3.88 GPA

Academic All-American 2008: Elizabeth Rudd 3.66 GPA

Roster:
Katelyn Boykin
Rebecca Franklin
Erica Greene
Arielle Hayden
Megan Hempel
Hannah Hooten
Jenna Joyave
Alexandra Kayhart
Selena Kim
Katlyn Phillips
Elizabeth Rudd
Alison Tammary
Taylor Tyger
Lauren Yates
Men's Basketball and Cheerleading

Ranking Nationally

The Oxford College Men's Basketball had three players ranked in the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) Division III Statistics as of March 2, 2009. Peter Ricks had a stellar season and was ranked number 6th in the nation in individual scoring at 23.1 a game which should have given him consideration for NJCAA Division III All-American status.

Gabriel Martin, a 6-8, freshmen, from Asheville, NC was ranked in three categories. He was ranked number 43 nationally in rebounding at 8.87 a game, ranked number 21 in individual block shots at 2.04 a game, and number 45 in free-throw shooting converting 75.24 % of his free-throws.

Travis Kitchen, a 6-7, freshmen, from Brunswick, GA ranked in two categories. He was ranked number 13 nationally in rebounds at 10.8 a game and ranked number 19 in individual block shots.

Roster:
#4 Tim Fetzer
#10 Travis Kitchen
#14 Blake Friedman
#15 Vincent Hu
#20 Robert Alexander
#21 Gabriel Martin
#23 Peter Ricks
#24 Zohaib Abbas
#30 Eric Kelliher
#32 Reade Milner
#33 Minoo Kim
#40 James Byrd
Winning Nationals

Oxford came away triumphant from the NJCAA III Men's Tennis National Tournament, which took place in Plano, Texas. Following a week of frequent rain delays, Oxford entered the final round with a 1.5 point lead over Suffolk Community College and a four-point lead over Onondaga Community College. With Eagles in five of the nine finals, only two wins were needed to secure the team championship.

Chris Dickson at #2 singles, Ben Freedman at #3 and Travis Platek at #4 all took the court with the hope of deciding the title prior to doubles. Platek recorded a 6-1, 6-3 victory over Onondaga's Mason Drastal. The next to finish was Freedman with a 6-4, 6-2 win over Onondaga's Ryan Everett. With the team win secured, Dickson knocked off defending #2 National Champion, Maksim Vergazov from Kingsborough Community College, 6-3, 7-6 (7-4).

Roster:
Andrew Bailey
Billy Boykin
Emilio Casillas
Chris Dickson
Anwar Ferdinand
Ben Freedman
Travis Platek
Ethan Protas
Ryan Session
Jonathan Shieh
Rob Soifer
Ken Taganajan
ITAS Regional Tournament

Roster:
Monya Behnia
Christine Chang
Nikki Chiu
Maggie Dancel
Maddy Hobbs
Katie Hockstein
Sammy Lee
Amy Minotti
Whitney Woodruff

Historically, one of the toughest regional tournaments for 2-year schools in the country, an Oxford player accomplished a feat not obtained by any previous Oxford player. Ayanna Groves (Atlanta, GA; Woodward Academy), in her first collegiate competition, progressed all the way to the final round of the tournament before falling to defending champion Rachel Rossi (Marion Military Academy) 6-7 (4-7), 6-0, 6-4. Along the way, Groves won 4 matches over players from Central Alabama, Young Harris and Marion Military - including wins over the #5 and #2 seeds. This was the first time that any Oxford singles player has made it to the final round of this tournament.

Also competing for the Oxford Women’s team were Vyjoo Lakshmipathy (Duluth, GA; Peachtree Ridge High School), Hima Nannapaneni (Southborough, MA; St. Mark’s School) and Joyce Juang (Newtown, PA; Council Rock North High School).
Men's Soccer Club
Special thanks to the 2008-2009 yearbook staff:

Garth Reeves, Editor
Carolina Araujo
Shaina Azam
Tara Brooks
Joanthan Calaj
Sarah Castle
Jan Debeuckelaer
Ellen Dugan
Marcella DeSantiVallone
Monica Gandhi
Alexandra George
Aisha Hassen
Aisha Kazi
Jacquelyn Linzer
Derek Mazur
Beatriz Osme
Shikha Pursani
Veronica Roman
Andrew Tarn
Telania Thomas
Totrinh Tran
Taylor Tyger-Batton
Jrodan Washington
Amy Yie
that was then...