

## **News on Campus**

### **Fall CE 2011 a great success**

The LIFE community welcomed more than 1,100 doctors to campus last weekend for Fall CE 2011. Offering more CE classes at a time than ever before, registrants were able to choose from a variety of course selections ranging from technique courses such as extremity adjusting and Gonstead, to state-specific requirements such as law and risk management.

In addition to the extensive course selection, there were plenty of parties and events surrounding Fall CE 2011. Friday's Red Hat Celebration honored the late Dr. William Harris and the Harris Family Foundation, currently LIFE's largest donor with more than \$7 million given. The Foundation also recognized DC student and first Red Hat Scholarship winner Margaret Kuberra by presenting her with a \$5,000 scholarship. A book written by Drs. Harris and Thomas Outler Morgan entitled "Your Choice- Words Spoken to a Young Chiropractor", was given out to those who made a pledge toward the Red Hat Scholarship fund.

The Alumni & Friends Party and Class Reunions was a big hit! The Mardi-Gras themed party, complete with a live Dixieland jazz band, magician, fortune tellers, juggler, caricature artist, balloon artist and photo booth ended the weekend in fine fashion. The traditional New Orleans-style hurricane drinks were flowing, the band was jamming and the party animals were dancing all night.

You don't want to miss out on the fun next year. Please visit our [Alumni & Friends website](#) to log in and update your information to ensure you receive up-to-date information about future events.

### **LIFE Participates in the United Nations Summit on Non-communicable Diseases**

In response to the growing global epidemic of lifestyle-related diseases, the United Nations convened a historic Non-communicable Diseases Summit Sept. 19-20 at the UN Headquarters in New York. Designed to rally global leaders to action to promote health, the Summit marked only the second time in its history that the UN has raised health issues to the highest level of global priority. The first UN Health Summit in 2001 addressed the rising global threat of HIV/AIDS. The new global threat, lifestyle-related disorders (heart disease, stroke, cancer, diabetes and tobacco-use disorders) account for 63 percent of deaths worldwide. This death toll is rising rapidly.

Because of Life University's innovative pioneering efforts in promoting local and global health, Dr. Ron Kirk, Professor of Health Promotion in the College of Chiropractic was invited to participate in this landmark gathering of global leaders. At the Summit, global leaders issued a UN declaration calling for the governments and the people of the world to take action to improve their lifestyles and the quality of their lives.

### **Become a CCE Academy Site Visitor \*\*\*LINK TO PDF\*\*\***

The Council on Chiropractic Education (CCE) is currently seeking highly motivated and experienced individuals to apply for positions on our Academy of Site Team Visitors (Academy) to conduct comprehensive, interim and focused site visits in accordance with our Schedule of Accreditation Activities and at the request of the Council.

For more information, please click [here](#). If you have any questions, please contact Susan Marr or Ray Bennett in the CCE Administrative Office at 480-443-8877.

### **Athletics Update**

Life University's Running Eagles Hockey Team launched its 2011-2012 season in Jacksonville, Fla. last weekend against the University of North Florida (UNF) Ospreys.

The teams first met on Friday night when LIFE fell just shy of a win over UNF, suffering a 7-6 loss.

They met again on Saturday, and this time the Running Eagles picked up the win, 8-5. Goals were made by Mike Drizwiecki, JD Madill, Ryan Madej, Brendance Gray (two goals) and Craig Deprez (three goals).

LIFE and UNF will meet again Oct. 14 and 15 in the Running Eagles' home opener.

For more information about LIFE athletics, please visit the [Running Eagles website](#).

### **Alumni Updates**

We'd like to extend our condolences to Alumni Association President Dr. Larry Marchese ('83) and his family in the loss of his father, Lorenzo Marchese, Sr. who passed away on Sept. 27. Memorial contributions can be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place Memphis, TN 38105. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Marchese family.

We'd like to extend our condolences to the family of Dr. George Beau Zimmerman (Sept. '90), 46, who passed away on Oct. 2. Beau was often called the "Chiropractor's Chiropractor" by his peers because he lived and breathed Chiropractic...and loved LIFE! He leaves behind his mother; Josephine, his sister; Carrie and his loving partner Tina Mazzarella. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Life Chiropractic College Memorial Fund. He was very proud of his college and would be honored. Please call Wanda Hambrick at 770-426-2975. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Zimmerman family.

Want to share something with your fellow classmates? Send us an email and tell us about it!  
[Alumni@LIFE.edu](mailto:Alumni@LIFE.edu)

### **Upcoming Events**

#### **Join us at the New York Chiropractic Council's Annual Convention Oct. 14-16**

Stop by and visit us at the Life University booth in the exhibitor's hall at the Westchester Marriott in Tarrytown, N.Y. to learn more about what's going on at LIFE and to pick up some free LIFE gear. While you're there, make sure to attend the scheduled group lunch on Saturday afternoon, which LIFE will be sponsoring.

#### **Alumni & Friends Dinner during the *Unified Virginia Chiropractic Association's* Fall Convention – Oct. 14**

**Who:** Life University Alumni & Friends

**What:** Alumni & Friends Dinner during the UVCA convention

**When:** Friday, Oct. 14, 2011 from 7:30-9:30 p.m.

**Where:** Kingsmill Resort – Tazewell Room

To register, please click [here](#).

#### **Join us at the Ohio State Chiropractic Association's Annual Convention Oct. 28-30**

Stop by and visit us at the Life University booth in the exhibitor's hall at the Hilton at Easton in Columbus, Ohio to learn more about what's going on at LIFE and to pick up some free LIFE gear. While you're there, make sure to attend the awards gala on Saturday evening, which LIFE will be sponsoring.

### **Continuing Education Opportunities**

Please [visit LIFE's Postgraduate and Continuing Education department's website](#) for a list of available CE opportunities.

### **Other News**

#### **Now accepting reservations for alumni campus tours!**

Come visit us for a tour of the campus of your alma mater and see how much it's changed! Whether it's been two years or 20, you'll be amazed at the transformation that has taken place at LIFE. The tour will take approximately two hours and will conclude with lunch (on us!) at the new on-campus dining facility, the Socrates Café. Tours take place the second Thursday of each month from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. and are limited to five alumni per tour. To sign up for our next tour, please click [here](#) to register.

### **Greening Your Practice**

**Tip 30 - Bar classic candies** - Half the fun of Halloween is the sugar high, no matter how old you are. But by stocking your bowl with organic, natural treats instead, you can escape many of the chemicals and preservatives that are even scarier than your neighbor's Frankenstein mask. Look for brands that donate part of their profits to environmental causes; Fair Trade-sourced chocolates; or sweets made with pure cane sugar, fruit juice, and natural colors. If you're skipping candy for health reasons, try handing out small toys, pencils, or soy crayons. There are lots more ideas at [greenhalloween.org](http://greenhalloween.org).

"Greening Your Practice," an ongoing feature of our Alumni & Friends newsletter, focuses on greening your life and your practice. This section offers tips and suggestions on how to reduce your practice's carbon footprint, save the planet and save money, all at the same time! If you have any green tips, please share them with us. Contact Alumni Relations at (800) 543-3203 or [Alumni@LIFE.edu](mailto:Alumni@LIFE.edu).

### **Stay Connected!**

Want the play-by-play of what's going on around campus and in the LIFE community? Find us on [Facebook](#)!