



OCTOBER 6-8, 2023

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# THE BASICS

*In accordance with  
the State of Iowa  
Smokefree Air Act,  
smoking is prohibited  
at Cornell College. All  
indoor and outdoor  
spaces are smoke-free.*

## Welcome Center and Check-In

Friday	8 a.m.-7 p.m.	BARDSLEY GRAND FOYER, THOMAS COMMONS
Saturday	7:30 a.m.-2 p.m. 5-7 p.m.	BARDSLEY GRAND FOYER, THOMAS COMMONS OUTSIDE THE HALL-PERRINE ROOM, THOMAS COMMONS

**Thomas Commons  
Information Desk**  
319.895.4334

### Golf Carts

Golf carts will be available on campus throughout the weekend to assist alumni. To reach a golf cart for pickup anywhere on campus, contact the Thomas Commons Information Desk at 319.895.4334.

### Wi-Fi Access

Free Wi-Fi is available to all alumni and families. To connect, select the "CornellGetConnected" wireless network and agree to the Terms & Conditions. Then choose the "Guest Access" option for 8 hours of access.

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### Accessibility

Elevators are available for use in the Thomas Commons and the Small Athletic and Wellness Center.

### Campus Safety

319.895.4299

### Bookstore Hours

**Friday** 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.  
**Saturday** 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.  
Come see the Bookstore on the Orange Carpet level of the Thomas Commons behind Zamora's Market!

### ATM

An ATM is located near the Information Desk on the top floor of the Thomas Commons.

### Luce Art Gallery

MCWETHY HALL  
**Friday** 9 a.m.-6 p.m.  
**Saturday** 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

### Zamora's Market Hours

Zamora's Market (formerly The Rathskeller), located on the middle level of the Thomas Commons, is open Friday 8 a.m.-8 p.m. and Saturday 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Zamora's Market carries coffee, grill-to-order items, and grab-and-go items.

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## OPPORTUNITIES

### **Allee Chapel Reflection Space**

Allee Chapel will be open Friday and Saturday 7 a.m.-11 p.m. for those who would like a quiet reflection space.

### **Complimentary Football Game Entry**

All registered guests may use their name tag as a ticket to the football game in Van Metre Field at Ash Park.

### **The Royal Purple**

The Cornell College Archives has extra copies of Royal Purples from many years, which will be available on a first-come, first-served basis on the 3rd floor of Cole Library during Homecoming. Alumni are also invited to browse copies of yearbooks from every year (that had a yearbook) in the Reference Section of the library.

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### **King Chapel Update**

King Chapel remains under repair following major damage from the 2020 derecho. The college has enlisted regional, North American, and global firms to rebuild the chapel, and we will determine the precise scope and timeline for completion once our insurance claim is finalized in late fall.



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## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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### Friday, Oct. 6

- 8 a.m.-7 p.m.      **Welcome Center and Check-In**  
BARDSLEY GRAND FOYER, THOMAS COMMONS
- 8 a.m.-3 p.m.      **Alumni Association Board of Directors Annual Meeting**  
RINGER DINING ROOM, THOMAS COMMONS
- 8:15-8:45 a.m.      **Sign-Up for Classes Without Quizzes**  
BARDSLEY GRAND FOYER, THOMAS COMMONS  
Come sign up at the Welcome Center in the Bardsley Grand Foyer!
- 9-11 a.m.          **Classes Without Quizzes**  
VARIOUS LOCATIONS  
Be a college student again! A limited number of academic classes will be available to alumni and families. Registration is required.
- 9-10:30 a.m.      **Class of 1973 Hike in Palisades-Kepler State Park**  
Join members of the Class of 1973 for a hike through Palisades-Kepler State Park.
- 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.      **50th Reunion Kick-Off Luncheon**  
HALL-PERRINE ROOM WEST, THOMAS COMMONS  
Exclusively for the Class of 1973, this luncheon is the kick-off to their 50th reunion celebration weekend.
- Noon-1:15 p.m.      **Alumni Board and Class Agents Luncheon**  
GARNER PRESIDENT'S HOUSE
- 1-3 p.m.          **Classes Without Quizzes**  
VARIOUS LOCATIONS
- 3:15 p.m.          **Beta Omicron Distinguished Alumni Visitor Lecture:**  
**Christine Ehr Parker '96, "Life as a Foreign Service Officer:**  
***Touching the Lives of Americans Abroad*"**  
HEDGES CONFERENCE ROOM, THOMAS COMMONS
- 5-6 p.m.          **All-Alumni Cocktail Hour**  
BARDSLEY GRAND FOYER, THOMAS COMMONS

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## Friday, Oct. 6

- 4:30-6 p.m.      **The President's Reception**  
HALL-PERRINE ROOM, THOMAS COMMONS  
By invitation only.
- 4:30-6:30 p.m.    **Class of 2003 20th Reunion Happy Hour**  
ORANGE CARPET, THOMAS COMMONS
- 6:30-7:30 p.m.    **All-Alumni Kick-Off Dinner**  
SMITH DINING ROOM, THOMAS COMMONS  
Buffet dinner served from 6:30-7:30 p.m. in Smith Dining Room. Doors open at 6:15.  
Reserved tables for each reunion class. Limited seating available. Casual dress. Drink ticket included.
- 7:30-10 p.m.     **Class of 1993 Speed Reunioning**  
ZAMORA'S LOUNGE, THOMAS COMMONS  
Reconnect with classmates and learn what's new with them to start the weekend.
- 7:30-10 p.m.     **Class of 1978 Reunion Gathering**  
SEIDLER ATRIUM, FRONT LOBBY OF THOMAS COMMONS  
A time to reconnect with your classmates and celebrate your 45th reunion! Classmates from 1975-1980 are invited to join us!
- 8-10 p.m.         **Class of 1988 & Friends Reunion Gathering**  
THE LOCAL, 103 1ST ST W, MOUNT VERNON  
Reconnect with classmates and celebrate our 35th reunion! Classmates from the late '80s are encouraged to join us!
- 8:30-11 p.m.     **Class of 1973 Hospitality Gathering**  
PAUL K. SCOTT ALUMNI CENTER
- 8:30-9:30 p.m.    **Homecoming Pep Rally**  
VAN METRE FIELD AT ASH PARK



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## Saturday, Oct. 7

- 7:30 a.m.-2 p.m. **Welcome Center and Check-In**  
BARDSLEY GRAND FOYER, THOMAS COMMONS
- 8-10 a.m. **C Club Breakfast and Hall of Fame Inductions**  
SMITH DINING ROOM, THOMAS COMMONS
- 9 a.m. **Women's Tennis vs. Lawrence University**  
CORNELL TENNIS COURTS  
Cheer on the Rams as they battle Midwest Conference rival Lawrence University.
- 9 a.m. **Alumni Yoga Class with Lauren Buckner '99**  
RICHARD AND NORMA SMALL ATHLETIC AND WELLNESS CENTER (SAW)  
Join Lauren Buckner '99 for an all-levels vinyasa flow, where beginners and seasoned yogis will flow together, finding strength, balance, and inner peace through fluid movements and breath. Join us on the mat and embark on a journey of self-discovery, unlocking the harmony between mind, body, and soul. Mats will be provided.
- 9:15 a.m. **Honoring Rev. Thomas**  
QUAD (LAWN) EAST OF MCLENNAN COLLEGE HALL  
Please join college chaplain Rev. Melea White to memorialize and bless a tree planted in Rev. Thomas's memory.
- 10:30 a.m.-Noon **Homecoming Convocation**  
MOUNT VERNON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
Attend this ceremony that celebrates tradition and hear success stories from some of Cornell's most decorated alumni. Awards are presented and 50th reunion alumni are honored.
- 11-11:30 a.m. **Soccer Complex Tour**  
MEET IN THE BARDSLEY GRAND FOYER, THOMAS COMMONS  
See Cornell's soccer complex and learn about Cornell's soccer program from Men's Head Soccer Coach Nate Grosse and Women's Head Soccer Coach Jose Fajardo.
- Noon **Wrestling Alumni Dual Meet**  
MEREDITH WRESTLING COMPLEX, SAW
- Noon-2 p.m. **Hilltop Alumni Lunch**  
SMITH DINING ROOM, THOMAS COMMONS  
Experience the Hilltop Café like today's students. Alumni will go through the various food service lines and may eat with fellow graduates in Smith Dining Room. Enjoy the variety of options utilizing locally sourced ingredients and see how college food has changed!

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## Saturday, Oct. 7

- Noon-1 p.m.      **Pride Luncheon**  
RINGER DINING ROOM, THOMAS COMMONS  
Get to know fellow LGBTQIA-identified alumni and students at the Pride Luncheon.
- Noon-2 p.m.      **Intercultural Life and Alumni of Color Tailgate**  
STONER HOUSE  
Celebrate Homecoming with the Office of Intercultural Life! This will be a time to connect with old and new friends as well as discover ways to support diversity at Cornell. Lunch will be served. Sponsored by the Office of Intercultural Life and the Alumni of Color Association.
- Noon                **Volleyball Game vs. Ripon College**  
GYM, SAW  
Cheer on the Rams as they battle Midwest Conference rival Ripon College.
- 1- 3 p.m.         **Open House of New & Renovated Spaces**  
MCLENNAN COLLEGE HALL, WEST SCIENCE HALL, RUSSELL SCIENCE CENTER, RICHARD AND NORMA SMALL ATHLETIC AND WELLNESS CENTER, AND THE EBERSOLE LIVING ROOM  
See these new and renovated spaces and enjoy a self-guided tour of all 5 spaces.
- 1 p.m.             **Geology Alumni Gathering**  
NORTON GEOLOGY  
Alumni and friends of the geology department are invited to a gathering with the geology faculty. Drinks and hors d'oeuvres provided.
- 2 p.m.             **Football Game vs. Beloit College**  
VAN METRE FIELD AT ASH PARK  
Cheer on the Rams as they battle Midwest Conference rival Beloit College. Hall of Fame recipients will be recognized during halftime.
- 2-4:30 p.m.      **Center for the Literary Arts and Foxden Press Open House**  
VAN ETTEN-LACEY HOUSE, 408 3RD STREET SW, MOUNT VERNON  
Celebrate the legacies of Winifred Mayne Van Etten 1925 and Stephen Lacey '65 in the cherished home of the Center for the Literary Arts; enjoy the work of student creative writers, editors, and Chautauqua Institution interns; tour our historical Foxden Press and share the excitement about the iron Washington Press while perusing archival materials, book art, and letterpress work created by students and faculty. Light refreshments will be served.
- 2:30-5 p.m.      **Class of 1978 Party**  
ENGELBRECHT INN, 117 7TH AVE N, MOUNT VERNON  
Classmates from 1975-1980 are invited to join us!





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## Saturday, Oct. 7

- 3 p.m.                   **Soccer Game vs. Carleton College**  
CORNELL SOCCER FIELD  
Cheer on the Rams as they battle Carleton College.
- 3 p.m.                   **Women's Tennis vs. Ripon College**  
CORNELL TENNIS COURTS  
Cheer on the Rams as they battle Midwest Conference rival Ripon College.
- 2:30-5 p.m.           **Class of 1973 Open House**  
HOME OF JOHN AND MARTY MCGRANE, 418 3RD ST SW, MOUNT VERNON
- 3-5 p.m.               **Homecoming Art Show Reception and Gallery Talk**  
LUCE GALLERY, MCWETHY HALL  
The Department of Art and Art History is pleased to invite you to the reception of Sue Coleman's retrospective, "Echoes and Undercurrents." Sue will give an artist talk at 4 p.m. The show will kick off the 2023-24 school year with an exhibition of pastels, collages, drawings, and oil paintings made by the former Cornell gallery coordinator and longtime lecturer over the last 35 years. Refreshments and hors d'oeuvres will be served.
- 4-6 p.m.               **Class of 1998 Reunion Gathering**  
YOCK'S LANDING (FORMERLY JOE'S INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT), 102 1ST ST E  
Reconnect with classmates and celebrate our 25th reunion!
- 5-7 p.m.               **Welcome Center and Check-In**  
OUTSIDE THE HALL-PERRINE ROOM, THOMAS COMMONS
- 5-6:30 p.m.           **Cornellians of Color Reception**  
RUSSELL SCIENCE CENTER  
Meet The Alumni of Color Association, learn about upcoming initiatives and ways to get involved, and get to know fellow Cornellians of color across generations, including current students. Light refreshments will be served.
- 6-7 p.m.               **Class of 2008 Reunion Gathering**  
SEIDLER ATRIUM, FRONT LOBBY OF THOMAS COMMONS
- 6-8 p.m.               **Golden Alumni Dinner**  
HALL-PERRINE WEST, THOMAS COMMONS  
Open to all alumni who have celebrated their 50th reunion. Reserved seating by class.

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## Saturday, Oct. 7

- 6:30-10 p.m.      **Class of 1973 50th Reunion Dinner**  
THE HOTEL KIRKWOOD, CEDAR RAPIDS  
Exclusive to the Class of 1973. Cocktails and class photo: 6:30-7:30 p.m., Dinner and program: 7:30 p.m. Business attire.
- 6:30-8 p.m.      **1970s & 1980s Decades Dinner**  
THOMAS COMMONS
- 6:30-8 p.m.      **1990s & 2000s Decades Dinner**  
THOMAS COMMONS
- 7-8:30 p.m.      **2010s & 2020s Decades Dinner**  
THOMAS COMMONS
- 8-9:30 p.m.      **All-Cornell Trivia**  
ORANGE CARPET, THOMAS COMMONS  
Open to all students and alumni, this trivia night will feature questions from across the decades, as well as Cornell-specific trivia! Cash bar will be available.
- 8-10 p.m.      **Class of 1993 Reunion Gathering**  
ZAMORA'S LOUNGE, THOMAS COMMONS
- 8-10 p.m.      **Class of 1978 Reunion Gathering**  
PAUL K. SCOTT ALUMNI CENTER  
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## Sunday, Oct. 8

- 10-11 a.m.      **Class of 1973 Memorial Service**  
ALLEE CHAPEL
- 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.      **Class of 1973 Farewell Brunch**  
SMITH DINING ROOM, THOMAS COMMONS



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## ALUMNI BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Jack Lumanog '96, president

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Daniel Kellams '58

Carol Parish Compton '61

Darryl Varda '68

Jane Welgos Sidwell '69

Marta Wherry Mathatas '74

Henry Winokur '74

Missy Gehler '85

Leslie Grau Frady '86

Carol Cook '89

Eddie Moore Jr. '89

Ted Carr '90

Jalel Aosseyy '97

William Dennison '99

Paige Brevick '13

Slater Sharp '15

Rick Simkins '15

Justin Futrell '16

Madeleine Koenigsberg '21

Robin Nilsson '21

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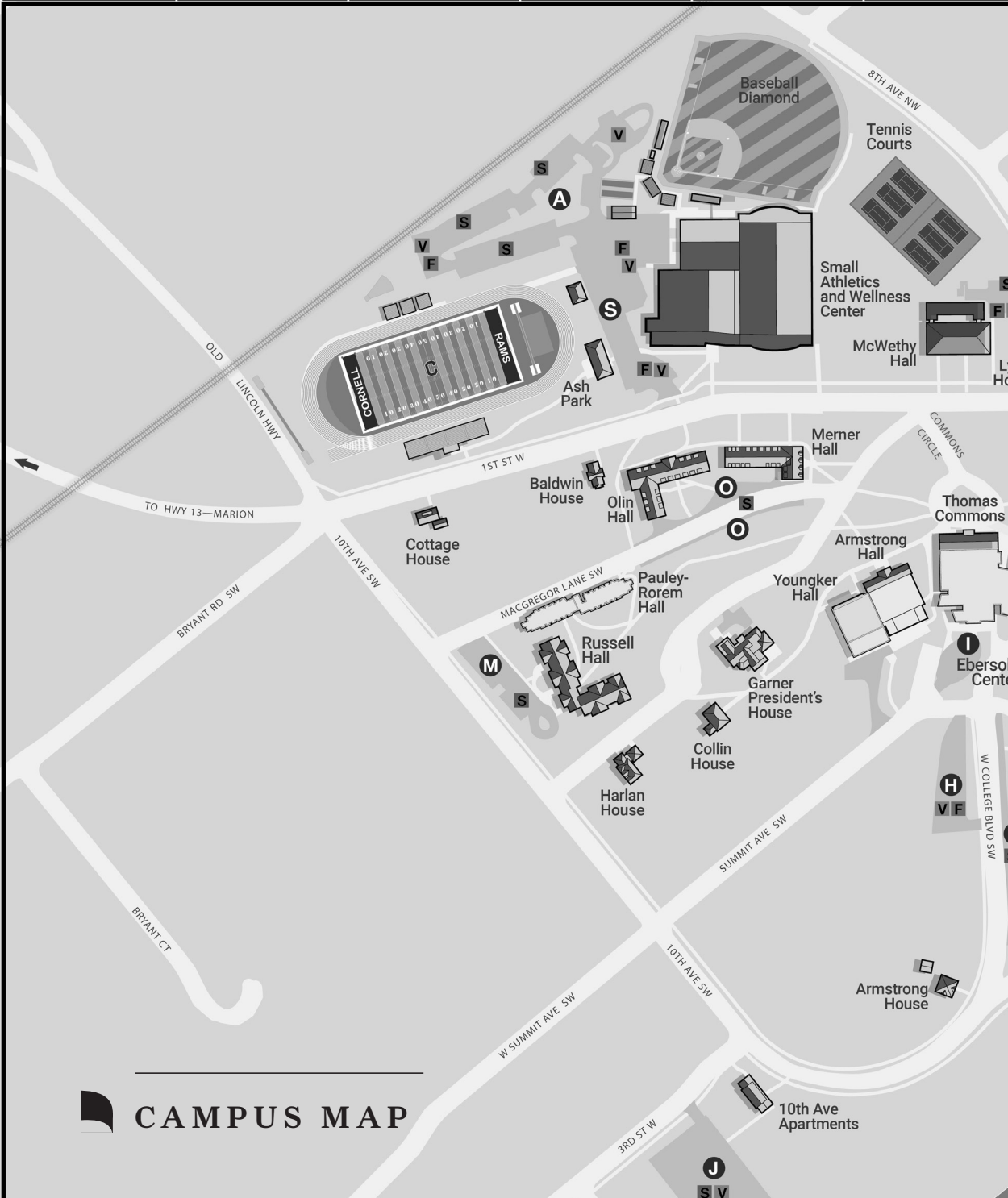
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CAMPUS MAP

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## Building Key

10th Avenue Apartments	E9
Albright House	H3
Allee Chapel	G6
Armstrong Hall	E5
Armstrong House	F8
Ash Park	C3
Baldwin House	D4
Bowman-Carter Hall	G5
Brackett House	J5
Cole Library	H5
McLennan College Hall	I5
Collin House	E6
Cottage House	C4
Dows Hall	G6
Ebersole (Health/Campus Safety)	G6
Facility Services	H10
Garner President's House	E5
Hansen House	I3
Harlan House	D6
King Chapel	G5
Law Hall	H5
Luce House	G3
Lytle House	G3
McWethy Hall	F3
Merner Hall	E4
Norton Geology (Anderson Museum)	I4
Old Sem	H5
Olin Hall	D4
Pauley-Rorem Hall	D5
Pfeiffer Hall	G7
Platner House	G3
Prall House	J4
Russell Hall	D6
Russell Science Center	I7
Scott Alumni Center	H3
Small Athletics & Wellness (the SAW)	E3
Smith Hall	E10
South Hall	I6
Stoner House (Intercultural Life)	I3
Tarr Hall	G6
Thomas Commons	F5
Van Etten-Lacey House	J6
Wilch Apartments	I3
West Science Hall	I6
Younger Hall (Kimmel Theatre)	E5

## Parking

### VISITOR PARKING

Visitor parking is available in the following lots:  
C, H, J, S,  
Cole Library, McWethy, and Luce House.

### FACULTY & STAFF PARKING

Lots: C, D\*, E, F\*, H, P, S\*, Baldwin House, Cole Library\*, Collin House, McWethy\*, Norton, and South Hall.

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## CLASS AGENT LISTING

Gilbert Drendel	1958	Megan McMahon-Pietig	1993
Paul Dude	1960	Rachel Johnston	1994
Carol Parish Compton	1961	Monica Decker Blakely	1995
Carole Baskerville Carson	1963	Andrew Briscoe	1996
Nancy Kleihauer Adams	1964	Mary Elliott	1998
Holly Hitchcock Wilson	1965	Hilary Gansauer	1999
Philip Gibbs	1966	Suzanne Cucchiatti Covington	2000
David Klaus	1967	Isaiah McGee	2001
Mary Ann Rees Lyman-Hager	1968	Lisa Fry Runkel	2002
Corrie Root Grummon	1970	Leah Hagedorn Arp	2003
James Haley	1971	Paige Sindt Butler	2003
D. Peter Holmes	1972	Shannon Peters Schear	2004
Bruce Frana	1973	Allison Peters	2004
Douglas Smith	1973	Michael Helgens	2005
Jerry Gale	1974	Jo Ella Adelung Hoye	2006
Sharon Goodwin Fogleman	1975	Holly Davis	2006
Mark Van Etten	1976	Jessica Rundlett	2007
Mary Bryan	1977	Molly Klokkenga Norton	2008
Lu Ann White	1978	Kate Mendenhall Mosetick	2009
Anne Markham Coffman	1979	Elizabeth Von Nothern	2010
Darrell Stroud	1980	Natashia Pierce Metz	2011
Tammie Frost-Norton	1982	Hattie Wagner	2012
Brittmarie LaBissoniere	1982	Maureen Walsh	2013
Timothy Wynes	1983	Nicole Potter Therrien	2014
Becky Hoover	1984	Katlyn Arndt	2015
Sheila Kruse Boyce	1985	Sylvia Donohoo	2016
Frederick Holtz	1986	Aubrey Kohl	2017
Gail Cummings Andersen	1987	Kate Brogan	2018
Maureen Johnson	1987	Oriana Henney Camilleri	2018
Charles Boone	1988	Isabella Blackburn Klug	2019
Michael Mudlaff	1988	MaryJo Schmidt	2020
John Gilliland	1989	Madeleine Koenigsberg	2021
Lisa Naaktgeboren	1990	Tessa Stolz	2022
Jennifer Swearingen Wittwer	1991	Amanda Dragon	2022
Rosalyn Bunda Popham	1993	Makyala Kelleher	2023





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