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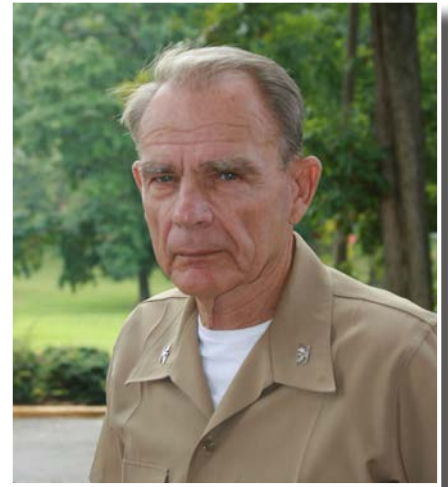
# GUIDON

for the Alumni and Friends of Hargrave Military Academy





# Looking Ahead



Hello from Hargrave,

I am excited to return to campus and to experience the familiar surroundings. My first order of business is to congratulate Brigadier General Broome on his retirement. He and Donna have many interesting adventures ahead and we all wish them fair winds and following seas.

As the interim President my main task is to maintain Hargrave's fundamental values/standards and prepare Hargrave for the transition to a new President. During the summer we will focus on conducting an excellent summer school. Naturally the main objective of our summer efforts is to focus on fall enrollment.

The Board of Trustees is planning to begin the search for Hargrave's new leader in September. The Board is dedicated to taking the time needed to recruit the best possible candidate. Hargrave has an enviable history and it is imperative that we hire the right person.

We are devoting many hours of planning for the 2017-18 academic year. Faculty and staff are providing excellent insight and recommendations to make the classes of 2018 one of Hargrave's most successful and enjoyable years. A key contribution to the success of the 2017-18 academic year is the senior class's leadership. We are all dedicated to making this year's Officer Candidate School a real challenge. The work will be demanding, but worth the reward of earning an Officer's rank. Speaking of hard work, we plan to open a learning center in the library to assist with student research, while offering a learning atmosphere for students who ask for additional help. Additionally, Coach King, Hargrave's new Athletic Director and head football coach, is bringing a new energy to Hargrave athletics.

During the year we hope to announce the initial phase of a multimillion-dollar capital campaign to renovate the dormitories and replace the heating and air conditioning throughout the entire campus. Students will play a role in providing recommendations for renovating the dormitories.

Hargrave faculty and staff thoroughly enjoy working with the Corps of Cadets. They are equally excited to meet the alumni. If you are in the vicinity of Chatham, please take time to visit the campus. Now is a great time to become an active member of Hargrave's alumni.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Wheeler Baker".

Wheeler Baker Ph.D.  
Col USMC (Ret.)  
President

## On the Cover



*A silhouette of a modern day Cadet, shown with an overlay of Cadets presenting the flags from 1973. This symbolizes the impact of Hargrave alumni on Cadets today.*

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## Mission

Hargrave's mission is to develop Cadets who are men of character and contributing citizens within their communities. Hargrave does this through a rigorous college-preparatory education which instills a lifelong love of learning. Hargrave's military program provides the framework for personal responsibility, integrity and leadership. Hargrave's commitment to physical fitness and Christian values prepares each Cadet for success in life.



## Vision

Hargrave Military Academy's vision is to be the premier college-preparatory school. Hargrave will ensure each of its Cadets is prepared for success in life by instilling a passion for lifelong learning, a commitment to daily physical fitness and a desire to establish a spiritual foundation. Hargrave will develop each Cadet's leadership by fostering his character so he will make the right decisions for the right reasons.



# General Broome Enters Retirement

After seven years at Hargrave, Brigadier General Doyle D. Don Broome, Jr., U.S. Army (Ret.), publicly announced his retirement on June 2. Broome, whose Army career spanned 32 years, has served Hargrave since 2011.

Former Hargrave President, Col. Wheeler Baker, has agreed to serve as the Academy's interim President. A retired Marine Corps Colonel, Baker served as President of Hargrave for 12 years before retiring in 2011.

A nationwide search for a new President will begin immediately, according to a spokesman for the Board of Trustees.

"As Chairman of the Hargrave Board, I have had the privilege of working with BG Broome for the last six years. What I have most admired about Don was his uncompromising dedication to the Hargrave Cadets," stated Bob White, Chairman of the Board of Trustees. "He was diligent in preparing our Cadets for a successful future, whether their next steps were college, the military or a chosen career field. BG Broome always preached 'do the right thing and you cannot go wrong' and he lived by these words. BG Broome's enthusiasm and devotion to Hargrave will be missed. I wish Don and Donna the very best as they begin the next chapter of their lives."

At a meeting with the Board Executive Committee, Broome said, "After much prayer and reflection, I believe it is time for new leadership to take Hargrave into the future. Donna and I came to Hargrave because we believed in its mission - we still do. There is a place, and a need, in our nation for Hargrave that provides young men with focus, structure and discipline. It has been incredibly fulfilling to see young men grow, mature and succeed. We have thoroughly enjoyed working with the Hargrave team during the past six years. As we move into the next phase of life, we wish the Cadets and the other members of the team nothing but success in all endeavors."

A native of Georgia, Broome graduated from Georgia Military College with an associate of arts degree. He was commissioned as a 19-year-old Infantry Second Lieutenant. He later earned a bachelor's degree in business administration from Troy University and master's degree in history from the Army's Command and General Staff College.

Broome's last active duty assignment before retiring was Deputy Commanding General of U.S. Army Cadet Command, where he was responsible for increasing Army ROTC commissions, revamping the Army ROTC nursing program and overseeing Army ROTC programs at the nation's 11 military colleges.

Before becoming Hargrave's tenth President, Broome lived in Huntsville, AL, and worked as a consultant for a Fortune 50 Company in Atlanta, GA providing strategic planning and exercise support. He and his wife, Donna, have three grown children and three grandchildren.

# 2017 HARGRAVE GRADUATES MAKE COLLEGE SELECTIONS

Arizona State University/  
Northern Iowa

Xiagy Sun

Auburn University

Nathaniel Weber

Campbell University

Harrison Slay

Chowan University/  
Thomas Nelson Community

College

Elton Winslow, III

The Citadel

Adin Kines, Jr.

Omokayode Osunkoya

Corey Renaker

Matteo Sicignano

Columbus State Community  
College

Joseph Morgan

Emory and Henry College

Trey Alvelo

Fort Lewis College

Kyle Pisciotta

Hampden Sydney College

Riggs Jordan

Hargrave Military Academy

Marvin King, III

Max Moreno

High Point University

Marvin Barnes

Hillsborough Community  
College

Arnold Villatoro

Howard University

Jonathan Hutto, II

Hult International Business  
School

Armel Ngabo

Indiana University

Nicholas Tattersfield

Indiana University at Kokomo

Zeyuan Xu

Iowa Wesleyan University

Kameron Ivory

John Tyler Community College

Charles Lee, III

Lawrence Tech

Logan Barker

Longwood University

Tyler Aichinger

Marymount University

Luke DeWitt

Mid-Atlantic Christian University

Joseph Tejada

Mount Saint Joseph University

Jacob Hornberger

Morehouse College

Naheed John

Northern Iowa University

Xiaotang Liang

Norwich University

Chase Cambra

Nicklaus DeLario

Ohio University

Nathan Hawkins

Oregon State University

Kevin Pedersen

Randolph College

Adriano De Angelis

Richard Bland College

Landis Gee

Roanoke College

Wyeth Davis

Shaw University

Christopher Boone

SUNY Maritime

Jourden Galloway

Toledo University

Rakan Alshinibr

United States Military Academy

Westpoint

Joahcin Taneus

University of Alabama

Noah Blackwell

Hayden Bressoud

University of Albany

Andrew Scott, Jr.

University of Detroit Mercy

Geonhuck Yoon

University of North Carolina at  
Wilmington

Abraham (Trey) Frazier

University of Oregon

John Otter

University of South Carolina at  
Aiken

Nicholas Wiznitzer

University of Tennessee

Kyle Rose

Virginia Commonwealth  
University

Davy Ngabo

Virginia Military Institute

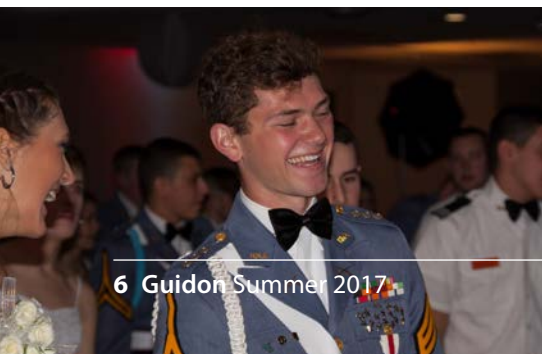
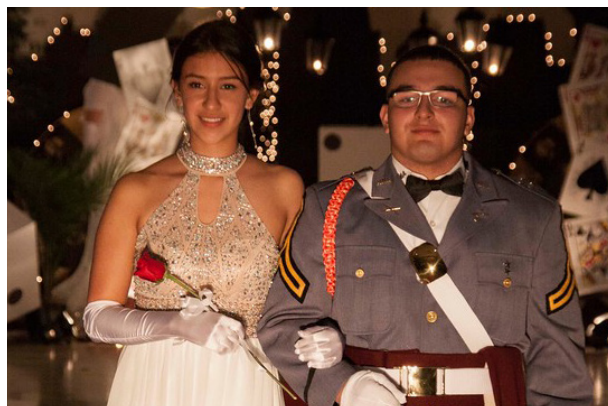
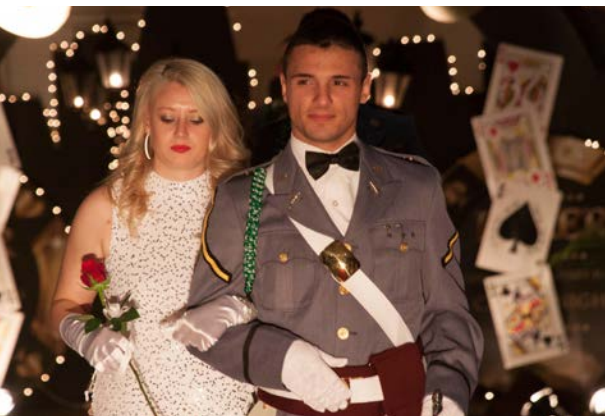
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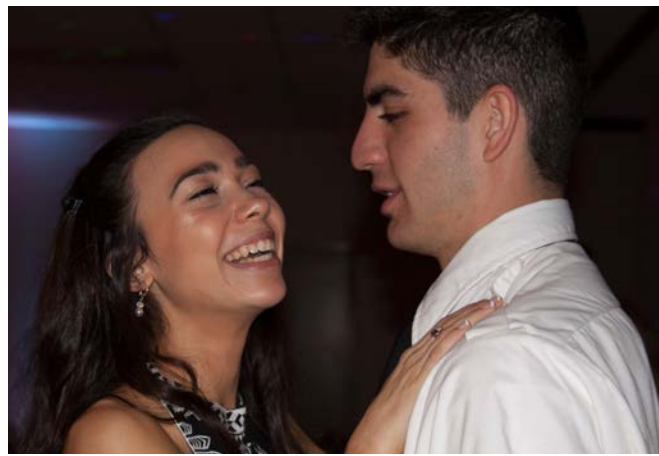
Joseph Murray

Virginia Polytechnic Institute

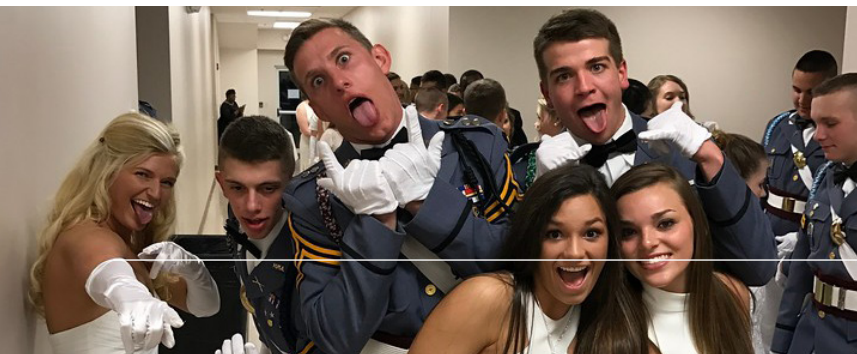
John Mize

Raines Wall





*Hargrave Military  
Academy  
Military Ball 2017*



# Hargrave Military Academy 2016-17 Students Awards

## **Undergraduate Awards**

### *Academic Excellence Subject Awards*

World Geography - Darrell Smith  
World Studies - Anh Phan Tu  
HN World Studies - Adam Saliu  
AP U.S. History - Paul Englander  
HN U.S. History - Youssef Abouzied  
U.S. History - Christopher Gray  
ESL - Ebrahim Al-Aghbari  
Chinese - Jackson Stewart  
Modern Standard Arabic - Quinn Griffith  
Latin - Sean Witmer  
Mary Tallent Award - Annad Khraisat  
Mathematics - Adam Saliu  
Priscilla Turner Reading Award - Jackson Reeder  
Yearbook - Parker Howard and Liam Rafizadeh  
Science - Duc Nguyen  
Semper Fidelis Award for Musical Excellence - Kyle Rafferty  
Patrick S. Gilmore Music Award - Cameron Spangler  
Outstanding Artist of the Year - Caleb Rogers  
Faculty Favorite Art Award - Caleb Rogers  
Student Favorite Art Award - Caleb Rogers  
Mother's Day Art Show Winners  
1st Caleb Rogers  
2nd Elisha Shelton  
3rd Philip Atuonwu

### *Military Awards*

Best Attitude Award - Sean Witmer  
Commandant's Award - Iver Liu  
Glasgow Award - Cameron Spangler  
Hunter Charitable Trust Award - Quinn Griffith  
National Association of Military Colleges and Schools Award - Richard Jiang  
Outstanding Military Presence - Jordan Dunn  
Cadet of the Year - Chandler Wilkie

## *Honor Awards*

Colin Powell Leadership Medals - Jesse Vogg, Tyler Aichinger, Armel Ngabo, Cameron Spangler, Duc Nguyen, Quinn Griffith, Adam Saliu  
William and Mary Leadership Award - Connor Rogers  
President's Leadership Award - Jordan Dunn  
BETA Club - Duc Nguyen  
Scholarship Medals  
7th - David Hubbard  
8th - Walter Thompson  
9th - Nathan Kania  
10th - Adam Saliu  
11th - Paul Englander  
The Martha C. Rucker Prize - Paul Englander  
2017 Highest Academic Average (Boarding) - Paul Englander  
Hayako Cook Scholarship - Jordan Dunn  
AMSCUS Academic Bowl  
1st Andrew Scott  
2nd Adam Saliu  
3rd Max Moreno

## **Senior Awards**

### *Academic Excellence Subject Awards*

Bible - Joe Murray  
U.S. Government - Joe Murray  
AP U.S. Government - Max Moreno  
Honor's Spanish - Trey Alvelo  
Mary Tallent Creative Writing Prize - Joe Murray and Eduardo Gomez  
Cullen Brooks Mathematics Award - Kevin Pederson  
Ray B. Nichols Excellence in English Award - Andrew Scott  
Roy L. Callahan Piper Award - Adriano DeAngelis  
John Philip Sousa Band Award - Kevin Pederson  
Seal of Biliteracy - Riggs Jordan and Joe Murray

### *Athletic Awards*

Outstanding Varsity Athlete of the Year - Riggs Jordan

Outstanding Sportsmanship Award - Charles Massina

## *Military Awards*

Recognition of the Battalion Commander - Nathaniel Weber  
American Legion Award - Trey Barnes  
American Veterans ROTC Recognition Award - John Otter  
Commandant's Award - Abraham Frazier  
Fitchett Award - Tyler Aichinger  
Military Order of the Purple Heart - Joe Murray  
Military Order of the World Wars - Nathaniel Weber  
Charles Warren Whittle Award - Charles Massina  
Patrick Henry Patriotism Award - Kevin Pederson

## *Honor Awards*

The Bill McMillan American Spirit Award - Andrew Scott  
Colin Powell Leadership Medals - Tyler Aichinger, Eduardo Gomez, John Mize, Armel Ngabo, Nathaniel Weber  
BETA Club Members - Logan Barker, Luke DeWitt, Riggs Jordan, Joe Murray, Raines Wall, Justin Yoon  
Mu Alpha Theta Members - Jon Hutto, Riggs Jordan, Xiangyu Sun, Raines Wall, Zeyuan Xu, Justin Yoon  
President's Award of Educational Excellence - Hayden Bressoud, Raines Wall, Justin Yoon, Kevin Pederson, Joe Murray, Andrew Scott  
Honor Graduates - Logan Barker, Luke DeWitt, Riggs Jordan, Charles Massina, Raines Wall, Joe Murray, Justin Yoon  
2017 Salutatorian - Logan Barker  
2017 Valedictorian - Raines Wall  
Senior Citizenship - Charles Massina  
Outstanding Senior - Joe Murray  
Eagle Scout Award - Matteo Sicignano  
Ronald Reagan Leadership Award - Trey Barnes, Logan Barker, Riggs Jordan, Joe Murray



# Weber Receives 2017 MacArthur Award

Hargrave Military Academy named Cadet Nathaniel Weber as the Academy's 2017 General Douglas MacArthur Award winner, which recognizes top leadership within the school. The award was presented on behalf of the General Douglas MacArthur Foundation on Wednesday, February 22, 2017 in the Academy's Owen R. Cheatham Chapel.

The General Douglas MacArthur Foundation presents the MacArthur Cadet Awards annually to outstanding Cadets within the Association of Military Colleges and Schools of the United States. The award is designed to encourage Cadets to emulate the leadership qualities shown by General MacArthur as a student at West Texas Military Institute and at the U.S. Military Academy at West Point. Approximately 40 schools are authorized to provide the award to its top Cadet each year.

Presenting the award was Andrew Kratz, a Hargrave class of 1989 graduate and current member of the Board of Trustees. Kratz served as a United States Marine for 10 years. Upon the conclusion of this time in service, Kratz served as dignitary protection for HRH Prince Moulay Hicham of Morocco. Kratz is currently the President and founding partner of Triangle Rock Club in North Carolina. Kratz addressed the Cadets, faculty and staff with a message focused on leadership, courage and the responsibility each of us has to inspire others.

Cadet Weber serves as the Cadet Battalion Commander of the Hargrave Corps of Cadets and holds the rank of Cadet Major. As Battalion Commander, he provides overall Cadet leadership to his fellow Cadets and peers. Weber is also the primary liaison between faculty and staff with the Corps. He performs these duties while maintaining a full academic load and athletic pursuits.

Cadet Weber is a superior scholar, athlete and leader. Since his arrival as a sophomore at Hargrave, Weber has been selected by the American Legion to attend Virginia Boys State. Virginia Boys State is a "leadership action program," designed to build a working knowledge of government structure and to impress upon the young men that we have a government of our making. Weber has also attended the Foreign Service Institute summer program to gain better insight into U.S. foreign policy and diplomacy. On the field, Weber is a part of the varsity lacrosse team and has also lettered in varsity wrestling.

Hargrave's Past President Brigadier General Don Broome, U.S. Army (Ret.), talked about the process of selecting the MacArthur Award recipient: "Each year we have a number of young men who meet the guidelines of the MacArthur Foundation. They are true scholar-athlete leaders and demonstrate a desire to serve. It becomes a matter of the Academy's senior administration sitting down and reviewing every one of these Cadets. In this case, I am confident we have selected the Cadet who clearly emulates the leadership qualities of General Douglas MacArthur and that is Cadet Major Nate Weber."

After graduating from Hargrave, Weber would like to attend the Naval Academy to serve as an Intelligence Officer or a Navy SEAL. He has also been accepted to the University of Colorado Boulder, Old Dominion University, Auburn University and Hampden Sydney College.





# *Hargrave Military Academy Graduation Weekend 2017*







## MEET MORGAN KREUTZ: Director of Communications and Marketing

Hargrave Military Academy welcomes Morgan Kreutz as the new Director of Communications and Marketing.

Prior to joining Hargrave, Morgan spent 11 years in various marketing roles for an information technology consulting corporation, as well as a non-profit medical organization, located in the northern Virginia area. She has extensive experience in solution and social media marketing, business development and event management. She served as a community member for the northern Virginia chapter of the Armed Forces Communications and Electronics Association (AFCEA) for three years and is an avid reader and writer in her spare time.

“We are very excited to add Morgan to the team. I believe she will bring a fresh perspective to our school and help create and implement dynamic marketing strategies moving forward,” commented Alice Hendrickson, Director of Admissions, Hargrave Military Academy.

Kreutz, a native of northern Virginia, graduated from Woodbridge Senior High School and earned her bachelors degree from James Madison University in communications. She lives in Forest, VA.

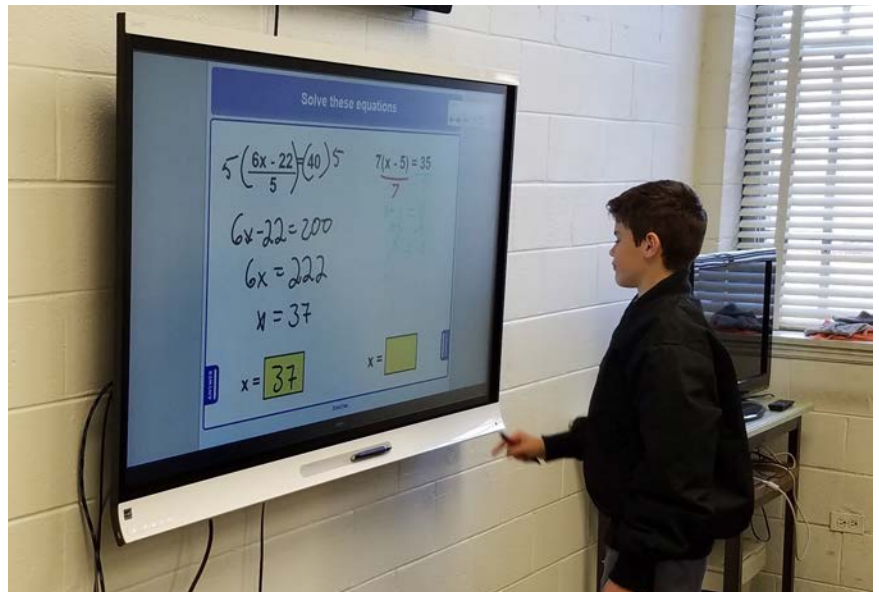
## MEET DOUG NORRIS: Aquatics Director

Doug Norris comes to Hargrave Military Academy with 40 years of USA swimming and IHSAA coaching experience, including American Red Cross and State Teaching Certification and State Principal’s Administration License. Throughout his career, Coach Norris has helped in the building and management of four large-scale athletic-aquatic facilities. He has managed beaches, pools, parks, community centers, school facilities and country clubs. Most recently Norris worked at the University of Chicago/Hyde Park Day School in Chicago, IL, where he instructed physical education classes. He was also an integral part of the Munster Swim Club where he was a USA and IHSAA High School Swimming Coach and Red Cross Safety Training Instructor. During his tenure, Norris established all the aquatics programs for the city and schools of east Chicago.



Norris received his masters of education from Indiana University and also holds a Post Master’s License in school administration and supervision. He is joined by his wife Susan. They are the proud parents of three boys: Justin, Dylan and Ian.

# SMART Boards: Education of the Future



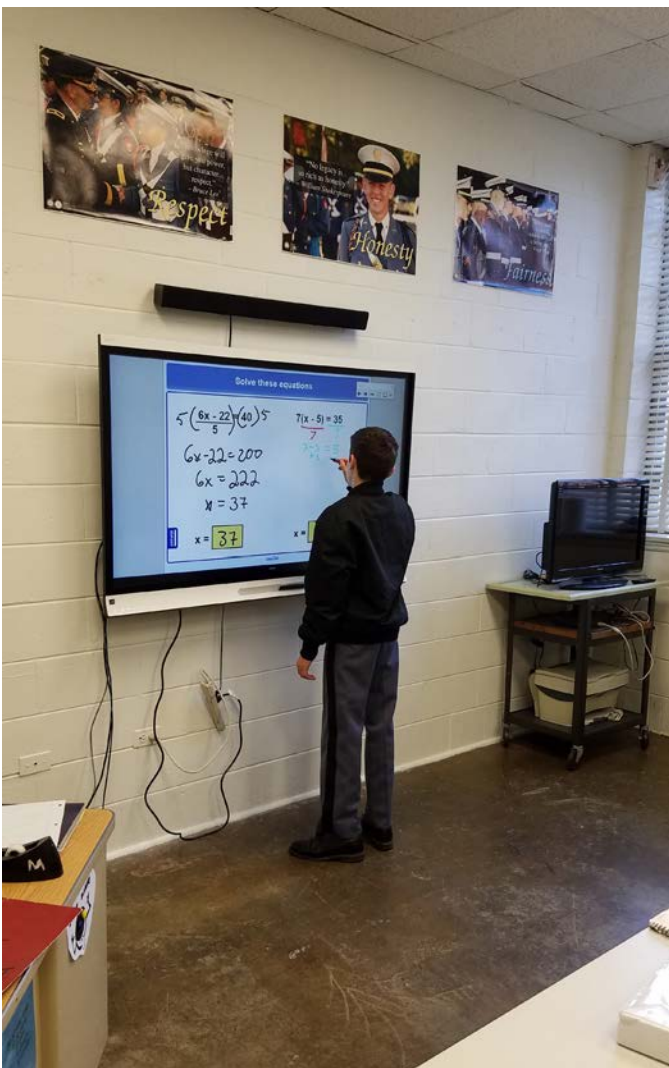
The Mary Morton Parsons Foundation and A. E. Finley Foundation helped purchase 12 SMART Boards for Hargrave classrooms. A SMART Board combines a television and a projector with an interactive board that allows students to perform multiple activities.

Since SMART Boards are interactive, students can access graphs, perform math procedures, write and erase sentences, pull up a social studies map and draw on it, view PowerPoint presentations, etc. Students are able to send their work directly to their computers, work on it at their computers and then send it back to the SMART Board for the class to see. The boards, which have 65-inch screens, can download just about anything. Since the SMART Board database is stored in the electronic cloud, it is easy to store data without slowing down the system.

"SMART Boards help in the classroom since they are interactive. Students can do several things that only one piece of equipment could do in the past," said Hunter Powell, Academic Dean. "The technology portion of today's academic world is changing. It is important that Hargrave and the students stay on top of the changes, understand how things work and make sure that when they leave Hargrave, they know how the boards interact. They will see these same boards at the college level and within the business world."

Each SMART Board costs approximately \$3,700, totaling \$44,400. This includes mounts, Wifi capabilities and a net cord.

Hargrave received the SMART Boards on February 21. Staff trained and put them together between March 1 and April 15. A team of four faculty members conducted mini lessons for staff members at all parts of the day to help them learn the system.



# HARGRAVE SPORTS

## Lacrosse

Matt Brawn's 2017 Hargrave lacrosse team finished the season at 12-5, Hargrave lacrosse's best record ever! Hargrave had never won more than six games in a season. The boys lost in the Conference (VIC) Semi-Finals 18-17 to Blue Ridge, who went on to win the championship. The team was captained by seniors Raines Wall, Nate Webber, Luke DeWitt and junior Connor Rogers. Luke DeWitt, Nicholas Thompson, Harrison Slay and Connor Rogers were All-Conference selections and Connor Rogers was selected All-State (TBA).

Connor Rogers set the single season goal, assist and scoring record along with the single season ground ball record. He also tied for most goals scored in one game, 10, in two separate games. He leads the nation on MaxPreps in total points at this publication.



## Baseball

2017 was a developmental year for JV Tigers baseball. According to Coach Hawley, more than two-thirds of the players had never participated in organized baseball. "We had 16 Cadets who came out and worked hard all season. Only five had ever played ball before, but they pulled together, conducted themselves as gentlemen and played some great innings," said Hawley.

Cadet Chandler Wilkie, a rising junior and Co-Captain said, "Our goal this year was to develop individual and team skills, and we did just that. We are a young team. Most of the guys were in grades seven to nine, so JV should have a strong returning team next season."

The Hargrave varsity baseball team competed at one of the highest levels of competition that it has seen for some years. The level of play early in the season that these guys faced proved to be valuable as the season went on and the Tigers got into conference play. Hargrave ended conference play at a 7-2 mark, putting them in sole possession of third place going into tournament play. The Tigers finished out the year with a 14-7 record after losing in the second round of the state playoffs to eventual state champion Miller School.

“The guys fought and battled all year long. They showed resiliency against some of the best competition in the state of Virginia and continued to improve each and every game and, as a coach, that is all I can really ask for. These guys going out and working hard and showing up to the ballpark and getting after it makes it enjoyable to be a part of,” said Brett Thomas, Varsity Coach.

Hargrave was lead by seniors Riggs Jordan and Logan Barker and juniors Warren Bailey, who lead the Tigers in hitting, Mark Loving and Cody Laviolette, both of whom pitched the biggest games we had all year and was a perfect 1-2 punch.

Hargrave lost to Covenant school in the conference semi-finals by the score of 3-1 in which it took a walk-off double by Covenant to win the game. With the strength of schedule and games won, Hargrave was selected to compete in the state playoffs for the fourth time in five years under Coach Thomas’s tenure. Hargrave traveled to Portsmouth Christian and won by the score of 4-3 lead by a solid pitching performance by Cody Laviolette and Mark Loving who drove in three of Hargrave’s four runs, including a big 2-run home run. Hargrave then traveled to Miller School the very next day to play number one seed Miller School and ran out of gas ending a great and successful season by the Hargrave baseball team.

“The coming years are looking very bright with some of the upcoming junior varsity guys and the returning guys that will be back for a few more years. We have a lot of talent here and it is going to be an exciting future for Hargrave baseball,” said Coach Thomas.

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## Basketball

The 2016-2017 varsity basketball team enjoyed record-breaking success by compiling a 26-4 record en route to the Academy's third ever VISAA D2 State Tournament victory. This set of Tigers reaped the benefits of hard work by winning the VIC Division 2 Regular Season and Tournament Championships which allowed them the chance to host a VISAA D2 State Tournament game for the first time in school history! This past season, Hargrave was led by DJ Myers '18, who garnered VISAA D2 1st Team All State Honors as well as VIC D2 Conference Player of the Year recognition. Other key contributors included Tre King '18, David Garey '17, John Kirkpatrick '18 and EJ Williams '18, all of which earned VIC D2 All-Conference honors. The Tigers ranked in the Top 50 in the country in points per game according to MaxPreps.



## Track

The Tigers took to the track in their finale of the season at Blue Ridge School in the VIC Conference Championships. The Tigers turned in one of their strongest team performances in three years, scoring an amazing 93 points to take third place (9 points from second) in a very competitive field.

In the relay events, the Tigers took second place in the 4 x 800 with a team of Jesse Vogg, Joahcin Taneus, Luis Vale and Gabriel Powers with a time of 9:40 minutes. In the 4 x 100 meters, the Tigers took third place with a time of 47.48 seconds with a team of Austin Bennett, Richard Jiang, Brian Williams and Elyas Harris.

"It was great to see that we were not only competitive, but we placed high in all of the events of the day," stated Head Coach Aaron Marshall.

In the hurdling events, hurdlers Abraham Frazier took fourth in the 110 hurdles with a time of 20.19 seconds and Williams finished second in the 300 hurdles with a time of 45.49 seconds.

In the other running events, the Tigers showed their strength as Jordan Fletcher placed fourth in the 400 meter run with a time of 1 minute flat for a personal record. Taneus, placed second in the exciting 800 meter run with a time of 2:07 minutes.

"For a third year track program it was great to have a high finish. It shows the progress that the team has made in such a short time," stated Marshall.

In field events, the Tigers made their presence known. Jordan Dunn (third - 102 feet and 6 inches - personal best), Cameron Spangler (fourth - 96 feet and 10 inches) and Frazier (fifth - 94 feet and 8 inches) all scored in the discus for the Tigers. In the shot put, Andrew Scott took third place with a throw of 37 feet and 1 inch and



Frazier took fourth with a throw of 36 feet and 11 inches. In the long jump, Harris took second place with a jump of 19 feet and 7 inches and Bennett finished fourth with a jump of 18 feet and 4 inches. Harris went on to take third in the triple jump with a jump of 38 feet and 4 inches and Williams finished fourth with a jump of 37 feet and 1 inch.

"Many of these qualified for the state championships with their runs, jumps and throws. It was good to show the overall strength of the team," stated Marshall.



# MEET ANTONIO KING: Athletic Director and Head Varsity Football Coach

Antonio King was recently announced as the new Athletic Director and Head Varsity Football Coach for Hargrave. King brings with him to Hargrave an extensive and successful background at both the highest level of high school football and the highest level of college football as well.

King comes to Hargrave after serving the 2016 season as a Running Back Coach at NCAA Division 1 member East Carolina, who competes in the prestigious American Athletic Conference. King held a bevy of responsibilities for the Pirates, from day-to-day practice, to off-season workouts and recruiting.

Prior to his time at East Carolina, King had a prolific run as the Head Coach at Hillside High School in Durham, North Carolina. Under his watch, Hillside rattled off a 40-1 record in conference, a 71-19 record overall, and captured the NCHSAA 4A State Championship with an unblemished 16-0 record in 2010.

While King's record is gaudy, his ability for developing talent is equally as impressive. Under King's tutelage, over 100 players earned All-Conference honors, over 60 continued their careers at the NCAA Division 1 level, a handful of 247 Sports Top 100 players and two players, Trevion Thompson (Clemson) and Josh McNeil (Akron), garnered All-American honors during their time at Hillside. In his final season at Hillside, his team featured the conference's offensive lineman, running back, defensive back and defensive lineman of the year.

King's reputation as a coach and player developer

has been recognized across the country. During his time at Hillside, King was named the PAC-6 Coach of the Year six times (2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015) in addition to being named the Herald-Sun Coach of the Year twice (2010, 2011). King was also honored with invitations to coach at the Shrine Bowl of the Carolinas (2015) and the Semper Fidelis All-American Game (2014).

King began his coaching career at Hillside as an assistant in 2005 and made his impact felt immediately. His first season at Hillside marked their first winning season in the previous six years, and began a string of three straight years with state playoff qualification. Working extensively with quarterbacks, King was able to develop three all-conference quarterbacks in his time as an assistant. King also played a large role in developing Greg Little, an NFL veteran who came out of Hillside as a Top 100 ranked player.

King was a stand-out on the field before shifting his focus to the sidelines, starting at Hillside before continuing his career at Howard University, where he played quarterback from 1993 to 1995. King finished his degree at North Carolina Central, graduating with a bachelor of science degree in 2005.



## Coach Hamilton Heads to N.C. State

One of the biggest names in high school basketball has officially joined the college ranks as A.W. Hamilton officially accepted an Assistant Coach position at N.C. State. Hamilton has served as Head Coach of the Hargrave Military Academy basketball program since 2011, after serving as the Assistant Coach at Hargrave for the five seasons prior. He will be reunited with current N.C. State and former Hargrave Head Coach Kevin Keatts, whom Hamilton coached under during his stint as an Assistant Coach from 2006-2011 and also played for during the 1999-2000 season at Hargrave.

Hamilton leaves behind a sustained run of success that is scarcely seen at the prep school level. In his six years as Head Coach, Hamilton amassed a record of 237 wins against just 22 losses, including a remarkable 120-2 mark at home in Hargrave's Walter Davis Gymnasium. Hamilton ends his Hargrave career riding an active 75-game home winning streak, with his last home loss coming in 2014. Hamilton earned a number of prestigious awards during his tenure, including recognition as National Coach of the Year in 2012 and 2016 and Regional Coach of the Year in 2014, 2015 and 2017 respectively.

The move for Hamilton comes on the heels of one of the best runs in the history of prep basketball in the 2015-16 and 2016-17 seasons. Hamilton's teams achieved a 90-3 record across the two seasons, bringing home the 2016 National Prep Championship and reaching the National Final Four in 2017. During that stretch, Hamilton's teams won 45 games in a row and went 364 days without losing a single game. Along the way, they set school records for wins in a season (47, 2016) and points scored in a game (163, 2017).

## Martin Named Basketball Head Coach

Lee Martin has been named the Head Coach of the Hargrave Military Academy postgraduate basketball team. Martin will also assume the role of Program Director, overseeing the varsity, junior varsity and middle-school teams, in addition to his duties as the Postgraduate Head Coach. Martin served two years as Associate Head Coach after serving two years as an Assistant Coach, all under Hamilton.

"Coach Martin has been an integral part of pushing the postgraduate team to new levels for the past four years, and it has not gone unnoticed," said Dr. Wheeler Baker, Col. USMC (Ret.), Hargrave's President. "He is an exceptionally talented coach with a strong basketball background and an even stronger knowledge of who we are, our core values as an institution and where we want to go."

After graduating from Hargrave in 2009, Martin signed a full scholarship to play basketball at Catawba College in Salisbury, NC. Martin was a four-year letterwinner at Catawba and served as team captain during his sophomore, junior and senior seasons. Martin played a large role on the 2009-2010 Catawba team that won the South Atlantic Conference and participated in the NCAA Tournament. Martin was named team MVP after his senior season.

Martin returned to Hargrave immediately after graduating from Catawba.

"It is an incredible honor to be named Head Coach of the Hargrave postgraduate basketball team. I'd like to thank Col. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Davenport and the rest of the Board of Trustees for giving me the opportunity to lead this tremendous program," Martin commented.

"Hargrave is such a special place, and I told myself that I could never leave unless we could hire a coach who is a perfect fit with the school's culture and could take the program to a new level," commented A.W. Hamilton. "There is no doubt whatsoever that Lee Martin is the perfect coach for Hargrave."



Dear Hargrave,

Thank you.

When I arrived as a homesick 18-year-old in 1999, I never thought that this place would become so deeply ingrained in who I am as a man. I will forever look back at my time as a Cadet at Hargrave as a turning point in my life - the time that I finally started to invest in myself and my future, with the help of a slew of people that pushed me daily. On a daily basis, I had four of, whom I consider to be, the best mentors that any young man could have: Coach Kevin Keatts on the court, with my TAC Officer SGT MAJ Mike Payne, Academic Dean Walter Sullivan and Col. Wheeler Baker guiding me in all other phases of life. These mentors, along with countless other faculty and staff, helped push me beyond what I thought was possible for my life, and I will be forever grateful for their belief in me and hard work in getting me there.

When Coach Keatts extended me an offer to return to Hargrave as a coach, I could not have been more excited. I had the chance to work for one of the best basketball minds in the country, all while making an impact on the lives of young men, like so many had done for me in the past. I'd be remiss if I didn't thank Col. Baker for the opportunity to serve as the Student Activities Director as well - getting to know the students in a different realm was one of the most rewarding things about my return to Hargrave.

Being the Head Coach of the postgraduate basketball team is one of the greatest honors of my life. I have said it before, and I'll continue to say it whenever someone gives me a chance to speak: Hargrave is the best school in the country. I believe that to my core and I am thankful that I had the chance to work at such a special place. What makes Hargrave special isn't the buildings, equipment or uniforms - it's the people. I want to give a special thank you to all of the fans, families and alumni that came to Walter Davis Gymnasium to support us and give us a distinct home-court advantage. The run that we had wouldn't have been possible without the support of so many people behind the scenes - the incredible faculty and staff, maintenance crew, BG and Mrs. Don Broome and the entire Chatham community (as well as my fellow Rotarians) are truly what made the program run. I need to thank Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davenport in particular: your guidance, wisdom and support have meant more than you will ever know - thank you from the bottom of my heart.

No program can be successful without exceptional players. I was fortunate over my tenure to not only have remarkably talented players, but more importantly, phenomenal people fill the roster every year. Watching these players sacrifice on and off the court for their goals and seeing the brotherhood that was built through that process was one of the most rewarding parts of my job. I was also blessed to have the hardest working and most loyal assistant coaches in the country each and every year. It's evidenced by the remarkable rate that the Hargrave assistants have moved up the college coaching ladder over the years, but we are extremely lucky to have such talented coaches pour their heart and souls into making the program run smoothly, as well as their desire to advance the institution as a whole.

Last, but certainly not least, I want to thank my beautiful wife, Chelsea, and my daughters, Charleigh and Andi. You all mean the world to me and I cannot put into words how much your love and support means to me.

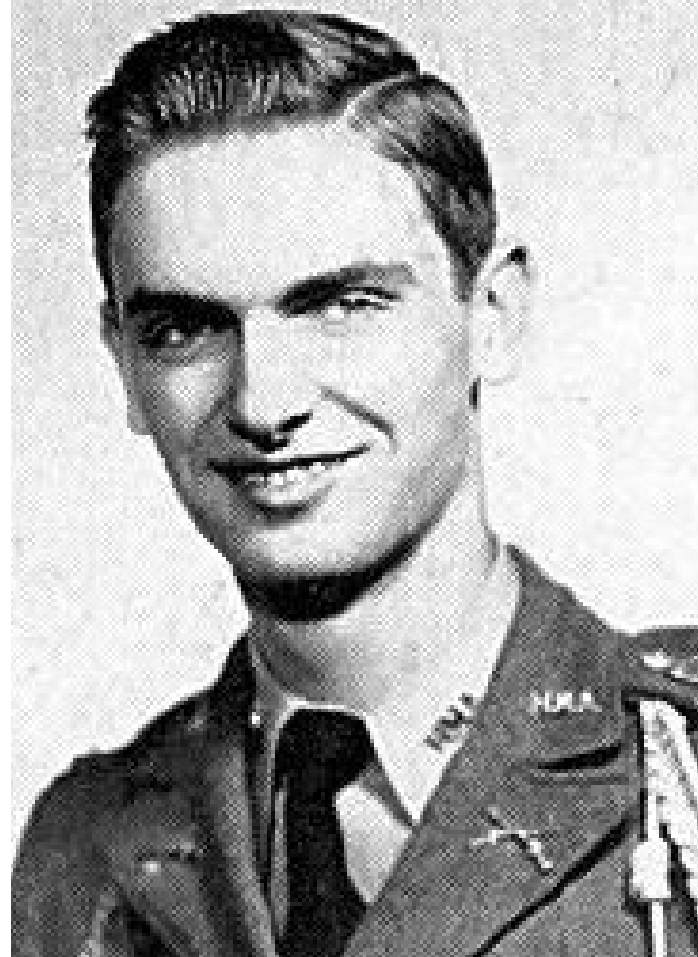
No matter how far away I am physically, Hargrave will always be in my heart.

Sincerely,  
A.W. Hamilton

# Julian Griffin:

## Getting to know “Sneaky Jesus”

Julian Griffin donated \$100,000 to Hargrave in memory of his son David Griffin (class of '82) for scholarship funds. He also donated \$20,000 to Hargrave for school improvements.



Julian Griffin attributes Hargrave for setting him on the right path for a successful life.

“I had a terrible problem with discipline - I didn't like to study, work or do homework. I knew I needed the discipline and Hargrave gave me the discipline I needed. [...] As an alumnus of Hargrave, I am always aware of her influence on my life. She took me during the rocky years of youth and led me with firm and patient discipline to the threshold of adulthood,” said Griffin.

After graduating from Hargrave in 1950, Griffin attended The Citadel and subsequently the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, KY. Reverend Griffin then returned to Hargrave, where he served as faculty from 1958-1967, as the Academy's Chaplain and also taught Bible and English. The Reverend went on to serve as Pastor of the Chestnut Level Baptist Church until 1985.

Over the years, Reverend Griffin has always stayed close to Hargrave. He has served as the Chairman of the Board of Trustees, where he had the unique opportunity of signing his son's diploma.

The Academy is profoundly thankful to the Griffin family for their continued spirit of generosity. For three generations the Griffin family has supported the local community and the mission of Hargrave. The permanent endowment provides a reliable source of income in perpetuity that Hargrave can count on in support of our student's academic goals today and into the future.

“If I can repay her in some meager way for the leadership she afforded by helping her lead some other boy to that same threshold, then I feel a sense of real satisfaction,” said Griffin.

Some of Griffin's favorite memories from Hargrave involve just that. Griffin recalls conducting visitation on the barracks during study hall...

“I stuck more kids who were not studying than anybody else on the faculty. Most faculty members who went to work on study hall didn't do a very good job, but I made that a policy,” said Griffin. “I could be in the barracks before Cadets even knew I was around. I would catch a lot of them writing letters and doing things besides studying. I was called *Sneaky Jesus*.”

If Griffin could give any advice to a Hargrave Cadet it would be to always keep up with what is going on and study hard.



Throughout the years, Griffin has been involved with numerous organizations, including the Rotary Club, Chamber of Commerce, Alamance County Executives Club, Burlington Boys Chair and United Fund. He has also served on many Boards.

These days, Griffin is still involved in the Rotary Club and enjoys antique automobiles, especially his 1928 Model A Fords.

In addition to Reverend Griffin's endowment for scholarships, additional funds were made available to Hargrave to assist with the purchase of several new SMART Boards. Hargrave's Academic Dean, Dewitt H. Powell, states that "the funds help the teachers to present a view of an educational display that is interactive, fun and proactive for the students. The visual display and multiple uses of the boards will enhance the learning environment at Hargrave."

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# Hargrave Military Academy Homecoming 2017

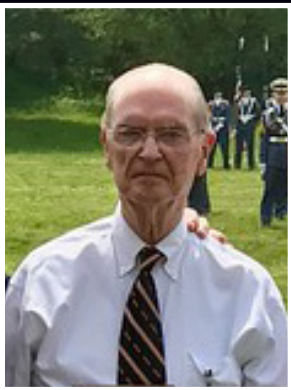
# HOME COMING 2017 ALUMNI AWARDS

## DON HASTON '76 Outstanding Alumnus



Don Haston is a 1976 graduate of Hargrave Military Academy. He feels very fortunate he could attend such a prestigious school that helped him understand the value and meaning of work ethic, discipline and build the foundation for his success in his business, personal and even his spiritual life. Many of the skills and techniques that Hargrave taught Don have carried over into his current business and are proving to be invaluable in his current success. In 1976, Don started working full-time at his father's construction company. He worked his way from a carpenter to superintendent and became a stockholder in the 80's. When his father, Glen, passed away in 2005, he left the business to his sons, Don and Ron, who continued to grow the business into a thriving Charlotte company. In 2012, Don sold his half of the business to his brother and founded Haston General Contractors, which he based on the same christian values, quality and fairness that his father established 60 years previously. Don and his lovely wife Cindy live in Waxhaw, NC and have three sons, Brandon, Brent and Jonathan. In his spare time, Don enjoys relaxing in the mountains and spending time with his family, especially his beautiful granddaughters.

## JULIAN GRIFFIN '50 Distinguished Alumnus



Julian Griffin is a 1950 Hargrave graduate and received a bachelors of arts in English from The Citadel in 1954. From there, Julian went on to attend the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary where he received his bachelor of divinity in 1957. Julian returned to Hargrave in 1958 where he served as a instructor and Chaplain until 1966 and during this time he also served in the U.S. Army Reserve as a Second Lieutenant, Infantry and First Lieutenant Chaplain. After his tenure at Hargrave, Julian returned to Burlington, NC, where he took over a family business and served as a pastor at a local church. Rev. Griffin is the father of three daughters, Patti, Rebecca and Kathryn (who is deceased) and a son, David, a 1982 graduate of HMA, who lost his life tragically in 2016. Rev. Griffin has chosen to establish a permanent scholarship endowment at Hargrave in David's memory. Rev. Griffin is very thankful for Hargrave and all of those that helped make him the person he is today and is so very thankful that he is able to give back to Hargrave.

## MITCHELL "MITCH" BORLEY '03 Romulus Sanders Distinguished Young Alumnus



Mitchell Borley, better known as Mitch, was born in Honolulu, HI, but has lived in many places being born into a military family. Mitch entered the seventh grade at Hargrave in 1997 when his father, John, came onboard as the Business Manager. He continued his education here, graduating in 2003 as a honor graduate and Battalion Adjutant. After Hargrave, he entered Florida State where he graduated in 2007 before being commissioned to the United States Marine Corps. He has served in Okinawa, Japan, Iraq, Camp LeJeune, NC, Afghanistan, Blount Island Command, Florida and is presently a Major in the 1st Marine Division at Camp Pendleton, CA. His wife Liz and two-year-old son, Mark, reside at Camp Pendleton also.

## KATIE MARKUNAS

### Active Educator of the Year



Katie Markunas is a graduate of Loyola University of Maryland Graduate Program and started her teaching career at Hargrave in 2014. She currently teaches language arts and English to middle school students. She has received the Educator of the Year award at Hargrave and was nominated for the Pittsylvania County Educator of the Year in 2017. She also has received Coach of the Year in February 2017 from the Virginia Independent Conference on the outstanding job she did in coaching the Hargrave swim team this past year. Her influence on students in the middle school is well known and much appreciated. Ms. Markunas resides in Chatham.

## LOUISE MCCORMICK MOTLEY

### Inactive Educator of the Year



Louise McCormick Motley was a devoted art instructor for 17 years at Hargrave. Louise was born in this area to a family that was community minded and service oriented where she was taught kindness, respect, honesty and a love of God. Being raised on a farm instilled within her the work ethic she has maintained throughout her life; the necessity of hard, consistent work and seeing a project completed. Louise is a 1970 Honor Graduate of Gretna High School and a 1974 Summa Cum Laude graduate of Stratford College. While at Stratford she received The Ida Fitzgerald Award for Highest Class Average for three years and was the recipient of the Rippie Art scholarship. Her teaching career kept her in the rural area of her birth. Louise taught art at Gretna High School from 1974-81 where she also was the school newspaper and yearbook sponsor. From 1988-93 she developed an art program for Woodlawn Academy and taught grades 3-7. In 1994 Louise came onboard at Hargrave to teach art and further develop

and expand their art program. Louise is married to James T. Motley and they celebrated 40 years of marriage this July. They have a daughter, Jennifer Adkins, and a son, Hilton, who is a 2000 graduate of Hargrave. He and his wife, Wendy, have two children, Emerson Brooke and Grayer Thomas. After retiring in 2012, she spends time with her grandchildren and working in her flower garden, her latest art project.

## WALTER R. SULLIVAN, JR., LTC, U.S. ARMY, RET.

### Honorary Alumnus



Walter R. Sullivan, Jr., LTC, U.S. Army (Ret.), is a native of Lexington, MS, and is a 1968 graduate of the University of Southern Mississippi where he received his commission in the United States Army as a Second Lieutenant, Field Artillery, through the Reserve Officer Training Corps. He attended the Field Artillery Officer Basic Course at Fort Sill, OK, followed by Rotary Wing Flight School in Texas and at Fort Rucker, AL. His 24 year military career included a variety of command and staff assignments in both artillery and aviation units throughout the world. Two assignments were to the University of Richmond Army ROTC Department. While there, he was instrumental in establishing the ROTC Extension Center and Cross Enrolled Programs at Longwood University and Hampden Sydney College. As professor of military science at the University of Richmond, he directed the Senior ROTC Programs at five different universities as well as the five Junior ROTC Programs throughout the city of Richmond. He received a

master of science in guidance/counseling from Longwood University. Following his retirement from the United States Army in 1992, he was the Academic Dean at Missouri Military Academy until 1999 and at Hargrave Military Academy for 17 years until his retirement in June, 2016. LTC Sullivan and his wife, Pat, live in Danville, VA, and have a son, Brian, and granddaughter, Jessica, who live in Richmond, VA.





## *Haston Volunteers Services for Lankford House Museum Renovation*

While visiting the Hargrave campus in 2016, Don Haston noticed some repairs were needed at the Lankford House Museum. Being a general contractor, Haston decided to take matters into his own hands.

With the help of his employees, Haston took on the challenge of renovating the Museum. Haston and a group of his employees came up on Wednesday nights and worked through Sunday on the Museum. They followed this schedule for seven weeks while the construction took place.

Repairs to the Museum include a handicap ramp, removal of a wall, tearing out of two bathrooms, remodeling of one handicap bathroom, new floors, new replastered and painted walls and a completely repainted outside. Haston and his employees graciously donated all of these services to Hargrave at no cost. They stayed in Booker Hall while working on the renovations. The estimated retail cost of the renovations performed by Haston on the Museum remodel is \$55,000-60,000.

Since Haston played baseball at Hargrave when he was a kid, he was also inspired to reconstruct two batting cages on the Hargrave campus while working on the Museum.

Don Haston attended Hargrave from 1973-76. After he graduated he worked in construction for his father until 2012 when he started his own business, Haston General Contractors. Haston General Contractors is a residential and commercial company which currently employees 102 individuals in Charlotte, NC.

Haston hopes his contributions to the Hargrave campus will make a positive impact, just as Hargrave had on his life.

He recalls two special teachers during his time at Hargrave, Linda Ramsey and Dot Blair. "They saved my life, they really did. I would never have made it out of there if not for them," said Haston.



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# *John and Maxine Alexis Named New Sabre Co-Chairs*



In 1988, the Hargrave Military Academy Board of Trustees established the Order of the Sabre to recognize and honor the most generous supporters of the Academy. Hargrave is most grateful to those founding members who provided the vision upon which the Order was founded.

John Alexis graduated Hargrave in 1989. Like so many of our alumni, he looks back on those years as some of the most formative of his life and where he formed some of his most enduring relationships. His wife of 20 years, Maxine, was born and raised in the United Kingdom. John and Maxine met in Venice, Italy while each was backpacking around Europe after graduating from college in 1994. John had recently graduated from Rutgers with a bachelors in sociology, psychology and philosophy while Maxine had just graduated from City University (London, U.K.) with a bachelors degree in business law. Both went on to graduate school in their respective fields while continuing their transatlantic relationship until 1997 when they were married in John's home state of New Jersey. John exited graduate school before completion and started an import business where he frequently traveled to the southeastern region of Africa. Maxine completed her masters degree in law. They have made New Jersey their home ever since and now have two children: Poppy, age 12, and James, age 9.

On September 11, 2001, Maxine was working as an associate for the law firm Sidley Austin LLP and was at work in her office on the 56th floor of 1 World Trade Center when the planes hit. She looks back on that day as the day that formed her unbreakable bond with her new home country. Maxine now works for The Bank of New York Mellon in New York. John manages their 70-acre horse farm in New Jersey, Bow Brickhill Stables, where he manages the care of over 50 horses training in various levels of show jumping, eventing, and dressage. John and Maxine reside between their farm in New Jersey and their apartment on the upper east side of Manhattan.

In April 2015, John took his family to Hargrave's alumni weekend. It was their first trip as a family to Hargrave. It was a great weekend and Maxine had an opportunity to meet many of John's Hargrave brothers. While driving back to New Jersey, Maxine turned to John and said "I feel like I know you better now after spending the weekend at Hargrave." She was quite taken by how many entrepreneurs, like John, Hargrave has produced. As Maxine put it, "There is a concern in this country regarding future leadership. Hargrave creates leaders - we need to get involved." John and Maxine officially took the helm effective February 10, 2017.

# IGTH 2017-2018 HARGRAVE'S ANNUAL FUND

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Thank you to everyone who helped us surpass our original Development goal of \$400,000! We passed this goal in March and set a secondary goal of \$500,000. In total, we raised \$495,000 with your help! We had 639 donors this year - a huge increase compared to 235 donors just two years ago! There are currently 176 Sabre members - a growth rate of 27%.

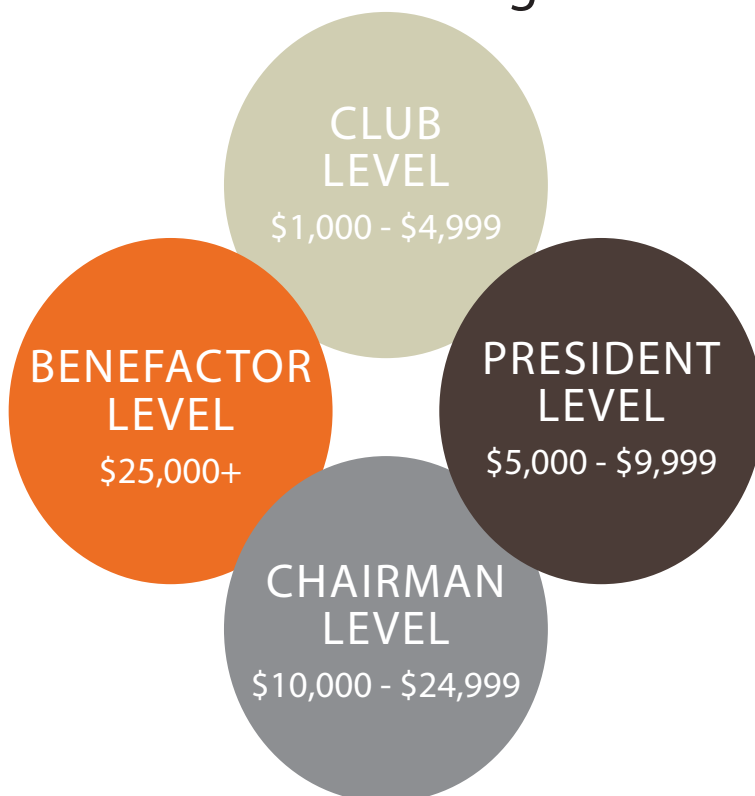
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# Virginia Educational Improvements Tax Credit Program

Hargrave Military Academy is now participating in the Virginia Educational Improvements Tax Credit Program. The Virginia Educational Improvements Tax Credit Program is an opportunity for people to donate to schools, which will in return give scholarships to Virginia public school students allowing them to go to private schools.

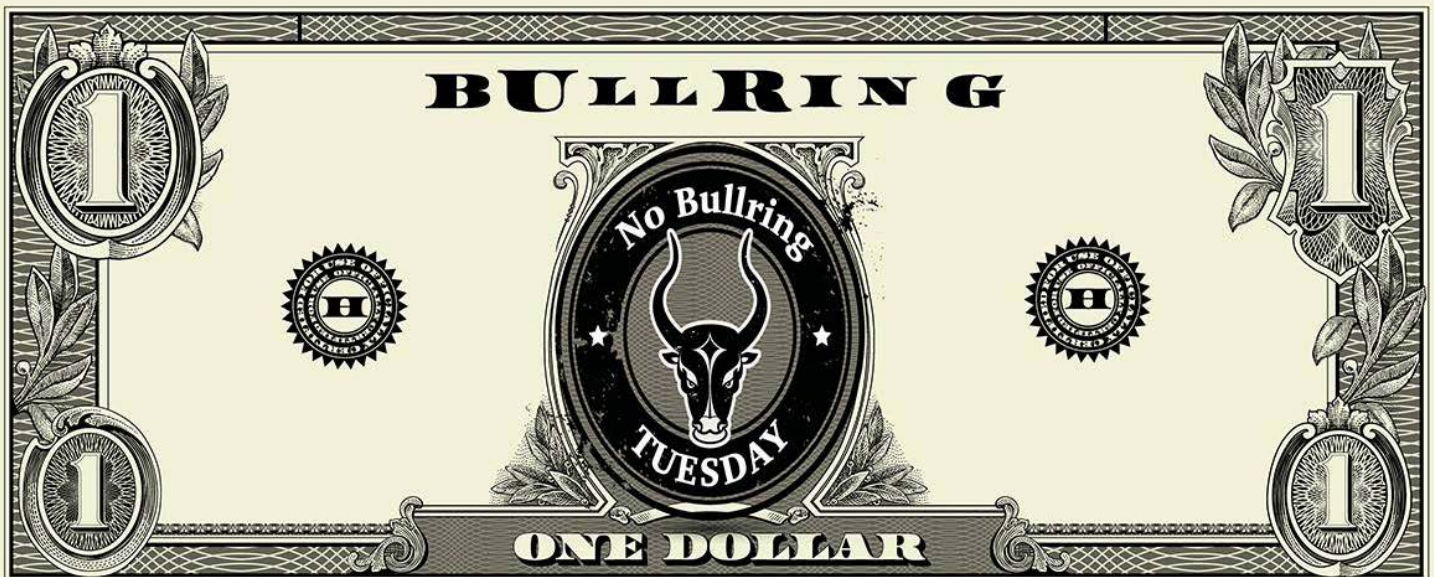
When someone donates through this program, a portion of the donation has to go to another school along with Hargrave. Hargrave is partnering with Sacred Heart for donation purposes of this program. When someone participates in the program, they will receive a tax credit when they file their Virginia taxes. Both those who wish to donate and student recipients must be from the state of Virginia.

Interested parties may contact Craig Rogers, Chief Development Officer, for more information.



## Giving Tuesday a Success!

Giving Tuesday is celebrated on the Tuesday following Thanksgiving, when many focus on end-of-year giving. Hargrave received a grand total of \$50,315.89, which resulted in General Broome walking a tour. Thank you to each of you who helped Hargrave meet its Giving Tuesday goal!



**\$50,315.89 RAISED + 352 DONORS = TOUR TIME**

# Hargrave Friendship Leads to Growing Business



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A chain of North Carolina climbing gyms is ascending north into the Richmond market.

Triangle Rock Club is set to open its first location outside the Tar Heel State at 4700 Thalbro St. in Henrico, in the former Richmond Athletic Club building.

The company, which has three locations in North Carolina, plans to finalize its purchase of the 24,000-square-foot building in early June, and will begin demolition and renovations immediately after. Dubbed Triangle Rock Club RVA, the location is planned to open in late 2017.

Managing partner Joel Graybeal said after rapid expansion in North Carolina through 2013 and 2014, the company started thinking of other markets.

"We drew a three-hour radius from Raleigh and started digging around for opportunities," Graybeal said.

A first phase of renovations will install 13,000 square feet of climbing surface, a 2,400-square-foot fitness center, a yoga studio, sauna, steam room and gear shop.

In a second phase planned for 2018, TRC will add 6,000 square feet, amounting to an additional 15,000 square feet of climbing surface, including 45-foot climbing walls.

The renovations and real estate acquisition is expected to cost around \$2.8 million.

Triangle Rock Club found the Richmond Athletic Club building with the help of Mark Boykin of Boykin Realty Services.

"Boykin and Andrew Kratz, one of my partners at TRC, were high school classmates at Hargrave Military Academy," Graybeal said. "A 30-year friendship facilitated the connection for us."

The numbers for the Richmond area painted a pretty picture for TRC.

"If I look at total project cost, about 20 percent of the total cost is for upfit. Normally we spend a bigger number on that," Graybeal said. "And on a per-square-foot cost to buy the building, it's coming in less than our Raleigh-area locations."

M.L. Bell is the general contractor, with Bruce Perretz of Perretz & Young Architects as the designer. SunTrust is financing the project.

TRC will take over the old RAC building from Three Properties LLC, which purchased it in 2013 and leased it to a local nonprofit.

"The sport is growing," Graybeal said. "It doesn't appear to us to be a trend. It's a very social experience. It's a do-with-a-buddy thing."

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# CLASS UPDATES

**36 Frank Winston Adams** celebrated his 100th birthday on March 16, 2017. He is the oldest and longest serving member of Charity Lodge No. 5, A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina in Windsor.



**40 Donal Chester** has been married for 69 years!

**45 John Hurst, Sr.** is now 87 years old and living with his oldest daughter who is a medical doctor.

**53 H Wm Swertfeger, Jr.** is a past deacon of four years, elder for three years and a recently elected trustee of the church for life at First Presbyterian Church of Virginia Beach.

**55 Dennis Patrick** has three children and six grandchildren, ages 12-22. The 12 year olds are triplets!

**57 Paul H. Lilly, MD, MPH** is a member of the Bank of The James Advisory Board, Assistant Lay Leader Methodist Church, was awarded the Master Pilot Award by FAA and received the 50 year award by the Masonic Lodge.

**59 James Reed** closed his home and moved into a retirement complex in Chicago to be closer to his daughters and grandson after his wife passed.

**Thomas O. Daneker, IV** has retired.

**61 Albert C. Johnson** is a member of Reidsville Gideon Camp. He served as Past Vice President, Chaplain and Faith Fund Chairman. He has been a member since 1988. He enjoys volunteering at Annie Penn Hospital.

**David McClave** is a professional skeet shooter.

**62 Fred Hodnett, Jr.** is recovering from a serious health crisis in 2015. His family and good friends have been essential to his continuing recovery. He appreciates many good thoughts and prayers.

**Ernest Ray Luck** has served at two churches as interim pastor since retiring in 2014.

**Percy A. Sensabaugh** retired in 2010 and thanks his Hargrave faculty for all they do.

**Arthur B. Gravatt, III** will celebrate his 50th wedding anniversary in October. He is restoring Lansdowne, the home of Arthur Lee that was built in 1740.

**64 David Segrest** received his North Carolina Master Beekeepers Certification in 2016.

**65 Robert "Bob" Moreland** is enjoying retirement, fishing, wood carving, training and showing hunting dogs.

**Antonio Amadeo** is looking for any HMA alumni or Cadets living in the great state of Tennessee.

**66 Bill St. Clair's** wife, Marjorie, retired from teaching after 40 years. His son, Neil, is President of a NYC company.

His daughter-in-law, Melissa, is a senior manager with TIAA.

**David Rock Whitten** attended his 50th reunion at Homecoming in 2016 with his Brother, Stephen L. Whitten ('61) and reunited with several former classmates.

**67 Murray Call** is retiring from his company he started in 1968. He hopes to boat U.S. rivers from north to south and west to east and in the winter live aboard the 42' Elasic trailer in Sanford, FL. "I have been blessed."

**70 Charles "Steve" Masters** retired in 2008 after serving 34 years as a physical education and health teacher at Raucocas Valley Regional High School in Mt. Holly, NJ. He also coached football, basketball, baseball and golf.

**76 John C. Prince** is retiring on August 25, 2017 from the Alabama National Guard after 33 years of service. He graduated Army Sergeant Major Academy in March 2016.

**77 Daniel Parsons** is retired from Alaska Airlines and is working as a medical missionary.

**78 Marsell C. Bustos** is a retired United States Navy CDR and United Airlines Captain.

**John Wade** is now a grandpa! His daughter, Morgan, gave birth to Camille Newnam on January 14, 2017.

**79 Kimberly Gibson Worley** is the owner of New York Life Insurance (1999-present). She provides health insurance through Anthem HealthKeepers, Medicare supplements and prescription plans, long-term care and annuities.

**80 Peter B. Darlington**'s oldest daughter and her husband just celebrated their first year of marriage and the birth of their first child in April.

**Andrew Stewart, Col. USA Ret.**, continues to work at [www.staysmarter.com](http://www.staysmarter.com) building hotel booking apps. He also works as a consultant under the Secretary of Defense for Intelligence doing strategic intelligence.

**Warren Chesser** is now serving as the new pastor at Sandy Creek Baptist Church in Deatonville, VA.

**85 Andrew Jackson** is proud of his son, Daylin, who graduated from the United States Marine Corps boot camp and is now stationed in Jacksonville, NC.

**91 Charles A. Woo** retired from the United States Air Force in 2014 after serving 20 years.

**03 Toby Voght** received his MBA from UNC Kenan-Flagler Business School in 2016. He was selected as a member of the inaugural Presidential Leadership Scholars.

**04 Alexander Armor** was ranked #1 Para-Chair Adaptive Highland Games Competitor in the World for 2016. He started a 501 (c) 3 public charity for adaptive athletes, people with disabilities and veterans called the Gimp Style Foundation, based in Johnson City, TN. Visit [www.gimpstyle.org](http://www.gimpstyle.org) for more information.

**07 Jared Reutter** served five years in the United States Marine Corps. He has flown all over the state of Alaska and currently flies in the arctic. He invests in real estate and has 11 rental units.

**08 Joshua Rudolph** owns a gym in Matthews, NC. He is married with two children.

**09 Travis Park** married Kayla Briana in March of 2015. He received a promotion in June, 2017.

**14 Garrett Peterson** graduated Alamance Community College with honors and entered MBT on July 2, 2016 for the Air Force.

Photo submitted by Jared Reutter, '07



# TAPS

*The Hargrave community extends its deepest sympathy to the families and friends of the following alumni of the school who have recently passed away.*

<b>Mark Dawson</b>	<b>'78</b>	<b>C. A. Hostetler</b>	<b>'72</b>	<b>Gary Shouppe</b>	<b>'70</b>
<b>John A. Disk</b>	<b>'66</b>	<b>Samuel F. Hudson</b>	<b>'45</b>	<b>Richard L. Smith</b>	<b>'68</b>
<b>Kevin A. Doughty</b>	<b>'89</b>	<b>Thomas B. Huss</b>	<b>'54</b>	<b>Binford L. Snead</b>	<b>'47</b>
<b>Gerald S. Duffie</b>	<b>'53</b>	<b>Jay P. Kimbrough</b>	<b>'71</b>	<b>Garret J. Torney</b>	<b>'05</b>
<b>Kenneth L. Geyer, Sr.</b>	<b>'45</b>	<b>John R. Lido</b>	<b>'44</b>	<b>William N. Walsh, Jr.</b>	<b>'69</b>
<b>H. Edmund Giles</b>	<b>'73</b>	<b>Christopher L. Morris</b>	<b>'09</b>	<b>Brittany A. Whitlow</b>	<b>'97</b>
<b>Peter A. Giordano</b>	<b>'04</b>	<b>Charles L. Mundy</b>	<b>'41</b>	<b>Edward Wiegand</b>	<b>'50</b>
<b>Jonathan D. Griffin</b>	<b>'82</b>	<b>Robert F. Pecht, Jr.</b>	<b>'49</b>	<b>Charles V. Wilkerson</b>	<b>'88</b>

## MR. AND MRS. FIN GADDY '86 TAPS SCHOLARSHIP

TAPS stands for "Tigers at Peace Scholarship," the purpose of which is to remember and honor those Cadets that passed away well before their time. The scholarship provides much needed financial assistance for a well-rounded young man who shows leadership potential while at Hargrave. However, for the scholarship's sustainability, we need the generosity of our Hargrave Alumni and friends of the Academy. We all may know of classmates who have unfortunately passed away at an early age, and this is an endowed fund that will live in perpetuity, allowing the Academy to award scholarships from the earnings. This is an excellent opportunity to direct your giving in memory of a classmate who has passed on too early and support a deserving student.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION ON HOW TO CONTRIBUTE TO THIS SCHOLARSHIP FUND, CONTACT:**

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