

ALUMNAE NEWS



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#FontbonneForever

2021

“Nor yet because fair flowers are springing / Beneath thy genial ray; / And thousand happy birds are singing / All welcome to thee, May!”

Rosanna Eleanor Leprohon

Welcome to May indeed!

It seems almost impossible that we are at this point in the school year. As the underclass women prepare to close out their course work and study for exams, our seniors are enjoying time together on campus ...their laughter and joy resonates in the courtyard during passing and lunch time and their preparation to close their time together and with us is fast approaching.

SPRING EVENTS

SPORTS NIGHT took an unusual format this year but was an experience of a lifetime during COVID. The competition categories changed a bit to reflect just how creative everything had to be within our school community.



The categories and winners of the 2021 Sports Night are as follows:

Congratulations!

Trivia	Seniors ~ 1st Place: Juniors ~ 2nd Place
Soccer Shootout	Seniors ~ 1st Place: Juniors ~ 2nd Place
Home Run Derby	Freshwomen ~ 1st Place: Sophomores ~ 2nd Place
Relay Races	Seniors ~ 1st Place: Freshwomen/Juniors tie for 2nd
Cornhole Tournament	Juniors ~ 1st and 2nd Place (multiple teams/year)
Kan Jam Tournament	Juniors ~ 1st and 2nd Place (multiple teams/year)
Movie/Poster	Sophomores ~ 1st Place: Juniors ~ 2nd Place (skits were filmed)
Field Day	Juniors ~ 1st Place: Seniors ~ 2nd Place

Overall Sports Night Champions: Juniors

2nd Place: Seniors

*Special THANKS to alumnae; **Gabrielle Sichenze '14, Samantha Sichenze '16, Luanne Manzione '15, and Michelle Mazza '15** for participating as our virtual event judges.*

SUMMER SOIRÉE

It is with great pleasure that Fontbonne Hall announces our Summer Soirée which will be held virtually on June 17. Proceeds will benefit the Modernization of Ita Ford.

Not since the construction completion of the Ita Ford building in 1980, has there been a more perfect time to transform and reinvent Fontbonne Hall – not our approach to education - but rather the spaces in which learning is ignited and fueled. Proceeds from this event will help accelerate our efforts to create a state-of-the-art Science Suite complete with modern and fully interactive chemistry, biology, physics, and STEM labs. But that is *only the beginning* of what we have planned. More details of the event will be unveiled [HERE](#).

Event tickets are complimentary. We hope to “see” you there!

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Olivia Haas, Director of Communications and Media for **NCGS**, with whom we are members, shared these intern opportunities with us for our younger alum:

“NCGS seeks two energetic, self-motivated part-time interns to volunteer for

10-12 hours per week to support and assist the NCGS team and work of the Coalition. These positions are considered vital members of the NCGS team:

Communications/Marketing Internship

Focus areas include social media support, writing, website maintenance, and administrative support. Position reports to the Director of Strategic Communications & Media.

Academic Research Internship

Focus areas include research database management, member research requests, support of the Global Action Research Collaborative, event support, and data compilation. Position reports to the Director of Research Initiatives & Programs.

Both positions are ideal for individuals interested in the non-profit and/or education sectors.”

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CONGRATULATIONS

Fontbonne seniors **Santina Arena** and **Kayla Rolo** signed their letters of intent for softball scholarships to Chestnut Hill College!

Click below for full article from the Home Reporter.

[Read Article](#)



REMINDERS

Reunion celebrations will take place this year on campus the weekend of October 22 -24, 2021. We will be celebrating the years ending in 0's and 5's AND 1's and 6's. Class Rep letters will be in the mail by the first week in June outlining the weekend events and invitations will go out by the end of August. If you have

changed your address/name, please [CLICK HERE](#) to update your information.



DONATE



Please remember to make your **Annual Fund** donations for this year by June 30th, the end of our fiscal year. Your contributions allow us to continue to provide the same superior education on this beautiful campus that you received. Consider becoming a sustained donor by making a monthly donation. Do you know that by giving up just one Starbucks coffee a month, you can become a sustainer?!

[Yes, I want to make a gift!](#)

Maxim of the Month

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"Interpret all things from the best possible point of view. The universe will return the favor!"

...until next time!



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