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TWENTY-FIVE
YEAR CLUB



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41ST ANNUAL DINNER | MAY 11, 2011





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The first official UBC Twenty-Five Year Club dinner was held at the Faculty Club on November 24, 1971. It had been preceded in October 1970 by a gathering to honour University administrative heads and long-service non-academic staff brought together by President Walter Gage. On that occasion Dr. Gage directed Col. John McLean, then head of the Personnel Department, to create a club for non-academic staff members with 25 years of uninterrupted service at the University.

In March 1971, after a number of meetings and much correspondence with President Gage, Gene McLintock (Purchasing), Jessie Field (Arts), Jack Hunter (Bookstore), and Mildred Kastner (Applied Science) met in John McLean's office to formalize a plan for the club which was to be named the UBC Twenty-Five Year Club. At this meeting, Gene McLintock and Mildred Kastner were appointed President and Secretary, respectively. An article appearing on April 8, 1971 in UBC Reports, the University's faculty and staff newspaper, refers to the creation of this new campus organization for staff and lists 15 charter members, each of whom had already been employed at UBC for a quarter century or more. In fact, one charter member (Eleanor Hanna, Finance) had begun working at UBC in 1926.

It was further agreed by President Gage that an annual dinner would be held to honour club members and their spouses. The idea of a small memento for service was recommended by Gene McLintock and subsequently Twenty-Five Year Pins were made for presentation at the annual dinner. With the help of the Ceremonies Office (at that time Peggy Sayle and Joan King) arrangements for the first annual dinner on November 24, 1971 then got underway. Gene McLintock remained president of the club until he retired in 1976. George Rogers (Physical Plant) then held office for two years. Since 1978, the appointment of president has been on an annual basis.





In 1971, there were 30 members of the club, including the 15 charter members. By 2010, membership had grown to 1260, approximately half of whom are retired. 67 new members will be inducted at the fortieth annual dinner on May 11, 2011, bringing the total current membership to 1327.

In 2004, the club began recognizing active members who had reached the additional milestone of 35 years of uninterrupted or accumulated service. In 2011, we will recognize 23 staff members bringing the total to 194.

For membership lists, annual dinner details, club criteria and benefits, and all club-related inquiries, please visit the UBC Twenty-Five Year Club website at www.ceremonies.ubc.ca/honours-recognition/25year-club/ or contact the UBC Ceremonies Office at 604-822-2484.

CHARTER MEMBERS 1971

Armstrong, Dave	Plant Science
Battensby, Alf	Plant Science
Fraser, Alex	Physics
Funnell, Lawrence	Physical Plant
Hunter, Jack	Bookstore
Kastner, Mildred	Applied Science
Keith, Norman	Plant Operations
McCullough, Anne	Agricultural Sciences
McGee, George	Food Services
McLean, J.F.	Personnel
McLintock, Gene	Purchasing
Hanna, Eleanor	Finance
Pearce, Don	Plant Science
Smith, Norman	Physical Plant
Tansley, Harry	Physical Plant
Upshall, Muriel	University Health Services



CLUB PRESIDENTS

1971-76	Gene McLintock (Purchasing)
1976-78	George Rogers (Physical Plant)
1978-79	Alex Fraser (Physics)
1979-80	Don Pearce (Plant Science)
1980-81	Tom Holness (Physical Plant)
1981-82	Sue Calthrop (Health Sciences Coordinator's Office)
1982-83	Gordon Crosson (Anatomy)
1983-84	Kaye Rumsey (Personnel)
1984-85	Tony Craven (Financial Services)
1985-86	Bev Twaites (Pathology)
1986-87	Betty Braidwood (Food Services)
1987-Sep	Allen Baxter (Financial Services)
Oct 87-88	Bob Black (Physical Plant)
1988-89	Paul Bullen (Financial Services)
1989-90	Alastair MacKenzie (Electrical Engineering)
1990-91	Shirley Louie (Food Services)
1991-92	Bill Walker (Physics)
1992-93	Barry Scott (Bookstore)
1993-94	Helen Hahn (Office of the Vice President Research)
1994-95	Al Lackie (Purchasing)
1995-96	Gail Robertson (Commerce)
1996-97	Harvey Burian (Human Resources)
1997-98	Fran Medley (Registrar's Office)
1998-99	Doug Napier (Plant Operations)
1999-00	Lore Hoffmann (Physics and Astronomy)
2000-01	Richard Moore (Library)
2001-02	George Whitfield (Dentistry)
2002-03	Isabel da Silva (School of Music)
2003-04	George McLaughlin (Plant Operations)
2004-05	Linda Wensveen (Library)
2005-06	Gerry Harley (Housing and Conferences)
2006-07	Moya Waters (Museum of Anthropology)
2007-08	Justin Marples (Classroom Services)
2008-09	Chris Skipper (Plant Operations)
2009-10	Colleen Garbe (CUPE 116)
2010-11	Robert Boudreau (Human Resources)

ANNUAL DINNER—WEDNESDAY, MAY 11, 2011

Congratulations on becoming a member of this special group.

- 5:00 p.m. Guests arrive at the Student Union Building
- 5:30 p.m. Group photos for new inductees and those being
recognized for 35 years of service
- 6:00 p.m. Dinner commences. Speaking program and presentations
to follow dessert.

REMARKS

Robert Boudreau, President, 25 Year Club
Professor Stephen Toope, President and Vice-Chancellor

PRESENTATION OF 35 YEAR CLUB INDUCTEES

Individuals are invited to the stage, in alpha order by department, to receive congratulations and tokens of recognition from Professor Toope, Associate Vice-President Lisa Castle and incoming 25 Year Club President, Wendy Varner

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POWERPOINT PRESENTATION

CLOSING REMARKS

Robert Boudreau

2010-2011 25 Year Club Committee: Robert Boudreau, Ashley Castellan, Eilis Courtney, Isabel da Silva, Wendy Davidson, Colleen Garbe, Margaret Leathley, Justin Marples, George McLaughlin, Carey Murphy, Chris Skipper and Linda Wensveen



LIST OF NEW MEMBERS FOR 2011

NEW 25 YEAR MEMBERS

Arts

Tajinder Dhamrait

Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

Sabrina Cheng

Doris Metcalf

Biomedical Research

Michael Williams

Bookstore

Jeffrey Ellis

Emilio Gonzalez

John Gould

Fernanda Khan

Botanical Gardens

Tony Maniezzo

Building Operations

Ermelando Albania

James Bellavance

John Boterman

William Edbrooke

Vicky Floris

Daniel Leslie

Penny Radmilovic

Saroj Tailor

Colin Varner

Christos Zorbakis

Chemistry

Emily Kwan

David Tonkin

Centre for Teaching, Learning and Technology

Chris Crowley

Dee Delaplace

Children's Health

Cheryl Slevin

Curriculum and Pedagogy

Saroj Chand

Civil Engineering

Russell Jackson

Conferences and Accommodation

Allan DeJong

Continuing Studies

Marie Esnault

Dental Clinic

Shauna Catalano

Earth and Ocean Sciences

Janet Gabites

Economics

Umbertina Marandola

Educational Support and Development

Susanna Hughes

Financial Services

Jody Barker

Patricia Dollard



LIST OF NEW MEMBERS FOR 2011

Food Services

Simon Lee
May Leung

Forest Sciences

Carrie Seto

Industry Liaison Office

Angus Livingstone

Information Management Systems

Marilyn Hay

Infrastructure Development

Luc De Beir
Carlo Finamore

Library

Richard Hare
Hoang Ho
Michael Monteith

Media Group

Lance Coombe
Anne Janeda

Medicine Department

Linda Kompauer
Hazel Wilcox

Michael Smith Labs

Irene Barrett

Microbiology

Loida Olonan

Oral Health Sciences

Mary Cheun Yau Wong

Pension Administration Office

Wendy Brooks

Pharmaceutical Sciences

Marie Langton

Planning and Instructional Research

Shamshad Pendleton

Psychiatry

Gillian Brangham

Psychology

Rosemarie Page

Public Affairs

Martin Dee

Sauder School of Business

Pat Darragh
John McIntosh

Security Services

Andrew Murphy

Student Financial Awards and Assistance

Susan Claybo

Supply Management

Arlene Chan





LIST OF NEW MEMBERS FOR 2011

Theatre and Film

Jean Driscoll-Bell

UBC IT

Patrick Johnson
Jovan Miladinovic
Raymond Wong

UBC Utilities

William Gorby

TOTAL 25 YEAR HONOREES: 67

Dentistry

Andre Kung Shun Wong

Financial Services

Charles Erickson

Food Services

David Lau

Obstetrics and Gynecology

Lydia Ng Sy

Library

Leeta Sokalski

Museum of Anthropology

William McLennan

Student Health Services

Katherine Brand

TOTAL 35 YEAR HONOREES: 13

NEW 35 YEAR MEMBERS

Arts

Elizabeth Howarth

Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

Lauren Molday

Bookstore

Richard Baker

Building Operations

Harry Easton
Norman Gautschi

Chemistry

Angelo Ariganello

