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COMMENCEMENT  
2017  
THE ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH YEAR



SUNDAY, APRIL 30  
TWO THOUSAND AND SEVENTEEN  
TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON

The Rike Center  
Westerville, OH

# OTTERBEIN LOVE SONG

*Words by Celia Ihrig Grabill/Music by Glenn Grant Grabill, Class of 1900*

In a quiet, peaceful village  
there is one we love so true.  
She ever gives a welcome  
to her friends both old and new.  
She stands serene  
'mid tree tops green,  
She's our dear Otterbein.

## CHORUS:

Old Otterbein our college,  
we sing of thee today.  
Our memories round thee linger  
in a sweet and mystic way.  
O Otterbein, we love thee,  
our hearts are only thine,  
We pledge anew, we will be true,  
Dear Otterbein.



# COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Mark R. Thresher '78  
Chair, Board of Trustees

Kathy A. Krendl  
President

Commencement Concert .....	Otterbein University Wind Ensemble Michael S. Yonchak, Associate Professor of Music, Conductor ; Graduating Seniors, Guest Conductors
Processional: <i>Sine Nomine</i> .....	Otterbein University Wind Ensemble (Ralph Vaughan Williams/arr. by Alfred Reed) Michael S. Yonchak, Conductor
Welcome .....	Mark R. Thresher '78 Chair, Board of Trustees
* Invocation .....	Shelley Payne Associate Professor, Health and Sport Sciences
Class Greeting .....	Jordan Hawkins '17 Political Science
Conferring of Honorary Degree .....	Kathy A. Krendl President Miguel Martinez-Saenz Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs Mark R. Thresher '78 Chair, Board of Trustees
Jane Grote Abell Honorary Doctorate of Public Service	
Commencement Address .....	Jane Grote Abell Chair of the Board, Donatos Pizza
Conferring of Degrees in Course .....	Kathy A. Krendl President Miguel Martinez-Saenz Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs Andrew P. Mills Professor of Philosophy; Director, Integrative Studies Program
Bachelor of Arts • Bachelor of Science • Bachelor of Science in Education • Bachelor of Science in Nursing Bachelor of Music • Bachelor of Music Education • Bachelor of Fine Arts	
Presentation of Emeriti .....	Miguel Martinez-Saenz Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
* Benediction .....	Will King '17 Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
* Otterbein Love Song .....	led by Abigail E. Hall '17 (Celia Ihrig Grabill/Glenn Grant Grabill '00/arr. by Kris A. Lehman '81) Music Education Michael S. Yonchak, Conductor
Recessional: <i>Crown Imperial</i> .....	Otterbein University Wind Ensemble (William Walton/arr. Jay Bocook) Michael S. Yonchak, Conductor

\*Please stand as able

# COMMENCEMENT CONCERT

11:15 a.m.

Otterbein University Wind Ensemble

Michael S. Yonchak, Conductor

Associate Professor of Music

Selections to be made from the following:

*Shenandoah*

Frank Ticheli

Josh Niswonger, conductor

Bachelor of Music Education

*Blessed Are They* (from a German Requiem)

Johannes Brahms/arr. Barbara Buehlman

Megan Stursa, conductor

Bachelor of Arts in Music

*First Suite in Eb for Military Band: I. Chaconne*

Gustav Holst

Diane Schlosser, conductor

Bachelor of Music Education

*First Suite in Eb for Military Band: III. March*

Gustav Holst

Christopher Miller, conductor

Bachelor of Music Education



# COMMENCEMENT PROCESSION

## The Colors

*At the appearance of the colors, the audience will rise and stand until the flags have been placed, and then be seated during the remainder of the procession.*

## The Mace

*The Mace is carried by the senior-most faculty member present,  
James Gorman, Professor of English.*

## The Otterbein University Seal

*The Seal will be carried by David Robertson, Professor of Physics, 2017 winner of the Master Teacher Award*

## The Flambeau

*The Flambeau will be carried by Kristy McCray, Assistant Professor of Health and Sport Science,  
2017 winner of the New Teacher Award*

## Trustees of the University

Faculty and Senior Administrators of the University

The Class of Two Thousand and Seventeen

The Chairman of the Board of Trustees and the Honorary Doctoral Candidate

The President of the University

## OTTERBEIN COLORS

In 1891, Florence Cronise chaired the "Color Committee" to select school colors. The committee chose tan and cardinal, the colors of the Class of 1893. The May 1891 issue of Otterbein *Aegis*, the Otterbein newspaper from 1890 to 1917, announced the new colors flew marvelously during the annual field day.

## THE MACE AND FLAMBEAU

Otterbein's mace and flambeau were commissioned by President Kathy A. Krendl to signify the authority of Otterbein, represented by a globe, and the light of learning, represented by a flame. Professor of Art Donald T. Austin designed and crafted the pieces in 2014 using maple and cherry wood, both indigenous to Ohio.

## THE OTTERBEIN SEAL

The Otterbein seal has remained virtually unchanged since 1926. It contains two of the oldest symbols of learning: the oil lamp and the open book. In almost every religious tradition the lamp is a symbol of enlightenment, of light casting out the darkness. The open book symbolizes education and intelligence. The nine scallops surrounding the seal stand for the three sets of three upon whose work the university rests: Philip William Otterbein, Martin Boehm and John Wesley, the founders of the United Brethren and the Methodist churches; Lewis Davis, William Hanby and Jonathan Dresbach, the three primary founders of Otterbein University; and the Holy Trinity of Christianity.

# COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

## JANE GROTE ABELL

*Founding family member and chair of the board of Donatos Pizza*

Over the last four decades, Abell has held a variety of positions at both Donatos Pizza and Jane's Dough Foods, Donatos' food service commissary operations. In 1988, with a degree from The Ohio State University in organizational communications and a strong passion for people, she was promoted to chief people officer and served in this role during the acquisition by McDonald's in 1999. During the four years with McDonald's, Abell served as senior vice president of development and maintained her role as chief people officer. In these leadership positions, she helped steer the company's business strategy. In 2003, Abell was a major catalyst behind the decision to purchase Donatos back from McDonald's. Following the buyback, in December of 2006, Jane was promoted to president and chief operating officer.

Abell is a member of the American Heart Association Go Red for Women and the co-chair for the 2015-2016 Go Red Campaign. She is a founding member of the Ross Leadership Institute and serves on the Otterbein Women's Leadership Advisory Council. She sits on the boards of directors for Reeb Avenue Center, Action for Children, Experience Columbus and I Know I Can. In 2014, Abell was named to the YWCA Columbus Academy of Women of Achievement, one of only 237 women so honored since 1986.

In 2014, Columbus *CEO Magazine* named her CEO of the Year and *Franchise Update Magazine* listed her as one of the Top 24 Women in Franchising. Abell was also featured in CBS's hit series *Undercover Boss* where she went undercover in Donatos restaurants.

In 2015, Abell released her first book *THE MISSING PIECE: Doing Business the Donatos Way*. Her book is the story of a classic American family business. It is a warm, insightful account of her lifelong education in leadership, authenticity and running a values-based business.



# CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

*Due to publishing time constraints, degrees and honors listed in this program were based upon grades earned through Fall Semester and projected completion of Spring Semester coursework taken on and/or away from campus. Thus, the commencement program information is not considered official. The degrees and honors listed will actually be conferred only upon those who satisfactorily meet all requirements as stipulated in the Otterbein University Course Catalog.*

*Summa Cum Laude*—An undergraduate student who has attained a cumulative grade point average of 3.950 or better is graduated “Summa Cum Laude.” This designation appears on the diploma and permanent transcript record.

*Magna Cum Laude*—An undergraduate student who has attained a cumulative grade point average of 3.800 to 3.949 is graduated “Magna Cum Laude.” This designation appears on the diploma and permanent transcript record.

*Cum Laude*—An undergraduate student who has attained a cumulative grade point average of 3.600 to 3.799 is graduated “Cum Laude.” This designation appears on the diploma and permanent transcript record.

*With University Honors*—Honors students were accepted into the Honors Program on the basis of outstanding academic ability, have completed the sequence of Honors courses, and have written an Honors Thesis. “With High Honors” recognizes excellence on the Honors Thesis. The “With Honors” or “With High Honors” designation appears on the diploma and permanent transcript record. Honors graduates wear a silver medallion with the academic regalia.

*With Distinction*—An undergraduate student who has satisfactorily completed an approved program of independent study and research, who has submitted a thesis, and has passed written and oral examinations in the field studied, is graduated “With Distinction.” This designation appears on the diploma and permanent transcript record. A student graduating “With Distinction” wears a bronze medallion with the academic regalia.

*With Departmental Honors*—An undergraduate student who has attained a grade point average of 3.700 or better in all major subject field grades is graduated “With Departmental Honors.” A student graduating “With Departmental Honors” wears a lapel pin with the academic regalia.



# ACADEMIC COSTUME

A commission appointed in 1959 by the American Council on Education prescribes a code for academic costume that dictates two components of dress: caps and gowns.

The first component, dealing with caps, allows the mortarboard or Oxford type cap. Occasionally, the Cambridge model, a soft cap resembling a beret, is worn. Either type is correct as long as it is black and of an appropriate material, except that velvet is reserved for recipients of doctoral degrees.

The tassel worn with the cap has three variations. First, it may be black for any degree. Second, it may be in the color of the major field of learning in which the degree was granted. Third, a tassel of gold metallic may be worn by recipients of doctoral degrees and by governing officials of institutions. Some schools make a ceremony of switching the tassel from the right to the left at the moment the degree is awarded as a substitute for individual hooding of candidates.

The second main element of academic costume concerns the gown which should be all black, aside from variations in materials and fullness. The bachelor's gown falls in straight lines from a fairly elaborate yoke. Its distinguishing characteristic is the long, pointed sleeves. A master's gown is distinguished by arc-shaped panels on the long or short sleeves. The doctor's gown is an elaborate costume marked by velvet panels down the front and around the neck as well as by three bars of the same material on the bell-shaped sleeves. It is cut much fuller than the other gowns and, unlike them, may be ornamented in color. Both the paneling and the sleeve bars may show the area in which the degree was awarded.

# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS .....

Elisabeth Geary Adams  
Communication Studies  
Bryn Mawr, PA

Mary Sophia Addington  
Biology  
Reno, NV

Darian Elizabeth Alley  
Political Science  
Galena, OH

Darian Elizabeth Alley  
Global Studies  
Galena, OH

Teagan Margaret Amey  
Art  
Music  
Aurora, OH

Alyssa Renee Antauer  
Allied Health  
Blacklick, OH

Brigin Renee Anthony  
Political Science  
Gahanna, OH

Trenton Michael Antonaros  
Athletic Training  
Columbus, OH

Morgan Celestia Atwell  
Global Studies  
Newark, OH

Connor Scott Baak  
Finance  
Marco Island, FL

Paulina Francesca Bacigalupo  
Communication Studies  
Lewis Center, OH

Dominic Ronald Baer  
Music  
Westerville, OH

Jesse Allen Baker  
Biology  
Columbus, OH

Tyler Douglas Baker  
Human Resources Management  
Upper Sandusky, OH

Jason A. Baldinelli  
Business Administration  
Pickerington, OH

Amber Bass  
Leadership  
Columbus, OH

Joseph Daniel Batey  
Philosophy  
McArthur, OH

Tyler Devan Batten  
Sport Management  
Galena, OH

Jonathon William Beckett  
History  
Sunbury, OH

Victoria Somer Benza  
Physics  
Richfield, OH

Jani Danielle Bigham  
Health Communication  
Lewis Center, OH  
Cum Laude

Bethany Diane Blinsky  
Philosophy  
Social Justice and Public Policy  
Concord, OH  
Cum Laude With Distinction

Katlyn Maryna Bliss  
Exercise Science and Health Promotion  
Farmersville, OH

Jonathan Thomas Boardman  
Finance  
Bellbrook, OH  
Magna Cum Laude

Sophia Anne Bonsib  
Communication Studies  
Wilmington, DE

Joshua Stephen Boros  
Sociology  
Middleburg Heights, OH

Lauren Ashley Boyer  
Business Administration  
Galena, OH

Marquise Antonio Boykin  
Management  
Lewis Center, OH

Byron Ellis Brenneman  
Public Relations  
Coshocton, OH  
Magna Cum Laude

Christian Andrew Brett  
Business Administration  
Westerville, OH  
Cum Laude

Theodore James Bretz  
History  
West Carrollton, OH

Kasey Carter Brown  
Public Relations  
Cardington, OH

Jacob Allen Burns  
Health Promotion and Fitness  
Dublin, OH



Heather Nicole Byers  
Environmental Science  
Pataskala, OH

Javon James Carter  
Business Administration  
International Business and  
Management  
Columbus, OH

Karl Brian Chaney  
Athletic Training  
Cincinnati, OH

Justin Thomas Christoff  
Mathematics  
Bowling Green, OH

Eden Nicole Clark  
Journalism and Media Communication  
New Albany, OH

Jenna Marie Clark  
Management  
Westerville, OH

Aaron N. Clayton  
Allied Health  
Powell, OH

Jared Bradley Conn  
Political Science  
Wintersville, OH  
Cum Laude

Kimberly Joy Corr  
Biology  
Westerville, OH

Maverik Dennis Cox  
English Creative Writing  
Philosophy  
Hopewell, OH

Miles A. Crawley  
Public Health  
Cincinnati, OH

Luke Edward Crea  
Finance  
Powell, OH

Kristin Denay Crews  
Journalism and Media Communication  
Columbus, OH  
Cum Laude

Seth Aron Crowell  
Journalism and Media Communication  
Columbus, OH

Destiny Nicole Cunningham  
Health Communication  
Reynoldsburg, OH

Savanna-Nicole Katelynn Daily  
Art  
Canal Winchester, OH  
Magna Cum Laude

Lindsey Elizabeth Daniels  
Public Administration  
Sociology  
Centerburg, OH  
Summa Cum Laude

Andrew Lapu-os Davis  
Finance  
Westerville, OH

Abby Elizabeth Dawson  
Health Communication  
Public Relations  
Grove City, OH  
Magna Cum Laude

Megan Kristine Dever  
Sport Management  
Westerville, OH

Jacob P. Dilley  
Business Administration  
Westerville, OH

Emily Taylor Dodds  
Sport Management  
Cadiz, OH

Regan Ashley Donoughe  
Marketing  
Medina, OH  
Magna Cum Laude

Rachel Lynn Dosch  
Exercise Science and Health Promotion  
Sport Management  
Canal Winchester, OH  
Magna Cum Laude

Lindsey Kara Duncanson  
Public Accounting  
Mount Orab, OH

James Roger Eastep  
Allied Health  
Dublin, OH

Mary Ann Eckman  
Management  
Marketing  
Naples, FL

Luke Alan Edmonds  
Sport Management  
Sunbury, OH

Emily Ann Egensperger  
Marketing  
Concord, OH

Mara Ann Eisenbarth  
Zoo and Conservation Science  
Pittsburgh, PA  
Cum Laude

Adrienne Catharine Emerine  
Art  
Psychology  
Fostoria, OH  
Summa Cum Laude

William Frederick Emlich  
Psychology  
Delaware, OH

Stacey A. Evans  
Educational Studies  
Columbus, OH  
Cum Laude

Clayton J. Farley  
Finance  
Johnstown, OH



Derek Austin Farnlacher  
Finance  
Management  
Whitehall, OH

Morgan Jeanne Feeney  
Business Administration  
Management  
Sharon, PA

Alex Balick Feldstein  
Exercise Science and Health Promotion  
Landenberg, PA

Brian Grant Fenner  
Business Administration  
Shelby, OH

Sean Matthew Feverston  
Public Relations  
Westerville, OH

Lisa Jane Fitch  
Allied Health  
Dublin, OH  
Cum Laude

Charles E. Fitzwater  
Business  
Richwood, OH  
Cum Laude

Kathleen L. Flavin  
Communication Studies  
Cincinnati, OH

Lyndsey A. Frantz  
Art  
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Psychology  
Oak Park, IL

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Health Communication  
Public Relations  
Galena, OH

Steele O'Brien Gaumer  
Sport Management  
Zanesville, OH

Nathan Alexander Gawarecki  
Athletic Training  
Groveport, OH  
Cum Laude

Mackenzie Kathryn Gerdes  
Finance  
Mason, OH

Jon Christopher Gibson  
Sport Management  
Reynoldsburg, OH

Austin Andrew David Gifford  
Physics  
Hilliard, OH

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Business  
Dublin, OH

Thomas E. Gillotte  
Sociology  
Gahanna, OH  
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Sociology  
Columbus, OH

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Journalism and Media Communication  
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Psychology  
Galloway, OH

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Art  
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Cum Laude

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Psychology  
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Summa Cum Laude

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Summa Cum Laude

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Sport Management  
Cincinnati, OH

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Environmental Science  
Worthington, OH

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Art  
Cincinnati, OH

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Public Relations  
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Biology  
Zoo and Conservation Science  
Vestal, NY  
Cum Laude

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Athletic Training  
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History  
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Political Science  
Warrensville, OH

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Business Administration  
Finance  
Westerville, OH

Breanne Lorraine Held  
Sustainability Studies  
Fishers, IN  
With Distinction

Sarah Carol Helke  
Art  
Troy, OH  
Magna Cum Laude

Brenna Michelle Helm  
Psychology  
Sociology  
DeWitt, MI  
With Distinction

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Political Science  
San Francisco, CA  
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Environmental Science  
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Shreve, OH

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Sport Management  
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Public Relations  
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Cum Laude

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Psychology  
Pickerington, OH  
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Galena, OH  
Cum Laude

Hannah Elizabeth Klump  
English Creative Writing  
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Olivia Knodel  
Public Relations  
Cincinnati, OH

Kenneth Koehler  
Public Relations  
Galena, OH

Lauren Michael Kohler  
Allied Health  
Canton, OH

Chad Gregory Kozman  
Psychology  
Granville, OH

Emily Kate Kridel  
Environmental Science  
Sustainability Studies  
Wooster, OH

Alicia Marie Kriebel  
Public Relations  
Brownsville, PA

Sophie Louise Kuhn  
Music  
New Orleans, LA

Dustin Patrick Leber  
Sport Management  
Norwalk, OH

Ashley Marie Legin  
Public Relations  
Gahanna, OH  
Cum Laude

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Biology  
Wadsworth, OH

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Sport Management  
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Jalen Michael Liggins  
Sport Management  
Westerville, OH

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Journalism and Media Communication  
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Health Education  
Physical Education  
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Magna Cum Laude

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History  
Powell, OH

Linggang Lu  
Music  
Glendora, CA  
Cum Laude

Joseph Michael Lusher  
Leadership  
Columbus, OH  
Magna Cum Laude

Heather K. Maciejunes  
Leadership  
Granville, OH  
Magna Cum Laude

Bryan Francis Mackenzie  
Exercise Science and Health Promotion  
Sheffield Village, OH

Rylie Nicole Markle  
Business Administration  
Middletown, OH  
Magna Cum Laude

Caleb Alan Martin  
Health Education  
Physical Education  
Cardington, OH

Madison Ann McAllister  
Allied Health  
Waverly, OH

William Robert McCollister  
Religion  
Ironton, OH  
Cum Laude

Jobie McCoy  
Business Administration  
Westerville, OH

Trevor William McDonald  
Public Relations  
Dennison, OH

Claire E. McGeehan  
Art  
Tulsa, OK

Megan Morgan McGill  
Equine Business Management  
Mayfield Village, OH

Hannah Marie McKibben  
Allied Health  
Defiance, OH  
Cum Laude

Kerigan Savage McNamara  
Health Communication  
Public Relations  
Maumee, OH  
Summa Cum Laude

Nicole L. McVicker  
Music with Suzuki Pedagogy  
Concentration  
Centerburg, OH  
Summa Cum Laude



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International Business and  
Management  
Spanish and Latin American Studies  
Sunbury, OH  
Magna Cum Laude

Lauren Christine Meader  
Art  
Public Relations  
Columbus, OH

Lindsey Dian Medich  
Art  
New Albany, OH  
Cum Laude

Erica Paige Meier  
Art  
Fort Mitchell, KY  
Cum Laude

Brianna Joy Meinhart  
Criminology and Justice Studies  
Canal Winchester, OH

Logan Kyle Meyst  
Journalism and Media Communication  
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Lancaster, OH  
Cum Laude

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English Creative Writing  
Theatre  
Columbus, OH  
Cum Laude

Ashley Elizabeth Mullins  
Sport Management  
Lodi, OH

Hannah Janess Myers  
Business Administration  
Finance  
Springfield, OH  
Cum Laude

Samantha Marie Myers  
Mathematics  
Canal Winchester, OH  
Cum Laude

William Alexander Needleman  
Communication Studies  
Sociology  
Columbus, OH  
Cum Laude With Honors

Katherine Louise Neels  
Art  
Columbus, OH

Timothy Gillen Neptune  
Journalism and Media Communication  
New Concord, OH

Troy Christopher Neptune  
Art  
New Concord, OH  
Magna Cum Laude With Honors

Victoria Marie Nicely  
Psychology  
Clyde, OH

Alexander Robert Nischwitz  
Computer Science  
Canfield, OH

Grant Edward Noppenberger  
Sport Management  
Powell, OH

Adam John Norris  
Educational Studies  
Worthington, OH

Baylee O'Brien  
Finance  
Tinley Park, IL

Nathan James Obenchain  
Music and Business  
Gregory, MI

Dayna Sue Ober  
Allied Health  
Cable, OH  
Cum Laude

Christopher Shay Oliveti  
Political Science  
Reynoldsburg, OH

Awuraama Opoku  
Allied Health  
Columbus, OH

Shelby Raye Pacheco  
Psychology  
Hilliard, OH  
Summa Cum Laude With Honors

Domenic Joseph Palleschi  
Business  
Westerville, OH

Julia Mary Parker  
Allied Health  
Psychology  
Norwalk, OH  
Cum Laude

Keegan Parsons  
Business Administration  
Pataskala, OH

Preston Charles Patrik Pearson  
Finance  
Sport Management  
Columbus, OH

Kristen Eileen Pellington  
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Newark, OH

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Nursing  
Shelby, OH

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Nursing  
Mount Vernon, OH

Crosbi Marie Harville  
Nursing  
Marion, OH

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Cum Laude

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Magna Cum Laude

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Cum Laude

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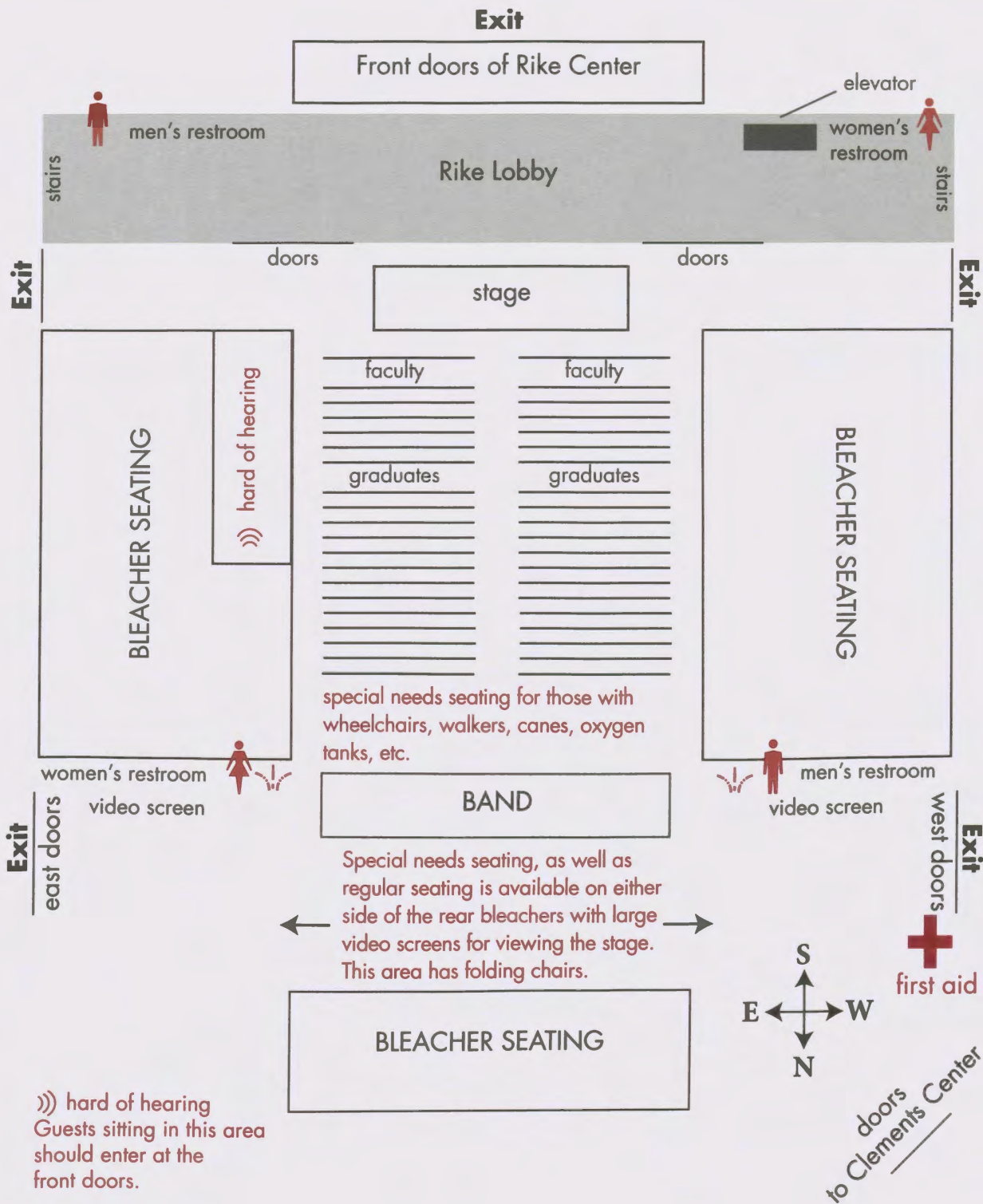
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