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914 Degrees Awarded at June 10
Commencement Exercises

Former Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives Thomas P. "Tip" O'Neill and John H. Sununu, chief of staff to President George Bush, shared the commencement address spotlight at the exercises of Suffolk University Sunday June 10 at the Hynes Veterans Memorial Center.

O'Neill, whose long political career began in the Massachusetts Legislature more than 50 years ago, addressed some 482 graduates of Suffolk’s College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and School of Management at the 2:30 afternoon program.

Sununu, the former governor of New Hampshire, delivered the address to 432 graduates of Suffolk University Law School at morning exercises.

Both O'Neill and Sununu were awarded honorary doctor of laws degrees.

James F. Linnehan, chairman of the Board of Trustees, conferred degrees, stepping in for Suffolk President David J. Sargent, who is recuperating at his home from knee surgery.

The citation to O'Neill noted, "You have rightly been called 'a living monument to Democratic politics in America in this century...'" and concluded, "Mr. Speaker, you can truly say with the poet Horace, 'I have built me a monument more lasting than bronze.'"

Sununu was cited as an "experienced educator, brilliant engineer, devoted family man, the father of eight children, successful small businessman and dedicated political leader" who brings to public service "extraordinary talent, prodigious energy and sound judgment."


At the afternoon exercises an honorary doctor of humane letters was awarded to David W. Cowens, former Boston Celtics basketball player and chairman of the board of the Sports Museum of New England. Giles E. Mosher, Jr., president and chairman of the board of BayBank Middlesex, and James L. Sullivan, president of the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce, were awarded honorary doctor of commercial science degrees.

In his address to the Law graduates, Sununu called upon them to serve in the public sector during their private careers.

"When you feel comfortable in terms of a career, take time out to do service in the public sector," he suggested.

He characterized President Bush as "the master of small gestures" and cited an instance at Camp David when Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev threw a horseshoe for "a ringer" and Bush later had the lucky horseshoe framed and presented to Gorbachev.

O'Neill said that the U.S., under Bush, was failing to respond to the Cold War's end with a restructuring of the military.

"At the most exciting time of peaceful change in modern history, we are taking a back seat to the Germans and the Japanese" (continued on page 4)
Heritage Committee Honors Four

From left to right: David J. Sargent, Mrs. John Lombard, Joseph H. Strain, Arthur J. West, and David L. Robbins

Four long-time Suffolk University faculty members were honored April 24, one posthumously, at a Heritage Ceremony in the Sawyer Building. Heritage medallions were awarded for distinguished and devoted service to the institution.


Strain, a 1943 graduate of Suffolk University with graduate degrees from Boston College and Harvard, taught speech for many years and was director of the evening programs and summer sessions. He was also considered the architect of Suffolk’s senior citizen program. His Suffolk career spanned more than 40 years.

West, also a Suffolk alumnus with two degrees and graduate degrees from the University of New Hampshire, joined the Suffolk faculty in 1952. He chaired the Biology department for two different stretches, directed and developed the Friedman Laboratory at Cobscook Bay with its many summer institutes, obtained a number of grants from the National Science Foundation and was one of the most active and involved of Suffolk faculty.

Maleson joined the Suffolk Law faculty in 1955. He had a B.S. from John Hopkins, a J.D. from the University of Maryland and an LLM from Harvard. He was the senior member of the Law School faculty from initial date. He was an active and influential member of the faculty, notably in matters concerning faculty life, salary and fringe benefits as well as academic concerns.

Lombard received an LLB from Suffolk back in 1931. He joined the faculty in 1955 and was considered one of the best known lawyers in the nation concerning probate law particularly in domestic relations. He was a prolific author, and wrote five volumes on probate law in the Mass. Practice series and had a long history of involvement with the school and was one of its best known alumni.

SOM to Sponsor Career Horizons Program for City Youth

The School of Management and Employment Resources, Inc. of Cambridge are teaming up to sponsor a two-day Career Horizons Program for youths 16 to 21 years old from the Metropolitan area.

The program will be held on July 24 and 25 in the Frank Sawyer Building and will include instructions by School of Management faculty, visits to local financial institutions and discussions with Suffolk University admissions and financial aid officers.

“The purpose of the program is to expose youth to the role of business in management careers and higher education opportunities in management,” said Dean Richard L. McDowell in announcing the event.

Some 35 youths from Cambridge, Somerville, Revere and Chelsea and other Greater Boston cities will take part. The participants will be selected from Employment Resources, Inc. summer youth employment and training program and Cambridge Just-a-Start and Teen Parenting Programs.

SOM Prof. Clarence Cooper is directing the two-day gathering. Cooper is asking participating faculty to prepare and submit appropriate teaching materials, which will be included in a notebook provided each student.

President Sargent will welcome the participants at a 9 a.m. opening on July 24. Speakers will include Cooper, Associate Dean Ronald Sundberg, Presidential Assistant Robert Waehler, and a number of SOM faculty.
Newsmakers

Robert C. Waehler, former dean of the School of Management and long-time professor of accounting, has been appointed a special assistant to President David J. Sargent and the Office of Institutional Advancement. Much of Waehler's duties will focus on the implementation of strategic long-range planning initiatives. He'll also collaborate with Marjorie C. Kelleher, University director of development. In addition to his SOM teaching, Waehler has for several years been an adjunct faculty member of Suffolk Law School.

Barbara F. Ash, professor of education and human services, was recently chosen Business Educator of the Year by the Massachusetts Business Educators Association. A member of the Suffolk faculty for 13 years, Ash received the award at the annual convention of the association at Middlesex Community College, Burlington. She was cited by Association President Eloine Vieira as "a leader in our field" whose "methods can be found throughout business education classrooms in Massachusetts." Ash's workshops for business teachers have attracted teachers from throughout the East.

Marlene McKinley of English - She was elected new Eastern Regent at the Sigma Tau Delta International English Honor Society's convention in San Antonio, Tex. Suffolk chapter president Karen Perry and Meg Savilonis delivered a paper on Charles Dickens novel Hard Times.

Marsha Ginn and Judy Reynolds, Graduate Admissions. Judy's been elected treasurer of the New England Association of Graduate Admissions Professionals and Marsha was a panelist at a workshop on "Financing Your MBA" at the part-time MBA Forum at the Westboro Marriott. The two chaired a workshop on International Recruiting at the annual NEAGAP conference in April.

Patricia Yates of Career Services and Cooperative Education. She was the chair of the Regional 1990 National Society of Internships and Experiential Education Conference held at the University of Rhode Island. She and Doris Clausen, our international student adviser, presented an action workshop, "Adventures in Diversity: The 4 Cultures Game."

Dwight Golann, Law faculty - Former chief of the Consumer Affairs Division under AG Frank Bellotti, was flown to New York by ABC to appear on the Good Morning America Show for a five minute interview by Joan Lunden. The subject "The Savings and Loan Crisis." As a followup, he was the guest on Channel 7's Boston Common with Charles Kenney to discuss the same subject. The Suffolk Law Prof. now has had four network appearances for interviews.

Margaret Collins Weitz, chair of Humanities and Modern Languages. She was one of a small group of international scholars invited to take part in the Shakespeare Institute at Stratford-upon-Avon in England this summer. The participants attend plays in repertory and discuss them in seminars.

Myra Lerman, SOM. She will be assuming the presidency of the Northeast Region Association of Academic Affairs Administrators in November, a two-year post.

Marin Roger Scordato, Law faculty. The Student Bar Association cited him as the winner of the 1990 Cornelius J. Moyrnan Award for teaching excellence in the Law School. Scordato, who teaches torts and business association, received the award, named in memory of the late Superior Court jurist and Suffolk Law prof., at the graduation reception for J.D. candidates the day before commencement. He was previously honored by students at Florida State, where he taught four years ago.

Steven Ferrey, Law faculty. He has been named an advisor to the U.S. Congress General Accounting Office in its evaluation of greater efficiency and equity in the operation of federal subsidized housing and is authoring part of the final GAO report to Congress due in the Fall. He's also been named to the International Advisory Board of the Association of Professionals involved with Non-Utility Power Generation, which includes European and American lawyers, engineers and financiers.

Paul S. Tanklefsky, Career Services/Cooperation Education. Has just completed a year-long National Education Policy Fellows Program, sponsored by the Institute for Educational Leadership in Washington, D.C. Nominated by President Sargent, he was one of 13 Massachusetts Fellows involved with issues concerning public policy and leadership in education.

Pres. Sargent Elected Chamber/Commerce Vice President

David J. Sargent, president of Suffolk University, was elected a vice president of the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce at its 81st annual meeting on Wednesday May 23, at the Park Plaza.

Other elected vice presidents were James A. Daley, owner of the Copley Plaza Hotel, Dr. Thomas S. Durant, assistant general director of the Massachusetts General Hospital, Avram J. Goldberg of THE AVCAR GROUP, Missy Grealy, director of corporate affairs for The Stop & Shop Companies, Inc., Anna Faith Jones, president of The Boston Foundation, Debra Koenig, regional vice president for McDonald's, Boston region, Rudolph F. Pierce, partner in the law firm of Goulston & Storrs, Thomas A. Rosse, president of the Rohammer Corporation, and Fletcher H. Wiley, president of Wiley & Richlin, P.C.
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in aiding new political and economic systems in Eastern Europe.”

Theodore Hess-Mahan of Allston, student speaker at the Suffolk Law School exercises, called upon law schools to move quickly to achieve racial, ethnic and gender diversity in legal education.

“It is not enough to say that law schools will achieve such diversity, but not at the cost of acquiring the most qualified candidates,” Hess-Mahan declared. “This is a specious argument premised on mistaken notions about quality which tend to preserve the under-representation of minorities and women on law school faculties.

“Diversity and quality cannot be mutually exclusive goals for law schools to pursue in order to best serve their students and the community. Diversity is essential to the survival of our institutions, not because it benefits minorities, but because it benefits us all. Thus, law schools must seek to achieve diversity with something more than deliberate speed.”

Among the Law School graduates was John Stokes of Newtonville, a cerebral palsy victim who, despite his affliction, attended Suffolk evenings for four years, was a treasurer of the Student Bar Association, and was named the recipient of the Leo Wyman Award, presented in memory of a law school professor and graduate of the Class of 1918. It is a public service award given annually to the graduating third-year student for advancing civic and professional responsibilities of the lawyer.

Stokes was recognized for his work with youngsters with cerebral palsy. A graduate of Holy Cross College, he is presently a law clerk with the Industrial Accident Board.

Hess-Mahan, who graduated cum laude, won the Outstanding Day Student Award while Richard J. Warburg, a graduate of Birmingham University in England, who received his Juris Doctor degree Magna Cum Laude, was voted Outstanding Evening Student. The awards are based on academic and extra-curricular achievement.

The Law School graduating class included a husband and wife team, William Sullivan and Catherine Patrick Sullivan of Havertown, and a sister and brother, Elizabeth and Michael Tobin of Roslindale.

Richard W. Furcolo of Boston, son of former Massachusetts Governor Foster Furcolo, and Stephen McNaught of Stoneham, son of Federal Court Judge John McNaught, were also in the Law School graduating class.

The School of Management included three graduates of the Master in Public Administration Class selected for the Presidential Management Intern Program for service in the Federal Government.

Each year, some 400 graduates from throughout the country are chosen for the two-year appointments.

The Suffolk winners were Valerie Melino of Framingham, Maryellen Normen of Newton, and Karen P. Walsh of Arlington.

Four sets of siblings received undergraduate degrees at the afternoon exercises of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and School of Management. They were Carlene and Corinne Merola, twin sisters from East Boston, Cum Laude graduates with Bachelor of Science in Business Administration degrees, Anabela and Bibiana Medeiros, sisters from Norton, B.S. in Business Administration degrees, Dennis and Walter Coffey of South Boston, B.S. in Business Administration, and James Devereaux and Edward Devereaux of Burlington, B.S. in Business Administration; and Bachelor of Science degrees respectively.

A $4500 College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Trustee Scholarship was awarded to Karen M. Perry of Somerville who received her Bachelor of Arts degree Summa Cum Laude, graduating with a 3.9 grade average out of a possible 4.00. She will enroll at Boston College in the fall in a program leading to a Ph.D. in English.

Other Summa Cum Laude graduates were Julie M. Costa of Quincy, Bachelor of Arts, Janey E. Keough of Somerville, Bachelor of Arts, Lisa A. Manfrici of Braintree, Bachelor of Arts, Patricia A. Nason of Malden, Bachelor of Arts, Joseph C. Tedesco of Somerville, Bachelor of Science, Luann R. Godschalk of Melrose, Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Jennifer A. Hurley of South Boston, Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, and Frederick F. Paulitz of Ipswich, Bachelor of Science in Business Administration.

Chairman Linnehan conferred 104 B.S. degrees, 49 B.A. degrees, 187 Bachelor of Science in Business Administration degrees, 76 Master in Business Administration degrees, 23 Master in Public Administration degrees, 16 Bachelor of Science in Journalism degrees, 16 Master of Science degrees, four Master in Education degrees, and two B.S. in General Studies. There were also two Associates of Arts degrees awarded, two Certificates of Advanced Graduate Study and one Advanced Professional Certificate.

Mamie McDuffie of Roxbury, a minority single parent raising two sons, spoke on behalf of the graduating class at the afternoon exercises.

Recipient of a B.S. in Business Administration degree in Management, she praised Suffolk as “unique because it attracts diversity” in its student body.

“As a black student, my self-confidence and individual identity has been enhanced by Suffolk’s active role in encouraging an promoting minority awareness,” she said.

Citing a number of activities involving minorities at the school, she noted, “These positive happenings give blacks and all minority students a sense of hope, challenge and inspiration to become the best that they can be.”

Marshals for the exercises were Judge Frank Caprio, J.D. ’65, of Providence, R.I. Municipal Court, for the Law School program, and John N. Driscoll, B.S. ’65, president of HNU Systems, Inc. in Newton, for the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and School of Management.
More than 500 Friends, Colleagues Attend Reception for Dean Sugarman

More than 500 friends and associates, including some of the area's most prominent judges and lawyers, turned out for a welcoming reception for Suffolk University Law School Dean Paul R. Sugarman (April 18) at the Copley Plaza.

Sugarman, one of the nation's most distinguished trial lawyers and a former president of the Massachusetts Bar Association, was named the seventh dean of Suffolk Law School this past winter to succeed David J. Sargent, who became president of the University last August.

Sugarman, a fellow of both the American College of Trial Lawyers and the International Society of Barristers and an advocate for the American Board of Trial Advocates, was introduced to the audience by retired Chief Justice of the Superior Court Walter H. McLaughlin.


Dennis M. Duggan, Jr., president of the Suffolk University Law School Alumni Association welcomed the guests, who also included Suffolk University alumni, trustees, faculty and administrators.

Greeting Sugarman at his reception are Jacqui and Wayne Budd, U.S. Attorney.

Keeping the vow he made after a crippling auto accident, John McClay, an award-winning body builder, came back from his injuries to receive his degree.

McClay Receives His MBA as Promised

John McClay of Weymouth, a prize-winning body builder, left for dead on the road by a hit and run driver five years ago, fulfilled an ambition he made during recovery. He received his MBA from Suffolk University's School of Management at the June 10 commencement.

McClay was struck by a speeding car while jogging in February of 1985. The accident left him near death, suffering severe head trauma and his body crushed from the waist down. He was in a coma for three months. The hit and run drunk driver was subsequently apprehended and sentenced to a year in jail.

Before the accident, McClay had won honors in bodybuilding competition. In 1982, the Abington native won the Mr. Northeast USA Contest and was fourth in the Mr. America contest, standing 5 foot 11 inches tall and weighing 230 pounds.

McClay spent 2 1/2 years in four different hospitals following the accident for operations and rehabilitation. He needed only four evening courses to complete his degree from Suffolk when the accident occurred. He resumed his Suffolk studies in January 1989 using his wheelchair or walker to attend classes.

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services to nearly 1.7 million people living in 81 communities in eastern Massachusetts. The organizations supported by the United Way focus their efforts on such issues as affordable childcare, literacy, youth development, the elderly, racism, AIDS and homelessness.

This fall, the United Way will feature two significant changes in its giving program. First, donors may opt to give to a target group or community problem such as children and youth, family support, the hungry and the homeless. United Way volunteers will distribute gifts amongst member organizations providing programs or services to the targeted groups. Or donors may give to a specific health and human care agency. The agency may be a United Way agency, but for the first time, it does not have to be a United Way agency. It may be any agency registered with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as a nonprofit health and human care agency.

This year’s campaign will run from mid-October through November. Last year 49% of the University’s faculty and staff donated through the program. This was one of the best participation records in the educational community. We hope to increase that participation percentage this year.

-Judy Minardi-

Govt’s Jean Walsh Secretary of the Year

Katharine Gibbs School, premier secretarial school in Boston, has selected the Government Department’s Jean Walsh as its Greater Boston Secretary of the Year. Walsh, a Suffolk employee for nine years, all of them in the Government Department, was treated to a dinner at the Hampshire House and also will receive two tickets for a vacation trip to Cancun. In addition she received a citation from Massachusetts House of Representatives Speaker George Keverian.

New Staffer Named in Undergrad Admissions

Blanca Irizarry, a native of Puerto Rico, has been appointed an assistant director of undergraduate admissions, Dean of Enrollment Management Marguerite J. Dennis has announced.

Irizarry succeeds Andrea Spears who left Admissions to attend Suffolk Law School full-time in the fall.

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Holder of a bachelor’s degree from Simmons College and a master of arts in advertising and public relations from Emerson College, Irizarry previously worked in the Higher Education Information Center in Boston where she assisted students in college admission and financial aid procedures and provided career counseling and college selection guidance. She also implemented a bilingual promotional campaign.

Her most recent position was at Staff Builders Home Health Care, where she was a marketing assistant, creating marketing and promotional materials.

S.U. in Summer Jobs Program

This summer, once again, Suffolk University will participate in the Boston Summer Jobs Program managed by the Boston Private Industry Council. The PIC has operated education and job training programs for nearly a decade, working with school administrators and counselors to select students based on attendance, academic performance and motivation.

Our association with the Summer Jobs Program began in 1982. Since then, 27 students have been placed in a variety of University offices. This summer, we will again be sponsoring 5 students from the Muriel Snowden (Copley Square) High School. Michelle Foley will work in Human Resources; Ericka Knight in Institutional Advancement; Thanh Tran in the Mailroom; Tarra Croxton in the Law Registrar’s Office; and Damaul Mitchell in the Business Office. The students will work on campus full-time for the months of July and August.

Although this program is designed to give students a summer work experience, several participants have been encouraged by their summer experiences to continue their association with Suffolk. Alicia Savannah, who was placed in the President’s Office in 1988 and 1989, is currently a full-time Suffolk student entering her sophomore year. Akiti E. Chandler, a 1989 participant, accepted a full-time position in the Law Registrar’s Office upon the completion of the summer program. Akiti says that the program was quite worthwhile: it helped her develop confidence and establish some career goals, as well as contribute to the office during the summer.

Promotions

Law School - Promoted to associate professor, Kate N. Day, Steven Eisenstat. To professor, Sara Landis, Linda Fentiman, Tommy Thompson. Granted tenure: Steven Callahan, Charles Rounds Jr.

CLAS - Promoted to professor of humanities and modern languages, Raymond Parks. Promoted to associate professor of English, Gail Coffler, Robert Fox, Ruth Lotttridge, Ann Hughes, Gerald Richman. Promoted to associate professor of sociology, Geraldine Manning. Promoted to associate professor of economics, Shahruz Mohtadi. Promoted to associate professor of communications and journalism, Robert Rosenthal.


Granted emeritus status, Joseph H. Strain, communications and journalism, associate dean, Margaret W. Raben, psychology, Arthur J. West, III, biology, and Malcolm E. Wetherbee, psychology.

Prof Arthur J. West Honored at Retirement Dinner

Dr. Arthur J. West, long-time chairman of the Biology Department at Suffolk University, was honored by more than 150 friends and colleagues at a surprise retirement dinner at Pier Four, Saturday evening, April 28.

At the dinner, it was announced that a teaching laboratory at the Robert S. Friedman Marine Science Station on Cobscook Bay in Maine has been named for West, who retired a year ago from Suffolk and now lives with his wife, Linda, and three month old son, Benjamin and four-year old daughter, Melissa, in New Vineyard, Maine.

A number of West’s friends and colleagues from the Dennysville area were on hand for the tribute including Station Manager Lester Seeley, Ernie and Sue Smith (Ernie is the retired state warden for inland fisheries) and Carl Merrill, coordinator of the Friedman Field Station and his wife, Kathryn Davis.

Dr. Beatrice L. Snow, chair of the Suffolk Biology Department, was toastmaster for the program. In addition to the plaque designating the classroom to be named for West, the popular educator was presented a briefcase by faculty and staffers from Suffolk’s Biology Department.

Many of West’s former students came back to toast and roast him at the dinner, some of whom had spent summers at the Friedman Station. Dr. Michael R. Ronayne, dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, was the keynote speaker.

Several of West’s colleagues from the University administration and former classmates of West attended the dinner.

Former president of the National Marine Educators Association, Dr. West and his wife, Linda, are now education consultants.
Commencement Highlights

“I’m proud of you Dad!” Dave Cowens gets a congratulatory kiss from his daughter after receiving his honorary doctor of humane letters degree.

Stephanie T. Brooks, work-study in Institutional Advancement, beams as she receives her B.S. in Business Administration degree from SOM Dean Dick McDowell.

Paul Flannery, son of Veep/Treasurer Frank Flannery, received his MBA degree with Dad making the presentation.

Human Resources’ Dan McDonald received his master of science degree and congratulations from Dean Michael R. Ronayne.

Graduating Class Speaker for CLAS/SOM exercises was Mamie McDuffie of Roxbury, a minority single parent raising two sons.

Super honors for Karen M. Perry of Somerville. She received her B.A. degree summa cum laude, had a 3.9 cumulative average and was all smiles as Dean Ronayne announced that she had received a $4500 graduate scholarship.
And Coleen Tobin-Estrada, former secretary to Dean Ronayne, received his best wishes with her master of education degree. Coleen now works in the President’s office.

Toni Tinberg of Human Resources received her juris doctor degree cum laude from Dean Paul R. Sugarman.

The mellifluous tones of Athletic Director Jim Nelson led the assemblage for the National Anthem.

A wave from Retired House Speaker “Tip” O’Neill acknowledges the audience applause after he received an honorary doctor of laws degree.

A B.S. in Business Administration degree for Terri L. King of Financial Aid and a big smile from Dean McDowell.

John Stokes of Newtonville, a cerebral palsy victim received his juris doctor degree from Dean Sugarman.
Suffolk Rams Post Another Winning Baseball Season

Suffolk University’s baseball team has completed another winning season, their sixth in the past nine years, and good enough to carry them to the semi-finals of the Eastern College Athletic Conference's post season playoffs.

The Rams, under Coach Joe Walsh, finished with a record of 16-8-1. They defeated third-seeded Salem State 11-9 in the opening round of the ECAC Division III playoffs at UMass Amherst but the following day lost to second-seeded Tufts 5-2 in the semifinal. The Rams were seeded sixth in the eight team tournament.

Included in the 16 victories were triumphs over Division One Boston University and Division II opponents, University of Lowell, Bryant, Bentley and Stonehill.

Suffolk posted a .320 team batting average headed by Mike Barnes’ team-leading .481 average. Barnes, a Malden sophomore, led the team in doubles (13) and stolen bases (12) and hit a two-run homer in the Salem tournament victory. Other heavy hitters were Everett’s Joe Rizzo (.371), who played shortstop when not relief pitching for a 2.12 earned run average and was selected a Converse second-team All-American, Catcher Mike Lightbody of Malden (.355) with a team-leading six homeruns, Jim Schofield of Somerville (.333) and Chris Bennett of Malden (.325).

The Rams pitching relief staff was led by righthander Dave Marsters of Malden, who transferred the past year from Salem State College and posted six wins against one defeat and also had a save. Marsters had an earned run average of 2.56 in 56 and two thirds innings. A good control pitcher, Barnes also hit well for the Rams (.304 in 92 appearances to the plate). He played the infield and outfield when not pitching.

For Joe Walsh, the veteran coach from Dorchester and South Boston, it marked another fine season in his nine-year coaching career at Suffolk. He has had only three losing campaigns and been a post season tournament contender three times. His 20-7 mark in 1985 was a Suffolk record and his Suffolk career total is now 126 wins and 103 losses.

Things should continue to be bright in 1991 since Walsh loses only three starters and will have such standouts as Marsters, Barnes, Lightbody, Schofield and Bennett back for additional service.

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(McClay, who works out four times a week to restore his upper body to its former fitness, received his undergraduate degree from Boston College)

McClay’s wife, Donna, whom he married several months before the accident and is his biggest fan, was in the audience applauding loudest when McClay received his degree, well aware that as doctors told her, if John McClay wasn’t in such good shape when struck by that car in 1985, he wouldn’t be alive today.

$100,000 Grant from Davis Foundation

The Davis Educational Foundation of East Bridgewater, Mass. recently awarded a $100,000 grant to Suffolk University for the construction of the new Ridgeway Building. This grant is the largest received to date for the project.

Mr. Stanton W. Davis and Mrs. Anne B. Tembrook, Trustees of the Davis Foundation, toured Suffolk’s campus with Vice President Joseph M. Kelley, and met with students this April. Impressed with the facilities and the purpose of the Ridgeway Building, as well as the students and the University’s mission, the Davis Foundation acted favorably on our proposal at its May meeting.

The Davis Educational Foundation is recognized for its support of institutions of higher learning throughout New England. This leadership gift from the Davis Foundation will assist the University in securing additional foundation grants for Suffolk’s Building the Future campaign.

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENT WINNERS - Dean McDowell (left) and President Sargent were on hand May 8 to congratulate these three School of Management faculty who were cited with Faculty Achievement Awards at a School of Management reception at the Summit Room of the John Hancock Tower. Cited were (from second left) Edward Bubnys, assistant professor of finance, for research and scholarly activities, Nyzim Aydin, associate professor of marketing, for services activities, and Joseph Vaccaro, associate professor of marketing, for teaching and related activities.
and trustee Brian O'Neill introduced his uncle "Tip" for his honorary doctor of laws degree...

The return to the Hynes Center was welcomed by all and included an impressive hooding ceremony for graduate students in the School of Management...

Chairman Jim Linnehan and Vice Chairperson Jeanne Hession filled in admirably for President David Sargent, who is recuperating from painful knee surgery...

And of course, in as good voices as ever, trustee Vince Fulmer and A.D. Jim Nelson handled the National Anthem at respective exercises...

The multitude of family, relatives and friends including scores from the Suffolk community, who turned out for the funeral of Mary Flannery was a tremendous tribute to faculty and staff as much as himself. He noted, in part: "Throughout my years at Suffolk University, I was always blessed with people who knew how to say yes when their help was needed. The trustees always said yes when they knew the issues, the deans always said yes when they considered their options, the staff always said yes when they trusted my judgment and my colleagues always said yes when it was in everyone's best interest... As I depart Suffolk University, I thank each and every one with whom I interacted; a bit of each of you leaves with me..."

SOM's Tony Eonas has been appointed to the Brockton Board of Appeals, and making Tony's day even brighter, son, George, co-captain of the Suffolk Rams 1990 hockey team, was named Most Valuable Player at the School's athletic banquet...

Our best wishes this month to Wendy Sanford, Protestant minister on campus, on her upcoming leave after six years at Suffolk to pursue some writing efforts in southwestern New Hampshire. During her absence, she will be succeeded by Carol Dittes, a member of the Church of the Covenant in Boston...

Nancy Croll, director of computing for SOM, recently completed a year's five-part management institute at Wellesley College, specifically designed for women in higher education...

Bernard Keenan of the Law faculty served at an American Bar Association/Los Angeles County Bar Association promotion focusing on land use issues. He also organized and moderated a Mass. Bar Assn. panel discussion concerning Proposition 2 1/2 overrides...

A treat to look forward to for Annual Fund phonathon volunteers: The dinner aboard the newly refurbished "Spirit of Boston" around Boston Harbor Aug. 29. Top volunteers and student callers will be recognized...
And a reminder to golf duffers, the annual Alumni Golf Day will be at the Pocasset Golf Club on July 30...

All in the Family: Larry Burns of Stoneham, hockey coach at Rockport High School, joins brother Bill (head hockey coach at Suffolk) as assistant coach for the Rams...

Steven Spitzer of Sociology and Steve Hicks of the Law School faculty, have received a mini grant from the American Bar Association to develop a seminar for college instructors on law, myth and the foundations of social order next Spring...

Proud new mother on campus is Midge Wilcke of Media Services. She and husband, Ruben Pollard, welcomed their first child, a boy, Ezra Lee Pollard, born May 3 at Beth Israel Hospital and weighing nine pounds...

Jack Demick of Psychology published the “Role of Psychological Science in Promoting Environmental Quality” in the May issue of American Psychologist. He also presented a paper on adult life transitions at the Society for Research in Adult Development’s Fifth Symposium in Cambridge this month...

For those contemplating marriage, new part-timer in Undergrad Admissions, Wilma Arguinzoni, was recently appointed a Justice of the Peace for the Commonwealth and will perform marriages in English or Spanish...

Victoria Dodd of the Law faculty, recently appointed to the Board of Trustees of the Massachusetts Law Reform Institute, addressed the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges at their annual meeting in San Jose, Calif. The subject: Court Accreditation...

Our condolences to Lee Sutherland of SOM on the recent loss of his sister, Dorothy Goggin Stevens and to Vincent Cocco of Management Information Systems on the passing of his mother, Mrs. Gilda R. (Musto) Cocco...

And this writer extends his sincerest thanks to those members of the Suffolk community for the kindness and sympathy they offered on the passing of my brother, Bill. Your concern was very comforting...

Fran Burke of Public Management is serving on the 1991 National Conference Program Committee for the American Society For Public Administration...

And her Public Management Colleague Don Levitan has just been appointed to the Presidential Search Committee of the Boston Architectural Centre, joining the deans of architecture from Harvard and M.I.T. and famous designer/architect Dick Bertian...

Digital Equipment Corp., in a followup to gifts from its employees to the University, offered Suffolk a grant of up to $24,170, usable toward purchase of up to $36,255 of DEC equipment or, in effect, $2 in grant money for every $1 spent...

History Quiz: Who succeeded founder Gleason L. Archer as Suffolk’s second president? Answer to follow...

David Pfeiffer of Public Management delivered three papers at the meeting of the Society for Disability Studies in June and will chair the 1991 meeting of the group...

The EDSA Recognition Night Award at the 57 Restaurant honored English Prof. Stu Millner as the outstanding faculty member and Marguerite J. Dennis of Enrollment Management as the outstanding administrator...

Another Suffolk success story: Dick Rosenberg, a 1952 journalism graduate, has just been named chairman and chief executive officer of Bank of America, the nation’s second largest bank. We chatted with him and he has some fond memories of Suffolk classmates. Rosenberg, a native of Fall River and based now in San Francisco, was the editor of The Beacon Yearbook and a Suffolk Journal editor in his Suffolk days. He recalls some good old days with journal colleagues, Bob Monahan of the Boston Globe and Bob Benoit, who operated a string of weeklies west of Boston...

Answer to History quiz: Walter M. Burse succeeded Gleason Archer as Suffolk president...

Pat Walsh of Institutional Advancement co-ordinated a three-part program at the Brighton Branch Library entitled, “An Arab Mosaic: North Yemen, Tunisia and Morocco,” featuring slide presentations and discussions by returned Peace Corps volunteers from all three countries, sponsored by CARAVANS, a group of returned Peace Corps volunteers of which Walsh was a co-founder. She’ll also be visiting the West Bank this month as part of a Cambridge-Ramallah/El-Bireh Sister City Campaign...

Dean of Students Nancy Stoll spoke at a special forum at U/Mass/Boston on the multicultural campus in connection with that school’s 25th anniversary...

The C. Walsh Theatre has a new sound system which will feature amplification equipment and ceiling-mounted speaker cluster as well as capability to add stereo speaker subsystems...

John O’Callaghan of Government attended the New England Political Science Association annual conference in Portland, Me. and was a panelist in a discussion on the Rehnquist Supreme Court...

Hope you’re enjoying the summer. See you at Myopia for the polo matches.