

Golden Bear News

Campus News



The Borough of Kutztown celebrated its bicentennial this past week. The week-long celebration culminated Saturday night with a parade down Main Street. Thousands lined the route as participants marched for one hour and 45 minutes. Kutztown's contingent included President Hawkinson, First Lady Ann Marie and their dog Wynnie; Avalanche, the Golden Bear mascot; the KU Cheer Team and KU Police and Public Safety. For video of the KU contingent, visit Kutztown University's [YouTube](#) page.

The Men's Basketball staff is hosting the 6th annual scholarship golf tournament on Friday, September 11. It will be held at Rich Maiden Golf Course in Fleetwood, PA. Shotgun start is at 1 PM. Fees are \$100 per golfer or \$400 per foursome. For additional information and to register, contact [Tom York](#) or call 610.683.4366.

Kutztown University is among 225 colleges and universities named to a Princeton Review list of the best schools in the Northeast. The institutions named in the regional "best of" lists are considered "academically outstanding and well worth consideration" for prospective students searching for colleges, based on student feedback. Kutztown has been named to the list four of the last five years. [Read more here.](#)

KUF&AR Events

Homecoming 2015 is fast approaching! Help us celebrate 150 years by [attending](#) your favorite events at this year's homecoming on Saturday, October 24. There is something for everyone! Check out this week's featured event:

[VIEW A COMPLETE LIST OF HOMECOMING EVENTS](#)

Sorrelli Open House Saturday, October 24

All KU alumni are invited to visit Sorrelli's downtown Kutztown location on Homecoming Day to receive a 25% discount on your entire purchase. Walk in on your way to campus to preview the available selections, or stop by after the festivities to add a little sparkle to your Homecoming memories!



100 Seasons of Football Celebration

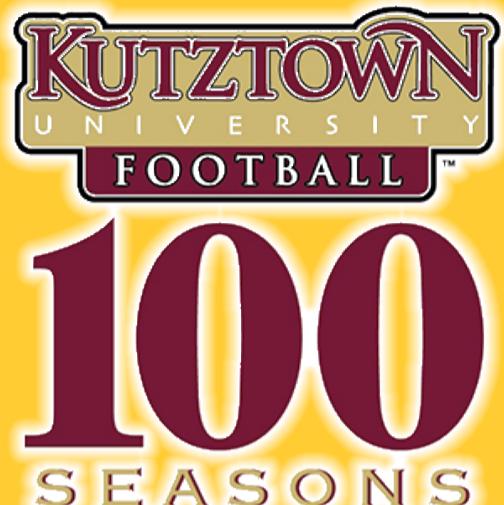
Saturday, November 7

Join the KU Community as we celebrate 100 Seasons of KU football on Saturday, November 7, 2015. Three separate options are available in order to participate in this daylong celebration.

Option 1: 100 Seasons of Football Package offers two tickets to the announcement of the All-Time Team ceremony located at O'Pake Field House starting at 10 AM, two general admission tickets to the KU football game vs. Shippensburg, two tickets to the 5th Quarter Football Party located at the South Dining Hall from 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM, one limited edition 100 Seasons of Football t-shirt, program and a \$50 donation to football scholarships (tax deductible). We will also be honoring all KU football alumni at halftime with an on-field presentation alongside the All-Time Team. **Package cost is \$100.**

Option 2: 5th Quarter Football Party offers food and beverages at the South Dining Hall following the KU vs. Shippensburg game. Adults 21 years and older are \$25 each, 7-20 year olds are \$12, and kids 6 years and under are free, but still need to register.

Option 3: All-Time Announcement Ceremony will take place on Saturday, November 7 at 10 AM in the O'Pake Field House as the All-Time Team is announced. Admission is complimentary, but we do encourage all who plan on attending to please register.



[**REGISTRATION >>>**](#)

FELLOW ALUMNI ARE WAITING FOR YOUR RSVP!

Whether you graduated from KU last year or 50+ years ago, you're invited to participate in all of the events and activities we have to offer throughout the year! For a complete list of upcoming alumni events, visit our [events page](#). We look forward to seeing you in the very near future!

Alumni Recognition

Director of the Boyertown Planetarium, **Peter Detterline '81**, will be the [keynote speaker](#) for Chesmont Astronomical Society's annual StarFest on Saturday, August 8. Most recently, he was appointed as an ACEAP Ambassador (Astronomy in Chile Educator Ambassadors Program).

Jean Ann Towle '77 was named Pennsylvania's Business and Professional Women's [Woman of the Year 2015](#). She serves as treasurer and fundraising chairwoman of the Pennsylvania BPW Foundation and is an advocate for libraries' ever-evolving role as a vital resource during constant changes in technology.

Shannon April '12 has accepted a new position as a prekindergarten counts teacher in Pennsylvania following three years teaching in Virginia. She is currently working towards her Master's Degree as a reading specialist.

The Philip Morton Gallery in Rehoboth Beach, DE is hosting a [plein air exhibit](#) by local artist **Tara Funk Grim '85** through the month of August.

