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### **PETE Newsletter**

Greetings DKH PETE Alumni,

Where did this year go? Is it my imagination, or do these years fly by faster and faster? The UW PETE program has had a successful, positive year and we hope you have had the same.

A bit of sad news here - Dr. Karen Lux Gaudreault has accepted a position at Illinois State University in Normal, IL. She will be leaving UW May 17. We are so very sad to see her go, but are extremely grateful we were able to work with her for the past six years. Her contributions to this program, UW, and her students are impossible to measure. She is simply the best.

There are a lot of professional shifts this spring. As you read through the Alumni News below, you will see that many of our current professionals have changed positions. They may be moving from one school in a district to another, or they may be moving to a different town and a different professional position, or they may be moving from teaching to administration. Our cadre of PETE alumni who are currently administrators continues to grow. It's an exciting time.

Thanks for all you do. All of your wonderful, energetic work. For helping each other and the profession. I am so blessed to know you all.

Have a wonderful end to the school year and a terrific summer.

Sincerely,  
Jayne Jenkins, Ph.D.

## **WAHPERD Conference November 2017**

Be sure to make plans to attend the conference in Cheyenne in November. It's time for you to step up to make a presentation AND run for the WAHPERD board. Share your knowledge and experience. Throw your hat in the ring for a board position. It's time for you to pay back into the profession.

## **Outreach Graduate Classes Summer & Fall 2017**

The following classes will be offered summer & fall 2017 through the Outreach School. There is a wide offering.

### **Summer**

- HLED 1006 Personal Health
- HLED 2006 Health for Elementary Educators
- HLED 3020 Community & Public Health
- HLED 4025/5025 Teaching Sensitive Issues in Sexuality
- HLED 4130/5130 Managing Health Programs
- KN 4020 Motor Behavior
- KIN 4075 Assess APE
- KIN 4065 Resources in APE
- KIN 4090/5090 Foundations of Coaching

### **Fall**

- HLED 1006 Personal Health
- HLED 2006 Health for Elementary Educators
- HLED 3020 Community & Public Health
- HLED 4110 Teaching Health K-12
- HLED 4130/5130 Managing Health Programs
- HLED 4900 Topics In: Global Health
- KIN 2050 Soc-Cult Asp of Physic Activity
- KIN 3050 Prev Care Athl Inj
- KIN 4065 Resources in APE
- KIN 4075 Assess APE
- KIN 5097 Ind Problems: Grth & Mtr Devlp
- KIN 5016 Analysis & Supervision of Teaching PE

For registration information contact the Outreach school on the UW website.

## News from Corbett

### Undergraduates

Completing student teaching and graduating in PETE this spring were 16 undergraduates: Casey Alexander, Dakota Anderson (graduation December 2017), Drew Choal, Kahler Dawson, Regan Dulaney, Austin Hastings, Chase Lane, Nathan McMullan, Eli Moody, Jake Morrison, Adam Shipley, Sean Sullivan, Taylor Wells, Russell Whitaker, Jeffrey Wilson, and Brandon Wolfe.

Sixteen (16) undergraduates have applied to the PETE program in hopes of beginning Teaching Laboratory 1 fall semester 2017.

### Graduate Students:

Updates on graduate students:

- **Brooks Fry** (Class of 2008) completed his second year of study in DKH PETE distance program.
- **Chris Kinder** (Class of 2015) defended his thesis “Unstructured & Structured Physical Activity of At-risk Youth During an after-school Program.” He will enter the Ph.D. program at University of Illinois fall 2017. Dr. Karen Lux Gaudreault was his mentor.
- **Chris Mellor** (Class of 2015) defended his thesis titled “Investigating the Perceptions of Teacher/Coach Role Conflict by an Early Career physical Educator & a Late Career Physical Educator.” He will begin his new teaching position at Arkansas State University fall 2017. Dr. Karen Lux Gaudreault was his mentor.
- **Theresa Allgiar** (Class of 2016) will move her graduate studies with Dr. Karen Gaudreault fall semester 2017 and complete her course of study at ISU
- **Michelle Clark** (Class of 2016) proposed her thesis and collected data spring 2017. Her thesis is titled Student Teacher Knowledge Development of Environmental Context. Dr. Jayne Jenkins is her mentor
- **Christa Munari** (Class of 2015) started her course work. Dr. Tristan Wallhead is her mentor.
- **Molly Varney Zeller** (Class of 2014) continues her course work via distance education. Dr. Jayne Jenkins is her mentor.
- **Jennifer Bockman Wilkinson** (Class of 2012) began her course work spring 2017. Dr. Jayne Jenkins is her mentor

### Alumni News

It's always great fun to hear from you. Please keep me posted on what is happening in your personal and professional lives. That's the only way I can keep these newsletters informative for your peers. Some of you have agreed to let me copy and

paste your updated news directly into the newsletter. Your classmates enjoy reading the blurbs as much as I enjoy reading them. Also, check the directory (when I send it) to assure that your contact information is up to date. And if you know of a classmate's contact information that I don't have or my info is outdated, please let me know about that as well.

### Professional & Personal Update

The personal and professional news is merging together; consequently, all news is presented here. Some folks just sent news. What fun! Often I simply copied the info from their messages. Lots of new jobs, new marriages, and new babies. Congratulations all.

<b>Class of 2017</b>	
Adam Shipley	Will begin teaching PE K-12 in Jackpot NV fall 2017
Eli Moody	Will begin teaching PE at Cashman Middle School in Las Vegas, NV fall 2017
Nathan McMullan	Will begin teaching elementary PE in Longview, Washington fall 2017
Russell Whitaker	Will marry Erin June 24, 2017
<b>Class of 2016</b>	
Kelsey Marrow Hutchinson	Has engaged in several long term sub positions in Casper this past year. She is currently at Lincoln Elementary PE for the remainder of the year. Parker will be 3 years old in July!
Kyle Sullivan	Will marry McKenzie June 24, 2017
Sullivan Teichert	Will begin teaching PHE in Kemmerer elementary school fall 2017. He will assistant coach (maybe FB, wrestling, track)
Theresa Algaier	Will continue her M.S. work at Illinois State University fall 2017. Working with Dr. Karen Lux Gaudreault
<b>Class of 2015</b>	
Chris Mellor	Defended his thesis titled "Investigating the Perceptions of Teacher/Coach Role Conflict by an Early Career physical Educator & a Late Career Physical Educator." He will begin his new teaching position at Arkansas State University, Jonesboro, AR fall 2017.
Chris Kinder	Defended his thesis "Unstructured & Structured Physical Activity of At-risk Youth During an After-school Program." He will enter the Ph.D. program at University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, IL fall 2017
Cassie Swallow	Was evaluated by both of her principals in Kingman AZ as a 'highly effective teacher.' Congratulations. She started graduate studies in Health and Wellness Education April 10 and will complete the M.Ed. June 2018.

Molly Varney Zeller	We moved to Powell about a year ago since my husband was transferred for work. It was tough going from teaching PE everyday back to subbing. I was very fortunate to be able to be a full time sub for Celina at Parkside Elementary while she was on maternity leave. After working a year in Powell, I'll be stepping away from the workforce for a little while with the expected arrival of our first baby!
<b>Class of 2014</b>	
Tori Shiver & Ryan Ivy	Will be married July 15
<b>Class of 2013</b>	
Ramiro Candeleria	Will move from teaching Jr. High PE in Rock Springs, WY to teaching at Rock Springs HS beginning fall 2017
Jeremy Brandl	Continues to teach elementary PE in Greybull. He is assistant HS coach for both football and wrestling
<b>Class of 2012</b>	
Chris Wagner	Will marry Karen July 1, 2017. He will move from teaching PE at Rock Springs Jr. High School to teaching PE at both Black Butte HS and Rock Springs HS beginning fall 2017
Scott Weliever	Continues to teach K-5 PHE at Wind River Elementary school in pavilion, WYY. He and his wife have four children – two boys and two girls. Whew!
<b>Class of 2011</b>	
Jamie Huston Simmons	Jamie and John are expecting their first baby (it's a boy) August 2017. Her family will return to the Rock Mountain West this summer, locating in Buffalo, WY where John will work. Jamie will stay home with baby and then substitute teach in the vicinity.
<b>Class of 2010</b>	
Jarred Curry	Accepted a position in San Diego with NetWorth Realty
Zachary Fisher	Will be teaching K-3 PE in Lander beginning fall 2017. With 580+ children, it is the largest elementary school in Wyoming!
Frank Arce	Frank and Dawn are expecting baby #2 in November. They continue to live in Rawlins.
<b>Class of 2009</b>	
Riley Emter	I'm in my first week as the Owner/Operator of Chick-fil-A at Frontier Mall in Cheyenne. Glad to be back in WYO. My wife is pregnant with our second child, another boy, expecting in September 2017. I'll also be back and forth between Laramie and Cheyenne as a U.S. Army Reserve Augment for UW Army ROTC.
<b>Class of 2008</b>	
Ben Phillips	Will begin teaching PHE at Sagebrush Elementary School in Sheridan, WY fall 2017

<b>Class of 2007</b>	
Luke Robertson	Luke and Anna welcomed Bruin Arthur baby to join big sister January 5, 2017.
Katrina Cox	I have successfully graduated two of three kids!! one more to go. One will be playing at Colorado Christian University next majoring in Biology in the fall in Basketball; the other will play soccer at Trinidad college majoring in STEM. I am still the owner of the Tutoring Club in Laramie and Cheyenne. (years now). I no longer coach volleyball at the school district but do coach private club Snowy Range Volleyball select players with over 13 years of coaching volleyball experience. Have one more 8th grader to get through the chaos!! Been married for 24 years this summer!!
Natasha Maxfield	I told you I'd update you when our little lady came so here's the latest: We had our first baby girl, Marcy Bonnie Maxfield, in Salt Lake City on January 12, 2017. She was 8 lbs, 12 oz, and 20 inches long. She is a healthy 3 1/2 months old now and has 3 older brothers Jevin, Blaize, and Jace who love her lots.
<b>Class of 2006</b>	
Stephanie Hardesty	Will move from teaching PE at Rock Springs High School to Rock Springs Junior High School starting fall 2017. She will also retire from RSHS varsity VB coach & will coach at the Jr. High
Megan Stith	No sooner did Megan finish her M.S. degree, then she started working on National Board Certification. She is currently writing component 2 and will test component 1 in June. Her school district instructional mentor team invited her to present her M.S. work.
Jed Moore	Head Rodeo Coach at Colorado Northwestern Community College since 2010. National Park Service Ranger Academy Lead Trainer since 2016 Still married to beautiful Caitlan, 2 Sons Liam (4) and Rhys (2) Still waiting on the head rodeo coach position at UW!
<b>Class of 2005</b>	
Adam Miller	Is still in Gillette, WY. But he will move out of the aquatic Center, where he has worked since graduation, to Sage Valley Jr. High as the Associate Principal and Athletic Director.
<b>Class of 2004</b>	
Craig Reynolds	Will marry Kelsey June 17, 2017
Josh Bott	Will begin teaching PE at Stocktrail Elementary School in Gillette fall 2017 and will be the head swimming and diving coach at the new HS in Gillette – Thunder Basin.
<b>Class of 2003</b>	

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