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Newsworthy Events in 1991-1992

About 2 million Iraqi Kurds and other minorities fled north in April 1991 when Kurdish rebels in the north and Shiite Muslim rebels in the south failed to oust President Saddam Hussein in the aftermath of the Persian Gulf War.

A sealed structure of steel and glass will be "home" for two years to four men and four women. The structure, called Biosphere 2, is the size of 2½ football fields and contains all necessities of life. In addition to 8 humans, Biosphere 2 houses 3,800 species of animals and plants and 5 ecosystems.

On August 21, 1991, as the Communist Party denounced the takeover, Yanay and the coup leaders fled Moscow. Latvia and Estonia declared immediate independence from the Soviet Union. In addition to telephone service being cut to all KGB buildings and Gorbachev naming a new chief of the KGB, the statue of the founder of the KGB was toppled while thousands of Muscovites watched.

Desert Storm Commander General H. Norman Schwarzkopf gave a thumbs up to the crowd as he made his way up Broadway during New York's Operation Welcome Home ticker tape parade in June 1991.
A brush fire that killed 19 people in Oakland, CA, was the costliest blaze in U.S. history — the damage was put at more than $5 billion.

Life has not been the same for law professor Anita Hill since going public with allegations that Supreme Court Justice Clarence Thomas sexually harassed her nearly a decade ago.

On July 11, 1991, the moon slipped over the sun in the celestial ceremony of the eclipse.

Both Croatia and Slovenia proclaimed independence on June 25, and within 24 hours, military tanks were rolling toward border crossings and airports, attempting to secure the country.

Leaders of the world's seven largest industrial democracies began arriving in London on July 14, 1991, for the economic summit focusing on aid for the Soviet Union.

President F.W. de Klerk, African National Congress president Nelson Mandela and Zulu Inkatha leader Mangosuthu Buthelezi came together in September 1991 when black and white leaders gathered to sign a peace pact in a bid to end faction fighting that has claimed hundreds of lives in South Africa.

Crowds of perplexed people wandered among Soviet tanks parked behind the Red Square during the military coup hours.

Looking Back 25 years . . .

New Doctor gets hooded in 1968

Senior Banquet 1968

Commencement 1968
As our four years at OCPM come to an end, we can look back on many memories. Some were spent just outside of school such as the "life threatening" crossing of Carnegie Avenue from the student parking lot; escapes from the Doctor's Inn food at The Walker Center; and the informative seminars held at the Cleveland Clinic. We hope these "traditions" continue for a long time...
Administration, Faculty and Staff
Graduate Placement & Financial Aid

Jan Murray
Director of Financial Aid

Mark Parks
Registrar

Iris Ford
Secretary to Financial Aid

Kim Battle
Assistant to Financial Aid

Gail Zitnik
Director of Graduate Placement

Gloria Comar
Secretary of Graduate Placement
Garlene Penn  
Dean of Student Affairs

Luria Marchese  
Assistant to the Dean

Mike Hardy  
Study Skills Counselor

John Andrews  
Director of Admissions

John Shriner  
Director of Student Recruitment

Karen Wiley  
Secretary of Student Affairs

"Whoa — there goes my hat"
Deacon Bruce Cowell opens the 1992 graduation with a prayer
"Are you sure those 900 numbers don't work from this phone?"

"Dr. Lembach — am I doing the 'L-test' correctly?"

"Mumm — my lips are stuck together"

"You want what?"

"An increase in your budget? What's that?"

"I'm sorry — what was that again?"

Dr. Osher demonstrates his artistic ability

Here are some of the silly looks we got as our photographers tried to capture everyone's true nature.
Mixed Staff

Julie Petek
Academic Evaluation

Linda Jones
Purchasing Clerk

Keri Link
Clinical Staff

Carol Hughes
Secretary Continuing Education

Joe Patterson
Manager

Nora Prendergast
Continuing Education
Special Services

Alumni

Frank Enyedi
Lead Printer

Ellisa Young
Student Worker

Louise Hill
Mailroom

Cynthia Sloan
Switchboard Operator

Marge DelBrocco
Alumni Bookstore

Virginia Clark
Alumni Association
Dr. Ritz & Dr. Friedman give us their best pose

Bernie Shupp & Chet Burnett help out at the clinic

Ellen Pitrone, Dr. Hetherington and Paul Rebeta have a chat

Dan Coleman gives Maribel Merced her last Hepatitis shot

Dr. Calise shows us his wind-blown look
Cleveland Foot Clinic
Surgery

Domenick Calise, DPM
Michael Gerber, DPM
Bonnie Johnson Nicklas, DPM
Allan Boike, DPM
John Cann, DPM
David LaPorta, DPM
Nancy Gibbons, RN
O.R. Supervisor

Dan Coleman, LPN
O.R. Nurse

Liz Amerson
Department Secretary

Gerard Yu, DPM

Alan Snyder, DPM

Dr. Calise demonstrates a clinical amputation
Orthopedics

Richard Bogdan, DPM
Department Chairperson

Christine Gardner, DPM
Assistant Professor

Lawrence Lembach, DPM
Podopediatrics

Bernice Krumhansl, PT
Physical Therapy

James Lichniak, DPM
Sports Medicine

Kathy Siesel, DPM
Assistant Professor

Michael Forman, DPM
Biomechanics

Department of Orthopedics/Therapy
Karen Whitely
Pod Med Secretary/Exterionships

Noreene Turner
Director of Clinical Development

Liz Fise
Dispensary

Kathleen Page
Medical Records

Stephanie Starks
Clinic Receptionist

Lynette Gibson
Secretary Podiatric Medicine

Pat Walsh
Patient Accounts

Bess Washington
Director Clinical Operations

Barbara Gardner
Secretary of Orthopedic Department
1991-1992 Residents

Barbara Vinegar, DPM — Surgery Resident
Corliss Austin, DPM — Primary Care Resident
Darell Compus, DPM — Primary Care Resident

Michael Gerber, DPM — Surgery Resident
Gary Hash, DPM — Surgery Resident
Allan Snyder, DPM — Surgery Resident
Joyce Senick, DPM — Surgery Resident
Gary Chessman, DPM — Surgery Resident

Gregory Borowski, DPM — Primary Care Resident
Sina Esraelian, DPM — Primary Care Resident
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Congratulations to the Classes of 1992 and 1993! Best of luck in your future endeavors.

— Alumni Association
You must have been
Here are pictures of the members of the Class of 1993 and a few staff and faculty pictures. See if you can guess who is who. Some pictures may surprise you. Check your answers on page 125.
Who are these future doctors?

See answers page 125
Seniors 1992
ROBERT MICHAEL ABER, JR.
Munhall, Pennsylvania
Washington and Jefferson College

KENNETH LEE ABRAM
Columbus, Ohio
University of Dayton

JOSE LUIS AYALA
San Juan, Puerto Rico
University of Puerto Rico

ANTHONY BABIGIAN
Boylston, Massachusetts
Norwich University

GLADYS POBLETE BEMBO
New Hyde Park, New York
Hofstra University

MARY BENJAMIN
Flint, Michigan
Nazareth College

CHRISTOPHER JOHN BOHACH
Brecksville, Ohio
Heidelberg College

HENRY G. BRYANT III
Augusta, Georgia
University of Georgia

JOHN FRANCIS BUSHTA
Archbald, Pennsylvania
Marywood College
MICHAEL ALLAN FELTMAN  
Akron, Ohio  
University of Akron

KAREN LYNETTE FELTON  
Florence, South Carolina  
Oberlin College

AARON JAY FRITZHAND  
Smithtown, New York  
State University of New York/Albany

ROSELLA GABRIELE  
Bath, Ohio  
University of Akron

CHRISTOPHER GEORGE  
Mansfield, Ohio  
Ohio State University

HAGOP GHAZARIAN  
Beruit, Lebanon  
Yerevan State Medical Institute

GARY L. GLYNN  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
Washington and Jefferson College

GERALD CALVIN GOLD  
West Bloomfield, Michigan  
Wayne State University

ROBERT ERIC GRASER  
North Royalton, Ohio  
University of Akron
ADAM D. GROSSMAN
Washington, Pennsylvania
Washington and Jefferson College

PATRICIA SUE GUISSINGER
Clarkston, Michigan
Oakland University

CATHERINE HEGARTY
Bergenfield, New Jersey
Fairleigh Dickinson University

JOHN RICHARD HLADIK
Cleveland, Ohio
University of Cincinnati

ROBERT LOUIS HOVANCSEK
Gates Mills, Ohio
Ohio State University

BRIAN DOUGLAS JACKSON
Columbia, Tennessee
Memphis State University

JACQUELYN OLIVIA JACOBS
Chesapeake, Virginia
Virginia Commonwealth University

LAWRENCE GEORGE
KARLOCK
Austintown, Ohio
University of Pittsburgh

BRIGETTE FRANCES KUHN
Michigan City, Indiana
Pauw University

1992
JOHN DAVID LANThIER  
Sudbury, Ontario, Canada  
Laurentian University

DUNG SON-TiEN le  
Cedar Rapids, Iowa  
University of Iowa

PETER JOSEPH LUTHRINGER  
Kenmore, New York  
D'Youville College

PRAya MAM  
Pensacola, Florida  
University of West Florida

PETER HU NTLEY MASON  
McMurray, Pennsylvania  
Washington and Jefferson College

SHANNON MARIE MEREDITH  
Lakewood, Ohio  
Case Western Reserve University

WILLIAM ALFRED MILLS, JR.  
Voorhees, New Jersey  
Rutgers University

JEFFREY TODD MOLINARO  
Stubenville, Ohio  
University of Stubenville

DEBRA DENISE MORGAN  
Augusta, Georgia  
Tuskegee University
MARTIN M. MROZEK
Lancaster, New York
State University of New York/Buffalo

ERIN MARY O'ROURKE
Twinsburg, Ohio
Siena Heights College

RENEE LYNN RAMP
Transfer, Pennsylvania
Thiel College

CHRISTOPHER JOHN NAGLE
Sharon, Pennsylvania
Indiana University of Pennsylvania

JULES GERARD PARKER
Tucson, Arizona
Texas A & M University

SCOTT L. SHIELDS
Shelby, North Carolina
Central State University/University of North Carolina/Charlotte

JOEL BERNT NELSON
Mount Lebanon, Pennsylvania
Calvin College

PATRICK DOMENIC ROBERTO
Vandergrift, Pennsylvania
Washington and Jefferson College

MARK D. PAWSAT
Ft. Thomas, Kentucky
Thomas More College

1992
JOHN MICHAEL SNYDER  
South Park, Pennsylvania  
Washington and Jefferson College

RICHARD TERRY SOKOL  
Greenville, Pennsylvania  
State University of New York/Albany

STEVEN NEIL SOLOMON  
Brooklyn, New York  
Hofstra University

DAVID INKUN SONG  
Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio  
University of Akron

CATHARINE ANN STONE  
Blackstone, Massachusetts  
Quinnipiac College

KRISTIN KIMBERLY TITKO  
Cincinnati, Ohio  
Ohio State University

LUIS R. VENEGAS  
Ponce, Puerto Rico  
Catholic University of Puerto Rico

PER OLAV VERAAS  
Westerville, Ohio  
Wheaton College
Junior students were the ushers at the 1992 graduation ceremony. Pat Ricotta, Jordan Grossman, Reza Parsa, Tracy Smith, Maribel Merced, Jack Bondi, Jennifer Stevens, Milton Penn, Dolores Farrer and Nima Moghaddas.
Looking Back at the Good Times

KTE Formal 1991

Rob Aber and his friend at Halloween

Jackie and Sally help with the Christmas Party

Jaimie and Marc at the Phi Formal 1991

Mike Sokol gets hooded
Socializing after the PPAC orientation

Karokee Night

Joel gives Dolores some skating tips

Our Future!
Frances and Gary

Toga! Toga! Toga!

Formal Nite Out

Phi Formal

Reed and Stacey

Andres and Waleska
Hey Peter! Where's your Toga?

Boyd and Ricky

Jackie plays Full Back

Smile Ladies!

All listen to Ricky's story
Nima, Dolores and Melissa

Jack hard at work

Renee, Tracey and Dana

Smile everybody!

Lisa takes time to pose for the picture

“Smile Jordan — they’re taking our picture”
The Bohach's

Dr. and Mrs. Scott Shields

Dolores, Paula and Lisa meet with Pluto

Ricky and Jack engage in their favorite pastime

Nima shows us the official "Frisk" position
First year friends go ice skating

Bussom Buddies and a Bride

Easter Bunnies

Singing Seniors

Hey Rob — where’s Shannon?

KTE Formal
MICHAEL LAWRENCE AKYUZ
Rochester, New York
University of Rochester, 1989

MICHAEL THOMAS AMBROZIAK, JR.
Medina, Ohio
Miami University, 1989

WILLIAM LEE BLACKWELL, JR.
Smithfield, Virginia
Hampton Institute, 1982

AUGUSTINE ANTHONY BOLLO
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

JACK M. BONDI, JR.
Syracuse, New York
Niagara University, 1988

GARY SCOTT BUCHOLZ
Troy, Michigan
University of Michigan, 1989

RICHARD LEE BURKEY
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
University of Pittsburgh, 1969

MARIA ANN CAROCCI
Blasdell, New York
Canisius College, 1989

JOHN RICHARD CHIARO, JR.
Poland, Ohio
Youngstown State University
PAUL S. CWIKLA  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
Kansas State University, 1980

PAULA ANN DeLUCA  
Waterford, Michigan  
Oakland University, 1985

GARY MICHAEL DERESH  
Washington, Pennsylvania  

WALESKA M. DONATO  
San Juan, Puerto Rico  
University of Puerto Rico, 1989

CAROL ANN DOWLING  
Glenshaw, Pennsylvania  
University of Pittsburgh, 1989

DUANE WILLIAM DUMM  
Nicktown, Pennsylvania  
University of Pittsburgh, 1989

MELISSA KNOX DUMM  
Holland, New York  
Houghton College, 1988

KENNETH JUDE EMCH  
Youngstown, Ohio  
Youngstown State University, 1989

DANA MICHELLE EVANS  
Bulger, Pennsylvania  
Waynesburg College, 1989
LISA ANN FAILOR  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
Grove City College, 1989

MARCELA DOLORES FARRER  
New Orleans, Louisiana  
University of New Orleans, 1988

STEPHEN JOHN FRANIA  
Madison, Ohio  
University of Dayton, 1988

JUAN ALBERTO GONZALEZ  
Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico  
Interamerican University

REED BENSON GRAHAM  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
Mount Union College, 1989

DAWN MARIE GRETZ  
Murrysville, Pennsylvania  
Indiana University of Pennsylvania, 1988

RODNEY TODD GROBES  
Sharon Hill, Pennsylvania  
Cheyney University of Pennsylvania, 1987

JORDAN PAUL GROSSMAN  
Washington, Pennsylvania  

JERRY I. HADRYCH  
Washington, Pennsylvania  
ANDRES MIGUEL MAYMI  
Mayaguez, Puerto Rico  
University of Puerto Rico, 1989

MELANIE SUE McCONAUGHY  
Woodsfield, Ohio  
The Ohio State University, 1989

MARIHEL MERCED GALARZA  
Caguas, Puerto Rico  
Interamerican University, 1989

BRIAN JOSEPH MAZZEI  
Indianapolis, Indiana  
Purdue University, 1989

RENEE PATRICE MASON MAZZEI  
Baltimore, Maryland  
Virginia Commonwealth University, 1989

JAMES IRWIN McCORMICK  
Monaca, Pennsylvania  
Gannon University, 1984

NIMA MOGHADDAS  
Pittsburgh, Kansas  
Pittsburgh State University, 1989

CESAR M. MENDEZ  
Fonthill, Ontario, Canada  
Queens University, 1989

CHARLES EDWARD MOORE  
Washington, D.C.  
Howard University, 1985
JAMES AUSTIN NELSON
Mount Lebanon, Pennsylvania
Calvin College, 1989

EDOZIE CHUKWUDINMA
OKEREKE
Lagos, Nigeria
University of Wisconsin, 1989

RICHARD GERARD PALECKI
Newark, Delaware
University of Delaware, 1981

PETER ANTHONY PANTERA
Williamsville, New York
Niagara University, 1985

MOHAMMAD REZA PARS
Jacksonville, Florida
University of North Florida, 1988

MILTON EARL PENN
Cincinnati, Ohio
Howard University, 1985, 1989

MICHAEL JAMES PEROZZI
Belle Vernon, Pennsylvania
University of Pittsburgh, 1989

SUZANNE MARIE POWELL
Scotia, New York
St. John Fisher College, 1989

TRENA CORLENE REED
Rawson, Ohio
University of Findlay, 1987
JENNIFER SUE STEVENS  
Greenville, Pennsylvania  
Mount Union College, 1989

PAUL EDWARD SULLIVAN  
Grand Island, New York  
Niagara University, 1989

AVA JAVAN THOMAS  
St. Thomas, Virgin Islands  
La Roche College, 1989

LISSETTE E. TIRADO  
Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico  
University of Puerto Rico, 1989

JOHN BOWMAN WHITE, III  
Toledo, Ohio  
Siena Heights College, 1988

ELLISA LUCILLE YOUNG  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
Lincoln University, 1988

JAIMIE YUN  
Jefferson, Ohio  
Youngstown State University, 1989

Last year's ushers — This year's graduates
HOW WE LOOKED BACK THEN

William Blackwell, Jr.
Jack Bondi
Gary Bucholz

Maria Carocci
John Chiaro, Jr.
Paul Cwikla

Paula DeLuca
Waleska Donato
Carol Dowling
During the past 4 years, many members of the Class of 1993 found their perfect mates — some even married their classmates! Bolded names are students of OCPM.

John and Gina Chiaro
July 6, 1991

Jim and Ingrid Nelson
July 6, 1991

Andres Maymi and Waleska Donato
June 12, 1993

Chris and Laurel Herbert
July 27, 1991
Mike Ambroziak and Jill Shink
August 22, 1992

Reed and Stacey Graham
June 16, 1990

Renee Mason and Brian Mazzei
April 10, 1993

Jack and Jackie Bondi — May 8, 1993
Augie and Jackie Bollo — July 3, 1993
Dolores Farrer and Nima Moghaddas

Halloween Party 1990

Lissette Tirado, Juan Gonzalez, Waleska Donato and Andres Maymi

First year hockey party

Mike Perozzi and Augie Bollo
Student Organizations
Ohio Podiatric Medical Students Association
1991-1993

M. Dolores Farrer, President
Mark Lambert, President-Elect
Claudia Ruggieri, Secretary
Molly Judge, Clinical Affairs
Georgeanne Boteck, Local Affairs
Nima Moghaddas, Communications
Alka Madan, Business Affairs
Todd McVey, Social Affairs
Eric Sicelof, Newspaper Editor
Dana Evans, Footprints Editor

OPMSA hosted the APMSA Mid-Winter meeting in 1992 held at the Stouffer Hotel downtown
Larry Clifford, '92 Delegate
Paula DeLuca, '93 Delegate
Lisa Failor, '93 Alternate
Kevin McGarvey, '94 Delegate
Larry Strickland, '94 Alternate
Vincent Kolenich, '94 Alternate
Mark Moritz, '95 Delegate
Mike Block, '95 Delegate
Bruce Noxon, '96 Delegate
Mark Poplowski, '96 Alternate

Larry Clifford receives his
Senior plaque from
APMSA president Nancy
Parsley

APMSA & OPMSA members attended the National APMA meeting in Orlando
Student National Podiatric Medical Association

John Bennett
Nell Blake
Tyrone Teako Davis
Gerard Gadson
Felicia Jackson
Dorothy Jones
Mark Lambert
Romil Limson
Sheilah Love
Denessa Minor
John Moyler
Milton Penn
Tracey Smith
Brenna Steinburg
Willetta Taylor
Sherrie Wallace
Dalerie Wilkerson
Lillian Wilkerson
Elissa Young

1991-1992 SNPMA Members

Dr. Denardo Denham speaks to the SNPMA members

1992-1993 SNPMA Members

Students listen intently to a special guest speaker
The Ohio Chapter of the American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons has nearly one hundred members. The goal of this organization is to provide students with the opportunity to enhance their knowledge of podiatric surgery. Each month the club has one lecture and workshop. In December there was a suturing technique workshop organized by the 3rd and 4th year students and the faculty advisor, Dr. Bonnie Nicklas. In March a trauma workshop was conducted by Dr. Calise highlighting emergency room protocol and trauma patient management. April was a busy month with a skin biopsy workshop and a casting workshop with over 50 students attending. The year was finished off with a surgical seminar held in Wagenhals.
Members:
Kenneth Wilhelm
Christina Fleis
Sherrie Wallace
Debra Womick
Robert Hernandez
Paul Cwikla
Waleska Donato
Dana Evans
Janet Neff Kail
Deb Latta
Renee Mason Mazzei
Denessa Minor
Nima Moghaddas
Pam Morrison
Maria Rodriguez
Deanna Savage
Richard Saxby
Tracy Smith
Felicia Stenhouse
Lissette Tirado
Mike Veltre
John White
Terri Walton
Telly Whyte
Elissa Young

1991-1992 KTE Members

KTE Formal 1992

Tina and Juan enjoy their night out

Maria and Lissette at the KTE Formal
Bill Brown sets up at the AGK Clinic

AGK Formal

Chug-a-Lug

Busy AGK Clinic

Beach Party

Indian AGK members during initiation

Peace to all members
"One, two, three — GRAB!!"

"Yes — I'm a goob"

The McCormicks

Crystal Mack manages to eat her grapes the hard way

"OK you guys — hold it right there!"

Run Steve Run

OK — where are all the guys?

Dr. Kushner holds a Pod Med Workshop
American Association of Women Podiatrists

AAWP Members 1991-1992

Susan raffles off prizes during the Christmas Party

AAWP Members 1992-1993

1992 AAWP officers with advisor, Dr. Bonnie Nicklas

Senior Banquet 1992

Susan raffles off prizes during the Christmas Party

Senior Banquet 1993

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Basketball

MEN'S TEAM:
Brian Mallett
Gerard Gadson
Javier LaFontaine
Matthew Tolley
Rick Traczyk
Tim Fauler
Scott O'Conner
Brian Novack
Scott Sieg
Jamie Yakel
Jordan Grossman
Robin Pastore
Joseph Schoeppner
John D. Shriner, Coach

WOMEN'S TEAM:
Melissa McClane
Donna Tallon
Denise Kohler
Maria Griffith
Angela Williams
Jen Stephens
Stacy Miller
Candace Gallet
Kelly Kebe
Kim Reed
Sylvie Kiaku
Brian Novack, Coach

Sports Medicine Club
Class Officers

CLASS OF 1992:
Joel Nelson, President
Chris Bohach, Vice-President
John Snyder, Treasurer
Ricardo Jean, Secretary
Roy Dansky, Clinical Rep

CLASS OF 1993:
Melissa Knox Dumm, President
Nima Moghaddas, Vice-President
Chris Herbert, Treasurer
Reed Graham, Secretary
Milton Penn, Clinical Rep

CLASS OF 1994:
Angela Perron, President
Nelson Keller, Vice-President
Ken Wilhelm, Secretary
Chris Bryniarski, Treasurer
James Yakel, Clinical Rep

CLASS OF 1995:
Stace Miller, President
Gerard Gadson, Vice-President
Robin Pastore, Secretary
Leslie Ruszkowski, Treasurer
Romil Limson, Clinical Rep

CLASS OF 1996:
Kisha Murray, President
Maria Griffith, Vice-President
Richard Hammon, Secretary
Marcedez Henderson, Treasurer
Teresa Miller, Clinical Rep
There are a total of 26 Puerto Ricans at OCPM:
Class of '92 — 4
Class of '93 — 7
Class of '94 — 1
Class of '95 — 5
Class of '96 — 9

They come from different areas of the island, north, south, east and west. There are currently 16 podiatrists in Puerto Rico = that about 0.4 podiatrists per 100,000 people.
Herff Jones representative John Urian provides invaluable assistance to the yearbook staff.
"Boy do we look happy to be here or what?"

A packed classroom of eager students-to-be

Listen carefully y'all

"OK — everyone look through your bag now"
Kowabunga Dude and Dudette
Edward Scissorhands meets Beatle Juice
“Diaphragm Man”

The Whole Spooky gang
Cave woman Tina and her friends

“Cereal Killer”
“She drives me crazy”

“Isn’t he cute?”

Nice hair
Maria’s confused date
Trena shows us Cesar’s privates
OPMSA Holiday Party 1991

The Marchese's join together for some holiday fun

Busom Buddies

Peter and Renee "wrap" a good time

Three party goers

Brenna Steinberg enjoys her crowd of cute guys

What are you all smiling about?

John Lanthier gives Jaimie Yun a side hug

Seniors enjoy their last Holiday Party

Faculty and staff joined in the festivities

Duane Tupper serves himself some food

"Hang Loose"
Munch Out Session

Jim Nelson gets seconds . . . thirds . . . and fourths . . .

Peter Perron serenades Romil

Set-up Committee

Seniors like mingling with first years

Rhonda Hazell demonstrates to Sherri Wallace how to stuff your face

Cute Couple
AAWP and SNPMA held their annual Holiday Party in the new Wagennhals Auditorium for senior citizens and children in the Cleveland community. The participants got to visit with Santa (alias John Moyler), sing Christmas carols and open gifts wrapped by Santa’s elves.

— Ellisa Young watches Milton Penn’s children

— Noreen Turner gets her turn on Santa’s lap
PPAC sponsored a night of singing with Kareokee. Students paid $1.00 to perform with the money going toward The American Diabetes Association. Students showed their support by singing their hearts out.
"Come and see what we've got for you."

Mike Rojas cleans up with free samples

"Mum, what should we get next?"

Sue and Tina enjoy their meal

Ricky shares another funny antidote

Table of Senior Dudes

Interested crowd listens to one of the speakers
Gill Podiatry shows off its latest equipment

“...we are enjoying ourselves!”

Molly judge introduces the next speaker

Yes Angie — it is a camera

Cute Company Reps

Everyone prepares for the seminar
Golf Tournament 1992

John Salm goes for a refill

Jamie and Melanie try to keep warm

Everybody Smile!

Chef Maria flips the burgers

"Are we having fun yet?"

"Hey sis — give me some brew!"

"How do you drive this thing?"
Stuffed full of hot dogs

The cooking crew

Rob and Ricky show us their secret to surviving OCPM

The Three Musketeers

The Johns get a “foot up” on their golf game

Where are we anyway?
Class of 1995 Picnic Orientation in Mentor Headlands
Now picture this

HERE IS MINE, ... LET ME SEE YOURS...

WHAT A SMELL!
Couples and Families ...
... Are Brought Together at OCPM
OPMSA's Annual Christmas Party 1992

"Yes — we do always smile like this"

"Santa's helpers put up the tree"

"Beer makes the world they say"

"We're here — so let the party begin"

Bruce gives us his surprised look

Friendly trio

Who are your friends Dawn?

"Ya — the food was good"

98 Reza — alias "Santa"

"Are we having fun yet?"

Mike — the friendly senior
Four best friends "Yes — we are cute"

Grace hangs out with the Big Cheeses

Cesar decorates the bulletin board
Surgery Club Holds a Suturing Workshop

The American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons put on a suturing workshop for the first and second year students for some early hands on experience. Every table had a third or fourth year student to help out with the basic suturing techniques on pig's feet.
The first annual OPMSA Faculty and Staff appreciation day was held in November 1992 in conjunction with the opening of the new student study area on the first floor. Food was prepared by the students themselves.
This year's National Podiatric Tournament was hosted by OCPM in March 1993. The men's team walked away with the first place position for the second year in a row. The tourney was supported by funding from the Corporate Advisory Board (CAB). Six men's teams and four women's teams participated in the event.
Cheerleaders!

National Podiatric Women's Team Champions — Chicago

Class of 1994 supplied food and beverages for the crowds

High Energy

OCPM Women's Team members relax after the game

Action Shot
Golf Tournament 1993
APMSA Hosts Karaoke Night

APMSA, OPMSA and many hard working students put on the second Annual Karaoke night in Wagenhals. The event coincided with the National Basketball Tournament. All the money raised was donated to the American Diabetes Association.
No OCPM party would be complete without at least one performance of the Electric Slide dance. Here are some random shots from parties from the last few years. There sure is some talent in this bunch!
Here are some of the Class of 1993’s best memories from OCPM:

**Janet Kail:** KTE initiation
**Reza Parsa:** Receiving a parking token from Glenn the security guard on March 15, 1991 at 3:31 pm.
**Ellisa Young:** When my junior Ortho rotation group started to do the wave while Dr. Bogden was giving one of his extremely boring lectures.
**Gary Deresh:** My post mid-term party in the Spring of 1992
**Michael Perozzi:** Being roommates for 2 years with Pat Ricotta and Boyd Robinson
**Rodney Grobes:** Finishing the last final after 3rd year. Oh Boy!
**Crystal Mack:** Graduation!
**Augie Bolio:** AGK parties, Happy hour down in the Flats, memories at the S & S
**Chris Herbert:** Finally graduating, becoming a resident, and getting on with my life
**Tracy Smith:** Graduation day 1993 and having my friends and family there
**Ken Emch:** AGK initiation and the S & S Lounge
**Trena Reed:** Florida Vacation
**Nima Moghaddas:** All the great parties — especially the last 2 months of senior year, but most of all the 4 years of special friendships (especially the weirdos).
**Lissette Tirado:** My junior rotation group — Andres, Melanie, Gary & Mom Kail. I will never forget you guys! We really had fun together. But I will especially remember all the friends that I made in these past four years. You know who you are and you are the best!
**Dolores Farrer:** Spontaneous Salsa Parties, APMSA National Meetings, The Puerto Rican Mafia, and lifelong friendships.

What would be your last will and testament?

**Tracy Smith:** To my roommate I leave you all my old tests, charts, etc., and my study guide “How to survive the rumor association at OCPM”. To G. Gadson I leave to you my book “How to successfully raise fish in the 90’s”. To my friends I leave you the thoughts, “Education is our passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to the people who prepare for it today.” (Malcolm X)
**Trena Reed:** To have the time and patience to pursue the happiness you create. “Carpe Diem”
**Jan Kail:** I leave my right ankle and STJ to Dr. Yu.
**Mike Perozzi:** I leave my junk cars to Glen Snyder.
**Chris Herbert:** I would like to leave all my stacks of notebooks and notes that are piled up in my closet and taking up all the room.
**Gary Bucholtz:** I leave my Gray’s Anatomy Book (Never Used!) to Mark L.
**Augie Bolio:** To Ken — Alopecia. To Gary — Kimothy. To Jerry — a social life. To Bondi — A Hairpiece. To Carol — a mouthpiece. To John W — Ethol tolerance.
**Jeff Knemoller:** I leave Gary and Glen honorary membership in the “I survived living in Clarke Tower Club”. To Linda I leave four years of creative jokes about my chosen profession. To Mom & Dad thanks for all your support.
**Lisa Young:** To Ruddy, Gerard, and Teako I leave these words — See it, believe it, achieve it, hold fast to your dreams and never let anyone tell you that you aren’t good enough. I love you guys.
**Dolores Farrer:** To Mark L, I leave you my high stress levels, deadlines, BOT meetings but also the wonderful memories from OPMSA and APMSA. To Angie P. I leave you an honorary degree on “How to Survive OCPM Politics”. To Claudia & Grace thanks for taking the cat off my hands and for being such great neighbors. To Bruce C, thanks for listening to all my life dramas these past 4 years. To Frank E, I leave you all my Ecuador stamps and a copy of “How to Survive Dating in the 90’s”.

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Class Candids

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Class of 1992
Graduation Day May 29, 1992
I'd like to thank all the little people who made this picture possible.
Class of 1995
Dr. Haynie Speaks!

One of the student's most entertaining classes third year is Dr. Haynie's General Medicine class in the fall. He has his own special way of helping you remember the material. Here are some memorable quotes from the class in the fall of 1991:

"If you even get a 'whiff' of GCA — go for those temporal arteries."

"Acromegaly mimics that natural growth process. You start out ugly — get cuter — get ugly. Then there are others that are ugly — ugly — and uglier."

"The Cleveland Clinic was built on a thyroid and sustained by a heart."

"Granny loses her peripheral vision, runs over a pedestrian and thinks it was a speed bump."

A Blast From The Past! Dr. Larry Osher and Dr. Allan Boike as students at OCPM in 1982.
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To the graduating Class of 1992

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EDITOR’S NOTE

They say a picture is worth a thousand words. If this is true, then this book is certainly a mouthful. This yearbook has been extra special to the entire staff since we finally got to type OUR names in the Senior section. It also includes the highlights of our times at OCPM especially the day we waited four years for — Graduation Day!

Writing this last Editor’s Note has been very difficult for me. I put off writing this until the very last minute. I believe it is because in a way I don’t want all this “school stuff” to be over and it means leaving behind many memories and friends that have become very special over the past four years. Saying good-bye to old friends is never easy, but if we never said “good-bye”, there are so many “hello’s” to new friends we would miss out on. As Samuel Johnson once said, “If a man does not make new acquaintances as he advances through life, he will soon find himself left alone.”

When Melissa, Nima and I agreed to take over the yearbook in October 1989, we didn’t really know what we were getting ourselves into. It has been a lot of hard work especially this past year as Seniors, but it has proven to have been very rewarding in the end. One of the best advantages of being on the yearbook staff is the people I got to work with over the years. I must say there are very few employees I don’t know at OCPM and it is primarily due to my involvement with OCCOPODIAN. There are so many wonderful folks at OCPM and there are some that have significantly affected me during my four years here in Cleveland. Someone that I will miss very much is Luria Marchese. Besides always helping out with tedious yearbook responsibilities (such as checking our timesheets every month), she provided such positive advice in school matters. Another very special individual who’s viewpoint and counseling really helped me through some tough times is Bruce Cowell. Thanks to both of you for your support and encouragement.

As I pass the yearbook torch on to newer and younger minds, I wish all the upcoming classes the best of luck as you pursue your chosen profession of Podiatry. As to the Classes of 1992 and 1993, I hope this book brings back many memories and good times of your years at OCPM. Keep in touch and I’ll see y’all out there in the “real World”.

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