

Newsletter

Summer Quarter 2014 Edition



| Headlines



Class of 2014 Graduation

The University of Northwestern Ohio's 94th annual commencement exercises were held on Sunday, June 15th. A total of 1,191 students from the College of Applied Technologies, College of Business, College of Health Professions, College of Occupational Professions, and Graduate College received their degrees and diploma. A total of 440 students earned two or more credentials.

Mr. John Zimmerly Jr. was nominated to be the graduation speaker representing the Graduate College and the Colleges of Business, Health Professions, and Occupational Professions. He was nominated by the faculty because of his dedication to the university and knowledge within his field of study.

Mr. Wes Lewis was nominated to be the graduation speaker for the College of Applied Technologies. He was nominated by faculty in the College of Applied Technologies due to his academic success, being an active participant in classes and for being a positive influence on his fellow students.

The 2014 University of Northwestern Ohio graduates represent a total of 35 states and 9 countries.



UNOH Partners with Quicken Loans

The University of Northwestern Ohio is pleased to announce our partnership with Quicken Loans.

Quicken Loans has been rated Highest in Customer Satisfaction for Primary Mortgage Origination in the US four years in a row by J.D. Power and Associates!

This program is designed to enable our Alumni personalized service with our own 800 number, account manager, and the best rates possible for mortgage loans.

What benefits does Quicken Loans have to offer UNOH alumni?

- Home financing discount - When you either refinance or purchase a home, you will receive a check for \$500 after closing. It's that simple.
- Financial wellness program - Free access to financial education series available exclusively for Mortgage Insiders members. The Mortgage Insiders send articles, hold webinars, and provide special offers from business partners to you.
- Access to a dedicated team - UNOH has its own toll free number and website that connects you directly to the Mortgage Insiders team - the same team that

- handles their own team member loans!
- Complimentary mortgage reviews - You can call Quicken Loans 24/7 for a free mortgage review (includes credit report and score BONUS)!
- Technology - My Quicken Loans is their state-of-the-art loan processing portal which guides each client through every step of their mortgage. With this type of online system, each and every loan going through the mortgage process can:
 - o Electronically sign application documents
 - o Download and print important loan information
 - o Upload documents
 - o Check their loan status 24/7

Why Quicken Loans? Here's just a few reasons why you should choose Quicken Loans:

- Mortgages are all they do! They've focused on perfecting the process - their exclusive technology can close a loan in as little as 15 days.
- Dedication has earned Quicken Loans an A+ rating with the Better Business Bureau.
- 95% of our clients would recommend us to family and friends.
- Quicken Loans is the #1 online lender and the #3 retail mortgage lender in America, so their rates have to be very competitive.

To see if you can benefit from this offer, please contact our dedicated UNOH Mortgage Insiders team at (800) 761-2755 or visit <https://VIP.QuickenLoans.com/unoh>.

*Offers valid on new applications only. See website for details. NMLS# 30

Register Now!



Register for the UNOH Alumni Association

Have you registered for the UNOH Alumni Association yet? If not, you're missing out on current and future benefits! Membership is absolutely free and you can enjoy benefits like:

- Alumni ID (pictured above)
- Local Lima Discounts:
 - Hotels
 - American Pennzoil
 - Bellacino's
 - CarQuest
 - Keller's Auto Glass
 - Papa John's
- Free Access to UNOH Sporting Events

New discounts and benefits will be added in the future!

If you would like to register, please fill out the attached Alumni Association Registration form at the end of this newsletter and mail it to us. If you would rather email the form, you can do so by sending the form to alumni@unoh.edu or you can register online at www.unoh.edu/AlumniRegistration

Update Us!

Update your info with UNOH

Have you updated your information with UNOH since you graduated? If not, you may be missing out on what's been going on at UNOH. Update information such as your phone number and your address to ensure that you receive all of the latest news from us, like this newsletter. To update your info with us, simply head to the link below:

<http://www.unoh.edu/offices/alumni/contactus.php>

Alumni Spotlight



David Sparks Jr.

Story Written by David Sparks Jr.

I first heard about UNOH in 11th grade after getting the info while attending a Skills USA, VICA regional troubleshooting competition at Delta College in University Center, Michigan. I don't remember the name of the UNOH rep that came to my house in Flint way back then, but because of his time and energy, I felt a sense of worth, purpose and hope for something new and better than my crummy neighborhood and drag racing on Industrial Parkway. I was thinking, "This guy took the time to come all the way to my house!" Needless to say, I started UNOH excited about the Hi-Po (Old school UNOH) program way back in 2001. Due to my desire for my High School sweetheart (married in late 2002), I dropped the Hi-Po program only after a few awesome sessions and looked into the T-10 program with Andy O'Neal. I am kicking myself now, but I left with simply a diploma, only credits away from a degree.

While I was there, basketball in the gym, Limaland, school work, and my job at Advance Auto Parts on Elida Road is all I had time for. Every once in a while, there would be trucks hooking their bumpers together to see who could pull who. If campus was anything like it is now, I would have played tennis, basketball, and helped out with several engine building competitions.

Andy O'Neal got me into a Toyota Dealership as an intern in Columbus, Ohio where I worked for 3 years and then left to go to a Pontiac GMC truck dealer. After my son and daughter were born, I decided that I wanted more stable working hours and consistent pay. With my UNOH education, I applied it to the diesel world. To test what I learned, I took and passed 8 ASE certification tests in one night in addition to my Master Auto ASEs and became ASE Master Heavy truck certified in one night! Being a double Master Tech gave me a new confidence. Cars and high performance became a relaxing hobby that I would love to eventually pursue full time. I would also like to open my own race shop/auto repair/community ministry (fixing the cars of the needy).

I am currently employed by Sennebogen LLC as an Inside Technical Service Representative. Sennebogen is a German-based company but the US/Canada/Brazil/Mexico/South America headquarters are here in Stanley, NC. I've been to Germany and several other places for work. When a Sennebogen dealer has run out of repair options, we offer them support with knowledge, understanding, and sometimes on-site. Thank you UNOH!

| Useful Links



Alumni Facebook

<http://www.facebook.com/UNOHAlumni>

UNOH Blog

<http://unohonline.com>

UNOH Career Services

<http://www.unoh.edu/offices/career-services/index.shtml>

Update Alumni Information

<http://www.unoh.edu/offices/alumni/contactus.php>

UNOH Instagram & Twitter

@unoh_edu

| Contact Us

Submit your own stories or give feedback

Have your own professional or personal news you would like to share? Want to give an old classmate a Racergang Shoutout? Want to give us feedback? Have any questions or concerns? Send us an email! Email our Coordinator of Alumni Affairs, Zacharie Snyder, at zasnyder@unoh.edu

| Online MBA

Further your education with a 100% online MBA

Have you considered returning to college but can't find the time? UNOH offers our MBA in Business Administration 100% online! We also offer a One-Night-A-Week option for those that want an in-class experience! With these options, even those with the busiest of schedules



can obtain an MBA. If you would like to find out more information, scan the QR code or check out our website at www.unoh.edu.

Have A Memory? Show Us On Instagram!



With today's technology, it's easy to save and share our most memorable moments. Instagram is a platform created just for this reason! That's why UNOH wants to see any and all of your favorite memories on or off campus while you attended. Have a picture of you hanging out with your buddies in the dorms? Have a picture from graduation? Have a picture of you just having fun? We want to see it! Who knows, you might just find your picture regrammed by us! You can find UNOH on Instagram @UNOH_edu. While you're there, follow us, leave a comment, like some photos, or just browse! Using hashtags such as #UNOH, #UNOHLove, #Racergang, #UNOHPrize and more, we keep an eye out for great photos posted by our current students and alumni. If you would like to share your photos with us, simply use one of the above hashtags or tag @UNOH_edu in the photo. We can't wait to see what you share!

| Update Us!



Let us know how you're doing!

The University of Northwestern Ohio Alumni Department takes great interest in how our alumni are doing after graduating. Have you found a job? Have you found a job in your degree's field? Have you found your dream career? We want to know!

In addition to finding out how you're doing, the University is also interested in finding out how we might improve our programs for future students. We desire nothing more than to improve the quality of the programs at UNOH and no input is more important or invaluable than from those that have successfully completed them. Along with knowing what we could improve, we want to know what worked and what you enjoyed about your program.

To help easily collect this information from our alumni, we have created a quick and easy survey. If you would like to update us on how you're doing and give input on how to improve for the future, please fill out our survey at www.surveymonkey.com/s/UNOHAlumni. On behalf of the UNOH Alumni Department, we greatly appreciate your time and input and look forward to hearing from you!

| UNOH History



You are a part of UNOH History. See the parts you may have missed.

This year's graduation marked the 94th graduating class for the University of Northwestern Ohio. Through the 94 years of history, the University has undergone many changes, from name changes, leadership changes, location changes, to various campus expansions. Various generations from the Lima area and from around the world also have attended and graduated from the University, leaving their mark on our history. The above photo is just one of those many generations.

The photo was taken at the Northwestern School of Commerce's 1926 graduation ceremony, making them the 6th graduating class for the University. Since then, 88 more classes of students have graduated with many more to come. We look forward to the graduating students of the future and what mark they'll leave on our history.

July - September 2014

July

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July

- 18th - Limaland: 79th Anniversary Race (7:30 p.m.)
- 25th - Limaland: Frickie Memorial Thunderstock Select (7:30 p.m.)

August

- 1st - Alumni Night at Limaland Motorsports Park: Meet the Drivers Night (7:30 p.m.)
To RSVP, email zasnyder@unoh.edu with full name (including maiden name if applicable) and graduation year
- 8th - Limaland: NRA Challenge
- 15th - Limaland: 17th Annual Limaland Motorsports Park Season Championships
- 16th - Women's Soccer vs. Huntington University (3:00 p.m.)
- 25th - College of Applied Technologies: Session Begins
- 29th - Mens & Women's Tennis vs. Huntington University (4:00 p.m.)

September

- 1st - Labor Day: UNOH Offices Closed
- 6th - Men's Soccer vs. Saint Xavier University (3:00 p.m.)
- 6th - Men's & Women's Tennis vs. Indiana Wesleyan University (1:00 p.m.)
- 9th - Men's Soccer vs. Olivet College (4:00 p.m.)
- 10th - UNOH Volleyball vs. Siena Heights University (4:00 p.m.)
- 15th - College of Business, Health Professions, Occupational Professions, & Graduate College:
Fall Quarter Begins
- 17th - Men's Soccer vs. University of Rio Grande (4:00 p.m.)
- 24th - UNOH Volleyball vs. Aquinas College (7:00 p.m.)
- 26th - UNOH Volleyball vs. Lourdes University (7:00 p.m.)
- 27th - UNOH Volleyball vs. University of Michigan-Dearborn (1:00 p.m.)
- 27th - Women's Soccer vs. Cornerstone University (3:00 p.m.)

A Message From Nationwide



Nationwide®

Find a True Deal on Your Next Car

Visit Nationwide's Auto Shopping Service to find and finance your next set of wheels.

Buying a new car is exciting, but it often comes with unnecessary stress: driving all over town, feeling pressured by salespeople, and—worst of all—worrying if you're being overcharged. Nationwide's partnership with TrueCar takes the hassle out of car shopping and ensures you're getting a true deal.

Choose your ride

Search for the make, model, features and options you want—all in your area. It's like having access to a huge local inventory—without having to visit every dealership in town.

View straightforward numbers

See what dealers charge for your chosen vehicle—and compare those numbers to the manufacturer's price and even the average selling price. TrueCar's system tells you which prices are "Great" and which ones are "Above Market." Plus, you can link directly to auto financing information to learn exactly what your monthly payments would be.

Buy with confidence

Choose the best price and receive a Guaranteed Savings Certificate ensuring your deal. There is no obligation on your part: If you test-drive your chosen car only to decide it's not for you—no problem!

So forget the hassle-and-haggle of car shopping and focus on the thrill of buying a new ride—at a true deal. "Most people don't know if they got a great price when they drive off the lot," says Chris Yeloushan, director of partner development at TrueCar. "We want to give them that confidence."

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