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2025 ALUMNI NIGHT AT LIMALAND

The weather cleared up beautifully on Friday, July 18th, for over 100 UNOH alumni and their family members to join us for the Alumni Tailgate at Limaland Motorsports Park. What a great opportunity to reconnect, enjoy great company and great food!

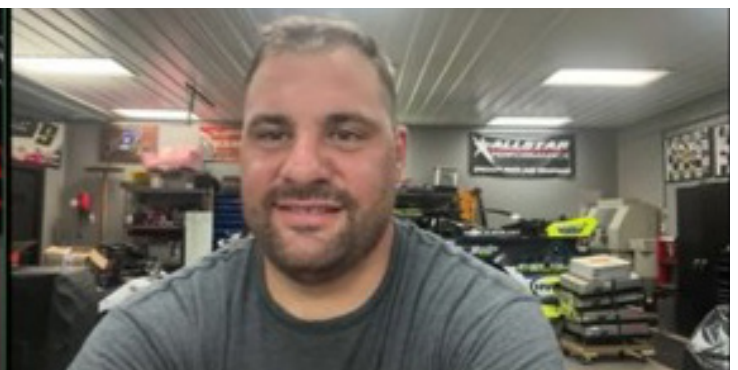
Our heartfelt thanks to all who attended and helped make the evening such a success. Special appreciation goes to our sponsors, Lendmark Financial (Robert Riley '13 & MBA '18) and Allstar Performance.

This event would not have been successful without the dedication of our volunteers. Thank you to staff members Tricia Patton, Maddie Downing, Loren and Jaci Korzen, and student volunteer Adam Z for their hospitality in welcoming our alumni.

We look forward to continuing this tradition and hope to see even more of you at next year's event!



Congratulations to UNOH Alumnus Tyler Davidson '22 on his Monster Jam Technician of the Year Award! You turned your passion for Monster Jam into a Career! Way to go!



Alex Eskridge sat down with UNOH Alumnus Chris Puskas '10 to talk about his experiences in the NASCAR Cup Series from late model racing, to sprint car stories. Discover how he applies the skills he gained at UNOH and as a member of the UNOH Motorsports Team to excel in his career today!

[WATCH THE INTERVIEW](#)



Alumni Spotlight: Matt Diano '11

After earning his Automotive and High Performance Motorsports Technology Degree in 2011, Matt Diano worked in the dealership world before making a bold move from his hometown in New Jersey to Seattle, WA.

From there, he merged his passion for the coffee industry and fixing machines while discovering his love for teaching and training.

Now Managing Partner of Coffee Doctors, Diano is blending his technical expertise and entrepreneurial spirit to build a growing business servicing commercial coffee equipment in the Pacific Northwest.

His story is a testament to adaptability, hands-on skill, and lifelong learning — all values honed during his time at UNOH.

[READ ABOUT MATT'S JOURNEY](#)



Take a Tour of Campus!

After 15 years, alumnus Dustin Bowers made his way back to campus for the first time since his last day of class in March 2009!

Last month, he and his wife, Amy—an automotive enthusiast herself—took a little vacation and traveled from the other side of Ohio to visit highlights like Racers Station and the Automotive and High Performance Motorsports buildings.

They were blown away by how much the university has grown and all the hands-on opportunities available to students today!

If you are a graduate interested in touring the campus, reach out to Melanie Barnas-Simmons: alumni@unoh.edu.

Visit Us at the Lima Farmers Market!

Mark your calendars for Saturday, August 23rd. The UNOH Alumni Association will have a booth at the Farmers Market at Racers Station on North Cable Road.

Come say hello, grab some UNOH swag, and learn how to stay connected with fellow Alumni!

While you're there, enjoy everything the market has to offer: Fresh, delicious local produce | Homemade baked goods | Natural soaps, plants, jams, and more.



Join us for the 7th Annual UNOH Sport Marketing & Management Golf Outing on Saturday, September 27, 2025 at Springbrook Golf Course.

The event supports our students heading to Super Bowl LX in San Francisco for a once-in-a-lifetime volunteer opportunity!

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