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Alumni Association Donates \$570,000 for the Health of Our College and Our Students



Roy Conliffe class of '72, Dr. John Strasser and Andrew Faas class of '72.

In October, St. Clair College announced the launch of its "Two Campus – One Goal" capital fundraising campaign to build state-of-the-art recreation, fitness and gym facilities at both of its Windsor and Chatham campuses.

The two-campus campaign target is \$23 million and, when complete, will provide HealthPlex facilities at both campuses that include fitness centres, gyms, running tracks, and classroom space for students, staff and the community.

The College announced that it has raised \$11,570,000 towards its goal thanks to generous donations made by a number of groups.

St. Clair College's Alumni Association was pleased to make the first announcement of their \$570,000 donation to the project. "We are pleased today to stand with our College, its students, alumni and friends who support this state-of-the-art health facility. It will dramatically elevate the quality of student life at St. Clair," says Laura Rauch, President of the Alumni Association.

Alumni Andrew Faas has donated \$1 million through his Faas Foundation. Mr. Faas is a semi-retired Executive Vice President of Shoppers Drug Mart, a St. Clair College Alumni of Distinction and a Premier's Award winner (1992). Mr. Faas graduated from St. Clair College in Business Administration in 1972.

"Today's students are looking for a wide range of amenities to round out their academic experience and recreation and fitness are high on their list of priorities," says College President, Dr. John



Don France, Alumni Association, Dr. John Strasser and Fred Sorrell, St. Clair College Foundation.

Strasser. "In order to attract the best and brightest students to St. Clair College, we must compete on an equal playing field with other post secondary institutions in the country. The St. Clair College HealthPlex will be such a facility."

The HealthPlex in Windsor will be a 75,000 sq. ft. facility with a 10,000 sq. ft. fitness centre, triple gym, classroom space, elevated running track and space for aerobics, pilates and yoga classes.

Chatham's 45,000 sq. ft. HealthPlex will feature a double gym, a running track, a 5,000 sq. ft. fitness centre, space for aerobics, pilates and yoga classes and classroom space.

Student Athletics Association President Lesley Marrocco is thrilled that the students supported this project. "This will allow us to organize bigger and better intramural sport leagues and events," says Marrocco. "Future students will have the opportunity to experience and enjoy these new services on campus."

Andrea McNeil, Student Representative Council President who worked to support the student referendum, says the HealthPlex is a win-win for the College and the community. "Promoting the idea of fitness, health and wellness for students is an important part of the role of educators."

Stephanie Simmons, Thames Students Inc. President who worked to support the student referendum, agrees. "Providing students with state-of-the-art facilities will help make our campus a destination for students for years to come."

With support from the community, various levels of government, business and industry the College anticipates opening both HealthPlexes in the Fall 2010.

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Alumni Golf Tournament July 26, 2008



Winners (L to R:) *Bob Stafford, Ed Deschutter, Travis Fanset.*
Missing from photo: *Dale Fanset.*



**Be sure to join in the fun
Saturday, July 25th 2009!
Kingsville Golf & Country Club**

NEW Chatham Residence Open for Students

The newly opened residence is nearly full. There are two residences housing 24 students in each adjoining block. These fully furnished, well-equipped units are home to four students per unit, each with their own room. Currently in the residence there are



students from as far away as Montreal or Geraldton and as close as Tilbury. The students' feedback thus far has been very positive and we look forward to what the future might hold. The residence is part of the plan for increasing enrollment at Thames to 1500 full time students and consolidation as a destination college. For more information on the NEW Chatham Residence please call 519-966-1601.

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Medical Laboratory Science

Christian Dault,
Medical Laboratory Science
June 2008 graduate,
received



Conrad, Christian and Jan

the 2008 Ontario Society of Medical Laboratory Technology (OSMT) Student Achievement Award in Ottawa on Oct. 31st. Presenting Christian with her award was Conrad Begin, V.P. OSMT and Jan Maxwell, Medical Laboratory Science Program Coordinator, St. Clair College.

Raise-A-Reader Day

St. Clair College Alumni Association was a proud sponsor of the Raise-a-Reader Day Wednesday, September 24, 2008.



The Raise-a-Reader Program increases awareness and raises money and other resources in support of family literacy programs throughout Canada. The St. Clair College Alumni Association sponsored the Raise-a-Reader Day Breakfast for over 150 volunteers from Windsor and Essex County. Business leaders, students, local celebrities and elected officials gave of their time to sell special-edition copies of The Windsor Star all over Windsor and Essex County.

St. Clair College Presents...

Jody Raffoul & Band

Saturday, January 10
at 9:00pm
Chrysler Theatre

Tickets \$22-\$25



Proceeds support the HealthPlex Campaign.



For tickets or more info, call the Box Office
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St. Clair College Proudly Represented at Ontario College Marketing Competition

Taking place in Niagara Falls, this competition brought 15 colleges together to compete in an all-Ontario Marketing Competition. Thursday night was the first major event to kick everything off in the Quiz Bowl. St. Clair had 4 students participate, Agnes Boutros, Jill Soucie, Jaclynn McKeown and Scott Despins. Boutros brought her team to victory with the first gold medal.

Friday was the main day of competition. Students were required to compete in case studies focusing on different aspects of marketing. They were paired in groups of 2 and given half an hour to read about a company's history and current issues. After the preparation time was over, students had another half hour to present their findings and solutions to a panel of judges. Representing St. Clair for Sales Management and the Retail Case were Frank Pirillo and Nick Mastromattei.

Rachel Christensen and Rochelle Howard participated in the Direct Marketing and Integrated Marketing Communications events. Jaclynn McKeown and Jillian Soucie demonstrated their Marketing case abilities and Ryan Best and Veronica Bulmer showed their Entrepreneurship and International Marketing skills. Ryan Best also competed with Agnes Boutros in the Marketing Research case.

Another event was the sales presentation, where Scott Despins prepared a presentation about advertising on Yahoo.ca to a panel of Canadian Tire executives. A simulated job interview was enacted with Jerzy Kubah as interviewee for the acclaimed Niagara wine company, Peller Estates. It proved to be a long and strenuous day on each of the participants; however, each student came out of their event feeling as if they



had done everything to the best of their abilities and St. Clair College was proudly represented!

Once the results were tallied, St. Clair was awarded a fourth-place finish by Veronica Bulmer and Ryan Best in the International Marketing Competition. To make this trip possible, the team fundraised and **was supported by the St. Clair College Alumni Association**. The team could not have done it without the support of their proud Faculty Coaches; Steve Janisse, Nicole Rourke, Garry Glatter, Floyd Simpkins, Phil Cohen and Paul Myers.

Article Written by: Scott Despins, Marketing Student

CALLING ALL COLLEGE GRADS!

If you are at that stage where you now have children contemplating their post secondary education, please bring them back to the campus. We're having an Open House on both campuses and we would love to see you. If you identify yourself as an alumni at the front desk, your name will go in a draw for your son or daughter to receive a \$1,000 entrance scholarship to the College. One scholarship will be offered at each campus.

Windsor Open House:

Tues. March 3, 2009 • 5:30 – 7:30 pm

Chatham Open House:

Wed. March 4, 2009 • 5:30 – 7:30pm

For information about the Open House call the Tour Hotline: 519-972-2760

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CHECK OUT THE COLLEGE'S NEW PROGRAMS

St. Clair College is always working on the development of leading-edge programs that address the needs of employers in our community and around the world.

New programs for 2008 - 2009 include:

WINDSOR CAMPUS

Web Communications Development

Fast Track (Starting Sept. 2009)
Students will earn a 3-year technologist's diploma in 21 months.

Power Engineering Technology

Mechanical – Fast Track
(Windsor Campus started 2008)
Students will earn a 3-year technologist's diploma in 23 months.

Welding Techniques

(Starts at Windsor Campus in Sept. 2009)

CHATHAM CAMPUS

Office Administration

Executive –Fast Track (Chatham Campus started 2008)
Students will earn a 2-year diploma in 3 semesters.

Esthetician – Fast Track
(Chatham Campus started in 2008)

Forty-First Annual Convocation



On Friday, October 17th, St. Clair College hosted the sixth session of the Forty-First Annual Convocation Ceremony in the Chrysler Theatre of the St. Clair Centre for the Arts. Over 500 graduates from various programs have now become alumni of the college with great pride. The afternoon's guest speaker was a 2008 Alumni of Distinction Award

winner, Ms. Nancy Berthiaume from Windsor Regional Hospital. Her encouraging words left the students with the confidence to enter the working world. The St. Clair College Alumni Association hosted these recent grads and their friends and family in a congratulatory reception.

2008 Alumni of Distinction



*Do you know of any
St. Clair Alumni
you would like
to see recognized?*

*Nominate them for our
2009 Alumni Awards
of Distinction!*

*Call or email the
Alumni Office with
your nomination.*

**Join us for our
2009 Alumni
of Distinction
Dinner**

**Friday, October 2nd
St. Clair Centre
for the Arts**



Nancy Berthiaume

Nursing '87

Clinical Practice Manager
Windsor Regional Hospital
(Windsor, ON)

In 1987, Nancy was recognized by St. Clair College as the recipient of the College's Student Leadership Award. It was only a few years after her college education that she started to lead the way in the health profession in the Windsor and Detroit health care community. Nancy has been the key person in local area hospitals, responsible for coordinating, supervising and educating staff in operating and recovery rooms. Nancy is a valuable member of the team of health professionals at Windsor Regional Hospital as their Clinical Practice Manager. As manager, she oversees the orientation of newly hired staff and the continuing education in the OR, Recovery Room and the Central Sterilization Room. She is also a trainer for hospital-wide nurse orientation.

Windsor Regional Hospital is modernizing their health care service by turning to electronic charting for patient care. Nancy is a "Super User" for the preparation and education of electronic charting for Preoperative Services.

With a wealth of experience in nursing care and administration, she has become an outstanding model of a health care professional for both her co-workers and patients.



Rick Farrow

Business

Administration '72

President & CEO
Russell A. Farrow Ltd.
(Windsor, ON)

In 1990, Rick was appointed to his current position of President and CEO of Russell A. Farrow Limited. He is part of the third generation of the Farrow family who manages the company. The Farrow Group of companies is the largest privately owned customs brokerage in Canada. It has 600 employees with 33 offices and warehouses throughout Canada and the United States. Founded in 1911, the Farrow Group provides a comprehensive range of integrated solutions to North American importers and exporters.

Rick has served eight years as a National Director of the Canadian Association of Customs Brokers. He is also an active member of the Detroit Michigan Chapter of the Young Presidents Organization (YPO) and is moderator for his YPO Forum group.

He has focused his personal interests in the volunteer support of the Windsor affiliate for Habitat for Humanity as board member and President. In 2005, Rick was fortunate to host former U. S. President Jimmy Carter and his wife, who came to Windsor as our part of Habitat for Humanity's Jimmy Carter Work Project, in which six homes were built.



Roseann Danese

Journalism '83

Assistant Managing Editor
The Windsor Star
(Windsor, ON)

Roseann always knew she wanted to be a journalist. How could she foresee, as a girl growing up in Amherstburg, that her work in journalism would have an impact on the lives of citizens and civic business in Windsor and Essex County?

Roseann's only employer has been The Windsor Star. She began working weekends while attending the college as a journalism student. She worked as an intern at school and then was hired by The Star after she graduated from St. Clair. Roseann received newspaper writing awards and nominations for her work on the articles "Our Troubled Children" and "Crack: An Unquenchable Fire". In 2005, she received the Rogers Cable Award for Municipal Writing with her work in investigating the City of Windsor's involvement with MFP Leasing. Roseann used her journalism skills, taught at St. Clair College, to investigate and help unravel many of the arrangements negotiated with MFP to assist the citizens of Windsor better understand what took place.

Today, Roseann works on the electronic online distribution of news on the internet for the immediate flow of news on the world wide web.



Gina Liovas

**Early Childhood
Education '87**

Administrator
CAW Child Care Centre
(Windsor, ON)

Gina has been instrumental in securing funding and exceptional child care for CAW workers and their families. This breakthrough concept of child care was started in Windsor by the CAW. Windsor was the only city in which all of the Big Three had manufacturing facilities. They promoted and enabled child care for CAW workers on day and evening shifts. There are now 3 of these centres across the province. The CAW believed it was imperative to meet the needs of shift-working parents who had to care for their children, from infant to twelve years old. Gina also worked toward a flexible model for child care in homes. Caregivers were recognized as employees, because they took care of their own and other children.

Gina heads the drive for child care in our area, bringing together new programs and partnerships with labour, government and parents.

Gina is the director of 73 staff in our area and is a mentor and resource to many of our present St. Clair College Early Childhood Education Alumni.



Jason Campigotto
Vicki Butzer
Blake Chamberlain
Architectural
Technology '05
 Award-Winning Architectural
 Design Team
 (Windsor, ON)

After graduating from St. Clair College in 2005, Jason, Vicki and Blake enrolled at Lawrence Technology Institute in Southfield, Michigan. All three continued their studies to earn their Bachelor of Science degrees in Architecture.

During their schooling at Lawrence Tech, all three classmates joined as an architecture team for a North American design competition. This student-design competition had 325 entries by students from more than 50 universities in the United States, Canada and Mexico.

The competition challenged student teams to submit plans to design the next "Museum of Steel" for the steel industry in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Our students worked together on the competition, including travelling to Pittsburgh in preparation for their entry.

Over the four months of this project, each of our alumni utilized his or her knowledge and skills learned on campus to produce the winning design in competition with their peers across North America.

All three students are now employed in their respective fields, with plans to pursue their Masters degrees in Architectural Design.



Raymond Payne
Electrical
Engineering '68
 President & CEO
 Chatham Kent Energy (CKE)
 (Chatham, ON)

Raymond graduated from W.O.I.T. (Western Ontario Institute of Technology), which was our campus in Windsor before St. Clair College was built. After his graduation, he began his professional career working at Ontario Hydro throughout the province. In 1998, he was

selected as the General Manager of both the Hydro and Water/Wastewater utilities for the PUC (Public Utility Commission) of Kent County. He has worked in management, marketing, sales and customer service. Raymond even found time to be an instructor at St. Clair College in Windsor, teaching marketing and sales.

In 2000, the Ontario Government deregulated the electrical distribution business. As a result, hydro and water utilities were separated. This restructuring formed Chatham Kent Energy Inc. (CKE). Raymond is the President and CEO, reporting to the Board of Directors. CKE is the holding company for Chatham Kent Hydro Inc., Chatham Kent Utility Services Inc. and Middlesex Power Distribution Corp.

CKE serves approximately 40,000 customers and is responsible for collections of \$85 million.

Raymond and his son are both proud alumni of St. Clair College.

- 1992 **Andrew Faas**, Business – Marketing, 1972 *
- 1993 **Dr. Lynne Sibley**, Secretarial Science – Executive, 1970
- 1994 **Lex Parker**, Motive Power Technician, 1973
- 1995 **Glenn Hornick**, Business – Accounting, 1971
- 1996 **Gerry Pelletier**, Business – Accounting, 1976
- 1997 **Dennis Hill**, Electrical / Electronics Engineering, 1971
Dr. Ken Schneider, Medical Laboratory Technology, 1980 *
John Smith, Business – Marketing, 1972
- 1998 **Bruce Baumann**, Business – Advertising, 1981
Robert Lawless, Chemical Engineering Technology, 1968
Patrick Soulliere, Business – Accounting, 1978
- 1999 **Jacqueline McCreary**, Nursing, 1974
Herbert Stammler, Mechanical Eng Technology, 1966
Dr. Rebecca Ward, Developmental Services Worker-Thames, 1977
- 2000 **Walter Fox**, Business Administration – Accounting, 1972
Timothy Kane, Business – Advertising, 1979
Hazel McDonald, Nursing, 1977 *
Ron Wingelaar, Plastics Technician, 1977
- 2001 **Alan Buterbaugh**, Business – Advertising, 1986
Bill Carter, Business, 1970
Guy Diponio, Industrial Engineering Technology, 1968
Dr. Sheila Horen, Medical Laboratory Technology, 1984
- 2002 **Paul Allsop**, Chemical Engineering Technology, 1965
Paulah Dauns, Mental Retardation Counsellor, 1974
Elaine Maloney, Pharmacy Assistant, 1979
Dr. Francis Ogunsakin, Business Administration – Accounting, 1982
- 2003 **Glen Angus**, Commercial Art, 1994
Dr. Laura Arbour, Nursing, 1976
Kent Billinghurst, Early Childhood Education, 1992
Cal Haddad, Business Administration – Marketing, 1968
Real Tanguay, Electrical / Electronics Engineering, 1972
- 2004 **Kay Douglas**, Business – Advertising, 1992
Mary Jo Haddad, Nursing, 1976 *
David Heyens, Business Administration – Marketing, 1981
Gerry Lesa, Electrical / Electronics Engineering, 1965
Lynn Martin, Business – Advertising, 1977
- 2005 **Joe DiGiorgio**, Business – Advertising, 1980
John Hall, Food Processing Technology, 1970
Dr. Shelley Lalani, Dental Assistant & Dental Hygiene, 1980 & 1983
Guy Parent, Security Administration, 1975
James Petrozzi, Mechanical Engineering, 1970
- 2006 **Michael Burns**, Child and Youth Worker, 1980
Diane Gagner, Office Administration – Legal, 1974
Jason Newhook, Electrical Engineering Technology, 1993
Christopher Popowich, Lighting & Sound, 1975
Dr. Lawrence Schmidt, Medical Laboratory Technology, 1973
- 2007 **Roy Conliffe**, Industrial Engineering, 1972
Lu-Ann Cowell, Developmental Services Worker, 1975
Mike Gibb, Journalism, 1998
Frank Mocerri, Business – Accounting, 1980
Lynda Monik, Nursing, 1980
Cheryl Rettig, Journalism, 2006

*Notes Premier Award winner

SAINTS Fall Sport Wrap-up

The 2008 Fall Varsity season came to a close just in time for the cold weather to hit.

Women's Fastball

Saints Fastball Crowned Provincial Champions. Host St. Clair College was crowned as the 2008 OCAA Women's Fastball Champions with two upset wins in the Final round against the favoured Durham Lords from Oshawa. This marks

the 2nd Championship for the Saints, who last won the crown in 2005.

St. Clair began the day with a 9-2 win over Mohawk in the Bronze Medal game. St. Clair needed to defeat Durham twice in order to take the Gold medal. They came out in convincing fashion in the opening game and held an 11-2 advantage in the 5th inning. Durham made the game quite close, loading the bases in the 7th inning before falling 11-8. St. Clair capped the day with a great pitching performance from Kandice Bagley who threw a complete game 4-hitter and earned a 2-0 shut-out win.

Men's Soccer

Saint's Men's Soccer Made it to Provincials. The St. Clair College Saints Men's Soccer team Cinderella season came to an upsetting halt at the OCAA Championships in Ottawa in late October. The Saints almost continued their great run, but suffered

a tough 2-1 loss to the host Algonquin Thunder. Coach Mike Baraslievski was extremely proud of his team's season. "For our young team to get to the Championships was a great accomplishment and something St. Clair College and the team should be very proud of...we can't wait to contend for an OCAA Championship next season."

Men's Baseball

Baseball Ends Season at National Semi-Final. The St. Clair College Men's Baseball ended their season with a Championship Semi-Final loss to host McGill University by a score of 5-4. Catcher Anthony Peticca was named Player of the Game for St. Clair and also earned CIBA-ABIC National honours as a member of the All-Tournament team. **The National Championship tournament will be hosted by St. Clair in 2010.**

For more information: www.saintsathletics.ca.



Alumni Hockey Tourney 2009

In October, Thames campus hosted an Alumni Hockey Tournament. Our first Alumni Tournament started small, with only four teams entered. This included three teams of alumni and a team of current students and faculty from Thames Campus. We had an excellent tournament with the current student/faculty team winning the trophy. We are hoping to host another Alumni Hockey Tournament in late March or early April. This tournament

is open to all St. Clair College alumni who are interested in playing hockey. Our 2009 tournament date has not been confirmed at this time. We would like to see what interest there is from local and area alumni.

Interested parties please contact Tom Doxtator: 519-354-9100 ext. 3256 tdoxtator@stclaircollege.ca

Coach Hoffman Joins The Windsor/Essex Sports Hall of Fame

Al Hoffman was born in Windsor, Ontario, on May 27, 1936. His name, synonymous with St. Clair College, was first known for being their men's basketball coach from 1967-1980, compiling an Ontario College Athletic Association record of 175-54 while winning 3 division titles, a co-championship in 1968, and 2-time OCAA coach of the year honours. He was the first athletic director of St. Clair College and oversaw their varsity teams' expansion from 6 to 14 sports. He developed the first athletic scholarship plan in

the Ontario College system. Other administrative accomplishments included: President of the OCAA (1969-71) and of the CCAA (1978-82), Secretary of the OCAA (1967-69) and of the CCAA (1973-75), BB Convenor of the OCAA (1967-69), BB Convenor of the CCAA (1973-78), formation of the "Saints Booster Club", St. Clair's community membership plan, and athletic fundraisers involving alumni and



local businesses. In 2005, Hoffman was inducted into the St. Clair College Sports Hall of Fame.

Over the years, Hoffman has received many accolades including: the Windsor & District Basketball Referees Association for outstanding service as a player and coach, Ontario Premier's office for their Sport Recognition Award, and induction into the Ontario College Athletic Association's Hall of Fame (2005).



Jack Costello, Al Hoffman, Dr. John Strasser, Jerry Serviss and Doug Queen.



Al Hoffman and Dr. John Strasser.

Family Fun Day



Our 1st Annual Family Fun Day, Sunday, August 24th was a great success!

Approximately two thousand people came by the college to enjoy this one-of-a-kind Alumni & Friends event. We enjoyed the clowns, dog show, kids' activities, live entertainment, classic car show, barbecue, magicians, a meet & greet with some of the Windsor Spitfire Hockey Players, free swimming and Windsor's largest garage sale!

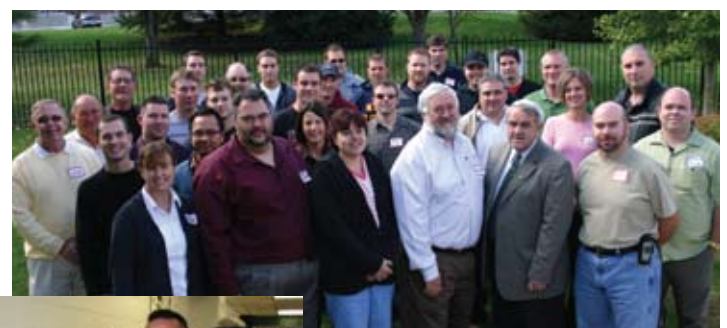
We will be hosting our 2nd Annual Family Fun Day Sunday, August 23rd, 2009.

Mechatronics Reunion October '08

Great memories were rekindled and old friendships were renewed at the first reunion of Mechatronics and Energy Management students. On October 18th, graduates of these two programs came back to Thames Campus to meet with their former professors, chairs and administrators. It was an opportunity for the grads to see what the college was working on in their community and Dr. Strasser outlined current plans for the college. The grads also had a chance to tour the labs and facilities as they are today and meet some of the students enrolled in the program. Some also took advantage of our golf course and played a few holes.

It was exciting to see the grads and hear what wonderful projects they are working on now. They shared some food and drink as well as stories from the field. Friendly faces who were working in places as far as Mexico, B.C., and Vermont, came to join in and reminisce. The Alumni and current students pitched in to make this event a success. Many who came expressed the hope that they could do it again on a regular basis.

If you happened to miss this year's event, however, and would like to be informed and/or participate in any future gatherings, please feel free to contact Keith Bruce at kbruce@stclaircollege.ca.



**CANADIAN SKILLS COMPETITION
MECHATRONICS WINNERS 07/08
Jamie Feenstra and Andrew Marcolin**

Mantra-For your home!

While on a Rotary exchange program in high school, I discovered talented local artists from small villages and realized how little exposure they had. From that moment, I knew that one day I would find a way to help bring their work to the homes of others.

Upon my return, I spoke with Mr. Art Whited, former program director at St. Clair College for the International Business program. He talked about the program's initiatives and their industry connections, and so I realized this program was to be the perfect fit with my passion.

From day one we were given opportunities to apply the course content hands-on. The professors put us to work on real-world projects, business plans and marketing research. For those willing to look, St. Clair is filled with a world of experiences. One opportunity included a trade mission to Mexico where I conducted primary research regarding the exportation of an educational program. For another opportunity I was chosen to participate in the North American Mobility Program in Mexico. I can't stress enough that what you put into your studies is what you get out of it. St. Clair has superb industry connections, so take advantage of them!

Travelling The World

I've travelled across the globe immersing in various cultures through study, work and adventurous explorations. I lived in the jungle, the tropics, the mountains, on the beach and in bustling cities.

I have been fortunate to realize many of my dreams, including travel, International Business and highlighting phenomenal artists, artists who create intricate handcrafted pieces for people like you and I to appreciate. Imagine seeing, first-hand, an artist take two weeks to bead a purse, or observe another artist meticulously carve circles on the edges of a couch - which is now in my store.

Defining My Mantra

It was during a period when I was in Indonesia managing a resort that I decided to find a way to bring the world back home - I decided to open my store: Mantra for the Home & Accessories.

Discover Your Mantra

Mantra for the Home & Accessories offers original, one-of-a-kind pieces at an affordable value. Our unique exotic home décor is environmentally friendly



Joanna Oczachowski
2000 Alumnist, International
Business Program, Rainforest.



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St. Clair College needs your help!

SUPPORT STUDENT HEALTH & WELLNESS

In order for St. Clair College to attract the best and brightest students we must provide health and wellness facilities that allow them to engage in a wide range of activities. This includes gymnasiums, a fitness centre, running track and aerobics centre. These amenities will enable the College to compete on an equal playing field with other post secondary institutions. The new St. Clair College HealthPlex will be such a facility. We need your help to make this dream a reality.

WE'RE ON THE RIGHT TRACK

We were pleased to receive the \$570,000 contribution from our Alumni Association. This significant alumni gift and a generous \$1,000,000 contribution from our student body combined with other donations from staff, alumni, community friends, and other donors, puts us half way to our goal.

Dr. John A. Strasser
President, St. Clair College

Invest for the Health of it

Windsor Campus HealthPlex

Thames Campus HealthPlex

I personally invite you to be part of this exciting capital campaign. Call me at (519) 972-2701 to discuss what you could do to help the students of tomorrow. For information about the campaign call our Foundation Office at (519) 972-2746 or pledge on line at www.stclaircollege.ca.

ST. CLAIR COLLEGE