



The 188th Convocation Ceremony took place on August 21st, 2019. Due to imminent inclement weather, a shortened ceremony was held on the south side of Pennsylvania Hall. Public Policy Professor Anne Douds, Student Orientation Coordinator Julianna Pestretto '21, and President Iuliano welcomed the Class of 2023. Students then passed through Penn Hall and greeted their families for the first time as matriculated Gettysburgians.

Convocation





First-Year Walk

On August 22nd, following a heavy rainstorm, the Class of 2023 gathered in the Chapel to participate in their first Gettysburg tradition. As the skies cleared, the students made the walk from campus to the National Cemetery to honor the walk previous students took in 1863 to hear President Lincoln deliver his Gettysburg Address. Students heard a recitation of the Address and took a moment to reflect on what they might accomplish and achieve in the next four years.



Homecoming Weekend

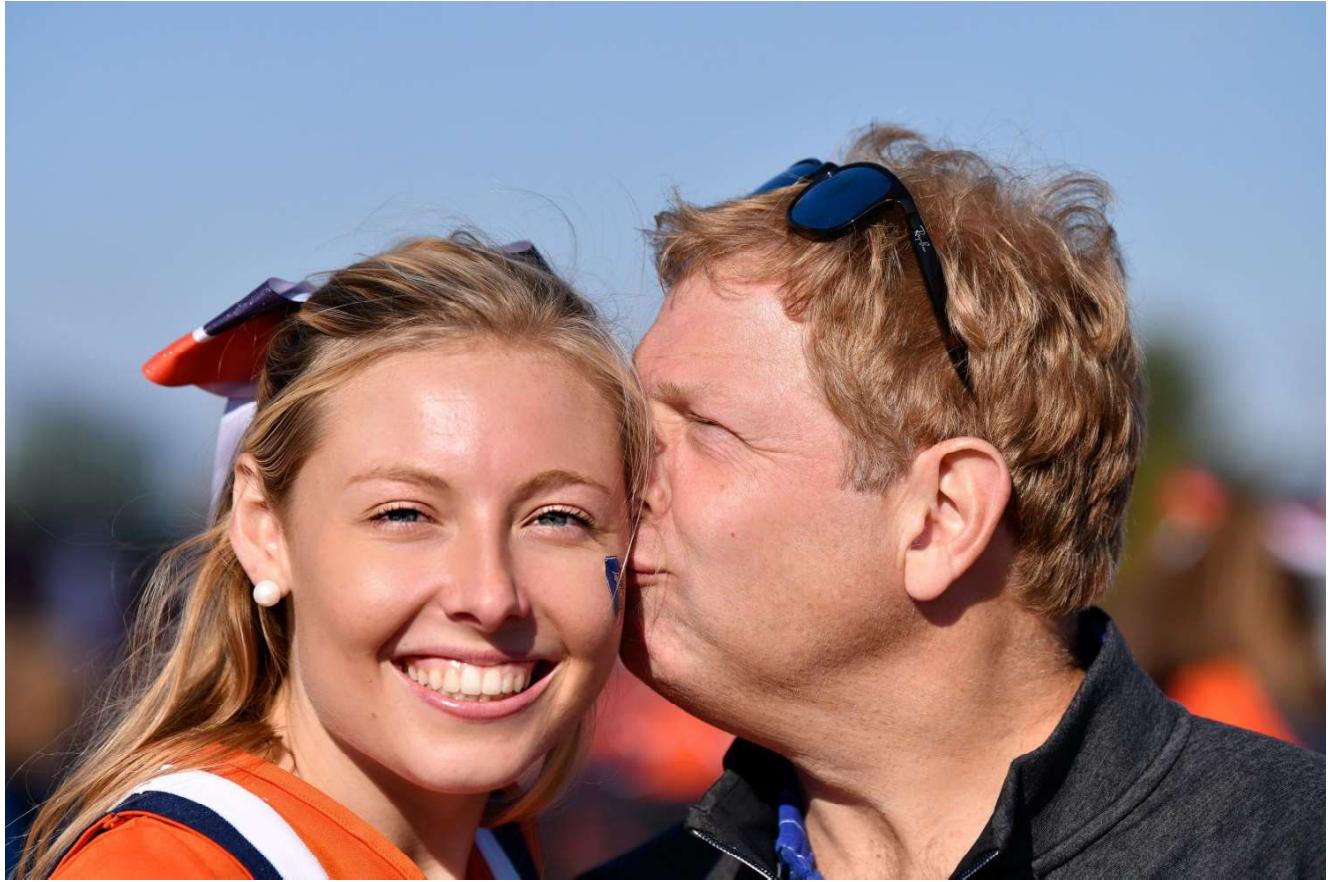




This year's Homecoming Weekend was celebrated from October 4th through 6th. Alumni from many classes returned to campus; the Class of 2014 held its Five Year Reunion, and a few 1950s graduates were spotted checking in at the CUB. Despite the energized crowd, Gettysburg's football team fell to Moravian College 33 to 16. Nevertheless, the festivities continued at several Greek Life reunions and the All Campus Party where current students and alumni were able to connect, relax, and have some fun.



Family Weekend





Family Weekend 2019 was held from November 1st through the 3rd. Families were able to attend lectures with their students, watch a wide variety of athletic events, tour Schmucker Art Gallery, or attend the 7th Annual X-SIG Poster Presentation. There were also many events hosted by student clubs and organizations over the weekend, opportunities for family photos by the fountain, and chances to attend a Planetarium show.

The Bullets had a very successful athletic weekend. While the Football team lost to Susquehanna 13-56, the Field Hockey and Volleyball teams beat Dickinson 3-2 and 3-0, respectively. The Swim teams triumphed over Washington College- Women's 207-50 and Men's 197-58- and the Men's Soccer team won 2-1 over Ursinus.

Bullets



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| 42 | Football | 46 | Cross Country | 52 | Basketball | 59 | Softball |
| 44 | Cheerleading | 48 | Soccer | 54 | Swimming | 60 | Tennis |
| 45 | Field Hockey | 50 | Volleyball | 56 | Golf | 62 | Track and Field |
| 51 | Wrestling | 58 | Baseball | 64 | Lacrosse | | |

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Football





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| Bridgewater | L | 10-41 |
| Ursinus | L | 10-48 |
| Dickinson | L | 20-56 |
| McDaniel | L | 22-32 |
| Moravian | L | 16-33 |
| Juniata | W | 31-28 |
| Johns Hopkins | L | 7-63 |
| Susquehanna | L | 13-56 |
| Muhlenberg | L | 3-44 |
| Franklin and Marshall | L | 7-55 |







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| Shenandoah | L | 1-4 |
| Washington and Lee | W | 2-0 |
| Catholic | L | 2-3 |
| Cabrini | W | 7-1 |
| Alvernia | W | 3-2 (OT) |
| Muhlenberg | W | 4-0 |
| Lebanon Valley | W | 2-1 |
| Washington | W | 2-1 (OT) |
| McDaniel | W | 7-0 |
| Ursinus | L | 0-3 |
| Stevenson | W | 1-0 |
| Bryn Mawr | L | 2-3 (2OT) |
| Messiah | L | 0-4 |
| Haverford | W | 1-0 (OT) |
| Franklin and Marshall | L | 0-3 |
| Swarthmore | L | 2-3 |
| Johns Hopkins | L | 4-6 |
| Dickinson | W | 3-2(OT) |
| Bryn Mawr | W | 1-0 |
| Johns Hopkins | L | 4-5 |

Gettysburg produced an 11-9 overall record and finished 5-5 in the conference. The team qualified for the postseason for the first time since 2012 and earned a 1-0 victory over Bryn Mawr College in the opening round. Against sixth-ranked Centennial Conference champions Johns Hopkins, the Bullets fought until the final buzzer before falling to a 5-4 decision in the semifinals.





10-1 Women's Swimming



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| Bryn Mawr | W | 167-38 |
| Washington | W | 207-50 |
| Susquehanna | W | 153-51 |
| McDaniel | W | 111-43 |
| Ursinus | W | 185-77 |
| Messiah | W | 138-47 |
| Gettysburg Invitational Day 1 | W | 1st of 7 |
| Gettysburg Invitational Day 2 | W | 1st of 7 |
| Catholic | W | 204-58 |
| Mary Washington | W | 141-121 |
| Swarthmore | L | 68-137 |
| Dickinson | W | 140-64 |
| Franklin and Marshall | W | 166-96 |
| CC Championship Day 1 | - | 2nd of 7 |
| CC Championship Day 2 | - | 2nd of 7 |
| CC Championship Day 3 | - | 1st of 7 |
| CC Championship Day 4 | - | 1st of 7 |

For the first time in program history, Gettysburg College swept the top awards for the Centennial Conference in 2020. Senior Kate Grilly of Shrewsbury, NJ, was named Outstanding Performer of the Meet, first-year Talia Moss of Toronto, Ontario, earned Outstanding Rookie Performer, and Head Coach Greg Brown landed Coach of the Year in his inaugural season with the Bullets.





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Men's Swimming

Gettysburg finished runner-up at the CC Championship meet and trailed champion Franklin & Marshall College by just 18.5 points, marking the closest finish in 17 years.

Junior Jack Edelson of Charlotte, N.C. and freshman Nick Cox of Purcellville, Va earned All-Centennial Conference First Team status to lead Gettysburg College's postseason awards in Men's swimming.

A total of seven Bullets earned all-conference recognition with first-place finishers at the CC Championship earning first-team and runner-up finishers landing honorable mention.



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| Washington | W | 197-58 |
| Susquehanna | W | 156-49 |
| McDaniel | W | 132-30 |
| Ursinus | W | 158-104 |
| Messiah | W | 134-52 |
| Gettysburg Invitational Day 1 | W | 1st of 6 |
| Gettysburg Invitational Day 2 | W | 1st of 6 |
| Catholic | W | 182-79 |
| Mary Washington | W | 159-103 |
| Swarthmore | L | 97-108 |
| Dickinson | W | 136-68 |
| Franklin and Marshall | L | 112-147 |
| CC Championship Day 1 | - | 2nd of 6 |
| CC Championship Day 2 | - | 2nd of 6 |
| CC Championship Day 3 | - | 1st of 6 |
| CC Championship Day 4 | - | 2nd of 6 |