

# THE VALLEY PAD

Official Newsletter of the Jackson-Hinds Alumni Chapter  
Mississippi Valley State University National Alumni Association, Inc.

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Mary Crump, President

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## President's Desk -

Greetings Fellow Alumni and Friends

**JSU-ASU-MVSU**

Jackson State University- Alcorn State University-Mississippi Valley State University

## 25<sup>th</sup> Year of J.A.M.!

It's that time of the year again where we come to celebrate and suggest who will be the brightest star this *upcoming football season*. We are always betting we will move forward and we can say we did move forward under Coach Comegy's leadership. Remember he brought in over 40 freshman last season and each game they made progress. Well just think what they will do this season, no injuries and ready to play. More practice and playing mean greater success. You can see we are on the way, the other need is your financial assistance. The team has many needs and if you are a football fan, *please be available with your support on August 15, 2016 5:00 p.m.* to hear what Coach Comegy has to say about the football team. You really do not want to miss this opportunity and show JSU and ASU we will have the largest numbers in attendance and support. *Wear your Valley Green and White!!! WE CAN DO THIS!!!*

## Salute!! Alumni making a difference:

Anderson, Mildred	Clayborne, Harrison	Lucas, Kathern	Vaughn, Rose
Anderson, Eddie	Cole, Ron	McKinney, Sallie	Washington, Rodney
Bass, Cecelia	Cooper, Carol	McNeil-Smith, Susie	Watkins, Earl
Bennett, Sarah	Course, Katie	Miller, Shirley	Weathers, Lori
Booker, Walter	Cropper, James	Mims, John	Weddington, Della
Boyd, Samuel	Crump, Mary E.	Minter, Marilyn	White, Howard
Bridges, Bernard	Davidson, Roy	Moore, Lois Jean	Whitehead, Jessica
Bridges, Anthony	Ford, Barry	Neal, Vera	Williams, Rufus
Bridges, Larry	Glover, Bonnie Bunch	Nichols, Walter	Williams, Ellen
Bridges, Ira	Green, Willie	Orey, Byon	Williams, Leonette
Bridges-Jordan, Karolyn	Harris, Rosetta	Ratliff, Verlean	Williams, Ivory
Briggs, Eartha	Hart, Joan	Sanders, Herman	Williams, Thaddeus
Bryant, Kathryn	Hayes, Sr., Robert	Shelton, Jerome	Wilson, Fredrick
Buckanan, Clifton	Ivory, Elsie	Southward, Gloria	Wilson, Esther
Carson, Angela	Jones, Margaret	Southward, W.E.	Yates, Frank A.
Carthan, Willie	King, Theophilus	Stokes, Faye	
Carthan-Terry, Ciissy	Larry, Jason	Turner, Alma	

**Updates:** Please let us know what you and other alums are doing. Please send an email to [marve717@aol.com](mailto:marve717@aol.com) and we will print it in the monthly newsletter.

*"WE NEED YOU" "One Goal - One Team - One Valley"*

## Pledges-Recruitment and Giving

We need your support in giving for academics and athletics to assist in helping students at the university. We do need to recruit and retain students. This is our means to continue moving the university forward. Please give... it did help you and me. One thing to remember, "Valley students keep the doors open", "giving keeps the students". It's up to you.

*Make it happen in 2016! We need your dues.*

**Dues** – *Please note* the total local and national annual alumni dues are \$100.00. The national dues are \$50.00 per year and Jackson-Hinds annual dues are \$50. *Thank you to...*

**NOTE: Please send dues payment to:**

Jackson-Hinds MVSU Alumni  
Post Office Box 9868 Jackson, MS 39286

**The 25<sup>th</sup> Business Scholarship Luncheon!!!** The Jackson-Hinds December 2, 2016 Luncheon marks our *25<sup>th</sup> Annual Business Scholarship Luncheon*. *Every real Valley supporter* in the past has been requested to contribute at least \$100 and buy/sell a table of ten, *but if each Valley graduate on our roster (200 +) will*

contribute \$250 we will meet our goal/challenge \$50,000. Please start at this time to work on this challenge. All Jackson-Hinds contributions/donations go directly to the University to help students. This will be our 25<sup>th</sup> year and we must make it really, really big. **Please start today!!!!!!**

EVENT	DATE & TIME	LOCATION
J.A.M (JSU, ASU, MVSU) <i>WEAR GREEN and WHITE!</i>	August 15, 2016 5:00 p.m.	Jackson Medical Mall
25 <sup>th</sup> J-Hinds Scholarship Luncheon	December 2, 2016 11:45 a.m.	Fondren Hall <i>(formerly Primos Northgate-North State Street)</i>

**NEXT J-H MVSU Alumni Meeting**

**Sunday, July 24, 2016 4:00 PM Jackson Medical Mall (Near Subway)**

**Annual Membership Enrollment/Giving (Clip and return to the address below)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class of \_\_\_\_\_ Home # \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Place of Employment/Job Title \_\_\_\_\_ Work # \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_  
Check membership desired. Year of Graduation/Major \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Local & National Dues (One Year) – \$100.00  
\_\_\_\_\_ National Alumni Dues (Life Membership) - \$500.00  
\_\_\_\_\_ Local Alumni Dues (One Year) - \$50.00 (Those who are already National Life Members)  
\_\_\_\_\_ *Scholarship Pledge--25<sup>th</sup> Annual Jackson-Hinds MVSU Scholarship Luncheon- Goal \$50,000*

Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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*The Jackson-Hinds Valley Alumni wants you to...*

*PLEDGE-NOW!!!*

*CELEBRATE! Jackson-Hinds' 25th Annual Business Scholarship Luncheon*  
**Goal - \$50,000**

**SPONSORSHIP LEVELS**  
*Monthly Payments (5)*

<b>GRAND SPONSOR</b>		<b>\$5,000.00</b>
	<i>Monthly</i>	<i>Monthly</i>
Platinum	\$2,000	<u>\$400</u>
Gold	\$1,000	<u>\$200</u>
Silver	\$500	<u>\$100</u>
Bronze	\$250	<u>\$ 50</u>

**It is up to us!**

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