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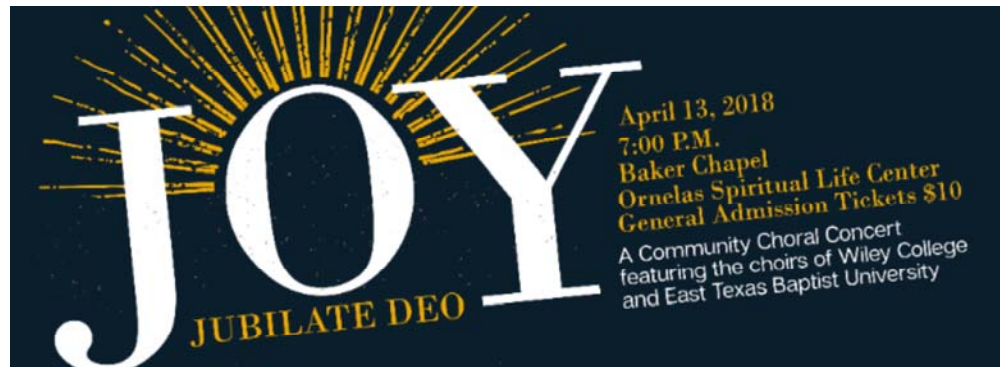


ETBU Volleyball Serves in Serbia through TAME

The East Texas Baptist University Volleyball Team spent Spring Break in Eastern Europe as a part of the Tiger Athletic Mission Experience (TAME) program. The group of 16, led by Vice President for Athletics Ryan Erwin and his wife, Kristy, along with Head Volleyball Coach Keely Peterson, partnered with two University alumni serving overseas. Through the program, the Tigers were able to engage in outreach by hosting volleyball clinics, teaching English, and competing with local club teams.

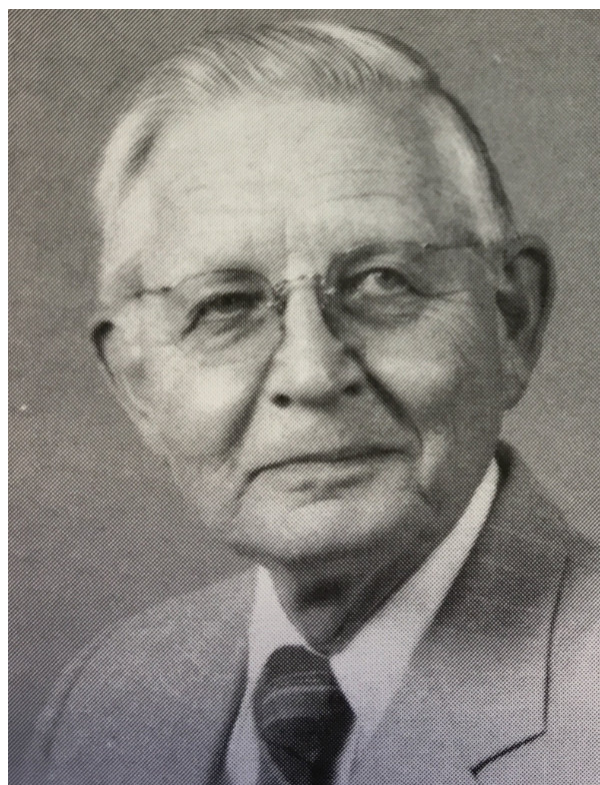
“We went to Eastern Europe to make a difference and in turn, I have been encouraged by the growth seen in our team’s spiritual walk,” Peterson said. “Our host family taught me several things through their ministry and how to love others like Jesus does. They put their full trust in God with their jobs, finances, children and more, setting an incredible example of faith for us,” senior Abby Weaver said. “They took us in like we were family and gave us the opportunity to do what we love, play volleyball, and take those relationships off the court, and then have conversations with the girls about the Gospel. Seeing how they live by faith and love others so well is something that will forever stay with me and challenge me in my personal relationship with God.”

The trip to Eastern Europe was the fifth TAME global mission experience for ETBU Tiger student-athletes. Head Coach Brandon Curran will be taking the East Texas Baptist University Men's Basketball team to Israel in May. To support the trip to Israel or the TAME program, visit www.etbu.edu/give or contact Vice President for Athletics, Ryan Erwin at 903.923.2226.



ETBU & Wiley Combined Choirs Concert

The East Texas Baptist University Concert Choir will unite with the Wiley College A *Cappella* Choir to perform selected works by internationally acclaimed composer Dr. Roland Carter and one of the most performed new choral works by Dan Forrest entitled, *Jubilate Deo*. The concert, scheduled on Friday, April 13 at 7:00 p.m., will be performed in Baker Chapel in the Ornelas Spiritual Life Center on the ETBU campus. The choirs will be joined by a full orchestra to perform this program of all sacred works. General Admission tickets are \$10 and can be purchased at the door.



Donor Establishes the Dr. Ben Condray Endowed Scholarship

Through the years, East Texas Baptist University has been blessed with outstanding professors who are considered legends in the eyes of their former students. They challenged their students to think critically and pushed them to be the best they could be. One such professor is Dr. Ben Condray. A donor recently honored the contribution of Dr. Condray by establishing the Dr. Ben Condray Endowed Scholarship. The scholarship will be awarded to students who major or minor in Chemistry.

Dr. Condray began his time in the Chemistry Department at ETBC in 1950 and retired in 1987. He impacted many lives during his time on the Hill, both in and beyond the classroom. East Texas Baptist chemistry students have enjoyed successful careers as doctors, researchers, business leaders, and educators. The establishment of the Dr. Ben Condray Endowed Scholarship will ensure that future ETBU chemistry students will have the financial support needed to achieve their educational goals. East Texas Baptist wants our current and future chemistry students to become Christian servant leaders in whatever field God calls them to serve.

To contribute to the Dr. Ben Condray Endowed Scholarship, visit www.etbu.edu/give, or contact Dr. Scott Bryant in the Office of Advancement at 903.923.2069.

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Conference events include corporate worship, preaching, Bible Studies, concerts, breakout sessions, and dessert fellowships. The cost for participants wanting on-campus accommodations is \$209. For commuters or those staying off campus, the cost is \$150. The fee includes seven meals, concert tickets, and admittance to all conference events. Enjoy on-campus housing in ETBU's beautiful Centennial Hall and meals in ETBU's Dining Hall. Learn more and register at www.etbu.edu/sac18. For more information, contact the Office of University Advancement at hilltopu@etbu.edu or 903-923-2068.





Help us connect with ETBU or ETBC Tigers!

We are looking for our alumni and need your help. Please look at the link below to see who we are trying to locate. We want to keep all of our alumni informed about the exciting things happening on the Hill! If you see a college friend or former Tiger classmate on the list, encourage them to submit their current contact information. Please help spread the word on social media as well.

[ETBU Lost Alumni](#)

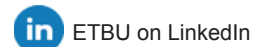
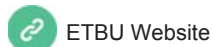
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