

WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY FORENSICS

1986-1987

YEAR-END SUMMARY

WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY FORENSICS MEMBERS

Director of Forensics
Allan D. Louden

Director of Debate
Ross K. Smith

Assistant Debate Coaches
Diana Pahl
Taishen Siao
Ronald Wastyn

Forensics Members: 1986-1987 Squad

Mark Bailey ('89, Vice-President, Richmond, VA)
Gloria Cabada ('88, President, Bronx, NY)
Alan Coverstone ('90, Social Chairman, Peoria, IL)
Scott Curnutte ('88, Charleston, WV)
Delphine Davison ('89, Librarian, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI)
Scott DeMarchi ('90, Southbury, CT)
Christopher Frosch ('88, North Miami, FL)
David Gainey ('89, Historian, Richmond, VA)
Bryan Garrett ('90, Morganton, NC)
Kasey Griffin ('88, Montrose, AL)
John Griffiths ('90, Jacksonville, FL)
Andrew Hart ('88, Wayne, PA)
Christopher Hoerter ('90, Monitor, Winter Park, FL)
Jeff Hrdlicka ('88, Greensboro, NC)
Seth Kahn ('90, Atlanta, GA)
Judd Kimball ('90, Treasurer, Wilmington, NC)
Will Moore ('89, Chair, Public Debate, Richmond, VA)
John Oehlers ('88, Haddenfield, NJ)
David Reeves ('89, Jacksonville, FL)
Lyle Scruggs ('90, Matthews, NC)
David Vann ('90, Matthews, NC)

A YEAR WITH THE WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY DEBATE TEAM 1986-1987

August 18-20	Pre-School Debate Retreat	Fancy Gap, VA
September 19-21	Wake Forest Univ National	Winston-Salem, NC
October 3-5	Earlybird H.S. Invitational Earlybird Debate Tournament Vanderbilt University	Nashville, TN
October 10-11	Washington and Lee Debates Washington and Lee University	Lexington, VA
October 11-13	Henry Clay Debates University of Kentucky	Lexington, KY
October 17-18	Liberty Debates Liberty Baptist University	Lynchburg, VA
October 17-19	Mercer Debates Mercer University	Macon, GA
October 23	International Debate at W.F.U. British National Team	Winston-Salem, NC
November 1-3	Peachtree Debates Emory University	Atlanta, GA
November 8-10	Derby City Debates University of Louisville	Louisville KY
November 14-16	Samford Debates Samford University	Birmingham, AL
November 22-24	Franklin R. Shirley Dixie Classic Wake Forest University	Winston-Salem, NC
November 28-30	Tarheel Debates Univ. of NC at Chapel Hill	Chapel Hill, NC
December 29-31	Alan Nichols Debates Univ. of Southern California	Los Angeles, CA
January 2-4	"Winter in the Sun" Calif. State Univ. at Fullerton	Fullerton, CA
January 16-18	Robert D. Tysinger Debates West Georgia University	Carrollton, GA
January 21-23	Harvard Round Robin Harvard University	Cambridge, MA
January 24-26	Dartmouth Debates Dartmouth College	Hanover, NH
January 30-	U.S. Naval Academy Debates	
February 1	U.S. Naval Academy	Annapolis, MD
February 8-10	Owen L. Coon Memorial Northwestern University	Evanston, IL
February 13-15	Buckeye Invitational Ohio State Universtiy	Columbus, OH
February 24	RJR-Nabisco Public Forum Wake Forest University	Winston-Salem, NC
February 28-	District VI National Qualifier	Gatlinburg, TN
March 2		
March 13-15	ADA National Debate Tournament George Mason University	Fairfax, VA
March 20-22	National Novice Tournament Northwestern University	Evanston, IL
March 26-30	National Debate Tournament Illinois State University	Normal, IL

WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY DEBATE TEAM

1985-1986 SEASON

RESOLVED: That one or more presently existing restrictions on 1st Amendment freedoms of speech and/or press established in 1 or more federal court decisions should be curtailed or prohibited.

Pre-School Debate Retreat, Fancy Gap, VA
August 18-20.

Participants: Mark Bailey, Gloria Cabada, Alan Coverstone, David Gainey, Bryant Garret, Christopher Hoerter, Seth Kahn, Judd Kimball, Allan Loudon, Will Moore, Diana Pahl, Lyle Scruggs, Taishen Siao, Ross Smith, David Vann, Ronald Wastyn.

Earlybird Debate Tournamet, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN. October 3-5

Participants: Varsity: Mark Bailey & Gloria Cabada
Jr. Var: Alan Coverstone & Judd Kimball
Scott deMarchi & Lyle Scruggs
Seth Kahn & David Vann
CEDA: John Griffiths & David Reeves

Coach/Judges: Diana Pahl, Taishen Siao, Ross Smith, Ronald Wastyn.

Honors: Bailey/Cabada Octafinalists, Varsity
Coverstone/Kimball 3rd Place, JV
DeMarchi/Scruggs 5-1 not advancing to elims

Washington & Lee Debates, Washington and Lee University, Lexington, VA.
October 10-11

Participants: Novice: Scott Curnutte & Jeff Hrdlicka
Andrew Hart & John Oehlers

Coaches/Judges: Taishen Siao

Henry Clay Debate Tournament, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY.
October 11-13

Participants: Varsity: Mark Bailey & Gloria Cabada
CEDA: Chris Hoerter & Bryan Garrett

Coaches/Judges: Ross Smith & Allan Loudon.

Liberty Baptist Debate Tournament, Liberty Baptist University, Lynchburg, VA
October 17-18, 1986

Participants: Jr. Var.: Delphine Davison & Chris Hoerter
Novice: Kasey Griffin & Chris Frosch

Coach/Judge: Diana Pahl

Honors: Davison/Hoerter (5-1 prelims) 1st Place Junior Varsity
Team
Hoerter, 1st Speaker
Davison, 4th Speaker

Mercer Debates, Mercer University, Macon, GA
October 17-19, 1986

Participants: Varsity: Judd Kimball & Alan Coverstone
Lyle Scruggs & Scott deMarchi
CEDA: John Griffiths & Dave Reeves

Coach/Judge: Ron Wastyn & Linda Hippler

Honors: Reeves/Griffiths were 5-3 but did not advance to elims
Kimball/Coverstone (6-2 prelims) Semi-finalist, Varsity
Judd Kimball 5th place Varsity Speaker

Peachtree Debates, Emory University, Atlanta Georgia
November 1-3, 1986.

Participants: Varsity: Gloria Cabada & Alan Coverstone
Jr. Var: Lyle Scruggs & Delphine Davison
Seth Kahn & David Vann

Coach/Judge: Ron Wastyn & Taishen Siao

Honors: Kahn/Vann, 5-1 Semi-Finals Jr. Var.
Coverstone/Cabada, 4-3 missed by 1 point did not advance to elims
Scruggs/Davison, 4-2 did not advance to elims
Scruggs, Top Junior Varsity Speaker
Davison, 4th Junior Varsity Speaker

Derby City Debates, University of Louisville, Louisville, Kentucky
November 8-10, 1986.

Participants: Varsity: Alan Coverstone & Judd Kimball
Mark Bailey & Gloria Cabada

Coach/Judge: Allan Loudon & Ross Smith

Samford Debates, Samford University, Birmingham, Alabama
November 14-16, 1986.

Participants: Varsity: Lyle Scruggs & Seth Kahn
 Jr. Var: Chris Hoerter & Kasey Griffin
 CEDA: John Griffiths & Brian Garrett

Coach/Judge: Taishen Siao

Tar Heel Debates, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill,
North Carolina
November 28-30, 1986.

Participants: Varsity: Alan Coverstone & Judd Kimball
 Mark Bailey & Gloria Cabada

Coach/Judge: Ross Smith & Allan Loudon

Alan Nichols Debates, University of Southern California, Los Angeles,
California
December 29-31, 1986.

Participants: Varsity: Gloria Cabada & Mark Bailey

Coach/Judge: Taishen Siao

"Winter in the Sun" Debates, California State University at Fullerton,
Fullerton, California
January 2-4, 1987

Participants: Varsity: Gloria Cabada & Mark Bailey

Coach/Judge: Taishen Siao

Robert D. Tysinger Debates, West Georgia College, Carrollton, Georgia
January, 16-18, 1987.

Participants: Varsity: Judd Kimball & Alan Coverstone
 Seth Kahn & Lyle Scruggs

Coach/Judge: Ron Wastyn, Ross Smith & Diana Pahl

The Harvard Round Robin, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts
January 21-23, 1987

Participants: Varsity: Mark Bailey & Gloria Cabada

Coach/Judge: Ross Smith

Honors: Bailey/Cabada, (7-3 prelims) Semifinalists, First place in their
division
Cabada, 6th Place Speaker

Dartmouth College Debates, Hanover, New Hampshire
January 24-26, 1987.

Participants: Varsity: Mark Bailey & Gloria Cabada

Coach/Judge: Ross Smith

Honors: Gloria Cabada, Tied for 10th Speaker

The United States Naval Academy Debates, United States Naval Academy,
Annapolis, Maryland
January 30-February 1, 1987

Participants: Varsity: Seth Kahn & Lyle Scruggs
Jr. Var: Bryan Garrett & Scott Curnutte

Coach/Judge: Ron Wastyn

Owen L. Coon Memorial Debate Tournament, Northwestern University, Evanston,
Illinois
February 8-10 1987

Participants: Varsity: Judd Kimball & Allan Coverstone
Mark Bailey & Gloria Cabada

Coach/Judge: Ross Smith, Taishen Siao, Allan Loudon

Honors: Cabada/Bailey (5-3 prelims) Advanced to Sexto-finals, Finished 17th

The Buckeye Invitational, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio
February 13-15, 1987

Participants: Varsity: Seth Kahn & Lyle Scruggs

Coach/Judge: Allan Loudon

Honors: Seth Kahn, 5th Place Speaker

District VI National Qualifier, Gatlinburg, Tennessee
February 28- March 2, 1987.

Participants: Mark Bailey & Gloria Cabada
Alan Coverstone & Judd Kimball

Coach/Judge: Taishen Siao, Ross Smith, Ron Wastyn, Diana Pahl & Allan Louden

Honors: Bailey/Cabada, (7-1 prelims) 1st Place Team
Cabada, 2nd Speaker

American Debate Association National Debate Tournament, George Mason
University, Fairfax, Virginia
March 13-15, 1987

Participants: Varsity: Seth Kahn & Lyle Scruggs

Coach/Judge: Taishen Siao & Allan Louden

Honors: Lyle Scruggs was 8th place Varsity Speaker
Seth Kahn was 11th place Varsity Speaker
Kahn/Scruggs (5-3 prelims) were the 5th place Varsity Team

National Novice Tournament, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois
March 20-22, 1987.

Participants: Alan Coverstone & Judd Kimball
Lyle Scruggs & Seth Kahn

Coach/Judge: Ron Wastyn, Ross Smith, & Diana Pahl

National Debate Tournament, Illinois State University, Normal, Illinois
March 26-30, 1987.

Participants: Gloria Cadada & Mark Bailey
Alan Coverstone & Judd Kimball

Coach/Judge: Ross Smith, Allan Louden, Ron Wastyn, Taishen Siao & Todd
Woodbury

ON-CAMPUS FORENSICS ACTIVITIES

Wake Forest National Earlybird High School Invitational, Wake Forest University and R.J. Reynolds High School, Winston-Salem, NC
September 19-21.

Tournament Director: Ross Smith

Staff: Allan Loudon, David Gainey, Chris Hoerter, James Evans, Bryan Garrett, Ann Cass, Bart Hollifield, Virginia Sutherland, Sheila May, Diana Pahl, Taishen Siao, Ron Wastyn, Andy Hart, Casey Griffith, Raine Shaw, Carol Bibby, Suzanne Knoll, Mike Harrell, Peter Shankland, Brian Attig, John Wood, Mark Bailey, Gloria Cabada, Alan Coverstone, Delphine Davison, Scott DeMarchi, John Griffiths, Seth Kahn, Judd Kimball, Will Moore, David Reeves, Lyle Scruggs, David Vann, Linda Hippler, Greg Leman, David Williams, Steve Thomas, Cathy York, Judy McClendon, Mark Lay, Mr. & Mrs. Nick Kandara, Mr. & Mrs. J. Trawick, Mrs. Cass.

Wake Forest University Student Critics: Pidge Meade, Chris Dood, Nick Oldenburg, Garland Kimmer, James Foody, Tim Bell, Lane Wurster, Rob Wilson, Scott Bennett, Terry Shuping, Brian Chase, Delta Light, Alica Clancy, Chris Wakefield, Craig Contorti, Jeff Lamb, Maury Tepper, Kim Kenan, David Seghorn, Jeff Highfill, Lisa Herring, Julie Tate, Sander Studier, Arthur Kaaz, Robin Elder, Carla Robinson, Steve Quarles, Joe Cooper.

Highlights of the Tournament

This years tournament was attended by 86 schools from around the country. There were approximately 700 participants.

The Sweepstakes winner was Miami Palmetto. (FL)

The Stuyvesant (NY) team of Steve Shaw & Emily Fries defeated the team of Rocky Rockenpeller & Neil Hohmann from Caddo Magnet (LA) by a 3-0 decision to clinch the 1st varsity debate award. The 1st place varsity speaker was Chris Landgraff from Westminster Academy (GA).

The Hillsboro (TN) team of Tiffany Leek & Suzanna Crowell defeated the Myers Park (NC) team of Tripp Bridges & Tali Gurion to capture the 1st place junior varsity award. The top Junior Varsity Speaker was Tiffany Leek from Hillsboro. (TN)

The top affirmative team in the novice division was Independence. (NC) The top negative team was Richland N.E. (SC). In the meeting between these two teams Richland N.E. (SC) pulled out a 3-2 decision to win the top novice team award. The top four man team in the novice division was Independence. (NC) The top novice speaker was Aubert from Ledford High School. (NC)

Mathew Cole from Twin Lakes (FL) won the Lincoln-Douglas Debates.

The individual awards winners were: Dramatic Interpretation, Salyer from High Point Central (NC), Impromptu Speaking, Irwin from West Charlotte (NC), Original Oratory, Edgington from Miami Palmetto (FL), Prose/Poetry, MacGreal from Regis (NY), Extemporaneous Speaking, Ray from Regis (NY), Congress Best Speaker, Hartzell from High Point Central (NC), Congress best P.O., Crowe from Montgomery Bell (TN).

International Debate against the British National Team, Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.
October 23, 1986.

PROPOSITION: "That this house backs the Moral Majority."

Participants: Mark Bailey-W.F.U.
Gary Bell-Bristol University, U.K.
Mark Malcomson-Edinburgh University, U.K.
Will Moore-W.F.U.

Moderator: Professor Michael D. Hazen

Local Arrangements: Department of Speech Communication and Theatre Arts, Wake Forest University.

On Thursday, October 23, 1986, the Wake Forest Public Debate Program in conjunction with the Speech Communication and Theatre Arts Department hosted a debate between the British National Debate Team and members of the Wake Forest Debate Team. The Resolution was "That this House backs the Moral Majority." The Affirmative Team of Mark Bailey from Wake Forest University and Gary Bell from Bristol Universtiy faced off against the Negative Team of Mark Malcomson from Edinburgh University and Will "the Mailbox" Moore from Wake Forest Universtiy. The Debate proceeded in true parlimentary form with accusations of homosexuality battering the credibility of the Negative team, but not to be daunted, the Negative fought back and swayed the crowd to agree that the moral majority is not a group to be revered. This on our campus was quite an achievement by the negative.

Public Debate, Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, North Carolina
7:00, February 24, 1986

TOPIC: The possible future uses for the RJR-Nabisco Building.

Participants: Chris Hoerter, Scott Bennett, John Griffiths, V.P. Anderson, V.P. for Planning & Development, V.P. Corbett, V.P. for Legal Affairs, Student Association V.P.

Organizer: Taishen Siao
Moderator: Will Moore
Audience: 30

Public Debate, Saint Louis, Missouri
April, 10-12, 1987.

Participants: Mark Bailey-Wake Forest University
Gloria Cabada-Wake Forest University
Julie Arthur-Northwestern University
Cathie Palczewski-Northwestern University

Sponsor: Free Speech division of Central States & Southern Speech
Communication Association Convention.

Moderator: Raymond Rogers, Professor at University of North Carolina
Audience: 30

The Franklin-R. Shirley Memorial Dixie Classic, Wake Forest University,
Winston-Salem, North Carolina
November 23-25, 1986.

Tournament Director: Allan Louden

Tabulation Room Director: Michael D. Hazen

Staff: Rani Shaw, Diana Pahl, Peter Shankland, Ted Wallace, Ross Smith.

Administration: Ron Wastyn, Taishen Siao, Carol Bibby, Suzane Knoll, Judy
McClendon, Cheryl Hines, Mike Harrell, Delphine Davison, Brian Garrett, Andy
Hart, Chris Hoerter, Seth Kahn, Lyle Scruggs, David Vann, David Gainey

Participants in Debate: Gloria Cabada, Mark Bailey, Alan Coverstone, Judd
Kimball, Seth Kahn.

The Dixie Classic Tournament is the largest Varsity Tournament of the Year.
Ninty-eight teams from over fifty colleges and universities competed in the
1986 Dixie.

Extraordinary Contribution to Forensics Award was presented to George
Zieglemuller from Wayne State University.

1st Place, University of Kansas, John Culver & George Lopez
2nd Place, University of Redlands, Jeff LaFave & Jeff Leon
Semi-finalist, University of Kentucky, Eric Cupferburg & Scott Hodges
Seni-finalist, Baylor University, Lyn Robins & Griffin Vincent
Top Speaker, John Culver, University of Kansas
2nd Place, Cathie Palczewski, Northwestern University
3rd Place, Charlie Synn, Harvard University

End of the Season Awards,
May 2, 1987

Most Valuable Debater: Gloria Cabada
Most Improved Debater: Alan Coverstone

HIGH SCHOOL OUTREACH

Wake Forest University squad and staff have judged a number of High School Tournaments. These include

January 9-11	Montgomery Bell Academy	Nashville, TN
January 16-17	UNC Chapel Hill	Chapel Hill, NC
January 23-24	T.W. Andrews H.S.	High Point, NC
March 20-21	NFL Districts	High Point, NC
March 27-28	Myers Park	Charlotte, NC

We also Accomplished the Following:

Fall 1986	Provided Several Coaches for Forsyth County High School Programs
Spring 1987	Public Debates
May 1986	<u>Debater's Research Guide</u> published: Editors Ross Smith and Roger Solt, Title <u>The Agricultural Debate: Fertile Ground</u>
June 22- July 12	Wake Forest National High School Summer Debate Workshop Staff: Ross Smith - Director; David Cheshier - Georgetown University; Arnie Madsen - Illinois State University; Gloria Cabada - Wake Forest University; John Graham - The Harvard School of Public Health; Steve Griesinger - Middletown High School, Ohio; Linda Hippler - University of Georgia; Shelley James - University of Massachusetts; Jeff Leon - University of Redlands; Greg Mastel - George Washington University; Ed Panetta - University of Pittsburgh; Danny Povinelli - Yale University; Charlie Synn - Harvard University; Ron Wastyn - Wake Forest University; Mark Wayda - Ohio State University; Mark Bailey - Wake Forest University; Jayne Craig-Smith - Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Public School System; David Gainey - Wake Forest University; Derek Jinks - Emory University; Judd Kimball - Wake Forest University; Alan Coverstone - Wake Forest University.