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# THE PENDULUM



Clayton, GA Spring 2018



Spring 2012



Leo Lay



Spring 1991



Fayetteville, NC Fall



15th home build

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## EV! 30 YEARS OF SERVICE

Elon Volunteers focuses its efforts on deepening the work done by hundreds of students each year

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SENIOR ASHLEY BERMAN HAD trouble finding her place at Elon when she arrived on campus three years ago. But what started as an office manager job for Elon Volunteers turned into a community of people who have helped define her college experience. Now, as executive director for leadership and development for Elon Volunteers, Berman says the

Kernodle Center has been her favorite part of her time at Elon.

"I love our office structure," Berman said. "It is completely student-run, and we really do place a huge of emphasis on the social issues that we work with and have deeper conversations about social justice and reflection."

In 1988, Elon University's chaplain Richard McBride decided with

a group of faculty, staff and students that the university should start a chapter for Habitat for Humanity. At the time, current associate vice president for university advancement John Barnhill '92 was a freshman. He had experience with the organization previously and wanted to get involved on campus.

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## Jewish community grieves together

Students meet to reflect on the Pittsburgh shooting that occurred over the weekend

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Elon community members meet in the Numen Lumen Sacred Space to reflect and mourn the victims of the Pittsburgh synagogue shooting on Saturday, Oct. 27.

when you walk in there every single Saturday morning, whether it's bar mitzvah or just regular services, they were always at the door greeting people."

Junior Noah Lakind and several other students said they were shocked that the university did not send out an email the same day the event happened.

"I think that within a few hours of pre-

vious school shootings that Elon administration has sent out an email," sophomore Adam Tommer said.

Jon Dooley sent an email on behalf of the Jewish Life at Elon organization Sunday at 2:42 p.m. inviting the community to gather

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## Town of Elon celebrates 125 years

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The town of Elon and Elon university are "inseparable," President Book said at the 125th celebration of the town.

The celebration, which was supposed to happen in April but was rained out, invited the community to a street festival including vendors, a hay maze, live music and speeches from prominent community leaders.

Since 1889, the town of Elon—a town named after its college—and Elon University have had to work together. Now, with President Book's new strategic plan, "The Elon Commitment," the town is following after with its plan, Envision Elon 2040.

State Sen. Rick Gunn, R-N.C., who is up for re-election, said that he believes the town

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