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Leadership UNK Newsletter



Class is in Session

The new LUNK class kicked off with a welcome from Senior Vice Chancellor Dr. Julie Shaffer, followed by insights from the LUNK Board of Graduates president and the Faculty and Staff Senate presidents. The day wrapped up with CliftonStrengths training and a historical tour of Men's Hall led by Dr. Nathan Tye from the History department.

LUNK Board of Graduates

- **Tim Moulton**, President
- **Julie Calahan**, Vice President
- **Dawn Cromer**, Treasurer
- **Meredith DeHaven**, Ex-Officio
- **Lynelle Fritzen**, Member at Large
- **Sharon Johnson**, Member at Large
- **Julie Smith**, Secretary
- **Heidi Knake**, Marketing
- **Eileen Jahn**, Class Co-Chair
- **Amber Gapp**, Class Co-Chair

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Outstanding Alumni

Holly Peterson

Class #7, 2013 - 2014 LUNK alumni
Staff Senate's Staff Award of Excellence

Kate DeBord

Class #18, 2024 -2025 LUNK alumni
R.I.S.E. Award for Institutional Engagement



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Mark Your Calendars

Sept. 10 | 8:50am – 9:20am | NSU, Antelope Room: Join us for breakfast and meet the new LUNK class!

Oct. 21 | 8am – 12pm | Copeland Hall: Join us and Staff Senate for refreshments and campus-wide updates focused on student services and staff opportunities.

Alumni Spotlight

Sharon Johnson, Graduate & Online Program Operations Specialist
LUNK Class #16 2022 – 2023

Top 5 CliftonStrengths: Harmony, Responsibility, Belief, Empathy, Achiever

Fun Fact: “When I was a kid growing up, I had a pet cow... now I have a granddog that looks like and is as big as one!”



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