Legacy Celebration Heightens Homecoming Spirit


Penn State Homecoming hosted its 4th annual Legacy Celebration

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. (Apr. 16, 2014) — After a long semester of preparation, Penn State Homecoming hosted its 4th Annual Legacy Celebration in the HUB-Robeson Center from 11:00 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday. The event was intended to raise school spirit and get students excited for Homecoming in the fall.

Legacy Celebration contained many events including the annual revealing of the Honorary Grand Marshal, Michael Paul, and the cutting of the Homecoming cake. Several student organizations including Peace, Love, Lyrical and Ambitions Dance performed throughout the day. The THON 2014 line dance was also performed by the Morale Captains.

Legacy celebration was an event intended to bring students together to celebrate Penn State pride. “We celebrate Legacy to recognize the accomplishments of everything that has happened this school year and so that students are able to acknowledge important members of the Penn State community,” said Pride Events Director Sam Krug, who organized the event. Whether they were passing through on their way to class, watching their friends perform, or eating lunch, students stopped to admire and participate in the celebration.

While the energy in the HUB was extremely high, Krug believed the event ran smoothly due to each committee’s hard work. “This is the first big event that pride events committee puts on in the fall. I was extremely impressed with my captains, as well as all other captains working the event,” Krug said, reflecting on the day. The student body’s heightened energy is sure to transfer to the Homecoming celebrations in the fall.

Homecoming week will begin on Saturday, September 20th, leading up to the Homecoming football game on Saturday, September 27th.

About Us
Penn State Homecoming is a student-run organization with aims to celebrate tradition and instill pride in all members of the Penn State family through active engagement of students, alumni, faculty and staff across the community. Our organization is comprised of many student volunteers who donate their time to creating a multitude of events that make the Homecoming celebration a yearlong event.

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