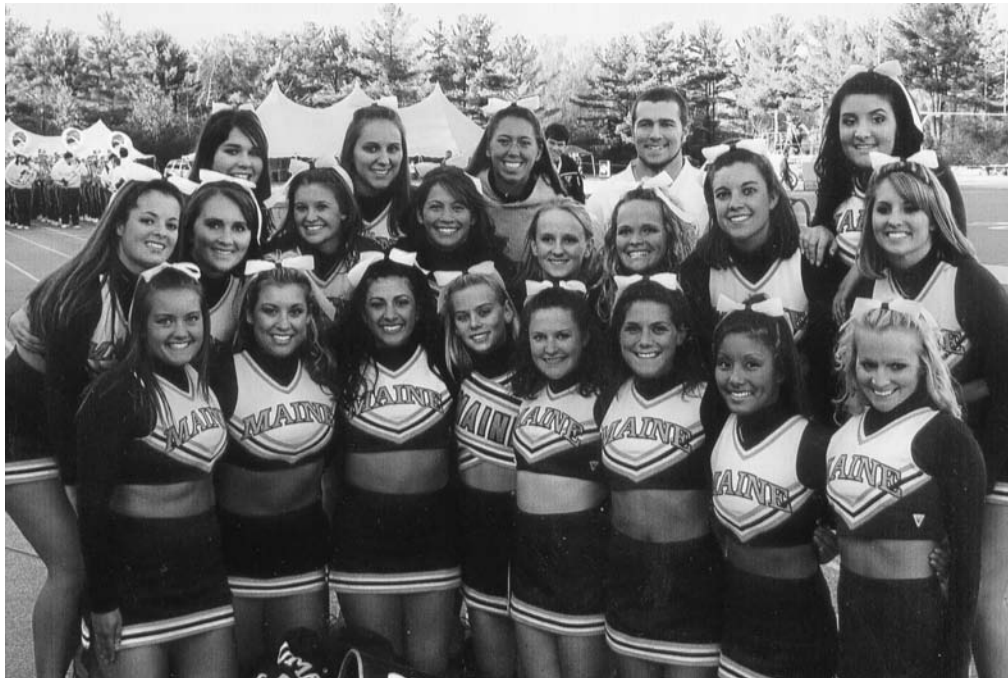

CHEERLEADING

The presence of a strong cheerleading team has been an feature of Maine athletics for more than half a century. Although the activity traditionally attracts more women than men, the first individual to receive a varsity "M" for cheerleading was a male, Don Green in the 1932-33 academic year. During the 1930s and well into the 1940s, most cheerleaders were males. Their cheering efforts, for the most part, were limited to football games. The first woman to receive a cheerleading "M" was Mary Belle Tufts in the 1947-48 college year.

The activity gained in numbers during the 1950s with squads averaging between nine and 15 per year. The Athletic Board, responsible for determining "M" recipients each year, presented the varsity "M", or an equivalent award, to cheerleaders until the end of the 1959-60 college year. At that time, for reasons which cannot be documented, the Board reversed itself and no "M" awards were made during the next 21 years. In 1981, however, Assoc. Director of Athletics Woody Carville, who was responsible for cheerleading activities among his many duties, was able to persuade the Board to re-instate the "M" award for members of cheering teams.

The number of cheerleaders who gained recognition for their efforts grew in numbers significantly during the 1980s, primarily due to the creation of a squad for football games and and a second unit for basketball games. In the 1989-90 college year, some 31 cheering awards were given. Then the rules changed again. The Board decided to award the "M" only to those cheerleaders who were members of both teams. Consequently, the number of awards dropped considerably, falling from an average of 21 in the 1980s to nine in the 1990s. In 2002 that decision was abandoned with the effect that a cheerleader today needs to be a member of only one squad to be recognized.

More than 330 individuals have received awards for cheering and their names are listed in this section. Unfortunately, the names of the approximately 150-200 cheerleaders who toiled between 1960 and 1981 and did not receive an athletic department award, were not recorded in University files and thus are not available. That is unfortunate, for one can correctly assume that the efforts of those students were every bit as vigorous as those of other years.



2006 FOOTBALL CHEERING SQUAD

Coach Melinda Kenney's football cheering team provided excellent support for Maine in 2006. Team members were, front row, l-r, Raechel Wark, Kendra Look, Jessie Pelletier, Erin Whelden, Sara Patterson, Melissa Jacobs, Kimberly Ross, and Christy Sarnacki. Second row, l-r, Kyley Googins, Kimberly Hamel, Candee Daley, Elise Dublin, Kimberly Stetson, Brittany Hill, Michelle Fernald, and Whitney Randall. Back row, l-r, Amy McFalls, Carrie-Anne Young, Christen Cevoli, Sean Curtin, and Cassandra Madden.

VARSITY LETTER RECIPIENTS

First Year of Awards: 1932-33

Most Recent Year Included: 2006-07

No awards presented: 1935-37, 40-42, 43-47, 48-49, 50-52, 60-81.

Abbreviations: d., deceased (known to be at the time this section was prepared) and date; d. u. date unknown. Season or seasons listed following each name indicates individual earned a letter or equivalent award in each season.

Albert, Linda A. '82, 1981-82
Annis, Jennifer J. '96, 1994-95
Babbin, Andrea L. '03, 1997-98
Babcock, Christine D. '95, 1993-94
Babcock, Michael J. '99, 1993-94
Baltes, Jason L. '99, 1996-97
Bannister, Janet '51, 1949-50
Barton, Gary L. '82, 1981-82
Beckett, Jennifer L. '98, 1993-94
Belote, Jeffrey M. '05, 2002-03

Bennett, Vickie L. '82, 1981-82
Birmingham, Brandi J. '96, 1993-94
Bishop, Janet A. '55, 1953-54, 54-55
Blais, Pamela J. '90, 1987-88, 88-89
Black, Brian C. '02, 1997-98
Blaylock, Danielle L. '01, 1997-98, 99-00, 00-01
Blunt, Catherine L. '93, 1989-90, 90-91
Boardman, Joyce C. '60, 1957-58, 58-59, 59-60
Bradstreet, Kailee M. '05, 2002-03
Brady, Allisyn M. '93, 1989-90, 90-91

Bridgman, Danielle L. '02, 2000-01, 01-02, 02-03
Brown, Lisa R. '95, 1991-92
Brown, Maria E. '90, 1986-87, 87-88
Busler, Jennifer A. '02, 1997-98
Butterfield, Sheri L. '86, 1984-85
Buzzell, Betty A. '58, 1955-56, 56-57
Cafaro, Peter J. '86, 1983-84
Caldwell, Tara A. '08, 2004-05
Campbell, Beth R. '95, 1992-93
Canney, Emilykate '06, 2002-03, 03-04, 05-06

Caouette, Michelle A. '90, 1986-87, 87-88, 88-89, 89-90
Carlin, Rosemary '54, 1952-53
Carlson, Sarah J. '89, 1985-86, 86-87, 87-88, 88-89
Carr, Leah N. '87, 1983-84, 84-85, 85-86
Carter, Gail R. '60, 1957-58, 58-59
Carver, Jean D. '90, 1986-87
Caswell, Andrew P. '84, 1981-82
Cevoli, Christen E. '07, 2006-07
Chapman, Audrey A. '00, 1998-99
Chapman, Jane A. '60, 1959-60

Chapman, Nancy L. '90, 1986-87, 87-88, 88-89, 89-90
Chase, Jennifer L. '93, 1989-90, 90-91
Chenard, Beth-Ann D. '90, 1986-87, 87-88
Chesley, Elizabeth J. '89, 1983-84
Chiarini, Jane '61, 1958-59, 59-60
Chouinard, Sheila '61, 1958-59, 59-60
Christie, Melissa M. '04, 1998-99
Clark, Melissa L. '98, 1994-95
Clark, Tamara J. '84, 1981-82, 82-83

Cohen, Milford F. '41 (**d., 3/14/83**) 1939-40
Colby, Kathryn A. '07, 2005-06
Coldrey, Patti J. '91, 1987-88, 88-89, 89-90
Courant, Sarah M. '86, 1984-85
Collins, Timothy E. '96, 1989-90, 90-91
Cox, Ronald J. Jr. '90, 1989-90
Crisman, Susan E. '90, 1988-89, 89-90
Cullenberg, Julie R. '91, 1986-87
Culley, Judith A. '62, 1959-60
Cummings, Karl L. '08, 2004-05

Curtin, Sean T. '09, 2005-06, 06-07
Curtis, Andrea L. '04, 2000-01, 01-02
Cusano, David M. '06, 2003-04, 05-06
Cyr, Michelle L. '95, 1992-93
Daley, Candace M. '09, 2005-06, 06-07
Davis, Ann '57, 1954-55, 55-56
Davis, Mary S. '60, 1957-58, 58-59, 59-60
Day, Tiffany M. '08, 2004-05
DeBeck, Angela R. '06, 2002-03, 03-04, 04-05
DeGrasse, Jane E. '91, 1987-88, 88-89, 89-90

DeLong, Danielle E. '92, 1988-89, 89-90
DeLong, Deidre L. '92, 1987-88, 88-89, 89-90
DeMerchant, Judith '58, 1955-56, 56-57
Denis, Tina M. '98, 1996-97
Dephillapo, Erin E. '05, 2002-03
Demott, Mary L. '97, 1994-95
DeRoche, Danyel T. '97, 1994-95
Deshane, Danielle M. '94, 1992-93
Desjardins, Erika D. '02, 1999-00, 00-01, 01-02
Dionne, Susan E. '92, 1988-89, 89-90

Dionne, Valerie N. '08, 2004-05, 05-06
Dorr, Jennifer C. '95, 1993-94
Dorr, Melissa A. '07, 2003-04
Downey, Shannon L. '95, 1991-92
Drake, Tessa L. '99, 1994-95
Dublin, Elise L. '09, 2005-06, 06-07
Dubois, Robin F. '87, 1984-85, 85-86
Dunn, Patrick R. '84, 1981-82, 83-84
Dunn, Suzanne '59, 1956-57, 57-58
Farley, John C. Jr. '84, 1981-82

Farnsworth, Tammy L. '98, 1996-97
Fernald, Michelle A. '07, 2003-04, 04-05, 05-06, 06-07
Ferrante, Jill E. '05, 2002-03
Finch, Robert A. '06, 2005-06
Fitzpatrick, Jenny L. '87, 1986-87
Flanagan, Jennifer M. '94, 1991-92
Floyd, Sam R. '07, 2003-04
Flynn, Michael P. Jr. '97, 1996-97
Flynt, Margaret J. '56, 1953-54, 54-55, 55-56

Fortin, Anna M. '89, 1984-85, 85-86, 86-87
Foster, Julie '84, 1981-82, 82-83
Franco, Jill M. '96, 1991-92
Frankland, Jeffrey H. '94, 1992-93
Fraser, Heather M. '04, 2000-01, 01-02, 02-03
Fraser, Kay '62, 1959-60
Freeman, Amy L. '95, 1992-93
French, Adam R. '04, 1998-99
French, Kevin J. '84, 1981-82
Frost, Edwin B. III '53, 1952-53

Frost, Randi B. '95, 1991-92
Fullerton, Andrea S. '04, 2000-01, 01-02, 02-03, 03-04
Gagnon, Shannon M. '95, 1992-93
Gardner, Michelle L. '95, 1991-92
Garvin, Jamie L. '99, 1996-97
Gilbert, Michael A. '91, 1986-87, 87-88
Gingrow, Jean A. '88, 1984-85, 85-86, 86-87, 87-88
Glazier, Sarah P. '08, 2004-05, 05-06
Goldsmith, David A. '01, 1997-98
Googins, Kyle J. '08, 2004-05, 05-06, 06-07

Gould, Beverly A. '58, 1956-57, 57-58
Grade, Dianne R. '08, 2004-05, 05-06
Grant, Thomas A. '85, 1981-82, 82-83
Green, Donald T. '34, 1932-33
Greening, Barbara E. '00, 1996-97
Greenlaw, Kathryn M. '92, 1991-92
Grenier, Nicole J. '99, 1996-97
Hall, Stephen A. '84, 1981-82
Hamel, Kimberly A. '05, 2002-03, 03-04, 04-05, 05-06, 06-07
Hamlin, Amy L. '01, 1997-98

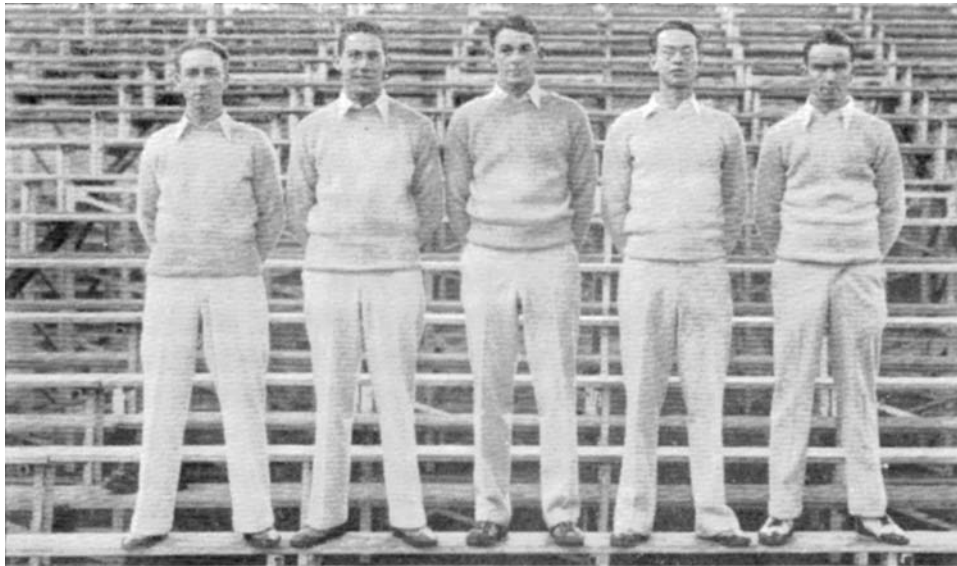
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Hanson, James D. '35 (d., 12/19/99) 1933-34
Hanson, Joann M. '57, 1954-55, 55-56
Hardy, Jermaine R. '06, 2002-03
Hart, Timothy D. '01, 1997-98
Herbert, Brandon D. '08, 2004-05
Hermes, Aaron L. '01, 1999-00, 00-01, 01-02

Hessert, Heidi L. '91, 1987-88
Higgins, Nona R. '60, 1958-59, 59-60
Hill, Brittany D. '09, 2004-05, 05-06
Hodgkins, Gloria J. '92, 1988-89, 89-90
Holmes, Judith G. '60, 1958-59, 59-60
Hourin, Janice S. '60, 1958-59, 59-60
Hovey, Jeanette A. '53, 1952-53
Howland, Stephen J. '99, 1996-97
Hunter, William C. II '04, 2003-04
Hussey, Suzanne I. '88, 1986-87, 87-88

Huttunen, Katlin '92, 1987-88
Ingraham, Carl F. '35, 1934-35
Jackson, Robert L. '04, 2002-03, 03-04, 04-05
Jacobs, Melissa M. '07, 2006-07
Jacques, Christi D. '01, 1997-98
Jenkins, Alise E. '10, 2006-07
Jimmo, Vicki J. '86, 1982-83
Johnson, Heidi J. '91, 1987-88, 88-89
Johnson, Janine J. '86, 1982-83
Johnson, Shirley '50, 1949-50

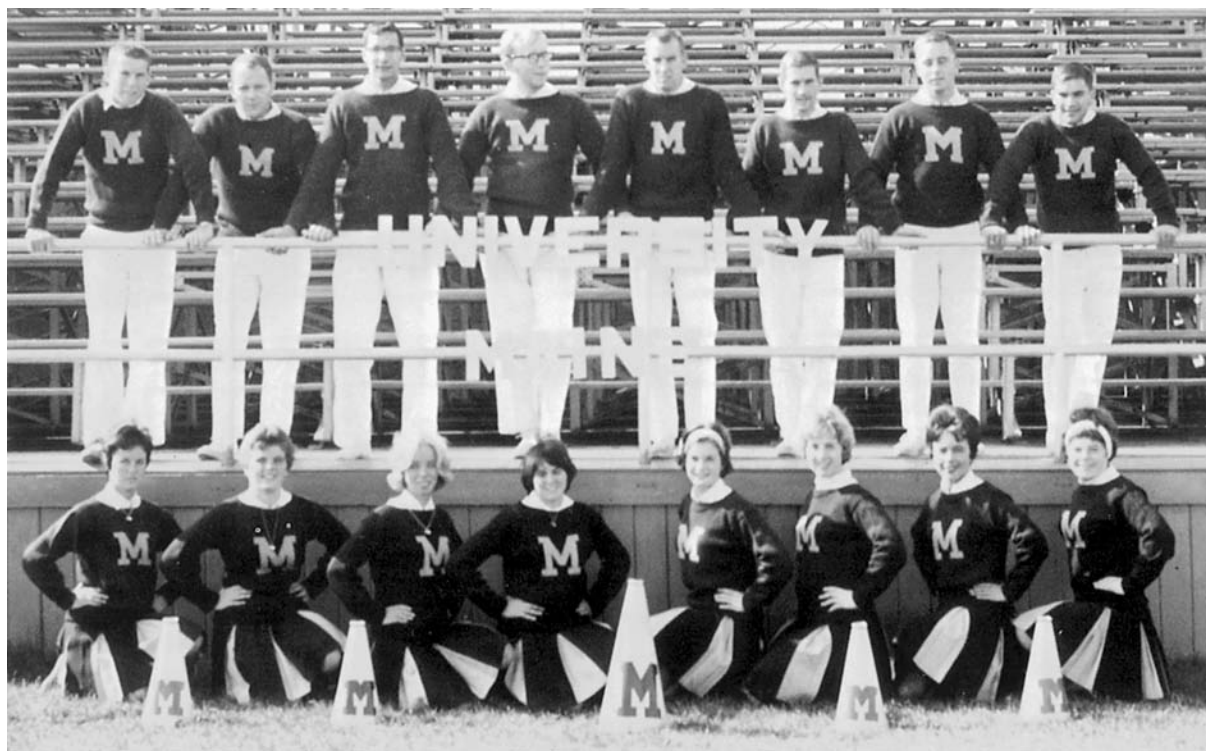
Joliat, Herbert A. '85, 1981-82, 82-83
Jones, Jessica G. '94, 1992-93
Kennedy, Nancy '61, 1958-59, 59-60
Kenney, Catherine M. '06, 2003-04
Kenney, Elizabeth A. '03, 2002-03, 03-04
Kenney, Kimberly J. '92, 1990-91
Keyo, Ann '56, 1953-54, 54-55, 55-56
Kimball, Lauren A. '09, 2005-06, 06-07
King, Lissa A. '87, 1983-84, 84-85
Kingsbury, Sandra J. '83, 1981-82, 82-83

Kleva, James A. '87, 1983-84
Koritzky, Audrey '54, 1952-53, 53-54
Kostis, Risa C. '03, 1999-00
Labbe, Laurie A. '89, 1985-86, 87-88, 89-90
Langill, Coleen '93, 1989-90, 90-91
Lazo, Fred T. '04, 2003-04, 04-05
Leclerc, Kristen D. '93, 1989-90



THEY LED THE CHEERS IN 1931

This active group of men supported Maine's football team in the fall of 1931. It was led by Don Green, far right, who was the first UM student to receive a varsity "M" for cheerleading. The full team was, left to right, Joe McCarthy, Carl Ingraham, Ron Young, Ray Galley, and Don Green.



1963 — A TERRIFIC TEAM!

Maine's football and basketball teams received plenty of support from the cheerleading squad in 1963. Team members were, front row, left to right, Pat Mahan, Heather Cameron, Diane Davis, Capt. Elaine Kelley, Bev Smith, Ruth Brewer, Jan Churchill, and Kathy Davis. Standing, left to right, Sarge Means, Terry Chadbourne, Chip Cyr, Peter Paiton, Bruce Cary, Paul Sullivan, Ken Wright, and Mike DeSisto.



1991 CHEERING TEAM

The University was well represented by the 1991 cheerleading squad. They placed third at the national cheering competition in Dallas under Coach Melanie Lounder. Front row, l-r, Allisyn Brady, Michelle Gardner, Jill Franco, Kris O'Hara, Anne Melcher, Coleen Langill, and Shannon Downey. Back row, l-r, Lisa Brown, Jason Stover, Denise Yost, Coach Melanie Lounder, Kathy Greenlaw, Jason Towle, Kim Kenney, Pam LePage, Jen Flanagan, Mike Roberts, and Jane DeGrasse.

Leighton, Judith E. '54 (**d., 6/12/00**) 1952-53, 53-54
 Leighton, Katie M. '10, 2006-07
 Leonard, Henry G. Jr. '43, 1942-43
 LePage, Pamela K. '93, 1989-90, 90-91
 Libby, Theresa L. '93, 1988-89
 Litchfield, Mary '55, 1953-54, 54-55
 Livingston, Jeffrey M. '09, 2005-06
 Look, Kendra L. '07, 2003-04, 04-05, 05-06, 06-07
 Loud, Carol M. '56, 1953-54, 54-55
 Lounder, Melanie J. '93, 1989-90, 90-91

 Loveless, Kathleen L. '02, 1999-00, 00-01
 Lowe, Charles H. '38 (**d., 8/21/99**) 1937-38
 MacDonald, Linda '85, 1984-85
 Madden, Cassandra L. '08, 2004-05, 05-06, 06-07
 Madden, Courtney M. '01, 1997-98
 Mahurin, Marcia K. '86, 1983-84
 Mathieu, Megan A. '09, 2006-07
 Mavor, Joan M. '60, 1958-59
 McAlice, Brian T. '97, 1993-94
 McCue, Buffie L. '03, 1998-99

 McFalls, Amy L. '10, 2006-07
 McFarland, Susan J. '85, 1982-83, 83-84, 84-85
 McKie, Martha J. '59 (**d., 2/9/87**) 1957-58
 McLean, Allie R. '08, 2006-07
 Melcher, Anne M. '92, 1990-91
 Merbach, Angela O. '03, 2000-01
 Messina, Marianne A. '85, 1981-82, 82-83
 Michaud, Audra M. '00, 1997-98
 Minevino, Connie J. '91, 1986-87
 Mitchell, Barbara A. '57, 1953-54, 54-55, 55-56

 Moore, Kristine N. '87, 1983-84
 Morris, Melinda A. '84, 1981-82
 Mower, Todd M. '87, 1982-83
 Nadeau, Kimberly A. '91, 1987-88
 Nesin, Myrtle '10, 2006-07
 Norris, Bertha P. '53, 1952-53
 Noyes, Phyllis A. '53, 1952-53
 Noyes, Sandra '57, 1956-57
 O'Brien, Coleen M. '86, 1982-83
 O'Brien, Stacey P. '89, 1987-88, 88-89

 O'Donnell, Amanda J. '03, 1998-99
 O'Hara, Kristine P. '92, 1989-90, 90-91
 Paddock, Scarlet H. '89, 1981-82, 82-83
 Pagano, Kenneth J. '83, 1981-82
 Palmer, Cynthia J. '91, 1986-87, 87-88, 88-89, 89-90
 Partelow, Judith '59, 1956-57, 57-58
 Partridge, Jean M. '56, 1953-54, 54-55, 55-56
 Patterson, Sara E. '07, 2003-04, 04-05, 05-06, 06-07
 Pease, Kenneth T. '92, 1987-88, 88-89, 89-90
 Pelkey, Rhodessa C. '89, 1986-87, 87-88

 Pelletier, Jessie J. '09, 2005-06, 06-07
 Perkins, Carolyn L. '57, 1954-55, 55-56
 Perry, Erica L. '04, 2002-03, 03-04, 04-05
 Perry, Jacquelyn A. '59, 1956-57
 Peters, Carolyn W. '55, 1952-53
 Phair, Gordon L. '91, 1989-90
 Phelps, Ruth-Ann '62, 1959-60
 Phippen, Donald L. '97, 1988-89, 89-90, 91-92
 Picher, Jennifer J. '94, 1989-90
 Pierce, Edward W. '38 (**d., 1/26/04**) 1937-38

 Pietz, Kimberly A. '01, 1997-98, 98-99, 99-00
 Pinkham, Danielle M. '01, 1997-98
 Poisson, Jason T. '05, 2002-03, 03-04
 Pollard, Darcie L. '03, 1999-00, 00-01, 01-02
 Polvinen, Joal A. '98, 1993-94
 Ponsant, Danielle '02, 1997-98
 Proctor, Delaine A. '88, 1985-86
 Quigg, Nancy J. '61, 1958-59, 59-60
 Raasumaa, Roxanne E. '86, 1982-83, 83-84, 84-85
 Ramsdell, Mary E. '62, 1958-59

 Randall, Whitney L. '08, 2004-05, 05-06, 06-07
 Rauth, Amanda J. '86, 1983-84
 Redard, Eric '89, 1988-89, 89-90
 Reed, Donna L. '90, 1988-89, 89-90
 Reed, Joel G. '86, 1983-84
 Reny, Shannon L. '92, 1996-97, 97-98
 Rice, Heidi L. '89, 1988-89
 Rich, Francis C. '57, 1955-66
 Richards, Heather A. '90, 1986-87, 87-88
 Roberts, Joanne M. '55, 1952-53, 53-54, 54-55

 Roberts, Tasha K. '07, 2003-04
 Robertson, Robert B. '40 (**d., 10/29/97**) 1938-39
 Robinson, Trent '90, 1981-82
 Rockwell, Cynthia L. '58, 1955-56, 56-57
 Rogers, Rebecca J. '07, 2004-05
 Romano, Tracy L. '06, 2002-03, 03-04, 04-05, 05-06
 Ross, Kimberly A. '08, 2004-05, 05-06, 06-07
 Rummelhart, Joel R. '98, 1996-97
 St. Peter, Bridgxted M. '92, 1987-88
 St. Pierre, Shari M. '99, 1996-97

 Sanborn, Mary E. '59, 1956-57, 58-59
 Santos, Lucinda J. '86, 1981-82, 82-83
 Sarnacki, Christy L. '07, 2006-07
 Savage, Kimberly A. '93, 1989-90, 92-93
 Schmidt, Nancy '58, 1956-57, 57-58
 Shearer, Jennifer R. '92, 1988-89, 89-90
 Skomars, Jeffrey J. '83, 1981-82
 Smaha, Norma J. '54, 1952-53, 53-54
 Smith, Erika B. '02, 1997-98
 Smith, Karen L. '95, 1994-95

 Smith, Lorianne W. '86, 1983-84, 84-85
 Smith, Patricia L. '62, 1959-60
 Smith, Sarah J. '06, 2000-01, 01-02, 02-03, 04-05, 05-06
 Smith, Stephanie A. '07, 2004-05
 Sobel, Isaac A. '84, 1981-82
 Sollitto, Stephen E. '87, 1983-84, 84-85
 Sotomayer, Peter A. '85, 1983-84, 84-85, 85-86, 86-87
 Spearin, Tia J. '86, 1981-82, 82-83
 Spencer, Beverly J. '50, 1949-50
 Squires, Lisa E. '90, 1988-89

 Stalling, Lisa M. '00, 1997-98, 98-99, 99-00
 Stetson, Annemarie P. '82, 1981-82
 Stetson, Jennifer M. '86, 1982-83
 Stetson, Kimberly L. '10, 2006-07
 Stimpson, Mandy J. '00, 1999-00
 Stover, Jason M. '98, 1993-94
 Stowell, Kimberly A. '04, 2000-01, 01-02
 Sturtevant, Frederic K. '87, 1985-86
 Sweet, Kimberlie J. '92, 1988-89, 89-90
 Sweetser, Michele R. '88, 1985-86, 86-87



1976 CHEERING SQUAD

Maine had a terrific cheerleading team in 1976 . . . strong in numbers and a hit with the crowds at football and basketball games. Front, l-r, Mary Levesque, Tammy Gemme, Director Bonnie Gardner, and Kim Gilmore. Back, l-r, Anita Nehring, Linda Madden, Mary Connolly, Annette Dumont, Kelley Russell, Debbie Ingersol, Emily Vincent, Diane Hartnett, and Linda Pettinato. Back, Ginny Doughty.



LEADING THE CHEERS IN 1958

Maine's football team in the fall of 1958 had the support of a talented and enthusiastic cheerleading squad. Members were, left to right: Judith Holmes, Suzanne Dunn, Joan Mavor, Nancy Kennedy, Carolyn Rothwell, Mary Sanborn, Nona Higgins, Joyce Boardman, Gail Carter, Diane Wiseman, and Jane Chiarini.

Taverner, Donald V. '43 (d., 10/6/99) 1942-43
Thompson, Ruth A. '55, 1954-55
Towle, Jason J. '97, 1989-90, 90-91
Towle, Jeremy A. '02, 1999-00, 00-01
Townsend, Jennifer L. '97, 1993-94
Traggis, Maryjane '88, 1986-87
Trahan, Heather M. '09, 2005-06
Treadwell, Cheryl A. '84, 1983-84
Trundy, Ann L. '96, 1994-95
Tufts, Mary Belle '51, 1947-48, 49-50

Usher, June L. '04, 2000-01, 01-02, 02-03
Vanderburgh, Stacie M. '07, 2004-05, 05-06
Vaznis, Leonard G. '88, 1985-86
Veilleux, Julie R. '88, 1985-86
Veneziano, Diane M. '83, 1981-82, 82-83
Verrill, Meghan A. '90, 1986-87, 87-88
Verzosa, Andres A. Jr. '91, 1981-82
Voisine, Brian P. '83, 1981-82, 82-83
Wagner, Jason E. '98, 1994-95
Walsh, Brandy C. '04, 2000-01, 03-04

Wandell, Rachel M. '04, 2002-03, 03-04

Wark, Raechel C. '09, 2006-07
Washburn, Lizbeth A. '91, 1988-89, 89-90
Watkinson, Anna C. '02, 1998-99
Wayne, Nancy E. '08, 2004-05, 05-06
Webber, Melanie E. '05, 2002-03
Wells, Michael D. '85, 1983-84
Wells, Richard A. '84, 1983-84
Whelden, Erin J. '10, 2006-07
Whithead, Alia F. '06, 2002-03, 03-04, 05-06
Williams, Darel D. '86, 1985-86

Williams, Joan W. '57 (d., 7/17/96) 1956-57
Williamson, George T. '97, 1996-97
Winslow, Trisha L. '91, 1986-87
Wiseman, Diane '60, 1957-58, 58-59
Wood, Kristin L. '95, 1993-94
Woodcock, Heather A. '06, 2002-03, 03-04, 04-05, 05-06
Woodward, Heidi J. '89, 1986-87, 87-88
Woodward, Mary '62, 1959-60
Yost, Denise M. '94, 1991-92
Youcis, Kimberly M. '00, 1997-98, 99-00

Young, Carrie-Anne M. '08, 2005-06, 06-07



REPRESENTING MAINE AT THE NATIONALS

This talented group represented Maine at the national intercollegiate cheering competition in Florida in 2006. Front row, l-r, Sarah Glazier, Jessie Pelletier, Whitney Randall, Sara Patterson, Kimberly Ross, Heather Woodcock, Lauren Kimball, Emilykate Canney, Kyley Googins, Stacie Vanderburgh, Candee Daley, and Nancy Wayne. Back row, l-r, Brittany Hill, Cassandra Madden, Michelle Fernald, Tracy Romano, David Cusano, Jeff Livingston, Sean Curtin, Kimberly Hamel, Kendra Look, Carrie-Anne Young, and Dianne Grade. (Appreciation to Coach Melinda Kenney for help on photos.)



1954 CHEERLEADING TEAM

Maine's cheerleading squad was an especially strong unit in 1954. Members of the team were, left to right, Jean Partridge, Margaret Flynt, Capt. Norma Smaha, Ann Keyo, and Mary Litchfield. Second row, left to right, Joanne Roberts, Audrey Koritzky, Janet Bishop, Carol Loud, Barbara Mitchell, and Judith Leighton.



1989 SQUAD — AN ALL-AMERICAN TEAM

Three members of Maine's 1990 squad earned all-American honors at the national cheering competition and the team finished second . . . lofty achievements by any measure. Jane DeGrasse was named all-American for the third time, while Ken Pease and Eric Redard were selected for the first time. Front row, Ken Pease. Second row, left to right, Lizbeth Washburn, Michelle Caouette, Susan Crisman, Patti Coldrey, and Jane DeGrasse. Third row, left to right, Kim Sweet, Danielle DeLong, and Cynthia Palmer. Fourth row, left to right, Pam LePage, Donna Page, Coach Lissa McDonald, Kim Savage, and Jen Shearer. Absent, Eric Redard.