Hempstead for Hofstra/Hofstra for Hempstead

Thirty-five years ago, a dedicated and caring group of volunteers met for the first time to raise scholarship funds to make it possible for deserving students from the Village of Hempstead to attend Hofstra University. Since its founding, more than 300 young men and women have benefited from these scholarships. In 1973, the first year, four scholarships were awarded. During the 2006/2007 academic year, 12 students received scholarship support.

However, the Hempstead for Hofstra/Hofstra for Hempstead Committee does more than award scholarships; it strengthens the bond between the Village of Hempstead and Hofstra University with the annual presentation of the prestigious Unispan Award to individuals whose professional or personal lives have enriched the Hempstead community. Organizations may also be chosen for service to their community.

Although only a few of the original members still serve on the Hempstead for Hofstra/Hofstra for Hempstead Committee, the spirit of the founding members lives on as the current members volunteer their time and efforts to raise scholarship funds and continue their mission to build a strong bond between the Village of Hempstead and Hofstra University.

2008 Hempstead for Hofstra/Hofstra for Hempstead Committee

George Sandas, Chair

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†past Unispan Award honoree
President Stuart Rabinowitz
and the
Hempstead for Hofstra/Hofstra for Hempstead Committee
cordially invite you to attend the
34th Annual Scholarship Ball
Thursday, April 10, 2008
Main Dining Room
Sondra and David S. Mack Student Center
North Campus
Black Tie Optional
6:30 p.m. Cocktail Reception • 7:30 p.m. Dinner and Dancing
R.S.V.P. by March 31, 2008.

2008 Unispan Award
Honorees:

Ted Adams ’76
Curriculum Coach, Jackson Main Elementary School
Varsity Basketball Coach, Hempstead High School

Mary Burns
Second Deputy Commissioner of Information and Technology,
Town of Hempstead
Lt. Governor, Long Island South Central Division,
Kiwanis International
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Scott Clark
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Jacqueline Jones-Ford
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Director, Hempstead PAL