



Official Alumni Newsletter | May 2026

THE WAVE

Say Hello to the Latest Edition of the Salisbury University Alumni Association's Newsletter, "The Wave"

In celebration of Salisbury University's Centennial, we are thrilled to introduce our updated newsletter. We hope to inspire a new era of engagement at SU, share updates, stories, and events that connect you with the vibrant SU alumni community.

Centennial Alumni Spotlight



Marie Hils Flood '19

What's a standout memory from your time at SU?

As a member of the SU Dance Company, a friend and I choreographed a piece for the 2016 Fall Student Showcase. It was so special to capture emotions I felt at that time and convey them through dance. Our piece was named the best student choreography that semester. Beyond dance, my favorite job was working for International Student & Scholar Services. I loved organizing events like karaoke and bonfires at Assateague, introducing students from Spain to s'mores, and creating beautiful memories. Moving from a small town in North Carolina to SU changed my life. Now, I'm part of the Eastern Shore community. Salisbury is a place that makes students feel connected, involved, and supported.

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SU Professional Network



Empower the next generation of Seagulls by joining the Professional Network in CareerGulls as a mentor.

This flexible opportunity helps students see that they can reach out to you for advice as they navigate their professional journey and learn from your industry experience. Simply create or update your CareerGulls profile today to join the directory for the SU Professional Network.

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SU Alumni Events



ConGRADulations and Toast

Earlier this month we celebrated our students who were graduating. All graduating students were invited to the Miller Garden, located behind the Alumni House, to enjoy food, drinks, and music! Check out the photos below.

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SU at Jailbreak Brewing Company

Get ready to reconnect with fellow alumni at **Jailbreak Brewing Company** in Laurel, MD, on **Friday, June 12, 2026**. The event will be taking place between 6-8 p.m.

\$15 registration fee will cover your first drink and heavy appetizers.

[Register Now](#)



SU Athletic Training Reunion in Philly

In conjunction with the National Athletic Trainers' Association Clinical Symposia & AT Expo, we're having a reunion at Lucky Strike in Philly.

Join us on Tuesday, **June 30, 2026** for a fun reunion. Your \$20 entry fee will cover heavy appetizers and a small gift to the Athletic Training Department.

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Delmarva Shorebirds Baseball Game

Get ready for a classic summer night at the ballpark! Join us on **Friday, June 19, 2026**, as the **Delmarva Shorebirds** take on the **Myrtle Beach Pelicans**. The evening kicks off with a pre-game reception at 6 p.m., followed by a 7:05 p.m. first pitch. For just **\$25** (with children 3 and under attending for free), you'll enjoy both a game ticket and an all-you-can-eat dinner buffet in the picnic area off the first-base line.

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News

Spring MASMI Sales Championship Winners Announced

Students recently vied for top honors during Salisbury University's Mid-Atlantic Sales and Marketing Institute's (MASMI's) 14th biannual sales championship competition. The event included two contests, one for overall sales and one for elevator pitches.

Julia Sipes of Westminster, MD, received \$1,000 for her first-place finish in the overall sales competition. Runners-up included Elaina Owens of Quantico, MD, in second place (\$500); Haley Stone of Forest Hill, MD, in third (\$300); and Henry Wood of Centreville, MD, in fourth (\$200).

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2026 SU M.B.A. Graduates Keep it in the Family

This year, SU's M.B.A. Program graduates two sets of siblings: Brianna and Tristan Plotts of Morris Plains, NJ, and Cole and Kyle Zeder of Elkridge, MD.






Their stories began similarly: In both cases, the younger sibling majored in the same field as their older sibling as undergraduates (marketing for the Plottsens, finance for the Zeders) and was attracted to SU following their older sibling's positive experiences in the University's Franklin P. Perdue School of Business.

"A big factor in why I decided to come to SU was that my brother was a student here, and I heard good things about it," said Kyle, who earned his B.S. from Salisbury in 2025 after transferring from Howard Community College. "I knew SU had a good business school."

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Alumni Quick Links

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Alumni Benefits

-  SU Plates
-  Alumni-Owned Businesses
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-  Proud Sea Gull Works Here
-  Book Club

Just for Fun

-  Legacy Gulls
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-  Coloring Book
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