On Thursday, March 31, 2022, Anna Maria College recognized three community leaders with its Presidential Service Award, Anna Maria’s highest honor for outstanding humanitarian service. The 2022 awardees were: Worcester Commissioner of Health and Human Services Matilde Castiel, M.D.; Centerville-Osterville-Marstons Mills Firefighter/EMT and Anna Maria alumnus Christopher Koretski ’16; and Worcester Police Officer and Anna Maria alumnus Enmanuel “Manny” Familia (posthumously).
Anna Maria College Awarded Federal Funding for Mental Health First Aid Training

Anna Maria College was awarded $1,075,000 to increase the number of instructors in Mental Health First Aid across all public safety sectors. United States Senator Edward Markey included Anna Maria’s federal funding application as part of his Congressionally Directed Spending requests. The federal funds were supported and secured by Senators Edward Markey and Elizabeth Warren.

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Attention AMCAT Nation!

Anna Maria College’s 2022 Celebration of Service and Success culminated with a special announcement from President Mary Lou Retelle: Anna Maria has plans underway for a multipurpose athletic and baseball field. John J. Spillane, Esq., Chair of the Board of Trustees and Timothy P. Murray, Esq., Trustee and President of the Worcester Chamber of Commerce, joined President Retelle to unveil renderings of the new field.

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"I Heart Anna Maria" Days of Giving Challenge

On the AMCAST: Head Football Coach Steve Croce reflects on his 30 years of service as a
Get ready for the days of giving. We are challenging our community to celebrate Anna Maria with us. Starting April 27-29 we will be striving to reach our goal of 600 gifts in 76 hours.

Every Gift Counts

$100 Golf Tournament Raffle Prizes

TOP PRIZE Choice of one of the following trips (trips are valid for two years):

**Nashville Unplugged** – Includes roundtrip coach class airfare for two within the contiguous U.S. to Nashville, TN; 3-night stay at the Loews Vanderbilt Hotel; a 3.5 hour guided tour of Nashville that will include Riverfront Park, Ryman Auditorium, Schermerhorn Symphony Center, the Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum, the Tennessee State Capitol and more.

**OR**

**New Orleans Jazz & Dining** – Includes roundtrip coach class airfare for two within the contiguous U.S. to New Orleans, LA; 3-night stay at the Renaissance New Orleans Arts Hotel; Jazz brunch or 3-course dinner with wine pairings for two at Commander’s Palace Restaurant; and a behind the scenes tour of Mardi Gras World.

**ADDITIONAL PRIZES**

Golf for three or Dinner at Worcester Country Club with Anna Maria College President Mary Lou Retelle
A round of golf or dinner as a guest of Mary Lou Retelle (date TBD by winner).

Four Box Seat Tickets to a Worcester Red Sox Game vs. the Toledo Mud Hens on Saturday, June 18, 2022.

**Newport Getaway**
Includes a $250 Marriot Hotels gift card and a $150 gift card to The Mooring Seafood Kitchen and Bar on the water in downtown Newport.

Enter for a chance to Win!
Alumni Standouts

**Celia Blue ’05G** started a new position as President and CEO at Massachusetts Women of Color Coalition Inc.; **Jennifer Jolly ’02** is celebrating 8 years at Open Sky Community Services; **Kiery Madera ’15** is celebrating 5 years in the United States Army; and **Jeff Lander ’11 ’14G** started a new position as Associate Director, Distribution US Operations at Alexion Pharmaceuticals Inc.

Congratulations to all of our alumni for their amazing professional accomplishments!

Have a new job, promotion or other news? Email us at: alumni@annamaria.edu

In Memoriam

It is with great sadness that we inform you of the passing of **Susan Alinovi ’70** and **Constance Rossi ’57**.

May they rest in peace.

The number of U.S. adults who have a master's degree has doubled over the past two decades. -U.S. Census Bureau

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Further questions? Contact Paul Vaccaro, Associate Vice President for Enrollment, at pvaccaro@annamaria.edu.

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The Official Online Store of Anna Maria Athletics – Shop HERE

SAVE THE DATE
Monday, September 26, 2022
AMCAT Alumni and Friends Golf Classic
Wachusett Country Club, West Boylston, MA
More Information Coming Soon!

2022 HOMECOMING WEEKEND
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 AND SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1

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Upcoming Events

Baccalaureate Mass and Academic Hooding
May 8, 2022
5:00 p.m..
Fuller Activity Center

Commencement 2022
Monday May 9, 2022
10:00 a.m.
DCU Center

13th Annual Anna Maria College Golf Tournament
Monday June 6, 2022
Pleasant Valley Country Club, Sutton, MA
Register Here

Alumni Reception at the Woo Sox Game
June 17, 2022
Polar Park
Registration details will be available soon

Please check the events calendar on our website for more details.

Keep up with the latest Anna Maria news and events by visiting our news page here.