



Happy 10th Anniversary Kettering University

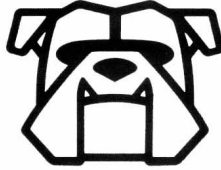


Kettering will celebrate the 10th anniversary of its name change January 1, 2008

Kettering University

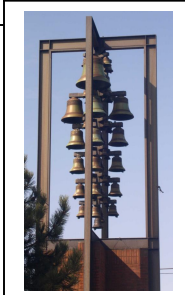
Dates of importance:

Founding (Oct. 20, 1919)
GM acquisition (July 12, 1926)
Independent status: (July 1, 1982)
University (Jan. 1, 1998)



Presidents through the years:

Albert "Major" Sobey, 1919-1950
Guy R. Cowing, 1950-1960
Harold P. "Dusty" Rodes, 1960-1976
William B. Cottingham, 1976-1991
James E.A. John, 1991-2005
Stanley R. Liberty, 2005 -



Institutional Names:

1919 School of Automotive Trades
1923 Flint Institute of Technology
1926 General Motors Institute of Technology
1932 GMI
1982 GMI/EMI
1998 Kettering University

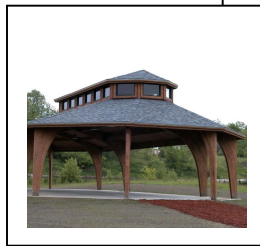
Bulldog Mascot: General Determination

Introduced in early 1930s, based on adventures of Elmer "Bulldog" Braun, Class of 1933. Becomes official mascot in January 1951, replacing "Tiger" as unofficial mascot



Key dates on campus:

Academic Building
Opened April 15, 1927, for classes
Dedicated July 19, 1927
Six additions to AB from 1929-1954
Football team ceases (1931)
NCA Accreditation (1962)
Demolition of B.J.'s bar (1966)
Thompson Hall opened (October 1968)
Parking Deck opened (1968)
Food service established (1968)
Campus Center opened (1969)
Tunnel opened (1969)
First female graduate (1970) - Karen (Morman) Stewart (M.E. degree)
Carillon Tower built by the Alumni Association (1969)
Food service opens in Campus Center (August 1986)
Bulldog statue installed on Beach (1987)
Art Gallery opened (Autumn 1988)
Connie and Jim John Recreation Center opened (Aug. 5, 1995)
Parking Deck demolition (1995)
Zelpha McKinnon Wellness Center Opened (1996)
Campus Village Apts. Phase I opened (June 1999)
Thompson Hall gets air conditioning (July 2001)
Campus Village Apts. Phase II opened (June 2002)
Harris Fields opened (Aug. 14, 2002)
McKeachie Pavillion opened (May 31, 2003)
Miller Golf Green opened (2003)
C.S. Mott Center opened (July 2004)
Sand Volleyball Courts opened (2006)
Rebuilt bridge on Chevrolet Avenue opened (2006)



Dates established:

Madhatters (1927)
Renamed Robot Society (1930)
Bachelor's degree (Aug. 23, 1946)
Sobey Scholar (1961)
Alumni Association formed (June 4, 1963)
Pre-EM (1972) pre-college minority program
Graduate Studies (1982)
(First degree, M.S., Manufacturing Management)
AIM Pre-College Program (1984)
Flint Children's Museum (1986)
Kamp GMI (1994) now Kamp Kettering
President's Medal (1996)
Leaders Fellow Endowment (1999)
Kettering Kickoff robotics (2000)
New Curriculum (July 2001)
LITE Pre-College Program (2002)
WKUF Radio on the air (2004)
Outstanding Thesis Award (2007)
Sustainable Energy Pre-College Program (2007)

Send comments and questions on these dates to marketing@kettering.edu.