Mark Hertsgaard Speaks to the Otterbein Community

Mark Hertsgaard, author of Otterbein’s 2004 Common Book, *The Eagle’s Shadow*, came to the Otterbein Community to discuss his book. On November 8 at 7:30pm, the packed crowd enjoyed his speech in the library and the book signing that followed.
The Otter Bean Café Grand Opening

On Friday, October 15th, the new café was opened with a ribbon cutting ceremony and speeches from Lois Szudy and President C. Brent Devore. The name, chosen by the Otterbein campus, was revealed to be “The Otter Bean Café.” Throughout the day, free drinks were served to everyone. Students and faculty gathered in the new café to enjoy the end of a long, but worthwhile renovation process with refreshments and prizes.
The Otter Bean Café

The Library Staff enjoys the new coffee shop!

President DeVore spoke at the ceremony.

Joe House, Otterbein music student, plays the drum roll for the revealing of the name.

A back pack of coffee brought a taste of the new coffee house to the campus… even on the way to class!
Alumni Book Club News

The new alumni book club has chosen its very first book, *The Ash Garden*, by Dennis Bock. The next meeting will be held on Monday, December 6 at 7:30 in room 126 in the Library. Come and discuss the interesting points of this book with your fellow alumni and friends.

The second book will be *Skipping Christmas*, by John Grisholm. The meeting for this book will be held on Monday, January 3 at 7:30 in the same room.

Don’t forget to start reading and come out and join in on the casual and engaging conversation! Open to alumni, friends, faculty, and students.

For more information, contact Melissa Lafayette Dardinger ’95 at mdard@corp.oprs.org or 614-501-6608.

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