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A Defining Moment...

Seven years
\$73 million +
115 additional acres
14 new buildings

From 78 acres to 193, with 14 new buildings, Linfield has experienced an unprecedented expansion thanks to the "Defining Moment" campaign. The photos illustrate new facilities including, clockwise from top, Kenneth W. Ford Hall, James F. Miller Fine Arts Center, Jereld R. Nicholson Library and Hewlett-Packard Park Apartments.

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hen initial planning for a capital campaign began in 1995, no one had an inkling it would become another defining moment in the history of Linfield College.

But with the closing of Hewlett-Packard's plant in McMinnville, an idea, a vision of Linfield for the next 100 years, was born. What had started as a \$28 million effort mushroomed into a \$70 million campaign, with the development of the former HP facilities at its heart.

With the campus more than doubling in size, ideas once thought impossible were given new life. Faculty, staff, students, alumni, parents, individuals, foundations and corporations caught the vision of those dreams. Thousands of people stepped up to offer money, ideas, enthusiasm and hard work to make them reality.

Today those dreams have come true for many people. A new library, a new theatre, a new art gallery have all enhanced the learning environment at Linfield. New endowed scholarships are helping students fund a Linfield education. The Collaborative Research Endowment has been strengthened to give students hands-on research experience side-by-side with faculty. The Chaplaincy Endowment enriches campus life. A new track and football field will enhance the experience of Linfield scholar-athletes.

As always, much remains to be done, including raising funds for a music building and increasing Linfield's still modest endowment. But the benefits from the "Defining Moment" campaign will echo with students and faculty for years to come. It's another of the historic moments that define Linfield.



Clockwise from top left:

The T. J. Day '71 Computer Center in Renshaw Hall provides a state-of-the-art computer science facility for students and faculty.

Students now have ample study space in the new Jereld R. Nicholson Library. The new library has more than double the space of Northup and, at the request of the students, the hours were expanded to 1 a.m. Sunday through Thursday to provide more access.

Becky Lundberg '04 paints in the new facilities at the James F. Miller Fine Arts Center, which provides more classroom and studio space to students and faculty as well as a new Fine Art Gallery.







Clockwise from top:

English professors Barbara Drake and Lex Runciman present one of many readings held this year in the Austin Reading Room in Nicholson Library.

Mike Roberts, professor of biology, works with Liz Brewster '04 to catalog a bone collection. The campaign provided funds to increase collaborative learning opportunities between faculty and students.

Amy Heidrick '04 and Craig Brenneke '04 put on final touches of makeup in the new dressing rooms in the Marshall Theatre. The new theatre more than doubles the seating capacity of Pioneer and adds a dressing room, a costume room and construction and design space, as well as classrooms and a lab.

The new Fine Art Gallery in the Miller Fine Arts Center attracts a wide variety of alumni, students and visitors to view its exhibits.

