





contributed to relatively low attendance at the December bash and persuaded us that perhaps one big bash in the spring would work better for all. So the quantity of bashes may have diminished, but we assure you there will be no fall-off in quality. At the spring bash, you may expect the same delicious faculty-catered fare, well-chosen music, inspired and inspiring student readings, and well-deserved awards. Indeed, plans are underway for even greater hilarity. We'll keep you posted.

In addition to welcoming Scott Rettberg to our program, we also welcome BJ Ward, a poet (and Stockton alumnus), who will be teaching literature and creative writing workshops this fall for Stephen Dunn. We must also welcome back Tom Kinsella, program associates Mary Steinacker, Lydia Fecteau, Fred Mench, Alexander Alexakis, and GT Lenard. As always, we welcome our new students and our returning majors.

That's all from us. We'd love to hear from you, whether you're quotable or not. Our email addresses can all be found on the new webpages.

Best regards,

The Literature Program

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