From the President’s Desk...

Holland proud of UWA’s 5-year accomplishments

We have recently completed five remarkable years at the University of West Alabama. During 2008-2013, we have reached many milestones, and we are grateful to all of you who have been be a part of this institution during this time in its history.

From opening a new freshman dorm to hosting several positive and successful visits with accreditation teams; from the launch of promising new academic and athletic programs, we are growing and improving this University every day. With all these many accomplishments, it is with a great sense of pride and eagerness that we look forward to years to come.

We are looking forward to there being many firsts, whether they be new degree programs or even new traditions that we will endeavor to establish. I have a very strong and growing confidence in our campus community, and I often reflect on what makes our people so special and our bond so strong.

We say, “There’s something about this place,” and we have tried for years to define that “something.” We know that the people at UWA and our supportive alumni and friends define what is special about this institution.

As a regional university with a mission of service to our area, we are leading by example. A primary focus of this institution has been to improve the quality of life in the State and region. All of you who are involved with the different aspects of UWA have been a large part of our success and we are most appreciative.

As you read this 5-Year Progress Report, please know that it is each of you the University is proud to call a partner of progress in our shared accomplishments.