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The northwest Ohio alumni community has had a busy year. Last summer, alumni volunteered with the Toledo YES Project, where 120 to 150 youth and adult volunteers come together for four days of Christian service. Alumni hosted a speaker who gave tips on using LinkedIn. And the community organized gamewatch parties for the minor league baseball Toledo Mud Hens and Flyers basketball. When not volunteering or getting together, alumni experience the rich culture of Toledo with activities on Lake Erie, visiting the Toledo Museum of Art or Toledo Zoo, or paying homage to the city's history of glass production by visiting the Glass Pavilion. And whenever possible, they stop at Tony Packo's for a quick bite.



*Made famous from its regular reference on the television show M\*A\*S\*H, we asked alumni:*

## **Are Tony Packo's hot dogs really that good, and why?**

"Tony Packo's is the best! When you go, you have to order the chicken chili mac. It's a lightly sweet chicken chili on top of their Hungarian dumplings. I devour it every time!" —**Nicole Susdorf '09**

"Tony Packo's is extremely similar to Skyline in the way the locals view it. People living in Cincinnati/Dayton love Skyline just as Toledo locals love Tony Packo's. If you are ever in the area I would highly recommend going. Tony Packo's dog is much better than Skyline's Cheese Coney, and the wall decor of a bunch of hot dog buns being signed by famous celebrities is also a fun touch." —**Chris Alleman '15**

“Tony Packo’s hot dogs are as advertised. It’s a great local quality food that has a distinct flavor. Nothing beats their chili cheese dogs!” —**David Theby '09**

**Alumni by the numbers**

Total Alumni 1,504

Flyer Fusions 145

**Graduation classes**

All 1940s-2010s

Most 2000s (with 320)

**Academic areas**

Education & Health Sciences 554

Arts & Sciences 462

Business 255

Engineering 210

Law 23