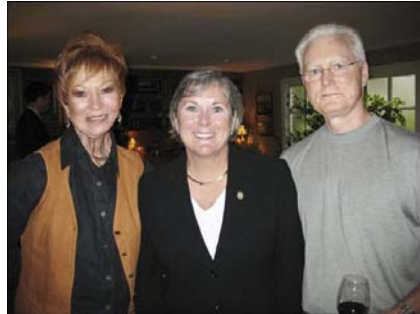


It's Simple . . . Not Much!

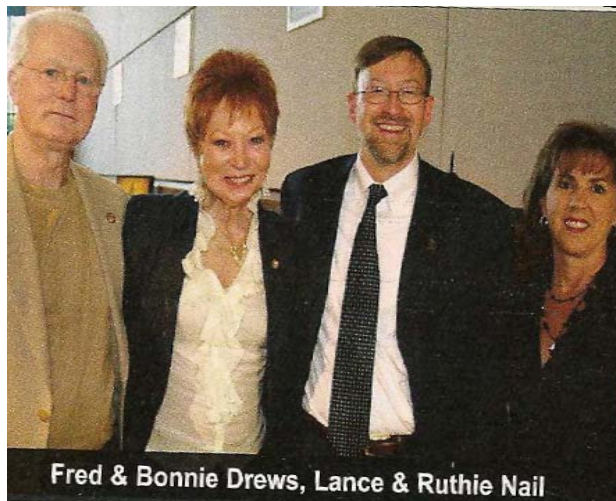
How CoB Administrators Continue to Associate with Thamesian Thinkers

Way back on 25-Sept-07 USMNEWS.net asked the question: [How Much has Really Changed?](#) That report contained "The Debrow Photos," showing that then-new USM president Martha Saunders was socializing with the likes of Fred and Bonnie Drews, two staunch supporters of the disastrous Shelby F. Thames administration (2002-07) of USM (the Debrow photo of Saunders with Fred and Bonnie Drews is inserted below).



In supporting the Thames administration, Fred and Bonnie Drews supported the controversial firing of former USM professors Gary Stringer and Frank Glamser. They also supported Thames' controversial vision for USM, which entailed growing the sciences at the expense of arts and letters. They also stood behind Thames' controversial push for "economic development" as an expected activity of all USM faculty. Though there is too much about the Thames administration to delve into here, Fred and Bonnie Drews supported most, if not all, of what that administration stood for.

Now, a new photo has surfaced showing Fred and Bonnie Drews cozying up to CoB dean Lance Nail, and the first lady of the CoB, Ruthie Nail (see below).



The Nails are so close to Fred and Bonnie Drews in the photo above, which was taken at the recent 6th annual Passions of the Palate event, that it appears as though they are joined as one at the hips. Is this a little too close for comfort?