Bryn Mawr College Financial Statements

May 31, 2016 and 2015



Report of Independent Auditors

To the Trustees of Bryn Mawr College:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Bryn Mawr College (the "College"), which comprise the statements of financial position as of May 31, 2016 and 2015, and the related statements of activities and of cash flows for the years then ended.

Bryn Mawr College Statements of Financial Position May 31, 2016 and 2015 (in thousands)

| | | N | Aay 2016 | May 2015 |
|-------------------------------|---|----|-----------|-----------------|
| Assets: | | | | |
| | Cash | \$ | 23,358 | \$ 15,847 |
| | Short-term investments | | 5,105 | 5,062 |
| | Accounts receivable (less allowance of \$365 in 2016 & \$234 in 2015) | | 5,179 | 5,290 |
| | Other assets | | 2,375 | 2,052 |
| | Contributions receivable (less allowance of \$2 in 2016 & \$45 in 2015) | | 8,224 | 8,051 |
| | Student loans receivable (less allowance of \$1,455 in 2016 & \$1,336 in 2015) | | 3,305 | 3,090 |
| | Deposits with trustees of debt obligations | | 15,234 | 21,922 |
| | Plant and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation | | 194,919 | 195,938 |
| | Long term investments | | 841,946 | 908,934 |
| | Total assets | \$ | 1,099,645 | \$ 1,166,186 |
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| | ies and Net Assets | | | |
| Total Liabilit Liabilities | : | \$ | 3.6 | 28 555 8 706 Td |
| | Accounts payable | \$ | 3,6 | 28.555 8.706 Td |
| | Accounts payable Accrued expenses | \$ | 3,6 | 28.555 8.706 Td |
| | Accounts payable Accrued expenses Student deposits | \$ | 3,6 | 28.555 8.706 Td |
| | Accounts payable Accrued expenses Student deposits Deferred revenue | \$ | 3,6 | 28.555 8.706 Td |
| | Accounts payable Accrued expenses Student deposits Deferred revenue Annuity obligations | \$ | 3,6 | 28.555 8.706 Td |
| | Accounts payable Accrued expenses Student deposits Deferred revenue | \$ | 3,6 | 28.555 8.706 Td |

Bryn Mawr College Statements of Activities Year Ended May 31, 2016 (with comparative totals for 2015, in thousands)

| | Unrestricted | Temporarily Restricted | Permanently Restricted | Total 2016 | Total 2015 |
|--|--------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|------------|------------|
| Dperating revenues: | | | | | |
| Tuition and fees, net of discount of \$32,375 | \$ 41,515 \$ | | \$- | \$ 41,515 | \$ 40,431 |
| Private gifts and grants | 5,817 | 5,093 | | 10,910 | 7,591 |
| Government grants | 8,140 | | | 8,140 | 7,863 |
| Endowment payout under spending formula | 19,249 | 20,730 | | 39,979 | 37,189 |
| Other | 4,692 | | | 4,692 | 4,808 |
| Auxiliary enterprises, net of discount of \$899 | 22,282 | | | 22,282 | 20,332 |
| Interest income on cash and short-term investments | 1,148 | | | d 1925 | id [(1)TJ |
| Satisfaction of program restrictions | | | | | |

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Bryn Mawr College Statements of Cash Flows Years Ended May 31, 2016 and 2015 (in thousands)

| For fiscal years ended May 31 | | 2016 | 2015 |
|--|----|-------------|-----------|
| CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES | | | |
| Change in net assets | \$ | (61,986) \$ | 23,587 |
| Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to | | | |
| net cash provided by operating activities: | | | |
| Depreciation and amortization | | 11,359 | 8,560 |
| Loss on disposal of equipment | | 905 | 3,645 |
| Provision for losses/(benefits) on accounts/loans receivable | | 207 | (435) |
| Contributions designated for long-term investment | | (6,500) | (433) |
| Net realized and unrealized (gains)/ losses on investments | | 34,262 | (26,398) |
| Change in net present value of annuities | | (773) | (20,398) |
| Change in asset retirement obligation | | 121 | 36 |
| Changes in operating assets and liabilities: | | 121 | 50 |
| Accounts receivable and other assets | | (242) | (215) |
| | | (343) | (215) |
| Increase/(decrease) in accounts payable, accruals, deferred revenue and student deposits | | (918) | 2,527 |
| Decrease/(increase) in contributions receivable | | (130) | (476) |
| Net cash used in operating activities | | (23,796) | (16,240) |
| CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES | | | |
| Proceeds from sale of investments | | 227,373 | 232,429 |
| Purchase of long-term investments | | (194,540) | (233,512) |
| Payments on student loans and employee mortgages | | 1,184 | 1,222 |
| Student loans and employee mortgages advanced | | (1,668) | (1,373) |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment | | (12,012) | (17,046) |
| Decrease/(increase) in deposits held by trustees of debt obligations | | 6,688 | (20,222) |
| Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities | | 27,025 | (38,502) |
| CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES | | | |
| Contributions designated for long-term investment | | 6,500 | 26,988 |
| Proceeds from long-term borrowing, Par | | - | 51,670 |
| Debt issue premium, net of discount and issue costs | | - | 5,305 |
| Repayment of debt | | (2,295) | (23,995) |
| Increase/(decrease) in government advance for loans | | 77 | (199) |
| Net cash provided by financing activities | | 4,282 | 59,769 |
| Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | | 7,511 | 5,027 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year | | 15,847 | 10,820 |
| | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of year | \$ | 23,358 \$ | 15,847 |
| Supplemental data for financing activities: | ¢ | · • | |
| Non-cash gifts-in-kind | \$ | 166 \$ | 47 |
| Interest paid | | 5,724 | 4,873 |
| Construction related payables | | 418 | 1,346 |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Bryn Mawr College Notes to the Financial Statements May 31, 2016

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Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and other investments with a maturity of three months or less at the time of purchase are reported as cash equivalents. Cash and cash equivalents representing assets of the endowment and similar funds are included in long-term investments.

Contributions Receivable

Contributions, which include unconditional promises to give (pledges), are recognized as revenues in the period received at their net present value, less an allowance for estimated uncollectible amounts.

Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The College's investments and other financial instruments are reported at fair value. Fair value represents the price that would be received upon the sale of an asset or paid upon the transfer of a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants as of the measurement date. Investments are then classified and disclosed in one of the following categories based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety:

Level I – Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities, at the reporting date, without adjustment. Market price is data generally obtained from relevant exchange or dealer markets. Level II – Pricing inputs, including broker quotes, are generally those other than exchange quoted prices in active markets, which are either directly or indirectly observable as of the reporting date. Level III – Pricing inputs are unobservable for the investment and includes situations where a) there is minimal, if any, market activity for the investment and b) the inputs used in determination of fair value require significant management judgment or estimation.

Inputs broadly refer to the assumptions that market participants use to make valuation decisions, including assumptions about risk. Inputs may include price information, volatility statistics, specific and broad credit data,

The College performs additional procedures including due diligence reviews on its investments in investment companies and other procedures with respect to the capital account or NAV provided to ensure conformity with US Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP). The College has assessed factors including, but not limited to, managers' compliance with the Fair Value Measurement standard, price transparency and valuation procedures in place, the ability to redeem NAV at the measurement date and existence of certain redemption restrictions at the measurement date.

Cash and Equivalents

The carrying amount approximates fair value because of the short maturity of these instruments.

Short-Term Investments

Short-term investments include cash equivalents and fixed income investments with maturities between three and twelve months. Short-term investments are valued using observable market data to the degree that they can be valued based on quoted market prices in active markets. The majority of these short-term investments are fixed income instruments.

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Long-lived assets to be held and used are reviewed for impairments whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the related carrying amount may not be recoverable.

Deferred Revenue

Revenues received prior to the end of the fiscal year which relate to the following fiscal year are recorded and reflected in student deposits and deferred revenue.

Deposit with Trustees

Deposits with the trustee associated with the College's debt obligations are invested in cash, money market and various government securities according to the requirements established by the associated bond agreements.

Fund Raising Expenses

Direct expenses for fundraising were \$4,528 in 2016 and \$4,207 in 2015.

Tax Status

The College has been granted tax-exempt status as a non-profit organization under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, and accordingly, files federal tax Form 990 (Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax) annually. The College also files federal tax Form 990-T (Exempt Organizations Business Income Tax Return). The College monitors and evaluates its activities for unrelated business income.

Other Assets

Other assets include prepaid expenses and inventory which is valued at the lower of cost or market.

Reclassifications

Certain amounts in the prior year may have been reclassified to conform to the current year presentation.

3 <u>Contributions Receivable</u>

Contributions receivable consisted of the following at May 31. The discount rates applied to new pledges was 3.0% and 4.5% at May 31, 2016 and 2015, respectively.

Contributions receivable in:

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Details on current redemption terms and restrictions by asset class and type of investment are provided below. Standard redemption notices are between 30 and 60 days.

| Liquidity of Assets | Value |
|---|------------|
| 1 to 7 days | |
| Cash & cash equivalents | \$ 26,799 |
| Equity (domestic & international) | 67,935 |
| Real Assets | 4,215 |
| Fixed income (domestic) | 5,104 |
| Between 1 week and 1 month | 104,055 |
| Equity (domestic & international) | 120,210 |
| Fixed income (domestic) | 60,527 |
| Hedge Funds | |
| Developed International | 10,545 |
| Multi-Strategy | 15,409 |
| US Equity (long/short and event driven) | |
| 1 to 3 months | 206,691 |
| | 50.155 |
| Equity (international) | <u> </u> |
| 3 to 6 months | |
| Hedge Funds | |
| Global Equity (long/short) | 10,047 |
| Multi-Strategy | 20,844 |
| US Equity (long/short and event driven) | 13,523 |
| 6 months to 1 year | 44,414 |
| Hedge Funds | |
| Global Equity (long/short) | 1,244 |
| Multi-Strategy | 57,966 |
| US Equity (long/short and event driven) | 11,898 |
| ob Equity (long short and event driven) | 71,108 |
| Long-Term greater than 1 year | |
| Hedge Funds | |
| Global Equity (long/short) | 13,813 |
| Developed International | 110 |
| Multi-Strategy | 43,495 |
| US Equity (long/short and event driven) | 3,025 |
| Real Assets | 104,344 |
| Residential Mortgages | 4,760 |
| Private Equity The second sec | 165.795 |
| Trusts | 33,288 |
| | 368,630 |
| Total | \$ 847,051 |

Endowment investment activity for 2016 and 2015 is as follows:

| | | lowment & Gif ilar funds a | t annuities nd trusts | Trusts held by others | 2016 | 2015 |
|--|----|-------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|----------|
| Investments at beginning of year | \$ | 867,728 \$ | 29,685 \$ | 6,911 \$ | 904,324 \$ | 876,633 |
| Contributions restricted by donor | | 4,760 | 287 | | 5,047 | 24,401 |
| Contributions designated for long term investment | | 1,453 | | | 1,453 | 2,587 |
| Payout returned to long-term investments | | 423 | | | 423 | 477 |
| Other increases | | 2,001 | | | 2,001 | 6,406 |
| | _ | 876,365 | 29,972 | 6,911 | 913,248 | 910,504 |
| Investment returns net of expenses of \$6,388 in 2016 and \$6,602 in 2015. | | | | | | |
| Investment dividends and interest | | (364) | | | (364) | 6,961 |
| Realized/Unrealized gains/losses | | (32,124) | (1,441) | (419) | (33,984) | 26,241 |
| | _ | (32,488) | (1,441) | (419) | (34,348) | 33,202 |
| Endowment spending payout | | (39,979) | | | (39,979) | (37,189) |
| | | (72,467) | (1,441) | (419) \$ | (74,327) \$ | (3,987) |
| Annuity and trust income | | | 240 | | 240 | 258 |
| Payments to annuitants and trust expenses | | | (1,311) | | (1,311) | (1,340) |
| Maturities of annuities | | | (664) | | (664) | (1,111) |
| Investments at end of year | \$ | 803,898 \$ | 26,796 \$ | 6,492 \$ | 837,186 \$ | 904,324 |

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Debt

Long-term debt, net of unamortized issuance costs, discounts, or premiums at May 31, consisted of the following:

| | Maturity Date | Coupon Rates | 2016 | 2015 |
|--|------------------|-----------------|------------------|---------|
| Pennsylvania Higher Educational Facilities Authority | | | | |
| College Revenue Bonds, Series 2014 | 12/1/2044 | 3.0-5.0% | \$ 56,621 \$ | 56,798 |
| Pennsylvania Higher Educational Facilities Authority | | | | |
| College Revenue Bonds, Series 2012A | 12/1/2022 | 4.0% | 14,432 | 14,654 |
| Pennsylvania Higher Educational Facilities Authority | | | | |
| College Revenue Bonds, Series 2012 | 12/1/2017 | 3.0% | 675 | 1,326 |
| Pennsylvania Higher Educational Facilities Authority | | | | |
| College Revenue Bonds, Series 2010A | 12/1/2019 | 4.0-5.0% | 26,950 | 28,285 |
| Pennsylvania Higher Educational Facilities Authority | | | | |
| College Revenue Bonds, Series 2010 | 12/1/2029 | 3.0-5.0% | 12,173 | 12,820 |
| Pennsylvania Higher Educational Facilities Authority | | | | |
| College Revenue Bonds, Series 2007 | 12/1/2037 | 5.0% | 22,812 | 22,842 |
| | | | | |
| | | | \$ 133,663 \$ | 136,725 |

Principal payments on long-term debt are as follows:

| | : | Series 2014 | Series 2012A | | Series 2012 | S | eries 2010A | Series 2010 | Series 2007 | Total |
|---------------|-------|----------------|------------------|----|-------------|----|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| 2017 | \$ | 520 | | \$ | 695 | \$ | 1,020 | \$ 670 | | \$ 2,905 |
| 2018 | | 1,105 | | | | | 1,065 | 695 | | 2,865 |
| 2019 | | 1,145 | | | | | 1,105 | 715 | | 2,965 |
| 2020 | | 1,195 | | | | | 22,360 | 745 | | 24,300 |
| 2021 | | 1,250 | | | | | | 780 | | 2,030 |
| Thereafter | | 46,455 | 13,100 | | | | | 8,470 | 22,170 | 90,195 |
| Total princip | al pa | yments | | | | | | | - | 125,260 |
| Net bond pre | miun | n, discounts a | and issuance cos | ts | | | | | | 8,403 |
| Total outstan | ding | debt | | | | | | | - | \$ 133,663 |

The long-term debt includes various tax-exempt bond issues. All of the bonds bear interest at fixed rates that were determined on their original sale date. Interest is payable semi-annually. In all cases, the bonds were issued by the Pennsylvania Higher Educational Facilities Authority pursuant to an indenture with a bond trustee. The Authority then loaned the proceeds to the College via a loan agreement. For the purpose of securing the payments to bondholders, in these agreements the College had pledged its unrestricted revenues. In addition, under the terms of the agreements, the College is required to comply with various financial covenants. The College was in compliance with such covenants as of May 31, 2016 and May 31, 2015.

In May 2007, the College issued the Series 2007 bonds primarily to currently refinance the Series 1997 bond issue.

In May 2010, the College issued the Series 2010 bonds primarily to currently refinance the Series 1999 bond issue.

In November 2010, the College issued the Series 2010A bonds primarily to refinance a portion of the Series 2002 bond issue.

In February 2012, the College issued the Series 2012 bonds primarily to currently refinance the Series 2009 bond issue.

In November 2012, the College issued the Series 2012A bonds primarily to currently refinance the remainder of the Series 2002 bond issue. There was also approximately \$5,000 of proceeds used for the construction, improvement, renovation and equipping of various College facilities.

In July 2014, the College issued the Series 2014 bonds to refinance a portion of the Series 2012 bond issue and to fund various construction, improvement, renovation and equipping projects expected to include the renovation and expansion of a student residential facility and the College's primary science facility. The Series 2014 Bonds legally defeased \$21,780 of the outstanding Series 2012 Bonds.

Derivative Activity

As of May 31, 2016 the College has no swap agreements or other derivatives.

7 <u>Net Assets</u>

Net assets at May 31, 2016 consisted of the following:

| | Uı | nrestricted | Temporarily Restricted | Permanently Restricted | Total |
|---|--------|-------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------|
| Current funds: | \$ | (13,267) \$ | 12,808 | \$ - \$ | (459) |
| Loan funds: | | 538 | 182 | | 720 |
| Endowment and similar funds: | | | | | |
| True endowment | | | 204,257 | 237,718 | 441,975 |
| Quasi endowment | | 359,850 | 6,516 | | 366,366 |
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