

STUMPTOWN ORANGE TURNS 10!

July 25, 2017



The Stumptown Orange hit double-digits in July 2017 and on the 25th of the month, two dozen friends and alumni of Syracuse gathered to mark the occasion. Our special guest was **Eric Dungey** (above), Whitman Class of 2019 – an accounting major who is filling the football ledger with statistics these days in his role as quarterback of the Orange.

Eric answered questions posed by various members of the club. Among Eric's tidbits:

- Coach Dino Babers is as animated and inspiring as post-game video clips which have gone viral indicate;
- Juggling classwork and football is serious business;
- Social stuff takes a backseat, especially in the fall;
- With lots of returning starters, watch out for the Orange this season;
- Senior receiver Steve Ishmael is primed for a big year;
- Being in the toughest division in college football is more of a challenge than a frustration;
- Syracuse is a great place ... even the snow!

And Eric's dad, Tim, confirmed that Eric truly is a *student-athlete*, and has the good grades to prove it.

Some brief business was conducted at the dinner at the Old Spaghetti Factory as well. Recent and upcoming events and initiatives were highlighted and two officers were re-elected to new two-year terms: Vice-president for Student Involvement **Rich Meneghello ('93)** and Treasurer **Ken Kane ('75)**. The event ended with the cutting of the anniversary cake and **Ted Bunga ('61)** leading us in singing the alma mater (below left). Thanks to everyone who helped us celebrate and to Ted and **Naomi McLaughlin ('13/'14)** (below right, with Eric) for the photos.

