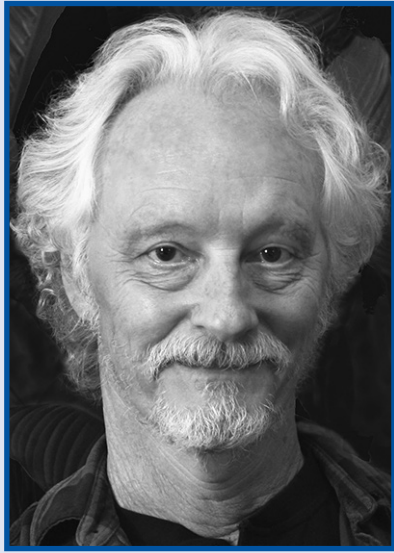


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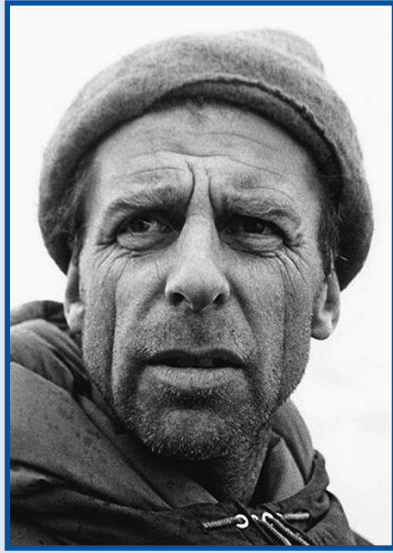


Tom Hopp
Class of 1968
*Novelist, Biochemist
& Musician*

Thomas Patrick Hopp climbed a long way up from his origins in a housing project, to the halls of some of our nation's greatest medical research institutions, and on into the world of novel writing.

Tom spent his early childhood years in a housing project on the banks of the Duwamish River in South Park, in an area that is now a superfund toxic waste cleanup site. Tom describes the project as, "not a very nice place to be a kid." His parents moved to the neighborhood at the top of Jacobsen Road, and he attended Genesee Hill Elementary School, James Madison Junior High School, and West Seattle High School. "Every step of the way," he says, "my teachers were a wonderful positive influence on a kid who carried a bit of street toughness from his housing project days. I

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Fred Beckey
Class of 1941
Mountaineer & Naturalist

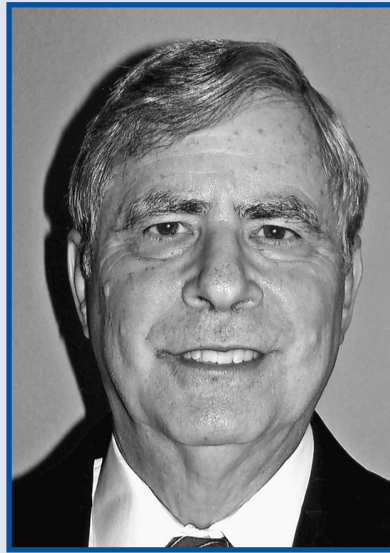
Fred Beckey is perhaps the most world famous West Seattle High School alumni who was not yet in the Hall of Fame. Fred is now 90 years old, living in Seattle and still going strong. If elected to the Hall of Fame, it would be splendid to have him appear in person to accept this prestigious award for a lifetime of achievement.

Fred has been featured several times in the Chinook with the most recent articles by West Seattle grads Don Nokes in 2003 and Jeanne Ossinger Douglas in 2012.

A documentary film (Direct Beckey) is in-the-works about his remarkable life story. Fred has been honored with the official naming of Mt. Beckey in the Alaskan Mountain Range after him.

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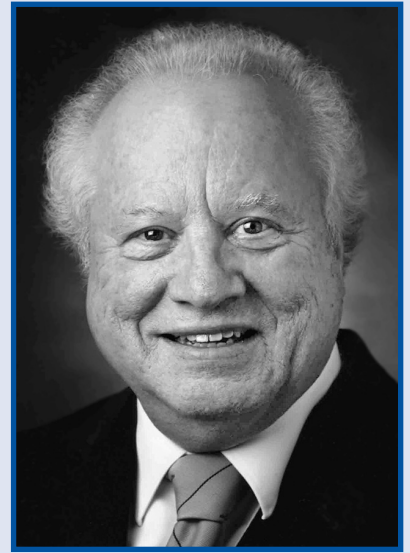


Dr. Harvey J. Willenberg
Class of 1963
Scientist

Dr. Harvey J. Willenberg is a proud graduate of the West Seattle High School Class of 1963. He is convinced that he received a wonderful education at WSHS, which strengthens the goals of public education with many advanced placement classes and enthusiastic teachers. For scientists and engineers, this class was spurred on by the Sputnik generation, which encouraged students who were proficient at science and math to pursue these education fields.

He received his Bachelor of Science degree in Physics from Harvey Mudd College in 1967, and began graduate school at the University of Colorado. This education was interrupted by the Selective Service Board during the Vietnam War, and he served two years in the U.S. Army in Germany after his first year of graduate school.

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Tom Collier
Class of 1966
Composer & Musician

"Tom Collier one of the best jazz vibraphonists on the planet." - Scott Mercado interview, Modern Drummer Magazine

At the age of 9, **Tom Collier** made a guest appearance on The Lawrence Welk Show, wearing a tuxedo while simultaneously tap dancing and playing the marimba. Students and faculty at Genesee Hill Elementary School will never forget how they proudly watched Tom perform on TV and how they enjoyed his amazing talent as he performed on the stage at Genesee.

Tom's career took off at an early age, so in a predictable career progression he worked as a studio musician in Hollywood California and in 1980 became Director of Percussion Studies at the University of Washington. In 2001 he was appointed the esteemed position of Professor of Percussion and Jazz at the UW. He twice served as Chair of Jazz

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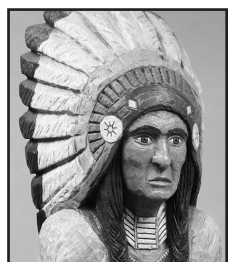
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PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE/LETTER FROM THE EDITOR



WSHSAA President/Chinook Editor
Karen Seamens Dobbs, Class of 1971
Photo by Murray’s J2

Greetings, West Seattle Indians AND Wildcats! It has been ten years since the controversial and painful change in our school team name was imposed on us by the Seattle School Board. While I think most of our Wildcat alums are still too young to be nostalgic enough to be regular reunion attendees, it is time for the rest of the West Seattle HS Alumni to put aside any bad feelings and become inclusive. Make no mistake: I am personally, proudly and forever a third generation Indian! But there are also now WS Wildcats who deserve our respect. We can co-exist! Today’s students, and the graduates of the last ten years had nothing to do with the change. It happened, and we all must move forward, realizing we cannot change back.

It was only recently brought to my attention that some unfortunate inci-

dents have occurred at past All-School Reunions (ASR). At a time when the Alumni Assoc is trying to build bridges and make connections with the students (future alumni, mind you), by recruiting their help at the ASR, some of the students were “challenged” (harassed?) by older alumni for wearing their West Seattle Wildcat school gear. There was also a report of inappropriate remarks being made to some of the cheerleaders who were there to assist people in finding their way around the building. They haven’t been back since, and who could blame them?

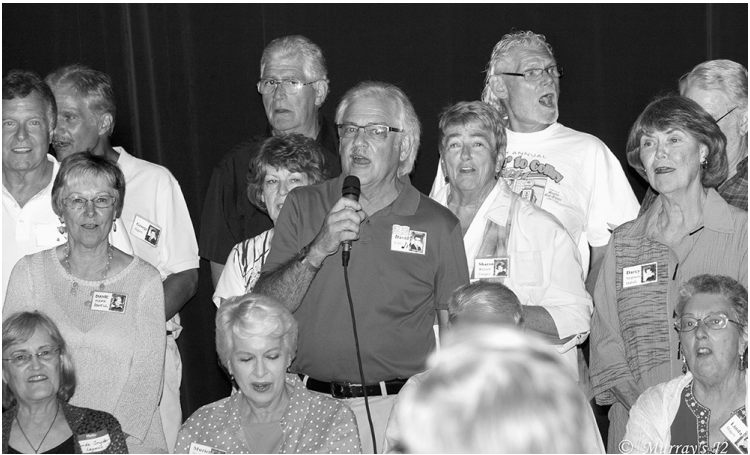
Obviously, this is appalling and must not be tolerated. I like to think this crass behavior is not worthy of West Seattle High School graduates! If I am wrong, and anything of that nature happens at this year’s ASR, I want to hear about it.

This year, the Alumni Assoc made more strides toward 21st century functioning, with our ever-expanding Website and individual class Facebook pages. We happily welcomed Terese (Anderson) Machmiller (class of ’80) to the Board as our new Communications VP. She has taken over management of our Website, with terrific results: check it out!

Big Thank Yous go to the other mem-

bers of the Board: Ted Foss, Stephanie Aird, Linda Wells, Sandy Dubuque, John Zitkovich, Mary Toal and Jim Biava, plus all of the faithful Class Reps for keeping us going this past year.

As always, I look forward to greeting everyone at the 2015 ASR, the first ever to be held on a Saturday. See you there!



David Little Leading the Alma Mater Photo by Murray’s J2



WSHSAA President/Chinook Editor
Karen Seamens Dobbs, and Sandy DuBuque
Photo by Murray’s J2

2015 ALL SCHOOL REUNION MAKES SATURDAY DEBUT ON SATURDAY JUNE 6TH!

by Jim Biava, Program V. P. Class of ‘71

The change to Saturday for the ASR has been well received and we haven’t even had it yet! The ASR’s new, more streamlined, format will bring more student involvement. The change to the first Saturday in June has more for everyone.

Just walking through the entrances you will see one of the more visible changes to make things more streamlined. When signing in you will sign in on your individual class’s sign in sheets. Those were in the room and many didn’t sign in. This will make it easier to update records and plan for the next year’s ASR. For your convenience you can pay your annual dues right there. Or later, as it is not “admission”. The money goes to putting on this event. A big thank you for those paying dues and/or making a contribution.

Back by popular demand are the student musicians directed by Ethan Thomas’s Music Dept. This is their 3rd year performing soothing music and we are excited to have them back. They will, again this year, offering a variety of concessions. The money raised will go towards buying uniforms and other expenses. If you are hungry enjoy! If you aren’t donations are welcome.

The photography students learning their techniques in Michelle Sloan’s class will be taking random action shots. Many of those photos will be posted on our website and Face Book page. They will also visit the rooms for group shots and will have a mini studio set up for those who want to take photos. It will be fun to preserve the families with multi-generations of WSHS grads.

The baseball team will be helping out with volunteers. They will also have Mariner’s tickets for June 22nd game vs the Kansas City Royals. You get to see a great game AND help out our baseball team.

Always a hit the WSHS cheer squad, under the direction of Christina Posten, will also be helping out. There are more fun changes all around. Come on down and see how many changes you notice. If you haven’t been to your WSHS All School Reunion, this Historical Saturday Debut would be a perfect afternoon to get caught up with friends.

The north and west entry doors open at 2pm. Sign in, pick up a program and a bite to eat. Then roam the halls from 2:00 to 3:00. A short program to honor the current Scholarship Recipients, introduce the new members to our Hall of Fame, and to hear from the Alumni Association’s President from the class of 1971, Karen Dobbs. The individual class reunions start after the program which is about 4:00 and go until the end of the 2015 ASR at 5:30. Come on down, your friends will be there waiting to see you!

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If you are interested in submitting articles for future editions of the Chinook please contact your class representative.

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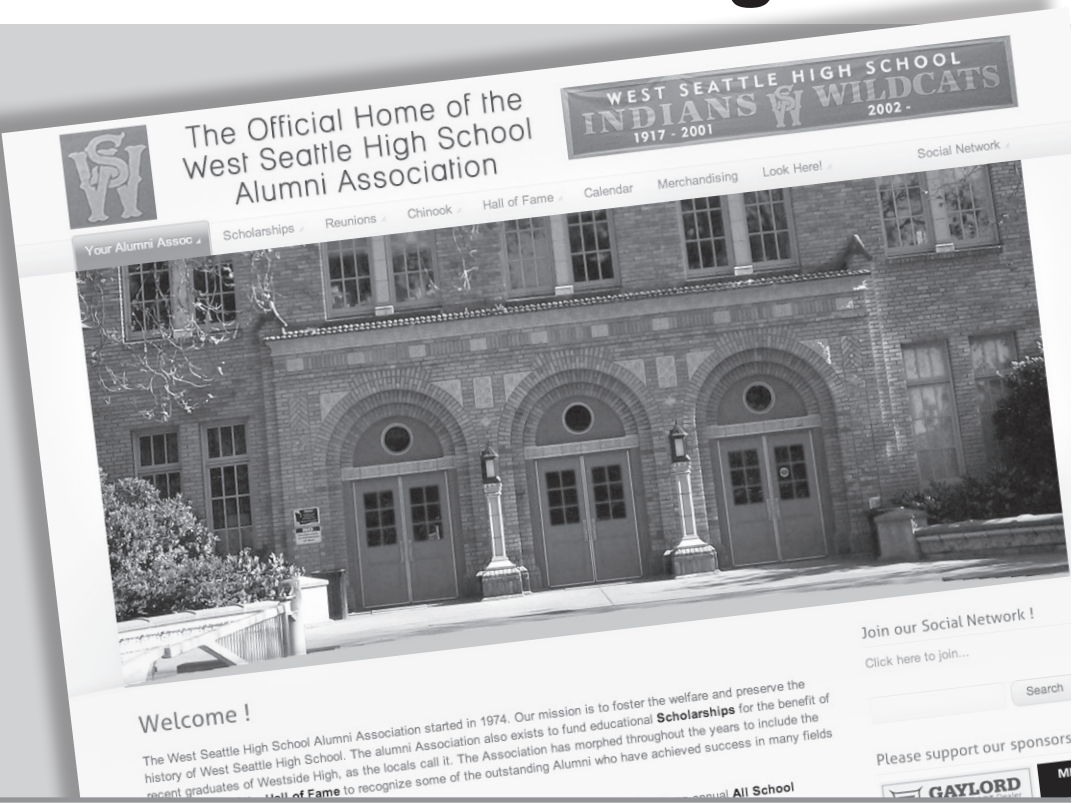
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You can now access our new website with our own Social Network. It's awesome! It is full of information, including Scholarships, Reunions, Hall of Fame, Merchandise, The Chinook including Archived Editions, and other links to videos.

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We've talked with some who buy WSHS merchandise from "for-profit" sites pretending to be the West Seattle Alumni Association, thinking they are helping out our own. That is not the case. Now you can get your high-quality WSHS gear made by **West Seattle Grads**, made **in West Seattle**, **for West Seattle**. The proceeds benefit your Alumni Association.

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Hall of Fame Nomination Information

Hall of Fame nomination forms will be accepted anytime until November 15th, 2015. Next January the WSHS Alumni Association Board will review the nominations and select four finalists for the Class Reps to vote on at the February 2016 meeting. One or two of the finalists will win the Hall of Fame Award for 2016, and will be notified soon after. Each winner will be honored at the All-School Reunion in June 2016.

All nominations received but not selected will be kept on file and reconsidered for the next year.

Hall of Fame Nomination Form

The Alumni Association inaugurated the WSHS Hall of Fame in 1986. The nominee should be an outstanding individual noteworthy in their field or community at large. If you would like to nominate an individual for the Hall of Fame, Please submit the following form.

Hall of Fame Nominee

I would like to submit the following name for consideration by the West Seattle High School Hall of Fame Committee. I will attach a typed sheet of paper (no more than 1 ½ pages) explaining my reason(s) for this nomination.

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HOW ARE OUR SCHOLARSHIPS FUNDED?

by Tom Lyons

The WSHS Scholarship Funds program has been a remarkable success story in providing educational opportunities for students who wish to continue their education at colleges and universities. West Seattle High has one of the largest alumni associations in the US, and we can be proud that the scholarship fund is also one of the largest in the country.

Through a combination of very generous gifts, bequests, endowments, and excellent investment returns, the scholarship funds have grown significantly over the last decade. At present, there are seven different scholarship accounts in place to meet a variety of objectives in helping students. The story of this growth is a great testament to the loyalty and commitment of WSHS alumni.

As of February 20th, the total value of the alumni scholarship assets was \$2,508,439. In 2004, the amount of the funds available was \$265,900. Since that time, over \$1,661,000 has been contributed to the accounts from donors, and over \$643,000 has been distributed to qualified students. Investment returns have averaged over 12 % a year, except for the recession year of 2008.

In January 2009, the assets amounted to \$1,234,855, and since then they have grown through investment performance by \$1,272, 415 – the net investment increase in value after all scholarships and donations were tallied up. This amounts to an increase of 102.6% over the last 6 years, for an average investment return of 12.18% per year. As managed by Edward Jones, the funds are allocated in a conservative, well balanced portfolio which has achieved good returns without high risk by using investments with solid track records.

These include mutual funds from some of the leading groups in the country, government bonds, corporate bonds, and trusts which contain stocks of large dividend paying companies.

Edward Jones is known for its ethical conservative management style, and the account has been managed to keep fees to an absolute minimum. The investment profits should be going as much as possible to the worthy cause represented by these scholarship funds from generous donors.

The investment portfolio is now arranged to include 23 % in bonds with a fixed income, 54% in conservative stock funds that produce good dividend income, and 23 % in stock funds that offer growth potential without excessive risk. This mix of assets has been a successful one in recent years, but this balance is monitored closely for adjustments needed according to changing economic times. The growth of the accounts has created a significant surplus above and beyond the yearly scholarship needs, so the funds are well set up to meet all the needs for the foreseeable future. This will allow for continued growth of the portfolio while also providing for the ongoing scholarship distributions.

Right now, the Alumni Scholarship Funds have the following balances:

Ross Galbreath Scholarship Fund	\$1,454,638
West Seattle Alumni Association Scholarship Account:	\$356,665
Patricia Noyes Women's Science Scholarship	\$321,950
Margaret M. Rader Scholarship Fund	\$267,588
Ruth Larsen Scholarship Fund	\$57,132
Herb Smith Scholarship Fund	\$39,863
Mary K. Richardson Scholarship Fund	\$10,603
 Total	 \$2,508,439

Great thanks to the donors who have made this success story possible. The gifts and bequests have provided a firm foundation which will benefit many students for many years to come!

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WSHS Foundation

By Christy Young Rowe, President, Class of '72



President Christy Young Rowe and her grandson Seth

The WSHS Foundation Board members continue to support the high school as the conduit for donations supporting needs for students and staff and to support the PTSA in their fund-raising efforts. The Foundation is a non-profit organization and compliments the other groups who raise money for WSHS. In the past, The Foundation has donated funds to purchase musical instruments including twenty guitars, a xylophone and bassoon for the marching band, Smart boards (interactive technology) for several classrooms, library books, choir robes, bricks for the Courtyard, equipment for the athletic teams, a multimedia projector for the Performing Arts Center, original art work for the school building and we have contributed to every PTSA Auction for annual needs at the school.

One project that we are especially proud to oversee is managing an annual donation from a community member to provide Math Tutoring for the students. Over the past few years almost \$60,000 has been spent to hire after school tutors. Of the nine hundred and ninety four students at WSHS, 56% of the

population has attended and benefited from this resource according to statistics provided to us by Principal Medsker. Tutoring is available on Tuesdays, Thursdays and at Saturday School. We are proud to be the conduit through which this generous donation is given each year and to see the success and increased math scores for our students.

There are many ways to show your support for WSHS. The PTSA raises funds for immediate needs in the school year, the Booster Club raises funds for athletics, and the Alumni Association raises money for college scholarships. This tutoring program gives kids a chance to raise their academics to a point where they CAN apply to college. If you would like to make a tax deductible donation to the Foundation, please contact me. Thank-you to all who have contributed in the past as we all continue to help foster a positive learning environment for all students in a culture of academic excellence.

Thank-you also to Foundation Board members Dow Constantine, Shirley Tupper and Bob Yeasting for your continued dedication and time given to support WSHS.

Christy Rowe, President WSHS Foundation, christyrowe7@gmail.com

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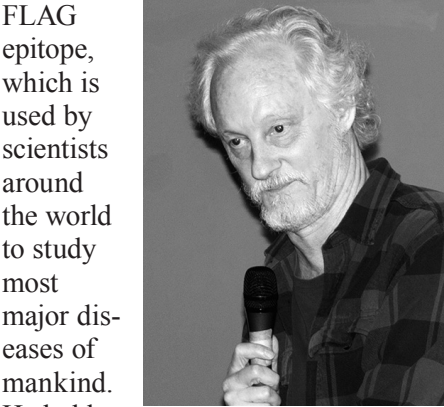
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was rebellious, but I've always been grateful for every teacher who helped me rise above my origins and realize my full potential."

Hopp paid attention when those teachers "sighed in exasperation" when he didn't turn in homework, or looked regretful when he failed to complete class assignments. "I got it, that they really cared about me," he says. "I responded by learning to care about myself and study harder. I did well enough to get pretty good grades at West Seattle High School—far from straight A's though."

His interest in science caught fire at the University of Washington, and a perfect score on the Graduate Record Exam got him into Cornell University Medical College where he got a Ph.D. in biochemistry in 1977. He studied genetic engineering at Rockefeller University and went on to help found Seattle's multi-billion-dollar biotechnology company, Immunex Corporation, now Amgen. While there, he isolated genes for the immune system hormone, interleukin one, and helped Immunex create the blockbuster arthritis drug, Enbrel. Rising to the rank of Vice President, he also developed the world's first commercially successful nanotechnology device, a molecular handle called the FLAG epitope, which is used by scientists around the world to study most major diseases of mankind. He holds ten biotechnology patents, and has scores of published scientific articles to his credit.



Tom Hopp
Photo by Murray's J2

In his days at West Seattle High, Tom was a hippie. He played bass guitar and sang in the psychedelic band, The Crystal Sect. Since then, he's performed on stage with blues legend John Lee Hooker and rock super groups The Kingsmen and The Drifters. His current band is The Beaters.

Tom excavated dinosaur bones with world-renowned paleontologist, Jack Horner, and originated the theory that feathers arose on bird ancestors, not for flight, but for brooding. In 2000 he published the science fiction novel Dinosaur Wars: Earthfall. Since then he's published several mysteries and medical thrillers, the most recent being The Neah Virus.

He has lived in San Diego and on Manhattan Island, and he's been invited to lecture around the world on his biotechnology discoveries. Now he lives in the Seattle area and is glad to be back.

Beckey - continued from cover

coverage on Historylink, Youtube, Wikipedia, The New York Times, The Wall Street Journal and The Seattle Times. Hundreds of articles have been written about Fred Beckey who is recognized worldwide as an author and climber extraordinaire. He has been featured on the cover of Patagonia clothing catalogs.

He is an historian who has increased the public's appreciation for the natural environment. He has achieved enduring recognition as a lecturer and as an explorer of the Cascade Range Wilderness and ranges in Canada and Alaska.

He is recognized as the all-time world-record holder for the number of first ascents (e.g. conquering previously unconquered peaks) credited to one man.

Fred has authored multiple climbing guidebooks that are considered the bibles of the genre. The 563-page book, Range of Glaciers (Oregon Historical Society, ISBN 0-87595-243-7) is a recent highly researched scholarly work. Other books by Fred Beckey include the following:

- Cascade Alpine Guide (3 vols.) (Mountaineers Books)
- Columbia River to Stevens Pass
- Stevens Pass to Rainy Pass
- Rainy Pass to Fraser River
- Challenge of the North Cascades
- Mount McKinley: Icy Crown of North America (Mountaineers Books)
- Mountains of North America (Sierra Club)
- Darrington and Index Rock Climbing Guide (Mountaineers Books)
- Guide to Leavenworth rock-climbing areas (Mountaineers Books)
- Climber's Guide to the Cascade and Olympic Mountains of Washington (American Alpine Club)
- Fred Beckey's 100 Favorite Climbs in North America (Patagonia Books)

Fred Beckey was born in 1923 and his family emigrated from Europe to Seattle when he was three. He started climbing in the North Cascades as a teenager, learning the basic concepts from The Mountaineers but quickly went on to more challenging climbs. He attended the University of Washington and received a degree in business administration.

He is a veteran of the U.S. Army's pioneering World War II ski patrol, the 10th Mountain Division. He was a member of the International Himalayan Expedition's 1955 climb on Mt. Everest.

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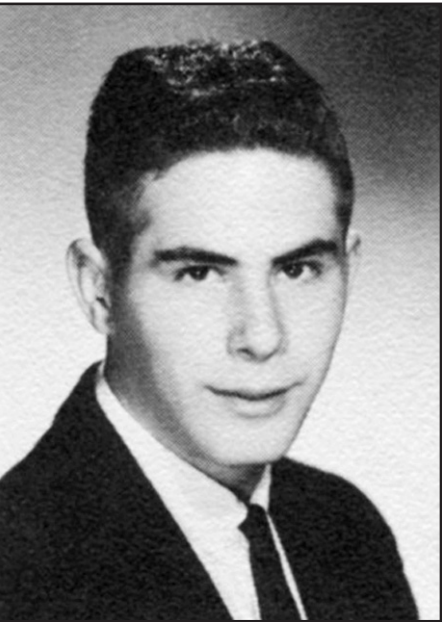
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Willenberg - continued from cover

He returned to graduate school at the University of Washington, where he received a Master of Science degree in Physics in 1971, a Master of Science in Nuclear Engineering in 1972, and a Ph.D. in Nuclear Engineering in 1976. His doctoral dissertation was related to nuclear fusion reactor design.

Dr. Willenberg began his professional career with Westinghouse Hanford in Richland, WA, performing critical safety analysis for this nation's first



Dr. Harvey Willenberg

power—generating fast breeder reactor. He continued this work as a consultant upon returning to UW for his Ph.D., and then moved to Battle Northwest labs to do fusion reactor design, focusing on hybrid fission/fusion reactors, and continuing at Mathematical Sciences Northwest in Kirkland to continue fusion reactor design and technology development.

When the nuclear power industry began to fade in 1982, he accepted a job offer with Boeing in Kent. During his first day on the job, Boeing was starting a proposal to build a space station in Earth orbit, and was looking for a scientist who could explain the science requirements to the design engineers, and the engineering realities to the sci-

entists. This led to Dr. Willenberg's assignment as Boeing's Chief Scientist for the international Space Station. He moved to Huntsville, Alabama to help design the United States Laboratory as the program geared up. This job of Chief Scientist focused on explaining the benefits of microgravity to materials processing scientists and to some key biology goals. He initiated three experiments in space, related to microgravity crystallization of advanced semiconductor materials aboard the Space Shuttle, protein crystal growth aboard the Russian Space Station Mir, and an advanced space solar array aboard an Air Force spacecraft.

Harvey represented Boeing and the NASA space program — especially the international Space Station — in many discussions with the National Science Foundation and congressional staff members. His technical leadership has led him to involvement with multiple technical societies, including an assignment as Vice President-Technical for the American Astronautical Society and chairman of many technical sessions for materials processing in space and space power in the international Astronautical Federation.

Three achievements of which he is particularly proud include opening the doors between U.S. and Russian space programs as the Soviet Union collapsed; initial program manager for three experiments that flew in space; and selection as a Boeing Associate Technical Fellow. He led a joint cooperation program between Boeing and NPO Energia the company that built the Soviet space station Mir — to select cooperative programs. These included the first discussion of combining the American and Russian space stations, planning for the Sea Launch program, and an experiment to develop protein crystals in zero gravity.

He retired from Boeing in 2004, but still continues consulting on NASA science and technology development programs, and commercial space solar power for beaming to users back on Earth. He was also a Program Manager for an SAIC contract to evaluate NASA planetary science proposals, and currently works part-time with NASA's Game Changing Technology Development Program.

Collier - continued from cover

Studies at the school in 2001-2003 and again 2011-2012.

As a vibraphonist, marimbas, percussionist and composer, Tom Collier has enjoyed a stellar career during his nearly 60 years in music. He earned an international reputation as a world-class musician in jazz, classical and pop circles. Collier celebrated his first public performance at the age of 5 in 1954 and will mark the 60th anniversary of that performance with a concert at Meanly Hall in Seattle, Washington in April 2014.

Tom has appeared in concert and on recordings with many important jazz and popular artists including Frank Zappa, Eddie Daniels, Ry Cooder, Earl "Fatha" Hines, Roger Kellaway, Emil Richards, Don Grusin, Alex Acuna, Ralph Humphrey, Victor Feldman, Howard Roberts, Ernie Watts, Dave Holland, Cal Tjader, Shelly Manne, Joe Porcaro, Laurindo Almeida, Buddy DeFranco, Diane Schurr, Peggy Lee, Natalie Cole, Morganna King, Herb Ellis, Bill Mays, Bobby Shew, Ernestine Anderson, Mannheim Steamroller, Sammy Davis, Jr., Barbara Streisand, Johnny Mathis, Olivia Newton-John, The Beach Boys, The Mills Brothers, Della Reese and many more.

In the classical arena, Collier has appeared as guest soloist with the Seattle Symphony, The Denver Symphony, The Bellevue Philharmonic, The Northwest Chamber Orchestra, The Everett Symphony and The Olympia Symphony. He was timpanist in the Los Angeles Repertoire Orchestra in 1976, vibraphonist in L.A. Contempo Four, 1975-77 (a modern music ensemble), timpanist with the Northwest Chamber Orchestra, 1972-73 as well as the Federal Way Chorale. Collier has released several albums as leader or co-leader beginning with Whistling Midgets (with long-time musical cohort Dan Dean, WSHS grad) in 1981. Collier and Dean's 2005 album, Duets on Origin Records, was nominated for "2005 Jazz Album of the Year" by Earshot Magazine. Other recordings include Illusion (1988, T.C. Records), Pacific Aire (1990, Nebula Records), Mallet Jazz (2004, Origin Records), Mallet Fantastique (2010, Origin Classical) and Tom Collier Plays Haydn, Mozart, Telemann, and Others (2012, Origin Classical). Collier has also recorded several educational albums for Music Minus One and Studio 4 Music and has presented over 300 jazz concerts in public schools around Washington State for the Arts Len Education Program of the state Arts Commission.

Collier has received many awards during his lengthy career. In 1980 the National Association of Jazz Educators presented Collier with an "Outstanding Service To Jazz Education Award". Over the past thirty years he has won twenty—two "ASCAP Popular Panel Awards" for his various jazz and percussion compositions. In 2011 Collier was awarded the prestigious "Adelaide D. Currie Cole Endowed Professorship" in the School of Music. In 2013, Tom Collier received a nod from the National Academy of Recording Arts & Sciences (NARAS, the Grammy Academy) with the inclusion of his 2012 Origin Records release "Tom Collier Plays Haydn, Mozart, Telemann and Others" and was placed on the 2013 GRAMMY AWARDS ballot for "Best Classical Instrumental Solo". This was the second time he was placed on the GRAMMY ballot. The first time was for one of his jazz albums.

Tom Collier never forgot his West Seattle High School roots. During a concert he has been known to dedicate a song to his West Seattle High School classmates and finish a song with the WSHS favorite "firm and loyal too". In 2014 Tom produced and released a new Jazz CD called SLEEK BUICK which received very positive responses from music stations across the country. It also was considered for his third GRAMMY nomination.



Tom Collier

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WSHSAA Scholarships

By Sandy Woody, DuBuque Scholarship V.P. Class of '69

Twenty-Three Scholarships awarded at the 2014 All School Reunion

This year, once again, through the generous donations of Alumni and returns on investments the Alumni Association was able to award 12 scholarships to students in the Class of 2014 as well as 11 to returning students. Scholarships, including three Galbreath Scholarships, totalled approximately \$152,757 for the 2014-2015 school year. All scholarships, with the exception of one of the Galbreath Scholarships, were tuition only scholarships.

This year our awardees have impressive community service resumes demonstrating a culture of giving back to the community at WSHS. From YMCA summer volunteer counselor programs, organizing activities at Healthy Kids Day, Special Olympics, yard work for the elderly, homeless shelter volunteers, annual placement of flags on veterans graves on Veterans Day, summer intern at Neighborhood House, tutoring 2nd & 3rd graders to develop more proficient reading skills and assisting with after school art programs, to park cleanup & tree planting, assistant coaching and serving meals to the elderly.



Megan Antalan WSHS 2014

Megan Antalan an honor roll student with a 4.0 GPA, will be working toward a degree in either mechanical or aeronautical engineering and will be enrolling at the University of Washington. Megan was awarded the **Patricia Friedline Scholarship** in the amount of \$1,000 and an **Alf & Ruth Larsen Scholarship** in the amount of \$543.



Eastyn Baleto WSHS 2014

Eastyn Baleto has a 3.7 GPA and plans to study medical courses to complete a degree in diagnostic

sonography. Eastyn was a 2012 & 2013 Puget Sound Sand Volleyball Player of the Year. She will be attending the University of New Mexico where in addition to her academics she will also be able to continue playing sand volleyball. Eastyn was awarded a **Beverly Raleigh Freeman Scholarship** in the amount of \$2,000 and a **West Seattle High School Alumni Scholarship** in the amount of \$4,000.



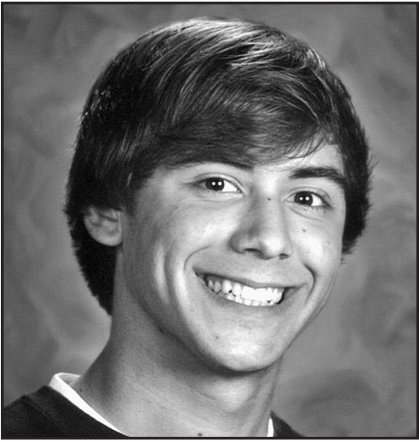
Baylee Corey WSHS 2014

Baylee Corey with a 3.61 GPA plans to obtain a master's degree in secondary education with an emphasis on chemistry and a minor in mathematics. Once Baylee completes her education she plans to be a high school chemistry teacher. Baylee comes from a long list of Alumni dating back to her grandfather Jack Metcalf Class of 1959. Baylee received a **Herb Smith Mathematics Scholarship** in the amount of \$2,000 and a **Patricia Feldman Noyes Scholarship** in the amount of \$3,000.



Sarah Davis WSHS 2014

Sarah Davis with a 3.76 GPA plans to attend South Seattle College and work toward a degree in Civil Engineering. Sarah is an accomplished athlete as well as an honor roll student. Sarah was awarded a **Linkous Foundation Scholarship** in the amount of \$3,000.



Spenser Elder WSHS 2014

Spenser Elder graduated with a 3.8 GPA. Spenser is another graduate that comes from a long list of Alumni dating back to Charles W. Elder Class of 1946. He is a well-rounded student who has maintained a high GPA while involving himself in a variety of leadership, sports, service and other extracurricular activities. Spenser will be attending Brigham Young University and lists medicine, engineering, law & business as possible majors. Spenser was awarded a **West Seattle High School Alumni Scholarship** in the amount of \$3,000.



Makenzie Harrison WSHS 2014

Makenzie Harrison will be attending Bellevue College. An honor roll student with a 3.9 GPA, Makenzie initially plans to pursue a degree in Nursing with a focus in prenatal care. Ultimately, Makenzie would like to become a physician. Another well rounded student, Makenzie was awarded a **West Seattle High School Alumni Scholarship** in the amount of \$4,000.



Lukas Irwin WSHS 2014

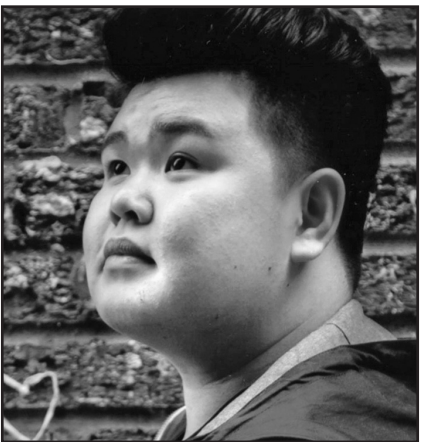
Lukas Irwin will attend the University of Washington. Lukas has maintained a 3.7 GPA while working a part-time job to set aside money for college. Lukas has an Alumni family history dating back to 1961. While at the UW Lukas plans to obtain a degree in Mechanical Engineering and hopes to work in the automotive industry, building and designing performance cars. Lukas was awarded an ongoing **West Seattle High School Alumni Scholarship** in the amount of \$6,000.

Myka Kielbon graduated with a 3.99 GPA and plans to attend Occidental College. Myka has been in the National Honor Society for the past two years and the WSHS honor roll for 4



Myka Kielbon WSHS 2014

years all while working part-time jobs and volunteering in the community. While at Occidental Myka plans to study history, critical theory & social justice. She would like to follow her education with a career path in law or journalism. Myka was awarded a **West Seattle High School Alumni Scholarship** in the amount of \$6,000.



Phi-Khanh Pham WSHS 2014

Phi-Khanh Pham graduated with a 3.75 GPA, will be attending Seattle University and plans to major in computer science. While in high school Phi volunteered as a tutor helping struggling 2nd & 3rd graders, at Roxhill Elementary, to be more proficient in reading and comprehension. Phi was awarded a **Beverly Raleigh Freeman Scholarship** in the amount of \$6,000.



Kara Swanson WSHS 2014

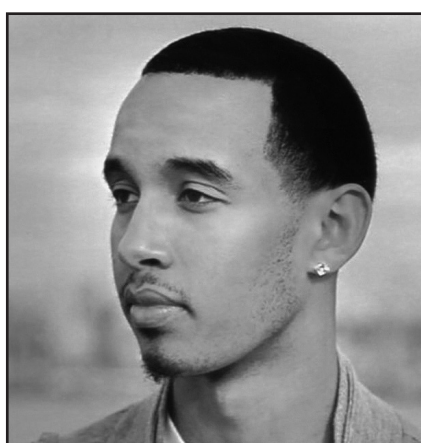
Kara Swanson plans to attend Bellevue College pursuing a degree in business management. Kara has an Alumni family history dating back to 1977. Kara has been a member of the Gender Equality Club and has been a Varsity & Junior Varsity Cheerleader. Kara was awarded a **West Seattle High School Alumni Scholarship** in the amount of \$1,000.

WSHSAA Scholarships Continued



Charlie Szender WSHS 2014

Charles Szender graduated with a 3.6 GPA. He plans to get a degree in computer engineering while attending Western Washington University. Charlie has been on honor roll 8 out of 9 semesters, has been a Boy Scout for 7 years achieving Star Rank and has an alumni family history dating back to 1977. He hopes to work with a major software gaming company or a computer engineering company once he obtains his degree. Charlie was awarded an **Alf & Ruth Larsen Scholarship** in the amount of \$3,000.



Tomas Woldemichael WSHS 2014

Tomas Woldemichael will be attending the University of Washington and believes he will pursue a degree in Civil or Chemical Engineering. Another well rounded student, Tomas balanced honor roll with his varsity sports while working to help support his family. Tomas was awarded a **West Seattle High School Alumni Scholarship** in the amount of \$6,000.

We have 11 returning scholars this year. Our first five are returning for their senior year.

Christian Carpio will begin his senior year at the University of Washington and qualified to continue to receive his all expenses **Ross & Viola Galbreath Scholarship**. He is in the Electrical Engineering Department with three concentrations: Power Electronics and Drives, Large Scale Power Systems and Sustainable Electric Energy. In addition, he is working toward a mathematics minor. At the Husky Union Building he's still a sound technician and recently was promoted to student building manager. Outside of studies and work he's an officer of UW Robotics, where they just finished their Mars Rover for an international competition held at the Mars Desert Research Station in Utah. He was responsible for the rover arm, hand, scientific station and power system. Christian is also a drummer in a few student bands on campus and finds bashing drums is a fantastic stress reliever.

Lauren Jeglum will begin her senior year at Seattle University. Lauren once again qualified for the **Tim Brenton Memorial Scholarship** in the amount of \$3,500 and a **West Seattle High School Alumni Scholarship** in the amount of \$4,500. Lauren is pursuing a career in nursing and just finishing her first year of clinical nursing work while continuing to make the Dean's list every quarter. Lauren has had the opportunity to work in geriatric, pediatric, psychiatric and medical-surgical nursing and loves every minute of it.

Hannah Matalone will begin her senior year at Washington State University. Hannah is majoring in Speech-Language Pathology with a minor in Human Development. She has been on the President's Honor Roll at WSU since the fall of 2011. This year Hannah was selected to receive a **West Seattle High School Alumni Scholarship** in the amount of \$8,400 and the **Class of 1963 Scholarship** in the amount of \$3,000 which will pay her tuition and tuition related fees.

Haley Peterson also begins her senior year at Washington State University. Haley is majoring in Business with an emphasis in Finance and was selected to receive a modified **Ross & Viola Galbreath Scholarship**, in the amount of \$11,400. This scholarship will pay her tuition and tuition related fees.

Michael Swanson attends the Foster School of Business at the University of WA. He is majoring in Business and has been on the Dean's List for the past 3 years. Michael has been pretty busy; he has gained leadership positions in several student organizations. He is the accountant for Alpha Kappa Psi (a business fraternity) & the student development assistant at Beta Alpha Psi (the accounting society). Michael considers one of his major accomplishments was participating with his business fraternity in the "Relay for Life" campaign where they raised \$8,000 for cancer research. This year Michael was selected to receive a modified **Ross & Viola Galbreath Scholarship** in the amount of \$12,414, which will pay his tuition and tuition related fees for his senior year.

Gabriela Flores will be a junior this year at the University of Washington. She has declared her major as Biology with a focus on Physiology. She still plans to apply to medical school after graduation. Gabriela qualified again to receive her ongoing **West Seattle High School Alumni Scholarship** in the amount of \$8,000.

Julia Bryson attends Western Washington University and will begin her sophomore year. Julia has not declared her major yet, but this year will be working toward the pre-requisites of a Biochemistry major. Julia qualified again to receive her ongoing **Patricia Feldman Noyes Scholarship** in the amount of \$6,000.



Scholarship winners at the 2014 All School Reunion. Photo by Murray's J2

Patrick Gordon will be a sophomore at the University of Oregon. He recently became an assistant section leader for the alto saxophone section of the Oregon Marching Band. He became a "brother" of Oregon's chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi, a national honorary band fraternity. He has been a part of some performing groups on campus such as the School of Music's Campus Band and Rhythm O (a performance drum line). Finally, he has become a staff member for the Seattle All-City Marching Band where he will get to teach many high school students from all across the Seattle Area. Patrick has qualified to receive his ongoing **Clarence & Margaret Duke-Rader Music Scholarship** in the amount of \$6,000.

Lauren Shaughnessy attends Gonzaga University and was accepted into the four year nursing program – based on her GPA and classes from the first semester of her freshman year, which means she will complete her nursing degree in four years rather than four and a half years. Lauren has also been the captain of two intermural volleyball teams 2013 to present and is a GEL Host – showing prospective students around campus. Lauren has qualified to receive her ongoing **Patricia Feldman Noyes Scholarship** in the amount of \$6000.

Kalani Meligro is in her third quarter at South Seattle College in the Pastry and Baking Program. Kalani once again qualified for a scholarship from the **Class of 1962** in the amount of \$1,000.

Kirsten Kenny attends Pacific Lutheran University and will be a sophomore. Kirsten is majoring in Physical Therapy with a double minor in biology & French. Kirsten was accepted to travel to New Zealand for a month of "study away". She also will be an orientation guide and will continue her work with Special Olympics at a nearby middle school, Keithley Middle School. Kirsten has qualified to receive her ongoing **West Seattle High School Alumni Scholarship** in the amount of \$8,000.

The West Seattle High School Alumni

Association would like to extend our Congratulations to all of the 2014 scholarship winners.

Also, the Alumni Association would like to acknowledge and thank all of the 23,666 Alumni dating back to the Class of 1931. Each of you is very important! Without your generous donations and continued support, none of these scholarships would be possible.

All students who receive a renewable scholarship must maintain a 3.0 GPA. The Scholarship application deadline, each year, is mid-April. Applications are available beginning each November in the School library, room 129, on the PTSA website <http://wshsptsa.org/> and on the Alumni Website <http://wshsalumniassociation.org/>. Completed applications must be mailed to: WSHS Alumni Assn., 4742 42nd Ave SW, #215, Seattle, WA. 98116-4553.

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CLASS ARTICLES

WSHS 1972

By Class Reps Gail Gagner and Christy Young Rowe

Hello Class of 1972!

The annual All School Reunion last June was well attended. The Class of '72 attendees were: Colleen Lennon, LouAnn Estep Stanley, Rick Manes, Greg Short, Ed Lutz, Kath Knodel Benham, Trisha Morrison Fladseth, Robert Schmidt, Steve Spicer, Brian Hatch, Norman Cagle Sherry Bloxam, Amielia Wittmier Stevens, Barb Welch, Dan Nordgaard, Chris Georgas, Souzan Gross Sieshima and Gail Paulson Gagner. Each year the number of fellow '72s coming on Friday night at the high school grows. We hope next year to see even more of you when the annual reunion moves to Saturday afternoon instead of Friday night. Save the date – June 6, 2015. REMEMBER ~ we are not planning a 45th reunion so the All School Reunion is a good time to catch up and reconnect!

After the reunion several friends met at The Bridge in the Morgan St. junction where several alumni and spouses enjoyed listening to The Tim Turner Band. Debbie Lien Chapin, Sue Gamrath Irvin and John Duke joined the alumni group here.

Classmate Updates:

Unfortunately we seem to lose a few friends each year. This past year we are saddened to report that Ken Raplee passed away last October after a very short diagnosis of cancer. There was a nice gathering in Puyallup to celebrate his life. Christy reports that a dozen or so classmates were in attendance in addition to many family members and friends. Ken was a fun loving guy who enjoyed life. Stories and photos were shared as we remembered a good friend. We also lost Bruce L. Anderson in November also from cancer. Dean Oquist was a very dear friend of Bruce's and told us that Bruce worked several white collar jobs during his career but the one he like best was working in the tow truck office. He also enjoyed working with and putting on sci-fi conventions. He suffered from other medical problems before being diagnosed with cancer. Bruce moved back to the Seattle area a few years back and had many friends.

Other news from the Class of '72:

Dean Oquist and his wife of twenty years lives near the Woodland Park Zoo with their adopted daughter who is in the eighth grade. Dean has worked at Boeing as a machinist since 1979.

Jeff Quigley lives in Burien and also works at Boeing completing his forty-second year. He hopes to retire soon. He owns Quigley home Repair, a handyman service. He married a Sealth grad and they have celebrated forty years together. He has one child, one grandson (10) and another grandchild on the way. Jeff is an elder at Living Hope Presbyterian Church in White Center. In 1988 he ran for State Representative for the 30th district. Occasionally he sees friends **Richard Pierce** (Florida) and **Tom Schmuck** (Port Orchard). **Guy Peck's** wife Delores stays in touch with us via Facebook. She said they receive The Chinook every year and have talked about coming to al All School Reunion. Please do!

Toni Ponselle Brooks has lived in Arizona for the past twenty years. She has two grown children – one lives in Arizona and her daughter and grandson live in Hawaii. Toni says she doesn't get up to Washington very much. Her sister Debbie also lives in Arizona. **Brad Fletcher** shares pictures of his family and grandchildren on Facebook you can check out.

Evan Adelson Sorenson has retired and she and her husband have moved back to West Seattle. She has one grandchild and is fortunate to live a block away from her daughter and family and has been able to reconnect with '72 friends.

Christy Young Rowe and husband **Dave Rowe** are enjoying life living in Mason County. They have two grown children – son is living in California and daughter and her family are living in Virginia. In February the Rowe's welcomed their second grandchild and they both went back for an extended stay to help out. Last July Christy and Dave started renting their Loft House



The Class of 1972 at the All School Reunion last year. Photo courtesy of Gail Paulson Gagner.

advertising on the VRBO website and had a successful summer and fall. Christy continues to be very involved and is on the board for the Mason County Master Gardeners and Dave continues to enjoy his woodworking and projects.

There are several West Seattleites living over on the Olympic Peninsula living the retired or semi-retired life.

Gail Paulson Gagner vacationed in the Palm Springs area last year and was able to visit with **Dean Martin**. They had a wonderful time reminiscing about 'old times'. Dean lives in Rancho Mirage on a beautiful golf course. We are hoping to see him again this year and play some golf!

Debbie Beadell Davis was on her way to the annual Mason County Oysterfest last October and surprised Gail with a visit. She is enjoying her grandchildren especially at her vacation home at Lake Cavanaugh. Gail saw **Margaret Skube** on their annual 'All Girls Campout'. (less camping these days and more renting a house) Margaret just welcomed her third grandchild and she lives in Stanwood near her father and daughter.

Hey – all you female and male athletes who earned a Varsity Letter at least forty years ago (previously you had to have lettered fifty years ago), you are eligible to become a member of the WSHS Monogram Club. Christy and Gail are the first female athletes to join and would love to have some of our fellow female athletes join us. We have been to a couple of luncheons where we have met WSHS athletes as well as coaches Paul Quam and Dick Alsleben. The Monogram Club was founded in 1965 and has provided college scholarships to over two hundred WSHS student athletes pursuing a higher education.

Our next planned Class of '72 reunion will be for our 50th in 2022. If any classmates are interested in helping to organize a casual 45th (as a few of you have mentioned), please get in touch with your friends, keep in touch via email and Facebook and contact Christy and Gail. Please also consider coming to the All School Reunion on SATURDAY, June 6, 2015!

Where's your Class?

Enquiring minds want to know.

If your Class needs a representative, contact Chris King, Seaking55@aol.com. Let him know you are interested, and write, write, write! Encourage Classmates to join the Alumni Association, and find someone to write your Class article for the 2016 edition. All membership proceeds help ensure that members receive their Alumni Chinook and aids our Classes in finding Classmates for upcoming Reunions.

WSHS 1966

By Class Rep Tom Friberg

On to victory, on to victory, fight for West Side High!! How many times have we sung that?!! It's appropriate because it has been a victorious year for the Class of '66. We're active, involved, and supportive of our classmates. 50th Reunion for Class of '66 Coming up!



Left side: front to back: Margaret Wakelee, Kathleen Braymer Shepard, Nancy Noble Hammond, Adelle Hermann Comfort

Right side: back to front: Patty Spangler, Dottie Smith Mahaffey, Dave DuBuque, Ruthie Winter, and Jeanne Kleyn

Photographer extraordinaire: Greg McPherson, not shown but there.

Several of our classmates, above, who volunteered to help with the planning of our special 50th reunion, met in January and outlined the dates and events to celebrate this special occasion.

As you may have read in last year's Alumni Chinook, starting this year, the All School Reunion for WSHS will be moved to Saturday afternoons. This means that next year, our main class celebration party will be held on the evening of Friday, June 3, 2016. We will meet the afternoon of Saturday, June 4, 2016 at WSHS to participate in the All School Reunion festivities honoring our class. The Class of '66 Reunion Committee is planning activities for us to get together on June 2, 3, and 4, so mark your calendars and "save these dates" to gather with your fellow classmates. We will be announcing more information as this year progresses. The best place to find updated information is on our Facebook page: West Seattle High School Class of 1966 or on the official WSHS online website: www.wshsalumniassociation.org. If you know of classmates who are not connected to Facebook, or who are on our "lost list," or would like to be contacted, please email our class representative: Tom Friberg: tomfriberg@quidnunc.net

Mark your calendar for this year's All School Reunion is June 6, 2015 and next year is June 2, 3, and 4, 2016 for the WSHS Class of 1966 - 50th Reunion Celebration.

Class of '66 Get-togethers

A group of women classmates connect and meet for lunch several times each year. One annual event, "Christmas in the Country" on Bainbridge Island, provides an opportunity to shop for local crafts and have a wonderful visit with Sharon Newquist Soames and Barb Waite Cooper, two classmates who live on Bainbridge.



Attendees: Marlin Yerg Gimel, Margaret Wakelee, Patty Jacobsen Spangler, Kathy Braymer Shepard, Barb Waite Cooper, Nancy Nobel Hammond: Ruthi Sundness Winter, Marsha Kremen, Sharon Newquist Soames, and Pat Powell McGuire

This year, Marlin Yerg Gimel, Margaret Wakelee, Patty Jacobsen Spangler, Kathy Braymer Shepard, Barb Waite Cooper, Nancy Nobel Hammond: Ruthi Sundness Winter, Marsha Kremen, Sharon Newquist Soames, and Pat Powell McGuire attended. A good time was had by all.

This year we had a fun get-together just before Christmas at

Cactus on Alki. (Yes, the guys were invited, too.) It was very enjoyable to touch bases with everyone again. We'll try to notify everyone sooner next time so they can come to our next impromptu '66 Lunch.

There are more get-together pictures on our FB pages, Check them out!! One is <https://www.facebook.com/groups/100946721346/> (WSHS Class of 66) and the other one is <https://www.facebook.com/groups/237715156397592/> (WSHS Women Class of '66).

These and other gatherings are a fun way to share our lives, sorrows and joys and tell school days stories that may or may not be entirely accurate. If you would like to be on the contact list, or would like to organize a birthday party, please e-mail Sue Coghill Lindblom at sueillusions@gmail.com or Tom Friberg at quidnunc.net.



Get-Together at Cactus on Alki

Left to right: Carol Benner, Dotty Mahaffey, Greg McPherson, Sue Lindblom, Patty McGuire, Vinette Tichi, Adelle Comfort, Leland Lien, Gloria Jones and Ruth Winter. Missing are Sheila Pless, Tom Friberg, and YOU!!

Another '66 Get-Together

Left to right: Sue Singleton, Marlene Groening, Sue Holmberg, Gretchen Damm, and Diane Pollard.



Sixty-six birthday party ladies! What a great picture of such marvelous looking gals!! It was mentioned at our 60th birthday event that it would be fun to do this again when we turn sixty-six. Thanks to Patty Jacobson Spangler and Ruthi Sudness Winters who jumped in and put on a party that was a PAR-TAY filled with wine, women and song! Vinette Tichi obtained a special WSHS '66 vintage wine but we had to open them at home (darn). We sold so many, we could have used more! The women came and we enjoyed singing Happy Birthday to Us! Tom Collier was nice enough to play the marimba for us and we enjoyed some wonderful songs. Then some of our alumni donated some beautiful things for our raffle. It was a fun lunch that none of us will ever forget. Thanks so much to all for making this a wonderful party.



Tom Collier was nice enough to play the marimba for us and we enjoyed some wonderful songs.



'66 Alumni News

Classmate Tom Collier, a talented professor of music at the University of Washington, says his duo album "Sleek Buick" on Origin Records with bassist Dan Dean (WSHS '71) was selected for the first stage GRAMMY balloting for "Best Jazz Album," 2014 (the album didn't make the final balloting, but it was nice to be recognized). Tom has concerts at Meany Hall at the University of Washington—check out his Website at www.tomcollier/vibes.com or <https://music.washington.edu/events/2015-02-13/mallethead-series-dueling-mallets>.

It is with regret we report the passing of several of our classmates that we know about this year. They are: John "Dwight" Fallon, Barbara Ankrom Law, Donna Gladstone Burgard and Kathy Edmondson.

We hope to see you at the All School Reunion June 6, 2015. A web site was developed to promote the yearly reunion and it will be used to post pictures and stories from the reunion. The URL is www.wshsalumniassociation.org. Check it out!

Two things for you to think about until the All-School Reunion:

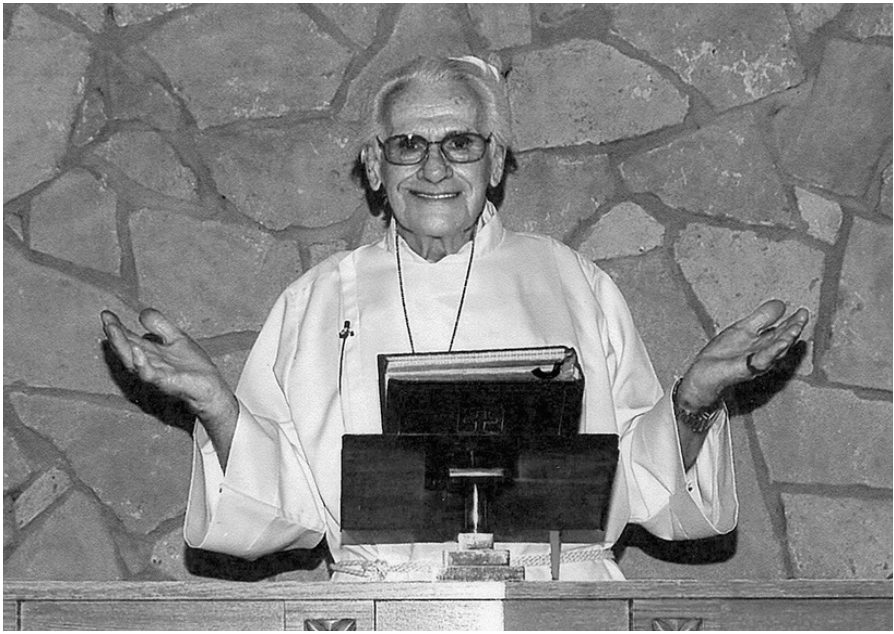
- 1) Come to the 50th reunion – we're the only ones who remember you when you were young!
- 2) While you're wondering where 50 years went, just remember that life is like a roll of toilet paper: the closer it gets to the end, the faster it goes!

Until then – Carol Rice Benner,
WSHS Class of '66

WSHS 1950

By Gloria Thompson McCarty

We’ve had many changes this past year, health being number one. So many of you have moved, which is to be expected at our age. To keep in touch, please update your address, phone number and email if you have one. At last year’s June 6th All School Reunion we had new faces pop in for a visit with the regulars that attend every year. Rose Marie Baccetti Barr was one. Jerry Park and Gene Burke dropped in, both spend their winters in California. The rest of the year Gene lives in LaConner and Jerry in Des Moines. Gale Acey had moved from Philpot Kentucky to Ryderwood, Washington to be closer to his family.



Gale Acey conducting his first church service on Palm Sunday, 2012

Pictured is Gale conducting his first service on Palm Sunday, April 1, 2012 in Kentucky at age of 81, after he received certification as a Lay Minister in the Lutheran Church.

Looking back I found 16 couples from our class had married; of those, five are still together. Fifty-six married a West Seattle grad, of which twelve are still together. On a sad note, four classmates have passed away in 2014: Maynard Peterson in January, Peggy Hume George in February, Marion Williams Rice in April and Buck Thompson in July. I learned Bill Peterson passed away in 2006 and Richard Prospect in October 2007.



The Forty-nine annual (our Junior year) an additional fifty-one were pictured as part of the Class of 1950. In our Senior annual and the Commencement list they had vanished.

As of this February writing, Jake and Pauline Couch will not have their annual class of ‘50 and ‘52 pot-luck the day of the All School Reunion. Instead they are mulling over several ideas for later in the summer - will let you know.

At last year’s reunion we requested ideas for future get-togethers. I have only received a few, so don’t be shy about letting us know what you would prefer. I had suggested a 65th Reunion or breakfast or lunch several times a year - no response, so apparently no interest? I’ll bring it up again on June 6th. Remember, the All School Reunion is on **Saturday** this year. Please try to attend, this could be a mini-reunion for our class. Stay in touch.

Gloria Thompson McCarty,
206 938-4446

A special Guest of Honor will be joining the Class of 1950 at the 2015 All School Reunion.

WSHS 1974

By Class Rep Mark Wittman

Over 100 classmates gathered in July for our 40-year reunion at the Hall at Fauntleroy in West Seattle. The organizing committee headed by Heidi Blaustein Newman and ably assisted by Jack Van Campen, Wayne Senter, Harry Cook, Sue (Thomson) Rowe, & Kenji Ushimaru, did a fantastic job of rounding up graduates and pulling off yet another successful reunion. Planning a reunion is a time consuming and, at times, frustrating, undertaking and this year’s committee did an excellent job.

We had several people travel long distances to join the fun: Sandy Larned from Maine, Mitzi McMillin and John Anderson from California, Skip Bryson from Florida, Janis Johnson Gilreath-Olson from Arizona, Heidi Blaustein Newman from Maryland, and Steve Skog from North Carolina. Thank you to them and to all the “locals” too.

There have been a few classmate-related events this past year. Norm Smith and Carrie (Griffiths) Cruz, both ’74 grads, recently became engaged. They will be joining other classmate couples: Donna Taylor & Jeff Heald, Roger Kapaun & Lori Nelson, Debbie Fleetwood & Tom Wood, Debbie Taylor & Greg Cain, Vicki Spencer & Fred Gebow, and Eric Bellamy & Teri Rumsey. That’s a crowd-sourced list, so it’s probably not comprehensive, but you get the idea. Congratulations to Norm and Carrie!

Also, after putting out a request for class news, Mitzi McMillin reported that her dog, Charlie, sprained his ankle in a gopher hole. He’s recovering nicely.

We also had sad news this year. Word came through the Alumni Association that Tina Warnes, Marty Hooper and Mary Atkinson Olney passed away in 2014. While it’s true that we’re too old to die young, it’s still sad and surprising when we learn that our fellow classmates have passed away. Our condolences go out to their families and friends.

There are several ways to stay in touch with your classmates until the next reunion. Our class is pretty good about keeping up with social media, so to find timely information on your classmates and future events you can access:

- Main website: www.wshs1974.com
- Twitter: link to the feed through the main website page
- Facebook: like the “West Seattle High School – Class of 74” page
- Email: info@wshs1974.com

Thanks again to everyone who attended our 40-year reunion! We’ll look forward to seeing even more classmates at our next get together. Have a great 2015.

WSHS 1944

By Class Rep Jerry A. Costacos

The class of 1944 enjoyed an impromptu luncheon at the Chelan Café shortly before the 2014 all school class reunion last year. A good time and memories had by 15 of us, and several spouses.

Classmates included Anabel Aler Cable, Dick Barnecutt & Delores Anderson Barnecutt, Jim Bonholzer, Jerry Costacos, Frank Dost, Pat Feiring Bristow, Bill Fitch, Ken Lowthian, David Morrow, Dick Percival, Don Peters, Marie Samson King, Nancy Sibley McFee, & Pat Sweazey Nelson.

Following is a list of classmates that passed away this last year:

- Pat Feiring Bristow August 24, 2014
- George James Henry May 27, 2014
- Vivian Kirkwood Jones May 2, 2014
- William “Bill Matafin March 18, 2104
- Nacy Seibold Savage August 2014
- Carmen Chew Sirignano May 2014
- Dean Straub October 2014

If you are aware of anyone we missed, please let me know. Join us for another get together on the day of the 2015 All School reunion, we’re hoping to reserve a room at the newly re-opened Benbow Inn for another luncheon. Anyone from the class of “44” that would like to attend should contact Jerry Costacos at (206) 937-8888. Hoping to hear from you, Jerry A. Costacos

WSHS 1955

By Class Rep Ted Foss

CLASS OF 1955 CELEBRATES 60 YEARS

It is hard to believe this great class graduated 60 years ago this month!! A lot has happened to many of us; some great or some not so good. Several of us keep in touch with many who are ill because we feel they should know we think about them and their health. Some have been ill for years. I found out one of our classmates has the same illness as her sisters. Terrible. For many of us who have been fortunate enough to stay healthy and enjoy each every day, life has been very good. Many of us are now volunteering in the neighborhoods. Most of us have been retired for quite some time and look forward to many more years of enjoying time with family and friends.

The class will celebrate its 60th Reunion on June 5th at Salty’s on Alki. The location is terrific with the view and atmosphere. Every member in the class received notification of this event several months ago and some noted they were planning on coming. A total of 100 graduates and guests said “yes”.

In February another note was sent to those persons stating the money had to be sent in before April 1. It is anticipated that all of them have done it.

Enjoy your retirement. See you on June 6th, Class Representative, Ted Foss

WSHS 1969

By Linda Benjamin Wells

I was late arriving to our room last year. I am in charge of the Room Sign-Up Sheets and as I was walking by the room that held the classes of 1932-1948, I saw my cousin, Bonnie Rochester Beerman (46) and stopped in to say hello. I realized that they did not have a sign in sheet so I went back for some and had the classmates sign in.

Those attending from the classes of 1938 to 1947 included:

- 1938-Walter Kintner,
- 1939-Cal Bannon, Stanley Logg, 1940-Jack Armfield,
- 1941-Shirley Mason Morrison,
- 1942-Floyd Claggett, Kenneth Gifford, Bill Beck, Margaret Crosley Brown
- 1943-Keith McGonagill, Bill Cable, 1944-Jerry Costacos, Kenneth Lowthian, Walt Hellidich, Richard Percival, Bob Brett, Jim Donholzer, Frank Dost, Lois Rogers Luce, Annabelle Aller Cable, Margaret Hart Hazeltine,
- 1945-William Eul, Grace Reindel, Shirley Cooke Anderson, Jane Hastings Johnston,
- 1946 -Lorraine Ebert Agostino, Gene Goodwin, Jerry LaJambre, Bonnie Rochester Beerman, Jim Haviland,
- 1947-Jackie Ladum.

Also wandering the halls to see if any of their peers were there from 2005, were Martin Behon and Andrew Gale. Thank you for coming to the 2014 All School Reunion. Hopefully next year other classmates will show up to see if you are there again.

Once again, it was a stellar turn-out for the 2014 All School Reunion. Thank you to those who signed in: Sandy Woody DuBuque, Claire Conroy, SuzAnne Fabricus, Diane Young Reese, Robert Hallbert, Chris Hanson Brower, Cathy Briglio Allen, Stuart Thompson, Skip Gingras, Jayne Margiotta, Pamela Allen Neithercott, Bill Head, Charlene Haba, Dan Magee, Dave Peeler, Dick Moody, Bob McElhose, Terrie Rehm Ingram, Fletcher Barnes, Patricia Cathey Welch, Michael Auchter, Linda Cupp Latawiec, Robin Yeigh Hayes. If you happened to be out in the hallway, take a moment to come into our assigned room, sign in and say hello. You might be surprised by who is there.

It was a great night in August for our 45th Class reunion. The day was warm but the West Seattle Golf Course had fans available in the banquet room for our use. The sound track, put together by SuzAnne Fabricus played in the background while classmates mingled, laughed, and greeted one another as they visited the dinner tables.

Remember the photo booth of days past? A great big thank-you goes out to Linda Latawiec who came up with the idea and secured a photo booth for our reunion from a company in Burien called Flash-Photobooth-Seattle. They quickly set up the booth and before long classmates were coming over to get their pictures taken. The curtain would open and classmates two by two or in a large group would step inside. The curtain would close and laughter could be heard from within. Then 1-2-3-4, the curtains would open and the classmates would step out to wait for their strip of 4 black and white pictures to view.

Linda also orchestrated our Silent Auction that raised scholarship money for our 50th reunion. What talented and generous classmates we have. From art work to hand blown glass to purses and wreaths, Seahawk decorations and a quilt to keep you warm, were just a few of the wonderful items up for bid. Linda also found a company that supplied our tables with yellow and blue pencils embossed with West Seattle Indians 1969 and Pee-Chees.

I received many compliments of a job well done, had a great time, good food, etc, from our 70+ classmates, but this would not have happened without the talented and dedicated committee members; Sandy Woody DuBuque, SuzAnne Fabricus, Cathy Briglio Allen, Fletcher Barnes, Brad Wilson, Patricia Cathey Welch, Linda Cupp Latawiec, and Kathie Baker Torgison, who gather together to plan and execute a great reunion. They work behind the scenes and volunteer to welcome classmates as we gather together for another reunion.

Although we have just celebrated our 45th reunion, it is not too soon to be thinking about our 50th. It is now only 4 years away. If you have a suggestion for places to go send them to me and I will share with the committee.

Sadly we lost 3 of our classmates this past year; Judi Stocks Sexton, Sue Sumpter Brown and Debra Taylor.

I look forward to seeing you at the All School Reunion on Saturday, June 6th this year. Please note the change in the date, the All School Reunion has moved to Saturday.

Keep in touch,
Linda Benjamin Wells

WSHS 1956

By Harry Vye '56



West Seattle High School Buddies at U. Ca. Berkeley vs. Dawgs: Dave Thatcher, Dawg, Moonie Thornquist, Terry Rust, Harry Vye, Roger Trimble and Arnie Seppi

After the All School Reunion several classmates got together at Angelina's to reminisce. The photographs show Eileen Doolittle, Doreen Pillings Estrin, Roger Trimble, Terry Rust, Ed Bangsund, Mary Kaiser Ploudre, George Ploudre, Greta Walker Pelham, Barbara Fredrickson Rein, Caryl Billingsley Bangsund, Sally Jo Banker Rich, Harry Vye, Jean Vye, Nancy Eaton and Moonie Thornquist. Not pictured are Jack Brehan, Sharon Brehan, Arnie Seppi and Colleen Elsner Anderson.



Right to Left: Eileen Doolittle, Doreen Pillings Estrin, Roger Trimble, Terry Rust, Ed Bangsund, Mary Kaiser Ploudre, George Ploudre



Right to Left Greta Walker Pelham, Barbara Fredrickson Rein, Caryl Billingsley Bangsund, Sally Jo Banker Rich, Harry Vye, Jean Vye, Nancy Eaton and Moonie Thornquist.
Not pictured are Jack Brehan, Sharon Brehan, Arnie Seppi and Colleen Elsner Anderson

WSHS 1970

By Class Reps Jami Hanning Vaux and Cathy Westwood McLynne

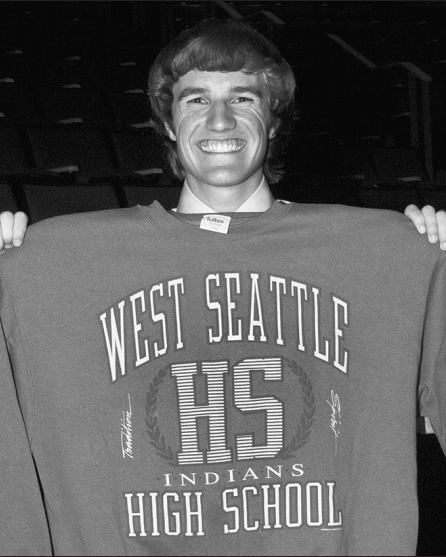
45th REUNION - "Beach Party" Sat July 18th. Join us this summer for our 45th Anniversary Reunion Picnic at "ALKI", Saturday July 18th, Noon - 4pm, at Shelter #1 on the grass at (62nd Ave. SW and Alki Ave. SW).

We had enough money in our class funds to reserve this shelter and 4 other tables, so there is "no charge" this time. Pack your picnic baskets, beverages, and bring something to share for a pot luck table. We'll provide paper plates, napkins, and some water. I plan to bring Husky Deli potato salad and Cathy is bring cold cuts.

We hope to see you all there for a fun day in the sun. We'll send a reminder email out in July so make sure we have your email. Thanks, Your class reps: Jami Hanning Vaux, vaux01015@msn.com and Cathy Westwood McLynne, cmclynne@aol.com..

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for details!



WSHS ALUMNI CHINOOK CLASS ARTICLES

WSHS 1948

By Class Rep Jim Abernethy

We had another nice turn out last June. It was great to see Dick Slyfield who made his first trip in from the wilds Northeast of Ellensburg to attend his first All School Reunion. As you can see from the picture, thirteen of us were there for the pose. I hope with the reunion happening on a Saturday afternoon this year that we can double that number?

With the passing of Bob Utter and Jim Shorett this past year I got to thinking about the past and how it was that I knew these two as well as I did - as with many others - even though I did not take the same classes, play an instrument, or play sports. I attended Lafayette elementary school, Jim Shorett came up from Alki to Lafayette, and we went to Madison and WSHS. Going to those schools I had to walk past George Barnecut's house every day and if I walked home with Grant Starks on Admiral Way we went by Hildegarde Lewis' home.

Lorna Hudson lived across the alley from me and Owen Ruhl lived next door for a couple of years until his family moved to their house on Morgan Street. Ken Wise lived down the next block and that was all of our class in my neighborhood. Attendance at West Side Presbyterian also developed close ties with other classmates over the years including Dick Hutchison, Bob Estep (and his wife Helen Bloomquist, and Barbara Fornasaro, who have both passed away). Both Dick and Bob try to make it to annual reunions.

In the ninth grade I worked in the Library at James Madison with Paula VonGrossman. At WSHS Gene Bartol took me to task at checkers in the Boys Club room. But it was my membership in the YMCA that I was able to form lasting friendships with several members of our class from all areas of West Seattle. I'm not sure if I took a class with Bob Utter but up to the last year of his life he greeted me as

a friend. Bill Richards, also a member of the "Y", is my close friend still and is always there when I need help or advice. Bill, Bud Larson, and I visited Bob Utter shortly before he passed. Jim Shorett had a difficult time with Alzheimers disease. I hear from many of you about how you are having to work with loved ones who are suffering as Jim did.

Again, now that the reunion is being held on Saturday please try to make plans to show up and say hello. - Jim



Left to Right: **Back Row:** Jim Abernethy, Bob Estep, Dick Hutchison, Dick Slyfield and Bill Richards
Middle Row: Roderick Dimoff, Patricia Raper Youngman, Barbara Roach Callow, Mitzy Dimoff Turrell, Carmecita Firpo Munoz, and Jean Nelson Junkert
Front Row: John Chapman and Rudy Schroeder

WSHS 1951

By Class Rep Joanne Teets Harrell

Sixteen classmates met in our assigned classroom at the 2014 All School reunion. Unfortunately I was not able to attend. Thank you Connie Carpenter King for taking care of the sign in list and dues collection. Please note the big change for the All School reunion this year. It will be held Saturday, June 6th with doors opening at 2:00 p.m. Individual class reunions will begin at 3:00 p.m. Check the Chinook for schedule of the program in the theater.

Thus far there has been little or no discussion about a 65th class reunion. We can talk about what we would like to do, if anything, while at our individual class reunion.

Our ladies luncheons are held 5 times a year at The Claim Jumper in Tukwila. Our remaining luncheon dates for this year are: July 14th, October 13th, and December 8th. If you would like to join us please contact me at e-mail or phone # listed below.

The passing of the following classmates were reported to me since the 2014 Chinook. Chuck Skubitz - 6/17/14. Joan Parkin - 8/14. Fred Fazio - 9/25/14.

Take care and hope to see you on June 6th.
Joanne Teets Harrell
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WSHS 1971

By Class Rep Jim Biava & Karen Dobbs

As the sands slip through the hour-glass we, the Class of 1971, are approaching our 45th Reunion! When asked why a big 45th and not just wait until the 50th? Life is short, we have lost a few more of our classmates, and none of us are getting any younger.

One face missing from our group at last year's All-School was Gene Haba, who was too ill to attend. Gene's sister, Charlene, brought a card for him that we signed; and thanks to Larry Fly for making sure the card got to Gene. Sadly, Gene passed away in October after a long fight with brain cancer. Another classmate, Debbie Reel Kunschik, passed away in January, 2013, but word was slow coming to us since she had been staying with her daughter in Texas.

Now, back to reunion business: who needs a reason for a fun and memorable event with friends both close and those you haven't seen in years. Several of us, Karen Seamens Dobbs, Christie Kaloper Jones, Mike Wilson and I met to do some planning ahead of time instead of waiting until the last minute as with our 40th. Luckily with such a short time to prepare our 40th was memorable. There are a few DVDs from both events. We are open about where to have it. Preferably here in West



The Class of 1971 at the All School Reunion last year. Photo courtesy of Gail Paulson Gagner.

Seattle because, well, we are West Seattle High School. If someone has room at their residence and would like to be the host please let us know. You will have plenty of help. In addition we need some ideas to raise funds not only for the fun time we will have at our 45th but looking ahead every class at their 50th (not that far away) makes a donation to the Alumni Scholarship fund. We don't want to be the first class that doesn't donate to the Scholarship Fund in the name of our Class.

Even though we are known by many as the "laid back" class many have emerged from the fog of 1971 and have found success in their own way. Let's start building the funds for the Westside Class of 1971's upcoming

45th Reunion and our Class's Legacy. If anyone is ready to send a donation, pay it ahead so to speak, please contact either Karen Dobbs at kswdobbs@comcast.net or Jim Biava at Jim@JimBiava.com.

We look forward to seeing all of you at the new and improved All School Reunion which has been changed to Saturday, June 6th, afternoon instead of Friday evening.

**Join the generations
of Alumni at the
All-School Reunion,
on Saturday
June 6, 2015**



WSHS 1962

By Class Rep Elsie Halbruge McCoy

Hi to all my fellow classmates. WOW! Another year has come & gone. I have noticed that each year just seems to go by faster the older I get and I am sure the same is true for you, as well.

In February, 2014 the Seattle Seahawks won the Super Bowl!! Now we are headed for another one. What fun times for our city and other fans around the country. Yes, we have a 12th Man Flag flying at our house! GO HAWKS!!

As usual, we had a large, friendly group at the All – Reunion last June. Everyone had a great time catching up on each others latest news. There were many new people as well as the usual ones. Good to see all of you!

Several classmates have moved in 2014. Bruce Thomason and his wife found a home near Lake Tapps, WA. They now live closer to their daughter Jodi Thomason, ('87) and her family. Mary Lou Page Jaynes moved to Encinitas, CA (close to San Diego). She and her husband love being closer to their daughter and two wonderful grandsons. Terri Skewes Green and her husband, Jerry – WSHS class of '59, decided it was time to downsize a bit and have moved to Sequim, WA from Port Angeles, WA. They hope to now have more time for golf and traveling. Her mom is 100 years old and is a 1932 WSHS graduate still living in Seattle. Terri and Jerry have two children and four grandchildren.

Bruce Thomason organized a first ever 1956 Gatewood Elementary School 6th grade class reunion held in August, 2014. The event began with a tour of the school followed by a picnic at Lincoln Park. Twenty-five classmates attended plus spouses. Brian Paust and Sherry Woods Matson came all the way from Alaska. Brian is a professor at the University of Alaska in Petersburg. Sherry and her husband, Darryl, have lived in Alaska for 40 years. Also in attendance were Beth Eldred Davis, Margaret Cullor Brown, Jerry Knorr, Rochelle Yocum Gillis, Drew Thoresen, Bill Greenfield, Sheryl Hudson Nelson, Barb Wright Rosendahl, Janine Morris Fredlund, Carol Shipley Stoner, Randy Thomas, Alan Russell, Bob Fenton, Becky Damm Dark, Gary Schwatke, Wayne and Mary McMullen Heusehele. Ed Ogle was included in the group since he had been such good help in locating all the classmates. A wonderful time was had by all and most concluded it was the best reunion ever! After hearing about all this fun, how about someone doing the same for Lafayette Grade School!!

Thanks to Ginny Rhodes Montgomery for organizing several lunches throughout the year which has helped to keep us all connected. Many of us have enjoyed these gatherings during the last few years and look forward to more.

My granddaughter, Emily Fiso, is a senior at WSHS and plays on the varsity basketball team. Her mother is Julie McCoy Fiso, WSHS class of '87, which makes three generations of WSHS graduates in our family. In two years, Emily's sister, Meghan, will also be attending WSHS. Our son William McCoy is also a WSHS graduate, class of 1991. He now lives in Federal Way with his wife and adorable son, Finn.

Saw Bill Urlevich at one of the basketball games where we had a nice chat. He is living in the West Seattle Junction area and is enjoying his life.

Had a nice note from Dottie Dunkle Webb saying she had moved from Auburn to Richland, WA with her grandson. She loves it there and is now also closer to other relatives.

Received a newsy Christmas letter from Wayne and Mary (McMullen) Heushele. They have taken several nice trips this year to places in the area: Orcas Island, Sequim, and Skagit Gardens in Mount Vernon, WA where they celebrated their 47th wedding anniversary. They are active members of St

John's Episcopal Church here in West Seattle, each doing various jobs. My husband and I see brother, Warren and Martha (Hofstad '72) Heushele at Grace Church, Seattle, where we attend. They are busy with various church activities and their family. They have a daughter and son plus three grandchildren.

Also received a fun letter from Judy Baihly Condon. She still loves her home in the Sonoma area of California, especially being close to her two adorable grandsons. Judy is the ultimate fun Grandma! She did return to Hawaii, where she lived for 14 years, to visit good friends there and swim again in the warm tropical waters. She returned last summer to the Pacific Northwest to prepare her cabin here for sale. A great deal of hard work, but no one was using it anymore and it sold quickly. We both have frequent phone chats with Helen Maning Almy from our old childhood neighborhood. Helen now lives in Port Orchard, WA with her husband, Gerry. Judy and I both agree that Helen's mom was the best mom ever, besides our own, of course.

Andy and Dorcianne Scott Toth continue with their missionary work in Mexico. In August they traveled to Washington State to celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with family. Linda Kelley Hein and Skeet Hein (WSHS '59) also celebrated their big anniversary, as well. Linda and I have frequent phone chats. She has some health issues, but is always so cheerful. She and Skeet now make their home in Shelton, WA. I'm sure there are other classmates with big celebrations, too. Let me know so I can include you next year.

Had a nice phone chat with Kathy Murphy Cummings. She and her husband now live in a fun retirement community in Lacey, WA where they are enjoying all the activities there and re-discovering the Pacific Northwest after traveling to many different places due to husband Jim's military commitments. They settled for a while in Anchorage, Alaska where he was a professor at the University of Alaska. Kathy and I are mutual friends with Dorothy Waters Taylor. We keep in touch with her via e-mail since Dorothy lives in the UK with her husband and two daughters.

Mary Lou Page Jaynes and I have frequent phone chats catching up on each other's news. We have been friends for over 60 years since grade school days at Lafayette Elementary School. Long-time friends are the best. They like us warts and all, through thick and thin! I'm sure many of you have similar friendships. I have acquired many new e-mail friends since our 50th Reunion. Nancy Konen Cooper sends me the best e-mail stories that I then enjoy sharing with others. Many have gone around the world! Always love hearing from you, Nancy.

Thanks to Ed Ogle for being my co-class rep. He attends the monthly Alumni meetings for me and keeps me informed on necessary news items. Both of us always love to hear from you. We can easily be reached by e-mail, phone or "snail" mail Be sure to let us know of your mailing address and e-mail changes, so we can all continue to stay connected.

We look forward to seeing you at the All- School Reunion the afternoon of Saturday, June 6, 2015. Yes this is a change. Hopefully it will be more convenient for all of you.

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WSHS 1980

By Terese (Anderson) Machmiller & Diane (Begunoff) Venti

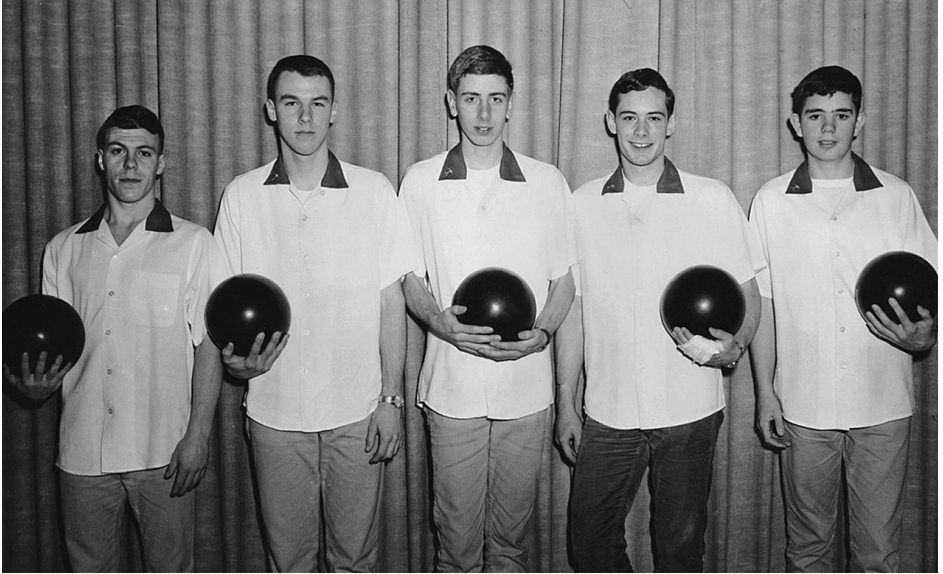
Greetings, fellow Class of '80 Westside High Alumni!

It's that time again – our 35th reunion is coming up this very summer, and your Class Reps are looking forward to joint-venturing to plan a great event.

For this event, we aim to Keep It Simple. No huge financial down-payments for venue and catering, no early commitments/payment requirements from our classmates. Join us for a casual rendezvous to catch up and enjoy each other's company. This will be the first Friday in June, 6/6/16 - the night before our all-school reunion set for first Saturday in June! So mark your calendars, and plan to show up the next night too - we'll keep up the tradition of an all-school reunion after party with fellow alumni from many classes.

How can you help with the 35th celebration? Send us a note of your interest and we'll be sure to plug you in. So many ways to help - attend a happy-hour planning session, assist in contacting classmates, bring a finger-food appetizer, come an hour early/setup, stay an hour late/take-down, etc... And most importantly, help spread the word to all our classmates. Looking for someone in particular? Let us know, we'll help you try and hunt them down. :) With warm regards & best wishes to our fellow classmates, we look forward to seeing you in June, and remember – Eighty Is Greaty!

Bowling Team Placed 4th in State in 1965



Left to Right: Jim Brinson, Gary Dobbs, Dave Clark, Ron Downey, Steve Palmer

Team Sponsored by Andreson Chrysler Plymouth
"Routinely bowled 200 points per game"

WSHS ALUMNI CHINOOK CLASS ARTICLES

WSHS 1982

By Class Rep Renee Seamens Thorngate

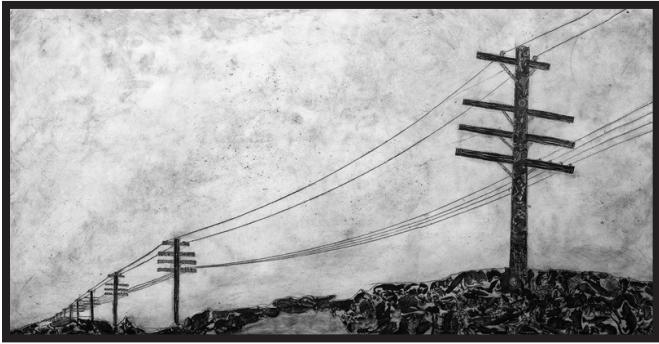
Featured classmate Kirsten Wilhelm:

Have you sometimes wondered what fellow classmates are doing now? Are they doing things they were interested in early in life, or have they discovered new interests since they graduated?

Our classmate Kirsten Wilhelm has done a little of both. Still loving art, but she is now creating in an ancient way that has been re-discovered. Kirsten explains a little of her background and the interesting material she works in:

I found an interest in art at Gatewood Elementary. I remember setting my clay sculpture on the windowsill to dry, looking out the window and saying to myself “This is what I want to do when I grow up.” I’m not sure I’ve mastered the growing up part but I have been an artist my whole life working in clay, oils, pastels and acrylic.

In 2009 I began working with encaustic paint, a mixture of beeswax, damar and pigment. I found encaustic an exciting new way to express my creativity. The textures and flexibility of encaustic allow me to work with more freedom and intensity. I’ve had many shows in local businesses and studios. Last year I showed at the Shift Gallery in Pioneer Square. I currently teach beginning painting at Northwest Encaustic, just up the block from Gatewood Elementary.



“Pratt Donation”
by Kirsten Wilhelm



“Four nine twenty thirty two” by Kirsten Wilhelm

WSHS 1943

By Elizabeth N. Eknes

Here’s a photo of those attending our lunch February 10th at the Chelan Cafe.



Left to Right: Janet (Dede) Towhey Backman, Bill and Annabelle Cable, Jeannie Ossinger Douglas, Carl and Beverly (Anderson) Winge, Elizabeth (Nunn) Eknes, Michaela Hoppe, Patty (North) Stamets, Owen Kaiser.

WSHS 1958

By Class Reps Jim Allgire & Audrey Lowdon Tharp

*“Close your eyes, classmates....follow your heart,
Call on the memories we’ve had from the start.
Now and for always, till time disappears....
We’ll think of each other, whenever we hear.”
“Lost in the Fifties Tonight”*

For those of you NOT LOST, how about joining us for our 57th reunion. It’s FRIDAY August 7th 2015 with dinner at 5:00 (3:00-5:00 social hour). We will meet once again at Rainier Golf & Country Club. SATURDAY August 8th Jim Allgire and his dedicated golfers will show up at 7:00AM for the 18th annual Golf Tournament at Auburn Golf Course. Reservation information was mailed out in the spring for both events.

Those who golfed in 2014: Andrew Eker, Mel Terrana, Bob Nuber, Gary Norman, Marv Peterson, Bob Kirchner, Vic & Ann (Hardwick) Kaufman, David & Peggy Stackle, Jim Rendahl, Jim White, Kyle (Pete) Thompson, Stan Davis, Lance Christiansen, Del Kelly, Grady Irvin, Jerry Vandenberg, Frank Peacock, Larry Spry, Don Conner, Ed Amick, Stan Kriegel, Dave Barnes, George Carter, Gary Tisdale, John Ellis, Steve Martin, Terry Soterhau, Bill & Joyce Kirlin and Tim Joslin. Cheering them on were Sandy Thompson Aldworth and Jim Allgire.

Thanks to those dedicated classmates who attended our All School Reunion last June. They were Mel Terrana, Jerry Vandenberg, Linda Stephens Urbaniak, Charlie Strong, John Ellis, Geraldine Burr Pillings, Sandy Thompson Aldworth, Fred Collins, Donald Conner, Matt

Anderson, Bruce McLaughlin, Linda Rosatto Alvar, Paul Wold, Jim Allgire and Audrey Lowdon Tharp. Remember this year the All School Reunion it will be on Saturday, June 6th at 2:00PM.

“These precious hours we know can’t survive,
But friends are what matters and keep our past alive”

Those who have passed on are Colleen Woodside Kistler-2012; Susan Barrett Leonard & Norman Spangler-2013; Isabell Minter Schwenk & Jon Hoadley-2014; and Neil Cooper’s confirmed date-1986 in New York.

Many thanks the golfers who over the years have donated their prize money to our class reunion fund. And to those who have given directly to the Alumni Association or to our own class -- we appreciate your generosity. Thanks to all those faithful committee members that organized successful reunions from our 10th to the present. It’s been fun to reconnect and keep our past alive. Look forward to seeing you in June (All School Reunion) and in August as we celebrate our 57th get together!

Your classmates Sandy, Jim, Linda, John, Dolores, Audrey, Gary N. and Garry T.

Questions: contact Jim Allgire (golf) 253 350 3493 allgire@comcast.net; Sandy Aldworth mtnlady@comcast.net; Audrey Tharp sharptharp@comcast.net.

WSHS 1954

By Class Rep Barbara Thompson Mjelde

CLASS OF 1954 CELEBRATED THEIR 60th!

On June 6, 2014 Class of 1954 celebrated our 60th year graduation which was held at “Salty’s On Alki”. The day couldn’t have been any better, sunshine in full array, view of Seattle’s skyline across the sound in its glory, where else would we have wanted to be!

Reservations were for 105 and 104 attended, with everyone meeting and greeting one another and catching up on years gone by. Salty’s provided the perfect and delicious buffet luncheon, never running out of food or drink, so good, yum!

It was a very relaxed gathering with folks going from table to table catching up on things present and past. Prior to heading up to our school for the “All High School Reunion” we, as a whole agreed to present to the Alumni Association a check in the amount of \$3,000.00 from our reserve account, designating it toward the Scholarship Fund and receiving a big thank you from them. So ended our great 60th celebration.

Let me take a moment to say to all the folks who have been so willing and helpful all through the years for each and every reunion, you know who you are, THANK YOU A HUNDRED TIMES OVER! They never could have happened without each and every one of you, I’m so thankful, thanks for all the fun and fellowship. It has been fun to be your rep and will continue, still trying to keep track of you all, so stay tuned and we’ll see what the future might bring.

Barbara Thompson Mjelde
Class Rep for Class of 1954
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WSHS 1978

By Class Rep Denise Dawson Minnerly and Co-Class Rep Denette Wells

Hi Classmates:

Please make sure to mark your calendars for the All School Reunion which is going to be held on Saturday, June 6, 2015. They are holding it on Saturday this year in hopes of getting more alumni to attend. The doors open at 2pm and will go until 5:30pm. I will reserve an area for us at The Bridge so we can get together after the All School and continue visiting. Looking forward to seeing you there!

Can't believe that our 40th will be coming up soon. We will start getting some ideas and plans together in the next year or so. If you have any ideas or suggestions please feel free to send them to me. We have class get together's in between reunions so hope you can make one of them. See below for a picture from the All School Reunion last year and our most recent class get together.

Hope that everyone is doing well! Get ready for our 40th in 2018!

Denise Dawson Minnerly - Class Rep "78"
Denette Wells/Co-Class Rep "78"



All School Reunion - 2014

Left to right: Roger Hance, Jim Reid, Cathy McCollum, Denise Dawson Minnerly, Jon Mahon, Scott Gordon, Denette Wells, Tim Kelly and Kelly Fisher Hance



Class Get Together at Salty's on Alki, November 2014

Left to right, back row: Pam Reside Leach, Jolyn Jones, Marcy Shinpaugh Britt, Jill Lacher Simmons,
Left to right, front row: Denise Dawson Minnerly, Ellen Johnson Moore & Marlene Nelson Costle

WSHS 1961

By Class Rep Sue Richardson Whittenberg

Once again it's time to review the past year and look forward to the All-School reunion in June at our beloved Alma Mater, West Seattle High School. Alert!!! This year the Reunion will be held on SATURDAY afternoon, June 6th, 2015, from 2-6 p.m. Please attend so we can visit and enjoy one another.

Our beloved class scribe, Gail Gunderson Evans, mailed a wonderful newsy letter to many of our classmates. She is still collecting tidbits to pass on to those who wish to receive paper letters. If you did not get a letter and would like to, please phone Gail @ (206)935-3294 to be added to her mailing list.

Sadly, this past year we have lost some classmates: Jim St. John (Fosso), Ray Anchan, Al Croft, and Sandy Rush. If there were others I missed, I apologize.

We need to discuss whether or not we want to have a 55th party, what to do about the future of our website, if we want to establish a Facebook presence, and elect a new class representative(s). If any of you are interested in taking over as Class Rep, please let me know.....could be a team effort if no one person is willing to take over from me.

WSHS 1946

By Class Rep Lorraine Ebert Agostino

Do I ever have good news for classmates! As of June 2014 Bonnie Rochester Beerman became our class rep.

At the all school reunion June 2014 I was joined by Jim Haviland, Jerry LaJambe, Gene Goodwin and Bonnie Rochester Beerman.

I told Bonnie I'd take care of the Chinook class article due in early February since I'd kept a log of correspondence from '46 classmates since my last article. Some of the messages did go directly onto the classmates file card so my apologies if I have missed anyone's communication to our class.

You may recall, I took over as class rep after Bill Hoffman, when I was asked by Betty Marks Broughton who was then the secretary of the West Seattle Alumni Association, and, a long time friend. Bill gave me mail he had received from classmates. I put them into scrapbooks. My name started to appear on envelopes I received in 1981. Since then you have had to put up with me for 32 years. It's been fun working with my second family all these years.

Since my 2014 article I've heard from Warren Peters, Jim Haviland, Helen Pomplun Smith, Larry Gillette, Jack Helmann, Betsy Winchell Sterrenburg, Shirley Kain Hendrickson, Jean Richards Timmermeister, and Louis Alfano, brother of classmate Dick Alfano - deceased. Louis just calls to check in.

Patricia Wilson Adams, class of 1955, wrote to the West Seattle Alumni Association concerning her sister Burdette Wilson Cabrera Soto. There was an article published in the 2012 or so Chinook about the dancing careers in Mexico of Burdette and her sister Carole. Burdette fell and broke her hip in May of 2014 and never fully recovered. She passed away after a long illness in Mexico City on January 15, 2015

Looking forward to seeing you at the annual meeting.

Lorraine Ebert Agostino
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WSHS 1946 continued

By Class Rep Bonnie Rochester Beerman

Hello everyone,

Who could possible follow the dedication and passion Lorraine has shown us for the past 30 years. Lorraine, thank you for all the records you have kept, the many articles you have written, the albums you put together and constant contact you had with those that reached you. Thank for this opportunity to represent our class. I will do my best.

Very early in my term, Jay Gilmour, '45 and I knew we lost two very good friends. I want to add Just a short paragraph about these two special Fautleroy people.

Barbara (Amy) Amidon Beall, a 1950 Phi Beta Kappa graduate of Whitman College major in mathematics. Accepted as one of the few female students in the 5th class of U Of W School of Medicine. Married Dr. Husband Gil in 1951 and raised 4 children. A LA Country Museum of Art docent for over 30 years researching and writing tours on her favorite African and Asian art. A Scout Leader, avid hiker and camper when the children were growing up, later a quilter, artist and docent. Amy returned yearly to Seattle to see family and always had time to get together with friends. These gathering were loads of fun.

Warren E. "Cal" Calvin, 85, passed April 27th, 2014. Cal, with his wife Joan and four children, lived in Muncie, IN where he was an Orthodontist for more than 40 years. He was a product of Fautleroy, where he excelled in tennis and basketball. During his working years he developed an interest in golf that filled his retirement years in Muncie and at a winter vacation home in Florida. Although living in Indiana for more than 60 years, he maintained a wide circle of West Seattle friends through frequent visits. He is missed.

The rest of our class deceased list appears with all the other classes towards the end of the Chinook.

See you at the annual meeting,

New class rep,

Bonnie Rochester Beerman
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WSHS 1964

50 for 64

By Class Rep Muriel Verbon Knapp

The 50th Reunion is Now a Memory

Fifty years of collective and individual experiences all led to the Class of 1964's fun-filled and now memorable reunion weekend June 6-7, 2014. If you attended any part of the weekend, then you know first-hand how much fun it was to see and talk with friends we've kept over the years and high school friends we hadn't seen for a very long time. If you didn't have the opportunity to attend, you may want to purchase one of our Memory Books or the professional video taken of our Saturday night event. And, if you didn't attend, we truly did miss you – but, more importantly, wish you well and content in life wherever you are.

On Friday, June 6th, a couple hundred of us gathered at West Seattle High School for the annual traditional All-School Reunion. Husky Deli provided

light refreshments, memory books were distributed and the Murrays took pictures of those in attendance and our grade school groupings. Our class was also honored on the stage during the scheduled program time. We let Dave Little speak for us since he has such great stage presence. After all the years of watching the opening curtains reveal the 50-year class, it was unbelievably our turn to be featured. During our informal social gathering, we were able to enjoy looking at high school memorabilia – Kimtahs, Chinooks, programs, pictures, letterman jackets/sweaters, and reflecting on the memories of our classmates now deceased, but very alive in our memories.

Those who have gone before us include: John Alger, Eric Anderson, Gary Anderson, Mike Baihly, Mark Bloom, Sherry Bosserman Chandler, James Brinton, David Carlsen, Joseph Churchill, Holly Clark Hanson, Andrew Cloke, Ronald Cook, Ruth Cress, Richard Day, Robert Eisenbeisz, Patricia Ellis Mortimor, Jim Fife, John Goodwin, Carols Hardin LaMarche, Carole Henneke Wilder, Donna Herbert Jost, Larry Jacobsen, Jacquie Johns Watson, Nels Kaspersen, Stephen Knodle, Donna Lenzie Moberly, Michael Lettic, Clyde Mackie, Patrick Marshall, James McLean, Jon Murray, John Nokes, Vern Parrott, Norma Parrott, Larry Peterson, Terry Placek, Randy Pretz, Garry Prout, Richard Ray, Robert Richardson, Rod Sakrisen, Douglas Schermerhorn, Dale Sears Hemmingmore, Ronnie Sibley, Janice Southerland, Eric Stevens, Glen Taylor, Bill Teyler, Richard Thompson, Wesley Wallace, Michael Walsh and Richard Wykes. We were very sorry recently to hear of the passing of Kevin Walmsley, husband of Sue Nicholson Walmsley. He fought a long and hard battle with cancer after



West Seattle High School, 50th Reunion, Class of 1964

Group 1: Jerry Calabrese, Wanda Smith Medema, Donna Robertson-Craw, Lois Leland Cheney, Linda Shirley Deutscher, Marlene Loop Blessing, JoAnne Sanislo Ingraham, Darcy Stephens Dabek, Linda Hagen, Marilyn Franzin Nelson, JoAnne Jugum

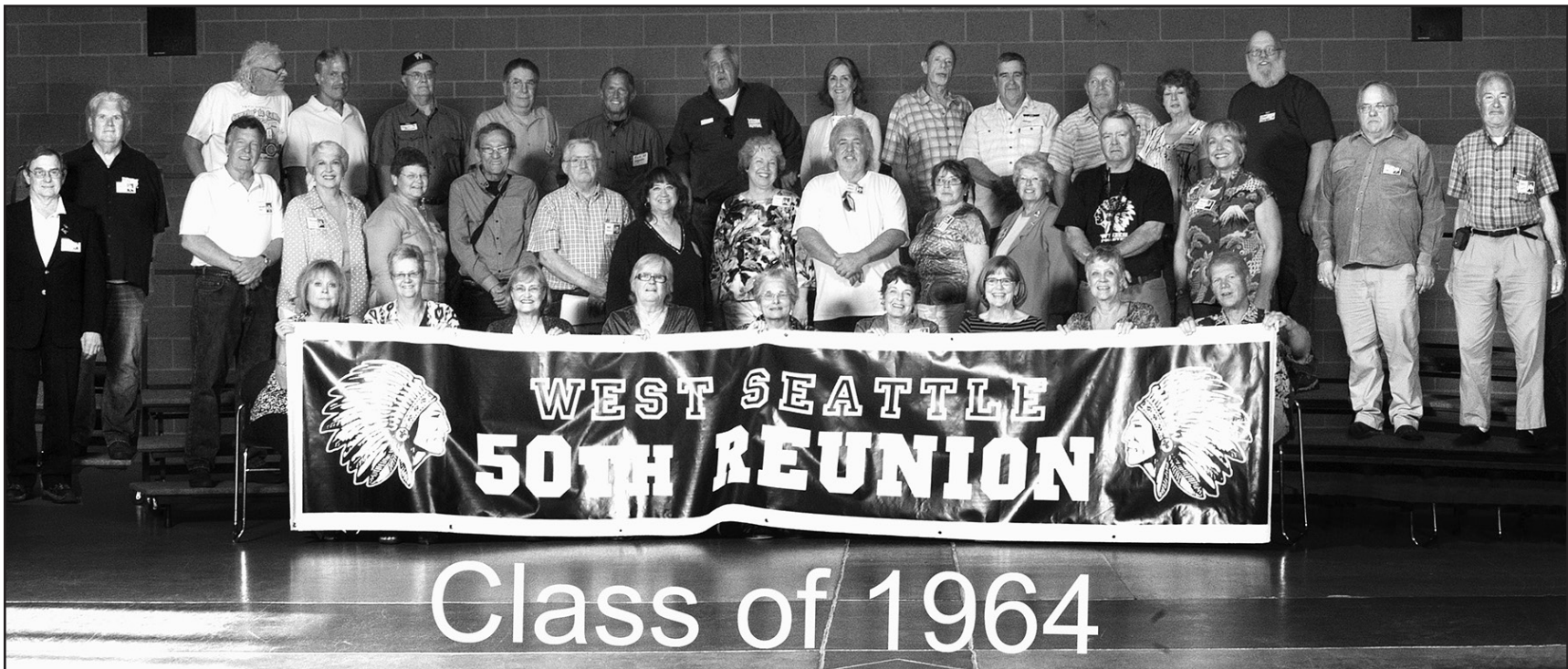
Row 2: John Coleman, Diane Huhn, Marty Neilson, Suzann Francisco Kramer, Doug Gibbs, Miles Woodworth, Gary Bullert, Gary Hollands, Marylou Jaech Brandt, Doris Murphy Stanton, Maureen Meyers Vanderpas, Janet Slater Ashley, Jim Anderson

Row 3: Al "Rusty" Ciantalini, Diane Dalrymple Neesz, Muriel Verbon Knapp, Sharron Mitchell Murray Lofquist, Sharon Welsch Cooper, Joyce McInnis Dawson, Doug Gibbs, Marsha Franks Munson, Randy Smith, Roxie Hoffman Wilson, Gwen Hatt Dahley,

JoAnn Rice Anderson, Dianne O'Brien, Kathy Kandlik Odell

Row 4: Glenda Braun, Constance Reynolds, Sally Stuckey Geibel, Viki Camp Harat, Lynn Riley Hopson, Dan Himmelman, Susan Becker, Jim Draper, Tim Murphy, Judy Thompson Wilson, Sandra Lee McBride, Catherine Hansen Solemslie, Craig Pollard

Row 5: Bob Allen, Stacia Stratton, Lorraine Toly, Mark Hinderlie, Ken Lofquist, Vernon Steward, Woody Deutscher, Jamie Stuart, Doug Mill, Al Zeller, Jack Osier, David Little, Charles Richard Tyson, Don Race, Wendell Guess, Terry McAdams



Group 2 Front: Suzann Francisco Kramer, Ramona Peck, Linda Snyder Layman, Sandra Day Stasny, Joan Nygren Munguia, Donna Brown Popich, Mary Maguire Lohrman, Jane Quist, Ron Olson

Row 2: Jerry Hopp, Doug Mill, Muriel Verbon Knapp, Glenda Braun, Jim Nelson, Bill Heaton, Maureen Meyers Vanderpas, Sylvia Spencer Steele, Sandra Lee McBride, David West, Doris Murphy Stanton, Stacia Stratton, Jim Anderson, Marlene Loop Blessing

Row 3: Rod Leland, Larry Roe, George Jugum, Gene Bonner, Greg Duthie, Rick Sagmoen, Val Schroeder, Kathleen Hoffman Fitchitt, Kirk Holmquist, Bob Oldwyn, Tim Murphy, Marlene Murphy, Tony Dortero, Jim Smalley, Edward Lunt

enjoying a happy life and career in banking, securities trading, consulting and teaching both in Seattle and San Francisco, and welcoming into life his first grandchild. We remember each one with fondness.

June 7th found us at the Rainier Golf & Country Club in south Seattle. It's a great venue and really caters to the reunion classes of West Seattle High School. There we enjoyed the background music and group singing encouraged by Dave Little throughout the evening. Prior to dinner, we gathered out on the patio to pay tribute to our deceased classmates. Louis (Bill) Heaton, dressed in his family tartan kilt, played "Amazing Grace" on the bagpipes and Jamie Stuart read each of the names of those who had passed away. Afterwards, the Club provided a delicious buffet dinner and the Reunion Committee provided cakes decorated with our Native American Indian familiar profile for dessert. It was fun to roam from table to table to greet as many as we could and peruse again the memorabilia tables. We held raffles for some great items to help raise money for the West Seattle Alumni Scholarship Fund. After the reunion, we sent a check to the Scholarship Fund in the amount of \$2,500. Those who gave significant individual donations are listed elsewhere in this Alumni Edition of the Chinook.

This reunion weekend would not have been possible without the enthusiastic help of a wonderful Reunion Committee. From the bottom of my heart I thank **Jim Anderson, Glenda Braun, Sue Francisco Kramer, Marlene Loop Blessing, Sandra Lee McBride, Maureen Meyers VanderPas, Doug Mill, Sue Moody Williams, Doris Murphy Stanton, Tim and Marlene Gleason Murphy, and Stacia Stratton**. They did so much work with invitation creation, mailings, attendee reservations and financial records, assembling the Memory Book and memory board, providing raffle items and adventures, securing venues and ordering food, sharing musical talent, greeting classmates, making name tags, taking pictures, providing spirit and encouragement, and being great friends! Whenever you see or communicate with any one of them, please give them your thanks for all they did to make this weekend reunion so much fun.

One of the best things about this reunion was connecting with long-time friends. Since the reunion, Stacia Stratton, Lorraine Toly and I have gotten together a couple of times to enjoy conversation over lunch and to take a trip to the Bloedel Gardens on Bainbridge Island. I hope many of you got reconnected with former classmates too. Let me know what you've been up to as we love to have fun news in our Chinook class article each year.

If you would like to purchase a Memory Book, please send \$25 to me: Muriel Knapp, 4030 55th Avenue SW, Seattle, WA 98116. If you would like to purchase a reunion video, please send \$30 to Rainies Video Productions, 818 SW 3rd Avenue, #258, Portland, OR 97204. You will enjoy both – guaranteed! If you could like copies of the group pictures Jay and Joanne Murray took, please contact them at murraysj2@aol.com or 206-932-6064. You can choose three pictures for \$25. Please feel free to reach me at any time with news or inquiries at murielknapp@msn.com or 206-932-7283. I would love to hear from you.

If you were at any part of the reunion weekend – it was great to see you and have you participate! If you weren't able to attend – we missed you tremendously! Attend next time! We expect to have a more casual reunion for the 55th. Remember, we would love to see you any year you can make it to the All School Reunion, held the first weekend of June each year at West Seattle High School. Hail to our Alma Mater! See you soon!

**Thank you
for all your
work on
our 50th
reunion**



50th Reunion Committee West Seattle High Class of 1964



Saturday Group Front: Nancy Davenport Bringolf, Jane Gerlach Anderson, Susan Kaune Carleton, Darlene Schwan Hill, Gloria Strom Shawstad, Mary Jeanne Davis, Liahna Klenman Armstrong, Kurt Weis

Back: Lyn Tuff Prappas, Richard Bringolf, Marti Rabak Tatum, Susan Moody Williams,

Diane Smith Patterson, Marlene Miller Dawson, Charmaine Smith Nicole, Gerry Schulz Benedetti, Don Donaldson, Heidi Hoeck Schulman, Betsy Hyde DiJulio, Rita Croman Germany, Mike Roberts, Ken Davis, Darcy Stephens Dabek, Steven Knopp

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WSHS 1953

By Class Rep Joann Larson McGee

I hope all of you have received your invitation to our 80th Birthday Party for the Class of 1953 and are planning on coming to Salty’s for lunch on Friday, June 5th. It’s hard to believe that we have achieved this lofty time of life but here we are so let’s celebrate our achievement. Save the date – mark your calendars. If you are not yet 80 then you are at the very least, dangerously close to it. Call or email me if you did not get the notification. Email: povbay-jack@aol.com or phone 253-839-0899. We welcome a big turnout.

And now news of our class:

IRVING LAYTON: Irv is just now recovering from a bout with pneumonia and so I found him resting up in front of the TV watching golf. His goal right now is to get back into shape so he can go over to Bob Finnie’s place and knock some golf balls around. To get there he is working out on an exercise bike, a treadmill, and lifting weights. (He talked Gary Giacomini into getting an exercise bike too but is not sure that he is taking advantage of his yet.) With this much effort I know he will be muscled up and ready to go when Bob gets back from Hawaii. All three of these fellows – Irv, Bob and Gary have remained close friends and see each other, or call each other often. All their wives are into quilting and they too spend a lot of time together.

Irv worked for Nelson Iron Works for twenty years. He was the Sales Manager and travelled for them to Hawaii, Las Vegas, Alaska, and really all over the United States. He said Nelson Iron was a family owned business that treated everyone very well and his was the best job you could ever have.

He and Lynn have 6 children, 3 boys and 3 girls, 6 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild, all living in Washington so visits are often. Irv and Lynn have had some serious health problems the past 2 years but are both now doing so much better.

GARY GIACOMINI: When I called, Gary and Sandi were just about to take off for Bullhead City AZ where they have a home in a gated community overlooking the Colorado River and is, of course, located on a golf course. He is a 5 day a week golfer in AZ and a twice a week golfer in E. Olympia. Side trips in their motorhome are made to various places including Yuma, San Diego and since they have a son living in Alabama, they head that way as well. Mexico is now crossed off their list with too much unrest even though they had a favorite place to head to.

Gary was the owner of Gary’s Fine Cars, an independent car dealership and rental car company in Burien for 30 years. He lived in Normandy Park until he retired and then he and Sandy began spending winters in AZ and summers in Shelton. The Shelton home was a 3 acre home on the sound. Beautiful but was lots of work. One day while on a golfing jaunt he found the home they live in now. It’s on 1-1/2 acres in a very private area, which they love, and they can get to anyplace they want to go in Olympia in 15 minutes. Suits them both to a T.

Back in the day Gary drove a 1941 Chevy convertible and remembers driving Diane Friesen (now known as Dyan Cannon, movie star) and a couple of her friends around Alki waving at everyone they passed. Alas, Gary says that he thinks Diane was more interested in the car than in him. He has always

had an interest in old cars and today in his garage sits a mint condition 1978 Cadillac Seville, white exterior, red leather interior, red sunroof, wire wheels, with 90,000 miles on it. He bought this car brand new – what a treasure. I tried to talk him into driving it up to our Birthday event in June. Maybe??

BOB FINNIE: Bob and Durlyn purchased a condo in Kihei Hawaii in 1991 and this is their wintertime home every year now from October to May. From their windows they have a great view of the ocean, occasionally spotting whales, but also have the West Maui Mountains in sight. Both are “some-times” golfers. Bob keeps fit by swimming 3 days a week and has a 3 mile walk that he takes on 3 different days. Looks like on Sundays you could find him resting up for the coming week. Durlyn is a quilter and both houses are dominated by quilting things. These were his actual words but he also said she does beautiful work. The second half of the year is spent in Allyn. There they live next to the 9th green – just far enough away not to get hit by balls. The house is only 1 block from the driving range and Bob is there a lot of the time. The Finnie’s have remained close friends with Irv and Lynn Layton and Gary and Sandi Giacomini and this gang gets together several times a month. Old friends are the best friends don’t you agree? Bob graduated from Whitworth College in 1957 and went on to the Naval OCS in Rhode Island getting a commission in the Navy and then serving 2 years in Japan and 1 in Hawaii. Following this he taught school in Federal Way and Illinois. His final career was in the insurance business and he retired in 1996 after 35 years in that field. Both are well, tan, and happy doing what they enjoy.

It’s always nice talking to you and I hope to see all of you on June 5th for our party and for the All School Reunion on June 6th. Keep me posted on address changes and new email addresses too. In the meantime – stay busy – stay happy - and stay well.



Picture info: Taken at last year’s All School Reunion Class of 1953
Left to Right: David Weatherford, Audrey Cox Vogelphohl, Jack McGee, Darcia Perkins Doxsie, David Hill, Joan Johnson Barker, Ed Bangsund, Joann Larson McGee, Bob Finnie, Marilyn Sanders Burke, Irving Layton, Peggy Olson, Phyllis Kautzman Silver,
Front: Montgomery Smith

WSHS 1975

By Laurie Hooper Wilson

WEST SEATTLE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1975
40TH CLASS REUNION 6-27-2015

Hope this finds Everyone Happy and Healthy Our 40th Class Reunion is nearing, can you believe it...time to reconnect! Plans are now set for our Reunion on JUNE 27th 2015, 5pm to 12:30am, West Seattle American Legion Post 160 3618 SW Alaska St, Seattle, Washington 98126.

In keeping with the spirit of West Seattle we discovered that the American Legion Hall in West Seattle has been nicely remodeled and can accommodate up to 200 people which is perfect for us because we are hoping to get a large group. We think you will like the idea of giving to our local American Legion as we do and the history it has for our area.

Having our Reunion is important so that we can once again get together and enjoy each other as our years are growing shorter. A Reunion can help us to REJUVENATE. Who couldn’t use a little rejuvenating right? We have put together what we think is a evening of Fun and Reconnection that you will not want to miss. We will have a beautiful buffet put together for us (which you all expressed you would like) by the catering company of WINES & CAKES. We have arrangements for music and dancing, a Bar for your spirit delights and a lot of fun engagements throughout the night. We are still open to your ideas for the evening so please share your thoughts if you would like. The attire is whatever makes you comfortable. Any questions please contact Laurie Hooper Wilson WSHS_75@yahoo.com.

WSHS CLASS OF 1975 TICKET AND PAYMENT INFORMATION

Here we go....Theme for the reunion: Celebrating memories while building new ones. We have worked very hard to keep this ticket price very reasonable for all the great things we have planned for your evening of fun and reconnecting

** If you don’t mind us asking...it would be greatly appreciated if all who wish to attend would promptly register and purchase their ticket, this would be very helpful for reunion committee to meet expenses**

There is two deadline dates to remember:

- FIRST DEADLINE DATE : MARCH 20TH
(last day to get discount) per person ticket price \$40
- SECOND DEADLINE DATE: APRIL 1st
(last day to purchase) per person ticket price \$50

Payments for tickets can go through Paypal or you can mail a check but please be attentive to the dates. Mailed checks must be postdated by the deadline dates. If paying by Paypal: www.Paypal.Home/mobilemake payment as sending money to friends or family, no fees. Make payment to email address WSHS_75@yahoo.Com. In note section on paypal. Please include your name, maiden name, email address and phone, (this is essential for returning you a confirmation from us) and please include the names of the people attending.

If paying by check: make checks payable for the amount of \$50 and made out to your class rep laurie wilsonon the memo line of your check please write: WSHS_75. Please include along with your check your name, maiden name, email address and phone number (this is essential for returning you a confirmation from us) please include the names of the people attending

Mail checks to: wshs_75, c/o 3620 45th avenue south west, seattle, washington 98116. Any questions please contact Laurie Hooper Wilson 360 970 4884 call or text WSHS_75@yahoo.com

Please pass this on to whomever you’re still in contact with or know how to contact from our class and if you could drop me their names/contact so I can help get them register them in our Alumni

We don’t want to leave anyone out. class email: WSHS_75@yahoo.com

Laurie Hooper 360 970 4884 (call or text) 1975 Class Rep

Unfortunately we have found far too many who have left us behind far too early.

WSHS 1965

By Doug Garvey and Sue Morton Campbell



West Seattle High 50th Class Reunion for “65”

By Doug Garvey

Baby Boomers of Class of ‘65, it’s our turn to shine. It’s hard to believe 50 years have passed. “Come one come all”.

We’ve made it through the lean times, hard times, and fun times and now it’s “Our Time”. We are the largest graduating class from West Seattle in history. Let’s make this a celebration to remember. The committee has been working diligently to make this year a memorable one for all.

Our own “Nightmates” from the graduating class of ‘65 will be entertaining us, along with a professional DJ, with music from the 60’s. Your friendship is important to us so come celebrate Friday night at the Golf and Country Club, June 5 at 5:00pm. The attire is dressy/casual. Appetizers, buffet dinners, dessert, live music and pictures of classmates will be available.

“Free For All” Saturday June 6 we’ll be celebrating in the W.S. Auditorium for All Class Reunion where we will be recognized at the end of the program. Pictures will be taken of classmates and grade school classmates.

Dessert and coffee will be served and lots of socializing for all. Join us for the fun and come celebrate 50 years with your classmates. Hope to see everyone.



50 Years For The Class of 1965

By Gary Dobbs

Dear Fellow Classmates: I can recall 50 years ago at Madison, a teacher discussing his own 50 year reunion; it seemed impossible at the time, but here we are! And what a long ride it has been!

We mourn those who are no longer with us. Although one, Ron Downey, who at one time was listed as “deceased” is very much alive! Ron was a fellow member of our crack bowling team (photo). Welcome back Ron!

Not many of us have parents still living (mine were older than most owing to Dad’s naval career and WWII), but Barbara Steinhouse shared the recent loss of her mother, who was also a WSHS alumna.

One advantage to the 50th year is that those of us who earned a varsity letter are now eligible to join the Monogram Club! I am proud to be in this group, particularly since the longevity requirement has been lowered to 40 years, which means that the girls who earned their letters after Title IV are eligible to join! This provides the opportunity to work for the recognition of women athletes and an equal playing field for all; work that began in the 1970s.

So time marches on, babies continue to “break out”. In my own world, my wife (our President) became a grandmother in September, with my old buddy Dan Teague joining the grandparent ranks a few weeks earlier. Dan sent regrets that he will be unable to attend our 50th reunion, due to expected house guests.

This may be my “Swan Song” for a while. I can recall Don Nokes (1967) considering his Class Rep “shelf life” to be 10 years. I, too, am feeling a bit burned out. Twice I have tried to follow the bylaws and recruit a new Class Rep, but could never get anyone to commit. Perhaps we should consider just going to the Alumni Assoc. website (or our own?). I’m open to any suggestions, and would be happy to help walk anyone through “Rephood”.

In the words of Reese Witherspoon’s “Legally Blonde” character: “We Did It!” 50 years for the class of ‘65! It has been a pleasure and a privilege to work with you. To your health and happiness always.

Please note the accompanying article on our special night, June 5th at the Rainier Golf & Country Club. Hope to see you there and/or at the All School on SATURDAY, June 6th.

The Class of ‘65 Took The Plunge

By Sue Morton Campbell

On New Years Day 2015 at 10am, many of the class of 1965 ran into the cool waters of Alki holding hands for luck. Thanks to everyone who showed up either to dive in or support. We raised \$715 dollars for the WSHS Alumni Scholarship Fund and had a blast doing it!

Let’s do it again in 2016! For more info go to:
www.westseattleherald.com/2015/polarbearplungealki. See you there!

WSHS 1963

By Class Rep Margie Glover Finnie

Greetings to the class of ‘63 and happy birthday to the majority of us that turn 70 this year. Unbelievable, isn’t it!

I have little news to share. Our class could sure use a new class rep - local people please consider it; it’s not all that time-consuming and after all, most of us are retired (or is that tired?) Get involved - the alumni association would love to see some new faces. Look in the paper for contact info for class reps and let me know.

Twenty-one of our classmates attended last year’s all school reunion- come along this year and say hello.

Jan Ireland Clayton and Dee Deskins Glenn planned a fun mini-reunion at a restaur-

rant at Southcenter on Nov. 4. Somewhere around 20 were able to attend. If you are not on Dennis Ryerson’s class e-mail list and would like to be notified (if and when another one is organized), please let either him or I know. Everyone who can make it is welcome, and Dennis knows how to do a bulk e-mailing, which I have not mastered! Low-key and casual.

We have received news of the passing of some classmates: Rick Dunn (March 3, 2009), Linda Penz Harvey (May 17, 2012), Jerry Mitchell (Nov. 22, 2013), Ken Hopkins (Dec. 20, 2014), and Elwin Fanning (Jan 5, 2015). Our condolences to their families and friends.

If you have news you would like to share in next years Chinook, let me know and I will pass it along to our new class rep?!

WSHS 1973



The Class of 1973 at the All School Reunion last year. Photo courtesy of Gail Paulson Gagner.

WSHS 1952

By Class Reps Joan Batson King

Each February I am faced with a blank white sheet on my computer’s WORD and I don’t really know how to fill it. Today I searched files, many files, to find some interesting things to put on our Alumni Chinook.

In years that have a special significance, it is no problem. In 2012 we celebrated our 60th anniversary and last year we celebrated our collective 80th birthdays. It was a great party; thank you, Oly Wise. There were nearly 50 of us at Salty’s on Alki and the noise level told me that we were having a great time. Several classmates came from out of the area, and bless them for making the effort. Betsy Hurlbut Lohr has returned to the northwest with husband Jim after many years of living in Virginia. Jay Minert traveled from Idaho and Darelle Botten Baker from Eugene, Oregon.

When I go through the Class of ’52 lists and see how many of us have moved to retirement places, or realize that we may have lost some addresses, an idea has been suggested that if we want to remain in touch, we should give our kids the information to keep us in the West Seattle Alumni Assoc. records. We have a unique connection in West Seattle. I am personally very proud of the way the alumni has supported the school through scholarships as well as our huge June All-School get-together. We do not want to lose touch with anyone as the years pass.

This year, the All-School has a new format. Because Seattle and surroundings have become so crowded and complex, the powers-that-be have moved the reunion to Saturday, June 6th during the daylight hours of 2pm to 5pm. Those of us that are a bit older are more comfortable with driving in daylight. We also have the luxury of less traffic on Saturday. I hope to see more of the Class of ’52 folks showing up. Pauline Poppelreiter Couch and

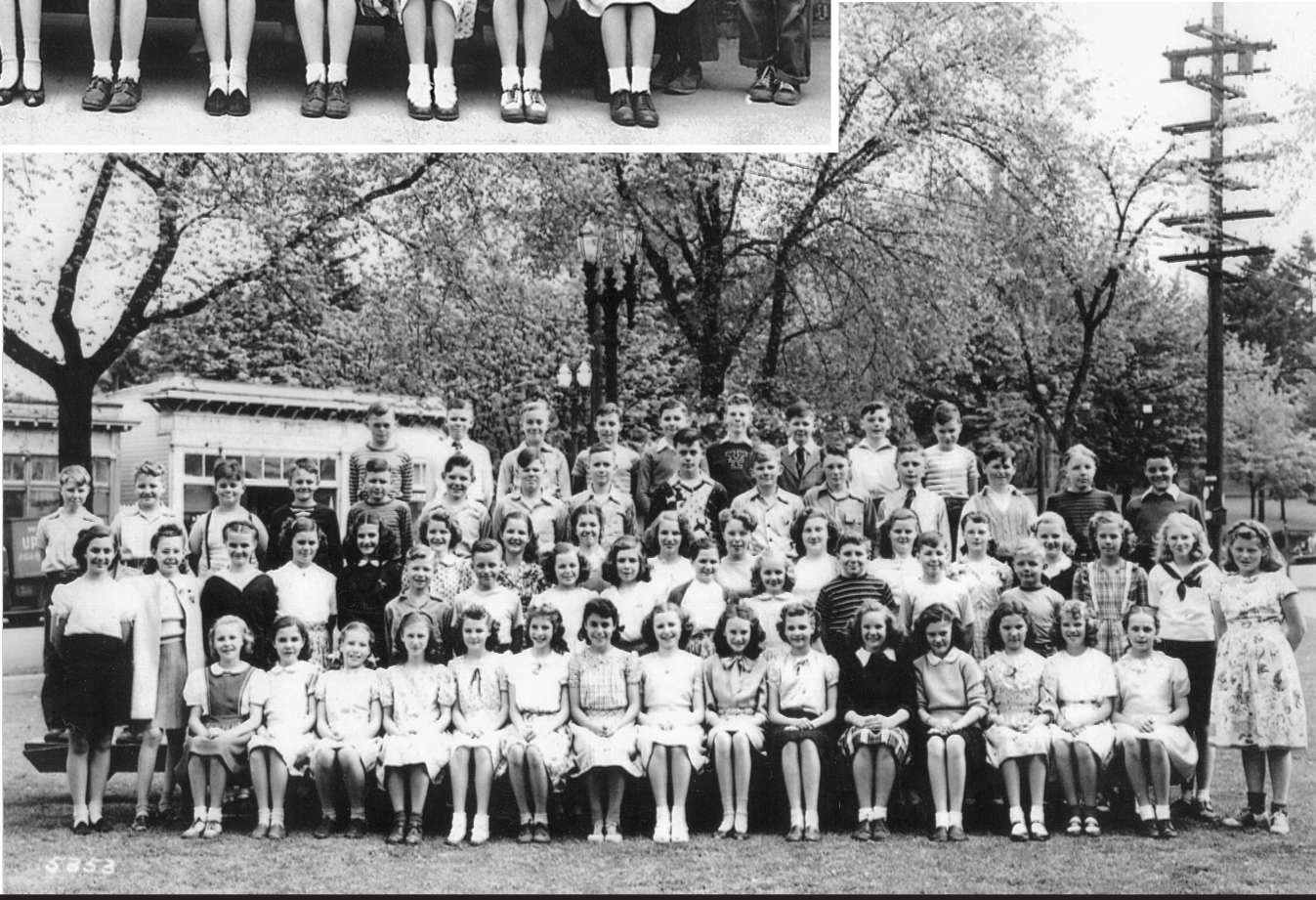
I are going to try to put together some memorabilia so we can share some stories; and if you have some mementos or pictures, please bring them along.

In closing, I would like to thank so many of you that have thanked me in your notes. There are several of us that try to pull things together for our reunions and while it includes a lot of fun, it helps to know your efforts are appreciated. So if you see Pauline, Sonja Pearson Sellsted, Marlene Hill Mann, Tom Wright, Donna Stewart Nolan or Tom Knapp, say a thank you to them.

They have earned it.



Lafayette June 1945 (Class of 1952):
Grades 6A & 6B
And a group picture of both Grade 6A
& 6B together.
Photos courtesy of Joan Batson King



WS SPORTS

West Seattle Monogram Club

By President Ted Foss, Class of 1955

Each year the West Seattle Monogram Club raises money to help graduating West Seattle student athletes attend college. To the best of our knowledge, no other public high school in the country has a similar organization.

On June 5, 2014, nine graduating varsity athletes received Monogram Club scholarships totaling \$10,000 to help pay tuition and fees at the college or university of their choice. The recipients were: Eastyn Baletto, an outstanding volleyball player who enrolled at the University of New Mexico; Baylee Corey, a volleyball player and cheerleader, who is at the University of Washington; Sarah Davis, a gymnast and cheerleader attending South Seattle College; Spencer Elder, a basketball and baseball player, enrolled at Brigham Young University; Martha Girma, a cheerleader, now at the UW; Makenzie Harrison, a basketball player, attending Bellevue College; Lisa Khuu, a volleyball player, at the UW; and Matthew and Michael Lee, both tennis players and wrestlers, now studying computer science at the UW.



From left to right: Baylee Corey, Makenzie Harrison, Lisa Khuu, Elder Spencer, Martha Girma, Eastyn Baletto, Sarah Davis, Matthew Lee, Michael Lee.

Each spring, graduating varsity athletes are invited to apply for a Monogram Club scholarship. Unlike most other scholarships, the candidates do not have to be at the top of the class academically. The scholarship committee looks for hardworking student athletes who need financial help to pursue a college degree. Specifically, applicants have to be graduating seniors, have a varsity letter, have a 2.5 GPA, and have a thoughtful plan for his or her college education. The award is sent to the college or university to offset tuition.

The scholarships are funded from club membership dues and from donations and bequests in honor of past West Seattle athletes. To become a member you must have received a varsity letter at least 40 years ago. That means that the graduating class of 1975 or before are now eligible to join. Members meet four times a year for lunch at the West Seattle Golf Club. At each meeting a high school coach or Seattle sports luminary talks about West Seattle sports or sports in general. At the February 2015 meeting West Seattle's very successful women's basketball coach, Sonya Elliott, told us how a team with 5 participants a few years ago was transformed into this year's team with 30 participants and the number two ranking in the state.

To learn more about becoming a Monogram Club member you can contact Ted Foss, (206-932-5349, tedfoss@msn.com); Owen Marten (425-454-1970, omarten@msn.com); or Don Conner (206-246-7931, conne76@comcast.net).

If you are former West Seattle athlete from the class of 1975 or before and are in town for the All-School Reunion in June or live in town, the Monogram Club would like to invite you to our 11:30 a.m. June 4th scholarship luncheon at the West Seattle Golf Club. The luncheon costs \$12 and you need to make a reservation by calling or emailing Owen Marten no later than May 29th. It is an opportunity to learn more about this unique Club and meet the 2015 Monogram Club scholarship recipients.

Congratulations to Christy and Gail

The West Seattle High School Monogram Club now has two female members. Christy Rowe (Young) class of 1972 earned a varsity letter while participating in gymnastics. Also, Gail Paulson (Gagner) class of 1972 earned her letter in the field of gymnastics. It is hoped that more females will now join the club which meets four times a year at the West Seattle Golf Club.



Tim Hill, Ted Foss, Christy Rowe Young and Gail Paulson Gagner

Any varsity, male or female, that lettered before 1975 is now eligible to join the club.
Contact:
Owen Marten,
VP Membership
425 454-1970 or
omarten@msn.com



Christy Rowe (Young) '72 and Gail Paulson (Gagner) '72

New Monogram Club Members Wanted

To become a club member, you had to have earned a letter or monogram in a varsity sport from West Seattle High School. In addition, the athlete had to have been out of school at least 50 years. The club recently lowered the years out of school to 40 years. It is hoped more former athletes will join and participate in the lunches and activities held four times at the West Seattle Golf Club.

Remember, the purpose of the club is to award post - high school scholarships to deserving and qualified former varsity athletes in need of financial assistance. Many former athletes have received scholarships and sincerely thanked the club membership.

The club is always looking for new members. The club started in 1965. If you lettered in a varsity sport before 1975, you then qualify to join the club.

Please contact Owen Marten (membership) at omarten@msn.com, or by phone (425) 454-1970 for more information.



From Left to Right: **Front Row:** Jerry Costacos, Bud Larsen, Gail Paulson Gagner, Christy Rowe Young, Don Peterson, Owen Marten, Jim Angstead, Bob Appel, Bill Urlevich, **Second Row:** Oly Wise, Dick Jamar, Carl Coyle, George Walker, Jon Christoffersen, Joe Booker, Bill Richards, Darrell Johnson, Bob Shoemaker, Gary Ross **Third Row:** Ted Foss (Secretary), Jack Armfield, Jack Gifford, Ken Gifford, Don Conner (Treasurer), Larry Pierce, Dick Burnham, Jerry Thornton, Harald Sund, Bob Bruek, Tim Hill (President)

WSHS ALUMNI CHINOOK LOST LIST-YEARS ENDING IN “1” & “6”

CLASSMATES LISTED BY
FIRST NAME,
MIDDLE NAME,
MAIDEN NAME,
MARRIED NAME

1931

Mildred Davies Babbington
Mildred Everitt Garing
Dorothy Gutman Eckenrode
Dorothy Klassen Drury
Noreen M Mcdonald Smith
Dorothy Pease Johnson
Evelyn Schwenzer Stockley
Almina Simmons Rockwell
Grace Smeltzer Hanson
Curtis Starr
Maxine Thomas Kelly
Elizabeth Waite Ashby
Betty Waller Bamforth
Lorraine H Ware

1936

Margaret Allen Fraser
Barbara Bettinger Ross
Mary A Bingham Day
Milly Burns Lockner
Ann Daly Miniken
Minnie Fay Eby
Dorothy Hereford Cleveland
John C Hight
Helen Hover Elmer
Margaret Hunt Moorhouse
Lorna Hutchinson Foster
June Johanson Silver
Donald Johnson
Lloyd W Johnson
Lorraine Keppler Nickells
Betty Killingsworth Hight
Eileen Kurtz Anderson
Hazel M Monson Vangen
Dan Oliver
Jack O'neil
Doris Ryan Foley
Mary Schultz Ellingson
Mary S Sexton Dillaway
Billie W Thompson
Robert J Tittland
Pat Torelli
Mary Vitalich Walters
Peggyann L Ward Heavillin
M V Wolfkill
Bette Wood Nute

1941

Nora Austin Harmon
Gerald L Baker
Dottie Bowman Petersen
Virginia Buxel Deffries
Doris Cadley Hardistry
John Carroll
Evelyn Cliche Kier
Florence Crosswhite
Betty J Eastlund Fullerton
Margie Francis Dubay
Anita Green Byrne
Ruth Hale Craig
Randolph T Hanger
Miriam Heath Rasmusson
Mary Louise Hohner Turner
Betty H Hough Duncan
Donald F Hrachovina
Unice Hubbard Townsend
Stuart Hughes
Bob James
Jerrie Jennings Randolph
Mary J Johnson Sparks

1946

Minnie Lee Davis
Ray Deturenne
Dick Dewitt
L Mario Di Martino
Betty Dikes
Patricia Drummond
Barbara Durance Beeler
Betty Durst
Bob East
Jewel Eckles
Joan Grover
Don Grow
Alice Lee Hampson
James Haspin
Ted Heisterman
Robert Hoard
Marilyn Hoeglund
Pat Jones Placenta
Betty Jo Keelen Harris
Richard Langnaw
Harriett A Larsen Clayton
Winston Lester
Patricia Lynn
Joan M Mcalmond Peltó
Marian Mcalpine
Marion Mcrae Worden
Kenneth Meade
Curtis Meiers
Jerry Moore
Johnny Nichols
Betty Parke Boyce
Carl Parkhurst
Shirley Peterson Lidral
Gerald Pitser
Lois Porter

Rosemary Powers
Eugene Ramsey
Valerie Rawlings
Marion Reed Nolan
Carol Richards Little
Dave Rick
Agnes Ricketts
Jared Risch
Alice Rivers
Patricia Lynn
Joan M Mcalmond Peltó
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Gerald Pitser
Lois Porter
Rosemary Powers
Eugene Ramsey
Valerie Rawlings
Marion Reed Nolan
Carol Richards Little
Dave Rick
Agnes Ricketts
Jared Risch
Alice Rivers
Bob Rough
Naomi Sawyers
Gloria Schmitz Brinton-Davis
Elizabeth Schultz Stephens
Gail Seymour
Joan Shultz Mcalpin
Warren Smith
William Smith
Merrie Stewart Foster
Barrie Stores
Barbara Stowell
Jean Tullock
Lois Vanhorn
Flora Lee Watson
Mary Wheeler
James Windler
Bill Wollschloger
Jack Wrol
John Zimmerson

1951

Nancy Ault Martin
James L Benham Sr
Doris A Biller Eiland
Phyllis Bonomy Nelson
Donald Braun
Geraldine Bryan Curtis
Alta Campbell Olson
Marilyn Crook Orlob
Jack L Curtis
Joan Davis Karras
Arthur F Davis
Mollie Dodson Glover
Martha Hanson Gates
Floyd Hatch
Jean Johnson Halgren
Leona Jones Berquist
Bill Keeley
Virginia Lee Lowery Schwankel
Marilyn Miller Hoskin
Glenn Morrison
Marlene Nagle Winingham
Mary A Newsome
Rae Peters
Jeanne Peterson Mcmanus
Virginia Saint Louis
Goldie I Schafer Weiler
Annette R Schmoyer Bowman
Barbara Shoop Stigrey
William H Sims
Barbara Stephenson Mikulich
Betty L Tone Johnson
Charles O Vandeusen
Leigh Vanpatton
David S Walker
Lillian Williams Tessem

1956

Joan K Anderson
Ardella G Campbell
Douglas G Daily
Myra A Flory
Loretta Fox
Ronald L Johnson
Carol W Johnson Nelsen
Jon L Lindstedt
Bill Massie
Gerald W Nelson
Jean Marie Nelson
Michael M Peterson
Ernestine A Rhodes
Patricia J Rodlin
Beverly C Ruzicka
Marlene Thompson
Peter R Wallbridge
Delene Ann Woods

1961

Frances Alishio Kialpha
Judith L Allen
Glenn Aman
Sandra Austin
Larry Barth

Nikki L Bauer Farias
Tom Benedict
Gail Berry Ogborn
Dorothy Beum
Ron Bradley
Joann Bradley Marsden
Richard K Bratz
Phyllis Browning Hawkins
Joan Burtlehaus Kelch
Bobette Byron
Mel Caruthers
Linda Christainson
Helen Clifton
Sharon Collar Willits
David Conn
Steve Dewitt
Darrell Drugge
Bill Dunlap
Carl Parkhurst
Marguerita Eaton
Byron Ewing
Judy Frost Earp
Martha Fulton
Judy Gallagher
Steve C Gilbertson
Wayne G Gillebo
Marilyn J Gillis Ahrendt
Sherrill L Gross Toledo
Karen Hagy
Kathy Harris
Erin Hart Katzer
Betty Hawkes
Gary W Helgason
Tracy Herrmann
Dennis Hill
Nancy Hitch
Geraldine Hodson Hammond
Tim Hodson
Holly Hogan
Ron Hopkins
Kathleen Hunt Steffen
Claudia (Kaye) Hutchens Callahan
Gaye H Hylton Huettner
Carol Johnson
Linda Johnson
Gayle Johnson
Roger Kasman
Georgia Knight
Bob Kraft
Karen Lagow
Diane Linscott
David Lord
Thomas E Lyell
Duncan Macdonald
Richard Mcdonald
Mike Mellison
Sandy Meyer Enerson
Gary Moore
Darol Naugel
Judy A Noffsinger Guiles
Sally Jo Olesen
Marian Page
Michael Parliament
Sandra Perez
Joan Pickert Frances
Anthony Pinson
Kathy E Plumb Vangelder
Mike Price
Dave Raymond
Karyl Reagan
Arthur Reid
Randall “Randy” Riley
Isabel Rose
Lorraine Schmall
Sharon Marie Schoeler
Joy Scholoes
Judy Selvidge Collins
Charles Serafini
Jaquelyn Shrieve
Bettianne Small
Eric Smith
Judith Soriano Fox
Don Spangler
Carol Sparks Mangini
Alice Stariha Zajakowski
Linda S Swart Allen
Bonnie Thornton Kavanaugh
Bill Trautman
Barbara Trutich Pomeroy
Gloria Ufer Dyson
Ron Vivolo
Jean Weber
Janice Webster Foltz

1966

Christine Aiken Drake
Kay Albert
Bob Bajoni
Ernie Barrett
Frank Barton
Charles Barton
Leigh Bishop
Margaret Bogert Olson
Patricia Born
Robert Brown
Michael Brown
Steven Brown
Eleanor Buck
Trudi Bundlie
Elizabeth Burns
Janis Burris
Frank Bushey
Dennis Butcher
Catherine Caillier
Bill Carey
Bob Carlson
Verena Cipa Gilbert
Roberta Coleman
Linda Conley Davidson
Kathy Conner
Myrna Cota
John Cox
Stephen Davis
Clinton Davis
Alan Dickinson
Lynn M Doescher Wade
Barbara Donahue Gonzalez
Mark Elmore
Donna Forest
Patrick Fuller
Paul Galdos
Susan Galloway Singleton
Wayne Giles
Jacqueline Gipson
Gayle O Glew
Barbara Gray
Russell Gray
Kristine Green
Ronald Gregory
Dave Gunnarson
Stanley Gustafson
Mary Ellen Harris
Wayne Harris
Michael Harrison
Larry Hays
Marc Healy
Billie Jean Henry
Mary Hewitt
Marti Himmelman
Mary Hix
Gregory Huber
Lauren Humes Scott
Jenee Jensen
Janyce Johnson
Charles Johnson
Judith Kanahs
William Kandlik
Richard Kelly
Toni Knapp
Lynda J Kuntz Mcvay
Tina Langland Vanwinkle
Richard Lee
Karla Lehman
Linda Lindbach
Chris Lonski
Cynthia Lucas Davis
George Lynch
Lori Macdonald Tracey
Mary Madden
Connie Maxwell
John Mcclane
Sharon Mcdaniel Young
Stephen Mcgillis
Daniel Mcgowan
Nicki A Mcinnes
Jimie Mcisaac
Margaret R Mcissac Mcgrew
Paula Meredith
James Meyer
Jorja Milliron Postovit
Benjamin Mills
Ross Moore
Sharon Morgan
Michael Mourer
Roger Moy
John Moyer
Thomas Nitz
Kathy Nyland Eggers
Conovan O'brien
Martin O'callaghan
Carl Olson
Richard Partridge
Gary Pederson
Diane Petta
Larry Placek
Stephen Pratt
Willie Quan
Linda Ransdell
Stephen Geoffrey Rich
Mark Ross
Beverly Ryan
Paul J Samac
Wayne Seibel
Karen Sloan
Todd Smith
Kenneth Smith
Gary Webster Smith
Steve H Soriano
Susan Spear
Margaret Stauch Moorman
Timothy Ste Marie
Richard Stephen
Patrick Sullivan
Sandra Summers
Irene Suryan
Charles Swinith
Nola Swinton
John Tetter
Dora Tomlinson
Kristin M Troutman Benedict
Darlene Turck
Tom Turner
Vicki Tyner
Alicia Vales
Glenn Vosper
Michael Walley
Douglas Ward
Carolee West Elliott
Cynthia Weyls

Margaret White
Richard Whitemarsh
Christine Whittington
Evelyn Wick
Carol Wilcox
Steven Wilme
Steven Wilston
Victor Wirth
Jack Wirth
Lance Wise
Monica Witt
Charles Wolfstone
Aleta Wozniak
James Zombro

1971

Douglas E Amber
David E Anderson
Judy A Andrich
Rabecca Baldon
Rick Bark
Dorothy L Barnick
Eileen K Blackinton
Brent J Blaustein
Pat Bogni
Diane Boone
Foss H Boulton Jr
Judy C Caessens Brewer
Claire A Coleman
Philip D Coulston
Michael J Darmody
Eugene K Decker
Paul D Doherty
Kenneth E Fish
Donna Freeman Thorderson
Joseph C Fulop
Karen Geschwint
Joanie Grounds Eichinger
John Hamilton
Joyce E Herreid
Betty M Hild
Karen Hillstrom
Donald E Hoffman
Gary J Hoidal
Rebecca J Horton
Gwen Howell Gracey
Victoria F Humphries Bierce
Clark L Iverson
Stephanie C Janecke
Rita D Keller Riech
Tom Kennedy
Richard D Kores
Alex Kostresh
Chris Lemay
Belinda B Leppell
Mark R Lingen
Sharilyn L Mead
Mark G Milton Greiner
Tim W Morgan
Robert Nicholson
Laurie J Ogden
Mark R Olsen
Rick L Paxton
Billie D Perkins
Linda M Phelps
John H Pike
Michael S Planchich O'neal
Louis F Redmond
Rhonda L Ricord Nichols
Ray Sablin
Teri Schmidt Mueller
Barbara Sell Simpson
John Skandalis
Candace A Sletto Montanaro
Richard F Starkey
Cheri L Taylor Watson
Janice M Theuer Jacobsen
Daniel D Tito Jr
Richard E Titus
Jeff E Toycen
Bruce R Trow
Robert E Turcotte
Janet A Volkar
Lance Wade
Terry Willett
Barbara Young Eager
Elaine Zimprich

1976

Teri Anderson Smith
Suzanne Anderson
Michael L Baker
Shelly Bartells Petersen
Sheryl Beadell Wilkerson
Kathleen Beck
Steve M Brock
Mark Jesse Brown
Carolyn Butterfield Holmes
Richard Bye
Steve Cogdill
Patti Costa Schwab
Michael Coulston
Cindy Dawson Waytula
Don Devine
Steve Dunn
Cindy Ellis
Steve Embury
Katie Finlay Tillett
Sue Finlay Carrillo
Lynnnette Frink Emerson
Ray Goodwin
Diane Hall
Wendy Hanson
Kathy R Helms
Carol Herth Bell

Teri Horne Burdick
Patty M Hutchison
Mark James
Spc Siri Jones
Tanya Judd Quandt
Kelly Katsel
Jane Knutsen
Donna M Lanksbury Wood
Peter M Laye
Linda Lee
Iris Lee
Leo M Lloyd Jr
Robert Malgren
Mike Manes
Ken A Mcclenahan
Megan Miller
Marva Moran Sheppard
Cheri Morgan Till
Gina Newman Bader
Larry Oden
Patrick Padden
Karen Peters Taylor
Larry D Pope
Teresa Potts Sonski
Linda Prescott Foster
Mike Prospek
Debbie Reichelt White
Diana Ritchie
Kurt A Sankey
Steve Simmons
Tim Slyne
Peter J Smiley
Dan Sorenson
Julie Stephens Holt
Bruce Stinshoff
Madeline Szepesi
Becky Taylor Waltz
Deanna K Tetrick Erickson
J Gordon Thomson
Fletcher Tilton
Kevin Varden
Debora “Debbie” A Walker Deladd
Deb Wheeler
Frank F Wilkerson
Ken Wilson
Mark Wood
Jane Worden
Julie J Young West

1981

Joseph V Bader
James Berndt
Timothy Brock
Shannon Rae Bruton Mcdonald
Tammy Burton Van
Annette Bussanich
Patricia Byrholdt Garza
Ronald B Calkins
Juanita Carlson Elliott
James Crawford
Per Crosely
Kurt Davis
Carol Doran Blagovich
Diane M Dunn Smith
Uli Fetui
Collin Fowler
Brett Gregory
Bill Hayes
Julie Hill Bellotti
Melvin Hunt
James Hunter
Rondeau M Johnson
Lisa L Kettenmann Meinecke
Cpt D Larkin
Sheryl Law
Ty Love Himmelman
Patricia Mattingly John
Lawrence Miles
Kathy D Miller Stanton
Traci E Montgomery Houle
Edgar Munson
Daniel A Nagel
James R Noren
David Nykas
Laynee Rains
Julie R Rand
Blake Reed
Michelle Rossmeier Peeler
Autasia Sagiao
Lorna Sagiao Considnr
Steven Sansburn
Mary E Scott Camerer
Richard Secker
Carolyn Shepard
Jeff Short
John A Smith
Arnold P Tull
Sandra K Vollan
Laurie Wilkerson Wilson

1986

Johan Anderson
Kenneth Arnold Arrowsmith
Sofia Athan
Anastasia Marie Babcock
Kirstie Bender Segarra
Ann Marie Bohlin
Edward Wayne Bowell
Johan Anderson
Kenneth Arnold Arrowsmith
Sofia Athan
Anastasia Marie Babcock
Kirstie Bender Segarra
Ann Marie Bohlin
Edward Wayne Bowell



John Bradley
Annette Bricker
Carlton Andrew Buren
Stephanie Kay Busick
Barry Eugene Busick
Tamra Cabuco
Hector Isac Canto
Steve Castle
Gordon Chan
Amy Chen
Joseph Andrew Chenkovich
Tome Chiem
Meng Ea Chou
Ferdinand Cimafrance
Samuel Clark
West Cleland
Steffan Clements
Carolyn Coller
Vanessa Collins
Norman Conway
Rodney Conway
Ava Correa
Eric David Cough
David C Crudup
Pat Colin Currie
Dean Orrin Dahley
Wellington Duke Daniels
Trisha Daniels
Damon Christopher Danner
Akiko Michelle Davis Millen
Anita Reyes De Guzman
Paul Dekker
Keri Larae Detore
Eric Di Loreto
Linda Carrie Diehm
Thuan Lien Do
Phillip Ronald Dowie
Arthur Arriola Ducay
Linh Tung Duong
Billie Jo Egan
Todd Elliott
Jon Evanger
Christian Dean Fast
Warren L Fisher
Kevin Fong
David Ford
Joe V Foucault
Jason C Fredrich
Nancy Shizuko Fukuma
Lisa Pui Chu Fung
Gina Cortes Garcia
Clarence Anthony Garrett
Ramona Glines-Erickson
Ramon Enrique Gomez
Roy Gonzalez
Gabriel Gonzalez
Janetta Gratton
Yolanda Jean Grieve
James Randy Griffin
Dana Marie Gudmundson
Kimberly Ann Gustafson
Kim Loan Ha
Felicia Andre Hagan
J Marcus Handler
Cheng Hang
Jason Scott Hanson
Roderick E Harrison
Dana Allen Hart
Lori Caroline Helm
Steven E Helm
Bonna Heng
Norma Lolita Hernandez
Aaron Hernandez
Hiroshi Hibi
Todd Hildebrand
Lisa Marie Hill Wittrell
Johnny Masami Hirai
Sanh Ho
Duy Ho
Sotha Hor
Lee Ming Hsieh
Todd Hulsey
James Hulslander Iii
Daryl Roger Imanishi
Malia Noel Indridson
Ellen Kiyomi Ito
Arla Johnson Defoyd
Vincent Bruce Johnson
Kevin Johnston
Kristine Kalmbach
Michael Kenny
Shabana Khan
Lisa La Vere
Terri Larene Langston
Ly Heang Lao
Engel Eng Tsuong Lee
Kao Lee
Kow Sun Lo
Zakarya Ly
Thanh Vinh Ly
Robert Macabata
Nancy Marie Mar
Kim Marin-Floyd
Tami Mayshack
Regina Mcdonald
Sydney Lain Mead
Kim Medford
Sopha Men
Khmao Cheng Meng
Kayelynn Miller
Wendy La Verne Montgomery
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WS OBITUARIES

Burdette Joan Wilson Gustafson

Class of 1946

Burdette Joan Wilson Gustafson born in Seattle, WA and a West Seattle HS Alumni, passed away this last January 15th at the age of 87 in Mexico City. Born with the talent of an extraordinary actress and dancer, she toured beginning in her teenage years dancing with her sister Carole to finally settle in Mexico City where she also formed a dance team with her late husband Salvador. She was well known by many in show business for her charisma and strength, becoming friends with stars like famous comedian Cantinflas. Months before passing away she was still playing guitar, painting and dancing. She is survived by her only daughter Desiree, two grandchildren Pamela & Patrick, and two sisters Carole and Patricia whom she stayed very close to always.

She lived an exciting and happy life. May she rest in Peace.



Burdette Joan Wilson Gustafson



Betty Lee Marks Broughton

Class of 1947

Betty Lee Marks Broughton was born on February 18, 1929 in Missoula, Montana to Cleve and Ora Marks. Her early childhood was spent on a 10,000 acre working family ranch in Townsend, Montana where both of her parents were born. She attended first grade at a mining camp in York, Montana where her father found work. She has two younger brothers, James and Michael, who were also born in Montana.

After the mine closed, the family moved to Helena, Montana where her father went to work for the Social Security Dept. In 1941, when she was 12 years old, the family moved to Seattle where her father went to work at Todd Shipyards building boats for the US Navy during WWII. She attended 7th grade at Beacon Hill Grade School and when the High Point Housing Projects were completed for the WWII industrial workers, her family moved there.

Every day she walked to the Cooper School where she attended eighth grade. It was there she developed several lifelong friendships with her classmates, who still gather every Wednesday for dinner at the Chelan Cafe in West Seattle.

When her father's next job took him to Everett, she stayed with Harold and Pearl Broughton, who lived a block from West Seattle High School, where she attended 9th grade until she graduated in 1947. After school and on Saturdays, she took the bus downtown for her part-time job at Frederick & Nelson, and gave the money she made to her host family. After graduation, she married Harold and Pearl's son, Charles "Bud" Broughton, who had also graduated from West Seattle High School (1943).

In 1949, they bought their home on 47th Avenue where she raised her four children who graduated from WSHS: Tim in '66, Mary in '69, Joyce in '70, and LeeAnn in '72. Betty's great Grand-daughter, Bianca Hernandez, graduated in 2014 from West Seattle High School.

Betty served as Class of 1947 Rep from 1968 to 2010 and as WSHS Alumni Secretary till 2010.



Betty Lee Marks Broughton

Jim St. John (Fosso)

Class of 1961

Jim St. John (earlier known as Jim Fosso), Class of 1961, passed away on December 31, 2014 following a three year battle with colon cancer.

Jim was born on January 20, 1943 in Milwaukee, WI to Paul & Nona Fosso. He is survived by his wife Sara, daughter, Samantha, mother Nona, sister Kristi along with many extended family members and friends.

Jim spent most of his young life in West Seattle where his father, Paul, was the choral director at WSHS as well as at First Lutheran Church of West Seattle. Jim was active in the church choir and in the Boy Scout Troop 277 sponsored by the church.

Jim sang in the Concert Choir at WSHS as well as in a quartet with classmates John Hinderlie and Mark Johnson and with Gordon Gunderson, '63. Jim began to play guitar in high school and was also a talented artist known to his friends for a caricature of the Men's Heath Education teacher.



Jim St. John (Fosso)

A fine student, Jim graduated from WSHS in 1961 with top honors and received a full academic scholarship to Dartmouth College. During one summer break, Jim and classmates and Boy Scout friends Sig Haglund and Mark Johnson climbed The Brothers, a peak in the Olympics. Jim also began his singing career during his first summer break, singing with the Gaslight Singers on the TV show "Sing America". The group were then selected to perform at the 1962 World's Fair in Seattle.

After college, Jim moved to New York City and then to upstate New York where he opened a high end cabinet shop. Music called him again, however, and he moved to Nashville in 1975. He wrote several songs which made it on the radio including his biggest hit "Seattle On My Mind". During this time he met Sara and they moved back to Seattle in 1979.

Jim and Sara sang as a duo in clubs throughout the area, but to support themselves, they started a business selling air purifiers which survives as AAA Aircare Systems. In 1982, their daughter Samantha was born.

Frequently performing at the Blue Moon Tavern, Jim and Sara and the Blue Moon owner, Gus Hellthaler started a band with a few other friends called "The Shmoes" (no "c"). Jim loved photography, painting, woodworking and political discussion, writing frequent letters to the editor.

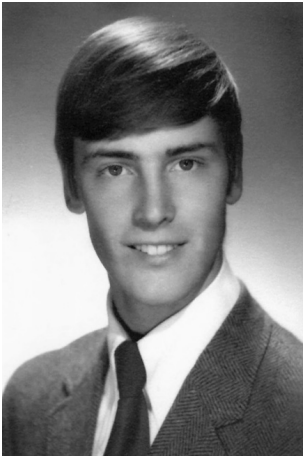
At the 50th reunion of the Class of 1961, Jim, John Hinderlie and Mark Johnson sang a few of their old songs which brought back memories of WSHS. Shortly following that reunion, Jim was diagnosed with cancer and after a valiant battle, died on December 31, 2014. In lieu of a memorial service, Jim requested a tribute party which was held at the Blue Moon Tavern on January 25, 2015. A good time was had by all - Jim would have loved it.



Jim St. John (Fosso) and his wife Sara

Eugene “Gene” Wade Haba
Class of 1971

Originally published in the Seattle Times



Gene Haba

Gene Haba passed away peacefully October 6, 2014 in his home overlooking Puget Sound. Born February 27, 1953 in Yakima, Washington, Gene mainly attended school in West Seattle, graduating in 1971 from WSHS, where he was involved in Honor Society, track, cross country and skiing. He attended the University of Washington, graduating as a civil engineer.

After college, Gene, Greg Gracey and Rob Pederson ventured around Europe for 1 1/2 years. He spent one winter in Germany on the International Ski Patrol. When he returned home, he worked for many different engineering firms, the last being Meng Analysis.

Gene was goal oriented, accomplishing a lot in his life. As a youth he and his buddies hung out at the West Seattle Speedway racing slot cars. He



Gene Haba

Runs and triathalons around Seattle. He found cooking quite relaxing. He could make a meal that could have come from a 5 star restaurant. In the spring he often went to Eastern Washington to attend the barrel tastings. As a result he built a wine cellar in his house.

An all around outstanding man, meticulous, kind and humor that snuck up on you. Gene was the best son, brother, and friend anyone could have. Gene is survived by his parents, Henry and Clara Haba, sister Charlene Haba and wife Shelley Estep Haba (all of West Seattle). Enduring brain cancer for four years, Gene outlived the odds against him. Special thanks to the Neuro Oncology Dept. at the UW, his special friends, Greg and Marilyn Gracey and his live-in caregivers, Nancy and Patricia for their care of Gene. A private memorial service was held.

won a few awards for the best model builder at the West Seattle Sporting Goods. He also worked at the Brown Bear Car Wash trying to save money to purchase a mini-bike. For 30+ years Gene was a member of the Alpental Ski Patrol. Gene was very talented, he designed and built two of his own houses and helped his parents build three others. He also formed his own company “Beyond Street Appeal”.

Eating healthy and being fit were of great importance to Gene. He participated in the Seafair Torchlight

OBITUARIES (as of 2/28/2015)

Faculty

Amorteguy, Fernando
Mr Amorteguy passed away March 11, 2014

Class of 1930
Fant, Evelyn M Elsner
Evelyn passed away May 13, 2014

Class of 1932
Morest “Morey” Skaret
Morey, Long-Standing Class Rep and Hall of Fame Member, passed away 3/27/2014 at the age of 100 years

Class of 1935
Chamberlain, Edward William
Ed passed away September 6, 2014

Class of 1936
Beede, Marge Christianson
Marge passed away May 8, 2014
Estabrook, Betty Allen
Betty passed away in November 2013

Class of 1937
Barnes, Barbara Comeaux
Barbara passed away July 5, 2014

Class of 1938
Buckner, Violet Maher
Violet passed away March 13, 2014
Fuhrberg, Eleanor Stopps
Eleanor passed away April 25, 2012
Haugen, Dordi Nord
Dordi passed away November 15, 2014
Karlstrom, Dr Thor
Thor passed away September 25, 2014
Ray, Carol Edith Eriksen
Carol passed away November 30, 2014

Class of 1939
Christie, Patricia Ann Williams
Pat passed away July 19, 2014

Class of 1940
Hunter, Joan Magee
Joan passed away June 23, 2014
Myers, Arlo K
Arlo passed away May 4, 2014
William L Parkins Jr
Bill passed away May 12, 2014

Class of 1941
Coleman, Donald C
Don passed away July 21, 2014
Ercolini, Henry M
Hank passed away August 28, 2014
Fearno, Mildred F Butler
Milly passed away September 18, 2014
North, Charlotte “Louise”
Louise passed away February 13, 2015
Schroers, Eugene F
Geno passed away January 7, 2015

Class of 1942
Bolin, Betty Jean Ewart
Betty passed away March 23, 2014
Borjesson, Eileen Tiedeman
Eileen passed away December 30, 2013

Jensen, Audry B Taylor
Audry passed away September 6, 2014
Olsen, Barbara Sanislo
Barbara passed away February 15, 2015
Snyder, Robert N
Bob passed away June 11, 2014
Webb, Lois Lucille
Lois passed away May 30, 2014

Class of 1943
Brockmiller, Helen Pellini
Helen passed away September 3, 2014
Campbell, Dorothy Steinhaus
Dorothy passed away April 3, 2014
Hoppe, Charles
Charlie passed away June 23, 2014
Johnson Kenneth Lloyd
Ken passed away March 23, 2014
Towhey, Robert
Bob passed away February 17, 2015

Class of 1944
Henry, George James
Jim passed away May 27, 2014
Jones, Vivian Kirkwood
Vivian passed away May 2, 2014
Matafin, William “Bill”
Bill passed away March 18, 2014
Savage, Nancy Seibold
Nancy passed away in August 2014
Sirignano, Carmen Chew
Carmen passed away in May, 2014
Straub, Dean
Dean passed away in October 2014

Class of 1945
Anderson, Norma E Taylor
Norma passed away July 7, 2014
Freeberg, Lucille Young
Lucille passed away May 12, 2014
Little, Frank H
Frank passed away November 20, 2014
Popich, John J
John passed away June 5, 2014
Shorrock, Charles M
Chuck passed away March 26, 2014
Thomason, Beverly O’Kelley
Beverly passed away May 8, 2014

Class of 1946
Amidon, Barbara Beall
Barbara passed away April 20, 2014
Anderson, Lois Jeanne Skoor
Lois passed away April 5, 2014
Bauman, Bruce
Bruce passed away in January 2014
Calvin, Warren
Warren passed away April 27, 2014
Cunningham, Marylou Leavitt
Marylou passed away March 2. 2014
Long Jr, William G
Bill passed away July 15, 2014
MacRae, Colin George
Colin passed away April 20, 2014
Nielsen, Carolyn Slack
Carolyn passed away in November 2014
Williams, Thomas A
Tom passed away July 9, 2014

Wilson, Burdette Soto
Burdette passed away January 15, 2015

Class of 1947
Adams, John W
John passed away August 30, 2014
Anderson, Erma Griffiths
Erma passed away August 16, 2014
Boomer, Barbara Kyzar
Barbara passed away July 2, 2014
Fisk, Ivan Terry
Ivan passed away September 20, 2014
Gutberlet, Mary M Baker
Mary passed away August 29, 2014
Jessup, Daniel E
Daniel passed away October 20, 2014
Marks, Betty Broughton
Betty passed away July 28, 2014 (former WSHSAA Secretary & Rep.
Vezzani, Bob
Bob passed away January 24, 2014
Woodhouse, Nancy Frohning
Nancy passed away January 13, 2015
Young, Herbert
Herbert passed away February 5, 2015

Class of 1948
Bowen, Genevieve Bannecker
Genevieve passed away January 9, 2015
Fornasero, Barbara Grimes
Barbara passed away March 1, 2014
Shorett, Jim K
Jim passed away December 29, 2014
Smith, Jack Kenneth
Jack passed away November 24, 2014
Strum, Ernest
Ernest passed away December 19, 2013
Utter, Robert F
Judge Utter passed away October 15, 2014 (Hall of Fame 1986 inductee)

Class of 1949
Brown, Margaret Logsdon
Margaret passed away August 29, 2014
Early, Carmen Dolores Sauer
Carmen passed away April 5, 2014
Everitt, Joanne Ansell
Joanne passed away December 5, 2014
Jones, Betty Mossafer
Betty passed away June 17, 2014
Lang, Jackie Huber
Jackie passed away November 11, 2013

Class of 1950
Thompson, Clair (Buck) W
Buck passed away July 14, 2014
Williams, Marion Rice
Marion passed away in April 2014

Class of 1951
Dracup, Marion Daugherty
Marion passed away September 29, 2013
Fazio, Fred
Fred passed away September 25, 2014
Gossett, Dorothy Ginal
Dorothy passed away March 8, 2014
Headman Jr, Earl E
Earl passed away December 6, 2011

Skubitz. Charles “Chuck” J
Chuck passed away June 17. 2014

Class of 1952
Barrelier, Steve
Steve passed away March 3, 2014
Edwards, Roderic R
Rod passed away July 13, 2014
King, John
John passed away September 24, 2014
Whalen, Patricia Ann Guenther
Patty passed away August 17, 2014

Class of 1953
Craig, Joyce Richardson
Joyce passed away December 10, 2014
Eley Jacqueline Miller
Jackie passed away March 19, 2014
Obaitek, Glenn J
Glenn passed away July 16, 2014
Olsen, Robert
Bob passed away July 4, 2014
Sheffield, Donna Moldstad
Donna passed away October 29, 2014

Class of 1954
Taylor, Frank Charles
Frank passed away August 7, 2014
Osbourne “ Ozzie” Williams Jr
Ozzie passed away on January 7, 2015

Class of 1955
Coghill, Burl
Burl passed away July 17, 2014
Cooper, Violet Krull
Violet passed away December 1, 2014
Farrar, Ben
Ben passed away February 15, 2015
Johnson, Howard
Howard passed away August 26, 2012
Rhoads, Robert
Bob passed away July 30, 2011
Ross, Linda Meriweather
Linda passed away January 8, 2014
Smith, Shirley Willson
Shirley passed away October 1, 2014

Class of 1956
Anderson, Sylvia Woods
Sylvia passed away April 14, 2014
Armstrong, Jerry
Jerry passed away October 25, 2014
Bell Lois Garcia
Lois passed away July 29, 2014
Cole, Catherine V. Pond
Cathy passed away November 28, 2014
Damm, Douglas V
Doug passed away May 19, 2014
Decker, Paula Gilbert
Paula passed away January 28, 2015
Freeman, Arthur
Art passed away in June 2014
Gray, Brian K
Brian passed away August 5, 2013
Johnson, Gary L
Gary passed away August 7, 2014
Olsen, Ray
Ray passed away November 5, 2013

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Background on the Admiral totem pole

Carved by Boeing engineers Michael Morgan and Bob Fleischman from a log harvested from Schmitz Park, the totem pole stood at Belvedere View Point Park from 1966 to 2006. It is a replica of a totem pole carved at the turn of the 20th century by natives of the coastal island region of British Columbia and brought to Belvedere View Point Park 75 years ago, in 1939, by West Seattleite and Ye Olde Curiosity Shop owner J.E. "Daddy" Standley.

(The Admiral neighborhood home of Standley, at California and Palm Avenues, will be the site of our annual "If These Walls Could Talk" home tour, scheduled for Sunday, June 28, 2015. Standley's 90-year-old grandson, Joe James, class of 1942, will be on hand to tell stories about his grandfather and Ye Olde Curiosity Shop. For details, see our website at www.loghousemuseum.info.)

Recognizing the deteriorated condition of the 1966 totem pole, Seattle Parks

and Recreation removed it in 2006 and replaced it with a uniquely designed and unpainted story pole carved by a descendant of Chief Seattle. The restored 1966 totem pole stands next to our museum and native-plant garden, facing east along the 61st Avenue Southwest arterial, just one block south of Alki Beach, where a party of white settlers landed on Nov. 13, 1851, and encountered the native Duwamish Tribe and the city of Seattle was founded.

To coincide with the June 6, 2014, unveiling of the 1966 totem pole, we launched a new exhibit, "Reaching the Sky: Totem Tales of West Seattle," inside our museum. We also are producing a traveling exhibit and brochure about the peninsula's totem poles. These interpretive activities are generously funded by 4Culture. For several years, the historical society contracted and worked with Artech Fine Art Services of Seattle to restore the 1966 totem pole to its original and colorful glory. Major contributors to the restoration include Artech, the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America and Seattle City Council member Tom Rasmussen.



More than 1,300 people, including more than 900 elementary-school children, attended the June 6, 2014, unveiling of the totem pole.

Dignitaries who unveiled the pole

The June 6, 2014, ceremony drew 29 special guests who formally unveiled the pole:

- Seattle Mayor **Ed Murray**, who grew up across the street from the museum.
- King County Executive and West Seattle native and resident **Dow Constantine** (class of 1980).
- **Marcy Johnsen** (class of 1970), board president, Southwest Seattle Historical Society.
- Duwamish Tribal Chair **Cecile Hansen**, who blessed the pole on behalf of the tribe.
- **Brian Hawksford**, representing Seattle City Council member and West Seattle resident **Tom Rasmussen**.
- King County Council member and West Seattle resident **Joe McDermott**.
- **Greg Nickels**, former Seattle mayor, the only West Seattle resident to serve as mayor.
- Former Seattle City Council member and former West Seattleite **Phyllis Lamphere**.
- **Christopher Williams**, acting superintendent, Seattle Parks and Recreation.
- Seattle Public Schools Superintendent **Jose Banda**, and **Israel Vela**, executive director of West Seattle schools.
- 4Culture Executive Director **Jim Kelly**.
- **Diane Morgan**, **Martha Morgan** and **Michael Morgan Jr.**, wife, daughter and son, respectively, of **Michael Morgan**, one of the pole's two carvers in 1966.
- **Kim Fleischman** and **Todd Fleischman**, sons of **Robert Fleischman**, one of the pole's two carvers in 1966.
- **Dick Barnecut** (class of 1944) and **Ken Lowthian** (class of 1944), West Seattle civic leaders who helped organize the pole's original dedication at Belvedere View Point Park on Aug. 10, 1966.
- **Vicki Schmitz** and son **Dietrich Schmitz**, representing the family that donated Schmitz Park to the city. (The log for the 1966 pole came from Schmitz Park.)
- **Joe James** (class of 1942), grandson of West Seattle resident **J.E. "Daddy" Standley**, first proprietor of Ye Olde Curiosity Shop, who installed the first Admiral totem pole in 1939.
- **Sandy Walsh** and **Bonnie Ward**, representing the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America in the State of Washington, which provided strong financial support for the restoration.
- Alki Elementary School Principal **Shannon Stanton** and student **Jacob Howery**.
- Schmitz Park Elementary School Principal **Gerrit Kischner** and student **Jesus LaFrambois**.
- **Gail Morris**, Native American Education Services Manager, Seattle Public Schools

WSHS ALUMNI CHINOOK TRANSITIONS

WS TRANSITIONS

West Seattleites Enjoy the West Seattle “Y”

Increased Demand for Its Facilities and Programs Results in Expansion - TAKE A TOUR!

By Gary Drobnack, Class of ‘63

If you are a graduate of West Seattle High School, there is a good chance that at some point in your grade school, middle school, or high school experience you made use of the West Seattle “Y”. Swimming lessons? Community basketball leagues? Off-season physical training for your varsity sport?

What about “Y” programs that fit your individual needs or your family’s needs since graduation from West Seattle High School? Staying fit and healthy? Kids reaching their full potential? Community meetings? Programs for active older adults?

The West Seattle “Y” has been in operation since 1922, and today it serves roughly 19,000 West Seattleites on an annual basis. Nearly 10,000 persons are members of the West Seattle “Y”. There is great diversity there in terms of gender, ethnicity, age, and interests. There are programs there for kids of kindergarten age, for children, teenagers, young adults, middle-aged adults, and even seniors who many have special training and/or health needs. The West Seattle “Y” is an exceptional community resource.

Both Seattle and West Seattle continue to grow, and demands for the facilities and programs available at the West Seattle “Y” are growing, too. The original West Seattle “Y” has already been rebuilt and relocated once in its history. The last expansion no longer provides the capacity to meet current demands for services and programs. Plans to expand at the existing site have been drawn up and construction is about to commence. Check out the following website to view some of these expansion plans and to appreciate the VISION driving this expansion: www.OurNewY.org

Planning for expansion has been underway for some time, architects have been chosen, plans have been finalized, and most of the

funds have already been raised. The Greater Seattle “Y” has committed to provide \$5.5 million of the \$11.0 million project, and the balance is to be raised by residents of West Seattle. Of that \$5.5 million, over \$3.0 million has already been raised from West Seattle businesses and individuals, enough for the construction phase to start during this coming summer. The West Seattle Rotary Club, along with Seattle 4 Rotary Club, and a few other clubs, are also working jointly to assist the expansion of the West Seattle “Y”.

THEN



1949 Girls Y-Teens “Tri Tonda”. Photo courtesy of Joan Batson King

TAKE A TOUR!

If you are interested in TOURING THE “Y” in the near future, there are two dates and times already scheduled for WSHS Monogram Club members. These tours can also accommodate some other West Seattle High School alums. Depending on demand for tours, additional tour dates and times can also be added.

June 4, 9:30-10:30 a.m. – This is just before the next scheduled Monogram Club luncheon which will start at 11:30 a.m. that same day. The West Seattle “Y” is just a few blocks away from the West Seattle Golf Clubhouse

June 6, 12:30-1:30 p.m. – This is the day of the 2015 All School Reunion, which this year is expected to fall between the hours of 2:00-6:00 p.m.

If you are interested in a tour of the West Seattle “Y”, please contact or RSVP to Maria Groen, Development Director of the West Seattle “Y” at: mgroen@seattlemca.org or 206-935-6000.

Location of the West Seattle “Y”:
4515 36th Ave SW, Seattle, WA 98126
seattlemca.org

AND NOW



Lafayette: Marilyn Gough Riley, Pat Thompson Pearson, Claudia Salsbury Cheadle, Joe Weatherstone, Phil Hugill, Betsy Hurlbut Lohr, Nona Peterson Nicholson, Joan Michelotti Maxwell, Donna Wines Harley, Joanne Deebach Hegre, Joan Batson King, Thalia Denos, Donna Stewart Nolan, John Pickrell, Gordon Hastings, Bob Wells, Mary Jenson Fowler, Pat Marshall, George Dreyer, Diane Osborn Bingham, Janis Bray Workman, Johanne Ask, Norma Hannaford Rader, Mary Smith Sorenson

The Silvernale/Wikstrom Clan Plus One - A Celebration

By Gloria Thompson McCarty, Class of '50



Left to Right: Joe Silvernale 1979, Roy Wikstrom 1978, Garth Silvernale 1978, Annette Wikstrom Silvernale 1980, Chris Silvernale 2005, Rebecca Crespin, Kevin Silvernale 2008

In 2011 Garth ('78) and Annette Wikstrom Silvernale ('80) moved from West Seattle to Loveland, Colorado for Annette's health. Shortly after, sons Christopher ('05) and Kevin ('08) followed. Christopher graduated from the UW on a four year all expense paid Galbreath Scholarship awarded by the West Seattle Alumni. Not satisfied with his original life's plan, he went back to school graduating with a Master's degree in Exercise Science from the University of Northern Colorado. He now has his own business, NoCoFitness, as a personal trainer in Greeley, Colorado where he met his fiancée Rebecca. They will be married this summer and have purchased a house in Greeley. Brother Kevin Silvernale ('08 WSHS Alumni) has finished his 2nd year as a flight instructor and now is a corporate pilot flying all over the country.

The boys' two uncles Joe Silvernale (WSHS '79) and Roy Wikstrom (WSHS '78) visited the family in Loveland to celebrate Christopher and Kevin's accomplishments. In 2014 Garth and Annette also bought a home on two plus acres in the peaceful foothills of the majestic Rocky Mountains.

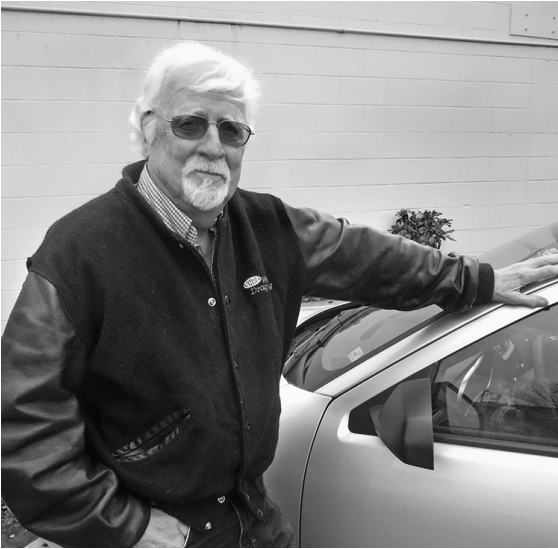
1955 Graduate Drives 227 Miles Per Hour

By Ted Foss, Class of '55

Dick Kalivoda always liked to have championship-caliber dragsters. Over the past 60 years, he has progressed to owning, crewing and driving race cars. He drove as AA fuel dragster called the "Joker" to a speed of 227 miles per hour at Bremerton Raceways in June 1969. On the same day, he set the national ET (elapsed time) record of 6.68 seconds for a quarter mile.

Two classmates of Dick, Chris King and Ted Foss, went to see Dick at the Arlington Drag Strip Reunion and Car Show on September 13, 2014. Both Chris and Ted were very impressed by the crowd Dick accumulated for him to sign autographs and posters.

It is doubtful any West Seattle High School graduate will ever go faster in a drag car than Dick driving the "Joker" at 227 miles per hour,



Dick Kalivoda in 2014



The "Joker"



Dick Kalivoda in 1955

Delores Dahl Class of 1950

By Gloria Thompson McCarty, Class of '50

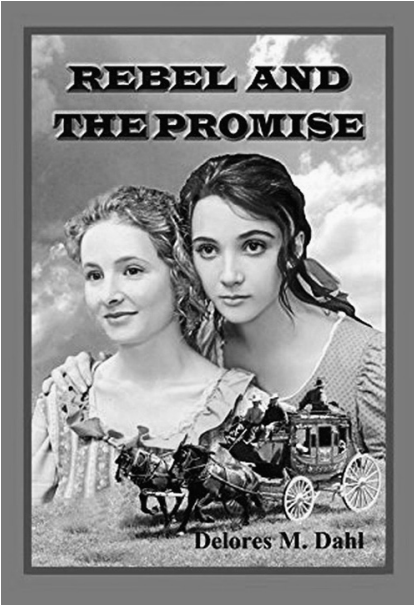


Delores Dahl

It's been a good year for classmate Delores Dahl! After many years of urging and encouragement, she has published her book "Rebel and the Promise". Copies can be purchased from Amazon for \$10.47

In addition to her work as a writer, Delores is a professional actress, photographer, teacher and accomplished painter. She lives in Bothell and loves spending time with her three daughters and their families.

Her email is dmdahl writes@frontier.com.



Class Representatives

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- 2000 Kalli Saisslin Dennis.....206/228-2717
5029 48th Ave SW, Seattle 98136
kalstar2400@hotmail.com
- 2001 Nerissa Hallberg.....206/851-7954
4003 47th Ave SW, Seattle, 98116
nerissahallberg@hotmail.com
- *2002 Rep Needed
- *2003 Rep Needed
- 2004 Whitney Rance.....206/767-4119
18928 80th Ave W, Edmonds 98026
whitra@gmail.com
- 2005 Lydia Cruz206/359-1183
2125 45th Ave SW, Seattle 98116
lcruz09@cmc.edu
- Sorin Hanson206/722-6352
3227 NE 96th St, Seattle, 98115
sorinhanson85@aol.com
- 2006 Carlos Estrada-Alamo206/724-4585
4742 42nd Ave SW #101, Seattle, 98116
- 2007 Kelly Marie Thoma206/852-4131
4527 21st Ave NE, Seattle 98105
thoma.kellymarie@gmail.com
- Michelle Hessel.....206/937-4033
8846 39th Ave SW, Seattle 98116
mmmango@comcast.net
- 2008 Courtney Gordon.....206/938-1461
10212 35th Ave SW, Seattle 98146
courtneygordon@hotmail.com
- *2009 Rep Needed *2010 Rep Needed
*2011 Rep Needed *2012 Rep Needed
*2013 Rep Needed *2014 Rep Needed

Lost List

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|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Channrathanak June Tuon | Jesus Pena |
| Laura Beatriz Vargas | Dylan Pierce |
| Kyle Lewis Vasseur | Kira Renaut |
| Godana Wako | Devon Rogers |
| Lauren Willoughby | Joel Salvador Jimenez |
| Christopher Young | Bianca Thomas |
| Shanaye Nicole Young | Hannah Vickers |
| | Jake Walker |
| | Karli Woo |
- 2011
Christopher Conn
Jonathan Delgado Quintana
Flannery Dennison
Tamam Gisho
Kurt Hansen
Trey Holman
- List as of February 23, 2015.
Please contact Chris King,
206 938-1937 or
Seaking55@Aol.com,
To Help Us With This List.

Korea & Vietnam War Memorial Plaques

By Karen Seamens Dobbs, Class of '71



The Korea and Vietnam Memorial Plaques were a labor of love by Jack Hanning '43, who began the project in about 1985, according to his daughter Jami Vaux '70. Mr. Hanning's wife, his brother Jerome Hanning '44, Robert Vaux '60 and Jay Murray '55 joined the project and continued on when Jack was unable to continue due to the onset of Parkinson's Disease.

The plaques were put away and "forgotten" until last year, when they were discovered by Chris King '55. Chris, Sandy Dubuque '69 and Stephanie Aird '89 researched, restored and made them ready for display.

Thanks to all for their efforts to bring this project to fruition.

The names of the classmates that are memorialized on these plaques are:

KOREA

- James T. Ferguson
Class of '50 - KIA 6/11/52
- John Hickey Jr.
Class of '50 - KIA 4/28/52
- John Wilcox
Class of '52
- Carl Eichorn Jr.
Class of '47 - KIA 11/5/52

VIETNAM

ARMY:

- SGT Thomas G. Fanning
Class of '61 - KIA 5/6/67
- PFC John D. Nokes
Class of '64 - KIA 3/11/67
- PFC James H. Fife
Class of '64 - KIA 8/8/66
- SGT Raymond A. Voss
Class of '68 - KIA 6/19/69
- PFC David J. Schultz
Class of 65 - KIA 4/4/68
- SP5 Robert P. Ilsley
Class of '67 - KIA 3/21/69

AIR FORCE:

- 1st LT Robert A. Eisenbeisz
Class of '64 - KIA 2/11/71

MARINES:

- LCPL James S. Ellis
Class of '67 - KIA 5/27/68

NAVY:

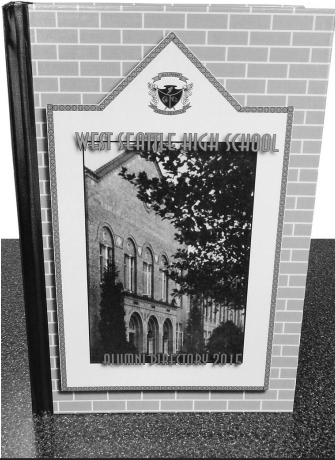
- LTJG Jacob D. Logan
Class of '58 KIA - 12/2/65
- AN Ronald Hagopian
Class of '63 KIA - 1/12/67

Madison Girls Glee Club 1946-1947

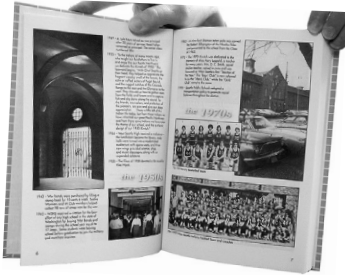


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- Sparks, Gary L**
Gary passed away April 14, 2014
- Storrs, Robert Charles**
Bob passed away November 29, 2014
- Techout, Velma Fogle**
Velma passed away November 10, 2014
- Wren, Sharon Barr**
Sharon passed away January 4, 2015

Class of 1957

- Hoard, Robert J**
Robert passed away September 14, 2013
- Kegley, Steve**
Steve passed away in May 2013
- Lenz, Fred**
Fred passed away in 2014
- Strum, James**
Jim passed away June 11, 2014
- Tice, Walcott M "Wally"**
Wally passed away October 25, 2014
- Waiwaiiole, Cecelia K Lum**
Cecelia passed away April 4, 2014

Class of 1958

- Coghill, Mary Gribble**
Mary passed away March 4, 2014
- Graupman, Gary**
Gary passed away July 25, 2014
- Grindulis, Lauris V**
Larry passed away September 24, 2014
- Hoadley, Jon**
Jon passed away in August 2014
- Minter, Isabella Schwenk**
Isabel passed away March 13, 2014
- Romero, Elaine Luskus**
Elaine passed away in October 2013

Class of 1959

- McFadden, Vicky Marlene Donaldson**
Vicky passed away November 18, 2014
- Nichols, Clayton Curtis**
Curtis passed away February 15, 2015
- Sweeney, Dennis**
Denny passed away July 26, 2014

Class of 1960

- Bjorlo, Deanna Calhoun**
Deanna passed away February 16, 2015
- Whalen, Thomas**
Tom passed away March 14, 2014

Class of 1961

- Ader, Sandra Selleck**
Sandra passed away March 6, 2013
- Alspaugh, Terry M**
Terry passed away June 20, 2014
- Browne, Albert G**
Abby passed away September 23, 2014
- Enroth, David Richard**
David passed away May 5, 2014
- Rush, Sandra Murphy**
Sandy passed away in September 2014
- St John (Fosso), Jim**
Jim passed away December 31, 2015

Class of 1963

- Fanning, Elwin**
Elwin passed away January 5, 2015
- Hopkins, Kenneth E**
Kenneth passed away December 20, 2014
- Mitchell, Jerry**
Jerry passed away November 22, 2013
- Penz, Linda Harvey**
Linda passed away May 17, 2012

Class of 1966

- Edmondson, Kathy**
Kathy passed away Sept 27, 2014

- Fallon, John D**
John passed away October 17, 2014
- Gladson, Donna Burgard**
Donna passed away June 20, 2014

Class of 1968

- Nungesser, Gordon L**
Gordy passed away February 11, 2015
- Reasy, Douglas J**
Doug passed away November 12, 2014

Class of 1971

- Fretz, Sally Ann**
Sally passed away April 9, 2013
- Haba, Eugene**
Gene passed away October 6, 2014
- Reel, Deborah Kunschik**
Deborah passed away January 27, 2013

Class of 1972

- Anderson, Bruce**
Bruce passed away November 8, 2014
- Nelson Shirley Givens**
Shirley passed away September 4, 2012
- Raplee, Kenneth**
Ken passed away October 17, 2014

Class of 1973

- Bjorlo, Linda Wells**
Linda passed away July 19, 2014
- Rohr, Mary Ellen Mar**
Mary passed away June 22, 2014

Class of 1974

- Hooper, Martin**
Marty passed away in November 2014
- Warnes, Tina**
Tina passed away January 14, 2014

Class of 1975

- Hughes, Lori Hobby**
Lori passed away November 5, 2015

Class of 1976

- Earle, Randy David**
Randy passed away June 19, 2014
- Keniston, Dan**
Dan passed away June 1, 2014

Class of 1977

- Korhonen, Kenneth M**
Ken passed away January 13, 2015

Class of 1978

- Morey, Peter**
Peter passed away May 28, 2014
- Reis, Jon**
Jon passed away January 9, 2015
- Zeller, Charles M**
Charles passed away in 2014

Class of 1980

- Buckmiller, Jeffery Allen**
Jeff passed away September 1, 2014

Class of 1983

- Palmer, Kurtis S**
Kurt passed away January 7, 2014

Class of 2006

- Taylor, Jay John**
Jay passed away August 22, 2014

Reunion Reminders

1943—Our class meets for lunch on the second Tuesday of each month at the Chelan Cafe, 1:00 p.m. We welcome any of you to join us.

1944—Join us for another get together on the day of the 2015 All School Reunion. We're hoping to reserve a room at the newly re-opened Benbow Inn for another luncheon. Anyone from the class of "44" that would like to attend should contact Jerry Costacos at (206) 937-8888. Hoping to hear from you.

1948—Now that the reunion is being held on Saturday please try to make plans to show up and say hello!

1950—At last year's reunion we requested ideas for future get-togethers. I have only received a few, so don't be shy about letting us know what you would prefer.

I had suggested a 65th Reunion or breakfast or lunch several times a year - no response, so apparently no interest? I'll bring it up again on June 6th.

Remember, the All School Reunion is on Saturday this year. Please try to attend, this could be a mini-reunion for our class. Stay in touch.

1951—Thus far there has been little or no discussion about a 65th class reunion. We can talk about what we would like to do, if anything, while at our individual class reunion.

1953—I hope all of you have received your invitation to our 80th Birthday Party for the Class of 1953 and are planning on coming to Salty's for lunch on Friday, June 5th. It's hard to believe that we have achieved this lofty time of life but here we are so let's celebrate our achievement. Save the date - mark your calendars. If you are not yet 80 then you are at the very least, dangerously close to it.

Call or email me if you did not get the notification. Email: povbayjack@aol.com or phone 253-839-0899. We welcome a big turnout.

1955—The class will celebrate its 60th Reunion on June 5th at Salty's on Alki. The location is terrific with the view and atmosphere. Every member in the class received notification of this event several months ago and some noted they were planning on coming. A total of 100 graduates and guests said "yes".

1958—How about joining us for our 57th reunion. It's FRIDAY August 7th 2015 with dinner at 5:00 (3:00-

5:00 social hour). We will meet once again at Rainier Golf & Country Club.

SATURDAY August 8th Jim Allgire and his dedicated golfers will show up at 7:00AM for the 18th annual Golf Tournament at Auburn Golf Course.

Reservation information was mailed out in the spring for both events. Look forward to seeing you in June (All School Reunion) and in August as we celebrate our 57th get together!

1961—We need to discuss whether or not we want to have a 55th party, what to do about the future of our website, if we want to establish a Facebook presence, and elect a new class representative(s). If any of you are interested in taking over as Class Rep, please let me know..... could be a team effort if no one person is willing to take over from me.

1962—We look forward to seeing you at the All- School Reunion the afternoon of Saturday, June 6, 2015.

1965—On Sat. June 6, the 2015 Class will hold the 50 Reunion party. On Sunday June 7th, we will be having a picnic in Lincoln Park, contact Doug Garvey: (206) 850-8939, doug@garveygrouphomes.com. See you there !!

1966—Next year, our main class celebration party will be held on the evening of Friday, June 3, 2016. We will meet the afternoon of Saturday, June 4, 2016 at WSHS to participate in the All School Reunion festivities honoring our class. The Class of '66 Reunion Committee is planning activities for us to get together on June 2, 3, and 4, so mark your calendars and "save these dates" to gather with your fellow classmates. June 2, 3, and 4, 2016 for the WSHS Class of 1966 - 50th Reunion Celebration

1968—In a few years it'll be our 50th, with another Presidential Election and special treatment for us at the All-School.

1969—Although we have just celebrated our 45th reunion, it is not too soon to be thinking about our 50th. It is now only 4 years away. If you have a suggestion for places to go send them to me and I will share with the committee.

1970—45th REUNION- "Beach Party" Sat July 18th. Join us this summer for our 45th Anniversary Reunion Picnic at "ALKI", Saturday July 18th, Noon - 4pm, at Shelter #1 on the grass at (62nd Ave. SW and Alki Ave. SW).

We had enough money in our class funds to reserve this shelter and 4 other tables, so there is "no charge"

this time. Pack your picnic baskets, beverages, and bring something to share for a pot luck table. We'll provide paper plates, napkins, and some water. I plan to bring Husky Deli potato salad and Cathy is bring cold cuts.

We hope to see you all there for a fun day in the sun. We'll send a reminder email out in July so make sure we have your email. Thanks, Your class reps: Jami Hanning Vaux, vaux01015@msn.com and Cathy Westwood McLynne, cmclynne@aol.com..

1972—Our next planned Class of '72 reunion will be for our 50th in 2022. If any classmates are interested in helping to organize a casual 45th (as a few of you have mentioned), please get in touch with your friends, keep in touch via email and Facebook and contact Christy and Gail.

1974—There are several ways to stay in touch with your classmates until the next reunion. Our class is pretty good about keeping up with social media, so to find timely information on your classmates and future events you can access:

Main website: www.wshs1974.com
Twitter: link to the feed through the main website page
Facebook: like the "West Seattle High School - Class of 74" page
Email: info@wshs1974.com

1975—40th Reunion: West Seattle American Legion Post 160 3618 SW Alaska St, Seattle, Washington 98126
Our 40th is nearing, can you believe it?

Time to reconnect.
FIRST DEADLINE DATE:
MARCH 20th:
(last day to get discount) per person ticket price \$40
SECOND DEADLINE DATE:
APRIL 1st:
(last day to purchase) per person ticket price \$50

Please pass this on to whomever your still in contact with or know how to contact from our class and if you could drop me their names/contact so I can help get them register them in our Alumni class email: WSHS_75@yahoo.com

1976—Our 40th is in 2016! Start thinking ahead, folks!

1978—Please make sure to mark your calendars for the All School Reunion which is going to be held on Saturday, June 6 2015. They are holding it on Saturday this year in hopes of getting more alumni to attend. The doors open at 2pm and will go until 5:30pm. I will reserve an area for us at The Bridge so we can get together after the All School and continue visiting. Looking forward to seeing you there!

Can't believe that our 40th will be coming up soon. We will start getting some ideas and plans together in the next year or so. If you have any ideas or suggestions please feel free to send them to me. We have class get together's in between reunions so hope you can make one of them. See below for a picture from the All School Reunion last year and our most recent class get together.

1980—It's that time again - our 35th reunion is coming up this very summer, and your Class Reps are looking forward to joint-venturing to plan a great event.

For this event, we aim to Keep It Simple. No huge financial down-payments for venue and catering, no early commitments/payment requirements from our classmates. Join us for a casual rendezvous to catch up and enjoy each other's company. This will be the first Friday in June, 6/6/16 - the night before our all-school reunion set for first Saturday in June!

So mark your calendars, and plan to show up the next night too - we'll keep up the tradition of an all-school reunion after party with fellow alumni from many classes.

How can you help with the 35th celebration? Send us a note of your interest and we'll be sure to plug you in. So many ways to help - attend a happy-hour planning session, assist in contacting classmates, bring a finger-food appetizer, come an hour early/setup, stay an hour late/take-down, etc...

And most importantly, help spread the word to all our classmates. Looking for someone in particular? Let us know, we'll help you try and hunt them down. ;)

With warm regards & best wishes to our fellow classmates, we look forward to seeing you in June, and remember - Eighty Is Greaty!

1985—30th Reunion - Food, Drinks, and Merriment: Saturday, June 6 at 7:00pm - 2:00am at the Feedback Lounge at 6451 California Ave SW, Seattle, Washington 98136.

After the All-School Reunion, we'll meet up at the Feedback for some heavy appetizers, drinks, and live music (band and set list, pending).

Fun in the Park!: Sunday, June 7 at 12:00pm - 8:00pm at Lincoln Park; 8011 Fauntleroy Way SW, Seattle, Washington 98136. Bring the family out for a day in the park. We'll have a reserved barbecue area and are planning a fun day in the park! (location subject to change.)

Join the West Seattle High School Alumni Association and ensure your reunion organizer is able to find you through the Alumni's data base. See Page 5 for Alumni membership details.



Reunite with fellow classmates at the WSHS All School Reunion on Saturday, June 6 2015

Starting this year the All-School Reunions will be held on the first Saturday in June

Really, how often do you get to use the line:

"Don't I know you from kindergarten?"

Join Us for the Annual Classic Car Show!

John Zitkovich, Class of 1960

Favorite Car Display: Would you like to share your special car – Classic; Antique; Unique; Vintage; Collector; or Unusual - with your WSHS Classmates? We are encouraging Classmates who own Classic Cars to share them with our Alumni by bringing them to the All-School Reunion on Saturday, June 6, 2015.

Many of our Classmates have invested a good deal of time, energy and effort into revitalizing some of the Classic Rides from their glory days at Westside. We want to show and share these restored special cars of interest with all our Classes. We also wish to honor and recognize the passion of our WSHS Classmates and their interest in Classic Cars. It is our hope that this display will provide an added spark to the All-School as we gather to reminisce about “The Good Old Days”.

Where:
The display will be located outside the North (Main) Entrance on SW Stevens Street.

When:
During the All-School Reunion, Saturday, June 6, 2015 between the hours of 2 pm and 5 pm.

Contact:
John Zitkovich by phone at 206-675-8172 for Reservations and Detailed Information.

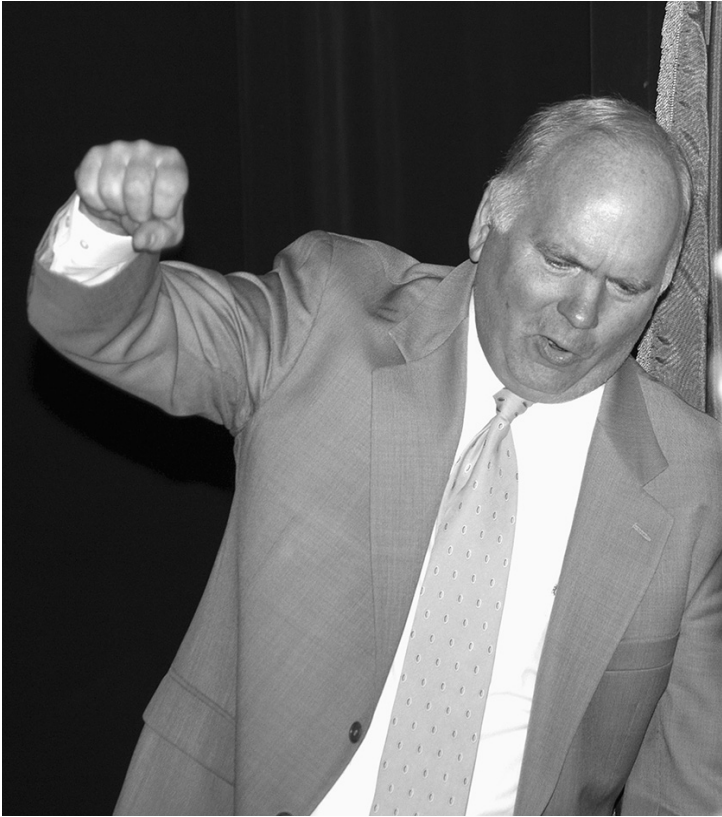


MEMORIES FROM THE ALL SCHOOL REUNION 2014

**Get Ready To Make Some Memories At Your Next Class Reunion
And At The All School Reunion Saturday June 6, 2015**



Ted Foss and Hall of Fame Recipient Tom Hopp

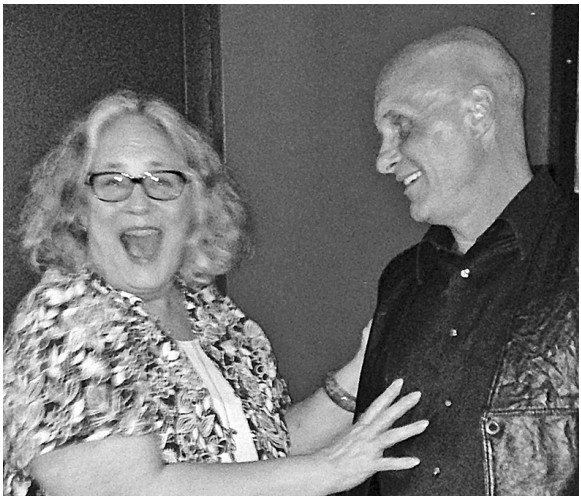


Gary Smith leading the singing

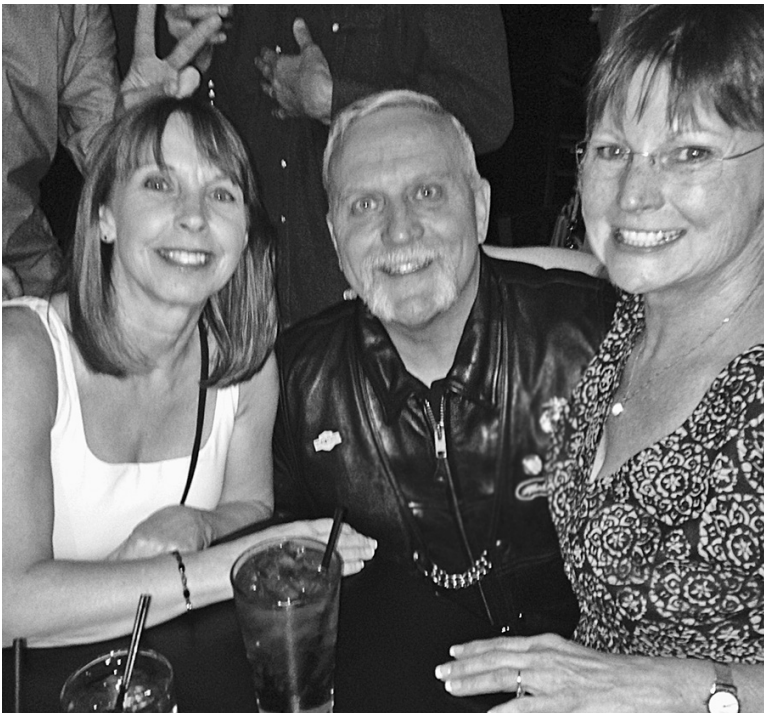
**After the All School Reunion, some classmates continued to reminisce at the
Feedback Lounge, as The Time Turner Band played.**



Colleen (Jackson) Nohl '73 and Cliff Irvin '69



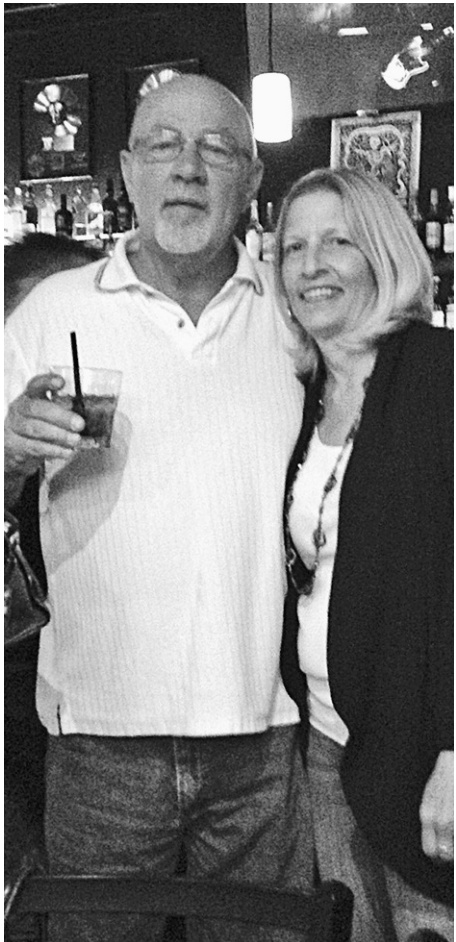
Colleen (Jackson) Nohl '73 and John Duke '72



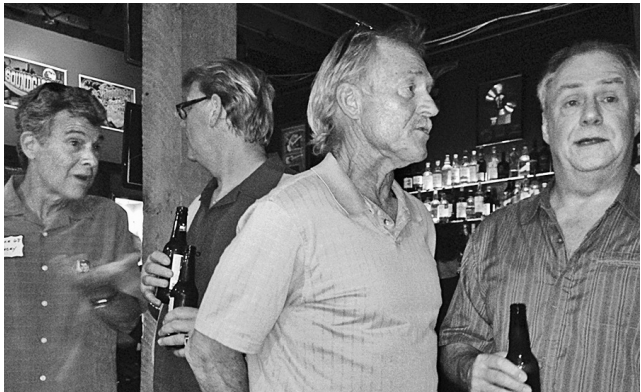
From Left to right: Debbie Lien Chapin, '72, Steve Spicer, '72 & Michael Brummer, '73



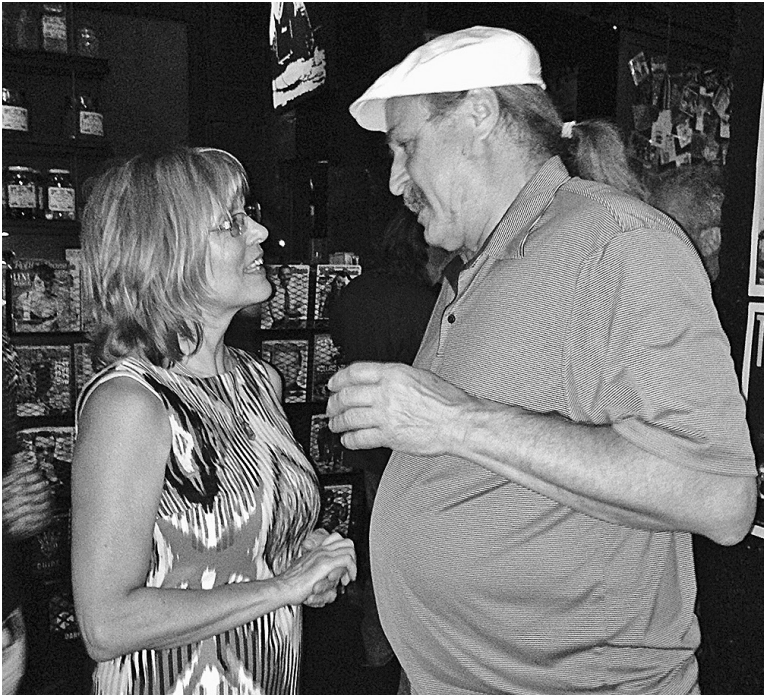
Cindy Novito, '72, Rick Ghillino



Cal Gagner, '69 & Peggy Pardy Uskevich, '70



From Left to right: Steve Nielsen '68, Cliff Irvin, Randy Dahley & Jim Vaux '69



Bonnie McAllister '73 and Bill Coghill '71

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Catch up with
old friends at
the All-School
Reunion.

The West Seattle High School Alumni Chinook, 2015 • All-School Reunion Saturday, June 6, 2015

Picture Your Class with Newly Restored Totem Pole at Log House Museum

Southwest Seattle Historical Society
with Take Photos on Reunion Day,
Saturday June 6, in front of Totem Pole

**By Clay Eals, Executive Director of the
Southwest Seattle Historical Society.**

*Our mission: to promote local heritage through
education, preservation and advocacy*

Come reunion day, it will have been exactly one year since our totem-pole unveiling ceremony that drew more than 1,300 people to our "Birthplace of Seattle" Log House Museum. The colorful totem pole that welcomed residents and tourists alike a few blocks east of West Seattle High School at Belvedere View Point Park from 1966 to 2006 has been fully restored and is on display outside our museum.

You and others in your class who are attending the 2015 All-School Reunion on Saturday, June 6, can have a special photo taken in front of the totem pole in the hours before the reunion. Our organization will be available to take photos of various West Seattle High School classes in front of the totem pole in the morning and early afternoon. We will take reservations for 10-minute time slots that start at 10 a.m. and end at 1:30 p.m., leaving plenty of time to get to the reunion, which starts at 2 p.m. For a suggested donation of just \$5 per class, we will take photos and make them available to class members via e-mail. To reserve a 10-minute time slot, please call 206-484-8008 or e-mail clay.eals@loghousemuseum.info. The result will be a photo just like the one of the Alumni Association Board that accompanies this story. It's a way for your class to create a keepsake in a setting that anchors you in West Seattle!

For more about the newly restored and installed totem pole, visit www.loghousemuseum.info and read on:

**Restored Totem Pole
Continued on Page 29**



Inviting you to have your photo taken at the newly restored and unveiled Admiral Totem Pole at the Southwest Seattle Historical Society's "Birthplace of Seattle" Log House Museum are West Seattle High School Alumni Association board members (clockwise from lower right) Sandy DuBuque, Stephanie Aird, Chris King, Jim Biava, Ted Foss, Terese Machmiller and Linda Wells. (Not pictured: Karen Dobbs.)

WSHS Alumni Association All-School Reunion Saturday, June 6, 2015

Schedule:

2:00 p.m.

Doors Open

2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Sign in for your Class Year, pick up programs, name tag and roam the halls.

3:00 p.m. - 4:00 pm

PROGRAM in the Commons: Hall of Fame, Scholarships, 50th Class Recognition

4:00 - 5:30 p.m.

Individual Class Reunions in assigned rooms

2:00 - 5:30 p.m.

WSHS Alumni Merchandise available for purchase in the Commons

2:00 - 5:00 p.m.

View Classic Cars outside the North entrance on SW Stevens Street

2:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Food and refreshments available for purchase from 2015 Student Musicians Boosters

Anyone who would like a ride or can offer rides to the All School Reunion June 6th, please contact any board member.

We are trying to make sure everyone who wants to come can come!

There will be 40 handicapped spaces reserved on the west side of the school.

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