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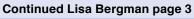
WEST SEATTLE HIGH SCHOOL HALL OF FAME 2018



Lisa Bergman - Class of 1973Concert Pianist / Radio Personality

Lisa Bergman graduated cum laude from the University of Washington and went on to obtain Masters' degrees in music from both State University of New York, Stoneybrook and Julliard.

She made her recital debut at Carnegie Hall in 1983. She has performed throughout the U.S., Canada, Europe and Asia, averaging more than 60 engagements per year. She was selected by the U.S. Information Agency to represent the US on a performance tour of New Zealand, Nepal, Mongolia, China, Korea and Taipei. She also appeared





Paul Folino - Class of 1963Business Leader / Community Service

There are many different ways to define "success" and Paul Folino fits more than one of them. After graduation, Paul attended Central Washington on a basketball scholarship. (He was team captain at West Seattle). He began his career with the Xerox Corporation in Seattle, where he eventually worked up to Regional General Manager.

If he still lived in Seattle, I believe his name would be familiar to many of our residents, but career opportunities instead took him to Southern California. He left Xerox in 1984, to build up a struggling company, and then help in it's sale. He repeated

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Hall of Fame Nomination Information

Hall of Fame nomination forms will be accepted anytime until October 15th, 2018. 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 2019 meeting. One or two of the finalists will win the Hall of Fame Award for 2019, and will be notified soon after. Each winner will be honored at the All School Reunion in June, 2019.

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 Åomplete and submit the following form by typing or printing legibly:

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.

NOMINEE: _____ GRADUATION YEAR: _____

SUBMITTED BY: _____ CLASS: _____

TELEPHONE: DATE: _____

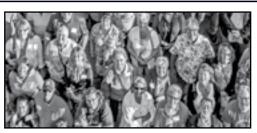
EMAIL: ______ MAIL TO: WSHS Alumni Association

Attn: Hall of Fame Committee 4742 42nd Ave SW #215, Seattle, WA 98116

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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

With dear old (really old) West Seattle High School entering its second hundred years, it gives us all the chance to reflect on the past and look forward to the future. At the All-School Reunion (ASR) last June, alumni, students, faculty and staff gathered together for the Group Hug photo (see page 5) in front of the building so important to all of us.

In the late 19th and early 20th centuries, public buildings were intentionally designed and built to reflect their importance to the community. It was for this reason that government buildings, courthouses, schools and libraries built during that time are imposing and beautiful. West Seattle High School's physical appearance is certainly indicative of its importance to the community!

For this issue of the Alumni Chinook, I once again 'raided' the Alumni room archives for interesting tidbits to share. Since the 2017 Alumni Chinook concentrated on the 1917-1918 school year, I started with 1928 and took a Kimtah from each decade, looking at how student life changed or remained the same.

The evolution of athletics was particularly interesting: how football, boys' basketball and baseball were consistent throughout, some sports, such as golf, tennis and crosscountry evolved into co-ed teams. During the nineteen teens, twenties and thirties, girls had numerous sports teams that were popular. Interest appeared to taper off during the forties and fifties. The sixties saw a reprise in participation, but, not surprisingly, the advent of Title IX in 1972 brought about a true Renaissance in girls' athletics. The Girl's W Club for athletes was formed in 1928, with

future film star and WSHS Hall of Famer Frances Farmer a very active participant. Please enjoy and reminisce!

This year saw some changes to the Alumni Board; Mary Rose Toal retired as Secretary and will be much missed. Stephanie Cole Aird moved from At-Large VP to Secretary and Diane Begunoff Venti accepted the At-Large position. Thank you to these and all the other Board members, class reps and others who keep this organization going, we couldn't do this without

Hoping to see another big turnout on June 2nd!

To Jeannine Russell

You inquired about a photograph of the "Future Members of the Class of 1950 at the Jefferson School" that was printed in the last edition of the Chinook (May 2017). My efforts to contact you have not been successful. Please contact me at kswdobbs@comcast.net or 206-390-0185.

Thank you, Karen Seamens Dobbs

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WSHS 2018 ALL SCHOOL REUNION

by Jim Biava, VP Program

Helloooooooo Westside Nation!

Preparation for our 2018 All School Reunion is in full swing. What we have in our ASR is unique to WSHS. In an effort to improve how it is run, we are always seeking ways to make it better for the attendees while at the same time being able to make sure the business side of Alumni Association is running smoothly. That means making sure the meeting rooms are big enough for the amount of people who normally attend from each class. In order to do this the sign in sheets must be completed by all and turned in.

We are tremendously fortunate and know it that we can provide about \$130,000 in scholarships each year. That is thanks to the generosity of you, our members.

Equally important is the General Operating fund which keeps us, well......operating. Many members didn't know there are dues involved, some seem offended by it, and others pay their fair share.

Where do your dues go? What do they fund? Here are a few of the major expenses we face each year:

- The Chinook, after the lay out and content are completed then they are printed and mailed out to about 17,000 Alumni.
- The website is an awesome "go to" site with loads of information, history, and a forum for upcoming events. This has to be hosted which costs money.
- The All School Reunion has costs associated with it such as the rental of the school with the custodial care and HVAC for the event.
- Additionally there is the cost for the signage, printing of the booklets and general supplies.
- The Hall of Fame adds 2 additional inductees each year. Their photos are added to the rest of the Hall of Fame members on the 2nd floor above the west entry.

These are just the major costs we face. We, the Alumni Board, are all volunteers.

Finally, after 6 years of heading up the All School Reunion and due to personal reasons, I need to step aside. If you are someone who would love to be in the flow in our community, has the ability to organize, implement one's own creative ideas then we definitely need you. We have a history of these All School Reunions each year which we don't want to break. Your Alumni Association needs a few new members. Call Jim Biava at 206-387-2683.

WSHS Alumni Merchandise

Some of our alumni have purchased WSHS merchandise from unauthorized "forprofit" sites pretending to be the West Seattle Alumni Association, thinking they are helping out our Alumni Association. 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.

Your WSHS Alumni Association has teamed up with the great guys at Seattle Logo Pro to have easier, quicker access to any and all WSHS merchandise that you are looking for. You can call SLP directly or you can order online on our new website, easily and quickly. SLP will be at the ASR to help you with any merchandise purchase that you are interested in.

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HALL OF FAME

Lisa Bergman

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as guest artist in 1997, 1999, and 2001 International Cello Festival in Japan. She has released 6 CDs of her performances. Lisa was the official accompanist for the Metropolitan Regional Opera Auditions and for the International Clarinet Society.

- "...Bergman has the ideal accompanist's attributes: strong musical personality combined with sensitivity that adapts almost uncannily to her partner."
- Melinda Bargreen, Seattle Times.
- "...I liked especially ... her sense of authority and command... she plays the piano as if she owned it."
- R. M. Campbell, Seattle PI

Lisa has also served as Artistic Director of the NW Opera, Icicle Creek Music Center, NW Opera in Schools, Etcetera ("NOISE"), the Mostly Nordic Chamber Music Series, and the Methow Valley Chamber Music Festival.

Lisa served as Artist in Residence of the UW music faculty from 1989 to 1999, teaching opera coaching and accompaniment. She is a Nationally Certified Teacher of Music, gives lectures and workshops. She is also a member of the Hall of Fame for the Washington State Music Teachers Association for her "extraordinary service, outstanding musicianship, dedication and leadership, which has significantly contributed to the development and growth of music education in the State of Washington."

Currently Lisa is an on-air personality at KING FM radio where, among other features, she hosts the Exploring Music series. In 2013, she won a Gracie Award for her work as writer and host of Exploring Music, a program designed to introduce all ages, particularly children to the "fascinating and unusual stories behind classical music."

HALL OF FAME

Paul Folino

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that with another company. In 1993 he joined Emulex Corporation as Chief Executive Officer, serving for the next 13 years, followed by five years as Executive Chairman. By then he had earned a reputation as a business leader and a strategic thinker.

A leader in the technology industry, he serves on the boards of numerous Southern California companies. Orange County, in particular, has honored him in numerous ways. In 2000 he was named the Orange County Entrepreneur of the Year, in 2001, the Director of the Year and in 2006 The Philanthropist of the Year. By 2013 he was recognized as one of the top 50 most influential business leaders in Orange County.

Paul's family moved to West Seattle when he was entering the 4th grade. He was not born with that proverbial "silver spoon" in his mouth (guaranteed success, so we are told). He came instead from the Central area housing projects. His parents worked long hours to support him and his brothers. At the West Seattle Boys Club, he encountered mentors and coaches that he credits as being major forces in the shaping of the man he has become. Throughout his life he said there have been people who helped show him a path to success. What he failed to mention was his ability and willingness to listen, learn, evaluate, and act on the advice and wisdom!

What I believe is remarkable about Paul is that he has generously chosen to use the means and influence he has achieved to "pay it forward", having personally donated over 20 million dollars to charities in his area, most of which are projects for children and young people. The list includes Orange County Performing Arts Center, South Coast Repertory, Chapman University, the Mind Institute, Project Tomorrow, and Cal State Fullerton's College of Business and Economics. He serves on the Board of Directors of most (all?) of these organizations, helping them have on-going success in fund-raising. He has two simple rules: No. 1 - Show you care by putting your own money into the pot. No. 2 - Be passionate about a cause. He clearly follows his own rules!

Paul's legacy includes having his name on the South Coast Rep Theater and the Main Street to Cal State University named Folino Drive in his honor.

West Seattle High School Foundation Courtyard Brick Order Form

Leave a lasting legacy with your personal message engraved on a WSHS courtyard brick. Please print in UPPERCASE BLOCK LETTERS. Each space counts as one character. (max 20 per line)

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WSHS Foundation

By Christy Young Rowe, President, Class of '72



President Christy Young Rowe

Hello from the WSHS Foundation! This year has been a quiet year for us. Brick sales continue, we have some restricted funds we are looking to spend this year and we are here to support the needs of the staff and students at WSHS.

The Foundation started out years ago before the school was remodeled, before students moved back into the new building and before there was a PTSA to fundraise for the needs of the school. We produced the 'Kick-Off' for the Opening of the School and started exploring needs of the school and brain-stormed as to how we could support the school for those long-term items that were needed.

Since the inception of the Foundation, these are some of our accomplishments:

- Production of the School Dedication, September 2002.
- Secured larger trees and bricks for the courtyard.
- Purchased library books that were much needed to fill the shelves.
- Purchased the multi-media projector for the Performing Arts Center.
- Started the school's first Auction and continued for several years as the PTSA built their membership and was able to take over the event.
- Organized West Seattle night at the Seattle Mariners for several years.
- Purchased much needed musical instruments.
- Purchased equipment for every athletic team.
- Formed an art committee to procure donations of artwork from local artists to beautify the new building.
- Provided funding to hire tutors for students needing extra help with math. This program successfully helped raise math scores for many students.
- Started the Spring Musical Opening Night event tradition.

In the fall we talked with our new Principal Vance and asked what he saw as needs for the school that would fit our mission statement. He had observed that WSHS does not have a flag at the entrance to the school. We discussed how beautiful it would be to see a flag pole and flag in the courtyard. We were surprised that nobody to our knowledge ever noticed this oversight. This seems like a logical project for us to research and implement. Can you help us by sending in a donation to see this project reach completion?

WSHS Foundation is a 501(c) 3 organization so your donations are tax deductible and always welcome. With the coordination of The Foundation, the PTSA, the Monogram Club and the Alumni Association, we all help in ways that fit our mission statements for the benefit of our students and staff. Donations can be sent to the high school, attention of 'WSHS Foundation'. We all thank-you!

Christy Rowe, President WSHS Foundation

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WSHS ALUMNI COMMUNICATIONS UPDATE

by Terese (Anderson) Machmiller, V.P. Communications, Class of '80

Greetings from your Communications VP:

On a rare bluebird day at Snoqualmie Pass, though where the snow level was more reminiscent of late March than early February, my husband Wayne and I slid onto a chair lift at Summit East (formerly Hyak). On the chair ride, our conversation turned to the chat we'd just had with a family friend who had shared the shuttle ride from our mutual ski lodge. He is currently a junior in high school, and said his favorite class in school is history. I responded that while I hadn't been particularly inspired about history when studying it in high school, my newfound and poignant mantra – 'learn from your history or repeat it', has taken on a more urgent dynamic given today's political climate. On hearing this, our co-rider on the chair lift, a vibrant snow-boarder, piped up to say he himself was a high school teacher of history. It came about that he, Lou Jurcik, is in his second year of teaching at West Seattle High. Intrigued, I asked him of his relatively early impressions of our alma mater. He responded, 'It was like going back to the 1950's – in a good way. So many of my students show up at school with a vast family history of fellow school alumni behind them – parents, aunts, uncles, grandparents, cousins.' He marveled over the unusually deeply interconnected community roots and shared history of students at West Seattle High.

A couple days later I listened to guest speaker Jeffrey Stein, Director of Product and Partnerships for Future First USA, talk about this non-profit that manages an online service called the Alumni Toolkit. Their mission is to help public high schools build vibrant alumni communities, to provide every student with the inspiration, support and resources they need to succeed. This is a free service, dedicated to enabling teachers, counselors and other staff leverage the rich resource of alumni by matching experience and background to opportunities within the classroom and school. Counselors are critical subject matter experts to high school students. Some 70-80% of students parents did not take the college path, and are less able to guide their kids through the obstacle course to obtain college scholarships, and afford and succeed in related studies. The current ratio of counselor to student at our school is something like 480:1, so any extra help with college and career planning is a major support to our current students. Learn more about how you can plug in by visiting, and registering at www.alumnitoolkit.org.

The next day, while sharing this information with my sister during our weekday morning commuting phone call, she recounted how she had entered the study of Occupational Therapy right out of West Seattle High School, largely due to one of the Career Counselors. During a time my sister was moving forward from the untimely loss of our mom, this counselor made time for her, encouraged her in her fledgling career interest, and introduced her to a peer in the field, who became an ongoing professional mentor and advocate as she made her way through the early stages of college and career planning and execution. Today she has been

beautifully positioned to practice her skilled service in that field while raising her family and in time, moving forward into her later years.

To me, this is the essence of our Westside High community and extended family. It is giving back to those coming up behind us to assure they thrive in their career and life choices. For me, my alumni connection is sharing a history of coming of age with my alumni parents (they graduated a year apart, informally engaged on their first date, married within a year), all of their siblings — my aunts and uncles, most of my cousins, my own sister and brother, my daughters who love our shared school, and my Seattle-based nieces. For me, it is partnering on a social service/non-profit project with my mom's best friend from high school who today is my own close neighbor and friend. It is my daughters' discovery that their recent Uber driver graduated with their uncle, and staying in touch with my high school friends' parents throughout their lives, and my Dad and his best friend from high school, whose daughters enjoy a cherished, life-long friendship, who meet up at the all-school reunions.

All of this is business as usual at Westside High. Connection and community- it is our legacy; our past, present and future. We celebrate this by turning back to lend a supporting hand, encouragement, connection and mentorship to those following in our footsteps at our alma mater. In returning to the place of our roots to share and to give back. Our gift and opportunity is to be available within our alumni community; to give back to those following in our footsteps.

Equally important is that your Board and Class Reps have current contact information for you, so we can keep you in the loop on upcoming opportunities and events. To that end, please send any contact updates to the alumni association website at:

http://wshsalumniassociation.org/update-your-record or to Chris King, our VP of Membership at seaking55@aol.com, so we can ensure your Class Reps have most current info. (Class Reps: please always forward contact updates you may receive directly, as well, so our master database is accurate.)

In as separate project, I invite Reunion Planners to share their planning details with me, as I work to create a Reunion Reference Guide where planners can share a collaborative collection of information on venues, caterers, music options, decoration and invitation ideas, etc. Watch for more information on this, and send me your reunion planning details for inclusion at wshsalumni@gmail.com.

In addition to our website at http://wshsalumniassociation.org, check in regularly to our Facebook site at https://www.facebook.com/westseattle-highschoolalumni. See you all in June!

Terese (Anderson) Machmiller, Alumni VP Communications '80 is Greaty





A Photo Worth 100 Years

Our Group Hug Photo



Celebrating the Centennial of the West Seattle High School Building Alumni, Students, Faculty and Staff

Taken at 6:30pm Saturday, June 3, 2017

Donations to the WSHS Alumni Association 2017 (as of 3/4/2018)

Thank you for continuing the legacy. Your generous donations help West Seattle students succeed.

MEMBERS OF THE CENTURY CLUB (Continued)

MEMBERS OF THE MILLENNIUM CLUB

(Contributions of \$1000 or more, * = \$5,000 or more, ** = \$25,000 or more)

Class of 1977

James Abernathy (1948)

Diane Bailey Tice (1954)

Paul Folino (1963)

Doug Guyman (1964)

Sue Richardson Whittenberg (1961)

Lorraine Toly (1964)

George & Marlene (Jackson) Zoffel (1952)

MEMBERS OF THE CENTURY CLUB

(Contributions of \$100 or more, * = \$500 or more)

*Class of 1954

Robert J Appel (1952)

Michael Aiken (1963) Judith L Arvidson (1981)

Leonard A Bahr

Carole Baker Hart (1957) Murl Barker (1955)

Ardell Barnes (1952)

Joan Batson King (1952)

William A Beck (1942)

Kathleen Belanich Childers (1980) Karen Kay Benson (1961)

Raeanne Besser Hansberry (1958)

Charlean Bianchi Soreano (1961)

Jim Biava (1971)

Gene T Bonner (1964) Dan & Pattie (Anderson) Boyle (1965)

Robert E Brett (1944)

Lynn Briggs (1954)

Sharon Brooks Briggs (1957)

IN HONOR OF (as of 3/4/2018)

Bonnie Bryson Sheeran (1962)

Don Campbell (1957)

Bernie Carlsen (1959) James F Carlson (1965)

Janet Caruso

Ronald Champoux (1949)

Kimberley Chavey Olson (1981)

Lance Christiansen (1958)

Jon Christoffersen (1960)

Mark Christopher (1975)

Yvonne Cleverly Hansen (1945)

Russell W Coberly (1948)

Susan Coghill Lindblom (1966) *Tom Collier (1966) & Kenyon Hall

Patrick E Conner (1958) Sharon Cramer Skinner (1961)

Mary Day Bullard (1959)

Alan Delsman (1964)

Paul DeFaccio (1956)

Darrel C Dietz (1966)

Dorothy Dixon Van Leuven (1955) Arduth Dondanville Riggle (1959)

John Dracup (1952)

Jack P Driscoll (1939)

Jo Dunlap Hanson (1956)

Nancy Fallon Spigal (1963) Barbara Ferguson Barlow (1949)

Sharalyn Ferrel (1967) Robert W Finnie (1953)

GIVEN BY

Heinz Gehlhaar

Skip Gingras (1969)

Marge Glover Finnie (1963) Roberta Goodwin Jenes (1958)

William (Bud) Gowen (1957)

Dean Graddon (1957)

Barbara Green Melcher (1956) Gerald C Greenfield (1965)

Donald A Gwilym (1953)

Graham Haight (1968)

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David M Hansen (1961)

Roxanna Harding Waller (1956) Kathleen Harrison Phillips (1972)

L. Jane Hastings Johnson (1945)

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Kirk Hendrickson (1972)

Vicki Hermann Vaux (1965)

John P Herron (1968)

John Hetrick (1962)

Bill Hooper (1946) Lila Hugill Kern (1951)

Richard & Georgia (Baskett)

Hutchison (1948 & 1949)

Perry Jackson Welch (1958)

Bettie Jennings (1949)

Donald M Johnson (1948)

Joanne Jugum (1964)

*David Kelly (1949)

King Kelso (1959)

Greg Kennedy (1966) Kraig Kennedy (1965)

Chris King (1955)

*Joyce Kopp Logan (1960)

Paul R Kurtz (1951)

Margaret Larson Mathisson (1956) Judy Launceford Neumann (1962)

Jerry J Lawrence (1956)

IN MEMORY OF

E Scott Loaners (1968)

Ruth Lorentzen Harris (1956)

Barbara Lutz Koppe (1963) Norma Martin Guenthoer (1963)

Stephen D Martin (1958)

Bettie McCoy Hanning (1945) Marilyn McDonald Moon (1945)

Patricia McIntyre LeMay (1949)

Lvnda Moody Hurst (1959)

Lou Morgan Jr (1951) Lee & Sallie Morris (1956)

Peggy Mortimer McMullen (1963)

Diane Murray Bundrant (1972) Gwen Nesheim Howard (1957)

Patricia Nesheim Kaald (1955)

David E Nichols (1971) Bob G Nuber (1958)

Marlene Nylund White-Miller (1951)

Edward Ogle (1962)

Marcia Olsback Scheckler (1955)

Dennis Olson (1965)

Judy Olson Van Stralen (1966)

Karen O'Malley Prekeges (1984) Al Ossinger (1950)

John H Pierce (1957)

Judith J Platt (Holy Names)

Portia Poot Stacey (1957)

Penny Porter Wade (1964) John Purvis (1955)

Dennis Rasmussen (1959)

Philip Ratcliff (1973)

Madeleine Roberts Hagen (1950)

Philip Robicheau (1954)

James Rocheleau (1957)

Christine Ross Cook (1975)

Shirley Roses Burris (1955) Carolyn Runnings Olsen (1960)

Carole Rutherford Dean (1959)

Thomas F Salstrom (1954)

Eric Sandall (1965) Richard B Sanders (1951)

Michael Savvides (1977)

GIVEN BY

John K Selle (1956)

Robert A Skotheim (1951) Leonard B Smith (1959)

R Gary Smith (1964)

Donna Smoot Lines (1951)

Barbara Solibakke Laird (1950)

*Timothy J Ste Marie (1966)

Sandra Standal Robinson (1952) John & Margaret (Collins) Stewart (1945 & 1946)

Randy Stiles (1967)

William Stout (1964)

Patricia Stunkard Anderson (1961)

Joanne Teets Harrell (1951)

Mel Terrana (1958)

Sharon Teyler Girod (1960)

Terilyn Thies Koretsky (1962)

Raymond "Terry" Thomas (1965) Christopher Thompson (1978)

Sandy Thompson Aldworth (1958)

Drew Thoresen (1962)

Carolyn Toly Mattern (1966) Stuart E Trenholme (1955)

Kathryn Tudor Havnes (1967)

Gerald Vandenberg (1958)

Walter A Vickery (1956) George T Wagner (1960)

Howard W Wahl (1952)

Patricia Warner Williams (1960) Constance Weber Speth (1951)

Carl Weer (1973)

Patricia Wheeler Stensel (1960) Phyllis Wheeler Eagon (1947)

Winifred Whitby Camp (1933) Carolyn Woodgate Rippee (1966)

Bob & Kathy (Johnson) Young (1961)

Ronald Zaputil (1965) Joan Zimmerman Raymond (1958)

Thank you to all the Millennium and Century Club Members for making the WSHSAA Scholarship program a great success. Century and Millennium Club donations must have been received by February 28, 2018 for recognition in the 2018 Alumni Chinook.

Class of 1947	Phyllis Wheeler Eagon (1947)
Class of 1948 "70 Years"	James Abernathy (1948)
Class of 1948	Donald M Johnson (1948)
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Class of 1960	Jon Christoffersen (1960)
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Tom Collier (1966)	Clay Eals
Pat Folino (1965)	Paul Folino (1963)
Lettie Mallinson Davidson (1951)	Robert Skotheim (1951)
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Gloria Thompson McCarty (1950)	Barbara Solibakke Laird (1950)
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CALL FOR ASR VOLUNTEERS

by Jim Biava VP Program

Each year's All School Reunion goes more smoothly than the one before it. One of the major keys to that are the volunteers. Needed are some adult volunteers to go along with the student volunteers. We need you and without you it doesn't work out as well. Please consider helping out, paying it forward is you will, and join us. Those who are Alumni want to visit a bit with friends so the volunteers don't need to be a WSHS Alumni. Friends and/or family members are welcome to help. Please contact Jim Biava at 206-387-2683 with questions or to help us.

A few years ago we tried to have the sign in sheets and collect dues at the door. There were 4 tables at each entrance which were signed in by graduation year. In typical bell curve style the bulk of those attending were waiting for the middle 2 tables. It was a complete disaster and unacceptable. This time around it will be alphabetically by last name. This should make it run more smoothly.

Another way to make it run smoothly is to bring cash or check if you are paying your dues at the door. If you need to pay with plastic then it obviously will slow things down. Doors open at 4:00 with the ending of the Program in the Theater at 7:00.

I hope to see you there on June 2nd!



Reunite with fellow classmates at the WSHS All School Reunion on Saturday, June 2, 2018

Reunions are now held on the first Saturday in June

Really, how often do you get to use the line: "Don't I know you from kindergarten?"

Support the West Seattle High School Alumni Association

The WSHSAA dues help finance the Operating Fund and support the continued growth of the scholarship fund.

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Mail completed form and check payable to WSHSAA: West Seattle High School Alumni Association 4742 42nd Ave. SW #215, Seattle, WA 98116 Century and Millennium Club donations must be received by February 28, 2019 for recognition in the 2019 Alumni Chinook.



2017 / 2018

WSHSAA Scholarships

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

Scholarships awarded at the 2017 All School Reunion

Each January the Scholarship process begins all over again. We update forms to make sure all pertinent information is requested from the applicant. We review current SAT/ACT updates, the State of WA College Bound program parameters, tuition and fee structures, make our reservation at the school to conduct interviews, speak with the senior counselor, speak to the PTSA, etc., etc., all before our first interview in April

We do our best to help, based on merit and financial needs, as many students as possible begin the college phase of their education with Tuition assistance. As in the past, the WSHSAA was presented with another wonderful mix of scholars with well-rounded resumes.

This year, we were able to award 13 new scholarships to students in the Class of 2017 as well as 5 returning students. Our total scholarship awards were \$137,400 for the 2017-2018 school year.

Our 2017 Scholarship winners are:

Michaela Coontz has a 4.0 GPA a SAT score of 1310 and an Alumni history dating back to 1996. Her main educational objective is to attend the University of Washington to strengthen her skills in mathematics. She is very passionate about mathematics and plans to find a job that is centered around the STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) fields. Whatever career she chooses, she hopes to



Michaela Coontz WSHS 2017

have an impact on the world. Michaela as awarded an ongoing Herb Smith Mathematics Scholarship, an ongoing Alf and Ruth Larsen Scholarship and a one-time Linkous Foundation Scholarship.

Christopher Picinich has a 3.98 GPA and an SAT score of 1240 and an Alumni history dating back to 1940. Chris' immediate plans are to attend the University of Washington, maintain a GPA of 3.9 and enter the School of Engineering. He plans to earn a BA in Computer Software Engineering. He then plans to work at one of the local tech companies for a couple of years before entering the UW School of Business to obtain an MBA. Chris' ultimate goal is to have a steady and stable income in order to support a family and contribute to the community by helping those in



Christopher Picinich WSHS 2017

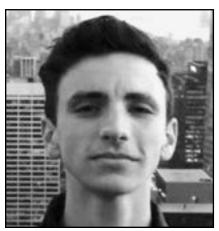
need. Chris was awarded an ongoing West Seattle High School Alumni Association Scholarship to be used toward his freshman year tuition at the University of Washington. This scholarship has the opportunity to be ongoing if he maintains a 3.0 GPA and his financial aid status remains loan only.



Madison Brodahl WSHS 2017

Madison Brodahl has a 3.98 GPA and an SAT score of 1200. Madison plans to attend the Western Washington University and pursue a degree in Biology taking a premed route to eventually become a pediatrician serving lower income people in Washington. Madison has spent a good deal of time volunteering at her great aunt's medical clinic which helps the less fortunate. Madison hopes, in the future, to follow in her great aunt's footsteps, make a positive difference in the community while helping lower income families live their best life. Madison has been awarded an ongoing Patricia Feldman Noyes Women in Science Scholarship to be used toward tuition for her freshman year. This scholarship has the opportunity to be ongoing if she maintains a 3.0 GPA, her course study meets the criteria of the scholarship and her financial aid status remains loan only.

Logan Schiller has a 3.883 GPA and an ACT Score of 27. Logan will be attending Cal-Poly University in San Luis Obispo and plans to pursue a degree in Business Administration and hopefully go to Law school postgraduation. In student government Logan was elected Public Relations Correspondent. In this position he implemented an outreach program with local restaurants to help feed the homeless. To achieve this, he offered free advertising throughout the school in exchange for a portion of their profits being donated to food banks. He became a youth defense



Logan Schiller WSHS 2017

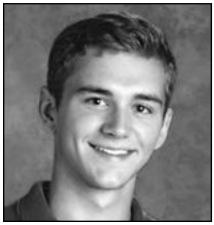
attorney at Seattle Municipal Youth Court. This experience provided young students the opportunity to deal with consequences in a court like setting where they were able to learn the dangers of misdeeds and the importance of safety. Logan was awarded a one-time West Seattle High School Alumni Association Scholarship to be used toward tuition for his freshman year at Cal-Poly University.



Kate Veenhuizen WSHS 2017

Kate Veenhuizen has a 3.88 GPA, a 1310 SAT score and an Alumni history dating back to 1930's. Kate has been a part of the National Honor Society for three years and Honor Roll for four years. Kate feels her volunteering experiences have been invaluable and through them she has learned to be a better leader. student and friend. Kate has been offered early admittance into the nursing program at Seattle Pacific University where she plans to pursue a Bachelor of Science in Nursing. Kate has been awarded a one-time West Seattle High School Alumni Association Scholarship to be used toward tuition for her freshman year at Seattle Pacific University.

Alyx Hastings has a 3.8 GPA and a SAT score of 1300. Alyx is an ASB member, a Link Crew leader and a National Honors Society member. Throughout his high school career the majority of his community service has been at the Evergreen Aquatic Center in White Center. For many years he swam with the swim team at the Aquatic Center and noticed serious maintenance problems. When his swim team dissolved the Aquatic Center was left without a team to financially support it and was faced with closing by King County. Alex helped to organize a volunteer campaign to clean up the pool. Through his father's non-profit company and the hard work of the



Alyx Hastings WSHS 2017

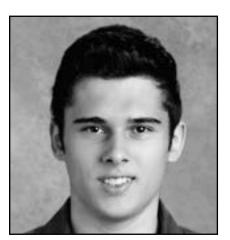
volunteers they were able to clean up the rust on the lockers, paint the graffiti covered walls, clean and paint the grimy showers and install a new filter for the pool. In the seven years they've worked at the pool, over 11,000 children have learned to swim. Knowing he played a part in making that happen has proven to be very rewarding. Alyx plans to attend the University of Washington and pursue a degree in Business. Post-graduation he would like to be involved with film making. Alyx was awarded a one-time Class of 1966 Scholarship and a one-time Jim Finnie Scholarship to be used toward tuition for his freshman year at the University of Washington.



Connor Elder WSHS 2017

Connor Elder has a 3.81 GPA, an ACT score of 29 and an Alumni history dating back to 1946. Connor is an Eagle Scout. He has received numerous awards; the High School Academic Excellence award every semester in high school, Music **Teachers National Association** Music Study award for 10 years piano study, received high school varsity letters for Soccer 2014-2017 and golf 2015-2017 just to mention a few. Connor plans to attend and graduate from Brigham Young University and possibly graduate school as well. He is undecided about his college major. He likes math and literature, critical thinking and problem solving, so possible areas of interest include engineering. law and business. After Connor graduates from college, he plans to use his knowledge and skills to not only have a career, but to help my family and to serve others in my church and the community. Connor was awarded a one-time Clarence & Margaret Duke-Rader Scholarship to be used toward his freshman year tuition at Brigham Young University.

WSHSAA Scholarships Continued



Gian Savvides WSHS 2017

Gian Savvides has a 3.78 GPA, a SAT score of 1330, is a member of the National Honor Society and has an Alumni history dating back to 1973. Over the past 4 years Gian developed a strong passion for science and technology and plans to pursue a degree in Mechanical/ Engineering. While volunteering Gian found working at the Food Bank to be the most fulfilling because he was able to interact with and assist those in need. Gian was awarded a onetime only West Seattle High School Alumni Association Scholarship to be used toward his freshman year tuition at the University of Washington.



Jason Jonson WSHS 2017

Jason Jonson has a 3.77 GPA, a SAT of 1180 and an Alumni history dating back to 1932. Jason plans to major in Biology. While in college he plans to explore marine biology, molecular Biology and environmental science. Jason has always loved the life sciences and our environment. In the future he hopes to help find a way to end cancer and help protect our planet. Jason was awarded a one-time only WSHSAA Scholarship to be used toward his freshman year at Central Washington University.



Brynn Snodgrass WSHS 2017

Brynn Snodgrass has a 3.7 GPA and a SAT score of 1180. Unfortunately, Brynn was not able to join us today because she is in New York with the WSHS Jazz Band. While in school she has volunteered at the Hi-

awatha Community Center. She has helped the boy's swim team throughout her entire high school career. She has been a Link Crew leader, on the swim team, plays softball and has been in the marching, concert and jazz bands. The thing she likes the most about working with my community is being able to work with diverse groups of people who love and appreciate "connectedness". Brynn hopes to establish herself and explore her passions. Brynn plans to attend the Washington State University and pursue a degree in Liberal Arts. She has been awarded a one-time Clarence and Margaret Duke-Rader Music Scholarship to be used toward her freshman year tuition.



Suscha Walker WSHS 2017

Suscha Walker has a 3.64 GPA, a 1390 SAT score and an Alumni history dating back to 1955. Suscha was recently offered admission to Western Washington University as a Distinguished Scholar. As a scholar she has been invited to apply for a special program for students interested in computer science. Suscha plans to pursue a double major in political science & computer science. Suscha hopes to use her degrees to work on political campaigns, focusing on the data driven sides of a campaign, such as polls. Suscha was awarded a one-time only Patricia Feldman Noyes Women in Science Scholarship to be used toward her freshman year at the University of Washington.



Riley Fredricks WSHS 2017

Riley Fredricks has a 3.57 GPA, a SAT score of 1090 and an Alumni history dating back to 1962. Riley plans to major in psychology and minor in Sociology with the goal to become a pediatric psychologist. She wants to work at Children's Hospital and treat patients with chronic pain conditions. Riley is a member of the National Honors Society; Secretary of the student government, a member of the cheerleading team for four years-team captain for two years and a 2010

junior court representative of the Hi-Yu. Through the involvement of these and many more activities Riley has learned the importance of giving back to the community. Riley was awarded a one-time only West Seattle High School Alumni Association Scholarship to be used toward her freshman year at Western Washington University.



Quinn Gerberding WSHS 2017

Quinn Gerberding has a 3.5 GPA and a SAT score of 1190. He plans to major in Business Administration with an emphasis in sports marketing. Quinn has participated in DECA I, II & III (Distributive Education Clubs of America-Marketing) as well as Washington Business Week and Advanced Washington Business Week. He has been very successful in his Business Week competitions, highlights of which include three honors won two years in a row: 1st place overall, best in presentation and best marketing plan. Quinn writes, while volunteering as an assistant coach at Explorer West Middle School, "While teaching them how to be good sports, I taught myself to be a good sport as well." Additionally, he wrote; "I used to be impatient and expected to win and succeed right away. Every good thing takes time and whether it is in life or in basketball, you have to build upon your foundation. Success is a process." Quinn was awarded a onetime only West Seattle High School Alumni Association Scholarship to be used toward his freshman year at the University of Oregon.

We have 5 returning scholars this year.



Spencer Weglin

Spencer Weglin is a junior industrial design major at the University of Washington and has one year remaining before he graduates. He has excelled

in his design classes and made the Dean's list for the last 3 consecutive quarters. Both Professors and graduate students have sought him out for independent projects, which utilize his design and building skills. One project includes a front lobby update for a non-profit service center in Pioneer Square. Spencer is currently applying for summer internships in the Seattle area and will be operating his landscaping & carpentry businesses until school resumes in the fall. Spencer qualified to continue to receive his ongoing Ross and Viola Galbreath Scholarship for his senior year.



Annalisa Ursino

Annalisa Ursino
has been
admitted into
the Chemical
Engineering
department at
the University
of Washington
and has officially
started ChemE

classes. She is working on research with a lab on campus, exploring the properties of a new compound (Bismuth Sulfide Iodide) and its potential applications toward thin film solar cells. She is a member of Engineers without Borders which is a student club on campus currently working on building a community gathering place in Guatemala and expanding a water system in Nicaragua. Lastly, she enjoys playing intramural softball every week, working the occasional shift at Chico's and being and active member at church. Annalisa has qualified to receive her ongoing Ross & Viola Galbreath Scholarship for her junior year.



August Carow

August Carow is studying Informatics at the University of Washington. This year she received the Dean's List award for the autumn, winter

and spring quarters and discovered a passion for promoting diversity within the technology industry. When she's not studying August enjoys rock climbing, cooking and playing board games. In addition to school this year, August worked as a part time intern for the City of Seattle's Digital Engagement team. This summer August is excited to start working full time at Microsoft as a software development intern. August qualified for her ongoing Ross & Viola Galbreath Scholarship for her junior year.



Ned Sander

Ned Sander has had a good year at the University of Washington pursuing a degree in Informatics. Additionally, he has taken classes ranging

from Mechanics to Information Ethics and Macroeconomics. His grades have placed him on the Dean's list for the past three quarters and he has no intention to leave the Dean's list any time soon. Throughout the year he has worked on several projects. Autumn quarter Ned campaigned against rising textbook costs, winter quarter he rediscovered his love of the Caribbean steel drum. Finally, spring quarter saw his year-ling work toward establishing an on-campus tool library fulfilled. The tool library now lends dozens of different tools to the campus community, free of charge. Ned looks forward to the coming year and trusts, with the continued assistance of the Alumni; it will be more fruitful than ever. Ned qualified for his ongoing Ross & Viola Galbreath Scholarship for his junior

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WSHSAA Scholarships

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Donovan Irving

Donovan Irving has decided

after much consideration and debate to change his major from computer science to Aquatic and Fishery Sciences, It's always been a dream of his to live and work in the wilderness. Donovan's ultimate goal is to do conservation work in Alaska helping to protect our natural world for future generations to enjoy. Even though his path has changed his purpose is still to aid the "improvement of the human condition". Donovan will continue to attend the Uni-

versity of Washington and qualifies to receive his ongoing WSHSAA Scholarship

The WSHS Alumni Association would like to extend our Congratulations to the Class of 2017 as well as our returning scholars.

Also, the Alumni Association would like to acknowledge and thank all of the 23,500 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. No renewable scholarship extends beyond four (4) years. 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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Join or renew today

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SEATTLE SCHOOL DISTRICT INITIATES ATHLETE HALL OF FAME

The Seattle Public School District (SPD) has created their own Hall of Fame for student athletes, coaches and "staff and/or supporters".

To be eligible as an individual student athlete, the following are required:

- 1. At least 10 years have passed since the candidate's year of graduation.
- 2. Candidate lettered in at least 1 sport twice or 2 sports at least once during their high school career.
- 3. Candidate exemplified sportsmanship, leadership, citizenship and teamwork as a high school athlete.
- 4. Candidate was selected as an All-City, All-State performer, State Champion, All-American National Champion OR has made a significant athletic contribution to high school, college or professional athletic competition.

To be eligible as a Team, no more than 1 team of athletes is eligible for nomination if the team, in one particular season and sport:

- 1. Won a State Championship, National Championship or made a significant contribution at any level of athletic competition.
- 2. At least 5 years have passed since such season.
- 3. Team achieved significant accomplishments raising the bar or set a standard for future teams to follow
- 4. The team left a "notable legacy" on SPD Athletics.

To be eligible as a Coach (or staff/supporter), no more that one individual coach, staff member or supporter of SPD is eligible IF:

- 1. More than 5 years have passed since candidate's service to SPD Athletics.
- 2. Candidate made significant contribution to SPD Athletics through their leadership, inspiration and support.
- 3. Candidate's accomplishments raised or set a standard for future coaches, teams, administrators and supporters of SPD Athletics.

Currently, the only inductee from West Seattle High School is Jim Whittaker.

CHALLENGE: In WSHS's 100+ year history, there must be a number of students, teams and coaches that meet this criteria. Let's get busy and find some candidates to nominate!

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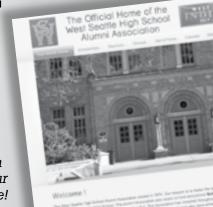
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Debbie Anderson

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Veronica G Lambert

Kevin C Kelstrom

Sarah La Tour

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2009

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Hailey Young

All classes ending in "4" and "9" are heading for reunion time. Make it easy on your reunion committee by keeping your contact information up to date.



CLASS ARTICLES

<u>WSHS 1948</u>

By Class Rep Jim Abernethy

70 Years for the Class of 1948

On a cool January night as I got out of my car I noticed a crescent moon through a rare break in the clouds. I entered into one of the few unlocked doors to the building and while walking down the long silent hallway I thought to myself, 70 years ago I wasn't an altogether enthusiastic senior here - what am I still doing wandering these deserted hallways? Well, of course it's the Monday night Alumni board meeting where the class reps get caught up-todate and pass on information regarding class activities.

For some reason we tend to get together as families on holidays, send Christmas cards, and keep up with groups and friends. With a large group like our class someone has to try to keep track of all the changes over the years. That has been my privilege for the past ten years. As I live near West Seattle High School and can still drive at night I will continue to represent our

As I think back to my senior year struggling with Avogadro's Law and translating De Todo un Poco into English and wishing I was out fishing somewhere, there were many activities going on throughout the school. Paula Von Grossman Scholter had some interesting observations to share:

"70 years, now that is a long road! A few highlights of the class of 1948 senior year thanks to the Kimtah and my fading memory.

Stan Kenton's visit to our school assembly. He was a very popular national Band Leader the day. I, of course, stepped on his foot as I introduced him, while Mike Emery and Donn Smithe had the pleasure of escorting him to his hotel after his appearance. Our Senior Assembly for the Junior class went down in infamy! I think all the performers will remember "talks" with Mr. Fulton our Principal.



Classmates Gene Bartol, Bill Richards, Jim Abernathy and Pat Raper Youngman at the 2017 ASR







Dorothy Carper & Paula von Grossman



Marcia McCready



Loren Sackrider



John Rothe, Charmaine Sheffer & Bob



Marcia Reichmann & Bob



Players from the 1948 Senior Play "Our Town". Photos from the 1948 Kimtah.

The Senior Play 'Our Town' ran for two nights with two sets of players. What great fun not only for the players but parents, teachers, and classmates. The Annual PowWow performance had a theme of the American Indian. That night we were all Indians tried and true on and off the stage.

Friendships have lasted 70 years and for some of us much longer - Junior High and Grade school. Our friendships are as vivid as the day we met. (ALMOST!)"

The letter and card we sent out in January had close to a 60% return. Only 10 cards indicated that a spouse or parent had passed away. Several cards from classmates unable to attend a reunion came with short notes and it was good to hear from Jaris Hardin Lance, Russ (Wally) Coberly, Lorna Hudson Boyd, Sharmaine Sheffer Carlson, Janice Dexter Ochoa, Cora Lea Doty, and Bob

Surprisingly a few folks didn't figure out what was meant by school number and put 1948 as their identification. For those mystery guests that indicated a desire to attend the reunion luncheon, it will be held on July 14 from 12:00 noon until 2:30 pm or so in the gym at Our Lady Of Guadalupe Church, located 7000 35th Ave SW, Seattle. The cost will be \$25.00 cash or check at the door.

As for those of you who are looking forward to the 80th reunion for the class 1948, I hope the two of you have a good time! -Jim

By Class Rep David Hill



Left to Right: Bob Finnie, Marilyn Sanders Burke, Jack McGee, Joann Larson McGee, Gary Giacomini, Peggy Olson, Phyillis Silver Kautzman, Rheta Whitman Rutherford, Dave Hill

The members of the class of 1953 seem to be doing well and hanging in there. We are planning our 65 reunion this June 2nd for a lunch at Salty's at Alki. From there, we will be able to go in the late afternoon to the all school reunion. Our last reunion was an 80th birthday party and we had over 80 people attend the lunch, so we hope to do as well or better this time.

Checking with some of the classmates we found many are still very active and travelling. Joanne & Jack McGee head north to the outside of Vancouver Island and then south to Arizona for a warmer winter. Rheta & Bob Rutherford are spending most of their time in Sedro Woolley, while grandchildren and friends at the UW live in the Seattle house. Marlene Woods Hansen and her husband Robert had a nice trip to Florida to visit family. Jack Block still makes his yearly fishing trips to Alaska. Dave Weatherford sold his house in Madison Park and had moved to a small place near the Arboretum. Marilyn Sanders Burke enjoyed her 60th college reunion last April as WSU. Joan Johnson Barker and her husband still live in the condo in Des Moines, but are thinking about getting on a retirement home list. Guy Farmer continues to write his Sunday political column for the Carson City, Nevada newspaper. Doug & Joni Pasco are enjoying their trips to Britain every year and cross-country skiing in the Methow. Dave & Millie Davies live in Waterloo, Ontario, but make trips to California to visit grown children. Janet Sue Mitchell Collins and her husband Fred continue to live in Bellevue. This is just a small snapshot of a few class members.

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WSHS 1961

By Class Rep Gerald Smith

The were no major events for our class in 2017 except the 100th anniversary of the West Seattle High School building.

We have received news of the passing of classmates Jean Austin Porter, Ann Pikre Wallace, Lynda Johnson and Steve Stafford. There are probably others of whom we have not received notice. It is a time in life for more funerals than weddings, but there is great joy with grandchildren and great grandchildren. Our class advisor, language arts teacher E.F Norwood, and biology teacher Paul Kurose have passed away.

Bev Lewis and Gerald Smith are our class representatives. Gail Evans, (Gail.D.Evans@hotmail. com), continues to publish a large annual newsletter for our class. Please contact her and send her a check to support her in this effort to keep-up with news about our classmates.

WSHS 1963

By Class Reps John Norden & **Jane Elmer Hollingsworth**

The news that we heard about in

Pam Stinson Sandberg is working for Seattle Public Schools at Arbor Heights Elementary in West Seattle and enjoys staying busy. Julia Selvidge Heldman planned to attend the All School Reunion last year, but was rushed to the hospital to have her Gallbladder removed. Joe and Ann Nye, along with LaVonne Justice Gould and Husband Phil, have been married for 50 years.

Susan Green Duffy and her husband exchanged houses for a chance to stay in the London area and explore for a year. Brother David Green, class of '66, came by for a visit. See photo:



Susan Green Duffy and her brother David Green

We miss the classmates that have passed away. Please see the deceased list toward the back of the Chinook.

Stay well and happy.

John and Jane

Class of '63 Reps John Norden john.norden@yahoo.com, 206 799-2956

and Jane Elmer Hollingsworth jelmer63@comcast.net, 206 938-4439

WSHS 1980

By Diane (Begunoff) Venti



West Seattle High School Class of 1980's 2017 Group Shot at the ASR

always thrilled when alums stop by to meet up at my gallery.

We have a WSHS Class of 1980 Facebook page where we keep in touch and seeing one another is getting easier now that most of our children are grown.

Let's make it another great turnout for this year's All School Reunion and keep a good thing going! Diane (Begunoff) Venti

WSHS 1958

By Class Reps Jim Allgire & Audrey Lowdon Tharp

"Looking Forward and Looking Back" **CLASS OF 1958 - 60th year**

"IT WON'T BE THE SAME WITHOUT U!!

We are now approaching 80 years in our journey of life. We all are dealing with one or more health issues: high blood pressure, knee & hip replacement, cataracts, arthritis etc. Being aware of all this is all the more reason to attend our 60th reunion which will be our last event. Let's focus on our friendships, fun and fellowship.

GOLF TOURNAMENT

the classroom photo.

last year since the ASR, class

of '80 friends met up to support

Constantine's re-election, Laura

each other with interests like: Dow

(Jagadics) Crooks family's non-prof-

it, the musical performances around

town of Shel Van Taylor (Hamper)

and Jon Sleight, and of course I am

See you Friday, August 10, 2018 at 7:00AM for our 21st annual tournament at Auburn Golf Course. Call Sandy Aldworth @ 425 837 1233 or Jim Allgire@

Golfers in August, 2017 tournament at Auburn Golf Course were: Bob Nuber, Gary Tisdale, Frank Peacock, Bill & Joyce Kirlin, George Carter, Jim Allgire, Ed Amick, Stan Kriegel, Jim White, Peter Lyle Thompson, Stan Davis, Jerry Vandenberg, Dave Barnes, Tim Joslin, Vic & Ann Hardwick Kaufman, Larry Spry. First place winners were Grady Irvin, Gerry Okada, Mel Terrana & Lance Christiansen. Golf cart gals were Sandy Thompson and Audrey Tharp.

Many of us attended Mike Claboe's memorial service at his home in Hillsboro OR in May of 2017. Over the years, Mike's generosity and involvement have been an inspiration of support to the golf tournament and class reunions.

REUNION DINNER

It will be held on Saturday, August 11, 2018 at Rainier Golf & Country Club beginning at 3:00 with dinner at 5:00PM. Information was mailed out in April. Your class of 1958 reunion committee will have met close to thirty times to make sure this will be a memory we all will cherish.

We want to especially recognize Gary Norman for his contributions of leadership and computer skills in these thirty plus meetings to make all this happen!

MONTHLY CLASS OF 58 BREAKFAST

It's always a treat to locate a classmate after 50 years and it's a bonus if you can get together. Speaking of that, Gary Tisdale has set up a breakfast gathering at Endolyne Joe's restaurant (9261 45th SW & Brace Point-three blocks from the Fauntleroy ferry dock). It's held on the first Tuesday of each month. Come and enjoy visiting with your classmates.

DECEASED

FYI: Total class size was 647 and total deceased is now 186.

The following information has been received regarding deceased classmates: William Lee White in 2005; Jean Kingma McVay 2016 (not Jane as listed in last year's Chinook-sorry, my error); and Cathleen Collyer Willis in 2016; Mike Claboe; Dale Troudt; Nancy Kelly Marshall; George Nokes; Delbert (Del) Kelly Jr; Donna Williams Ressler, Robert W. Miller, Claudia Cleaveland Sweeney and Robert Baldridge in 2017.

It's been a pleasure to provide our class of 1958 with these West Seattle High school reunions. As a committee we thank you for your support and interest. We are forever Firm & Loyal Too!

Sandy, Jim, Linda, John, Dave, Dolores, Gary N., Audrey & Garry T. Any questions – call Audrey Tharp @ 253-931-1136 or sharptharp@comcast.net

WSHS 1951

By Class Rep Joanne Teets Harrell

We had excellent turnout at our 66th reunion luncheon last June. 33 classmates and 7 guests attended. Jim Monahan did another great job for us including providing a delicious decorated cake.

We are planning our 67th reunion luncheon at the Sizzler Restaurant at 16615 Southcenter parkway in Tukwila. Jim and Dick Burnham reserved a private room for Thursday, June 14th from 11 am to

I was unable to attend last year's all school reunion. I understand there were only a few classmates on our assigned room. This year's all school reunion is scheduled for Saturday, June 2. Check the Chinook for the schedule and times.

We are still having our ladies luncheons 5 times a year. We meet in the patio room at the Claim Jumper in Tukwila the 2nd Tuesday in January, April, July, October and December, and everyone is welcome. For more information please contact

In the past year we said goodbye to the following classmates: Joan Grimes Minaglia, Charles Toepke, Betty Rovig Best, Barbara Champneys Smith and Lenora Anderson Bone.

Hope to see you at our 67th reunion luncheon. Take care.

Joanne Teets Harrell Jhar838@aol. com 253-838-1792

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Join or renew today complete the membership form on page 7.

By Class Reps Ted Foss & Chris King

Hello classmates: It is always so nice to see many friends and classmates and the All School Reunion at the high school. It seems that some of the 1955 graduates are usually at each ASR and maybe there should be a special award to the one(s) who have come each year to visit with those in the class who have come from a long distance to be part of the reunion.

In the room assigned to the class of 1955, there were 13 graduates. They are: (rear to front, seated) Myra Bowen Skubitz, Genie Kent Phelan, Claudia Sykes Irvine, Sandra Krutioff Carlson, Virginia Hanson Morgan (rear to front standing) Chris King, Bill Shaw, Cliff Harsant, Pat Cole Dow, Russ Dow. Lila Jamison Lewis and Donna Guyman Cass were present but not in the photo.

Most of us have now passed the 80 years of age mark and are looking forward to the next major year!! Some of us do not drive at night; we use a walker or a wheel chair and even use a cane.

The following classmates have passed away since January 2017:

Carolyn Flint Nay, September 12; Phyllis Gleason Anderson, December 10; Richard Hile, May 4; Carol Westergren Ingberg, March 9; Carol Lehwalder, January 16; Roland Mason, August 25; Shirley Sherman Range, April 19.

The following names were given to us by family or friends: Bob Clymer, December 2015; David H Porter, June 30, 2016; Audrey Williams, December 20, 2015.



1955 Class Photo: (rear to front, seated) Myra Bowen Skubitz, Genie Kent Phelan, Claudia Sykes Irvine, Sandra Krutioff Carlson, Virginia Hanson Morgan (rear to front standing) Chris King, Bill Shaw, Cliff Harsant, Pat Cole Dow, Russ Dow. Lila Jamison Lewis and Donna Guyman Cass were present but not in the photo. Photo by Ted Foss

If anyone knows of any classmate who has passed away and is not in the class deceased list, please send the information to Chris King: seaking55@aol.com.

Let us hope that we stay healthy and continue to enjoy our "golden years".

Ted Foss & Chris King, Class Representatives

WSHS 1969

By Class Rep Linda Benjamin Wells

Class of 1969 Planning for the 50th Reunion

What a turnout we had last year for our mini-reunion! I would like to say that it was due to the fact that our class is soon to celebrate our 50th reunion, but I think it had more to do with the Group Hug Picture, in honor of the 100th anniversary of the school building, that was taken at the end of the All School Reunion.

Were you able to find yourself in the picture that the Westside Seattle (formerly the West Seattle Herald) printed on the front page of their June 9th edition? I was late arriving outside and found a place just outside the entrance doors. I stood to the left of my cousin, Bonnie Rochester Beerman, '46 class rep, who happened to be wearing a white sweater.

When I arrived at our assigned room, I found a roomful of classmates: Esther Eagle, Cal Gagner, Maurine Schnorf McKenzie, Arlene Strong Powe, Fletcher Barnes, Skip Gingras, Stuart Thompson, Dan Magee, Bill Strom, Bill Ayer, Sandy Woody Dubuque, Jody Bartee Albert, Yvonne Missler, Michael Auchter, Cathy Briglio Allen, Charlene Haba, Mike Wilson, Phil and Darlene Nelson Talmadge, Dennis McDonnell, David Wills, Robin Yeigh Hayes, Steve Olsen, Gunilla Klotz Perkins, Peggy Holdaas Patterson, Linda Cupp Latawiec, Rick Wells, Tom Fowler, Terri Rehm Ingram, Dave and Vicky Burt Smith. I heard later from Ron Dahl that Dave Wills passed away in October 2017.

The 2019 All School Reunion will be held on June 2nd. Our reunion committee will be sending out more information about the 50th as we get closer to 2019.

Look forward to hearing from you. Keep in touch...

Linda Benjamin Wells, Class Rep

WSHS 1943

By Class Rep Jeannie Douglas

You can probably tell by our age that we are not very active as a class these days. Our Lunch Bunch had to disband since hardly anyone drives nowadays. Luckily we still have some contacts left. Bev Winge and I both live at The Kenney, so we do see each other now and then. I still am in touch with Lois French Hall, who still lives in her home in Palo Alto. Sad to report the George Bayless passed away recently. He was always so helpful with our reunions. Our sympathies to Ann.

Margaret Hunter Schmitz recently moved to Brookdale Admiral Heights, across from the old Admiral Theater. Bill and Annabelle Cable have moved to Mt. St. Vincent. Annabelle had a fall, but is recovering well.

Elizabeth Nunn Eknes reporting in: No more ocean cruises, no more European Riverboat cruises, no more foreign travel. BUT I'm in pretty good health and enjoy a comfortable, cozy retirement in an independent-living senior housing apartment in Issaquah. My attentive children are nearby.

In February I had lunch and a GREAT visit with Bev Anderson Winge & Jeannie Ossinger Douglas at the Kenney. Bev and I have known each other since we were four years old, and have kept in touch all this time! (You do the math). Is that some kind of record? The three of us started Kindergarten at Lafayette.

Chris King keeps me up to date with our class list; so if you need to know about one of our own, just let me know.

All for now!

Jeannie Douglas

WSHS 1971

By Class Reps Jim Biava & Karen Dobbs

Hello Class of 1971! Are you ready to start making plans for our 50th Reunion?!!?? Although it is about 3 years away we are starting to make some plans and find a venue. The only challenge we have at this time is trying to find 3 people to help with the planning to be able to have a very memorable time for all who attend. This is a perfect lead in to the next point of news.

Realizing after our 40th at Salty's the cost per person was preventing ALL of our class to attend. This time around EVERYONE from the WSHS Class of 1971 (and Plus +1s) may show up to enjoy what will be a remarkable time. In order to do this we have set up a GoFundMe account, which by the deadline time for submission of this article is still in the works. This should be a perfect way to raise the funds necessary.

Our goal is to raise a minimum of \$10,000. The venue has not been set at this time so we are figuring about half of it for our 50th Celebration. Each year the class celebrating their 50th leave a legacy to the school of a donation to the scholarship fund or the operating fund which keeps your Alumni Association....operating. Whether you can contribute \$10 or \$10,000 to our cause will be greatly appreciated by ALL of us attending.

Finally, there are those who would like to keep in touch with classmates besides just once every decade. Learning from our elders, there are classes which have quarterly informal gatherings at a quaint establishment akin to

the Chelan Café. I was invited to attend one a couple of years ago for a gathering of the Class of 1943. They were about 15-20 people who were about 90 years old. They have been having these casual gatherings for years.

That is the catalyst for the maiden voyage of The Spirit of '71 lunch, which will be held at said Chelan Café in West Seattle on Friday, Sept 14th at noon. At that first meeting we can decide where to meet the next time and if we will be rotating venues to include some nearby surrounding areas. If you like the idea and want to be included just show up or better yet contact Karen Dobbs at 206-390-0185 or Jim Biava at 206-387-2683. The more the merrier!



Dan Dean and Mitch Shlosser take a break at the Tom Collier concert in October. Dan plays bass for the band.



By Class Rep Megan Shappard

Timera Coates Worthen and her husband Dave are celebrating their 31st Anniversary this year! Jacqueline Grad and her husband Kaz live in Desert Hot Springs, CA (near Palm Springs in the hills). She works in architectural design and build with an emphasis on Class Reunion last year mid-century residential



Here's a picture from our 40th

architecture and urban infill projects. She still loves horses and owns two of the Nez Perce breed..... Cindy Dawson Waytula and her husband are serious world travelers who have set foot on every continent (including Antarctica!)....Barb Senter is newly engaged and living in Covington....Dari Lewis and her husband own a bilingual (Mandarin/English) massage school and work with Chinese immigrants seeking a better life here. She says, "Many of our students are from remote towns and villages and have worked their way to larger and larger cities in



Barry Christopher and Deanna Tetrick

China before coming to America. It's been a fascinating window into their culture."

Locally, I recently had a great two hour visit with Garry Barker when he helped me with installation of a new gas cooktop. I occasionally run into Anna Todd McCormack at the new Kaiser Facility in Burien and David Vigil at our favorite local meat market (literally...not a bar, LOL)

In July I had the privilege of being Reverend Megan, joining Barry Christopher and Deanna Tetrick in holy matrimony. Here they are, in their post-ceremony glow. In December the two moved to Sun City, AZ

I'm giving up my job as reunion planner, so it will be up to a motley crew of you to step up to the plate and put together a groovy 50th in 2026. It will be here before you know it!

Please join us on the class Facebook page (West Seattle High School Class of 1976). Just answer a couple of questions (that help prevent spammers), and I'll approve you for membership. We have a great time reminiscing, and more and more I find myself posting songs that remind me of you guys. As Riff Raff sings in "Rocky Horror," it's a bit of a time trip.

Megan Sheppard msheppard.social@gmail.com.

WSHS 1968

By Class Rep John Herron and Barbara-Simmons McClain

Greeting to the class of 1968. Can you believe it, this year will mark 50 years since we graduated from West Seattle High School. Isn't there a place in your memory that remembers it as if it were yesterday. More information on that in a moment.

Speaking of yesterday(s), our class had a nice turnout for the 100th year celebration at West Seattle High School. As with other All School Reunions we met in our assigned classroom and caught up with one another and then began brainstorming about the 50th reunion. Thanks to Sandi Masterman for coordinating the name tags and sign-in-sheet. And thanks to the Alumni Association for their coordination efforts that made it a memorable gathering. The group picture, shot from a large lift positioned outside the school's main entrance, is a sight to see and the great band that played a medley of tunes got everyone's toes a tapping. Afterward many alumni headed off to Whiskey West to dine and listen to the Nitemates (think 1968 grad Paul Gross O'Brien's brothers); another opportunity to catch up with other alumni who graduated ahead or behind.

Staying with the theme of catching up, it is here, our 50th reunion! For those of you that have not heard we chose Friday June 2, 2018 as the date. This also is the date for the WSHS All School Reunion. We did this so that folks coming in from out of town would have the opportunity to attend both events. Remember, since it's our 50th we gather in the large area - on the main floor - at the main entrance. For our class celebration the committee chose the Brockey Center at South Seattle College. (Address is 6000th Ave. S.W. Seattle, WA 98106. Social hour is scheduled at 5:30PM – 7:00PM. Dinner at 7:00PM) This is the same location where we held our 40th reunion. We decided to return here for a couple of reasons. First, at the 40th we had a good turnout and a great time. Second - and the best reason - we felt we got the best bang for our dollar there. This venue allows you to bring your own adult beverage; the Brockey Center provides glasses and mixers.

We are excited and looking forward to this event. We are hoping that everyone will take the opportunity to gather together and celebrate this 'life milestone'. One never knows what lies ahead but we certainly have a lot we can share with one another about the past 50 years!

If you have not received a notice and wish to attend please contact John Herron at johnshelleyherron@gmail.com or by phone (206) 735-8426. If you know of a classmate that has not heard about the reunion please pass the information on to them.

WSHS 1942



Classmates from the WSHS Class of 1942 at the All School Reunion on June 3, 2017.

0 for 67

By Danny Lilliness

Last June the West Seattle Class of 1967 got together to celebrate. It was fifty years earlier that we had all been together. We met at the Cove in Normandy Park. The weather and the location complimented our warm gathering and friendly spirit. The music from our high school years came to us via Bluetooth. It was loud enough to enjoy and still allow us to hear one another. We even cranked it up a bit and some of us enjoyed some floor time boogie(ing).

We began our time together at 5:30 visiting with, staring at, and enjoying one another until 10:30 or so. In between, dinner was served and an item was raffled. A group photo was done by a professional photographer. The photo is available for free on our West Seattle High School Class of 1967 website. (www.westseatle67.com). Leave comments. Ask questions. Participate.



Welcome banner

The reunion committee worked together for almost a year to put it all together. We sincerely hope all who attended had a great time. We are hoping to have an impromptu gathering (probably a picnic) sometime this summer. Keep your eye on the website for all the details. We also have a Facebook page; West Seattle High School Class of 1967. Come to the picnic. It'll be fun.

Don't forget about the All School Reunion on the first Saturday of June at the high school.



The Class of 1967 celebrates their 50th at The Cove at Normandy Park



Doug Chamberlain with our Memory board



Reunion committee: Doug Chamberlain, Randy Stiles, Danny Stevenson, Bruce Lidstrom, Danny Lilleness, Margo Scott, Helen Verbon, Paula Stumpf, Gayle West and



The Class of 1967 gathers at the 2017 All School Reunion



Gayle West, Dave Freelund, Lynn Johansen Tarabochia and Russell Rumberger



Randy Stiles and Jodeen Boessel



Brenda Cloutier and Gayle West



Danny Lilleness, Bev Wilson Bruce Lidstrom



Dave Freelund, Bev Wilson and Marc Lorrain



Our Cake

Join the generations of Alumni at the All School Reunion on Saturday, June 2, 2018



The Class of 1967 "special label" wine commemorating our 50th reunion



Welcoming Poster



By Class Rep Patty Magnuson

Greetings 1965 classmates,

I hope this finds you enjoying retirement if that's the case and the new opportunities that brings be it travel, volunteering, pursuing your passions or grand-kids.

What a year this last one has been! The 2017 Women's March was the largest in Seattle's history and this year again a great showing of folks marching for social and environmental justice.

Chaotic events in our country and around the world along with climate change and resultant natural disasters makes these unsettling times. The place of our childhood is changing and so is the weather. The condos, congestion, traffic; you can barely recognize our little West Seattle. It's still a nice place to live I think; you can still park for free at the junction if you can find a spot! The natural beauty of this place persists. We'll always have Alki, Lincoln Park, Schmitz Park, and great views.

At the all school reunion last June 3 we celebrated the 100th anniversary of the current building with a "group hug" at the front entrance. Our class had a good





The WSHS Class of 1965 celebrates another successful Polar Bear Plunge at Alki on New Year's Day

turnout in the library under the beautiful "found" WPA murals painted by Jacob Elshin depicting pioneer life. They were stored behind a cabinet during a 1974 remodel and forgotten for some 25 years. Later many of us headed to The Bridge tavern for more fun and music by our own Nitemates. I urge you to

come to the ASR; it's fun to see classmates and also those from the other classes. There's cool old cars parked out front and always local after parties.

We have a Facebook page with tons of information posted quite regularly so check it out occasionally. It is: West Seattle High class of '65 - 50 year reunion. Maybe that's why I did not get much feedback on what to include in this article. I posted that Elizabeth Becker was recently in town to speak at the UW (her alma mater) about Cambodia. She has donated her papers and photos to the UW libraries. There were a few familiar faces in the audience.

Vivian Verbon Gould wrote a touching tribute to classmate Gayle Jung Seyl who passed away on April 25, 2017. Please read it in the Obituaries section. For a list of other deceased classmates see elsewhere in the paper.

See you the first Saturday in June!





WSHS 1970

By Class Rep Jami Hanning Vaux

Great turn out last year at our 2017 All School Reunion for West Seattle's Anniversary. Glad to see so many of you there. Alums followed up after at the Bridge and Whiskey West where we enjoyed an alum band.

Now it's time to think about our 50th celebration in June 2020. Talking with many, you have said you like the idea of having it at "Salty's" since this is the "BIG ONE". So I will start looking into it, thankful we have saved some start up money for a deposit, hoping it is enough. I spend about 4 months a year on Maui now so could probably use some help. Patty Kloster has offered and I usually get some help for my besties but more is always needed. Please contact me at my email: vaux01015@msn.com.

Wishing you all a great 2018 and to many of you a great retirement and the fun of being grandparents. Save the first weekend in June 2020, start planning for the trip home for those out of state. There will be a celebration at the All School Reunion for us too that weekend. So get those family pics together to share. We always have a great time together.

Look forward to seeing you all there. Thanks,

Jami Hanning Vaux, Class Rep

WSHS 1988

By Todd King

"WSHS Class of 1988 Alumni – 30 Year Graduation Reunion – June 23rd/24th.

Please visit https://www.facebook.com/WSHS1988/for information and announcements regarding our upcoming event(s).

You may also contact toddking@hotmail.com."

WSHS 1977

By Class Reps Diane Hansen & Nathan Baker



Class of 1977 40th Reunion - "Still Kickin It"

The Brockey Center at South Seattle College, on Saturday, September 23rd, set the stage once again for the Class of 1977 to gather & reminisce. Seventy-four classmates attended the evening. Joining our classmates were 29 guests - significant others, spouses, & a daughter.

Once at the door, greeters provided hearty hugs, high fives and information on where to check in, and get drink and raffle tickets. Guests were offered complimentary champagne, served by some of our classmates. Raffle tickets were sold for a vacation get away at a cabin in the woods, on the Skagit River, compliments of Robin Young Mallory. Thanks go to Denise Dawson Minnerly, Class of 1978, for being our awesome ticket seller! Committee team members solicited merchandise and gift cards from many businesses around West Seattle, while some classmates provided items for the silent auction. All of the benefits from the auction went to the Alumni Association Scholarship program.

By 7 pm it was time to gather for the official class photo. Many thanks to Lori Wright for being our photographer. Individual grade school class photos were also taken. Prior to the buffet opening, classmates were invited to take their seats for a fun icebreaker trivia activity, with the winning table receiving T-shirts.

Scott Schaeffer was our MC for the evening, keeping us well entertained all night long! He reminded all to honor our classmates no longer with us by

visiting the Memory Tree on display. Other memorabilia items were on display-class reunion photos, scrap books, and various uniforms, displaying our proud Indian symbol. Prizes were given to classmates that traveled the farthest, married the longest, married most recently, and most grandchildren. Married couples who were both in the class of 1977 were recognized.

After the program, the band Still Kickin It, was announced. Dancing for those who wished, while some went back to catching up. The dance floor stayed full throughout the evening, a testament that the music was good and our class likes to kick up their heels still!

A couple more important items were necessary to conclude this wonderful event... singing the Alma Mater of course!! Thank yous were mentioned... specifically for our volunteers, Jenn Baker & Jim Arkills (80'), Denise, the Brockey Center staff, & the sponsors and donors. A special shout out went to Kosnik Engineering, who gave us a generous donation. And lastly, thanks to the planning committee, under the chairmanship of classmate Mary Rose Toal, were Nathan Baker, Anka Milinkovic Bobo, Tanya Dorn Gardanar, Phil Georgas, Patti Mask Kosnik, Cathy Kord Peda, Mark Swanson, Lori Wright, Theresa Hautala Dunlop and Diane Hansen. A great reunion enjoyed by one and all. That's it! Reminder...spread the word about our FB page: WSHS Class of 1977

Until our 50th, be well classmates of 1977.

Diane and Nathan - Class co-reps

By Class Rep Elsie Halbruge McCoy

Hi to my fellow classmates. It is so hard to believe that another year has passed by. As usual we had a large, friendly group at the All School Reunion last June. Everyone had a great time catching up on each others news.

Thanks to Ginny Rhodes Montgomery for planning several lunches throughout the year which has helped to keep us connected. A good time was had by all who attended our 55th reunion held in September, 2017 which was also organized by Ginny.

Sylvia Mullins Mistry sent her usual newsy Christmas letter. She had fun this past summer traveling to the Canadian Rockies seeing the beautiful sights of Lake Louise, Jasper, and Banff. On November 30, 2017 she retired from her job as church secretary at Hope Lutheran Church in West Seattle after 20 years of service. She is now enjoying her life of leisure.

Judy Baihley Condon and I keep in touch. She lives in Sonoma, CA. The summer of 2017 took her to the lovely Piedmonti area of Italy, the foothills of the Alps. She and her traveling companions rented a house outside of Florence, another pretty area. Upon her return the fires were beginning and she was forced to evacuate. She went up to her daughter's home in the San Francisco area after making a quick dash through her home gathering important papers and some clothes. After eight days she was able to return to Sonoma not knowing whether her home would be there. Thankfully it was and now all is back to normal.

Dorothy Hartnett Parmenter and husband, Gary, are now settled in to a new home in Quincy, WA. It is located on a golf course. They love the new location even though it meant down sizing a bit more. She remains in close touch with long-time friend Shirley Stenehjem Ross who lives in Bonney Lake, WA. She and husband, Gary ('59) enjoy living close to their grandchildren.

Jill Wood Rowley and husband Monty sent a newsy Christmas letter. They are living in East Wenatchee, WA, where they are both busy with various activities. Jill is involved in a cancer survivor support group and Monty is making plans for some home remodeling in 2018.

Dorothy Waters Taylor has lived in England for many years. Therefore, we keep in touch through e-mail. She is married and has two children. I also keep in touch with Nancy Konen Cooper who lives in Marysville, WA. She sends the best email stories which are always fun and uplifting.

Your class rep and family were so happy to attend the wedding of grand-daughter Emily Fiso (2015) last summer. It was a lovely affair held in a large, older church in downtown Tacoma, WA where they both attend. The reception was at the Tacoma Art Museum just a couple of blocks away. Emily and John Gaines are now living in Tacoma.

I keep in contact with email buddy Bruce Thomason who lives in Auburn, WA with his wife, Barb. He loves being close to daughter Jodi (87), her husband and two daughters. Granddaughter, August, has now been cancer free for nine years – great news! His son, John, recently purchased a lovely home on Lake Sammamish. Mary Lou Page Jaynes lives in a suburb of San Diego, CA with her husband. We have been good friends since the third grade at Lafayette Elementary School. We have frequent long phone chats catching up on each others news just like in the old days. Long-time friends are the best!

My husband and I own a time- share condo at Lake Chelan and again enjoyed another "Summer at Chelan" tradition. We were joined by daughter, son, spouses and children. Always a fun filled, but hectic time for all! We also enjoy two other weeks throughout the year. Always a nice get-away just three hours away!

I am sad to report that we lost four classmates this past year. Jim Ames passed away on June 2, 2017, Jackie Frazier on June 26, Jim King on June 26, and Jennifer Miller Cole on December 28. These classmates will be greatly missed, but never forgotten.

Thanks to Ed Ogle for being my co-representative. He has faithfully attended the monthly Alumni meetings and keeps our class records updated. This leads me to report that after much thoughtful consideration I will be resigning as your class representative a job I have enjoyed since 1985. Ed will continue with his jobs, but prefers not to write the class article for the Alumni Chinook. Hopefully there is a classmate who will do this. Please let Ed know and, of course, I am always here to answer any questions. My resignation is effective the day you receive your alumni Chinook newspaper. Thanks to all of you who allowed me to share your personal news. You have made the writing of this article possible.

Please inform Ed of any changes in your contact information so our class can continue to stay connected.

Your class representative: Ed Ogle

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WSHS 1996

By Class Rep Dana Rambo Hopkins

Happy 40th Birthday, Class of 1996!

"A cool thing on your 21st birthday is getting carded at a bar. But it's about a hundred times more fun when it happens on your 40th." Author Unknown

We hope you are having a great milestone birthday year! In case you missed it, we had an enjoyable 20-year reunion in July 2016; celebrating at historic Dakota Place Park with old photos, 90's music, entertaining photo booth and some of our teachers even joined the fun. In 2017 WSHS turned 100 years old and some of us came for the photo – look for us in the lower-right (Nick, Kim, Barker, Nikki, Christine, Dana, others?).

Come on over to our closed Facebook group ("WSHS c/o 1996") or public version https://www.facebook.com/wshs1996/ and tell us about your birthday celebration!

Have a great year,

Christine, Dana & Danielle (your class reps)

WSHS 1978

By Class Reps Denise Dawson Minnerly & Denette Wells

SAVE THE DATE!

WEST SEATTLE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF "78" 40TH REUNION!

WHEN: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2018

WHERE: THE RAINIER GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB (SEATTLE, WA)

https://www.rainiergolfcc.com/ TIME: 5:00pm – 12:30 am

MUSIC: PROVIDED BY PRO DJS: www.proDJsound.com

COST: \$60.00 PER PERSON

(PAYMENT OPTIONS & PAYPAL LINK WILL BE PROVIDED AT A LATER DATE) NO HOST BAR (CASH, DEBIT & CREDIT ACCEPTED)

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MENU: MORE DETAILS TO COME

More details on our upcoming 40th reunion will be provided at a later date. We will mail out payment options with the Paypal payment link sometime in April or May. I have inserted a few pictures below from our 35 year reunion to show what a great time we had!

Please make sure to mark your calendars for the All School Reunion which will be held on Saturday, June 2, 2018 from 4-7pm at the school. You can check the West Seattle High School Alumni page on Facebook for more details.

We have a Class page on Facebook . If you join Facebook send me a friend request then I can add you to the class page. If you want to check it out just type West Seattle High School Class of 1978 in the search box on Facebook. It's been a great place to post stuff going on with our class & keep everyone connected in between reunions!

If you have any ideas, suggestions or questions please feel free to send them to us at our e-mails shown below.

We look forward to seeing everyone at our upcoming 40th Reunion! Denise Dawson Minnerly - Class Rep "78" denisem49@comcast.net Denette Wells - Co-Class Rep "78" denettew@comcast.net



Pam Reside Leach & Marlene Nelson Costle



Denette Wells, Chris Thompson & Denise Dawson Minnerly



Doris Nelson & Scott Gordon



Ron Badley



Group Photo



Renee Vollan Kunz, Jody Tracy Leonard, Diane Shea Cramer & Patty McGillis Beszhak

By Class Reps Adelle Hermann Comfort and Kathy Braymer Shepard

Remember when 70 seemed a lot older than it does now? We want to celebrate this milestone in our lives by getting together at 1:00 p.m. at The Bridge on 6/6/18 (note the '66 association!). This will be for 'a no host/no reservation/ no more organizing by a committee' event. Here is a link to the West Seattle location: https://thebridgeseattle.com/

Join us '66ers! If you are able to, please let Kathy Braymer Shepard know so that we can give the restaurant a 'heads up'.

Via our West Seattle High School Class of 1966 Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=west%20seattle%20high%20school%20 class%20of%201966. Or by email at kb.shepard@hotmail.com

One of the hallmarks of our class is our desire to get together and remember old stories and create new ones! Since the last Chinook article, here are just a few of the times where classmates shared good conversation and many laughs:



At 'The Bridge' in WS after the All School Reunion. From Left: Jim Burdett, Bill Hart, Cheryl and Tom Collier, Mike Winter (Ruthi Sundnes), Adelle Hermann Comfort, Leland Lien, Ruthi Sundnes Winter, Ed Hammond and Nancy Noble Hammond, Patty Jacobsen Spangler, Carolynn Woodgate Rippee, Vicky Beall Hall, Mary (Jim) Burdett

One of the first events to meet up with classmates was the All School Reunion on 6/4/17, which celebrated the 100- year anniversary of our school. Here are some of the attendees



Jim Burdett and Wendy Burt Henderson



Gary Syers



Ron Young



L to R: Greg MacPherson, Leland Lien

L to R: Patty Jacobsen Spangler, Adelle Hermann Comfort, Ruthi Sundnes Winter

Put these dates on vour calendar: **6/2/18: All School Reunion from** 4 PM to 7 PM at WSHS 6/6/18: 'Celebrating 70' Starting at 1:00 PM at 'The Bridge' (as mentioned above)

JUNE 2018								
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Many times throughout the year, several classmates get together for the concerts put on by Tom Collier, our 'Hall of Famer'!

Here is Tom in action at an event last October. The event was to benefit the WSHS Scholarship Fund.

Even on a dark and stormy night, fellow classmates Jim (Mary) Burdett, and Nancy Noble (Ed) Hammond

attended. \$500 was donated to the WSHS scholarship fund.

Two of Tom's fans who attend his concerts regularly with their respective spouses, are (below) Ruthi Sundnes Winter (L) and Patty Jacobsen Spangler (R). The two Norwegian beauties also get together frequently, having stayed great buddies since high school!

Here are some highlights for Tom during 2017:

- guest artist at the Los Angeles Vibraphone Summit, an annual event put on by the Los Angeles Jazz Society
- several performances at Tula's Jazz Club in Seattle
- performance at "Music, Thanks, and Giving: A Benefit Concert of Healing and Love", at Christ Episcopal Church in Seattle with proceeds going to several area charities
- his latest CD, "Impulsive Illuminations", was placed on the Grammy ballot under the 'Jazz Album of The Year' category. This was the 5th time one of his albums has been placed on the ballot. Although there were not enough votes to get him into the final 5, it is an extraordinary honor!

To follow Tom, visit his web site at: http://www.tomcolliervibes.com/

Another great place to meet and greet former classmates is at the worldfamous MacPherson (Greg) Fruit and Produce Stand on Beacon Hill in Seattle.

https://www.facebook.com/ pages/MacPhersons-Fruit-Produce/1055117634575324

Here are a couple of classmates who visited to check out Greg's fruits and veggies:

Another regular meeting place is the lovely property of Vinette Meduna Tichi in Woodinville.

'Christmas On Bainbridge' has become an annual event and many of these lovely ladies have attended for over a decade

Showing amazing school spirit, when Ken Stapleton and his wife Linda travel from Liberec, Czech Republic, they always seek to connect with classmates. Last November, several of us met at The Bridge in WS to enjoy catching up with them and each other.

There are so many other memories and pictures to enjoy on our Facebook page at:

https://www.facebook.com/ search/top/?q=west%20 seattle%20high%20school%20 class%20of%20



Tom Friberg (class rep) and his wife Shannon Johnson



Greg and Sheila Pless



L to R: Kathy Braymer Shepard, Vicky Beall Hall, Dotty Smith Mahaffey, Sheila Pless, Vinette Meduna Tichi

In memoriam: Carol Benner 3/25/17

We acknowledged Carol's passing in last year's Chinook, but wanted to mention it again. She is missed.

WSHS 1966 Continued



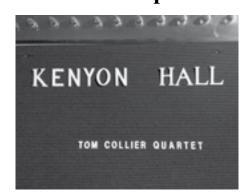
'Christmas On Bainbridge' L to R: Jilly Eddy (with Marsha), Patty Powell McGuire, Patty Jacobsen Spangler, Kathy Braymer Shepard, Sue Coghill Lindblom, Sharon Newquist Soames, Nancy Noble Hammond, Barbara Waite Cooper, Colleen Grady, Ruthi Sundnes Winter; In front: Margaret Wakelee, Marsha Kremen



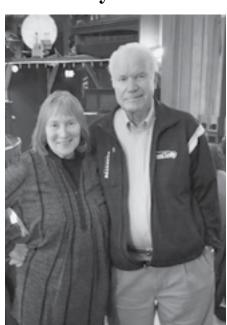
Catching up at the The Bridge: L to R: Patty Jacobsen Spangler, Dotty Smith Mahaffey, Adelle Hermann Comfort, Sue Coghill Lindblom, Linda Stapleton, Ken Stapleton, Vinette Meduna Tichi, Greg MacPherson

Here are more pictures and memories from Tom Collier's performance at Kenyon Hall









Karen Dobbs and Chris King at Tom Collier's Alumni Scholarship Benefit performance

WSHS 1950

By Gloria Thompson McCarty

At last year's All School Reunion the 100th Anniversary of the School, our class only had seventeen attend. Because our big class reunions are over we now try to have an annual lunch gathering, which is held on a Monday at the Chelan Cafe. No host, both ladies and gents. Everyone who has attended seems to enjoy themselves. If you would like to be notified, call me at 206-938-4446.

Our class gets smaller each year. The latest who have passed away are: Daurene Korth, Clarence Dybing, Frances Connell, Richard Duncan, Erick Carlson, Marlin McCaughan, and James Ostlung. James was a doctor for many years in Anacortes. Several of the deceased passed away several years ago but I was just recently informed about them. As of 1/19/18 I count 208 deceased.

Pictured are Betty Hinton in print blouse and Doris Koeplinger in tee shirt. Both gals are married to West Seattle Alums and have been married to them for over 50 years; Betty to Dwain Willis class of 1948, and Doris to Carl Jones, class of 1946. Doris served in the Navy after she graduated in 1950.



The Class of 1950 at the All School Reunion in June, 2017

From Left to Right: Chuck Ask, Nell Allen Zaac, Ray Larsen, Henry Schwartz, (not identified), Annette LeCoque Kelson, Don Kelson, Bobbi Strain Marrapodi, Gerri Harsant Tollenaar, Doug Bornstine

Call me if you just want to visit and catch up or want to be included for lunch. If, like me, you no longer drive, I'll try to find someone who still does to pick you up.

Hope to see many of you at the All School Reunion on Saturday June 2. It's pretty special to be able after 48 years to visit with people you sat by in class so long ago.

Gloria Thompson McCarty 206-938-4446



Betty Hinton and Doris Koeplinger at the Class of 1950's 80th Birthday.

By Class Rep Christy Young Rowe

Hello Class of 1972! We wish everyone well and thank everyone who participated in the 45th informal class reunion last June. We said we wouldn't do a 45th but we did, and we are so glad we did. Many classmates first went to the 2017 All School Reunion (ASR) at the high school and Gail met with folks there. Christy went to The Bridge sports bar in West Seattle where 50+ classmates gathered afterwards for some food and beverages and socializing.

Thank-you to Chris Georgas and Matt Carson for being co-MCs and thank-you to all who donated items to 'auction' off at the reunion. We raised \$540 from the Live Auction. A big thank-you to Jerry Larson Graham for the Mariner box seat donation, to Sue Gamrath Irvin for the Fairy Garden donation, Christy Rowe for the beach themed basket and Wendy Wright Hobson for the original watercolor artwork. Gift Cards were also donated and brought in \$275 and a couple classmates made monetary donations for a total of \$1223 raised to add to our bank account. This will help offset the cost of our 50th reunion.

Coincidentally, the same evening, other WSHS classmates from various classes gathered at Whisky West just down the street from The Bridge so the Morgan Street Junction area was quite active with celebrations, live music and dancing.

So, next milestone? The Big 5-0 in 2022 and we need ideas! Where? When? How many days of events? Volunteers to start the planning are needed and if several takes on tasks the event will be much easier to put together. Kathy Dempsey Itter stepped up to take care of memorializing our classmates who have passed. Please send your ideas to Gail and Christy – it's only four years away!



45th Kathy K Debbie L Evan S





45th crowd photo



45th Keith B Blake R

Please check out our Facebook page to stay up-to-date on classmates and reunions. WSHS Class of 1972. We have posted the names of several missing classmates – the WSHS Alumni Association needs your current information to update their database. This helps us stay in touch with you too! We also posted the names of several classmates who are no longer with us. Too many gone too soon.

As far as updates on classmates, there have been retirements, new grandchildren, moves, travels, passing of parents, health challenges, new opportunities, adventures and much more. To name a few: (since our 2017 article did not get into the Chinook, we've included some of that article here)

Sherry Catron Burke and her husband continue their travel quests. In 2018 they spent three months traveling southern Europe and the rest of the year moving about from Airbnb to Airbnb being 'nomads'. Colleen Carpenter Kord and her husband both retired in 2017 and made the decision to purchase in a 55+ community in Bonney Lake. Dave Rowe had knee replacement surgery and is back to being very active with his woodworking, vard projects (directed by his Master Gardener wife Christy Young Rowe) and playing with their grandchildren now that their daughter and son-in-law have relocated from the East Coast to Lacey, WA. Tom Schmuck lives in the Port Orchard area and is taking a year off from teaching. He realized Christy and Dave Rowe lived nearby so he came by for a nice long visit one day to catch up. He has two children and three grandchildren and says that Craig Rogge lives nearby. He enjoys gardening, playing his guitar and joy from time with family and friends. In April 2017 several classmates happened to be in Palm Springs at the same time and spent time together



Tom Schmuck and Christy Nov 2017



45th Chris G Christy R Evan A

in Edmonds.

years, retired in 2015.

enjoying the sun, BBQs and good Mexican food. (Gail Paulson Gagner and husband Cal, Dave and Christy Young Rowe, Colleen Carpenter Kord and husband Dan, Evan Adelson Sorensen and husband Mark and Bob Fuda.) Roland Wong and his wife have moved to Alabama. Chris Georgas is working as a top salesman in the men's department at the Southcenter Nordstrom. Jill Edwards McMillan lives most of the year in Mexico with some visits back home during the year. Debbie Taylor VanDiver retired early in 2018 and has moved to Arizona. Wendy Wright Hobson had her first water color show in February 2017 at Providence Mount St. Vincent in West Seattle. Greg Johnson was in Seattle last February talking to the UW Aeronautics and Astronauts Department students. Not retired yet, three children in college and he love to visit The Museum of Flight when he is in town. Carolyn Blackler retired in 2015 and has traveled to many Mexican. Central and South American countries and the Caribbean. LouAnn Estep Stanley

took early retirement and moved to Edmonds to care for her father living in her childhood home. Janice Hauptli Sleight is a Spanish translator gets to work from home and retirement is not in sight. Gary Raymond worked for thirty-three years with the SPD and now lives

Sadly, classmates who have passed most recently are: Doug Horstman in April 2015. He and his wife lived in La Grande, OR. He loved the mountains there, biked to work, golfed, hiked, back packed and enjoyed archery hunting. He worked for the Union Pacific Railroad and was on a federal committee to improve safety for railroad workers. Dave Capeloto passed away in May 2016 from IPF (Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis) which is a rare lung disease. Dave's special gift and passion was playing the piano. Debbie Saxlund Croppi passed away in January 2017. She had suffered from chronic pain for years, severe arthritis and recently fibromyalgia. She will be remembered for her fun-loving smile and a grandmother with open arms. Liz Grobe Corcoran passed away in July 2017 due to complications during surgery. Her husband Mike wrote that they were together for over

As you can see, life is short, and tomorrow is not promised. Wishing you all healthy, travels, time with family and friends and let's all plan on meeting up for our 50th reunion!

forty-five years, have one daughter and she worked at Microsoft for twenty

Please share your news either on Facebook or email and let us share your updates with our other classmates. Gail@gaileysl@comcast.net or Christy@carowe@hcc.net. Please mark the first Saturday of June on your calendar and plan on coming to the ASR at the high school. Let's all start thinking about the upcoming 50th reunion! It will be here sooner than you think!

WSHS 1960

By Class Rep Beverly Carlsen Jones

Another year has passed by and it is time to gather again at our Alma Mater. Each year seems to pass faster than the last. Where does the time go?

Last June we had a bigger than usual turn out for the All School Reunion. It was good to have Jack French join us after many years of not seeing him. Many memories were recalled by all in attendance. Come join us on June 2. You never know who you may reconnect with both in our class and others.

Once again some of classmates had passed on to greener pastures. Those that have been reported since last year's Chinook are: Gary Jones (9/30/2016), Mike Baker (4/26/2017), Kris Jacobsen (5/13/17), Ralph Herth (8/16/17), and Gail Dortero Nagy (9/23/17). Our condolences to their families and friends with memories of days past. If you know of any deceased classmates not reported or in the future, please send the information to our Class Rep. John Zitkovich (see the class rep listing) or Beverly Carlsen Jones (tjones2297@aol.com).

With time passing by so fast it will be time for our 60th reunion in 2020 before you know it. Your committee will start to meet before too long to begin making plans for our get together. It will probably be an afternoon event so that the festivities can conclude before it gets too late or too dark. Keep this in mind for the summer of 2020. If you have any ideas or want to join in the planning, contact either of the above classmates or Linda Torp Deskins (dlhobbyhorse@comcast.net).

Mark your calendar for June 2 and come join us at the All School Reunion. If you have not been back to the school since the remodeling, come see the changes since the days we roamed the halls and renew old friendships or make new ones. Hope to see you there.



By Muriel Verbon Knapp

The years keep rolling along and here we are 54 years past our graduation. Looks like we'll need to put our thinking caps on to plan an event for our 55th reunion in 2019.

We've been holding our mini-reunions now each summer and the turnout has been delightful! Last Labor Day weekend 2017, we met at the home of Dave Little in Edmonds. His home and yard were perfect for entertaining. Everyone brought potluck food items and beverages to share, so there was no lack of treats. We saw a couple of classmates who had actually never been to any one of our reunions previously, so maybe the picnic thing is the way to go. We've had a couple of offers for a place to hold a picnic in the summer of 2018, but we haven't been able to designate the exact place or time as of this writing (February 12th), so watch your mail for a postcard invitation soon, if it hasn't already arrived by the time the Chinook gets sent out. Those who were in attendance last summer at Dave's home were myself, Glenda Braun, Lorraine Toly, Dave Little (of course), Sue Francisco Kramer, Judy Thompson Wilson and her husband Bill, Linda Mortvedt Reichl, JoAnn Jugum, Steven Knopp and his wife Norma, Don Renbarger, Janet Slater Ashley, Catherine Hansen Solemslie, Ron Olson, Marlene Blessing, Carol Johnson Starr, Mary Sue Wenger, Gary Hollands, Vernon Steward and his wife Nancy, Maureen Meyers VanderPas and her brother Rick Meyers. It is so much fun to just chat and enjoy each other's company.

We also had a great turnout at the All-School Reunion last June. It was the 100th anniversary of West Seattle High School, so a huge picture was taken of all reunion attendees who were there. That was fun! Those in attendance at the high school were Maureen Meyers VanderPas, Gary Hollands, Jack Osier, Doug Mill, Ron Olson, Suzann Francisco Kramer and her husband William, Vernon Steward and his wife Nancy, Bill Heaton, Joanne Jugum, Larry Roe, Gerard Calabrese, George Jugum, Lorraine Toly, Tim Murphy, David West, Dave Little, and Barbara Hallett Greenlee.

We have lost several classmates over the last couple of years. Sometimes the notification is delayed for some reason, but those additions to our angels in heaven are Peter Woeck, Kurt Amundsen, Gary Winters, Richard Strong, Gary Bianchi, Nancy Ann Qualls, Richard LaCasse, John Tawes, and Nancy Schmidt Michler. Sometimes these notices come only via returned mail that's marked "deceased," so we hope we're not reporting on passings that haven't actually happened.

I have heard from a few classmates this year with updated news. Eric Anderson and his wife moved from Miami to Walla Walla in January of 2017 as they missed the Northwest. They moved into Adam West's (the original Batman) parents' former home that Adam's dad built. Eric also has a cabin in Elk City, Idaho and they are building a new house there. Eric's daughter Elyska and her son are relocating from Panama to Walla Walla, so Eric is very excited about that. Jim Nelson wrote to say he had moved to Golden, Colorado and he appreciate our efforts to keep the class together. Greg Popich retired from orthopedic surgery in January of 2016. He and his wife split their year between Gig Harbor where they live in Canterwood and La Quinta, California where they live in Trilogy. Life is good with plenty of golf, tennis, Pickleball, biking, fishing, enjoying family and five grandkids (5-22 years old) who all live nearby. He remembers his summer band days with Dave Little on the trombone and himself on "a pretty shaky trumpet." Maureen Meyers VanderPas tells us that in 1966, she went to Europe for three months with two college friends, living on bread and jam and sleeping in their tiny car in sleeping bags almost every night while they traveled. Maureen swore she wouldn't return to Europe until she had a bed to sleep in, so in September of 2017, she and her hubby Bill did just that. They rented a car and traveled all over for almost a month – some hotels, some Air B&B's, and some small inns, but all those

places had real beds! They visited some of the same places and people that she had seen 51 years before, including her pen pal from Paris. Also, this time, she visited the village in East Germany that some in her family immigrated from. Bill found the farm in the Netherlands where his father lived before he immigrated to the US at age five. A highlight was going to the 184th Oktoberfest in Munich, the world's largest folk and beer festival. They had a wonderful time and not one bit of car trouble – no wrecks, no flat tires, and no tickets! I ran into Sharon Welsh Cooper at Metropolitan Market. They had sold their house where they'd lived for over 40 years and were moving to Renton. Janet Slater Ashley also sold her home of over 35 years in Medina and will be moving to a three-bedroom condo. It's just that time of life for us all.

In November, Lorraine Toly, Stacia Stratton, JoAnne Jugum, and I drove to Lynnwood to have dinner at the Silver Spoon Thai Restaurant, all in order to hear Dave Little play the piano there while we ate. That night, the restaurant had a plumbing failure, so it was open only for take-out food. So, take-out food it was and we followed Dave back to his house where we ate, talked, and where Dave gave us a personal concert on his grand piano in the living room. We'd say the evening turned out great! This week of February when the article is getting written (you know deadlines!), Suzann Kramer, Glenda Braun, Joan Nygren Munguia, and I will be enjoying dinner at Southcenter. I'll just report that that was fun as I'm sure it will be/was! I had lunch with Susan Anderson last summer in Tacoma. During the summer, she lives in Yelm and during the winter, she lives in Yuma, Arizona, but Arizona may become permanent before long. I see Linda Snyder Layman, Susan Moody Williams, and Claudia Minden Weisz at church at West Side Presbyterian. Every so often, Diane Dalrymple Neesz, Susan Moody Williams, and I get together for lunch. We're going together to the Paul Simon concert in May at Key Arena. Susan Moody Williams goes to Mexico every winter for some time in the sun and Diane Dalrymple Neesz cruised around Iceland with her husband John last summer.

Last spring, my sisters Vivian Verbon Gould ('65) and Helen Verbon Locatelli ('67) traveled to Europe, spending a week in Austria with my pen-pal of 60 years (with a quick trip over the border to Cesky Krumlov, Czech Republic); then a Baltic cruise that took us from Copenhagen, Denmark to Oslo, Norway (we visited relatives and my Norwegian exchange daughter); Berlin, Germany; Tallinn, Estonia; St. Petersburg, Russia (where I spent my 71st birthday at Peterhof Palace in the land of our father's birth); Helsinki, Finland; and Stockholm, Sweden; followed by a week in England. We love our sister trips. At this time, we want to remember our younger brother Leo Verbon '68 who would have been celebrating his 50th high school reunion this year. He passed away at the young age of 41 and we want his classmates to know how accomplished Leo's children are. Emily is a nurse practitioner living in Duvall, her husband is a teacher, and they have two small girls. Nicholas is a bi-lingual (Spanish) teacher in Portland, Oregon, his wife is also a teacher, and they have two small boys. Leo's wife is a retired teacher and still lives in their home in Fall City. We still miss Leo tremendously and, trust us, he would have attended the 50th celebration.

Well, I think this is all my news that's fit to print. Please keep up with our class on our Facebook page "West Seattle High School – Class of 1964" or let me know any news you'd like to share by contacting me at 4030 55th Avenue SW, Seattle, WA 98116, home phone 206-932-7283, cell phone 206-890-8868, or email at murielknapp@msn.com. Each of you is special to all of us, so come join us any time at the All-School Reunion or one of our picnics. Don't forget to watch your mail for the announcement of this summer's picnic. Hope to see you there!

WSHS 1947



1947 Class Photo from the All School Reunion 2017: (Unknown), Louise Segota Niealz, (Unknown), Maxine Cook Healy, Millie Grasso Engelstad, Rose Hale



West Seattle Monogram Club

By President Larry Pierce, Class of 1955

Join the West Seattle Monogram Club in celebrating the resurgence of West Seattle High School's athletic teams. It's been a great year to support and follow the school's successes. The women's basketball team made it to the semifinals of the state tournament, losing to the eventual state champions. Cass Elliott won the 300 hurdles and set a state record in the event. Student participation in team sports has grown dramatically, and West Seattle in one of a few Seattle schools supporting varsity, junior varsity, and freshmen teams in most sports. The teams are fun to watch, in part, because they are winning a lot more games.

The West Seattle Monogram Club is made of former West Seattle varsity athletes who meet four times a year for lunch at the West Seattle Golf Club. Coaches and athletes from West Seattle keep us informed about the prospects for the teams and upcoming games and events. Members share remembrances with former classmates. And each year, the club raises money to provide scholarships for current seniors who are going off to college in the fall.

In 2017, the Club awarded 13 graduating student athletes \$13,000 in scholar-ships.



Photo by Ted Foss

The recipients were Ali Abdullahi, Jacob Applewhite, Isabella Babb, Madison Brodahl, Andrew Burggraff, Jonathan Cheth, Adam Abukar, Conner Elder, Logan Schiller, Brynn Snodgrass, Lennae Starr, Kate Veenhuizen, Noah Woycke.

One the first Thursday in August members and their families and guests meet for lunch at Salty's on Alki with a special guest for the event. It may be a sports celebrity in Seattle or someone of special interest. Last August our guest was West Seattle's new principal, Brian Vance.



Larry Pierce shakes hands with Principal Brian Vance at the Monogram Club luncheon at Salty's on Alki on August 3, 2017. Photo by Ted Foss

Mr. Vance introduced himself to Larry Pierce and spoke of his aspirations for athletics at West Seattle. As a former college basketball player and coach, he left us with high hopes for the future of West Seattle's teams.

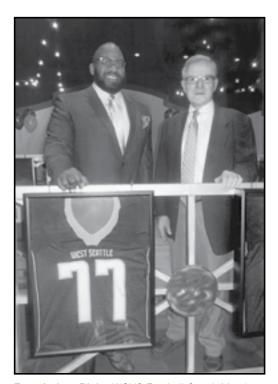
Last fall, the new football coach, Marcis Fennell, invited Monogram Club members to represent the West Seattle community in awarding varsity lettermen's jackets to the 2017 varsity letter winners in football. It was a spectacular event and we are proud to support what is hoped to be a new tradition at West Seattle High School.



Ted Foss, Secretary of the Monogram Club ('55), greets attendees to the Football Banquet on December 1, 2017 at "The Hall"

We expect a lot of changes in the club in the coming year. We are recruiting new members, new officers, and board members. We're hoping to develop a website that will list upcoming games with times and locations. It will also post scores and other information of interest to supporters of West Seattle athletic teams.

If you are a former varsity letter winner from West Seattle from the graduating class of 1980 or earlier, you are invited to join the Monogram Club. Annual dues of \$50 all go to support our scholarship program. You can call Don Conner the Club Treasurer at 206 246-7931 or email Chris King at seaking55@aol.com for more information.



From Left to Right: WSHS Football Coach Marcis Fennell and Larry Pierce, (Interim President of the Monogram Club) at "The Hall". Photo by Ted Foss

Donations to the Monogram Club Scholarship Fund can be sent to the Monogram Scholarship Fund, P.O. Box 16032, Seattle, WA 98116-6031.

Larry Pierce '55 President



West Seattle Monogram Club West Seattle Golf Course Club House, December, 2017

From Left to Right: Back Row: Don Conner, Treasurer ('58), George Walker ('56), Carl Coyle ('56), John Herron ('68), Mark VanAntwerp ('68), Tim Hill ('54), Bill Richards ('48), Dick Burnham ('51), Dick Jamar ('57), Matt Sayre ('52)

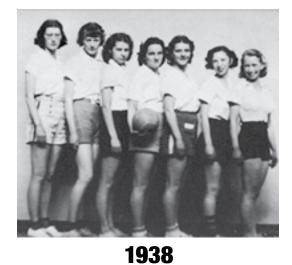
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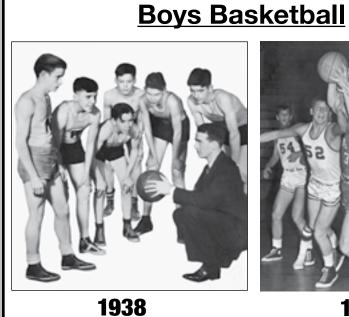


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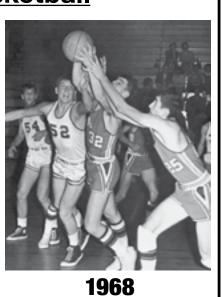
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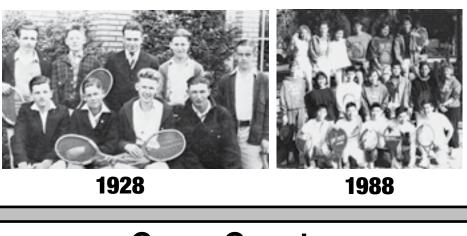


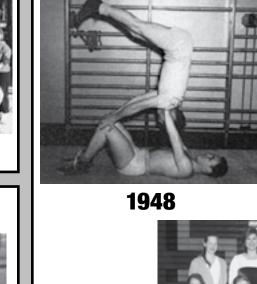


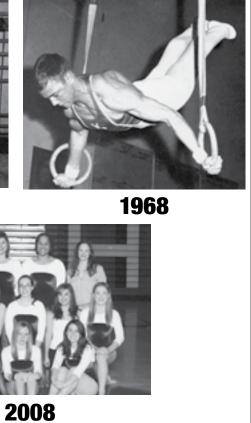
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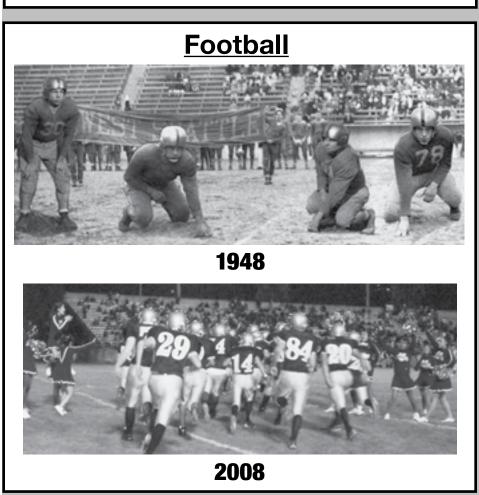
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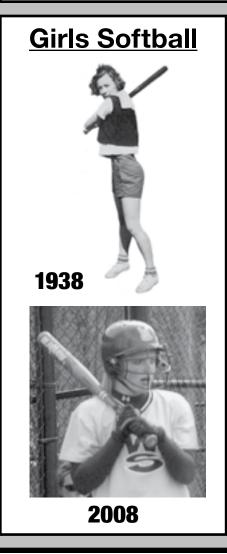


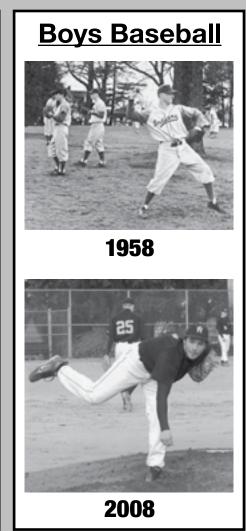




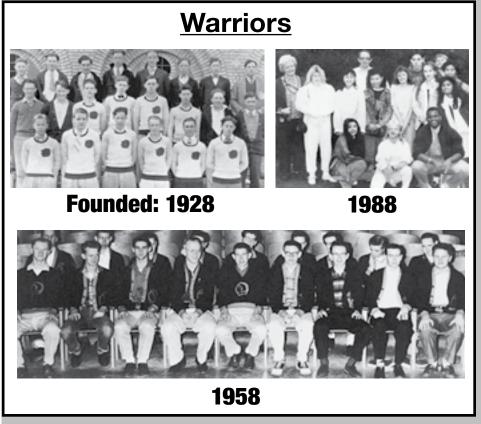


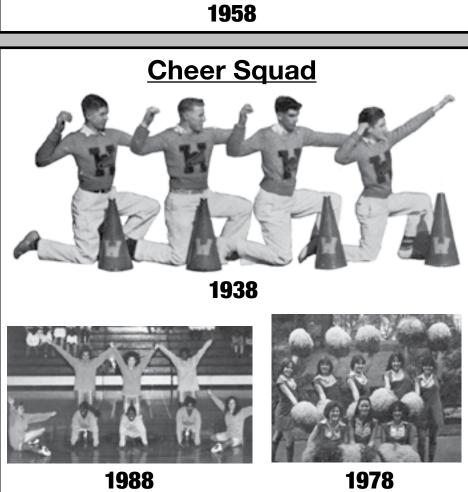


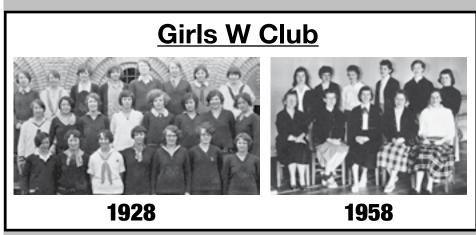


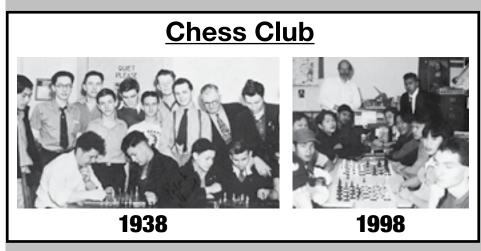


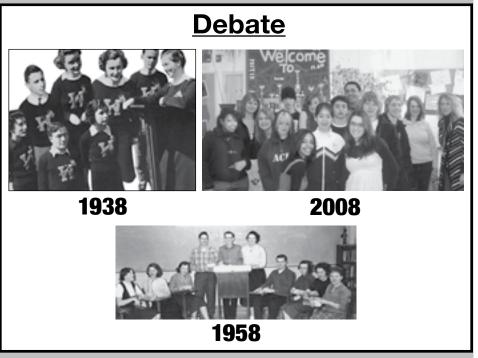
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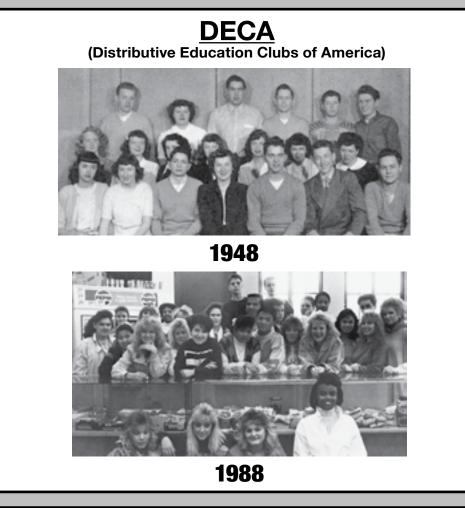


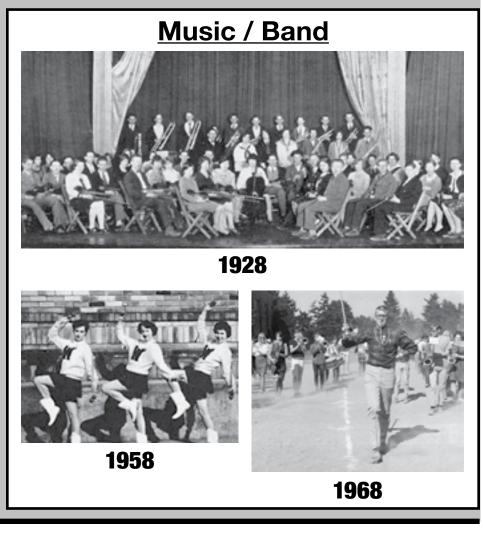










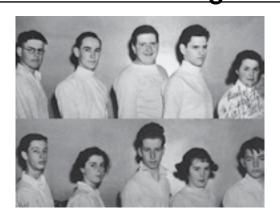


WSHS Student Life: Through the Decades

1928 Senior Play



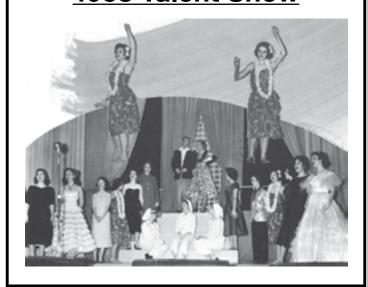
1938 Co-Ed Fencing Team



1948 Senior Play



1958 Talent Show



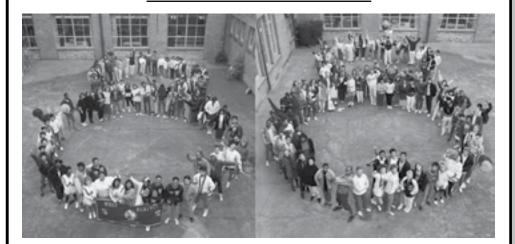
1968 Folk Fest



1978 1st Special Olympics Team



1988 Class Photo



This Year's 30th Reunion Class!

1998 Spirit Week/Homecoming



2008 Art Class



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1968 Sadie Hawkins Dance



1978 Od-Ak-O Club Board

WSHS Student Activites



1988 Sister/Brotherhood Assembly



1938 Garden Club



2008 Cheerleader



1948 Ballet Club



Fred Beckey

HALL OF FAMER, Class of 1941

Mountain climbing legend Fred Beckey, long recognized as the all-time world record holder for the number of first ascents credited to one man, passed away October 30, 2017 at the age of 94.



ing, drawing both from personal experiences as well as study of historical documents to produce a series of Cascade climbing guides, known as "Beckey's Bibles". He taught and inspired generations of climbers.

Fred wrote extensively about mountaineer-

Fred made climbing history in several ways: at age 15, he was among the first to summit Mt. Despair, at 19, he ascended Mt. Waddington, the highest peak in British Columbia's coast range. Alaska's Mt. Beckey is named in his honor.

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Tom Sawyer Class of 1952



Tom Sawyer of Puyallup, WA, beloved husband, father and friend, passed away December 5th, 2017 at the age of 84.

He was born July 31st, 1933 in Everett, WA to Frank Sawyer and Edna Breed Sawyer. He grew up on Vashon Island, and graduated from West Seattle High School. After 4 years in the military, he attended and graduated from Western Washington University, where he met his wife, Gail Gustafson. They were married August 17, 1957 in Bellingham, Washington. Tom taught school and coached football and track for 30 years, first in Port Townsend, WA and then in the Franklin Pierce School District, teaching history, civics and psychology.

After retiring from teaching, he began a second career with Firgrove Mutual Water Co. and worked in the Water Quality field for 25 years. Tom loved the water, and enjoyed many hours of sailing and beachcombing. He also enjoyed camping, gardening and hiking, and as a young man, he hiked the Wonderland Trail.

Tom had a quick wit, an amazing sense of humor and was an eternal optimist. He will be missed. He is survived by his wife Gail, daughters Karen Zook (Joe), Lynne Stallcop (Michael), son Andy (Tracy), grandson Brian Tustison (Aleeza McCant), granddaughters Lucy and June Sawyer, and his sister Helen Stefanka. A private family memorial will be held at a later date.

Gayle Jung Seyl Class of 1965

by Vivian Verbon Gould

On April 25, 2017, our classmate Gayle Jung Seyl passed away unexpectedly. God received another angel and she was reunited with the love of her life Steve who passed away in July 2015.

Gayle and I first met at Madison Junior High School and a life-long friend-ship developed. As young girls, we were very active in a service organization for girls called the International Order of Rainbow for Girls. In high school, Gayle participated in the FTA (Future Teachers of America) and helped with the Senior Breakfast. Her pet peeve was people who did not have a sense of humor and her most memorable moments of high school were her many friends and West Seattle Days. She aspired to go to college and be a teacher.

She did attend Western Washington University for a while, but love got in the way. While working at Todd Shipyard, she met Steve and they were married a short time later. Steve was a career Naval Officer and, as such, they had the opportunity to live in Lisbon, Portugal for a while. Gayle lived for many years on Bainbridge Island where she owned an Auto Parts store. After selling that business, they ventured into Financial Management. Gayle also volunteered and was on the board of West Sound Wildlife Shelter.

They eventually left Bainbridge Island and built a home on Lake Morton in the Covington area. That move made it harder for her to do her volunteer work at the West Sound, so she started volunteering at Puget Sound Wildcare in Maple Valley. She had hoped to get more involved with the rescue, rehabilitation and release of larger birds such as eagles and osprey but, unfortunately, that did not come to fruition.

Gayle was always a West Seattlite at heart and was an avid and active supporter of the West Seattle Historical Society. She loved the old Alki Homestead and, at one point during the remodel, she was able to procure a small piece of a log from the original building which she kept at her house on Lake Morton.

Gayle's memorial service was held at Kiana Lodge on the peninsula and was attended by some of our classmates – Barbara Tilley, Barbara Steinhaus, Mike Hubbard, Curt Hebron, and myself. I apologize if I forgot to mention anyone else who may have been there. It was a beautiful tribute to her life of service to others. Gayle is survived by two daughters and two sons and their respective families, her sister Cheryl (who also graduated from WSHS), and a multitude of friends.

Marian Helen Doty

Teacher

Reprinted from the Seattle Times

Marian Helen Doty passed away peacefully at an adult family home in Seattle on July 21, 2017. She was 91. Marian was born to Harold and Leta Sandborg on October 23, 1925 in Seattle. In her younger years she enjoyed skiing and was an avid golfer, winning the West Texas Amateur Open in the late 1950's.

After graduating from Broadway High School, Marian attended Mills College in Oakland, California, where she graduated with honors, was a member of the Phi Beta Kappa Society, and studied fencing under world fencing champion Helene Mayer. She also met her future husband while attending Mills College. She and Raymond D. Doty, Jr. were wed June 7, 1946 and had two sons, Steven D, Doty currently of Seattle and Douglas C. Doty currently of Camano Island.

Marion retired from teaching, having taught French at Madison Junior High School in West Seattle. She and her lifelong Friend Marie-Therese Breysach, whom she met while studying at the Sorbonne in Paris, then traded in antiques for many years. In later life Marian enjoyed her unique antique collection, reading and gardening and had many happy hours with her swimming pals at Green Lake's Evans' pool

Marian is survived by her two sons, three grandchildren and one great grandchild.

George Nokes

Class of 1958

Reprinted from the Seattle Times

George Nokes Jr., a Seattle fastpitch softball star when the sport was in its heyday locally, died at age 76 in Mesa, Arizona, on April 26.

Nokes is best known as the first baseman for Pay 'n Pak and Peterbilt. He was on the 1980 Peterbilt team that won the national championship. He drove in the winning run in a 1-0 victory over Bay City, Michigan, that put Peterbilt into the semifinals.

In a 1971 article in The Seattle Times, Pay 'n Pak Manager Bill Fenton said, "You can quote me as saying George probably is the finest defensive player I've ever coached." Nokes also hit .421 that season.

Nokes was a graduate of West Seattle High School where he starred in baseball.

To live in hearts we leave behind Is not to die.

~Thomas Campbell "Hallowed Ground"

DECEASED LIST (as of 3/29/2018)

Faculty

Doty, Marian Helen

Marian passed away July 21, 2017

Class of 1934

Parker, Myra Ruth Winquist Ruth passed away February 22, 2018

Class of 1935

Anderson, Gretchen Gibford

Gretchen passed away January 13, 2017

Drugge, Axel

Axel passed away November 27, 2017

O'Connell, Maebelle M

Maebelle passed away March 1, 2018

Class of 1937

Scherf, Maude Kimball

Maude passed away in 2017

Class of 1938

Blakkestad, Phyllis, King Allport Phyllis passed away October 7, 2017

Lettelier,Robert

Bob passed away October 19, 2017

Class of 1939

Maurer, Louise Inlow

Louise passed away May 3, 2017

Skaret, Albert V

Al passed away October 4, 2017

Class of 1940

Crawley, Lawrence N

Larry passed away October 12, 2017 Ericksen, Earl

Earl passed away January 22, 2017

Halseth, Agnes Stauffer

Agnes passed away October 22, 2017

Johnson Doris Gilmour Doris passed away March 20, 2017

LaCamera, Arlene Berg

Arlene passed away August 20, 2017

McGreer Helen Irene Lewis Helen passed away April 14, 2017

Patterson, Eunice Helen Hyllested

Helen passed away November 1, 2016 Sweazey, Martha A Gaby

Martha passed away April 2017

Class of 1941

Beckey, Fred

Fred passed away October 29, 2017 (2014 Hall of Fame)

Brassfield, John Butler

John passed away March 8, 2018

Picinich, Marianne

Marianne passed away November 18, 2017

Welch, Bernice

Bernice passed away March 35, 2018

Class of 1942

Johnson, Laura M

Laura passed away February 19, 2018

Class of 1943

Bayless Jr, George A George passed away October 2, 2017

Charles passed away November 17, 2016

Hallberg, Richard

Dick passed away August 22, 2017

Kastner, Lewis Wesley

Wes passed away November 1, 2017

Wilkinson, Patricia Person

Patricia passed away November 2017 Rojnovsky, Valentina Violet Bostick

Valentina passed away November 13, 2017

Class of 1944

Brys, Ruth Greenback

Ruth passed away July 20, 2017 Fitch, William L

Bill passed away April 15, 2017

Pedersen, William A

Bill passed away November 19, 2017 Saari Lila Corrock

Lila passed away December 5, 2017

Van Nostran, June Schomberg Espe June passed away July 8, 2017

Class of 1945

Joseph, John E

John passed away January 13, 2017

Terrey, John N

John passed away December 28, 2017

Seely, Victor

Vic passed away August 5, 2016

Class of 1946

Bailey, Patricia Jasper

Patricia passed away December 18, 2017

Claussen, Dean Oliver

Dean passed away August 18, 2017

Jaeger, Romae Marinovich

Romae passed away January 6, 2017 Nilson, Evelyn Coy

Evelyn passed away November 4, 2017

Smith, Wayne Wayne passed away December 8, 2017

Class of 1947

Berry, Gertrude

Gertrude passed away December 21, 2015

Burnham, John C

John passed away May 12, 2017 Crader, William J

Bill passed away December 23, 2017

Jensen, Constance Chabot-Hill Connie passed away February 13, 2018

Class of 1948

Londean, Henry

Henry passed away October 30, 2017

Neville, Margaret Carey

Margaret passed away June 25, 2017

Seeley, John W

John passed away December 22, 2017

Class of 1949

Amer, Eileen I Bear

Eileen passed away January 15, 2016

Frydenlund, Roger Roger passed away September 2, 2016

Iden, Alice J Carpenter

Alice passed away January 8, 2016 Kort, Jean Derheim

Jean passed away January 21, 2018

Martin, Shirley White Shirley passed away May 4, 2017

Thorsen, Stanley William Stan passed away January 11, 2018

Whitehaus, Marianne McClane Marianne passed away September 18, 2017

Class of 1950 **Connell, Frances Watanabe**

Frances passed away April 23, 2017

Korth, Daurene Galliher Daurene passed away July 21, 2017

McCaughan, Marlin E Marlin passed away December 28, 2017

Ostlund, James

Dr Ostlund passed away March 17, 2017

Class of 1951

Anderson, Lenora Bone

Lenora passed away July 14, 2017 Champneys, Barbara G Smith

Barbara passed away May 15, 2017

Chehey, Dean P Dean passed away January 2017

Grimes, Joan Minaglia

Joan passed away January 29, 2017 Menaglia, Gloria Bergren

Gloria passed away February 19, 2018 Rovig, Betty Mae Best

Betty passed away May 5, 2017

Toepke, Charles A

Charles passed away February 11, 2017

Class of 1952

Kreklow, Ronald

Ron passed away July 18, 2017 Parry, Myrna Stadtfeld

Myrna passed away January 7, 2016 Shroeder, Barbara Eggebraten

Barbara passed away January 7, 2018 Thomason, Jovce Carfrae

Joyce passed away February 18, 2018

Class of 1953

Carfrae, Joyce Elise

Dorothy passed away February 18, 2018

Farnell, Dorothy H Bahr Dorothy passed away March 20, 2017

Parmelee, Charles R Chuck passed away August 2, 2017

Stockwell, George

George passed away November 28, 2017

Class of 1954

Andersen, Carole Jeanette Swenson

Carole passed away September 3, 2017 Johnson, Phyllis Chesterfield Phyllis passed away November 16, 2017

Lowe, Myrna Marshall

Myrna passed away January 24, 2017

Wayne passed away May 30, 2017

Roper, Richard V

Richard passed away March 16, 2017

Saari, Lila Corrock Lila passed away December 5, 2017

Schaper, Lillian M Warner Lillian passed away October 30, 2016

Thompson, Shirley June Pruett Shirley passed away July 13, 2017

Class of 1955

Anderson Jr, Theodore R

Ted passed away May 1, 2017

Clymer, Robert

Bob passed away December 2015 Flint, Carolyn Joyce Nay

Carolyn passed away September 12, 2017 Gleason, Phyliss Anderson

Phyliss passed away December 10, 2017 Hile, Richard Richard passed away May 4, 2017

Ingberg, Carol Westergren

Carol passed away March 9, 2017 Lehwalder, Carol Carol passed away January 16, 2017

Mason, Roland

Roland passed away August 25, 2017 Porter, David H

Shirley passed away April 19, 2017

David passed away June 30, 2016 Sherman, Shirley Ann Range

Williams, Audrey Mae Dr Williams passed away December 20, 2015

Class of 1956 **Davis, Elizabeth Schweers**

Elizabeth passed away August 7, 2017 **Doolittle, Pauline Riblett**

Pauline passed away May 27, 2017 Haswell, Kathy Setzer Kathy passed away September 27, 2017

Hughes, Paula Gonzales Paula passed away December 23, 2017

Kroll, Onakay Voelpel Onakay passed away March 25, 2017

Smails, Susan Hamm Susan passed away January 14, 2018

Sullivan, Bernard E Bernie passed away June 28, 2017

Class of 1957 Busse, Richard J

Dick passed away May 30, 2016 Cameron, Peter R

Pete passed away April 6, 2017

Poyneer, Robert Bob passed away June 2017 Saxwold, Diane Egan

Diane passed away May 29, 2017 Schubert Jr, Kenneth L (2012 Hall of Fame)

Ken passed away July 20, 2017 Thompson, Robert W Bob passed away March 5, 2017

Walker, Joanne McGrath Joanne passed away February 14, 2016

Walker, Sandra Adams Sandra passed away March 5, 2017 Wilhelm, Sharon Marie Jones

Class of 1958

Aiken, Joseph Joe passed away November 28, 2016

Sharon passed away June 17, 2017

Baldridge, Robert Bob passed away September 5, 2017

Claboe, Mike Mike passed away March 13, 2017

Cleaveland, Claudia Sweeney Claudia passed away October 21, 2017 Collyer, Cathleen Willis

Cathy passed away April 4, 2016 Fahnstock, Gary

Kelly Jr, Delbert J

Del passed away April 18, 2017

Gary passed away November 1, 2016

Kelly Nancy K Marshall

Nancy passed away March 18, 2017

Miller, Robert W

Bob passed away March 3, 2017

Nokes, George A

George passed away April 25, 2017

Reynolds, Emily Joann Ribail Emily passed away January 27, 2017

Troudt, Dale Dale passed away April 19, 2017

Williams, Donna Kessler

Donna passed away July 15, 2017

Class of 1959

Holgate, Gary D

Gary passed away March 9, 2017

Class of 1960

Baker, Michael Mike passed away April 2017

Dortero, Gail M Nagy

Gail passed away September 23, 2017 Jacobson, Kristian B Kristian passed away May 13, 2017

Class of 1961

Blackington, Merrillee Hagen Merrillee passed away April 9, 2017

Johnson, Lynda Lynda passed away November 2, 2017

Frazer, Jacqueline Richey Jackie passed away June 26, 2017

McIntosh, Sharon Jenson

Class of 1962

King, James Jim passed away November 3, 2017

Sharon passed away June 15, 2016

Miller, Jennifer Cole Jennifer passed away December 28, 2017

Class of 1963

Borgen, Ken

Ken passed away October 9, 2017 Born, Brian M

Brian passed away May 1, 2016

Quentin, James Jim passed away June 27, 2017

Qualls, Nancy Ann

Class of 1964

Nancy passed away July 17, 2017 Tawes. John T

John passed away May 5, 2016

Class of 1965 Bransdorf, Sue Ellen Cameron

Sue passed away July 27, 2017

Gangnes, Sandra Winquist Sandra passed away August 6, 2017

Jung, Gayle Ann Seyl

Gayle passed away April 25, 2017 Strong, Richard

Class of 1966

Richard passed away September 3, 2016

Rice, Carol Benner Carol passed away March 26, 2017

Ron passed away March 26, 2017

Larsen, Ronald William

Class of 1967 Riedasch, Eleen Northcutt Eleen passed away January 31, 2017

Class of 1968

Coach, Craig Koch Craig passed away April 15, 2017

Ericson, Gregory Greg passed away October 10, 2017 **Hunter Terry Flue**

Terry passed away December 24, 2016 Mason, Paul R Paul passed away April 2, 2017

Thomas, Susan Mary Stiller Susan passed away February 26, 2018

Class of 1970 Moon, Mark

Class of 1971

Coleman, John Dennis

Mark passed away March 16, 2017

John passed away May 6, 2017

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TRANSITIONS

WSHS Alum, Class of 1954, Turbaned as a Nigerian Chief

By Pauline Poppelreiter Couch, '52

Dr. Ron Rice, Class of 1954, was turbaned as a Nigerian Chief, honored for his work providing wheelchairs for Nigerian polio survivors. Rice may be the first white man in all of Nigeria so honored; if not the first, then one of very few.

There is more polio in Nigeria than anywhere in the world. Tens of thousands of children and adults spend their lives crawling on the ground. Rotary International, the Gates Foundation and others are spending billions to eradicate polio. In fact the last 3 cases in Nigeria were in August 2016. The bad news is that very little is being done for the survivors. Rice and his Nigerian partner, Ayuba Gufwan, who walks on his hands from polio, have a shop in Jos, Nigeria with 65 employees where they build a self-pedaled tricycle made of bicycle parts. So far they have built and donated over 16,000 wheelchairs, far, far more than anyone else is doing for polio survivors in all of Nigeria.

16,000 wheelchairs have just scratched the surface. Most of these polio survivors are hidden away. If you couldn't get any further from your house than you could crawl on your hands and knees, you wouldn't be out in public very often. A \$150 wheelchair transforms that person's life! Rice has also given out thousands of folding white canes to blind students, and provides food, electricity and computers and other help for 430 deaf students at a desperately poor boarding school for the deaf.

Rice has a 501c3 nonprofit called Wheelchairs for Nigeria and seeks to raise \$15,000 every month to fund this program. He receives no salary. Watch the 5 minute video on his website, www.WheelchairforNigeria.org to get an overview of the project.

In September, Rice made his 25th trip to Nigeria, where he and his partner Ayuba did 9 large wheelchair presentations in 6 different states, each involving

6-10 hours of driving on very dangerous roads, and gave out over 500 wheelchairs in 3 weeks.

His main responsibility in his retirement is raising money for these wheelchairs which cost \$150 each. He has to raise \$15,000 a month to keep the shop in full production. So far he has raised \$1.5 million. Thousands of kids, who otherwise sit at home, unable to crawl long distances to school, are now in school because they now have mobility. Thousands of adults who could never get further from their





home than they could crawl, now can find a job, go to the market, to church or to the mosque, because they have mobility. However at almost every wheel-chair presentation, far more people show up whose names are not on the list, hoping to get a wheelchair. So the need remains huge.

In one of the September presentations, a member of Nigeria's House of Representatives (similar to the US Congress) organized a distribution of 70 wheel-chairs in his city. He said "No one has ever done anything like this for the disabled of Bauchi." The Chief Imam of the Central Mosque said, "These people have come from a faraway country and they are not even Muslims, but their religion has taught them to have mercy and compassion on needy ones." The President of the Handicapped Association lamented the neglect of the disabled and challenged the people to emulate the white man who came all the way from America to care for the handicapped.





A Biography of Ron Rice, Class of '54

By Pauline Poppelreiter Couch. '52

Have you noticed just how many extraordinary lives have been written about in your Chinook throughout the years? Dr. Ron Rice, class of 1954, is another West Seattle graduate whose contributions have been quietly creating happier and more productive lives worldwide.

Rice is a retired Presbyterian pastor, having attended Lafayette, Madison, WSHS ('54), Whitworth University ('58), Princeton Theological Seminary ('61) and received his doctorate from San Francisco Seminary ('78). He has served pastorates at Bellevue Presbyterian, chaplain at Whitworth University, First Presbyterian of Centralia, WA and is back on the staff at West Side Presbyterian where he grew up and was ordained in 1962. He has also been a semi-professional photographer since college days, and now his videos are raising tens of thousands of dollars for wheelchairs. In October, Whitworth University honored Rice as Alumni of the Year.

Rice was a Boy Scout in Andy Nelson's Troop 282, and became the troop's first Eagle Scout. Scouting instilled a lifelong appreciation of camping, hiking and mountain climbing, including ascents of Mt. Rainier and other Pacific Northwest peaks. One of Rice's most memorable West Seattle High teachers was Mrs. Dorothy Smith, who broadened his focus to the world. He put himself through 7 years of school with photography, and met his wife Sharon while photographing a Whitworth wedding.

Upon graduation from Princeton in 1961, the newlyweds took a 9-month trip around the world on a shoestring, visiting 34 countries, including camping for 5 months throughout Europe, the Soviet Union and the Middle East. Love of travel has continued, so that in May 2017 they made a 12-country tour by bus and train through the Balkans and Eastern Europe, trying to get to 100 countries before old age caught up. The Ukraine was their 104th country. They have been happily married for 57 years, and have three grown children and 6 grandchildren.

Congratulations WSHS 2017-2018 Girls Basketball Team for taking 3rd in State

Students Study State Government

February 1965





8th Grade Graduation, Gatewood School, 1924

Future Members of WSHS Class of 1928



Elmer Sears, Jr., Gladys Wood, Walter Coy, Angus Kelly, Jeanette Haugland, Frank Warinella, Mary Warinella, Floyd Armstead, Winnifred Shields, Earl Johnson, Thelma Overstreet, Franklin Sherwin, Francis Huard, Helen Rowe, Virginia Kahlke, Edgar Rogge, Leonard Blauvelt, Bob Forester, Courtney Carey, Betty Reese, Harold Young, Conrad Campion, Doris Rudolph, Helen Canedy, Walter Davies, Hjordis Gunderson, George Heyer, Grace Osborn, Helen Gordon, Patrice Townsend, Harry Brazell, Marcella Rhodes, Frank Mc_(illegible), Mrs F.D. McGrady

A Gingerbread West Seattle High



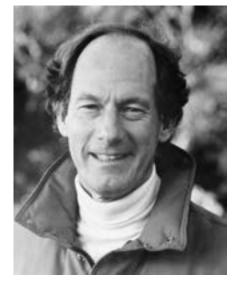
A Christmas 2017 gingerbread display of the West Seattle High School at the Husky Deli.

Photo submitted by Dana Rambo Hopkins

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Jim Whittaker, Class of '47

May 2018 marks 55 years since Jim Whittaker reached the top of Mt. Everest





Librarian Georgia Sealoff



Retired WSHS Librarian Georgia Sealoff observes the Year of the Horse (February 1978)

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 2, 2018.

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 2, 2018 between the hours of 4pm and 7pm.

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













The West Seattle Junction

Summer 2017

The West Seattle Junction still has that small town feeling. In summer of 2017 there were tall trees and hanging flower baskets that adorned the buildings and

historical street lamps outside the Starbucks on the south east corner of California and Alaska.

Photos by Ted Foss







The 2017 All School Reunion

June 2017







Preparing for the 2017 Centennial Celebration and the WSHS Group Hug Photograph.

Above: The silent auction and decorations on display at the 2017 All School Reunion.

Right: A display of historic Chinook publications available at the 2017 All School Reunion.



DECEASED LIST continued from Page 31

Class of 1972

Capeloto, Dave S

Dave passed away December 27, 2017 Grobe, Elizabeth Corcoran

Liz passed away July 29, 2017

Mies, Susan Strom

Susan passed away in October 2015 Nicholson, Bill

Bill passed away May 14, 2017

Class of 1973

Hutchison, Steven

Hutch passed away September 23, 2017

Class of 1974

Johnson, Janis Lynn Olson Jan passed away December 23, 2017

Class of 1975

Held, Mark

Mark passed away December 22, 2017

McLaughlin, Ken

Ken passed away in January 2016

Modin, Timothy Tim passed away December 24, 2016

Jim passed away August 18, 2017

Class of 1977

Majors, James E James passed away in June 2017

Class of 1978

Canham, Russell

Russ passed away 2017

Roose, Tod

Tod passed away April 7, 2017

Class of 1980

Coffin, Roberta

Roberta passed away April 24, 2012

Duncan, Delaine Dee Loftus

Delaine passed away January 31, 206

Schultz, Kathleen Thompson Kathy passed away in March 2015

Class of 1982

Erickson, Michele

Michele passed away January 22, 2018

Class of 1983

Dunston, Kevin

Kevin passed away in January 2018

Hill, Sheila Sheila passed away in February 2017

Class of 2009

Batchelder, David Windsor Thaddeus Thad passed away 11/20/2013

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Reunion Reminders

1948—There is a Reunion luncheon being held on July 14 from 12:00 noon until 2:30 pm or so, in the gym at Our Lady Of Guadalupe Church, located 7000 35th Ave SW, Seattle. The cost will be \$25.00 cash or check at the door.

1950—Because our big class reunions are over we now try to have an annual lunch gathering, which is held on a Monday at the Chelan Cafe. No host, both ladies and gents. Everyone who has attended seems to enjoy themselves. If you would like to be notified, call Gloria Thompson McCarty at 206-938-4446.

1951—We are planning our 67th reunion luncheon at the Sizzler Restaurant at 16615 Southcenter parkway in Tukwila. Jim and Dick Burnham reserved a private room for Thursday, June 14th from 11am to 3pm.

1953—We are planning our 65 reunion this June 2nd for a lunch at Salty's at Alki. From there, we will be able to go in the late afternoon to the all school reunion. Our last reunion was an 80th birthday party and we had over 80 people attend the lunch, so we hope to do as well or better this time.

1958—Our 60th reunion will be our last event.

GOLF TOURNAMENT See you Friday, August 10, 2018 at 7:00AM for our 21st annual tournament at Auburn Golf Course. Call Sandy Aldworth @ 425 837 1233 or Jim Allgire@ 253 350 3493.

REUNION DINNER

It will be held on Saturday, August 11, 2018 at Rainier Golf & Country Club beginning at 3:00 with dinner at 5:00PM. Information was mailed out in April. Your class of 1958 reunion committee will have met close to thirty times to make sure this will be a memory we all will cherish.

1960—It will be time for our 60th reunion in 2020 before you know it. Your committee will start to meet before too long to begin making plans for our get together. It will probably be an afternoon event so that the festivities can conclude before it gets too late or too dark. Keep this in mind for the summer of 2020. If you have any ideas or want to join in the planning, contact either of the above classmates or Linda Torp Deskins (dlhobbyhorse@comcast. net).

1963—Our 55th class reunion is set for Thursday, May 17, 2018. It will be held at the Bahama Breeze, 15700 Southcenter Pkwy, Tukwila from 5 to 9 pm. The food will be cocktail style with a no host bar in a casual setting. The cost is \$35 a person. RSVPs were

due by March 31, 2018 to Jane Hollingsworth "63" 8319 California Ave. S. W. Seattle, WA. 98136

This is your invitation and we hope that you will be able to join us

1964—Looks like we'll need to put our thinking caps on to plan an event for our 55th reunion in 2019.

We've been holding our minireunions now each summer and the turnout has been delightful! We've had a couple of offers for a place to hold a picnic in the summer of 2018, but we haven't been able to designate the exact place or time as of this writing (February 12th), so watch your mail for a postcard invitation soon, if it hasn't already arrived by the time the Chinook gets sent out. Each of you is special to all of us, so come join us any time at the All-School Reunion or one of our picnics.

Don't forget to watch your mail for the announcement of this summer's picnic. Hope to see you there!

1965—I urge you to come to the ASR; it's fun to see classmates and also those from the other classes. There's cool old cars parked out front and always local after parties.

Don't forget our WSHS class of 1965 tradition of the Polar Bear Plunge! Hope to see everyone next New Years' at The Plunge!

1966—6/2/18: All School Reunion from 4 PM to 7 PM at WSHS

6/6/18: 'Celebrating 70' Starting at 1:00 PM at 'The Bridge'

1967—We are hoping to have an impromptu gathering (probably a picnic) sometime this summer. Keep your eye on the website for all the details. We also have a Facebook page; West Seattle High School Class of 1967. Come to the picnic. It'll be fun.

Don't forget about the All School Reunion on the first Saturday of June at the high school.

1968—It is here, our 50th reunion! We chose Friday June 2, 2018 as the date, which is also the date for the WSHS All School Reunion. We did this so that folks coming in from out of town would have the opportunity to attend both events. Remember, since it's our 50th we gather in the large area - on the main floor - at the main entrance. For our class celebration the committee chose the Brockey Center at South Seattle College. (Address is 6000 16th Ave. S.W. Seattle, WA 98106. Social hour is scheduled at 5:30PM - 7:00PM. Dinner at 7:00PM) This is the same location where we held our 40th reunion.

If you have not received a notice and wish to attend please contact John Herron at johnshelleyherron@gmail.com or by phone (206) 735-8426. If you know of a classmate that has not heard about the reunion please pass the information on to them.

1969—Our reunion committee will be sending out more information about the 50th as we get closer to 2019.

1970—Now it's time to think about our 50th celebration in June 2020. Talking with many, you have said you like the idea of having it at "Salty's" since this is the "BIG ONE". I could probably use some help. Patty Kloster has offered and I usually get some help for my besties but more is always needed. Please contact me at my email: vaux01015@msn.com.

1971—HELLO CLASS OF 1971! IT IS TIME TO START MAKING PLANS FOR OUR 50TH REUNION!!

Reflecting back on our 40th

Reunion at Salty's the cost per person may have prevented ALL of our class from attending. This time around EVERYONE from the WSHS CLASS of 1971 (and Plus +1s) may show up to enjoy what will be a REMARKABLY MEMORABLE TIME. In order to do this we have set up a **GOFUNDME ACCOUNT at** GOFUNDME.COM/WSHS1971. This should be a perfect way to raise the funds necessary. Our GOAL is to raise a minimum of \$15,000. The venue has not been set at this time so we are figuring about \$5,000 for our 50th Celebration. The balance will be donated to the Alumni Association as our legacy to the school. Each year the Class celebrating their 50th leave a donation to the scholarship fund and/or the operating fund which keeps your Alumni Association....operating. Whether you can contribute \$10 or \$10,000 to our cause will be **GREATLY APPRECIATED BY ALL** of us attending. GOFUNDME.COM/WSHS1971

The ONLY CHALLENGE we have at this time is trying to find 3 MORE PEOPLE TO HELP with the PLANNING the EVENT so we will all have a very memorable time. We need your HELP in order to pull this together for an outstanding 50th.

Please consider "PAYING IF FORWARD" for you and your classmates. You can help with either your time, money, or both at GOFUNDME.COM/WSHS1971

Contact Karen Dobbs at 206-390-0185 and kswdobbs@comcast. net or Jim Biava at 206-387-2683 and jim@jimbiava.com.
ALL OF THE WESTSIDE CLASS OF 1971 THANK YOU so much for your help. We look forward to seeing EVERYONE at our 50th in 2021 (it's sooner than you think)!

1972—So, next milestone? The Big 5-0 in 2022 and we need ideas! Where? When? How many days of events? Volunteers to start the planning are needed and if several take on tasks the event will be much easier to put together. Kathy Dempsey Itter stepped up to take care of memorializing our classmates who have passed. Please send your ideas to Gail and Christy—it's only four years away!

1973—The Class of 1973 is beginning to plan a 45th Reunion.

Please contact: wshs1973reunion@gmail.com for more information.

1978—SAVE THE DATE! WEST SEATTLE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF "78" 40TH REUNION!

WHEN: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2018

WHERE: THE RAINIER GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB (SEATTLE, WA) https://www.rainiergolfcc.com/

TIME: 5:00pm - 12:30 am

MUSIC: PROVIDED BY PRO DJS www.proDJsound.com

COST: \$60.00 PER PERSON (PAYMENT OPTIONS & PAYPAL LINK WILL BE PROVIDED AT A LATER DATE) NO HOST BAR (CASH, DEBIT & CREDIT ACCEPTED)

MENU: MORE DETAILS TO COME

More details on our upcoming 40th reunion will be provided at a later date. We will mail out payment options with the Paypal payment link sometime in April or May. I have inserted a few pictures below from our 35 year reunion to show what a great time we had!

Please make sure to mark your calendars for the All School Reunion which will be held on Saturday, June 2, 2018 from 4-7pm at the school. You can check the West Seattle High School Alumni page on Facebook for more details.

We have a Class page on Facebook. If you join Facebook send me a friend request then I can add you to the class page. If you want to check it out just type West Seattle High School Class of 1978 in the search box on Facebook. It's been a great place to post stuff going on with our class & keep everyone connected in between reunions!

If you have any ideas, suggestions or questions please feel free to send them to us at our e-mails shown below.

We look forward to seeing everyone at our upcoming 40th Reunion!

Denise Dawson Minnerly - Class Rep "78 denisem49@comcast.net Denette Wells - Co-Class Rep "78" denettew@comcast.net

1980—The general consensus was that we felt we would like to catch up with each other more often throughout the year to support each other in our various endeavors. Let's make it another great turnout for this year's All School Reunion and keep a good thing going!

1988—"WSHS Class of 1988 Alumni – 30 Year Graduation Reunion – June 23rd/24th. Please visit https://www. facebook.com/WSHS1988 for information and announcements regarding our upcoming event(s). You may also contact toddking@ hotmail.com.

Join the West Seattle High School Alumni Association and ensure your reunion organizer is able to find you through the Alumni's database. See Page 7 for Alumni membership details.

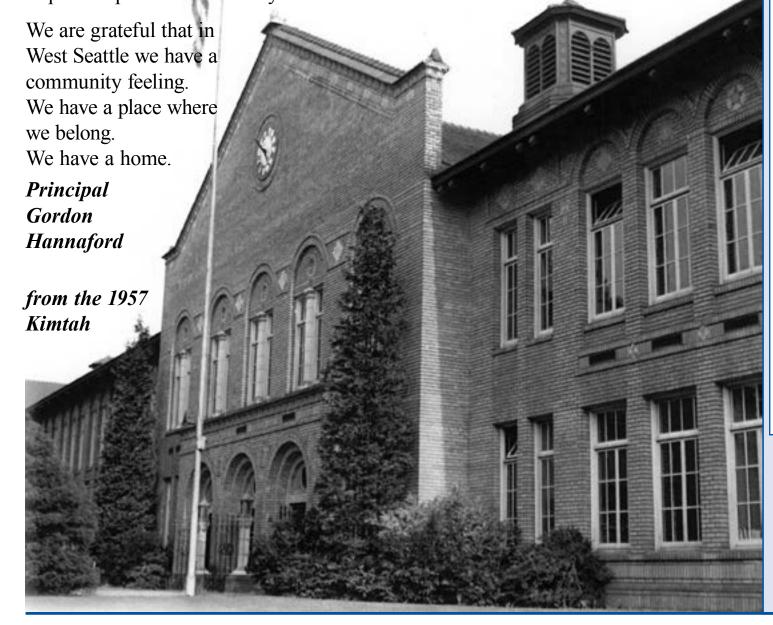


The West Seattle High School Alumni Chinook, 2018 • All-School Reunion Saturday, June 2, 2018

The Spirit of West Seattle

The spirit of West Seattle is not a thing you can put your finger on. You can't point and say "There it is." But that it does exist is a fact beyond question. We see it at athletic contests, where we always have many people from the community supporting our teams. We see it in many active service clubs oh it exists alright.

And a very good thing it is, too. One of the problems of living in a large city is that one may become footloose, rootless, just another member of the lonely crowd. We do not thrive under such conditions as we have a need to belong: we want to be important parts of the society in which we live.



WSHS Alumni Association All-School Reunion Saturday, June 2, 2018 4:00pm - 7:30pm

Schedule Of Events:

4:00 - 4:30 pm

Sign in, pick up programs, name tag and roam the halls

4:30 - 5:30 pm

Individual Class Reunions in assigned rooms

5:00 - 5:30 pm

Hall of Fame Members' video plays in the Theater

5:30 - 7:00 pm

Presentations in the Theater: Recognition of the 50th Reunion Class of 1968, Hall of Fame induction, Scholarships awarded

In addition:

4:00 - 5:30 pm

View the Classic Cars showcased on SW Stevens outside the Historical entrance

4:00 - 6:30 pm

WSHS Alumni Merchandise items available for purchase in The Commons

4:00 - 6:30 pm

Silent Auction in The Commons. Proceeds to the Alumni Association's Operating Fund

4:00 - 7:30 pm

Refreshments available for purchase from and to benefit the 2018 Student Boosters to benefit their programs

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

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

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