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## **President's Letter**



Dear Fellow Bobcats:

We extend the happiest New Year to you all. May 2016 bring you and your loved ones good health and happiness all the year long.

We thank each of you for your continued support through annual dues contributions, and especially thank the many LIFE members who continue to send additional funds every year. The generosity of contributors to the Paws, Big Cats, Top Cat Clubs, and In Memory is to be commended. Thank you, all.

The GHHSAA Legacy Society was formed in 2011. We are thrilled to welcome the eighth member, Bill Neal '55. We are humbled and extremely grateful to share that the GHHSAA was recently contacted by the Neal 1995 Living Trust. Bill passed

away August 18, 2015, and had bequeathed \$50,000 to the GHHSAA. Per the Trust instructions, \$20,000 will benefit the Brotherhood of Rooks Scholarship Fund, and the \$30,000 balance will fund the new Bill Neal Annual Scholarship Fund. On behalf of current students and all alumni, thank you Neal Family.

The second Class of '16 in GHHS history is halfway through its senior year, and they are living up to the legacy set by recent graduates ahead of them. The Class of 2016 is extremely impressive in both scholastics and athletics including the first time ever regional football champions. We're proud of you all.

This is the largest newsletter we've ever produced. Please enjoy all the information and good news. Please make special note of:

- Memorial Day Ceremony Thursday May 26
- Memorial Day Parade Saturday May 28
- 101st GHHS Graduation Sunday May 29
- Alumni Night Friday September 16. We hope many classes plan their reunions around this weekend.

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I have joked that I feel like Charlie of "Charlie's Angels", doing very little to produce this newsletter, but getting most of the praise that my "Angels" deserve. The real credit belongs to angels Teri Antolino Williams '74, Molly Hammer Tanner '82, and Kathy Koch '85. They are a dedicated team with true blue Bobcat Spirit! Sincerely,

Tom Smith '63

Have a great memory about your days at GHHS? Please share with the extended Bobcat family! Email your story to GHHSAA@ hotmail.com. Send photos!

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#### OUR GREATEST TEAM

# The 2015 GHHS Football Bobcats



by Tom Smith '63

For those lucky enough to follow the 2015 Bobcats live and on the field, and for those able to listen to them on the www. ghfootball.com webcast, you know this was an unforgettable football season. For all alumni who may have missed this season, let us share with you the Greatest Bobcat Football Team of All Time.

There are no names to be mentioned, because this was a TEAM. If you want to research individual accolades, you will discover two First Team All-State players and numerous others recognized with high honors. These young men started with two-a-days in late July and didn't finish the season until the Saturday after Thanksgiving. That is four months of giving 100% every day. The season kicked off against Centennial with our opponent going 80 yards in two plays for a touchdown and some not optimistic fans saying, "uhhh ohhh," but the Bobcats got on a roll and easily won the game 38-14. Our Bobcats stayed on that roll beating Berne Union 38-6 and North Union 34-26. Our team stumbled losing 37-44 in a 'who had the ball last' game against Academy. They picked themselves up the next games beating London 41-27, Whitehall 45-8, West Jefferson 35-6, Madison Plains 42-12, Grove City Christian 64-16, and then beat Bexley 21-10.

Our outstanding W-L record garnered a third of eight seed in our Region 21. We hosted a Home game against a team from down on the Ohio River named River High School. They had a 11-1 record, but they ran into the Bobcat buzz saw. GHHS won 56-15. Our next game was in Chillicothe against Lucasville Valley - the opponent that had knocked the 2005 and 2013 Bobcats out of tournament play. It was a defensive slugfest and the Bobcats won 14-6 to advance for the first time in history to the Regional Finals. In Newark, Ohio we played Fredericktown, a 12-1 team that had upset the #1 seed just two weeks earlier. It was wet and cold, another great defensive game ending in favor of the Bobcats 25-14, and landing the Bobcats our first Regional Championship football title.

For the first time in the history of Grandview Heights football, the Bobcats qualified for the State semi-final game. It was played in Mansfield against Kirtland – a team with six straight visits to the State finals, two State Championships, and only three losses since 2011.

It was another wet and cold night football night. Kirtland scored a TD early in the first quarter, 7-0, and scored again at the beginning of the second quarter. The rest of the Q2 was all defense. As the clock ran down at the half, our outstanding kicker hit a 35-yard field goal and the half ended 14-3 Kirtland. The third quarter was all defense by both teams and the score remained 14-3.

Grandview kept digging in and stopping Kirtland, and Kirtland did the same to the Bobcats. With about six minutes remaining, Kirtland punted to our 20yard line. After a short running play, we threw a 74-yard TD pass to the tight end. The snap for the extra point was off and the holder tried to run it in for 2 points, but was stopped short. The score was 14-9 with five minutes left.

After another Bobcat defensive stand, we had the ball on our own 15-yard line with less than three minutes to go. Running against the best Division VI team in Ohio, we gained a first down, then a bootleg for a first down, then a pass for a first down. Time was running out and we were just past midfield. Another nice pass got us to their 15-yard line with about 30 seconds to go. A couple passes were incomplete, and a desperation pass with 12 seconds left was intercepted.

Final score 14-9, Kirtland.

While the scoreboard was not in our favor, our champion spirit and sportsmanship soared. Our fine young men congratulated Kirtland after the game. A week later, our team attended the State Championship game as spectators cheering for the team that knocked us out of the playoff race. That's class. Kirtland won their third State Championship in six years as our boys cheered them on.

Grandview will graduate some great senior players this year, but the Bobcat football team had many underclassmen starters this year, and has a deep bench. The future is bright. We salute the Greatest Bobcat Football Team. Thank you for a great season. Thank you for demonstrating excellence on the field and in sportsmanship. Thank you for making us proud to be Bobcats. Congratulations on a truly exemplary season.

## Legacy Society

We are equally humbled and honored to welcome the eighth GHHS Legacy Society member: Bill Neal '55. Sadly Bill passed away in 2015. We extend our condolences to the Neal family and loved ones.

In extraordinary generosity, the Neal Family Living Trust has donated \$50,000 to the GHHSAA -\$20,000 dedicated to the Brotherhood of Rooks Scholarship fund and \$30,000 for the Bill Neal Annual Scholarship. Calling all classmates and friends that knew Bill: Please share with us your remembrances of him for the Spring 2016 newsletter. We wish to express extreme gratitude for this amazing gift that will benefit so many Grandview graduates for generations to come. Thank you, Bill.



## California Bans All Bobcat Trapping — Thank You

Thanks to Rosie Wilson Branson '58 for sharing this with us.

A huge win in our work to save predators: The California Fish and Game Commission voted to ban commercial bobcat trapping throughout the state. A hard-fought bill sponsored by the Center for Biological Diversity and approved by the California legislature in 2013 stopped bobcat trapping on the borders of national and state parks and other protected areas, but this week's vote took the final step to end commercial trapping of these beloved cats.

Over the past few years, a rising demand for bobcat pelts in China and Russia has driven up fur prices and caused a boom in bobcat trapping in California. The Center and allies have been working to stop this killing. The new ban was approved 3-2 by the commission.

Thank you to the tens of thousands of those who raised their voice to the wildlife commission in support showing that you value bobcats alive rather than as commodities. Every letter and voice counted in this victory. Get more from KCET News.



## **GHHS** Veterans

We commend all of our united military forces protecting our freedoms and serving America with honor and dedication. We want to be sure we know our Bobcat veterans and designate them as such in our database, plus salute them once a year in the newsletter. We will publish a list of all known alumni veterans in the Spring 2016 newsletter, which will be mailed right before Memorial Day. Did you serve? Your children? Your parents? Your siblings? Please e-mail GHHSAA@hotmail. com, or send a note to GHHSAA, PO Box 12116, Columbus, OH 43212 with the veteran graduate's name, graduation year, branch of service, and years served. Include photos and interesting stories if desired. Thank you for your service.

# **Teacher's Scholarship**

Thank you Catherine Scanland Brubaker '46 for the idea to honor each year one of the many fine teachers who have taught through the history of Grandview Heights Schools. We'll do this via an Educator's Scholarship. Beginning in 2016, a GHHSAA scholarships will be given in the name of an outstanding former GHHS teacher.

Catherine nominated Mary L. Derivan to be the first teacher recognized at the scholarship ceremony in April. Mary Derivan taught History while a member of the GHHS Faculty from the 30s to the 60s. She received a BS in History from OSU and MA Degree from Columbia University. She is remembered and respected by all who knew her for her intelligence, kindness, and how caring and supportive she was to others. The 2016 GHHSAA Teacher's Scholarship will be awarded to a student interested in becoming a teacher and/or historian.

For those interested in nominating teachers to be recognized in the future, or wish to donate to this specific scholarship fund, please contact GHHSAA at GHHSAA@hotmail.com, or by mail at GHHSAA, PO Box 12116, Columbus, OH 43212. If making a contribution to this fund, please write "Teachers" in the memo field of your check.

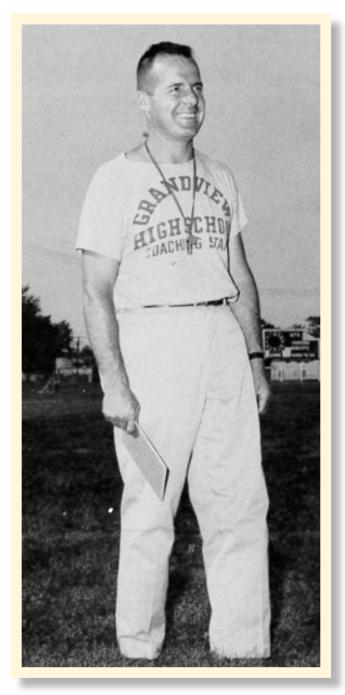
# FACEBOOK

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# "DON'T GET YOUR DOBBERS DOWN"

by Joe Arganbright '61 and Jeff Todd '63

Legendary GHHS football coach Robin Priday turned 92 last August. He was one of the most liked and respected football coaches and teachers ever associated with Grandview.



He resides with his wife Carol at an assisted living facility in Westerville, Ohio. Robin was born in Washington August 23, 1923. His family moved several times throughout Robin's early years, before settling in the West Jefferson area in the midthirties. In 1937, he became a freshman at West Jefferson High School. After a very successful high school football career, Robin was recruited by The Ohio State University to play football for first year coach Paul Brown. Robin was the substitute quarterback behind team captain George Lynn.

As a sophomore in 1942, Robin was playing a great deal as the second team quarterback. He was most proud of being a teammate and active participant in OSU's first football National Championship achieved that season. Shortly after, Robin enlisted in the Army Aviation Cadet Program. Robin was ordered into active duty in early 1943.

Between 1944 and 1945, Robin flew 63 combat missions as either the co-pilot or first pilot, flying the B-26 Marauder attack bomber in some of the most bitterly contested battles of WW II.

Robin returned from war and rejoined the OSU football team just as the 1945 season began. He played a great deal during much of the 1945 season, but he suffered a knee injury, and was never able to play again.

He continued his education, and in 1947 graduated "Cum Laude" from the College of Education.

Robin's philosophy of coaching and teaching was greatly influenced by Paul Brown whose legacy was carried on by Robin and many other coaches throughout the next several decades. Robin become a highly successful head football coach



at Mt. Sterling, Wilmington, and Troy high schools. In 1954, he received the opportunity to become an assistant coach under Grandview head coach Bob Dudley.

Grandview had established a reputation as Ohio's high school "cradle of coaches". The list of highly successful and legendary coaches is legion: I. Stanton Jones, Clemence Zwick, Jim Scott, W.H. "Tippy" Dye, Chuck Thackara, Pug Hood, W.E. "Bill" Thomas, Bill Doolittle, Bill Hess, Hugh Hindman, and Bob Dudley. Most enjoyed a winning record over our fiercest rival, Upper Arlington. All of these men went on to greater heights as outstanding coaches in other high schools, and many at colleges throughout the nation.

In the spring of 1955, Bob Dudley resigned to become a college coach, and Robin Priday was chosen to lead the Bobcats during the 1955 football season. That team went undefeated at 9-0, only the second Bobcat team to achieve that level of success. "Tippy" Dye's team went 9-0 in 1939. The Bobcats were led by "State Player of the Year" Dick Anderson. Other CBL allstars on that team were Roger Lee, Dick Thompson, Dave Zuhars, and John Paul. They outscored their opponents 236-65.

They administered three shutouts, but none sweeter than the last game of the season, a 12-0 shut-out of Upper Arlington.

Robin also produced another great victory over the Golden Bears during the 1959 football season – a 20-14 victory before a standing-room-only crowd on UA's home turf.

Robin continued as the head coach until retiring from coaching in 1966 to become the junior high principal. To say that Robin was one of the most beloved teachers and coaches in the history of Grandview would be an understatement. His classroom demeanor was outstanding, and the way he treated his students and players with the utmost respect says volumes about his character. A group of retired Grandview teachers have been meeting once a month for over 25 years. At a recent luncheon meeting, the eight retired teachers in attendance were asked to describe Robin in a few words. With great enthusiasm the responses were:

Awesome man

Great story teller Started the track program at GHHS

Really caring guy

Great friend

Accomplished

True professional

One class act

Robin touched hundreds if not thousands of lives during his tenure at Grandview. He will leave a legacy for the ages. Always a positive thinker, his most famous quote, which all of his players remember like it was yesterday, "Don't get your dobbers down!"

We won't, Robin. We won't. Go 'Cats!

## **Sports Hall of Fame**

We are pleased to announce the 2016 Sports Hall of Fame Inductees:

- Tom Cavanaugh
- Tim Klitch
- Nick Barte

Congratulations to all nominees and chosen inductees. Detailed stories and photos will be in the Spring 2016 newsletter.

All are welcome at the Grandview Sports Hall of Fame Dinner and Ceremony, Friday January 22 in the high school cafeteria. Cost for the dinner is \$20.00 per person with a social hour at 5:30pm, and the dinner and introduction shortly after. The new inductees will also be introduced at halftime of the varsity basketball game that evening.

## Winners

Thanks to all who submitted name guesses of the RLS teachers in this photo as published last issue! You may clap the erasers and wash the blackboards! Guessers included Diane Caskey Vaughan Class of '55. Nice job, Diane.

This picture came from a huge archive presented in 1993 to the GHMC Historical Society by Marvyth Bonham. She very diligently recorded teachers and student pictures at RLS and Edison during the 40 years she taught in Grandview.



BACK: Velma Byard, Adelaide Reid, Mary Bush, Ruth Critzer, Maryetta Reed. FRONT: Marvyth Bonham, Ruth Cole, Helen Goodall, Mary Ewing, Jeannette Lanman.



# Calendar

Friday, January 22 Alumni Luncheon

Friday, February 26 Alumni Luncheon

Friday, March 25 Alumni Luncheon

**Thursday May 26** Memorial Day Ceremony

Saturday May 28 Memorial Day Parade

Sunday May 29 101st GHHS Graduation

Friday September 16 Alumni Night. We hope many classes plan their reunions around this weekend

Email GHHSAA@hotmail.com with questions about any event.

# **School Safety Patrol**



Mrs. Ross Murphree (left), Grandview PTA health and safety chairman, Carla Furness Vogel '77, captain of the safety patrol of Stevenson Elementary School, and Mayor Joseph Wyman, 1970.

Photo courtesy of the Grandview Heights-Marble Cliff Historical Society.



School safety patrol members have grown up to be U.S. presidents, governors, members of Congress, Supreme Court justices, astronauts, and Olympic medalists, as well as educators, executives, and community leaders throughout the country. The 2015-16 school year is the 95th anniversary of the AAA School Safety Patrol<sup>™</sup> program, established in 1920. Millions of young people across the United States, and 30 other nations worldwide, volunteer their time to help ensure the safety of fellow classmates traveling to and from school, and to serve as role models for younger students.





For those who completed their educated at Grandview, these sixth graders were Class of 1964. ROW 1: Pete Shaw, Tim Underwood, Jim Harris, Curt Wiysel, unknown, Doug Welch; ROW 2: unknown, Roger Lawrence, Mike Morris, Doug Wilson, George Ellis, Bill Marland, Jack Ardus; ROW 3: unknown, Sharon Love, Jill Boyd Kuyper, Holly Hamilton, Judy Penzone, Susie Kelchner, Sandy Boucher; ROW 4: Judy Cooper, Nancy Shaeffer.

The three unknown students, plus Sharon Love and Tim Underwood moved from the district in later school years.

### GHHS Marching Band Uniform Fund Drive

The Pride of Grandview Heights – the GHHS Marching Band – needs new uniforms. The Grandview Heights Band Parents Association is asking for your help raising \$75,000 to purchase 150 new band uniforms. The current uniforms are 31 years old and are at the end of their usable life. The cost estimate for one new uniform is \$500.00.

Please help ensure the GHHS Band will be looking fine for years to come.

Mail your gift to: Grandview Heights Band Parents Association PO Box 12580, Columbus, OH 43212

Make checks payable to Grandview Heights Band Parents Association, a 501(c)(3) charitable organization, EIN is 47-3624852. Your donation is tax deductible.

Or donate online via PayPal at the band website: http://www.grand-viewhtsband.org/donate.html.

No contribution is too small. Your help will be appreciated by our students, band members, athletic teams, and the entire Grandview community.

# 1977 GHHS Baseball Team



ROW 1: Campbell, Quaranto, Perez, Grinstead; ROW 2: Borghese, Reiterman, Berlin, Hutchison, Hartman; ROW 3: Coach Gornall, Grass, Byerly, Buck, Hackney, Barrow.

The high hopes of every high school baseball season are usually based on a strong nucleus of returning letterman. The Varsity Baseball Team of 1977 did not disappoint their fans, winning their first 10 of 11 games. The team finished the season with a 15-9 record good for third place in the league. This was the first winning season in three years and led to Frank Borghese, Bob Grass, and Dave Grinstead being named to the All-League team. The Class of '77 will be celebrating its 40th anniversary next fall.

## Jack Anderson Resolution



At the May 19, 2015, GHS Board of Education meeting, members of the Anderson family accepted a Resolution in Memoriam of Jack R. Anderson, Class of 1942. Mr. Anderson and his wife, Rose-Marie, through their philanthropic support, were instrumental in supporting Bobcat Field, now known as Anderson Field at Bobcat Stadium. The Andersons enabled vital improvements to the Grandview Heights City Schools' athletic facilities and helped create an athletic complex that is a community asset enjoyed and utilized by many area residents.



Accepting the Resolution in Memoriam of Jack R. Anderson '42 were Ralph "Andy" Anderson '54, Richard Anderson '56, Dennis Anderson '60, and David Anderson '66.

The Rose-Marie and Jack R. Anderson Foundation on-going support of the Grandview Heights City Schools is greatly appreciated and highly valued. Thank you.

Photo courtesy of courtesy of the GH/MC Historical Society



#### Betty Lou Buckle & Jerry Roth '40

I am writing this letter in response to the last newsletter with another alum stating no one from the class of 1940 has been heard from. Well, here are two of us reporting in from Arizona - Jerry and Betty Lou Buckle Roth!!!! One memory I want to share is that Tippy Dye was our football coach and that year we were undefeated - the first time in GHHS history. I think Bob Foss, a former football teammate, is living in Florida. Hopefully, you will hear from him as well. Betty Lou and I have been happily married for 71 years. I served in the U.S. Navy 23.5 years. We have 3 children, two daughters and a son. We thoroughly enjoy reading the newsletter and thank you so much for producing it for all the alumni.

#### George Hecox'40

Hoping to be physically in shape by next May Day. Equipment requiring electronics not available except for cell phone which has an external source of communication.

#### Jane Benadum Kaiser '42

The Spring 2015 edition was so special to me although I was sorry to hear of Kitson Fisher's passing. I had visited her in Arizona several years ago. The cheerleader picture of my brother, Ken Benadum '43, and classmates was meaningful. He passed away this past April at the VA hospital in Long Beach, California. A military funeral was held in Kingston, Ohio. He had a very colorful life as he was a professional





dancer (Jimmy Rawlins). In 1948, he went to California to pursue a career. Ice skating became a hobby because he was associated with "Holiday on Ice" and several other shows. They performed in over 50 cities in the US and Europe. Unfortunately he had a tragic accident on ski patrol at Mammoth Lake, California and spent over 40 years in a wheelchair. He was very competitive and participated in many handicap games representing the Paralyzed Veterans Association in Las Vegas, Nevada. We were both very fortunate to be GHHS graduates. It is still the best. My best to all '42 classmates.

#### Dorothy J. Haynes Elliott'43

As a 90-year old, I'm still hanging on, in my own condo, but doing very little. Drive my car for errands which are close, but mainly no further. Three of my children live in Clark County. One lives in Ault, Colorado. Bob Andrews '43 celebrated his 90th birthday June 7. Not enough of us left anymore. Sometimes I feel like 190.

Jeanette Tarney Thouvenin '43

I'm in good health and have been assigned to an individual apartment in a retirement complex, Copeland Oaks, in Sebring, Ohio, which is near Alliance, Ohio. I'm most grateful for the scholastic foundation we received to start our life careers.

#### Bob A. Rev. Roger Wooton '43 I'm recovering from a bout with atrial fibrillation, lots of pills morning and evening, and thank God for visiting nurses, and compression stockings.

#### John K. Boardman '47

The older I get the more I realize how lucky we all were to grow up in Grandview. I still miss my old friends (and girlfriends!)

Editor's note: **John Boardman '47** sent in this picture of his Rook brothers.

#### Nanette "Chris" Harper Hummel 47

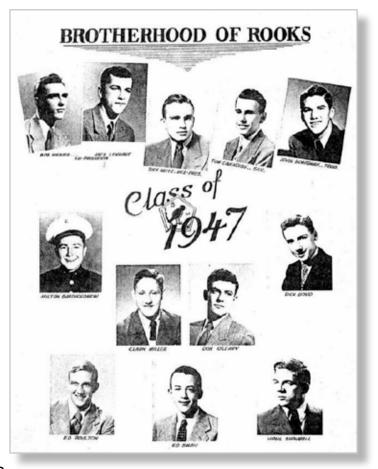
Much has changed in my life since the last newsletter. I had a lifechanging fall in April on my way to play tennis! As a result, I had a broken neck and jaw. The neck is now completely fused and I'm doing well. Dave suffered a major stroke in June and passed away soon after. We had just celebrated our 63rd anniversary. I miss him so much, but did not want him to live under the circumstances he was left with. Am now living in a retirement facility that suits me perfectly. As always, my loving family surrounds me.

#### Bill Wilson '48

Great to be a Bobcat!

#### William S. Hamond '49

I've lived in Denver 50 years now, which seems astonishing. Retired from the faculty of the Medical School of Denver 18 years ago, and gave up part-time practice about 8 years later. I keep very busy doing archaeology and making pottery. I'd love to see another class reunion and would help set one up. My brother Bob, class of '48, died of ALS about 10 years ago.





#### Robert Lee Macy'49 and Freda Harris Macy'49

Please make note of alumni Bob Macy Class of '49 his wife Freda is very sick, but still living at their home in Centerville, Ohio. Thank you, Jan Shie (daughter).

#### Marian Toops Abrell '49

She and husband Bill celebrated their 53rd wedding anniversary this past February. Last November Marian celebrated her 84th birthday with friends. She taught school for many years and substituted after she retired. She also loved to sing. When she developed Parkinson's Disease she sang with a group known called "Tremble Clefs Music Group". Marian passed away September 5, 2015 in La Jolla, California.

#### Bill "Hap" Chandler '50

Hello to old friends – read the wonderful quarterly with great interest. Have lived in Portland, Oregon area for last 45 years. Family: Four children, three grandchildren, one great-grandson. Little golf, travel, and family. Life is good.

#### Peggy Purkey Eagle '50

I really enjoy the newsletter and like seeing "old" friends at the monthly luncheons. After ten years in Florida, I don't look forward to winter! I will always miss my high school sweetheart! We had our 60 wonderful years together!

#### Barry L. Steigely'50

Been in New Mexico Since 1979 – Retired!

#### Kay Greenidge Lucas'51

I was a majorette from '48 thru '51. There are lots of fond memories of my time marching in the band, like the bus trips to out of town games. The one that sticks in mind the most is the Christmas parade that we marched in down High Street. I was freezing cold in my short skirt uniform. When I got home my



mother had me drink some whiskey to warm up. You have jogged my memory about the majorettes in the band. I was taking dancing at the time and learned twirling from my teacher. Mr. Byrnes had me get my teacher to help me with learning dances to one of the band pieces, which I taught to all the majorettes. We were known as the dancing majorettes and had our picture in the Sunday paper piece, which was like the Parade section is now in the Sunday papers. I gave that picture to the Grandview Band Library.

#### Betty Martin Strecker '51

I retired as the Executive Director of the Bucks County Civil War Museum in Doylestown, PA as of July 2014, but I still go to the museum now as a volunteer once a week. I have moved to a very nice retirement community. I serve my cluster's 18 residents as its representative, and the Villagers Board of Directors as their Secretary. Everything is provided that one would desire in a retirement community – such as trips with transportation and lots of recreation.

#### Bonnie Myers Mock '51

Thanks again for all your efforts in putting out a great paper. It just gets better and better. Hope to get back for a visit soon and tour the high school. God Bless you all.

#### Al Cincione '52

Judi and I had our three children graduate from Grandview – Cathy, Matt, and Theresa. Now Matt has two graduates from Grandview – Adam at OSU and Cara at SUNY Purchase College NY. Aaron is a freshman.

#### Mary Lou DeVictor Nichol '52

My year had many changes. While still living in Centerville, I lost my daughter Debbie to cancer April 1. After which my two grandsons Cody 20 and Nick 16 tried to adjust to the situation. We had many ups and downs and a new plan developed. Nick in July went to live with his Dad. Cody is now in college and lives on campus. Our big house is way too big for me so the house will go up for sale soon. As for me, I'll be back in Columbus living at a retirement place called Stone Oak. I hope I love it and get to see my Columbus friends.

#### John Shough '52

Now deceased. John suffered the last four years of his life with Alzheimer's disease and effects from two tours in Vietnam with Agent Orange. He was a proud Grandview graduate and a U.S. Marine for 25 years, and married for 59 1/2 years. *Submitted by Jane Shough*.

#### Mary Ann Winters Jarvis'52

Nothing new here – just keep getting older – but that's good NEWS!? Sure enjoy the newsletter. Brings back wonderful memories of Grandview!

#### Marion "Pooch" Sanford '53

Retired from Gates McDonald & Co. in 1997, and retired from officiating football after 37 years and approximately 800 games. Enjoy seeing and dining with former classmates. Main hobby now is grandchildren and fly fishing. Go'Cats!

#### Carolyn Close Rudsenske '54

Granbury, Texas is a great place to live – a great historic courthouse and opera house on a busy square. We do vacations in Nashville and Fairfield Glade in Tennessee. Yes – we love Texas!

#### Mary JoAnn Morrison Frabott '54

Celebrated 80th birthday with surprise party, kids, and grandkids. Soon to have knee replacement. Love to travel and active in three clubs. Enjoy the luncheons at Hometown Buffet.

#### Robert B. Zimmerman '54

My wife and I made trip to Columbus in September to visit grandchildren and our son and daughter. We also had an opportunity to visit my wonderful high school! Had a wonderful tour and the staff was just super nice. Got a chance to see the industrial arts teacher in action, which brought back memories of Mr. Justus. Such a wonderful experience and the new auditorium and 3D presentation is something to be very proud of. Keep up the great work.

#### Jane Bivens '55

Retired in Wild and Wonderful (West Virginia) and living the quiet life – and doing it in a trailer! Life is good.



#### Dianne Caskey Vaughn '55

The playground was my summer home, that, and the RLS library, and the pool. Used to go to McKinley's drug store for chocolate sodas with my parents sometimes after dinner when I was very young, but able to read. During war rationing, the painting on the mirror behind the soda fountain advertised, "Banana splits, 8 cents. Bring your own banana." During high school my girlfriends and I went to McKinley's for chocolate malt-a-plentys. This past is so much on my mind. We had our 60th high school reunion the first weekend in October. Everyone had a wonderful, wonderful time. Tom Thompson made a PowerPoint that was historical of Grandview and us, then and now. Very moving and professional. People came who have never attended before. Joyfully together.

Editor's note: Teri Antolino Williams was in attendance at the dinner portion of this three-day reunion, and observed that this class, like many Grandview classes, is very bonded. It was truly moving and inspirational event. There were jokes, fun poking, somber remembrances, and lots of laughing. Such a wonderful time for any Bobcat!

#### Robert William "Bill" Fink '55

60th reunion was unforgettable. Very proud of 60% attendance of living class members. Art Shepard, father of classmate Marcia, was able to be at the Saturday night banquet. I commented that at his age he ate dessert first. He said, "NO. I have Jack Daniels first." Joyce Hodges was present for her first Class of '55 reunion. For those who have never attended in the past, you are really missing something when we sing "Our Old High School" in Harry Justus-like intonation and enthusiasm. Bob Noble, once again, distinguished the Class of '55 with his comments at the

## DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI UPDATE

Alexander V. J. Gaudieri '58 First of all, may I say thank you to whoever is responsible for my being named a "distinguished alumnus" of GHHS. I'm very flattered and honored. This picture of me in my letter sweater from 1958 was taken at Rusty & Ann Lawyer's where I was staying for our last reunion two years ago. Here is a brief bio:

Education: GHS, OSU: B.A., University of Paris (la Sorbonne): Maitrise American Graduate School of International Commerce: M.B.A. Institute of Fine Arts of NYU: M.A.

**Career:** Director of several art museums including the Museum of Fine Arts of Montreal, the pre-eminent encyclopedic



art museum of Canada Adjunct Professor, NYU Graduate School of Arts & Science

**Volunteer work:** Harlem School of the Arts, NYC: founder & chairman of the Junior Committee Young Concert Artists, NYC: board member & vice chairman

**Personal:** Married to Robbin Bain Gaudieri

One son, Alexandre Barclay Everson Gaudieri, now 36

Again, thank you very much for this honor.

100th graduation ceremony (held at the stadium), in representing the decade of the 50s. The entire weekend celebration was superbly designed and orchestrated by Nancy Turner Bachman and her Reunion Planning Community with additional assistance of Bob Noble, Tommy Thompson, Rick Yearick, Marilyn Barden, and Jane Bivens. Bob Kidwell was in attendance, but did not perform.

#### Marcia Shepard Mock'55

Just returned from our 1955 class reunion #60!! An event we will never forget!! The organizing members gave us a weekend full of events that were beyond any expectations! My gratitude to all of them!! Wonderful memories, fun and history were presented in our Saturday program. All events from Friday evening through brunch on Sunday were perfectly arranged! Those no longer with us were remembered, and missed. I was fortunate to have my father, Art Shepard, 104 years of age, there with us for Saturday night. What a special welcome, and recognition he received!! He will be talking about it for some time. Thank you each and every class member! How fortunate John, Dad, and I were to be able to attend October 2, 3, and 4!! Good wishes and stay well for our 65th!

#### Thomas D. Thompson '55

Still living in Naples, Florida. Enjoy reading, bridge, golf, tennis and lots of volunteering. Attended our 60th reunion in October.

#### Sonny Weatherman '55

Carol and I are still in our condo on beach and watching the Bucks!! Good Saturday party at the Weatherman's. Come one! Come all! And they do. Contemplating a move to Bellingham, Washington to be close to kids and grandkids. Go Bobcats!!

#### Jean Moore White '57

Starting 46th year in Flagstaff, Arizona. Nat and I are retired, but busy as ever. We are lucky to have two of our three children in town, plus four grandchildren. Our third child and his wife live in Maui so we have a great place to visit.

#### Joyce Coonfare Hamilton '59

Sorry I missed the last reunion, but just wasn't up to it. Look forward to the next one.

#### Patricia Palmer Miller'59

Still racing horses. Great fall river cruise on the Rhine. Five grandkids doing great.

#### Chuck Tracy'59

To Class of '59: Many thanks for telephone call and "get well" cards you sent during 55th reunion! Hope to see you all again at 60th.

#### Linda Wagner Anderson '59

I certainly appreciate the excellent quality and fine work involved in the GHHS alumni publication. This is only my second year annual membership payment, however, for two years prior, I received all issues and was included on the mailing list. Thanks so much for your kindness and all that you do! Hi to All!

#### Gary Allen '60

My wife and I celebrated our 48th Anniversary this year. I'm fully retired and she will be retiring from the local library system at the end of this year. We are enjoying life and rooting for the Buckeyes.

#### Dennis Anderson '60

Thanks for your dedicated work.

#### Robert M. Hiatt '60

Off to Orlando, Florida to visit friends who recently moved there after 29 years in Minneapolis area. We were there in late June after a wedding in the Miami area. Being retired allows travel often. We're off to Hawaii next April for my wife's



70th birthday on a cruise ship. Looking forward to that.

#### Virginia Davis Arhelger '61

I'm looking forward to our 55th Class Reunion in 2016. Keep up the great work with your newsletters. Thank you!

#### Bill Harding '61

Our daughter and son-in-law live on Broadview. Their children love the Grandview Library and will be Bobcats in Classes of 2029 and 2031.

#### Kay Jones Rietz'61

Love the newsletters. Enjoy being a docent at Columbus Zoo and Aquarium helping with gorillas, giraffe, and tortoises. Husband Bill still coaching high school swimming and summer community league. We both enjoy visiting six grandchildren and their activities.

#### Gerry Hudson'62

I am in awe of the quality of work that has gone into the making of this newsletter. Thank you for all the hard work that goes into the making of this fine product.

#### Bob McIntyre '63

Keep on truckin' with love.

#### Don Throckmorton '63

Retired at end of June from HP Enterprise Services. Relocated to Louisville with my wife Sue of 36 years. We now take care of our granddaughter after school each day until her mom and dad get home from work. Life is grand!

#### Rick Bell '64

My sister Betsey Bell Ganatra '58 celebrated her 50th wedding anniversary in Detroit in September. Diana Matthews Lowery '58 and Dan Lowery '58 were there as well as Susan Bell Long '62, Gretchen Bell Stegmeier '66, and Phoebe Bell Ingraham '70!

# Second half 60's girls get together.



Ladies from the Class of '66 and '67 met at the Buckeye Hall of Fame Grill for an enjoyable visit.

FRONT: Gayle Lyons Roy '66, Jill Smith Aleshire '67, Kathy Flannagan '66, Michelle Carpenter '66. MIDDLE: Gretchen Bell Stegmeier Sues '66, Debbie Patton Cline '67, Peggy Flannagan Mahoney '68, Kathy McCabe Eigensee '66, Pam Guyton Dunigan '66, Paula Mascari Mathews '66. REAR: Ann Lowery Reed '66, Debbi Latshaw Steller '67.



Ron Cameron '64 and George Ellis '64

#### George Ellis & Ron Cameron '64

Handicap competition that lasts all summer! Won six matches! Very prestigious within our club, named after the designer of our course who mentored Mike Hurdzan the architect of Erin Hills, site of US open in '17. Longtime friends and Hickory Hills Kidwell Cup Champs!

#### Carl Guy'64

Moved to California in 1969 and was there until 2011. Retired in 2011 and moved to Arizona. I'm playing golf 3-4 times a week.

#### **Mariann Prosser Price '64**

Ken and I enjoyed a fall cruise from Quebec to Boston in September. We traveled with my older brother Craig '58 and his wife Tera. Last year we cruised the Panama Canal.

#### Leslie Forster Main '65

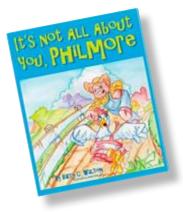
Tom and I are enjoying our 13 grandchildren and doing some traveling. We divide our time between our home in Columbus and our home in Melbourne, Florida. We are very active at Xenos Christian Fellowship in Columbus and at Church at Viera in Viera, Florida. I feel so blessed in many ways, one of which is being an alumnus of GHHS!

#### Jan Weld '66

Enjoying semi-retirement. Subbing in Physical Ed, travel, and doing my favorite thing – photography of people, wildlife, and nature. Enjoying life!

#### Barry C. Walton '67

Delaware County Prosecutor's "Top Cop Award" recipient (Aug 2015). Published two children's books via Amazon: *Happiness One Hop at a Time* and *It's Not All About You Philmore*.



#### Toni Ann Ciardelli '69

Medically retired as of 2000 due to Multiple Sclerosis. Doing well. Keeping active with six grandkids. Miss the good old days at Grandview. Keep Smiling.



#### Harold "Hal" Merz '70

Moved to Westerville. Enjoying condo life. Doing counseling work on grants and fundraising for charities locally and nationally, and active in Vineyard Church of Columbus. Wife Brenda and I will celebrate 38 years this December. Have three sons and three grandchildren ages 2, 3 and 5, all local. Email us at halbren7@hotmail.com.

#### Karen Tovell Weber '77

I have lived in a Chicago suburb Naperville since 1998. After graduating from GHHS I attended the University of Cincinnati where I earned a BA in 1981 – my major was Spanish Literature and Journalism. I was elected Phi Beta Kappa the highest honor for a BA degree. I then attended Ohio Northern Law School & Capital University Law School from 1981-1984. I passed the Ohio Bar exam in 1984, and took a job with West Publishing Co. I married John Weber in 1987, and in 1993 we had a daughter, Paige. Since coming to Naperville, I have had my own arts and crafts business, which makes sense because my favorite GHHS class was art and my favorite teacher was Mr. Armentrout!

#### Stephen Tweed '78 Go Bobcats!

#### Linda Levis Volkovitsch '82

Still living in Worthington with husband, Rob, and four cats. Our son is a junior at Case Western Reserve University. I see Dad every week at Westminster-Thurber where he lives. I often see Ken Lorenz there visiting for Sunday brunch. Once in a while I see Alan or Peg Rosenfield, parents of Joel '82 and Ann '79, and even Lee Ann Ervin, secretary at Edison for many years.

#### Brian Quinn'83

Going on 18 years at Worthington Steel. Celebrating 19 years married to Angel. Daughter Ivy is a freshman at Watterson and daughter

Alecsandra is in 6th grade at St. Brendan's.

#### Willis Day'15

It was a true honor for me to be awarded the James W. and Mary Lou Wright Scholarship this spring. It is a wonderful feeling as a student to be recognized for accomplishments in high school, and I would like to personally thank you for that. I am very excited to use the scholarship for my education at OSU. Thanks again!

#### **Grant Harris Varner '15**

Enjoying college life and looking forward to seeing GHHS Class of 2015 classmates when I am home on breaks. Go Bobcats! Allie Kramer'15 I want to say thank you for the scholarship that was awarded to me on scholarship night. Not only will this allow me to pursue my goal in becoming a music teacher, but it will help me with becoming a better person and musician. Thank you so much.

#### Ryan McHugh '15

I am thankful each day that I had the privilege to attend Grandview Heights High School. My experience at GHHS has already helped me significantly here at OSU. A lot of the material covered in my



classes here was also covered in high school. The skills and knowledge I gained in high school have made me very productive, notably in my earth science and film writing courses. Moreover, the social skills I gained from growing up in Grandview Heights have allowed me to



Bill Arthur '46

make many new friends already. And although a lot is new, I still get together with several Grandview graduates to go to the home Buckeye football games. Go Bucks!

I would like to thank Mr. Arthur for his generous sponsorship of the Bill Arthur'46 Fisher Business School Scholarship. It is guite the honor to receive an award from such a distinguished alumnus. I am currently seeking my bachelor's degree in real estate, and will be applying for Ohio State's Fisher College of Business this winter. As for post-grad, I may explore the idea of going into business law, following Mr. Arthur's footsteps. Always PTBB!

#### Paige Pickering'15

Thank you for awarding me with a GHHSAA Scholarship. I am very honored and excited to have received this generous award. It really means so much to me that I was selected to receive the scholarship. Growing up in Grandview has been a rewarding experience. I have many positive memories from my time in Grandview Schools. As a third generation graduate, it has extra meaning for me and my family to have been chosen as a scholarship recipient. It is especially important to me as I move on to the next step in my education. I will be attending Ohio Dominican University and participating in the

Dominican Scholars for Education program. I am excited to be attending this school and will be majoring as an intervention specialist. Thank you once again.

#### **Rachel Pickering '15**

I am very thankful and honored to have received the GHHSAA Alumni Scholarship. It is very kind and generous of you to have awarded me this scholarship. As a third generation Grandview Heights High School graduate, I am very honored to have followed in the footsteps of my older sister, mother, and grandmother. I am very excited and grateful that you chose me as one of the students to receive this award. I am excited to receive this scholarship as I move on to college at Ohio Dominican University. I am going to be majoring in Early Childhood Education. It is exciting for me to be able to take the next steps to continue my education. Thank you again for your help in following my dream to become a teacher.

#### Beware of Internet Fraudsters

#### **!!! CAUTION !!!**

There site has a lot of visual appeal, but it's a trickster. It's proclaiming itself as our official alumni website at www.alumniclass.com/grandviewheights.

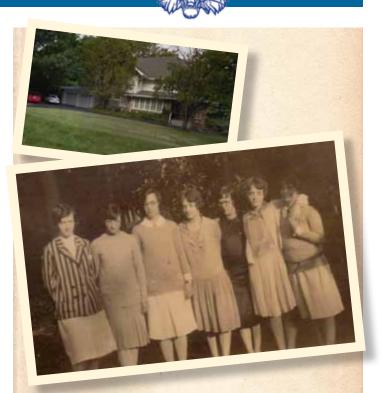
This is NOT the official GHHSAA website and is NOT in any way affiliated with Grandview Heights Schools. This is an advertising / phishing scam. Avoid this site.

The only official website for the GHHSAA is http://www. grandviewheightsalumni. com/.



Calling all alumni. Come home. Reminisce. Reconnect. And support your alma mater. Please join us for the 2016 Education Foundation Gala. This year's Gala will be held April 30, 2016 at the historic Athenaeum building downtown. There will be many blasts from the past in attendance, including our special guest speaker, Miguel Perez '84. Attend this fun evening of fellowship with Grandview friends and family in support of our great community and schools.

Contact the Foundation: Grandview Heights/Marble Cliff Education Foundation PO Box 12429 Columbus, Ohio 43212-0429 ghmcef@yahoo.com http://www.ghmcef.org.



We were gifted with some pictures from Jeanne Jones Holder '48.

**Bill Hague '63** writes: My cousin and I are the unofficial keepers of family records and stuff. Aunt Dorothy and Aunt Virginia were my father's older sisters. This picture was taken the year they graduated in 1922. Aunt Ginny and Aunt Dorothy went on to be the first women to graduate from Columbia. Aunt Ginny died when I was very young and I never got to know her well.

Aunt Dorothy lived to be 104 years old. She was very sharp and active up until the last year of her life. She and our Uncle Mon, and their children, were always a part of our family activities.

Another point is they lived in the house on the corner of Oakland Ave and Merrick St. I believe that it was Guganister's house when we were in school.

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## HELP the GHMC Historical Society

The Society Needs your Help!! We are missing two Highlander yearbooks in our collection. If anyone has a copy of 1983 and 1991, and can donate them, we would be very grateful! Please contact Tom DeMaria, tdemaria@me.com, if you have a Highlander to donate.



# BOBCAT Reunion News

## 45th for Class of '71

Alumni Weekend September 16-17 Next planning meeting Sunday, January 17 2pm Grandview Library Conference Room All classmate input appreciated Contact Judy Davis DiPietro, judydp@aol.com

## 50th for Class of '66

May 26-27 Friday, Buckeye Hall of Fame Grille Saturday, Grandview Memorial Day Parade Possible post-parade informal gathering Saturday night, Bravo Olentangy Discounted accommodations available at Hyatt Place Columbus/OSU Block of rooms held until April 30 Possible tour of high school Contact Jim Gloyd, jimtheprinter@prodigy.net

## 50th for Class of '66



Class of '66 at their 45th reunion held five years ago in June 2011

FRONT: Gayle Lyon, Phil Curran, Ginny Clouse, Mary McSweeny, Linda Armentrout, Kenny Roy. ROW 2: Jan Weld, Paula Mascari, Roger Alban, Tom Dietrich, Dave Royer, Ann Lowery. ROW 3: Dave Anderson, Terry Jelly, Maleeta Morrow, Charlotte Simpson, Ann Wilson, Michele Carpenter, Jean Jenkinson, Loretta Ferlito. BACK: Jack Leach, Terry Christman, Jay Mathew, Jim Gloyd, Gretchen Bell Jeanne Butz.

## 70th Birthday Party for Class of '63



FRONT: Suzie Williamson, Pam Light, Lynne McBee, Dave Ramsey, Andy Baumann, Bob McIntyre, Carol Roan, Terry Cantrell, Rosemary Reed, Jo Butts, Marilynn McLain. MIDDLE: Dan Markin, Marcia Skillman, Patty Carpenter, Fred Dowdy, Harriet Gill, Pat Self, Charlie Handel, Linda McCall, Joanna McGinnis, Brian Backus. BACK: Tom Smith, Bonnie Brown, Judy Rittenhouse, Jim Fais, Suzie Hutchinson, Jeff Todd, Bob Palmer, Ron Jones, Ed Stone.



# BOBCAT Reunion News

# 30th for Class of '85

The Class of '85 enjoyed its 30th reunion Alumni Night and Ox Roast weekend. The action kicked off Friday night with the high school tour. It was a lot of fun to roam the halls with old classmates. So much remains the same just as we remembered it from thirty years ago. We enjoyed the Alumni Night football game, and a had a good contingent cheering our boys to victory as we were catching up with each other. We didn't know how lucky we were that night, but we were watching a team that would soon make Bobcat history. A quick visit to the Ox Roast for the lighting of the pit for some, or a night cap at the old Knotty Pine for others, brought Friday to a close.

Saturday night was spent at The Woodland's Backyard where we dominated the patio on a perfect fall night. Classmates Jeff Ortman and Charles Piatt provided live music with their band Bringing the Rye. We had a fabulous turnout with many traveling from out of state, and everyone expressed how good it was to see old friends again, reminisce together, tell stories, and make new memories. Bill Forest summed up our reunion perfectly saying, "It was fantastic to be among our family of friends."

It was such a great time, that we're considering a 50th birthday party for our next gettogether. We don't want to wait another five years until our next major reunion year. Stay tuned for plans! Thanks to Fred Mokren who organized our 30th from his home base in Seattle, and to Denise Lafferty and Tim Wiseman who helped Fred locally. Class of '85 sharing stories at the old Knotty Pine.





Class of '85 at Woodland's Backyard.



Some of the Class of '85 meet to tour the high school together.



# BOBCAT Reunion News

## 50th for Class of '65

Barley's Brewhaus was the kick-off site of the September 4 weekend Class of 1965 50th Reunion. The informal evening was enjoyable for classmates and other GHHS grads, as past and present memories were shared. On Saturday, the reunion dinner and dance was held at the Courtyard by Marriott in Hilliard. Eighty-eight classmates and spouses enjoyed the entertainment provided by "The Majestics". A Sunday luncheon at MCL Cafeteria completed the weekend event.



FRONT: Linda Wentzel Bertke, Karen Devor Linn, Cathy Byerly Wilden, Joyce Steele Reed, Suzanne Cooksey Mullenix, Alice Miller McKeever, Cheryl Evans Marshall, Rebecca Hutchinson Bauer, Barbara Radebaugh, Irene Finck. ROW 2: Barbara McKinnon Handel, Cynthia Woodland Lancione, Leslie Forster Main, Marcia Beaber Hile, Betsy Wuichet Wood, Margaret Waugh Kidder, Patricia Speakman Budd. ROW 3: Michael Miller, Donna Sheets Romorini, Kathleen McQuilkin Miller, Linda Pulliam, Sayers, Susan Leibensperger Wylie, Melissa Evans Futrell, Cindy Raines (not a classmate), Jan Priday Seitz, Deana Heine Jacoby, Phyllis Wooley Hoffman, Thomas Holden, Kathleen Anderson Holden. ROW 4: Sharyn Lewis Adelman, Steve Fekete, Craig McIntyre, Elaine Knotts Fowler, Carolyn Andrew Baker, Susan Brown, Valerie James Stills, Marcia Stauffer Harvey, Chuck Sweeney, Stephanie Ann Friel. ROW 5: Ted Jones, John Lee Dryden, Nicholas Cardi, Tom Maxson, William Burchfield, Jeffrey McDevitt, Alan Daniels, Dennis McCloskey, Fleetwood Koutz, John Coffer, Tim Murphy. BACK: Richard McKeever, Michael Cordray, Thomas Raines, Wayne Baker, James Wiley, James Estep. Thank you for the great picture Chuck Matthews '59!



Chuck Bonifield, Cathy Peacocke, Bill Fink, Tom Thompson, Joyce Titsch Ziles, Michael Fleming, Diane Caskey Vaughan, Bob Kidwell.



Bob Peters and Margaret Omohundro look over memorabilia.



Here Jane Bivens shares a smile happy to be reunited with classmates Saturday night, but after the class picture occurred.

## 60th for Class of '55



SEATED: John Davis, Tom Capuano, Bill Fink, Garry DeVictor, Dot Hankinson Keller, Ellie O'Leary Riber, Kathleen Meek Seeger, Margaret Omohundro, Carolyn Welch and Joan Moore Ruffner. MIDDLE: Ray Stevenson, Steve Bennett, Tommy Thompson, Rick Yearick, Carol Williamson Dickerson, Joyce Titsch Zilles, Elaine Looker Strutner, Marilyn Barden, Marcia Shepard Mock, Elizabeth Moore Westenbarger, Mimi Jones Burgermeister, Nancy Turner Bachman. BACK: Chuck Bonifield, Bob Kidwell, Cathy Peacock, Mike Fleming, Diane Caskey Vaughan, Ted Rudy, Chuck Dickerson, Janie Conklin Setterlin, Joyce Hodge Rea, Carol Barricklow Hoadley, Bob Peters, Salli Jones Morgan, Lillian Lathouse Smith, Jack Leech, Bob Noble, Bob Smith, Dick Sutterfield, Warren Roberts

Bev Burkey Nagy joined us at Wyman Woods, but was not present for the dinner picture.

# Contributing to the GHHSAA

You are the GHHSAA. Without membership support, the GHHSAA would not and could not exist. We graciously thank you for your continued generosity. Here is a breakdown of GHHSAA funding categories. All Friends of the GHHSAA are mentioned in the newsletter published nearest the time after their contribution is received. Support the GHHSAA today! Thank you!

ANNUAL DUES: Every fall, we mail an Annual Membership Request of \$30. This goes to all Alumni and it is our hope that each alum contributes this amount each year. This funding is the "bread and butter" of our budget and is extremely important. Please watch for your envelope this fall.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP: A Lifetime membership is \$300. Lifetime members still receive the annual dues request in case they want to donate additional funds. We publish the names of all LIFE Members once every 24 months. A list of LIFE Members is available online at www. grandviewheightsalumni.com.

#### **Life Members**

Please accept our apology for not including these Life members in the Fall Issue. We are sorry for the oversight.

Sally Diehl Krista '58 Lynda Saboe Paul '58 Judy Stuart '58 Jeannie Smathers Walton '64 Joan Pruski Southworth '65

## Legacy Society Members

Charlie Eichhorn '51 Carol Sue Herd Greenisen '55 Bill Neal '55 Jean Walters MacCluer '55 Charlie Dumbaugh '56 Wright's, James '69, Barbara '72, Timothy '79 **PAWS CLUB:** Contribution of \$50 - \$99

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**IN HONOR OF:** Contribution of any amount in honor of a classmate, teacher, friend. Both the donor and the honoree are mentioned in the newsletter.

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In Memoriam

John Hartwell '43

Ted Poulton '47

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Dick Eagle '49

Stan Tuttle '49

Mike Nye '54

Bill Neal '55

Jones Walker '55

Dave Yoerger '56

Larry Pierce '58

Bill Smathers '63

Tom Cavendish '46

Milt Bartholomew '47

Class of 1954 Deceased

Class of 1954 Deceased

Class of 1955 Deceased

Sharon Stauffer Retz '59

Wilma E. Malowney '62

Class of 1963 Deceased

Matthew David Dillon

In Honor of

Class of '63

Brian "Paul" Malowney '69

George Wilson (teacher)

Cory Wilson (teacher)

Phyllis Chard Johnson '42

LEGACY SOCIETY: Membership in the GHHS Legacy Society requires a base contribution of \$20,000 or more. The funding establishes an annual scholarship, of at least 5% of the deposited amount, in the contributor's name or in honor of someone of their choosing. All Legacy Society contributors will be listed in every Newsletter issue and are listed on the web site.

We take our fiduciary responsibility seriously. You can see the good work your funding accomplishes including this newsletter, alumni events, the website, support of current student activities, improvements and supplies not available in the regular budget (Robotics, Art, Band, special requests, etc.), and scholarships, scholarships and more scholarships. Your support ensures we stay connected, and together we help continue the legacy that makes us all proud to be a Bobcat.

Make all checks payable to GHH-SAA and mail to PO Box 12116 Columbus, OH 43212. Funds are managed by The Columbus Foundation.

**Recently deceased** 

by Kenneth Chard '43 by Al Andrews '45 by Diana Gonsor Arthur '48 by Bill Arthur '46 by John K. Boardman '47 by John K. Boardman '47 by Peggy Purkey Eagle '50 by Duane Fraser '49 by Ballard Kirk '49 by Ralph W. "Andy" Anderson '54 by Kathryn Thurness Levering '54 by Chuck Bonifield '55 by Janice Lusk Brander '55 by Jane Bivens '55 by Chuck Bonifield '55 by Chuck Bonifield '55 by Jane and Ron Harris '56 by Marjorie Rocci Schloss '56 by Peggy Hoffhine Pierce '58 by Marchia Stauffer Harvey '65 by Carol Malowney Akers '69 by Bonnie Brown Smith '63 by Marilynn McLain Garner '63 by Bill Marland '64 by Carol Malowney Akers '69

by Tom Smith '63 by Marilynn McLain Garner '63 by Marilynn McLain Garner '63 George Seiple'41 Bob Close'42 Margi Davis Wood'44 (2013) Don Keitz'44 Patty Runkle Taylor'50 John Shough'52 Bill Neal'55 Barbara Katzenmoyer Suver'56 David Yoerger'56 Dave Baron'57 Karon "Karkey" Cameron'60 Beth Klitch'76 Christine Boston Tufford'80

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# From the Principal's Office

I hope this edition of the GHHSAA newsletter finds you filled with happiness after a Dear Fellow Bobcats: joyful holiday season, and looking forward to the promise of a new year. Grandview Heights High School has been full of many exciting accomplishments. Academically, we have increased the enrollment of AP courses by over 33% among our student body, and have also increased early-access college level coursework offerings. We have re-defined our intervention model, and added additional support for students who may struggle in particular content areas. Overall, we have seen large increases in academic success by all types of students, and that is certainly our mission. Ev-It is also important to note the athletic success our Bobcats have experienced this ery kid. Every day. last fall. Highlights include an Elite Eight appearance for Boys Soccer, a Final Four appearance for Girls Soccer, and the Football team were Regional Champions for the first time in school history. They had an outstanding season falling out of tournament play against Kirtland during their State Final Four appearance. Way to go, To say that our school and community are abuzz would be a huge understatement! I am just one of so many people who walk into Grandview Heights High School every day feeling incredibly blessed to be here. As alumni, you have created the culture, history, and tradition that makes us all proud. Thank you! Once a Bobcat, ALWAYS a Bobcat! PTBB! PTBB! Principal of Grandview Heights High School Ken Chaffin

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Deadline for the Spring Edition is April 1. No Fooling!



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## FROM THE GH/MC HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The students pictured below are posed at the Fairview entrance to Edison Elementary School probably in the 1940s or 1950s. It looks to be a band or drill team. We'd appreciate any alumni identifications of the students as well as the event. Who do you recognize?



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