

CLASS OF 1965 ESTABLISHES SCHOLARSHIP



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The Alliance High School Class of 1965 has established a scholarship fund to honor the many dedicated teachers and administrators that guided and supported classmates during their years at AHS. Members of the Class of 1965 decided to establish this fund as a part of their Fiftieth Reunion Celebration held in August 2015.

A 2016 AHS graduate will receive the first award in the amount of \$1,000.00. An ongoing effort to raise this endowment has been headed by Class of 1965 members Dave Wolpert and Deborah Hornberger, along with a committee of classmates. Gifts and pledges from over 50 classmates and friends have established the endowment fund, which will be administered by the AHS Foundation. At this writing, \$23,000.00 has been received with an additional \$9,000.00 pledged.

A complete description of the Class of 1965 scholarship and a four minute video prepared by class members Art Garnes and Bob Potts can be viewed by visiting www.ahsalumnifoundation.org, clicking on the Scholarship Tab and selecting the Class of 1965 Scholarship.

The committee hopes that additional classmates and friends will get involved through their donations and that all donors will consider an annual gift to the fund. Gifts to the Class of 1965 Scholarship Fund should be sent to the AHS Foundation, PO BOX 3123, Alliance, Ohio 44601-7123 and marked "Class of 1965 Scholarship Fund."

The committee's goal is to raise enough endowment funds that the interest and dividends earned annually will allow the presentation of the scholarship to a new and deserving recipient each year.

Requirements, in addition to being an AHS graduating senior, include: must be a resident of the Alliance School District, have a minimum 2.5 GPA, exhibit potential for success at an accredited four year college or university or a two year technical school, have demonstrated good character and integrity and completing a Class of 1965 Scholarship Application form on time (Application is available in the AHS Guidance office).

The selection committee will consider the application, financial need and extracurricular school and community activities.

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LOSSES IN THE AHS FAMILY

Charles Gehm '48 died June 13, 2015. Charles was named an Alliance High School Distinguished Alum in 1985 for his lifetime of achievement in the field of Art. One of his first assignments (while still in high school) was creating, along with Jack Stanley '48, the large wall murals that still hang in the AHS auditorium. After military service during the Korean War, Charles had a long career as an illustrator for book covers for nearly every major United States publishing house.

Francis A Peters '37 died January 13, 2016. Francis was named an Alliance High School Distinguished Alum in 2004 for his lifetime of community service in teaching swimming. The Red Cross has credited him with teaching over 10,000 area residents their 'learn to swim' program during his fifty plus years as a volunteer. In World War II he served on a Navy Destroyer in the Pacific Theater.

(For more information about Charles Gehm and Francis Peters go to the Distinguished Alumni tab at www.ahsalumnifoundation.org)

AHS Reunion Plans for 2016

Year	Date	Location	Contact Information
1941	No Reunion Plans	Mthly Luncheon-1st Wed Chives Grille (See info below)	Selma Kennedy 821-8814 or selmaree@attt.net
1945 &1946	No Reunion Plans	Mthly Luncheons 2nd Tues Elks 1:00 PM	Evelyn Jacobs Hahn 330-935-2470 Don Reber '45 330-936-6344
1951	No Reunion Plans	Bi-Mthly Luncheons Jan, Mar... 3rd Wed 1:00 PM @Chives Grille	Laura Kirksey Coleman 330-938-9008 Gretchen Schweikart Cox 330-938-6126 Ron Russell 330-868-7551
1954	Aug 20, 2016 Saturday, 1:00 PM Luncheon	80th Birthday Party Skyland Pines Event Center	George Hampu 330-492-0721
1956	Aug 12, 2016 Aug 13, 2016	Mixer Elks Pavillion 7:00 pm Reunion-Elks Ballroom 6-11pm Catered by Jeff Walker	Joan Cracknell Trautman jat1038@neo.rr.com
1961	Aug 19, 2016 Aug 20, 2016	Mixer-Alliance Elks pavilion Reunion-Sebring Mansion	Details to be mailed in Jan 2016 Formal invitations to be mailed May Rick Bourne or Don Israel
1966	Sept 9-10, 2016	Alliance Country Club	Leigh Mainwaring mainleigh@gmail.com Facebook: Alliance High School Class of 1966 or ahs1966@sbcglobal.net
1971	Aug 27, 2016 (Tentative plans)	Informal gathering about 6:00 PM at Chives Grille	Mary Lynn Stoia Simmons 330-823-4484
1976	No information available		
1981	No information available		
1986	Aug 6, 2016	To be determined	Kirk Miller 614-554-7444 kmille15@columbus.rr.com
1991	No information available		
1996	No information available		
2001	No information available		
2006	No information available		
2011	No information available		

For updated information about reunion plans, birthday parties or Class luncheons,
go to the AHS Foundation website at www.ahsalumnifoundation.org.

ALLIANCE HIRES NEW FOOTBALL COACH

Seth Whiting, a graduate of Northwest High School and Baldwin College is the new Alliance High School Football coach.

The Board of Education made it official on January 19, 2016, with the hiring announcement. Whiting will replace Mike Schott '88 who resigned as Head Football coach after last season to fill the position of full-time Athletic Director after seven years as both Head Football coach and AD.

Whiting, who is 31 years old, spent the past four years as Head Football coach of Springfield Northwestern High School, a Division V school located between Columbus and Dayton. He was an All-NBC and All-Ohio football performer in the early 2000's at Northwest where his father, Vic Whiting, has been Head Football coach for 17 years.

In addition to being a Baldwin Wallace graduate, Whiting has a master's degree from Walsh University. He begins his tenure at AHS on February 29, 2016, finishing this school year as a full-time substitute teacher. In the fall he will teach Social Studies along with his coaching duties. ✈



Class of 1941 is celebrating its 75th Reunion all year long. The first Wednesday of each month at 12:30 pm, celebrate wherever you are or plan to come to Chives Grille in Alliance and join your classmates for lunch. The Class Committee is Fran Strazi Fisher, William 'Bil' Hamlin, Jane Ellett Huffman, Selma Umberger Kennedy, Ellen Mary Bedford Kump and Bette Oyster Poto.

STUDENT APPRECIATES SCHOLARSHIP

Dear AHS Foundation and Alumni,

Thank you! The Alliance High School Foundation Renewable Scholarship that I received in 2012 allowed me to afford Kenyon College's tuition for all four years with very little worry. I'm incredibly grateful for that. Kenyon has been an amazing experience for me. I am a Religious Studies major with a minor in Russian language, a combination that has allowed me to learn about a wide variety of cultures and world views. Between this broad curriculum and Kenyon's emphasis on writing, I feel the education afforded me by this scholarship has left me well prepared for the career in journalism I hope to build. I have nothing but gratitude for the Alliance High School Foundation and AHS Alumni for the wonderful education you have helped to provide for me and the future that that education will bring.

Alexandra Greenwald, AHS '12 & Kenyon College '16

Editor's note: The AHS Foundation has been assisting with the financial needs of AHS graduates as they pursue their educational goals beyond high school since 1987. ✈



Alex Greenwald

PayPal Contributions can be made through the Website

Support of the AHS Foundation Scholarship Program is, and always has been, through donations of AHS alumni and friends. Traditionally donations, dues and memorial gifts have been received via alumni checks. With the advent of the AHS Alumni Foundation website www.ahsalumnifoundation.org your gift may be made through PayPal. Just go to the website and click on donations at the Homepage. Please include your name (maiden name too, please), class year and, if you wish, memorial information.

LOOKING FOR AHS GRADUATES

We continue to search for AHS graduates mailing addresses. Our principal means of keeping in touch with alumni for the past 30 years has been through the newsletter. Today's, and many recent, classes have reduced or eliminated mailing costs as they plan their reunions by communication through FaceBook and other media. Consequently the AHS Foundation mailing list is not being updated as it should.

Our goal is to reach every Alliance High graduate. Last May we launched the AHS Alumni Foundation website www.ahsalumnifoundation.org as another avenue for communication.

If your class has a website or a FaceBook Page, please post that your classmates should contact us with their updated mailing address information if they are not receiving the newsletter.

Ask a classmate, a relative or a friend if they are receiving the newsletter. If they are not, tell them about our website and send us their name, address and class year (maiden name too). Your help will increase our reach and help make our goal of communicating with every AHS graduate.

Thank you for your help. ✈

Class Ring Lost in WW II can you help to replace it?

Joseph Bara left Alliance High School early to join the Army in 1944. Officially, he did not graduate until the 1980's, but he had received his 1945 Class Ring before he left school.

After training Joe joined the 13th Division of the 82nd Airborne and shipped out to the European theater. While advancing across France, he lost his Class ring somewhere on the battlefield.

If by some miracle you found it, or do find it, please contact Joe's son, Craig Bara (craig.bara@yahoo.com).

If you have a man's AHS Class Ring from 1944 or 1945 and would be willing to part with it, again, please contact Craig Bara. Joe Bara died in 1990 and having a memento of his father's past would mean a lot to Craig.

P S: Craig Bara is the co-author of 'Images of America-ALLIANCE' along with Lyle Crist '42

“DAYS OF GLORY” SCHOLARSHIP IN HONOR OF JOHN WEITZEL

A volunteer committee of AHS band alumni is working to establish a scholarship in honor of John Weitzel, AHS Band Director from 1961 to 1978. The committee has been meeting regularly to establish scholarship criteria, develop a selection process, collect contact information for former musicians, and acquire contributions for this effort.

John Weitzel's tenure at Alliance High School established a new standard of excellence. The Weitzel Bands continued a long tradition that started in 1926 with one of the first AHS marching bands receiving a significant and personal award from John Philip Sousa himself. During the Weitzel years (1961 to 1978), the marching band performed at several professional football stadiums as the featured halftime performance. Other significant performances included Miami's Orange Bowl Parade, Disney World, and Detroit's Thanksgiving Day J.L. Hudson Parade.

John Weitzel provided numerous lessons in musicianship, teamwork, organization, leadership, and dedication for all band members. This approach promoted and developed not only outstanding performances, but also an attention to detail and civic responsibility. These lessons have resonated with his musicians long after their high school years and the goal of this scholarship is to keep that spirit alive.

The scholarship committee plans to establish a four-year renewable scholarship to be awarded to an AHS senior annually to assist in their continuing education. The goal is to select a student who reflects the values exemplified by Mr. Weitzel.

The scholarship committee has made contact with over 300 band members of the Weitzel years through a mailing in early 2016. They believe that there may be many other band members and supporters of this era and would like to ask them for their help with this scholarship effort. If you did not receive their letter, please contact “Days of Glory” Scholarship Fund committee member Lucy M. Downs, AHS class of 1966, with your contact information at: www.downhome@neo.rr.com. ✈



John Weitzel, AHS Band Director from 1961 to 1978

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AHS Hosts Job Fair and Continuing Education Event

The next step in education for Alliance High School seniors can be College or Technical School. In this day and age, education beyond high school can be the key to a better life. The administration of Alliance City Schools is working with the students and their families, local businesses, colleges and universities and the AHS Foundation to make the dreams for AHS graduates come true.

Sometimes the cost of these ‘dreams’ can get in the way of accomplishing them. The high school guidance office is working to make the students aware that scholarship opportunities are available which will assist in overcoming these challenges.

Last fall, a combination scholarship opportunity and job fair was held at AHS. Several colleges and universities were represented. The new Adult Education Program that has been relocated into the high school building was part of the presentation. Local employers, the Armed Forces and many scholarship opportunities were highlighted.

Part of this presentation was an opportunity for students and their families to speak to representatives from businesses, colleges, technical schools and scholarship foundations.

The AHS Foundation was represented by nine of the Board members. We spoke to the students, parents and siblings about the wide range of scholarships that the Foundation offers, thanks to the generosity of AHS Alumni. In many cases, AHS Foundation Scholarships are based on the student's specific interests. Student plans to pursue studies in a medical field, teaching, history, or perhaps just being a descendant of a U S Veteran can qualify them for some scholarships.

This one on one interaction was planned and encouraged through the Guidance office at AHS.

Today's post secondary costs are daunting. The goal of all this activity is to help AHS graduates achieve their educational goals without sinking too deep in debt. ✈

AHS BAND HAS LONG PROUD HISTORY

The beginnings of the Alliance High School Band can be traced to 1926, when Stanley Lutz a self taught musician, teacher and principal in the Alliance School system was challenged by Superintendent B F Stanton to form a high school band.

Prior to 1916 and the World War, nearly every town had a 'City Band.' Community concerts were a major form of entertainment. With the beginning of the War, manpower became limited and city bands gradually became rare. In 1926, the first Alliance High School Band began with only seven boys as members. In 1928, the band had grown to twenty-five musicians and participated in the first Stark County Band contest. The contest was judged by non-other than John Philip Sousa, 'The March King' (also known as the Johnny Appleseed of high school bands). Sousa was touring the country to generate interest in starting high school bands (No doubt the tour would help create a market for his marching music as well.). The Alliance High School band won the contest and was presented an eighteen inch silver loving cup by Sousa. Also in 1928, the band played at the railroad station for President Herbert Hoover's 'whistle stop' in Alliance and they marched to



Close-up of the trophies from 1928 and 1933

the high school at Broadway and Arch with the U S Marine Band.

By 1933 high school bands were springing up everywhere and a second Stark County band show was held. The Alliance High School Band won again.

In the late 1930's Mr. Lutz was involved in the establishment of the AHS Alma Mater. He borrowed the melody from a Cornell University school song and a 1938 AHS graduate, Eleanore Johnston Bratte, is credited with writing the words, "On the rolling verdant terrace..." Lutz also introduced band halftime shows for football games in Alliance. The band practiced in the street prior to the games. He created the first 'game program' as a band fund-raiser.

In 1940 when Stanley Lutz stepped down as band director there were 83 musicians participating.

Shaun Fontaine '97 has been the Band Director since 2005. Band participants for the 2015-16 school year number 120 musicians and auxiliary.

If you have AHS Band information/stories/history please share them with us. Send an Email to info@ahsalumnifoundation.org or a note to AHS Foundation PO BOX 3123, Alliance, OH 44601. ✈



Current AHS Band Director Shaun Fontaine with the Sousa Cup from 1928 and the 1933 award, both for First Place in the Stark County Band Show.

BAND ALUMNI REUNION

This fall, September 9, 2016, the AHS Alumni Band will join the performance for the halftime show during the Alliance versus Crestview football game at Mount Union Stadium.

Any(all) AHS Band Alumni should plan to be part of this reunion and show. Activities are in the planning stages at this time. If you would like more information, want to participate or would like to help, contact Shaun Fontaine at fontainesh@alliancecityschools.org

Graduates Revisited

1940-1949

Dr Harry Johns '40-Ja is a retired vice-president of Central State University.

Violet Bica-Ross '41-Ja was named 2015 Person of the Year by the Aurora, Ohio, Chamber of Commerce and was also selected for the Centennial Alumni Award presented by the Kent State University College of Education, Health and Human Services. Violet taught second grade at South Liberty in Alliance from 1945 to 1953, did her graduate work at Kent State, became a school Psychologist and remained a part of the northeast Ohio education system for thirty-one years.

Warren & Margaret Bagley Chapman '43/'43 recently celebrated their 91st birthdays and then celebrated their 72nd wedding anniversary. Their son Scott is Senior Pastor for The Chapel, with eight campuses in Ohio.

Herb Hallman '44-Ja served as President of the Ohio Foundation of Independent Colleges for ten years and Vice-President of Malone College for eighteen years. He was an advocate for good education all his life. Herb passed last June and he will be missed by family and all who knew him.

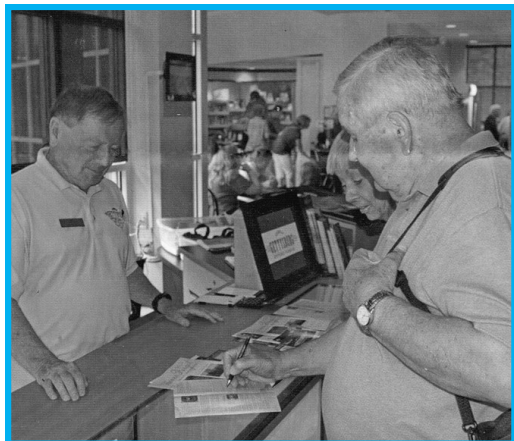
Doris Grimm Mason '47 is retired. She is a widow, living in Modesto, California.

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BILL ZUCCHERO VOLUNTEERS AT THE GETTYSBURG BATTLEFIELD

Bill Zuccherro, Class of 1960, retired in 2008, he moved to Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, to fulfill a long standing desire to become involved with the Country's most famous and most visited Civil War battlefield. He has been an enthusiastic volunteer at Gettysburg ever since.

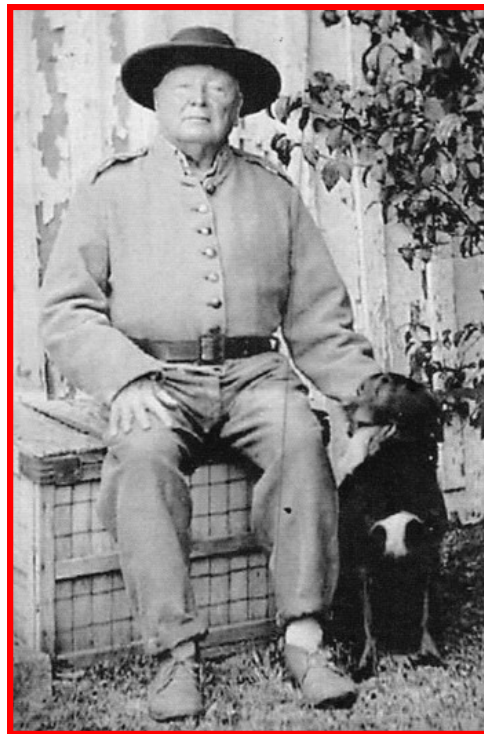
Bill explains, "I enjoy helping guests get oriented to Gettysburg and explaining all the options we have to make their visit and informative and memorable experience."



Bill assists members at the member services desk

During the recent 150th Anniversary of the battle, Bill played in one of his favorite bands, the Second South Carolina, at the Governor's reception. He also participated in reenactments as a Adjutant in the Army of Northern Virginia during the living history events.

Bill urges his fellow Aviators to see for themselves this fascinating part of American History. A perfect weekend trip from Alliance. ✈️



Bill portraying a private in the '5th Texas' along with his dog Biscuit

Graduates Revisited (Cont.)

1940-1949

Lois Wank Thompson '48-Ja is retired, still living in Alliance and acts as secretary for her class reunion committee.

1950-1959

Walter Linder '50 enjoys reading the newsletter and appreciates all the AHS information it provides.

Barbara Cracknell Laubert '51 is retired from Babcock & Wilcox Tubular Products Division after thirty three years of service. Barbara and her husband have been retired for 30 years. They are avid golfers and spend most winters in Florida.

Paul Jack '51 is asking (hoping) for a reunion in 2016. (???)

Richard 'Pete' Russell '51 has been retired for sixteen years from teaching Physical Education and coaching in Royal Oak, Michigan. Pete sends a special remembrance for Coach Mel Knowlton for all that he did.

Jerry L Thompson '52 has been retired for eighteen years. He and Ginny celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary in 2014. Jerry earned his BS in Chemistry, while working summers at B & W Research Center. He received his Master's in Organic Chemistry from

Michigan State and spent most of his career with the Ford Scientific Lab and AMOCO Research Center.

Donald Fraraccio '53 is 'twice retired,' from the CSX Railroad and from teaching in the Akron School System.

Imogene Simmons Williams '53 writes that, 'her mind keeps telling her she is still a teenager at AHS, but her body says her athletic days are slowing down! Guess who is winning the race?'

Joanne Brannam Wagner '53 is still living in Georgia. She sends her thanks for the newsletter and congratulations on the growing scholarship list to help AHS graduates.

Jerry Fulmer '55 was recently honored by the National Academy of Arbitrators for twenty five years of service.



Carol Schreckengost Tasker '56 is still active as a Realtor in California.

Jayne L Hively '57 lives in Pennsylvania. She earned her RN, BSN and MSN.

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BALANCE FOR ACCOUNTS ADMINISTERED BY THE AHS FOUNDATION

	12-31-15	12-31-14	12-31-13
AHS Foundation Scholarship Fund	\$ 649,703	\$ 650,150	\$ 611,048
Megan Adelman Scholarship Fund	15,019	14,833	14,257
William & Mary Lou Baker Fund	70,101	71,199	53,841
Carli/Cowan Scholarship Fund	22,555	22,886	21,392
Class of 1963 Scholarship Fund	22,299	18,463	15,679
Class of 1965 Scholarship Fund	23,496	-	-
F. Kermit Donaldson Scholarship Fund	26,803	27,207	26,040
Furcolow Football Scholarship Fund	32,368	32,936	30,000
Edwin & Ruth Gibson Scholarship Fund	27,432	27,094	25,211
Eugene L. Haidet Scholarship Fund	15,797	16,148	15,235
R. G. Hamrick Scholarship Fund	13,159	14,475	13,550
John & Roene Klusch Scholarship Fund	1,022,194	1,034,810	988,497
Mel Knowlton Scholarship Fund	145,509	147,628	141,204
Jim Lear Scholarship Fund	12,258	11,621	10,539
Dave & Goldie Mainwaring Scholarship	66,644	67,651	63,823
Dorothea & Owen McCoy Scholarship Fund	11,838	12,078	11,122
Margaret Peach Scholarship Fund	36,535	30,217	26,932
Christopher Penny Scholarship	24,753	25,219	23,502
Joanna Pietrocola Scholarship Fund	25,119	25,716	24,626
Beverly Robertson Yeagley Scholarship	30,946	31,445	30,045
Rockhill PTO Scholarship Fund	13,763	13,986	13,482
Byron & Isabel Saffell Scholarship Fund	143,218	143,396	137,274
Brett Streza Scholarship Fund	40,057	35,229	28,505
Theresa Utterback Family Scholarship	66,387	59,483	47,374
Thomas A Mangino Chapter-Vietnam Veterans	25,102	22,701	20,608
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TOTAL	\$2,583,055	\$2,556,571	\$2,393,787

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Graduates Revisited (Cont.)

1950-1959

Joyce Black Heverly '57 moved back to Arizona in 2015, with husband Pete, to be closer to children and grandchildren. They also bought a horse. Joyce sends blessings to all and asks for your prayers.

Sandy Albrich Archer '59 is a retired school teacher. She has seven children and ten grand children.

Margie Osborne McLaren '59 is a retired teacher. Last April she traveled to Europe and boarded the new Viking ocean-going cruise ship, The Star, for part of her maiden voyage which started in Istanbul and ended in Barcelona. It was an awesome trip which included stops in Turkey, Greece, Croatia, Montenegro, Italy, France, Monte Carlo and Spain.

Beverly Swisher Santucci '59 lives in Las Vegas. She writes that she really enjoys the newsletter, finding out about classmates and the current happenings at AHS.

1960-1969

Tanya Tripp Shively '60 is now fully retired and enjoying traveling and sleeping late. Tanya sends her thanks for the newsletter and "keeping us all up to date."

Mary Phillips Arnett '60 married Frank Sparks in July 2015. They live in Springfield, Ohio. Both are graduates of Muskingum University where they met briefly thirty-five years ago. Mary is a retired music teacher and symphony violinist. Frank is a retired Presbyterian pastor.

Doris Harrington Walton '61 retired on June 30, 2014 as Administrative Support Coordinator for the California State E A C H Program. She was an AHS Business Office Education Teacher from 1968 to 1990.

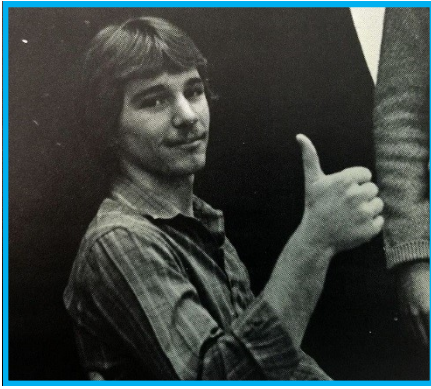
Randia McGregor Ames-Hampton would have graduated in 1961 except for her family moving out of town. She has kept many friendships with Alliance classmates, especially those from Liberty Elementary. Randia says, "My heart will always have a soft spot for Alliance."

Chuck Hutcheson '61 writes that he is "basking in retirement on the shore of Chautauqua Lake, New York."

Ginny Abblett '63 is a professional artist with studios in Denver, Colorado and Taos, New Mexico.

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Cliff Trainer '82 Memorial Scholarship Established



Cliff Trainer

On September 19, 2015, the Class of 1982 lost one of its more popular graduates with the passing of Cliff Trainer at age 52. Cliff was well known for his skills as a shooting guard on one of the most successful basketball teams in the history of Alliance High School during the 1981-82 season. That year, the Aviators finished with a record of 22-3 before falling in the Regional Final to their arch-rival, the Barberton Magic.

Always known for his sense of humor and outgoing personality, Cliff was a resident of Alliance and is survived by his two children, Michael and Morgan; sister, Tammy, brothers Jim ('79) and Troy ('82); as well as his companion, Shelly Milburn, her daughter Mikayla ('16) and many family members.

The Class of 1982, assisted by several other AHS graduates, held a scholarship fund-raiser at Don Pancho's Restaurant on October 23, 2015. A member of the fund-raising team, Lisa Phillipi ('82) and her band, Paradox, played at the event that was attended by over 200 people, featuring a silent auction of nearly 50 baskets and other fund-raising initiatives that brought in \$8,000.

Tragically, the class of 1982 suffered the passing of another popular member of its class, Todd Schafer on October 28, 2015 in Atlanta. At the request of his family, memorial donations, totaling \$1,250 came in to support the Trainer Scholarship in Todd's name.

The Cliff Trainer Memorial Scholarship fund, totaling \$9,250, was transferred to the AHS Foundation in February and will be used to fund two \$500 scholarships annually to one male and one female student-athlete who has demonstrated financial need to attend college. Many thanks go to all who attended or donated to the event, with special thanks going to the committee members who assisted, including class of 1981 graduates Bruce Nordquist and Craig Walizer, class of 1982 members Pat Heddleston, Eva DeLeon, Lisa Gulling Baylor, Shawna Spall, Lisa Phillipi, Mike Calderone, Darlene Wilson Britt, Connie Sams Beltrami, Irvin Stiffler, Wesley Salter and Sally Ailes, as well as Jerry Williams ('83) and Glenn Harris ('87). Also special thanks to Gary Chambers ('82), Pam Ray Chambers ('81), Lori Heddleston, Angi Swonger and Marissa Swonger ('16) for their help the night of the event.

The fund-raising committee hopes to continue to raise money for the Trainer Scholarship fund in the future and the Class of 1982 is also discussing the possibility of creating a scholarship in memory of all its graduates who have passed away. For more information, contact Pat Heddleston at heddlep@mountunion.edu. ✈



Todd Schafer

Graduates Revisited (Cont.)

1960-1969

Sherrye Johnson Smith '67 retired as a Flight Attendant for American Airlines in 2013.

Merle Yeager '68 is a retired Naval Officer. He lives in Florida and is still active in the Merchant Marine.

1970-1979

Judith Hurford Kosiba '70 earned a BS in Recreation at Kent State, a BS in Education at Wright State and a Masters in Education from Wittenberg. She has been teaching for thirty eight years, twenty three in Ohio. For the past eight years Judith has placed in the State Senior Olympics in swimming and participated in the National Senior Olympics three times.

Roy Clunk '74 has owned and operated Roy's Wash and Lube in Alliance for thirty years. Roy served on the Alliance Board of Education for ten years and was an Alliance City Councilman for six years.

Tom Ruby '75 sends his thanks to the committee for planning their 40th reunion last summer. Tom encourages all

classes to put reunion information in the AHS Foundation newsletter in addition to Facebook and other social media.

Ed Wagnitz '76 took Vocational Printing at AHS. He had a Great Teacher in Tom Hupp! Ed is retired from printing after forty years but still races motocross in the 50+ Vet Class. He and Lori (W B '77) live in the mountains of Northern Arizona. They have two children, Gretchen and Heidi.

1980-2014

Lori Knowles Lane '84 graduated from Ohio State University in 1989. She is working as an RN at the OSU Werner Medical Center in the surgical/trauma ICU.

Ryan Hartzell '99 was inducted into the Stark County Amateur Baseball Hall of Fame earlier this year. After his All-Federal League selection in 1999, Ryan pitched for the Ashland Eagles when they competed in the College Word Series in 2002. In 2010 he was inducted into the AHS Athletic Hall of Fame, the Ashland Hall of Fame in 2015 and played summer baseball in the Great Lakes Summer League and the Canton Class A League. ✈

CLASS of 1965 (Cont.)

The AHS Foundation is pleased to accept the administration responsibilities for this new Scholarship Fund. This is the twenty-fourth 'Named Scholarship,' in addition to the AHS Foundation General Scholarship Fund, to become a part of the AHS Foundation family of scholarships and the second created and named by a graduating class. The first was the Class of 1963 Scholarship started in 2013. We hope that this will inspire more graduating classes to consider sponsoring a 'Named Scholarship' in honor of their Class. AHS graduates in 2015 received 53 awards totaling more than \$95,000.00 for continuing education expenses through the AHS Foundation. We appreciate the confidence shown in the Foundation by the Class of 1965 members and all the 'Named Scholarship Fund' donors.

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