

New Coastal Pet/Stout Family Scholarship Established

Coastal Pet-Stout Family Scholarship has been established through donations by the Stout family. This scholarship is intended to serve Alliance High School graduates who understand the value of hard work and plan to enter a skilled trade or vocational occupation.

Coastal Pet Products Inc. was founded in 1968 in the basement of a pet shop with only \$300.00 in start-up capital. Brothers, Jim and Tom Stout launched what would become a leading manufacturing business and one of the largest employers in Alliance.

The Company has been located in Alliance since its inception. From the pet shop basement to an interim facility built in 1974 when there were ten employees, they have applied a pioneering spirit and cutting edge innovation and design to make Coastal Pet a leading supplier of collars, leashes and other pet supplies. Their use of nylon webbing instead of traditional leather has revolutionized the industry.

Coastal Pet moved into their current facility in 1994. Now, in 2018, manufacturing operations and 475 employees are housed in the 400,000 square foot facility at the west end of Glamorgan Street, on Leadway Avenue. State of the art manufacturing, supply and distribution systems, continue to keep Coastal Pet in their leadership role of the pet supply industry.



Aerial view of Coastal Pet



Jim and Kathy Stout behind daughter Kim and Stryker Scholarship Criteria

- 1) Applicant must be an AHS graduating senior with a preferred GPA between 2.75 and 3.50. Other GPAs will be considered.
- 2) Applicant should be pursuing a vocation or skilled trade after graduation.
- 3) Applicants with a demonstrated work history will be given special consideration.
- 4) Applications must include a statement from the applicant about their intended field of study and how this award would help afford the opportunity to pursue that field.
- 5) Applications must be completed in full and submitted on time to be considered for the award. ≯

AHS CLASS OF 1968 SCHOLARSHIP

The Alliance High School Class of 1968 decided, as a part of their Fiftieth Reunion Celebration in 2018, to raise funds to support a scholarship in honor and memory of their Classmates. Beginning in 2019 a Class of 1968 Scholarship will be presented to a current AHS graduating senior who is enrolled in an accredited post high school institution pursuing a two or four year degree.

This scholarship will be presented in the amount of \$1,000.00 for a ten-year certain term. Scholarship selection criteria will include Academics, Financial need and Character. The recipient will be selected by the AHS Foundation Scholarship Committee.

		AHS Reunion Plans for 2			
	Date	Place	Contact Information		
	Combined Bi-Monthly	Chives (Jan, Mar, etc) 11:30am	Jim Culp 330-206-4613		
<u>1950</u>	Luncheons - 3rd Wednesdays	(Celebrate 70th Reunion all yr)			
1954	Sat, Aug 24, 2019	Skyland Pines (Canton)	George Hampu 330-492-0721		
	Second Wednesdays	Chives - 11:30 Monthly	Edna Kuntzman Edwards 330-821-2762		
1957	Sat, Aug 10, 2019	Chives Grill - 4:00 pm	Mary Kron 330-823-6358		
		80th Birthday Party -	m.kron@sbcglobal.net		
		Classmates, guests & friends	Vickie Cardinal 330-938-3299		
		from other Classes are welcome			
1959	Fri, Sept 20, 2019	6:00 - 9:00 pm Elks Pavilion	Marie Bertolini Furry 330-823-0995		
	Sat, Sept 21, 2019	5:30 - 10:30 pm Elks Hall	Walt Zingg 330-823-5412		
1964	Sat, Aug 10, 2019	55th Reunion Cookout (time &	Cheryl Grimes 330-829-9312		
		place to be announced)	cheryllu1946@yahoo.com		
			Gayle Bansberg Fiegenschuh 330-417-3676		
			gaylefig@gmail.com		
			Pat Wonner Nelson 330-938-9292		
			pnilsson@sbcglobal.net		
	Fourth Tuesdays	Don Pancho's 12:00 Monthly	Facebook: AHS Class of '64		
1969	Fri, Aug 9, 2019	50th Reunion Mixer	Jon Karns 330-821-7113		
	Sat, Aug 10, 2019	Dinner/Dance	jkarns@neo.rr.com		
		(both at Alliance Country Club)	Bob Lavery 330-705-4125		
1974		(no details available)			
1979	Fri, Aug 30, 2019	Mixer at Chives	Kim Hahlen Porter		
	Sat, Aug 31, 2019	40th Reunion at Elks Pavilion	AHS79ers40th@gmail.com		
			Facebook: AHS class of 79 40th Reunion		
1984	Planning in progress		neck Facebook: Alliance High School Class of 1984		
			Kunz or Kim Dickerson Barnes		
1989	Sat, July 20, 2019	30th Reunion & Mixer	Tommi Sue Hanning Hart		
		Chives Grille 7:00 pm	tommisue71@outlook.com		
1994	Sat, July 27, 2019	Don Pancho's Tex Mex Café	Tonia Hull Hamby		
1000		6:00 pm - 10:00 pm	alliancehighschool1994@gmail.com		
1999		(no details available)			
2004		(no details available)			
2009		(no details available)			
2014		(no details available)			

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

GRADUATES REVISITED

1930-1939

Jane Wilson Bennett '38 lives in Uvalde, Texas. Jane sends her 'Thanks' to the AHS Foundation for keeping in touch and reports that she will be ninety nine in May.

Connie (Tonsi) Dordea Peters '39 was married to **Francis '37**, her high school sweetheart for 75 years. They raised seven children, all Alliance High School graduates. Connie still lives in Alliance and would love to hear from any of her classmates.

1940-1949

Denise Snow Stephens '40 lives in Detroit, Michigan. She sends her appreciation of the newsletter and enjoys keeping up with the goings on at AHS.

Thank you to the **Madison family** for donating seven Chronicles (1938 to 1945) from the collection of **Jean '41-Ja, Elvin & Jean (Blair) '44/'44 and Jack '46.** The AHS Foundation will share these yearbooks, and other duplicates in our collection with alumni, upon request.

Gloria Snodgrass Malone '45 was presented a Pathfinder Award as a trailblazer in Education. (Continued on next page)

AHS FOUNDATION Officers and Trustees elected

AHS Foundation officers elected to a one year term for the 2019 year are Patrick Heddleston '82, President, Joe Zelasko, '51, Vice-president, Kevin Knowles '87, Chief Financial Officer, Sandy Oswalt Good '58, Treasurer, and Jody Newman Koenigseker '68, Secretary.

AHS graduates elected to a three year term as members of the Board of Trustees were: Heddleston, Zelasko, Koenigseker and Judge Robert Lavery '69.

Other board members, in the middle of their terms, are: Good, Knowles, Sarah Morris Brown '61, Dick Diser '63, Dave Wolpert '65, Sally Ailes '82, Judge Andrew Zumbar '85, Dan Griffith '95, Chad Morris '01 and Todd Ruggles '06.

BOB POTTS RETIRES AFTER 21 YEARS OF SERVICE

Bob Potts '65 has been an AHS Foundation trustee for 21 years. He has acted in the capacity of Chief Financial Officer for the Foundation since 2003. Bob is a CPA, now retired from Cohen & Co. of Canton. He and his wife, Jeffra Trotter Potts '65, are realigning their retirement years focusing on family priorities.

Bob leaves the AHS Foundation in a good financial place. The total endowment has grown from \$170,000.00 when he joined the board in 1998 to over \$3 million. Scholarship awards presented have increased both in numbers of awards and dollars presented. The Foundation has awarded scholarships totaling over \$100,000.00 in each of the last two years.

Thank you, Bob for your expertise in financial matters, your ideas and opinions and for your volunteer service over the past 21 years of growth. We wish you well!



Robert P. Potts

2019 TOP GUN WRESTLING TOURNAMENT

The cold and snowy weekend of January 18 and 19 brought forty-three (43) high school wrestling teams to Alliance for the 33rd annual Top Gun Wrestling Tournament.

The team championship this year went to the Aurora Greenmen. Alliance finished twenty-second, with Brailyn Lightner the Aviators' lone placer at fifth in the 160 pound weight class. Marlington placed 30th, Minerva 10th and West Branch, the highest placing area team finished 5th.

West Branch Warrior, Christian Wayt, won the 120 pound weight class, his third year as an individual champion at the Top Gun. For his efforts, Wayt was awarded the 2019 Baucum/Kreiner Outstanding Wrestler Award.

Saturday prior to the finals, the Top Gun Tournament welcomed its 2019 Hall of Fame class, which included former Alliance Review Sports Editor Mike Brown along with three others. Brown was recognized for 45 years of covering local high school wrestling.

The Top Gun Tournament 'Hall of Fame' was established in 1998. Previous inductees from Alliance include:

- 2017 Bill Nagy
- 2015 Marcus Adelman
- 2014 Tim Edwards
- 2014 Shannon Dennis
- 2013 Dick Murray
- 2011 Frank Mancini
- 2011 Sue Donahoe
- 2009 Jim Hurford
- 2008 Bill Hurford
- 2008 Jack Webb
- 2005 Chuck Kreiner
- 2004 Ray Woods
- 2001 Brian Singleton



GRADUATES REVISITED (continued)

Jim Culp '49 has relocated to Copeland Oaks in Sebring. He reports that "all is good." Jim donated Chronicles from 1951, 52, 59 and 60. Thank you Jim! (The AHS Foundation maintains a collection of Chronicles from the first issue in 1910 through the present. If we have extras of any year, they are available to AHS graduates, just ask.)

1950-1959

George R Kellner '50 went on to graduate from Mount Union College in 1955. After two years in the Navy (1955 -57) he worked at Sinai Hospital in Baltimore, Maryland, for nearly four years in the field of microbiology. George continued in microbiology in the Health Department of Cincinnati, Ohio, until retirement in 1991.

Bob Qualk '51 donated a 1987 Chronicle to the AHS Foundation collection. Thank you Bob!

Dean Walizer '51 is retired and living at Birkdale Senior Living on Sawburg Ave in Alliance.

John & Dawn Dregich Stauffenger '52/'73 live in Alliance. John operates Aid Pest Control and Dawn operates Norge Village.

Linda Fink Reber '53 retired from nursing in 1998. She volunteered with Halifax Urban Ministries for over twenty years until open heart surgery interfered. Linda is still recovering, but plans to get back to volunteering soon. She and Ray were married for sixty years before he died in 2016. Linda still, "Loves the Aviators!"

Ron Feller '53 lives in Pittsburgh. Ron (and **Marjon '53** who passed away in 2017) both loved Alliance High School. Ron wishes the very best for all the graduates.

Imogene Simmons Williams '53 lives in a 'high rise apartment' in Chicago. This time of year, she enjoys the beauty of the fall leaves and a view of Lake Michigan with all its sail boats. Imogene treasures her memories of AHS and many friends.

Glenn Spore '54 lives in Alliance. He is retired from the United States Air Force.

Carl Dietz '55 and his wife, Jo, live in Alliance. Carl reports that he is still active and vital at 82, "still on the green side of the sod!"

Dorothy Kirksey Lawson '57 lives in Alliance. She is a housewife and a widow. (Continued on next page)

GRADUATES REVISITED (continued)

Robert Shanks '57 is retired in Florida and enjoying the "Good Times."

Cheerleaders from the 1958 State Football Championship season have been added to the 'Wall of Fame" display at the high school. Varsity Cheerleaders for that season were **Patti Bolog Schaefer '59, Celeste Trunzo Gainor '59, Mary Ellen Anderson Clark '59, Maria Profeta Donahue '60** and **Gayle Josh Radler '61**. Current Superintendant, Jeffery Talbert announced the addition of the cheerleaders to the display, saying, "...he felt it was part of the current administration's responsibility to recognize that season's cheerleaders' for their dedication, hard work and Aviator pride, as part of that championship season."



1960-1969

Mary Phillips Sparks '60 lives in Springfield, Ohio with her husband. She enjoys spending the summers at Lakeside Chautauqua where she has hosted classmates Cynthia Grove Carlin '60 and Alan and Sara Richmond Burky '60/'60. Mary reads the Foundation newsletter 'cover to cover.' (Continued on next page)

MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE Message found in the Florida Keys after 32 years

In 1986, Neil Johnson '75 and Larry Wolkan '75 were vacationing in the Florida Keys at Bahia Honda State Park where they buried a message in a bottle. Larry's sister, Beth Wolkan Wehry '83, shared that the young men were inspired by an episode of "The Undersea World of Jacques Cousteau" and decided to bury a wine bottle with a note. Neil shared that they were amateur 'wine distillers' at that time, a phase that lasted only a few years.

During 'clean-up' in the aftermath of hurricane Irma last summer, a Florida couple was excited to find a 'long buried bottle.' They reported their find to a local newspaper, which printed a brief story. The faded note inside the bottle read: "On this summer day in 1986, we, Neil Johnson and Larry Wolkan, two Ohio wine makers, leave this legacy for you to find... Happily we may be remembered; Happily we may be forgot; Happily you drink our wine; Happily we rot."

Thanks to George and Edith Maurer Sollie '58/'59 of Marathon, Florida for reporting this story.

Neil still lives in Alliance and Larry now lives in Delaware, Ohio. Incidentally, Larry is the son of Joseph Wolkan, former art teacher at State Street and he was principal at Stanton Junior High for nearly twenty years. Mrs. Wolkan donated sixteen year books from Stanton and four from State Street to the AHS Foundation's collection.

SPECIAL GIFTS CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Recently, the AHS Foundation received two sizable legacy gifts from deceased AHS graduates who planned for supporting the Foundation's scholarship program while they were still alive. Eileen Roose Sturgeon '39 and Jack L Madison '46 established trusts in the 1990's that provided for the Foundation to share in the distribution of the trust assets after their deaths.

Mrs. Sturgeon left Alliance shortly after graduation. She lived in Santa Monica, California, and taught school for many years, always placing a high value on education for our young people. Mr. Madison served in the U S Coast Guard after graduation from Mount Union College and continued to live in Alliance while working in the corporate accounting offices of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company in Akron for forty-five years. He served his family, his community and his church, in many instances focusing his efforts on youth activities.

These gifts will be included in the AHS Foundation General Scholarship Fund, and the earnings will be distributed in the form of scholarships to future AHS graduates.

Donations to the Alliance High School Foundation are always greatly appreciated and serve to benefit current AHS graduates. If you are considering providing additional support, here are some ways for your consideration:

- 1) Naming the Alliance High School Foundation as a beneficiary of an estate or trust.
- 2) Including a bequest in your last will and testament
- 3) Naming the Alliance High School Foundation as the beneficiary of a retirement account or insurance policy.
- 4) Making a contribution directly from your Individual Retirement Account (Qualified Charitable Distribution).
- 5) Forming a charitable trust.

Please consult your tax and legal advisors for additional guidance. Thank you for your support of today's AHS graduates.

If you have questions for the Foundation or would like to discuss a possible gift, email us: info@ahsalumnifoundation.org or mail to: AHS Foundation PO BOX 3123 ALLIANCE OH 44601-7123

ALLIANCE HIGH SCHOOL DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI

2018 brought the selection of four additional members as AHS Distinguished Alumni. This brings the total to one hundred (100) AHS graduates who have been recognized with this honor. Distinguished Alumni Selection Committee Chairman, Judge Robert G Lavery '69 hosted the Induction Ceremony on October 1, 2018, in the AHS auditorium.

Ernest S. Prince – Graduated 1960; Inducted 2018

Ernest Prince graduated from AHS in 1960. He was a skilled varsity basketball and football player and a leader from an early age. While at AHS he was senior class president, a member of the 1958 Football State Championship team, and attended Buckeye Boys' State. After graduation Prince attended Baldwin Wallace College, where he set a record for most touchdowns in a single game and earned the Outstanding Freshman Player award. He earned a Bachelor's Degree in History and began his career with the Urban League, a National Civil Rights organization that advocates on behalf of African Americans.

He founded the Canton Urban League and then served as the President of the Shenango Valley Urban League in Sharon, Pennsylvania. He moved to Westchester County, New York, where he became the president of the Urban League. Mr. Prince served in that capacity for 37 years. He served the National Council of Presidents of the Urban League and was involved in numerous other organizations working to improve the lives of those in need. He dedicated his life to their century-long commitment to civil rights and equal justice.



Ernest S. Prince

He was married to his wife, Cheryl for 45 years and they had two daughters and three grandsons.

Ernest passed away December 8, 2011. Since his death he has been honored with several awards and recognitions including the Westchester County African American Advisory Board Trailblazer Lifetime Achievement Award, the Westchester Board of Legislators "Ernest Prince Day", the Criminal Justice Advisory Board Service Award, the US House of Representatives Achievement in Community Service Certificate, and he was recognized as the First CEO of the Shenango Valley Urban League.

Mr. Prince was nominated by Teresa Golden-McClelland '74.

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GRADUATES REVISITED (continued)

Wil Shellenberger '60 is a retired naval officer living in Coupeville, Washington.

William Pilmer '61 is still working in California as an owner, technician and ceramist at R Dental Ceramics. He also teaches Pre-dental students during their 'Gap year,' while waiting to be accepted to dental school. William's hobbies include woodworking and sports cars. Kathy Russell Walters '62 now lives in Fairport, New York. Kathy says that after forty-seven years in Marietta, Ohio, and ten years of retirement, she has moved closer to her two son's families, including four grand daughters. Kathy enjoys the 'tidbits' in the newsletter from fellow classmates.

William Studt '62 enjoyed an annual get-together with classmates Dave Mallory, Brian Ashbaugh, Chas Snyder and Jim Stoops. They took an Alliance 'Tour' and attended a Mount Union football game.

David W Gross '62 sends greetings to all his classmates. He and his wife, Judy, are retired, living in Pawling, New York. David worked ten years for the National Park Service, then thirty years with Cornell University where he taught and did research on land and water conservation. He earned his degree from Michigan State and his Ph. D. from Cornell.

Ginny Abblett '63 is still an artist, splitting her time between Denver and Taos. 'She would love to have you visit her website: ginnyabblett.com or better yet-come and visit in Denver or Taos: ginnyabblett@gmail.com

Sue Freshley McMillen '63 is a retired R. N. Sue has been married fifty-two years and has two children and four grandchildren.

William Slusser '66 lives in Kettering, Ohio. Bill has been a violinist with the Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra for twenty years.

Lucy Malycke Downs '66 writes that "she had the opportunity to attend one of John Weitzel's presentations about his friend, Henry Mancini. It was a delight to visit with Mr. Weitzel and his son, John, and to learn more about his fascinating life."

Alliance Mayor, Alan Andreani '67 was presented a Pathfinder Award in the Education and Citizenship/ Government categories.

Bruce Buzogany '67 and his wife Beth reside in Nebo, North Carolina, where he is a consultant for not-forprofit organizations.

1970-1979

Mary Ann McCready '70 was awarded Variety magazine's 2018 Business Manager Elite Award honoring her philanthropy. She is a graduate of Vanderbilt University and involved in the music industry in Nashville (and nationally) with the firm Flood, Bumstead, McCready and McCarthy. Mary Ann is well-known for her charitable fund raising efforts for hunger advocacy, the Country Music Hall of Fame, and the W. O, Smith Music School which serves underprivileged children.

Gary King '73 was awarded the Urban Pastors 'Icon award' as "an extraordinary achiever" in his life and his work for Alliance city schools for more than twenty-five years.

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ALLIANCE HIGH SCHOOL DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI

Dr. Wilton "Bill" Eckley Graduated 1947; Inducted 2018

Dr. Eckley was a 1947 graduate of Alliance High School. While in high school he was a talented trumpet player in the marching band and was known for playing taps at various memorial events.

His love for playing trumpet sparked his interest in all music and he was self-taught in other instruments. many He travelled to Slovenia, Bulgaria, Turkey, and many other European Dr. Wilton "Bill" Eckley countries as a lecturer and visiting professor.



After graduation he was stationed at Fort Belvoir in Alexandria, Virginia. He then attended the University of Mount Union and graduated in 1952. He went on to earn his Masters from Pennsylvania State University and received his Ph.D. from Case Western University.

Dr. Eckley had a career in education that began in Ravenna Township High School as an English and French teacher. He also taught in Euclid, Ohio, before becoming an assistant professor at Hollins College and then a professor at Drake University until 1984. In 1985 he began teaching at the Colorado School of Mines in Colorado until his retirement in 1999. He received the Emeritus and Colorado School of Mines Medal for Exemplary Service in 2004. He taught military history and he published more than 50 academic articles and monographs and published two books of literary criticism. He also published a medical conferences. He has received more than 40 biography of President Herbert Hoover and a guide to the poetry of E E Cummings as well as several other books.

Dr. Eckley was married to Grace Eckley for 63 years. She said Alliance High School helped to give him the opportunities to develop his talents in many areas and discover himself. The couple have three children, Douglas, who is a professor at George Mason University, Stephen, an attorney in Iowa and President of the Iowa State Bar Association and Timothy, an attorney in Iowa as well.

Dr. Eckley passed away August 14, 2017. He was nominated by his wife, Grace Eckley.

Robert Benjamin – Graduated 1969; Inducted 2018

Robert Benjamin is a renowned artist who specializes in oil paintings of landscapes. He graduated in 1969 from AHS and was very involved in his time here. He was a member of the Future Teachers of America. Junior Achievement President who represented Ohio at the National JA gathering. He won several state and national awards for



Robert Benjamin

commercial design while still in high school, including a journalism award for editorial cartooning from Kent State University. Upon graduation from Alliance High School he was accepted by the Ivy School of Professional Art, in

Dr. John Blebea - Graduated **1974; Inducted 2018**

Dr. Blebea is an AHS graduate of 1974. He was involved in NHS, Academic Challenge, Science Seminar, National Forensic League, Creative Writing Club, Orchestra, Blue Dom and Thespians while at AHS.

He was class valedictorian and attended Brown University. He attended Medical School at Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland and began his



Dr. John Blebea

internship and general surgery residency training at Georgetown University Hospital.

He specialized in vascular surgery and went on to teach medicine as a professor. He was awarded tenure at Penn State University College of Medicine before moving to Philadelphia as division chief of vascular surgery at Temple University and director of the vascular fellowship program. He also taught at University Hospitals Case Medical Center and Case Western Reserve. He was a professor of surgery in the division of vascular and endovascular surgery at University of Oklahoma College of Medicine. Dr. Blebea became the Chair of Surgical Disciplines: Central Michigan University College of Medicine in the fall of 2018.

Dr. Blebea has written more than 180 scientific publications and has given over 400 presentations at research awards including grants totaling more than \$2 million. He is currently the president of the American Venous Forum, the most prestigious society in the world in the area of venous disorders. He obtained his Master's in Business Administration from Lake Erie College in 2011.

He maintains an active clinical practice and has been included for multiple years in local, state and national doctor recognition programs. He and his wife, Judy have three daughters.

Dr. Blebea was nominated by John and Carol Lyberger Hampu '69/'72 and his niece, Tiffany Washington.

Pittsburgh.

He then moved west and worked in New Mexico to pursue art as an illustrator, art director, lithographer and art bronze foundry owner before deciding his true love was landscape painting. Robert's lithographs have been represented in several museums and galleries including the Smithsonian Institution National Collection of Fine Arts, Washington D.C.; The Museum of Natural History, Albuquerque; and other public and private collections.

Three years after turning to painting full time, New Mexico Magazine invited Bob to be the 2001 Distinguished Calendar Artist for their millennium issue, publishing twelve of his pastels. His expression and artistic vision of the innate beauty of the New Mexico landscape continues to be celebrated in museums and private collections alike.

Mr. Benjamin was nominated by Kay Josh Brown '56.

AHS DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI

Name	Graduation Year	Year of Induction	Name	Graduation Year	Year of Induction
Dr. Mary Allott Agna	1942	1970	Beatrice H. Joliat	1927	1972
Dr. Charles Armstrong	1942	1970	Dr. William A. Jones	1963	2010
Donald E. Asher	1903	2010	Gertrude Kay	1903	1967
William C Baughman	1974	1989	Dr. George L. King, Jr.	1902	1967
Dr. Chester Benjamin	1939	1969	Dr. Robert George King	1929	1908
Robert Benjamin	1940	2018	John Klusch	1929	1985
John Bentia	1909	1967	Judge Robert G. Lavery	1969	2007
Dr. Calvin C. Berlin	1943	1989	Dr. J. Fred Lembright	1927	1992
Aaron S. Bivins	1974	2014	Katherine A. Lembright	1936	1968
Dr. John Blebea	1974	2014	John D. Liber	1956	1996
Michael H. Bowling	1993	2018	Judith Liber	1957	2014
William Bowman	1948	2010	Hammett Lilly	1969	2014
Robert J. Boyce	1948	1999	Col. Stanley Lutz, Jr.	1937	1975
Margaret Boyd	1942	1967	Merrick T. 'Skip' Malone	1969	2004
Dr. Marion J. Bradshaw	1903	1972	Dr. Thomas H Markert	1966	1999
Maj. Gen. William J. Breckner,		1972	Melba Grimes Marlett	1900	1999
Carol Babb Brooks	1961	2010	Mary Ann McCready	1923	2007
Donald M. Canfield	1901	1986	Dr. Kenneth McFall	1970	1968
Dr. Herman Y. Carr	1940	1986	D. Dean McLaughlin	1924	1908
Iverne Rowland Carter	1943	1980	Dr. John A. Messenheimer, Jr.	1920	1971
Dr. Everett L. Cattell	1921	1967	Donald W. Patrick	1902	1992
	1923		Francis Peters		
Dr. Helen Barth Cleveland		1985	John F. Peters	1937 1943	2004
Capt. William H. Cracknell	1949	1986	Charles Emerson Pettis		1996
Professor Lyle Crist Alton F. Davis	1942 1907	1985 1967	Joanna Pietrocola	1918 1948	1971 1989
Leonard R Dawson	1907 1953	1907 1975	Ernest S. Prince	1948	2018
	1955		Forrest L. Ramser	1960	
Capt. Charles Dixon F. Kermit Donaldson		2004	Miss Eliza Reed		1992
	1918	1968 1967	John J. Robertson	1929	1969
Dorothy Kayler Donaldson	1898	2018		1930 1901	1985
Dr. Wilton 'Bill' Eckley Dr. Joellen Beckett Edwards	1947 1969	2018 2010	Hazel Purcell Rodman Francis G. 'Buck' Rodgers	1901	1968 1970
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Walter I. Farmer Mark Fedor	1930 1989	1989 2010	William J. Rush	1954	1996
Dr. Karl L. Fetters			Jeffrey S. Russell	1980	2014
	1927	1969	Dr. Robert L Scranton	1929	1967
Dr. William H. Fiegenschuh, Jr Marvin France	:. 1965 1920	1986 1967	Dr. Earl Sheehan	1915 1960	1967
	1920		Dr. Larry D. Shinn Dr. Daniel S. Snow	1960	1999
Dr. Dwight L. Freshley Dr. Michael Lee 'Leo' Furcolov		1992			1972
		1971 1985	Lt. Col. Charles C. Sperow	1948	1970
Charles C. Gehm Dr. Michael G. Grimes	1948		Col. Christine Spivey	1960	1989
	1985	2007	Brinton S.Turkle	1933	1969
Charles Grove	1947	2004	Bruce Ramon Vogeli	1947	1975
Capt. George T. Henderson	1936	1967 1072	Lucile A. Watts	1939	1985
Jon C. Humphrey	1954	1972	James Weaver	1898	1967
Randall C. Hunt	1971	2014	Dr. Warren E. Wheeler	1926	1968
Robert R. Hunter, Jr.	1964	2007	Leland Whitacre	1924	1972
Rev. Joseph D. Huntley	1937	1970	Cornelia Sotcan Whitaker	1938	1996
Samuel F. Husat	1928	1970	Dr. George M. Wilcoxon	1923	1975
Dr. Harry G. Johns	1940	1969	Gary L. Wilson	1958	1986
Dr. Carl M. Johnson	1923	1968	Kathleen Siegfried Yenter	1969	2004
Robert Erwin Johnson	1936	1975	Maj. Gen. Paul Yount	1926	1967

GRADUATES REVISITED (continued)

Looking For 1970 Stanton Junior High Yearbook Diane Dugan Smith '73 is looking for a 1970 Stanton Junior High yearbook. At this writing, FaceBook has been unsuccessful. Anyone who may be willing to share or copy this bit of Stanton history from 1970, please contact Diane at 330-823-1651.

Brad and Sheri Miller Siefke '76/'83 live in Alliance. Brad is BSA National Sales and Program Manager for GCC/Keller Marketing and Sheri is Practice Manager at Internal Medicine Physicians.

Sharon McGirr Andreani '79 retired in January after twenty-six years in the Alliance Health Department, the last eighteen as Nursing Director.

2000-2023

Hattie Newman '05 graduated from Mount Union in 2009. This past winter, she was named General Manager of the Alliance Country Club, responsible for all facets of the Clubs operations, including generating increased membership. Hattie has served as Director of Communications and Member Relations at Brookside Country Club in Canton since 2011. Prior to joining Brookside, she was director of Convention Services at the McKinley Grand Hotel in downtown Canton.

Ande' Green '16 was one of three recipients at the 27th annual Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr. Awards held by the University of Mount Union in January. Also earning the award were Rev.Raymont Johnson and Darnell Tucker. Ande' was also presented a \$500.00 Book Award by Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity at the event.

Essence Blue '17 is a sophomore at Mount Union. Last November she competed at the ACC Football Championship weekend in Charlotte, N C, in Dr. Pepper's Tuition Giveaway contest (tossing footballs through a two foot opening in a human sized Dr Pepper can replica). Essence submitted a video made while she

TOP TEN PERCENT FINANCIAL AWARD IS INCREASED

The AHS Foundation board of trustees has approved an increase to \$ 300.00 for the award to be presented in May to each member of the top ten percent of the class of 2019.

Initially awarded at \$ 100.00 in 1991, this Top Ten Percent award grew to \$ 200.00 in 1999 and will now be \$ 300.00 to each of the Academic Top Ten percent students.

The generosity of AHS alumni and friends make these awards and all the scholarships presented through the AHS Foundation possible. In 2019 we estimate that the AHS Foundation will award over \$ 110,000.00 in scholarships to AHS graduating seniors. walked through Silver Park explaining her goals of

becoming an Intervention Specialist and why she should be chosen to compete for the \$100,000.00 first prize. She did not win, but appreciated the help of many local people in preparing for the event and enjoyed the experience.

Anthony Young '18, a University of Mount Union student introduced the Keynote Speaker, Lester Sanders, at the 27th Annual Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr. Awards ceremony in January. During the introduction Young, said of Sanders, a motivational speaker, "He helped us find our path. It gets real fast after high school."

Will Rose '20 won two state championships at the C T Branin Natatorium in Canton, within about a fifteen minute time frame, in late February at the OHSAA Swimming and Diving Championships. Will was the first place finisher in the 100-yard butterfly and the 100 -yard freestyle individual events.

Jordan Schwartz '23 won the 73rd Regional Spelling Bee at GlenOak High School on March 2nd. Jordan, an eight grader at Alliance Middle School was competing against 44 other students from throughout the region. His winning word in the 11th round was "transposable."

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