



Sally Ailes Memorial Scholarship

The Sally Ailes Memorial Scholarship was created in 2022, as a result of a significant gift from Ms. Ailes upon her death, as well as numerous memorial gifts by former students, friends, classmates and fellow teachers. The scholarship is to be presented annually to a graduating

senior who has excelled in at least two of the three following areas: three years or more of study in foreign language at AHS; an intent to pursue a college degree in education; or significant involvement in community service, including volunteering at or outside of AHS.

Ms. Ailes was a lifelong Alliance resident who passed away suddenly while

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Sally Ailes '82

Duane and Anita Wamsley Spirit of Service Scholarship

The Duane and Anita Wamsley Spirit of Service Scholarship was created in 2022, thanks to a generous gift from Anita Wamsley to honor her husband Duane Wamsley, who served as principal at AHS from 1973 to 1985. The award is to be presented annually to a graduating senior who has contributed to the school or community in service leadership, specifically as an officer, committee chair, team captain, or other leadership role.

The recipient should have plans for post high school education or training at an accredited two-year or four-year college, trade school or culinary institution.

Mr. Wamsley

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Duane and Anita Wamsley

Muriel Lloyd Phillips Music Scholarship

Muriel Lloyd graduated from Alliance High School in 1924 and attended Kent State University. At that time, the requirement to teach K thru 8 was only two years of college, upon which a Lifetime Teaching Certificate was awarded. Muriel was never able to go back to college.

Muriel grew up outside Marlboro, attending school there through the tenth grade. With no high school classes available in that area, she moved in with an aunt, uncle and cousin on West Ely Street in Alliance and finished at AHS. She taught school near Alliance and in West Richfield, Ohio, until she married in 1935, moving first to Michigan and then to Indiana. Muriel moved back to Alliance in the mid 1940's with her daughter and made a living for them by making and altering clothes. She realized that she needed to earn more

money if her daughter was to be able to attend college and took employment as a teacher at Bolton School. When Bolton closed, she taught at the new Lexington School.

The Muriel Lloyd Phillips Music Scholarship is being established by her daughter Mary Phillips Arnett '60 to honor the memory of her mother.

Mary started at North Lincoln and graduated from Alliance High School as one of three who tied for the title of Valedictorian. She was introduced to the violin at age 11. Mary's mother said that she never had to remind her to practice. Some of her friends gave her their John Thompson Piano Books and Mary taught herself to play the piano. Her grandparents moved their piano to Mary's home to help satisfy her love of music. She was an only child, raised solely by her mother. Money was scarce, but with much frugality, and by earning two scholarships, Mary was able to

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Muriel Lloyd Phillips '24

AHS Class Reunion plans for 2023

Class	Date	Place	Contact Information
1953	2023	Quarterly luncheons to be scheduled (no reunion plans)	Jean Carroll Webster 330-823-1218
1958	2023	Quarterly luncheons are planned, Feb, May, Aug, Nov at Don Pancho's, 1st Wednesday, 11:30 (no reunion for 2023 planned)	Sandy Oswalt Good 330-821-0056
1963	2023	Monthly luncheons - first Tuesday at the Elks 12:30 (no reunion plans)	Carol Snyder Ott carolott45@gmail.com Dick Diser rdiser13@yahoo.com
1968	2023	Planning a 55th reunion this summer. Watch for 'snail mail' or 'e-mail' for details.	Debbie Carr Martin 330-428-2893 or martin.deborah470@gmail.com
1973	Aug 11, 2023 Aug 12, 2023	50th Reunion Fri Buffalo Wild Wings Mixer Sat Elks Ballroom dinner	Jennifer Crist jcrist2@neo.rr.com Tammy Monnot Horne 330-313-6394 hornetamara@aol.com
1993	July 22, 2023	30th Reunion - Sat, Elks Lodge 5:00 to 11:00 pm, RSVP by July 1st, \$25.00/person Link: https://allianceclassof93reunion.rsvpify.com	Classof93AHS@gmail.com Carrie Randall Sawtell
2013	Tentative: Sat, 7-29-23	Plans in progress	Michael Whitaker mwhitaker1708@gmail
For updated information about reunion plans, birthday parties or Class luncheons, go to the AHS Foundation website at www.ahsalumnifoundation.org			

2023 Pathfinder Award Recipient



Tiana Jones '10

Annually the Alliance School District Pathfinder Award is presented to an alumnus or community member who has found success in education, citizenship, government, arts, science, humanitarianism or business. This year's recipient is Tiana Jones, AHS class of 2010.

After AHS, Jones attended South Carolina State University and won the Professional Golf Association Minority College Championship in 2012. She is a professional golfer and currently a professor and

head golf coach of men's and women's golf programs at the University of Maryland Eastern Shore.

During an assembly at AHS, Tiana told students that golf taught her to pay attention to detail, be disciplined, be committed, have integrity and never take shortcuts in life. (A good approach for any aspect of life!) ✈

Alliance High School Chronicles are online

The AHS Foundation has nearly a complete collection of Chronicles from 1910 through 2016. Any duplicates in our collection are available to AHS graduates. Just send your request to our email (ahsalum@alliancecityschools.org).

Another option, and perhaps an easier, more efficient way to look at your, or any other Chronicle year on-line, is for you to access the Rodman Public Library website (www.rodmanlibrary.com) click on the Alliance Memories tab and select the Chronicle year you want to view. The library has scanned each Chronicle, page by page, for all Chronicles from 1910 through 2018. You can page through the yearbook at your own pace and relive high school memories.

(Editor's note: Oops, we goofed!!! In the last newsletter we left out @100 years of the library's work. Scanning is complete from 1910 to 2018.) ✈

Duane and Anita Wamsley Spirit of Service Scholarship (continued)

was recruited to AHS one year after the opening of the 'new' high school on Glamorgan Street. He and Anita, also a former educator, devoted their lives to the AHS students and faculty when he served as principal. Their children, Shelly Wamsley Rea (Class of 1982) and Stephen (Class of 1986) were extremely involved in school and the community during their time at AHS.

Duane passed away in 2009 after a courageous battle with cancer and will always be remembered for his student-centered approach to education. Today, Anita lives in Medina OH, where both her children reside and is a proud and devoted Nana to two adult granddaughters.

The AHS Foundation Board of Directors will administer this fund and the Scholarship Committee will review applications and select future recipients. We are grateful for the Wamsley family's confidence in the AHS Foundation and continuing support of AHS graduates.✂

Sally Ailes Memorial Scholarship (continued)

vacationing in the Dominican Republic in March 2022. She graduated from Alliance High School in 1982 and went on to receive her bachelor's degree from The Ohio State University and her master's degree from Kent State University. Sally worked as a foreign language teacher at Alliance High School for 29 years until her retirement in 2015.

Sally had a significant love for her family and friends, and for the Alliance School District, all of which she devoted her life. After her retirement, she joined the Alliance City School District's Board of Education in 2016, and was serving as Vice President at the time of her death. She was elected to the AHS Foundation Board in 2017, serving as secretary. She had forged outstanding bonds throughout the community and stayed in close contact with many of our graduates as she coordinated the renewable portion of their scholarship awards on behalf of the Foundation. Sally was a lifetime member of the Ohio Foreign Language Association, a member of Union Avenue United Methodist Church and enjoyed traveling and adventure during her life.

The AHS Foundation Scholarship Committee will select future recipients of this scholarship award. We appreciate Sally's volunteer efforts as a Foundation board member and officer and her confidence in selecting the AHS Foundation to administer this scholarship fund. ✂

Muriel Lloyd Phillips Music Scholarship (continued)

achieve a music degree from Muskingum College, while avoiding any school loans. Muriel stressed academics and responsibility and encouraged her daughter throughout her music studies and career.

Mary taught in the orchestra programs at North Canton, Oakwood and Dayton public schools. She has been a part of the violin section in symphony orchestras in Canton, OH, Louisville, KY, Middletown, OH, and most recently in Dayton, OH, retiring in 2006. She taught violin and viola students privately for forty-five years, mostly in the Dayton area. For twenty years she was a counselor, then director, of a large summer music camp sponsored by the Presbyterian Church. Mary has participated in, and directed, several Handbell Choirs, including one at Bethany Village, a senior living complex south of Dayton, where she currently lives.



Mary Phillips Arnett '60

This scholarship honors Muriel Lloyd Phillips '24 who sacrificed to provide her daughter a lifetime of music. Mary relates that she was inspired to create this scholarship by Ray and Rachel Reighart's Scholarship gifts in memory of their parents. She hopes that her gift will inspire others.

The Muriel Lloyd Phillips Music Scholarship will be awarded to AHS graduating seniors who have been involved in the music programs offered through Alliance High School and are in need of financial support to continue their education. Special consideration will be afforded to students intending to major in a career in music.

The AHS Foundation will administer this Scholarship Fund and select the recipients from the applications received. We appreciate the confidence demonstrated through the assignment of this responsibility. ✂

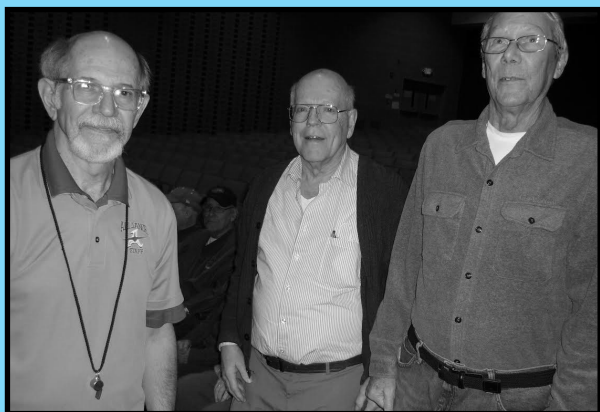
Happy Birthday John Weitzel

John Weitzel was AHS Band Director from 1962 to 1978. Band members from that era were invited to gather at the high school in January to wish Mr. Weitzel, "Happy Birthday," sign a card and be photographed to be included with the card(s).

More than 90 band graduates from 40 to 60 years ago showed up for the celebration and picture taking. John Weitzel will be 99 years young on February 23, 2023. He is still active and involved in music (both performance and appreciation).

John Walker '64, Tom Richmond '64 and John Hampu '69 coordinated the event. A picture of band members present from each class was taken, as well as a 'group photo' taken in the auditorium.

Hampu opened the gathering with a 'blast' on his whistle and in unison; the vocal response came "ONE, TWO, THREE" from all the band members present. A CD of ten band tune recordings was presented to those present and will be sold (contact John Hampu to order) as the Days of Glory Scholarship Fund Committee continues to raise funds to support the renewable scholarship that has been awarded to an AHS graduating senior each year. The award for the Class of 2023 will be the seventh year. ✈



John Hampu, John Walker,
Tom Richmond

Graduates Revisited

1950-1959

Rolland 'Mick' Amos '50 is still "alive and kicking" in Severn, Maryland. Mick just published 'Junk Poetry IV.'

Ron Feller '53 sends his "Thanks" for the work of the AHS Foundation.

Linda Webb Kandel '54 is a retired teacher. Her Dad, Walter Webb '25, was one of the Founders of the AHS Foundation. Linda is very proud of him.

Carl Dietz '55 sends hopes for a better 2023 and an end to COVID.

Barbara Parker Hartman '56 has lived in San Antonio, Texas since 1958. She retired from a Brokerage Firm as a trader in 1984 and became co-owner of Parker Electronics Commercial Fire Alarm Company. Barbara is widowed now but is still enjoying her family and active in '65+ neighborhood.' She thinks of AHS often and still keeps in touch with classmates.

Jeri Clayton Blaze '57 lives in Beaver, Pennsylvania, and is still working at the local library. Jeri became a 'great grandma' last June for the third time (two boys in Ohio and the new boy in Colorado).

Judith White Saunders '57 recently moved back to Alliance to be closer to family. Judith has six grandchildren and ten great grandchildren.

1960-1969

Larry Mosby '61 lives in California. He worked for the U. S. Navy, China Lake Navel Weapons Test and Evaluation Center (Public Works Utilities).

Donald R Harrell '61 earned a BA of Music at Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, in 1968. He earned his Master of Music at the University of Michigan in 1971 and Master of Arts in Music Performance-Trumpet at Eastern Michigan University in 1980. Don has been teaching, performing and directing music in Michigan and now California his entire career. He served as Concert Master for a Massed Band that performed at the White House. He also recorded and coordinated performances for the PBS series, BASEBALL.

Gary Ickes '62 was honored on Veterans Day, November 11, 2022, by the Greater Canton Veterans Service Council as **Veteran of the Year**. Gary served as President of the Stark County Veterans Service Committee until 2017.

Randia McGregor Hampton attended Liberty School before moving to Florida in the sixth grade. She kept in touch with many friends from her Alliance days, but sadly has lost several of them recently.

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Top Gun Wrestling 2023



Alliance's Aidan Mozden won the 215 pound weight class championship at this year's Top Gun Wrestling Tournament. He is the first Alliance wrestler in 22 years to win a weight class at the Top Gun.

The Alliance Top Gun tournament hosted 43 teams from Ohio, West Virginia and Maryland on a cold and snowy weekend in late January. This tournament had to be cancelled in 2021 and 2022 due to the COVID Pandemic.

The Top Gun Varsity Wrestling Tournament began in 1987 through the efforts and vision of Chuck Kreiner, AHS head coach, and Jack Webb, AHS assistant principal. Over the years, high school teams from as far away as California and Utah have participated in the tournament.

Current tournament director Frank Mancini spoke of the tradition and the volunteers that help keep the field strong and eliminate tournament time disruptions. He specifically mentioned Jeff Graffice and Sue Donohoe who stepped up under the special circumstances involved restarting after two years of cancellation,

The Claymont Mustangs who have won three team Top Gun championships in the past where entered again in 2023. Alliance and Austintown Fitch have competed in every Top Gun Tournament.

Mozden followed his Top Gun championship a couple weeks later with another championship in the rugged Eastern Ohio Wrestling League Tournament at Austintown Fitch High School. There were more than 25 teams represented in this tournament.

Alliance wrestling future looks promising under first year head coach Marcus Lambdin. In addition to junior Aidan Mozden, the varsity wrestling team started seven freshmen for the 2022-23 season. ✈

Open House 50 Years at AHS

In October 2022, Alliance High School held an 'Open House' in celebration of 50 years in the "NEW" Alliance High School on Glamorgan Street. The event was well attended by both former students and the general public.

A self guided tour throughout the building showcased a well kept building that has been remodeled and updated regularly to keep it 'new.' Nearly all the areas are colorful, mainly in Aviator Red and Blue as the Alma Mater reminds.

For those of us that attended AHS prior to 1972 at Broadway and Arch, The facilities "take our breath away:"

1. A Library with books, reference material, computers and modern comfortable seating.
2. A Cafeteria and kitchen, again colorful and newly decorated.
3. Harry Fails gymnasium, the 'Blue seats' and balcony seating putting others in the area far behind.
4. A second gym, dedicated in memory of Mark Anderson.
5. A large 'Weight Room' (workout area) and locker rooms that are behind the gyms.
6. A tiered music room for both band and orchestra. Displays from AHS Band history adorn the walls.
7. The lobby area outside the gym has Athletic Hall of Fame plaques, trophies and awards on display.
8. Distinguished Alumni plaques located throughout the school and classrooms to give current students examples of what an AHS education can do for them.
9. The Welding area, Graphic Arts, Auto Mechanics, Auto Body and the Media classrooms where programs for the educational Channel 1022 are produced, filmed and recorded.
10. And the pictures! Color pictures of recent and current students adorn every wall, everywhere! Some are large. Some not quite so large but all drawing attention to see if you recognize anyone and to make you proud to be part of the Alliance High School tradition.

I am sure that I am leaving out a large number of activity centers (I apologize to those teachers and students).

It was a GREAT event! ✈

Balance for Funds Administered by the AHS Foundation

	12-31-22	12-31-21	12-31-20
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AHS Foundation General Scholarship Fund	\$1,039,051	\$1,144,927	\$1,075,613
Megan Adelman Scholarship	16,029	18,944	18,134
Sally Ailes Scholarship	25,408	-0-	-0-
Gary L. Andreani Scholarship	27,145	32,338	30,237
William & Mary Lou Baker	73,010	88,320	83,988
Carli/Cowan Scholarship	24,248	29,464	27,905
Class of 1963 Scholarship	29,313	35,281	32,094
Class of 1965 Scholarship	37,207	44,901	41,852
Coastal Pet/Stout Family Scholarship	73,521	87,406	84,168
Days of Glory Scholarship	29,851	36,910	33,479
F. Kermit Donaldson Scholarship	26,987	32,914	31,615
Donna Clayton Floyd Scholarship	70,904	86,277	82,112
Furcolow Football Scholarship	37,787	44,083	41,935
Edwin & Ruth Gibson Scholarship	30,567	38,046	36,327
Eugene L. Haidet Scholarship	24,606	30,119	28,874
R. G. Hamrick Scholarship	6,819	9,428	10,278
John & Roene Klusch Scholarship	1,036,261	1,257,801	1,198,866
Mel Knowlton Scholarship	154,315	186,618	177,497
Jim Lear Scholarship	26,983	31,539	29,435
Muriel Lloyd Phillips Scholarship	25,000	-0-	-0-
Dave & Goldie Mainwaring Scholarship	70,453	84,071	80,577
Dorothea & Owen McCoy Scholarship	12,320	15,056	14,471
Madeline Montavon Wright Scholarship	20,201	11,082	-0-
Norman 'Mac' McLeod Scholarship	20,604	25,000	-0-
Teresa Pandin Skellett Scholarship	89,954	-0-	-0-
Elayne Dunlap Pathfinder Scholarship	26,000	-0-	-0-
Margaret Peach Scholarship	38,022	45,873	43,718
Christopher Penny Scholarship	24,616	29,426	28,442
Pietrocola Family Scholarship	33,471	40,403	37,835
Ray & Eva Mae Peters Reighart Scholarship	99,653	123,320	117,159
Beverly Robertson Yeagley Scholarship	31,514	38,182	36,517
Byron & Isabel Saffell Scholarship	170,239	202,241	180,175
Brett Streza Scholarship	100,900	112,614	94,796
Theresa Utterback Family Scholarship	83,132	98,571	88,226
Thomas A Mangino Chapter-Vietnam Vets	30,402	36,168	33,511
Duane & Anita Wamsley Scholarship	8,853	-0-	-0-
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TOTAL	3,675,346	\$4,097,323	\$3,819,836
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Graduates Revisited (continued)

Jerry D Stine '65 pre-enlisted in 1963 and served in the US Air Force 1965 to 1968, with a tour in Vietnam. Jerry learned to fly in a Piper Cub J3 in 1963. After the service, he worked in Main Frame Computer Operations for White Castle.

Robert F Comer II '65 is the inventor of a Railroad Crossing Warning System and a Navy veteran of the Vietnam War. During his career Bob operated Main Frame Computers and was a Forensic Investigator for thirty-three years.

John Morris '68 sends his congratulations to his sister **Sarah Morris Brown '61** and her great niece Rosalyn Paige Morris (Hoover High School 2033)

who shared a birthday last October: albeit seventy-one (71) years apart!

Gerry Blubaugh '68 first attended Bowling Green, then, graduated from Malone College in 1973 with a Degree in Business, Economics and Accounting. Over the years, he worked at Lavery Chevrolet, Robertson Heating Supply and retired from J & B Fleet Industrial Supply at the end of 2000. Gerry is enjoying his retirement as a 'snowbird,' splitting time between North Canton and Hollywood, Florida.

1970-1979

Susan Markley Reany '73 lives in Toledo, working

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Estate Gifts Make a Difference

Recently, the AHS Foundation received three sizable legacy gifts from deceased AHS graduates who planned for supporting the Foundation's scholarship program while they were still alive. Regis E Valentine '51, Esther L Pandin '46 and Sally Ailes '82 included bequests to the Foundation in their wills.

Mr. Valentine graduated from AHS in 1951, Mount Union College in 1955, the University of Michigan Law School in 1958 and then served in the Army in Korea. After his discharge, he settled in New York to become a tax lawyer at Bristol Meyers Squibb until his retirement in 1991. Regis and his wife, Mary, lived in a seaside neighborhood in Old Greenwich, Connecticut, beginning in 1971. Mr. Valentine never forgot his roots in Alliance and leaves a legacy to help future AHS graduates.

Miss Pandin felt strongly about the importance of education. She regretted that she was not afforded the opportunity to pursue her own education beyond high school. During her career she worked as a switchboard operator for Ohio Bell. After switchboards became automated she served as a dispatcher for telephone installers and repair crews. It is her wish to award future AHS graduates with support for their continuing education.

Miss Ailes taught in the Foreign Language Department at AHS for twenty-nine years. She graduated from AHS in 1982, earned her bachelor's degree at The Ohio State University and earned her master's degree from Kent State University. Sally left a legacy beyond her financial bequest. She gave of her time and talent to two generations of students, not just in the classroom but in the community as well. Most recently she coordinated the renewable scholarships awarded through the AHS Foundation and was in close contact with many scholarship recipients during their college years.

Donations and Memorial gifts to the AHS Foundation are appreciated. Your generosity will benefit current AHS graduates through scholarships for their continuing education. If you are considering providing additional support, here are some ways that may fit your charitable plans:

1. Naming the AHS 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: ahsalum@alliancecityschools.org or mail to: AHS Foundation PO BOX 3123 ALLIANCE OH 44601-7123 ✈

Graduates Revisited (continued)

for ProMedica Health Care System. She writes that, "Alliance has a special place in my heart. Thanks for the AHS Foundation newsletter and the memories."

Mark Locke '75 was presented a Lifetime Achievement Award by the Alliance Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors. Mark will retire in April 2023 after serving 21 years as Chamber President.

Edythe DeGirolamo Bowers '75 became a teacher and taught for almost forty years before retiring in 2020. Edythe's twin sister, **Cindy DeGirolamo Gilligan '75**, taught special education for nearly 35 years before her death in 2020.

Nancy Abrams Castellucci '77 was awarded the 2022 'Spirit of Enterprise Award' by the Alliance Area Chamber of Commerce for October.

1980-1989

Janice Haidet Hisle '82 spoke last September as part of the Fogle Author Series at Rodman Public Library. She worked as a journalist for more than two decades and has expanded to write **SUBMERGED**, a true crime novel about a mystery from her Journalist experience.

Michael Snider '84 lives in Danville, California. Mike is a Captain flying for Delta Airlines.

Lisa Tanner Trummer '87 was presented the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce 2022 Athena Award.

Stephanie Martin Shively '87 is a Spanish teacher at Sandy Valley High School in Magnolia, Ohio. Stephanie's husband, **Chris Shively**, is a social studies teacher at AHS. They are the parents of two children.

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Larry Kukura, AHS Head Basketball Coach, Retires

After seventeen seasons, AHS Head Basketball Coach Larry Kukura elected to retire after the 2021-22 season.

Larry ends his AHS seventeen year head coaching career at Alliance with a record of 269 wins and 122 losses. Those teams reached the District final game three times, 2012 through 2014. His 2011-12 teams finished the regular season with a 20-0 record. The Aviators won eight Conference titles under Coach Kukura. He was named Ohio High School Basketball Coach of the Year in 2012, twice Associated Press Division II Boys Coach of the Year in 2012 and 2016, and three times Northeast Inland District Division II Coach of the Year in 2008, 2012 and 2016.

His record includes the most wins at Alliance by any AHS head basketball coach, surpassing the previous record (239-109) held by Harry Fails, Jr. who coached Alliance from 1972 to 1987.

Former Athletic Director Mike Schott spoke well of Kukura; "He was organized, paid attention to detail and was demanding. He took the kids he had and consistently molded those individuals into good basketball teams."

Kukura shared that after thirty-four years as a basketball coach, he was ready to step back and enjoy life and family. He has two children, Alexandria and Jacob 'JJ,' both AHS '14, a mother and sister in Florida and another sister in the Canfield, Ohio area.

Larry said, "We tried to bring back the glory of Alliance boys basketball and I thought we did."

Sean Weatherspoon has taken over the basketball program at AHS. He graduated from Canton McKinley in 2005 and was a four year starter for McKinley's Division I State Championship team that year. He comes to Alliance after three years as head coach at Maple Heights, a division one school in the Lake Erie League.

The Aviators are expected to return three starters and four rotational players this season from last year's team that finished 16-5.

Sean has two children son Sean, Jr. age six and daughter Kennedy age ten.

(At this writing, the Aviators are 14-8 on the current season and have clinched a tie for the Eastern Buckeye Championship with a 9-1 league record.) ✂

AHS Foundation Officers and Trustees elected

AHS Foundation officers elected to a one year term for 2023 are: President Patrick Heddleston '82, Vice President Joe Zelasko '51, Chief Financial Officer Kevin Knowles '87, Secretary Jody Newman Koenigseker '68, Treasurer Deborah Carr Martin '68 and Sandy Oswalt Good '58 'Treasurer Emeritus' recognizing her eighteen years of loyal service to the Foundation board.

AHS graduates elected to three year terms as members of the Board of Trustees beginning with 2023 are: Knowles, Chad Morris '01, Dave Wolpert '65 and Dick Diser '63.

Other Board members, in the middle of their three year terms are: Heddleston, Zelasko, Good, Martin, Koenigseker, Dan Griffith '95, Judge Andrew Zumbar '85, Sarah Morris Brown '61, Todd Ruggles '06 and Cheyanne Gonzales '14. ✂

Graduates Revisited (continued)

1990-1999

Scott Zurakowski '90 is an Attorney with Krugliak, Wilkins, Griffiths & Dougherty in Alliance. He graduated from Mount Union in 1994 and Ohio Northern Law School in 1997. Scott had Sally Ailes as his French teacher all four years at AHS. In the summer of his sophomore year he traveled to Europe with Sally experiencing London, Paris and Madrid. He writes that: "Little did I know at the time, that Sally lit a fire for world travel and French Impressionist art that still burns bright today."

2000-2022

Nick Niner '14 is a Sergeant in the U S Marine Corps, currently stationed in Ohio. Nick represented the Marines at the 2022 Career Fair held last October at AHS.

Alayna Watson '17 is in Nashville performing with an all-female six member cast in 'She Believed She Could.' She graduated from Malone University in 2021, is attending graduate school at Middle Tennessee State University and using the stage name LAYNA. ✂

Donations of \$25 or more (through February 15, 2023)

Squadron Commander (\$2,500 or Greater)

Estate of Regis E Valentine '51
Valerie Vanaman '61
Estate of Sally Ailes '82
Scott Zurakowski '90

Top Gun

(\$1,000 to \$2,499)

Eleanor Muffly Wimpfheimer '53
Sarah Morris Brown '61
David & Beth Grove Mitchell
'76/76
Mark Leeman '81
Brent & Stefanie Abbott Fatzinger
'86/93

Pilot

(\$500 to \$999)

Daniel & Sandra Ballantyne Davia
'61/62
Mark S Fraraccio '64
Roy & Lynn Clunk '74
Joel & Teresa Andreani '78

Aviator

(\$250 to \$499)

Thomas L Allison '53
Harold Mains '55
Steve Ports '56
Larry & Connie Grate Pyers
'57/58
Terry Tolerton '60
Jack Whitaker '60
Diane Twark Valentine '61
Larry Mosby '61
Wayne & Paula Best Hundt
'69/68
Brad Goris '72
Ross R Henschen, MD '75
Christine Santoro Cross '77
Larry & Gretchen Lewis Cox '83

Navigator

(\$100 to \$249)

Dr William Wild '46
Roger Burnell '49
Margie Hein Higgason '50
Bob & Bobbie Ports Buchs '50/51
Ronald & Mary Sluss Kron '55/57
Ron Kimes '58
Gail Fatzinger Kelly '58
Ron DeZenzo '59
Carol Manheim '61

George M McBride '61
Patricia Warren Ostberg '61
Stanley J Stewart '62
Mary Ann Wandersleben Justin
'63


Ross Stonesifer '63
Barbara Poole Stirling '63
David Baldwin '64
Donald R Harrell '64
Ron Weaver '65
Judith Weber Watts '66
Norma DeStephen Longinie '66
Philip J Kuceyeski '66
Stephanie Duchon Leonardos '66
Dan Linhart '67
Patricia Huffman Johnson '67
Allen E Fox '67
Robert G Lavery '69
Richard T Trieff '70
Larry & Sandra Lyons Polen
'70/71
Randy & Martha Hunt Kuceyeski
'72/69

Christi Barret '73
David Saus '73
Anne Markley Case '73
Kirk McGowan '73
Daryl Walizer '74
Susan Shuster Ochs '74
Ronald House Jr '76
Jeff Harrison '81
Saundra Goldman '82
Jeff Peters '82
Mike & Amelia Stone Johanson
'82/81
Lori Knowles Lane '84
Lisa Charlikowsky Shepherd '86
Duncan Brown '93
Aaron Swartz '96
Brooke Schneider '99
Rudy & Priscilla Roggenkamp
Todd Ruggles '06

Airman

(\$25 to \$99)

James Walker '43
Lewis E Olson '44-Ja
Cressie Wharton Hoopes '49
Joe & Carol Speidel Zelasko
'51/53
Leon 'Pete' Otteson '52
Jerry Thompson '52
Dr Faye Barker Hollaway '53
Roger B Olds '53

Frank Shefelton '54
Hank & Beverly Martin Wurgler
'54/54
William A Smyth '55
Ralph N Miller '56
James Flood '56
Ted Davison '56
Judith White Saunders '57
Jeri Clayton Blaze '57
Margaret Phillips Gupta '57
Nancy Iden Carlson '59
Jean Beach Unkefer '59
Bob & Sandra Connerth Boehm
'59/60
John Richard Zuccherro '60
Marie Korosy Zurbrugg '60
Kenneth Newburn '60
Barbara J Loomis '61
William Sutton '61
David L Mallory '62
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