

Memories

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"The Clock is Ticking"

The clock is ticking. We lost yet another Cavalier classmate just last week. Jeff Marsh is no longer with us.



A lot of you knew Jeff in high school. He played on the tennis team, representing Grover Cleveland High School. Those of you who knew him will remember his warm smile and overall friendliness.

I'm sure that Jeff would have been making plans to attend our 50-Year Event (this October) if he had been able. But his long illness won out. We don't get to choose when the last time to say "Hi" or "Goodbye" to our friends will be.

So please don't miss this last BIG opportunity to be with your friends and classmates. And please say "Hi" to as many as you can this October.

----- Dick Eyster

NOTE: Dick's words above are timely in many ways. Our graduating class numbered over 840 friends and classmates and we have currently collected information that close to 100 of them are deceased. The final count will be higher, since we are still searching for contact information on more than 300 of those 840+.

If you have a chance, as you are keeping current on our Class website (www.gchs65.com), turn to the section entitled "Rest in Peace". There we have gathered together an alphabetical list of names (and in many cases photos) of those classmates who we have lost since our graduation in 1965. Take a moment to remember those pleasant times you spent with them during our time at Grover Cleveland. And as Dick suggested, try to attend the upcoming 50-Year event in October for so many reasons that may be apparent to you now...and will be even more apparent in the years to come. You don't want to miss this opportunity. (See more details on this event on Page 3 of this issue of Memories)

Photo Memories From Our 1965 Graduation

Kristie Bechtold just unearthed these snapshots from our (June) 1965 graduation, partially restored via a dash of Photoshop. How many of you have photos from our graduation that you may want to share with your fellow Cavaliers in this newsletter and on our website? If you do have such, please email them to: petesenoff@earthlink.net.

Long-Lost 1965 Graduation Snapshots Just Found by Kristie Bechtold



Identifications: From the top right, clockwise: Pam Douglas, Dixie Reinhardt, Barbara Mason, Sheryl Blaine, Kristie Bechtold and Dee Dee Donaldson, Pam Douglas and Kristie Bechtold, Sara May.

Updates on Our "50-Year Celebration" Event



When: From October 15-18, 2015

October: 15: Informal Activities

October: 16 Group Activities; Friday Night Reception

October: 17: Group Activities; THE BIG PARTY EVENT

October: 18: Get-Away Breakfast

Where: Sheraton Agoura Hills Resort Hotel (Agoura Hills, CA)

RSVP

Status: Almost 200 people so far will be attending, which means there is only room for 100 more (50 classmates plus spouses). If you haven't yet RSVP'd, PLEASE DO IT NOW. There is no cost now to RSVP (although we will need to receive your check soon), but we must carefully monitor the number of attendees before we run out of room.

Hotel Room

Status: Our special block of discounted rooms is almost gone. If you want to reserve a room at the venue hotel (Sheraton Agoura Hills) with our special rate, PLEASE DO IT SOON. There is no cost for you to reserve your room now (in fact, you will not have to pay until the week of the event), but you must reserve a room quickly before the discounted rooms (perhaps all rooms) are gone.

ALL of the details about this event, including quick links to RSVP and reserve a hotel room, are on our exclusive Class Website: www.gchs65.com. There is also a VERY extensive Frequently-Asked Questions page that should answer most of your questions.

Please Help Us Find Our Missing Cavaliers (Letters R-S This Week)

As we've discussed before, we have an incredible Search Committee (Led by Dixie Reinhardt, Kristie Bechtold and Jeff Davis) seeking out our missing friends and classmates from the Summer and Winter 1965 classes. But it is getting increasingly harder to find many of them...almost 400 (out of our class of 870 students) are still missing from our contact database.

We would guess that some of you may be friends with these people and have kept up with their current whereabouts. We would really appreciate your help and assistance in finding them...so we can all re-connect, enjoy events like our upcoming 50th celebration and keep up with each other on our official website.

The complete list of these "missing" people appears on our website (and it is continuously updated as we receive new information). But so many names may be a little daunting to view. So we decided to break-down that list into smaller chunks and publish them in successive issues of this newsletter. Please check these names, today from the letters "R" and "S", to see if you can help us find any of them. Please contact either Dixie Reinhardt (dixierein@gmail.com) or Jeff Davis (septme@comcast.net) if you have any information regarding these people.



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Raeburn, Bruce
Raine, Karen
Ralph, Patricia
Randolph, Janet
Rangel, Patricia
Rasmussen, Tom
Razor, Susan
Ratzlaff, Sharon
Ray, William
Redmond, Barbara,
Reynolds, Bonnie
Rice, Iris
Richards, Judith
Riddle, Mary
Ripple, Susan
Rittmeyer, Margaret
Roberts, Ronald
Roberts, Wayne
Robinson, Charles
Ropkin, Robert
Rose, William
Rosenberger, Nancy
Royster, Thomas
Ruppel, Richard
Ryan, Dennis

S

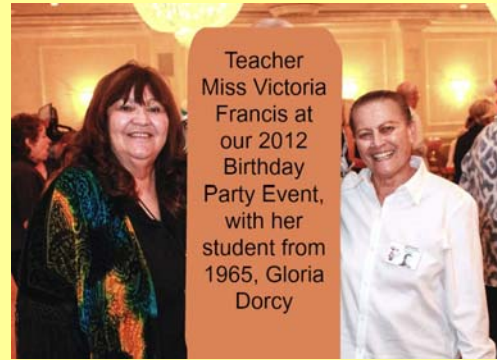
Sandau, Frank
Sanderson, Rebecca
Saul, Michael
Schultz, Marsha
Scott, Craig
Scranton, Jeffrey
Sharp, Fredrick
Sharpe, Terry
Sheridan, Vern
Sherman, Kathleen
Sievers, Raymond
Silsbee, Ruth Ann
Simmons, Paulette
Simonson, Gary
Sipes, Betty
Sitts, Millie
Slane, Susan
Sleighter, Brian
Smith, Donald
Smith, Steven
Smith, James
Smith, Jerry
Sorenson, Christine
Soter, Linda
Soule, Claudia
Spangler, Kathleen
Spenser, Linda
Sperling, Linda

Spiller, Robert
Sproul, Warren
Sprouse, Harry
Sprowl, Glen
Stachwick, Beverly
Starke, Anna
Steainbank, Linda
Steffen, Nancy
Stein, Gary
Steinberg, Marilyn
Stephenson, Nancy
Stong, Charles
Streussing, Sandra
Suvak, Phyllis
Swanson, Michael

Missing Teachers

Do you know the whereabouts of any of your/our teachers from 1965? We would love to invite them, as our guests, to the October 17th event. We were fortunate to have one of them (Miss Victoria Francis) at our 1965 event and would like to honor more of them this year.

Please contact us if you stayed in touch with any of your teachers. We are working on a couple of leads now, but can't announce anything until they are confirmed.



Teacher
Miss Victoria
Francis at
our 2012
Birthday
Party Event,
with her
student from
1965, Gloria
Dorcy



Only 194 Days Until...

On 10-17-15, we will take another group photo like this one. Will you join us?

And if you still have questions about the 50-Year Event and want to talk to one of our Committee members by phone, call either Gloria Dorcy or Dick Eyster between 10:00am-5:00pm PT. If they miss your call, they will return your voicemail as soon as possible.

Gloria Dorcy
Dick Eyster

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