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From the Director's Desk

Hello!!!! Many interesting and wonderful events have taken place over the past year. I am pleased to report that the Association has continued to grow and become more active. First we had the pleasure of marching in the West Park 4th of July Parade.- a great time, fantastic parade, many wonderful people along the way, and in the best neighborhood in Cleveland. Later that summer, I was able to attend Class Reunions for 1952 and 1972. Congratulations to those committees on a job well done. Ralph Pfingsten, history book editor, has completed much of the work on the West Park/JMH history. He would appreciate any further photographic donations. This past February, we accomplished one of our goals by sponsoring our first Class Reunion Seminar. Many new ideas were shared. It was evident that you care very much and want to have the best reunions possible. I'm very pleased with the turnout - JMH spirit is very much alive and well. Thanks to all who attended.

In September 1998, the Alumni Association will sponsor our first Dinner/Dance. This is a fund raising event to kick off our Centennial Reunion in August of 1999. We expect several past faculty members to attend. Movies of JMH from the early 50's and other memorabilia will be available for your enjoyment. Tickets are limited. Why not call up a few of your classmates and attend this event together?

There is an issue I would like to address. Donations to the Alumni Association dropped off significantly in 1997. I hope it is because an envelope was not included in the last newsletter. The Alumni News is our primary expense, as it is mailed to over 12,000 alumni. Only 600 alumni, about 5%, take the time and effort to send us a donation, which ranges from \$5 to \$100, and averages around \$20. The donors tend to be the same each year and nothing I can say can thank these people enough. Without them, we would be unable to exist. Our trustees and other volunteers donate many, many hours to keep our expenses to a minimum. This organization is doing much more than it has ever done in the past and we're extremely proud of that. Because of that involvement, expenses are rising. We have several options - cut back on our activities/newsletter, go to a paid membership, or ASK for donations. We think some of you have never made a donation, because you haven't been asked. So for the first time in 20 years, we're asking, that if it is possible, please send a donation. If you've been receiving this newsletter and have never made a donation, consider \$20. If the newsletter is new to you or if you have made prior donations, consider a \$10 donation every 2 or 3 years. Please remember, each donation is tax deductible. I can assure you that your money will be wisely spent.

Thank You and Go Lawyers!

Ross E. Bassett, 1/70
Alumni Director

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JMH TODAY

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Last June a very good friend of the JMHA retired from John Marshall. It was a great pleasure for us to know and work with **Mr. Gilbert Freilino, Principal**. He was a big supporter of our organization and will be missed. Gil, good luck, thanks, and best wishes.

This past January, Ross had the pleasure to meet the new **Principal, Ms. Cynthia Metzger**. She is the first female principal in the history of JMH. Ms. Metzger reported that she had heard great things about the JMHA and is looking forward to working with us.

This year the student body consists of 1900 students. One of Ms. Metzger's goals is to bring back the Marching Band. The band was for years one of the best, if not the best, marching band in the Cleveland area. We need to return to this tradition!

Thanks to the passage of a school levy, JMH is slated to receive some much needed repairs. The third floor will be painted when school lets out. Carpeting in the media center and the wooden seats in the stadium are being replaced. The indoor pool is in the best shape ever! However, much work still needs to be done in the auditorium.

SCHOOL

Finally! In June of 1997, the leaking, abandoned gas well, that was featured in the last Alumni News, was finally plugged. The well was 1200 feet below the 40 yard line. Principal Gilbert Freilino had said that until the fall of 1996 when the leak was discovered, no one was able to figure out why the grass would not grow in that area. Apparently pictures of the 1950's football games show the same bare spot on the gridiron. Work to cap the well took a short time and the football field was ready for use in the fall of 1997.

However, few games were played there, as other sites had been scheduled. The 1998 season should be back to normal.

STUDENTS

Last year's newsletter reported on a group of students from JMH who participated in the "We the People" Competition and came away as State Champions after the competition in Columbus. Last April, the group of students headed to Washington, D.C. to represent the state of Ohio. Following is an excerpt of a letter we received from George Klepacz, Social Studies Department Chair and Faculty Advisor for the 'We the People' Competition.

We have returned from the national competition held in Washington, DC, April 26-28, 1997. We barely missed making the top ten high schools, but we were the best in region #3, the Central States. John Marshall received the highest two day total score of these eleven states. The Center for Civic Education does not list the final rankings in the competition, but we were somewhere between eleventh to fifteenth in the country based on the top ten and five regional winners. Although we were disappointed in not finishing higher, we did well in this competition against the twelve hundred students from the fifty other state championship teams.

My students learned that they can compete intellectually with the best in the nation. They also learned that they can conquer fear and that hard work can bring rewards. We had the opportunity to observe the top ten schools on the final day of the competition and the consensus among the students and myself was that we were very close to five of the schools and better than one of them. However, the top four schools, "would have blown us out of the water" as one of my students commented.

John Marshall will be back in the state competition again next year with a new group of students and will be seeking another state championship!

A Job Well Done! Congratulations!

SPORTS

Wrestling - Coach Gene Gibbons has had an exciting year. Last March, Coach Gibbons was named Coach of the Year. He is the state's leading wrestling coach with 298 victories and a charter member of the Ohio Wrestling Hall of Fame. Wrestling was revived in the Senate this past season, and in a league where wrestlers learn the sport from scratch, Marshall went undefeated in league matches, 11-5 overall, and won the 15th Senate Tournament.

In December, Gibbons earned dual-meet victory, number 300 in his 40th season as coach when the Lawyers beat Firestone in the Westlake Dual Meet Tournament.

Most recently, the team won its sixth straight title in the 16th Senate Tournament on February 20, 1998, at Lincoln West. The team had 219 1/2 points and seven champions.

Baseball - Last May, behind the 3 hit pitching of Kenny Aufmuth, the Lawyers defeated South, 6-1, in the annual Senate Championship Game. Marshall (14-3) won its third consecutive city title and its fifth in Dennis Renk's 12 seasons as head coach.

Girl's Slow-Pitch Softball - Marshall, 15-2, headed to the Senate Championship at CSU to face the Lincoln-West Wolverines. The Lawyers defeated LW twice during the regular season, but lost this one 5-4.

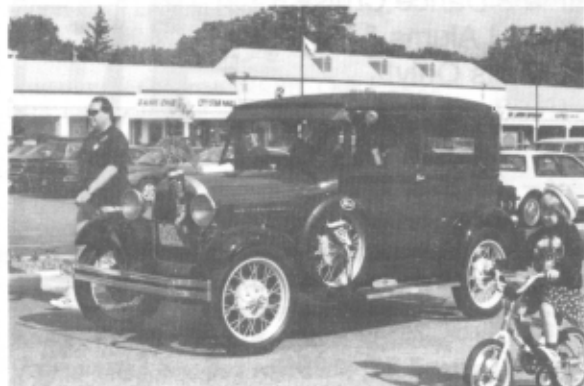
Girl's Basketball Last year, the Lawyers were defeated, 61-48, by Collinwood in the 20th Senate Championship at South High.

In January 1998, in the final Senate game, the lady lawyers defeated JFK, 50-36. The Lawyers clinched its 3rd playoff spot in 4 years and will play East Tech, the winner advancing to city championship game.

Alumni Interest



Top: Kamm's July 4th Parade –
Ross Bassett 1/70) and Ted Solarz
(6/44) **Bottom:** Jim Galler (77)



FOURTH OF JULY PARADE

On July 4, 1997, the Alumni Association participated in the annual Kamm's Corner Fourth of July Parade. In attendance were trustees and interested alumni. Our version of the Marching Band consisted of kazoos. Candies were handed out along the parade route. Along the way, many cheers came up from other alums. It was great to have the support and see so many of our alumni attending this annual event. Transportation was provided by Chuck Staley (Elaine Schultz Staley 6/68) with his 1929 Model A Ford car and Virginia Heuter-Trice (86). We plan to make this an annual event so look for the JMH Banner this July 4th at Kamm's Plaza.



REUNION SEMINAR

On Tuesday, February 24, 1998, a Reunion Seminar, hosted by the Alumni Association, was held at the West Side Hungarian Reformed Church at 15300 Puritas Rd.

The purpose of this seminar was to offer information and share ideas with reunion committees to help organize and present successful reunions. Questionnaires went out to reunion chairs and committees. Information on halls, bands, costs, photographers, decorations, events, finding classmates, Memory and Photo books, etc. was collected and compiled into a Handbook. Pros and cons were listed in each of the areas.

At least 80 people were in attendance - the Principal, Ms. Cindy Metzger, Representatives from 50 JMH classes and even Alumni Association Directors from Bay Village, Rocky River, and West Tech. Thanks to all who took the time to join us. If your committee was unable to attend and you would like a copy of the booklet, contact the Association.

Reunion Seminar – February 24, 1998



ALUMNI IN THE NEWS

Alan Kerkhoff, 1/42, is a member of the Roll of Honor at the Southern Sociological Society in North Carolina. He had received his Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin in 1953, acted as Asst. Prof. at Vanderbilt from 43-48, and then moved to Duke University in 1958 as an Associate Professor. He recently retired from the classroom, but remains active with collegial and professional responsibilities. Kerkhoff's students and colleagues point to him as a genuine role model of discipline, integrity, and service.

Robert L. Minter, about '53, is currently the dean of CSU's John Nance College of Business. As the dean, he is stressing communications. He received his Bachelor's and master's degrees from Miami University, and doctorate from Purdue. He has served as Dean at Univ. of Northern Iowa, Univ. of Michigan, Central Connecticut State University and held administrative posts at several other universities.

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Charles McNeeley, 6/66, has served 28 years with the Cleveland Police Department and recently was named Commander in the First District.

William J. Schultz, MD. Sugar-creek, OH, 6/68, a grad of Texas School of Medicine, OSU - BS in zoology, Colorado State University, MS in neurobiology and anatomy. Did his internship and residency at Fairview and then opened up a family practice in Olmsted Falls. In 1996 he closed the practice, headed to Sugarcreek and opened up a practice there.

Dave Vehonsky, 6/72, has been nicknamed the "Deacon" because of his mellow manner and calming influence on his teammates. Dave plays 3rd base with the Twobig III softball team and has played softball for nearly three decades. In July 1997, his team had the possibility of making it to the ASA Metro Cleveland Tournament Championships.

Michael Hampton, 6/74, was inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame along with George Clinton and the rest of the Parliament-Funkadelic band, at the ceremonies held in Cleveland last May.

In February 1997, **Vita Redding**, 6/95, a sophomore at Brown University in R.I., majoring in psychology, is Brown's shooting guard and the country's third highest scorer in Division I Women's Basketball.

NEIGHBORHOOD

Fire destroyed two West Park Landmarks in the past year. Tony's Restaurant, at the corner of Lorain and Rocky River Drive, was destroyed in the Spring of '97. (See parade photo). Night Flights, a W.W.II era bar and one of the last businesses north of Hopkins Airport, was torched in February '98. It was formerly called Club La Conga

John Marshall High School Centennial Celebration 1899-1999

**Weekend of August 19-22, 1999
(Thursday - Sunday)**

Tentatively Scheduled Events

Thursday - August 19, 1999

Goodtime 3 Dance Cruise
All JMH Alums &
Guests Only!
\$15.00 - 7 P.M.

Saturday - August 21, 1999

Open House at John Marshall
12:00 Noon - 5:00 P.M.

Tour

Movies

Food

Friends

Sunday - August 22, 1999

Brunch Available at the Marriott
Price to be Announced Later

Airport Marriott - Host Hotel
Rooms Available for

Centennial Celebration & Reunions Held that Weekend -

Call to Reserve a Room!

Hospitality Suite with Info Will Be Available

Friday & Saturday Night Left Open for Reunions

Prices and Times ARE subject to change!

The Alumni Association would like to replace or renovate the Activity Sign that sits on the corner of the school grounds. We would like to have it in place by the 1999 Centennial Celebration displaying "Celebrating 100 Years in the West Park Community". If anyone has connections with a sign company, please contact the Association.

Where Are They Now?

1932

June - Marion Evans, Columbus, OH, enjoys receiving the newsletter.

1933

June - Dorothy (Hofstetter) Hertz, Brooklyn, commented on the article regarding Mr. Foster Whitacre. She used to type, mimeograph and distribute the Friday tests - on pink paper - so no one would walk off with copies. "He was an outstanding teacher as well as a true gentleman." ♦ **Laverne (Lanophair) Buch**, Rocky River, attended 1st grade at the original Lincoln School, (West Park). She has the first class book - Echoes 1923, from the originally named West Park Lincoln High School.

1934

January - George Marin, Oak Harbor, WA, remembers that times were tough in the 30's, but there are still many fond memories of JMH.

1935

January - Lawrence Melick, Hackensack, NJ, would love to see more information about the classes of 1934-1936. ♦ **Helen (Kozely) Konkoy**, Parma Hts., enjoyed her experience in planning and locating classmates for their 50th reunion - their first and only one. Helen

married in '40 to classmate **John Konkoy**, whom she met in 11th grade history class. They joined the Konkoy family business and were 'successful

as a pair'. John passed away shortly after the reunion in 1985, where he and 5 or 6 other classmates represented Hawthorn Elementary, Almira Jr High, and Marshall - together for 12 yrs.

♦ **Ima (Tolva) Ingham**, Bay Village.

♦ **Helen (Fultz) Holmes**, Medina, is a ret. Exec. secretary. She is widowed, 2 ch, 4 grch. She moved to Medina 11 yrs ago. Enjoys writing 'Letters to the Editor'. Remembers the group of girls, "The Smilers". Wore white sweaters with a large green 'S' on them. They still

meet once a month for lunch - Mae McKay Sternacker, Virginia Hill O'Donnell, Catherine Campbell Gareau, Theits Weil Bloor, Evelyn Cardo Ceepo.

1937

June - John Gleb, Olmsted Twp, had been married for 55 yrs to **Louise (Gehring) Gleb** (6/39). Louise passed away in '96.

1938

June - Dr. Robert Whittier Bonita, CA, is looking forward to the 60th reunion and willing to help out.

1939

January - Barney and Doris (Belz) Schwarzer, Fairview Park, have been married for 55 yrs. Barney is a general contractor. ♦ **Irvin Dulsik**, Fairview Park, belongs to a family of pilots - dad, son, grandson. Currently retired with wife of 50 yrs.

1941

January - Robert Ward, Parma Hts., is a BW '49 grad and W.W.II Combat Vet. Retired in '85 as Dir. of Marketing Sales - Nuclear Products. Has been married for 46 yrs, has 1

daughter and 2 grch. ♦ **Norma (Wint) Alexander**, Westlake, still gets together with six women from her class once a month.

Some photos from the 50 year reunion for the class of '42.

June - Gladys (Balaze) Cyphert, Hudson, FL, is enjoying retirement, even after 17 yrs, on the west coast of Florida. Celebrated her 50th Anniv. on 3/15/97, aboard the Sovereign of the Seas, with husband & family, 4 ch, 6 grch. All had a wonderful golden reunion. ♦ **Robert and Bernice (Dunkel) Lowry**, Colorado Springs, CO, married for 54 yrs, both retired before moving from CA. Bob was with TRW, Redondo Beach, Bernice with Torance Schools. They have 2 ch, 3 grch and a grgrch on the way. Hoping for another reunion!!!!



January '42 - Don Landsberg, Paul Hoffman, Ernie Krauth, Alan Kerekoff, Ed Weber

1942

January - Lois (McCullough) O'Brien, Cleveland, reported that her late husband, Raymond O'Brien, a WT, 1/41 grad, helped so much with their reunion, that he was made an honorary member of their class. ♦ **Charles and Patricia (Kasper) 6/47 Steffen**, reside in FL during the winter & head north to VA for the summer. **June - Phyllis (Boner) Bullock**, Lakewood, retired from Ohio Bell's Med. Dept., Empl. Assistance Prog. - as alcohol & drug counselor.



1943

January - **Douglas Wright**, Milford, is grateful to have gone to JMH, a superior school. Thanks to Dorothy (Bath) Wolff and Vern Rolland for their efforts in the Annual '43 Class Picnic Reunions. 10 years now? ♦ **Mary (Fuhringer) Reynolds**, Erie, PA, sends many thanks to the "43" Committee for keeping it alive.

June - **Fred Hampton**, Zionsville, IN, and his wife enjoy Elderhostels. They've attended 30 colleges and universities, including 6 sessions at Notre Dame.

♦ **Arlene Miller**, Thousand Oaks, CA, found fellow alumnus **William Beifuss** (36) living closeby in Newbury Park, looked him up in the phone book and gave him a call. They plan to meet in the near future. Who else lives nearby? Maybe a JMH CA chapter? ♦ **Dean Schlup**, Santa Maria, CA, ret. from Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. in '91 after 34 yrs of service. Served in Argentina, Colombia, Indonesia, Mexico, Japan and Australia as Managing Dir. and Pres. of Goodyear Operation and V.P. for Goodyear - Asia Pacific Region. Has 4 ch, 8 grch. Recently divorced after 42 yrs.

1944

January - **Elleen (Conant) Kanda**, Rocky River, enjoys the Alumni News.

1945

June - **Ralph Hadlow**, Anderson, IN, is looking to year 2000 for the 55th Class Reunion. ♦ **Arlene Windau**, Brooklyn, enjoys reading about former classmates and those before and after. She has retired, for the 2nd time, from the Brooklyn Senior Center Travel Committee

1946

January - **Patricia (McCardle) Saponari**, Alpharetta, GA, had a great time at the autumn reunion in Sept. Recognized NO ONE - except for name tags & Vanguard cut outs! ♦ **Harold Tuttle**, Sylvania, - it was great to see everyone at the '96 reunion. Also reported that classmate, **Russ Van Scyoc**, received the Masonic 33* in Sept. '97, the highest honor in the Masonic Org., bestowed on very few masons.

1947

June - **Jo Anne (Paxton) Currier**, Sheffield Lake, commented that it was a great pleasure to work on the 50th Reunion Com. It was a great success! She is now a widow - her husband, Richard, a multi-decorated POW from W.W.II, died in August '96.

1948

June - **Fred (Skip) Williams**, Savannah, GA, enjoys reading news from the Alumni. ♦ **Geri (Beunk) Nay**, The Woodlands, TX, is an interior decorator.

1949

January - **Ruth Ann (Evans) Stedney-Roberson**, Berea, sends thanks to all for working so hard to keep us informed - it's really nice to keep in touch.

♦ **Ronald Buckles Sr.**, Avon Lake, is still working and is the V.P. of a small company. He has 2 great kids, 6 wonderful grch and is enjoying life, the great family, house, cottage, boat and sports car - what more could he want! **June** - **Doris Hendricks**, Oberlin, retired from Oberlin College Library & volunteers at Allen Memorial Hosp. when not in FL.

1950

June - **Joan Moore**, Melbourne, FL, reports that after 35 yrs of marriage, her husband Jack passed away in July '97, after having only 4 yrs of retirement in Florida. She is looking forward to the 50th Reunion in 2000!

1951

January - **Vince (Fusco) Krist** North Olmsted, is a retired V.P. from Premier Industrial Corp. He and wife, Kay, have 2 children and 2 grandchildren.

1952

January - **Marlene (Peters) Huber**, Panama City, FL, retired in '96 from Allstate after 18 yrs. ♦ **Nell Harvey**, Tampa, FL, sends a huge Thanks to the Class of '52 Reunion. He had a great time! **June** - **Richard Shesler**, North Olmsted, married West Tech grad 1/53, Ellen Simoff. They have 2 daughters, 4 grch. Dick worked two jobs - at Midland Steel/New York Central Railroad & as a Fairview Park Firefighter. After 44 yrs as a locomotive engineer, he retired from Conrail in Oct. '95. Still keeps cars in mint condition. Recently returned from a 17 day tour of Greece. ♦ **Dave and Roberta (Jones) 6/53 Danielson**, Raleigh, NC, have been married over 41 yrs. Dave retired from IBM after 33 yrs and Roberta retired from teaching and then banking. Their 3 ch. are happily married to their college sweethearts and have provided them with 7 grch. They are quite active in several volunteer activities and do a fair amount of travelling overseas. Golf courses beckon them to play about twice a week all year long and naturally they give in! They enjoy living in

the mid-south. ♦ **Marianne (Barak) Petro**, Bay Village, has 4 ch. and 5 grch. She is single and recently retired from PPG Industries and loving it! She enjoys bowling, golf and crafting.

1953

June - **Katherine (Dixon) Soeder**, Geneva, presently owns her own sewing business and her husband is also enjoying his custom wood shop in Geneva. Days are never long enough and "Soeders Saw and Sew" is doing great!

♦ **Donald Kehr**, Rocky River, suffered a fatal heart attack February 18, 1996. At the time of his death, he was the Asst. Treas. at the Parker Hannifin Corp.

1954

January - **Ralph and Joan (Leib) Williamson**, Phoenix, AZ, look forward to the newsletter every year. In the summer they leave Phnx and head north to Thayne, WY. They own a lot in Star Valley RV Resort and love every minute of it. ♦ **Thomas Ezzo**, Fort Lauderdale, FL, recently came across the 93 Newsletter - brought back alot of good memories. Wants to be informed of any gatherings involving the classes of 1953-

1956. He had dinner with classmate, **Brad Coombs**, and after they called **Eleanor Kosman** and discussed the past. ♦ **Richard Clague**, Cleveland, enjoys the newsletter and appreciates 'Final Roll Call' and 'Former Faculty Feature'.

♦ **Bob Almqvist**, North Olmsted, is retired from Mfg. Engineering Sales. He enjoys working on the JMHA. Shares grandparenting with wife Kay. Has interests in gardening and investments. **June** - **Elain (Aftoora) Hunt**, Malibu, CA and looks forward to receiving these newsletters! ♦ **Beverly (Moats) Stockard**, Goffstown, NH, just found out from her sister that the alumni association existed. Wants to know how many reunions she's missed? ♦ **Carl Gerber**, Washington, DC, retired in '96 from the U.S. Environmental Prot. Agency with 35 yrs of service. Works as a consultant on management and environmental issues. ♦ **Nancy (Buckley) Kaiser**, Alpharetta, GA, is retired, travels and enjoys her grandkids. 'Life is good.' Email at GrannyK996@aol.

♦ **June (Lingruen) Hunt**, Berkeley, CA, is currently the VP for Fin. Affairs at Graduate Theological Union in Berkeley. She and husband, Alan, have 2 daughters, Anrea & Leslie. ♦ **Trudy (Sonderegger) Bergstrom**, Apopka, FL, has recently been selected to appear in the latest edition of 'Who's Who in the Nation' and 'Who's Who in Indus-

try and Business.'

1955

January - Donna (Gedeon) Skaff, Bass River, MA, on Cape Cod, lives with husband, Karah, half the year there and half the year in Sarasota, FL. They have 6 grandkids. Wants to know - 'Are we having our 45th in 2000?' ♦ **Robert**



January '57 - Bill Fitzgibbons, Peggy (Dostal) Gallo, Lynne (Shattuck) Herrman, Donna (Vassos) Fisher, Marianne (Manzatt) Hardy, Sis (Ratzel) Strojcin

Pugliese, Plain City, is asking **Steve Gall** to lend him some money so he can retire! **June - Gayle (Wilhelm) Hahn**, Lake City, FL, and husband Bill enjoy their grandchildren. She is retired and enjoys travelling, specifically cruises.

1956

June - Rollin Dill, Cleveland, as a student at JMH for 6 years, had Mr. Whitacre as his Math Teacher and as a faculty member for 14 yrs, had Mr. Van Allen as his Dept. Head. ♦ **Claudia (Grell) House - Twining**, Medina. First husband, Richard House, passed away in March '89. She's now married to Roy Twining, who has 4 sons. The combined family of 7 ch. has expanded to grgrch. She still works as Wadsworth PD Dispatcher and would love to hear from old classmates. ♦ **Mona (Hussey) Mason**, Cherry Creek, NY, and husband Bill recently moved to this area of NY. She retired from nursing and 'got bit bad by the genealogy bug'.

1957

January - Karl and Lynne (Schattuck) Herrmann, Lock Haven, PA, both retired this year. Lynne was Dir. of Lock Haven Family Planning and Patient Educator for the Geisinger Med. Group. Karl retired as Prof. Emeritus in

the Health Sci. Dept. at Lock Haven U. of PA after teaching for 34 yrs. ♦ **Donna Fisher**, Westlake, is currently tutoring L.D. and remedial students in Rocky River.

1958

June - Patricia (Loughren) Picione, OH, is married, has 1 child and 3 grandsons. She's a bookkeeper, President and Owner of All Points Trucking, Inc. of Brookpark. ♦ **Kathleen (Berghian) Watts**, Strongsville. APOLOGIES FOR THE ERROR - but since we are a volunteer organization, we don't have the time to verify all information. We also had a computer crash and with our current system, maiden names aren't always listed.

1959

January - Patricia (Tanskie) Kelly, Parma, became a widow in '91 and since has traveled at every vacation from school. She is an Intervention Specialist for Special Ed students in regular classes. She's taught in Sweden (teacher exchange program), "done" Hawaii, toured Ger-

many, Switzerland, Austria and all of U.S. and plays golf on every trip. ♦ **Joan (Kouba) Rindfleisch**, Cleveland, continues to tutor, is welcoming grch #3 and her youngest daughter will be getting married. Empty nesters at last! They're too young to be empty nesters or grandparents!

♦ **Patricia Schroeder**, Sewell, NJ, is glad to be back on the mailing list. She's busy raising her granddaughter Sara and is Pres. of the Lutheran Home at Morristown Auxiliary in NJ. ♦ **John Desmone**, Fairview Park, retired from teaching and the U.S. Army Reserve. Currently the Sup. of the Cleveland Indians Tour Program at Jacob's Field. **June - Thomas Zmis**, Brunswick, ret. from Ford after 30 yrs. ♦ **Jeff and Joan (Ulrich) Kasler**, Vermilion, after living in N. Olmsted for 32 yrs, recently moved to Vermilion to watch sunrises & sunsets from their new home on Lake Erie. They are enjoying retire-

ment & their 2 new grch. ♦ **Frances (Herzog) Pfetzing**, Buena Park, CA, reported that she was thrilled to be able to visit Ms. Grace Schuenemann and tell her how much her dedicated teaching had an affect on her life. They spent time looking through the yearbook, reviewing old times, and discussing her family. Ms. Schuenemann is 91 yrs old & residing at the Bradley Rd. Nursing Home. While there, Fran met 2 classmates who work at the home.

1960

June - Anthony Gorgone, Middleburg Hts., retired from truck driving last August. Married for 35 yrs & has 3 ch and 1 grch. ♦ **Barbara (Post) Edwards**, Orlando, FL, divorced in '95 and headed south. She's affiliated with ERA Homestead Realty. She's grandmother to three. ♦ **George Tomko**, Strongsville, received his BS from OSU '64, & MBA from Miami U., '67. Currently is a Territory Mgr. for Hewlett Packard.

1961

June - Robert Ebert, Rocky River, continues to teach at Baldwin Wallace College and holds the Buckhorn Endowed Chair in Economics. In late '97, a book he co-authored, entitled 'Diveo: A His-



'57 - Sally (Nuesle) Thomas, Gloria Kushner, Marilyn (Kostur) Zimmerman, Polly (Cox) Rossborough, Marcia (Hunsinger) Eland, Jean (Tischler) Kernochan, Elaine (Apelt) McRee, June (Eisenbarth) Merette, Emmy Lou (Cheer) Valore.

tory of the Truck and Company" will be published. The Diveos were the snub nosed milk trucks that used to deliver milk to homes. ♦ **Robert Schaffer**, Columbus, (German Village), has worked for Nationwide Ins. Enterprise for 34 yrs and will retire in Dec. '98. He's building a retirement home in Cape Coral, FL and hopes to continue his hobbies of gardening and wildlife preservation.

1962

June - Patricia (Rummel) McCuen, Solon, and husband David, are the parents of three grown sons. They are Manufacturer's Reps selling to the Ceramic Industry. ♦ **Gloria (Weise) Hoepfner**, Bakersville, NC, and husband are back to work after a 2 yr sabbatical on their sailboat (cruising as far as Venezuela). This time they have chosen to live in the mountains of NC where they have a small farm. She'll continue with her spinning and weaving.

1963

June - Ruth (Orban) Fazekas, Shaker Hts., just received an Ohio Teaching Cert. in Japanese. She spent the summer of '96 in Nagoya, Japan at Nanzan University, through an N.E.H. grant via John Carroll. Will be teaching Japanese & French at Glenville H.S. ♦ **Ron Crabtree**, Strongsville, is a systems consultant. Married for 20 yrs to wife Debbie and they have a 6 yr. old girl. ♦ **Diane (Alexander) Dodge** and husband own Edgewater Book Co.

1964

January - Ronald Wurch, Strongsville, was a detective with the Berea Pol. Dept. Recently retired after 25 yrs. ♦ **Linda (Santell) Katchmeric**, Wayne, MI, works with the State of Mich. Driver's License Bureau. Has 3 ch. Loves to travel. **June - Jarmila (Skvor) Gannon**, Brunswick, would like to see the class get together for a reunion in '99 or 2000. Email her at jagannons@sprynet.com. Maybe the class could join the Centennial Reunion in August '99. ♦ **William Scherier**, Somerset, NJ, is a purchasing manager with Union Carbide Corp. for 30 yrs. Married with 2 daughters and 1 son. ♦ **Paula (Graham) Borgert**, Kirtland, is owner of Backyard Feeding Station in Mentor. Daughter Michelle, is a nationally ranked distance runner and is training for the 2000 Olympics. She's been married for 29 yrs to John, a teacher and minister.

1965

January - Nancy (Unkefer) Taylor, Olmsted Falls, wonders what is going on with the Jan. 65 class. She never sees anything about her class. ♦ **Frank Harold**, Bloomfield Hills, MI, and wife Marty, have been given extra reasons to be proud of their children. Their son Scott has been accepted to the PHD Program in Political Sci. at Columbia Univ. and daughter Anne Marie, was inducted into the NHS at her Birmingham, MI, H.S. ♦ **Sally (Askey) Weaver**, Genoa, has

been an English tchr for 20 yrs at Genoa H.S. Married to Robert for 27 yrs, has 2 sons, Matte, working for CSK and Bill, a grad of U.T. working in social work. Both married in 97. Has a grandson Stefan.

June - Lennie Muttuck Sorenson-Cobb, Aiea, HI, is the only female Boeing 747 Capt. in the world since '90. She's been with Continental Airlines since '77 and is based in Honolulu, HI.

♦ **Walter J. Wolf**, St. Clair Shores, MI, was recently appointed as Dir. of Automotive Consulting for the MacNeal-Schwendler Corporation's Automotive Group. Walter holds a BS in mech. eng. from OSU and master's from U. of Michigan and has published a number of technical papers. ♦ **Joseph Brozman**, Livermore, CA, is a part-time student and computer tutor at Las Positas College. Email - jbbrozm@pacbell.net.

1966

June - Michael Sirocky has been appointed Sales Mgr for PMX Industries, Inc., a multi-national producer of copper base alloys. ♦ **Dale and Brenda (Kelly) Alexander**. Dale is Sr. Vice Pres. of Smith Barney.

1967

January - Carl Ludwig, Fairview Park, is married to Deborah and has 2 ch, Christa 15 and Katie 12. He's a Math teacher at Midpark H.S. and has been a basketball coach for 26 yrs (24 w. boys, 2 w. girls). ♦ **Jerry and Sherry (Kelley) 6/68 Haynes**, Greer, SC, contacted us via email. They had searched the net and found classmate **George Wissman**. He's the one that introduced them 30 yrs ago. They've been married for 27 yrs and have 5 ch, and 6 grch. Jerry is the SE Division Controller for Kvaerner John Brown. Sherry is the MIS/MSO Coordinator for St. Francis Hosp. ♦ **Dick Dunn**, Asheboro, NC, still works for Eveready Battery Co. but is now in the Qual. Control Lab. Will be moving to High Point in the fall. ♦ **Myra (Jones) Har-sany**, Warren, has been married to Rudy for 27 yrs. They have 3 boys, the oldest is in the Navy, the 2nd works at St. Joe's Hospital and the youngest in security. Myra provides home health care.

1968

June - Edward Hoffstetter, Olmsted Falls, would like more information of the class of 68. (O.K. classmates - you heard him!). ♦ **Jan (Matyas) Baldwin**, Minneapolis, MN, writes children's books full-time and looks forward to being published soon! Husband Jim is in property acquisition and management. ♦ **Dawn**

Parrish, Selmer, TN, has a poem and a book that will be published soon. The book is about abuse and she is in the process of writing a workbook as well. She has a health problem that she is having a hard time dealing with and would like everyone to pray for her.

1969

June - Katherine (McGuire) Gitcheff, Cleveland, married to Steven, an electrician at LTV. She works as a Taxpayer Service Rep in the Tax Law Dept. of the IRS. Has 2 daughters & 3 grch.

1970

January - Gary Roy, Masury, is presently pastoring at First Assembly of God Church in Vienna, OH, near Warren.

June - Carl Faulhaber, Denver, CO, recently wrote and published a book called, 'Poems and Songs by an 'old' hippie. Contact at www.localbook.com/denver/magic.

1971

Lynne (Schultz) Goldsberry, Canal Fulton, is enjoying life with hubby Bill and 6 year old daughter, Rachel.

1972

Scott W. Smith, St. Louis, Missouri, is a buyer for Dillard's. ♦ **Carla Nemet**, Middleburg Hts., a Marketing Dir. for CPI Labs, left to pursue financial independence on a full time basis by using Wade Cook's techniques on Wall St. "Boy - am I having fun learning & making \$\$\$!"

1973

Brian McCready, Rocky River, has been a grinder at Lee's Grinding for 24 years. He's the grandfather of a beautiful baby girl. ♦ **Glenn Brooks**, West Salem, wants to know if the 25th reunion will be like the 20th? Changed jobs this year and is the Parts Mgr. at Mathew's Ford of Wooster. Married for 21 yrs & has 3 ch. ♦ **George Costaras**, Westlake, is a podiatrist in Elyria. ♦ **Glynis Mary McManamon**, Louisville, KY, is a Substance Abuse Counselor.

1974

Mary Ann (Gadzinski) Torgerson, Mercer Island, WA, is a mother and a housewife. Her husband is Chief Financial Officer for Puget Sound Energy. ♦ **Mark C. Smith**, Pittsburgh, PA, Training Quality Control Mgr. with CNG Retail Services Corp.

1975

Diana (Martin) Gatzke, Cleveland, is married to Ken, has 3 kids and works as Logistics Adm. for PPG Industries - Automotive Refinish Group. ♦ **Timothy**

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Faculty

Ralph Plingsten has joined the staff of the Cleveland Museum of Natural History as a research asst. Working on the West Park / JMH History project.

CLASSES OF 1992-1997

For the 1992-1997 JMH graduates - we need your help. We have been unable to get a class list with addresses to update the Alumni database. We understand that the Class President was given a list, so if you could contact us and submit it, it would be appreciated. If you are a member or know of someone who was a member of those graduating classes, please submit their full names, year, and addresses or have them contact the Association.

CLASSES OF 44, 64, 79, 84, 89 94

As of this printing, we have not heard from the above classes regarding their possible reunions in 99. If your class is planning a reunion for next year, please be sure to let us know early so we can publicize in next year's newsletter.

Also, please consider holding your reunion the weekend of the Centennial Celebration. Join the JMH Family!

The Airport Marriott at W. 150th, will be our Host Hotel and Centennial Headquarters.

HAVE YOU HAD A REUNION?

Has your class had a reunion? If not - it may be because we don't have a representative in our records that is willing to organize a reunion.

If you've been asking 'when?', 'where?', maybe you could get the ball rolling!

Following are classes that have no representatives:

January 40, 41, 45, 47, 51, 55, 60, 62, 63, 66, 69, and 71

June 83, 85, 89, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, and 97

CLASS REUNIONS

It is very important that the Association has an accurate and complete list of Class Reunion Chairpersons. We need to have the names, addresses and phone numbers of at least two members of every January and June class reunion committee. Please send this information as soon as possible. Also, following the reunion, please send us a corrected address list for your class (please highlight changes only).

Boldface indicate in conjunction with Centennial Celebration.

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| <p>1899 Centennial Kick Off Dance
September 25, 1998
Donauschwaben
AND
All JMH Centennial Reunion
August 19, 20, 21, 22, 1999
(440) 572-2102</p> <p>1938 January & June
September 18-20, 1998
Westwood Country Club
Jeane (Gallagher) Livingston
(216) 221-3595
Eleanor (Senne) Christopherson
(440) 331-0843</p> <p>1939 January & June
Looking for Committee
Harry Nest
(440) 734-3274</p> <p>1943 January & June
July 24-26, 1998
Wagner's Country Inn
Dorothy (Bath) Wolff
(440) 234-1010</p> <p>1946 Anyone interested?
Russ Van Scyoc
(216) 671-7201</p> <p>1948 January & June
October 8, 9, 10, 1998
Westwood Country Club
Ruth (Miller) Bertrand
(440) 333-7347
(440) 777-5848</p> <p>1949 January & June
August 19-22, 1999
Mary Lou (Clark) Uray
(440) 884-5551</p> <p>1950 January & June
Planning for 2000!</p> | <p>Cathy (Butcher) Brasty
(330) 483-4674</p> <p>1953 January & June
September 19, 1998
Westwood Country Club
Shirley (McCullough) Payton
(440) 734-5569</p> <p>1954 January & June
August 20, 1999
Bob Almquist
(440) 734-2841</p> <p>1958 January & June
August 21-22, 1998
Cleveland Yacht Club
Rae (Kramer) Hahn
(440) 826-3668</p> <p>1959 January & June
Jim Morrill
(330) 225-7952</p> <p>63 & 68 Deferring to 99</p> <p>1963 January & June
Looking For Committee
Shirley (York) Rice
(440) 892-7646</p> <p>1968 January & June
August 19, 20, 21, 22, 1999
Looking For Committee
(1) Russ Croyle
(440) 779-4924
(6) Elaine (Schultz) Staley
(216) 267-3857</p> <p>1969 January & June
Toni (Russo) Stephanie
(216) 676-5127</p> <p>1973 August 14-16, 1998
St. Mary's - Warren Rd.
Kim (Messenger) Schreiber
(440) 237-6595
Email- Schreib@en.com</p> <p>1974 August 13-15, 1999
Donauschwaben
Peggy (Brennan) Kean
(440) 243-6040</p> <p>1978 August 15, 1998
Wagner's Country Inn
Mai (Chang) Chapin
(330) 667-2261</p> <p>1988 August 15, 1998
Beachwood Holiday Inn
Darlene White
(216) 786-8361</p> |
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**Kick-Off Dinner/Dance &
Fundraiser**

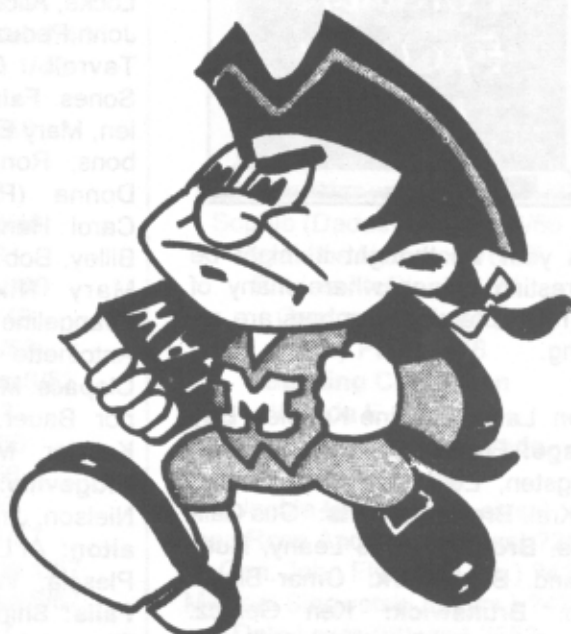
Friday, September 25, 1998

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1899-1999



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ORDERS MUST BE IN BY AUGUST 31, 1998

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE NUMBER () _____

CLASS / YEAR _____

NUMBER OF TICKETS _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED _____

FORMER FACULTY NOTES

This year we thought it might be interesting to see where many of our retired faculty members are residing.

Avon Lake: Pauline Kuebler. **Bay Village:** Fran Baran. **Berea:** Ralph Pfingsten, Ed Wiles. **Brecksville:** Ed Kral. **Broadview Hts:** Gus Caliguire. **Brooklyn:** Joe Leahy, Russ Nyland. **Brookpark:** Omar Blackman. **Brunswick:** Ken Geniuz. **Cleveland:** Bill Brashwitz, Ruth Co-

burn, Starlon Dudley, Richard Emery, Robert Henderson, Dr. Carl Locke, Alice Mancuso, Paul Oswald, John Peduzzi, Robert Rainey, Frank Tavrell. **Cleveland Hts:** Barb Sones. **Fairview Park:** Charles Allen, Mary Eileen Fogarty, Gene Gibbons, Ron Handy, Edith Higgins, Donna (Park) Miller. **Hinckley:** Carol Hann. **Lakewood:** George Billey, Bob Hamed, Maryann Lucas, Mary Nixon, Dave Richards, Evangeline Richards. **Lyndhurst:** Antoinette Tartaglia. **Mentor:** Paul Clapacs. **Middleburg Hts:** Dr. Eleanor Bauer. **North Olmsted:** Jeff Kassler, Margaret Kovach. **North Ridgeville:** Larry Estes, Richard Nielson, Jim Wasowski. **North Royalton:** Al Lakis, Russ Marx, George Plescia, William Tomko. **Olmsted Falls:** Shirley Babitt. **Parma:** Alice Eterovich, Vic Hanchuk, Dave

Jecman, Mary Jecman, Florence Laux, Helmut Link, Joe Vadini. **Parma Hts:** John Dare. **Rocky River:** Linda Beebe, Helen Bradshaw, Alverna Daly, John Dieterich, Mary Gensler, Dr. Patricia Kearney, Eleanor Kosman, Ken Kubach, Betty Nassif, Maurita Predergast, Art Richter, Dora Solomosi. **Shaker Hts:** Tom Elkins, Miller Mischal. **Sheffield Lake:** John Schmidt. **Strongsville:** Vic Daiuto, Richard Discipio, John Jacobson, Al Reinke, Marge Saulters, Wade Saulters, Nancy Stasek. **University Hts:** Florence Hall, Richard Milet, Horace Nembhard. **Westlake:** Don Burke, Del Busha, Paul Johanni, Doris Krueger, Roberta Leach, William Mears, Gary Montain, Brian Powers, William Quayle, Don Thrall, Dorothy Winovich.

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H.B. Humphrey	1899-1903
H.S. Pincombe	1904-1909
C.P. Hendershot	1910-1911
Samuel V. Cox	1912-1915
T. J. Williams	1916-1919
E.F. Reynolds	1920-1922
C.R. Destin	1923-1927
Benjamin R. Eggeman	1928-1945
Lee B. Bauer	1946-1966
Harold J. Cihlar	1967-1971
Joseph Dinunzio	1972-1979
William Tomko	1980-1987
LeRoy Lang	1988
Brian Wirtz	1989-1990
Gilbert Freilino	1991-1997
Cynthia Metzger	1998-

PLEASE NOTE!

Our P.O. Box Number is CHANGING! The Berea address will be open for a while but as of now, all correspondences from the newsletter should be sent to the new address:

**P.O. Box 16678
Rocky River, OH 44116**

Final Roll Call

Charles Lang 1/29
 Minette (Cardo) Askey 1/35
 John Ron Roy 6/35
 Anthony Ludwig 6/35
 Roger Clingman 1/36
 Fern (Thompson) Beaton-Landreth 6/36
 Dr. William D. Carlisle 6/36
 Donald P. Behl 6/38
 Leola Louise Griffin 6/39
 Louise (Gehring) Geib 6/39
 Gladys I. (Hanson) Murphy 1/42
 Dorothy (Miller) Hoffman 1/42
 Lillian (Gall) Schuster 1/42
 Frank Anton Bambach 1/42
 Kathryn E. Michelson 6/42
 Albert Groves 1/43
 Robert MacKenzie 1/43
 Richard Bauer 6/43
 Arleen (Young) Cleary 6/43
 George Johnsen 6/43
 Paul Kohler 6/43
 Anna (Duffy) McAuley 6/43
 Phillip Battes 6/43
 Torben Hansen 6/43
 William V. Sinkovic 6/43
 Phyllis (Lock) Hruska 6/43
 Marjorie (Fisher) Johnson 6/43

Lois (Wurz) Baker 1/44
 Sally (Comstock) Buehler 1/44
 Robert C. Guerin, Sr. 1/45
 Emil Guia 6/46
 Darrell Ingersoll 1/48
 Jim Keger 1/48
 Stuart Otto 1/48
 Ethel (Miller) Kilo 6/48
 Bert Hancy 1/49
 Lawrence Tischler 1/49
 Marie Mesaros 6/49
 Joan C. Buckles 6/53
 Roxie Gedeon Buckles 6/53
 Donald Kehr 6/53
 Shirley Brooks 6/56
 Tom Polkaba 6/56
 Alan Dudash 6/56
 David E. Spencer 1/57
 Pauline (Marton) Hogue 1/57
 Jerry (Crewse) Bowman 6/57
 Ann Gearing 6/57
 William Morris 6/57
 Joan Krutek 6/57
 William Monachino 6/57
 William Noon 6/57
 Alex Szabo 6/57
 Robert Weingartner 6/57
 Marilyn (Rudy) Gummere 6/57

Rebecca Campbell 6/57
 Margie Marflake 6/57
 Barbara Ramella 1/58
 Michael J. Wozniak 6/58
 Thomas Weitzel 6/62
 Irene Wolff 6/62
 Kathleen (Norwood) Waller 1/63
 Sophie (Dadas) Mastran 6/66
 Geraldine Hammond 6/67
 Patricia McGinnis 6/71
 George Gresko 73
 Terry Pappas 78
Spelling Correction
 Wanda E. Small 83
Listed as Marshall Grads in PD Obits
 (Unable to determine class)
 Anna Rose Andolsen (90 yrs.) ?25?
 Lt. Gen. John Flynn (74 yrs.) ?41?
 Michael Sinowetski (68 yrs.) ?47?
 Dale Lewis (60 yrs.) ?55?
 Michael T. Carrocio (50 yrs.) ?65?
Faculty / Staff
 Mary LaMantia FAC (49-55)
 (FAC-N.D.Baker 60's)
 Anna Maraschky FAC (31-65)
 James Moroney FAC (64-66)
 Mildred Schulte FAC (44-70)

Do you remember when????**We need your memories.....**

Our history book is nearing completion. We've decided to consider setting aside one chapter to reminisce and are looking for contributions. Can you answer any of the following?

Do you...

- have a special memory of Puritas Springs Park?
- remember a special dance hall, night club, or restaurant in the West Park area?
- remember a first date at the Riverside or Variety Theaters or the Memphis Drive-In?
- have a favorite playground memory or remember the summer Show Wagons?
- remember where you were when the tornado hit the W. 130th & Bellaire area?
- remember Presidential visits?
- remember when a new elementary or junior high school was being built/or an old one torn down in West Park?

Did you...

- watch Lindbergh parade through Kamm's Corners?
- as a child, sled down old Lorain Road Hill?
- shop at Kamm's Fanny Farmer Candy store?

- ice skate on the Rocky River?
- swing on the Lorain Road Bridge?
- work as a car hop or a soda jerk?
- attend the original JMH on Lorain?

What...

- was Christmas or Halloween like when you were little? Any special memory specific to West Park or JMH please!
- were the early air races like?
- area did you live in and what was your neighborhood like?

We're sure we haven't listed all the possibilities, but we would love to hear from you. Please take a few minutes to write a paragraph or two about one of your favorite childhood memories or of growing up in the West Park/JMH area.

When our book is published next year, you will be disappointed if your name or special story is not included because you forgot to send it in. We will try to publish as many stories or excerpts as possible.

All submissions will become the property of the John Marshall High School Alumni Association, Inc.

Deadline for submissions is: September 30, 1998

DID YOU KNOW?

The first motion picture 'Made in Cleveland' was an educational version of "Snow White" in 1916. The first talkie was "It Happened in Cleveland" in 1936. Locally financed and cast by students at John Marshall High School, it was filmed at the school, the Hotel Statler ballroom and the Trianon ballroom. In recent decades, Hollywood has shot numerous movies around town, most notably portions of "The Deer Hunter" filmed in 1977.

Scholarship

Janet Morales
Malone College and CCC.
Clifton Rogers
University of Cincinnati

Recipients

Vanguards For Sale

We have at least one copy of the following yearbooks for sale.
January 56, 58, 61, 62, 67, 68, 69
June 47, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78,
79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90

Contact the Association if you are interested in purchasing a copy.
Cost is **\$30.00** including postage.

Corrections:

Please remember, we are a VOL-UNTEER group - we don't have the time to confirm all the information submitted. When we type up the "Where Are You Now?", we try to summarize the information that you have written, as best as we can understand and can read it. We can only apologize for the errors....

SPECIAL THANKS

In 1996 the Association's collection of Interpreter newspapers was put on microfiche. Last year we contacted **Salvatore (Sal) Granata** at **Columbus Microfilm, Inc.** to obtain a price for a reader to be placed in the school library. When Sal heard the reason for our inquiry, he generously offered a new reader at no cost to the Association. At this time, the John Marshall Alumni Association would like to thank Columbus Microfilm, Inc. for their generous donation.

Additional thanks to the following for their assistance with newsletters and the seminar: **Jeff Edmonds**, (70), **Sandy (Foister) Edmonds**, 1/70, **Pete Harasimchuk**, 6/70, **Skip Oehme**, 6/58 and **Russ Van Scyoc**, 1/46.

Naturally, many thanks to the **Trustees**, who spend many hours making the special events happen, and to their **family members** who allow them the time. Continued thanks to **Metro Health** for supplying our meeting room.

Thanks to all who have donated to the Alumni Association, no matter what the amount, it is greatly appreciated. Special thanks to the **Classes of 1941 and 1947** for making a donation to the Association.



Band Video - Band Members from the 60's & 70's would be interested in the 22.5 minute video, featuring clips of various bands in action and stills of band members. Price is \$15.00. Contact the alumni office.

Financial Report

Financial Statement for 1997

Balance as of December 31, 1996	\$11,813.35
Expenses:	
• Operating (Telephone, answering service, data entry, printing & mailing, mail box, State of Ohio, computer repair, software,....)	\$ 2,046.96
• Newsletter Printing & Mailing	6,520.99
• Scholarships -2 JMH Students	2,000.00
• Award to JMHS - "We the People" Competition	500.00
• Thank You Dinner - Volunteers	<u>328.18</u>
	\$11,395.14

Contributions: \$ 7,211.57
Interest 297.15

Balance as of **December 17, 1997** **\$ 7,836.93**

Note: All accounts are at Charter One Bank. All expenditures are documented in written records and paid by check with two signatures required. All records are available for inspection.

Where Are You Now?

Please fill in ONLY the information below if it is incorrect or different from the label on the other side of this page.

Name (Please Print) _____

Class of 19 _____ Semester: _____ January _____ June _____ Email Address _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone (____) _____

Comments or News to Share : _____

I also wish to support the John Marshall High School Alumni Association with my tax deductible contribution.
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Questionnaire

In order to plan for possible numbers of people attending the Centennial Weekend, **please check all that apply.**

Centennial Weekend

_____ I will not be able to attend.

I am interested in attending:

_____ Thursday – Goodtime Cruise
_____ Saturday – School Open House
_____ Sunday - Marriott Brunch

_____ I am interested in volunteering on Centennial Weekend.

Suggestions:

SPONSORS NEEDED!!!!

To help defray Centennial Weekend Costs, we're looking for Marshall Alums as Corporate Sponsors.

Any donations would be greatly appreciated. Recognition will be in a Booklet commemorating the Centennial Celebration.

Please be sure to include a business card along with sponsorship. If anyone can provide services, please specify.

Remember – all financial donations are tax deductible!!!

Company Name:

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ORDERING INFO:

Band Video – \$15.00

Yearbook – \$30.00

Semester _____ Year _____

Quantities are limited. You must call **(440) 572-2102** to check availability first. When you call, if it is still available, your name will reserve the copy, however, check must be received in 10 days, otherwise, book will be released to next caller.

West Park History – Favorite Memory

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Dated Material -
Please Deliver by June 30

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!



Reunions in '98 -

Classes of 43, 48, 53, 58, 78, 83, and 88!
See Specific Dates Inside!

Friday of Labor Day Weekend 1998 -

JMH vs. Berea Football Game - Alumni Welcome!!!!
Check PD for exact time and Date!

August 31, 1998 -

Deadline for Dinner/Dance Reservations!

September 25, 1998 -

Kick-Off Dinner Dance & Fundraiser for
Centennial Celebration at Donauschwaben

September 30, 1998 -

Deadline for West Park History Memories

August 19, 20, 21, 22, 1999 -

Centennial Weekend -
All JMH Reunion Festivities

