

Medical Lake High School

Alumni Association



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Editors Notes

Another Busy and Fun-Filled Year for the Alumni Association has almost come to an end. We were fairly successful in our fund raising, (see the fund raisers section). Our membership drive for 2008 was not as successful as the 2007 drive. We need to increase response from the current and previous members and encourage additional Alumni to become active in the Alumni Association. We will begin the 2009 membership drive in November. We are including in this newsletter a form for you to complete and mail to us for next year's dues. Please remember that since we are a non-profit organization all dues and other contributions to the Alumni Association are tax deductible. If you would like a receipt, mark the box requesting a receipt on the form that you fill out.

There has been much discussion about mailing out the newsletter 5 times per year to people who are not active members of the Alumni Association. We are currently spending \$1,725 per year for mailing out the newsletters. This is more than we gave out this year in scholarships. Therefore, starting in January 2009, only active members will receive the newsletter by mail. If you are receiving the newsletters by email, you will continue to receive them or you can read them on the Alumni website.

Speaking of websites, You may have seen Classmates . com or medicallake .alumniclass .com which are sites that you can go to connect with other classmates.

Neither of these sites are associated with the Alumni Association and they do not support the school in anyway. Gary Olson, '62 , Webmaster for the Association's Website, is currently preparing to rebuilt the website with a more relevant content. Keep watching for updates on the progress. If you have suggestions, please let us know.

Committee Meeting Notes and Schedule

The committee continues to meet the first Wednesday of the Month at the High School. We have changed from the annual room to one of the classrooms on the North end of the School. Current committee members attending on a regular basis include:

- Tim & Linda Anne (Bumps) House
- Peggylee (Pritchett) Hallinan
- Bill & Maureen Carl
- John & Dottie Musser
- Mary Hillbrick Anderson
- Janice Cogswell Radmer
- Donna (Jarvis) Peterson
- Rita Spilker
- Becky (Sample) Green
- Mary (Dills) Perdue
- Leo Passinetti

Please remember that there is no Meeting in December. The dates for the meetings in the first quarter are:

- January 7, 2009
- February 4, 2009
- March 4, 2009
- April 1, 2009 (No, this is not an April Fools's)

Reunion Notices

We are not aware of any new reunions being planned for 2009, but if anyone has information for a reunion, please contact Bill Carl and it will be put in the newsletters.

Donna (Inman) Sealock is still working on the class of 1970 to be held in 2010. Donna can be contacted through Classmates.com, email djsealock@aol.com, or phone (509)389-517

Fund Raisers

After a few false starts, we finally held our garage sale on October 3rd and 4th at Peggylee's daughter's home in the Valley. Weather, for the most part, was sunny and warm. Sales were good, we collected \$464, and had a great time visiting between sales! Thanks to the following people for helping with the sale:

- Peggylee Pritchett Hallinan
- Bill & Maureen Carl
- Mary Hillbrick Anderson
- Janice Cogswell Radmer – *Our Star Seller*
- Linda Anne Bumps House
- Donna Jarvis Peterson
- Ilse Box Long – Who traveled from Kent, Wa to help us – Many Thanks Girlie Girl!

The following alumni donated items to the sale:

- Peggylee
- Bill & Maureen
- Mary
- Janice
- Tim & Linda Anne
- Donna
- Ilse
- Pat Staley Patterson
- Sandy Wood Rohrich
- Lynn Bunnell Echelberger

2009 Founder's Day

Mark your calendar from June 18th to June 21st. Please don't wait to the last minute to lock in your vacation time. The planning for

the 2009 Founder's Day Activities is still under construction (the cement is still wet). Some of the suggestions are:

- Bowling Tournament – "Alumni Bowling Badly Teams"
- Laser Quest – 20 Minute Laser Tag Game – Hurts A Lot Less Than Paint Ball!
- Post Falls, Idaho River Cruise
- Spokane City Bus Tour – Remember sitting in a car with your sweetheart and looking at the city lights from the bluff! It's on the tour.
- Friday Night All Class Potluck/Reunion – This Was A Big 2008 Hit!
- Saturday Founder's Day Activities
- Sunday Morning "Until Next Year" Breakfast

Details will be in the January Newsletter. It is imperative, Bonnie Kennedy, for you to put these dates on your calendar now! Where are our So Cal Girls?

We would love to hear from you regarding which activities you would like to participate in.

In Memorium

The Association wishes to extend its sincere condolences to the families and loved ones of the below named alumni who are no longer with us.

Christopher M. Gollehon
Class of 1988
Passed away July 30, 2008

If you are aware of other alumni who have passed, please advise a committee member so they can be mentioned in a newsletter.

October 2008 Treasurer's Report

General Funds: \$1,628.53 For Expenses
Vanguard Group: \$4,046.21 Scholarships
Total to Date: \$5,674.74

