

# Medical Lake High School

## Alumni Association



*Birds of a Feather – MLHS Cardinals – Flock Together*

### **Association Board of Directors**

President: Tim House '63  
Executive Vice President: Don Turnbough '61  
Scholarship Vice President: John Musser '63  
Secretary Linda Anne (Bumps) House '63  
Treasurer: Peggylee (Pritchett) Hallinan '63  
Trustees: Bill Carl '63 Steve Klug '66  
Webmaster: Gary Olson '62

*Vol 2 Issue 3*

*Founder's Day Edition*

### **Editor's Notes**

The time is near and if you have not made plans for Founder's Day, you could be missing out on one of the best weekends of the summer. Our cruise and tour director, Peggylee (Pritchett) Hallinan has two events planned for your pleasure on Thursday evening and Friday (see event schedule).

In the spring newsletter we stated that we could only sell raffle tickets to members of the Alumni Association, but we could open auction items up to anyone. With that in mind we will be offering a number of items to everyone.

There is a housekeeping item that was missed in the last newsletter, It was brought to my attention that I had erroneously listed Roxanna (Ralphs) Mecheel '70 as an annual member when in fact she is a life member, Sorry Roxanna.

Jon DeArmond is currently stationed in Turkey and would love to hear from anyone. His email address is: jon dearmond [jondearmond@yahoo.com].

### **Committee Meeting Notes and Schedule**

The committee met on May 2, 2007 and after a brief business meeting, we spent the remainder of the meeting selecting 3 recipients for the \$500 annual scholarships for 2007. Since the awards will not be announced until after publication of this newsletter we will announce the names in the July newsletter.

The committee meets again on June 6<sup>th</sup> to finalize Founder's Day Events. Remember that the committee will not meet in July. We will publish the dates for the Fall committee meeting in the July (Summer) edition of this newsletter.

### **Reunion Notices**

Since I have not heard anything from Carrie Everman or Brad Smith on their class of '87 reunion which is planned for the weekend of July 20-22, I can only hope that things are moving into the final stages of a fantastic weekend. If you are planning to attend and have not contacted them please do so as quickly as possible to get on their mailing list. Carrie can be contacted at (509) 299-3797/ (509)701-0554 or by E-Mail [Carrie1197@aol.com](mailto:Carrie1197@aol.com) Brad's E-Mail is [mrbsmith@msn.com](mailto:mrbsmith@msn.com)

### **Pre-Founder's Day Events**

There will again be Pre-Founder's Day Events, back by popular demand. Our lovely and charming cruise and tour director Peggylee (Pritchett) Hallinan has arranged an evening dinner cruise on Lake Coeur d' Alene. The cost of this activity is \$41.75, unless you are willing to admit that you just might be a Senior Citizen which brings the cost down to \$37.75. The group will meet at the Holiday Inn-Airport at 5PM and carpool if needed to Coeur d' Alene.

On Friday, we will again meet at the Holiday Inn at 1PM and again carpool as needed to three winery's.

1<sup>st</sup> winery      Latah Creek      1:30-2:30 PM  
13030 Indiana Ave  
Spokane Valley      926-0164

Winery is small but has great wines, gift ideas, and you can see the wine vats.

2<sup>nd</sup> winery      Arbor Crest      3-5 PM  
4705 N Fruithill Rd  
Spokane Valley      927-9463

Winery is on a bluff overlooking the valley, with views into the city and Idaho. The buildings and grounds are beautiful and this home dates back to the early 1900's. They have outdoor seating all over and you will love this place. In fact, I did not think I was going to get last year's group off of the bluff the day we went!

3<sup>rd</sup> winery      Caterina Winery      5:30-?  
905 N Washington St  
Spokane

This winery is just North of Riverfront Park on Washington and is a cute "Hole in the Wall" with outdoor seating. They also have music on Friday night and stay open into the evening. This will be a great way to end the tour!

Please keep in mind that if needed we can change/adjust the times or wineries visited. To get your name on the list for one or both activities, contact Peggylee at (509)466-5069 or E-Mail: [peggy44lee@aol.com](mailto:peggy44lee@aol.com)

### **Founder's Day**

The Alumni Association will be at Founder's Day again this year from 9 AM - 3 PM to act as a focal point for the returning alumni. We will be located in the parking lot of the Sterling Saving Bank where we were last year. We hope that you will stop by and spend some time with us and catch up with all of your classmates. If you have not registered with us, please take the time to do so, particularly if your contact information has changed. We would also hope that you will join and help support the Association and it's activities.

Kathleen Schaefer Murphy is the class of 1967 hostess for the all-class picnic being held at Water Front Park this year from 11 AM – 3 PM. Linda George Barber '66, her sister Debbie George Barber '69, and Daria Lien St John '66 who hosted last years picnic are returning to assist Kathleen in

making the picnic a success. Bonnie Kennedy '66 graciously offered to help. The girls (ladies ?, hope that I'm not offending you by referring to you as girls) will be selling BBQ hamburgers, hot dogs and fixin's if you're hungry. Remember this picnic is for everyone not just the class of 1967.

As promised, we have a new T-Shirt for sale this year and in addition, we have some T-Shirts from last year that will be available if you did not purchase one last year.

### **Fund Raisers**

In order to enable everyone, Association member or not, who would like to participate in our fundraising events, we are going to offer a number of items that have been donated for silent action. The items will be on display at the MLHSAA booth until 3 PM and then they will go to the VFW in Airway Heights and the auction will remain open until the start of the business meeting at 4 PM. Winners will be announced following the meeting and notified by phone if not present. If you do not attend the meeting but would like to continue to bid, a phone number will be provided so that you can follow the bidding until it closes.

The following items are being offered:

Tragger BBQ- \$700 Value  
Donated by Ron Hayes of Roses & Gardens, and Gary Fine '62

Garden Fountain - \$300 Value  
Donated by anonymous donor.

6 Megapixel Digital Camera w/Accessories -\$300  
Donated by Tim and Linda Anne Bumps House '63

2 Hand-made Quilts (1 Lap and 1 Baby) \$100 Value  
Donated by Pat Staley Patterson '64

2 Baskets w/ assorted goodies - \$125 ea  
Made up by Peggylee Pritchett '63 and Maureen Carl

We will again hold a 50/50 raffle which is only open to members of the Association. If you are not going to be at Founder's Day but would like to

participate, you can contact Peggylee Hallinan at (509) 466-5069 or (509) 290-1029 or by Email [peggy44lee@aol.com](mailto:peggy44lee@aol.com) . You don't have to be present to win and our 3rd<sup>t</sup> prize went to Sandy Wood Rohrich '63 last year when she sent in her request for tickets.

If all else fails, two people who attend the Annual Business Meeting will be selected by drawing to receive door prizes as our way of saying "Thank You" for attending.

### **Schedule of Events**

Thursday, June 14	7:30 – 9:30 PM	Dinner Cruise Lake CDA
Friday, June 15	1 PM	Wine Tour
Saturday, June 16	8 AM- 3 PM	MLHSAA booth –Sterling Bank
	10 AM	Parade
	11 AM – 3 PM	Picnic at Water Front Park
	4 – 5:30 PM	Annual Business Meeting, VFW
	5:30 – 7 PM	Dinner - \$6 – Chicken Fried Steak
	7 – 10 PM	Dancing –w/ <i>Beauty and the Beast</i>

### **In Memoriam**

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

**Jim Emerson '65** who passed on November 18, 2006

Gary Olson '62 is also maintaining a memorial section on the website [www.mlhsalumni.org](http://www.mlhsalumni.org) If there are alumni not listed contact either me [mandbcarl@adelphia.net](mailto:mandbcarl@adelphia.net) or Gary [gary12.15@comcast.net](mailto:gary12.15@comcast.net) so that we can update our listing.