



The Lion Roars Again

ECHOES Of Lincoln

2009

"Keeping the Spirit of Lincoln Alive!"

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The Year 2009

has real significance for Lincoln alumni. Three major events occurring this year that directly or, if you wish, indirectly affect Lincolniters are mentioned here.

Abraham Lincoln - 200th Birthday

In 2009, the nation commemorates the bicentennial of the birth of its Sixteenth President, Abraham Lincoln. He was born February 12, 1809, in a log cabin and lived to be only 56 years old. As Americans, we all know that an assassin ended his life. Even though he served less than five years, Lincoln is still considered by many to be the greatest American president ever. He is also remembered as one of the best presidential speech writers. (Remember learning the Gettysburg Address? Or reading his famous second inaugural speech?) Lincoln's words and hopes for this country live on. Mr. Lincoln left America a great legacy.

Stark County Bicentennial - 1809-2009

The recognition of Stark County's bicentennial has been planned to be a celebration as well as a study of the history of the county--the county where most of us lived and grew up and where some of us still reside. It is also the county where our beloved Lincoln High School is located. The events planned will help remind everyone how far the county has come, how many accomplishments have been made, and how great the people were and are who have helped the county grow into a sprawling collection of thriving communities. Stark County is a metropolitan area with rural roots. Even though the Bicentennial of Stark County has already begun, there are many more events to come. Check the local media for a listing of those events.

CLHSAA - 20th Anniversary

Canton Lincoln High School Alumni Association was organized in 1989 by a small group of alumni who thought it might be a good idea. They wanted to have fun, to be mindful of the past, and to be stewards of the future. They wanted to promote the memory of a great school. (But, mostly, they just wanted to have fun!) Thus, CLHSAA was formed. As Lincolniters, we can be proud of our alumni association's many activities and accomplishments. After all, who would have predicted that this alumni association would still be around twenty years later? And, who would have predicted that this association would be as active as any alumni group around--even those groups who still have schools! Remember, Lincoln was closed in 1976! Celebrate CLHSAA's 20th Anniversary by joining, by making a donation to the scholarship fund, by volunteering to run for an office, or by serving on a committee. This is your alumni association--support it in any way you can! To commemorate the 20th Anniversary, an Alumni Anniversary Dance will be held on October 17, 2009. (Details on Page 24.) CLHSAA is "Keeping the Spirit of Lincoln High School Alive!"

CLHSAA Calendar

2009

- July 13 Board Meeting* 6:30 PM
- July 21 Scholarship Awards Recep.
Westminster Community
Church Hall 7:00 PM
- Aug. 2 HOF Community Parade
- Aug. 3 Board Meeting* 6:30 PM
- Aug. 29 Golf Scramble 8:00AM
Pleasant View Golf Course
- Sep. 1 - Stark County Fair Booth
Sep. 7 Grandstand
- Sep. 14 Board Meeting* 6:30 PM
- Sep. 24 Annual General Meeting
& Alumni Service Awards
Refreshments 7:00 PM
- Oct. 5 Board Meeting* 6:30 PM
- Oct. 17 Alumni Assoc. Dance
St. George's Serbian Hall
8 PM - 11 PM
- Nov. 2 Board Meeting* 6:30 PM
- Dec. 5 Holiday Gift Shopping**
- Dec. 7 Board Meeting* 6:30 PM
- Dec. 12 Holiday Gift Shopping**
** 10 AM - 2 PM
** 715 Wertz Ave. NW

2010

- Jan. 4 Board Meeting* 6:30 PM
- Feb. 1 Board Meeting* 6:30 PM
- Feb. 18 Scholarship Raffle 6:30 PM
Tozzi's on 12th Restaurant
- Mar. 1 Board Meeting* 6:30 PM
- Mar. 15 Deadline Scholarship Apps.
- Apr. 5 Board Meeting* 6:30 PM
- May 3 Board Meeting* 6:30 PM
- June 7 Board Meeting* 6:30 PM

*Board Meetings at 715 Wertz Avenue N.W.

Elections - 2009

Stan Sereychas '60

The election of officers for 2009 took place at our Annual Meeting in September 2008, which was held at Rolando's Restaurant. A slate of candidates was presented to the membership by Nominating Chairperson Stan Sereychas. There were no nominations from the floor, thus the slate of candidates presented was unanimously elected by the members in attendance.

Andrea Roman Herbst '66 was elected president. Incumbent vice president, Veronica Sima Parkinson '59, was elected to another term. Also elected were Diane Boldizar Zazula '62, secretary; Cindy King Fickes '75, treasurer; and Jeanne Lee Jordan '75, co-treasurer. There were no trustee elections this year as none of the five current trustees had completed his/her term. The current trustees are Judy Workman Kackley '60, Stan Sereychas '60, Sherry Schario Cini-Putnam '60, Georgene Roman '66, and Karen Trenary Fashbaugh '61. Former president, Fred Peters '62, will now serve as past president. Gary Love '55 will continue as our historian. Congratulations to all for their contributions and service to the association.

Elections - 2010

All officer and trustee positions will need to be filled in 2010. Candidates are needed for president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, and five trustee positions. Please consider helping your alumni association by being a candidate for one of these vacancies.

If you ever considered volunteering, this is the year! Past officers and trustees are always available to help new officers. In order to continue our goal of providing scholarships, we must have alumni who are willing to serve on the board. We encourage you to get involved and see how your board works by attending a monthly meeting. Meetings are the first Monday of the month at 6:30 PM at the alumni building on Wertz Avenue N.W. (Please check the published calendar here for actual dates.) If you are interested in being nominated for an office, or need more information, please contact Nominating Chairperson Stan Sereychas at 330-478-3864.



2009 CLHSAA BOARD MEMBERS -- ALL VOLUNTEERS!

Vice-President Ronnie Parkinson, Past President Fred Peters, Secretary Diane Zazula, Treasurer Cindy Fickes, Historian Gary Love, President Andrea Herbst, Trustee Judy Kackley, Trustee Stan Sereychas, Trustee Sherry Cini-Putnam, Trustee Georgene Roman
Absent: Co-Treasurer Jeanne Jordan and Trustee Karen Fashbaugh

700th Scholarship Awarded

Roger Hegnauer '71

The Canton Lincoln High School Alumni Association honored the 2008 scholarship recipients with a dessert reception on July 15 at Westminster Community Church. A total of **fifty-four \$500 scholarships** was awarded. Since the scholarship program began in 1990, **\$349,300** has been awarded to **700** graduates or descendants of Lincoln students.

Seventeen recipients received special scholarships. For the tenth consecutive year, the **Ed Mang, Class of 1951, Memorial Scholarship** was awarded. **Deanne Fitzpatrick Jamal '60** provided eight scholarships in memory of Olive Fitzpatrick (mother) and **David Fitzpatrick '64** (brother). Another memorial scholarship was given in memory of Venetia Schario by Family and Friends. Other designated scholarships were donated by the Class of 1947 in honor of **LHS Class of 1947, Virginia Easton McMannis '57, Warren C. Lehr '49, Jim '60 and Sandra (Swank) '61 Leasure, Jack and Alanna (Welling '69) Arnold, John W. Parrish, Jr. '59, and a scholarship in honor of Michael DeComo, retired teacher/administrator.**

Thirty-seven of the 2008 scholarship recipients were recent high school graduates, and seventeen were current college students. We congratulate all of them and wish them well

with their future academic goals. Please see the photos of the 2008 recipients below. Names of recipients who were unable to attend the ceremony are also listed.

Applicants who did not receive a scholarship in 2008 are reminded that they may reapply. Graduates and attendees of Lincoln High School and Lincoln Junior High School, as well as their lineal descendants, are eligible for scholarships. *(Please see the guidelines on Page 8.)*

The members of the 2008 Scholarship Committee were **Roger Hegnauer '71**, chairperson, **Karen Mottice Christoff '72, Don Dorkoff '59, Paula Lightbody '71, and Sherry Schario Cini-Putnam '60.** Sherry was also board liaison, **Karen Gerzina Samuelson '60** was committee secretary, and **Jeanne Lee Jordan '75** was treasurer. **Barbara Pocock Hegnauer '71** was in charge of refreshments.

Thank you to all who helped, to everyone who donated to the scholarship fund, and to those who supported the fundraisers. Please continue your donations in order to "Keep the Spirit of Lincoln High School Alive."

The **2009 Scholarship Awards Reception** will be **Tuesday, July 21, 2009 at 7:00 PM at Westminster Community Church.** Everyone is invited to attend.



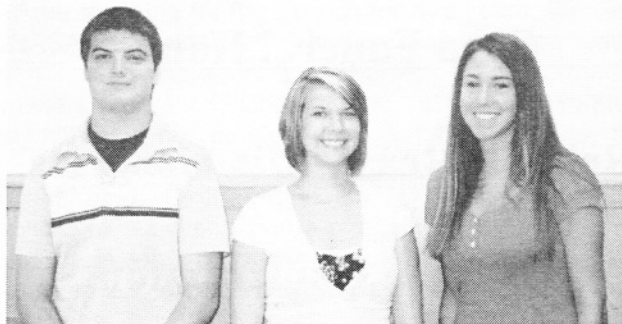
2008 HIGH SCHOOL RECIPIENTS

Row 1: Seth Kumpf, Hillary Bryan, Maria Deligiannides, Sophia Elefter, Hilary Fichter, Andrea Garofalo
 Row 2: Kaylee Jones, Jessica Holt, Samantha Bour, Lindsay Brugger, Kalen Bowen, Aaron Bednarz, Justin Grogan



2008 HIGH SCHOOL RECIPIENTS

Row 1: Katherine Sweitzer, Mallory Miller, Maria Williams, Lydia Moore
 Row 2: Steven Redd, Andrew Reed, Nathan Wilson, Thomas Moushey, David Rafealedes *Not pictured: Jordan Lindesmith*



2008 COLLEGE RECIPIENTS

Joshua Kumpf, Christine Spreainde, Alexandra Cochran

2008 Scholarship Recipients Unable to Attend Awards Ceremony

College: Justin Ferrel, Paul Hoffman, Amethyst Jamieson, Jared Kibbe, Trude Kibbe, Stephen Lewis, Stephen Lightfoot, Dena New, Brian Peludniak, Stacey Schmidt, Jenna Slingluff, Trevor Sponseller, Bryan Wilson, Christian Wooldridge

Freshmen: Courtney Addington, Jessica Flick, Kaitlyn Graber, Hannah Hunt, Merry Jamieson, Timothy Langreder, Nicole Lindsey, Amber Lockhart, Heather McKenzie, Aaron Reynolds, Mitchell Rose, Megan Weaver, Meryl Weaver, Caitlin Wert

CLHSAA President's Message

Hello to all fellow alumni and friends. I am **Andrea Roman Herbst '66**, serving as your CLHSAA President for 2009. The spirit of Lincoln High School is alive and well within this great organization because of the outstanding efforts of folks like you who give of your time and talents so willingly! I hereby challenge you to make it even more alive and thriving by continuing your dedication to this spirit, or by now deciding it is TIME to take part in this spirit!

Many opportunities await you in the form of good, old fun (and maybe a little work!) within these committees and programs. It's a great way to give back, reconnect with high school buddies, and even make new friends! As you read through this *Echoes*, you can see all of the activities that make up this organization. (Picture yourself as one of these doers!) We invite you to join us at a board meeting. (Meetings take place the first Monday of each month at 6:30 PM at the alumni office on Wertz Avenue N.W. Check our calendar on Page 2.) Stop in, and let us know your thoughts and ideas on how to continue to thrive and strive!

The CLHSAA Scholarship Program continues to amaze everyone. Why not be a part of the spirit? "In giving, we receive" -- the mantra Mr. Harry Mason, beloved choir director, instilled in me years ago -- it is something I have always strived to believe in and live and spread to others! Join us NOW, and give of yourself to benefit others!

**MANY THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT IN KEEPING
THE LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL SPIRIT ALIVE!**



Fred Peters, outgoing president, and Andrea Herbst, new president, enjoy the traditional "passing of the official Lincoln tie ceremony!"

2009 CLHSAA BUSINESS ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

**Blue Water
Industrial Supply, Inc.**

Blum-Sekeres Supply

Cardinal Glass & Mirror, Inc.

**Corbit's Flower &
Gift Shop, Inc.**

Hub Victor

Johnnie's Bakery of Canton

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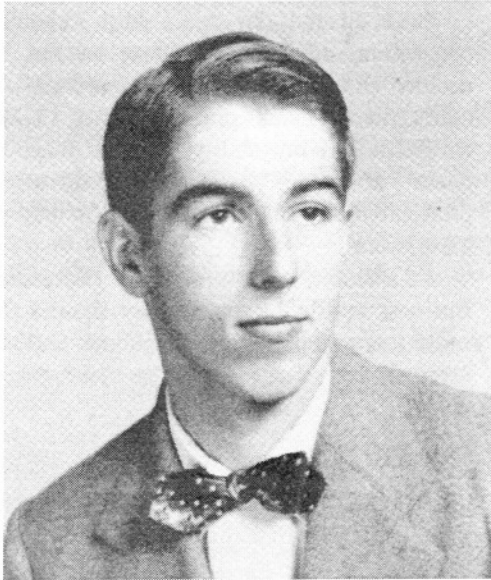
Pet Care Crematory

Reed Funeral Home

Reliable Ready Mix Concrete

Terrigan Construction

Our Teacher . . . George Brothers



In October 2008, Mr. Brothers and his wife were guests at the 50th Reunion Celebration of the Class of 1958. He graciously provided this update of his very interesting life. (Note: Edited for the Echoes.)

My teaching career at Lincoln lasted until the end of school year 1962-63, a seven-year adventure. During that time frame, I married a Lincoln graduate, **Emily Heinemann '50**. That last year at Lincoln, I received an NSF fellowship to attend the University of Virginia, which gave me the opportunity to earn my M. Ed. Although we still had a home in Malvern and had just purchased a small farm near East Rochester, an exciting opportunity arose on the Eastern Shore of Virginia to teach chemistry at a newly formed branch of the University of Virginia at Wallops Station, Virginia. The Branch was started to provide an apprentice program for the NASA facility at that location. In addition to teaching chemistry for the University, NASA was in need of a part-time Analytical Chemist to provide analyses of 90% hydrogen peroxide and later inhibited red fuming nitric acid used in two of their rockets, which were launched from Wallops Island. The offer sounded exciting, so off to the Eastern Shore we went.

After teaching for the Branch for five years, the work at NASA (as a contractor) had increased to the extent that I had to make another choice. I had formed a Virginia Corporation, Chemal, Inc., at NASA's request and, although not employed on a full-time basis, the prospects for expansion looked promising, so I left the teaching field. By the early 70's, NASA at Wallops got involved in a balloon borne ozone monitoring system. The system required preparation and calibrating, which was assigned to the Chemistry Lab. That led to field campaigns and a considerable amount of travel preparing, launching, and receiving data from the ozone sensor. Travels included Alaska, Panama, Brazil, the

Congo, Switzerland, Denmark, Shetland Islands, and five three-month campaigns in Antarctica. At present, I still work 2-3 days per week at the Wallops Flight Facility which is near the famous Chincoteague and Assateague Islands.

We have two children. Paul is a Ph.D. biochemist (Case-Western Reserve and U. of Maryland--Baltimore County), and Betsy is a UVA grad. We also have two granddaughters. The older is a student at the University of Maryland Eastern Shore, and the younger is a senior at Holy Grove Christian High School.

Emily and I celebrated 51 years of marriage in September 2008. She is retired from 25 years of teaching (two in Ohio) and over 20 years in Methodist Ministry. We have a 34-acre farm and are both active in church work and the Eastern Shore Emmaus Community. I was a Scout Master for 20 years, am the church choir director, and for 20 years or more a member of the Eastern Shore Madrigal Singers. We don't do Madrigal music, but music Miss Cogan would appreciate. We enjoy the longer growing season here on the Shore, so we have a fairly large garden. Just so I would never run out of things to do, about ten years ago I bought my first dozer, then a back hoe, and later another one of each. So I find plenty of work clearing lots, digging ditches, tearing down buildings, etc. No idle time for me. You might also find it interesting that we live in a small town called Assawoman, which has one church, a post office, and about ten homes all surrounded by farmland.

Fawcett Stadium Gate Project

With the emphasis on Fawcett as a community asset and an historical structure, the Canton Board of Education is pursuing a potential project that would rename the four main gates into the stadium after the four original Canton City High Schools. They have talked with an artist who is interested in designing ironwork that would be representative of each high school. (CLHSAA has requested the LHS lion logo for our gate.) They also intend to sell brick pavers at each gate for alumni to commemorate their graduation year or that of a loved one. The Buildings and Grounds committee of the Board of Education is leading this project, and they will be working through the alumni associations to bring this concept to fruition. Look for more details in the local media or from your alumni association.

Teacher Recognition . . . Memories of Our Teachers

Esther Puterbaugh

Dennis W. Tidwell '66
Hamilton, NJ

When the Classes of '65-'66 gather together for reunions, there are usually certain faculty members' names that enter into the conversation-- Coach Newlon, Mr. Rook, Mrs. Bolster, Mrs. Martin, and Miss Hopkins. There is one name which doesn't seem to generate the same excitement, but who I will always remember. That was my Sophomore English teacher, Miss Puterbaugh.

Miss Puterbaugh used a number of teaching techniques that I wasn't crazy about at the time, but which would eventually serve me well in my thirty-three years of state government service. She used to assign us entire speeches from Julius Caesar to memorize, as well as the Gettysburg Address and the Preamble to the U.S. Constitution. (I still remember a lot of it, too!) Book reports needed to be both hand-written and given orally to the entire class.

The assignment I remember the most, though, was "Find someone in the Canton area who is currently performing the same type of job that you think you want to do and conduct an interview with that person. The interview should include the educational requirements for the job, plus exactly what is involved with that kind of occupation."

I had always been knee deep into history, especially the Civil War, so I chose Edward Heald, who was the head of the Stark County Historical Society (later the McKinley Museum). Besides the Society, he was also a published author of several books, including a major biography of President McKinley. I met with him on a Saturday morning; and, after fulfilling the requirements of Miss Puterbaugh's assignment, he began to discuss colleges that a history major might want to consider. His recommendation was Western Reserve University (later Case Western Reserve University) in Cleveland. When I gave the oral report, I included Mr. Heald's recommendation for college, and Miss Puterbaugh seemed very pleased with the result.

I attended CWRU, but I ended up teaching public health for the New Jersey State Health Department, rather than American history. I've spoken to groups small and large, from orientation classes to meetings with over three hundred attendees. I've even taught some summer school at Rutgers University. Behind it all was Miss Puterbaugh of Canton Lincoln High School, and I thank her very much.

Oh, and the reason she was so pleased with the report on my possible future career in history, I found out later she was a graduate of Western Reserve.

Teacher Recognition

Thank you to these Lincoln alums who wrote of their fond memories of their former LHS teachers. Their memories stir our memories, and we thank them for responding.

Was there a teacher at Lincoln who helped you in some special way, made a subject come alive, or gave you special training preparing you for the future? If the answer is yes, please describe that teacher's contribution to you, and send it to us. We would really like to publish your school memories. Include your favorite teacher's name, subject, year you were in his/her class, how he/she affected you, and your name and class year.

Please limit your response to approximately 100 words or less. Send your response no later than February 2010 to the attention of the *Echoes* Editor at CLHSAA, PO Box 20192, Canton, OH 44701 or to the association's website.

Mr. Forrest

Leslie Lightfoot '67
Ashburnham, MA

Back in the day . . . high school! My counselors, advisors, or those in the "know" decided that I wasn't college material. I must admit that I was pretty numb. I had no confidence in my ability; and, in those days, I guess if you weren't self-motivated, the professionals didn't have the skill to help you get a move on.

As a result, I was sent to Mr. Forrest's class. Business stuff! I suppose they figured that if I could learn to balance a checkbook and sign my name that eventually I could stay off the welfare dole.

Thank you, Mr. Forrest. I owe you much. You had the patience to show me that there were things I already knew but didn't even know I knew. You also taught me things I didn't know but needed to learn. Somehow, even though I was semi-comatose most of the time, you were able to get through to me. You were non-judgmental and consistent.

I smile now when I think of your class. I am the founder and CEO of a multimillion dollar international, non-profit organization, I have homes in two countries, and I also managed several degrees in Psychology. Fragmented sentences really haven't seemed to matter.

Again, thank you, Mr. Forrest, for having the commitment to all of us in your business classes.



CLHSAA's YEAR IN REVIEW

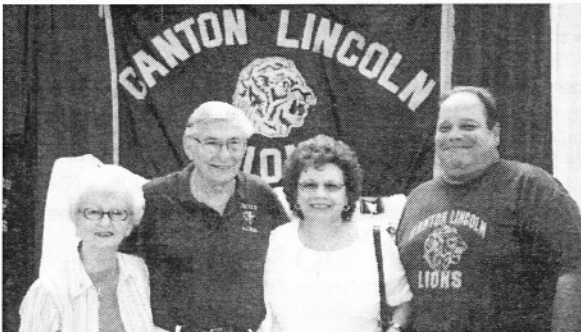
2008 Fair Booth

Thanks to everyone who visited CLHSAA's 2008 Fair Booth under the Grandstand. A special thank you to all those who volunteered to "work" the booth during Fair Week.

The CLHSAA sweatshirt drawing was held using the registrations at our booth. The 2008 winners were Susan Duffy Machesney '73 and Ron Lindesmith '55. Go Lions!

Be sure to visit our booth again this year during the 2009 Fair Week which runs September 1 - 7. Stop, say hello, and support the association efforts. Be sure to register to win a CLHSAA sweatshirt. Our booth, as always, will be under the Grandstand. Fellow Lincoln alums will be there to greet you, so stop by. We will be looking for you!

Some of Our Wonderful CLHSAA Fair Booth Volunteers



Alumni Notes . . .

Chuck Such '45 received an Award of Merit in 2008 from the Pro Football HOF. Chuck was honored for his role in the late 1950s and early '60s in originating the idea that a Pro Football HOF was needed and that Canton was the logical site. He was a reporter for the *Canton Repository* and kept the topic in the public eye so that extensive community support was developed and maintained.

Chuck recently sent a note, "Thanks to all of you for taking time to Keep Lincoln Alive. Without you, it wouldn't even be a memory."

Richard Haldi '57 is a volunteer at the Wm. McKinley Presidential Library & Museum who has been documenting a little bit of Canton's history. Richard has gathered information and photos about the Aultman-Harter Mansion, which was constructed in 1870 but which was demolished to make room for the Canton Cultural Center and Civic Center.

Gene Mitchell '53 is now living in Florida, but he formerly had a 27-year career with the Canton Fire Department, retiring as a captain in 1991. He was named the Canton Ex-Newsboys Honored Member for 2008, having served that organization in several offices, including president in 1980.

Phil and Susan (McFarland) Kirkbride '58 celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in October 2008. He is retired from The Timken Co. and the Stark County Clerk of Courts. Phil is a former CLHSAA trustee and ASA honoree.

Chip Conde '68 is the project director for the Stark County Bicentennial Commission and is busy coordinating events for the celebration. Chip also finds time to be a member of the board of the Canton Palace Theatre.

Please send us your "news" for our Alumni Notes column. It is very hard to keep up with everyone—help us do that!

"I will study and get ready and perhaps some day my chance will come."
-- Abraham Lincoln

This Edition
of
Echoes of Lincoln
is
Dedicated
to the
Memory of All
Deceased
Alumni and Friends
of
Canton Lincoln
High School

including

Elizabeth Schrock Bell '50
December 28, 2008
Committee Member

Paula Lightbody '71
April 24, 2009
Committee Member
Former Treasurer

CLHSAA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The purpose of the Scholarship Committee is to award non-repayable grants to deserving students who are either graduates or attendees of Canton Lincoln Junior or Senior High School or their descendants. Descendants include child(ren), grandchild(ren), great-grandchild(ren), step-child(ren), adopted child(ren), or spouse of attendees or graduates who are **paid members** of CLHSAA for the **current** calendar year. If the applicant's **only** lineal Lincoln ancestor is deceased, then the paid membership requirement is waived.

The Scholarship Committee will consider all applicants for grants regardless of race, color, creed, religion, sex, or national origin. All information supplied by applicants is strictly confidential with exception of names, addresses, telephone numbers, and names of ancestors who attended Canton Lincoln Junior or Senior High School.

CLHSAA reserves the right to determine the amount and number of grants to be presented in any year. Scholarships are awarded to students who are pursuing **ANY** type of post high school education at any type of accredited school; i.e., college, junior college, technical, or trade schools. Checks are made payable to each student's **school**. An Awards Reception where presentations are announced and recipients are honored is planned for July.

Applicants may apply every year; however, **scholarship recipients** are **eligible only every third year, with a lifetime maximum of two** CLHSAA scholarships. Students interested in applying for a 2010 CLHSAA grant should watch for a scholarship application form, which will be included with 2010 membership renewal forms to be mailed in January 2010.

The 2009 scholarship application forms were mailed in January along with membership renewal forms. The deadline for 2009 applications was March 16, 2009.

Tax deductible donations to the Scholarship Fund
and/or inquiries should be mailed to:

CLHSAA
PO Box 20192
Canton, OH 44701

DONATIONS BEQUESTS

As you undoubtedly know, CLHSAA has one of the best scholarship programs around. (Not bad considering our school was closed thirty-three years ago!) The success of the program depends on money raised through memberships, fundraisers, and contributions.

The CLHSAA Scholarship Fund has received some charitable donations, but the one area that has not yet yielded funds is the last will and testament of a Lincoln alumnus. If you are thinking of making a revision of your will, you may wish to remember the CLHSAA Scholarship Fund. Of course, a donation made during your lifetime is always welcome—and preferred!

Contributions of any amount are appreciated and are vital to the continued success of the program. *See the form on the right.*

SCHOLARSHIP FUND DONATION and/or MEMORIAL CONTRIBUTION

Tax-deductible donations can be made to the CLHSAA Scholarship Fund
by simply filling out this form and returning it with your check to:
CLHSAA, P.O. Box 20192, Canton, OH 44701

YOUR NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

AMOUNT _____ CLASS YEAR _____

IN HONOR [] OR MEMORY [] OF _____

_____ CLASS YEAR _____

SEND NOTICE OF DONATION TO FAMILY? YES [] NO []

IF YES, PLEASE PROVIDE FAMILY'S ADDRESS _____

2008 HOF Community Parade

Jim McVay '51

It was a picture-perfect July day for a parade. Not only did we have good attendance, but the parade route was lined with an abundance of spectators.

We added several new features to our parade unit in 2008. **Ed McGrew '48**, **Barb & Mike Yannone '64**, and **Jeff DiMarzio '71** drove their convertibles. They not only added a lot of class, but they also provided rides for those who did not care to walk the mile down the parade route.

Another addition to the event was the return of the Lincoln Alumni Band. Though small in number, it is hoped that this was the start of the rebuilding program for future events. A big thanks to **Mark Lowe '75** for getting the ball rolling with this group. They were quite a hit as they strolled down the avenue. It's surprising how many people are along the parade route wearing LHS apparel. (Maybe this year they will join us on the other side of the curb!)

A big change in the year's program was the addition of the 2007 and 2008 scholarship award recipients. They were accompanied by the proud LHS parent or

grandparent who made it possible for them to be eligible for a scholarship. They walked behind a brand new banner identifying their connection to the alumni association. Their turnout was a little disappointing, but this is the first year, and we hope to see this group's numbers grow in the coming years.

Again, as he has for many years, **Ron Richards '56** transported our banners to and from the parade route. As usual, **Nicci Huston DiMarzio '46** made a photographic history of the event as she has for so many years.

We thank all 26 alumni members who came to participate. It's the best turnout we have had in a couple of years. The breakdown is interesting—we had 2 people that graduated in the 40's, 8 from the 50's, 3 from the 60's and a whopping 13 from the 70's. Hopefully, those that participated will spread the word among their classmates and encourage them to be there in 2009. It shows the people in our community that we are, indeed, alive and well and are "keeping the spirit alive!"

Some of Our Wonderful 2008 HOF Community Parade Participants



Attention Lincoln Lions

If you would like to march or ride (there will be a vehicle available to carry those who prefer not to walk) in the **HOF Community Parade on Sunday, August 2, 2009**, you can join other CLHSAA members by **contacting Jim McVay at 330-492-4776 as soon as possible with your name and phone number.**

In order to make a unified appearance, volunteers need to wear a maroon shirt, khaki pants or shorts, and tennis shoes. The parade distance is approximately **1.3 miles** straight south on Market Avenue beginning across from the Civic Center.

All Lincoln alumni and former scholarship honorees are encouraged to participate. **Hurry! Pick up the phone and call NOW!**

More Alumni Notes . . .

The 42-cent U.S. Post Office stamp of the Mississippi River at Winona, Minnesota was chosen as the 150th Minnesota official stamp. It was chosen from over 4,000 entries. The photo was taken by **James R. Miller '48**, Winona, MN.

Three of the eight members of the 2008 Class of the Canton Ex-Newsboys Hall of Fame were Lincoln alumni. **Guy Bertram '52**, **Jerry Snyder '58**, and **Jim Griffin '61** were inducted into this 234-member HOF at the annual kickoff dinner. The organization is dedicated to helping kids stay warm and clothed. We salute all Ex-Newsies for their volunteerism.

In the Heritage Christian School newsletter of Nov/Dec 2008, it was noted that the school showcased its new durable, beautiful stageworthy curtains, replacing the worn and torn gold curtains that were there since circa 1972. Those old curtains surely served us and them well.

Robert W. Morgan '54 journeyed across America and to Russia to meet with Native Americans, a Tibetan lama, Bigfoot researchers, and legends of the Old West. In his book, *Soul Snatchers A Quest for True Human Beings*, he reports on the relationship between Native American legends, Tibetan beliefs, the modern phenomenon of Bigfoot and UFO sightings, and the importance of the legends in understanding modern American culture. He recently formed a film production company, the Talisman Media Group. Robert lives in Whitefish, Montana, where he says he spends the winter months writing. Summertime he reserves for more adventures.

John Hayward '64 continues to honor and remember his/our Lincoln High choral music teacher with his annual Ruth M. Cogan in Memoriam Concert presented by the choirs of the school where he teaches. The latest concert was held in March 2009 and was presented by the choirs of Northwest High School.

William Parry '65 is a cast member of Stephen Sondheim's new musical *Road Show*, which opened at Manhattan's Public Theatre. William previously appeared in the original New York productions of three other Sondheim musicals.

Janet Fashbaugh Mohler '61 appeared in the play *The Disappearance of Raven Bloodbone*, an original mystery theater dinner who-dunnit, which was presented at Fieldcrest Arts Center in the fall of 2008.

Carl Martin '55 and **Barbara Dean Martin '55** have been married for 50 years. They have four children. Barbara retired after 25 years with Canton City Schools, and Carl served 13 years in the U.S. Navy and is a Vietnam Veteran. Carl was inducted into the Softball HOF which he helped start and is an active board member there. He still works part-time with Canton Recreation Department after 40 years playing, coaching, and sponsoring many teams.

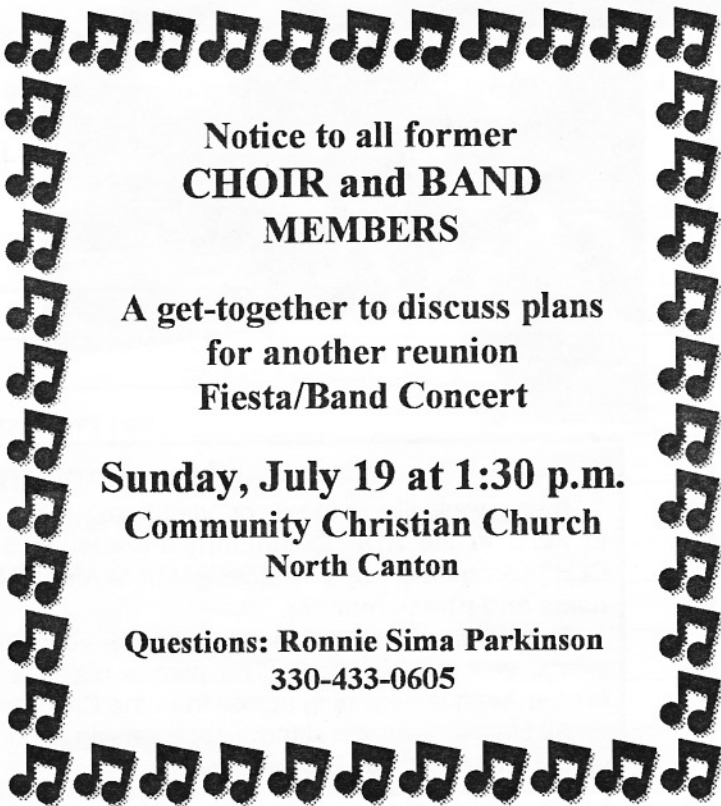
Susie Swihart Vitale '66 has authored the book, *Joe Vitale Backstage Pass*, which tells the stories from the road and in the studio of her husband, who is a world-renowned rock 'n roll drummer and song writer. Susie is President of the Community Television Consortium and has hosted the program "What's Happening in Stark County" for many years. She also co-wrote lyrics for several songs on Joe Vitale's latest album "Speaking in Drums." Please contact Susie for more details.

Daniel F. Sciury '58 has been elected to a 10th consecutive term as president of the Hall of Fame Central Labor Council, AFL-CIO, which is composed of AFL-CIO union locals in Stark, Tuscarawas, and Columbiana counties.

Carole Jacobson Anderson '60 wrote from her home in Florida, "Your newsletter was great, you do such a good job on it, and I am sure it is a lot of work. Don't know what that Alumni Association would have done without its great volunteers. Everytime I get a newsletter, I always want to be in Canton for a visit to see everyone. Take care. Hope to see all of you soon."

Peggy Robart '66 is the Grant Writer for Community Christmas, a local non-profit organization which provides Christmas assistance to needy people in Stark County. Peggy is also currently co-chair of CLHSAA's Souvenir Committee and formerly served two years as president of CLHSAA.

Pete Schleining '43 was inducted into The Stark County Amateur Basketball Association HOF on May 12, 2009. Pete played for Lincoln from 1941-43, then played seven years of amateur ball. His Kent State University team won the Class A title. He was also a high school basketball official for 25 years.



Notice to all former CHOIR and BAND MEMBERS

A get-together to discuss plans
for another reunion
Fiesta/Band Concert

Sunday, July 19 at 1:30 p.m.
Community Christian Church
North Canton

Questions: Ronnie Sima Parkinson
330-433-0605

Annual September General Meeting

The annual General Meeting of CLHSAA was held on September 18, 2008 at Rolando's Restaurant. As noted in the Elections article, nominations and elections for 2009 were conducted, as well as a short business meeting. The speaker

was Tammy Owens, Executive Assistant to Steve Perry at the Pro Football HOF. She gave a very interesting presentation, which included many anecdotes from her years at the HOF. It was a very enjoyable evening.



Larry Porter, Tammy Owens, and Paul Blohm socialize after the meeting.



Karen Samuelson, Laura Love, and Nicci DiMarzio enjoy the refreshments – and a shared laugh.

2009 - 20th Annual Reverse Raffle

Peggy Robart '66

If you missed this year's CLHSAA Reverse Raffle, you missed one of the best. It was held Thursday, February 12, 2009 at Tozzi's on 12th. The night was very special since it was our own Abraham Lincoln's 200th birthday--and Marilyn Monroe was on hand to sing him a rendition of "Happy Birthday," reminiscent of her performance for John Kennedy!

More than 134 alumni and friends enjoyed great food and a fun program. All 225 tickets were sold with total proceeds of \$4,820 going to the CLHSAA Scholarship Fund. These proceeds will help to provide scholarships for many more deserving students.

Total prize money of \$3,400 was awarded to 13 different ticket holders. The grand prize of \$2,800 was shared by the

final four--**Joan Meyer, John Wilcox, Bob Conde, and Bob Ramos & Don Elsasser.** A sideboard fundraiser generated another \$448, and a tip board earned another \$50. **Jim Hinton, Jr. & Bill Breslin** won the sideboard, and the the tip board was won by **Diane Boldizsar Zazula.** Congratulations to all the winners!!!

A special thanks goes out to all those who worked to make this event a success and to those who supported it by attending and/or purchasing a ticket.

Mark your calendars now to attend next year's event. It will be **Thursday, February 18, 2010** at Tozzi's on 12th. You will really enjoy yourself, plus it benefits a great cause! See you there!



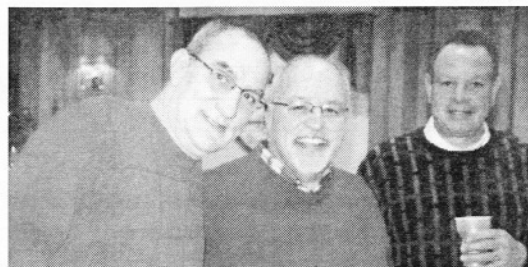
Marilyn and Abe share a moment!



John Wilcox, Bob Conde, Joan Meyer, and Bob Ramos are very happy to be the 2009 winners.



Kay McRoberts and Ron and Jeannine (Brislen) Mizer were happy to attend the 20th Annual Reverse Raffle



Phil Skeeles, Chip Conde, and Chic Weaver always have a great time.

BULLETIN BOARD

ATTENTION ALL CLASSES

Each class or reunion committee should nominate their outstanding classmate(s) for the Distinguished Alumnus Award, which is presented every second year. The DAA Committee is made up of dedicated individuals from various classes; however, they cannot begin to know who from each class has honored themselves through their achievements and deserve to be considered for an award. The DAA Committee needs your class's input!

CLHSAA AWARDS

ALUMNI SERVICE AWARD

The Alumni Service Award is given every other year to *paid members of CLHSAA who have demonstrated outstanding service to the association*. The next Alumni Service Award recipients will be recognized at CLHSAA's Annual General Meeting in September 2009.

DISTINGUISHED ALUMNUS AWARD

The Distinguished Alumnus Award is presented biennially to *honor graduates of Lincoln High School who have distinguished themselves through their achievements*. Please consider nominating a Lincoln graduate whom you feel deserves consideration as a distinguished alumnus. Use the form provided below and nominate a viable candidate now. The next DAA's will be honored in 2010.

Nominating Form

DISTINGUISHED ALUMNUS AWARD

(Nominees must be Lincoln graduates.)

Please complete *all* requested information for any individual you feel deserves to be nominated as a distinguished alumnus. Indicate the category you feel this individual represents (Civic, Community, Education, Athletics, Military, Arts, Religion, Medical, Business, Other) and *include a brief summary of why you feel your nominee should be considered*. Use a separate piece of paper as necessary. *Former nominees can be considered ONLY if they are re-nominated for the current bi-ennial event*. You may nominate more than one person and/or yourself.

NOMINEE'S NAME, ADDRESS, PHONE NUMBER,
CLASS YEAR, CATEGORY:

YOUR NAME & PHONE NUMBER:

Please return to: Awards Chairman
CLHSAA, PO Box 20192, Canton, OH 44701

Christmas Shoppe 2009

Souvenir items will be available for purchase either as a gift or for yourself on **Saturday, December 5** and **Saturday, December 12** when the alumni office, located at 715 Wertz Avenue, N.W., will be open from **10:00 AM till 2:00 PM** for your holiday shopping. You will have the opportunity then to purchase any/all of the items listed on Page 22.

YEARBOOKS

From time to time graduates or friends donate their yearbooks to our memorabilia collection. While we appreciate ALL donations of memorabilia, it is impossible to keep and store every item; therefore, extra annuals are available for sale.

If you want to purchase a yearbook from a particular year, it may or may not be available when you are looking for it. However, we encourage you to write to CLHSAA, PO Box 20192, Canton, OH 44701, or to the website, stating the year(s) you are looking for. If that year's book is available, you will be contacted. You can then send a check payable to CLHSAA for your purchase. The **price is \$15 plus \$6 shipping**. Please allow six weeks for delivery.

We are always looking for Lincoln memorabilia and/or yearbooks. Some even say they watch for Lincoln "stuff" when they are out at garage sales. So, keep your eyes open! If you would like to donate a yearbook or other memorabilia, please contact the association historian by writing to our post office box. Your donations are always greatly appreciated.

Questions, concerns, suggestions--

Please call CLHSAA Volunteer
Jim "Ozzie" Osborn
330-477-9831

*(He is retired and spends a lot of time golfing!
But keep trying!)*

2009 ECHOES OF LINCOLN

The *Echoes of Lincoln* newsletter is published ONCE A YEAR. Remember YOU must keep YOUR ADDRESS current with us, or YOU will miss the next issue. (Undeliverable *Echoes* cost a lot!)

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SPECIAL THANKS TO EVERYONE who provided articles, photos, information, and effort to make this issue possible.

**2009 CLHSAA
Scholarship Awards
Ceremony**

July 21 at 7:00 PM
Westminster Community Church
171 Aultman Avenue NW

Awards followed by a Dessert Social

*Everyone is invited--
donors, members, family, friends.*

**DESIGNATED
SCHOLARSHIPS**

Designated Scholarships are those scholarships that are made specifically to honor or memorialize a class, a graduate, a teacher, a family member, etc. If the donation is in the amount needed for a scholarship (\$500), then a scholarship is awarded in the name of the donor to one of the current year's scholarship honorees. The name of the donor (if not specified to be anonymous) is then "designated" in the scholarship program.

2009 Designated Scholarships

Memorial scholarship donations were received from friends and families In Memory of **Kenny Coates '44**, In Memory of **Elizabeth Schrock Bell '50**, In Memory of **Paula Lightbody '71**, In Memory of **David Fitzpatrick '64** and Olive Fitzpatrick (mother), In Memory of **Coen & Clara Welling** (parents), and In Memory of **Ed Mang '51**. A scholarship was also made In Honor of the **Class of '63**.

Donations of less than that needed for a designated scholarship are also very much appreciated. In fact, the many smaller donations really add up and are what makes it possible for CLHSAA to award so many scholarships each year. For example, a donation was received this year from the **Canton Lincoln Ladies Class of 1955 Luncheon Club**. And, although it was not in an amount that could be considered a designated scholarship, their heart-felt donation was, nonetheless, greatly appreciated. That donation, when added to the numerous other smaller donations, helps make it possible to "Keep the Spirit of Lincoln High School Alive!" So, keep 'em coming!

It is important to remember what the family and friends of **Kenny Coates** stressed by saying that, "A contribution to the Scholarship Fund is a thoughtful way to remember a loved one."

**2009
Alumni Scholarship Fund
Golf Scramble**

August 29, 2009
Pleasant View Golf Course

Sign up now and tell your golfing buddies
—get them on board, too!
For more information and to register,
see details on Page 24.

(The 2008 Scramble had to be cancelled
due to lack of participation!
Please don't let this happen again!)

**Golf Scramble
Sponsors
Needed by the
Golf Scramble Committee**

The scramble committee needs your help
sponsoring this event.
It would be great to have sponsorships
from the various classes,
as well as from individuals.

Hole Sponsor \$50
Drink Cart Sponsor \$50

To be a sponsor
or for more information,
please contact Dave Fowler
330-477-5053

Attention Business Owners

*Next January, when the form arrives
in the mail asking for your help,
don't delay! Fill it out and return it
immediately so that your sponsorship
will appear in the 2010 Echoes.
What a special way to help CLHSAA!*

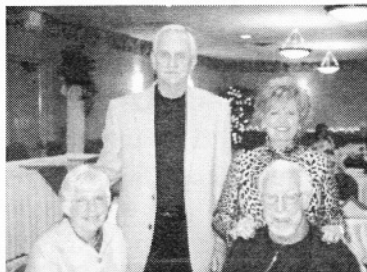
Thank you, CLHSAA Echoes Staff

J. Babe Stearn HOF Induction & All-City Oldies Dance Party

Nicci Huston DiMarzio '46



Stearn Center Hall of Famers
Bruce, Janet, Sonia, Ozzie, and "Sticky"



Ozzie and Marge Osborn were delighted that
Coach Newlon and friend were there

On April 11, 2009 more than 300 people saw 12 individuals inducted into the J. Babe Stearn Center Hall of Fame. Five of those inducted were Lincoln High School grads! The five were **Janet Weir Creighton '68**, looking tan and great; **Bruce Fowler '68**, having as good a time as ever; **Lou "Sticky" Glew '46**, whose whole family was present (yea, Class of '46); **Jim "Ozzie" Osborn '59**, who was his usual unflappable self; and **Mike Toney '55**, who was represented by his lovely sister, **Sonia Shaheen**. Award presenter was **Jim Mitchell '51**, and Stearn Center Director is **Tim Haverstock '75**.

Many in attendance were Lincoln alumni. Everyone there enjoyed the delicious food prepared by Mr. Mike's (**Mike Santangelo '46**--yea, again). There was a very nice souvenir and memorabilia table tended by **Cindy Fickes '75** and **Andrea Herbst '66**. Coach Ken Newlon also attended. **Bill Johnson '67**, teammate of Bruce Fowler, sent a very amusing video about their playing days.

Besides the awards, the evening included music, dancing, trivia, and prize drawings. It was a lovely affair that was enjoyed by all.

The Trip of a Lifetime

Raymond A. Cugini '73 had the opportunity of a lifetime when a simple trip to the nation's capital proved to be quite rewarding. He, his wife Tina, and son Christopher were completely startled when a White House connection invited them to the arrival ceremony for Pope Benedict the XVI in April 2008. That connection was none other than fellow Lincoln alumni **Janet Weir Creighton '68**, who took a job with former President George W. Bush last year. Mr. Cugini's son, Christopher, had interned for the former Canton Mayor and had worked enthusiastically for her re-election campaign. Janet called Chris saying that she would love for his family to join her on the South Lawn of the White House with 12,000 other guests. The family took the offer, packed their bags, and headed off to Washington, D.C. They stayed at the Melrose Hotel for three days to witness the historic visit. The morning of the big day, Tony, Tina, and Chris made their way down Pennsylvania Avenue around 5 a.m. They stood in line for approximately two and a half hours until the gates opened, and they presented their blue tickets which got them close to the stage. They stood among some of the Washington elite, like Henry Kissinger, Speaker of the House Nancy Pelosi, then Vice President Dick Cheney, and then Secretary of State Condeleeza Rice. The President and Mrs. Bush escorted the Holy Father to the podium, where he delivered a peaceful resolution. The Cuginis say the line that stood out the most to them was when Pope Benedict closed by saying, "God Bless America." Afterwards, they met up with Ms. Creighton, who took them from her office in the Executive Office Building over to the West Wing for lunch. The Navy cooked their meals, and they were astounded by the butter being presented as a mold of the Presidential Seal. The Cuginis could not believe that they were dining in America's most famous house, and that they had just witnessed history being made.

LHS TRIVIA

Don Wilson '48

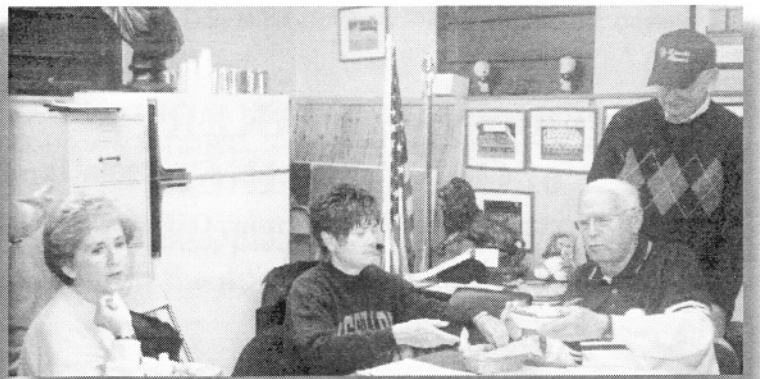
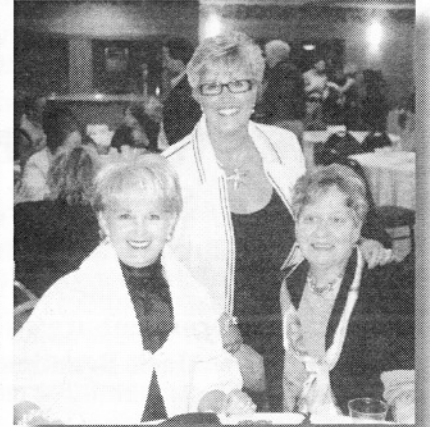
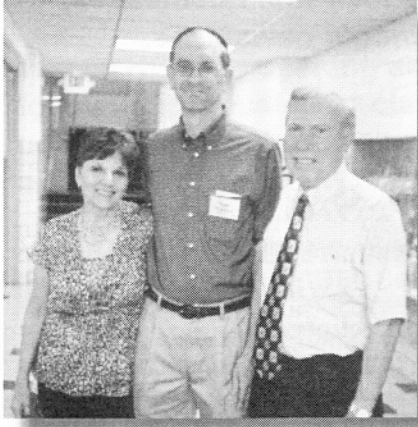
Here is some Trivia about good old Lincoln High that *Echoes* readers might get a kick out of. Give it your best shot. (Then see the answers below!)

1. Who wrote the Lincoln Alma Mater?
2. How many principals did LHS have from 1943 to 1976? Name them.
3. Who was the last football queen at Lincoln High School? Who was the first football queen at Lincoln High School?
4. Who from LHS won a gold medal in the Olympics?
5. Who was the first football coach at Lincoln? What years?
6. What did the students wear during the "demonstration" at Lincoln in 1943?

If you want to be depressed, now name 10 places where we hung out but which no longer exist. Now to be happy, name two places that are still around. (*Your answers are your own.*)

Answers to Trivia:

1. Words and music by Elmore Miller
2. Four--Carl Meyers, Robert Custer, Bill Wolforth, and Bob Ashby
3. Karen Lidderdale and Karen McFarland
4. Dave Wottle '68
5. Lester Kettering, 1930-1933
6. Girls wore slacks and guys wore skirts (*Those devils!*)



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HELP!!!!

The CLHSAA is seeking assistance from anyone who might know the whereabouts of the following graduates or class members. If you can help us locate these individuals, please contact Dave Schemansky ('66), 5323 Ridge Ave. SE, Canton, OH 44707, 330-484-4826 or e-mail <dschemansky@nci2000.net>.

1975

Alfred **BATTLE**; Mike **BOWER**; Wendell **CARMICHAEL**; Kim **CARPENTER**; Carl **CARTER**; Jeff **COBB**; Rebecca **DALE**; Jay **DAVIS**; Karen **DELONG**; Kathy **DEXTER** Campbell; Dan **FERGUSON**; Jerry **HARRIS**; Yvonne **HILEMAN**; Helen **HITCH**; Tammy **HOOVER**; Ron **JARRELL**; Mike **JEDNASZEWSKI**; Debra **JENKINS** Sisson; Cheryl **KOVALIK** Wolak; Susan **LEASURE**; Joan **LEGHART** Carpenter; Gary **LOCKE**; Tom **LYONS**; Delbert **MANKIN**; Diana **MILLER**; Sue **MILLER** Dycus; Susan **MILLER** Truax; Darlene **MORELAND** Karlosky; Ramona **MOYER**; Ed **NALLEY**; Tom **PACHUTA**; Kathy **PEDERSON**; Mike **POPA**; Edna **SAMOR**; Crystal **SCHLATT** Slentz; Sonia **SEDON** Hawk; James **SEWELL**; Michael **SIMON**; Vickie **SLAGLE**; Beth **SPURRIER**; Mary **SWONGER**; John **TRAVIS**; Kathy **WAKEFIELD**; Anne **WALLER**; Rick **WILSON**; Wendell **WRIGHT**

1970

Frank **BIALOTA**; Linda Kay **BROWN**; Clara **COFFEY**; Brian **COUTS**; Debbie **CROSS** Hoover; Pam **DANIELS**; Dona **DICKERHOOF**; Glenna **DONHAM**; Debbie **DYE**; Cindy **EHRET**; Jeanne **FERGUSON**; Dwight **GAGE**; Chrs **GILLARD** Gash; Karen **GRIMES** Davis; Cheryl **HECKMAN**; Wes **JONES**; Sharon **KENARD**; Betty Jo **LAB**; Karen **LATTA** Cottrill; Karl **LAUBACHER**; Bonnie **LIGHTFOOT**; Judy **LONG**; Ted **LYONS**; Michele **McFARLAND**; Fred **McINTYRE**; Christy **McLAUGHLIN** Amantangelo; John **MOLYNEUX**; Larry **MORRIS**; Frank **NORRIS**; Kelly **PHILLIPS**; Carla **REDMOND**; Linda **SCOZZARELLA**; Charles **SHANNON**; John **SHIRKEY**; Maggie **SHUCK**; Ken **SMITH**; Rick **SMITH**; Robert **SMITH**; Tim **SMITH**; Linda **TEEPLE** Ferguson; Paula **TONEY**; Glenn **WAGNER**; Darrell **WARNER**; Jeff **WEST**; David **YOUNG**

1966

Ramona **ALBAUGH** Kennedy; Vickie **BOSLEY** Frye; Myra **BROOKER**; Charles **CALDAS**; Janice **CARTER** Daniska; Judith **FILLIEZ** Stotzter; Bob **GOLDEN**; Linda **GRAY**; J.C. **HOLDWAY**; Frank **JAMES**; David **JOHNSON**; Terry **LAW**; William **LEON**; Tim **McFARLANE**; Ann **McNALLY** Skeeles; Brenda **MESSINGER**; Richard F **MORRISON**; Richard J **MORRISON**; James **PATTERSON**; Jayne **PEOPLES** Ashbaugh; Kathleen V **PHILLIPS**; Cheryl **RESSEGER** Servant; Stephen **ROSS**; Suzanne **SHIPLEY** Ritz; Connie **SMITH**; Helen **WOZNAK** Wilgus; Gloria **WRIGHT**

1965

Dennis **ALEXANDER**; Diana **ALLEN** Lotz; Judy **BEATTY**; Juanita **BECK** Patterson; Doug **BERNHARDT**; Doug **BLISS**; Kip **BONCHU**; Hope **DAUGHERTY**; Barb **DONALDSON** Ebben; Karen **FERRARO** Catalano; Toni **FLEMING**; Darlene **GRINER** Enochs; Kathy **HALL**; Terry **ICKES**; Harry **LAW**; Edward **LEWIS**; Barry **MARKS**; George **MASSOUH**; Diane **MESSIK** Sylvestre; Roslyn **MILLER** Chaney; Carol **MORGAN** Smith; Karen **PETREE**; Judy **ROLLINS**; Shirley **ROTHFUSS**; Sharon **SELKOW**; Steve **SHIRKEY**; Kathy **WHITACRE** Wheeland; Peggy **WILLISON** Locy; Cheryl **WISEMAN** Whitcomb

1960

Jack D **ATCHISON**; Ralph **BRITTAIN**; June **HERSHBERGER** Floyd; Joe **KERR**; Violet **McGURGAN** Thomas; Jackie **MORROW**; Betty Jo **PEASE**; Rachael **SIMON** Holland; Karen **SMITH**; Sandra **YOUNG**

1955

Charles **ARNONE**; Arlene **BOND** Davis; Harold **BROOKS**; Marilyn **BROWN** Kulczak; Jean **CRITARI** Petersen; Charles **EVANS**; Donald **GATES**; Pat **GRIFFIN** Priest; Ina Mae **GUM** Blocher; Georgette **HADBAVNY** Fulton; Gregor **HAGLOCH**; Shirley **HEADLEY** Parkinson; Gary **HUFLER**; Nancy **LEHMILLER**; Marie **MAGGIORE**; Vera **MERON** Daniska; Gerald **MUIR**; Carolyn **NEAL** Maxwell; Carl **NEIBERLE**; Ronald **SHERRARD**; Jack **STOLICNY**; Joseph **STROPKY**; Bev **TORCHIA** Fetty; Duane **UNKEFER**; Richard **WATT**; Joe **YUHOS**

1950

Martha **ALABACK**; Arthur **AUERBACH**; Jean **BURRELL**; Warren **CERMAK**; Norman **CORY**; Edgar **FILM**; Jay **FRICKER**; Harvey **FULTON**; Betty **GILLESPIE**; Ken **GLOVER**; Laura **GOTTMAN** Way; Carl **GRAHAM**; Diane **LAWRENCE** Armstead; Mary **LEE**; Edwanna **MILLER** Byfus; Donalda **NAJMOLA** Dovgan; Robert **POTTS**; Glenda **SHUSTER** Sprague; Francis **SMITH**; Mary Lou **SMYSER** Anderson; Pat **STEBLER** Poulos; Charles **STERRETT**; Sylvia **TONEY**; Donna **TRUE** Wasson; Dana **WRIGHT**; Doyle **ZIMMERLY**

1945

Virginia **ADAMSKI** Myers; Angela **BEACH**; Ruth **BERGEN**; Belva **CLEMENTS**; Norma **FOSTER** Little; Shirley **FREED** Zimmerman; Donald **HUFFMAN**; Charles **HUME**; Stanley **LANE**; George **MISKO**; Dorothy **MITCHELL** Seitz; Betty **REHFUS** Echols; Evelyn **SMITH** Biehl; Richard **WARNER**; Bella **WILLINGER**; Marilyn **WINN**; Marilyn **ZEHNDER** Reynolds

If anyone knows of a Lincoln grad not receiving an *Echoes*, please contact Dave Schemansky so that our mailing database can be updated with the appropriate address change.

Web Page & E-Mail

Dave Schemansky '66

CLHSAA has its own web page (domain name)

<http://www.cantonlincolnhighschool.org>

Check it out periodically!

Please register your e-mail addresses in the Alumni Connections section of the alumni web page. It is a great way to connect with former friends and classmates. Please contact the web master whenever you change your address, or if you find a link that is no longer valid. The board will attempt to re-establish contact with the missing grad.

Missing List

CLHSAA is asking anyone with access to the web page to check out the lists of missing grads. These lists name grads/attendees whom we are trying to locate, and we could use help. Someone out there knows where these people are or knows someone that the board could contact regarding that missing grad's whereabouts. Please take a look as we try to update the web page regularly. We can use your help in our effort to find all of Lincoln's grads.

Your Class Reunion Photo and Fun can appear on the "reunion fun page."

**Assign someone from your committee
to submit a small-group snapshot
(with the names of those pictured)
and a short write-up
after your reunion,
and it will be published in
next spring's issue.**

Dance Location Special Thanks

The Canton Lincoln High School Alumni Association would like to give a special thank you to St. George Serbian Center for all their help with the Alumni Reunion Dance scheduled for October 17, 2009. The St. George Hall can be rented for wedding receptions, bridal showers, baby showers, or any type of meeting. The facilities are beautiful, and the staff is very accommodating. Call them for your next event. Their phone number is 330-494-2712.

**Yes, we are sponsoring another alumni dance.
See details on Page 24.**

Class Reunion News

excerpts from the
Washington High School Alumni Association Newsletter

For those who do all the "behind the scenes" work, the next cycle of class reunions began last summer—or even sooner! A successful reunion doesn't just fall into place, it takes a dedicated group of individuals who are willing to "keep up with" and "track down" classmates continually, not just every five years. CLHSAA attempts to keep information current; and our database "guru" does a fabulous job, but he relies heavily on class members to update themselves as they move from place to place! So, be sure to send or email your current address to CLHSAA. Don't become a "lost" alum!

Depending on the personality of the class, the next reunion might be a simple one where gathering, eating, and socializing are the primary focus. Sometimes loud music is a deterrent to an enjoyable event. Class reunion photos are popular and can be easily arranged locally without any cost to the class. Decor and memorabilia should be kept simple. Class address books are very practical and can be updated easily after the reunion.

Setting a cost for the event should include a little extra to build a "kitty" fund for future reunions. Don't hesitate to run a 50/50 or have donations. Charge the classmate enough, but keep the cost at a minimum—especially during these tough economic times.

Committee chairpersons are given a class roster, but even those addresses should be researched for accuracy. If a "bad" address is found, start with the white pages of the phone book. Call parents or other family members who may be local. Try former high school friends, and/or try the Internet.

CLHSAA provides a computer printout of your class and labels for your mailings. It can also provide you with a tax number to save on the sales tax on meals and merchandise. (This is due to the legalities that the class has formed a committee under the umbrella of CLHSAA. However, your class **MUST** ask for these things and **MUST** work through the alumni association.)

As we all realize, it is a far different day than just 20 years ago! With the Internet and cheaper communications, friends and classmates tend to be in better contact with each other on a continuous basis, and the "excitement" of meeting every five years may lose its appeal. Many classes struggle to have well-attended reunions, especially the "younger" classes! The "older" classes seem to realize the value of personal contact and still enjoy festive gatherings. Time passes quickly, and reunion attendance becomes more important as one ages. Don't say you'll attend the next one—attend this one!

CLHSAA BANNER is still missing!

**If you have a lead,
please notify a board member!**

LINCOLN CLASS REUNIONS

Class of 1944 - 65th REUNION

Saturday, August 22 Skyland Pines
Luncheon 12 - 3 PM
CONTACT: Bob Williams 330-477-6656

Class of 1949 - 60th REUNION

"Diamond Anniversary"

Friday, August 14 Skyland Pines
11:30 - 12:30 Social Gathering
12:30 Lunch & Entertainment
CONTACT: Carol Shetler Schario 330-455-6119

Class of 1954 - 55th REUNION

All Reunion Events at 356th Fighter Group

Friday, Sept. 4 Mixer 6 - 11 PM
Saturday, Sept. 5 Dnr/Dnc 6 - 11 PM
Sunday, Sept. 6 Brunch 10 - ? AM
CONTACT: Fred Schmidt 330-499-4992

Class of 1959 - 50th REUNION

"Golden Anniversary Weekend"

Friday, August 28 91 on Fulton
Get-Together 6 - 8 PM
Saturday, August 29 LaPizzaria
Gala Celebration 6 PM
Sunday, August 30 Home of Marilyn & Jerry Lyke
Brunch 10 AM - 2 PM
CONTACT: Marilyn Bamberger Lyke 330-492-2717
mlyke@neo.rr.com
Bruce Steckley 330-456-9628
brucesteckley@gmail.com

Class of 1964 - 45th REUNION

Friday, Sept. 11 Tour of LHS
Mixer at Tozzi's on 12th
Saturday, Sept. 12 Golf - Tam O'Shanter 9:30 AM
Fairways 6 PM
Sunday, Sept. 13 Brunch 9 AM
Courtyard by Marriott
CONTACT: Vannie Miller Rapp 330-454-2610
Mike Yannone 330-494-4007

Classes 1965-66 - 45th REUNION

August 2009 Details TBA - For Updates
CONTACT: www.lincoln6566.com

Class of 1969 - 40th REUNION

NO INFORMATION

Class of 1974 - Reunion

Saturday, August 15 Golf Outing at Skyland
St. George's Serbian Center 6-12 PM
CONTACT: Mona Barkhurst Kelly 330-484-2264
Ed Rehfus (golf) 330-491-0336
www.fonner.net/lincoln/

CONGRATULATIONS!

*Celebrating your
50th Anniversary Reunion*

**Canton Lincoln High School
"Class of 1959"**

Class of 1946 - Annual Picnic

Wed., August 26, 2009 5:00 PM Lake Cable Pavilion
CONTACT: Paul Blohm 330-499-3047

Class of 1947 - Monthly

Second Thursday 1:00 at Golden Corral
CONTACT: Juanita Ellis Bathol 330-494-3779
Beverly Brown Spies 330-479-9344

Class of 1951 - Lunch

Friday, September 4, 2009 at 11:00 AM
First Christian Church on North Market
CONTACT: Sally Stone Buffo 330-492-4918

Class of 1960 - Organizing 50th

CONTACT: Dee Glover Dasco 330-484-7598
jdasco1942@aol.com

Class of 1967 - Monthly Dinner

Second Tuesday of every month
CONTACT: Lynn Slebodnik Becker 330-478-0805
Jeannie Baker John 330-832-2142

ATTENTION

Class Reunion Committees

DOES YOUR REUNION COMMITTEE NEED A PLACE TO HOLD YOUR PLANNING MEETINGS? If so, the Alumni Association Office is available. Just contact a board member with the date and an alternate date, and the board member will check on the availability of the office and make arrangements to have the room open for your committee. (Please remember that the board meetings are held the first Monday of each month, so avoid those dates.)

AS SOON AS YOUR PLANS ARE KNOWN, PLEASE let the Alumni Association know about your reunion. We will publicize your event, provide updated address lists, and give you mailing labels FREE OF CHARGE. Just contact us early!

ALSO, please let us know if you would like CLHSAA SOUVENIRS at your event. The souvenir committee will be more than happy to bring a variety of things for your classmates to purchase.

ALL REUNION CHAIRMEN – please send updates of your class rosters to the association after your reunion.

WHEN YOUR REUNION IS OVER, send us a note about the reunion and a photo of a small group, including the names of those pictured. (Sorry, space does not permit the publication of large photos of the entire group.) If you send it, we will publish it in next year's *Echoes*.

Paid Members by Class

Memberships as of May 2009. If you are not already a paid member, join today!

(Not that this is a competition, but notice the ** numbers. Join and encourage your classmates to as well.)

2009 CLHSAA MEMBERSHIP FORM

(INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIPS = \$10 ANNUALLY)

PLEASE! Only one person per application form.

Photocopy this form or contact the association for additional copies.

MAIL this form along with your \$10 check payable to CLHSAA to:

CLHSAA, P.O. Box 20192, Canton, OH 44701.

Questions to P.O. Box or Web Site <http://www.cantonlincolnhighschool.org>

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| 1958 | 49 | 1980 | 2 |
| 1959 | 48 | Staff | 2 |
| 1960 | 63** | Friends | 17 |
| 1961 | 44 | Total = | 1457 |

CLHSAA Honors Our Past

In January, CLHSAA was again happy to donate to the Learning Resource Centers (libraries!) of the Lincoln High "feeder" schools. (The schools are those whose students would have attended Lincoln if there still was a Lincoln High!) A donation of \$100 was made to each of seven local schools, five of which are Canton City Schools. President **Andrea Herbst** and Treasurer **Cindy Fickes** attended the January 2009 CCS School Board Meeting and personally presented a check from CLHSAA to the Superintendent Michele D. Evans-Gardell. The Canton City Schools include **Cedar**, **Clarendon**, **Dueber**, **Harter**, and **McGregor**.

The other two are **St. Joseph's Catholic School** and **Heritage Christian School** (old LHS). Incidentally, Cedar's LRC technician is **Linda Alvarez Neff '69**, and St. Joseph's Librarian is **Sandy Pocci Griffin '61**.

These donations, which have been made in the past as well, are one small way that CLHSAA is still participating in the local community and striving to "Keep the Spirit of Lincoln High School Alive."

"Bits and Pieces"

Obituary

The news of the death of a former Lincoln High School teacher just reached the *Echoes* Editor. **Robert L. Heestand** passed away on December 10, 2007. He had been residing in Pemberville, Ohio.

Did you know?

In March 1959, the **Lincoln Lions** mauled McKinley 54-48 in the Class AA regional basketball finals. This feat occurred in front of over 3800 fans at Memorial Fieldhouse.

Writers and Story Tellers

Echoes of Lincoln welcomes articles about and/or by any graduates, attendees, or former staff members. You may submit an article ANY TIME during the year. Please do NOT wait to be contacted. Send your articles to the *Echoes* Editor, CLHSAA, PO Box 20192, Canton, OH 44701. Thanks in advance for your contribution to this newsletter--the newsletter that keeps us all in touch!

Quote Attributed to Abraham Lincoln

"The best thing about the future
is that it comes only one day at a time."

A Poem - Author Unknown

Every five years, as summertime nears,
An announcement arrives in the mail.
A reunion is planned, it'll be really grand!
Make plans to attend without fail.

Drive Carefully! School is Out!

2008 Reunions were great!

Chairmen--be sure to tell us about your 2009 reunion here next issue!

Class of 1963

Elsie Anderson Grebe

The Class of '63 had a wonderful time August 15-16, 2008! It began with a casual gathering Friday evening at Garaux Park for pizza and socializing. The out-of-town classmates told of their fondness for Pizza Oven pizza - it seemed to be a big hit!

Saturday evening, we gathered at Meyers Lake Ballroom. A brief memorial service for our departed class members was held. Then a tasty dinner and remarks by Terry Clark, Senior Class Prez, followed.

After that, it was on to chatting, dancing to the "Oldies," laughing, etc. A long "Stroll" line and "The Twist" encouraged folks to head to the dance floor. Again, the grade school group pictures were great fun! We were surprised at 11:45 PM when the ballroom attendant reminded us we had to leave in 15 minutes! Where had the time gone? We weren't ready to leave! A large group headed to the hotel to continue partying until the wee hours.

If you missed this great time, plan to join us in 2013 for our Golden Reunion.



1963 Reunion Committee Members

Back: Gail Mayko, Sandi Casper Fedder, Terrie Addington Foss, Pat Tidwell, Erika Steinke Agnes
Front: Diane Clunk Deem, Maxine Bamberger Hegnauer, Luci Pavona Anstead, Elsie Anderson Grebe, Carol DiSimore Riegler

"Let's Do Lunch"

Class of 1951 Reunion Committee

A luncheon was held in October 2008 at the First Christian Church in North Canton. It was great to see our classmates and reminisce. The years go so fast, and we had lots to talk about. Classmates came from New York, Pennsylvania and all around Ohio. **Jim McVay** showed a video entitled, "Stark County - Moments in Time." What fond memories.

We are planning another LHS Class of 1951 Luncheon for September 4, 2009 at 11:00 AM at First Christian Church. Don't miss out - plan to come in 2009. Your committee will put together the plans and send out (or call with) the information as we get closer to the event. Keep in touch.

Class of 1953

Eleanor Mizer Yoder

The 55th anniversary reunion for the **Class of 1953** was held at Skyland Pines on Friday, September 12, 2008. Attendees enjoyed a wonderful sit-down meal and lots of fellowship. Classmates came from as far away as Florida.

A 75th Birthday Party is being planned as the next get-together in two years!



Class of 1953 Reunion Committee

Front: Dick Corbit, Sonia Oleno Poyser, Jane Wagner Hose, Sylvia Ondak Furlow, Sina Swant Howe, Eleanor Mizer Yoder
Back: Bob Kitson, Chuck Hill, Keith Poyser, Mary Ellen Needham Pitz, Gail Jones Kuttrus, Dick Freeman



Class of 1949

The **Class of 1949** held its Annual Picnic at Lake Cable on August 15, 2008. The 60th Anniversary Reunion will be this year--details on *Page 19*. (Space limitations prevent everyone in the photo from being named. In fact, this is the type of photo not requested because too many people appear too small to identify.) They had a really great time, though!

Canton Lincoln High School Souvenirs 2009

| Item | Size | Color | Price | Qty. | Size | Color | Price |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Ball Cap - mesh back | adjustable | maroon or white | 6.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Ball Cap - wool | adjustable | maroon | 10.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Long sleeve T-Shirt embroidered | M, L, XL | maroon or white | 14.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Alumni logo | XXL XXXL | | 15.00 | 16.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| T-Shirt - Lion transfer | M, L, XL | maroon | 9.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| | XXL XXXL | | 10.00 | 11.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| T-Shirt - Property of Lincoln | M, L, XL | gray | 9.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| | XXL XXXL | | 10.00 | 11.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| T-Shirt - All City Champions | M, L, XL | maroon | 9.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| - transfer | XXL XXXL | | 10.00 | 11.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Men's Denim Shirt - embroidered | S, M, L, XL | button-down | 35.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Alumni logo | XXL XXXL | | 38.00 | 40.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Women's Denim Shirt - embroid. | S, M, L, XL | | 35.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Alumni logo | XXL | | 38.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Zip-front Windbreaker - Alumni | S, M, L, XL | lined/maroon | 45.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| | XXL XXXL | | 48.00 | 50.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Sweatshirt - Lion transfer | M, L, XL | maroon | 18.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| | XXL XXXL | | 20.00 | 22.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Sweatshirt - embroidered | M, L, XL | maroon or white | 20.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Alumni logo | XXL XXXL | | 22.00 | 24.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Golf Shirt - embroidered | S, M, L, XL | maroon or white | 23.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Alumni logo | XXL XXXL | | 25.00 | 27.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Wooden Replica of LHS | | in color | 12.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Wooden Replica of Harter | | in color | 15.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Matted Picture of LHS** | 8 x 10 overall | in color | 8.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Coffee Mug (not shippable) | | maroon | 5.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Christmas Ornament** | Lion design | gold metal | 9.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Key Chain ** | | gold | 1.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Lincoln Pen ** | | maroon | 1.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Lion Bookmark ** | | in color | 2.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| License Plate Holder (not shippable) | | white w/maroon | 3.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Note Cards** | Lion logo | 10 pack | 4.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Lion Pin** | Lion head | metal | 3.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Stuffed Lion w/Cub | | stuffed toy | 5.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Golf Balls | Lion logo | sleeve | 7.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Golf Towel** | Lion logo | white | 5.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Playing Cards** | Lion logo | pack | 6.50 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Shot Glass** | Lion logo | double-sided | 3.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |

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Another 2008 Reunion . . .



Classmates Jerry Baxter, Judy Weber, Margaret Cassidy, Gayle Ulmer, and Jean Emerick standing by the reunion banner made by Judy Hilty.

Class of 1958

Anonymous

Lincoln High School Class of 1958 had an absolutely superior 50th Reunion! The secret was trying to tie the class back together after nearly 50 years, motivating people to contribute to a unique experience, and challenging everyone to go the "extra mile" for a really great reunion.

And the reunion committee was totally up to the task. They selected outstanding venues for all three events. Friday night there was a Mixer at the Lake Cable Club. Saturday night the committee selected the Moonlight Ballroom at Meyers Lake, which did an outstanding job. Out-of-town classmates were staying at the Belden Village Holiday Inn (at a group rate), so Sunday brunch was held there. And, the committee did a special job on several other things as well. There were tours of Lincoln and the First Ladies Museum Saturday afternoon. An especially touching moment was the balloon launch for deceased classmates Friday night at Lake Cable. One balloon was sent up for everyone who had passed away.

Many other classmates stepped up to the plate to contribute. Sue Lewis (Kittoe) provided entertainment in the form of two great DVD's, one of old photos or our time at Lincoln and one of current photos of classmates. (Nearly 100 classmates sent in

photos.) And then Sue did a post reunion DVD of reunion photos. Star of stage, screen and the television media, our own Ted Henning, set us up with his old studio in Atlanta to have a 50's Music CD done, with a personalized 50's label. The German class bought a keg of beer for Friday night. Judy Wagner (Hilty) did a banner "to die for," and it was prominently displayed at all reunion venues. Jean Mulholland (Emerick) did "seat covers" for all the chairs with Leo proudly displayed on the back. LeRoy Hoffee, still working audio-visual, helped with the sound system Saturday night. Beverly Henry's (Heid) daughter made a large tapestry of *Leo the Lion*. A Reunion Book was done to update classmates on the status of others in the class, and entries were available for all but about 50 out of an original 250 classmates. It was sent out several months in advance so everyone could be "up to speed" by the time of the reunion. In all, over \$8000 was donated for the event and spent over five years, mostly on newsletters (and other mailings) and the Reunion Book. Every classmate attending had a large, laminated badge with a large, prominent first name and a photo from the '58 Yearbook. Lincoln Alumni coffee mugs were handed out stuffed with Heggy's candy.

There were so many positive comments and emails on the reunion, but Art Lewis summed it up well. "What a wonderful Reunion you all put together for the old gang! It was very memorable and great fun. We should certainly be proud of our class, and the festivities matched the best of our spirits and accomplishments."

Mission accomplished, LHS Class of '58!

"Foreign" Alumni

Alumni who probably don't come home too often for reunions, etc., are those who have made their homes in far-off locales. Since they do live so far away, we usually do not mail them our newsletters, notices, etc. However, they are able to contact CLHSAA through the Internet, using the domain name. (See front page masthead.) If you would like to communicate with any of these individuals, be sure to mention that fact on the Alumni Connections page on our website.

Those (whom we know of) who live in far-off places:

Peter Johnston 1962, Fiji
 William Yoder 1959, Thailand
 Joyce Clauss Villarreal 1957, Mexico
 Douglas Harper 1972, Australia
 Rosemary Vahila Taylor 1956, UK
 Gail Hendershott Stone 1951, New Zealand
 Charles Lyke 1964, England
 Peggy Hampton Bailey 1976, Australia
 Nancy Hammond 1957, UK
 Wilbur Wright, Jr. 1966, England
 David Post 1953, Singapore
 Bessie Dendrinis 1966, Greece
 Maureen O'Brien Jones 1968, Scotland
 Jeanne Massouh Habib 1954, Canada
 Kenneth G. DeChiara 1968, Denmark
 Steve Cornett 1969, Japan

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Alumni Golf Scramble**

When Saturday, August 29
Where Pleasant View GC
Time 8 AM Shotgun Start
Price \$50 per player

Team Captain _____

Player _____

Player _____

Player _____

Deadline is August 10, 2009

Coffee & Donuts at sign-in 7:15 - 7:45 AM
Price includes:
Donuts, Lunch, Pop, Beer, Dinner

Forward completed form and
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