



The Lion Roars Again

ECHOES *Of Lincoln*

2016

“Keeping the Spirit of Lincoln Alive!”

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Moonlight & Roses...Remembering the Prom

By Susie Swihart Vitale '66

This year we remember the prom, attended by Lincoln High School juniors and seniors throughout all of its eras from 1943 through 1976. Although fashions, hairstyles, and even corsages, perfumes and colognes changed, the excitement and drama of the event marked a very special time in our lives. The prom was always held at Moonlight Ballroom with its enormous mirror ball sparkling in the center of the room. A local orchestra provided the music. The prom sometimes stretched into “Prom Weekend” with the dance, dinner, and a host of possible activities, including picnics, horseback riding, miniature golf, private parties and drive-in movies.

Many of our graduates didn't marry their high school sweethearts and no longer had their prom photos. However, some were gracious enough to provide us with a precious glance back into time. Yes, those were the days....

Although the artist of this print is unknown, it captures the excitement of that special night!

(Prom photos on page 18)



CLHSAA CALENDAR

2016

- Jul. 11 Board Meeting * 6:30 PM
- Jul. 19 Scholarship Awards Recognition
- Jul. 24 HOF Community Parade

- Aug. 1 Board Meeting * 6:30 PM

- Aug. 30-31 Stark County Fair Booth
(Under the Grandstand)
- Sept. 1-5

- Sept. 6 Board Meeting * 6:30 PM
- Sept. 17 Annual General Board Meeting

- Oct. 3 Board Meeting * 6:30 PM

- Nov. 7 Board Meeting * 6:30 PM

- Dec. 1 Board Meeting * 6:30 PM
- Dec. 3 Christmas Shoppe 10AM - 2PM
- Dec. 5 Board Meeting * 6:30 PM

2017

- Jan. 9 Board Meeting * 6:30 PM
- Jan. 11 Annual General Mailing

- Feb. 6 Board Meeting * 6:30 PM
- Feb. 16 Annual Reverse Raffle

- Mar. 6 Board Meeting * 6:30 PM
- Mar. 15 Scholarship Applications Due

- Apr. 3 Board Meeting * 6:30 PM

**715 Wertz Avenue NW*



CLHSAA President's Message

Georgene Roman '66

2016 President's Message

Hello to all ... fellow alumni and friends, I am Georgene Roman '66, serving my second School term as your CLHSAA President for 2016.

The CLHSAA Board sets high goals for achieving success; our number one goal for the existence of this alumni association is assure the treasury remains filled to provide scholarship awards for our young lions.

Once again, a SPECIAL THANKS to our dedicated board members, past board members, committee members, and all volunteers who give a lot of time, energy and effort to attain these goals.

CLHSAA 2016 is well underway and keeping pace with the 2015 events. The 2016 Reverse Raffle took place in February, the planning committees for the Distinguished Alumni Awards (May) and the Scholarship Awards (July) have been meeting. The application for our participation in the Annual HOF Kick-off Parade has also been accepted by the Canton Chamber of Commerce.

Be a part of our journey, step up and make a difference! You will have the opportunity to give and in turn receive. Stop in at our monthly board meeting (first Monday of each month at 6:30 pm at the office on Wertz Ave SW, new ideas and suggestions are always welcomed!

Thank you ALL for your ongoing support of CLHSAA and "Keeping the Spirit of Lincoln Alive" during 2016!

2015 Scholarship Recipients Unable to Attend Awards Ceremony

Rumberger- Matthew Dietz, Tierra Moore

College- Veronica Arntz, Heather Denison, MaryAnn Gottschlich, Jamie Heller, Nathaniel Hoobler, Erin Jones, Ashleigh Kibbe, Zachary Lindesith, Mitchell Lyons, Emily Marino, Brennen Maschak, Ashley Robbins, Michael Rueger, Stanley Soehnlén, Katherine Wright
High School- Joseph Adams, Joel Aninao, Taryn Artis, Logan Awad, Ryan Cameron, Allison Carr, Alexandra Holton, Hannah Kasler, Mary Kuntzman, Kyle Monnot, Kyle Osborn, Melody Rexrode, Ellen Sanders, Benjamin Stacy, Rachael Stertzbach, Samuel Van Voorhis, Elizabeth Wright

CLHSAA & Rumberger Foundation 1,000th Scholarship Awarded

Roger Hegnauer '71

The Canton Lincoln High School Alumni Association honored the 2015 scholarship recipients with a dessert reception on July 21 at Westminster Community Church. A total of forty-nine \$500 scholarships was awarded. Since the scholarship program began in 1990, \$ 524,800 has been awarded to 1042 graduates or descendants of Lincoln students. For the seventh year, the Rumberger Foundation also awarded five \$ 5,000 scholarships. Gloria Kirkbride Rumberger '61 is the Lincoln connection to the Rumberger Foundation, and CLHSAA is very appreciative of the donation.

Twelve recipients received special scholarships. For the seventeenth consecutive year, the Ed Mang, Class of 1951, Memorial Scholarship was awarded. Other memorial scholarships were presented In Memory of Debra Notaro Piatt '69 by Alanna Welling Arnold '69 , two scholarships In Memory of F. Stuart Wilkins '45 by Betty J. Wikins, In Memory of David Fitzpatrick '64 (brother) by Deanne Fitzpatrick Jamal '60 , In Memory of Robert Barr '54 by family and friends, In Memory of Kathy McCarthy Back '70, and In Memory of Jack Crider '70 . Other scholarship grants were donated In Honor of Lee Lavery(LHS teacher and drama director) , two scholarships In Honor of LHS Class of 1957 by the Class of 1957, and a scholarship given by Janet Weir Creighton '68.

Thirty-two of the 2015 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.

Applicants who did not receive a scholarship 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.

The members of the 2015 Scholarship Committee were Roger Hegnauer '71, chairperson, Karen Mottice Christoff '72, Don Dorkoff '59, Sherry Schario Cini-Putnam '60, and Sally Schweitzer '66. Elaine Tuesdale Campbell '71 was treasurer.

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 and continue

“Keeping the Spirit of Lincoln High School Alive.”

*2016 Scholarship Awards Reception, Westminster Community Church
Tuesday, July 19th, 2016 at 7:00 PM*



2015 HIGH SCHOOL RECIPIENTS
Front: Samantha Achauer, Ryan Lindesmith, Anthony Garcia, Kate Enot, Bradley Enot, Laurel Baumier, Gretchen Groves



2015 HIGH SCHOOL RECIPIENTS
Front: Ashley Mason, Sydney Stroia, Allison Saracina, Sarah Robbins
Back: Annet Soehnlen, Alexa Russell, Benjamin Mullaly, Hunter Markley



2015 COLLEGE RECIPIENTS
Elizabeth Remley, Ryan Wilzoch



Valerie Maccioli, Gloria Kirkbride Rumberger '61 (donor), Allison Maccioli, Annika Bunevich



NEWS of ALUMNI...

BEVERLY IS 95!



Beverly Beck Swihart '36, Echo proofreader. Beverly is the mother of Lincoln Lions Kathy Swihart Kane '64, Susie Swihart Vitale '66 and Jim Swihart '73. Echo Staff proofreader Beverly Beck Swihart '36, graduated from Lincoln Junior High School in 1936 and went on to graduate from McKinley High School in 1921. Besides proofreading the Echoes of Lincoln for the past 5 years, Beverly has been a member of New Life United Methodist Church for 64 years where she participates as a greeter, attends The Tuesday Evening Series, Prayer and Share and chairs Operation Christmas Child. She delivered meals at Westbrook Park Meals on Wheels for 44 years. Beverly enjoys gardening, fishing, playing cards and visiting with friends and family. She is a member of The Christian Broadcasting Network, The Wilderness Center, The William McKinley Presidential Library & Museum, and numerous other organizations.

Elections - 2016

Georgene Roman '66, President; Andrea Roman Herbst '66, Past President; Vice President; Bob Clemens '66, Diane Zazula '62, Secretary; Elaine Tuesdale Campbell '71 Treasurer; Karen Trenary Fashbaugh '61, Trustee; Peggy Robart '66, Trustee; Trustee; Ed Hostetter '68, Trustee; and Jim "Ozzie" Osborn '59, Trustee. Best wishes to all!

Elections - 2017

Please consider taking an active part in your alumni association by attending the monthly board meeting usually held at the CLHSAA office at 715 Wertz Avenue NW the first Monday of every month at 6:30 PM. If you're interested in being a candidate for 2017, please call the Nominating Committee Chairperson Karen Fashbaugh '61 at 330 453-8356. Everyone is welcome! (Check CLHSAA 's published calendar for actual dates.)



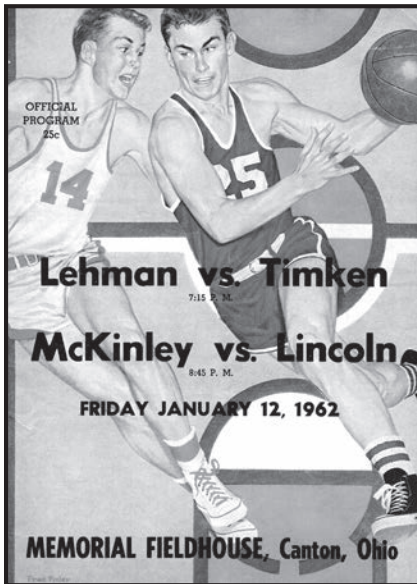
VIPS: Jerry Snyder '58, Dave Schemansky '66., Database Chair, Jim "Ozzy" Osborn '59, Ardean Huston "Nicci" DiMarzio '46



Front Row: Treasurer Elaine Tuesdale Campbell '71., Historian Cindy King Fickes '75, Back Row: Trustee Peggy Robart '66, , Vice President, Bob Clemens '66, Trustee, Jim "Ozzy" Osborn '59, President, Georgene Roman '66, Past President, Andrea Roman Herbst '66, Trustee Ed Hostetter '68. Not pictured: Souvenir Chair, Barb Wylie McKelvey '59, Trustee, Karen Trenary Fashbaugh '61, Secretary, Diane Boldizsar Zazula '62



**LINCOLN BASKETBALL
REACHED NEW HEIGHTS IN 1962!
Our Board Reaches New Heights Each Year!**



SECTIONAL



DISTRICT



REGIONAL

David Sponsellor '49 has been very busy this past year. He has married Kathie, he met when he struck up a conversation with in the Dallas airport in 2014. He's also continued working at his business, singing and has been speaking and giving papers and conferences in Vancouver, Austria, and Xi'an, China, where he will be visiting the world famous Terra Cotta Warriors. Dave shared a prom story from his days at Lincoln High. "My good friend, Bob Smith, learned that his pal, Evelyn Stewart, wasn't going to the prom. He asked if I would take her double-date. I happily agreed and we had a nice evening at Moonlight Ballroom. Evelyn and I hit it off quite well and 'went steady' our senior year. Because I had the use of my brother's Mercury Coupe, I took Evelyn to school every day! Evelyn was valedictorian of our class and I had the highest boy average. I gave Evelyn an engagement ring during my junior year at Notre Dame. However, we couldn't resolve our religious differences and broke up six months later. She then married Lincoln grad Richard Hight '47 and they moved far from Canton. We came into contact again at our 50th Class Reunion. Shortly after that Richard died and we started a long distance friendship by email and telephone, which lasted until Evelyn, sadly, died of cancer in 2010. But our friendship, spanning 62 years, would never have happened without the LHS prom of 1948!"

50 Years Ago

Linda Gowdy, Football Queen, Attendants: Cindy Horning, Sr, Kathy Brewer, Jr, Debbie Brumbaugh, Soph, Marjorie Collins, Fr & Cindy Jacobsen, Basketball Queen, Attendants: Kathy Gamble, Sr, Becky Overcashier, Jr, Kathy Beck, Soph, Rhoda Trikilas, Fr.

Senior Class Officers: Jeff Miller, President, Tim Myer, Vice President, Cindy Jacobsen, Secretary, Kathy Gamble, Treasurer.

Harry Mason - A Capella Choir, Glee Club, Music Theory and Vocal Music.

A Jerd Bayless directed our amazing Lincoln Band.

The A Capella Choir presented "The King and I" featuring soloists Jane King, Wayne Moreland, Beth Lindenberger, John Evans and Paul Snyder.

The 1965-66 Varsity Basketball Team, Coached by Ken Newlon, beat McKinley in the District Tournament and went on to the Regionals. Yea!

Our 1966 Baseball team, coached by Ken Newlon, awarded Jeff Miller and Terry Humphrey MVP; Terry Humphrey, Total Times of Base; Jeff Miller, Batting; & Tim Myer, Defense.

ALUMNI SERVICE AWARDS and THE 27th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

ASA RECIPIENTS - 2015

Every other year at the annual meeting, we take the opportunity to say “thank you” to some very special people who love Lincoln High School and who are dedicated to “keeping the spirit alive”. 1994 was the first year we established the Alumni Service Award. Since that year, 74 people have been given this honor.

Larry Ellison

Our first Alumni Service Award recipient for 2015 is Larry Ellison. Larry graduated from Lincoln High School in 1957. He played football, basketball and track all four of his years at Lincoln and was captain in all three sports. Larry was a teacher at Lincoln and served as assistant coach for football, basketball and track. He also served on the alumni scholarship committee. He received his BA from the University of Cincinnati and his Masters from the University of Akron. His wife Ann, now deceased, was also a Lincoln graduate. Larry has two children, son Steve who is deceased, daughter Cathie and two grandchildren. His partner for the past 20 years is Yvette Yohe.

Emory Hall

Our next recipient is Emory Hall from the class of 1952. Emory was very active in his years at Lincoln as a member of Chorus, Latin Club, History Club, FPOC, Linion League and National Honor. After graduation he worked on every one of his class reunions from their first at 10 years to their 50th in 2002. Emory has been a dedicated Alumni Association volunteer for many years. He has done everything from stuffing envelopes to working at our Stark County Fair booth. He has been one of our “go to” volunteers to sell souvenirs at both class reunions and the Christmas shops. Emory’s sister Janet was a class of 1957 Lincoln graduate. The love of his life was his wife, Ruth, who has passed away. He also has two children and two grandchildren.

Barb Hegnauer

Barb Hegnauer is from the Lincoln class of 1971. Her mother attended Lincoln in the early 1930’s when it was a junior high school and she is married to Roger Hegnauer who graduated from Lincoln in 1971. Barb has been active in the Alumni band, Alumni choir and has organized the scholarship reception for over a decade. She has also volunteered at the Stark County Fair booth. Barb was a teacher in the Canton City school system and in the Perry Local school system. Barb and Roger’s son, Steve, received a Lincoln Alumni scholarship in 2001.

Fred Peters

First let me say that this posthumous service award is long overdue. Fred Peters served as the Lincoln Alumni Association’s president for two years. He also served as a Trustee and Chairman of the Stark County Fair booth. Fred helped many times at the reverse raffle and worked backstage at the Alumni Choir presentations. He was also the 1962 Class Reunion chairman for many years. Fred married his high school sweetheart, Nancy Boone, also from the Lincoln class of 1962. Together they have two sons, one daughter and five grandchildren. Fred is dearly missed by the alumni board and his name still frequently comes up at meetings. We are so grateful to Fred’s family for being here tonight. It has been a difficult time for them as they have lost another precious family member. Fred and Nancy’s daughter, Kristen is now with her father and the family has our love and sympathy. Nancy will be accepting the award for Fred.

2015 Alumni Service Awards Recipients

Peggy Robart '66, Awards Chairperson

Nila Welch

Nila Welch graduated from Lincoln High School in the class of 1947. She has been a supporter of the Alumni Association since its inception. Nila served on the Scholarship committee, the Dance committee and was a volunteer at the Stark County Fair booth. She also made the curtains for the windows of the Alumni Office. Lincoln High School is a real "family affair" for the Welch's. Nila's sister Dorothy graduated in 1943, her brother Don in 1946, her husband Bill in 1946 and Nila in 1947. Their four children all graduated from Lincoln, Lee in 1967, Chris in 1968, Ed in 1971 and Tim in 1973. Granddaughter, Emily received a scholarship from the Alumni Association.

President's Award – Cindy King Fickes

Cindy Fickes, from the class of 1975 served as President of the Lincoln Alumni Association in 2013 and 2014. Prior to that, Cindy served as our Treasurer and did a great job. She is now serving as Historian and has done a fantastic job organizing all the "stuff" we have accumulated at the office. I don't know what we ever did without her.

SPEAKER - John R. Werren

Our featured speaker for this evening is Mr. John R. Werren, a distinguished attorney with the Day Ketterer law firm. Mr. Werren graduated cum laude from Grove City College in 1958 and from Case Western Reserve University School of Law in 1961. He joined Day Ketterer in 1966. John has earned many honors and achievements in his career and has been an outstanding leader in the community. He has made quite a name for himself in the Stark County area as an amateur historian, speaking to hundreds of civic, educational and community groups about the history of Stark County. He draws his anecdotes about the early days of the county from *The Stark County Story* by E.T. Heald, volumes 1 through 6. Mr. Werren will now share with us some of the rich history of our area especially as it applies to Canton.



2013 ASA Award Recipient Elaine Tuesdale Campbell '71 and the 2015 ASA President's Award Recipient Cindy King Fickes '75.

Thank you both for your continuing service to Lincoln Alumni.

ALUMNI SERVICE AWARD RECIPIENTS

1994 Recipients

Janet Weir Creighton '68
 Milan Dolanski '68
 Christine Welch Harrison '68
 Connie Beatty Jedel '68
 Ed Mang '51
 Patty Schario Milford '68
 Linda Alvarez Neff '69
 Jim "Ozzie" Osborn '59
 Sue Berg Self '68
 Terry Taylor '58

1995 Recipients

Guy Bertram '52
 Joe Garber '44
 Jim Mitchel '51
 Don Stambaugh '50
 Faye Moore Staugh '52
 Bill Welch '46

1997 Recipients

Ardean "Nicci" Huston DiMarzio '46
 Carole Hunker Hughes '51
 Harry Hughes
 Dan PLott '68
 Karen Gerzina Samuelson '60
 Bob White '43
 Anna "Cookie" Palombo Wright '52

1999 Recipients

Judy Workman Kackley '60
 Gary Love '55
 Mark Lowe '75
 Carol Berg Marvin '60
 Dave Schemansky '66

2001 Recipients

Elizabeth Schrock Bell '50
 Chip Conde '68
 Kathleen Alvarez Conde '68
 Shirley Bender Dobry '74
 Jim Griffin '61
 Susie Swihart Vitale '66

2003 Recipients

Sherry Schario Cini-Putnam '60
 Bill Dinger '69
 Peggy Dinger
 Mike Drumm '72
 Cathy Carr Langreder '74
 Jerry Snyder '58
 Doris Johnson Taylor '67

2005 Recipients

Karen Mottice Christoff '72
 Don Dorkoff '59
 Florence Showalter Garber '44
 Roger Hegnauer '71
 Paula Lightbody '71
 Paula Weaver Rossetti '71
 Bill Weaver '73

2007 Recipients

Phil Kirkbride '58
 Jim McVay '51
 Peggy Robart '66
 Frank Sekeres '71
 Debbie (Evans) Sekeres '71

2009 Recipients

Cindy King Fickes '75
 John Hayward '64
 Jeanne Lee Jordan '75
 George Leatherman '52
 Veronica Simi Parkinson '59
 Ron Richards '56
 Sherry Cable Shafer '69

2011 Recipients

Paul Blohm '46
 Andrea Roman Herbst '66
 Ed Hostetter '68
 Georgene Roman '66
 Avalon Taylor Schneider '46
 Stan Sereychas '60
 David Sponseller '49

2013 Recipients

Elaine Tuesdale Campbell '71
 Jeff DiMarzio '71
 Karen Trenary Fashbaugh '61
 Ron Milbrodt '60
 Mary Snellenberger Spreainde '66
 Mike Yanonne '64
 Diane Boldizsar Zazula '62

2015 Recipients

Larry Ellison '57
 Emory Hall '52
 Barb Hegnauer '71
 Fred Peters '62
 Nila Welch '47

PRESIDENT'S AWARD

Janet Weir Creighton '68
 Jim "Ozzie" Osborn '59
 Jim Mitchel '51
 Sue Berg Self '68
 Chip Conde '68
 Gary Love '55
 Karen Gerzina Samuelson '60
 Peggy Robart '66
 Paul Blohm '46
 Fred Peters '62
 Andrea Roman Herbst '66
 Cindy King Fickes '75

**Thank you to all past and present
 award winners for your service to
 CLHSAA!**

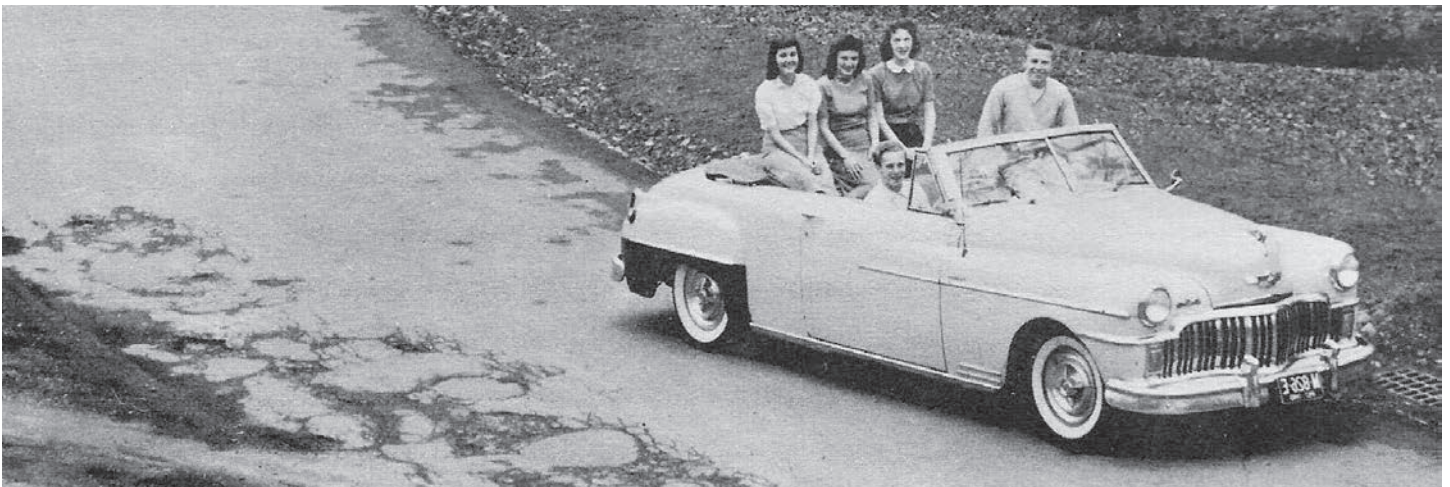
One For The Money, Two For The Show, Three To Get Ready, And Four To....

By Tom Beck '54

An early afternoon, just after lunch time, sitting in a first floor class room along Sixth Street. The temperature was about 80 degrees with the sun blazing into the room. Those big windows tilted open to make us think we were getting cooled off. The teacher talking out of a book, our eyes kind of glazed over, like a patient slowly slipping away.

THEN - SUDDENLY - The roar of an engine and the screeching of tires as one of the hot-rodders rockets off from the light at Sixth Street and Harrison Avenue SW, heading towards Dueber Avenue. A low murmur of awe from the class. The driver speed shifts into second gear; another approving murmur from the class as they turn their heads to check out the driver and the car. Then he slams it into third gear, the pinnacle of perfection. But...he misses and the horrible grinding of the gears draws a shudder from the entire class.

At that time, 1954, it was just a guy missing a shift. But it was probably a better lesson than the teacher was presenting. Life is a series of shifts from one set of circumstances to the next. We want each step, each shift, to mesh together smoothly moving us forward. But sometimes we miss. I'm sure that whoever was driving didn't quit driving because of one bad shift, but was back the next day, speeding past Lincoln, this time making the shift. Life calls us to keep giving our best. Keep trying. Don't ever give up.



**The Third Annual
CLASS OF '57 ALL CITY NIGHT REUNION
OPEN INVITATION TO THE 1950 THROUGH 1959 ALL CITY CLASSES**

Saturday, October 8, 2016

LaPizzeria Restaurant, 4:30
3656 Dressler Road, Canton, OH, 44718
at the corner of Hills & Dales and Dressler Road NW

Reservations and Menu Selections in Advance Are Required

For more information, please call Jim "Ozzie" Osborn '59, 330-477-9831,
or Joe Helaney at 330-313-8206 or email at jhelaney@neo.rr.com
for reservations and menu choices.

**2016
CLHSAA**

**BUSINESS
ASSOCIATE
MEMBERS**

Blue Water Industrial Supply

Cardinal Glass & Mirror Inc.

Corbit's Flowers

Cutler Real Estate, Beth Perry Miller '74

Hub Victor

Johnnie's Bakery of Canton

J & K Printing

Mid's Pasta Sauce

Mr. Mike's Catering

Pet Care Crematory

Szalay's Farm & Market

The Printer

Tozzi's on 12th

Bruce E. Treiber, DDS

2015 HOF Community Parade

By Andrea Roman Herbst '66

**For Parade information, please call
Georgene Roman '66 330-833-5150**

**We had a great time ..
but we didn't have
our weather forecasters w/us
once again ... we just missed the rains~**

**Your CLHSAA buds did it again ... 29 strong
walked, rode or drove in the
2015 HOF Kick Off Community Parade!**

**Once again the weather held and we made it
through before the rains poured down! There
were 11 mighty lions in the band with just the right
combo of instruments to play The Fight Song.**

**Once again a BIG THANKS to the Gerhart Girls
... Linda, Janet, Carol, Norma and Diana for the
transportation!**

**We also had 4 scholarship awardees walk with us !
Thanks to all of you who came for a fun time !**

KEEPING THE SPIRIT ALIVE GO LIONS!!!

**Please join us for the 2017 HOF Community
Parade!**





Ever wish you could be in a parade? Well, here's your chance!

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 each year**, you can join other CLHSAA members by **contacting Georgene Roman at 330-833-5150 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 invited and encouraged to participate.

Call NOW-Join the parade!

Lincoln Band Members Marching and Non-Marching

Mark Lowe '75 and Ed Hostetter '68 are hoping to get the Lincoln Band together again either for the parade or for other performances. If you would like to be a part of this, please contact Mark at Kewrow@aol.com or 216-371-0337 and Ed at 330-454-9610 or edhostetter@att.net.

In order to march in the HOF Community Parade, please call NOW. Join other Lincolniters on the designated date and meet in the Nationwide parking lot at 1:30 PM with your instrument, maroon shirt, khaki shorts or pants, tennis shoes, and your LHS spirit. Go, Lions!

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

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 2017 CLHSAA grant should watch for a scholarship application form, which will be included with 2017 membership renewal forms to be mailed in January 2017.

The 2016 scholarship application forms were mailed in January along with membership renewal forms. * The deadline for 2016 applications was March 15, 2016.

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-six 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 this page.

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 _____

IN HONOR OR MEMORY OF _____

_____ CLASS YEAR _____

SEND NOTICE OF DONATION TO FAMILY YES NO

IF YES PLEASE PROVIDE FAMILY'S ADDRESS _____

TAGGART'S

**Many thanks to Ernie
Schott for giving back
to the community.**

LINCOLN ALUMNI FUNDRAISER

**Taggart's
Ice Cream Parlor**

**TUESDAY,
SEPTEMBER 13, 2016**

**A portion of the
proceeds will be given
to Lincoln Alumni.**

CLHSAA Booth at the 2015 Stark County Fair

Andrea Roman-Herbst

A HEARTY BIG THANKS to all of the CLHSAA members who manned the 2015 Lincoln Fair Booth. You are the BEST!!! THANKS for volunteering and being there ... couldn't have done it without you!

As in past years, the Fair Booth was well staffed by our volunteers in all of the various shifts. Many thanks for stopping by and browsing or buying some special memento from our glory days! Also, as in years past this is one of the biggest events that is requested in our yearly January mailing! We were able to contact new volunteers this year! Our phone callers make every attempt to contact you and honor your request, so keep on applying and we will get you in the booth with your buddy or you can make a new buddy!

Barb McKelevy took on the duties of Souvenirs from Susie Vitale and Peggy Robart this year (who kept us well stocked for ten years plus). These gals put the bins together to stock the booth ... many thanks ladies!

Also a special thanks to Jim "Ozzie" Osborn for all of his efforts to set up and take down the booth, and keeping us stocked in shirts, hats and souvenirs ... he really does have a license for that golf cart!



**CANTON LINCOLN ALUMNI
26th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
September 17, 2016**



**ALL CLASS
“COME AS YOU WERE”
PARTY**

**Come as you dressed in your high school years,
what you wore to prom,
or what you wore during your working years!**

***DJ and Photo Booth *Door Prizes for best outfits
You don't need to “dress up” ... but it would be FUN!!!**

**Where: Zion Lutheran Church: 720 Raff Rd. SW, Canton, Ohio
Time: 4pm-8pm**

**What to bring:
Last Name: A-M: covered dish
N-Z: dessert**

**Provided by CLHSAA: Chicken, drinks, H2O (no adult beverages)
table service/cups**

CLASS OF 66 – IT COULD BE A 50TH REUNION!

Short Business Meeting/Election of 2017 Officers

**PLEASE CALL DIANE ZAZULA FOR RESERVATION at 330-494-4076
or EMAIL: diazazu@aol.com**

RESERVATIONS DEADLINE SEPTEMBER 9, 2016!

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 2017.

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 the spring of 2018.

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 biennial 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 nominating form by December 31, 2017
 Mail to:
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 PO Box 20192 Canton, OH 44701

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1994

Don Nehlen '54

1996

Jan L. Boal '48
 J. Robert Coleman '51
 James W. Lessig '53
 James P. McCarthy '53
 Joseph J. Sommer '45

1998

Robert E. Boni '46
 Janet Weir Creighton '68
 John D. Dickerson '60
 Phyllis J. Elsass '50
 Toby T. Zettler '55

2000

Louie E. Mattachione '57
 Thomas J. Seaman '48
 Christ Vagotis '63
 F. Stuart Wilkins '45

2002

William Albers '51
 John P. Dougherty '51
 Gary A. Regula '68
 George Saimes '59

2004

Arnold B. Cheyney '44
 James H. McVay '51
 Doug Miller '70
 Richard D. Miller '44
 George Wiant '50

2006

Ronald W. Dougherty '50
 Jon T. Elsass '70
 Eugene R. Mancini '45
 Alfred A. Olivieri '48
 Dennis Reed '60

2008

Steve Amerson '72
 Shelly Bamberger Bailey '71
 John W. Parrish, Jr. '59
 Thomas A. Shoup '65
 Nan DeMuesy - LTA

2010

Toni Bodway Trueblood '72
 Trina Cutter '75
 Michael DeComo '53
 James Griffin '61
 Susie Swihart Vitale '66
 Ken Newlon - LTA

2012

Donald E. Bonevich '46
 Robert C. Price '70
 David L. Sponseller '49
 Walter G. VanBenthuyzen '57
 Ruth Foreman Winters '51
 Ardean Huston DiMarzio '46
 - LTA

2014

Jack Brandenburg '69
 Rick Homrighausen '66
 Peggy Cushing Miller '44
 Betty Ann Sabo '69
 Rev. William J. Yoder '59
 Jim "Ozzie" Osborn '59 - LTA

2016

Alanna S. Welling-Arnold '69
 Dr. Glenn A. Himebaugh '54
 Billy Johnson '67
 Rev. James Nolte '70
 Gloria Kirkbride Rumberger
 '61 - LTA



GREAT MOMENTS IN LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS HISTORY

Between the years that Lincoln High School was open, 1943-1976, there were countless great moments in sports.

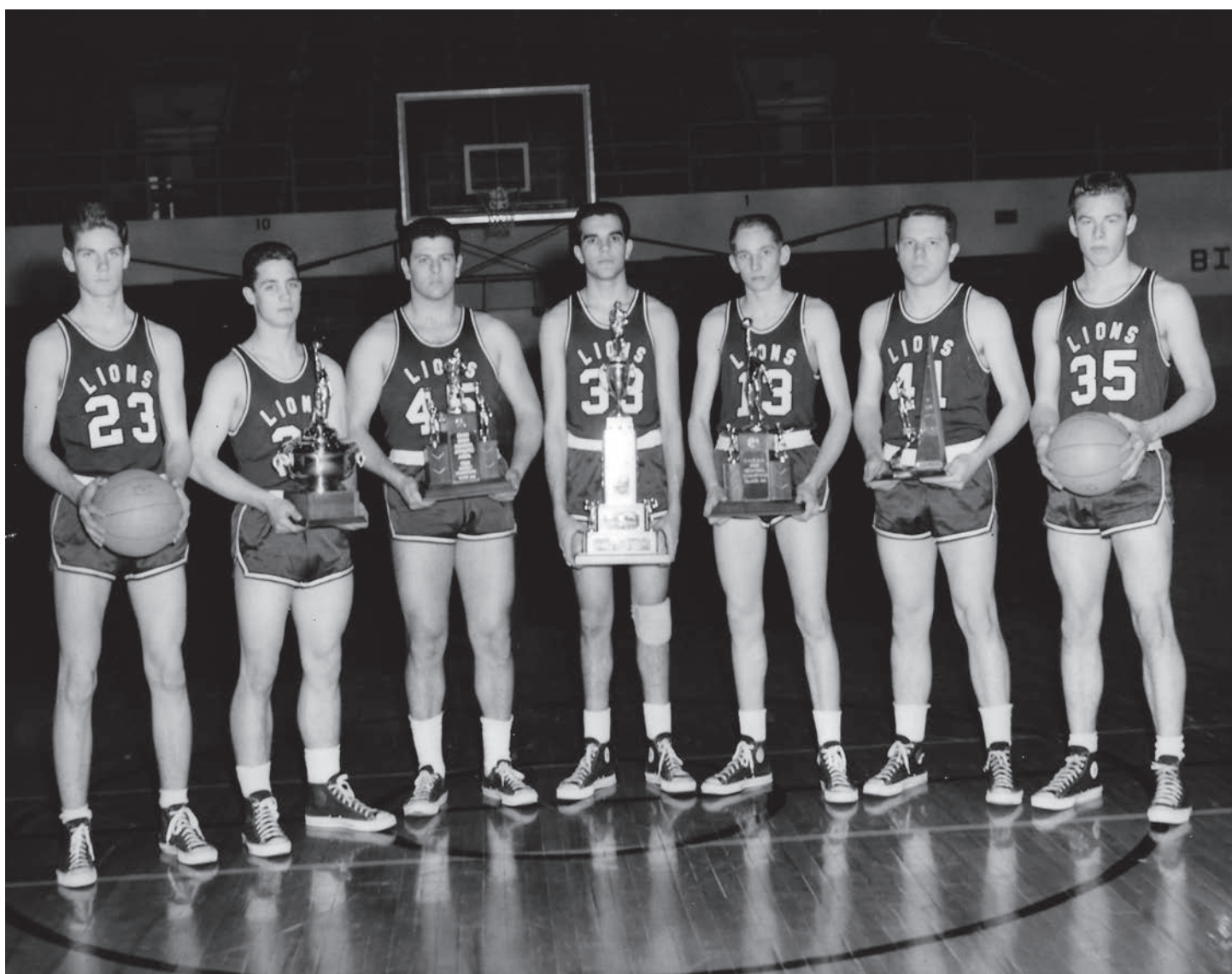
Over the next several issues, we'll relive some of them.

Please send your memories to: CLHSAA GREAT SPORTS, PO Box 20192, Canton, Ohio 44701

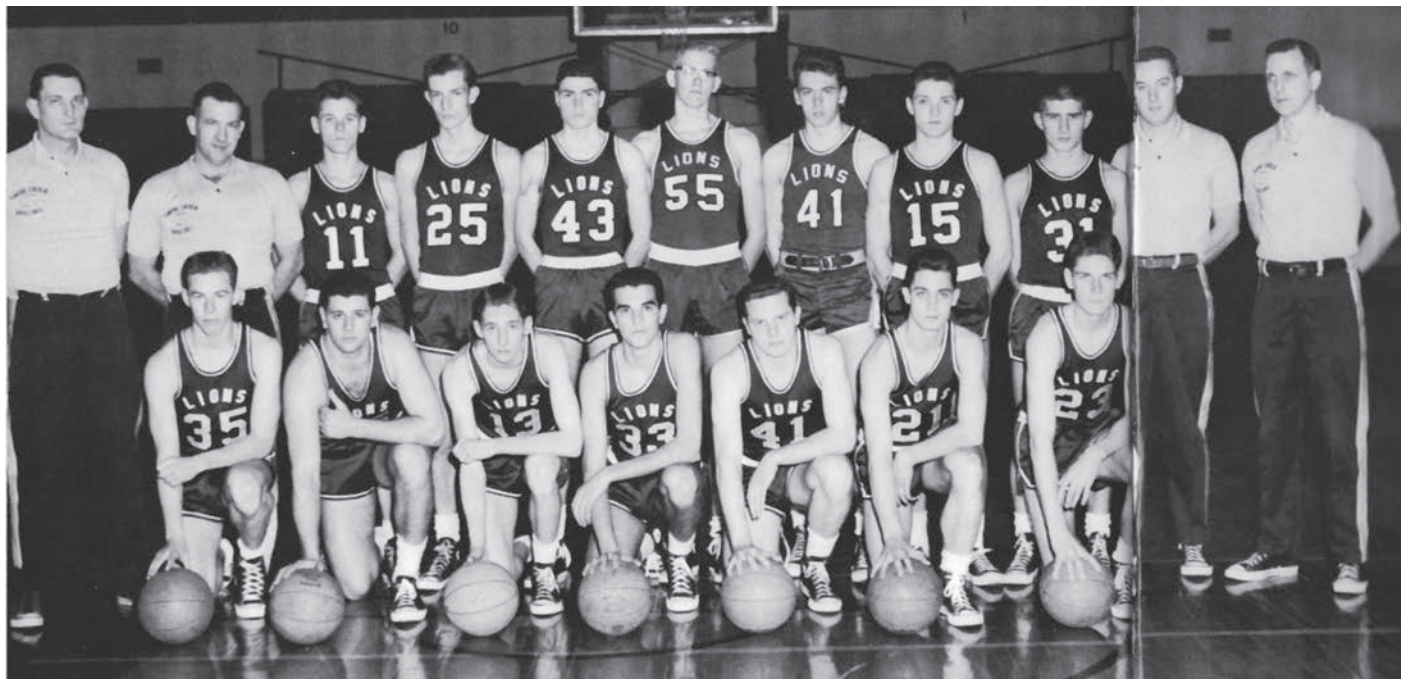
Or email to: ohohsusie@aol.com with the subject line: Lincoln Sports History.

“ON TO COLUMBUS!!”

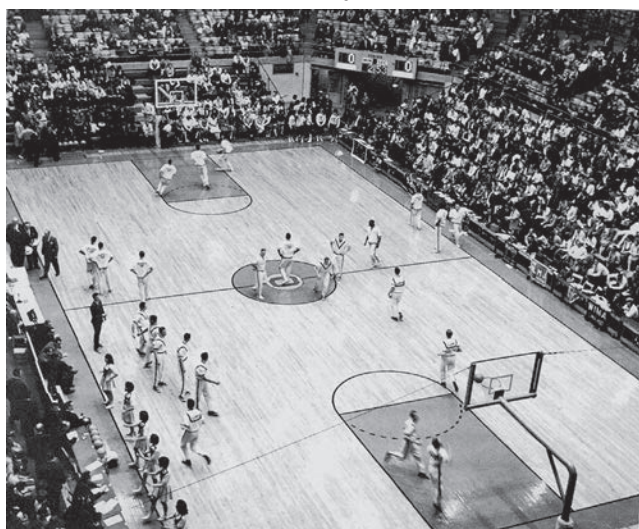
Starting in 1962, the familiar phrase “On to Columbus!” became a regular chant every year during basketball season, after our Lincoln Lions, coached by Ken Newlon, actually achieved that goal for the very first time. We never got over it!



Lincoln's top seven players proudly display the five trophies captured during the 1961-62 basketball season. They are: Rick Miller, Ross Broom, John Andreadis, Paul Panagopoulos, Bill Gribble, Dave Kosht, and Ed Brandstetter. The trophies are for the Inter-City Conference, City Championship, and the Sectional, District and Regional Tournaments. Go Lions!!



First row: Ed Brandstetter, John Andreadis, Bill Gribble, Paul Panogopoulos, Dave Kosht, Ross Broom, Ric Miller Second row: Coach Warre Fox, Coach Oliver Davis, Mike Hill, Denny Westoefer, Gale Urda, Dan Yoder, Don Sanders, Ray Walsh, Ron Smith, Coach Wade Lessig, Head Coach Ken Newlon.



St. John's Arena in Columbus



Nine busloads of students and faculty traveled to Columbus; hundreds more drove.

A crowd of 2,000 met the team at a welcome home, "Love Those Lions" themed rally at The Fieldhouse.

Lincoln Lions had six boys on the All City Teams: John Andreadis, Dave Kosht, Bill Gribble, first team; Ross Broom, second team; Paul Panagopolous and Ed Brandstetter received honorable mention.

Three boys made All County honors: Bill Gribble and Dave Kosht were on the first team; John Andreadis, second team.



Cheerleaders Sandi May, Barb Billings, Linda Lyke, Glenda Shaffer, head cheerleader; Carole Robb, Vannie Miller

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THOSE WERE THE DAYS.....



L to R: Jane Heckaman '66
& Rick Smaltz

Center: Tom Hedrick '66
& Anjanette Manard '66

Right: Peggy Robart '66



Left: Susie Swihart '66

Right: Larry Kackley & Judy Workman '66

Below: Jim Osborn '59 and Pat Moser '60

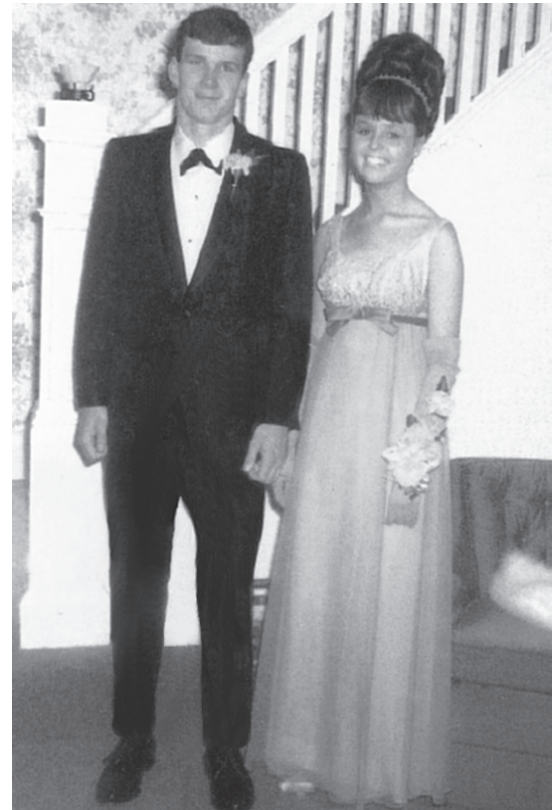




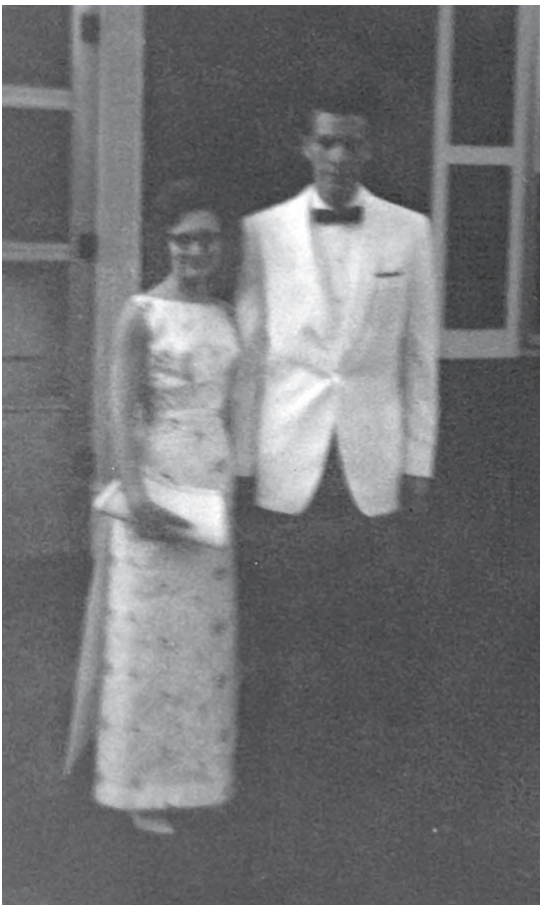
Tom May '66 & Jane King '66



Ann Myer '62



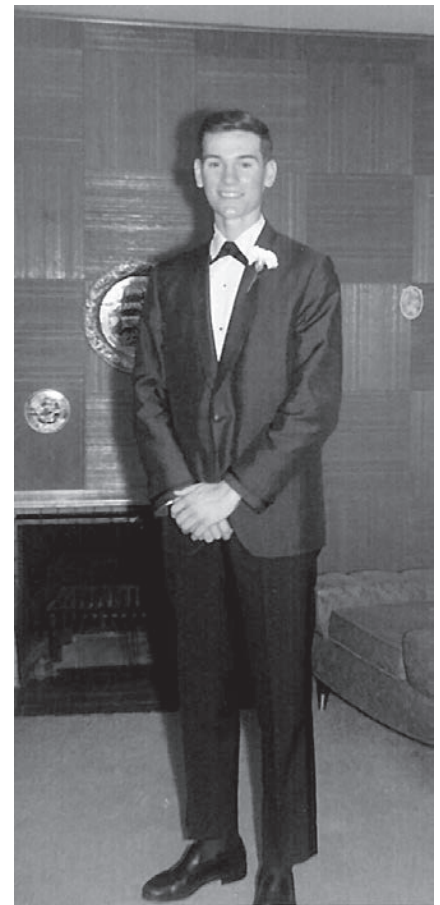
Al Crissey '66 & Linda Gowdy '66



Left: Sharon Roshong '66
and Dave Schemansky '66



Above: Cindy King '75



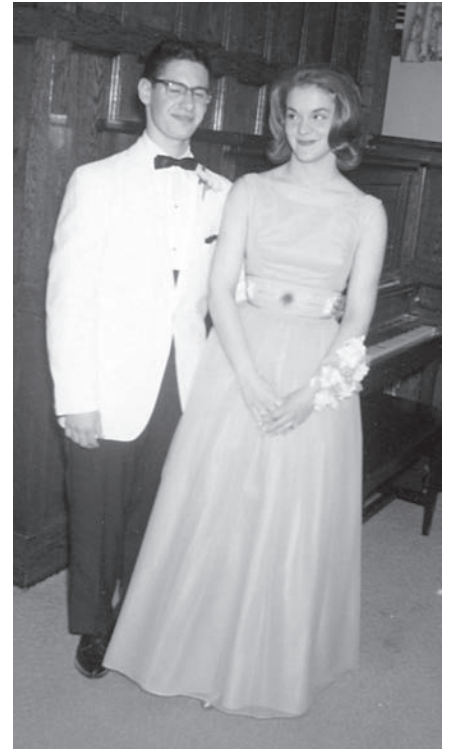
Right: Jimmy George '65



Judy Workman '60 & Larry Kackley



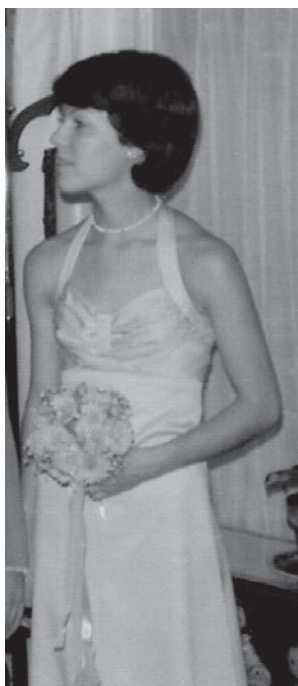
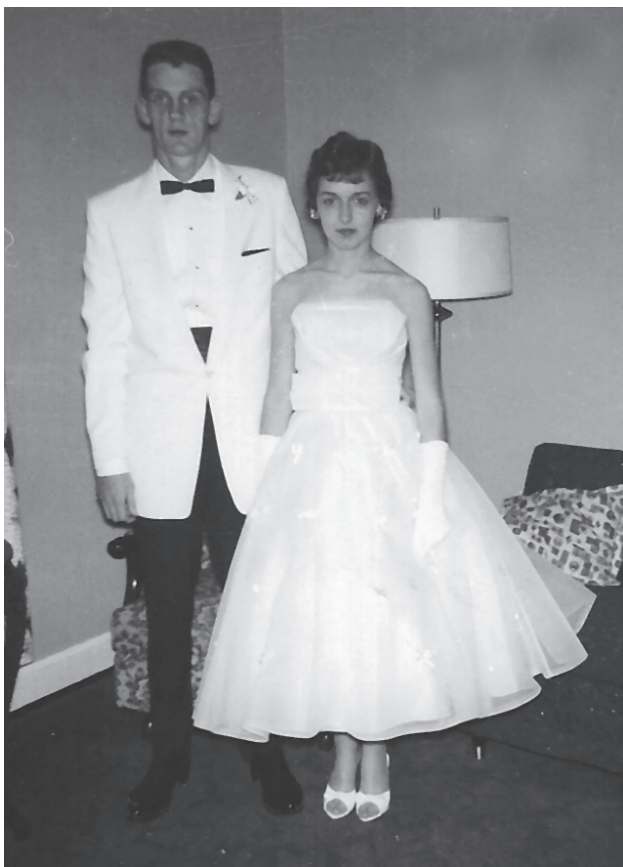
Barbara Wylie '59



Tom May '66 & Jane King '66

Left to Right: Jim Thompson '66, Nancy Young '66, Anjanette Manard '66 & Tom Hedrick '66
Below: Jim Thompson '66 and Nancy Young '66





Left: Jim Osborn '59 & Pat Moser '60
Center: Cindy King '75
Right: Dave Schemansky '66

Prom Night?

By Tom Beck 54'

High School Proms were always an exciting time of preparation and anticipation of what was to come. For the girl it was a quest to find that one of a kind prom dress with matching high heeled shoes, a special hairdo, painted nails and some sparkling jewelry. Some make up, but not extreme (this was the 50's) and a perfume that the boy could remember forever. For the boy it was a haircut (this was the 50's, no need to shave) a nice suit with a mostly conservative shirt and tie. Freshly shined shoes (white bucks?). A corsage for that special girl, reservations to a nice restaurant and a shiny car.



All of this preparation took place for Lois Stefancich Beck '57 and me. Her prom dress was one of a kind because her mother made it. Her corsage was special because my mother made it (Beck's Flowers). It was a beautiful night when I picked her up at her house. As we drove to the ballroom at Meyers Lake her perfume filled the car. We pulled into the parking lot and Lois looked at me and simply said, "Let's not go to the prom." We didn't!

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"Keeping the Spirit of Lincoln High Alive!"

Has your address changed?

The Echoes of Lincoln newsletter is published only ONCE A YEAR, so there are quite a few alums who are "lost" due to change of address each year. Please remember to send us your new address if/when you move. CLHSAA pays so much for return postage for those of you who forget.

YOU are responsible for keeping YOUR ADDRESS current, or YOU will be a "lost" member and will miss the next issue.

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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.

Web Page & E-Mail

Dave Schemansky '66

CLHSAA has its own web page (domain name)
<http://www.cantonlincolnhighschool.org>

Check it out periodically!

Register your e-mail address 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 e-mail 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.

Christmas Shoppe 2016

Souvenir items will be available for purchase, either as a gift or for yourself, on Saturday, December 6th & Saturday, December 13th, 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 our souvenir page.

GOT NEWS?

Articles and/or news from you about any subject you feel would interest our readers is always welcome.

DO NOT WAIT to be asked! Send items NOW

for the next Echoes of Lincoln issue. Send to the Echoes Editor, CLHSAA, PO Box 20192, Canton, OH 44701. Thank you for contributing to our Echoes of Lincoln newsletter that keeps us all in touch!

Questions, concerns, suggestions-

Please call CLHSAA Volunteer Jim "Ozzie" Osborn

330-477-9831

Attention, Business Owners!

In January, when the form arrives in the mail asking for your help, don't delay! Please fill it out and return it immediately so that your sponsorship will appear in the 2017 Echoes.

What a special way to help CLHSAA!

Thank you, CLHSAA Echoes Staff

27th Annual Reverse Raffle

Cindy King Fickes Class of '75 - Chairperson

Our yearly Reverse Raffle event was held at Tozzi's on 12th on February 18, 2016. We had one hundred Alumni Members, Family, and Friends in attendance. Once again, a delicious meal and grand time was had by all. Mike Tozzi and his crew do an amazing job.

The Final Five tickets are guaranteed to be a winner! This year's final five prize money winners were: Pam Syers, Patricia France, Tom Brokaw, Kelly Osborn, and Ron Richards. Our Auction ticket brought in an additional \$65.00 and the 50/50 drawing netted the Alumni Association \$213.00.

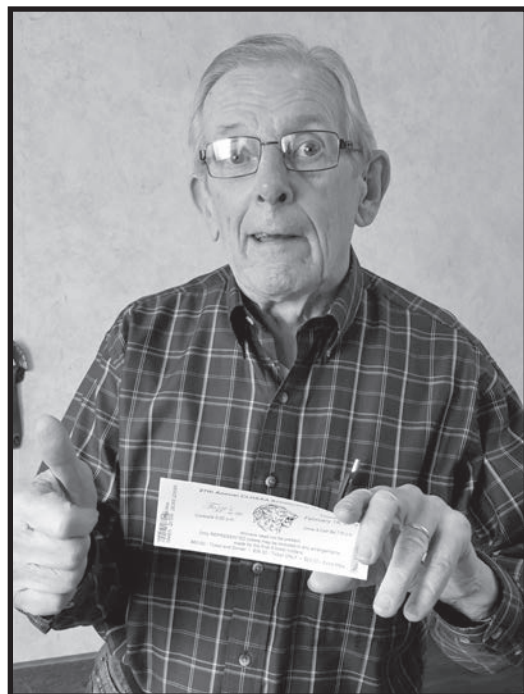
Congratulations to all our Lucky Winners! Remember ALL profit for this huge event benefit our Scholarship Fund! Thanks to our loyal and generous alumni members and friends.

The Revers Raffle committee members are: Jim 'Ozzie" Osborn-Co Chair, Andrea Herbst, Georgene Roman, Elaine Campbell, Jim McVay, Peggy Robart, Susie Vitale, Dave Schemansky, and Jerry Snyder.

The 2017 Reverse Raffle Dinner will be held on Thursday, February 16th. Ticker information will be included with the January renewal membership drive. Mark your calendars and make plans to attend this fun event and help support the students who benefit from our scholarship program.



President Georgene Roman '66, Past President, Andrea Herbst Roman '66, Susie Swihart Vitale '66, Peggy Robart '66



...and the winner is...
Tom Brokaw!!

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"Go Lions!"

HERITAGE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL AUDITORIUM SEAT PROJECT

One of the most used and visible rooms at Heritage is the auditorium, which is used for plays, programs, chapel services, concerts and meetings. **Lincoln Alumni has held many concerts and programs in the auditorium.** There are 578 seats in the lower level, many of which are torn, mismatched and without adequate padding. Instead of replacing the seats, Heritage can reupholster, add padding and paint them for an estimated cost of \$52,000. Please contact Heritage at 330 452-8271 for a form and more information. Payment may be made by check or credit card. Heritage is a 501c3 charitable institution.

Right/Left Sections Sponsorship

- \$200 Single Seat with name plate attached
- \$1,250 Entire row with name plate at the end of each row
- \$15,000 Entire Section with plaque on the auditorium wall

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- \$20,000 Entire Section with plaque on the auditorium wall

Lincoln Heritage Still Making Building Renovations!

We appreciate it so much that we can hold Lincoln Alumni concerts, dances and class reunion events at our beautiful old school building. All Lincoln Alumni are invited and encouraged to sign in at the office and take a self-guided tour of the building!

Please consider donating directly to Heritage to keep our building updated, well maintained, beautiful and even expanded to make it capable of impacting the community!



“In all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us.”
- Romans 8:37

**Heritage Christian School
2107 6th Street SW
Canton, Ohio 44706**

Heritagechristianschool.org
Phone: 330 452-8271

Fax: 330 452-0672

I would like to support Heritage Christian School building renovations.

Name _____

Address _____

Email: _____

I am enclosing a tax deductible donation in the amount of \$ _____

Please add me to the Heritage Christian School mailing list.

Please send my receipt to the above address.

Please make checks payable to Heritage Christian School , a 501c3 charitable institution.

CLASS OF 1944 CELEBRATES 70th REUNION

The Class of 1944 celebrated its 70th reunion on Jun 11, 2014 at the Executive Event Center. Twenty-three guests, which included fourteen from the Class of '44, and two from the Class of '43 and spouses, enjoyed the "special luncheon." Tables were decorated with white flowers enhanced with our maroon and gold school colors and favor scrolls listing memories lasting 70 years of Lincoln High School days. Lorna Rinehart Kraft gave the invocation and Harold Hall remembered our 125 deceased members. Guest speaker Linda Kossler reviewed the times of 1944 and presented a delightful story about memories. The event was planned by Betty Gray Tremelling, Chr., Bob and Sally Miller and Bobbie Perdue Taylor.



Seated: L-R Doris Coates, Joe Garber, Jo Yannonne Rossetti, Bobbie Perdue Taylor, Bob Ward.

Standing: L-R Sally Miller, Bob Miller, Paul Krumlauf, Charlotte Jenkins VanVranken, Vivian Swindell Garver, Betty Gray Tremelling, Cathy Nobel Pappas, Lowell Wheeland, Lorna Rinehart Kraft, Alyce Ann Hall, Harold Hall.



Attending from the Class of 1943 were Ruthanne Austin Robey, Ann and Pete Schleining.

Walking from home on 8th Street NW to City Field on 6th Street SW for an early hour of marching band practice and then walking to LHS for a full day of school. A nice friend with the hairdo of a mass of meticulous curls and a flower, and not understanding how it was done so perfectly... EVERY DAY.

Girls' basketball games when players were not allowed to cross the center line of the court and guards were not permitted to shoot baskets. What fun it was when Miss Waltenbaugh allowed full court play some evenings after practice.

Memories Lasting 70 Years

The Grand old building which still stands as Heritage Christian School. At the senior outing at Lake 'O Springs on 6/6/44 word was received that D-Day, the allied invasion of Normandy, had begun.

The lasting friendships which were formed, some remaining today from a distance. Many dedicated teachers, some became role models -Miss Gatchel and Miss Lenz were two mentioned. Each student had his/her favorite. Noon movies, one entire movies shown in a week - cost 2 cents a day.

The day some members of the football team came to school in skirts to "make fun" of the girls starting to wear slacks. Principal Mr. Meyer sent them home, I bet with a smile inside. The amusing time when Miss Gruber hummed the Alma Mater as she stood over a student at his desk helping him remember the words he was to write.

Being in the May Fiestas directed by the greatly admired Miss Cogan. The honor it was to have been selected for Alexis League, a group of 25 girls with high grades and

many varied extra activities, They mentored incoming freshman girls, ushered at school events, etc. The Lincoln Rockettes, the 8 attractive girls performing dance routines similar to New York Rockettes. LHS was the only high school in Canton with this kind of group. Friendship Club (YMCA for girls) and Hi-Y (YMCA for boys). A popular hangout - Marlowe's Restaurant across the street where students went for lunch, etc. Mr. Marlowe's continued to be an ardent supporter of LHS throughout his life.

CLASS OF 1954 MEETS IN FLORIDA FOR REUNION

February 17, 2016 twenty graduates and guests from the Lincoln High School Class of 1954 met at Connor's Steak House in South Fort Myers, Florida, for food, fun and reminiscing!

Candi Barr, who organized this fun get-together- is the widow of Bob Barr '54 and Shirlee Cass Wiggington '54 putting on their best faces. Cudos to Candi for all her work and effort!



Three of our "Football Stars" from Lincoln's Class of 1954 - still looking as if they could play today!! L-R Don Nehlen, Quarterback, Yie Deorio, Running Back, and Fred Schmidt, Running Back.

CLASS 1975 OF HOLDS 40th REUNION

By Gary Thorley – Class President '75

The Lincoln High School Class of 1975 held it's 40th year class reunion on October 3rd 2015 at the Arrowhead Country Club in North Canton. Approximately 75 people attended the reunion. A good time was had by all. Arrowhead provided an excellent venue for the reunion and a very nice buffet for our dinner meal. Among the evenings activities was a silent auction for many gift baskets and restaurant gift cards. The auction raised over \$1,400 to be used for the planning of our next reunion. We had an excellent planning committee of LHS 1975 classmates consisting of Trina Cutter, Pete Jacobsen, Melanie Johnson Archibald, Cindy King Fickes, Jeanne Lee Jordan, Tim Leonakis, Scott Longnecker, Nancy Rose Miller, Evie Talbert, Tina Zehnder Booth, Shelly Zinn Croston, Donna Finnegan Thorley and Gary Thorley.



THE CLASSES OF 1965 & 66 CELEBRATE THEIR GOLDEN REUNION

The Classes of 1965 and 1966 celebrated their Golden Anniversary Class Reunion with socializing Friday, September 18, 2015 at the Lincoln High School Building and The Onesto Hotel; a dinner dance Saturday, September 19, 2015 at The McKinley Grand Hotel and brunch Sunday, September 20, 2015 at A-1 Catering. A fantastic time was had by all!



Bill Rohrer '66
and Darlene Kidd Leghart '66



Clyde Gantz '65
and guest



Kathy Gamble Shaffer '66
and Tom May '66



Bob Clemens '66
and wife Sue

PLEASE CALL US!!

Class Reunion Committees

Reunion committees may use the Alumni Assoc. office for meetings, if available. Contact a board member with the date and time 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 the Lincoln Alumni Board meetings are held on the first Monday evening of the month.

AS SOON AS YOUR PLANS ARE KNOWN, PLEASE contact The Alumni Association and the ECHO Editor. 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 happy to bring a variety of items 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 short paragraph about your 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. **Mail to CLHSAA address or email to: ohohsusie@aol.com, subject line: Lincoln Alumni**

CLASS REUNIONS

Class of 1946 – 70th Reunion

Saturday, August 27, 2016
La Pizzeria
Sunday, August 28, 2016
11:00 Brunch, Holiday Inn
Please call Paul Blohm at:
330-499-3047 for more information.

Class of 1950

September 10, 2016, 12:00 Noon
Tim's Tavern
Please call Gary Kroah 300-832-2558

Class of 1951 – 65th Reunion

“Diamond Anniversary”
Saturday September 17, 2016, 12:00 noon
Papa Bears on Dressler Rd NW
For information, or reservations, call either:
Sally Buffo @ 330-492-4918 or
Jim McVay @ 330-492-4776.

Class of 1952

Wednesday Sept. 21, 2016 at 12:00 Noon
Papa Bear's on Dressler Rd NW
Questions: Mary Lou (Postlethwait) Luther
Phone: 330-452-2522

Class of 1956 - 60th Reunion

August 19, 2016
6:30 PM - 10:00 PM
First Christian Church
Cleveland Ave NW
For more information please call: Dave Fowler
dfowler0206@sbcglobal.net
330-477-5053 / 330-224-4653

Class of 1961 – 55th Reunion

July 2016

Class of 1966 – 50th Reunion

“Golden Anniversary”
Let's Celebrate our 50th year!
Sat. Aug 27th, 2016, 6:00 PM
Save the Date! * Casual Dress
The Canton Woman's Club
822 Market Ave N, Canton
We need your e-mail address
to send more info.
cantonlincolnHS1966@yahoo.com
No e-mail? Call JoAnn Brewster:
day 330-453-0183

Classes of 1971 - 45th Reunion

No information available.

Classes of 1976 - 40th Reunion

No information available

“ In-Between Reunions”

Class of 1944 – Luncheon
2nd Wed. of the month, except July & Aug.
Different locations, so please call –
Bob Miller 330-644-5628 or
Betty Gray Tremelling 330-492-2684

Class of 1947 – Monthly
Class of 1948 welcome!
Second Thursday, 1:00 PM at Katana
Call: Juanita Ellis Bathol 330-494-3779

Class of 1952
Wednesday Sept. 21, 2016 at 12:00 Noon
Papa Bear's on Dressler Rd NW
Questions: Mary Lou (Postlethwait) Luther
Phone: 330-452-2522

Class of 1955
Ladies' Luncheon 3x a year
Next Luncheon Nov. 10, 2016
Buehler's Restaurant, Nobles Pond
Please call Sally Moore Klass 330-809-0262

Class of 1962 Ladies - Monthly
John's Bar & Grill on Cleveland Avenue
2nd Tuesday of every month at 9:00 AM.
Please just show up! Husbands welcomed.

Class of 1967 – Monthly Dinner
Second Tuesday of the month
Please call Lynn Kennedy 330-478-0805

Welcome Back!!

Had it really been 50 years since I last saw my Lincoln High School friend from art class, Bessie Dendrinis? I was so surprised to get her email last fall telling me that she was traveling to Ohio and would like to get together. What a great time we had and how fantastic our very accomplished Bessie looks!! I felt as if no time had passed as Bessie and her friends and I laughed and exchanged stories. Some I can't print here! Her friends made me feel as if I had known them all of my life. I will always treasure our visit. Thank you so much, Bessie!
Susie Swihart Vitale '66

BESSIE DENDRINOS '66



Hello to my Lincoln High School friends! I moved to the USA from Athens, Greece in 1961, when I was 11 years old. I spoke only Greek when I came to Canton Ohio, and a little bit of French. There were no support classes at Clarendon Elementary School, where I was enrolled soon after my arrival, for students who were speakers of other languages and who did not speak English. However, I managed to pick it up from my teachers and classmates, a wonderful girl that became my good friend, Helen Laggeris, as well as to teach myself through comic books and TV, with a Greek-English dictionary in hand. In 1962, I was already speaking English at almost native speaker level, and started attending Lincoln High School, from where I graduated in 1966.

I have fond memories of my years at Lincoln, some of which were associated with the Art Club, on which I served as president, with Susie Swihart Vitale '66 as vice president. It was such an immense pleasure to see her when I visited Canton last December, after 50 years.

It was she who asked me to write for The Echo and to include a photo of me going to the senior prom. I promised I would, and here we are: Mike and I, on our way to a dance I do not remember anything about... I'm surprised I located the worn photo, taken with a polaroid camera. I had to take to a shop that restored it for me. I do remember the boy next to me, a Lincoln lad too, two years older than me, and already in college at the time. He was a sweet, gentle and intelligent boy, whose last name escapes me...



There are other memories from my time at Lincoln, which are much more important and valuable to me. Memories of working for the school paper, memories of winning city and state debate and drama trophies, memories of a great coach who was also my English lit teacher. Bobbie Finley, with whom I came to love Joan Baez—a young woman who introduced me to James Joyce's amazing "Ulysses," to Eugene O'Neill's classic plays (my favorites being "Mourning Becomes Electra" and "Long Day's Journey into Night") and to the lyrical poetry of Edna St Vincent Millay. Memories of Ms Montgomery who had 'seduced' me into literature before Ms Finley, by asking me to draw portraits of Emily Dickinson, as I imagined her.

I came back to Athens when I graduated from high school, and loved the way of life so much better in Europe that I decided to stay, though my parents and brother remained in the States. I started out my studies in the Fine Arts School here in Athens, but ended up studying English Literature and Linguistics. I returned to the USA for graduate studies in California, where I completed my PhD in Educational Linguistics. In 1976, I started working as a teaching assistant at the University of Athens, where I later became Head of Department and Chair of the Faculty, created a research center for language teaching and testing, that I am still now directing (<http://rcel.enl.uoa.gr/dendrinis/index-en.htm>). However, this past year I retired from my position as full professor in the Faculty of English Studies after 40 years of research and teaching. I am now professor emerita.



Yet, I'm still professionally active at an international, and European level. Always concerned with languages. My book, *The Hegemony of English* (Paradigm Publishers, 2003) won the American Critics Award and has been translated from English into several languages. I am also the Chair on the Board of the national foreign languages exam system in Greece, and president of the European Civil Society Platform for Multilingualism.

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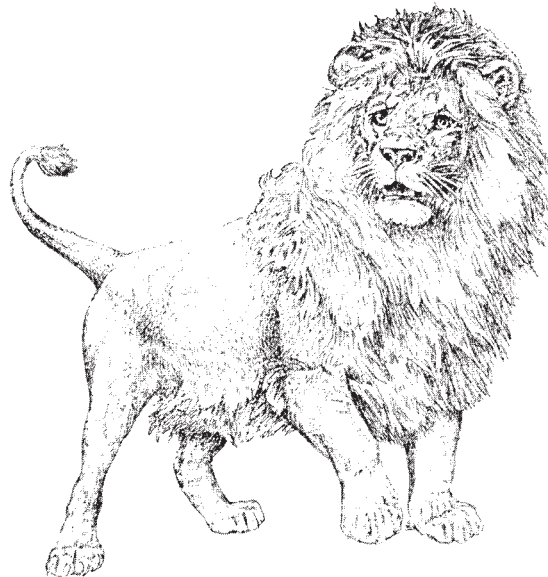
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