

Hampton Academy & Winnacunnet High School Alumni Association Annual Newsletter May 2021

The Hampton Academy and Winnacunnet High School Alumni Association cordially invites you to attend the Annual Gathering of members:

Saturday June 26, 2021

Grill 28, Pease Golf Club, 200 Grafton Road, Portsmouth, NH 03801

11:00 doors open with cash bar & appetizers, 12 noon buffet luncheon served \$25 per person with reservation made before June 4th

\$35 per person after June 4th, and at the door

RSVP with enclosed reservation slip and check made out to HA & WHS Alumni Association or you can pay online using PayPal or credit card at www.winnacunnetalumni.org. Make sure to include your name, class year, and contact information. Email us at info@winnacunnetalumni.org with any questions. Mail us at: HA/WHS Alumni Association, PO Box 81, North Hampton, NH 03862

Announcing Guest Speaker Jay Daly, WHS Class of 1975



For almost 40 years, Jay's soaring trumpet has been a mainstay of Boston's diverse music venues. From Symphony Hall to the Colonial Theater, from the Boston Opera House to Tanglewood, he has endeared himself to audiences and fellow musicians alike as "one of the most versatile trumpet players in the Boston area," in the words of the Boston Globe. Jay's talents have been sought by touring star performers including Frank Sinatra, Mel Torme, Tony Bennett, Johnny Mathis, Natalie Cole, Linda Rondstadt, the Moody Blues, and many others. Growing up in Hampton, NH Jay's 1st professional gig was with the Stan Bednarz Orchestra, the popular swing band which performed summers at the Hampton Beach Sea Shell stage. He then joined the Ted Herbert Orchestra, a regional dance band traveling all over New England. Since then, he has played with almost every Boston based swing band including the orchestras of Herb Pomerov, Bob Bachelor, Kenny Hadley, Dick Johnson's Swing Shift, the White Heat Swing Orchestra and the Winiker Swing Orchestra, in addition to the nationally known "ghost bands" of Artie Shaw, (15 years), Harry James, (4 years), and Glenn Miller, (one night). He has been performing his "Tribute to Five Decades of Popular Trumpet Solos" for many years with different groups across NE. Jay's most recent project "From Stardust to Penny Lane; A Celebration of the Popular trumpet" has been met with critical acclaim as thousands of audience members have enjoy the beloved famous trumpet solos of the 20th century. Jay has been the lead trumpet player for the North Shore Music Theatre in Beverly, MA for the last 28 years, one of the finest regional theaters in the country. Jay also leads his own group, the New England Brass which began in 1980 following his graduation from UNH.

President's Corner

Life moves on and so must we. Your Alumni Association has made it through some trying times. We have increased our virtual awareness through Zoom calls, Messenger, Facebook, website, you name it, we have been busy. During this past year, your alumni association has been in contact with the high school to offer help when needed in virtual career fairs, worked on committees to assess where graduates go after a pandemic year, supported students with resources for post graduate information/ connections, managed a few fundraisers, and helped with startup for reunion planning. Winnacunnet has hired Leslie Dolleman back as a Director of Alumni Relations to help with supporting students in their post secondary endeavors. We have been in communication with her to tie these students in with the Alumni Association and all that we have to offer. We thank her for her work and being connected with us! We thank all of you for still being with us, in whatever medium you choose. Our duty is to continue these everlasting relationships, with school, classmates, and friends over the years. As your outgoing President, I personally thank you for your support of the Alumni Association. Even though it was the worst of times during a pandemic, we have made it the best of times, and look forward to reconnecting with you in person soon.

Health and happiness to all,

Lori Cotter, President

Hampton Academy & Winnacunnet High School Alumni Association 2020-2021: President: Lori Cotter '76, Vice-President: Terri Thomson '72, Secretary: Sue Brooks '81, Treasurer: Ellen Lavin '70 Trustees: Bruce Aquizap '51, Andrea Condon '61, Lydia Estey '64, Pat Bushway '74, Kevin Cushing '74, Linda Libbey '81, Tracy Williams '81, Heather Hyvari '89; Trustee Emeritus: Fred Rice '56

Thank you for your Support!

The Trustees would like to thank all our alumni who have supported the Alumni Association in the past year by making made monetary donations to the Association between May 2020 and March 2021. These generous contributions allow us to continue the scholarship program and other activities to support alumni. Class of 1945: Lorraine (Parr) Busch (in memory of the Parr family); Class of 1947: Forrest Brown; Class of 1948: Alfred Casassa; Class of 1949: Patricia (Hoyt) Thoen (in memory of class of 1949); Class of 1950: Carolyn (Goss) Brooks, Neil Harvey, Barbara (Cunningham) Paterson (all 3 in memory of Jane Worden Harvey '54) Class of 1951: Alfred Carlson, Patricia (Rice) Grandmaison (In memory of Elaine (Rice) DeCicco Wenstrom '55), Norm Lavigne (In memory of Dahlia), Lois (Shaw) Roberts: Class of 1952: Patricia (Walker) Hollarn, Anna (Seavey) Pike (In memory if Jane Worden Harvey '54), Geraldine (Maher) Thomas; Class of 1954: Pamela (Agambar)Tolman (In memory of brother Nigel D. Roberts '66); Class of 1955: Sandra Blake, Lloyd Graves (In memory of Florence Whenal Graves and Malcolm Graves '54), Pauline (Brown) Waters (In memory of Richard Waters '54), Mary (Oliver) White; Class of 1956: Kendall Chevalier (In memory of Chevalier's and Mr. Ted Davis); Class of 1957: Cynthia (Marston) Brown (In memory of David Herbert Marston '63), David Lund, Alexander MacPherson; Class of 1958: Grant Hird, Nancy (Clark) Osgood (In memory of Donald Osgood); Class of 1959: Edward Mills (In memory of Karl Gilbert '59); Class of 1960: Tim Brooks, Paul Chevalier, Douglas Stoddard; Class of 1961: Wendell Kuntz, George Marshall, Carolyn (Brown) Wieman (In memory of Ted Davis); Class of 1962: Pamela (Webb) Hanson, Diane Shaw; Class of 1963: Royce & Carol MacDonald, Peter Meneghin (In memory of teachers Grace Ridlon & Charles Lane); Class of 1967: Mary Ann Ross; Class of 1968: Michele Demarest (In memory of John M. Demarest '70); Class of 1972: Debra Chase, Mark Perkins, Teresa Thomson; Class of 1974: David Hamilton (In memory of teacher & coach Nelson Paquette), Debra (Manix) Nelson, Gail (Humphrey)Paul: Class of 1976: Lori (White) Cotter, Janet (Walker) Marshall, Richard Nelson, Bill Smith, Patricia (Douglas) Young; Class of 1980: David Almeda; Class of 1981: Sue Brooks, Meredith (Cass) Callanan, Sara Eames, Linda (Cusack) Libbey, Tracy (Emerton) Williams; Class of 1982: Cathy Barton. Special thanks to the family of Jane (Worden) Harvey '54 who directed memorial donations to the Alumni Association, this raised \$2,000 for the scholarship program!

2020 Alumni Scholarship Recipients





The Alumni Association awarded 2 scholarships in June 2020 to Winnacunnet seniors who are children of Winnacunnet Alumni. Each scholarship is for \$1,000 and is renewable for 3 additional years, making the value of each award \$4,000. 2020 was the 58th year the Alumni Association has funded scholarships to children of alumni for a total value of over \$116,000. All 2020 scholarship awards were announced via a pre-taped utube video.

Campbell Rose Parish is from Hampton Falls and is the daughter of Alumni Shelly (Brown) Parish, class of 1977. While at Winnacunnet, Campbell was involved with Student Council for all 4 years, and was Senior Class President. In her Senior year she was editor-in-chief of both the school newspaper (Winnachronicle) and the yearbook. She also belonged to Quill & Scroll, an honor society for journalists and held the office of President during her senior year. Campbell is attending Emerson College, majoring in Communications.

Whittaker Sanborn is from North Hampton, and is the son of alumni Tyler Sanborn, class of 1988. While at Winnacunnet, Tyler played both football and basketball for all 4 years. He has also been an active participant in Journeyman Basketball since 7th grade. Tyler is attending UNH; majoring in Business/Economics, with a minor in Engineering.



Due to the pandemic, 2020 graduation was delayed until June 22nd. The event was held following state requirements for social distancing. Each graduate was allowed to invite & sit with 2 family members (notice the empty bleachers). The event was taped and available on utube for viewing.

The COVID-19 Pandemic abruptly closed schools in mid-March and forced students and staff into a remote learning environment and unchartered territory. Winnacunnet held a reverse parade on May 28, 2020 at the school and a route throughout town whereby students and families were able to wave to the teachers, support staff and administration who they haven't seen since the pandemic began. Alum and guidance counselor Amy Cadish Waterhouse had this to say about the experience: "Given the fact that students and staff really haven't seen each other in any meaningful way since March 13 I think every-one is craving a way to say hello and have some form of connection; we really miss our students."



Fundraising News

Fundraising during a pandemic...has been difficult. We are not accustomed to not being able to meet and greet people at our restaurant fundraisers. We miss the human element! We also want to turn things around and help support the restaurants as much as we can, as they were so helpful to us when we needed them. The Alumni continues to support and encourage people to dine when you can, when it is safe for you. Very soon we hope to be back at our restaurant nights!

Looking for a chance to help out the Alumni Association? Looking for a little fun at the same time? Then come on over to The Brook in Seabrook, NH, May 13th through the 19th. We earn 35% off of all games and chances, going directly to help us fund WHS Alumni Scholarships on a recurring basis. We support college and technical school bound students, as well as the trades. If you have not visited The Brook, you are in for a treat. Beautifully renovated facility has everything. So, please give it a try and support your Alumni!

Shaw's Give back Program helps us to raise funds by purchasing the carry home/reusable bags. For the month of May, we will be supported by this cause as the chosen charity. We are thankful for this opportunity.

If you shop with Amazon, please use Amazon Smile and designate the Alumni Association as your charity.

Please consider helping us out with a small donation to the Alumni Association, or considering us in a legacy donation. Every little bit helps to go towards our scholarships and our Annual event. Go to our website for easy online payments, or include with your ticket to our Annual Gathering. This helps us keep our costs low!



Charity Gaming May 13-19, 2021



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The Jane Worden Harvey Memorial Scholarship

This year, we would like to dedicate our scholarships to Jane Worden Harvey, Class of 1954. Wife of Capt. Neil L. Harvey USN (RET), Class of 1950, Jane passed away on July 8th, 2020, after contracting COVID-19 at the age of 85. We will miss Jane as a strong supporter of our Alumni Association, and we thank all who have donated in her memory for this scholarship. The daughter of Robert and Betty Worden of North Hampton, N.H., she attended the local Congregational church. Loving sports from an early age, at school she played on the basketball team and became captain of the championship field hockey team

at Hampton Academy High School. She graduated from Hampton Academy in 1954 and then attended Endicott College, graduating from there in 1956. She was an accomplished skier, skater and water ski instructor at Hampton Beach. She married Naval Academy graduate, Neil Harvey, of Hampton and saw the world as a Navy wife. Independent, with a love for travel, in 1961, she followed her husband's ship from port to port around the Mediterranean in a VW Beetle. Later in Lemoore, CA, on the Naval Air Station, as the wife of a Squadron Commanding Officer, Jane was the leader of the Enlisted Wives Group and the Officer's Wives Group. One difficult task was to help women whose husbands were injured or killed while deployed on the Carrier in combat off Vietnam. She particularly enjoyed two tours of duty in Paris, France. She hosted innumerable diplomatic soirées when her husband was the Naval Attaché to the American Embassy there. A highlight was meeting and dining with Princess Grace, Prince Rainier and other luminaries in Monaco. Jane and Neil retired in Mount Pleasant, S.C. where she loved the beach, shrimping, boating and attending high school sporting events. An admirer of French Impressionist art, she was the lead designer of their unique tidal creek-front home. A prolific letter writer, brilliant cook and enthusiastic antique hunter, she was the docent head weaver at Middleton Place in Charleston. She toured Europe, Turkey, Iran, China, Tibet and visited most every state in the U.S. Jane and Neil enjoyed the mild climate of Charleston from October to May, and delightful summers in New Hampshire with childhood friends and relatives.

New: Welcome the Alumni Relations Coordinator!



Greetings to the Winnacunnet Alumni from Leslie Dolleman,

I wanted to take a few minutes to introduce myself and the Alumni Relations Coordinator position that was created June 2020. It is a grant funded position that was applied for under the CARES Act. Last Spring, SAU #21 created several committees to look at the impact of COVID19 on students. One of those committees, the SAU 21 Return to School Task Force, was tasked with "maximizing the percentage of the Class of 2020 that seamlessly enrolls in a strong post-secondary pathway". The Alumni Relations Coordinator was tasked with gathering and analyzing data from the Class of 2020 to understand the success rates of the Class of 2020 and to respond to their identified needs. I applied for the position, since I had just retired and knew many of the Class of 2020. I saw it as an opportunity to help Winnacunnet determine the impact of COVID19 on the class. Many of you know me. I have been involved with Winnacunnet since 1982 most recently as Director of Guidance. Over the years I spent many hours at game, plays,

and parent events. One of my favorite roles was working with the incoming freshman classes. I was always so pleased to see the children, then grandchildren of former students. In October a survey was emailed to the Class of 2020. The fall survey results were very encouraging. Results were from both day and evening graduates. 112 students responded, 67 did not. The majority (84%) were following their original post-secondary plans. Most of the changes that were attributed to COVID were due to the fact that classes at 2- and 4-year schools all were virtual or hybrid in the fall. A few indicated that they wanted assistance in areas such as requesting transcripts and financial aid questions. Once the data was collected and presented to the Return to School Task Force, it was suggested to do a follow-up survey be conducted. That was begun in March, and the questions ask for information about physical activity, emotional health and internet access. At this writing, there are only 35 responses! The hope is to present the results of this survey in May, with follow up interventions if needed. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at ldolleman@warriors.winnacunnet.org. If you know of a Class of 2020 graduate, ask them to do their Follow Up Survey.

The Extended Learning Opportunity Program (ELO) at Winnacunnet Needs Alumni Support

How you can help our current students, and a free way to give back to your alma mater

What is an ELO?

ELOs are learning experiences that happen outside of the traditional classroom setting. The purpose of an ELO is to provide an educational experience that is meaningful and relevant by meeting the student's individual learning style, talents, and interests. This could be via an unpaid internship in a particular career field, a career exploration done through research and informational interviews, project-based learning, independent coursework, among other things. Visit https://whselo.com/ for more information and reach out to dcouture@warriors.winnacunnet.org to join the list of alumni who would like to offer support to our students and share your experience and passion for your career.

Whether it be interior design, engineering, the medical field, human services, or the skilled trades, the ELO program needs alumni to connect with and share their experiences with our students.

Upcoming Class Reunions

If you are planning a reunion please share the details with us by emailing us at info@winnacunnetalumni.org so we can post your information on the Alumni website at Winnacunnetalumni.org and the Alumni Facebook page.

Class of 1971 - 50th Reunion

A 2-day event is being planned; October 22nd and 23rd, 2021. Details are still not finalized. For updates please check the Alumni Association website, and on Facebook at **Winnacunnet 1971 Class Reunion** Group

Class of 1976 - 45th Reunion

Planning is currently underway – check Facebook and Alumni website for updates

Class of 1981 - 40th Reunion

Planning is underway for a '40+1' reunion in late summer/early fall of 2022. Check for updates @ winnacunnetalumni.org/class of 1981 40th and on Facebook at **Winnacunnet High School Class of 1981** Group

Class of 1995 - 25th Reunion

Planning is currently underway – check Facebook and Alumni website for updates

Class of 2011 - 10th Reunion

October 16, 2021, 6-10 pm, Flag Hill Distillery & Winery, 297 North River Road Lee, NH. More info on Facebook at Winnacunnet Class of 2011 – Reunion Group



Alumni Spotlight - Jason Lajoie, Class of 1991

My name is Jason Lajoie and I currently serve as the Fire Chief for the Town of North Hampton. Born and raised in Hampton, I attended all Hampton schools and was a WHS graduate with the Class of 1991. During my Junior and Senior years, I was encouraged to attend art school by my art teachers as I had a talent and passion for painting and drawing. I was reluctant, however, to pursue a degree and career in art out of concern of future job placement and how I'd make a modest living. There was a turning point in which I developed an interest in the field of emergency medicine. I aimed for an associate degree in paramedicine and pursued applying to NHCTC in Concord. In my senior year I enrolled in an EMT program and attended two nighttime classes a week. I received my EMT certification in August 1992. Immediately following my certification, I was hired as the first full-time EMT for the Town of Rye.

Though my passion was with emergency medicine and not necessarily firefighting at that time, I decided to become certified as a firefighter, nevertheless. For seven years, I tried feverishly to get hired as a full-time firefighter in the seacoast. During that time, I worked a full-time job with the Hampton School District while I continued to work part-time as a firefighter/EMT. Most importantly, I met the most amazing girl in late 1992 and after dating for three years, we married in 1996, bought our home in Hampton and raised our family here. In June of 2000, I achieved my goal and was hired as a career firefighter for the Town of Rye. Shortly thereafter in 2002, I was hired to the North Hampton Fire Department.

My career from the beginning exposed me to a plethora of personal and professional challenges that I never would have expected. Balancing these ongoing challenges between family and work, I remained determined and steadfast, working my way through the ranks as a firefighter until 2015 when I was promoted to fire lieutenant, and in 2016 I was appointed to the rank of Deputy Fire Chief, a management role that required me overseeing the operations of the department.

In September of 2020, after 27 years in the fire service, I was appointed to the rank of Fire Chief for the Town of North Hampton. This, for me, was one achievement that I never thought possible. First, I was never one to seek promotion nor did it interest me early on. I was extremely content and competent with the "simple" work of going into burning buildings, taking care of the sick and injured, responding to calls while off-duty - it's what I loved and what I was comfortable with. The fire service is a calling, not just a job. For me, aside from being with my family, there was nothing better than working alongside like-minded firefighters. It is, as they say, the best job in the world. I did believe that and still do. The timing for this opportunity presented new and exciting prospects; to work alongside some of the most professional, talented, determined, and steadfast firefighters and paramedics I have ever known. Secondly, I work in a great community filled with wonderful residents. I saw this as a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to give back in managing the most incredible group of professionals I've known and if they had confidence in my leadership, how could I deny such prospect? It's an absolute honor to serve in this capacity alongside these members and I can only strive to give the best in me and make them and the citizens of North Hampton proud.



Alumni Spotlight – Nate Williams, Class of 2013

There are many ways that we can help our classmates and fellow Winnacunnet alumni – this is one example: In December 2020, Senior Class President Nathaniel Joseph Williams, Class of 2013, gifted his parents with an oil portrait painted by WHS Class of 2014 artist, Liz Auffant. The commissioned portrait is from a photo of Nate being sworn in as an officer to the United States Marine Corp (USMC) by RADM Robert O. Wray (Retired). Nate was a four-year participant of the WHS-JROTC and graduated WHS June 2013. He went on to the University of Mississippi, where he received a bachelor's degree in Arabic, worked at WHS as an Arabic translator and then attended the USMC Officer Candidate School (OCS). This is quite a historical photo of Nate being sworn in by RADM Wray at the WWII Memorial on March 14, 2020. The day prior the USMC had closed the Marine Corps base at Quantico to family due to COVID-19. The OCS graduation was live streamed to parents via YouTube. We are happy to see the way Alumni support each other.

Notes from some prior year Alumni Scholarship recipients



Brenna Mooney WHS '19

Hello! My name is Brenna Mooney and I am one of the recipients of the 2019 HA and WHS Alumni Association Scholarships. I am currently finishing up my Sophomore year at Plymouth State University, majoring in Elementary Education with a minor in K-8 Mathematics Education. Over the past 4 semesters, I have maintained a spot on the Pres-ident's Academic List. I love my major and the opportunities it has given me. I love learning about child development and the impact of certain teaching strategies, such as social-emotional learning. My love for what I am studying has made adjusting to college courses a lot easier. This semester, I had overloaded on courses in order to finish my minor, and the course load has been overwhelming at some points. Professors have been very understanding and flexible which has made college courses during a pandemic much more manageable. Some of my extracurricular activities while at Plymouth include being a member of the ASCD Teacher Prep Club and having two jobs. My work-study job is at the Holmes Center for School Partnerships and Educator Preparation, where I work as an office assistant and my other job is working as an afterschool staff member at Plymouth Elementary School. I love working here as it lets me get to know people within the community and is a great experience working with students. Also, while home during winter break I was able to get a job substituting as a 7th and 8th Grade Paraprofessional at Hampton Academy which I really enjoyed. It gave me great experience in the classroom, even though it was a bit strange interacting with my past teachers as co-workers. I am excited to see what the 2021-2022 school year has to offer. Hopefully, there will be plenty of opportunities to make memories with my friends, explore the area for new adventures and continue my education in a more "normal" campus atmosphere.



Tyler Aversano WHS '16

In spring 2016, I was graciously awarded the Winnacunnet Alumni Scholarship when I was a senior at Winnacunnet High School. After I graduated at Winnacunnet, I was set to go to the University of New Hampshire for mechanical engineering. I knew that tough financial times lay ahead, as I needed to pay for college on my own. To keep costs down, I commuted to school, and worked full time during all of my time at UNH. I can confidently say that I would not be able to have been able to pay for school without the Winnacunnet Alumni Scholarship.

In spring 2020, I graduated from the University of New Hampshire with a bachelor of science in mechanical engineering. I was able to maintain a 3.25 GPA. I would like to thank everyone at the WHS Alumni Association for their generosity. It definitely made a huge impact on my life, and I'd like to thank everyone involved. Thank you for your generosity.



Joseph Deshaies WHS '16

I want to take this opportunity to not only thank everyone for their generosity in awarding me this scholarship, but to also share what I was able to do during my four years at Bentley University with the help of this scholarship. My family and I (including my mother WHS '85) are beyond grateful to be given this scholarship and cannot thank everyone enough for what it allowed me to do while at school. Even though getting my degree wasn't the easiest financially, scholarships like this not only helped me achieve my dreams of graduating, but also allowed me to spend my time giving back along the way. I joined a professional business fraternity at Bentley, Alpha Kappa Psi, where I served as the Directory of Community Service during my sophomore and junior year. I led on events where we supported the Boston Marathon, organized a food drive, volunteered at the Watertown Boys and Girls Club, spent the day cleaning up a low-income housing area, and so much more. It was also during these years that I became part of the Bentley Service Learning and Civic Engagement (BSLCE) community. As a program manager here, I would volunteer weekly at the Whittemore elementary school in Waltham.

After graduating Cum Laude with a major in Computer Information Systems and minors in Finance and Spanish last May, I now work full-time as an IT Business Analyst at John Hancock in Boston. I am part of a rotational program where I am currently on the CyberSecurity, Risk, and Governance team. If it weren't for the generosity of the WHS Alumni Association and the immense financial impact this scholarship made, it would not have been possible for me to reach my goal of graduating from my dream school, working at an amazing company such as John Hancock, and giving back to others along the way. Even though my time at Bentley has come to an end, I still plan on giving back to my community and making a positive impact in the lives of others just as this scholarship has done for me. Again, I cannot thank you all enough for this scholarship and the opportunities it provided!

In memoriam

Betty J. (Brown) Blatchford '42 Irene (Allen) Rand '45 C. Raymond Paul '46 Allen G. "Bud" Palmer '48 Norma (Pevear) Eno '48 Donald W. Lord '49 Robert Frank Scruton '49 Kelvin W. Dalton '52 Barbara Ann (Schuck) Burke '53 Bruce Gordon Dow '53 Peter H. Harney '53 Betty (Clough) Walters '53 Jane (Worden) Harvey '54 Richard H. Waters '54 Elaine (Rice) DeCicco Wenstrom '55 Shirlene (Clough) Tremblay '57 Roland Taylor Barnaby '59 Patricia Ann (Batchelder) Keen '60 Edward R. "Ted" Davis '61 Irene M. (DuBois) Savory '61 Mary (Carter) Savage '62 Leslie Ellen (Whitman) Spratt '62 Martha (Richards) Dana '64

Caroline (Ballentine) Faulkingham '64 Stephen Merrill '64 Patricia Ann Perkins '64 Nancy Ann (Mostoller) Schempp '64 Robert G. Snodgrass '64 Peter Burke Dineen '66 Howard A Eaton '66 Kathleen Ann Burbine-Wise '68 Alfred C. "Rusty" Janvrin, Jr '69 Donald E. Lewis '69 Michael John LaMontagne '70 Donna Marie (Paquette) Smith '70 Nancy (Colby) Wilmot '70 Windy L. Hagerman '71 Laura J. "Lady" Eaton '78 Nellie Annette Fowler '78 Judith L. (Perkins) Gruden '78 James Michael Hession '78 Robert G. DeCourcy '79 Jeanne (Marinos) Mann '79 Bruce J. Whenal '79 Terry N. Bragg '81 Gary M. Brooks '82

Patrick C. Gillick '82 Daniel Shawn Kertanis '85 Arthur C. "Buster" Wilson IV '87 Steven A. Chase Sr '88 Heather D. Fennig '91 Chad Neil Crovetti '93 Helio "Al" Francisco Cesar '94 Jonathan Ryan George '95 Andrew David Silberdick '96 Patrick M. Murphy '99 Lindsay E. Marquis '00 Joshua M. Lambert '03 Kristen Gavle Laurion '04 Guy E. Sturgis '04 Stephanie Jean Dowlearn '05 Shawn M. Goodwin '05 Anthony Reda '07 Brittany J. McCarron '08 Jared Michael Gillis '09 Hayden C. Moulton '12 Raymond Blanchette, Teacher Diane Bushe, Special Education Jack Donaldson, Teacher & Coach

We do our best to identify all In Memoriam additions, if you know of any classmate or teacher we have not reported this year, email us at info@winnacunnetalumni.org with name, class year and source of information.

Alumni Memoriam - Mr. Ted Davis '61

We have lost a captain of our ship. The HA/WHS Alumni Association wouldn't be where it is today without this man, who, back in 2013, decided that this alumni association was worth saving. He raised his crew and righted the sails, and it is a sad time that we bid adieu. As a former teacher, coach and mentor, Ted knew his way around schools and the playing fields. He raised his sails at each WHS football game, held the table at Parent Conferences, and became our Mr. Alumni, as he carried on the tradition of renewing old acquaintances at each chance he got. We can still hear him saying, "what do you need and where do you need me." And when he became our Trustee Emeritus, he still did not stop, even though he was not feeling his best. His smile, his laugh, his jokes....we will reflect on the sadness, but our memories will keep us going on. "Breathe soft, ye winds, ye waves in silence rest".







