

◆ LAKE GEORGE ALUMNI NEWS ◆

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2002 BANQUET OCTOBER 19

Alumni members' mail vote last year favored a change for the annual banquet from Spring to Fall. Many stated that they could then incorporate the banquet with a trip to see the Fall colors.

New date for the Annual Banquet is October 19, 2002, at a new destination, the K of C Hall on Route 9. The banquet room is easily accessible and will seat 300. Dinners will be catered by the East Cove Restaurant, preceded by hors-d'oeuvres. As is the custom, the Alumni will honor the **50 Year Class - 1952**. Other classes being honored are : **1942**, and the **25th Year Class 1977**, the **20 Year Class 1982** and the **10 Year Class, 1992**.

There will an additional newsletter in July, with more details about the banquet.

CLASSES PLAN REUNIONS

The **CLASS OF 1952** is almost finished with their 50th Reunion Plans. They have booked hotel rooms at the Queensbury Hotel, scheduled a get-together party Friday, will be attending the Tour of the High School and the October Alumni Banquet. Contact has been made with all Classmates except **MARGARET COLLINS**. If anyone knows where she is, please call Gloria Gilman - 518-747-1251, or e-mail at gbg1@juno.com. We have been looking for Margaret for 25 years, but don't even have a clue.

The **CLASS OF 1957** is busy scheduling their **45th** Reunion, to include the Alumni Banquet. People on the committee include Neal Caple, Ginger Flynn McDermot and Roberta Whiteley Sweet.

ALUMNI OFFICERS

**PRESIDENT:- GLORIA SWEET
GILMAN, CLASS OF 1952**
**VICE-PRES- - JUDY YOUNG BLETHEN
CLASS OF 1950**
**SECRETARY - JOAN KIRKER ROSS,
CLASS OF 1954**
**TREASURER - GWEN LEWIS
PALMER, CLASS OF 1953**



*Our Graduates have covered
the World*

MEETINGS

**MARCH., APRIL, MAY, SEPT,
AND OCTOBER**
**THIRD WEDNESDAY OF
MONTH AT HOWARD JOHN-
SON'S - LAKE GEORGE - 7 PM**

RACHEL RAY, CLASS OF '86, OF TV's FOOD NETWORK TO GIVE BENEFIT SHOW - JUNE 11

The Alumni Association has been working to raise money for the High School Fund for equipment for the new media room. To help us in this endeavor, one of the graduates of the Class of 1986 has offered to do a cooking demonstration at the Lake George High School Auditorium on the evening of Tuesday, June 11. The program will begin at 6 PM.

Rachel's "30 Minute Meals" Show has received great reviews, both from the Food Network Show and from her former program on Channel Six's "News at 6 PM".

Please join us as Rachel shows us, live, how to prepare an entire dinner in just "30 Minutes". Rachel will be using people from the audience to assist her and there will be lots of "tasting". Tickets will be \$10 for adults, \$8 for Students and Seniors.

Recipe handouts will be given at the show, and Rachel will be available for book signing after the program.

Rachel can be seen on Channel 53, The Food Network at 6:00 PM on Fridays and at 11:30 AM on Saturdays. Watch her also on her new show.



CLASS OF 1953 PLAN REUNION

With newsletters and e-mails flying back and forth, the 50 year class for 2003 has been doing a lot of planning already for their big celebration. There were 36 in the class, and they have located everyone, so they are looking for a good turnout next year.

ALUMNI DONATES \$1000 TO MEDIA ROOM EQUIPMENT FUND



Gloria Gilman, Alumni President, presents check to Lake George High School Principal, David Eagle.

Moneys were raised by Silent Auction and donations by Alumni Members.

IN MEMORY

We were all saddened in the Year 2001, by the loss of many of our friends and classmates:

James Paulding Parrott	Class of 1933
Terry James Brand	Class of 1966
Marie Strand Davison	Class of 1928
Royce Remington	Class of 1931
Marion Mosher Graves	Class of 1932
James Weston Frye	Class of 1942
Bernard "Max" Hawley	Class of 1944
Howard Lockhart	Class of 1944
Richard C. Fish	Class of 1947
James N. Nichols	Class of 1966
Robert James Wible	Class of 1974
Peter Solimanto	Class of 1978
Diane Heym Freebern	Class of 1983

WEDDING NOTES

Tracy Laurent (1986) - Dean Rabideaux
 Rebecca Howk (2000) - Andrew Baird
 Heidi Radloff () - Derek McClennan
 Garrett Marissal (1994) - Tammy Romaine
 Stephen Hathaway (1974) - Jo Ann Stockwell
 Dana Long (1991) - James Legacy
 Derick Goodness (1996) - Audra Anderson
 JoAnne DeLong (1996) - Gregory Wright
 Shannon Moynihan (1993) - David Carroll, II
 Leigh O'Neil (1995) - Eric Yatto
 Brandy Johnson (1993) - Michael Desnoes
 Serena Symansky (1987) - Steven Susca

PLANNING A CLASS REUNION?

Please let us know, so we can include information in the next newsletter.

IN MEMORY CONTINUED

June Hall Nash	attended LGHS
Corrine (Corky) Schermerhorn Pyron	" LGHS
Pauline LaPlanche LaJoy	
Giselle Bongrorno	
Randall Madison	Elementary Teacher
Marilyn Rafferty	Cafeteria Worker
Anne Casey DePalo	Nurse-teacher
Nancy Morehouse Cottrell	Class of 1944

**DON'T FORGET THE FUND RAISER -
JUNE 11
LAKE GEORGE HIGH SCHOOL
AUDITORIUM**

2001 ALUMNI BANQUET REMEMBERED

Eight members of the class of 1951 were in attendance at the 2001 banquet. Since the class originally consisted of 19, and four are deceased, this figure totals more than half the class. Toastmaster was Vic Lefebvre, class of 1947, who did his usual terrific job. Roll Call was conducted by Joan Kirker Ross, class of '54 and Gwen Lewis Palmer, class of '53. The oldest Class represented was the Class of 1930, by Suzanne Bryant Higgins. Kay Sisson was in attendance for the Class of 1932.

David Eagle, Principal of Lake George High School was our speaker and we enjoyed hearing about the new things at the school. About 35 people toured the school Sat afternoon. Special remarks were made by the entire class of 1951: Bob Dudley, Robert Greene, Celia Norton Lefebvre, Ken Peterson, Edgar Pharmer, Barbara Ramsey Adsit, Marian Ruef Bicks and Peggy Wardner Edwards.

Tom Roach '59, presented the "new" Alumni Teacher's Award, to Anne Keenan McCoy. Anne's entire family turned out to see her honored.

The Silent Auction raised almost \$800 towards the School's Fund for equipment for the new Media Room. Jim Rovelli's Band entertained the crowd with a Sing A Long and then music for dancing. We even had a couple of winners with the complimentary lottery tickets. IT WAS A FUN EVENING- JOIN US THIS YEAR IN OCTOBER.

THANKS TO OUR SPONSORS

The High School Media Fund and donation would not have been possible if not for the contribution of items to be auctioned from the following:

Day's Inn of Lake George

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Sullivan's Rexall

Lake George Steamboat Co.

East Cove Restaurant

Schroon Lake Town Store

Thompson's Garage

Rachael Ray

Neal Caple

Lake George Bed & Breakfast

NOTES FROM GRADUATES

Elizabeth Hawley Blaise, Class of 1969 writes from Saranac that she would like to get in touch with other class members. Elizabeth has two children and one grandchild. She is employed as a registered nurse and is taking courses in pursuit of accreditation as a Minister. Her hobbies include her Church, reading, photography and travel.

Betty Enos Clifton, Class of 1937 sent a note from Satellite Beach, Florida, giving us her correct address.

Marian Dalrymple Evans, Class of 1934, thanks the Alumni for the newsletter and says the "loved the article about Jerry Mopert.

Bill Beswick, Class of 1953 has been publishing a newsletter for the class, with some very interesting stories about each person. He has also been in touch with six of their former teachers: Bob and Inky Remais, Phil Klein, Ann Squier, Martin Vandervisse, Hank McCann and Adele Wagner Boyd. The Alumni Association has the addresses, if anyone cares to contact one or all.

Louis Mayer, Class of 1976 writes from Montgomery Village, Maryland, that he is an engineer working with Telecom. He is interested in helping with the student assistance plan, (if we can get enough volunteers to get the program started) Louis served 20 years in the Navy as Chief Electronics Tech.

Joseph (Rick) Lawson, Class of 1965 would like to hear from any of his classmates: Write him at: 2028 Strand Ave, Missoula, Mt., 59801 He is thinking of returning to the area for the banquet.

2001 SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

Four Scholarships in the amount of \$500 each were presented by the Alumni Association at the June Awards Banquet. Awards were given to **Adam Blondin**, **Alyssa Frederick**, **Blake Crocitta** and **Glynn Fish, II** received the Laura Mason Murray, Scholarships. Laura Mason Murray was a member of the Class of 1931.

In addition, the Graham Herwerth Outstanding Athlete Award was presented to **Scott McLaughlin**. Graham graduated in 1931. Please continue to help with this beneficial program by sending your dues.

TOUR OF SCHOOL - SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER 19

Principal David Eagle has promised us another guided tour of the High School, scheduled from 11 AM to 1 PM on Saturday, October 19. There will be additional information in the August Newsletter.

NEWS ABOUT GRADUATES

Mark Rehm, Class of 1991, has joined the law firm of Miller, Mannix , Schachner and Hafner. Mark received his bachelor's degree from the University of Vermont and then attended California Western School of Law.

John O'Leary, Class of 1980 is in Los Angeles and pursuing a career in the Theatrical Arts. John has had roles in "NYPD Blue", "Law and Order" and "Buffy, the Vampire Slayer"

Heather Nichols, Class of 2001, was picked as Volleyball's Player of the Year, by a panel of area coaches and writers for the Post Star.

Cathy Stanilka, Girls Volley Ball Coach, was named Coach of the Year.

Army Capt. Adam W. Lange, Class of 1986, has been awarded the Meritorious Service Medal. Capt. Lange is a combined arms operations aviation officer at Wheeler Army Hospital, Oahu, Hawaii.

MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS & DONATIONS

Please remember, the Association needs your help to keep our Scholarship Fund alive.

Name _____ Class _____

Address _____

Dues \$10 _____ Scholarship Fund _____ School Equipment Fund _____

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