

LAKE GEORGE ALUMNI NEWS

AUGUST 2006

ALUMNI BANQUET OCTOBER 7

The Fort William Conference Center will be the site of the 2006 Alumni Banquet. A Get-Re-acquainted Hour begins at 5:30 PM and dinner at 6:45 PM. - (See reservation form on page three). A Stand-up Comedy Show will be the entertainment, featuring graduate Scott Dunklee (class of 1980) and two others. Toastmaster will be Jerry Eichen, Class of 1960.

This year the Association honors the:

50 Year Class - 1956
65 Year Class - 1941
60 Year Class - 1946
55 Year Class - 1951
40 Year Class - 1966
30 Year Class - 1976
25 Year Class - 1981
20 Year Class - 1986
10 Year Class - 1996

In connection with the Banquet, there will be a tour of the Elementary School at 9:30 AM and of the High School at 11 AM. (reservation sheet on page three).

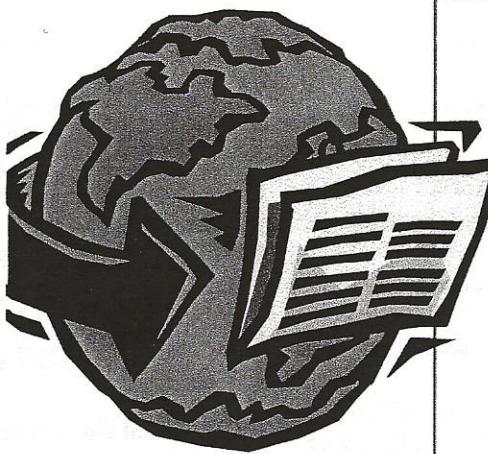
CLASS OF 1956 REUNION

The Class of '56 will be getting together at Nora LaJoy Nellis's home for a Friday night wine & cheese party, then at Connie Harris Farrington's for Saturday breakfast, and many will be touring the school. The Saturday Evening Alumni Banquet is on their schedule and they will meet for breakfast at the American Legion Hall in Lake George at 8 AM on Sunday.

The Class hopes that the Class of 1981, who are celebrating their 25th and/or the classes of 1986 and 1976 will be at the banquet to celebrate with them. A tip from the Class of 1956 :

**DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE 50TH TO
GET TOGETHER!"**

ALUMNI OFFICERS
PRESIDENT: GLORIA SWEET GILMAN
CLASS OF 1952
V-PRES.: JOYCE LOCKHART WOOD
CLASS OF 1953
SECRETARY: ELLEN BALDWIN HIMMEL-
BLAU CLASS OF 1971
TREASURER: MARGARET LAFOND
MULCAHY CLASS OF 1956



*Our Graduates have covered
the World*

MEETINGS

MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AUGUST,
SEPT, AND OCTOBER

THIRD WEDNESDAY OF MONTH

7 PM -

LOCATION - LAKE GEORGE
AMERICAN LEGION

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MISSING CLASS MEMBERS

Lost, strayed or stolen: We have misplaced many graduates. Especially from the years of 1980 to 2000. Every year we receive requests from the people who are trying to organize Class Reunions for the addresses of former class members, and although many people have consistently kept in touch with the Organization, each year address change, zip codes change, etc. The Post Office

will no longer forward mail, especially third class, so we have no way to contact you.

We have received a number of letters, asking "why no newsletter this year?" Just the simple change of a street number, puts the mail in the dead letter box. Please notify us of address changes.

Also: The Class of 1957 is looking for:

Edward Wakeley, the Class of 1952 has been searching for years for Margaret Collins, and the Class of 1953 is looking for Shirley Collins. The Class of 1958 will be looking for addresses for their Class.

If you have the addresses for any of the above, please write, e-mail or call the Association. Also, the Ft Wm Henry is looking for people who worked at the Fort between 1970 to date. Please call Lois @ 518-793-6078. They are planning a reunion. Or, e-mail to Walter Lape at epal@nethaven.com.

\$2,200 GIFT TO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

The Alumni Association voted in July to present the LG Elementary School with \$2,200 to be used for Classroom library books. Each cluster would receive \$110 for their specific reading needs.

IN MEMORY

Please remember in your thoughts and prayers:

Gertrude Wood Kacenas	Class of 1941
John (Jack) Mannix	Class of 1949
Rodney V. Stanton	Class of 1941

WEDDINGS

Please notify us if you would like your wedding listed in the Alumni News. Unlike the Post Star, there is no charge for listings.

RACHAEL RAY FUND RAISER

The Fifth Annual Rachael Ray Alumni Show in April was a sold out event, filling both the auditorium and the cafeteria. The Alumni netted approximately \$14,000, all of which is used either for scholarships or for donations to the Schools for equipment and programs.

\$3,000 already has been given to the High School and \$2,200 to the Elementary School for library books.

Rachael has already offered to do another program in 2007, and we are sure of a sold out show. What a difference from the first show in 2002, when we only sold 100 tickets. Thanks Rachael, Class of 1986

JUST PLAIN "THANK YOU"

The Alumni Association wishes to express its sincere thanks to all of the people who help to make our fund raiser a success. Those who serve as Ushers, the Security people, TV camera crews, school custodians, school office staff, the gals who fix and set up the refreshment tables, hand out the recipes, sell the books and help with the cleanup. Also thanks to the Georgian Resort for providing parking spots for the staff. If you want to help in 2007, please e-mail or call. We utilize a staff of about 30 people.

KEN & LAURA MASON SCHOLARSHIPS

The Scholarship Committee, consisting of Dorothy Brunk Molella and Margaret LaFond Mulcahy selected two Seniors for the 2006 Awards. The two students selected were:

Alexander Aust and T J Parker. Both were awarded a \$500 Scholarship.

SECOND YEAR SCHOLARSHIPS

Fourteen applications have been received by the Association from Alumni entering their Second Year of College. The Committee will have tough choices to make, as all have excellent qualifications. Awards will be announced on October 7, at the time of the Annual Banquet.

TEACHER AWARDS

Each year we ask our members to submit nominations, listing reasons, for the Annual Teachers' Awards. As of the date of this publication, we have not received any, so it looks as if the award will not happen in 2006, unless some come in during the next couple of weeks. Suggestions must be accompanied by a letter detailing the reason why you think the person deserves an award.

SILENT AUCTION ITEMS

The Silent Auction has become part of our annual banquet each year, raising about \$1,000 for Scholarship and School Equipment. We will be looking for items to be auctioned during August and September, so if you wish to contribute, please call 518-747-1251 or e-mail the Association. Items that go well are: Books on Lake George, Paintings of Lake George & the Adirondacks, (Jerry Stevenson's photograph brought in about \$300), Home made items (Vic Lefebvre's pickles are always a great item)

NEW TREASURER ELECTED

Margaret LaFond Mulcahy, Class of 1956 was elected as the new treasurer at the July Meeting. Margaret will replace Gertrude Kacenas, who served as treasurer for the last four years.

RESERVATION FORM – 2006 LAKE GEORGE ALUMNI BANQUET

Saturday, October 7, 2006

Fort Wm Henry Conference Center, Canada Street, Lake George, NY

Social Hour 5:30 PM Dinner 6:45 PM Tickets \$24.00 each incl. tax & gratuity

_____ Chicken Marsala with mushrooms _____ Baked Stuffed Salmon /dill sauce

_____ Sliced Sirloin of Beef

NAME _____ CLASS _____

ADDRESS _____ # ATTENDING _____

OTHERS AT SAME TABLE _____

Deadline for Reservations is October 2nd

Lake George Alumni Association, PO Box 575, Lake George, NY, 12845

MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS & DONATIONS

Name _____ Class _____

Address _____

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

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SCHOOL TOURS – OCTOBER 7

Elementary School, Sun Valley Drive 9:30 AM _____
Meet in Cafeteria, enter through Main Doors, cafeteria is on left.

High School, Meet in Cafeteria, Enter through Front Door 11:00 AM _____



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