## **ALUMNI NEWS**



#### FROM THE DIRECTOR

## ANOTHER MEMORABLE YEAR

HE CFAA would like to extend a thank you for all that made 2013 such a success for the Association. We enjoyed great participation at our annual events from the All-Class reunion during Blossom, several alumni sporting events, the summer Golf Outing and the 2013 Athletic Hall of Fame induction ceremony.

I would like to personally thank the alumni that serve on our

#### A LOOK BACK AT 2013

- The Alumni Association finished with 43 new Life Memberships bringing our grand total to 846 to help endow the scholarship fund:
- Awarded five scholarships, totaling \$5,000, to graduating seniors (105 scholarships since 1990) & with the Chagrin Falls Booster Club and EnvisionEight, provided a Blossom parade float for the recipients to ride upon;
- Published three Tiger Tales newsletters (71 issues since January 1991):
- · Maintained the Alumni Association website;
- Sponsored a Blossom Weekend All-Class Reunion Party at the Town Hall with over 300 alumni attending;
- During the high school commencement, presented a flower for those who have a parent that graduated from Chagrin Falls High School (20 altogether with 5 having both parents as Chagrin alumni);
- Organized a very successful 17th Annual Alumni Golf Outing;
- Held the 3rd Annual Tiger Pride Rock Jam;
- Helped organize and support many class reunions;
- Conducted the 12th Athletic Hall of Fame banquet;
- Hosted the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Alumni Chorus concert over Blossom Weekend;
- Acquired and displayed more school memorabilia;
- Hosted our 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Alumni Basketball Game, 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Alumni Baseball Game, 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Alumni Men's Soccer Game; and Annual Lacrosse Game.

various committees and on the Board of Trustees. They have made our Alumni Association into one that is a model to other high schools. Director Emeritus Tom Mattern '55, President Jack Schron '66, Vice President Arline Miller Moore '43, Secretary & Assistant Treasurer Jana Boysen Young '82 & Treasurer B.J. Koval '03. Trustees John Bourisseau '64, John Tillotson '72, Pam Fischley Hermanson '74, Debi Shukys Gebler '75, Sherrie Takacs Wooden '75, Bill Norwick '82, Bill Phillips '82, Gabe Orazen '90, and Todd Kruse '93. Hall of Fame Committee - Chairperson John Bourisseau '64, Ralph Beattie '43, Arline Miller Moore '43, Jack Stanton '52, John Hurst '52, Dan Ehrenbeit '67, Debbie Jackson Toothaker '71, Debi Shukys Gebler '75 and Laura Wurster Jones '91. On behalf of the trustees we would like to thank Lisa Howard Markley '83, Connie Bridges Miralia '83, Kristin Mapes Wood '85, and Jeff Stinson '91 for their many vears of service on the Board.

On a sad note, we lost one of the most prominent educators in the history of Chagrin Falls Schools. Mr. Dale Richmond was the CFHS government teacher and later the Dean of Students in a lengthy career that began in the 1950s and lasted into the 1980s. We are grateful to have had educators at Chagrin like Mr. Richmond that not only care for their students, but also maintain high standards of excellence both in and out of the classroom.

We hope to count on your continued support in 2014. Naturally, a financial contribution would truly be appreciated to support our new ventures, as well as our long-standing events. If you'd like to participate more, have questions or would like to donate, please contact us at the Alumni office. We are grateful to see more alumni choose to include the CFAA in their estates. If you would like information on how you can support the CFAA in your estate planning, then please contact us. Have a great 2014!

— Brian McKenna '88 Chagrin Falls Schools' Alumni Director



#### **GETTING TOGETHER**

## TIGER TALES COMES WITH YOUR SUPPORT

WE THANK YOU for the understanding on the necessity to control our costs regarding the newsletter. We do want to clarify how this works. To the right of your name on this Tiger Tales, it will state why you are still able to get a hard copy: TP - Tiger Pride member, TCHR - Retired Chagrin Schools Employee, SR - Graduated in 1961 or earlier year, and if there is a 2012 or 2013, then it is due to your recent donation. We will continue to send you a *Tiger Tales* provided your donation has been in the past two years or you fall under one of the other categories. Naturally we will continue to post the newsletter online. Annual dues for an alumnus is still only \$10, just as it was when we started in 1989.

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

Tuesday, March 4 CFAA Day in Florida Friday, May 23

All Class Reunion

Saturday, May 24
7<sup>th</sup> Annual Alumni Baseball Game
Alumni Lacrosse Game
Alumni Soccer Game(s)
5<sup>th</sup> Annual Mollie Macknin
Alumni Chorus Concert

Sunday, May 25 Blossom Parade

**Saturday, June 14** 18<sup>th</sup> Alumni Golf Outing

**Saturday, Sept. 7** 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Tiger Pride Concert

**Thursday, Oct. 16** 12<sup>th</sup> Achievement Hall of Fame Ceremony

Friday, Nov. 28 16<sup>th</sup> Alumni Basketball Game

## PAY BY PayPal

WE APPRECIATE your donations via mail or *PayPal*. If you choose the *PayPal* option, we need to make sure that you list which alumnus should be credited for the donation. Sometimes we just have an email address, which can make it difficult to determine who donated. Also, if you are donating under a spouse's account or a parent is making a donation on a child's behalf, please let us know. And one final item, list your class year as well. We do have a number of graduates with the same name. Most importantly, thanks for your support!

2014 ALUMNI CHORUS

# **5TH ANNIVERSARY TO RECOGNIZE VIETNAM VETERANS**



Photo by John Tillotson '72

THE 2014 ALUMNI CHORUS concert will be dedicated to and will recognize all military veterans who served in the Vietnam War and who served during the Vietnam War era. The local VFW and American Legion Posts have been notified and have been asked to help spread the word to all veterans and families encouraging veterans to attend the concert so they can be recognized and thanked for their service. The 2014 Alumni Chorus Concert will feature three graduates from the class of 1974. Tina Shafer will return to share her voice and her songs with us and will co-star with Lea Coryell who has developed his musical skills as a claw-hammer banjo player and historic balladeer. Tom Martinko (awards include a Bronze Star, Joint Services Commendation Medal, Meritorius Service Medals, Army Commendation Medals), who will be the Grand Marshal for the 2014 parade and the keynote speaker at the Monday ceremonies at Evergreen Cemetery will also share his Memorial Day thoughts with us at the concert. As the chorus grows, so too does its' affiliations. In 2012, we dedicated the chorus to long time teacher and friend. Mrs, Mollie Macknin. This year, year five, the chorus has been selected as a permanent registered Wounded Warrior Project community fundraising supporter. All funds remaining after concert expenses are met will be donated to the Wounded Warrior Project.

#### 2014 CFHS DAY IN FLORIDA

**ALL CFHS ALUMNI** and relatives of alumni are invited to attend the 2014 CFHS Day in Florida on Tuesday, March 4, 2014, 11 - 2 p.m., at the Colonnades Clubhouse in Lakeland, FL. Hosted by **Carolyn Groth Huber '59** and her husband Bob, it will be an opportunity to renew old friendships, meet other CFHS alumni living or wintering in Florida, and reminisce about the good old days growing up in Chagrin Falls.

Cost is only \$15 per person, and will include salad, lasagna, dessert bar, and beverages. Any unused funds will be donated to the CFAA. Payment can be made at the door, but we do need advance reservations so we know how much food to prepare. Contact Carolyn at hubercarolyn@juno.com, 863-606-5770, or **Jim Fitz '58** at sueandjim370@roadrunner.com, 941-488-2510. Please include your name, address, phone, email, and class year. Deadline for reservations will be February 24, 2014.

**Directions:** The Colonnades Clubhouse is at 4800 Colonnades Club Blvd, Lakeland, FL 33811. **From Tampa:** Go east on I-4 to Exit 25 - County Line Rd. Go south (right) on County Line to West Pipkin Rd. Turn east (left) on West Pipkin. Go about 3 miles (pass through 2 traffic lights) and then east a long block after the second traffic light at Lund Rd. Turn left into the Colonnades Gate, and go straight to the Clubhouse. **From Orlando and East:** Take I-4 west to Kathleen Rd. (Exit 31) and turn left (south). Go straight until the road ends. The name changes from Kathleen to Sykes to Harden Blvd. When Harden ends, turn right onto West Pipkin Rd. for about one mile. Turn right into the Colonnades gate, and proceed to the clubhouse. **From SW Florida:** Go north on I-75 to Route 60 in Brandon (Exit 257). Turn right (east) on Route 60, and go to County Line Rd. Go north (left) on County Line to the third traffic light at West Pipkin Rd. Turn right on West Pipkin and go about three miles (pass through 2 traffic lights) and then east a long block after the second traffic light at Lund Rd. Turn left into the Colonnades Gate and go straight to the Clubhouse.

See you in March at CFHS Day in Florida! 🛣

## **CLASS & REUNION NOTES**

Those were the days
my friend
we thought
they I never end. CLASS OF 1945 - Gini Fast would like to update the class list. Please contact her at HJFast1221@aol.com with your contact information.

CLASS OF 1959 - The Class of 1959 is currently working on its

55-year class reunion, which will be held July 4-5, 2014. Information was sent to all classmates in December. If you haven't heard from Loretta Pinkett, then please contact the CFAA.

CLASS OF 1953 - The Class of 1953 celebrated its 60-year reunion in September. Twenty-four people (15 classmates) attended. The festivities included a gathering at Bill and Shirley Hills Takacs' Bainbridge home and a dinner at Bass Lake Restaurant.

CLASS OF 1974 - The Class of '74 is planning its 40th reunion for Blossom Time Weekend 2014. The reunion dinner will be at Pine Lake Trout Club on Saturday night, and of course many will be at the All Class reunion on Friday night. There will be more to come. For those who want to be kept in the loop, contact Ted Kagy (tedkagy@aol.com) or Pam Fischley Hermanson (Pemm222@aol.com).

CLASS OF 1989 - The Class of 1989 will be holding its 25th reunion at the Little Bar (wine bar next to Gamekeeper's) from 5-8 p.m. on Saturday, May 24. Heavy appetizers will be served. Tickets will be \$20 per person. Cash bar available with happy hour prices \$3 beer, \$4 wine, \$5 cocktail, and \$6 martinis (premium beer, liquor and wine at menu prices are also available). Heaters will be provided if cold, and the fire pit will be going. Guests are welcome to stay after 8 p.m. Invitations to follow. Contact Megan Thomas Robinson megdan5@me.com or Rachel Oler Franco rachelfranco@optonline.net with any questions.

CLASS OF 1993 – The Class of 1993 held its 20-year reunion over Blossom Time Weekend. More than 60 attended Saturday's dinner at Village Martini and Wine Bar in Chagrin Falls. A Gurney playground meeting organized by Julie Boutell Northup took place Saturday morning. Classmates traveled from as far as California to be there and all enjoyed a fun evening that included Popcorn Shop popcorn and Class of '93 travel mugs for all attendees. If you would like to be added to the class mailing list, contact Jessica Leary Allen (jlallen123@yahoo.com) or Lori Fisher Davidson (loriannfisher@yahoo.com). An informal meetup for Blossom Weekend 2014 is planned for those who missed the event or would enjoy seeing each other again. Be sure to join the Facebook page: www.facebook.com/groups/ChagrinFallsClassof93/.

CLASS OF 1998 - Thanks to all who came out for our 15-year reunion! What a great night out with old friends and that senior slide show! What fun! We are always thinking up ideas for future reunions and welcome any feedback or suggestions you may have. Also, if you have any new contact information please get it to Karin (Quick) Tenebria at karintenebria1@gmail.com. The class of '98 wishes all Chagrin grads a happy and healthy New Year!

CLASS OF 2004 - Our 10-year reunion will take place over Blossom Time Weekend, Saturday May 24, 2014, at the Village Martini & Wine Bar. Tickets will go on sale in February. Be on the look out for more information via email and Facebook. If you have questions or want to help plan, please contact Cait Clegg (caitclegg@gmail.com) or Brooke Takacs (brooke.takacs@gmail.com)



The Class of 1943 (L to R) Ralph Beattie, Glen Scott, Jack Batchelor, Betty Sargent Vandeventer, Arline Miller Moore, Norm Dellner. (Photo by John Tillotson '72)

On October 4, the Class of 1943 held its annual class luncheon at the Welshfield Inn. Class members who live in the Chagrin area gather each year to share memories and stories of their time while attending school at Chagrin. They plan to meet again in 2014 and celebrate their 71st year since graduation. Now that's some real Tiger Pride!



#### CHAGRIN'S FAVORITE SON RETURNS

Chagrin's favorite son and comic legend, Tim Conway '52, recently made a stop in Chagrin Falls to promote his new book, "What's So Funny? My Hilarious Life." A special book signing was held at the Chagrin Valley Little Theatre, in conjunction with Fireside Book Shop. Mr. Conway signed a special copy of his book to "All Chagrin Alumni" and it will be on permanent display in the Tom Mattern Historical Room. In the book, Mr. Conway devoted an entire chapter to his time growing up in Chagrin Falls. He said he has fond memories of Chagrin Hardware. Coach "Q" and his favorite teacher Elsa Jane Carroll.

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**



Arline Miller Moore '43 has given a donation in memory of Marie Fiehl Groth '43.

Pat Crain Hosmer '45 has given a donation in honor of the Gifford Family: Clayton – 1903, Ernest – 1907, Edna – 1912, Elsie Crain – 1915, & Florence – 1919.

**Dorothy Sasak Kroko '46** has given her Tiger Pride membership and an additional donation in memory of her uncle, **Clarence Hunt '33**.

Bobbie & Ed Kagy '48 have given a donation in memory of Mary LaVerne Distad '48.

**Bob Arnold '51** has given his annual dues in memory of Mr. Dan Lopast.

Florence "Flo" Bras Brichford '52 has given her Tiger Pride membership in memory of retired CFHS English teacher Miss Elsa Jane Carroll.

**Jerry Froebe '52** has given his annual dues in memory of CFHS industrial arts teacher Mr. Norm Fry.

The Class of 1953 has made a donation to the CFAA in memory of their classmates who are no longer with us.

Nancy Pahler '54 has given a donation in memory of classmate Dave Cohn '54.

Ruth Barriball Weber '55 has given her Tiger Pride donation in honor of her classmate and loyal Tiger, retired CFMS teacher and Alumni Director Emeritus Tom Mattern '55.

Marilyn Nichols Weber '55 has donated memorabilia to the Chagrin Falls Schools Tom Mattern Historical Room which belonged to her father, **Eugene** Nichols '18.

**Robert Goodin '56** has given his Tiger Pride donation in memory of CFHS industrial arts teacher Mr. Norm Fry.

Roberta Hawn Miller '56 has given her Tiger Pride donation in memory of retired English teacher Miss Elsa Jane Carroll and Physical Education teacher Mr. Ralph Quesinberry.

Pat Sheridan Mitchell '56 has given a generous donation in memory of David

# SPECIAL GIFTS THANK YOU ALUMNI & FRIENDS

McIlrath, Nancy Taylor, and **Wade Taylor '49**.

Marty Hunt McNally '59 has given a donation in memory of Mike McNally '53.

**Leanne Pealer '59** has given a donation in memory of retired CFHS Home Economics teacher Mrs. Ruth Maus.

John Steele '60 has give a generous donation in memory of his brother Fred Steele '62 and retired CFHS English teacher Miss Elsa Jane Carroll.

**Susan Tenny Marshall '60** has given her Tiger Pride membership in memory of retired CFHS English teacher Miss Elsa Jane Carroll and retired CFHS social studies teacher Mr. Dale Richmond.

**Jo-Ann Johnson Shapiro '61** has given her Tiger Pride membership in memory of retired social studies teacher Mr. Dale Richmond.

**Kristen Solether Bargar '61** has given a donation in memory of retired CFHS social studies teacher and Dean of Students Mr. Dale Richmond.

Marilyn Lee Landon McFarland '61 has given her Tiger Pride membership in memory of retired teacher Mrs. Frieda Hensley.

**David Higley '62** has given a donation in honor of retired CFHS social studies teacher Mr. Dale Richmond.

Janice Hill '62 has given her Tiger Pride membership in memory of her grandfather, Claude Hill 1898 and her parents Gordon '30 and Claribel McCaa Hill '30. Claude was a member of the first CFHS football team.

**John Cahill '63** has given a donation in memory of retired CFHS Athletic Director and Physical Education teacher Mr. Ralph Quesinberry.

**Kathy Kiel Lewis** '64 has given her annual dues and an additional donation in memory of retired English teacher Miss Elsa Jane Carroll and elementary teacher Mr. Walter Jay.

**Jim Murley '64** has donated his letter jacket, letter sweater and other memorabilia to the Chagrin Falls Schools Tom Mattern Historical Room.

Cathy Riegler Van Hof '64 has given her dues and an additional donation in memory of retired physical education teacher, coach and Athletic Director Mr. Ralph "Coach" Quesinberry.

**Robert Stratton '64** has given a donation in honor of retired Head Varsity Boys Basketball Coach and physical education teacher Mr. Glenn Wyville.

**Stephen Thomas '65** has given a donation in memory of retired CFHS social studies teacher Mr. Harry Luft.

**Ray Clasen '66** has given a donation and his annual dues in honor of retired math teacher and coach Mr. Bob Ohlrich.

Pamela Parker Vogt '68 has given her Tiger Pride membership in memory of retired teacher "Madame" Colignon.

**Elaine Case Mueller '69** has given a donation in honor of retired Spanish teacher Miss Virginia Burton.

**Holly Clemson '69** has given a donation in memory of Mrs. Sally Stiller, Holly's 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> grade teacher.

Glenn '69 and Susan Churchill Barriball '75 have given their annual dues in memory of Patricia Barriball Gale '59.

**Deborah Jackson Toothaker '71** has given her annual dues in honor of retired CFMS social studies teacher **Mr. Tom Mattern '55**.

Kathryn Kagy '71 has given her annual dues in honor of retired CFMS social studies teacher Mr. Tom Mattern '55.

**Donna Rogers Frazier '71** has given a donation in memory of retired CFHS social studies teacher Mr. Dale Richmond.

Sharon Hillshafer Hart '72 has given her a donation in memory of her first husband and father of their children, David C. Brovald Sr. '69, and in honor of retired CFHS Home Economics teacher Ms. Jane Morris.

Joanne Twitchell Griesinger '72 has given a donation in honor of retired teacher Ms. Jane Morris.

**Holly Balogh Gould '75** has given her annual dues in memory of 6<sup>th</sup> grade teacher, Mrs. Betty Slaybaugh.

**Beth Barber** '75 has given her annual dues in honor of retired CFMS social studies teacher **Mr. Tom Mattern** '55.

**Cynthia Raftus McDowell '75** has given her annual dues in honor of retired CFHS English teacher Mrs. Gayle Nemeth.

**Mark Vedder '75** has given his dues in honor of retired CFHS English teacher Mr. Lenny Balk and Mr. Leon.

Ann Washington Cawrse '75 has given her dues in memory of Janet Crowle '75 and Rosemary Falasco Allen '75.

**Janice Cook Swanson '76** has given her Tiger Pride membership in honor of retired music teacher Mrs. Mollie Macknin.

**Scott Hageman '76** has given a donation in honor of Dr. Mario Gerhardt's 44 seasons as the Men's Head Varsity Soccer Coach.

**Ted Batchelor '77** has given a donation in memory of **Nina Nicholl Gilkey '70**.

**Becky LeBarron Piper '78** has given her annual dues in honor of retired home economics teacher Mrs. Phyllis Patton Ekelman.

**Tony Vidmar '79** has given a donation in honor of retired CFHS math teacher and baseball coach Mr. Bob Lonchar for teaching the value of doing one's best, even if you did not always get first place.

Janet Harris Fruhauf '81 has given a donation in honor of retired CFHS physical education teacher Mr. Don "Coach" Wem.

**Tim Clegg '80** has given his Tiger Pride membership in honor of retired English teacher, baseball coach and Athletic Director Mr. Lenny May.

**Virginia "Ginna" Taft '80** has given a donation in honor of retired CFHS teacher Mr. Jack Glaser.

**Kristen Townley McKenna '81** has given her Tiger Pride membership in honor of Mr. Howell in appreciation for teaching such organizational skills.

**Russ Updyke '81** has donated one of his original tiger paintings to the Chagrin Falls Alumni Association.

**Brent '81 & Carey Evans Charlton '82** have given their alumni dues in honor of retired CFHS science teacher Mr. Ramon Battles.

Sue Beattie '82 has made a donation in honor of her nieces Jennifer Bistritz '03 and Stephanie Bistritz Carr '05 and nephew Joe Bistritz '16.

David & Lisa Howard Markley '83 have given a donation in honor of retired CFMS social studies teacher Mr. Tom Mattern '55.

**Michael Heffern '84** has given his annual dues in memory of retired teacher Mr. Alan Sekerek.

Matt '85 & Charlotte Brown Brett

**'87** haven given their Tiger Pride membership in memory of CFHS teacher Lois Klingensmith and in honor of retired physical education teacher **Mr. David "Q" Quesinberry '67**.

**Tad Taft '85** has given a donation in honor of Dr. Mario Gerhardt's 44 seasons as the Men's Head Varsity Soccer Coach.

Brian '85 & Camerin Vinci Winovich '87 have given a donation in memory of their friend and brother, Bob Winovich '86, and in support of the great organization run by Barry Winovich '84, www. brightsideoftheroad.org.

**Allison Crouse '93** has given her annual dues in honor of CFHS English teacher Mr. David Kirk.

**Sarah Quick Pappalardo '95** has given her annual dues in honor of CFHS science teacher Mr. Rex Roberts.

**Kyle Canter '03** has given his annual dues in honor of his mother Gurney Pre-School teacher Miss "Mare" Canter, the 2012 Chagrin Schools Teacher of the Year.

**Sara Kushious** '12 has given her annual dues in honor of CFHS science teacher Mrs. Lisa Salyers.

Retired CFHS Health & Physical Education Teacher Marty Dworak and retired Chagrin Schools Secretary Liz Dworak have made a donation in memory of retired CFHS social studies teacher and Dean of Students Mr. Dale Richmond.

Fran Cahill has given a donation in memory of her husband **Tom Cahill '60** and Bee Crawford.

Retired CFHS teacher and coach Mr. Glenn Wyville and retired Chagrin Schools secretary Mrs. Marilyn Wyville have given a donation in memory of retired CFHS social studies teacher and Dean of Students Mr. Dale Richmond.

Parent Sally Taft has given a donation in honor of retired music teacher Mrs. Mollie Macknin.

Parents James & Melody McClurg have given a donation in honor of retired elementary school teacher Mrs. Arline Miller Moore '43.

Retired teacher Carol Fisher Laird has given a donation in memory **David Cohn '54**.

Retired CFHS German teacher and current CFHS Boys Head Varsity Soccer Coach Dr. Mario Gerhardt has made a donation in memory of retired Dean of Students and social studies teacher Mr. Dale Richmond.

## 2013 TIGER PRIDE MEMBERS

We thank the 43 people who became Tiger Pride members in 2013. We now have 846 Tiger Pride memberships!

Dorothy Sasak Kroko 1946 Florence Brichford Bras 1952 Barbara Bullock Hubbard 1952 Ruth Barriball Weber 1955 Robert Goodin 1956 Roberta Hawn Miller 1956 Mary Alice Cummins Wilson 1957 William Neff 1957 Loretta Rufener Pinkett 1959 Vicki Odenweller Millard 1960 John Steele 1960 Susan Tenny Marshall 1960 Marilyn Mcfarland Landon 1961 Janice Hill 1962 Bill Stratton 1962 Larry Trace 1962 Janet Ismond Gorth 1965 Laura Gorretta 1968 Pamela Parker Vogt 1968 Mary Ellen Doddridge Schron 1969 Robert Thomas 1969 Susen Fischley Arn 1971 Carl Smith 1971 **Brooke Bartholomew Merz 1973** Nancy Stern Lester 1973 Karen Krohn Langdon 1974 Janice Cook Swanson 1976 Lee Brown Murray 1978 Laurence Strimple 1978 Tim Cleaa 1980 Ann Scott Calder 1980 Diane Ratzlaff Whitfield 1981 Kris Townley Mckenna 1981 Tim Fury 1983 Sven Nielsen 1984 Charlotte Brown Brett 1987 Heather Kessell Reeder 1987 Tim Leroux 1988 Tricia Kihlstrom Broski 1990 Chris Clark 1994 Lisa Christian Hill 1995 Brian Hazen 1995

Andy Weingart 1996

Barbara Reiss - Teacher

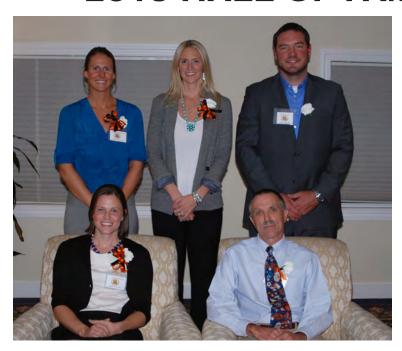
## TIGER SPORTS REVIEW

By Charlie Barch, Athletic Director

OUR TIGER STUDENT-ATHLETES had a terrific fall season. The girls tennis team finished 4th in the CVC, and had 11-9 record. The volleyball team ended their season at 13-9 and a 2nd place finish in the CVC. The volleyball team also came in 2nd at the Chagrin Falls Tournament. The girls cross country team came in 3rd at the CVC meet, and was runners up at the Kenston Invite. The boys team came in second in the CVC, and won the District meet, then came in third at Regionals, which qualified them for State. The team then went on to place 3rd in the state. Sophomore Joe Bistritz (son of Rich '77 & Martha Beattie Bistritz '77) came in 2nd place in the

state. The boys soccer team went 11-5-3 losing in the district finals. The team gave University school its only loss of the regular season and tied Bay a state semi-finalist. The girls soccer team went 6-9-4 with one of the toughest schedules in the region. The team tied Hawken who was a state finalist. The golfers went 7-1 and came in second place in the CVC. The golfers came in second at Twinsburg and Ravenna. The team won the sectional tournament, but came up short at districts. The football team won their 5th consecutive CVC Championship and advanced to the regional semi finals for the 5th consecutive year. Their record over the past five years has been 60-9 making them one of the winningest teams in Ohio over that span.

## **2013 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES**



**THIS PAST OCTOBER**, five individuals and one team were inducted into the Chagrin Falls Schools Athletic Hall of Fame. This year's inductees were:

(seated)

Christine Collins '03 (cross country, swimming, track)

Dave Quesinberry '67 (teacher & coach)

Lauren Preyss Erickson '03
(swimming)

Megan Anderson '97 (volleyball, basketball, & softball)

Sean McHugh '00 (football)

We also inducted our first team. The senior Class of 1964 went through its four years at CFHS without losing a football game. Those that were able to be in attendance for the ceremony were:

(Seated L-R)

John Bourisseau, Bob Shutts, Joel Morehead, Tom Zeleznik;

(Standing L-R)

Jim Miles, Pete DeGreen, Bill Grubich, Jim Murley, George Reitz, Miles McKearney, & Barry Furst.



## TIGER PRIDE BAND ROCKS TO SCHOLARSHIP

**SUCCESS** 

THE 3RD ANNUAL ALUMNI ROCK JAM was held on October 12 at "Bean's Backyard" in South Russell. The weather was a beautiful 72 degrees, and a great time was had by all who attended. Our Tiger Pride Band rocked the crowd with classic rock and pop hits from the '60s, '70s and '80s, and Mom's Gourmet of Newbury provided awesome grilled food for everyone to enjoy.

The \$2,000 raised at the event will go toward the 2014 Tiger Pride Band Musical Arts Scholarship in the amount of \$1,000, which will be awarded this coming May. \$500 will be given to the Tom Mattern Historical Room for future projects and displays. The Alumni Association would like to thank the following Rock Jam sponsors: **Don Rood '62** and the Chagrin Falls Eagles; **John Lambert '62** 



TIGER PRIDE BAND: (standing L to R) John Tillotson '72, Rick Zeithaml '75, Chis Bowe '08, Will Foley '81, Mary Averill, Dave Bowe '76, Alisa Bowe Lenhardt '85, Lori Purtell Sobota '86, Barry Zimmer, Eric Zaboly '74, (seated L to R) Jeff Porcianko, Don George, Mat Price

(photo by John Tillotson '72)

with Lambert Buick/GMC; the Class of 1962; EnvisionEight with 2002 Chagrin graduates **Matthew Trinetti**, **Michael Kennedy**, **Alex Budin**, **Stephen Kuenzig**, **Patrick Lynch**, **Bill McGibony**, **Jeffrey Miller** and **Garrett Monda**; Kery Hutner and Chris Rodeno from the Wells Fargo Chagrin office; Sally Koepke of Mom's Gourmet; and Jeff and **Tina Langer Barrow '72**.

We would also like to thank the Shutts family and Chagrin Hardware, Chuck's Fine Wines, **Jon Gebler '83** with Conrad's Car Care in Solon for their help selling event tickets. Please join us on Saturday, September 6, for our 4th Annual Alumni Rock Jam. All proceeds from this year's event will go to benefit the Alumni Scholarship Fund.

#### **ALUMNI MUSIC IS ALIVE AND WELL**

**ON MAY 25, 2013** the "Mollie Macknin Alumni Chorus" presented the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Memorial Day Concert. The alumni chorus, under the direction of



(photo by John Tillotson '72)

John Bagley '72, performed an inspiring program of traditional patriotic music. The concert was highlighted with special guest performances by **Tina Shafer** '74 and her 16-year-old son Ari Zizzo.

Tina is known to many alumni as a gifted singer and songwriter. She has had a great musical career in New York City writing songs for many of pop music's biggest

stars such as Celine Dion, Sheena Easton, the late Donna Summer and Phoebe Snow. Tina is also a professional vocal coach and is the founder and musical director of the Songwriter's Circle, a showcase for talent in New York City. Her son Ari is an up and coming singer/songwriter himself. He recently received the prestigious "Desmond Child Anthem Award" for young songwriters from ASCAP 2013. Ari has opened for perfomers such as Suzanne Vega and Mumford and Sons. He also performs regularly with his mother Tina Shafer at the Songwriter's Circle showcases. Tina's new CD is called "The Good Ones" and can be purchased on i-Tunes. For more information about Tina and her music go to songwriters-circle.com.

#### **MARRIAGES**

Jenna Shission '06 & Adam Valencic '03, June 22, 2013. Elayne Stull '62 & Judith Bastian,

Aug. 23, 2013.

Pam Evans Gajdos '77 &
Paul Schechtman, July 28, 2013.

Betsy Koons '00 & Shoun Ploenzke,
July 20, 2013.

Haley McClure & **Kurt Schron '02**, April 6, 2013.

**Leah Grimm '05** & Alexander Lovell, Sept. 7, 2013.

**Phoebe Brown '06** & David Costa, Aug. 24, 2013.

**Adelyn Emmerich '08** & Sam Belsterling, July 20, 2013.

#### LITTLE TIGERS

To Jeremy & Suki Day Wellen '93, a boy, Zachary Allen, May 17, 2013. To Travis '95 & Nichole Kruse, a girl, Harper Ann, Aug. 27, 2013. To Andy '96 & Maggie Male, a boy, Maxwell William, March 4, 2013. To Patrick & Amy Garson Camden '97, a girl, Quinn Suzanne, May 22, 2013. To Ben & Laura Hall Sears '02, a boy, Tucker James, Dec. 2, 2013. To Adam '04 & Ashley Epstein, a son, Jonah Benedict, Nov. 6, 2013. To Joe & Samantha Patrick Sirna '11, a daughter, Aviana Marie , Aug. 27, 2013.



# Gene and Ruth Barriball Weber '55 recently celebrated their 54th wedding anniversary. They are currently enjoying retirement in Viera, FL.

**Robert Goodin '56** is enjoying retirement in Tampa, FL, and is proud to have three grandchildren attending Gurney Elementary School back in Chagrin Falls.

**Dr. John Steele '60** is a practicing orthopedic surgeon at the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center. Outside of work, John and his wife Helen are enjoying being grandparents.

**Tim Baehr '62** is teaching writing at Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at the University of Southern Maine.

Cathy Fuller Sizer '64 is retired as a pediatric nurse practitioner in Savannah, GA. In retirement Cathy has been following her passion as a jewelry artist. She has been inspired by the Victorian and Edwardian periods of history and will use such materials as Czech glass, Raku pottery, Swaroksi crystals, copper, sterling, stones, silver and gold.

Kathy Kiel Lewis '64 was one of 34 Americans to receive the President's Council on Fitness, Sports and Nutrition Community Leadership Award. She and a colleague were recognized for their outstanding work in promoting physical activity and healthy eating in afterschool programs and making a difference in the lives of more than a million children and their families in cities and towns across California. Kathy has helped to lead the Sacramento's Center for Collaborative Solutions' Healthy Behaviors Initiative since 2004.

**David Barry '65** is Manager Middle East Crude Trading at ExxonMobil in Washington, DC.

Ray Clasen '66 retired in 2011 from

## TIGER GRAPEVINE

Cape Coral High School in Florida. Ray taught high school English for 36 years.

**Sharon Gabrowski Sanders '66** just celebrated 45 years of marriage. Sharon and her husband give marriage and family seminars in the Ukraine twice a year.

Gary Neidhardt '66 recently authored Poseidon and the PC: The Letters of Lt. Paul W. Neidhardt, which documents the adventures of Lt. Paul W. Neidhardt (USNR) through 115 of his letters written to his wife during World War II. Long before 'PC' became equated with a "personal computer" or "politically correct" the two letters were associated with "Patrol Craft." These World War II ships had the mission of performing convoy escort duty and antisubmarine warfare.

Pamela Parker Vogt '68 is owner of Camino Company, which trades in precious metals, rare coins and stamps. Pamela lives in Burlingame, CA.

Elaine Case Mueller '69 and her husband Jim will be celebrating their 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, which is on St. Patrick's Day, with a trip to Ireland. Elaine was inspired to travel extensively to Mexico, Central America, S. America and Spain due to retired CFHS teacher Miss Virginia Burton and her Spanish class. Jim and Elaine call Aurora, OH, their home when they are not travelling.

Jim Greer '70 retired after working for Bayer CropScience for 28 years. Bayer CropScience is one of the world's leading innovative crop science companies in the areas of seeds, crop protection and nonagricultural pest control.

**Linda Ashby Stanchfield '72** has worked the last 32 years at Donner Mine Camp, a non-profit youth camp near Lake Tahoe.

Doug Thompson '72 retired from Follett Higher Education Group, most recently serving as Chief Information Officer & Senior Vice President. Follett is noted for managing more than 930 bookstores nationwide and providing management systems, support services, and course materials to more than 1,600 independently managed campus stores.

**Jim Abdnor** '74 is a Captain on a B-737 for American Airlines in Chicago.

**Beth Barber** '75 is in her 34<sup>th</sup> year of teaching in South Carolina. Beth is currently teaching kindergarten at Mc-Coll Elementary School and has enjoyed

several honors, including being chosen as "Teacher of the Year."

Holly Balogh Gould '75 has been and Independent Sales Representative for Avon Products for the last 28 years. Holly lives in Scarborough, a coastal resort town in Maine.

Mark Vedder '75 recently retired from the Solon Fire & Rescue Department after 34 years of service.

Janice Cook Swanson '76 is a vocal music teacher in the Medina City Schools. Janice will be retiring this June and moving to Columbus, OH.

**Denise Vedder Eichmann '76** is Director of Global Design Build Projects at Ambius, LLC. Denise has been recognized nationally for living green wall design and interior landscape projects.

**Ted Batchelor '77** has another world record. Family, friends and Ted were able to combine for the most people performing a burn. They did so, like with many of Ted's events, as a fundraiser.

Tony Vidmar '79 and his family live in Upper Arlington, OH, (A Chagrin-like city – but bigger with no falls, but a lot of sense of community). Tony serves as the Chief Development Officer for The Ohio State University Alumni Association, and has daily "battles" with his Kenston graduate boss, Andy Gurd. Tony & his wife Donna are especially excited this OSU football season as daughter, Lauren, earned a spot on The OSU Marching Band. Tony, Dr. John Jicha '79, and Charlie "Scoop" Hartsock '79 still keep in contact and are planning the next Otis Brigade reunion.

Kristen Townley McKenna '81 recently earned her FAA private pilot license. Kristen has been flying out of Delaware Municipal Airport near Columbus, OH.

**Bryan Houghton '82** is a Principal MTS Software Engineer for Verizon Wireless in Walnut Creek, CA.

**Ellita Morrison Vedder '82** is a Lieutenant for the Warrensville Hts. Fire Department.

**Sue Griffiths Knowlton '83** is the Branch Manager of the Hudson Library in Pasco County, FL. Sue got married in January 2012.

Matt Hanley '84 is now Executive Director, Commercial Training and Development at Amgen. Amgen is a biopharmaceutical company headquartered in Thousands Oaks, CA. It is the world's second largest independent biotechnology firm.

**Michael Heffern '84** teaches kindergarten at Fairfax Elementary School in Cleveland Hts.

**Jenny Moser Davis '84** is in her sixth year as Principal of Thomas Elementary School in Dublin, OH.

**Kenny Juergens '85** is National Accounts Manager at Spartan Graphics, which is a leader in printing and graphics throughout the midwest.

Skanska USA, a project development and construction group, announced that it has hired **Pamela Monastra '85** as Senior Director of Communications for its Southeast region. Pamela has been consulting Fortune 500 companies in brand marketing, communications and public affairs for the past 20 years. She is also a founding member of the Joseph C. Monastra Foundation for Pancreatic Cancer Research, a nonprofit organization that raises money to support pancreatic cancer research at Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions and Emory University School of Medicine.

Atunyese "Vanessa" Bakr Herron
'88 is Director of Community Services with
Murtis Taylor Human Services System.
Murtis Taylor is a United Way charitable
organization that funds several programs
in Cuyahoga County.

**John Bartter '88** is Head of FX Institutional Platforms, Global Markets Deutsche Bank in London.

**Kerry Edwards '88** is Group Managing Director, Investment Advisory Group at SunTrust. SunTrust banks are located throughout the South, while Kerry is based in Naples, FL.

Megan Rode '99 has been working for Pfizer, Inc. as a Pharmaceutical Rep since 2007. In 2010, Megan was promoted to District Specialty Representative, where she focuses on neurology, rheumatology, orthopedic surgery and pain management. Pfizer is the world's largest research based bio-pharmaceutical company. Megan currently resides in Atlanta, GA.

**Sarah Quick Pappalardo '95** is an 8<sup>th</sup> grade science teacher at Dunloggin Middle School in Ellicott City, MD, and was married in 2010 to her husband Nathan.

**Emily Smith Elliott '00** is currently serving in Djbouti, Africa, with the State Department.

**Kyle Canter '03** is Vice President – Municipal Marketing & Infrastructure Projects for The Superlative Group in Cleveland. The Superlative Group consults sports teams, government entities and universities to create and enhance value in their marketing and sales programs.

**Chris Smith '03** is an Assistant Publicist at Penguin Books in New York City.

**Steven Downie '04** was recently promoted to Manager of Warranty Operations at Techtronic Industries (TTi) after completing his MBA in Entrepreneurship and Innovation at Clemson University last Spring. The 2008 graduate of John Carroll University resides in Greenville, SC.

Kaitlyn Whitebread '04 is attending Northwestern University's graduate program for counseling/psychology. Kaitlyn is also the Assistant Clinic & Program Director for the C.G. Jun Center in Evanston, IL.

**Ryan Abelman '05** is now Marketing Manager at Machine Zone, Inc. in San Francisco. Machine Zone creates free-to-play mobile social games.

**Sara Stricker '05** was recently promoted to Associate Manager at Brandmuscle in Cleveland. Brandmuscle specializes in local brand marketing.

**Billy O'Riordan '07** is Sales Development Manager at Nexant, Inc. in Chicago, IL, an independent provider of intelligent grid software and clean energy solutions.

**Janie Stricker '07** is a speech pathologist for PSI in Cleveland.

Morgan Ricketts '08 is an Alumni Relations Associate at the Weatherhead School of Management at Case Western Reserve University.

**Judy Stricker '08** is an oncology nurse at UPMC Shadyside in Pittsburgh. Fiancé **Brett Axner '08** is a financial analyst with UPMC. They will marry in July.

Zack Kratche '09 graduated early from the College of Charleston with a Biology degree. He currently is working full time at Medical University of South Carolina doing research on breast cancer, while doing part time work at Cougar Point Golf Course on Kiawah Island, SC. Zack is also an avid bicyclist. He has raced to the level of Category 2 with the next level being professional. His plans are to go to medical school in hopes to do further research.

**Kevin Hamori '10** is President at National Collegiate Club Golf Association. The NCGA provides competitive golf tourna-

ments throughout the nation for non-varsity golfers in college. Kevin is currently a senior at The Ohio State University.

Michael G. Downie '11 was named to the dean's list for spring semester at Alfred University in Alfred, NY. Michael is an R.A. and recently completed an internship at The Carving Studio and Sculpture Center in Rutland near the marble quarries of Vermont. Michael is a junior art and design major with a concentration in sculpture.

**Brooke Kratche '11** is a junior at Gordon College near Boston. She is a leader on the basketball team and is pursuing a degree in business.

Sara Kushious '12 spent last summer studying abroad at Trinity Laban Conservatoire of Music and Dance. Sara is a sophomore at The Ohio State University in the BFA Dance program and has maintained a Dean's List standing during her time at OSU.

Natalie Davis '12 is a Senate Page for Office of Senator Nina Turner at the Ohio State Senate. \*\*



## **IN MEMORIAM**

Elizabeth Mae Van Valkenburg Zuber 1933 David Sawyer 1934 **Evelyn Davidson Lambert 1935** Gordon Barr 1939 **Eleanor Smith Takacs 1942** Mildred Black Fraser 1943 Marie Fiehl Groth 1943 Marilyn Larkworthy Fishel 1946 Mary LaVerne Chambers Distad 1948 Roger Babcock 1955 **David Brovald 1969** David Bricker 1970 **David Rockefeller 1975** John Freskos 1976 **Bonnie Kolberg Nagy 1976** Chris Hern 1979 Rick Weber 1980 Retired CFHS Government Teacher & **Dean of Students Dale Richmond Retired Custodian Jerry Oliver Retired Elementary School Teacher** Mrs. Roberta "Bobbi" Lineweaver

#### **WHO'S NEWS**

#### NEWS OF ALUMNI MOVERS & SHAKERS

## TIGER SPOTLIGHT

Lynne Anne Stevenson Davis '83 has been President of the Asia-Pacific opera-

tions for Fleishman Hillard, a marketing and public relations firm, for the past 12 years. Lynne has overseen an expansion that now includes 19 offices throughout the region. Her efforts have earned her agency being named "Asia Pacific Network of the Year" four times by three

different industry authorities in the past decade. Lynne has also led the establishment of the company's Global China Practice and a China Masters Exchange Program in partnership with Stanford University, George Washington Uni-

versity, London School of Economics and Washington University. Recently Lynne was honored with the annual SABRE Award for Individual Achievement at a ceremony in Shanghai, China. The award is given out by a jury of the leaders in the industry by the Holmes Report.

Dave Bargar '85 was selected by the Associated Press as the Division II - All Ohio Boys Basketball Coach of the Year for the 2012-13 season. Dave is the Boys Head Basketball Coach at Chagrin Falls. Last season, he led the team to its first Chagrin Valley Conference title since 1988. Dave is assisted by Dave Quesinberry '67 and Mark Miralia '83.

**Dr. Lisa Kroon '88**, a pharmacist and educator as well as a clinical researcher in the fields of diabetes and tobacco cessation, has been named the new chair of the Department of Clinical Pharmacy within the University of California San Francisco School of Pharmacy.

**Tyler Davidson '93** will be at the Sundance Film Festival once again. He is the Producer on the film *Signal*, which is about three college students disappearing under mysterious circumstances while tracking a computer hacker through the Southwest. This is

Tyler's fourth movie that has premiered at the most prestigious independent film festival in the United States. Tyler's production company, Low Spark Films, is based in Chagrin.

**Elena Shaddow Harrington '97** played Sister Sophia in the NBC *Sound of Music Live* this past December. Elena has had a significant career on Broadway, off-Broadway and on national tours. She earned a Helen Hayes Outstanding Actress nomination for her role as Clara in *The Light in the Piazza*.

Lindsay Bartel '99 is the founder and CEO of AfterGuard, which is dedicated to supporting wounded veterans in their transition into a successful career after the military. While in the U.S. Navy, Lindsay was the Project Manager for the Naval Sea System Command Wounded Warrior program. Lindsay's passion has been sailing and she has been racing for over five years at the national and world class levels. She is currently the bow person on the boat Argo, a 32-foot performance sailboat. The role for the bow person is to be responsible for the front of the boat. Lindsay and the rest of the Argo crew recently are the 2013 Melges 32 World Champions. This year the worlds were held in Porto Rotondo, Italy.

BoardSource, a national provider of resources to nonprofit organizations has selected **Mary Bruce '99** as one of 15 winners of the Judith O'Connor Memorial Scholarship for Emerging Nonprofit Leaders for 2013. Mary is Senior Education Advisor at Civic Enterprises and an AmeriCorps Alums National Advisory Council Chair.

#### **MEMORABILIA NEEDED!**

**THE CFAA HAS BEEN** fortunate over the years with so many items of Chagrin memorabilia donated that the Chagrin Falls Schools Tom Mattern Historical Room is a true museum of our schools' history. However, we would enjoy adding more and hope you can help. We are looking for videos and/or DVDs of the senior slide show, OABR, graduation, fall play, spring musical, 8th grade graduation, sporting events, Gurney or Sands Holiday Show, and anything relevant to what makes our past at Chagrin Falls Schools so memorable.

## ONE WOMAN SHOW AT THE CVLT

**DID YOU STUDY** the poetry of Emily Dickinson in the hallowed halls of Chagrin Falls High School? Or perhaps you may have become acquainted with our great American poet in a college English class?

Whether or not you care for her singular verse, one can't help be intrigued by the mind that created such stunning poetic imagery. You may know of her seven poems published anonymously. You also may have learned about her reclusion in her adult life and may be aware of the iconic white dress she chose to wear all year round.

But what of the thousands of unpublished poems discovered after her death? What about her likes and loves, joys, triumphs and disappointments? Just what shapes a brilliant mind like that and drives one to write so prolifically, if for a time? Rarely if ever leaving her house, what did she draw on for inspiration?

Come find out, as **Sue Beattie** '82 inhabits the fascinating and enduring poet in downtown Chagrin Falls next month. Playwright William Luce's beautifully rendered one-person play, *The Belle of Amherst*, will be performed at The River Street Playhouse (Chagrin Valley Little Theatre's annex space, west of the main stage building). Friday and Saturday nights, February 21 – March 8, 8 p.m. curtain. Tickets are \$12 for general seating and can be ordered online now at www.cvlt.org or by calling 440-247-8955. \*\*

## BETCHA DIDN'T KNOW

AN APOLOGY from the last issue. We listed the five teams that won state titles and nine teams that earned state runner-up finishes. We actually have 11 teams that finished 2<sup>nd</sup> in the state. The 1983 Girls Basketball squad and the 1970 Boys Cross Country team also were runners-up. So here are the corrected lists:

CFHS has won five state titles: 1971 Boys Cross Country; 1991 Girls Cross County; 1996 Girls Soccer; 1998 Girls Basketball; 2003 Boys Lacrosse

CFHS has earned 11 state runner-up titles: 1983 Girls Basketball; 1992 Girls Cross Country; 1970 Boys Cross Country; 1993 Boys Cross

Country; 1983 Girls Basketball; 1997 Girls Basketball; 2003 Boys Soccer; 2005 Boys Lacrosse; 2007 Girls Lacrosse; 2009 Football; 2010 Girls Lacrosse; 2010 Football

"The first recorded fire in Chagrin Falls history occurred in October of 1834. The blaze involved a barn at the corner of what is now Main and Orange Streets. All seven men of the community responded to the fire where they formed an impromptu fire company. The historical account of this fire states that the men put forth "super-human efforts" and were able to save the barn from certain destruction. Over the next 10 years the little community by the falls grew from a hamlet of seven families to become an incorporated Village in 1844." (http://chagrin-falls.org/village-services/fire-department/fire-department-history/)

Mr. Richard Palermo, a former guidance counselor, compiled information on the current and past classes in 1961. Some of his findings: % of Graduates Matriculating in College (Class of 1960 - 60%, 1959 - 63%, 1958 - 56.6%, and 1957 - 77.7%), College Matriculation by Geographic Area for the Classes of '56 - '59 (New England States - 2.8%, Middle Atlantic States - 17.8%, Southern States - 6.4%, Midwestern States Except Ohio - 13.7%, Ohio State Universities - 41%, Ohio Private Colleges - 19.4%); Ten Major Occupations of Chagrin Falls Parents (Salesmen - 11.8%, Engineers - 10.7%, Sales Managers - 8.0%, Laborers - 6.6%, Company Executives - 6.0%, Department Managers - 5.9%, Mechanics - 5.9%, Own Business - 4.7%, Plant Foreman - 3.3%, Builders - 2.9%).

#### RETIRED TEACHER SPOTLIGHT

# WHERE IN THE WORLD ARE THEY NOW?



**Dr. Jim Trusso**, Principal of CFHS from 1983 – 1993, has been busy in various capacities in education, but is finding more time to travel. He is now travelling the 10 great rivers of the world.

Recently retired Intermediate School teacher Ms. Michaela Masenthin has been busy travelling to Europe and volunteering.

Mrs. Pat Haynish may be even busier since retiring as a music teacher. She is still involved in the school as the Director of the Intermediate School Select Choir and the CFMS Drama program. She has also joined the Board of Directors with Chagrin Arts, which promotes arts and culture in Chagrin Falls.

Retired Sands Elementary teacher Audrey Weatherhead was recently a part of a mission trip to Honduras to provide water purification systems to local villages and educate the villagers on health matters.

#### DO YOU REMEMBER



B & E RESTAURANT, Fall's Way Bar, Mug Shot Tavern, Cahill's Restaurant, sledding in the MetroParks, completing unknowns in chemistry class, Mr. Battles & Mr. Hurst's '52 bio notebooks, Miss Carroll's green pen, running the Village for a day in Mr. Richmond's government class, the marriage unit in Mr. Lerch's sociology class, the 8th grade social studies project with Mr. Mattern '55 and Mr. Ehrenbeit '67, watching the Carol Burnett Show to get a laugh from our very own Tim

**Conway '52**, the first day of school, graduation, the Gurney holiday show, Taggart's Toy Store, getting an ice cream cone at the Popcorn Shop, swimming at the Rec Center, running up Grove Hill during a practice, Coach Q making you take a lap, locker tags, clap outs, and pep rallies.

## "THE STADIUM 100 YEARS OF CHAGRIN FALLS TRADITION"

Only a few copies remain!

THIS BOOKLET INCLUDES a brief written history of our stadium and 40 pages of pictures from its 100-year year history. It's edited by Tom Mattern '55 and Scott Hageman '76 and is published by the Chagrin Falls Alumni Association. If interested in purchasing, please mail number of copies desired at \$5.00, plus \$3.00 for S&H per copy to: Chagrin Falls Alumni Association, 400 E. Washington St., Chagrin Falls, OH, 44022, Attn. Tom Mattern. Make checks payable to the Chagrin Falls Alumni Association.

#### NATIONALLY RANKED

**FORBES MAGAZINE** recently ranked Chagrin Schools at number eight nationally in the Best Schools For Your Housing Buck. They ranked the schools on performance and housing affordability.

#### **EMPLOYEES OF THE YEAR**

**CHAGRIN FALLS SCHOOLS** has selected CFHS history teacher John Brownlow and Gurney Elementary School educational aide Mary Jo Czerr as the 2013 teacher and staff member of the year. They were honored during the opening meeting of this school year.

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