

# Salem High School Alumni Association

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# Alumni give 45 students \$142,500 in scholarships

Forty-five students received a total of \$142,500 in scholarships during the 122nd annual reunion and banquet of the Salem High School Alumni Association on May 31st at Timberlanes.

Academic scholarships, which are given to graduates based on their class rank, were given to: Valedictorians Mariah Knepper and Laura Rohleder, \$6,500 each; Sara Zimmerman, Mandy Brayn, and Tiffanie Heestand, \$6,000 each; Jim Dombroski, Chris Frank, Chris Hritz, and Joel Getzinger, \$5,500 each; Elizabeth Hays, Sara DeCrow, and Matt Stelts, \$5,000 each; Ryan Barrett and Ronda Milliron, \$4,500 each; Kelli Crouse, \$4,000; Cassandra Nyktas, Shani Jones, Nick Fithian, and Matt Mowery \$3,500 each; Andrew Miller, Lisa Lewis, Ali Gano, Kristen Chappell, Abi Yanek, Ryan Riley, and Sarah Loudon, \$3,000 each.

Floyd and Cora May Reich Stone Vocational Scholarships were given to four students who plan to pursue associate degrees or other career training. The recipients of the \$1,000 Stone Vocational Scholarships were Alicia Barnes, Jennifer Hartman, Jamie Jewell, and Angela Ventresco.

Max Fisher Athletic Scholarships of \$1,000 each were given to Geoff Cody, Derek Frederick, Taylor Hendricks, Kari Kyser, Juli Maurer, Megan Sampson, Chris Sedgwick, and Darren Weingart.

J. Robert Sebo Achievement Scholarships were given to three students who were involved in an array of high school and community activities and whose grade point averages exceeded 2.5 Elizabeth Finnicum, Curt Howells, and Emily Loudon each received \$1,000 scholarships.

Two graduates - Ross Helmick and Meghan Honeywell - were each given \$1,000 J. Robert Sebo Bowling Green Scholarships to attend the state university in Bowling Green, Ohio.

Twins Katherine Myers and Thomas Myers were each given \$2,000 Sebo College Scholarships. Both are 2000 graduates of Salem High School and are enrolled at Ohio University. The Sebo College Scholarships are given to Salem graduates who have demonstrated excellence in their college careers and have financial need.

Since the SHS Alumni Association began in 1908, it has awarded a total of \$3,008,263 in scholarships to 1,496 students. Previous outstanding scholarship winners include Charles Burchfield '11, famous American watercolorist, and Ella Thea Smith Cox '16, author of Exploring Biology, a widely-used high school textbook.

The alumni association's scholarships are funded soley from the interest of its

scholarship fund, which currently exceeds \$5 million in principal.

In addition to the academic scholar-ships, \$196,325 in Max Fisher awards have been given to 190 student athletes since 1973; \$67,400 in Stone Vocational Scholarships have been given to 66 students since 1987; \$35,000 in Sebo Achievement Awards to 13 students since 1999; \$8,000 in Sebo Bowling Green Scholarships since 2001; \$7,500 in Sebo College Scholarships to three students since 2002.

This year's Fox Scholarships to individuals pursuing advanced degrees in health-related fields will be made later this summer. From 1993 to 2002, 84 students shared \$126,500 in scholarship funds.

# Class of '53 donates record \$22,053



Association President Rebecca Berger Palmer '77, center, receives the \$22,053 check from the Salem High Class of 1953 representatives, Joyce Cosgrove Ehrhart '53 and Ed Votaw '53 during the alumni association awards banquet in May. The money, the largest made by a class in the history of the scholarship fund, was raised through donations and the sales of signed and numbered prints of past and present buildings in Salem painted by Lois Getz Mountz, Salem High School Class of 1953. The prints can be purchased at the Mountz Gallery on Broadway, or by calling 330-332-5564. Proceeds will go to the scholarship fund.

## Outstanding alumnus praises Salem, its schools and library

Dr. Lori Roth '69, the Outstanding Alumnus for 2003, spoke to 418 people gathered for the 122nd Annual Reunion and Banquet of the Salem High School Alumni Association. She began her speech by addressing the senior award recipients about how she had felt when she was a new SHS graduate and her experiences since then working with college students.

Dr. Roth is assistant vice chancellor of Academic Affairs for the California State University system. She received her bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees from Kent State University. An author, Dr. Roth writes frequently on academic issues and other non-fiction topics.

In her address, she humorously compared the surveys of college freshmen by researchers from the University of Southern California at Los Angeles with the opinions she held as a freshman at Kent State University in 1969.

"In addition to asking myself the questions on the UCLA survey, I also thought about a question that has never yet been asked of new college freshmen. And that question goes like this: "Are you grateful for and appreciative of this opportunity you've been given?

"Now, how would I have answered that question when I was a freshman? I think I probably would have said 'yes, I am,' because at that time, I was pretty appreciative of myself. I'm sure that when I was 18 years old I thought that it was my own superhuman efforts and my own extraordinary talents that had given me the opportunity for a college education.

"I know now, of course, that it wasn't me; that it wasn't my own smarts or skills; that there were, in fact, other very important factors that created opportunities for me.

"First and foremost, my family, and that includes all the extended family of aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends who always gave me love, encouragement, and support. Second, the Salem City Schools, which gave me a first rate education ... Third, the Salem Public Library, which allowed a poor kid with no money but with a passion for reading to have access to all the books she ever could have wanted.

"Fourth, the entire Salem community, which taught me to value and respect



Dr. Lorie Roth

hard work and helped me learn that if you're going to do something, you're going to do it well, and you're going to do it right.

"I know now that these four powerful forces in my life, not my own superhuman efforts and extraordinary talents, have allowed me to be successful in college and in my career. And they are the reason I'm standing at this podium tonight ... thanks to all of you for giving me this extraordinary once-in-a-lifetime experience tonight."

Dr. Roth was introduced by Frank Zamarelli '82, Alumni Association 2nd vice president. He also introduced the classes attending the banquet. Responses were given by Mildred Shuster '33 for the 70th year class; Ruth Hutson '38, for the 65th year class; Aggie Tullis '43, for the 60th year class; and Joyce Cosgrove Ehrhart '53 and Ed Votaw '53, for the 50th year class.

Rebecca Berger Palmer is president of the association's board of directors. Other members of the board are Melissa Moffett Costa '78, 1st vice president; Frank Zamarelli '82, 2nd vice president; Jeff Zimmerman '81, treasurer; Janie Cleveland Mowery '72, secretary; Barbara Erath Plummer '56; Rita Joseph O'Leary '56; Grace Delfavero Finch '57;

Connie Christofaris Cranmer '65; Ken Kenst '68; Tom Jesko '74; Madeline Patton Shivers '77; Matt Yerkey '82; Lucia Apicella Fraser '89; Addie Clutter '97.

Dr. Roth wrote to the alumni board in July, thanking its members for the honor of the alumnus award and the extra attention paid to her parents at the banquet. She wrote that she was most impressed by number and size of the scholarships the association gives.

"I was stunned to learn that one quarter of the graduating class receives a substantial amount of financial support. This is an extraordinary investment in the students' future, and probably cannot be equaled in any other community."

#### Past honored alumni

A listing of past honored alumni are William Ward '46, 2002; Bruce Gordon '52, 2001; Lou Slaby '59, 2000; Rich Karlis '77, 1999; Carl Gartner '44, 1998; Robert Sebo '54, 1997; Jack Alexander '56, 1996; Raymond J. Lowry '41, 1995; Richard J. Theiss '48, 1994; Dr. William L. Hoppes '57, 1993; Donald DeJane '47, 1992; Dr. Lowell R. King '49, 1991; William M. Schaeffer '39, 1990; Joseph Ferreri '47, 1989; Harvey M. Walken '46, 1988; Mary Mercer Krogness '56, 1987; Charles Gibbs' 43, 1986; Daniel E. Smith '46, 1985; Thomas Berger '41, 1984; Dr. James Callahan '51, 1983; Herbert Hansell '43, 1982; Dorothy Pozniko Beam '52, 1981; Lt. Col. Richard M. Coppock '56, 1980.

Alta Peterson '14, 1979; Andrew Chitiea '42, 1978; Dr. Paul Corso '24, 1977; Joseph Hajcak '54, 1976; Donald Getz '52, 1975; Gail Herron '35, 1974; Rev. Jerry Miller '49, 1973; Max Fisher '26, 1972; Jay Hanna '45, 1971; Capt. S. R. Chessman '43, 1970; Dr. Joe Morris '39, 1969; Dr. Dale Leipper '33, 1968; F. J. Mullins '35, 1967; Dr. Lowell Fleisher '55, 1966; Holland Cameron '14, 1965; Laura Mae Whinnery '30, 1964; Lloyd Yoder '21, 1963; W. Eugene Young '27, 1962; Chester Smith '16, 1961; Natalie Sharpnack '01, 1960; Judge Joel H. Sharp '14, 1959; F. E. Cope '25, 1958.

## Class efforts boost alumni fund

Reunions of the Classes of 1933, '43, '53 and '82 collectively donated a record \$24,303 to the SHS Alumni Association. The Class of '53 broke all previous records for single class contributions with a gift of \$22,053 at the association's 122nd Reunion Banquet on May 31. Members of the Class of 1953 were still counting contributions on the afternoon of the banquet for an exciting finish to an outstanding fundraising effort that included the sale of classmate Lois Getz Mountz's print sets of Salem landmarks. The class also raffled Mountz's original paintings from which the full-color prints were made by Harold Amos, a handcrafted picture frame by Bill Huffman and an original needlepoint by Joan Schuller Pollitz. The contributions of paintings by Mountz's brother, Don Getz '52, helped the Class of '52 raise \$19,052, an association record when it was given in 2002.

Members of the Classes of 1933, '43, and '53 attended the annual reunion banquet and association meeting. The Class of 1982 held its 20th reunion over Thanksgiving weekend 2002.

#### Class of 1933 ......\$200.

This gift was given by the following members of the 70 Year Class in memoryof their deceased classmates: Martha Young Parks, Sebring, OH; Jean Harwood Ruble, Fairhope, AL; Bettie Lee Kenneweg Lewis, Lisbon, OH; Mary

Walker Tolson, West Melbourne, FL; Raymond Himmelspach, Fort Myers, FL; Robert Brantingham, Warren, OH; Mildred Barber Schuster, Sebring, OH. And from Salem: Gertrude Jacobson Sebo, Betty Hanson Coy, Anna Hanson Crowl, and Mellessa Votaw Pim.

#### Class of 1943 .....\$1350.

The following members of the Class of 1943 donated this gift to the SHS Alumni Association Vocational Education Scholarship Fund: Debora Gross Moon, Worthington, OH; Mabel Hostetler Mitchell, Salem, NC; Betty Severyn Scully, Courtney, BC; David Clyde Arthur, Perris, CA; William VA; Haessly, Staunton, Dorothy Melitschka Hutmacher, Sebring, OH; Richard Kautz, Columbus, OH; Herbert Wilker, Maineville, OH; Kirby Laughlin, NC; Herbert Pinehurst, Hansell, Washington, DC; Arlene Loudon Yarian, Muskegon, MI; Jeanette Hutchison Whyte, LaJolla, CA; Margaret Farcus McGhee, Miami, FL; Gene McArtor Schiefelbein, Wilmington, DE; Marjorie McArtor Herder, West Hills, CA; Louise Hanna Breazeale, Oxford, MS: Edward and Carol Jaeger Fisher, Vermilion, OH. And from Salem: Dean Tice, Mary Jane Whinery Leeper, Agnes Kamasky Tullis, Mildred Johnson Loudon, Ruth May, Zella Rayniak Mickunas, Jean Stratton Miller, Gordon Shasteen, Charles Gibbs, Marian Davidson Zeigler.



Congratulating former Salem Coach Earle Bruce following his induction into the College Football Hall of Fame in 2002 at New York's Waldorf Astoria Hotel are, from left, Barry Bruce, the coach's brother, Frank Cappacio, Bob Sebo, coach Bruce and Louis R. Slaby.

Class of 1953 .....\$22,053.

These members of the Class of 1953 gave individual contributions to the reunion fund: Gilbert Allison, Plant City, FL; Shirley Fox Beaulieu, Coventry, CT; Bill Buckman, Leesburg, FL; Joe Columbiana, OH; Carmelo. Carol Middeker Conway, Roanoke, VA: Richard Cope, Marysville, OH; Ingrid Nyberg Dorton, Clayton, MO, Jack Ference, Duncanville, TX; Betty Garlock, Canton, OH; Judy Tame Gibb, San Diego, CA; Richard Gleckler, Bellville, OH; Paul and Sally Scullion Hannay, Tiffin, OH; Paul and Carolyn Hoopes Harrington, Hammond, IN; Donald Harsh, Columbus, OH; Jocelyn Snyder Hermer, Tipp City, OH; Bill Huffman, Columbiana, OH; Roy Honeywell, Vero Beach, FL; Sally Howard, New Castle, IN; Alice Gordon, Detroit, MI; Wayne Ickes, St. Clairvsille, OH; James Judge, Mooreland, OK; Johanna Kieffer Knabe, Cuyahoga Falls, OH; Wilma Stipic Lavden. Cleveland, OH: George Manning, Prospect, KY; Carol Coy McConnell, Laguna Niguel, CA: Gretchen Bodendorfer McCormick. OH; Cincinnati, Jerry Mountz, Greenwood, SC; Jean Pasco. Jamestown, PA; Joan Schuller Pollitz. Mapleton, IL; Glenna Whinery Pool, Napoleon, OH; Don Schuck (deceased); Bob Stirling, Banning, GA; Frank DesMoines, Stoerkel, IA; Merve Thomas, Norwalk, OH; Joel Sharp, Orlando, FL. And from Salem: Ruth Ann Altenhof. Eldon Bentley, Shirley Brautigam, Bill Crookston, Rosemarie Crawford Crookston, Joyce Cosgrove Ehrhart, Marty Reese Finch, Joyce Woodworth Guiler, Nancy Howell Hickey, Jim Hrvatic, Janet Critchfield Johnson, Sally Rufer Mason, Pat Schmidt McNicol, Ila Votaw Meier, Ann Sandrock, Bonnie Campbell Sarginger, Ed Votaw, Richard Ward, Jon Zeigler, Ann Stowe Zimmerman (deceased), Pat Parana Scott, Anna Schaeffer Foust, Ken Mountz, Lois Getz Mountz, Harold Amos, Denny Herron, Carol Aiken Keir, and Joel H. Sharp of Orlando, FL.

Class of 1982 ......\$500.

The Class of 1982 held their 20th reunion over Thanksgiving weekend, 2002. They made this donation as a class, thanking the Alumni Association for their help in planning the reunion.

Class of 2003 .....\$200.

## Father of "rock and roll" SHS alum

#### By Lois Firestone '50

The strains of trombone music emanated from the Freed home on Seventh Street in the late 1930s as young Alan John Freed sorted through dozens of sheet music scores working on arrangements for his young band.

Irene Beals '38, of Columbus, remembers her childhood neighbor "Al J" fondly. He was such a shy kid, always had an instrument with him as if it was a part of his body," she wrote recently to the alumni office.

Alan's fellow students at Salem High were the musicians in his Sultans of Swing Band which was booked nearly every weekend for dances in the area. Music had always been an integral part of Alan's life, but neither he nor his parents, Charles and Maude, could envision where that love would take him. Nor could they imagine the fame their son would enjoy because of it.

After he graduated from Salem High School in 1940, Freed moved from jobs as a general broadcaster, sportscaster and disc jockey playing hot jazz and pop with radio stations in New Castle, Youngstown and Akron. He won a permanent spot at WJW in Cleveland.

His sponsor at the station, Cleveland's Rendezvous Records owner Leo Mintz, and his promoter, Lew Platt, both urged him to concentrate on black rhythm and blues music; black musicians were putting a different emphasis on the old R & B music. At first reluctant, Alan soon fell in love with the sound.

The program would begin with Todd Rhode's "Blues for Moon Dog" playing in the background, and Alan yipping, moaning and braying as he geared up for another evening of hosting what would become one of the hottest shows on radio.

"Hello, everybody," he'd say, "How y'all tonight?" slipping on a golf glove, he banged on a huge telephone directory in time to the music, perhaps "Money Honey" by the Drifters or "Shake Hands" by Faye Adams. Then a cowbell sounded and Alan would shout, "This is Alan Freed, King of the Moondoggers!"

His energetic commentary never let up as he introduced one platter after another in his tiny broadcasting studio. The kids loved "The Big Beat, The Sound." Alan called the music Rock and Roll, primarily to deflect racial prejudice, but more importantly, because it was different, more vital and less sorrowful than the old rhythm and blues.

Without the money for a sophisticated promotion, Alan decided to host a special ball for him, their king, and his subjects, the adoring and rapturous teens. The Moondog Coronation Ball, held 51 years ago in March, was an entertainment phenomenon, the event that birthed Rock and Roll.

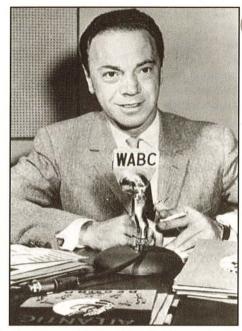
It made Alan Freed's name synonymous with the movement, and, 21 years after his early death at the age of 44, placed him among the original inductees into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in Cleveland.

By 1954, rhythm and blues had moved into the mainstream and teens everywhere, white and black, were dancing to "The Big Beat." The principal mover was Alan Freed, whose popularity spiraled as he crossed racial and cultural lines in pushing the music he loved, the sounds that eventually displaced the ballads of crooners like Frank Sinatra and the big band leftovers as the country's favorites.

Alan promoted black artists as rock and roll artists and his star continued to rise as he emceed stage shows in the east, had an ABC television show, and starred in several rock and roll movies filmed in Hollywood. He played himself in the movie, "Rock Around the Clock" starring the legendary Bill Haley and His Comets and The Platters.

He returned to Salem to make an appearance at the State Theater on June 3, 1956. Alan also attended ceremonies in Salem to take part in a time capsule burial in front of the public library. A copy of his song, "Sincerely" is contained in the capsule.

Payola had been more or less accepted since 1863 when the composer of "Tenting Tonight on the Old Camp Grounds" gave the leader of the Hutchison Singing Family a portion of his royalties. But when the idolized intellectual, Charles Van Doren reluctantly admitted he'd secretly been receiving answers to questions on a 1959 television quiz show, the public was horrified and the ensuing scandal was too encompassing for people like Alan Freed to escape. In another era,



**Alan Freed** 

perhaps, the results might not have been as damaging.

Alan was one of the casualties, and, although he claimed he'd received money for consultation and not as an inducement to play recordings, he was fired from his radio and television programs. He said his final goodbye on Nov. 23, 1959, telling his listeners, "this is not goodbye. it's just goodnight."

The disillusioned Alan, drinking heavily after a series of career disappointments, died of cirrhosis of the liver and bleeding esophageal varices on Jan. 20, 1965 in Palm Springs, Calif., the day Lyndon Johnson was inaugurated as president of the United States. His friends insisted he died of a broken heart.

But Alan's place in history was secured in 1986 when he was inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in Cleveland. And then later, in 1991, he was awarded a star on Hollywood's Walk of Fame. Among the hundreds of performers he made famous during his brief career were Jerry Lee Lewis, Buddy Holly and the Crickets, Fats Domino, Chuck Berry, The Four Aces, Frankie Lymon, The Diamonds, Danny and The Juniors, The Chantals, Billy Ford and The Thunderbirds.

He is buried in the Ferncliff Memorial Mausoleum in Hartsdale, N.Y. The simply-worded plaque reads, "Freed-Alan 1921-1965."

# Salem schools mark 150th anniversary

The Salem City School District will mark its 150th anniversary in 2003-2004.

According to Dr. Joseph A. Shivers, Director of Curriculum, Instruction, and Personnel, the district will celebrate its sesquicentennial with a number of activities throughout the school year. "We want as many alumni as possible to return to Salem for the different events," Shivers said.

During the 2003 football season former football players, managers, trainers, coaches, cheerleaders, homecoming court members and their escorts, and band members will be recognized at games. On August 29, 2003, all alumni who participated in the

1920's, '30's, '40's, and '50's are invited to attend the football game against East Palestine. Participants from the 1960's and '70's will be honored at the Poland game on October 3; 1980's alumni who were part of the listed groups are invited to the Canfield game on October 10; and all who participated in any of the seasons from 1990-2002 are encouraged to attend the Niles football game on October 17, 2003. Please contact the SHS athletic department at (330) 332-8911 after August 1, 2003 for tickets.

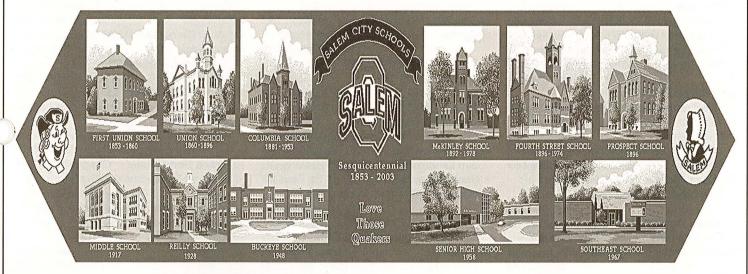
Other tentative plans include

• inviting former teachers and staff, alumni basketball players, and members of all extracurricular organizations - including other athletic teams - to varsity basketball games;

- scheduling school tours;
- · hosting a musical program; and
- making commemorative pins available to alumni.

Sixth-grade teacher Ms. Mary Beth Shivers is publishing a student-written, student-designed abecedarium highlighting milestones, institutions, and personalities from throughout the history of the city and the schools. The keepsake book will be on sale later this summer with any profits. going to the Salem SAM Center.

The planning committee is also considering a banquet for next spring. More details will follow.



To commemorate the 150-year history of the Salem City Schools, the Salem Historical Society has made this unique wall hanging. The 13" x 72" wall hanging, which may be also used as a table runner, depicts all the buildings used as public schools since formal instruction began in 1853. The wall hangings are sold at a pre-order price of \$25 until August 17. They will be \$30 after that date. To place an order call the museum gift shop at 330-337-8514.

# Phone program supports association

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		59,389.97 from November 1, 2002 to June 26,	
In Memory of:		Charles Pyatt '49	Deceased Class Members
Al '33 & Beatrice E. Catlos		Marjorie Meier Clingerman '55	Class of 1933 Salem, OH
James & Janice Jarvis Canfield, OH		Parker, CO	Departed Classmates of 1946
James & Ellen Catlos '40 Garrett		Chester A. Burson '66	Dr. Robert G. Oana '46 Kewadin, MI
Salem, OH		Janet Falkenstein Taylor '66	Deceased Members of the Class of
Valerie Weber Mitcheson '75		Zionsville, IN	1957
Burlington, NC		Pete Albertsen '66 East Greenwich, RI	Virginia Lisi Toot Salem, OH
Tom & Carol Catlos '59 Moyer Salem, OH		Gary L. Cosgrove '66 Salem, OH	Don '31 & Evelyn Lease
Alden & Alice Gross		Clarence '32 & Margaret Fink '37 Walker	Nancy Harris Weakley '66 Cincinnati, OH
James P. '67 & Lucy J. Gro	OSS .	Southland Forming, Inc.	Donald C. Shoop '46
	Columbia, SC	West Palm Beach, FL	Marilyn Page Hernstrom '44 Salem, OH
Terry '67 & Judy Tice '69 A	Allison	Class of 1966 Scholarship Fund	Donald G. Bishop '48
	Salem, OH	Ronald T. Hofmann '66 Jefferson, OR	Cliff & Nancy Hinchliffe '66 Votaw
Alexander "Logan" Lease '		Janet Falkenstein Taylor '66 Zionsville, IN	Salem, OH
Rita Joseph O'Leary '56	Salem, OH	Filomena Greene Lasky '66 Salem, OH	Donna Rice Ehrhart '42 *
Alice Gross		Jim Shasteen '66 Tampa, FL	Donald F. Milligan '42 Coronado, CA
James W. Gibbs '45	Salem, OH	Kathleen Walker Beagle '66 Salem, OH	Doris Rogers Williams '53
Alice Nestor		Mike Eckstein '66 Salem, OH	Joan M. Schuller Pollitz '53 Mapleton, IL
Joanne Hiner	Salem, OH	David '66 & Kathleen Scahill '68 Roberts	Marilyn Litty Hart '55 Salem, OH
Mary Bryan	Salem, OH	West Chester, OH	Dorothy Alek '54
Margaret Howells '54	Salem, OH	David Navoyosky '66 Salem, OH	Richard F. '52 & Janet S. Sarchet '54
Jenny Kelly Wilms '60	Salem, OH	Dwight L. McElfresh Ashland, OH	Reed Warren, OH
Celia Oertel Ryser '60	Salem, OH	Cynthia S. Mancuso Rottenborn '66	Dr. A. E. (Gene) Neale '39
Phyllis Ferguson	Salem, OH	Salem, OH	Bob Neale '40 Winter Haven, FL
Mary Ann Howells	Lyden '58	Joseph F. Rottenborn '66 Salem, OH	Dr. Joseph J. Hurray '28
	olumbiana, OH	David P. Jones '66 Canton, OH	Jack Hurray '66 St. Clair, MI
Ann Stowe Zimmerman '53		Sam J. Sicilia '66 Salem, OH	Duber and Ida Miller
The Zimmerman Family	Salem, OH	Ron Whitehill '66 Ashland, OH	Jerry H. Miller '49 Thousand Oaks, CA
Art Tasker '55	1 - 1 - 1 - 011	Rosie Kerr Baringer '66 Salem, OH	Edith Mercer
Ray Hertel '55	Leetonia, OH	Gary Poage '66 Colchester, VT	Patricia Ross French '56
Dale '54 & Jacque Lyons '8		Joe McGee '66 Boardman, OH	Chevy Chase, MD
	dgewater, MD	Jim Lantz '66 Salem, OH	Judy & Ron Meuger Chagrin Falls, OH
Barbara Nichols Robinson		Jack Hurray '66 St. Clair, MI	Suzanne & Tom Stratton-Crooke
Carol Middeker Conway '5		Sarah J. Krichbaum Decatur '66 Houston. TX	Cleveland, OH Donald C. Vincent '62 Jacksonville, FL
Barbara Roberts Mercer '4	Roanoke, VA	Dr. Joseph A. Shivers '66 Salem, OH	Elizabeth Anne Alek '88
Class of 1944	Salem, OH	Diana Brantingham Geis '66	Tom & Carol Catlos '59 Moyer
Barbara Wells Corrigan '44		Cuyahoga Falls, OH	Salem, OH
Class of 1944	Salem, OH	Howard Fowler Jr. '66 Hanoverton, OH	Colleen A. Lora '88 Dublin, OH
Beatrice E. Catlos	Salem, On	Diana Schaeffer Condon '66	Walt & Jan Kovach Columbiana, OH
	Jefferson, OH	Wallingford, PA	Bob '79 & Kerry Bricker '88 Thomas
Virginia M. Althouse	Sebring, OH	Pamela Cress '66 Parsons, KS	Salem, OH
Joyce Blankenship	Salem, OH	Lynn Kelly '66 Westerville, OH	Becky Prickett '88 & Mark Popkin
Betty Neal Hoprich '38	Galoffi, Off	Jim Miller '66 Louisville, KY	Warren, MI
	Sun City A7	Mary Cosma Independence, OH	Jud '62 & Colleen Chappell Salem, OH
Harold F. Hoprich M.D. '38 Sun City, AZ Bo '35 & Betty Martin '37 Harris		Joe & Eleanora Popa Seven Hills, OH	Mat Chappell '88 Hanoverton, OH
Nancy Harris Weakley '66 Cincinnati, OH		Larry & Sandy Caffro Ashland, OH	Jan '56 & Janet Sooy '59 Shears
Bob Bush '51	J. 1011 11 1011, OT 1	Donna L. Bush Schaffer '66 Bartow, FL	Columbiana, OH
Richard F. '52 & Janet S	Sarchet '54	Pete Albertsen '66 East Greenwich, RI	Class of 1988 Salem, OH
Reed	Warren, OH	John W. Mason '66 Salem, OH	Elizabeth Reese Lewis '24
Bob Luttmers '66		Nancy Harris Weakley '66 Cincinnati, OH	John Lewis Canfield, OH
David P. Jones '66 Canton, OH		Classmates Who Have Passed Away	Esther Chappell Thomson '38
Bud Potts '54	Jan. 511, 511	Anne Hansteen Rapp '55	Terry '67 & Judy Tice '69 Allison
Richard F. '52 & Janet S	Sarchet '54	Bonita Springs, FL	Salem, OH
Reed	Warren, OH	Coach Robert Miller	Mary Lou Wiggers Jackson '37
Carl A. McQuilkin '32		Richard F. '52 & Janet S. Sarchet '54	Albuquerque, NM
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Warren, OH

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Jacksonville, FL

Kay Paxson Minamyer '55

Fred '35 & Victoria Oana '40 Kaiser

Fred & Carol Linder Kaiser '62

Esther Miller Lantz '43

Jim Lantz '66

Salem, OH

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Silver Springs, MD

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Mrs. Marjorie Miller

Carolyn Shivers '70

Marjorie Vaughan Hone '59

Dr. Joseph A. Shivers '66

Salem, OH

Salem, OH

Irvington, NY

Reed

David "Flash" Fleischer '66

Helen Madden Mincks '62

Joe Rottenborn '66

David "Zeke" Isaacs '62 Donald C. Vincent '62

Frederick M. Campbell	George R. Huston '51 Flagler Beach, FL	Marian Bailey
Robert E. Campbell M.D., '43	Suzanne & Tom Stratton-Crooke	Marjorie Vaughan Hone '59 Irvington, NY
Haverford, PA	Cleveland, OH	Marilyn Dodge Dunn '54
George "Ju-Ju" Alek '52	In Honor of Birthday of Patty Roof	Scott K. Brecheisen Bartlesville, OK
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## **Pardee Fund Notes**

"Doc Pardee was a fabulous inspiration and a scholarship is a wonderful way to continue his legacy." - Beth Benson '80

"Thank you for your great efforts in building the Pardee Fund."

The Lorna (Olsen) Pardee children

## Music collection of Doc's bands on CD

Music by Salem's high school and community musicians under the direction of Howard "Doc" Pardee has been put together in a specially compiled CD available to alumni and benefiting the Salem High School Alumni Association's Pardee Band Scholarship Fund.

Information about the Pardee fund and the Best of Doc's Bands CD is being displayed at Salem High class reunions and alumni events throughout the year, according to Lorraine Pardee Bell, Howard Pardee's daughter. The CD contains selections from various spring high school band concerts from 1953 to 1968 and touches a wide number of alums, who either were band personnel or part of their audience at school functions.

Also, Jerry Wolford has compiled two videos that commemorate two other themes: One documents the building of

the band shell in Waterworth Park and Quaker City Band events held there. Both the shell and the band were projects carried on through the efforts of Doc Pardee and others.

Another video is a personal retrospective comprised of photos of Doc, narrated by Richard Theiss with back-



ground music played by the 1956 SHS band in its spring concert.

The Pardee B a n d Scholarship Fund's goal is

to raise \$100,000 to provide money for college scholarships, summer music camp tuition or private lessons for Salem middle school and high school students. Doc taught beginning stu-

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dents in fifth grade and continued to be their teacher in junior and senior high. In addition, he was supervisor of music for the entire school music program, including vocal and instrumetal music. Doc retired in 1975 after 39 years of teaching in Ohio public schools.

Several Salem establishments have agreed to display and collect CD proceeds and forward them to the alumni association: Dr. Gail Herron Jr., 2400 Southeast Boulevard; FE's News, 474 E. State St.; Gene's Drive-Thru, 1750 E. State St.; Jerry's Barber, Shop/Salem Video Arts, 105 E. State St.; Lease Drug Co., 229 N. Ellsworth Ave.; Mimi's Café, 148 Penn Ave.; Salem High School Alumni Association, 328 E. State St.

Organizers thank these businesses where the CD's walk-in price is \$20, payable by check or cash. The mail order price is \$24.99 and is available through the alumni office.

#### Readers' Notes

Jerry H. Miller, '49, of Thousand Oaks, Calif. writes that "every issue of the SHS alumni newsletter stimulates fresh memories of my years in Salem and Salem High School. Gratitude remains strong for all the positive experiences of those years. I'm now president emeritus of California Lutheran University. Margaret and I have satisfying lives in retirement." Jerry was the son of Duber and Ida Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Gross, '43, of Portage, Michigan says, "We were really impressed with the excellent article Lois Firestone wrote regarding Charles Gibbs' financial planning and management of the association for the past 25 years."

Mary Lou Wiggers Jackson, '37, tells us "it's a joy to receive the newsletter."

Patricia Ross French '56 of Chevy Chase, Maryland, writed that "Salem will always be richer for Edith Mercer's life of service to others."

Betsy Moore Foltz '55, gave a gift to the association in memory of George Foltz. "Though George did not graduate from SHS because his parents sent him to Kiski Prep, his heart and friends were always with the class of '50 and 51"

#### Salem Athletic Booster Club Membership Form 2003



Types of Memberships Available:

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The Salem Athletic Booster Club is always looking for volunteers to serve on various committees

or to help with annual events. Please indicate below if we can call on you.

Mail this form and payment by October 1, 2003 to be included in the Winter Sports Program.

Mail to: Salem Athletic Booster Club, P.O. Box 895, Salem, OH 44460

Yes, I am interested in volunteering. Please call me.

# Julia Vance '81 becomes nurse, midwife

Julia Vance's ambition to become a nurse and midwife had its beginnings when she was 10 years old and helping her father deliver a baby in the bedroom of a rural Salem home.

The birth was one of 2,000 home births Dr. Ralph "Doc" Vance performed during his years as a physician in Salem. Now 39 and immersed in her plans for her home delivery practice in the Portland, Oregon area, Julia still remembers that day when, as her father's helper, she placed an ether-soaked cloth over the mother's face.

She talked about her life recently with a reporter from the *Portland Oregonian*, a story which her father sent to us. Her mother, Ruth died of lung cancer when Julia was 6, and her father, now 91, raised her and his other youngsters in the family home on 16th Street in Salem.

If some of Dr. Vance's patients couldn't pay, he accepted live chickens, canned

peaches or fresh milk. Patients often paid him back by painting the house or fixing the furnace in his home or office on Third Street.

Her father valued medicine over money, and Julia has adapted that premise in her own life. A registered nurse and aspiring midwife, she will soon earn her master's degree in nursing from the Oregon Health and Science University. That degree will enable her to open the practice with two other midwives to serve women who are pregnant and want good care for their babies but who may not have health insurance.

"I'm not a religious person in the typical sense," she says in the article. "But birth is as close to a miraculous event as we humans get to see."

Julia became a feminist and moved to Colorado where she lived in a tepee, subsisting on cleaning a restaurant and chopping wood. She became the family breadwinner when she set up a household with the father of her two children. The two youngsters are Michael, 16, and Katy, 14. After the family moved to Oregon, she entered nursing school at OHSU.

Her first nursing job was serving pregnant women and new mothers. Home visits took her to trailers, migrant camps and even cars. Her second job was teaching baby care to first-time parents, many of whom were poor.

Then she joined a county and state workers team helping addicted mothers get clean. These were women who had lost custody of their children, or were about to, because they couldn't care for them. Some forged checks, some stole food, some sold drugs and some sold themselves, Julia told the *Oregonian*.

#### **Growing ring collection**

We have had several additions to our class ring collection since the last newsletter. We now have class rings from the following years: '16, '28, '29, '32,'33, '38, '39, '41, '43, '44, '45, '52, '55, '58, '60, '63, '66, '67, '69, '70, '72, '73, '74, '79, and '90. The display case is installed and a work of art in itself. We now have this wonderful collection on display in the office. We can only accept one ring per class year, so if this is something you are thinking about, do not delay too long. And many, many thanks to the SHS grads who have mailed or hand-delivered their rings for our collection.

## Salem calendars on sale

The Salem Community Calendar, printed annually for the benefit of designated non-profit organizations, is again available by mail order for \$9. From 1984 to 1991 proceeds went to the Salem Education Association for the Gifted Education program, now affiliated with Salem public schools. Since 1992, the beneficiary has been the Episcopal Church of Our Saviour.

The calendar for 2004 will feature

sketches by local artists Jock Buta, Erma Eaton, Sam Kirkland, Diane Friedel, Ron Roberts '72, and Ed Sullivan. Buildings featured include homes on South Lincoln, East State Street and early Salem. To place an order, write Mrs. John Buta, 663 South-Lincoln Avenue, Salem, Ohio and include a check for \$9 which covers the calendar and cost of postage.

# Mary Rose Lewis' sunny smile remembered

Sandra Swartz Lewis, '59, of Galena, Ohio tells us that Mary Rose Lewis Lynn, '83, was killed tragically in a car accident on Oct. 13, 2002. "She was such a happy person and the joy of our family. After a lifelong battle with obesity, she won by losing 180 pounds with diet and exercise alone. She rode in a 100-mile bicycle race in 2001. She was thin and vibrant. She loved the SHS band, and played trumpet."

The column written by Kriss K. Jenny-Case in the Sunbury News on Oct. 31, 2002 was dedicated to Mary Rose, co-owner of the Sunbury Country Store and Cafe. Portions of the

column follow:

"There was something about Mary that reminded you of a sunshine-filled day when you were a kid and couldn't wait for the next big adventure or the next opportunity to laugh or share a secret with a friend...There was something about Mary that made you want to cheer her on. She was always a straight shooter and told it like it was...There was something about Mary that made you feel like family. It could have been months since the last time you saw her, but she would remember your previous conversations and ask about how things were going in your

life . . . There was something about Mary that made me stop by the store one recent cloudy late afternoon, just to look around. Even though I hadn't been by in months, when Mary saw me she stopped what she was doing and we talked as old friends do . . . We talked so long that it was time to close the store for the day . . . There was something about Mary that made me give her a hug as I was leaving and say to her, Ya done good, sister! There are a lot of little somethings about Mary that I will miss greatly, but I will be forever grateful that I had the opportunity to tell her how proud I was of her."

## Reunion get togethers

This is a special time for those classes that will have their Reunions in 2003. Put aside a dates if you are a member of these bess:

**1943 - Annual Picnic:** on August 26, 2003, 12 Noon at the Berlin Lake Yacht Club. Call reservations in to Aggie Tullis at 330-332-5631.

**1942 - Class Picnic** on July 20th, Pavilion #7 at Centennial Park, Lunch at 1 PM. Contact Henrietta Kilbreath, 330-337-7405.

**1946 - 57 1/2 Year Reunion:** October 18, 2003 at the Salem Golf Club. Contact Jacquie Orr Nedleka, 330-337-6535 for more information. Breakfast at Adele's, Fourth Tuesday of every month.

**1948 - 55 Year Reunion:** Saturday, Oct 25th, 2003 at the Salem Golf Club. More information will follow. Contact Marguerite Miller by phone at 330-337-3368 or by email marguerite82630@yahoo.com.

**1959 - Brunch at Mimi's Café**, First Saturday of the month, 10 AM. Contact Judy McKee at 330-332-4211

1988 - 15 Year Reunion: The Class of 1988 will hold their 15 Year Reunion on September 13, 2003 at the Saxon Club. Call Kristin Cranmer Bush at 330-688-7110 or email kristinscm4u@highstream.net for more information.

1993: 10 Year Reunion: of the Class of 1993 will be held Labor Day Weekend, with the class attending the football game at Reilly field on Friday night, and Dinner at the Elks on Saturday night. Contact Heather Spooner Schreffler at hschreffler@juno.com or 330-337-6478 for more information.

#### Salem Alumni Crise

Gorgeous 5-night, cruise vacation to the Western Caribbean. Departs on Monday, April 26th, 2004 from Fort Lauderdale aboard Royal Caribbean Cruise Line's "Enchantment of the Seas".

The cruise visits Key West, Cozumel, Mexico, and Belize City, Belize. Reserve your stateroom now with a \$25 refundable deposit and receive formal information about the cruise. No additional money due until October 28th, 2003. Final payment due on February 26th, 2004, two months before the cruise. Airline rates available May of 2003. Plan to arrive at Fort Lauderdale Sunday, April 25th, and fly out after the cruise on Sunday, May 2, thus reducing air travel 60% by taking advantage of a Saturday night stay-over.

For detailed information and reservations please call or email AAA in Salem 330-332-0371 or lynda@aaacolumbiana.agencymail .com

## **Change of Publication**

Readers have probably noticed that this issue of the alumni newsletter is later than the usual June release date. That's because with this issue we are changing our twice-yearly publication dates.

The next issue will be in January 2004, and that will be followed by August 2004. The Alumni Association newsletter is a forum for sharing information about SHS alumni as well as the association's activities.

Please submit notes, story ideas and photos to the Salem High School Alumni Association, 328 East State Street, Salem, Ohio 44460, 330-332-1427 or 877-332-1427, or shsalumni@salemohio.com or www.salemohio.com/alumni.

#### Class of 1954 addresses

The Class of 1954 needs addresses for the following classmates, and they can be sent to Marge Potts, 1934-2 South Lincoln Ave., Salem: Joe Aiello, Duane Barton, Bob Brian, Paul DeJane, Shelby Beeson Dimko, Bill Elsner, Walter Falk, Yvonne Brealt Gallagher, Jim Howell, Barbara Patterson Howland, Walter Jackson, Carol Byrns Macho, Richard May, Meryl Reed, Carl Siple, Bill Sponseller, and Harold Wolfe.

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Eight members of the Class of 1933 met for their 70th class reunion at the alumni association banquet in May. They are, from the left, Betty Hanson Coy, Anna Hanson Crowl, Mildred Barber Schuster, Bettie Lee Kenneweg Lewis, Mellessa Votaw Pim, Robert Brantingham, Martha Jean Young Parks, Esther Brantingham and Gertrude Jacobson Sebo. They donated \$200 in memory of their deceased classmates. Forty-eight of the class' 173 graduates are living.

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