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Photos by Philip A. Conroy, '72

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Dear Alumni and Friends

Within the past several weeks we have observed at Bridgewater two special events, each wonderful in its own right and together representative of a college whose oldest and proudest traditions take on new dimensions in a modern era.

Winter Commencement was held on January 29th, and more than 600 undergraduate and graduate degrees were presented. This was the seventh annual, and in terms of numbers of graduates, the largest winter ceremony to date.

A quarter-century ago, 600 graduates would have been nearly as many as received diplomas in the entire year. Further, among the undergraduate degrees presented, the single field with the greatest number of graduates – Management Science, with exactly 100 – wasn’t even offered as a major a dozen years ago. At the same time, the number of undergraduate degrees awarded in the School of Education remains very strong – in total, 120. These figures confirm to me that Bridgewater maintains its roots while broadening its academic vision in a healthy manner. I note too that among the graduates there were 154 Massachusetts cities and towns represented (as well as thirteen other states and one foreign country), but the overwhelming majority of degree recipients came from the southeastern region of Massachusetts. We remain a comprehensive teaching institution with a regional mission.

The next evening the campus community, joined by many friends and neighbors from throughout the state, observed the fourth annual “Hall of Black Achievement Celebrations.” This year marked the event’s return to the College (the previous three were held in Boston) and the spirit and enthusiasm associated with this celebration are truly uplifting and inspiring.

As its 1993 recipient of the “Mary Hudson Onley Award” (which is named after the College’s first black graduate), the commissioners of the Hall chose The Right Reverend Barbara C. Harris, a woman who has dedicated her life to the service of others. Her acceptance speech upon receiving the Onley Award was a clarion call against injustice and discrimination and for tolerance and peace in a society still struggling to overcome prejudice in all of its form.

Every year one of the genuine highlights of this event is the recognition of “Student Achievers” – minority men and women from each of the state colleges who have been selected by their institutions as examples of academic accomplishment and involvement in the lives of their schools. At Bridgewater, we were proud this year to nominate Jennifer Adams and Gisele Beard for this honor. Both exemplify those qualities of character shared by people committed to excellence in their personal and professional lives. Jennifer and Gisele are ideal role models for all of us.

I know that as alumni and friends of Bridgewater you follow closely developments on campus and are interested and supportive of this College. Therefore, it is a pleasure for me to have this space in the magazine to share with you my perspectives on how Bridgewater continues to evolve and be responsive. Our sense of heritage – the College is 153 years old now – provides a solid foundation to every endeavor we approach. So too does your part in our community. If you have a comment or a suggestion, write to me and let me know. Good communication goes both ways, and I’m always delighted to hear from alumni and friends of Bridgewater.

Sincerely,

Adrian Tinsley,
President
Southern California Alumni

by Philip A. Conroy, Jr. ’72

Ellen Shea ’35, dean of students at Bridgewater from 1955 to 1974 often told students that you would find Bridgewater people all over the world. The corner of the world we want to focus on in this article is southern California.

Bridgewater alumni lead a fascinating variety of lives. Marketing new consumer products, teaching in the challenging environment of south-central Los Angeles, providing nuclear health strategies to the electric utilities of North and South America, practicing corporate law on Malibu Beach, make-up artist to the stars of Hollywood, and acting in those notable movies and television shows produced in southern California are a sampling of the activities and professions of Bridgewater’s southern California alumni.

Patricia Ross Reinstein ’65 hailed from Quincy, Mass. when she arrived at Bridgewater as a freshman in 1961. Patti majored in elementary education and had a love of music that proved to be the springboard for a life that has lead to associations with some of Hollywood’s most glamorous personalities. Upon graduating from Bridgewater with honors, Patti, her sister and her cousin launched a career as a singing trio. “We played as the opening act for such artists as Wayne Newton, the Supremes, Bill Cosby and Glen Yarbrough. We traveled from Puerto Rico to Canada. It was an exciting lifestyle with some wonderful opportunities to meet and work with some of the most interesting artists of the late sixties,” Patti recalls.

Patti met her husband Fred, then a manufacturer’s representative, at a trade show in Chicago where Patti was working as a model. It was Fred who convinced her to leave Quincy and venture out to southern California. After a brief career as a teacher in the Los Angeles public schools, Patti raised her two sons Michael and David and then joined her husband in establishing an innovative international marketing firm that brings new products from the inventor to the consumer. Today, Patti serves as the vice president of the firm that has George Burns, Farrah Fawcett, and Joan Rivers as spokespersons for their products. “It is an exciting business that requires a great deal of creativity, for which I was well prepared at Bridgewater. Dr. (Robert) Daniels introduced me to the study of art and that has been of great satisfaction both personally and professionally. Biology professor Dr. Elizabeth Cirino ’42 prepared me for the toughness of...
the business world with her exacting courses in science. A great deal of vigilance is required as the marketplace is very competitive and products are often copied without regard to the patents that exist.”

Patti, like many west coast Bridgewater alumni, maintains somewhat of a bi-coastal existence, traveling across the continent several times a year to visit family and friends. Her parents still reside in Quincy. Vera Gronwall Ross, Patti’s mother, attended Bridgewater as a member of the class of 1942.

Looking out the twentieth floor window of the Los Angeles law firm of Anderson, Ablon, Lewis and Gale, the famous Hollywood Hills loom in the distance with the familiar Hollywood sign that is the trademark of this area. This is the office of attorney William Mullen ’82. When his day in corporate law ends, Bill commutes to his home on Malibu Beach. This is quite a different environment from the time of Bill presidency of the Student Government Association on the top floor of the Student Union (now the Adrian Rondileau Campus Center) during his junior and senior years.

“When I graduated from

Bridgewater in 1982, I knew I wanted to attend law school. I also knew that I wanted to live in Los Angeles and try the California lifestyle,” he says.

He packed up, moved west and enrolled as a law student at Southwestern School of Law where he received his degree in 1985. His current practice specializes in business litigation.

“Bridgewater was family. It was a small, intimate college conducive to learning and hands on training through activities outside of the classroom. I majored in communications with minors in mathematics and political science. I had some wonderful mentors, Dr. Walter Adamson of the political science department, Dr. Nancy Street of communications, and Dr. Murray Abramson of the mathematics department. I remember being tutored in math by Vice President Joe Chiccarelli. It was a terrific experience and a great education.”

Bruce Gaines ’73 was a teacher at Barnstable High School. He spent his summers as a staff member for P.C.C. Advanced Studies Program at Bridgewater. In 1978 he packed up his Volkswagen bug and head for the beaches of southern California. Today, Bruce teaches history and assists students with career and education planning at Washington Preparatory High School in south-central Los Angeles and is a resident of Inglewood, California. He also teaches Afro-American History at Pasadena City College, and is a staff member for Upward Bound at U.C.L.A. and California State University-Los Angeles.

“The past year of teaching has been a most interesting one. The difficulties in south-central Los Angeles became a reality to me and to my students. The National Guard used our campus as a staging area during the civil turmoil that followed the Rodney King trial. There were several days when the school was shaken with the trauma of losing students who were killed during the riots,” Bruce recalls.

“I have found that my professors at Bridgewater prepared me well for the challenges I am facing in the classroom,” he says. “Dr. Jordan Fiore was the most intellectual teacher I have ever met. He truly loved what he did for a living. He was always positive and was a wonderful mentor. He thought of his students in a personal way, a technique I employ with my students at Washington Prep.”

Bruce and his wife, Kim, have begun a new family. He would like to return to the east coast one day.

Berniece Seavey Reed ’49 followed her heart to California 38 years ago. Her husband, Dan, was in the Navy and stationed in California. They remained and have built a happy life together in the Los Angeles area. Berniece, an English major at Bridgewater, taught for the Los Angeles Unified School District for 22 years. Her last five years before retirement

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In a significant move last year, Bridgewater State College created a School of Arts and Sciences and a School of Education to head up the institution's 22 academic departments. Supporting these new schools are two founding deans - Dr. Clark Hendley, dean of the School of Arts and Sciences, and Dr. Ann Lydecker, dean of the School of Education. The excitement of joining the Tinsley-Bardo team along with an energized faculty, momentum, growth, and the College's national leadership potential were catalysts in bringing these two founding deans to the Bridgewater State College campus.

Hailing from the midwest - Hendley is from Missouri and Lydecker from Minnesota - the two deans arrived in their official capacities last summer, but not before talking extensively on the telephone. They were pleased to discover they shared similar philosophies and goals, and were eager to begin their tenure at Bridgewater.

The role of the deans at the College is multi-fold. They are charged with overseeing the administrative functions in their areas, serving as liaisons between faculty and administration, providing advocacy and attention to interdisciplinary/interdepartmental issues, assisting in determining priorities and advocating for faculty, as well as advising on growth management. They are the conduit through which human and fiscal resources come together, ensuring continuation of quality programs at Bridgewater.

The arts and sciences designation includes 18 academic departments for which Dean Hendley is directly responsible. At present a primary goal of his is working together with faculty to implement the objectives of the College's strategic plan. One of those objectives, he says, is offering high quality masters programs. In examining how such new programs could benefit the region he asks questions such as, "How is southeastern Massachusetts currently being served and how does it need to be served?" Answers to those questions led to the realization that a master of social work program would greatly benefit this region; that concept is being explored right now. "This," says Dean Hendley, "is an example of taking the objectives and implementing them."

Dean Hendley points to the process of setting the goals and then effecting a plan to achieve the goals, a process which is very interactive, as a productive way to implement change. "That is a reflection of Adrian Tinsley's leadership," he says, noting that the energy and enthusiasm of the Tinsley/Bardo team were key factors in his attraction to Bridgewater.

"Sharing ownership is imperative to implementing effective change," says Dean Hendley. He continues, "If there are changes in which people don't have ownership nothing really changes." Citing examples like the NEASC accreditation process and numerous leadership retreats, Dean Hendley feels there's a real effort here to share ownership.

Looking to the future, Dean Hendley cites the challenge of faculty attrition. "The faculty here is changing," he says, noting that
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many are nearing retirement age and, with the possibility of additional early retirement offers, there may be a real shortage of experienced, seasoned, faculty members. This is a nationwide concern, he says, one which must carefully be prepared for. "Even if you were to fill every position it would significantly change the college. Long-time faculty members have a strong institutional identity and sense of family - when they retire you lose something you will never regain."

The statistics say that next year, as many as 10 percent of Bridgewater's faculty will be new. "There is no way to prepare for this or change this, it simply is," says the dean. To assist with this transition, Dean Hendley hopes to keep emeritus faculty involved in the life of the classroom - to keep the teaching door of their lives open.

Looking to the future, Dean Hendley points to the significant changes before Bridgewater State College - the technology center, train station, and increasing numbers of non-traditional students will dramatically change the needs and dynamics of the college. "We owe it to the people of Massachusetts to educate people for the 21st century," he says. "Bridgewater State College will survive and flourish if there is a sense of flexibility so it can grow and adapt to the current situation." He concludes that we will grow in the areas that are useful to the region as we continue to provide a solid liberal arts education to our students.

Overseeing all activities related to teacher certification and advanced degrees is the role of the dean of education, Ann Lydecker. Dean Lydecker, working closely with Marilyn Barry, dean of the graduate school, works to ensure that what is done on the undergraduate level provides for a smooth transition to the graduate level. Her goal for the program is to continue to prepare excellent teachers and other educational professionals for various settings and to provide updated programs which meet the ever-changing needs of our children.

A long list of priorities is already established by the dean, but one of her central goals is communication. "Marvelous things have been going on with individuals and departments at Bridgewater, but they are not always communicated and their strengths not always tapped," she says. "Open communication between departments," she continues, "and sharing what we're doing and where we're going will help us shape plans and programs together." Such activities and priorities already include: modeling K-12 collaboration and intervention; continuing to build and refine programs of instructional quality as well as content; improving the multicultural programming experience; utilizing the SHEEO program and reestablishing working linkages with the community college programs and focusing on recruitment and retention of minority faculty and students. Dean Lydecker points to progress which has already been made in these areas, but says there is still work to be done.

National accreditation brings another challenge for Dean Lydecker. The National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education will be visiting the Bridgewater campus in the fall of 1994. A self-study must be completed by that time and this, she says, "provides an opportunity to come together and review and examine what we are doing." This accreditation comes in the wake of sweeping changes in the education arena. New state certification regulations will take effect in 1994 and toward this end all departments have redesigned their programs. Additionally, all elementary, early childhood and special education students will now have to be double majors - arts and science as well as education.

These changes in certification regulations come as part of education reform. As a means to implement these new regulations and reforms, the dean plans on continuing to make full use of the Burnell Laboratory School. "Burnell provides the opportunity to work directly with students and teachers to reform the entire

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As Vice President of Administration and Finance, Dr. Dana Mohler-Faria brings historical perspective to Bridgewater

by Kimberly DeCaro Williams

Looking out the window from the corner office in Boyden Hall, one can almost picture Bridgewater students of an earlier day, hustling across the quadrangle to attend one of Miss Pope’s teas. The view from another window frames historic Harrington Hall - site of the original training school which prepared thousands of teachers to move forth into their profession. One cannot help but call to mind the students who have come before and traditions which have held so strong. From this rich historical backdrop, the vice president of Administration and Finance looks to the future.

Approaching tasks from a historical perspective is the strategy employed by Dr. Dana Mohler-Faria, vice president of Administration and Finance at Bridgewater State College. Asking questions like ‘how did we get here,’ and ‘where have we been’ is extremely helpful in analyzing the path for the future, he says. Certainly, his background in history has helped shape this philosophy - he earned both bachelor’s and master’s degrees in history and afro studies from Boston University before earning his doctorate in higher educational administration from the University of Massachusetts.

Dr. Mohler-Faria also brings with him extensive experience in higher education. He served as executive dean of administrative services and student affairs, dean of administrative services and as assistant to the president at Mt. Wachusett Community College; worked as assistant dean of administrative services at Bristol Community College; and held positions including director of financial aid, counselor for veteran’s affairs, and director of the SACHEM outreach program at Cape Cod Community College. He has also been an instructor of Western Civilization, black history, United States and minority history at Mt. Wachusett and Cape Cod.

This background helps him address the vast responsibilities within his division including providing administrative support for programmatic areas, overseeing college-wide issues like computing, facilities, fiscal affairs, and human resources, and supervising capital and infrastructure issues impacting the entire campus. “First and foremost,” says Dr. Mohler-Faria, “we need to be service oriented.” Providing service in dealing with virtually everyone related to the institution and ensuring that systems are in place to provide efficient service are key responsibilities of his division.

Implementing systems and improving environment are key to heightening efficiency according to the vice president. He feels that implementation of a system of policies and procedures will provide consistency in virtually every area of the institution. “Equally important,” he adds, “is addressing issues of environment including classrooms, faculty offices, and general physical plant and deferred maintenance.”

Pointing to the fiscal and human resources areas of the College, Dr. Mohler-Faria sites significant changes which are taking place and will continue to occur. Dramatically different methods of budgeting and reporting are being introduced through the fiscal areas of the College. These methods will help ensure efficiency and consistency. The area of human resources is another area earmarked for significant change. According to Dr. Mohler-Faria, “We don’t want an office simply processing paper, we want a place where all employees can go and receive real service.”

This trend toward service is central to the goals of the division of Administration and Finance. “We’re trying to make every aspect of our work more service oriented in every way,” says the vice president. “Through taking the resources of the institution, building on them, and using them in the best ways possible, Bridgewater will become one of the most effective, efficient, well-run institutions in the state.”

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Dr. Mohler-Faria proudly notes its diversity. "I am confident that the staff of Administration and Finance represents one of the most hard-working and diverse in the area," he says. Leadership roles in the division include many women in the positions of controller, director of human resources, budget director, and bursar, an assistant vice president of facilities of African descent, and several other employees who represent various racial and ethnic backgrounds. He says "We have a rich, diverse, and competent staff - diversity is at work right here."

That's what change is all about, according to the vice president. It's about utilizing resources in new ways and allowing the vision for Bridgewater State College to help ensure the College's continued and growing leadership in the region, state, and country. Bringing about positive change at Bridgewater while preserving its traditions is in keeping with Dr. Mohler Faria's commitment to historical perspective. Citing President Tinsley's strength as a leader and her vision and commitment as key factors in the success of Bridgewater, as well as in his attraction to the College one-and-a-half years ago, he says that after twenty years in the field of higher education, "I can't think of any place I would rather be right now than at Bridgewater State College."

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program. Burnell provides a forum to try new and innovative ideas; it is the opportunity to directly impact education reform," says the dean. "Bridgewater needs to be a place where we explore new teaching philosophies, curriculum, and models of applying theory to practice. If they work here," she says, "we can begin dissemination."

Looking at national reform, it seems that Massachusetts is somewhat behind in state reform legislation. Currently, the legislation contains some language which may do away with lifetime certification and move toward renewable certification. "This provides a real opportunity for Bridgewater," says Dean Lydecker, citing the several opportunities to serve teachers throughout their careers. "Renewable certifications means not only can we provide undergraduate certification, but also full certification and a continuing, renewing, professional development for teachers."

Dean Lydecker sees this trend as moving toward more collaboration with school districts in southeastern Massachusetts. She is excited as teachers will be given the opportunity to become directly involved in the reform through their ongoing relationship with the College.

In the spirit of ongoing relationship, Dean Lydecker appeals to all alumni, especially those in the teaching profession, to feel comfortable returning to the College and sharing ideas.
"Alumni can offer direct support in the school reform effort to make the world better for our children," she says. "Advance the positives of the profession and share quality programs - the Bridgewater program is interested in what you have to say."
Association President’s Message

Gender Equity in College Athletics

The Education Act of 1972, Title IX states:

“No person shall, on the basis of sex, be excluded from participation in, be denied the rights of, or be subjected to discrimination under any educational programs or activities receiving federal financial assistance.”

One of the first to speak out in opposition to Title IX was Edward Joyce, V.P. of Notre Dame. He referred to it as “asinine.” Notre Dame offered $1 million in financial aid to men and $0 for women. The University of New Mexico had an athletic budget of $527,000 for men and $9,150 for the women’s program. The University of Washington appropriated $2.5 million for their athletic budget, but allocated only $18,000 for their women athletes.

These were not isolated cases, but rather the typical allocation of athletic funds throughout the country. The NCAA Division I budget for women’s intercollegiate athletics in 1973 was $27,000. By 1981 it had increased to $400,000 (Boutelier & San Giovanni, 1983, p 217).

In 1993 Title IX and gender equity are still explosive issues. How much of the athletic dollar should be directed to the women’s program? Division I schools allocate 70% of their athletic budget to the men’s program.

Legislation is being prepared that would require a proportionate share for women. (This proposal will be presented for a vote at the 1994 NCAA Convention.) As in 1972 there is a concern that men’s programs will be in jeopardy. Charlie McClendon, former LSU coach, said, “I don’t think there’s really any question that football is being threatened. If we go to a 50-50 split you could see one-platoon football.”

Donna Lopiano, executive director of the Women’s Sports Foundation defended the gender equity issue by saying, “We’re not going to cut into football, we’re going to cut into the extravagant lifestyle of the big-time football coach. Do they really need inlaid team logos on their tables and $5,000 telephone bills during recruiting season? Do they need to spend $100,000 a year recruiting?”

Although Bridgewater is not a Division I College, the gender equity issue and the outcome of the vote at the 1994 NCAA Convention will no doubt have an impact on the twenty varsity sports offered to men and women here on campus. Hopefully a financial compromise can be reached and the quality of men’s and women’s intercollegiate athletic programs will remain intact.

by Sheila Tunsill McKenna, ’62
President
Bridgewater Alumni Association
Associate Director of Alumni Relations Joins Davis Alumni Center Staff

Following an extensive national search for the position of associate director of alumni relations at Bridgewater State College, Ms. Judy McAda-Young joined the staff at the Davis Alumni Center as of March 1. Bringing more than twenty years of professional experience, she is eager to apply her skills to enhance the Bridgewater Alumni programs.

As an administrator at Texas A&M University for approximately ten years, Ms. McAda-Young held associate director positions in the Office of Admissions and the Office of School Relations. Working in the recruitment and admissions arena provided a solid foundation for working with alumni. "Prospective students are very interested in graduates and their success. Alumni participation within the college community boosts support not only to prospective students but to all areas of the college."

During her tenure at Texas A&M University, Ms. McAda-Young was involved as the planning and production coordinator of the 1 million dollar Aggieland Visitor Center. She also worked extensively in the areas of enrollment management, publications, programming, and minority recruitment. In addition to her higher education experience, she brings a background in public school teaching and consulting as well.

Making a move to the New England area, quite different from the Texan culture, has not deterred Judy from making her mark at Bridgewater. Philip Conroy, director of development states, "Judy brings a level of experience that meets the current goals of this office and will provide expertise in building alumni relations. Her background at Texas A&M, one of the top ten schools in the nation in alumni support, positions her to cultivate and build the association as we head toward new challenges."

Bridgewater State College is heading toward a very exciting decade of growth and service to the region. "We want active alumni to underscore that Bridgewater State College provides solutions," says Judy. There are few greater rewards than helping the teachers, researchers and business professionals of tomorrow obtain that first crucial milestone in their contribution to society - a college degree."

The Davis Alumni Center, home to many alumni, is a facility that reflects the success of graduates from Bridgewater State College. Current students also find an opportunity to work with alumni at the center. A new student-run organization named Crimson Ambassadors will provide a great opportunity for both groups to mentor. The associate director will advise the Crimson Ambassadors, and is eager to foster their program. "I look forward to advising these students in a unique leadership laboratory that unites current students and loyal alumni," she says.

In keeping with the college's commitment to innovative teaching methods and collaborative efforts with the external community, one of Judy's first areas of involvement was with the JASON Project. "During my first week at Bridgewater, I witnessed one of the most advanced applications of educational technology available," she says. "The JASON Project, using advanced satellite technology and two-way audio broadcast, brought scientific exploration live to students from approximately 66 schools throughout southeastern Mass. This was educational excellence at its best. A whole community of scholars that included faculty, researchers, technicians, scientist, administrators, teachers and their students achieved success through this teaching laboratory. Consequently, Bridgewater State College is positioned as a leader in distinguished programs and influence to our region and state."

Programs like JASON provide opportunities for alumni to participate in the livelihood of the college. "Through alumni participation," Judy says, "you can maintain a vested interest in the college and help direct Bridgewater's future growth. It is with a great sense of honor and commitment that I look forward to serving as your associate director of Alumni Relations. I join you in taking pride in the accomplishments of the past and a sense that our best years lie ahead."
Longtime Scoring Record Topped

Carvalho’s 1,636 Point Milestone Surpassed by Joe O’Connell, ’93

In an upset victory over Framingham State College this February, four-year starter Joe O’Connor, ’93, surpassed the all-time men’s basketball scoring record set by Ray Carvalho in 1960. The 1,636 point record had stood for nearly 33 years.

A multi-sport athlete and member of the Bridgewater State College Athletic Hall of Fame, Carvalho reflected, “It has been a long run for me, but it’s time to pass it on to somebody else. I’ve seen Joe play before, and he is a very, very good ballplayer.”

Several alumni were on hand that evening for this special Alumni Basketball Night. The group cheered for both Ray and Joe, and enjoyed a special reception between games.

1993 Athletic Hall of Fame Award Nominations Sought

Nominations are currently being accepted for consideration of membership in the Bridgewater State College Athletic Hall of Fame. The Annual Athletic Hall of Fame Award Banquet is traditionally held in the fall during Homecoming weekend.

Awards are distributed in two categories. This first is open to a former athlete who has graduated from Bridgewater State College prior to May, 1987. Eligibility shall be based primarily on athletic prowess; other criteria include personal integrity, high standards of sportsmanship, and good character. The second category is open to a person who has made a significant contribution to B.S.C. Athletics, who completed service to the athletic program prior to May 1990.

Present College employees and Athletic Hall of Fame committee members are not eligible for nomination. The deadline for all nominations is May 1, 1993.

Nominees name Class year

Name at Graduation Telephone

Address (City, State, Zip)

In what varsity sport(2) did the nominee participate?

Years of participation, individual honors, team captaincy, post-season tournaments, etc.

Why do you think this nominee should be selected as a BSC Athletic Hall of Fame Member (Use additional sheets if necessary)

Nominator Telephone

Address (City, State, Zip)

Signature/date Relationship to nominee (teammate, classmate, spouse, etc.)

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Attention Non-Traditional Alumni

Were you a non-traditional student while attending Bridgewater State College? If so, you probably recall the special challenges of balancing the demands of work, family, home, children’s schedules, and volunteer commitments while relearning how to study - it can be overwhelming.

As an alumna/us, you are in a unique position to help non-traditional students today. Accordingly, we are trying to form a mentor program for current adult students. A meeting is tentatively scheduled for June 8th at 7:00 PM at the Davis Alumni Center. If you are interested in attending, please call the Office of Alumni Relations at (508) 697-1287 by May 20th.

Hall of Black Achievement Honors Students at January Celebration

The two students were honored along with ten other outstanding representatives from the Massachusetts state college system. Recipient of this year’s Mary Hudson Onley Award was the Right Reverend Barbara C. Harris, the first woman ordained to the Anglican Communion. This year’s inductee into the Hall was Dr. Elizabeth Carter Brooks.

Gil Bliss, ’81, a reporter for Brockton’s daily newspaper the Enterprise, interviews Bridgewater State College Student Achievers Gisele Beard, ’94, and Jennifer Adams, ’93.

Ashley McCumber

After nearly five years as assistant director of development, Mr. Ashley C. McCumber has left Bridgewater to become director of marketing at Main Events, a public relations firm in Boston. Many of you will recognize Ashley as the coordinator of the Bridgewater Fine Arts Series, the Hall of Black Achievement, and the many other programs sponsored by the Office of Development and the Bridgewater State College Foundation. He also was responsible for the Annual Fund Campaign and working with class gift committees. His dedication, commitment, and integrity will long be remembered at Bridgewater. With thanks and gratitude, the Bridgewater family wishes him well in his new endeavor.

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were spent as a guidance counselor at Hollywood High School.

“Hollywood High was an interesting place to teach. It is a Chapter I Magnet School specializing in the performing arts,” Berniece reports. “Of course, like educational programs around the country, funding has been cut and many good programs have been lost.

Reflecting on Bridgewater days, Berniece recalls, “Bridgewater was a small school when I attended. I lived in Tillinghast Hall for three years and worked in the dining hall. I fondly remember Dean S. Elizabeth Pope. Bridgewater was a small, close, wonderful place.”
SPRING EVENTS

Spring 1993 Alumni Calendar of Events

The Office of Alumni Relations has welcomed its first graduate intern this year, Ms. Roseanne Ouellette, '92. Currently studying for her master of arts degree in communication studies, Roseanne was a presidential scholar and summa cum laude graduate. An enthusiastic alumna who has worked diligently on spring alumni programming, Ms. Ouellette encourages participation in the events listed in this alumni calendar.

Ms. Ouellette has worked closely with Bridgewater Alumni Association program committee chairperson Cynthia Ricciardi, '81, along with other constituency groups, who are committed to bringing quality programs and events for the entire Bridgewater community. Suggestions are always welcome and may be submitted to Roseanne in care of the Office of Alumni Relations.

Roseanne Ouellette, Graduate Intern

APRIL

Tax Relief Night – at Bell in Hand in Boston, starting at 5:30 for all Bridgewater alumni. $5 cover charge.

Alumni Beautification Day – Help make BSC even more beautiful in preparation for Earth Day & Alumni Weekend. Workers will meet at the Davis Alumni Center for coffee & pastries at 8:30 a.m. R.S.V.P. by April 10.

Afro-American Alumni Council presents Student/Alumni Career Night. 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. in the Rondileau Campus Center small ballroom. Come network!

JUNE

New York City Theater Weekend – Gather family, friends, or come along for this annual theater weekend in New York City. Trip includes transportation, accommodations at the Helmsley Windsor Hotel, and a Broadway show. Call for further details. Cost is approximately $210 per person, double occupancy. Total amount due A.S.A.P. to the Office of Alumni Relations.

JULY


For reservations or more info about any of the events listed, contact the Office of Alumni Relations at (508)697-1287. For your convenience we accept MasterCard, VISA, and American Express, or, checks made payable to: BAA, P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324.
Alumni Weekend 1993  
• May 7 & 8 •
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, MAY 7, 1993

6:00 P.M. Moriarty Lecture featuring Mary Pratt. Maxwell Library Lecture Hall • no charge. Following the lecture, attendees are encouraged to attend the Alumni Weekend Welcome Back Reception at Tillinghast Hall.

6:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M. Welcome Back Reception featuring a hot & cold hors d'oeuvres buffet. Flynn Dining Commons, Tillinghast Hall • $15.

8:00 P.M. Alumni Association Awards Ceremony with presentations to winners of the DiNardo Award, Rondileau Award, Tillinghast Award, Comeau Award, B.A.A. Service Award as well as Shea Scholars. Flynn Dining Commons, Tillinghast Hall. A dessert social will follow • no charge.

SATURDAY, MAY 8, 1993

9:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M. Registration & Continental Breakfast in the Campus Center Lower Foyer.

9:30 A.M. – NOON College Bookstore Open in the Campus Center, main floor.

10:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M. Alumni College featuring presentations of the Shea Scholar Reports. One Park Avenue at the Rondileau Campus Center, ground floor • no charge.

11:00 A.M. Estate Planning Seminar offering tips for effective estate planning. One Park Avenue at the Rondileau Campus Center, ground floor • no charge.

NOON Annual Meeting of the Bridgewater Alumni Association in the Horace Mann Auditorium, Sheila Tunstill McKenna, '62, presiding. Presentation of Class Gifts to the College. Presentation of Bridgewater Alumni Association undergraduate scholarships by Nancy Seablom Sarno, '64. Followed by Parade of Classes in the quadrangle • No charge.

1:15 P.M. Alumni Day Luncheon featuring a sit-down meal with choice of prime rib, chicken savannah, or vegetarian. Tables will be reserved by class in the Flynn Dining Commons of Tillinghast Hall • $15.

3:00 P.M. Class Meetings

8:00 P.M. Alumni Chamber Choir Concert – see write-up on next page • No charge.

Alumni Weekend Reservation Coupon – 1993

Name & Class (Be sure to include your name at graduation): ____________________________

Street Address: ________________________________________________________________

City/State/Zip: _________________________________________________________________

Day phone/Evening phone: _______________________________________________________

Moriarty Lecture • Friday • # attending ___ • No Charge

Welcome Back Reception • Friday • # attending ___ @ $15

Shea Scholar Presentations • Saturday • # attending ___ • No Charge

Estate Planning Workshop • Saturday • # attending ___ • No Charge

Annual Meeting • Saturday • # attending ___ • No Charge

Alumni Day Luncheon • Saturday • # attending ___ @ $15 ___Prime Rib ___Chicken ___Vegetarian

Circle One: VISA  MasterCard  American Express  Expiration Date: ___________  Amount: ___________

Card number: ____________________________  Signature: ___________________________

or Make checks payable to B.A.A.

Mail to: BAA, P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324

Note: This is final notification of Alumni Weekend Activities • Please Reserve Today!
Alumni Choir slates special Alumni Weekend performance

As a special addition to Alumni Weekend, the Bridgewater State College Alumni Chamber Choir will present a concert at the B.S.C. Catholic Center on Saturday, May 8, 1993 at 8:00 p.m.

This 23-member singing group is made up of Bridgewater alumni. Under the direction of Dr. Jacob Liberles of the B.S.C. Department of Music, the group has been rehearsing and performing for the past four years and produce a high-quality choral sound. This past year, under the leadership of the group's executive board, the choir has expanded its concert schedule to appear in performances throughout the south shore area. Four members of the group accompanied the undergraduate Chamber Singers on a concert tour of Russia in March.

The May 8 concert will include a cappella pieces by Schumann, selections from the British Isles, as well as songs from the Spanish Renaissance. Lynn Feingold, '82, will be the featured soloist for the evening, presenting songs from the Scottish, Irish, and English folk tradition. The concert is free of charge, and will be followed by a special reception for all alumni in attendance.

The executive board of the choir is currently seeking names and address of alumni who were involved in the Choral Society, Chorale, or Chamber Singers while they were at Bridgewater. If you wish to join the mailing list, please write to: Debra Ashton, B.S.C. Alumni Chamber Choir Mailing List, P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324.

Also, if your church or museum group is interested in sponsoring a concert by the Bridgewater State College Alumni Chamber Choir, please contact Lynn Feingold, 26 Amelian Road, Randolph, MA 02368 for further information.
Alumna Megan O'Donnell, '93, at January's winter commencement. More than 600 students received degrees at this ceremony. In 1943, less than 125 graduates received degrees at commencement, and no winter ceremonies were held.

Friendship • Knowledge • Maturity

Bridgewater alumni 50 years apart share common traits

by Shari Silvers, '93

Members of the Class of 1993 approaching their graduation will soon take on new roles as Bridgewater State College alumni. They will join more than 32,000 other Alumni Association members in carrying on Bridgewater's traditions. The return of Bridgewater's Class of 1943 to the college, in celebration of its fiftieth reunion, provides the opportunity to observe the different perspectives both classes have on the college and on their roles as alumni.

Comments from the Class of 1943, when asked what each member gained from his or her years at B.S.C., were very similar to the responses of prospective '93 graduates. Friendship, knowledge and maturity were among the most widely expressed traits gained from the Bridgewater experience. As Class of 1993 student Sandy Cohen comments, "I've gained knowledge, academically and socially, that I never would have received had I not attended college. To me, college is more learning about life than the emphasis on grades." Jeremy Greene, Class of 1993, states: "I gained knowledge about the world that I didn't have before, and I met people from varying backgrounds." In comparison, Eleanor Kuchmeister Crabill, from the Class of 1943, observes "The friendships and learning experiences are still with me fifty years later. The joy of having a roommate (Amy Spollett) whom I can still enjoy a laugh with, or a more serious conversation with, is a marvelous bonus. Bridgewater is important to me and I will always give it credit for helping me mature into a happy and, I hope, worthwhile human being." Strong friendship ties and knowledge of varying backgrounds proved very helpful in dealing with the changing times for both generations.

Living in a nation at war seems to have taken its toll on both the Class of '43 and '93. Christine Crowley, '93, remembers watching the news to monitor the latest of the Gulf War updates. In addition she recalls being interviewed by a local T.V. station on whether or not she supported the troops and President Bush's decisions regarding the Gulf War. "I remember thinking that this isn't a textbook, this is reality, the present" says classmate, Sandy Cohen who continues: "I never imagined that there would be a war, let alone one in which people I was actually close to and knew participated."

Eleanor Kuchmeister Crabill, '43, recalls the war days at B.S.C. "Our lives at Bridgewater were quickly changed by World War II when friends and relatives interrupted their lives to serve their country. College life was patriotic and somber. We spent much time discussing all the war news." Further, Amy Wentworth Spollett, '43, notes "We
were children of the great war and the great depression and were affected by both." College life for these students changed with the war as they studied First Aid and defense courses. Ellen Mercer Diming gives an excellent description of this change in the 1943 Bridgewater State College yearbook: "We had practice black outs and air raids, and gradually we began to adjust ourselves to living in a nation at war." It is clear that the changing political and economic times have taken their toll on both classes, '43 and '93.

It has been said that with time comes change. Each class was asked how it felt the college and the campus had changed, and responded in somewhat similar ways. Patricia Reardon, '93, says "We are expanding the campus with new buildings, and it seems that Bridgewater State College is trying to increase its name recognition and standing in the community as well." Complementing Miss Reardon's view is that of Sandy Cohen, '93. "Every year the college has something more to offer, whether it be a new major, new computer systems, or new faculty. Bridgewater's getting better all the time." These changes and improvements, however, also have had a cost. As noted by Ms. Reardon, "there are now greater financial concerns at the college," adding that tuition and fees have increased substantially since she arrived at Bridgewater.

In comparing these answers with those from the Class of '42, Virginia T. Mayo says "I've returned many times and every time I return there are new events and construction." Adding to Miss Mayo's opinion is Mrs. Spollett, '43, "The growth of buildings, facilities, programs and the tremendous enrollment growth of under-grads and graduate students astound and amaze one. The curriculum offerings are so varied and exciting. It's thrilling to see the changes. Opportunities abound!"

Class of 1943 graduates were asked what advice they would give to the Class of 1993. After teaching for 42 years in elementary school, coaching girls softball, basketball, track and ice skating, and traveling around the world, Miss Mayo, '43, advises 1993 graduates to "remember the B.S.C. motto in whatever you do." Simply stated, the Bridgewater State College motto 'Not To Be Ministered Unto But To Minister' suggests that one should take responsibility for one's own actions and be actively concerned for the welfare of others.

"For the 1993 graduates, the world is a much tougher place," says '43 graduate, Mrs. Spollett, "but it is a much more exciting place and it is expanding. We're not limited to our planet. Knowledge and technology are growing so rapidly and the world is yours. Prepare yourselves and go for it!" she advises.

Bridgewater State College will celebrate the graduation of the Class of 1993 this coming May, along with the 50th anniversary of the Class of 1943. The 1943 graduates will reflect on the rich past of the Bridgewater tradition, as the Class of 1993 anxiously anticipates its future. Each graduate of the College, past and present, shares in common the Bridgewater traditions handed down through many generations, and is charged with carrying them into the future.
Class of 1921
Volunteer to be your Class Secretary-
Call 508/697-1287
Myra Luce writes that she is currently living in Melrose, MA after teaching 30 years in the Melrose School System. Myra has written a book entitled “My Checkered Career” and says so far no publishers.

Class of 1928
Volunteer to be your Class Secretary-
Call 508/697-1287
Mable Pratt writes that after several weeks recuperating in Florida hospitals, she is finally able to sift through her two-foot stack of mail. A misdiagnosis of a broken hip unduly prolonged her hospital stay, and she would like to take a break from being class secretary as she continues her recovery. Mable welcomes anyone interested in becoming class secretary to contact the Office of Alumni Relations.

Class of 1935
Gene Higgins, 20 Deerfield Rd., Osterville, MA 02655
Drop a line - let’s hear from you - what you are doing - places you’ve been - things to brag about. I’ll start a bragging session. My oldest granddaughter, Kerry Higgins, graduated as class valedictorian at the Woburn High School in June.

John Bates reports that he has become quite proficient in the kitchen. One of his favorite T.V. programs is “The Galloping Gourmet.”

Florence Giberti Caldera reports that she spends her summers at Old Silver Beach in West Falmouth. Come on down for a dip and a cup of tea. Her name is in the ‘phone book, so if you are in the area give her a call.

Bob Hancock lives in West Dennis. He reports that he keeps very busy working around his property. As he has wonderful memories of Bridgewater, he looks forward to receiving copies of the Alumni booklet which keeps him up to date on activities going on there.

I hate to report that Ken Murphy had a stroke this summer which has curtailed his activity somewhat. But he’s determined to get back into the swing of things. Send him a card or note to let him know we are all rooting for him.

Bertha Elles Pease and her husband celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary by taking a cruise to Alaska. In her “spare” time she serves as chairman of the local Council on Aging and is working hard to get a Senior Center located in her town.

Hazel Smith Townsend, on a trip to the top of Mt. Jacinto, stepped and injured her arm. Since 1979 she has moved from El Paso to Lubbock, Texas, to Shawnee, Kansas and to Northville and DeWitt, Michigan. Wow!

Class of 1936
Barb Albret, Box 1075, East Dennis, MA 02641
Phyl Esau, 45 Bryant Ave., Milton, MA 02186
Dot Beare has moved from Atlanta, Georgia, to Oak Ridge, Tennessee, where her daughter, Nancy, lives. During one of Dot’s trips north, she attended her 60th high school reunion on Cape Cod. While in Hyannis, she was joined by Dot Kelleher Donovan and husband Jim for a happy mini-reunion.

After thyroid treatments last summer, Ruth Cronin Jacoby has regained her voice with the lilt we well remember, as well as her prowess on the golf course. The three Jacoby sons are all involved in education: Matt Jr. and Chris teaching in Pittsfield and Phil, with a doctorate, at the American University.

Visiting family and friends, Ruth Flaherty Lovett did share her story of traveling in 1992. Her itinerary included Albuquerque, New Mexico, Washington D.C., and San Francisco, California. In between travels she had an exhibit of her painting at the Morris, Connecticut, library. Now, she writes, she’s “into computers.”

Betty Norton Matthews and husband Vincent also have a son in education, a high school principal in Pittsfield. We’re indebted to Ruth for sending us these new items. How about some news from other classmates? Don’t be modest! Tell us about yourselves and your families.

Class of 1941
Louise B. Forsyth, 75 Monroe Road, Quincy, MA 02169
When the issue of Bridgewater arrived with the removable report form, a self-mailer, I noted it with approval and awaited a flood of information about members of the Class of 1941. Alas! Just two forms were forwarded to me from the College.

Other content in the printed information for the Class of 1941 comes only from my own personal correspondence and activity. (Some friends consider not writing to me because it appears in print!) Two other alumni newsletters which I receive have to limit class reports (as even or odd years) to every other issue.

It was such a joy to meet again with so many from our class during our great reunion at the College in 1991 and many of us are deeply interested in continuing information to keep in touch with each other. The class column in Bridgewater is an excellent medium for us.

The holiday season and exchanges of cards and letters may have brought information about our classmates which would be of interest to all of us. Please send to me soon any news you’ve received and be sure to include information about you.

May I look forward to a deluge of mail???? I hope so!

Sincerely,
Louise

Carey Brush and Tinker are enjoying living in Richmond, Virginia, and becoming active in the Virginia Historical Society. They participate in a book discussion group, lead tours, and Tinker operates the gift shop one afternoon a week. Carey recently led a discussion of a book critical of Robert E. Lee; most participants didn’t think the book worth-while. They flew to Portland, Oregon, in the fall to see their daughter’s new home in Battle-ground, Washington, in sight of Mt. Hood and Mt. St. Helen’s. The Brushes see a lot of Jim Savage.

Ina May Mosher Marland moved to
Florida after retiring from the Central School in East Bridgewater. Her husband passed away 5 years ago, however, she keeps busy teaching and playing piano. Her family resides in Florida and Montana and Ina is looking forward to the 55th get together in 1996. 

Anastasia Zoslosky presently resides in Raynham after her retirement. Her years of teaching took her from Taunton to California with side trips to France, Germany, Japan and Alaska.

Class of 1944

Evelyn Whiting Hildreth, 118 Day St., Granby, CT 06035

We are looking for people interested in helping with plans for the 50th reunion of the Class of 1944. Please contact Elaine Clapp Kelly, 83 Elva Rd, N. Weymouth, MA 02191. 

Celebrating the 51st year since they met at BTC, the following had a reunion in Wellfleet on Oct. 17 & 18: Theo Buscom Lukas, Elaine Clapp Kelly, Stasia Coporan Blount, Beulah Downs Grout, Marie Eagan Staples, Ruth Finelly Wheatley, Lauren Kenslea Grace and Evelyn Whiting Hildreth.

Rosemary Durant Curto is retired and living in Hemet, California after 20 years of teaching in the western part of Massachusetts. Since the death of her husband, Tom, she has become an officer in a travel club and has escorted trips to many places in California and will be leading a trip to the Panama Canal on the Royal Princess cruise ship soon. She reports that she comes back to Massachusetts at least twice a year to visit her 5 sons and their families.

Class of 1949

Volunteer to be your Class Secretary-
Call 508/697-1287

Marjorie Newton Hallowell reports her retirement after 24 years serving as head librarian in four different states, (New York, California, New Jersey and Texas) while she followed her husband, George, in his career with Shell. Her husband has passed away and Marjorie is now exploring new areas as she has recently moved to the Northwest.

Class of 1950

Volunteer to be your Class Secretary-
Call 508/697-1287

Barbara Hall Coville retired from teaching in June of 1992 after 41 years. She and her husband Paul have moved to their new home in South Portland, Maine and their cottage in Waterford, Maine.

Class of 1951

Jean Collins Fletcher, c/o P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA. 02324

Congratulations to Thomas Daley of Somerset who was awarded his degree of Doctor of Education from the University of Massachusetts at Amherst. Doctor Daley, a graduate of Somerset High School, also holds a bachelor of science in education, masters in education and a certificate of advanced graduate study in education, all from Bridgewater State College, where he was president of the senior class, and a member of Kappa Delta Pi, National Honor Society in Education. Following a long career in the Somerset Public Schools as a teacher, vice principal, assistant superintendent, and superintendent, Doctor Daley retired in November of 1990. His future plans include volunteer work, teaching, educational consulting, and travel.

After taking early retirement in 1989 from teaching at Bridgewater State College, Dr. Burton Goldman moved to a high rise condo at Riviera Beach, Fl. Now, after three years of relaxing he has decided to teach another class of chemistry at Palm Beach Community College.

Class of 1952

Bob Cooper, 247 Secatogue Lane, West Islip, NY 11795

Helen O'Connor Keegan recently retired as co-founding director of St. Roberts C.D.S. after 23 years. During that time the parish school grew from 42 pupils in 1970 to 92 in 1992. Helen says her early childhood courses and career were quite a change from her English and counseling training at Bridgewater, however, she says she can't imagine a position she would have enjoyed more. She and her husband Harold plan to retire to Falmouth in 1993. They are pictured here at Helen's 40th Bridgewater reunion.

Kathleen Eunice Garvin Sullivan reports that she and her husband are now residents of Bonita Springs, Florida and spend only five months each year in Mashpee.

Thanks to Jean French Vankin we received an excellent article on Sam Gomez who recently retired as head of the philosophy department at North Adams State College, where he had also coached the cross country team for eight years. In 1984 the North Adams State College Student Government Association honored Sam by naming their annual charity road race after him. Since 1984 the race has been called the Sam Gomez Classic Road Race and this year all proceeds went to Kids Choice. Sam received his Ph.D. from the University of Connecticut and since 1957 has taught on the college level at Glassboro (N.J.) State, the University of Bridgeport (Conn.), Salem State College and finally North Adams. Sam was a member of the North Adams school committee for 12 years. His reaction to having a road race named after him, he simply said, "What an honor."

Elaine Shore Tersol has taken early retirement and now works 30 days a year as a "Super-Sub" for the Monterey Peninsula Unified School District. Elaine will substitute for any teacher who will take training in new technology: computers, LCD, etc. Since she walks in with a portable computer, an LCD and software, teachers do not need to leave lesson plans. Also, Elaine would like to talk to any alums that use America Online. Jean French Vankin and her husband, Larry, are living in Williamstown,
Mass. Jean is Senior Library Assistant in Sawyer Library at William’s College where her husband is a professor. Their son, Jonathan, is a journalist in California and has a book on conspiracy theories published last year which is now out in paperback form. Daughter Laura is Director of Human Resources and Marketing at a Norwood bank.

Class of 1953

REUNION

Ralph Fletcher, c/o Davis Alumni Center, P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324

Carol Daly Crook has retired to Arizona. She loves the state, particularly northern Arizona, Prescott, Flagstaff, and the region around the Grand Canyon. In addition to celebrating her 40th anniversary at BSC in 1993, she will be celebrating her 40th anniversary in 1994 from her Army Physical Therapy class. Her unit will be honored at Ft. Sam Houston in San Antonio, TX, and will be saluted by the current physical therapy class. Carol has not seen many of her Army classmates for 40 years. She said she will make her best effort to be at BSC for our 50th in 2003.

Class of 1954

Patricia Phillips, Thurston Point Road, Gloucester, MA 01930

Hazel Luke Varella, 121 Center St., N. Easton, MA 02356

Bob Barrows has completed his Sabbatical and returned to chairing the English Department at a private school in Honolulu. He spent three weeks in Russia and then visited friends in Geneva, London, and continental United States. He especially enjoyed his visits to Bridgewater and dinner with several of his 1954 classmates. He is hoping that not only will there be a fortieth reunion in May, 1994 but also a summer reunion for the many who might not be able to attend in May.

Wayne and Ann Campbell Thomas are thrilled to announce the arrival of their grandson, Thomas Tyler Faucett, born September 25, 1992 to their daughter Martha and her husband John. Wayne, who retired six years ago from his elementary principalship in Marshfield, is now hardware supervisor at Mid-Cape Home Center in Kingston. Ann is still working part-time as a Chapter I tutor in Marshfield. They enjoy traveling particularly every April to Arizona.

Class of 1955

Gene Kennedy, 5 Kabeyun Road, Converse Point, Marion, MA 02738

Arlene Motta Furtado is enjoying her retirement. She writes that her son got married in September and daughter, Kerry, is a senior at Towson State in Maryland and plans to be a teacher.

Norma Goyetche Munroe was a 1992 recipient of the Teacher Educator of the Year Award from the Massachusetts Association of Teacher Educators. She was recognized for her significant contributions as a fifth-grade teacher at Gloucester’s Fuller School. She is pictured here with family and fellow Bridgewater alums David A. Munroe, ’81, and Lynn Townsend Munroe, ’82. Patricia Cuff O’Neill wrote that son, Michael, returned from his teaching position in Spain on Christmas Eve adding greatly to the holiday spirit in the O’Neill household. Rosemary Sweeney was married last spring to Wayne Davies of Centerville. The happy couple resides in East Sandwich.

Regrettably omitted from the list who attended the summer party in the last issue was Arline Schatz Roy who is still teaching in Marshfield. Trips to Nevada, Vancouver Island and two winter Elderhostels kept Aleta Vokey and her husband, Wes, the most traveled of our classmates this year. Wes had a recent health setback but is recovering rapidly.

Class of 1957

Volunteer to be your Class Secretary—Call 508/697-1287

Albert and Anne Merten Readdy report that after heading east for their 35th reunion and enjoying the renewal of old friendships they attended two family weddings in Massachusetts. August and half of September were spent touring Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. Anne spent time searching her family roots, especially in Yarmouth, NS where she discovered one of the three English founding fathers was a relative, several generations past. After six months on the road, they are back in Pahrump, Nevada (63 miles west of Las Vegas) for or until “?”

Class of 1958

REUNION

Volunteer to be your Class Secretary—Call 508/697-1287

Viola Goodnow was recently honored for her 35 years of service to the Frontier Regional School District. More than 200 school officials, friends, family, colleagues and admirers paid tribute to Vi, who has chalked up 1,013 wins during her years coaching Frontier field hockey, girls basketball and softball. Vi’s reflection on her 35 years gives credit to her players, “I have been so fortunate, I am the luckiest person on the face of the earth.”

Class of 1959

Volunteer to be your Class Secretary—Call 508/697-1287

Millie Halter Berkowitz of Rockville, Maryland is currently working as a social worker/therapist for the State of Maryland after receiving her master’s in social work from the Catholic University of America in May of 1990. Millie loves her new-found career and also enjoys being a new grandparent to Jacob.

Elaine Campbell Melisi was recently elected president of the Massachusetts Library Trustees Association at the annual meeting on October 31, 1992. Elaine has been a library trustee in her
hometown of Whitman since 1980 and has served on the board of directors of the state association since 1988 as well as representing the state association at conferences. She will be representing the state at the American Library Association conference in New Orleans in June of 1993. Elaine celebrated her 32nd wedding anniversary and the marriage of her son, Michael, all last year.

Class of 1961

Cliff Wood, c/o P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324

Ann Striano Fairbanks is currently teaching second grade at a preparatory school in Lake Mary, Florida. Anne has three children and is the proud grandmother of two grandsons. Anne is recently widowed and keeps busy with family, community groups and travel, which has taken her of late to Mexico and Hawaii. A trip back to Massachusetts is coming up soon for a relative’s wedding. She reflects often on her four happy years at Bridgewater.

Class of 1962

Tom Lee, 68 Shore Ave., Lakeville, MA 02347

Larry Cornell has retired as superintendent of the Gardner school system. He and his wife, Shirley, are living in Fall River. Larry is serving as a consultant to the Greater Lawrence Collaborative. Their son, Guy, graduated from Bridgewater State College of 1962 in 1990.

Sheila Tunstall McKenna has retired as superintendent of the Gardner school system. Sheila also works part time and is involved in too many activities to list. Congratulations Sheila.

Tom Ruffini has hung up his Air Force colonel’s cap for the last time. Tom officially retired as of Jan. 1, 1993 after 30 years of service which brought him to Japan, Vietnam and England. Tom completed a master’s degree in counseling psychology from Ball State University and resides in Alexandria, VA with his wife of 24 years, Cheryl. By the time you receive this issue, I will have returned from a trip to Lithuania, Latvia, and Russia. The College Chamber Singers have been invited to perform several concerts and I’ll travel as a photo consultant.

Class of 1963

REUNION

Judith Williams-Millar, 212 Franklin St., Whitman, MA 02382

Dear Classmates, no news may be good news but it can be boring. We all like to hear from, or about, old friends, and our interest in old friends is not limited to only their significant accomplishments.” Please send in any news about yourself you would like to share with us. I have made a re-entry to the classroom as a substitute teacher. My children have left the nest and it’s time for me to do what I love even if for now its in a limited capacity. I have very much enjoyed the surprise in meeting classmates during substitute assignments. These classmates have included Warren Lewis and Diane Willard at the Squantum School in Quincy; Dorothy Pitts Miller at the School in Weymouth; and Geraldine Zanolli Murphy at the Parker School in Quincy. Gerry and I did not recognize each other and even the change in last names left us without a clue. Substitute teaching requires special adjustments and skills and presents a challenge which I love to meet. Any other “subs” out there enjoying the opportunity to meet so many students and teachers, and the opportunity to sample many methods and materials? Let’s hear from you. A while ago, while enrolling our daughters at Lesley College, Faith Peterson-Mullane Manzer and I had an unexpected reunion. Faith’s daughter, Hope, is now a Special Needs teacher in Weymouth. Faith herself is a Media Specialist in the Quincy schools. My daughter, Deirdre, is now the classroom teacher/MSCC intern at Bellwood Psychiatric Hospital in Clinical Psychology.

Judy McBride Frederick, husband Allen and children Katie and Chris have spent six months in Japan. Katie and Chris attended the school for native Japanese children in Tsukuba, Japan. Judy volunteered at their school and reports a friendly interaction between all school staff and the students. Teachers in Japan spend the entire day with their class - no breaks! Teachers and students eat, play and clean up together; there is no custodial staff. A two week side trip to China was thoroughly enjoyed by all the Fredericks. After seventeen years of teaching in California public schools, Judy is now completing an internship for a license in MSCC counseling. She resides in the San Francisco Bay area. Leland E. Rendell is president of Eastland Realty Co. in Cotuit. He writes that if there are any single female classmates who play golf, or would like to learn, call him! Phone: (508) 539-1031. Lee is club champion at Cotuit Country Club, handicap 10. Got those yearbooks handy ladies?

Class of 1964

John Olson, 8311 31st Avenue NE, Seattle, WA 98115-4733

Hi from Seattle, this is John Olson. I’ve offered to be class secretary unless or until someone more local to Bridgewater wants to take over. A more local secretary would likely be better since I am too far away to pick up on verbal news among those closer to BSC. In the meantime, send me your news and I’ll get it to press so we can keep in touch with one another. As for my news, I’ve just been named to the board of Trail Blazers Northwest - a new non-profit developing wilderness for adventures for and with people who have visual impairments. This is a great match with my life’s work and fun since moving to Washington in ’66. As some of you know, my work has been in rehabilitation services for blind and visually impaired people. I began as a service specialist in mobility, deaf-blindness, and low vision. Then I moved into grant writing, contract management, and statewide program administration - all for the state of Washington. On the fun side, I’ve made good use of the Olympic and Cascade mountains, glacier-fed rivers, Puget Sound, and the Pacific coast with family, friends, and people with visual impairments. Trail Blazers Northwest offers me a
chance to expand adventure options, increase access, and develop new leaders.

Class of 1965

Priscilla Douzanis, 123 Union St., Bridgewater, MA 02324

Where are you and what are you doing? We want to hear from you. Please send me any updates so that I can share them with our class. We were fortunate to receive much information this issue, so much that our class notes will have to be continued in the next *Bridge water*. Thanks for the news.

Judith Campisi Cousens currently works at Sears in Waterbury, CT as a Sales Associate. She has been very active in local community affairs holding the position of director of the local food bank for the last three years.

Terri Stolarz Geribo and her husband Danny celebrated their silver wedding anniversary. The have twin sons. Dean is a sophomore at BSC and Derek is serving in the U. S. Army stationed in Washington state. Terri was elected president of the newly formed BSC Parent Association for the 92-93 academic year. Terri commented that the physical plant and student body have tripled since ’65, but feels that it still retains that warm, family, caring Bridgewater tradition we all enjoyed in the ’60s. Terri works with her husband in their company, Unfinished Furniture House, Inc. located in Taunton.

Cornelia J. Siscoe LaRosa and her husband Frank are proud of their 24 year old sons, both of whom have been honorably discharged from the U. S. Army. They were stationed in Alaska and Hawaii. Cornelia has been employed by Liberty Mutual Insurance Company as a supervising service representative for 14 years. Her husband is employed by Shaw’s Supermarkets.

Neal LeBlanc reports that he is currently employed as a guidance counselor at Southbridge High School and works as a real estate broker for Prudential Horne and Hastings also of Southbridge.

Diane E. Szczepan Murphy was a participant in the People to People Citizens Ambassador Program that visited libraries in Russia, Lithuania and Czechoslovakia. Thirty-three librarians from across the U. S. made the trip. Diane is a library media specialist at St. Mark’s School in Southborough. Despite her busy schedule, Diane finds plenty of time to spend with her three children ages 18, 15, and 12.

Elaine Scott Neal is currently presenting public seminars on creative visualization, dream work and meditation. As a creative visualization consultant she teaches people c.v. techniques to obtain goals and facilitates for breakthroughs in consciousness.

Martin Orlando writes that he retired from the classroom two years ago and still enjoys traveling and camping.

Daughter, Rose, also a Bridgewater grad and her husband gave them their first grandchild last November.

Congratulations to Nancy Holewka Penney and her husband. They celebrated their silver wedding anniversary by taking a trip to London and France. Their son, Matt, graduated from Tufts University and is currently taking graduate courses at BSC. Nancy works with her husband in their company, Medical Data Services.

Nancy Holewka Penney • see related story on page 5.

Fred Stevens and his wife, Mary Sue (Donovan) celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary last February by taking a western Caribbean cruise on the “Song of America.” They have two daughters. Beth is a 5th year student at Northeastern University majoring in medical laboratory science and Maura, who lives in Boise, Idaho, attended Boise State and now makes a career in the marketing field. Fred has been with the Brockton Public School System since 1965 and is presently principal of the Franklin School. Mary Sue is a reading and English teacher at Holbrook Jr. /Sr. High School.

Arthur and Diane Duquette Svenson report that they are living in Duxbury and that their three children are all out of college. Diane is currently teaching English and French at Archbishop Williams in Braintree.

Silas C. C. Wade and his wife, Florence make their home in Castroville, Texas. Silas is principal of the Medina Valley Intermediate School. Florence teaches in a private elementary school. They have been married for 31 years. They have three children and one grandchild. They enjoy vacations on the Texas coast and Las Vegas.

Nancy Corcoran Yucius writes that she has been a resource room teacher in Brockton for 9 years. Her youngest child is now a senior at BSC and Nancy plans to travel to Alaska next summer.

Class of 1967

Carolyn Skeie Bendiksen, c/o P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324

Classmates—let’s get the Class of 1967 into the news! Please send any information on what you’re doing, where you’re going or where you’ve been. Everyone is waiting to hear the latest, please write!

Class of 1968

REUNION

Donna Daley Brown, Box 366, Bryantville, MA 02327

Arvid R. Anderson of Hyannis Port was recently honored with a service award at Cape Cod Community College where he began his thirtieth year as an adjunct instructor of construction technology. Arvid, who earned his degrees at George Washington University and at Bridgewater, formerly taught at Falmouth High School. Additionally, he was a foreman of an oak flooring plant and lumberyard, an inspector during the construction of Barnstable High School, owner of his own construction business, owner of a retail ice, milk
and food business and a teacher at Massachusetts Maritime Academy. Michael R. Homer is serving as president of the South Shore Guidance Association. A counselor at Stoughton High School, he also serves on the Board of Governors for the Massachusetts School Counselors Association. Holly A. Roper of Hingham has been working as a long term special education substitute in Weymouth at Academy Avenue. Holly has had experience in Plymouth and Hingham as well.

Mary Lou Thimas has been named as assistant commissioner of the Eastern College Athletic Conference where she will be responsible for officiating championships. The athletic director for four years at Framingham North and South High Schools and for the combined high schools last year, Mary Lou had previously spent three years at BSC as an associate athletic director and three sport coach. An excellent athlete while at BSC, Mary Lou is a member of Bridgewater State’s Hall of Fame. Additionally, she is also a member of both Plymouth-Carver High School and New Agenda halls of fame. Quoted in The Boston Globe, Mary Lou said, “I’m excited about joining the ECAC and returning to intercollegiate sports.” The largest athletic conference in the nation, the ECAC has 268 member colleges, 93 championships in 19 sports, and over 20,000 officiating assignment responsibilities in 15 sports. Good luck, Mary Lou!

I’ve been a busy little camper myself (Donna Daley Brown). This is the second year of my biennium as state president for Delta Kappa Gamma, and I spent much of the fall on the road attending meetings and seminars. Along the way I’ve met hundreds of BSC grads. Many of them like Bea Fitts, ’33 have delightful stories to tell about Bridgewater “back when.” It’s been a wonderful part of my job. I was elected to Whitman-Hanson’s Hall of Fame! The induction ceremony is conducted as part of Whitman-Hanson’s National Honor Society induction, with the inductee serving as the speaker for the evening. It was a dynamite evening, topped by the fact that the NHS members had elected my brother Jim Daley, ’75, a social studies teacher at W-H, the 1992 faculty honorary member. Lastly, after years of being a guidance counselor, I found myself on the other side of the desk as daughter Meghan began her college search. Lovely trips to Nova Scotia last spring and at Thanksgiving convinced her to apply to Dalhousie in Halifax. Her dad and I are happy to announce that she was accepted to the Marine Biology program in early January. On this note, when we were at Dalhousie last spring, Ken and I were waiting for Meg in the Registrar’s Office when I spied a poster promoting the Canadian-American exchange program and featuring Bridgewater State! By the time you have read this we will have organized our 25th reunion committee and plans will be underway for the fall. Please watch your mailbox for announcements of future meetings and for all the info on the BIG EVENT. Got some great ideas? Drop me a line or, even better, come to the next meeting. Start now to call your old roommates or frat brothers or classmates to make plans for October. Watch the airlines for real cheapo tickets. Help us find the 80+ folks who are among the missing. WE NEED YOU to make this a success.

Class of 1969
Lucy Bernardo/Leon Raczkowski, c/o P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324

James Fagan was recently elected as State Representative for the Third Bristol District serving Taunton where he resides with his wife, Christine Lussier Fagan,’73 and his six sons, Michael (Class of ’94 and current catcher for the Bears baseball team), Patrick, Daniel, Kevin, Matthew and James.

Class of 1970
Volunteer to be your Class Secretary-
Call 508/697-1287

Lori H. Outzen (Helen L. Horton) writes that after 16 years as a full time mother/homemaker, she has gone back to school as a sixth grade teacher in Londonderry, NH.

Class of 1971
Ann B. Borowiec Koczera, 119 Jarry Street, New Bedford, MA 02745

Anita Dubow Jamieson is currently the principal at Devine Elementary School in Randolph after working in such communities as Whitman and South Boston. Anita received her master’s from Harvard in 1977 and presently resides in Brookline.

Class of 1972
Volunteer to be your Class Secretary-
Call 508/697-1287

William Y. Walker, Jr. was recently appointed coordinator of athletics for the Quincy Public School System. He was also named Boston Globe 1991-1992 Girls Swimming Coach of the Year in Massachusetts and also received the 1992 Eastern Massachusetts Interscholastic Swimming Association Meritorious Service Award.

Class of 1973
Bruce Gaines, 637 East Queen St., Inglewood, CA 90301

REUNION

Stella Citrano started a new job recently as an internal review specialist with the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) in Franklin, Mass.

Class of 1974
Donna Tobin Wolohojian 15448 Indiana Dr., Rockville, MD 20855

Richard J. Lozik was recently appointed vice principal of the Henry Lord Middle School in Fall River. He has served in the Fall River School Department since 1969 as an elementary school teacher and has also served as acting vice principal at the Kuss Middle School.
Class of 1975
Volunteer to be your Class Secretary-
Call 508/697-1287

Laney Clement-Holbrook was recently inducted into New Agenda Northeast Hall of Fame 1992 as an advocate for girls' athletics. She has also served as the first female president of the Massachusetts Basketball Coaches Association in its 29 year history. Laney is a science teacher and girls' varsity basketball coach at Oliver Ames High School in Easton where she recently won her 250th career victory in her 17th season of coaching.

Class of 1976
Jackie Sylvia Wheaton, P.O. Box 35, Atlantic, ME 04508
Nancy Kipp Florence, c/o P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324
Bruce D. Clarke received an appointment as principal of Talbot Middle School. Previously, Bruce had been serving as interim principal there and served as interim principal of Duxbury High School for two years.
Patricia Moschella Kalicki writes from Medway. She is a special needs teacher in the Alternate Learning Program at the Norton Middle School. She had the honor of receiving recognition in Who's Who in Education 92-93 edition and Who's Who in American Women, 17th edition. Patricia and her husband have two children, Stephen Andrew (5 1/2) and Brenna Nicole (1). Brenna was the result of an emergency home birth, delivered by her parents!
Wayne P. LaGue, a Duxbury resident, was unanimously approved as assistant superintendent of schools for curriculum and instruction in the Revere school system. Wayne holds a M.Ed. from BSC, Ph.D. in educational leadership and curriculum development from B.U. and a diploma with distinction in educational studies from Oxford.
In August Susan Leary was chosen principal of the Marstones Mills/Cotuit Elementary Schools. Susan has lived in Plymouth for the past 20 years. She earned her BA in education at BSC and a M.Ed. at Harvard School of Education.
Michael E. Lewandowski, of Somerset, has been elected to the Massachusetts State Science Fair Operating Committee. Michael holds a M.Ed. in school administration from BSC and has been a science teacher at Joseph Case High School in Swansea since 1973. He also is an instructor in U. Mass Boston's Division of Continuing Ed.
Captain Robert Pomeroy was recently appointed chief of police in the town of Plymouth. Robert earned a degree in history at BSC, a master's degree in administration of justice from Salve Regina and has completed an eleven week program at Southern New England School of Law.
Robert Reid, who earned a graduate certificate in science education from BSC was elected to the post of assistant principal at Mulcahey School in Taunton, where he has taught science since 1972.

Class of 1977
Bob Mansur, 1861 117th Avenue NE, Blaine, MN 55449
Donna Kane Tobey, c/o P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324
Debbie Almeida, a fourth-grade teacher at Sippican School in Buzzards Bay, is one of the few certified instructors on the Cape for a national program titled "Math...A way of thinking." Her training for the program was conducted at the Center for Innovation in Education in San Jose, California. She has spread her knowledge by delivering the five-day workshop to other teachers, some from as far away as Central New York.
Donna Borges Entwistle is currently residing in Green Bay, Wisconsin where husband Jeff, '78, is chairman of the Communication and the Arts Department at the University of Wisconsin - Green Bay. Donna volunteers her time as Special Events Coordinator at Langlade Elementary where daughter Taylor is a fourth grader. Last spring, Donna directed a musical for the school with 94 children grades K-5.
Glen Kilough is currently team teaching kindergarten in Attleboro with Jim Giammarino. They are the first male kindergarten teachers in Attleboro's history.
Jeff Lord received his Ph. D. in School Administration from Boston College in December.
This past summer Bob Madill was named general manager of the Lechmere store in Taunton. He joined the Lechmere executive training program in 1988. Since graduating from Bridgewater, Bob has also earned a master's of science degree in applied management from Lesley College.

Class of 1978
REUNION
Liz Gallagher Duval, 16 Moreland Rd., Quincy, MA 02169
Marian MacLean Wineburner, 421 Morris Rd. Apt. 6, Wayne, PA 1908
Peter & Nancy Torrey Hayes, c/o P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324
Elaine Zollo, 121 Nahant St., Lynn, MA 01902

Friends from the Class of '78 met at the Common Market Restaurant in Quincy recently. Seated, L-R are, Loretta Borges, Jean Sarson Cahill, Karen Ryan Kane, Paula Macomber Money, and Liz Gallagher Duval.
Russ Abisla recently wed Stephanie Cullen in Shrewsbury. Russ is employed at the United Parcel Service in Brockton. After a trip to Nantucket, the couple will reside in Milford.
Beverly Atwood, a kindergarten teacher
in the Middleboro public schools, recently presented a lecture series, “Let’s Hear It for the Children” at the Middleboro Public Library. The “development of the child” was the subject of her discussion.

Jody Benson Bagdis where are you? Your classmates would like to know what you are up to these days!

Contact us through the Alumni news.

Maureen Hyland Cimoch is presently teaching Health and Physical Education at Grafton Memorial High School. In 1984, she married Joe Cimoch. They have two beautiful daughters; Colleen, 5 and Christine 2, and live on Webster Lake.

Russ Denver was notified last November that he had been admitted to the Massachusetts Bar. He earned his law degree from Western New England College School of Law.

Marc d’Alarcao, associate professor of Chemistry at Tufts University, co-wrote a paper entitled “Synthesis and Characterization of an Insulin-Mimetic Disaccharide,” which recently appeared in the American Chemical Society’s Journal of Organic Chemistry. After receiving a bachelor’s in Chemistry from Bridgewater, Marc received a doctoral degree from the University of Illinois, and was a postdoctoral fellow at Harvard. Marc currently resides in Arlington.

Maureen Baron Fuller received her master’s degree in Education from Lesley College last summer. She lives in Pocasset with her husband, John, and two beautiful daughters Sarah, who is in first grade, and Katy, who is attending pre-school.

Kevin Hughes is currently teaching physical education and social studies in Orland, Maine. Florence, Italy; Damascus, Syria; Karachi, Pakistan; and most recently, Jakarta, Indonesia; have been the sites of Kevin’s previous teaching posts. Kevin expects to complete a M.A. in athletic administration from Springfield College shortly. Now living in Camden, Maine, Kevin says that his son, 8 years old, will be seeing snow for the very first time.

Susan Martin was appointed principal of the Governor Carver Elementary School in Carver, grades 4 through 6, last year. She resides in Marshfield with her husband, John, and their children.


Lee Pellicone and wife, Bonnie, gave birth to their new daughter, Jenna, last August. Jenna attended her first BSC Homecoming last fall with her proud Dad.


Denise Walsh was appointed principal of Dedham High School last fall by the Dedham school committee.

Loretta Borges, Jean Sarson Cahill, Karen Ryan Kane, Paula Macomber Money, and Liz Gallagher Duval met recently at the Common Market Restaurant in Quincy. A great time was had by all, complete with old photo albums, scrapbooks, and even a round of Karaoke singing.

Class of 1979

Barbara Cawlina Luby, 1 Ontario St., Worcester, MA 01606
Peg Linehan Szostek, 1192 Bedford St, Whitman, MA 02382

Michael Finegan, that wild and crazy guy, is quite a hit on his WODS-Oldies 103 radio station in Boston! He has been with WODS for seven years and before that he worked with WORC-AM and WFTQ-AM in Worcester. Michael also volunteers his free time for the Audio Journal, the Worcester area radio and cable TV reading service for those with impaired vision. Keep up the great work Mike!! He lives with his wife Jo-Ann and their two daughters Erica and Carly in Worcester.

Joseph J. Nowicki recently received his doctorate in education from U Mass-Amherst; he has his master’s degree in education from BSC. He and his wife Kathleen live in North Amherst with their son, Jude.

Last fall, Leslie Scott joined Sterling Hager, Inc., a high-technology public relations agency as an account manager. Before taking on this position, she worked with Hill and Knowlton/New England where she developed and implemented public relations programs for hardware, software and computer service clients. Leslie resides in Wakefield, MA.

Karen Hallgren Stephak, is a contract negotiator for Naval Air Systems Command (NAVAIR) in Arlington, VA and is very proud of her two daughters, Sarah Catherine born in August, 1992 and Rachel Adrienne, age 2.

Becky Welch is living in Naples, FL and teaching physical education in grades K-12 at the Collier County Public Schools in Everglades City, Florida. Becky also coaches volleyball, basketball, softball, and baseball. In 1991-1992 she was nominated for the “Golden Apple” (teacher of the year).

Class of 1980

Scott McDonald, 18 Church St., Bristol, RI, 02809
Susan Libby Breen writes that she enjoys California life with her two daughters in San Jose. She encourages anyone going west to look her up. Sue also writes to tell Hutch and Grandmont to keep in touch.
Joe Gonsalves has been named principal of the Redlan Elementary School in Stone Mountain, Georgia. Joe, wife Kathleen and son Joseph live in Grayson, Georgia.

Kathy Haynes of Weymouth recently became employed at the South Shore Hospital as a CPD specialist. Kathy was formerly employed by Milton and Beth Israel Hospitals. She is a registered central service technician and a member of the International Association of Hospital Central Service Management.

Karen Gorman McGinnis is an account executive with John Hancock and lives in Londonderry NH. She is currently on sabbatical due to the birth of her second son, Daniel, born on January 14. Daniel joins brother, Christopher, age two.

Tom “Tex” McNulty of South Hadley has been named vice president of West Springfield Junior High.

Steven Monteiro of Winter Park, Florida is senior buyer at FMC Corp. manufacturer of airline equipment. He is married to Jeanne Broelli, ’79 and has two children.

Ann Maclean Rapice lives in Wolcott, Conn. She enjoys her career as a paralegal and recently received a second degree at Quinnipiac. Ann and husband Bob have a son named Alex, six years, and just celebrated ten wedded years.

Maureen Moriarty Rose is living in North Attleboro with husband, Bob. She is currently doing home daycare but hopes to return to teaching. Maureen stays busy with her four children Ryan (9), Tara (7), Casey (4), and Kaitlyn (3 mos.).

Thanks for the great response to my call for letters. Your effort has been wonderful. Please continue to share any good news with your friends and classmates. Any ideas or suggestions would be appreciated.

Class of 1981

Cynthia Booth Ricciardi, P.O. Box 228, Taunton, MA 02780

NOTE: After February 1, 1993, only class notes with telephone numbers included (for verification purposes) will be accepted for print.

Although we only have two classmates who considered themselves newsworthy, both gave us a lot to catch up on: Bill Govostes would like to report that he is happily living in Medford, is not married, and owns and operates his own company, Healthwatch, Inc. The Medford business provides health screen services to corporations.

Barbara Crelllara Wotherspoon writes that she moved to New Hampshire to take over as principal of the Atkinson Academy (in Atkinson). Barbara informs us that it is the oldest co-ed school in the country and encloses a post card. (Anyone familiar with BSC’s history as Bridgewater Academy will notice a resemblance in the picture...) On August 3, 1991, Barbara remarried: she and her husband traveled with their children to Antigua. Barbara writes, “Our seven children were our only witnesses and our wedding party. What a memory!” In closing, Barbara notes that her son, Eric Crivellaro, is a junior right her at BSC.

My other bit of news has to do with the ever-busy Louis Ricciardi, our Alumni Treasurer, Trustee, and Chairman of The Board of the College. (He didn’t have time to write, for obvious reasons.) Recently, Lou was included in Who’s Who in the East 1993-94 and Who’s Who in Finance and Industry American 1993-94. (They even spelled the name right!) In addition, Bristol County Savings Bank of Taunton, Mass. recently elected him to their Board of Directors.

By way of explaining the note which opened this column, I must first APOLOGIZE to Bill Govostes, for printing an unverified and untrue classnote. Although other Class Secretaries had told me about faked notes, I foolishly believed my classmates would never pull such a prank. Fortunately, no real harm was done and no one was offended. (Thanks for having such a great sense of humor Bill.) In the future, I will print only those class notes which I have verified, so be sure to enclose a valid phone number when you send in your information.

That’s it through January 1993. To those of your who attended Carmen and Bobby McFerrin performances in the campus center — weren’t they great? To those of you who attended our largest-ever Winter Commencement — I’m sure the students who heard Dr. I. King Jordan address them will remember his words. To those of you who celebrated achievement with our Hall of Black Achievement awards dinner — I hope you had a chance to meet Right Reverend Harris, for she is an interesting person and a powerful speaker! Hope you were able to attend the Juilliard String Quartet performance and the Gospel Concert... AND DON’T FORGET to mark your calendar for the Alumni Campus Beautification Project for Earth Day, on Saturday April 24 - free coffee & danish in exchange for three hours of your time!

Class of 1982

Tom Matthews, 2015B Allen Place NW, Washington, DC 20009

Sandy Papas, 91 Moraine St., Brockton, MA 02401

As a class, we have recently passed a milestone: it has been 10 years since graduation! Hard to believe! I look forward to hearing from a lot of you in the near future as Sandra and I tag-team the role of class secretary. Please write or call with any updates you would like to share with the class. I can update you on some of the guys from Great Hill Apt. 2B and 2D: Wayne “Hoagy” and Theresa Byington Carmichael live in Methuen with their daughter, Katie.

Mark Colbert and his wife Marcia live in Foxboro with their daughter, Lauren. Last year a mini-reunion was held at their wedding. Congratulations Mark & Marcia!

John Damstra is currently employed by AT&T as a system consultant. John lives in Taunton with his wife, Cheryl and their son, Justin.

Bobby and Dolores Leveille Dumas live in Fairhaven with their two boys, Michael and Jeffrey.
Lynn Haffner Feingold reports that she has been singing colonial era (1780’s) music at Blanchard’s Tavern in Avon for the past five years and has recently expanded her singing activities to include coffeehouses on the South Shore. She recently presented a special solo concert at Paul Revere House in Boston. Lynn also finds time to sing with the BSC Alumni Chamber Choir and will be traveling with the BSC Chamber Singers on their concert tour which will include Russia, Latvia, and Lithuania in March of this year. She and her husband, Jeff, still found time to celebrate their 10th anniversary. Kevin Murphy and his wife, Donna, live with their two boys, Ryan and Cory, somewhere in Massachusetts. (I’ve lost your address Murph.) All of these guys insisted that their names be included in this issue! As for myself, I am living in Washington, DC with my wife, Jackie, and son, Patrick, and I’m working in the Career Center at The George Washington University. George O’Brien and his wife, Robin, have announced the birth of their first child, a daughter Caitlin Riordan O’Brien on August 14, 1992. The family makes their home in Nashua, NH.

Vanessa Whittington was married this past July to Alphonso Brown, an Elder at the State Temple Church of God in Christ in Mattapan, Mass. The couple honeymooned in New Hampshire and Orlando, FL. Again, we’d love to hear from you so please write or call with any updates.

Class of 1983

REUNION

David Robichaud, c/o P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324

Carole Sue Martin of Bourne is helping disabled people achieve their career goals. Since obtaining her master’s degree in education at BSC, Carole has received many awards in her field including the 1989 Pride in Performance Award from Governor Dukakis, honoring her for her work as a mental health counselor. Carole Sue and her husband, Wayne, have four grown children and one grandchild. Her hobbies include golfing in sunny Ft. Meyers, Florida.

Nina Roberts earned a master of arts degree in Outdoor Resource Planning and Management from the University of Maryland at College Park. She is currently an adjunct faculty member at the university, in the department of recreation, where she teaches recreational use of natural areas. She has compiled and edited an annotated bibliography of research pertaining to the experiences and adventures of women outdoors; this resource has been included in numerous databases nationwide. Her efforts have also inspired her to submit research papers and reports on this subject to scholarly journals. Of course, her “play time” consists of rock climbing as often as possible!

Eric Yakola of Dennis recently married his sweetheart, Coreen Healey, in a beautiful ceremony on the Cape. Eric and Coreen are both teachers in the Nauset School System. They spent a romantic honeymoon in the wilds of Canada.

Class of 1984

Cindy Skowyra, c/o P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324

Steve Sattin and his wife, Della, have three children, Lindsay-6, Benjamin-3, and Ashley-2. As well as being a regional sales manager for Dow Switch, covering north of the Mason-Dixon Line and Canada, Steve owns his own personal training business called, Satin Fitness.

Class of 1985

Carrie Kulick-Clark, 44 Sharon Dr., S. Easton, MA 02375

Greetings all of our Class of ’85 interested parties!!!! The last few months have been a busy time for the Class of ’85. Wedding bells have chimed for lots of our class members. I
guess the next question is how soon will we be getting the future alumni birth announcements?

Deborah Allen was married in August of ‘88 and celebrated the birth of her son John Henry in August of ‘92. Debbie is currently working as district secretary for the VASCO Company and lives in Tewksbury.

Tony Andrea recently had an art exhibit at the Bridgewater Public Library and is a member of the Randolph, North River, Taunton and Weymouth Art Associations and was also Artist of the Month at a recent Weymouth Art Association show. Another thing that Tony has been working on is a character actor in the play, “Inner Circle” offered by the Taunton Little Theater Group.

Dennis Chighisola is the president and director of the New England Hockey Institute in Whitman. He has published three ice hockey training manuals. With planned 1993 expansion, the New England Hockey Institute should rank as the largest summer hockey school in the northeast. Also in the works is a pending pattern on a new skating training device.

Anna Eberwein of Dalton and James Tupper were recently married at the Sheldonville Baptist Church in Wrentham. Anna’s Uncle, Rev. William Eberwein, officiated. Anna is a moderate special needs teacher at Huntington Elementary School in Brockton. Anna completed her master’s degree at Assumption College in ‘87 and is currently enrolled in a doctoral program at Boston College. (Busy woman.) Jim Tupper is owner and operator of Jim’s Automotive Center. The couple lives in Wrentham.

W. Gregory Kelley and Diane Paille were recently married at St. Agnes Church in Arlington. Both are employed at F. W. Dodge in Lexington. The couple went to St. Martin on their honeymoon and are residing in Arlington.

Andrew Maylor of Winthrop and Paula Fagiolli of East Boston were recently married at St. John the Evangelist Church in Winthrop. Both Andy and Paula are enrolled in a master’s program at Suffolk University. The couple honeymooned in Hawaii and Las Vegas. They now live in Revere. Andy works at the law firm of Bingham, Dana and Gould in Boston.

Elaine McCabe of Hyannis and George Donahue, Jr. of West Roxbury were married last July 25th at Our Lady of Victory Church in Centerville. Elaine is working as a technical assistant and George works as a carpenter. After a week, in Maine the couple is currently residing in West Roxbury.

Amy Paquette of Raynham and Edward Beauregard were married on November 6th at St. Ann’s Church in Raynham. What a lovely wedding it was. I laughed. I cried. It was great fun. Amy Beauregard (don’t you just love that name) has been a very busy woman. Amy recently got her master’s of education from Lesley College. She and Edward recently purchased a home in North Attleboro. Edward, formerly of Rhode Island, is employed by Griggs and Browne.

Bill Wallace has been named head coach of the Foxboro High School girls’ soccer team, “The Warriors.” “The Warriors” have a proven record as a winning team and will be a welcome challenge for Bill, who has previously been an assistant coach for six years.

On a more personal note, my son Justin is now two and a half. My husband Fred Clark, ’83 and I have our hands full while we go through what we laughingly refer to as Justin’s toddler adolescence. If I live to tell about it, I’ll be talking to you next time. Until then...Have a nice day and keep the updates coming.

Class of 1986

Linda Bellia & Susan Hayward Reynolds, c/o P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324
Sandra J. Kosciuszko, 24 Paxton Road, Spencer, MA 01562
Lynda M. Falls is currently working as a peer counselor for the Boston Worker Assistance Center. The Boston Worker Assistance Center provides career counseling, job training, and placement assistance for laid-off Boston-area workers.

John Fullerton, Jr. married Lisa Kushkowski last May at the United Church of Christ in Medfield, Mass. John graduated from Bridgewater State College with a bachelor degree in psychology and a master of education degree in counseling.

Suzanne Barrett Galvin and her husband, Ken, are the proud parents of a daughter Jayne Margaret. She was born in August of 1992. Suzanne teaches third grade at the Boyden School in Walpole. The Galvins currently live in North Attleboro.

Sandi Kosciuszko recently became engaged and plans to marry in December of this year and honeymoon in Ireland. Sandi is looking for old classmates: Bridget Carr, Brenda Ryan, Deb Charos. She would like to get a group together for a reunion with Corbett, Kozac, Cnkovic, Paglico, Dagosta, Ferullo’s, Kaley, Mahoney, Tighe, etc: Call or write with any information.

JoAnne Peters married William Petrie on October 10, 1992. The couple makes their home in Marlboro. JoAnne is employed as a closing manager for the Huntington Mortgage Company of Waltham.

Edwin Walsh is employed as a guidance counselor at the Pierce School in Milton, Mass. He had received an M.Ed. in counseling from Bridgewater.
State College.
Alumni, you are encouraged to send in your Alumni News!!

**Class of 1987**

Kevin Kindregan, LeMoyne College, Office of Student Life/Housing, Syracuse, NY 13214-1399

Steven Anderson says hello to Alpha Eta Rho. He’s still doing the Naval Aviation thing and getting married in June of this year to a nurse from Spokane, Washington. Steven is stationed with a Navy jet squadron at Tinker AFB in Oklahoma, of which he says, “It’s a big change from three years in Hawaii.” He’s looking forward to a future of aviation and the airline industry—“Love to fly and it shows.”

Janet Norris Chamberlain, a software engineer at Lockheed Sanders in Merrimack, NH, recently completed a course of study as an EMT. She received her license in August and plans to volunteer on the rescue squad in her hometown of New Boston.

Erin Conway-Stuart is living in Oxfordshire, England, accompanying her husband during his tour of duty in England, after moving there from Vandenberg Air Force Base in California. Erin is working for the Oxford County Newspapers as an advertising sales representative.

Kelly Smith Dickerman is living in Diamond Bar, California and works in Anaheim as a finance assistant for Disneyland. Kelly married in 1989 and has one son, Matthew.

Barnett Banks, Inc. of Jacksonville, FL recently announced the appointment of Ken Gerrish as workout officer. Ken joined Barnett Recovery Corp. in 1988 and in 1990, joined Barnett Bank, Jacksonville, NA as a credit analyst. He lives in Ponte Vedra.

**Class of 1988 REUNION**

Dan Darcy & Susan Sullivan, c/o P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324

It’s REUNION time!! Can you believe we graduated from BSC five years ago this coming May? If you would like to be part of the planning committee for the reunion, please call Susan Sullivan at 617/735-9746 or the BSC Alumni Office. We look forward to hearing from you.

Michael Abbruzzese recently exchanged wedding vows with Polly Gergin. Presently, Michael is employed by the City of Newton.

Stacey Borgatti married Mark J. Patnaude on July 4, 1992 in a garden ceremony at the home of the bridegroom’s mother. Stacey is a mental health worker at Bridgewater State Hospital.

Sharon A. Carrish, a speech preceptor in the history and society division at Babson College, has earned her doctorate in curriculum instruction and administration from Boston College. She has a bachelor’s in education from Bowling Green State University, and a master’s degree in business administration from Framingham State College and a master’s degree in communications from Bridgewater State College.

Lynn Marie Fraga married Andrew J. Garcia on June 20, 1992. Lynn is pursuing a master’s degree in speech language pathology from Northeastern University. She is a speech-language clinician at the I. H. Schwartz Children’s Rehabilitation Center in New Bedford.

Michael Hall married Jill Marie Costa on October 24, 1992. Michael is employed at Plimoth Plantation in Plymouth, MA.

Heidi Ganss is the assistant director of alumni relations at Brandeis University. Heidi and Patty Wheelock hosted a benefit/party for the Alzheimer’s Association. Many Bridgewater alumni were present and a good time was had by all! Pictured in the photo are Patty and Lisa Parrish Duffy, ’89. Their second party/benefit was held in Boston on January 30, Diane Duarte’s birthday and it was a blast. Rich Whelpley, 86 assisted in the coordination. For more info concerning these events please call Heidi at 617/332-7104.

Karyn Marie Haugh married Eric Allen Swanson on September 18, 1992. Karyn is presently working in operations for Paine Webber.

The Easton School Committee appointed a new staff member, Rita Kelly as a teacher of Grade 6 at Middle School.

Christie Lefebvre reports that her career as an actress is keeping her busy. Some of her recent works has been on Unsolved Mysteries this past summer, Cheers this past fall, and recently a movie for Disney Pictures which is yet untitled. In addition to her acting, Christie does a lot of traveling as spokeswoman for Sony and Millennium. Plans also include a move to New York in the near future.

The Lexington Savings Bank announced that Roger Martorana would be one of their real estate loan representatives. He is responsible for residential loan and origination in the territory which includes Lexington, Arlington, Bedford, and surrounding towns.

Donna Norton Miller and husband, Scott, would like to announce the adoption of their daughter, Alicia Suzanne. Alicia was born on August 18, 1992 and arrived on September 22, 1992. Alicia is also welcomed by “Aunties” Kathleen, Gretchen and Tracy. Congratulations to Christopher Traynor who has completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, MO.

Patti Grieco reports that she married Steven E. Springthorpe in December of 1991 at the Evangel Baptist Church in Belmont. They honeymooned in Boston for a weekend and then on a week long cruise on Carnival “Ecstasy Fun Ship.” They are currently making their home in Fayetteville, NC and Patti is working for the Cumberland County Public Schools teaching 5th grade math and science, health and Chapter I reading after school. Patti and Steve are expecting a baby in June and looking forward to becoming a family.

Class of 1990

Sheryl Bartley Nicoletti, c/o P.O. Box 13, Bridgewater, MA 02324
Pam Brown married William Ward in August of 1992 and they currently reside in Mamaroneck, New York. Kristen Darling says her move to Hawaii was an escape from the desperate job situation for educators in Massachusetts. After working for six months as a nanny in Honolulu, she decided to settle down there and seek a professional position and is now teaching three to five year olds at the Early School in Honolulu. Kristen is also a member of the Hawaii Loa Kiwanis Club, a connection she made through BSC Circle K International Chapter, a division of Kiwanis sponsored youth.

Dianna Fiske started working in January of ’91 at Braintree Hospital. She is a speech technician doing speech therapy in the neurobehavioral unit with head injured and stroke patients. She reports that it is a very rewarding job and she loves it. Dianna is currently applying to graduate schools in Boston in order to get her master’s in speech language pathology.

Krysta Koppenol has returned to her ship, the USS Samuel Gompers, from San Diego where she received her certification as a shipboard barber. Krysta is currently a ship’s serviceman records clerk and buyer for the ship’s store.

Navy Ensign Scott T. Murray was recently designated a naval flight officer. Scott received his “wings of gold” upon completion of the 23 week training course at Mather Air Force Base in Sacramento, CA.

Lori Morales reports that she earned her master’s in education from Westfield State College last May and is currently teaching fourth grade at the Cowing School in West Springfield.

Jack Pelrine recently joined the Kennedy-Donovan Center in Foxboro as a public relations and development associate.

Class of 1991

Kerry Barnes, 5 Fairlawn Ave., Burlington, MA 01803
Laura Ouellette, 61 Sonning Rd., Beverly, MA 01915
Sandra Arsenault is working at WTAG in Worcester as the midday news anchor/reporter. She was recently promoted to full time and says the pay increase didn’t hurt either!

Jennifer Muller Storch was married shortly after graduation to husband, Bill. They are currently living in South Carolina where Bill is a senior at the University of South Carolina in Columbia. Jennifer is teaching a full-day kindergarten for 5 year olds and is planning to attended graduate school in the fall of this year.

Class of 1992

Pam Murphy, 57 Sagamore St., Braintree, MA 02184

Kelly Herman reports that after graduation and a trip to Disneyworld, she decided to see the West Coast and stay for awhile. She is currently taking grad courses at Seattle University in the state of Washington.
Tracie Jenkins is currently employed at Braintree Hospital as a speech language technician after graduating with her degree in communications disorders. Her present position allows her to gain hands on experience providing therapy to stroke patients and preparing her for graduate school in the future. Tracie plans to obtain a master's in speech language pathology.

Stephanie Kozowyk, of Hyannis, recently competed in the Ironman Triathlon World Championship in Kona, Hawaii. Stephanie’s time in the 24 mile swim, 112 mile bike, and 26.2 mile run was 13 hours, 5 minutes, and 33 seconds placing her 12th in her age group. She landed a job in Kona as a personal trainer at The Club, so she'll be right there next year to compete again. Good luck, Stephanie!

Class of 1993

Volunteer to be your Class Secretary—Call 508/697-1287

Barbara Hoy Chamberlain, an employee of U. Mass-Boston, would like to report to her fellow Management Science alumni that new programs are available at the U. Mass-Boston, College of Management’s MBA Program as well as at the new satellite site now at Cape Cod Community College. All classes are held in the evenings and up to eight of our Bridgewater management courses (24 credits) may possibly be waived and/or transferred! Good luck with your future MBA plans!

Lori Pidgeon is currently employed as an administrative assistant to the operations manager at Roman Art Embroidery Corp. in Randolph. Lori would like to continue her education and go on to law school.

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She also served as a guidance director at the Adult Learning Center in Fall River. She died in Taunton in August.

Diane Couto Bennett, '63, a teacher and resident of Illinois was reported as deceased by her husband.

Nancy A. Brown Allison, '64, taught in West Newbury prior to retirement. Her husband, mother and grandmother survive.

Lawrence E. Marum, '67, of California died unexpectedly. Born in F.R. he served as an officer with the Air Force in Vietnam and later gave music lessons and was a developer of a ceramic flute.

Philip R. Phenix, '67, a teacher in the New Bedford and Wareham schools, a member of the New Bedford and Cape Cod Symphony, died in October. His survivors include his wife and two daughters.

Carl Pierce, '67, of Brockton was reported deceased by his mother as of November 3.

Donald M. Sears, '67, a Taunton resident most of his life died in Danbury, Connecticut. His wife and two sons, three daughters, a sister and grandchildren survive.

Genevieve Higgins Glennon, '68, nurse, teacher, and selectwoman in Stoughton died of pneumonia. She worked at Goddard Hospital and at the Department of Mental Health at Foxboro State Hospital for many years. She founded Stoughton school systems first PTA and also assisted in starting the hot-lunch program. Her survivors include a son, three daughters, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Russell M. Foisy, '76, grew up in Weymouth and was a NET manager before starting his own company. He died in Franklin and left his wife, two sons and three sisters.

Kathleen Boyle-Nelson, '78, a teacher of special needs education at Middlesex Community College died suddenly in August. Besides her husband she leaves two sons and two brothers.

Mary Saya Bennett, '81, a special education teacher, died at home in Weymouth. She is survived by her husband, two sons, two daughters and two sisters.

Professor Joseph Corkery, FACR, died suddenly in Rochester, New Hampshire.

EVERYBODY reads

Class Notes

Catch up with your classmates, send a photo if you like, and mail some news to your class secretary or to:

Editor, Bridgewater,
P.O. Box 42,
Bridgewater, MA 02324.

Autumn Deadline is June 1
\textbf{IN MEMORIAM}

Winnifred Partridge Austin, '16, a retired music teacher died in November at 97 years of age. Most of her life was spent in Medford according to her niece who survives her.

\textbf{May E. Lennon}, '16, died after a long illness in Franklin, her home town. Her first teaching job was in Brewster, but from 1918 until 1966 she was a teacher and later principal of the Horace Mann School. There are no survivors.

\textbf{Marjorie Ouderkirk Henry}, '17, formerly a school teacher in Brockton, died in Concord, New Hampshire. She was very active in church organizations also. She is survived by two sons, a daughter and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

\textbf{Dorothy Norton Mercer}, '17, her death in May was reported by her sister.

\textbf{Agnes Lyons Johnson}, '18, died in December. She was a resident of West Roxbury.

\textbf{Esther Close Matheson}, '18, a director of the Braintree Home Instruction Program and a graduate of Bridgewater Normal School at 16 years of age died recently. Along with her husband she ran the Matheson's Market in Braintree Square. Grandchildren and great-grandchildren survive.

\textbf{Jean A. Keltie}, '19, a former Mansfield resident died in Maine at age 94. She worked for many years as a bookkeeper and was also assistant librarian at Mansfield Library.

\textbf{Bernice Brooks Hoffman}, '21, a former second grade teacher in Wellesley later went into retailing. She lived in New Jersey and New York for many years and was a native of Templeton, Massachusetts. She leaves a daughter.

\textbf{Constance Brady Butland}, '22, taught elementary grades for 25 years and was also principal at the Forest Avenue School for 5 years in Brockton. She was a well-known singer in the Brockton-Bridgewater area. Three daughters survive her.

\textbf{Helen Taylor Field}, '22, a resident of Holden died in December. She was an elementary school teacher in Grafton and W. Boylston for 23 years. Her husband, a son, step-daughter and several grandchildren are left.

\textbf{Mary Rose}, '23, a Taunton native taught in several grammar schools in that city.

\textbf{Bernice Stiles}, '23, died on December 10, 1992 in Florida.

\textbf{Margaret Shea Coffey}, '24, taught in Fall River before her marriage. She died at her daughter's home and also leaves a son, brother and grandchildren.

\textbf{Vivian Mansfield Dyer}, '24, a talented organ and piano player in the silent movies in Plymouth died in Florida recently. She taught in the Braintree school system for over 20 years. A daughter, son, grandchildren and great-grandchildren survive.

\textbf{Marion E. Fahey}, '24, served as a Benedictine Oblate at the Abbey of St. George in Portsmouth, Rhode Island for 29 years. She joined a Secular Fraternity in 1977 and was very active in her church as a choir member for 68 years, a cantor and lector. A brother survives her.

\textbf{Jeanette Fournier}, '24, lifelong resident of New Bedford and a teacher of math for 47 years died in September. Her sister and nieces and nephews survive.

\textbf{Elizabeth C. McArdle}, '24, a Tiverton and Somerset school teacher and a principal at the Longfellow and Small schools till she retired in 1970 died in her home town of Fall River. She leaves a sister.

\textbf{Margaret P. Sheehan Drummey}, '25, died at home in North Andover in September. She was a primary school teacher in Georgetown for many years and enjoyed children of all ages. A large family including her husband survive her.

\textbf{Leon Pratt}, '26, passed away in October, 1992.

\textbf{ Mildred R. Richards}, '26, a long-time teacher who taught high school French and English in Hyannis, Braintree and Foxboro died in July. She was a world traveler until her death at age 87.

\textbf{Dorothy Russell}, '26, formerly of Winchendon, died in Hyannis. Before her retirement in the 60's she taught in the elementary grades of Milton and Braintree. Nieces and nephews survive.

\textbf{Adelaide Whitman Perry}, '27, a long time Massachusetts resident died in Portland, Maine after a long illness. She lived in Limerock for 20 years and leaves a large family besides her husband.

\textbf{Eunice Cass Sellstone}, '27, died in Brockton after a long illness. Several family members including her husband survive her.

\textbf{Jane Hicks Rogers}, '28, who taught for a number of years before her marriage, raised her family in Wellesley and worked as a substitute teacher. She later lived in South Orleans and Chatham where she died. She leaves a family of a son, daughter, grandchildren and a sister.

\textbf{Susan Phillips Donovan}, '29, a lifelong native of Bradford died in July. She taught in the Haverhill schools until retiring in 1970. Her survivors include her husband, a daughter, son, sister and grandchildren.

\textbf{Doris M. McIntyre Grauline}, '29, a teacher in Ware and Warren, Massachusetts died in Florida. She leaves three nieces and her husband.

\textbf{Ruth Mitchell Prescott}, '29, passed away this fall.

\textbf{Gwendolyn Cleverly Thompson}, '29, died in Maine in November.

\textbf{Edith Bottomley}, '31, of Swansea and later Fall River died in No-
vember. She was a math teacher in the Jr. High and Middle Schools for many years. A sister survives her.
Margaret L. Beardon, '32, a lifetime resident and teacher in Braintree died recently. Survivors include two brothers and two sisters. Hugh Heney, '32, worked at Massachusetts General Hospital until his retirement in 1981. Cousins survive him.

Robert J. Nagle, '33, whose son, Father Michael Nagle offered Mass at the burial service, died at age 81. He became a teacher, vice-principal, principal and for 17 years superintendent of the Fall River schools. He was active in his church, civic and professional educators associations. A son and daughter survive him.

Aileen McGrath Karacius, '34, a Weymouth teacher for 41 years at the elementary level died in November. A son and nephew survive.

Josephine Caruso McGonagle, '34, a lifelong resident of Weymouth died in a tragic air accident while on vacation in Hawaii. She is survived by two sons, three brothers, a sister and two grandchildren.

Polly V. Drevinsky Savicki, '34, was the victim of a car accident in Vermont. She retired from Stoughton High School in 1971. She was an accomplished musician and was church soloist in Middleboro, Boston and New York City. A large family survives.

Olive Hosford Ainsworth, '35, leaves her husband, two daughters and one granddaughter after her death in October. She taught at the elementary level in Connecticut until retirement in 1977.

Florence Gibert Caldera, '35, Middleboro native and a long-time 6th grade teacher died in Taunton after a long illness. Two sons, two brothers and a sister survive.

Katherine Branley Foley, '36, who taught in Acton until her retirement, died in November. Her survivors include a daughter, two sons and three grandchildren.

Daniel L. Holmes, '37, of North Reading and Braintree, and a WW II veteran, died in Salem. He was a retired superintendent of schools in Braintree, Scituate and Attleboro.

Rosalie Lynch Beck, '39, passed away in November according to a classmate.

Sylvia Richman Baker, '40, a native of Brockton died at home in Middletown, Rhode Island. She taught English in New York and in Ohio for many years. She was an active member of Temple Shalom, Middletown, past president of Hadassah. Her husband, son, two daughters and a sister survive her.

Dorothy Adams Philpot, '50, an avid gardener and organist died in August. Her survivors include her husband, two sons and a sister.

Gordon W. Denison, '51, died at home in Hyannis after a brief illness.

Marie E. Murphy, '51, a teacher and principal in the Fall River school system died recently. Her sister and two brothers survive.

Maude Chase Wilkinson, '51, a bachelor's and master's degree recipient from BSC died in Hyannis in October. Born in Eastham, she taught in the Harwich Elementary School from 1954-1984. A brother, nephew and three nieces survive her.

Forest T. Farnum, '53, a UT educator for many years died unexpectedly in St. Albans, Vermont. His career began as assistant principal and ended as superintendent for 23 years, retiring in 1989. He leaves his wife, three daughters and three grandchildren.

Joseph S. Gula, '53, a Taunton native, started his teaching career in 1942 and went on to become department head and assistant headmaster. He retired after serving 33 years in the Taunton school system and was active in educational associations. His wife, three daughters and four grandchildren survive.

Gerard P. Antonelli, '56, founder of occupational education in Massachusetts, died after a long illness. He received degrees from BS, BSC, BU and a doctorate from UMASS. He was with the State Department of Education for 26 years and a lecturer at BS and Fitchburg State. He was a member of many industrial Arts Associations and active on Avon committees. His wife, three daughters, three sons, a brother and nine grandchildren survive.

Betty Ann Noyes, '57, taught second grade in Brockton until 1964 when she became an assistant professor of education at the Burrell Campus lab school. She taught 1st and 2nd grades and did student training. She was a member of many educational associations, an ardent traveler and theatre goer. She leaves several family members.

John F. Shanahan, '58, a counselor at Taunton High School died in Brockton. Previously he had served as principal of Avon High School. An avid golfer, he is survived by his wife, three daughters, a son, three sisters and three grandchildren.

Marjorie Snyder MacLachlan, '59, who is survived by three sons, a sister and grandchildren died at home in Holyoke. She taught in Mansfield and Winthrop.

Sr. Xavier Marie/ Helen Sullivan, '61, was reported deceased in September.

Edna L. Lambert, R.N., '62, was for several years Director of the School of Nursing at Trusdale Hospital.

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ALUMNI WEEKEND

• MAY 7 & 8 •

BRIDGEWATER ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Be sure not to miss the exciting 1993 celebration of Alumni Weekend. See page 16 for details.

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