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President's Message

By Dick Brown, '64, dickbrown64@gmail.com

MONDAY MAY 5 is our Sixth Annual Open House. It will be held 6:30 to 9:00 PM at the G.H.S. Cafeteria, and is a totally free event. We will have refreshments for all and over 100 poster boards which will bring back your high school memories of years gone by. We always have free handouts and surprises. Make sure to tell friends about this fun gathering. Anyone is welcome to attend, even if you didn't graduate from GHS. This is one event that you don't want to miss.

Commencement is Saturday, May 31, at 7:00 PM at Harmon Field. Homecoming football game against Troy is Friday, Oct. 3, at 7:00 PM at Harmon Field.

There will be between 15 and 20 Class Reunions this summer, most of them being on the 5-year multiples. The honored class this year is 1964, who will be celebrating their 50th year since graduation. The last two fifty-year reunions (1963 last year and 1962 the year before) have been the best-attended reunions in the past 4 years. Make sure to keep contact with your Class Representative about the upcoming reunions.

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Herbert "Hip" King and June Cashman King

GHS Alumni, Champions

Herbert "Hip" King, GHS 1936 Class President and former State Track Champion, and wife **June Cashman King**, GHS 1940, celebrated their 71st wedding anniversary, January 1, 2014. They were married in St. Louis on the first day of 1943. Lifelong Greenville residents until the last two years, the Kings have moved to Miamisburg to be nearer their children, **Pam King Brand**, GHS 1965, and husband **Andre Brand**, GHS 1965, and **Jim King**, GHS 1968, and wife **Karen King**, and their families. Hip also celebrated his 97th birthday on January 3. Congratulations, Hip and June, and Happy Birthday, Hip, to two of Greenville High School's most loyal and supportive alumni!!

Editor's note: Three years ago, we stated that Hip's broad jump (now called long jump) record of 22 feet, 2.5 inches, set at GHS in 1935 still stands, after 78+ years. A record lasting this long in the field of track is unheard of and is a truly remarkable feat!



2013 Reunion – Class of 1942

Front Row Seated: Joan Mergler Hawley, Don Jackson, and Helen Barnhardt Kraus.

Back Row Standing: June McGowan Young, Doris Sarver White, Bob Brown, Jean Schmidt Longfellow, Jean Lease Klepinger, Duard Runner, and Hazel Goodrich Locke.

10 members of the G.H.S. Class of 1942 attended the 71st Year Reunion, August 17, 2013, at Turtle Creek Golf Course (formerly the Greenville Country Club).

Greenville's Tenth Annual 2013 Horse Parade

The Grand Marshal of this year's spectacular Horse Parade was **Dave Marshall**, GHS 1976, which was held November 23 from the old Marsh's on Martin St., down Broadway, and returning along Sycamore Street. A longtime downtown businessman, Dave has volunteered to help with the Horse Parade since its inception. He orders parade bells and makes leather straps to attach the bells to the horse equipment, in addition to other helpful services making the parade the success that it has become. Dave began working with and training horses when he was in high school and is a member of the Darke County Harness Horseman's Association.

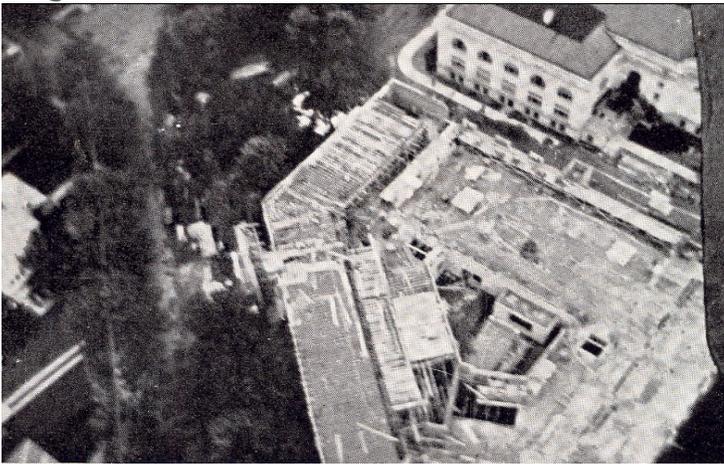


Dave Marshall and Theresa Sarver

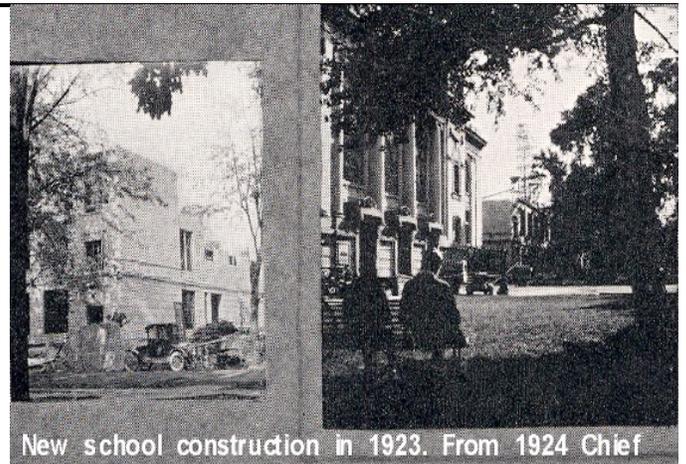
Tenth Annual Hometown Holiday Horse Parade, November 23, 2013

The Bootery is the second longest continually running retail establishment on Broadway. It was started in 1916 by **Herman Brown**, GHS 1906, and his wife **Louanna Meeker Brown**, GHS 1907, and the business was known then as Brown's Bootery. Wieland Jewelers is over 100 years in business and is the only continuous Broadway business older than the Bootery. After more than 20 years working at the Second National Bank, **Claude Marshall** and wife **Kathryn Dohme Marshall**, GHS 1922, bought Brown's Bootery in 1954. Son **Howard Marshall**, GHS 1948, and wife **Dolly Faulkner Marshall**, GHS 1951, began in the 1950's and worked at the business for about 50 years. Howard's son Dave joined the business after his graduation, and they moved locations in 1977 from the 400 block to its present location at 521 South Broadway across from the Court House. Howard and Dave did the remodeling for this unique self-designed shoe store and shoe repair shop, and it is still very attractive today. From the times one hundred years ago there were ten shoe stores on Broadway, the number has shrunk but the Bootery still has a thriving business near the city center. A fourth generation of Marshalls in the Bootery business, **Jason Marshall**, GHS 2003, started working at the store in 2009. His wife **Jennifer Brotherwood Marshall**, GHS 2002, is mother of a potential fifth generation of Marshalls for the shoe business. The Marshalls do qualify for four generations of GHS graduates: Kathryn '22, Howard '48 and Dolly '51, Dave '76, and Jason '03 and Jennifer '02.

The evening Holiday Horse Parade had 170 equestrian entries sporting lights on the horses, riders, carriages, buggies, and wagons, from three states. This event has been entertaining over 8,000 spectators in downtown Greenville annually since 2004, and this year more entertainment and activities took place before and after the parade. Also, this year's parade was as cold as any in memory, with snow, wind and 20 degree weather. The accompanying photo shows Dave with his chosen guest, friend and co-worker Theresa Sarver. This replaces Greenville's Christmas Parade of the past and is sponsored by Main Street Greenville. Dave Marshall was a unanimous choice for Grand Marshal this past year, as selected by the Hometown Holiday Horse Parade Committee. Dave has been instrumental to the success of this parade and has donated much of his time, talents, and service to our community. Congratulations, Dave!



High School Building Under Construction 1923



New school construction in 1923. From 1924 Chief



Old High School building under construction—1923

These photos are from the 1924 Chief and document some of the construction of the present Junior High building. One is an aerial view of the rising school building, and the final trio of pictures is of the dedication, or placement of the cornerstone, June 12, 1923.

Regarding Aging Schools

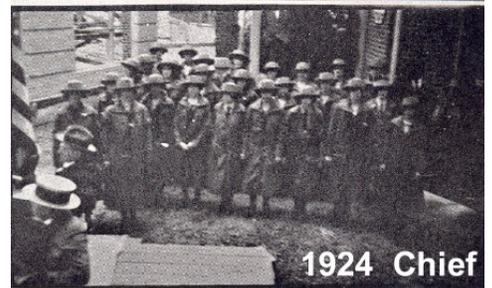
By Carolyn Warvel, GHS '57

It is sad to see old school buildings go under the wrecking ball in the name of progress.

The present Junior High building was built in 1923 by the hands of many of our forefathers. Some of these men had just returned from World War I. Many of them had been wounded in action – my father was one of them.

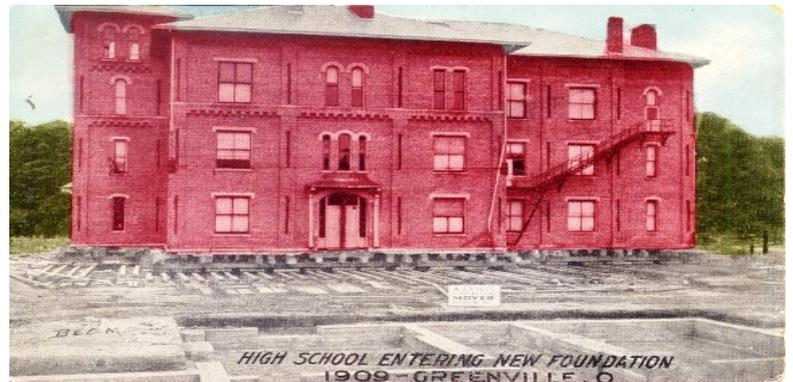
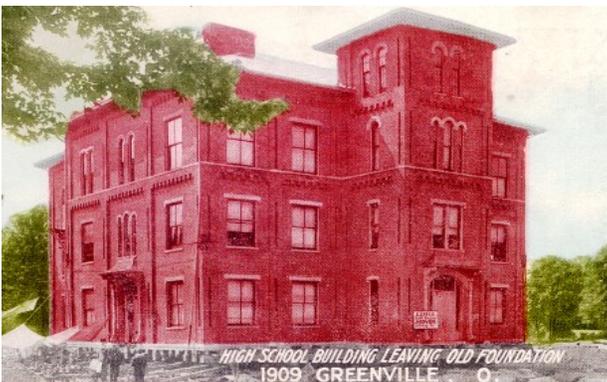
Next to this building is the Memorial Hall which was built 1910 to 1912. The Memorial Hall has the distinction of being “historic”, like some other older structures in town. So there are additional funds to help keep these structures from the ravages of time and neglect.

I just hope that someone will want the Junior High building and restore it to the proud building it once was. Probably, more students attended this building than any other school building in Darke County. That’s HISTORIC!



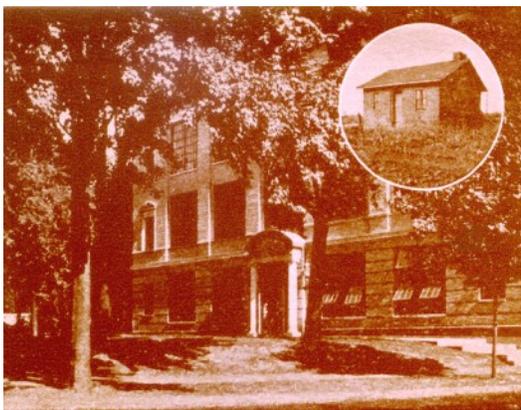
1924 Chief

Laying the Corner Stone of the High School Building, June 12, 1923.



Editor's note: Carolyn's letter to the GHS Alumni Association prompted us to look more into the history of the Junior High building, which was at one time the High School building(1924-1962), and in continuous use since the fall of 1923. In the first place, there is no determination what will become of this building in the future. In the fall of 2016, the new Kindergarten through 8th grade building should be opened, making obsolete the Junior High building, East School building, South School building, and Woodland Heights building. At that time the Board of Education will have to make the determination as to the best disposition for these buildings. Within the past five years or so, the B.O.E. has auctioned off the North School building and the Gettysburg School building for prices in the low \$40,000's each. We believe this warrants closer scrutiny since every GHS alum alive today who had attended school from the eighth grade until graduation, has attended one or more of these buildings.

The first two postcard photos, (at bottom on previous page), show the old West building moving from the present location of the Memorial Hall to its new foundation, near where the present Junior High building is now. These were originally colorized photos with the building highlighted. Other pictures, (below), are older postcards, one after the dedication and printed in 1925, and an original statuesque linen postcard from about 1935.



First School House
in Darke County
1840

Main Entrance
New High School
Greenville, Ohio
1925

Building Data -
Capacity -
1000 Students -
Class Rooms - 31
Gymnasium -
60 x 109 ft.
Cafeteria -
Capacity 200
Cost of Building -
\$400,000



Picture at left;
Proposed Plan of New High School Building in connection with Memorial Hall 1921

Picture at right;
Original design picture of present High School, April 1, 1960





2013 Reunion – Class of 1950

Front Row Seated: Phyllis Rhoades Pouder, Susan Hole Brewer, Joan Denniston Neff, Phyllis Hufnagle Mong, Frances Summers Jackson, Esther Thwaits Ross, and Maureen Hemmerly McCabe.

2nd Row : Martha Bowman Ebeling, Helen Crawford Besecker, Eleanor Shahan Freese, Phyllis Rodgers O'Brien, Jane McFarland Karr, Donna Anthony Young, Kathy Rismiller Cromwell, and Iona Amspaugh.

Back 3rd Row: Arthur Garrett, Jim Patton, Marvin McCabe, Mary Hoffman, Jack Frankman, and Lester Thwaits.

21 members of the G.H.S. Class of 1950 attended the 63rd Year Reunion, September 14, 2013, at the Brethren Home BRC Private Dining Room.

The Last Undefeated Girls Basketball Team

There may never be another undefeated girls varsity basketball team at GHS! The last one had an 8-0 record in 1964, when the girls played a schedule as part of the Girls' Athletic Association. **Sue Fitzwater** led the team in scoring and was the MVP. To go undefeated now, a team would have to win all 27 or 28 of their games, making that highly unlikely. The 2002-03 team was 19-4, reaching the District Finals.



Front Row: Sue Fitzwater, GHS '64, Patsy Pence, GHS '64, Carolyn Toy, GHS '64, Debbie Eve, GHS '65, and Sandra Westfall, GHS '64.

Back Row: Miss Julia Boston (Coach), Terry Moore, GHS '64, Kay Zerkle, GHS '64, Doree Greendyke, GHS '64, Jane Goubeaux, GHS '64, and Linda Goubeaux, GHS '65.

Scores of the games were: West Milton (W, 21-6), Troy (W, 22-18), Covington (W, 31-10), Tipp City (W, 32-13), Newton (W, 18-7), Bradford (W, 32-7), Versailles (W, 24-13), and Miami East (W, 24-4).



2013 Reunion – Class of 1953

Front Row Seated: Tim Wehrley, Carol Holzapfel Thwaites, Pat McGreevey Hufnagle, Sondra Crawford Carothers, Koneta Fremd Garbig, Barbara Garvey Dill, Shirley Davis Byram, Goldie Musselman White, Marilyn Summers Smith, Pat Smith Roy, and Carol Wright Stull.

2nd Row seated: Jane Holzapfel Deardourff, Joanne Hobson Krentz, Sally Hole Zeiter, Lowell Miller, Don Sechler, John Suter, Becky Jones Faze, Shirley Cook Unger, Jane Hufnagle Hovorka, and Darlene Gribler Ryan.

3rd Row standing: Ron Eikenberry, Jim Thomas, Connie Irwin Hufnagle, Bill Shreves, Bill Covault, Tom Staley, Lester Beisner, Joyce Long, Dave Feltman, Bill Warner, Bill Booker, John Slonaker, George Spidel, and Bob Buchy. Not pictured: Nick Von Fahnestock.

36 members of the G.H.S. Class of 1953 attended the 60th Year Reunion, August 24, 2013, at the Greenville Elks Lodge.



Harmon Field Renamed Good Samaritan Stadium

In 2012 the Greenville City Schools entered into an agreement with Good Samaritan Hospital, in Dayton, and Wayne HealthCare, in Greenville, involving the sponsorship, marketing rights, and naming rights of the high school athletic facility. This five-year program has a renewal option in 2017 for five more years, if so desired by the two hospitals. Funds from the agreement can be used to upgrade the facility, and building, repairing, enlarging and/or improving of high school sports facilities in the future. Two-thirds of the funding will come from Good Samaritan, and one-third from Wayne. In exchange, the Greenville City Schools will grant certain sponsorship and marketing rights to the hospitals, including naming rights for the stadium, as well as promotional opportunities to the hospitals. These include providing an Athletic Trainer to GHS.

28th ANNUAL GHS ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

The 28th annual induction ceremony and banquet of the GHS Athletic Hall of Fame took place at the Greenville Lodge of Elks January 4. Hall of Fame committee chairman Ty House, '74, presided over the occasion while Hall of Fame member Bill Booker, '53, presented three individuals for enshrinement. Membership in the select group now stands at 95, consisting of 75 males and 20 females who have, through their endeavors and talents, contributed to Green Wave success over the years.



This year's chosen trio is as follows:

Brittany Runner, Class of '03. One of the top five leading scorers in Lady Wave basketball history she helped lead her team to consecutive district finals in Division I play. She also was a key factor on the softball field as her team won the district championship in '03. She later had a fine career on the court for Urbana University. She currently lives in Greenville and is a manager of the local Aldi's grocery

Linda Carothers Collins, Class of '83. A two sport standout in both volleyball and softball, she was an all-league selection in both the SWBL and GMVC during her high school years. She was

Brittany Runner 2003 Linda Carothers Collins 1983

an important part of the first girls' softball team to win a district championship and advance to regional competition. The daughter of Sondra Crawford Carothers, '53, she currently resides in Gahanna, Ohio with her two sons and is an IT specialist with Nationwide Insurance.

Jim Eby, Football Coach. He was the GHS football coach for four seasons from 1952 through 1955, compiling a 25-11 record, highlighted by the undefeated 1954 fall campaign leading to the MVL championship. He later coached at Dayton Colonel White and his efforts led to membership in the Ohio High School Football Coaches Association Hall of Fame. At 93 years of age, he resides in Huber Heights, Ohio and still possesses a strong and firm handshake. He was joined at the induction ceremony by four stalwart members of the '54 squad, Gary Lloyd '55, Dick Hole '55, and Hall of Fame members Dave Girbert '56 and Dan Passon '55.

1954 undefeated team members
Standing, L to R
Gary Lloyd 1955, Dick Hole 1955
Dave Girbert 1956, Dan Passon 1955
Lower Center,
Coach Jim Eby
Seasons 1952 to 1955



G H S Sports Round-Up

By Alex Warner, '67



2013 FALL SPORTS ROUNDUP

FOOTBALL (2-8, 1-4 GWOC) GHS alum Aaron Shaffer's squad was led by first-team GWOC North seniors Ryan Eldridge, Kyle Bruner, Ryan Drew, Zach Comer and juniors Allen Tabler and Bryce Jenkinson. Highlight of the season was a thrilling come-from-behind win in the finale against Sidney.

BOYS SOCCER (0-15-2, 0-4-1 GWOC) First team league players Javier Bixler and Nathan Haviza led GHS alum Brent DeVoss' team on the pitch.

GIRLS SOCCER (0-17, 0-5 GWOC) Steve Shepard's young team was paced by Chelsea Stout, Alexis Minnich, and Kristen Grim.

VOLLEYBALL (9-14, 1-4 GWOC) First team GWOC pick Rachel Foreman and second teamer Chloe Light stood out for Lori Davis' group.

BOYS GOLF (5-7, 10th GWOC) GHS grad Brian Stickel's squad was led on the links by GWOC choices Dylan Garland and Zach Hounshell.

GIRLS GOLF (8-6, 4th GWOC) GWOC North Coach of the Year and GHS alum Tracy Haines' team was led in scoring by seniors Jenelle Agne and Jennifer Murray.

GIRLS TENNIS (17-2) The GWOC North champions, under the guidance of Coach of the Year and GHS grad Jim Koontz, had an outstanding season with Sophia Navas-Davis obtaining first team honors and Raquel Navas-Davis, Michelle Borgerding, Madison Bixler, Rachel Britsch, Abby Monnin, and Erin Scott being named second team.

BOYS CROSS COUNTRY (7th GWOC, 4th District, Regional Qualifiers) Scott Strain returned to the helm after an absence of 20 years and oversaw an improved boys team that was led by Jacob Butsch, Bailey Hartle, and Calen Bruner.

GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY (8th GWOC, 5th District) Kristen Karns was a first team North selection while Cheyann Beam, Meg Rehmert, and Lexi Roth made second team for Coach Strain's crew.

CHEERLEADING Freshman Taylor Ward took first place honors in individual varsity cheer at the Great Darke County Fair competition. The varsity cheerleading squad under Dawn Luthman's leadership also won first place honors in the GWOC North competition.



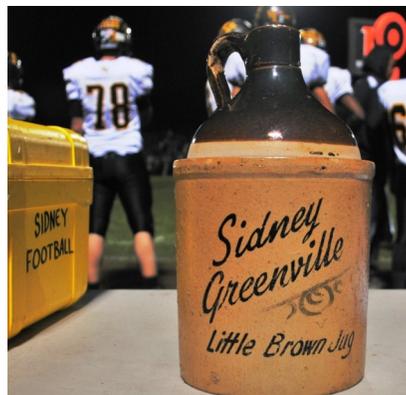
GHS Most Valuable Football Players from the 1930s

This trophy was recently discovered and was originally presented from the G.H.S. Alumni to Greenville High School for three years back in the 1930s, identifying the (most) valuable players from the Green Wave football teams. The outstanding football players recognized and names engraved on this trophy are **Rodney Winterrowd** (1934), **Dorin Holzapfel** (1935), and **Dan Hawley** and **Gene Shields** (two from the class of 1936).

Greenville vs. Sidney Football – Little Brown Jug trophy

Sports of a hundred years ago were not as we know them today. In 1902 a “field day” was held in Greenville with Piqua, Troy, Urbana, Sidney and Bellefontaine traveling to Greenville by wagon to participate in competitive events. These included a five mile bike race, hammer throw, running, and hop, step and jump. The Miami Valley League (MVL) was formed in the 1920’s and Greenville and Sidney were original members of the MVL. The Greenville-Sidney football rivalry dates back to 1925, with varying regularity and has included 71 contests. This may have signified the beginning of the M.V.L. In 1935 a survey found that Greenville had won the most championships (in all sports) in MVL competition, with Sidney winning the second most championships during the first decade of the league. In 1956 the Little Brown Jug was introduced into the Greenville-Sidney football match up by Sidney alumnus Frank Schlagetter. The original Little Brown Jug trophy dates back to 1903 and is modeled after the traveling Little Brown Jug trophy created for the winner of the annual Michigan-Minnesota football game.

Fall of	Class of	Grn-Sid score	League	GHS Coach	Jug to
1956	1957	L, 6- 20	MVL	Jacques Laughlin	Sidney
1957	1958	L, 7- 13	MVL	Jacques Laughlin	Sidney
1958	1959	W, 16- 6	MVL	Tony Ware	G-Wave
1959	1960	W, 44- 0	MVL	Tony Ware	G-Wave
1960	1961	L, 24- 46	MVL	Tony Ware	Sidney
1961	1962	W, 14- 8	MVL	Blair Irvin	G-Wave
1962	1963	W, 14- 8	MVL	Blair Irvin	G-Wave
1963	1964	L, 28- 30	MVL	Blair Irvin	Sidney
1964	1965	W, 48- 8	MVL	Blair Irvin	G-Wave
1965	1966	Tie, 6- 6	MVL	Blair Irvin	G-Wave
1966	1967	L, 6- 7	MVL	Blair Irvin	Sidney
1967	1968	L, 6- 26	MVL	Tom Steele	Sidney
1968	1969	L, 0- 40	MVL	Tom Steele	Sidney
1969	1970	L, 6- 26	MVL	Dan O’Brien	Sidney
1970	1971	L, 0- 54	MVL	Dan O’Brien	Sidney
1971	1972	W, 22- 8	MVL	Tom Hollman	Sidney kept the Jug



The Jug should have changed hands to Greenville after the 1971 game, but it didn’t (according to present Sidney High football program assistant Dave Ross, a senior Sidney player on that 1971 team and a Sidney football historian today). Sidney had one of the best teams in the state during three years of the late 1960’s to 1970, winning over 30 games consecutively. The Sidney coaches were very disappointed with that 1971 loss to the Wave after five straight wins, and probably accidentally left it in a room at the old Sidney High School. A guess is that a janitor probably put it in a third floor room cabinet, where the Yellow Jackets coaches would sit to watch the games. With the new high school being built in Sidney in the early 2000’s, a 2004 auction of the items left behind in the Bridgeview Middle School (the former Sidney High School beside Julia Lamb field that we remember for football games in the 1900’s) included the Jug, which sold to a Sidney citizen for \$12.00. Dave Ross was responsible for convincing that the trophy should be returned to Sidney HS for its intended use. The person who bought the trophy at auction was afraid it would be lost again.



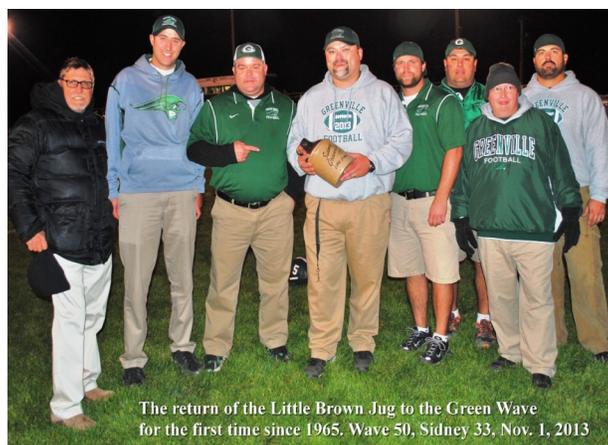
Greenville didn't play Sidney because the Wave moved to the Southwestern Buckeye League (SWBL) from the fall of 1972 through the fall of 1981, and Sidney is believed to have gone to the Western Ohio League (WOL). In the fall of 1982, Greenville and Sidney resumed play when both were in the Greater Miami Valley Conference (GMVC), but the Jug was not located.

Fall of	Class of	Grn-Sid score	League	GHS Coach	Jug to
1982	1983	W, 27- 6	GMVC	Doug Miller	-----
1983	1984	W, 7- 3	GMVC	Doug Miller	-----
1984	1985	W, 19- 0	GMVC	Doug Miller	-----
1985	1986	W, 34-14	GMVC	Larry Masters	-----
1986	1987	L, 0- 21	GMVC	Larry Masters	-----
1987	1988	L, 18- 22	GMVC	Larry Masters	-----
1989	1990	L, 7- 44	GMVC	Larry Masters	-----
1990	1991	L, 0- 30	GMVC	Frank Horvath	-----
1991	1992	L, 0- 36	GMVC	Frank Horvath	-----
1992	1993	W, 32-26	GMVC	Frank Horvath	-----
1993	1994	L, 9- 28	GMVC	Frank Horvath	-----
1994	1995	W, 21-17	GMVC	Frank Horvath	-----
1995	1996	L, 14-26	GMVC	Frank Horvath	-----
1996	1997	W, 18- 7	GMVC	Frank Horvath	-----
1997	1998	W, 14- 6	GMVC	Frank Horvath	-----
1998	1999	W, 14-10	GMVC	Frank Horvath	-----
1999	2000	L, 15-34	GMVC	Frank Horvath	-----
2000	2001	W, 56-14	GMVC	Frank Horvath	-----
2001	2002	L, 0- 14	GWOC	Frank Horvath	-----
2002	2003	L, 0- 38	GWOC	Jim Caldwell	-----
2003	2004	L(score unknown)	GWOC	Jim Caldwell	-----
2004	2005	W, 41-12	GWOC	Doug Zimmer	-----

The Jug was returned to Sidney HS after 2004, but the football teams did not resume play until 2012. In the fall of 2005, Greenville joined the Mid-Miami League (MML), and Sidney stayed in the GWOC.

In 2012 the Little Brown Jug was once again ready to be a traveling trophy, and Greenville joined the GWOC where Sidney continued to be a member. The football scheduling was behind the original time when Greenville again joined the GWOC.

Fall of	Class of	Grn-Sid score	League	GHS Coach	Jug to
2012	2013	L, 0- 38	GWOC	Aaron Shaffer	Sidney
2013	2014	W, 50-33	GWOC	Aaron Shaffer	G-Wave



The return of the Little Brown Jug to the Green Wave for the first time since 1965. Wave 50, Sidney 33, Nov. 1, 2013

Greenville has possessed the Little Brown Jug only 7 of the 58 years it has existed. Greenville should have held the Trophy from 1971 to at least 1986, if the traveling trophy had been found. The Wave should have been entitled to hold the trophy for 37 of the 58 years, if the last team to win before the scheduling gaps got to hold the trophy for the interim. Dave Ross was very apologetic about the fact that the trophy was supposed to be transferred to Greenville in 1971, but it never happened.

Sidney had defeated the Wave five straight years (1966-70) when they had a "Super Team". After Greenville had a 2-8 record in the fall of 1970, a coaching change was made with **Dan O'Brien** being replaced by **Tom Hollman**. Coach Hollman was the defensive coach at Sidney during their powerhouse years in the late '60s to 1970, and he was one of the main reasons that the Sidney teams were so successful. He turned around the Wave program in one sweep, producing a 10-0 perfect record, and winning the MVL in that fall of 1971. The tough game against the Yellow Jackets ended in a Wave win, 22-14, over a still very good Sidney team. In looking at reasons that the Little Brown Jug didn't come back to the Wave on that fall evening in 1971, nobody will ever know for sure why the trophy exchange was not made. Greenville and Sidney went to different leagues and the jug was temporarily forgotten.

In last year's season finale, the Wave lost 38-0 (Oct. 28, 2012), and a Wave football program spokesman stated to the *Advocate* that "the Wave will be back next year to take it (the trophy) back".

In the 2013 match up, after two quick fumbles and a shaky first half, the Wave stormed back from a 33-21 halftime deficit to fulfill last year's prophecy and post a 50-33 victory, bringing the Little Brown Jug back to Greenville's possession for the first time since the fall of 1965. This year's team leaders were Senior **Ryan Eldridge** (RB/DB, Capt.), Senior **Zach Comer** (WR/DB, Capt.), Senior **Kyle Bruner** (C, DL, Capt.), Senior **Ryan Drew** (RB/LB, Capt.), Junior **Bryce Jenkinson** (RB/LB, Capt.), and Sophomore **Clay Guillozet** (QB). This final contest of the year was the Wave's best performance of the year, finishing with a 2-8 record. Sidney finished 5-5. Since 1956, Greenville has won 18 games, Sidney 21, with one resulting in a tie. Over the 71 contests beginning in 1925, The Wave has won 32, Yellow Jackets 33, with 4 ties and 2 games with no known results. Hopefully, Greenville can make up for some "lost" years and hold on to the trophy for a while.



2013 Reunion – Class of 1954

Front Row Seated: Pat Enicks Landis, Judy Howard Jones, Ella Seiber Worthington, Pat Meckes Faulkner, Shirley Hipple, Barbara Albrecht Landis, and Jeanette Funk Patton.

2nd Row standing: Jim Oliver, Pete Hemer, Mary Ann Hawley Patty, Larry Grow, Keith Barnhardt, Jim Diltz, Larry Keltner, Mike Brumbaugh, Barbara Ridenour Landess-Gentry, and Nancy Brown Warner.

Back 3rd Row: Larry Jones, Karl Grossman, Gary Henderson, and Dennis Neff.

21 members of the G.H.S. Class of 1954 attended the 59th Year Reunion, September 14, 2013, at the Eagles Lodge on Shade Road.



2013 Reunion – Class of 1956

Front Row Seated: Melvin Johnson, Kay Smith Shockney, Marilyn Mowery Miller, Irene Drake Hiestand, Marilyn Kreider Bradley, Brenda Reed Spurlock, Helen Riegle Dull, and Barbara Crawford Wilcox.

Row 2: Judy Schaar Fitzgerald, Richard Shockney, Dave Girbert, Judy Beam Kauffman, Eula Meyer Byers, Dixie Wentworth Jones, Lucy Young Murphy, Martha Baker Albright, and Nancy Redman Stump.

Back Row 3: Dave Gauvey, Phillip Holthouse, Ron Youst, Duane Shields, and Jim Snyder. Not pictured: Chloe Yoder Suter and Shirley Beasley Morrow.

24 members of the G.H.S. Class of 1956 attended the 57th Year Reunion, August 24, 2013, at Dull's farm near Woodington.

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Homecoming King and Queen

This year's **Homecoming Queen Paige Keller** is the sister of last year's **Chief Green Wave Lucas Keller**, and the daughter of GHS Spanish teacher **Lori Rehmert Keller**, GHS 1985, and **Jon Keller**, GHS 1982. Her sisters are **Kirstin Keller**, GHS 2009, and the former **Prom Queen Andrea Keller**, GHS 2010. Paige has been extremely active in school activities: Spanish Club, S.A.D.D. Club (President), Student Council (Secretary), and N.H.S. (2 years). In sports she has participated in track and gymnastics, and finished 4th place in Vault at the State Gymnastics meet last year. Her favorite subject at GHS is art and favorite teacher is John Guttadore. Paige is a long time member of the Junior Butterfly Garden Club. She plans to attend either Adrian College (Michigan) or Manchester University (Indiana) and major in Physical Education. Ultimately, she hopes to be a personal trainer or teacher.



Chief Green Wave	Prom Queen
Heath Marker	Andrea Keller

The **Chief Green Wave** this year is **Heath Marker**, son of former GHS baseball coach **Joe Marker**, Indian Lake HS grad 1981, and **Angie Petitjean Marker**, Ansonia HS grad 1983 and AHS Homecoming Queen. Heath's two older brothers **Jordan Marker**, GHS 2007, and **Cale Marker**, GHS 2009, were standout GHS baseball and basketball players. Heath is also quite active at GHS: Wavaires, Concert Choir, Men's Choir, Theatre, S.A.D.D. Club, Student Council, Spanish Club (Treasurer), N.H.S., P.T.S.A., track and cross country. His favorite subject at GHS is math. His plans after graduation are to attend Wright State University and enter the musical theatre program. His motto to live by would be good for everyone to have: "Treat others the way you want to be treated, to be an individual, and to be kind to people." Heath and Paige are great ambassadors for Greenville High School and will have similar success in life.

2013 Homecoming: "Dr. Seuss' WHO-Coming"

For the third time in the last four years, Homecoming was held during the early time of the last week of September. The theme this year was "Dr. Seuss' WHO-Coming" with the school sporting many student-made themed decorations. Chosen by the GHS Student Council members, the Grand Marshal was **Kyle Kagey**, GHS 1969, which was an excellent, deserving choice. Kyle along with wife **Ginny Dohse Kagey**, GHS 1971, have been associated with the Greenville schools since their school days in the 1960's, and their many contributions to the schools and to the community are varied and appreciated.

The Parade was held the evening before the game, on Thursday, on the usual route down Broadway to Harmon Drive, then east to the Marling Band Shell. A spirited pep rally was held featuring the Band of Pride, the Wave cheerleaders, introducing the Grand Marshal and Head football Coach Aaron Shaffer, and all the Chiefs candidates.

Heath Marker was crowned the 33rd Chief Green Wave. The other **Chief Green Wave candidates (underlined)** included many GHS families: **Dylan Blinn**, son of **John Blinn**, GHS 1980, and **Robin Brubaker Blinn**, Mississinawa Valley 1981, sister **Macie**, GHS 2008; **Kyle Bruner**, son of late **Kevin Bruner**, GHS 1988, and **Teresa Alexander Barnette**, GHS 1987, sister **Holly Bruner**, GHS 2010; **Zach Comer**, son of **Donnie Comer, Jr.**, GHS 1991, and **Melissa Marshall Comer**, GHS 1991, sister **Alyssa**, GHS 2010; **Ryan Eldridge**, son of **Mark Eldridge**, GHS 1993, and **Julie Martin Eldridge**, GHS 1989, brothers **Jarod Sharp**, GHS 2008, **Lucas Eldridge**, GHS 2015, **Logan Eldridge**, GHS 2017 and **Landon Eldridge**, GHS 2019; **Zach Hounshell**, son of **Barry Hounshell**, GHS 1985, and **Kelly Schlosser Hounshell**, GHS 1982, brothers **Jacob**, GHS 2016 and **Matthew**, GHS 2018; and **Cole Ward**, son of **Chris Ward**, from Chicago, and **Stacie Blosser Ward**, GHS 1989, sister **Taylor**, GHS 2017.



Kyle and Ginny, (Dohse), Kagey

The football game on Friday evening was against a first time opponent, Western Brown (County, east of Cincinnati). This competition proved to be a tough, playoff bound team, with the Wave coming up on the short end, 42-28. In the traditional pregame ceremony, this year's Queen crowned was **Paige Keller**, the 65th Queen dating back to the Fall of 1949. The other **Homecoming Queen candidates (underlined)** include: **Jenelle Agne**, daughter of **Bruce Agne**, Versailles HS 1973, and **Chris Williams Agne**, Versailles HS 1975 and VHS Homecoming Queen, sisters **Michelle**, GHS 2001, and **Lisa**, GHS 2003, and brother **Kyle**, GHS 2011; **Taylor Amburgey**, daughter of **Jay Amburgey**, Tri Village 1981, and **Teresa Amburgey**, Marysville 1981, sister **Meghan**, GHS 2007; **Emily Beanblossom**, daughter of **Steve Beanblossom**, GHS 1976 and **Lisa Beanblossom**, and sisters **Jenny**, GHS 2005, **Katie**, GHS 2007, and **Sara**, GHS 2012; **Kristen Grim**, daughter of **Rodney Grim**, GHS 1974, and **Kim Ludlow Grim**, GHS 1982, brother **Robert**, GHS 2007, sister **Samantha**, GHS 2010; **Olivia Quellhorst**, daughter of **Jeff Quellhorst**, GHS 1978, and **Krista Myers Quellhorst**, GHS 1985, sister **Kaitlin**, GHS 2011; and **Paige Tester**, daughter of **Randy Tester**, GHS 1974, and **Jane Light Tester**, GHS 1975, brothers **Gabe Thomas**, GHS 2004, and **Alex Thomas**, 2006, sister **Kelsey Tester**, GHS 2012.

The Homecoming Dance continued the Dr. Seuss theme and was held in the High School gym on Saturday evening. This is the most attended school dance of the year, since the whole school is invited (The Prom is restricted to certain classes). Over 500 students came and most had an enjoyable time. The GHS Student Council once again planned and coordinated this successful Homecoming week and its activities.



Queen Candidates: Jenelle Agne, Taylor Amburgey, Emily Beanblossom, Kristen Grim, Paige Keller, Olivia Quellhorst and Paige Tester.

Chief Green Wave candidates: Zach Hounshell, Zach Comer, Kyle Burner, Cole Ward, Dylan Blinn, Ryan Eldridge and Heath Marker.

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Thank you!

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2013 Reunion – Class of 1958

Front Row 1 Seated: Ray Opp, Janice Buchy Marker, Jerrine Stephens Warner, Dana Vannoy, Mary Bruner Delk, Carolyn Browne Anderson, Sandra Brumbaugh Leigh, Joan Sears Appleman, Nancy Marty Taylor, Sharron Phillips Rhoades, and Mary Goubeaux Keuchel.

Row 2 seated: John Garland, Bob Blumenstock, Kenneth Miller, Delbert Hanson, Ralph Hathaway, Allen Ruebush, Art Smith, Dick McGreevey, Mike McFarland, and Jim Buchy.

Row 3 seated: Dixie McMiller Luce, Claude Sowry, Mary Denniston Light Bonfiglio, Jane Hufford Garbig, Penny Weis Weaver, Gloria Stump Hahn, Lee Jones, Barbara Smith Hocker, Lavonne Norris Sharp, Margaret Rose Huston, Gene Rhoades, and Richard Kerns.

Back Row standing: Ned Myers, Pat McCarthy, Richard Kreider, Joy Johnson Bowers, Pat Wagner Hardin, Joan Niley Cummings, Kay Fenstermaker Mueller, Ilze Jekabsons Koch, Jackie Cornell Zipf, Jan Mowery Painter, Don Warner, Tom Engelken, Dick Boolman, and John Reed.

47 members of the G.H.S. Class of 1958 attended the 55th Year Reunion, August 17, 2013, at the Greenville Elks Lodge.



GHS Graduate Celebrates 100th Birthday in Grand Style

Elizabeth "Betty" Dohme Brown Seaman, Class of 1931, was honored at the Rest Haven Nursing Home, celebrating her 100th birthday on the morning of September 25, 2013. A small motorcade was led by police escort to downtown Greenville, around the Circle, down Broadway and back and returning to the Nursing Home. Betty's daughter **Judy Brown Vredenburg**, GHS 1956 and niece **Betsy Nealeigh Miller**, GHS 1967 planned this "birthday to remember." **Jan Klepinger Garner**, GHS 1970, furnished her convertible car for transportation on a beautiful fall day.

Many friends and relatives lined the planned route, bringing small mementos to the birthday honoree.

Betty was born in Greenville to parents **Dan** and **Charlotte Dohme**. Her Siblings were also GHS graduates: **Herbert Dohme** in 1930, **Ellen Dohme Nealeigh** in 1935 and **Denver Dohme** in 1937, (who perished in World War II), She attended the Dayton Art Institute and was lead artist for Neff Lettering Company. Married over half a century, she and her husband Glen operated the Copper Kettle print shop and the Big G bike shop in the 1960's and '70s. Her two children are also GHS Grads, **Gary Brown** (1960) and **Judy** (1956).



Class of 1963 50th Year Reunion – 2013

Front Row 1 (on ground): Tom McKenney (teacher), Mary Jane Campbell Dietrich, Tim Scheiding, Jean Hufnagle Gobel, Patsy Carroll Cobb, Keith Yount, Roger Moyer, Kerry Ungericht, Linda Thompson Ungericht, Jim Wick, Jim Lorton, and Gene Ward.

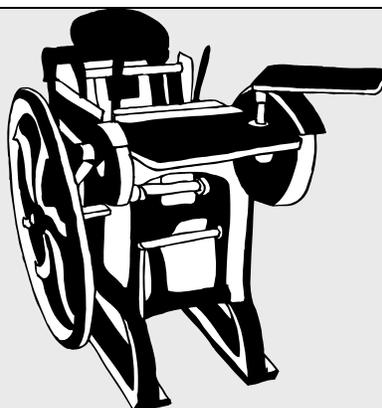
Row 2 (seated): Judy Grodzensky, Tom Brant, Doug McGriff, Dianna Brandenburg Ochs, Cindy Christian Chrisman, Judy Enicks Voke, Billie Butts Hess, Melody Brown Fox, Becky Arnett Simon, LeAnn Shellabarger Nimphie, Connie Barnhart Wyan, Beth Marshall Thomas, Penny Binkley Wills, and Jessie Mock Burke.

Row 3 (first row standing): Gary Wagner, Mary Beth Hunt Tsoukalas, Randa Thompson Snyder, Nancy Bowman Eikenberry, Carolyn Gatchell, Suzy Haren Ables, Rita Doyle Smith, Carol Schlagetter Balsler, Sharon Klosterman Nyhuis, Maureen Mote North, Sharon Leis Hollinger, Kay Shields, Linda Trostle Rehmert, Carolyn Thompson Haskins, Norma Smith Hoover, Barb Markwith Dancer, Karen Johnson Kelly, Dora Wright Mosier, Marsha Palser Duvall, Doris Erisman Miller, Zinta Zunde Sundby, Tom Bish, Evelyn Powell Shuttleworth, Doug Scholl, and Myron Sharp.

Back Row 4 (back rows left to right): Bob Brown, John Wion, Joe Mong, Carol Kuhnle Harrold, Larry Turner, Marian Weikert Bassett, Jack Myers, Marilyn Lease Fritz, Walt Rich, John Neff, Doug Black, Tom Feurer, Barry Gettinger, Dick O'Brien, David Dean, Dick Sander, Ed Clark, Tom Mowery, Glenn Rehmert, Paul Whittington, Tom Fletcher, David Farmer, Roland Brinley, Bob Rhoades, Richard Martin, Budd Dancer, Bill Harris, Carolyn Beasley Harpel, Mary Ann Drake Lehman, Dick Byers, and David Wills.

82 Class members attended this 50th year reunion held July 20, 2013, at the Turtle Creek Golf Course, formerly the Greenville Country Club. Photo by Dick Brown, compliments of the G.H.S. Alumni Association.

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2013 Reunion – Class of 1968

Front Row 1: Dianne Willman Foutch, Gloria Hathaway, Kati Christian Delfine, Judy Shroyer Voiles, Gene Rismiller, and Ken Landis.

Row 2: Dave Kruckeberg, Rick Franklin, Mike Ross, Clark Dynes, Judy Pevonka Wagner, Tim Boyd, Mike Sullivan, John Overmyer, and Phil Landis.

Row 3: Stan Stebbins, Rita Miller Carman, Monni Reed Hunt, Fred Dohse, Fred Varsanyi, and Dan Small.

Row 4: Diane Plessinger Wills, Bob McCool, Jim King, Becky Halley Strait, Geoff Gordon, and Carol Rismiller Bruss.

Row 5: Sara Clum Cutarelli, Karen Bixler Taylor, Debbie Costello Meckes, Gerri Vandivier Moore, Nancy Christian McClurg, and Kay Hollinger Mote.

Row 6: Tim Mong, Sally Cooley McGriff, Sheila Moorman Whiting, Tanya Blocher Yepsen, and Brad Malcolm.

Back Row 7: Mike Palser, Jim Straub, Vince Homan, Kathy Mote Laspada, and Doug Wetzel. Not pictured: John Dill and Joel Schinke.

45 members of the G.H.S. Class of 1968 attended the 45th Year Reunion, August 17, 2013, at the St. Clair Manor Bed & Breakfast (formerly the St. Clair Home on E. Third Street).



Do you remember this part of Green Wave History?

In a previous fall (2012), Green Wave football games had a first in modern memory. A boy Greenie and a girl Greenie doubled the enthusiasm along the west sidelines. Siblings **Lucas Keller**, GHS '13, and **Paige Keller**, GHS '14, wore homemade Greenie outfits, much to the delight of Wave fans. Their parents are **Lori Rehmert Keller**, GHS '85, and **Jon Keller**, GHS '82. Lori teaches Spanish at GHS.



2013 Reunion – Class of 1969

Front Row 1: Annie Eikenberry Myers, Cindy Thompson Spahr, Roscoe Hinkle, Gary Arnett, Kyle Kagey, and Mary Benanzer Shrader.

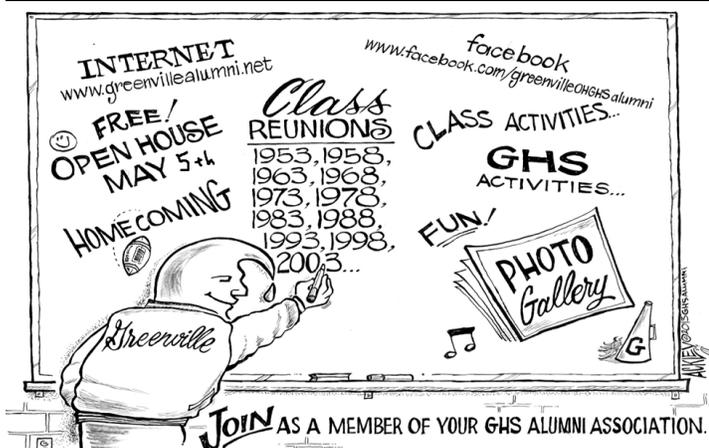
Row 2: Debby Booker Sadders, Krista Fisher Lawhorn, Nancy Martin Holcomb, Tom Trittschuh, Steve Maitlen, and Sam Edger.

Row 3: Karla Katzenberger Brown, Todd Oliver, Mike Gerlach, and Glen Foutz.

Row 4: Deidre Eve Dohse, Kathy Van Dine Daughtry, Debbie Brodrick Shuff, Mary Fitzwater Hutcheson, Tom Vance, and Bill White.

Back Row 5: Gary Garland and Hank Steinmetz.

24 members of the G.H.S. Class of 1969 attended the 44th Year Reunion, August 17, 2013, at the Greenville Elks Lodge.



Attention Parents and Families

Help us ensure that your son, daughter, or any family member receives this newsletter in a timely manner. If your GHS graduate has a new permanent address, please let us know so that we can update our records. Contact us at 100 Green Wave Way, Greenville, Ohio 45331, or via email at;

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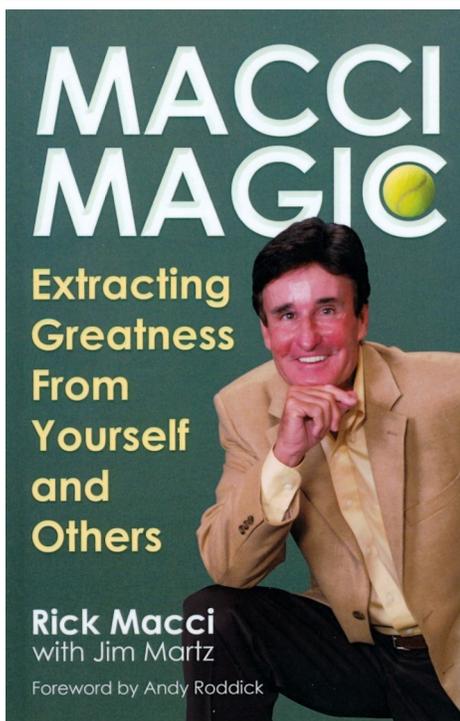
2013 Reunion – Class of 1978

Front Row 1 seated: Phil Cheshire, Jeff Quellhorst, Jill Wigner Brewer, Melissa Hennessy Foureman, Kim Shives Harless, Molly Buell Logan, Chris Cassel, John Suter, Dave Homan, and Michael Hartman.

Row 2: Denny Garbig, Melanie Olson Garbig, Brenda Gahret Hall, Kevin Foureman, Mary Gueth Lane, Claudia Purnhagen Gilmore, Jeff Garland, Tim Hill, Nick Eckstein, Kathy Boyd Hall, Jim Schaar, Tom DiRocco, and Jon Palmer.

Back Row 3: Kermit Flory, Mark Searls, Don Barnt, Mark Howdieshell, Steve Marshall, Liz Eyler Whitehouse, Joanne Heinrichs Johnson, Dan Elliott, and Don Lockhart.

32 Class members attended this 35th year reunion held August 24, 2013, at the Eagles Lodge on East Third Street. Photo by Dick Brown, compliments of the G.H.S. Alumni Association.



Macci Magic: Extracting Greatness From Yourself and Others

New book notice and review

Tennis professional coach **Rick Macci**, GHS '73, has recently written a self-help book (2013) using his tennis teaching philosophy to help anyone achieve more in life or more in business. Rick has amazing motivational skills and his new book “gives you all the tools you will need to assist you in THE GAME OF LIFE”, states Dick Vitale, ESPN commentator. The book features over 200 motivational sayings, called “Maccisims”, from his Rick Macci Tennis Academy in Boca Raton, Florida. These quips emphasize positive thinking and can help anyone reach his or her potential.

Many consider Rick to be one of the best developmental tennis coaches in the world. He has coached five tennis players who became Number 1 in the world: Jennifer Capriati, Andy Roddick, Venus Williams, Serena Williams, and Maria Sharapova. Roddick has written the Foreword for Rick’s first new book, and Andy says Rick is the best coach in the world for juniors.

Paul Royer, GHS '39, liked the book and recommended it to our alumni association. The editor and alumni president whole-heartedly agree.

It is available in paperback from Amazon.com, Barnes and Noble, or on Amazon Kindle. The book is very inspirational reading. Rick leaves you with a Maccism to think about: “Remember things are only unthinkable if you think they are unthinkable!”



2013 Reunion – Class of 1988

Front Row 1 seated: Ameer McCool Rose, Melinda Ditmars Kohlhorst, LeeAnn Jefferis Hritz, Julie O'Brien, Michelle McDonald, Tracy Zeller, and Jeff Wappelhorst.

Row 2: Ganeen Wysong Hult, Angela Nixon Thayer, Shannon McNutt Grant, Kari Saylor Harter, Stephanie Sander-Green, Karyn Richardson Curran, Cassandra Edwards Campbell, and Terry Bashore.

Back Row 3: Kelly White, Stacy Bowers, Angie Robinson Cox, Mark Smearsoll, David Gilmore, Jackie Arnett, Dan Heaton, Michele Miller, Todd Hanish, and Charlie Schlechty.

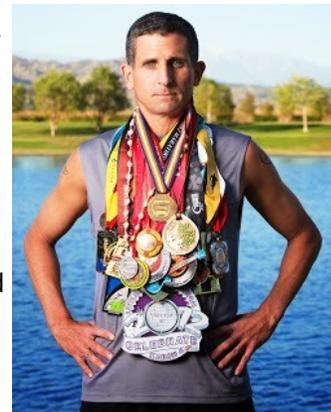
25 Class members attended this 25th year reunion held August 17, 2013, at Harleys and Hot Rods (formerly Tailgaters Bar). Photo by Dick Brown, compliments of the G.H.S. Alumni Association.

Sean Marchal, GHS '85, Makes Running History

On October 13, 2013, **Sean Marchal**, GHS 1985, made American running history when he finished the 2013 Bank of America Chicago Marathon. He joined the special club of runners who have completed full marathons (26.2 miles) in all 50 states. He is estimated to be the 815th person to ever run a marathon in all 50 states. Making this feat most impressive is that Sean has completed all of these marathons in less than four hours. Only 44 runners have run marathons in the 50 states all in sub-4 hour races.

His first marathon was in Oklahoma City in 2003 when he was 35 years old. Among his favorites are the New York Marathon because of the huge fan support, Phoenix where he first qualified for Boston, and Twin Cities in Minneapolis where he set his personal record of 3:09:58. Green River, Wyoming, was particularly difficult, starting at approx. 6,000 feet elevation and climbing to 8,000 feet at its highest point. He has run four doubles, which are the difficult task of back to back marathons in two days, and finishing both segments in under four hours. Ultimately, Boston is the top marathon in the country, which Sean has run in three times. While running there in 2010, he proposed marriage to his then running partner (and now his wife **Chauntai**). This was a special moment because running is what brought them together. Sean has already qualified for Boston in 2014 and he is planning on making that his last full marathon. Beyond that he would like to enter 5K's, 10K's and half marathons, and coach runners.

Sean lives in San Jacinto, California, and works for the U.S. Government. He is the son of **Bob Marchal**, GHS 1954, and **Pat Marchal**, and sibling of **Kelley Marchal**, GHS 1982, and **Amy Marchal Rehmert**, GHS 1983. Sean's years of track and cross country at GHS have paved the way for his later endurance running. Congratulations, Sean, and keep up your good work and mentoring of the younger athletes.





2013 Reunion – Class of 1998

Front Row 1 kneeling: Ryan Barnt, Jimmy Brock, Brenda Wilson Clemens, Ryan Younce, Rachael McClanahan Dumm, Kim Baker Hunt, Holly Brewer Keiser, Sarah VandenBosch Rindler, and Crissy Williams.

Standing Rows 2 and 3, Left to Right: Andy Long, Adam Vance, James Harless, Janelle Good Koverman, Marcus Moore, Sarah Delaplaine, T.J. Powers, Chad Garrison, Brad Holzapfel, Ryan Henderson, Jeremy Pelaston, Tony Di-donato, Heather Foreman Hill, and Nick Good.

23 Class members attended this 15th year reunion held August 17, 2013, at the Montage. Photo by Dick Brown, compliments of the G.H.S. Alumni Association.

Jared Monnin Update

By Jared Monnin, GHS 2007 Valedictorian

I graduated from MIT in June 2011 with a B.S. in electrical engineering. I commissioned as an Ensign in the Navy at the same time, having completed the Naval ROTC program in college. My first assignment was to the Navy Postgraduate Office at MIT where I received an M. Eng. in electrical engineering and computer science in June 2012. I moved to Charleston, SC, in July 2012 and completed training at the Naval Nuclear Power School in December 2012. I was then transferred to Groton, CT, in February 2013 and completed the Submarine Officer Basic Course in April 2013. I then began the last phase of my training when I transferred to the Nuclear Power Training Unit in Saratoga Springs, NY, in May 2013 and finished my nuclear reactor qualifications in November 2013. While in Saratoga Springs, I was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Junior Grade in June 2013. Having completed my nuclear reactor training, I reported as a submarine officer in December 2013 to the USS Pittsburgh (SSN 720), based out of Naval Submarine Base New London in Groton, CT. I will be at this assignment for the next three years.



Jared Monnin



Jared Monnin

The photo I sent you was of my master's graduation in 2012, when I had been in the Navy for a year already. The photo of me in front of the pyramids was from the summer of 2010, during one of my training cruises as a foreign exchange midshipman with the Tunisian Navy.

Editor's note: Jared is the son of Vicki Heiby Monnin, GHS '76, and Pat Monnin, brother of Ashley Monnin, GHS 2004, and grandson of Wilma Heiby, GHS and GJHS teacher from the 1960s to the '80s.



2013 Reunion – Class of 2003

Front Row 1: Cassie Hayes Helman, Brian Westfall, Sarah Coblentz Sutter, Megan Miller, Nicole Loy, Amber Studebaker Warner, Bethany Weaver, Chad Bungler, Sondra Enicks Wahsum, Felicia Phipps Imbrogno, Susan Surber Wojcicki, Rachel Bernhard Seis, and Jessica Cruze Miller.

Row 2: Michael Rapier, Lisa Agne King, Ed Meier, Nicole Harrison Pohlman, Kaelyn Montgomery Foreman, Tiffany Stickel Cosner, Alicia Mowry Davidson, Andrew Davidson, Luke Huecker, Gabe Bush, Ryan Starks, Tim Clopp, and Tom Warner.

Row 3: Melissa Rogers Proctor, Heidi Bowman Sutton, Kia Tobias Stephan, Amy Clark Huecker, and Brittany Runner.

Back Row 4: Matt Rismiller, Ben Stull, Brandon McKee, Dustin Smith, Tyler Winner, Ben Foreman, and Dustin Miller. Not pictured: Kyle Harter.

38 Class members attended this 10th year reunion held August 23, 2013, at the Turtle Creek Golf Course (formerly the Greenville Country Club). Photo by Dick Brown, compliments of the G.H.S. Alumni Association.

Dr. Doris Shields Charles, GHS '46

By Duane Shields, GHS '56

In 1934, **Doris Shields** started her school education from grades 1 through 8 in the one-room rural schoolhouse called Concord, located just east of Greenville at the corner of Rt. 571 and Culbertson Rd. In 1942, she attended Greenville High School and graduated in 1946.

After graduation, Doris enrolled in the Miami Valley Hospital School of Nursing in 1947. She graduated with a nursing degree in 1950 and was ranked second in her class academically. Her healthcare career for life had begun.



In 1950, she continued her pursuit of a healthcare career by studying at the University of Dayton. She received a Bachelor of Science in Nursing Education and became a Clinical Instructor of Nursing Arts at Miami Valley Hospital.

In 1953, with her new degree from U.D. and her husband to be encouragement, she was able to perform her nursing abilities at various supervisory roles. She attended college again moving her closer to her ultimate dream. It wasn't until 1989 that U.D. fully appreciated one of its most remarkable students, and honored Dr. Doris Shields Charles as a Distinguished Alumna of the University of Dayton.

In 1955, she married **James Charles** and entered the University of Cincinnati and earned her Medical Doctor degree. She took her internship program and residency in Anesthesiology at Christ Hospital in Cincinnati. Doris practiced some Anesthesia but decided to go into private practice with Kent Martin, M.D., in Cincinnati from 1961 to 1968.

In 1968, she left private practice and returned to her alma mater, The University of Cincinnati, to take on the role of Staff Physician in Student Health Services at U.C. In 1970, she was promoted to the Associate Vice Provost of Student Affairs, Head Team Physician, and Director of the Student and Employee Health Service. She practiced in all these roles until 1981. It was during this time that Dr. Charles developed many long-term philanthropic relationships.

During her time at U.C., she became a member of the Board of Directors of the Ohio College Health Association and finally became the President, 1973-74. She also became a delegate to the American College Health Association.

In addition, she took on the role of consultant for the development of the Employee Health Clinic at Ohio University in 1974. There are many other areas for which she volunteered and poured her expertise into; however, there are too many to detail each and every one at this time.

Obviously, it is apparent that no grass grew under Dr. Charles' feet. In 1981, her career took another turn because her path split into two very different roles. The first was an Ambulatory Health Care Surveyor for the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals and her primary role. The other was her primary role as the Director of University Health Service and Team Physician of the Athletic Department of The Ohio State University. During her tenure with Ohio State, she was awarded 15 research grants covering topics from treatments of the common cold to AIDS research, totaling \$354,731. in funding. She was a member or chairperson of 21 University Committees while she worked at O.S.U.

Dr. Doris Shields Charles retired from O.S.U. in 1990, but her pace and exuberance for life are still very intense in her commitment to literacy at all levels. However, the story of her retirement will have to come at another time.

Doris Shields' accomplishments are really astonishing considering her hopes of becoming an actress in 1946. In the Fall 2013 publication of the *AlumNews*, Buzz Blanchard's article on the Greenville Art Guild Players mentioned that Doris' "acting career" plans were thwarted by her mother who said, "There hasn't been an actress in our family and there won't be one now". Dr. Doris Shields Charles has become a real and innovative actress on the medical stage of life.

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