

North Allegheny Class of '75



Memories of 45+1 Year Reunion

Sunday, September 5, 2021

North Park Lodge

Pre-Event







Main Event



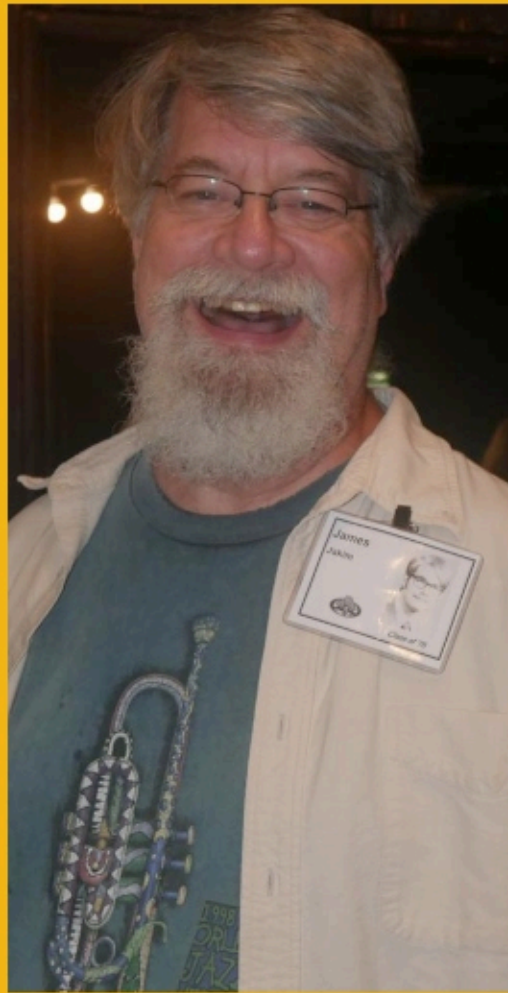
































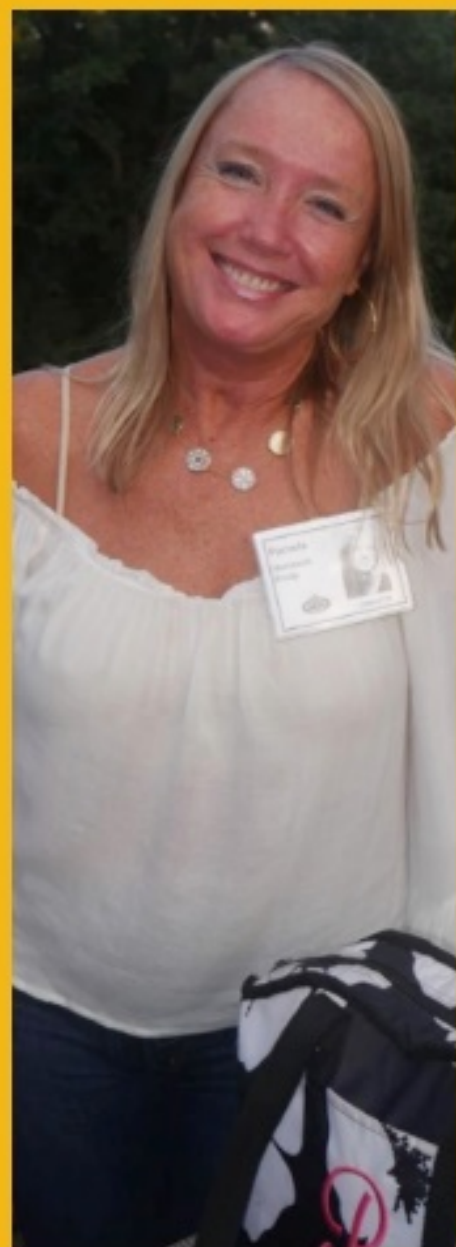
















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Biographies



Robin Armstrong Seeber

Class of '75



Occupation: Licensend Folk Artist

Family: 6 children, 9 grandchildren, 4 horses, 4 cats, 2 ducks!

Interests: Photography, nature, horses, dollmaking, art, farming

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Moved to Wexford at 17, graduated, got married, had 3 children, attended nursing school. Worked as an RN for 21yrs, quit. Divorced, moved to a farm, got my horses, then remarried and gained 3 more children. At present I am a full time licensed artist at home, and I wouldn't turn back for anything. I love my life! Licensed with 2 companies that reproduce my art and sell in gift shops worldwide. Outside the Box Primitives is my company. Sorry I missed the reunion, I really didn't know anyone! Glad you had such a good time.

Dorothy Arnold Welsh

Class of '75



Family: Married classmate Howard Welsh in 1981. We have 3 sons and one granddaughter.

Interests: Crafts, traveling, decorating and entertaining.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Clarion University grad in Elem. Education. Was a retail manager for five years. Helped out in the schools at all levels. Lived in Tokyo for four years and Shanghai for eight years. Retired and enjoying time with family and friends and at our lake house in northern MI.

Lori Baldini

Class of '75



Occupation: Commercial Plumbing Sales

Family: Single

Interests: Politics

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Started out of high school in the accounting department of the company I still work for now. Moved from accounting to sales, now quoting commercial jobs all over the tri-state area. If you use the restroom in a hospital, school, restaurant, apartment building, retail store in the area there is a good chance the fixtures came from the company I work for.

Carol Battaglia Viktorin

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired Physical Therapist

Family: Husband, 2 step daughters, 2 son-in-laws, 3 grandchildren (3,1, 2 months)

Interests: travel, cooking, tennis

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I moved to Houston TX after graduating from college at Pitt. Got my MBA from the University of Houston. Worked as a physical therapist/manager for 29 years. Retired from PT in 2010 when we moved overseas for my husband's job. Lived in 4 different countries (Kazakhstan, Russia (Moscow), Germany and the UAE (Abu Dhabi) in 6 years. LOVED every minutes of it. Have gone to Guatemala 15 times over the last 24 years working with medical mission teams. Two years ago we "retired" to our lake house (north of Houston) and we are enjoying life there.

Christine Beilstein Schultz

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired floral designer

Family: Married 45 years. 3 Children and 5 grandchildren.

Interests: We choose to spend our vacation time cruising. Europe, Caribbean, Panama Canal

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Proud to say that we've been married 45 years. Not always easy, but we continue to work at it and are happy. We have a simple, comfortable home. 1 daughter and two sons. 5 grandchildren, 3 girls and 2 boys. They keep us busy. My husband continues to work as a contractor and I am a retired floral designer. I have some significant orthopedic issues that forced my early retirement. In my retirement, I have become quite a good cook. I am blessed to have a great husband that takes very good care of me!

Marilee Betcher Hufnagel

Class of '75



Occupation: Controller

Family: Husband, Robert, passed away in 2013, no children, but 12 "rent a kids".

Interests: Baseball, bowling, golf and reading

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Married my best friend, who I met in 7th grade at Ingomar Junior High School. I graduated from LaRoche College and received my Masters in Business Admin from Robert Morris. Bob and I went on numerous cruises and I have attended 3 Pittsburgh Pirate Fantasy Camps in Bradenton and have wonderful friendships from all experiences.



Elizabeth (Liz) Bittenbinder Dille

Class of '75



Occupation: CPA

Family: Bittenbinder

Interests: Hiking, kayaking, backpacking, nature

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Moving out to the wilds of Wyoming (at that time it literally was), after four fantastic years at Penn State, truly equated to taking the road less traveled. Never thought I'd end up living back in Pgh, and especially having both my sons attend the same school buildings I did. Herr Schwartz (for German) and Dr. Scheffer (for (AP) History) were surely scarred by having two generations of me as students. Most remarkable achievement is having survived to this point in life!



Robert (Bob) Blossat

Class of '75



Occupation: Healthcare senior executive

Family: Married Barb (NA 76) in 1978. 2 sons: Rob (NA 05) and Corbin (NA 08).

Interests: Outdoors - Fishing, Hunting, Shooting, Golf.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: After grad school lived in Maryland, New Jersey and New York before moving back to Pittsburgh for good in the late 80s. Retiring in January 2022 after spending past 30 years as a Healthcare Executive. Have a vacation home in Hatteras NC where I spend some time in the spring, summer and fall. Also have a small side business restoring and repurposing vintage furniture.



Lisa Bordas Rosenbusch

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired Loss Control Specialist

Family: Husband and two great children including a HS school teacher and a RN

Interests: Adjusting to retirement - new and old hobbies, smelling the roses, giving back

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I had a great job and loved the experiences and opportunities; now time to relax. Will be married 35 years and while my husband isn't retired yet, we look forward to leisure time that includes biking, kayaking, and seeing more of PA and the US.

John Campbell

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired Teacher Retired U.S. Army

Grace Catanese Singer

Class of '75



Family: Four children Four grandchildren

Jeffrey (Jeff) Chain

Class of '75



Occupation: Orthopaedic Surgeon

Family: Wife Leslie of 29 years. Three children, Stephen 26, Mallory 21, Elizabeth 20.

Interests: Family, motorcycling, boating, travel

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: 33 years of orthopaedic surgery, raising 3 wonderful children with a great wife, living in a variety of places across the southeast. A good life.

Frederick (Ted) Cheffy

Class of '75



Occupation: Sales/Marketing

Family: Wife, 2 sons w/daughter-in laws, 4 grandson's

Interests: Hiking, Gardening, Golf

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Penn State Graduate 1979BS Degree in Forest ScienceCurrently live in the mountains of Western NC, on the edge of The Smoky Mtn Nat'l ParkPlan to retire in Dec 2022



Charles (Chuck) Cone

Class of '75



Occupation: Start-ups and other corporate adventures

Family: 2 boys and a girl, married to my wife Susan for 30 yrs

Interests: Always like to ski, got into mountain biking when we moved out west.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Lived and worked in California for many years, southern, central, and the San Francisco area. Also spent some early years in Colorado which I really liked, and where we now live. Was lucky enough to travel the world for various job functions, with the UK, southern Europe and New Zealand being my favorites. Still working, but looking forward to slowing that down in a couple years. We've been blessed with good health, and now trying to hit the easy button every day.

Cynthia (Cindy) Craft Zacharkow

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired Software Development Specialist

Family: Husband, 3 children, 4 grandchildren

Interests: Photography, playing bass guitar, collecting mid-century modern 'anything'.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Designed and maintained my local County intranet. On Nov. 14, my husband John and I will be married for 40 years. Gave birth to 3 wonderful children: John and Michael (identical twins) and a daughter Leslie. My proud moments include performing as the "ZEEZ", playing rock and alternative music with my husband and 3 children at their schools, community functions, and later at local pubs. I love that my mother, siblings; and my children and their families are all with a short driving (or walking!) distance. Family is everything! xxxxxooooo

Gary Davis

Class of '75



Occupation: Oil & Gas C-Level Management

Family: Wife Katheryn (Kathy), son Cole (25), daughter Brynne (22)

Interests: Physical fitness, cycling, outdoors sports in Colorado, reading, writing.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: After undergraduate school at Bucknell University (geology), attended graduate school at University of Houston (MS in Geology). Worked in Texas two years, transferred to Denver in 1981. Worked in exploration. Earned MBA at University of Denver, worked as financial analyst, returned to oil business and migrated into management. Started a private equity-backed company in 2005, sold in 2008. 10 years at privately-owned oil company. Married in 1990 to Kathy. Son (1996) is associate at private equity firm in Boston. Daughter (1999) earning PhD in Physical Therapy in Minnesota. No grandchildren yet.



Judith (Judy) De Falco Bergman

Class of '75



Occupation: Administrative Coordinator - Alcoa Corp.

Family: Married 40 years to husband, Paul. Three girls: Jettie, Emily & Halle.

Lynette Di Francesca Bialek

Class of '75



Occupation: Registered Nurse, Retired

Family: Married, Husband, Tim, 2 children, Joshua 31 (NA 2009) and Lea (NA 2012)

Interests: Traveling, going to the beach, car cruises and dancing

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I happily spent 40 years at UPMC Passavant as a Registered Nurse, working on a medical-surgical unit, OB-GYN, & Community Health, before retiring this year. I really enjoy spending time with my family: my husband of 36 years, Tim, my daughter Lea, and my son Joshua. I hope to start traveling more soon since my husband retired this year. I also enjoy going to car shows with my husband in his classic car, and meeting up with friends. Since becoming empty nesters, we have 1 fur child, Maggie the sweetest 18 year old cat. You're welcome to look me up on Facebook, I still live in McCandless Twp.

Cynthia (Cindy) Doerfler Darrah

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired

Family: Married with 3 children, 4 grandchildren

Interests: Biking, traveling, cooking, reading, family time

James (Jim) Duchene

Class of '75



Family: Married to Susan, 2 children

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Lives in Phoenix AZ

Mark Ellinger

Class of '75



Occupation: Hewlett Packard Enterprise

Family: Married to Joann Ellinger Three sons - Ryan (wife Matea), Christopher, Michael

Interests: Family, Golf, Boating. Enjoy family get togethers at Penn State football games

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: After NA PennState University Grad 1979 American Bridge, US Steel - First Job HP, Digital Equipment, Sun Microsystems, couple start up companies and now Hewlett Packard Enterprise. Lived in Portsmouth, Ohio, Syracuse, NY, then mostly outside Philadelphia since 1991. 2nd home in Naples, FL Nothing compares to being blessed with wonderful family - Joann and my 3 sons - Ryan, Chris, and Michael. And oh yeah, Being at PSU White Out with sons when we beat Ohio State!

Roberta Fichter Shirey

Class of '75



Occupation: School Treasurer /CPA

Family: Husband, a son, daughter and 2 grandsons

Interests: Travel, boating, swimming

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: CPA and MBA. Spent most of my career working for a Charter School as chief financial officer. My husband and I love to travel and take many trips. When I retire this summer we plan on increasing our traveling.

August (Augie) Franze

Class of '75



Occupation: VP Sales Operations

Family: Divorced (ex wife Cindy). Currently cohabitating with my awesome girlfriend Sue

Interests: Running, sports, travel, officiating weddings, family/friends, St Jude kids

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Worked for IBM for 33 years, left in 2015 as Senior Director of Operations and Strategy of Microelectronics group. In 2015, hired by Globalfoundries (2nd largest Semiconductor foundry in world) as VP of Sales operations and strategy. "Retired in Feb 2021" but took a fun job at Ansys (Pittsburgh based Simulation company) in March. Spent hundreds of days in each of Russia, China, Japan, Germany, and France on business and always found time to enjoy as well. Have a son, a stepdaughter and stepson, and 2 grandchildren who I get to spend more time with now. Enjoying life!

Jacqueline (Jacquie) Giamp

Class of '75



Occupation: Semi-Retired Clinical Psychologist

Family: Spouse- Gail (Weingarten)

Interests: Pets, photography, swimming, antiques, people

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Back in 1974, Michelle and I had been drinking during school. I had fallen asleep in Law, Justice and Society class. Gail, a kind stranger, thankfully woke me up. The moment, I saw Gail, I felt this intense connection with her. Back in the day, I had no exposure or language to identify my feelings toward Gail. The American Psychiatric Association labeled homosexuality as a mental illness until about 1975. We lived our separate lives. Boom, in 2009, we reunite. Fast forward to 2021; Gail and I are married. This is my true "fairytale"!

Joseph Gigler

Class of '75



Occupation: Meadville public works Super intendent

Family: wife Shirl married 43 year. three daughters Carrie Jro Brandi Jill Lindsay Broo

Interests: racing classic car Steelers fishing and enjoying retirement after 39 years)

Donald (Don) Gozzard

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired Senior Retail Management

Family: Wife Denise, 3 wonderful kids, 4 grandchildren

Interests: Family, exercise, raising African Violets, reading

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: My wife and best friend Denise & I celebrated our 40th Anniversary in August. I have been retired since 2017 after a 35 year career at various levels of Retail Management. During my 20's, 30's and 40's I competed in 20+ marathons and various shorter distance road races - I concentrate on biking and long walks/hikes with Denise and our Jack Russell, "Cam" now. After retiring I became an avid grower of African Violets and have had up to 50 varieties in our home at any one time. The best part of retirement is the ability to spend time with Denise, our kids and our grandkids - life is good!

David Greb

Class of '75



Occupation: Executive

Family: 3 great kids (22, 17, 15), one ex-wife friend, & my mom, the HS Nurse, all good!

Interests: Life, good people, family, business, photography, animals,.... see below

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I love life, good people, food, bourbon, wine, photography, adventure, the Great Outdoors (Traveling, camping, canoeing, hiking, etc), music, fishing, yada yada yada.... I have worked in the Middle East, flew onto an aircraft carrier as a civilian (bunking overnight and catapulting off the next day), and passionate in my specialization helping people with health sensitivities live in healthier homes. I still haven't accomplished most of my bucket list. :D

Terry Gross

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired HVAC Sales

Family: Married 33 Years to Babs - 1 daughter, Amanda, a Senior at Univ of Michigan

Interests: Hunting and Going to Camp

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Worked 43 years at White Heating - retired and enjoying having every night as Friday night and every day as Saturday! Living a miracle as a cancer survivor - every day is a gift!

David (Dave) Harris

Class of '75



Occupation: Senior Veterans Service Representative

Family: Wife: Peggy Harris, Son: David J. (DJ), Daughter: Tiffany M.

Interests: Outdoor activities: walking & listening to live music & church activities

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Served in USMC 1975 - 1995 (Retired), Was stationed many places. West Coast, East Coast, several foreign countries & Tennessee. Worked at FedEx 1996 - 2011 (Retired). Currently working at Dept of VA 2009 - Present. Also, work part time as Driving Instructor for Ultimate Defensive Driving School. Married 36 years. son, DJ is married to Jami and they have 2 children, Georgia, 8 and Cooper, 4. Daughter, Tiffany is married to Tell. No children yet.

Karen Heddaeus Bauer

Class of '75



Family: Husband -Dave, Three sons that went to NA too, six grandchildren

Interests: traveling, reading, spending time with the grandkids, and any outdoor activity.

Pamela Henderson Hook

Class of '75



Occupation: Conflict Resolution Specialist

Family: Married- to Don for 34 years, Son Lucas 28, married to Alysha. Madison 24

Interests: Traveling, gardening, dancing, writing, crafts, friends, family, and laughter!

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I began my working career as a flight attendant. I was with USAir for 27 years. I became a Union organizer, then an HR labor relations Specialist. Went on to Ethics and EEO Manager and I am now a Crisis Manager at the VA. I specialize in conflict resolution, patient advocacy, & humor!

Jill Holmes Kusyner

Class of '75



Occupation: RN

Family: Married with 3 sons and 4 grandchildren



Susan (Sue) Hostler

Class of '75



Occupation: Biotechnology Industry Consultant

Interests: Pilot - land/seaplane. Cessna owner. Skiing, kayaking, scuba, env. advocate

Elizabeth Huber Tobul

Class of '75



Occupation: Business Litigation Paralegal

Family: James Robert, Jr. (son) and Sean Andrew (son)

Interests: Offshore Fishing/Boating; Interior Design; College Football

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: After leaving PA in 1984, I spent most of my married life (20 years) as a stay-at-home Mom raising my sons in South Carolina, and spending lots of time at Edisto Beach. I traveled quite a bit all over the years all over the world. My children are my greatest accomplishment. I started my legal career around 2003 and I'm still in the business. I currently live on Johns Island, SC (Charleston Area) and plan on retiring in the next few years to Beaufort, SC where I'll play on my boat and enjoy sunsets on the water.

Kenneth (Ken) Interval

Class of '75



Occupation: Environmental, Geologist, Imagery work,

Family: Four kids: Nancy and 3 girls one boy, grown and moved out...self sufficient.

Interests: Home projects, playing fiddle (not well)...old time / Appalachian, Scot., Irish

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: In short, enjoyed raising kids and several different careers over the years. Now leaning toward several new interests (not retirement!).

Marilyn Isenbart Thrush

Class of '75



Occupation: Speech Therapist (retired in 2020)

Family: Married to Gene Thrush, 41 yearsSon, Bradley 37Daughter Brittany 32

Interests: staying active walking, exercisingReading, mostly fiction, shopping, traveling

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Married to Gene for 41 years. Our son and his wife are Lt. Colonels in the Air Force after graduating from Penn State so we travel to see them in each location that they have been living. They are parents to our dear granddaughters, Alexis, 7 and Zoey, 4. They are currently "close by" in the DC area. Our daughter and son-in-law live in Colorado and we love visiting them! They had a memorable Leap Day wedding on 2-29-20 and then we all returned home to basic shut down in March. After 35 years as a Speech Therapist I retired mid covid. We are trying to get back to our travel and interests!

William (Bill) Jones

Class of '75



Occupation: Information Technology Executive

Family: Married for 37 years with 4 children, 2 Grandchildren

Interests: Music (Guitar, Drums), Bike Riding, Pens Hockey, Steelers Football, Cars, Reading

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Played football 4 years in college. Married my college sweetheart and we have been together for 42 years. Raised 4 wonderful kids, 3 are married, 1 in PA school, 2 Grandkids. Family vacationed at the beach and at Deer Valley YMCA family camp (a wonderful family experience) each year. I Worked for PPG Industries or associated businesses for my 41 year career in the Information Technology field. Those jobs allowed me to travel to many states and countries which I enjoyed. I am now retired, so I can enjoy playing instruments, exercising, attending Steelers & Penguins game and babysitting.

Barbara Koepp McNulty

Class of '75



Occupation: Registered Architect (FL), LEED BD+C

Family: Sadly, my husband passed 2 1/2 years ago. I have one grown stepson.

Interests: USMS and YMCA Masters Swimming, Genealogy

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: As an architect, I spent 38 years involved in the design and construction of educational and governmental facilities located mostly in the Tampa Bay area. I also worked on the first green building (USGBC LEED Gold certified) for the City of St. Petersburg, FL. Shortly after my husband and mother passed, I moved back home to take care of my father. He passed two weeks ago and now it seems that I'm starting anew. I plan to pursue a job in architecture and work on ADA or sustainable building projects. One thing is for certain. I have to get rid of the 1970's pink shag carpet in the bedroom!

Kurt Kuntz

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired

Family: Married 40 wonderful years to Ellen George (NA 1974) No kids, 2 dogs

Interests: Classic Cars, singing, birding, camping, traveling, social issues, my home.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I have been fortunate in the life I have had since High School. My greatest blessing has been my wife Ellen. She and I never knew each other at NA as she went to class and I hung-out in the parking lot. My career and main hobby have all been centered around Cars and the Automobile industry. I live in Ingomar in the the house my father designed and I was raised in. I am active at the Unitarian-Universalist Church of the North Hills. We are blessed with close families and many wonderful friends. I love living in my hometown and experiencing life with lifelong friends and acquaintances.

Robert (Rob) Lias

Class of '75



Occupation: US Government - Department of Defense

Family: Suzy (wife - separated since 2015), Kevin (son), Lena (granddaughter)

Interests: Car restoration, biking, photography

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Enlisted in the US Army upon graduation. Enlisted through 85, I was commissioned Infantry in 85. I was transferred to the Quartermaster Corps and worked as a Petroleum Office my last few years. I retired in 97. I worked for the law firm of McGuireWoods (networking & network security) and was in our new Pittsburgh office during 911. Left the law firm in early 03 to go back to the Army to support post 911 actions. Currently, I am restoring a 1956 MB 190SL which takes up much of my time, effort and \$\$\$\$. I plan to retire in Dec 25 and travel...

William (Bill) Maruca

Class of '75



Occupation: Attorney

Family: Wife: Sue Morris Daughter: Julia Maruca Son: Jack Maruca

Interests: Music, travel

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Went to Penn State, then Pitt Law School. Have been practicing health law since 1982, first with Houston Harbaugh, then Kabala & Geeseman which became Fox Rothschild. Sue and I just celebrated our 25th anniversary. Both kids went to N.A. and played in the band. I still play music on the weekends when I can. Enjoyed catching up with our classmates at the reunion.

Thomas McCauley

Class of '75



Occupation: Sales Executive

Family: Married, wife Diana, 2 children Justin and Ryan

Interests: Family, Good friends, Golf, Hiking,

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: After college spent 8 yrs (active/reserves). Spent 36 yrs in sales with NCR and AT&T. Retired in 2020 and enjoying the free time in Cranberry area of Pittsburgh.

Julie McCosby Wagner Burtner

Class of '75



Occupation: Physician assistant retired

Family: Married to Lee. Four children Jimmy, Gretchen, Gregory, Jamie, 8 & 3/4 grandkids

Interests: Family, travel, volunteer work, reading

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Started Duquesne University, quit to get married and have my kids. Went back to Duquesne when my youngest was in first grade. Completed my bachelors degree and got my masters degree as a physician assistant. Worked for the University of Pittsburgh for 20 years in endocrinology and geriatrics in clinical research. Since retiring, I have been traveling the USA and Europe and enjoying my family, kids and grandkids, who range in age from 15 to the 9th one due in October. I am fortunate that they all live within five minutes of me in Hampton Township.

LuAnn Meier George

Class of '75



Occupation: German Teacher (Retired)

Family: Husband Tom, four children Gerret, Shawna, Ian and Frank.

Interests: Family, traveling, reading, music, helping people, and my faith.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: After leaving NA, I attended IUP and spent my junior year abroad in Germany. Best year of my life! After graduation, I worked in the legal field before realizing that German was truly my passion. I went back to get my teaching degree at Pitt and taught high school German for 25 years. After retiring from teaching, I spent two years as a corporate trainer. Then I decided it was time to retire for good. Loved all my jobs, as each prepared me for the next in unseen ways. I have truly had a blessed life.

David (Dave) Miller

Class of '75



Occupation: Engineer - retired

Family: 2 children, 4 grand children

Interests: travel, home improvements

Elaine Munsch Rufer

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired

Family: Husband - Jim Son - John 30 Penn State Works in the Energy Field

Interests: Hiking, Biking, Motorcycle riding, Snowmobiling, Down Hill Skiing, Boating.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Worked at West View Savings Bank for most of my career, worked from teller position up to Management and Human Resources. Took several years off to enjoy my son and be involved in activities with him. After my son was old enough to drive I started working in the office for Allegheny Excavating, Inc. for 10+ years until retiring in 2018. Currently we are traveling around the country just enjoying this wonderful land we live in.

Deborah (Debbie) Nocleg McBride

Class of '75



Occupation: Corporate Finance (retired)

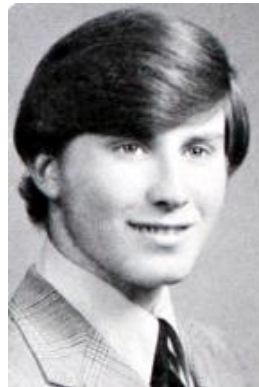
Family: Rob (spouse); Colt (canine fur baby)

Interests: Traveling the World with my 2-legged buddy. Explorations w/my 4-legged buddy.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: My life has been very fulfilling and rewarding due to God's abundant blessings. Peace and love to the entire NA Class of '75!

Mark Olson

Class of '75



Occupation: Neonatal Intensive Care Specialty Nurse

Family: Wife: Carolyn 36yrs, Kids: Kaitlyn 32, Connor 27, Ian 24, Jill 22

Interests: Anything outdoors, I'm a leather worker...see MO's Leather on Instagram

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Working in nursing x28 yrs, Lived in PHX AZ for while, love hanging w/ my kids, I'm obsessed with all things art and especially LEATHER ~ make and sell many pieces. Moving to LA sometime in December '21 to pursue traveling Nursing to usher in retirement in a few yrs.

Jill Parker Harrington

Class of '75



Occupation: puppeteer

Family: husband - Jim daughter - Becky (age 40) son - Zachary (age 17)

Interests: creative ministries - inner-city ministry

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Thanking the Lord everyday for choosing me to minister to children and youth through creative arts doing sidewalk sunday schools with the "Kids Kingdom Adventure" program in Pittsburgh and surrounding areas

Dana Pavelick Pierson

Class of '75



Occupation: Payroll Processor

Family: 2 great kids: Preston(33) NA grad 2006;Shannon (30) NA grad (2009); Grandson: Jaxon (7)

Interests: Karaoke!!!! I also enjoy bowling and hope to join a league again when I retire.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Becoming a Mom and now a Grandma tops my list! I love spending time with my daughter. My son lives in GA so he is a little hard to connect with but I am so looking forward to a road trip with Shannon at the end of July to go to visit my son and spend my Grandson's 8th birthday with him in person.

Barbara Peters Caszatt

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired!

Family: Married 37 yrs (Jim), 3 daughters, 6 grandchildren, 1 great grandson

Interests: Swimming, walking, biking, gardening, cooking, reading and enjoying retirement.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Graduated from Grove City College in 1979. Worked, got married, had kids and then my husband joined the US Navy. As a Navy wife I spent most of my time in Virginia where my husband was stationed. Worked my way up from Accounting Clerk to Accounting Supervisor for one of the largest general contractors in Virginia. Retired in 2019 and moved to Oil City (!?!). Enjoying the laid back life of retirement.

Laural (Laurie) Potter MacMillan

Class of '75



Occupation: Sales

Family: Husband, Doug, children Maddie (born 1996) and Will (born 1998)

Interests: sports, physical fitness, travel

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Returned briefly to Pittsburgh after college at UNC--Chapel Hill. Work took me to Houston, Denver, NYC and Chicago. Moved to NC in 2007. Witnessed first ever split liver (i.e., living donor) transplant in US.

Leslie Reash Jones

Class of '75



Occupation: Notary/Title Clerk

Family: Married to my husband Jack, and 2 daughters Jackie & Kathy.

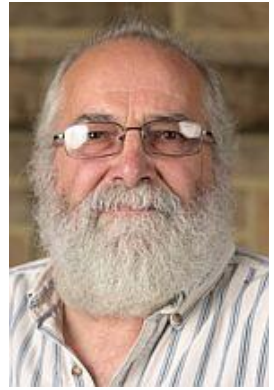
William Ringeisen

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired

Family: Wife Marcia, Son Bradley, Daughter Ami



Interests: Flat Fender Jeeps, Committee Member Friends of the Bantam Jeep Heritage Festival

Joyce Rockwell Weiss

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired

Family: Gary (husband), Lisa (daughter), Bryan (son), Sophia and Olivia (granddaughters)

Interests: Traveling, Pickleball, biking and Yoga.



Dana Rowan

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired Geologist

Family: Married to Cheryl in 1979 (42 years), 3 children, 3 grandchildren

Interests: Enjoy community volunteer work and membership in Astronomy and Geological Assoc.



Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Following HS graduation I attended Wheaton College where I received a BS Geology Degree and met my wife, Cheryl. Following earning a MS Geology degree from Arizona State University, I worked for Chevron/Texaco for 35 years in Denver, CO, Midland, TX and Houston TX. Raised 3 children, 2 of which became engineers, and one who became a high school teacher. Retired in 2017 and now live in Fredericksburg, TX.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Seven years ago I asked my husband what he wanted for his birthday. He said to fly to Florida and look at RV's. The first thing that came to my mind was the spoof Robin Williams RV movie! Well we did buy a RV and sure are enjoying our life traveling and meeting new friends. We have done RT 66, Lewis and Clark, Big Sky and the Grand Circle. We have visited 38 states and traveled over 60000 miles. Looking forward to more adventures!

Lezlie Scheib Ruth

Class of '75



Occupation: Legal Assistant

Family: My husband is Dave Ruth. My daughters are Bethany (24) and Jordana (21).

Interests: Music, muscle cars and muscle boats!

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I moved to the Washington, DC area in 1985 and have lived in different parts of Maryland since then. Currently loving life in our own little paradise on Kent Island, eastern shore of the Chesapeake Bay! I am working as a legal assistant for a busy health care practice but am hoping to retire soon. Dave and I got married on May 7th and we are blessed to feel like a couple of teenagers!

Jeanmarie Scheller Daugherty

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired; RN Emergency Dept

Family: spouse Steven, kids: Karen (Joe), Nicholas (Kerri), Angela (Bryan), 4 grands

Interests: Camping, travel, quilting, grandkids, baking, family! Learning Retirement life

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Passavant Hospital as an RN from 1978- March of 2021. 20 yrs critical care, +23 in Emergency Dept. 14yrs as Injury Prevention Program provider in the community, schools and events. Continuing as volunteer through Passavant Hospital Foundation. Cameo of Caring Award in 2018. Married 43 yrs. 3 great kids, all local and doing well, 4 grandkids. 2yr ago 6 wk out west trip in camper, avoiding interstates! Mom still in my childhood home. All family still local. Moved to Economy about 16 years ago, not far from the old Brookside Drive-In site. Had lived in Franklin Park the majority of my life.

Paul Seelbach

Class of '75



Occupation: Prof of Aquatic Ecosystems, U. Michigan

Family: Lovely wife of 36 years, Arlene. 5 kids, 4 kids in law, and 10 grandkids.

Interests: Family, community, canoeing, fishing, acoustic music

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: By marrying a wife and 3 kids I entered a rich and active family life! We've been part of an anabaptist (Mennonite) church community that has challenged and shaped my values. I've enjoyed working in my field of interest, aquatic ecology. Mostly as a government researcher but always embedded on a university campus, and I've enjoyed the "lifetime learning" challenges and also the hopeful energies of grad students. And I've been wilderness canoe tripping from Canada to Florida, from Michigan to Maine.

Terri Sharlow Truchan

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired



Lynette (Lyn) Sherbo Geake

Class of '75



Occupation: Elementary Administrator - Retired

Family: Married for 42 years to Robert Geake, attorney. Our son, Jonathan, CPA.

Interests: Family & Friends, volunteering, hiking, reading, working with chocolate

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I started my career in education in a two room schoolhouse in Romance, WV. After moving to Phoenix in 1984, I continued my career in elementary school, becoming principal in 2000. After retiring, I worked as an Educational Consultant, then I started my own business, Custom Cookies By Lyn, making and selling chocolate covered Oreos. All of my family now live in Arizona, with our son and his family living in the Phoenix area. Our two year old grandson is going to become a big brother to twin sisters in late August, which, unfortunately, is why I will miss the reunion. So disappointed!

Charles Singer

Class of '75



Occupation: Real Estate Developer

Family: Four children Four grandchildren

Interests: Hunting, fishing, and enjoying Florida sunshine.



Gwendolyn (Gwen) Smith Johnson

Class of '75



Occupation: retired

Family: Married for 40 years to Tom. 2 beautiful daughters and 3 wonderful grandchildren

Interests: I enjoy sewing, scrapbooking, woodturning, gardening, reading, and traveling

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: My greatest experience was being able to stay home and raise my children. I have been active in Girl Scouts for about 30 years. Also volunteer for the Red Cross. One of my goals is to visit as many National Parks as possible and travel a lot. We visited Iceland a couple of years ago and it was beautiful!

Pamela (Pam) Smith Maxson

Class of '75



Occupation: Human Resource Director

Family: Daughter Val; Son Rick and daughter-in-law Carly and Grandson Rowan.

Interests: Antiquing and I have a store on EBay.



Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I live in McCandless, I am divorced and live in the home where my kids were raised and also attended NA. I have had fun working on the reunion committee and getting to know my fellow committee members better. I have found all of my old friends this way as well. Very rewarding! I attended Grove City College with many of our NA classmates. I have worked as the HR Director at the law firm of Tucker Arensberg PC for 30+ years. I am looking forward to seeing classmates in September!

Patricia (Patti) Smith-Fisher

Class of '75



Occupation: Dental Implant Coordinator - Retired

Family: Daughters Jamie Lyn Age 39 - Kelli Age 35

Interests: Boating, Swimming, Decorating, Gardening , Wine and traveling.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I moved to Cape Coral, Florida 22 years ago. I love Pittsburgh but could not take the cold winters. I am married to my husband Jeff Fisher (1972 NA grad) and we have 5 children between us. I also have 4 beautiful grandchildren and Jeff has 9. In Pittsburgh I was a Social Activities/Wellness Director for a large Apartment Complex, however I spent most of my career in the Dental Industry (Implant Surgery) and I have been retired for 2 years. Life is Good! My sisters Cristi (and my parents) live here. Terri and (Bob Yeager-NA "75") are Pgh./Fl. Snowbirds, and Lori is still in Pittsburgh.

Judy Stone Jordan

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired Kindergarten Teacher

Family: Husband, Bill 3 Children...Kate, Will, and Tom 3 Grandchildren

Interests: Volunteer work at local Elementary Reading/Quilting/Gardening Walking & biking

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I went to Grove City College & earned a degree in Elementary Education & met my, husband of 42 years, Bill. We moved about , had 3 children & settled back in Grove City. I was lucky to have a job I loved every day. I loved my Kindergarten children. I got to be the one to "kick the tires & light the fire" on their journey to reading. Most memorable trip: 2019 trip to England & Scotland and walking into the same church my ancestors were baptized in 1590...still a working church! While there, we also visited the airfield Bill's dad flew out of during WWII. Both unforgettable!

Caryn Soergel

Class of '75



Occupation: Health Care Professional

Family: Dog Mom to two beautiful Gordon Setters. Favorite Aunt & Godmother to many!

Interests: Golf, Travel, Reading, Flea Markets, Antiques, Pittsburgh Sports Teams & Family

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I have worked in the health & fitness industries my entire career. I have managed several health clubs in the Pittsburgh area. About ten years ago, I made a career change and I now work in women's healthcare. Although I enjoy working, I must admit I am looking forward to retirement. I think it will be a lot easier getting up for a 8:00am tee time than an 8:00am Zoom Meeting,



Jane (Beth) Tatlock Snyder

Class of '75



Occupation: Real Estate Agent

Family: Husband Tim, sons Ross Snyder (NA 2003) and Drew Snyder (NA 2005)

Interests: Singing (still), traveling, motorcycle riding

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Spent most of my career in healthcare public relations, marketing and fund development. Changed to real estate when I moved to Florida in 2010. Now semi-retired. By the end of 2021 I hope to have ridden my motorcycle in 49 states.



Zoltan Toth

Class of '75



Occupation: Co-owner of Brandworks LLC

Family: Single. No kids. (At least none that I know of.)

Interests: Art, music, the theater as well as local sports.

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I've been fortunate to travel to many interesting spots around the US and to some fun places in Europe and the Caribbean. I played competitive indoor soccer for 30 years in various leagues as well as skiing and playing tennis. Pickleball seems to be the next thing on my list. My company does branding, marketing and graphic design and I am currently working on a big branding project for UPMC in Pittsburgh. I have a weekend house in the Laurel Mountains where I enjoy spending time with family and friends. Those experiences are the most memorable, after all.

Thomas (Tom or Van) Van Gorder

Class of '75



Occupation: SVP, North America Sales at Clarabridge

Family: Paula (wife), Hayley, Grant and Hannah

Interests: Fishing, Hunting, Obstacle Races

Paul Vita

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired 2017 from Chevron after 38+ yrs

Family: Married to Susan for 40+ years. We have 3 sons, a daughter and a daughter-in-law

Interests: Running, working-out, reading, traveling - domestically and international

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Traveled extensively to international locations in my various roles with Chevron. Worked and lived in, Scotland, Angola, Papua New Guinea, and Australia. Hiked the Grand Canyon -- Rim to Rim. Ran 13 full marathons and 15 + half marathons.

Susan (Sue) Wadlow Laurence

Class of '75



Occupation: RE Broker, Shoo owner

Family: Husband-Chris, 2 kids, 3 step kids, 16 grandkids

Interests: Traveling

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: We decided to retire a few years ago but I didn't know what I'd do to keep from being bored so instead opened an independent real estate office and a gift shop which keep us busy. We travel every chance we get and best trip so far was Australia and New Zealand a few years ago. Next big trip will be to the UK to visit the grandkids.

Lynn Wanner Bryan

Class of '75



Occupation: Realtor

Family: Three Adult Children Keith, Danielle and Taylor

Interests: Hiking, Biking, Walking, Tennis, Pickle Ball



Lita Waters Kearney

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired

Family: 3 kids, 2 grandkids, 1 granddog

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Married 43 yrs to Kevin Kearney (class of 72)

Howard Welsh

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired from Ford Motor Co. (Finance)

Family: Married classmate Dorothy Arnold in 1981. We have 3 sons and 1 granddaughter.

Interests: Travel, golf, wrestling and spending time at our 2nd home in Northern Michigan

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: Chemical Engineering degree from Penn State and and MBA from Pitt. Worked for 2 years as an Engineer for Westinghouse and then 30 years for Ford. Spent 4 years in Tokyo, Japan in the mid 90s. and then final 8 years as CFO of Ford's Operations in China (Shanghai). Enjoyed living overseas and traveling. Retired from Ford in 2013 and then spent 8 years coaching high school wrestling. On the Penn State Chem. Eng. Advisory Council the last several years.



Kimberly Wolff Newcomer

Class of '75



Occupation: Project Manager/Sales

Family: Single Mom of 2 great kids. Jessica 36 & Hallie 29 & grandson Alex 4

Interests: Hiking, walking, skiing, traveling & music

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: I moved to FL at 20 yrs old and got my real estate license. I then moved to South Carolina four years later & went to USC for an accounting degree. I got married and moved around SC & then moved to VA where I worked at a CPA firm. Then I had an opportunity to be a Project Manager & I've been there 23 yrs. working in a construction related job. I traveled to Italy a few years ago and I long to do more international travel, when possible. Looking forward to retiring!



Martha Wysor

Class of '75



Occupation: Retired

Interests: Travel, golf, reading, cooking, entertaining

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: College at Denison, grad school at WWU Bellingham, WA, nowhere but north to go, to Juneau, Alaska for 27 years as a good civil servant, early retirement, living in Bend, OR in a wonderful place. Life is good! Sorry I missed the party, next time!

Deanna Yingling Armstrong

Class of '75



Occupation: Business Owner

Family: Husband of 38 years, son, daughter-in-law and the happiest 14 month old grandson

Interests: Traveling, golf, tennis, kayaking, skiing, baking and playing with my grandson

Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: My husband and I love to travel and have been to 27 countries as of date. We've found that our greatest adventures have been leaving with a plane ticket, rental car and winging it as we go. I've enjoyed hiking up an active volcano in Guatemala and "skiing" down lava rock, snowmobiling in Yellowstone, studying abroad in London, experiencing Machu Picchu and many more. Italy is one of our favorite countries. We have a lifelong friend there who we first met when we hosted her at a golf tournament here that she won in 1988. I'm in love with places I've never been to and people I've never met...

In Memoriam



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North Allegheny - Class of 1975



Charles Bartley
1976



Donna Beljan
2013



Joseph Bilecky
2021



Charles Binder
2009



Mark Blum
1983



Wayne Campbell
2019

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North Allegheny - Class of 1975



James Coyne
2020



Stephen Culver
2010



Linda Decker
2014



Keith Dehaven
2018



John Derby
2019



James Devine
2011

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North Allegheny - Class of 1975



**Daniel
Egnacheski
2019**



**Laura Evanoff
2021**



**Carl Firetto
2013**



**Sammy Gentile
1983**



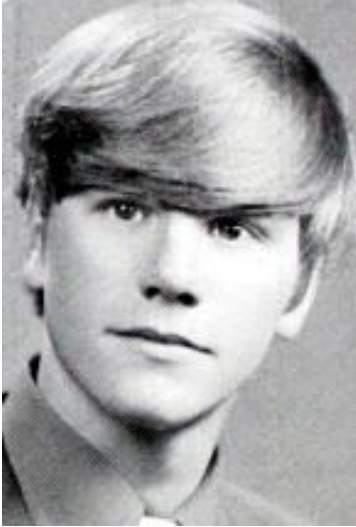
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2012**



**Walter Gibson
1986**

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North Allegheny - Class of 1975



**Bruce Goettman
2021**



**Catherine Grosick
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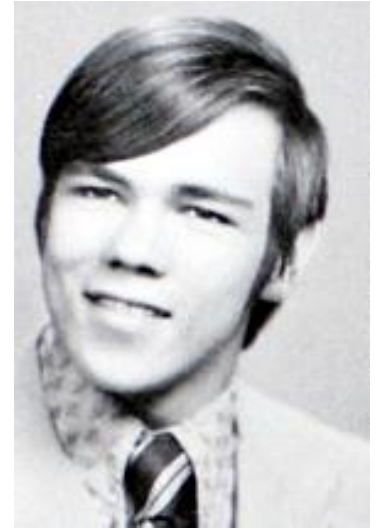
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**Deborah Huhn
2020**



**Barbara Jones
2015**



**Peter Jones
2016**



**Robert Kenney
1998**



**Mark Kovac
1977**



**Kim Kozminski
2006**

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North Allegheny - Class of 1975



**Michael Lersch
2015**



**Pamela Louvris
2010**



**Mimi McKain
2018**



**Patricia
McKernan
2021**



**Cheryl McKnight
2014**



**Amy McWilliams
2013**

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North Allegheny - Class of 1975



**Sherri Mihm
2011**



**Christine Mills
2007**



**David Neel
1998**



**Fred Nelson
1998**



**Walter Novak
2019**



**Glenn Ott
2014**

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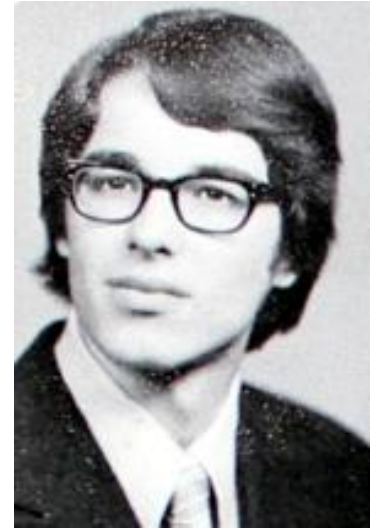
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**Jeffrey Patton
2007**



**Jeffrey Peery
2019**



**Michael Quimby
2019**



**Douglas Rapp
1983**



**Paul Rinaman
2013**



**Robert Roth
1989**

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North Allegheny - Class of 1975



**Jill Schafer
2015**



**Daniel Scheller
1975**



**Kevin Schultz
2009**



**Ralph Shaffer
1994**



**Kirk Sharlow
1979**



**Karen Shelby
2020**

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North Allegheny - Class of 1975



**Lemoyne Shrock
2021**



**Nancy Smith
2005**



**David Uhlig
2013**



**Rocco Viola
2017**



**Susan Wiegand
1996**



**Douglas Young
2009**

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[James Devine - 2011](#)

[Carl Firetto - 2013](#)

Walter Gibson - 1986

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Robert Hufnagle - 2013

Peter Jones - 2016

Kim Kozminski - 2006

[Mimi McKain - 2018](#)

[Amy McWilliams - 2013](#)

David Neel - 1998

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[Michael Quimby - 2019](#)

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Douglas Young - 2009

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