



Hello Sisters!

SHAA NOTES

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BAMBIE BOLT - IN INDIANA

For many alumnae, the St. Hubert experience lives on long after graduation. For Peggy Gallagher, (SH '89) memories of blue jumpers, saddle shoes, Father-Daughter Dances, and warm cheese fries in the cafeteria are still vivid today.

"I loved my uniform," she recalled. "The colorful 'SH' patches for each year, my locker key, and the rick-rack trim ribbon. It made mornings easy because I never had to think about what to wear. And the Father-Daughter Dances were so special—not just for me, but for my dad, too. He loved to dance."

This year, she's carrying those Bambie memories forward in a new way—by joining the Bambie Bolt 5K for the first time. Though she hasn't participated in alumnae events before, she was excited to see the race promoted on Facebook. As a seasoned runner who has completed more than two dozen 5Ks, multiple longer races, and even a Warrior Mud Run, she saw the Bolt as both a challenge and a homecoming.

Peggy will complete her virtual race on the Nickel Plate Trail near her home in Fishers, Indiana, just outside Indianapolis. "I usually walk three miles four times a week, so I'm adding in running to train," she explained. "I'll be running solo with

my playlist, using the RunKeeper App to track my miles, time, and pace.

And of course, I'll be wearing my Bambie Bolt t-shirt—and maybe my St. Hubert hoodie if it's chilly."

Running is more than exercise for her—it's a way to support causes and collect memories. She runs unique trails, supports worthy causes, and loves interesting medals. "It's always gratifying when I finish."

But participating in the Bambie Bolt means something deeper: connection. "It's important to be proud of, remember, and support where you came from," she shared. "Events like this make me feel connected to my high school, my hometown, and the Philadelphia community. Even though I still get homesick sometimes, the Bambie Bolt is a way to stay connected throughout the year."

She also believes in giving back to empower today's students. "It's important to support St. Hubert however you can to encourage the next generation. Young women should be brave, let their voices be heard, think outside the box, and not let anyone hold them back from pursuing their dreams."

With every step of her 5K in Indiana, she'll be carrying the heart of Philly, her St. Hubert pride, and the Bambie spirit.

CRAFT FAIR: A TRADITION RETURNS!

Join us on **Saturday, October 25th (9 AM – 2 PM)** as St. Hubert transforms into a festive marketplace filled with talented artisans, alumnae makers, and local vendors. Browse handmade jewelry, holiday décor, unique gifts, delicious treats, and plenty of Bambie cheer!

It's more than shopping—it's a chance to reconnect with friends, bring the community together, and support SHAA programs and scholarships that keep the St. Hubert legacy strong.

New this year: Bambies enrolled in the CNA program will be offering free blood pressure checks—stop by and have yours checked.

Interested in being part of the fun? **Vendor tables are still available!** Don't miss your chance to showcase your creations—sign up here: www.bit.ly/4pwBVRt.

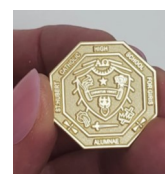
COMING EVENTS

- Class of '90 35th Reunion Oct 11
- Autumn Craft Fair Oct 25 9am-2pm
- 5K/Walk/Virtual Run Nov 2
- Class of '85 40th Reunion Nov 22
- Class of '95 30th Reunion Nov 22
- Fall Bingo Sunday Nov 9 2pm

Whether you're looking to reconnect, celebrate, or just have fun, there's something for everyone. Learn more and register for these events, at sthubertalumnae.org

'68 TURNS 75

The Class of '68 celebrated their 75th birthdays in September. Organized by Jackie McGrath, Kathy Quinn Caputo, Louise Winski, Mary Ann Keenan, Barb Sharp, Nancy Wagner Szambelak, Sharon Ciaccia — and more — the event drew 47 classmates (with Gwen Hood traveling from Florida!) Guests enjoyed delicious food and drinks, reminisced, sang Happy Birthday, nibbled a "1968" pretzel with a "75," and posed with a uniformed Bambie cutout to remember their last year as students. Everyone had a wonderful time — a perfect celebration of their 75th year together! **Check out photos on page 3 of this issue!**



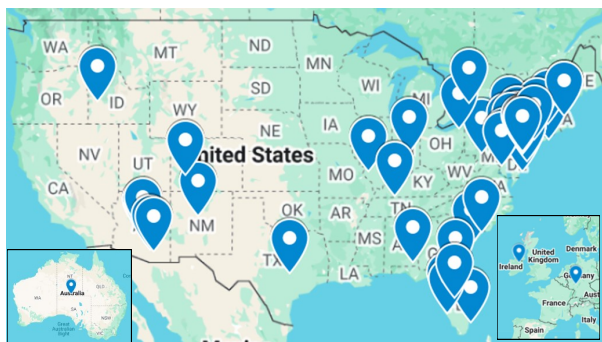
SHAA Pins now available on StHubertAlumnaeassociation.org/shop

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Next Alumnae Meeting: Monday Oct 6th
7:30 pm (EST) Via Zoom
For Login info, email SHAAwebmaster@gmail.com

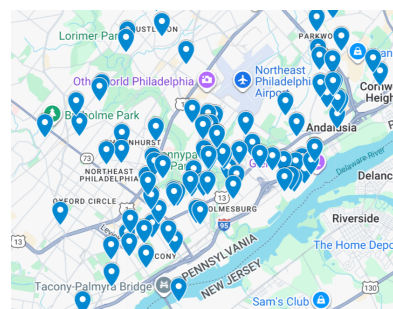
WHERE IN THE WORLD ARE OUR BAMBIES?

We've created a new alumnae map to show where our Bambies live today—a beautiful reminder that no matter the distance, we're all connected by shared memories and pride in St. Hubert.



Many of us call home the Northeast US or along the East Coast.

One thing jumps out immediately: the heart of our community is still beating strongly around Cottman and Torresdale. Clusters of pins fill up that corner of Northeast Philadelphia, proving St. Hubert is still woven into the daily life of the neighborhood that shaped us.



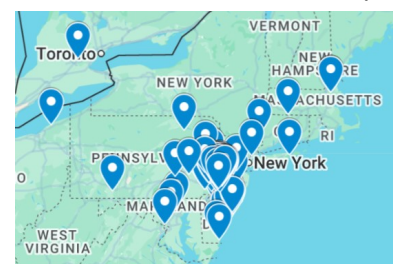
It has always been more than an address—it's a gathering place, a landmark, and a symbol of the friendships and values that shaped us. Even for those who've moved far away, the map reminds us where our roots are and how many of us share the same starting point.

But the broader view tells another story—the incredible reach of the Bambie spirit. From the Alleghenies to Australia, Germantown to Germany, Holmesburg to Hawaii, Idaho to Indiana to Ireland, and Tacony to Tucson, our alumnae span the globe.

If you don't see yourself on the map, we'd love to add you! Share your updated contact info so we can include every Bambie. Each new pin strengthens our network and shows the world just how far our St. Hubert family extends.

Together, we're proving that the Bambie spirit shines brightly—everywhere!

#SHalumnae #FriendsOfStHubert #BambiesForever



WANNA WEAR THE BLUE JUMPER AGAIN?

Many of us remember fondly (or not-so-fondly) the classic blue jumper with blue blouse, a St. Hubert staple for decades and a symbol of our shared Bambie pride. In the late 1980s, that uniform changed to "the sack," a dark brown jumper worn with the short or long sleeved yellow oxford shirt. Today, our girls wear plaid skirts with a yellow polo or dress shirt. Each change reflects a piece of our history and tradition.

To celebrate our first uniform, we now have a life-size paper doll dress cut-out in the iconic blue uniform! It was donated by the class of 1975. Perfect for reunions, alumnae events, or photo opportunities, and you can borrow it for your own gatherings. Relive the charm of the classic jumper. Make your event extra special.

Interested in borrowing the cut out or sharing your blue jumper memories? We'd love to help you bring a piece of St. Hubert history to life! Email SHAAwebmaster@gmail.com

FAMILY TIES - 4TH GEN BAMBIE



At the recent Bambie Ambassador Pinning Ceremony, we were delighted to see a true Bambie legacy in action. Colleen Pine Cushman (SH '97) and daughter Gabriella Cushman (SH '27) proudly represented the 3rd and 4th generations at St. Hubert, following in the footsteps of Norma Tancredi Gwynn (SH '47) and Sue Gwynn Pine (SH '74).

2 WAYS 2 STAY CONNECTED

Email: SHAlumnae@gmail.com

or aim your smart camera here to get to our webpage. You can send a message and upload pics or files.



Have you moved? SH Alumnae Affairs wants to know! To send your details, update your info at www.huberts.org/updateyourinfo/

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CLASS OF '68 TURNS 75 & CELEBRATES IN STYLE (9/25 - PHILLY)



STILL GOLDEN: THE CLASS OF '74 STICKS TOGETHER!



If your class is gathering, celebrating, or just having a great time, we'd love to see it! Send us your photos. We'll share the fun and memories in the next issue of *SHAA Notes*.

Got a great shot? Send it our way—captions welcome!
We love sharing your photos (and the stories behind them) to celebrate the spirit and sisterhood of SHAA.



August 15 OC, NJ
Blessing of the Water
Lucy Addario Wilent
Michele Dourdoufis Laganella
Daisy Pagan



Sep 13
Dino's Diner, Seaville, NJ
Who needs perfect pictures
when you've got perfect
friends?



Aim your
smartphone camera here!