

The past and the present coming together for the future.

CALENDER OF EVENTS

PHHS Homecoming
Saturday 9/23/2017
Football game at 1 PM

Class of 1987 Reunion
Saturday 9/30/2017
6 pm – midnight
Embassy Suites
6300 Earle Brown Drive,
Brooklyn Center, MN 55430
Contact: David Ybarra
mptdavidybarra@gmail.com

Class of 1977
40th Class Reunion
Friday 10/6/2017
Sundance Golf Course
Maple Grove
Contact: Kim Goski-Hurley
hurley@freespirit.com

Hall of Fame Luncheon
Wednesday 10/18/2017
Edinburgh Golf Course
See back page for info.

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Brad Thorsen

The PHHS Foundation Board is deeply saddened at the recent unexpected passing of a friend, founding Board member, and 2017 - 2018 Board Vice President Brad Thorsen.

A real estate attorney for 30+ years, he was also past president of HCBA, past executive director of VLN, and past executive director of We Can Ride.

Brad was a long-time Special Olympics gymnastics coach. In his retirement, he focused on his family (especially his beloved grandchildren), friends and attending Vikings and Lynx games.

He was also involved with and did volunteer work for the PHHS Foundation and is a member of the Patrick Henry Hall of Fame.



2017 Updates

25th All Alumni Golf Open Recap

The 25th Annual Henry Golf Open was held on August 14, 2017 at the Monticello Country Club.

There were 56 golfers. What makes this event even more rewarding is the money that is raised for the Foundation.

This year the event raised **\$2,700** for the Foundation. A **BIG THANK YOU** to all who participated.



2017 – 2018 School Wish List Requests

We do not have specific "wish list" items from staff at this time. But we are aware that school budgets provide less each year.

The Foundation funds many staff requests each year. If you would like to designate your donation to go to a particular activity or class, please note that on your donation.

Donations can be made by mail or electronically in PayPal directly from our web site at <http://phhsfoundation.org>.

2017 – 2018 Board

The board will meet in Room 201 at PHHS at 5:30 PM on the third Wednesdays of the following months: November, January, March, April, and May.

We welcome visitors to our meetings. Please stop by to find out more about what we do to support the school, staff, students, and Henry community.

We are currently looking for additional board members if you or someone you know is interested in volunteering.

HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

This year's class of Patrick Henry High School's Hall of Fame inductees were involved in a wide variety of academics and activities. They also shared a common bond of theater. Ed Flanders, Tom Hanson and Charlie Smith all performed in high school theater.



Ed Flanders '52 began his acting career while in high school and continued his acting passion throughout his lifetime. Along with theater, he also played on the hockey team. Flanders won three Emmy Awards and one Tony Award during his career. He is probably most recognized by his starring role as Dr. Donald Westphall on *St. Elsewhere*. Sadly, Flanders passed away in 1995.



Tom Hanson '62 also participated in theater during high school and continues today to act, write and produce theater. Hanson also participated in cross-country, basketball, track, baseball, speech, debate and the school newspaper where he was the sports editor. Hanson's lifelong career calling was as a Lutheran minister serving mostly in Illinois.



Charlie Smith '65 found himself in a leading role in the senior class play of *Twelfth Night*. Smith's high school activities revolved around the bands and orchestra. While in college found Smith in the College of Forestry and Recreational Resource Management leading to a research and planning position with the regional parks and trails. Eventually, he settled into a career as a market research manager at Tenant Company. Smith's love of music and natural resources never diminished as is shown by his consistent and passionate involvement with the U of M band alumni and the college of natural resource alumni societies.

Please join us in honoring these three individuals at the all alumni, school, and Henry community Hall of Fame annual luncheon on October 18, 2017. The reservation form and more information can be found on the back page of this newsletter.

Donations

Over \$2,000

Gar Lockrem River Heights Choir Scholarship

\$500 - \$999

Elizabeth Anderson "From the Heart" Scholarship

Jim Hays & Steve Lerum '75

\$250 - \$499

Paul Brown '53

Bonnie J. (Walker) Gearou '51

In memory of Bob Gearou '49

Steve Pietrzak '66
In memory of brother Rick

\$100 - \$249

Anonymous
In memory of an old friend

Jim & Sandy Anderson '61
In memory of Rodney Ray, teacher/AD

Paul Andreen '52
In memory of Mary Andreen

Charlie & Cindy (Hansen) Brown '66

Craig Canham '60
In memory of sister Sandra (Canham) Schutte '64

Gary & Carol Lee (Hogness) Carlson '65

Glenn Carlson '66
In support of Golf Teams

Gary (A.N.A. Sunny) Ehn '66
In honor of classmates that served in Vietnam

Dick Erickson '52
In honor of my classmates

Paul Fischer '48

Ron & Carol (Shapansky) Gomez '64
In memory of Ron '64 & Jonnie (Shapansky) '65 Knaus

Jack Hansen '60
In memory of Paul Cunningham, "wittiest guy" in class of '61
In memory of brother Tom Hansen class of '61

Marty Lerum '69
In honor of Dick Rainville graduating

Gwen (Olson) Lee '65
In memory of Jonnie Shapansky '65

David Mrocek '63

Janice (Hagen) Peterson '52
In memory of cousin

Shirley Steen '52

Dan Steffens '77

Ron Stolski '57
In memory of The Boys of Bohanon Field

Elaine (Teige) Zimmer '61
In memory of Diane Shell Westerlund a friend and Henryite

\$50 - \$99

Tony Andreason '61

Charles Berger '52

Leslie Berger '77

Connie Blom retired staff

Glenn Carlson '66

Carol Carrara '63

Al Cooper '63

Gloria (Gisslen) Derrick '54
In memory of Sandy (Swenson) & Bob Gilbertson '54

Dale Egberg '63

Paul Fischer '48

Nancy (Olson) Green '51
In honor of the class of '51

Rosmarie Hofstad '47

Karen Holliday

Scott Jacobson '79
In memory of Susan Pearl Hable '79

Robin (Boldt) Johnson '71
In honor of Class of '71

Rosemary (Meyer) Kirkevold '54
In memory of 4 brothers and parents

Kokie Miller '48

Charlotte Kelch Ostrom '52
In honor of surviving classmates

Jean (Johnson) Picard '70

Jim '71 & Karen (Hanek) '73 Porath

Harry Stanius '55

Ron Wilkinson
In memory of Paul Cunningham '60

\$25 - \$49

Jola (Rhodes) Amundson '56
In memory of Jerry Amundson '56

Nancy Anderson '63

Barb Arrell '63

Denny Axell '62

Robert Balthazor
In memory of Paul Cunningham '60

Walter Balthazor
In memory of Paul Cunningham '60

Jim Campbell '63

Don Davis '60
In memory of Paul Cunningham '60

Charles Donaldson '68

Dennis Edling '63

Lorraine (Illg) Hamack '53
In memory of Class of 1953

Jon Heath '56

Dan Ganley '65

Tom Ganley '53
in memory of Lois (Black) Ganley '55

Bob Harenza '56

Bob Johnson '56

Larry Johnston '53

Larry Kreuter '62

Bob Lund '63

Richard Malikowski '71
In honor of Class of '71

John Paulson '56

Marylyn Peterson
In memory of Joan (Clements) Carlson Class of 1947

Craig Ploof '63

Lee Russeth '53

Richard Streu '47

Mary & John Sylwester
In memory of Don Bergerson - teacher

Other

Steve Skjold

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Current Board Members

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FALL LUNCHEON 2017 – HALL OF FAME

The annual all alumni luncheon will take place on Wednesday, October 18, 2017. The highlight of this luncheon is the induction of our new Hall of Fame members. Join the fun with alumni from all classes, staff, and members of the community. ***A sit down plated lunch will be served, unfortunately walk-ins are not able to be accepted.***

Wednesday, October 18, 2017

- Social Hour with Cash Bar 11:00 AM
- Lunch 12:00 PM
- Hall of Fame Program

Edinburg Golf Course / Highland Room
8700 Edinburg Crossing
Brooklyn Park, MN 55443

\$25.00 per person due by 10/7/2017

Please Select One Luncheon Choice

- Glazed Chicken
 Georgia Pork

Please contact Cathy at 763-425-3362 or
tcpeterson1@comcast.net with vegetarian
meal requests or any questions.

Please print clearly.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

GRAD YEAR: _____ MAIDEN NAME: _____

EMAIL: _____ Is this new? YES NO

PHONE NUMBER: _____

Please mail checks payable to: **PHHS Foundation**

Mail registration form and check to: Cathy Peterson
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