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December 2018

WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI FOUNDATION NEWS UPDATE

Message from the President

Season's Greetings!

It is traditional at this time of year to reflect on the past year and count our blessings...

I am grateful for the dedicated and hardworking volunteers - Susanne, Sue, Deanna, Marne, Don, Gina, Doug, Lynn, Denise, Marilyn and Helen - who serve on the Alumni Foundation Board of Directors

We are grateful for those of you who sustain our efforts with your membership dues and gracious donations that support our mission including Alumni events, classroom grants, and student scholarships.

We are proud to have helped the Barnett and Jacinto families establish and award new Alumni scholarships to honor the memories of loved ones Steve Barnett (1959) and Mike Jacinto (1971). Recently, we worked with the Williams family to establish a new scholarship in memory of Belinda Anne Williams (1991) that will be awarded for the first time in Spring 2019. I will gladly work directly with families who are considering a similar tribute to honor a deceased alumnus.

Congratulations to the Class of 1968 on a successful 50th reunion! We enjoyed seeing and visiting with many of you at our Homecoming game booth on October 12.

I would like to give an enthusiastic public welcome to our four new board members! Lynn (Halter) Barnett (1959), Denise Jacinto (1972), Marilyn (Ramsell) Manchester (1972), and Helen (Tait) Paris (1972) are bringing new energy to the Foundation, and are already hard at work planning

and preparing for the 2019 Alumni Hall of Fame Dinner scheduled on May 18, 2019. This exciting event will honor three exceptional alumni: Stephanie Telles (1965), Dirk Lorenz (1978), and Bill Harrison (1988) for their outstanding achievements, records of service, and support for a better community.

Helen, who recently retired from her position as WHS Activity Director, was instrumental in creating the Husky Hall of Fame and this special dinner event, as well as building stronger school recognition for WHS alumni, and promoting student leadership support for the Alumni Foundation. Her replacement as Activity Directory, Mike Soltau, is building on her success, and I thank him for providing student leaders Victoria Padilla (2019) and Zoe McDonough (2020) as enthusiastic liaisons to the Alumni Foundation Board. These women are doing a great job taking meeting minutes, engaging in planning, and supporting Board activities.

You can stay informed about current and coming alumni events, and support the Alumni Foundation by visiting our website, WHSAF.ORG. While there, you may also conveniently renew your membership and make a much-appreciated donation.

We are all blessed to have had a wonderful high school experience, and to enjoy many happy memories of our time at Washington High. From one life-long Husky to another, I hope that you and your family enjoy a wonderful holiday season!

Steve Giudici Class of '76



Reunion Planning Notes

The Class of 1968 celebrated their 50th reunion on Friday, October 12 and Saturday, October 13, 2018. The event was a great success in no small part to the alignment with the annual Homecoming football game. The class held a social event on Friday evening, and then many folks went over to Tak Fudenna stadium for the game. The Alumni Foundation presented all who signed in with free logo tote bags and luggage tags, and the group had a lot of fun at the game. The next morning, WHS activity director Mike Soltau provided the reunion group with a campus tour to show how things have changed in the past 50 years!

The annual Homecoming game is typically scheduled in mid to late October, and Mike encourages all reunion planning committees to seriously consider planning their events during Homecoming week. Mike can be contacted at msoltau@fremont.k12.ca.us.

Alumni Foundation Awards Color Printer to WHS Library

Earlier this month, Nicole Norman, WHS school librarian, submitted a grant request to the Alumni Foundation for a color laser printer. Per Ms. Norman, "Our students would benefit from access to a color printer so that teachers could assign projects that require more digital creativity. Currently they cannot because we do not offer the ability to print color at school. Because this printer is in the library, this could benefit the whole population." The Alumni Foundation Board agreed with Ms. Norman and fully funded her request of approximately \$830 for the color printer and initial set of toner cartridges. Students will pay a small fee for their printed pages that will cover the future cost of replacement cartridges.

The Classroom/Education Grant program was established to provide WHS teachers with additional support for providing students with new and better educational experiences. These grants are funded through generous alumni donations and WHSAF fundraising.



eScrip is an easy way to make contributions to the Alumni Foundation.

Participating merchants will make contributions to the WHS Alumni Foundation based on purchases you make using registered credit cards at no additional cost to you.

If you shop at Lucky stores, they make donations through eScrip and their rewards program. You may choose up to 3 charities to split your contributions. Please make the Washington High School Alumni Foundation one of your choices.

For eScrip Program Information, visit www.escrip.com. Of all our Alumni Foundation supporters, less than 20 are signed up for eScrip!



"Circle of Honor" Bricks

Thank you to the hundreds of people who have ordered their "Circle of Honor" bricks. We are really excited about the high quality of these engraved bricks and the excellent location around the flagpole, in the front of the school, where they have been placed. At only \$35.00 each, they make a great gift for a friend or family member. All the money we raise goes toward scholarships for the seniors each year. Please call if you have any questions: **Susanne Turner** at 510-793-7452



2018 Scholarships Awarded

On May 31st, the annual Senior Awards Night was held for the Class of 2018. The soon to graduate seniors were celebrated for their many accomplishments. The WHS Alumni Foundation was proud to present 13 scholarships totaling \$8,000 that evening. The Foundation added 2 scholarship categories this year; the Mike Jacinto Team Player Scholarship and the Steve Barnett Scholarship. Those receiving Alumni Foundation Scholarships were:

Alumni Foundation School Service Scholarship

David Mesropyan - (\$500) -- Ohlone Jr. College; Film

Abbas Mahmand - (\$500) -- Ohlone Jr. College; Engineering

Nicholas Nguyen - (\$500) -- Cornell University; Communications

Carrie Nunes Community Service Scholarship

Nicholas Niera - (\$1000) -- CSU Long Beach; Film Sanjana Rajesh - (\$1000) -- UC Santa Barbara; Economics

Johnathan Sampson - (\$1000) -- Santa Clara University; Economics

John Woodcock Athletic Leadership Scholarship

Nathan Clark - (\$500) -- Ohlone Jr. College;

Business Administration

Sophia Ryals - (\$500) -- University of Oregon; Undeclared

Fred Brower-Doug Ely Journalism-Publications Scholarship

Grady Mahusay - (\$500) -- Mills College; Business Administration

Pop Goold Aspiring Educator Scholarship

Elana Gladish - (\$500) -- Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo; Liberal Studies

Mike Jacinto Team Player Scholarship

Lauren Baglietto - (\$500) -- Santa Clara University; Public Health

Jorryn Toverra - (\$500) -- UC Santa Barbara

Steve Barnett Scholarship

Benjamin Schneider - (\$500) -- Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo; Economics

Notes received from our scholarship recipients:

"Thank you very much!" -- David Mesropyan; Ohlone Jr. College, Film

"I would like to thank you for the generous \$500 Alumni Scholarship. By awarding me the Alumni Scholarship, you have lightened my financial burden allowing me to focus more on school rather than worrying about payment". -- Eleanor Vierra Kabrich

"I would just like to thank you again for your generosity, it has inspired me to help others and give back to the community." -- Abbas Mahmand; Ohlone Jr. College

"I would like to thank the Washington High School Alumni Foundation for this wonderful scholarship." -- Nicholas Nguyen; Cornell University

"Thank you for this opportunity! I would like to express my gratitude and acceptance of the J.V. "Pop" Goold Aspiring Educator Scholarship." -- Elana Gladish; Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo

"Thank you very much for helping me pursue my academic goals at Santa Clara University." – Johnathan Sampson, Santa Clara University

"I would like to thank you for awarding me the Mike Jacinto Team Player Scholarship. It is such a great honor to be a recipient of this amazing scholarship, in remembrance of Mike Jacinto. The Washington Alumni Foundation has helped me in many ways." – Jorryn Tovera; UC Santa Barbara

"I am happy and thankful to have been selected as a Carrie Nunes Community Service Scholar in the graduating class of 2018 by Washington High School Alumni Foundation." -- Sanjana Rajesh; UC Santa Barbara

"Thank you so much!" – Sophia Ryals; Oregon State University





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Bob DeMar WHS/Logan High	1960
Marsha Johnson Cabral	1960
Jessie Lee Greenlee	1964
Jamie Brennes	1965
Charron Martens Silveira	1965
Maureen Marshall	1965
Betty Pollard Hoeppner	1965
Wanda Wilson WHS teacher	'66- '88
Nicki Lee (Fabbri) Teixeira	1968
Brian Marsh	1970
Mike Jacinto	1971
Carl Holguin	1971
Ed Boule	1972
Marilyn Hudson Wright	1972
Jan Henk Miller	1972
Janet Roberts	1973
James J Vincent	1976
Ramona (Campos) Wright	1976
Phillip Reis	1979
Belinda Ann Williams	1992
Daniel Allen Camello	2001
Louis Bufkin WHS Teacher	'63- '87
H. Don Wolfe WHS Teacher	'48- '58
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Richard Burkhart WHS Teacher

Got News?

To contribute any news or information regarding WHS past graduates, please contact **Susanne Turner** (class of 1958) at:

Cauit@aol.com or call 510-793-7452.

WHSAF Meetings

The WHS Alumni Foundation meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 6:45 pm in the Student Center at WHS. Come meet us as well as several school Leadership students.

Our first quarter 2019 meetings are scheduled for: January 8, February 12, March 12

We are looking for alumni to help us with: Webmaster and Newsletter Editor (we will supply the articles!) Won't you volunteer?

WHSAF is on Facebook!

The WHSAF has caught up to the 21st century! We are on Facebook. You can access us at: Washington High School Alumni Association, Fremont, CA and Washington High School Alumni Foundation, Fremont, CA. Please stop in and "like" the pages, and let other Washington grads know the pages are there. We will update these pages with current Alumni news.

Important Newsletter Info

Please send us your email address!

WHSAF is trying to modernize as well as keeping costs under control. With that in mind, the board has decided to send your future copies of the newsletter via email. If you have an email address, you will be sent the newsletter electronically. It will also be posted on the Alumni foundation website www.whsaf.org.

If you do not have an email address or still require a "hardcopy" of the newsletter, please acknowledge your request for a "printed copy" when you renew your annual membership.



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CIRCLE OF HONOR

Leave your legacy as a permanent part of our new school Be a part of our "Circle of Honor"

The "Circle of Honor" is a commemorative circle of bricks around the flagpole in front of our new school buildings. Your participation will help fund programs desperately in need of money, leave your legacy, and help continue the proud heritage of Washington High School. The "Circle of Honor" is a joint venture of the Washington High School Associated Student Body and the Washington High School alumni Foundation. Your donation may be credited as you desire

Join us in adding your name or that of a loved one to our "Circle of Honor". Your donation will be a beautifully engraved, personalized brick, for only \$35.00 each. Each brick carries a 1/8" thick brass plaque engreed with up to eighteen letters per line on three lines of print. This is a heavy duty product made to stand up to the wear of its use in a walk or driveway. Your plaque is meant to last a lifetime!

The location of the bricks (actually a 2x4x8" pavers) was chosen for its high visibility and location as the first spot a visitor will see when visiting our school. If you wish to be a part of our "Circle of Honor", please fill out the order form below and return it with a check or money order (please, no cash), made out to Washington High School. Mail to the following address:

Washington High School P.O.Box 3033 Fremont, CA 94539

For additional forms or information, please contact: WHS Alumni Foundation - Susanne Turner, 793-7452

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Personalized Logos for Your Brick - \$3.00 each

One of these logos may be used on your brick. If you wish to use one of these, put the number of the logo on the order form where the logo number is shown. Remember you only have 12 spaces on each of the 3 lines if you choose a logo.



