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# Hall of Fame celebrates accomplished alumni



Above, Gene Corman S'44, (front and center) is surrounded by his family and friends at this year's Hall of Fame induction ceremony; top right, Ian Dawson '85 poses beneath his Hall of Fame photograph at the high school; right, Michele Flournoy '79 accepts her Hall of Fame plaque in Washington D.C. where she works for the Department of Defense. Find their profiles and a story on this year's induction inside, pages 4-9.

*On the masthead of the Highlights is the phrase "Today Well Lived." It is excerpted from the following poem:*

**Salutation of the Dawn**

Look to this day,  
For it is the very life of life.  
In its brief course lie all  
the verities and realities of  
your existence;  
The glory of action,  
The bliss of growth,  
The splendor of beauty,  
For yesterday is but a  
dream and  
Tomorrow is only a vision;  
But today well lived makes  
every yesterday a dream of  
happiness,  
And every tomorrow a  
vision of hope,  
Look well, therefore, to this  
day.

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First row, from left: Lilly Lewis '74, Betsy Ulf S'49, Josh Gross '91, and Bob Fox W'46. Back row, from left: Elyse Rothstein Beardsley '76, Joanna Fields Stingray '78, Fred Nason S'48, and Daryl Snyder '51. Not pictured: Candace Chen '87.

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## Experienced educators lead Beverly

Hello fellow Normans:

Things are better than ever here in the Norman Nation. Our wildly popular principal, Carter Paysinger '74, continues to lead our alma mater to continued academic and extra-curricular success.

Carter's administrative team includes assistant principals Jennifer Tedford, Kelly Tabis and the venerable Chuck Kloes, who came back from retirement to lend his considerable experience to the administration. We couldn't be more excited to have a team of this caliber leading our school.

Other Beverly graduates



Josh Gross '91  
President

doing exciting things on behalf of our Beverly Hills public schools include Steve Kessler '71, who is principal of Horace Mann; David Corwin '87, who heads up the Athletic Alumni Association, which will be hosting their annual Hall of Fame dinner on November 12; and Rich Waters '85, who was recently named assistant principal of my alma mater, Beverly Vista.

We owe a special thanks to former Beverly coach, teacher, and Hawthorne principal Dick Douglas, who returned to the BHUSD from retirement this past year to serve as superintendent. Just like his longtime neighbor Coach Kloes, it's been tremendously valuable to have his experience and knowledge of the community in the district office this past year. We wish him

all the best as he returns to his much-deserved retirement. Few people epitomize the Norman spirit more than Dick Douglas.

The Alumni Association was founded in December, 1977. Our organization has grown significantly since that time. We now mail this Alumni Highlights to over 18,000 graduates living all over the world. The support of graduates like you have allowed us to become the biggest contributor of alumni scholarships. This year, as in years past, we awarded \$12,000 to six deserving graduating seniors -- \$2,000 each.

But that's not all. We also built and maintain a war memorial, which pays tribute to those Normans who died while giving service to their county. We maintain the Alumni Hall of Fame, which inducts new members each year, including three this past

April. For the last seven years, we've donated \$1,000 annually to support the Performing Arts Department and their first-rate musical productions. We also coordinate with the various reunion chairs to help promote your annual reunions.

In closing, don't forget that you graduated from the greatest and most famous high school in the country—probably the world. We greatly need your continued financial support as we help take our alma mater to even higher places. So if you enjoy receiving your Alumni Highlights every year, please consider making a contribution today. Until next time my friends, Go Normans!

Josh Gross '91  
President  
Alumni Association

## Principal notes school's achievements in 2010-11

This has been an exciting year for Beverly Hills High School.

The theme all year for our entire school community has been to move from good to great. Beverly Hills High School at one time was considered to be one of the best high schools in the country and our entire school community has had such a drive to recapture that status. We have made great strides in areas such as the appearance of our campus, the discipline of our students, our curriculum and our academic achievement.

Our co-curricular programs were very successful this year. Our performing arts department headed up by Herb Hall, Josh Buchar and Joel Pressman '67 presented two productive plays.



Principal Carter  
Paysinger '74

The fall play was "A Midsummer Nights Dream". The winter play was "Moon over Buffalo and the spring musical which was a tremendous hit was "Fiddler on the Roof". Our bands led by Bill Bradbury had some awarding winning performances this year. Our athletic department is in the process of completing another gratifying year. 19 of our 24 varsity teams advanced to the CIF-SS playoffs this year. Our playoff teams include; girls tennis, girls volleyball, boys waterpolo, girls crosscountry, boys crosscountry, football, girls basketball, boys basketball, girls soccer, boys soccer, wrestling, baseball, girls track, boys track, boys volleyball, girls swimming,

boys swimming, boys golf and boys tennis. The department awards for all of our co-curriculars were awarded in June.

KBEV is getting a makeover. We are restructuring KBEV and upgrading the program in an effort to offer our students a more television studio experience. We hired a consultant, Mark Waxman who has a wealth of experience in the operations of a television station. His primary responsibility is to help us to make KBEV a more viable program.

Our media students with the help of former student Jonathan Prince '76, consultant Mark Waxman and our media director Romeo Carey are developing a concept of producing commercials for local businesses. They are currently in the process of producing their first 2

commercials. Both commercials will be completed in the next couple of weeks.

Our Planetarium is also receiving a makeover. Todd Okum '86 another former student has led a campaign to refurbish the Planetarium. We are hoping that in September, we will be able to once again offer astronomy classes in the Planetarium.

Individual student awards in all areas for the year will be revealed over the next 4 or 5 weeks.

This really has been an outstanding year for Beverly Hills High School and we are well on our way to being recognized once again as one of the top high schools in the country.

Carter Paysinger '74  
Principal  
Beverly Hills High School

# New inductees for the Hall of Fame

Three new inductees joined the high school Hall of Fame on April 7, 2011. They are Gene Corman S'44, Emmy winning TV producer; Michele Flournoy '79, Under Secretary of Defense for Policy; and Ian Dawson '85, winner of 6 Emmy awards.

The induction took place upstairs near the library and as in the past, Betsy Roberts Ulf '49 arranged for table decorations featuring orange and white balloons and table cloths and napkins. Joanna Stingray Best '78 made all of the arrangements for sandwiches, soft drinks, coffee and desserts and the area was very festive.

Family, friends, alums and administrators were in attendance. Gene Corman S'44 was accompanied by his wife, Nan Morris Corman '49 and family members. Gene's brother, Roger S'43, flew from the East Coast in order to attend the induction. Ian Dawson '85 had many family members and friends in attendance. Michele Flournoy '79 couldn't

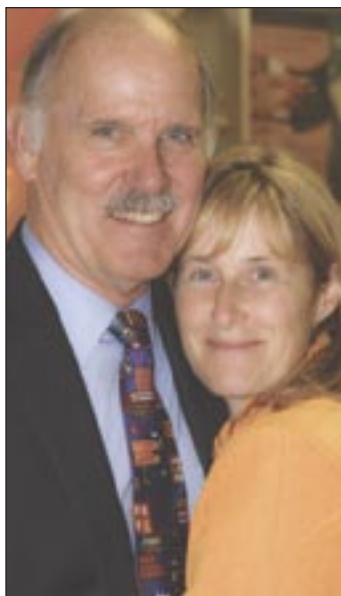
be there as her governmental responsibilities and meeting made it impossible for her to make the trip from Washington, D.C.

Also attending were Superintendent Dick Douglas, Principal Carter Paysinger, Chairman of the Performing Arts Department Herb Hunt, President of the Board of Education Lisa Korbatov '82, past President and member of the Board of Education Steven Fenton '88, and others. President of the Alumni Association Josh Gross '91 was MC at the induction and he handed out the awards and offered an introduction for each of the inductees and presented each with a plaque commemorating their placement on the Hall of Fame. Immediately after the ceremonies, the spring musical "Fiddler on the Roof" took place in the school auditorium.

To be considered for the Hall of Fame, an alum must *See HALL OF FAME, page 5*



Inductee Gene Corman S'44 and his brother Roger, S'43, who was inducted to the Hall of Fame in 2010.



Joanna Fields Stingray '78 with her former diving coach and BHUSD Superintendent, Dick Douglas.



Board of Education Vice President Brian Goldberg, Principal Carter Paysinger '74, Alumni Association President Josh Gross '91, and Board of Education member Steven Fenton '88.

## Beverly Hills High School Hall of Fame

Edwin L. Artzt S '47  
 Robert E. Badham S '47  
 Lloyd Braun '76  
 Jacqueline Orgell Briskin W '45  
 Albert Brooks '65  
 Joe L. Brown S '35  
 Richard Chamberlain '52  
 Molly Cosgrave Chappellet S '49  
 Laura Newman Chick '62  
 Louise Brough Clapp W '40  
 Gene Corman S '44  
 Roger Corman, S '43  
 George Cotliar '50  
 Donald W. Crowell '52  
 Cally Curtis S '41  
 Don Davies S '44.  
 Ian Dawson '85  
 Brig. Gen. Frank M. Drew S '48  
 Richard Dreyfuss '65  
 Walter H. Dunn S '40  
 Ed Edelman S '48  
 Blake Edwards W '41  
 Mark Egerman, '60  
 Delia Ephron '62  
 Nora Ephron '58  
 Mike Fenton '52  
 Betty Hughes Fladager S '41  
 Joyce Marcus Flannery '66  
 Michele Flournoy '79  
 William F. Fore S '46  
 Robert L. Fox W '46  
 Bonnie Franklin '61  
 Daniel Fried '70  
 K. Hiroshi Fujimoto S '39  
 Ronald M. George '57  
 Lunda Hoyle Gill S '46  
 Joanna Hall Gleason '68  
 John Guedel W '31  
 Adrienne Kosches Hall S '44  
 Charles Hamilton S '32  
 Aljean Levin Harnetz S '47  
 Robert T. Hartmann S '34  
 Jim Healy S '41  
 Duvall Y. Hecht W '48  
 Robert V. Hine W '39  
 Dr. William H. Hindle W '48  
 Adrienne Applewhite Jones S '34  
 Natasha Chapro Josefowitz S '44  
 Herb Katz S '48  
 Dr. Jerome Harold Kay S '39  
 Ken Kreisel '69  
 Ann Reiss Lane S '47  
 Serge Lang '43  
 Laurence Lesser '56  
 Mel Levine '60  
 Stanley W. Levy '59  
 Michael Lloyd '66  
 E. Ellsworth Lohn S '43  
 Major Gen. William Lyon S '41  
 Justin T. McCarthy Jr. W '41  
 Frank Mankiewicz S '41  
 Alejandro N. Mayorkas '77  
 David Mellinkoff W '32  
 Dr. Sherman Mellinkoff W '37  
 C. Robert Moore W '38  
 Frank Morriss W '46  
 Terrence O'Flaherty W '35  
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 Bob Osgood W '37  
 Elinor Awan Ostrom '51  
 William R. Pagen S '39  
 David A. Paige '77  
 George M. Pardee S '33  
 Hoyt S. Pardee S '36  
 Jerry Paris W '44  
 Robert L. Patten '56  
 Major Gen. Carl D. Peterson S '41  
 Joel Pressman '67  
 André Previn W '46  
 John E. "Jack" Randall W '42  
 Peggy Rea S '38  
 Rob Reiner '64  
 William Reppy W '30  
 Vicki Behrstock Reynolds '53  
 Robert Gore Rifkind S '46  
 Will Rogers Jr. W '31  
 Jay Sandrich S '49  
 Richard M. Sherman S '45  
 Robert B. Sherman S '43  
 Richard E. Sherwood S '45  
 Alan Sieroty W '48  
 Mona Simpson '75  
 Gerry Curley Somers S '46  
 Lynn Stalmaster S '45  
 Walter J. Stoessel, Jr. S '37  
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 Tom Van Sant W '49  
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 Meg Whittle Whitcomb S '48  
 Betty White W '39  
 Jim Wiatt '64  
 Wally Wolf S '47  
 Robert D. Wood S '43  
 Daniel Yergin '64  
 Richard S. Ziman '60  
 Marlene Sudmin Zimmerman '50



Michael Libow '81 and BHUSD Superintendent Dick Douglas.

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be a graduate of Beverly and there are certain parameters that are considered, e.g. the persons accomplishments and if that person made an unusual contribution to whatever profession or endeavor in which the person was involved. Further, has the person received recognition within the area of the person's activities and has the person been the recipient of awards, honors, etc., and has that person had national or local recognition with respect to activities and

accomplishments.

There are a variety of considerations that are evaluated by the Hall of Fame Committee. Also, does the person to be nominated have a desire to be considered for the Hall of Fame.

Nominations should include an 8 by 10 picture of the persons – preferably in color although black and white is acceptable. Send nominations to Hall of Fame Committee, c/o BHHS Alumni Association, 241 Moreno Dr., Beverly Hills, CA 90212.

## Donations accepted

Although many of us take it for granted that Beverly High has plenty of cash to purchase whatever is needed, this is not the case.

The state is always short of funds to support education, so our schools are dependent on the community to support its fine programs.

If any of you have books, computers, musical instruments,

equipment or furniture that you can contribute, send them to the high school.

If you live near the high school, the administration can make arrangements to pick up the items. Please call (310) 551-5100 ext. 8300. If you have any questions about this, call the Alumni Office at (310) 551-5100 ext. 8219 or email us at BHHSAlumni@yahoo.com.

# Emmy-winning producer inducted



**Gene Corman S'44**

Gene Corman S'44 was born in Detroit and moved to Beverly Hills as a youth. At Beverly, Gene was a member of the varsity tennis team and received his letter. After graduating from Beverly, Gene attended Stanford and after graduation began a career in the entertainment business as an agent. His first job was with Ralph Blum Associates. He then joined the largest talent agency in the world, MCA, and his clients included Fred MacMurray, Ray Milland, Richard Conte and Joan Crawford. After seven years, he left MCA and formed his own production company with his brother, Roger S'43. He later left and went on to head his own independent production company at MGM and produced or supervised some 49 motion pictures and TV shows.

Gene was awarded an Emmy and the Christopher and the Golda Meir medallion for producing "A Woman called Golda," starring Ingrid Bergman. The year before, Gene made "The Big Red One,"

the story of the 1st Division. The film starred Lee Marvin and was the American entry at the Cannes Film Festival. Gene worked with a number of outstanding actors and actresses during his career and they include George Peppard, Rock Hudson, Mickey Rooney, Bernadette Peters, Peter Falk, Richard Chamberlain, Tony Curtis and others.

During his career, Gene also served as Vice President of 20th Century Fox TV, Executive Vice President for World Wide Production at 21st Century Film Corporation. He is a member of the Academy of Motion Pictures Arts and Sciences and a six year board member of the Producers Branch. He is also Past Chair of the Motion Picture Academy Screening Committee, a Patron of the Los Angeles County Museum of Art and a member of the Beverly Hills Fine Arts Commission.

Gene is married to Nan Morris Corman '49 and they have two sons, Rodd '75 and Craig '77.

## Upcoming Reunions

### Class of 1959

April 27-28, 2013  
Contact: Howard Rosen  
bhhs1959@hotmail.com

### Class of 1961

August 27, 2011  
UCLA Faculty Center  
Contact: Sherry Berk Tedeschi  
tapschi@sbcglobal.net

August 28, 2011  
Tour Beverly Hills High School  
10:30 AM  
Picnic Roxbury Park at noon  
<http://www.bhhs1961.myevent.com>

### Class of 1971

October 1, 2011  
Beverly Hills Country Club  
Contact: 661-259-5999  
[www.reunioncommittee.com](http://www.reunioncommittee.com)

### Class of 1981

October 22, 2011  
Renaissance Hollywood Hotel  
Contact: Treva Brandon at  
trevabme@aol.com

### Class of 1991

October 1, 2011  
Starlight Room, Hilton Hotel  
Contact: Josh Gross at 661-259-5999

### Class of 2001

Contact David Foldvary at  
dfoldvary@gmail.com

### Elementary Schools (BHHS Class of '61) Beverly Vista and Horace Mann

August 26, 2011  
Contact: tapschi@sbcglobal.net or  
kythera2007@gmail.com

### El Rodeo

August 26, 2011  
Contact: Steve Lippman at  
slippman@anderson.ucla.edu

### Hawthorne

August 26, 2011  
Contact: Toni Flaster Lagunoff at  
toni\_be@msn.com

*ATTENTION: AT THE CONCLUSION OF YOUR REUNION, PLEASE SEND TO THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION PICTURES WITH CAPTIONS (ONE PICTURE SHOULD INCLUDE ALL OF THE REUNION COMMITTEE MEMBERS WITH THEIR NAMES) AND A PARAGRAPH OR MORE ABOUT THE REUNION TO INCLUDE THE NUMBER OF ATTENDEES, WHERE IT TOOK PLACE AND OTHER INFORMATION REFERRING TO VARIOUS PLACES IN THE U.S. FROM WHICH ATTENDEES TRAVELED, ETC.*

## Alum leads field in visual effects, graphics

Ian Dawson '85 has more than 22 years of experience in branding, motion picture graphics, visual effects, post-production and new media.

He has produced the graphics on 10 Academy Awards shows and has recently worked on the main titles for the movies Thor, Captain America and the remake of Arthur.

Additionally, Ian is supervising the screen imagery for the Broadway rendition of Spiderman working with Bono and Edge as well as the recent broadcast package for ESPN's broadcast of the World Cup and the redesign of ESPN's NBA package.

After graduating from Beverly, Ian attended Arizona State University and Cal State Northridge from where he graduated. At both universities, he studied graphic arts. While at Beverly, Ian studied graphic arts under the tutelage of Sam Frias who taught graphic arts and photography at Beverly.

Ian credits Mr. Frias with influencing him to go forward with his interest in graphic arts. After graduating from college, Ian's first job was with Novocom where he produced the redesign for Entertainment Tonight's 10th season. He then became the executive producer and held that position for seven years.

He then spent four years with Rhythm and Hue's commercial division as their commercial



**Ian Dawson '85**

director and worked on accounts such as Dodge, Mazda, Novell, Nestle, Geico and many others.

Positions followed with other companies and Ian oversaw work on high-end commercials such

as Gap, Old Navy, Burger King and music videos for Beyonce, Madonna, Rod Stewart and others.

Ian consults through his company IDGRAFX on studio

management and production pipeline and is also currently the Head of Production at Prologue, managing production and bidding on feature titles, commercials, broadcast, interactive and VFX projects. He has been involved in production sequences for Speed Racer, Hulk, Tropic Thunder, Sherlock Holmes, Ironman and more.

Prior to joining Prologue, he served as Executive Producer of Commercials and Broadcast at Hydraulx where he produced and managed the re-branding of Coke China, Scion spots for the Attik, Starbucks with GSPSF and ABC's 2006 Desperate Housewives promo campaign.

In 2004, Ian was Executive Producer of Broadcast and Commercials at yU + co, managing branding and visual effects for Discovery, HBO, MNET, Ogilvy Asia, Bates China, ESPN, and Doner Advertising among many others.

His background also includes consulting at design firm Blind where he was brought in to manage the re-branding of the WB network and Fox Sports Baseball.

His talent has resulted in six Emmy Awards, nine Telly Awards, 10 BDA Awards, and two Clios working with many of the clients mentioned above. Ian and his wife, Carol, are the parents of two children, a boy and a girl.

## WANTED:

### Watchtowers of your yesteryear

If any alumni have Watchtower yearbooks that they would like to donate, it would be most appreciated by the high school and the Alumni Association. THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEEDS WATCHTOWERS FROM THE DECADE OF THE 70'S.

It seems that the collections at the high school and the Alumni Office are not complete. We want to preserve these yearbooks

as they are part of the history of our school.

Further, the yearbooks are helpful in researching former students with respect to verifying the year of graduation and learning about the clubs, societies and teams with which they were involved.

Please mail the Watchtowers to Beverly Hills High School Alumni Association, 241 Moreno Dr. Beverly Hills, CA 90212.



Ian Dawson (far right) and family celebrate his induction to the Beverly Hills Hall of Fame.



Nan Corman, S'49; Hall of Fame inductee, Gene Corman S'44, and Michael Libow '81.

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## Inductee serves in Dept. of Defense

Michele Flourney '79 serves as the Under Secretary of Defense for Policy of the United States. She was confirmed in the position by the U.S. Senate on February 9, 2009.

Prior to her confirmation as Under Secretary, Michele founded and was named president of the Center for a New American Security (CNAS) in January 2007. She also was a Senior Adviser at the Center for Strategic and International Studies, where she worked on a broad range of defense policy and international security issues.

Previously, Michele was a distinguished research professor at the Institute for National Strategic Studies at the National Defense University (NDU), where she founded and led the university's Quadrennial Defense Review (QDR) working group, which was chartered by the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff to develop intellectual capital in preparation for the Department of Defense's 2001 QDR.

Prior to joining NDU, Flourney served as a senior-level political appointee in the Department of Defense during the presidency of Bill Clinton, working at the Pentagon where she occupied the dual roles of Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Strategy and Threat Reduction and Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Strategy. In those capacities, she oversaw three policy offices in the Office of the United States Secretary of Defense: Strategy; Requirements, Plans, and Counterproliferation; and Russia, Ukraine, and Eurasian



**Michele Flourney '79**

Affairs.

Flourney was awarded the Secretary of Defense Medal for Outstanding Public Service in 1996, the Department of Defense Medal for Distinguished Public Service in 1998, and the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff's Joint Distinguished Civilian Service Award in 2000.

Following the November 2008 presidential election, she was selected as one of the Department of Defense Review Team Leads for the Obama transition.

On January 8, 2009, President-elect Obama announced that he was nominating Flourney as the Under Secretary of Defense for Policy, serving under Secretary of Defense Robert

Gates.

Flourney holds an A.B. in Social Studies from Harvard University and an M.Litt International Relations from Balliol College, Oxford University, where she was a Newton-Tatum scholar.

From 1989-1993 she was at Harvard's John F. Kennedy School of Government where she was a Research Fellow in its International Security Program.

Flourney's husband, W. Scott Gould, is a retired captain after twenty-six years in the U.S. Navy Reserve. He was vice president of IBM before becoming U.S. Deputy Secretary of Veterans Affairs. They have three children, and reside in Bethesda, Maryland.



**Rhonda Fleming '41**

## Alum honored for philanthropy

The League for Children honored legendary actress and philanthropist Rhonda Fleming '41 at its annual event, "A Starry Starry Night," on Oct. 10, 2010.

Held at The London in West Hollywood, the event was held to benefit Children's Bureau, a nonprofit leader in child abuse prevention and treatment.

Ambassador Glen Holden was the Master of Ceremonies and internationally acclaimed Chef Gordon Ramsey created the cuisine for the evening. Rosemary Booth and Gretchen Smith served as the event co-chairs while the league's current president is Mary Davis.

For the past 24 years, The League for Children has raised \$3 million in charitable funds to help benefit Children's Bureau, a 106-year-old nonprofit leader in the prevention and treatment of child abuse and neglect.

More than 21,000 children and their families are served each year throughout Southern California with programs that include foster care and adoption, parenting classes, family resource centers, mental health counseling, support groups and more.

## Film director was known for his comedies

Blake Edwards W'41 died on Dec. 15 2010. In high school his name was William McEdwards.

The iconic and famous director was born in Tulsa, Oklahoma on July 26, 1922. His name at birth was William Blake Crump. His grandfather, J. Gordon Edwards was a director of silent movies and his stepfather, Jack McEdwards moved the family to L.A. where McEdwards became a film production manager.

Edwards started out as an actor in the early 1940's and worked with well known directors such as William Wyler, Otto Preminger and others. He came to realize that he wanted to give direction and not take direction. His service in the U.S. Coast



**Blake Edwards W'41**

Guard during WWII led to a severe back injury which left him in pain for years.

Later, he joined with Richard Quine to create Mickey Rooney's first TV series. He then wrote scripts for a private detective series "Richard Diamond." Then, he wrote and directed the TV series Peter Gunn. In 1959 his first big budget film was Operation Petticoat with Cary Grant and it became the greatest box office of

the decade for Universal Studios. Two years later, he directed the still popular Breakfast at Tiffany's which starred Audrey Hepburn. Then came "Days of Wine and Roses" starring Jack Lemmon and Lee Remick. This film helped to elevate Edwards as an important director.

Edward's most popular films were comedies and his most dynamic and successful collaboration was with Peter Sellers in six of the "Pink Panther" movies. He later directed "10" with Dudley Moore and Bo Derek. He also directed his wife, Julie Andrews, in Victor/Victoria.

Edwards married his first wife, actress Patricia Walker, in 1953 and they divorced in 1967. His second marriage

was to Julie Andrews in 1967 and they remained married until his death. Prior to his death he had struggled for 15 years with the illness Chronic Fatigue Syndrome.

Edwards and Andrews had five children. The two eldest are from his previous marriage and the middle child is from Andrew's first marriage. The youngest children are two adopted orphans from Vietnam. All of the children except for the youngest have appeared in his films.

In 2004 Blake Edwards received an Honorary Academy Award in recognition of his writing, directing and producing and extraordinary body of work for the screen. He is also a member of the BHHS Hall of Fame.

**Joe L. Brown S'35** passed away on Aug. 15, 2010. After high school, he attended UCLA from where he



graduated and then entered the U.S. Army Air Force during WWII. He then began his baseball career in the front office in the minor leagues and eventually was hired by Branch Rickey and he became the General Manager of the Pittsburgh Pirates and guided them to two World Series Championships. The team also won 5 National League East titles. He was the son of famed comedian, Joe E. Brown. His brother Don Brown S'34 was killed in plane crash while serving in the Air Force. Joe L.

Brown was also a member of the BHHS Hall of Fame. He leaves behind a son and a daughter.

**Priscilla-Jay Everts S'35** passed away on Jan. 1, 2011. P.J. attended Horace Mann School, Beverly High, and Mills College and received her B.A. in History from UCLA. During WWII she served with the American Red Cross in Europe and drove a two ton Clubmobile truck, a moving canteen for troops. After the war, she spent 5 years as Ex. Secretary to the president of Mills College. She then became a staff member and later social secretary to Richard Nixon when he was Vice President of the U.S. She then held executive secretary positions for 19 years in the aerospace industry. She also directed her time to many professional and charitable organizations. She leaves

behind many friends.

**Robert E. Perrin S'35** died on Dec. 2, 2010 at the age of 93. This information was forwarded by his son and no other information was provided.

**Lloyd (Whitey) Knutson W'36** died on July 3, 2010. After graduating from Beverly, he attended UCLA where he lettered in basketball. He served in the U.S. Army during WWII as a Major. Lloyd spent his career in the food brokerage business. An avid golfer, he was a member of the Los Angeles Country Club. He is survived by his wife, Barbara, a brother, Carl, two sons, two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

**Betty Ann Smith S'37** passed away in her sleep on January 18th, 2011. She lived in Friday Harbor, WA. This was reported by her sister, Doris Sherman Homes S'40.

**Leon Lyon W'38** died on Dec. 15, 2009. After graduating from



USC, Leon served in the Marine Corp. during WWII. After the war, he joined the family business with his brother William Lyon S'41 and they became prominent home builders. He later moved on to the finance industry and served as President of Guardian Savings and Loan. And avid art collector, he served on the board of Newport Harbor Art Museum and helped raised funds to help move the museum to larger quarters and it became the Orange County Museum of Art. He also served on the board of the Orange County Philharmonic Society and the Laguna College of Art and Design. Leon's first wife died

in 2003 and he remarried. He leaves his wife, his brother, William, two sons and a daughter and five stepchildren, six grandchildren and 17 step-grandchildren.

**Peggy Rea S'38** passed away on February 5, 2011. After high school, she attended UCLA to attend business school. While working in production at MGM, she acted in small theater productions at night and she later had a role on Broadway in "A Street Car Named Desire." She debuted in TV in "I Love Lucy" and she then went on to important roles in "The Waltons" and "The Dukes of Hazard." She appeared in over 70 TV shows and several motion pictures. Peggy is in the BHHS Hall of Fame.

**Dorothy S. Weiss** (no maiden name provided) **S'38** passed away in 2009. Dorothy was very active in modern art as an art dealer and innovator. Her Dorothy Weiss Gallery in downtown San Francisco was so highly regarded that the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C. received all of her records and files. They are available under "Archives of American Art."

**Arthur Marx S'39** died on April 14, 2011. He was the only son of famed comedian, Grouch Marx, and Arthur was a veteran TV writer, playwright and celebrity biographer. He wrote extensively about his legendary father. When he was a child, he went on the road with his father, and the brothers, Harpo, Chico and Zeppo when they were playing vaudeville.

At Beverly, Arthur was a member and letterman on the varsity tennis team and was a ranked junior player. After high school, Arthur attended USC for one year and then joined the Coast Guard and served in the Philippines during WWII. After the war, he went to work at MGM as a reader and then evolved into a writer. He wrote TV scripts for McHale's Navy and My Three Sons and wrote biographies about Bob Hope, Red Skelton, Mickey Rooney and others. He also wrote books about his family including Life with Groucho. He had many other writing credits for motion pictures and TV shows. He leaves behind his son, Andrew, his second wife, Lois, a son Steve, a step daughter, two sisters and four grandchildren.

**Gloria Anthony Barwick S'39** passed away on Aug. 31, 2008, and her husband, **Tom Barwick S'39**, passed away on July 1, 2010. They had met in the tenth grade at Beverly and they were married for 66 years. Tom joined the U.S. Army Air Corps during WWII and was Liaison Pilot flying L-5's in Okinawa. He evacuated the wounded from the front lines and also delivered mail to smaller islands. They settled in North Hollywood and raised two daughters and finally moved to Placerville in 1978. They leave behind their two daughters, five grandsons and 9 great-grandchildren. Gloria's best friend, Charlotte Reinecke S'39 from El Rodeo School passed away at the Barwick home November, 1994.

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## Alum's life honored family, community

Mary Joyce Liscom Davies passed away on November 15, 2010, in Marblehead, Massachusetts.

Her survivors might focus their tributes to her on her lifelong services to the needs and interests of her children, grandchildren, friends, and husband of more than 60 years. She had the knack of making and keeping many good friends.

She had many achievements apart from the family. She served successfully for 25 years as an historical interpreter (tour guide) at the House of Seven Gables in Salem, Mass.

Joyce was on the Highlights Staff for two years and a member of the Alpha's Honor Society. She graduated from UCLA in 1948.

After graduating from UCLA, her first job was as a third grade teacher at the elementary school in Malibu, California.

In the early 1960's when living in Bethesda in suburban Washington DC she joined with other politically-interested women in an organization they labeled "The Nameless Sisterhood." This was an early feminist effort by politically-connected women in Washington to study feminist issues and consider action on them.

She joined with others in efforts to assist the Scotland Community, an old and poor semi-rural black community in Montgomery County Maryland aimed at getting new housing built and providing tutoring and other assistance to the



**Mary Joyce Liscom Davies**

residents.

In Marblehead in the late 1970's and early 1980's she led an effort to solve the problems of dogs running loose and annoying dog waste littering the sidewalks. She was able to get the Selectmen to support

an article on the Town Meeting Warrant to require that all dogs be leashed and that the owners pick up the dog's deposits.

Joyce was born in 1927 in Los Angeles, graduated from Beverly Hills High School and from UCLA with a Bachelor's Degree. She was elected president of her sorority, Pi Beta Phi. She and her husband had lived in Marblehead since 1975.

She is survived by her husband, Dr. Don Davies Ph.D. of Marblehead two daughters, Donna Davies of Acton, MA and Druanne Davies of Marshfield, MA and Donna's spouse Sabra Perkins, and daughter Amanda; Druanne's husband, Dr. Tod Forman, and three children Christa Forman, William Forman, and Laura Forman; and her sister and brother-in-law Joanne and Dr. Robert Pawlo of Sausalito, California. She was pre-deceased by her brother Leslie Liscom S'46.

The family suggests contributions to the National Osteoporosis Foundation, 1150 17th. Street NW, Suite 850, Washington DC 20036. [www.nof.org](http://www.nof.org)

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**Richard DeBaugh W'40** passed away May 3, 2011. He was a veteran of WWII as a fighter pilot and later he retired as a high school teacher. He was one great person! This was reported by Paul H. DeBaugh S'38.

**Margery Duhig Card S'41** passed away on Feb. 10, 2011. It was at Beverly High that

Margery's French teacher inspired her love for the French sense of beauty. She went on to



Stanford University and asked a young man for directions to the English department. She then went on her way and the fellow raced down the hall to Margery and asked her to go to a dance with him. His name was Frank Card and they were married for 68 years. After raising 3 children in the Pacific Palisades, Margery followed a deep passion and began to take art lessons and followed through with advanced courses. For 50 years she painted and studied painters and she contributed to the L.A. County Museum of Art. She is survived by her husband, Frank, two sons and a daughter, her sister, Barbara W'43, and six grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

**Patti Burns Morris S'41** died on Nov. 28, 2009. Patti dropped out of UCLA and became an apprentice publicist at 20th Century Fox. She later became Public Relations Director for the Beverly Hilton in the late 50's and early 60's. At the Hilton, she made arrangements for Presidents Dwight Eisenhower, John Kennedy and Vice President Richard Nixon. During that career the L.A.

Times placed her on the "Best Dressed List" and the Times also carried a feature article about her. In later years she devoted her efforts community activism and battled projects that threatened the environment. She was a public relations expert who became a staunch community activist. She was married to Oliver Morris who was co-owner of the Bel Air Hotel along with other hotels. He preceded her in death and she left no survivors.

**Major General Carl D. Peterson S'41** passed away on Dec. 23, 2010. After high school, he attended St. John's University in Minneapolis and left to join the U.S. Air Force in 1943 during WWII. He flew 35 combat missions in Europe and recalled to duty of the Korean War in 1950 and at the age of 26 commanded a squadron of 650 officers and airmen. He remained in the Air Force for the remainder of his career and served as deputy director of operations in Viet Nam and became air deputy of air of the Allied Forces in Northern Europe. During his career, he served in various capacities with the Air Force in the United States and foreign countries. He and his wife, Twyla, had seven children, 18 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. He was predeceased by his wife and his oldest son. He also leaves behind his brother, David Peterson S'48, Don Peterson '50 and his sister, Mary Peterson Guzzardo, S'45. Major General Peterson is a member of the BHHS Hall of Fame.

**Henry Mayor W'42** passed away on August 19, 2010 after a year's illness. This information was provided by his wife, Mary Osgood Mayor S'41.

**Sophie Greenspan Marer S'42** passed away on July 26, 2010. Born in Boyle Heights, she lived in Leimert Park, Beverly

Hills, and Newport Beach. She was a classic homemaker and considered her greatest accomplishment the raising of her three devoted daughters. She was predeceased by her husband, Richard Marer, and is survived by her daughters, seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

**Joan McDonough Grimes S'42** died on March 3, 2011. At Beverly, she was an Alpha and an athlete as well as a scholar. She



went on to Stanford where she was a basketball star, a member of Cap and Gown, a member of the ASSU Executive Committee, President of Cardinals, and a student manager. In 1946 she carried the "Axe" in her car to the Stanford - Cal game at Berkeley - the winner of the game is entitled to hold the Axe until the next game. She received her B.A. from Stanford and also a Masters in Economics in 1947. She met Stanford track star, George Grimes, and they were married in 1949. They had six children. Joan was involved in schools, scouts, charities many community activities. She survived by George, her husband of more than 62 years, her children, three grandchildren and her brother, Robert McDonough S'45.

**Carl R. Fischer W'43** died on Feb. 17, 2011. After graduating from Beverly, he entered the Navy V-12 program and three years later became an ensign and spent several years at sea. He was promoted to Lieutenant and was sent to Washington, D.C. where he met his wife Betty. He was stationed in many foreign countries. Also,

he was a graduate of George Washington University. After 24 years in the Navy, he retired and then has a successful career in the real estate business. He is survived by his wife, Betty, and a daughter and a son and five grandchildren and two sisters, Betty Fischer Treat S'48 and Anita Fischer Warfel and many nieces and nephews.

**Mayfield Harris, M.D. W'43** died on Dec. 27, 2010. At Beverly, he was student body president, a member of the Knights, the boy's honorary society and was named Knight Paramount at graduation. He



was also voted "Most Likely To Succeed" along with Doris Jones (pictured above.) He attended USC briefly and then earned his M.D. at Stanford. He served as a U.S. Naval Surgeon and then attended Harvard Univ. on a medical fellowship. He returned to the Bay Area and set up his practice in Los Altos and he was Chief of Surgery at El Camino Hospital, an instructor at Stanford Medical School and USC, and founding member of the American Orthopaedic Society for Sports Medicine and a former president of the American Orthopaedic Council. He also had volunteered his services for Project Hope and served in Peru, Nicaragua, Sri Lanka and the Navajo Indian Reservation in Arizona. He was also the team physician for the San Jose Earthquakes Soccer Team. He is survived by his wife, Joann, two daughters, a son, six grandchildren and his sister, Ann Ellen Jones.

**Gloria Jane Bearman Lancet S'43** died on May 21, 2010. Gloria was a consummate homemaker, mother and volunteer. She traveled extensively and had many friends. She was predeceased by her husband, Lloyd, of 36 years and her later in life love, Charlie. She is survived by her daughter, two grandchildren and a great grandchild.

**Barbara Frisbee Hart S'43**



passed away on Dec. 18, 2010. At Beverly, she was active in student government and was a member of the Alphas,

the girl's honorary society. She attended Pomona College after high school. At Pomona, she met Frank Hart and they were married in 1947. They moved to Winston, Oregon in 1970 and they took over the Wildlife Safari and people visited it from all over the world. Barbara was very much involved in the operation of the park which became a non-profit organization. She was predeceased by her husband, Frank, and leaves behind her brother, Don, and four daughters.

**Robert A. Schlesinger S'44**

died on Dec. 16, 2010. At Beverly, Bob was a Knight, a member of the varsity tennis team



and graduated as an Ephebian. In 1953 he received his law degree from USC. In 1955 he moved to Palm Springs and began his practice of estate planning. In 2006 Bob was named one of the top four attorneys in the Coachella

Valley. His clients included such luminaries as Mary Martin, Frank Capra, Zeppo Marx and Frederick Loew among others. Also, he served as President of the Desert Museum, a member of the school district board of directors and other activities. He leaves his wife of 57 years, two children, three grandchildren and his brother, Frank.

**Kenneth Brittingham W'45**

passed away on April 12, 2011. At Beverly, he was first string all Bay League end his junior year. His senior year, he only played in two games due to illness and was co-captain of the team. Classmates elected him as best looking in the class (see picture, right, with Barbara Taft.)

He enrolled in the U.S. Navy in 1945 and after serving he entered the University of California at



Berkeley. His family had a long history in the United States and Ken was a member of the National Society of Children of the American Revolution and member of the General Society of the War of 1812. At Berkeley, he was a member of Skull and Keys, Winged Helmet and the Rugby Society among others. He was married to his college sweetheart for 52 years and after her death, he married Edie Olson. Former Superior Court Judge and one of Ken's

best friends from high school, **S t e r r y Fagan S'45** officiated at the wedding. Ken was in the family catering business for years and after moving to Newport Beach, he became a successful

real estate broker. He was preceded in death by his son, Ken Jr, and is survived by his wife, Edie, three children and nine grandchildren, in addition to step children and step grandchildren as well as an extended family. His brother, **Albert W'48**, predeceased Ken as did his sister Dorothy.

**Richard Clucas S'45** died on Feb. 19, 2011. He played varsity football at Beverly and went on to be CEO of a mid-size corporation and retired 30 years ago and became an architectural photographer. He lived on Bainbridge Island, WA. No other information was provided.

**Robert Petkin S'45** died on May 31, 2011. At Beverly, Bob was Sports Editor of the Highlights and President of the Press Club. After college, in the early stages of the TV industry Bob worked for a TV production *See OBITUARIES, page 14*

## Great athlete and humble leader is missed

**Vincent Lupo S'45** passed away on July 7, 2011. Although born in Brooklyn, Vinnie and his family moved to Beverly Hills when Vinnie was a child and he enrolled at Horace Mann School and went on to Beverly.

In grammar school it was evident that Vinnie had unusual athletic ability. In high school Vinnie was an outstanding athlete, and he was an icon of that period in the 1940's when there was a small group of superb athletes who participated in three to four varsity sports and were all league and set records.

Among those athletes were Ian Elliott, W'40 (3 sports), Jim Powers, W'46 (4 sports),



**Vincent Lupo S'45**

**Frank Morriss W'46** (3 sports), **Stan Zimmelman S'43** (3 sports) and, of course, Vinnie who earned 3 varsity letters in basketball and was all league and received the Blanket Award as the most valuable player and was team captain. He also earned 3 varsity letters in tennis and was captain of that team and lettered three years in football.

He was a very graceful and fluid athlete. He was elected to the Norman Letterman Club and his senior year was President of that organization. On campus Vinnie was always recognized as a leader but he was somewhat modest and was friendly with everyone and was very well liked.

After Beverly, he attended

UCLA from where he graduated. In his business career he spent over 50 years in the mortgage financing profession and he became an expert in finding financing for apartment buildings and developed a loyal following over the years.

The last few years of his life he developed a myriad of physical and heart problems, but he worked up until a few weeks before his death. He was predeceased by his sister, Dorothea S'46, and leaves behind a niece. He is also survived by a step-son, a step-daughter and a step-grandson. Vinnie was a long time member of Bel Air Country Club and his memorial was held there on July 21, 2011.

Among other attributes, he was remembered as a gentleman and a wonderful friend.

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company. Eventually, he entered the real estate business and became a very successful real estate developer and broker. He described his childhood as very difficult and said that he grew up "poor in Beverly Hills." He was married to Celia Katz W'43 and they were divorced. He kept in touch with many friends from high school. He leaves behind his wife, Shirley Mae, two daughters, two stepsons and his sister, Shirley P. Newman.

**Robert D. Strock W'46**

passed away in September, 2010. At Beverly, Bob was on the track team as a broad jumper and



was a member of the Triones Hi-Y Club – a group that has stayed together since their days at Beverly Vista. After high school, Bob served in the U.S. Navy and then attended UCLA from where he graduated. At UCLA, Bob was editor of the yearbook, *Southern Campus*, and was on the publications board of the university. He was also a member of Phi Beta Epsilon, the national journalistic society. He was predeceased by his wife Marilyn Ward S'50, and is survived by two sons, a daughter, five grandchildren and a great grandchild.

**Alvin David Dick S'46** passed away on Jan. 2, 2011. After graduating from Beverly, Alvin served with distinction in the Korean War. Starting with nothing he established a home building business and for four decades he built almost 2,000 homes in the Los Angeles area. He was a board member of the Guardians and the Monty Hall Statesman Club. He is survived by four children and a

grandchild.

**Sanford Sigoloff S'47** passed away on Feb. 19, 2011. After graduating from Beverly, he attended UCLA and graduated with degrees in chemistry and physics. He then went to work for the Atomic Energy Commission research laboratories as a U.S. Air Force First Lieutenant. His business acumen led him into corporate management and he became the youngest group president of the Xerox Corp. He then went on to leadership positions in various companies and was renowned for his corporate turnarounds of some of the largest Chapter 11's in U.S. history. He turned his interests to philanthropy and devoted time and resources to the UJF, American Jewish Committee, City of Hope, Cedars Sinai Medical Center, and the U.S. Holocaust Museum in Washington, D.C. He also became an adjunct full professor at UCLA's Anderson School of Management. In addition he was named to the California State Board of Education. His reputation earned him seats on the boards of public companies in the U.S. and Great Britain. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Betty, 3 children, six grandchildren, his sister and nieces and nephews.

**Marcia Minter Carpenter W'47** passed away on Dec. 26,



2010. After high school, she attended BYU and UCLA. She married her high school sweetheart, Ronnie

Carpenter S'47, who was Senior Class President. He preceded Marcia in death in 2008 and they had been married for 58 years. She was also predeceased by a son and a daughter. Marcia kept in touch with her many

friends from high school and college throughout her life. She is survived by two daughters, nine grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

**Barbara Factor Bentley W'48** passed away on Feb. 27, 2011 after a long illness. She was a business woman, philanthropist and past chairperson of the Cedars-Sinai Medical Center. She was the first woman to hold that position. Barbara followed the lead of her grandfather, Max Factor, and her father, Davis Factor Sr. and worked in the Max Factor Company as Director of International Marketing. Also, she served as Chairperson of the Junior Blind and the Psychological Trauma Center. She is survived by her husband, Joseph, and 3 children and 3 grandchildren.

**Martha Jean Purvis Boyd S'48**

passed away on Oct. 16, 2010.

She lived in Rancho Mirage, CA and was very active in the Republican Women's Club. She had 4 children and no other information was provided.



**Paul Drucker S'48** died on April 6, 2010. His father, Harry, had a well known barber shop in Beverly Hills that catered to many of the motion picture people. After Beverly, Paul graduated from UCLA in 1952. He then served in the U.S. Army during the Korean conflict and attended law school after his honorable discharge. He worked as an attorney with U.S. government for many years and retired as a California Administrative Law Judge in 1966. He loved to sing and play tennis. He was such an accomplished singer that he once entered an amateur contest for singers and he

was disqualified as the judges thought he was a professional. He is survived by his wife, Jacqueline, a son and a daughter, three step children, a sister and brother, grandchildren, great grandchildren and nieces and nephews.

**John Philpot McCarthy S'48** passed away on June 1, 2011. He was born on Oct. 14, 1929. At Beverly, Philpot was very active in sports and was a standout sprinter on the lightweight track teams. He also was a member of the B football team. Prior to graduation, he enlisted in the armed forces. After his marriage, Philpot lived in Las Vegas for a couple of years before moving back to Los Angeles and eventually Orange County. He became involved in writing and one of his books is going into the Beverly Hills High School Library. He also edited and wrote for armed service's publications. He was predeceased by wife who passed away in 1989 and he is survived by two sons, a daughter, two grandchildren and many nieces, nephews and cousins. He is also survived by his brother, Justin McCarthy W'41 who was one of the founders of the BHHS Alumni Association and its first president.

**Carl A. Rudnick S'49** died on March 7, 2011. After graduating from Beverly, Carl attended USC. He had a successful career as a real estate developer and also was an avid yachtsman. In addition he was a dedicated volunteer at Cedars Sinai Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Joyce, two sons and a stepson, a daughter, a grandchild, brother Paul '51 and a sister, Jane.

**John Broderick S'49** died on Feb. 12, 2011. At Beverly, John was an outstanding tackle on the varsity football team. Also, he was named an Ephebian and was Vice President of

## Documentarian focused on African-American issues

Phil Burton '52 passed away on Dec. 24, 2010 in Santa Barbara, CA. The cause was Alzheimer's disease, according to his brother, Michael.

He won several Emmys for his productions, which focused on the struggle for African-American equality and the inner workings of American government.

During a career that spanned four decades, Burton charted the progress of black people in programs for CBS such as the Emmy-winning "Blacks in America: With All Deliberate Speed" (1979); profiled the exiled foreign journalist Jacobo Timerman for PBS in "Timerman: The News

From Argentina" (1984); and examined the state of American health care in a five-hour prime time series of reports for NBC titled "C. Everett Koop, M.D." (1991).

Hedrick Smith, a former New York Times reporter, worked with Burton on the television version of his book "The Power Game: How Washington Works" for PBS in 1989. He called Burton "the guy who converted me from print to television."

Smith recalled how Burton's journalistic spirit did not diminish despite a diagnosis of Alzheimer's. He wanted to make a documentary about his experience with an Alzheimer's support group.

"He was willing to appear as the subject in the documentary," Smith said, but was unable to obtain financing.

Philip Burton Jr. was born in Manhattan on Dec. 9, 1934, to Philip and Helen Burton. He received a bachelor's degree in political science from the University of California, in 1956.

In 1962 he married Martha Simcoe; they divorced in 1974, and he married the former Cindy Pitou, a photographer, in 1985.

He moved to New York to pursue independent filmmaking in 1960, and landed his first professional job in 1963 working for the director Robert Drew on "Crisis: Behind a

Presidential Commitment," an examination of desegregation in Alabama.

In 1970 he won the first of several Emmys, for his work on National Educational Television's "Black Journal," a news program about African-American issues.

In addition to his brother and wife, Burton is survived by a sister, Joan Feder, of Beverly Hills; two children from his first marriage, Allegra Burton of Santa Monica, Calif., and Matthew, of Pacific Palisades, Calif.; two stepchildren, Jason Pitou of San Carlos, Calif., and Kristen Pitou Rhodes of San Ramon, Calif.; and five grandchildren

the Knights and President of the Norman Letterman. He received a full scholarship to Stanford and played tackle on the '51 Rose Bowl team. He then went to UCLA Law School. After graduation, he entered the U.S. Marine Corps and graduated first in his class at the Naval School of Justice and he practiced law for many years. He had many accomplishments in his life and leaves his wife of 56 years, Donna, three children, nine grandchildren and one great grandchild.

**Marvin Dunn W'50** passed away on Oct. 7, 2011. At Beverly, Marvin was Captain of the track team and was a top sprinter. His sister, Marilyn Dunn Ross was in the class of 1953. No other information was available.

**Charles Kenneth Daniels '50** passed away on March 29, 2010. Charles lived in Houston, TX. The information was provided by his wife, Pamela. There was no other information provided.

**Ronald Gans W'50** died on

June 29, 2010. After leaving Beverly, he attended USC and then served in the U.S. Navy. He became an actor and worked in movies such as Lost in Space and It Takes a Thief. He also did voice work for animated movies and did many commercials for movies and TV shows. He is survived by his wife, Theresa.

**Rosalie Cohen Johnson '50** passed away in the spring of 2010 as reported by her friend Barbara Topkis '50. She leaves behind her husband, Hal Johnson S'44, three children and three grandchildren.

**Richard Orgell S'50** passed away on Jan. 29, 2011. He was born in London, England and after moving with his family to Beverly Hills, he attended Hawthorne School, Beverly High and graduated from UCLA. He served as an Air Force officer in Japan and then came home and entered the family silver business. He moved to San Francisco and after the death of his wife, Gail '54, he moved back to Los Angeles. He then set up the

Gail Karp Orgell Scholarship Fund. He immersed himself in volunteerism including activities with UCLA. He remarried Elaine Gans and she survives him. He was also predeceased by his son, Tony.

**Marilyn Wertheimer Rabin '50** passed away in April, 2011. She leaves behind two children and her cousin, Lester Wertheimer S'46.

**Rosalind Robbins Kemper '51** passed away in March 2011. She attended Horace Mann School and after Beverly, she went to L.A. City College. For some 30 years she helped to run her father's clothing stores, Sporty Knit. Her first marriage ended in divorce and she then married Judge Bernard Kemper. She is survived by her daughter, two step-children and four grandchildren.

**George LeMaire '53** died on April 5, 2011. He leaves nieces and nephews, their children and many friends. He spent his professional career in the entertainment business and he developed projects at

MGM, Universal Television, Paramount Pictures Television, Lorimar Television and Columbia Pictures. George produce Hamlet for Hallmark Hall of Fame and the production won five Emmy's. He moved to New York and became involved in marketing for two well known restaurants and then moved back to Los Angeles and was involved in advertising and marketing for Carroll and Co. as well as other firms. He also founded a greeting card company.

**Jonathon Persoff '53** died on Sept. 25, 2010 just 4 days before his 75th birthday. He attended Pomona College after graduating from Beverly. He served as a Naval Intelligence Officer on Treasure Island and then worked in the advertising business. For 20 years he owned and operated Regular Jons on San Vicente Blvd. He was active in many fundraiser that benefited schools, Pomona College and many civic

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# Class of 1951

The reunion event was a lunch on Saturday, April 16, at the Marina del Rey Hotel.

Seventy-seven people attended the festivities, 53 of whom were classmates.

The Reunion Committee included Jim Morrow, Dick Mallek, Bobbie Flam Finkel, Gloria Greene Lanfeld, Naomi Zimmer Feldman and Daryl Snyder, Chairman and M.C.



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Clockwise, from left: 1) Naomi Zimmer Feldman, Ursula Feldberg Levi, Ann Hecht Saltzman, and Lynne Barr 2) Don Greenblatt and Bobbie Flam Finkel 3) Laura and Daryl Snyder 4) Jeanne Curry Laye, Al and Gloria Lanfeld.



## *Corsairs, Marcons and Friends in 2010*



The Corsairs, Marcons and friends from 1951 gathered for their 59th reunion. Top row, from left : Merritt Van Sant S'47, Fred Stern, Jack Murray, Don Rowson, Steve Horrell, Phil Jaffe, Eric Wittenberg, Jim Morrow, and Art Levenson. Bottom row, from left : Daryl Snyder, Gene Abrams, Alec Chaparo, John Sill, Chuck Belden, Dick Mallek and Art Stauffer.

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activities. In retirement he became a special student in history at Yale and undertook a book on the Viet Nam War and volunteered for the Woman's Health Clinic. He is survived by his son, his brother, Richard Persoff S'45 and his wife, 2 step children and one granddaughter. He was previously married to the late Heather Hamilton.

**Jay Wager '53** passed away on Feb. 22, 2011. After graduating from Beverly, he became an attorney in private practice and he also worked full time as an aerospace engineer for Northrop Grumman. He leaves his wife of 52, years, Sandra, two daughters, a son, and 5 grandchildren.

**Craig D. Palmer '56** died on October 14, 2010. After high school, he was at UCLA from where he graduated. He worked for many years as an investment banker with Solomon Brothers and Morgan Stanley Smith Barney. He is survived by his sister and brother, two daughters, a step daughter, and six grandchildren.

**Mel Berns Jr '57** passed away June 23, 2011. He is survived by his wife Ronee, and sons Evan '89 and Tony '92.

**Randolph Wayne Wright '60** passed away on March 27, 2011. At Beverly, he played on the varsity basketball team. He received his undergraduate degree from USC and then attended law school. He enjoyed a successful law practice in Beverly Hills for 40 years. He loved athletics and played tennis and golf and was a longtime member of Brentwood Country Club. He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Klara, a son and a daughter, two



grandchildren, his sister, Donna '63; brother, Perry, and his mother, Dorothy Wright.

**Jeffrey A. Belsky '62** passed away on Dec. 13, 2010. A Celebration of His Life was held in Palm Springs on January 16, 2011. No other information was provided.

**Dennis Steven Rose '62** passed away on Nov. 27, 2010. He entered the real estate investment business. Later, he joined the board of the Beverly Hills Bank. He was also on the Young Leadership Council of United Jewish Appeal as well as Chair of the Real Estate Division of the Jewish Federation. He also became Chair of the Oakwood School. He was also one of the early founders of "Teenline" a suicide prevention program at Cedars/Sinai. He is survived by his wife, Bettina, two children, two step children, four grandchildren, a brother and a half sister.

**Randee Unger Mortimer '64** passed away on Aug. 1, 2010. She is survived by her husband, Bill Mortimer, daughter Terri Sanger-Mortimer Lavo, sisters Liz Unger Dubinsky, Penny Unger Marciano, brother Barry Unger '62 and many nieces and nephews.

**Lynne Feldman Green '65** passed away on July 24, 2010. After graduating from Beverly,

Lynne attended UCLA and received her degree in 1969 and married Barry Green. They moved to Wallingford, PA where Barry was raised. She became a real estate broker and took over the family business when her husband passed away in 2007. She was involved with Rotary and other community associations. She leaves behind two sons and a grandson and she was very close to her nieces after her sister passed away.

**Carrie Pickman Sears '74** died on Oct. 29, 2010. After high school, Carrie received her degree in psychology from UCLA. She also received an MBA from UCLA. Carrie had two children from her first marriage. She is survived by her husband, David, her children, her brother and three step-children.

**Jamie E. Ruben '93** passed away on Jan. 8, 2009. She is survived by her mother, Jerilyn Briskin Ruben '62, her grandmother, Lynnette Greenbaum Briskin '36, her brothers, Brandon Ruben '95 and Greg Ruben '96. She also leaves three children.

**Nicole Harris '94** passed away April 23, 2011. She is survived by her father, former Board of Education member Phil Harris, mother Agnes Harris, daughter Chloe Harris,

sisters Deborah Harris '92 and Michelle Browning '94, cousins Mike Mannheim '93, Dianna Mannheim '94 and David Mannheim.

**Bernard Khalili '01** passed away in August, 2010. He is survived by his parents.

**Amy Breliaht '07** passed away in September, 2010. No other information available.

**Tali Ruber '09** passed away in January, 2011. With her family she had moved from Israel in 1998 and attended Beverly Vista School and at Beverly she was a member dance company. She was diagnosed with a brain tumor in 2008 and after successful treatment she later developed Leukemia. She was attending Cal State Northridge where she was studying child development as she wanted to be a kindergarten or first grade teacher. Over 400 people attended her memorial services. Tali is survived by her parents and a sister and a brother.

The following could not be determined by class year or maiden name as additional information was not provided or available:

**Maynard Newman Franklin (Frankenberg)** was born on March 19, 1919 and passed away on March 11, 2011. Born in Bisbee, Arizona, the family See *OBITUARIES*, page 23

## IN MEMORIAM

*There was no information provided regarding the Normans listed who have passed away.*

Charles H. Elmendorf '31  
Peggy Tracy Bonney '34  
Sharon Baron Levy '35  
Fred Reinecke '35  
Warren Kittell '36  
Helen Loveland '37  
Frank De Rox Ruziecki '38  
Corinne Bell Gunn '39  
Norma Stern Frieden '40  
Sheila Koeppel Ames '42  
Cmdr. Donald M. Day '42

Betty Earle Ross '46  
William J. Numm '47  
Priscilla Witter '48  
Malcolm Crosby '49  
Gerald Finnerman S'49  
Sally Pearse '49  
Patricia Huber Schrader '51  
Ted Landon '52  
Joseph Sanchez '52  
Sandra Lattin Tabakman '53  
Carolyn Toplin Breslow '53

Dr. David Evans Scott '56  
Thomas Arnold '62  
Dennis Rose '62  
Rosalind L. Levi Gurwitz '63  
Taavie Mote '72  
Amy Wohl Arbuss '76  
Marc Sachs '77  
Sari Bennett '79  
Seth Kaiser Marsh '79  
**Faculty**  
Jeanne Seidel Edwards



Standing, from left: Basil Clyman, Betsy Roberts Ulf S'49, Frank Ulf S'49, Liz Shore Luster, and Jackie Turbow Gottlieb. Seated, from left: Kathy Clyman, Lorraine Factor, Jerry Factor, and Stan Gottlieb.



Standing, from left: Bobbie Jarvis Walley S'56, Lew Jarvis, and Jack MacElwee. Seated, from left: Nancy Friend Dillon and Carol Johanson MacElwee.



Standing, from left: Sandy Louchheim, Marlene Marks Louchheim, Bud Heumann, and Pat Abrams Heumann. Seated, from left: Mel Spitz and Barbara Hyman Spitz.



From left: Lois Lyman Jones, Carol Johanson MacElwee, Dick Ward, Nancy Friend Dillon, Bruce Rogers, Gayle Schlanger Prince, Susy Wald Sink, George Crosby, Jan Ewing Mays, Bill Amass, and Jim Donnerstag.



Chuck Murray, Dick Ward, Rod Wilger, Tom Haldeman, and Bruce Rogers



Jerry Cohn and Diane Miller Cohn

# Class of 1950

Laughter, comradery, sunshine, memories and magic encircled the Classes of Winter and Summer 1950 at our 60th Reunion, September 25-26, 2010.

Festivities began with an optional tour of the High School on Saturday morning and then a special private tour of the New Griffith Observatory, Saturday afternoon.

Sunday's main event welcomed more than 86 classmates, spouses and guests (from Arizona, Colorado, Connecticut, New Jersey, Washington, and Northern

California) to a magical, delicious, orange and white festive buffet brunch and entertainment at the California Yacht Club in Marina del Rey.

As we mingled, visited and looked at photos from grammar schools and High School, a magician from the Magic Castle entertained us and we reminisced to live piano music from our school days. Later we laughed and sang along with compiled song sheets.

Chairman Rod Wilger welcomed and thanked Betsy (Roberts) and Frank Ulf, S'49, who had graciously shared their

experiences, an invaluable help. Rod then passed the mike to each table for more sharing and to further reconnect us.

None of this could have taken place without the generosity of our underwriters, and the creative, tireless and enthusiastic work of a terrific committee: Secretary, Sandy (Shelley) Gibson, who did our art work, invites and mailings; Treasurer, Bruce and Sharon (Sebell) Rogers, who kept our records, gave us constant updates for guidance, and did the awesome job of checking everyone in; Carol (Goshaw) Blanchard, who

was our energetic spearhead; Harriett (Baumann) Walther, who made arrangements for the High School Tour; George Cotliar; Jerry Factor, who made our name badges and created and led the tour of the Observatory; Nancy (Friend) Dillon, who flew in from Arizona for committee meetings; Barbara (Hyman) Spitz; Lew Jarvis; Richard Orgell; Lynn (Vale) Penoyar; Dick Ward; and Pat (Abrams) Heumann, assistant chairman.

We were all so thrilled with the turnout and enthusiasm of those attending. Who knows what may be in the future!

## A Beverly romance and World War II

*The following is a condensation of a book of over 100 pages written by Stan Bowen S'41. Many of the details are missing in the condensation, but this story should give an idea of the horrors of war that Stan and others in the service endured. The story also tells of his love for Marge and how that love helped him through his years while fighting for our country.*

In high school Stan Bowen was an outstanding track athlete and was Captain of the track team his senior year. He set school and League records in both the high hurdles and low hurdles and won the Bay League finals in both events and was fourth in the state finals in the high hurdles. After high school, Stan attended San Jose State and after his freshman year decided to join the armed forces.

In December 1942 Stan Bowen S'41, his brother, Jack Bowen S' 42, and their pal, Larry Kavich S'41, enlisted in the U.S. Navy. The telegram notifying Stan of his induction was never received and on Dec. 29, 1942, Stan reported to the Chief Bosun's Mate and told the Chief he wasn't ready to report as he and his girlfriend were going to a New Year's party. The Chief turned red-in-the-face and screamed "fall-in." And so began Stan's war time experience. Stan thought boot camp (San Diego Naval Station) was hell. When enlisting, Stan was told because he was a Physical Education major that he could get a hospital apprentice rating – three stripes and more pay. Stan was in the medical corps for the remainder of his time in the service.

After boot camp, Stan was sent for training to the San Diego Medical Hospital. He was befriended by the head



**Marge McCann Bowen S'41**

nurse and she took Stan under her wing. While there, Stan got in a fist fight with a drunken Marine corporal and in order to avoid court martial, Stan decided to leave the Navy and he transferred to the Marine Corps. Immediately after transferring to Camp Elliott, Stan had to go through combat training even though he was a medic. Every weekend, Stan would hitchhike home to Beverly Hills; however, he got caught for "being away without leave" which was a pretty serious offense. On his unauthorized leave he reconnected with Marge McCann S'41 and she promised to write to Stan while he was overseas. Over the months and years that Stan was overseas; he and Marge fell in love through their correspondence.

In April, 1943 Stan received his order to ship out. He was at his base in San Diego. His brother, Jack, had shipped

out two months earlier. Stan ended up on a ship with 4,000 other troops and they were packed together on their trip to New Caledonia. Needless to say, bathroom facilities were a major challenge. En route to New Caledonia, Stan and several hundred marines were transferred to an old, creaky, dirty boat and headed for New Zealand. On the way they stopped at Pitcairn Island of "Mutiny on the Bounty" fame. Once they reached New Zealand, Stan and the other troops trained for four months for the invasion of Tarawa. While there, Stan was assigned to "F" Company, 2nd Battalion, 8th Marines. Among other things, Stan learned how to get up early, hike for 25 – 30 miles with full pack, medical supplies and a carbine. He also learned how to cuss and how to drink G.I. alcohol (190 proof) with every kind of fruit juice. There were many parties and

lots of hangovers.

Stan and his group shipped out for the New Hebrides Islands and when he arrived, there were over 20 letters from Marge. Stan and his fellow troops soon learned that they would be making landing in Tarawa – only a mile long and 500 yards wide – located in the Gilbert Islands. The landing was scheduled to take place in November and in that month the tides were unpredictable. When the landing boats hit the coral reefs, the marines had to wade in loaded with gear and rifles. They were sitting ducks for the Japanese and they were slaughtered before they ever reached shore. Stan's friend, Howard Pascal, was killed during the landing. During those landings, there were hundreds of Amtrak's, boats, destroyers, cruisers. Battleships were firing at the island. Stan could see the Amtrak next to him blown out of the water with body parts flying all over. The Japanese were dug in and in small pillboxes covered with sand. The Japanese had been trained to never surrender and to fight until they were killed. As Stan was a medic, he encountered every type of horrible wounds that one could imagine and some could not be imagined. The best he could do for some of the mortally wounded soldiers was to give them shots of morphine to put them to sleep so they wouldn't die in agony. It turned out that Tarawa was the worst battle the marines had ever encountered. There were more casualties in three days than there were in six months on Guadalcanal. Stan and his company were pinned down for 2 ½ days behind a seawall and they were shooting and throwing hand grenades at the enemy. While

Stan was bringing wounded troops to shore, some of those he was helping were shot again, but Stan was never injured. After the battle, Stan received a Silver Star and a promotion for his heroics. While Stan was at the battle and stationed on Tarawa, he was having coffee and talking to a buddy, when suddenly his buddy got a surprised look on his face and slumped over dead. He was hit by a sniper bullet in the middle of his forehead. The bullet had gone right over Stan's head. On the first day of battle, Stan's platoon leader was killed and over the course of many battles, every one of Stan's platoon leaders was killed. Finally, all of the Japanese soldiers had been killed and suddenly the battle was over. The destruction was complete. There were no trees or buildings left and the sickening smell of death was everywhere. Originally, there were 45 men in Stan's platoon and only six survived. After the battle, Stan and others were shipped to Hilo, Hawaii and when they arrived, there were no tents up, no camp and lots of cactus. And, so, they had to work and build their own camp. But, once again, there were letters from Marge. Stan was in correspondence with Marge and his parents and from them he learned that all of his friends from high school were in various services and located all over the world.

Stan was on the first wave at Tarawa, first wave at Saipan, first wave at Tinian and on the front lines at Okinawa where he spent a year. The only wound he ever received was when another Marine brought back a dud while on a hike and when he brought it back to camp, it exploded and Stan got a small piece of shrapnel in his leg. It is still there.

After shipping out from Hawaii, Stan was on an LST heading for his second landing

which was to be Saipan. When Stan reached Saipan, he received a letter from Marge telling him that she had become engaged to an Air Force Fighter Pilot. Stan was aghast and had written to Marge and she wrote him back and said she would wait until Stan came home.

When they reached Saipan, they were shocked as Saipan was much larger than Tarawa. Saipan was 15 ½ miles long and 5 ½ miles wide with a big mountain. Landing in the first wave was almost a repeat of Tarawa. Planes were strafing and dropping bombs and battleships were firing huge 14 inch shells at the island. The first night was a nightmare. Stan and his group

were in sugar cane fields and it was pitch dark, hot and humid and casualties were piling up. They were pinned down and the area was covered with flies. Flies were everywhere including on their food. While advancing up the mountain, the Japanese were firing at them. While Stan was working on those that had been hit, the Japanese kept firing at them, but Stan was never hit. While on the island, Stan accumulated some 27 Japanese flags and the sword of a general. The sword handle was made of mother of pearl ivory. Later, when Stan was returning home, all of the sea bags were stolen in San Francisco when the troops returned. When the battle on Saipan was concluded, over 20,000 Japanese soldiers had been killed, but there were few prisoners as the Japanese did not surrender. After the battle, the Japanese had so propagandized the natives against the Americans that many threw themselves and their children off of cliffs

even though the Americans had dropped leaflets and with loud speakers told the natives that they would not be harmed. After the battle, Stan was able to take a shower and he and others were so sleep deprived that they fell asleep as they were lying down – they were out cold. During the time on Saipan, Stan came down twice with Dengue fever and had to be hospitalized.

Tinian Island was a small island a mile or so off the coast of Saipan. There were 8,000 Japanese soldiers on Tinian. The landing by the U.S. troops went well. The Tinian battle lasted two weeks plus mop up time. Tinian was an important possession as the airfield could

be used for the new B-29's and it was from Tinian the plane flew that dropped the atom bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

While on Saipan, Stan had studied and took the test to become a First Class PhM and passed the test. From that point on Stan would no longer be put in a line position. While in Saipan, the letters kept coming from Marge and his family. Now Stan was qualified to come home on leave and he wrote to Marge and told her. Also, during all the months that Stan and his brother Jack were in the Pacific, the two of them always missed connections. And it happened again. While Stan was being shipped home, he was on Jack's ship, but Jack was already home on leave and when Stan arrived home, Jack had just left. Soon, Stan was home visiting his family and friends. Marge and her family had moved to Tucson, AZ and Stan took a train to Tucson and waiting for him at

the train station was Marge – the love of his life. After a few days, Stan told Marge he had to go home and he would be shipping out again. They wanted to get married but they both decided to wait until Stan was home for good.

Stan shipped out again to Hawaii. After gathering medical supplies in Hawaii, he was shipped to Okinawa. The ship with the troops arrived on April 30, 1945. The island was not secure but it was an easy landing – no mortars, machine gun, or rifle fire greeted them from the enemy. Prior to the landing, Stan had transferred from the Marines to the Navy. Upon landing, they found a flat area and built their base from scratch. At that base, Stan and others learned how to make "home brew." During this period, Stan and the troops could observe Japanese Kamikaze (suicide) bombers who would fly their planes directly onto U.S. ships in the bay. During all of this time, it was the mail from home and especially from Marge that kept Stan going. The battle for Okinawa was long and bloody. It wasn't until June 22, 1945 that the island was declared secure, but the mop up went on for days. Soon the war was over in August, 1945, but Stan didn't go home until December.

Finally, Stan was home. It was Jan. 13, 1946 and on Jan. 23rd Stan turned 23. He and Marge set their wedding date for Feb. 3, 1946. Stan's brother Jack was the best man and stood beside Stan as Stan watched his beautiful bride, Marge, walking down the aisle. What they had dreamed of and written about for several years finally happened. The two of them had only seen each other twice in over five years.

It is now 65 years later and Stan and Marge are still together and loving one another each precious day of their lives. What a life and what memories.



Stan Bowen S'41

## The Coconut Grove, 1944

Standing, from left: unknown, Dick Sherman S'45 Seated from left: Arlene Gould, W'47 Ray Sackheim W'46, Phyllis Bridge W'47, Leon Myers, W'45, Rita Sebel S'45 and Richard Sherwood (Shapiro) S'45

Phyllis and Leon dated at Beverly, lost touch for 64 years, and are now good friends.



# Memories of Beverly



Above: **The Boys of El Rodeo in 1940** From left: Phillip Cagan W'45, Kenny Brittingham, W'45, Wiley Caldwell S' 45 and David Lang, W'45.



Left: **A Beverly Pool Party** Standing, from left: Harris Levin '58, Ginny Barrett '60, Jeff Gordon '58, Jackie Bermond '60, Mort Haas '58, Sue Smith, Fred Ilfeld '58, Nancy Kaufman '58, Irwin Zeke Warsaw '58, and Letty Shapiro '58. Kneeling, from left: Rita Karlin '58 and Jack Morgan '58.

## The WWII Generation

*Here are some notes from Merwin Koepfel W'46 who served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. Attending Beverly meant a great deal to many of those Normans. There was a special bond that had been created. And here are some of Merwin's memories.*

I think we are special. I mean as NORMANS. Other high school alums do not have what we have. I will give you a few examples from my experience.

I was in Basic Training at Fort ORD and somehow heard that Walt Murphy S'46 had arrived there.

After evening meal, I went looking for him and found him about a mile away. He had just gotten uniforms and shots and

was told that he was being sent to Camp Roberts. That was in Oct.-Nov. 1950. The next time I saw him was at Fort Benning, Georgia in February, 1951. He had volunteered for Airborne to get out of Camp Roberts. He was too tall but stooped down.

I found him at South Harmony Church where the Paratroops trained. He had jumped from the 32-foot tower that very day and was very sore.

Not too long after that he finished training and was shipped out to Korea. He was killed on his first action. He volunteered to lay wire at night.

I got lucky and was sent to Germany along with Pat Dunne S'46 and Jay Green S'46. We were not big friends at Beverly,

## Friends Forever



Above, left: Gloria DeMent and Marilyn Knowlden in 1935. Above, right: Marilyn Knowlden and Gloria DeMent in 2008

but we became so in the Army.

Teddy Grossman W'49 and Mort Viner W'49 were in the Air Force, and in Wiesbaden they came to meet me in Frankfurt and I did the same. I don't think that many other high schoolsalums do

this stuff.

One more memory, I saw Andre Previn W'46 in uniform, he was a bandsman in 40th Division. I also saw Sam Halper W'46 and another Norman in the Main PX at Fort Benning.

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donated his father's business building to the city of Bisbee and it is now the home of the Bisbee Historical Society. He and his sister, Babbette (Bobbe) W'35 donated their father's world class mineral collection to the Los Angeles County Museum of Natural History. During WWII, Maynard achieved the rank of Captain in the Army while serving in the Pacific. Prior to that, he had attended UCLA. He was an entrepreneur and owned a construction business and a commercial laundry. An outstanding golfer, he played golf into his 80's and was a member of Hillcrest Country Club and Big Canyon Country Club. He was predeceased by his wife, Charlotte Weinberg S'38, whom he met at Beverly and he is survived by his sister, Bobbe Frankenberg W'35, three children, eight grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren.

**Barbara Ann Listick** was born

on Feb. 27, 1937 and passed away on Nov. 5, 2010. After graduation, she married Frank Listick who preceded her in death. She worked for 20 years for the L.A. Unified School District and was a volunteer at Valley Presbyterian Hospital for 10 years. She is survived by her sister, a daughter, a son and 5 granddaughters.

**Jack Norman Myers** was born on March 26, 1946 and died on July 24, 2010. After high school, he attended the University of Arizona. He was a financial advisor and served on the White House Council for Growth and Economic Development. He retired in Palm Springs to play golf and work with his father. He is survived by his parents, Ruth and Alvin Meyrowitz, his son, Casey Wasserman, his sister, Linda, and a niece and nephew.

### Faculty

**Marjorie Zahl Viau** died on Aug. 30, 2010 at the age of 92 in the Pacific Palisades. At Moberly Junior College, she pursued an interest in fine art and also was

twice elected homecoming queen. She visited California in the early 1930's as a member of the debate team and fell in love with Southern California and enrolled at UCLA where she majored in art education and art history. When she graduated in 1939, she was immediately hired by the Beverly Hills Unified School District. She received her Master's Degree in Art from UCLA in 1959 and served for many years as the Chair of the Beverly Hills High School Art Department. She was married for 67 years to her husband, Slosson Viau, and he predeceased her by one year. Her wonderful spirit and generosity endeared her to friends and many former students who visited her regularly. She is survived by two sons, two grandchildren and a great grandchild.

**Lucy Helligesson Martell** passed away on Aug. 6, 2010 at her home in Los Altos. She taught art at Beverly in the late 50's and early 60's. Upon hearing of her death, a number of former students at Beverly High, where

she taught for 13 years, recalled her as the most influential teacher they ever had. One of her former students, Daniel Greenberg '58, contributed \$2,000.00 in her memory and one of the scholarships awarded this year was named "The Lucy Helligesson Martell Scholarship." After marrying in 1967, she retired from teaching and moved to Los Altos and raised her two sons. She then embarked on a second career and after volunteering for two years with the Docent Council of the Fine Arts Museum of San Francisco, she became the Chairperson for two years. For 14 years she was the curator for the Public Programs for the Fine Arts Museums and brought her love of blues music to the Little Theater at the Legion of Honor. After graduating from U.C. Berkeley in 1952, she backpacked, raced MG cars and learned to fly – she flew cross country in small Cessna. She played the cello and had a great love for life. She leaves behind her husband, two sons and grandsons.

# BHAAA inductees to be honored at dinner

The Beverly Hills Alumni Athletic Association will hold its 5th annual Hall of Fame dinner on November 12 at UCLA Covel Commons.

This year, the BHAAA will honor Wally Wolf, '47, swimming; Louise Smith, '78, basketball and softball; Lou Rudich, '82, football, soccer and baseball; Gregg Silver, '86, football and baseball; and Ken Harvey, '96, basketball and baseball. Tanis Harris will receive the 2011 McCarthy Lifetime Achievement Award.

For more information regarding the dinner, please email [bhathleticalumni@pacbell.net](mailto:bhathleticalumni@pacbell.net).



By his senior year, **Wally Wolf, '47**, (above) held the school, Bay League and CIF records in the 220 freestyle, the school record in the 100 breast stroke, the Bay League and School record in the 75 individual medley and was a member of the 150-yard relay that held the Bay League records.

At USC, he was a 4-year All-American swimmer and also an All-Conference performer on the USC water polo team.

Wally participated in 4 Olympics. He was a member of the USA 800-meter freestyle relay teams at the 1948 London Games (gold medal team) and the 1952

Helsinki Games. He played for the U.S. water polo team at the 1956 Melbourne Games and the 1960 Rome Games. Wally was an entertainment attorney and producer. He passed away in 1997 at the age of 66.



**Louise Smith '78** (above) was the 1978 CIF 4A Player of the Year after averaging 30 points per game. She set CIF records for career and season scoring, and 21 school records. A four-time team Most Outstanding and all-league selection, she also garnered 1976 Bay League MVP and 1977 All-CIF second team honors. Her jersey #24 was retired. She was also All-Pioneer League and an MVP in softball.

At Stanford University she was a two-time all-

conference center. She still holds Stanford's single-season record for free-throw percentage (.895) and ranks high in several other offensive categories.

Louise earned an MFA in writing from Sarah Lawrence College, and has worked as a freelance editor and writer in New York City and Los Angeles. She currently resides in L.A.

**Lou Rudich '82** (below)



was soccer All-Ocean League and All-CIF 1st team junior and senior years and All-Ocean League kicker during his senior year. Lou was an All-Pioneer League second baseman. Lou led the soccer team into the semi-finals of CIF his junior and senior years and appeared two consecutive times in the quarter-finals of CIF baseball.

Lou graduated from Claremont McKenna College in 1986. He earned 9 varsity letters; baseball (1), football (4) and soccer (4). He holds the longest field goal record for Southern California Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (SCIAC) at 55 yards and was All-SCIAC in soccer and a 1983 NCAA finalist in soccer.

Lou lives in Rossmore with his wife Cheryl, and their sons, Aron and Samuel.



**Gregg Silver '86** (above) served as team captain in both football and baseball during his senior year and was awarded football's MVP Award as well as being named All-Ocean League Offensive Player of the Year, 1st team All-CIF and 1st team All-Westside. In baseball, See *INDUCTEES*, page 25

## Association supports athletic dept.

During these challenging economic times, the athletic department at Beverly Hills High School relies on outside support to fund the equipment and uniform needs of Norman student athletes.

The Beverly Hills Athletic Alumni Association ("BHAAA") has become a significant supporter. Since its inception in July 2006, BHAAA has donated approximately \$250,000 to the School

District in support of the athletic department at the High School.

BHAAA has purchased new uniforms as well as funded a wide array of equipment and capital improvements, and has established three scholarship awards to reward graduating student athletes annually.

BHAAA will continue to make contributions to benefit the high school athletic department as its

involvement is critical during this challenging economic time when the District continues to reduce the amount of funding available to the Athletic Department. BHAAA therefore continues to request the generous contributions of the community, from alumni and families of current athletes at the High School. Without the partnership with BHAAA, many of the students See *SUPPORT*, page 25



## Alum directs health and fitness organization

In 1982, Kathie Davis '74 and her husband Peter founded the IDEA Health and Fitness Association, an organization that provides health and fitness professionals with unbiased data, pertinent information, educational resources, career development and industry leadership.

Today, IDEA serves more than 70,000 subscribers in over 80 countries, including personal trainers, program and fitness directors, business owners and managers, group fitness instructors and yoga and Pilates professionals.

As executive director, Kathie Davis oversees the education, publications and communications for IDEA. She has more than thirty years of experience in the fitness industry and was chosen as one of 10 Healthy American Fitness Leaders by the National Fitness Leaders Association and the U.S. Chamber of Commerce (1996).

Prior to her role as co-founder and executive director of IDEA Health and Fitness Association, Davis taught group exercise at several San Diego fitness

locations. She has also served on the advisory board for the College of Professional Studies and Fine Arts at her alma-mater, San Diego State University (SDSU). She and Peter also co-founded The American Council of Exercise (ACE) in 1985. As a leading authority of fitness information, Davis has been acknowledged by several industry organizations for her accomplishments in the fitness industry. Some of her honorable mentions include the Lifetime Achievement Award from ECA World Fitness Alliance, induction into the National Fitness Hall of Fame (2009) and honoree of the Wellness Revolution Hall of Fame.

Davis received her Bachelor of Arts Degree in Physical Education from San Diego State University and was awarded its Distinguished Alumni of the year in 1993. She currently serves on the board of advisors of Fitness and Vitality Magazines and serves as special advisor to the California Governor's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports. Kathie maintains an active lifestyle playing tennis,



**Kathie Davis '74**

taking fitness classes and weight training in her free time. She and her husband, Peter, have two children ages 26 and 22.

She attended El Rodeo Elementary School from 1964-1970 and Beverly Hills High School from 1970-1974.

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he was All-Ocean league junior and senior Years. He was in the top three in the league in batting average and led The Normans in batting average, home runs and RBIs. He was named BHHS Athlete of the Year in 1986.

Gregg attended Pitzer College as a four year starter in both baseball (All-league all four years) and football (All-league senior year) as well as Team Captain. Gregg was named Pitzer's Athlete of the Year for all sports.

Gregg currently lives in Los Angeles and is a Real Estate

Broker/Investor and Developer.

**Ken Harvey '96** (pictured below) was a three time first Team All Ocean League baseball player, All League in basketball his junior year and shared the Ocean League's Most Outstanding Player Award in basketball his senior year.



During his career at the University of Nebraska, Ken was named Collegeinsider.com baseball's hitter of the year, earned first-team All-American honors, was selected to Baseball Weekly's All-American team as well as multiple times at Big 12 player of the week.

Ken made his Major League Debut on Sept. 18, 2001 with the Kansas City Royals. In 2004, he was selected to the All-Star game. That year, he played in 120 games, hitting .287 with 13 homers and 55 RBIs before suffering a knee injury in September. He remained with the Royals until May, 2005 and retired from baseball in 2008.

Ken currently lives in L.A.

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in the athletic program would not have the uniforms and equipment they need to compete.

In June, the BHAAA held its 2nd Annual Alumni Day, where athletic alumni returned to campus to reunite with their teammates and "compete" against fellow alums. Please e-mail mail us at [bhathleticalumni@pacbell.net](mailto:bhathleticalumni@pacbell.net) if you are interested in participating in next year's event.

## 1930

**Margaret Eccleston Halvorson W'31** Margaret will celebrate her 98th birthday October 29th and finds things are slowing down. She still enjoys her bridge games and having her great-grandchildren visit. She also reads a lot as there are so many good books around. She is happy to have been able to stay in her home for 65 years.

**Lois Mullins Rafferty S'31** Lois is 95, lives alone, still drives, and is in good physical shape. She took her family by B H H S recently and they thought it was beautiful. Her older daughter, Patty, is a widow and lives in Virginia, and Kelly and Bob live in Honolulu. Lois plays bridge two or three times a week, but other than that, she has no hobbies and expresses thanks for continuing the Highlights.



**Patricia Ryan Rein S'31** Patricia loves the Highlights and reading the Class Notes. After a year at UCLA her family moved to Seattle where she finished at the University of Washington.

**Edward Butterworth S'32** Edward was president of the Summer Class of 1932. He graduated from Stanford in 1936, and from Stanford Law School in 1939. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Order of the Coif. Afterward, he was employed by the Attorney General's office and assigned to the Bureau of Reclamation where he served for three years purchasing water rights for the Shasta and Friant Dams in California. He served three years in WWII as a Lt. JG, and was injured and spent one year in the St. Albans Naval Hospital in New York. He had a law practice for about 40 years and was President of Fedco for

20 years. He married a girl from Colorado (Shirley Townsend) and they had five children and five grandchildren. He and Shirley have been married for 67 years. She is not only his wife, but also his girlfriend. He remembers four absolutely wonderful years at BHHS.

**Laverne Hawkinson S'34** Laverne lives alone in her home and is active in Monday Cub, Republican Women, and church in Morro Bay. She turned 93 in July and has two wonderful sons, one who graduated from Cal Poly San Luis Obispo and the other from Stanford in Palo Alto.

**Nancy Thompson Seale Shirley S'35** Nancy and her husband, Robert, are looking forward to a Mexican Riviera cruise in October. They see family and friends often. They recently enjoyed a visit from daughter-in-law, Sophie Seale, from Luxembourg where Nancy's son, Thomas Seale, is in banking. Sophie is a Jungian analyst. Nancy sends greetings to the BHHS Class of Summer '35!

**Betty Jane Liermann Pilger S'36** Betty Jane attended UCLA with a Business Administration Major then married Dr. Ted W. Pilger (USC). They have two sons: Robert Pilger, DDS who lives in the state of Washington; and, Paul Pilger, an attorney who lives in Las Vegas. Betty Jane is active in the Assistance League and has won 30 trophies at Arthur Murray competitions, mostly in Latin dancing. Her husband passed away and she now lives alone, does charity work two times a week, and plans birthday parties for residents in convalescent homes.

**Robert P. Beckham S'37** Robert notes that the Class of S'37 is getting smaller and smaller! The only ones he knows are John Denault and Sherman Mellinkoff. Robert is still playing golf, has nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. His restaurant in

Pasadena called Beckham Grill just had its 32nd anniversary! In WWII he was in the Marine Corps, was on Iwo Jima and the occupation of Japan and retired a Lt. Colonel.

**Jack Cotton S'37** Jack advises that in 2011 he will be 92 years old. His wife, Billie, and he have been married 39 years. They continue to live in their home at beautiful Lake Tahoe in Zephyr Cove, NV. They still enjoy traveling whenever possible and send wishes to all for good health and happiness.

**Lenore Goldson Shapiro '37** Lenore attended summer school in 1937 and was able to start UCLA in September, 1937. Her sister, Enid Karp, graduated from BHHS in 1936; and her brother, John Goldson, was in the class of 1940. She had two daughters, Amy Reeder and Meg Berke. Lenore remarried to Maury Shapiro and had a wonderful marriage. They lived in Pacific Palisades until 1985 and then moved to Rancho Mirage. Lenore became a widow in 1990 and remained in the desert and also spends much time in Brentwood where she has an apartment. She graduated from El Rodeo and has fond memories of those days and the wonderful education she received at BHHS. She is still enjoying and collecting California Plein Air paintings. Her three friends Pat Patterson Bloss, Eveline Diekemper, and Beverly Plaut Rothschild and she make up their local "Friends of BHHS Club." She enjoys the yearly news from BHHS and thanks all who do so much in this effort.

**Shirley Woodhouse S'37** Shirley is still here! She's not very active, but feels that's okay.

**Paul H. DeBaugh S'38** Paul advises that Richard DeBaugh (W'40) passed away May 3, 2011. He was a veteran of WWII as a fighter pilot and later he retired as a high school teacher. He was one great person!

**Lee Stanley W'38** Lee reflects back on his time at BHHS and is so grateful for the direction the teachers had on his life. Now at 91 he carries the memories and friendships still near and dear to him. He is now in the final stages to install a Veterans Monument titled "FREEDOM" at the Palm Springs Air Museum. The dedication will take place at the Museum on 11/11/10 at 11 a.m. This is the third and his last effort to honor all who wore the uniform of our country. BHHS encouraged his artistic talents to blossom, as well as gave him his scholastic base, preparing him for 22 years as a Naval Aviator and what was to become his future.

**Alfred Woodill W'38** Alfred sends his best regards to those in Class W'38. He still remembers graduating on a Friday and starting classes at UCLA on Monday morning. What a change!

**Charlotte von Wymetal Anderson '38** Charlotte is enjoying her retirement every day, taking care of her modern house and garden and keeping very active, especially in politics. She has many happy memories of BHHS, her friends and wonderful teachers who took so much trouble to help a forlorn little kid from Vienna to integrate with her new surroundings. She will always be grateful to this great country for taking her in and allowing her to become a true and patriotic American.



**Elizabeth Jean Carson Herbster S'39** Elizabeth loves living in Missouri, particularly Ozark. It's like living in Beverly Hills again when she was a kid. It is a charming small town with

not much traffic. In fact what they have there can't really be called traffic at all. In the winter they have snow and it is so beautiful it takes one's breath away.

**Ralph L. Lingenberg S'38** Ralph reports the Beverly High Jocks still meet at Malarkey's Irish Pub in Balboa the last Thursday of each month.

**Jean P. Wells S'39** Jean lives in Catalina these days and takes a trip to Rancho Palos Verdes every Monday with her little dog on her lap. Many upgrade changes are happening on the part of Catalina Island Co. The Zip Line is a great favorite of the all new Descanso Beach Club. They are also proud of the new Pavilion Hotel and Avalon Grill. Jean is happy to show all Normans what it's all about.

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**Katie Haile Haskett W'40** Katie is still here, keeping company with her three dogs from the local pound.

**Jane Lewis Heizman W'40** Jane's had a busy year but she and her husband, Ed, are still among the living. They have been married 64 years and he will be 91 in July and she will be 90 in February. Yipes! They sold their condo in Palm Desert and Aptos, CA will be their permanent address – only God knows how permanent!! Jane lost her beautiful sister (Evelyn Lewis Garrett) in August 2009. She was in the class of W'36. So many friends have gone on ahead; too many to mention. Jane finds Betty White amazing and adorable. 1925 is when Jane's family moved to Beverly Hills, a little village at that time. She still sees and hears from two of her dearest friends from Hawthorne Elementary, Barbara Munzig and Bettie Jensen.

**Jean Hendricks W'40** Jean lives in Cathedral City and is enjoying good health, a great yard, three beautiful dogs, and snappy weather.

Life is good at 90+!

**Doris Sherman Holmes S'40** Doris had a nice visit with classmate Darleen Sheranian Anderson (S'40) in March during her sojourn south to try and thaw out from the terribly cold winter in Oregon. Darleen has just had a shoulder replacement and is slowly recuperating from this difficult surgery. Doris' eldest sister, Betty Ann Smith (S'37), passed away in her sleep on January 18th, 2011. She lived in Friday Harbor, WA.

**Jean Hogan Herold S'40** Jean has many happy memories of Beverly Hills. She was born in Beverly Hills, went to BHHS, graduated from there, and married Justin Herold in 1948. They have been married for 62 years and are blessed with seven children, 18 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

**Irving Kahn S'40** Irving is still living in Beverly Hills and almost in the same house – it is only a block away.

**Kalman Loeb S '40** Kalman is now almost 89 and still gets about well. He's trying to make every moment count.

**Harry Perry S'40** Harry was married to Carmen Car (S'41) for 45 years. Carmen died January 6, 1986. They had a daughter, Joellyn, and a son, Trem. Joellyn has two children, Scott and Kelly, and Trem has one child, Trevor. Granddaughter Kelly has two children and grandson, Scott, has three.

**Walter Purves S'40** Walter is retired and living in Irvine, CA.

**Beverly Plaut Rothschild S'40** Beverly expressed concern over Audrey Bledsoe Speights' (S'47) experience at BHHS. Her concern made her lose sleep and she wonders if her fellow classmate, Sandra Jean Herndon's, experience was anything like Audrey's.

**Robert Wolff W'40** Robert was talking to Hal Hanselmair and reminiscing about other class members and how long it's been since school (71 years) plus the fact they have homes just a few

miles apart. It's a small world.

**Mary Pabst Young S'40** Mary is enjoying life with family and friends and always looks forward to the Highlights.

**Jacqueline White Anderson W'41** Jacqueline was an actress at MGM and RKO before marriage. Her husband, Bruce, and she started an oil company from scratch early in their marriage, and when Bruce passed away in 2001 their four sons continued in the business and have done well. Two sons are petroleum engineers, one is a geologist, and one is a lawyer. Jacqueline is president of the company. Their daughter retired last year from teaching second grade at a girl's school in Houston. Jacqueline has ten grandchildren and has been a docent for over 20 years at the Ima Hogg Home Museum, a branch of Houston's Museum of Fine Arts.

**Charles Bollar W'41** Charles just turned 89 in December 2010 and his wife of almost 63 years just turned 91 in March. They have been blessed five children, 18 grandchildren, 36 great-grandchildren, and 14 great-great-grandchildren. This does not include husbands or children from previous marriages. They're just happy nobody is in jail and that they are productive people. They are truly blessed, alive and well in Las Vegas.

**Stan Bowen S'41** Stan and Marge are happy, well and still in love. They had their 65th wedding anniversary in February 2011. He works nearly every day, plays golf twice a week, sees the "kids" and grandkids frequently, so life is good. He regrets his best buddy, Tom Perry, is gone, as well as many others, and sends congratulations on the fabulous BHHS alumni issues.

**Joyce Costello Ferris S'41** Joyce finds it hard to believe it has been 70 years since those challenging high school years. Learning continues for her as an active member of the Plato Society of UCLA.

**Betty Lou Hughes Fladager S'41** Betty Lou is still living in Bellevue,

Washington and is thankful to have lived long enough to see her three grandchildren pursuing their dreams and education. One granddaughter was married a year ago, another granddaughter is attending law school, and, her grandson is attending Utah State University. She is enjoying good health and sends her fondest best wishes to her fellow classmates.

**Carol Jean Moses Grant S'41** Carol's annual trip to Southern California includes lunch with her friends Rhonda Fleming Carlson and her husband. She and Jeannette Pierson Herrow also have a day together talking over old times at BHHS. Hopefully next time Carol will see Mary Mayor and others. She still loves the snow, but is looking forward to spring and summer.

**Robert Lee Jones S'41** Robert and his wife, Betty, have been married for 60 years. She is in stage 5 or 6 of Alzheimer's disease and he is her caregiver with all that entails. To get a break he has scheduled a cruise in May to the Tuamotu Islands near Tahiti. He is 87 now and won't dive deep because he must stay well to care of Betty. He wishes everyone good health

**William Krisel S'41** William is a retired Architect and was awarded the Lifetime Achievement Award by the AIA, and another Lifetime Achievement Award from the City of Palm Springs with a star in their Walk of Fame. He has been married to Corinne for 58 years and they have two children plus six grandchildren. Three of his grandchildren have graduated college, two are presently at Yale and one will graduate from high school next year. William was pre-deceased by two older brothers, Lionel and Henry, both graduates of BHHS.

**Marjorie Seyring Lovett S'41** Marjorie commends the good job done on the Highlights. Both she and Sam had falls this year and recovery was slow but had help

with their children and friends. After 69 years of marriage they feel blessed to have each other. She still keeps in touch with Mary Jane Benjamin and Betty Fladager.

**Frank Mankiewicz S'41** Frank is semi-retired now and busy working on writing his memoirs.

**Carolyn Roos Olsen S'41** Carolyn still sees some of her BHHS friends on a regular basis and realizes this is unusual at their ripe young age of 86. She is still enjoying the attention her book, "Hollywood's Man Who Worried For The Stars," has given her. She also enjoys her home and family in Newport Beach, cruising the harbor in her electric Duffy, and just getting her driver's license renewed for another four years. Carolyn would like any of her classmates who want to help with the next reunion of the Class of '41 to email her at [carolynro@roadrunner.com](mailto:carolynro@roadrunner.com).

**Carol Hurwitz Polk S'41** Carol's Stanford class of '45 reunion was attended by five '41 classmates. They included: Carole Reynolds, Clem Woods, Al Harris, and herself.

**John E. Randall W'42** John's book "Shore Fishes of Hawaii" was revised and printed in 2010 by the University of Hawaii Press. The book now includes 371 accounts of fishes which can be seen in Hawaiian waters. The UH Press also hopes to print "Shore Fishes of Easter Island" which John co-authored with Dr. Alfredo Cea of Chile in May 2011. Although retired from the Bishop Museum, he maintains an emeritus status so keeps doing research on fishes. John also mentors post-docs who are doing research on fishes at the University of Hawaii Institute of Marine Biology. When he has a spare moment, he spends his time writing his memoirs which he is calling "Fish 'n Ships."

**Ed Reinecke W'42** Ed's two brothers, Fred and Bill, and his sister, Charlotte, have all passed away. They were all graduates of BHHS. He has four children,

11 grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren. His only contact with alumni is Nat Robbins (W '42) and would like more.

**Carole Carpenter Reynolds S'41** Carole was awarded a trophy from the Laguna Art Museum in recognition as Volunteer of the Decade for her 20 years of service as a museum docent and professional librarian. She still lives in Laguna Beach with her husband, Jack, in their "cliffhanger house." Carol's daughter was head of production for the 20th Century Fox film, "Avatar." She also attended her 65th Stanford University reunion along with several classmates.

**Bloom Barclay Bovill S'42** Bloom and her husband, Jules, are still enjoying Century City and sometimes cannot believe the changes that come and go throughout the year. When the letter arrived from the BHHS Alumni she could not believe that a whole year had passed. However, she feels it wonderful to know that the Alumni Association is keeping the Highlights going and again wants to thank everyone involved. She and Jules still have some connections with alumni who still live in California and are still traveling whenever they find interesting places to explore.

**Gloria Lissauer Block S'42** Gloria is a hospital volunteer and president of her family's foundation in the Greater Kansas City Community Foundation. Her husband passed away three years



ago; however, she is still traveling on the Crystal Cruise Line. During the last two years she has been to Antarctica and to the ice barrier at the Arctic Circle above Norway. She has been on two safaris and to almost every country, including the South Pacific islands.

**Audrey Strowburgh Burge S'42** Audrey's year included attending

three classes, work on two boards, finishing her poetry book and enjoying contact with her children and grandchildren.

**Mary Jo Gill Cook '42** Mary Jo is still playing bridge, painting in oil and acrylics, and enjoying life and good health!

**Pauline Sheranian Jensen S'42** Pauline retired after 45 years of elementary school teaching and was honored with a life membership in the National Education Association. Her memories of BHHS are as Concert Mistress of the Beverly Hills Orchestra under the direction of Mr. Wright. Andre Previn composer for the film industry sat next to her in first section of violins. Andre had his own jazz band and played in the high school assemblies. Pauline's brother, Lincoln Sheranian S'44, was Student Body President in 1944; her sister, Darleen S'41 was Vice President in '41, and her other brother, Nushan S'39, was most valuable tackle on the football team. Their mother, Marie, was nominated Mother of the Year in California in 1962. Pauline lives in Hemet near her children and has continued with her hobby by playing with three symphony orchestras and teaching music.

**Ann Winnett Karperos S'42** Ann is still traveling. She went on an awesome trip to China; to a family wedding in Washington, DC; and, drove to Oregon to the Shakespeare Festival and to visit friends. She also had a good year with aerobics, cross-country skiing, biking, and quality time with family and friends. She looks forward to the Highlights.

**Doris Gillespie King '42** Doris always enjoys reading each year the comments in the Highlights from her BHHS cohorts. She is still volunteering at the Ronald Reagan Presidential Library on Thursdays, and also enjoys ushering at the Thousand Oaks Performing Arts Center. With these two volunteering jobs she feels connected and enjoys living at Westlake Village.

**Virginia Wood Lee S'42** Virginia followed her sister, Wini Wood, to BHHS and has fond memories of friends, faculty and the superior education she received there.

**Berna Berry Linden S'42** Berna received Volume 30 of the Highlights and began thinking about BHHS. It all seems very remote as she is now 85 years old and is hard put to recognize anyone in the alumni book. Notwithstanding, she has warm memories of her years at BHHS.

**Ritchie Morgan S'42** Ritchie and his wife, Mickie, celebrated 2010 as the year that brought them both an 86th birthday and their 35th wedding anniversary. 54 assorted children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, siblings and in-laws gathered for a reunion and swinging lunch at (hold on to your hats) the Soup Plantation. The party continued far into a wet night at Ritchie's Del Mar condo. Highlight of the evening was a Stent Contest among the men. Paul Dimotakis won it with four. First prize was a month's supply of Plavix and Crestor. It worked out nicely since Paul was in the "doughnut hole" already.

**Mary Bressi Persic S'42** Mary is keeping busy on two hospital boards in the San Fernando Valley and committee work at Providence St. Joseph Medical Center. Her needlepoint group, started 43 years ago by another BHHS graduate, Mary Stewart Smith (S'43), still meets once a month. However, at their advanced years, there is more chatting than needlepointing.

**Harold L. Thomas S'42** Harold is still taking his two long, solo driving trips to Seattle in the summer and the other trip to the East Coast, usually Northford, CT and down to South Carolina in the fall. The purpose of the trips is to see friends and relative in different areas on an annual basis. He finds it a real delight to keep up with everyone.

**Margaret and Harold Tipton S'42** Margaret and Harold will reach

their 62<sup>nd</sup> wedding anniversary this June. Margaret graduated from UCLA and Harold graduated from the US Naval Academy and they have been happily married ever since. They have one son, two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

**Patricia Warren S'42** Patricia is happy to add to the statistic that if you live past 85 years, your mental capacity will remain intact!

**Peggy Parsons Wilson '42** Peggy and her husband are still enjoying their Varena retirement community. Daily excursions and activities keep them busy. They are looking forward to a cruise on the new Queen Victoria in January. She wants to be kept posted regarding a reunion for those who graduated 50+ years ago.

**David Dering W'43** David is still seeing green grass every morning. He just turned 86 and lives in Fallbrook, CA doing the usual senior things. Life is good and if anyone is interested in having lunch he can be reached at 760-728-3583.

**Bob Iverson W'43** Bob's son, Eric and wife Katie, have been living in Portland for many years, his daughter Ellen is on the faculty at USC. Bob's life has been enriched by his continuing relationship with his BHHS friends and wants to thank Bob Fox for his significant contribution in his work with the alums.

**Margot Williams Kamens W'43** Margot has had both hips replaced and has back problems, but that hasn't kept her from continuing the journalism skills she learned from Romaine Pauley and honed at USC School of Journalism. She is press chair of the Whittier Branch of AAUW (the 150 member branch of the American Association of University Women) and proofreads the monthly newsletter. She has plenty of time to care for her toy shih tzu and 18 year old cat. She has an upcoming reunion with JoAnn Strauss Sitchman (W'44) after about 50 years! Margot has

learned recently that Enid Harrow Chasanoff (S'43) passed away.

**Dorothy Noble W'43** Dorothy is still a volunteer at the Komen Breast Cancer Foundation in Las Vegas. She would like to contact Eleanor B. Parrish to give her some pictures she might want and can be reached at 702-435-1040. She feels the Highlights always brings back great fun times and doesn't want the paper to go as there is too much history to forget. She sends best wishes to all.

**Jackson Schultz W'43** Jackson finds the golden years full of valiant efforts to support local doctors and hospitals. He has experienced major surgeries, mostly hip, and good recovery. He drives, visits friends, clubs and talks with John Roesch, Bob Iverson, Shirley Pettit and other old classmates; so, life is good and moving along.

**Shirlee Wineberg Sevin W'43** Shirley's favorite memories include her days in radio speech, drama, and choir. She is happy to say she is still on the tennis court three or four days a week. She volunteers at the UCLA Medical Center and is a 20 year member of the Auxiliary. After 14 years as a docent at the Hammer Museum and 18 years with LAUSD, she is finally a grandmother! She has 12 year old twins which keeps her young. She guesses she is still recognizable because once in a while she will hear a greeting of "Blossom, from Beverly?" It always makes her happy. Although she didn't pursue her dream of going into theater after graduating UCLA, she did get a Masters in Ed. Ad. at USC in later years. She sends greetings to all who might remember her.

**Marian Semmelmeier Stoner W'43** Marian has given up her lovely home in Belmont due to a stroke and has taken residence in Reno to be near two of her daughters. It's a lovely place and she is very happy there as there is much to do such as, bridge, bingo, parties and, of course, has her little dog Emmie.

**Jean Gallgher Walker W'43** Jean is alive and loving retirement and living in a patio condo backed up to the foothills of the gorgeous Rocky Mountains just a few blocks from her elder daughter and her family. After a career in journalism and related fields in California and New York, and 15 years as a youth counselor in Albany, NY, Jean has been retired for 16 years and is very much alive. This is partially due to her fascination with the activities of her six grandchildren. Her current prime activity is raising money for the victims of the horrendous floods in Pakistan. Her family lived in Pakistan in '73 and '74 when her husband, Dr. Franklin V. Walker, was a Fulbright professor at the University of Islamabad and she taught at the International School. Jean graduated with an English B.A. from UCLA and picked up a Masters in Education at The College of St. Rose in Albany. Her brother, Hugh R. Gallagher (S'44), was killed in a sailing accident in 1962. He was in UCLA's first law class and practiced law in Ventura County. He left a wife and two children.

**Marian Miller Bonari '43** Marian has celebrated her 50th wedding anniversary. Her six kids are all fine. She's in Reno until October, and then she's heading south. They enjoyed a great cruise with one of her sons and his wife. She wishes good health to all.

**Leroy L. Carver, Jr. S'43** Leroy and Edith have enjoyed living year round in Lake Arrowhead for 11 years. Previously they enjoyed 34 years in Newport Beach and nine years in Rancho Santa Fe all the while commuting back and forth to Lake Arrowhead. Luckily, their health has held up and they have three children and seven grandchildren. They don't see any BHHS contemporaries in their travels and are sad to realize their numbers are diminishing, but hopefully there is still much future to enjoy.

**June Merrill Christensen S'43** June and her husband, Dr. Ned Jay Christensen, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on January 25, 2011 in the Portland Temple of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Their three sons and their wives joined in the celebration. Greeting cards, appreciation letters from the grandchildren and drawn pictures from the great-grandchildren added to the joy and were collected into a family scrapbook.



**Gloria Thatcher DeMent S'43** Gloria met Marilyn Knowlden in 1935 when they worked on the movie "Rainbow on the River." Marilyn co-starred with Bobby Breen, the most famous male child singing star of the '30's and Gloria was a child dancer (Meglin Kiddy Groups) in studio scenes. She was Marilyn's stand-in on this assignment. All three of them ended up at BHHS and all graduated in S'43. Gloria still keeps in touch with Bobby who lives in Florida and she and Marilyn have been giving programs at luncheons, libraries, Oasis Learning Centers, etc. Marilyn has written a book, soon to be published and lives in a continuing care center as does Gloria (Redwood Terrace.) They have been surprised at the interest shown in their movie history and find it very rewarding.

**Mert Gribble S'43** Mert is recovering from open heart surgery under the care of his wife and RN, Nancy Bacon Gribble (S'46). They are living in Stanwood, WA. He has been a general contractor and builder licensed in California, Oregon, Washington, and Idaho. Nancy was licensed in California and Washington and specialized in

coronary care. They have two daughters and a son and all live in Washington State.

**Ruth Krick Harris S'43** Ruth notes that as of March 2011, most of the class of S'43 are 85 years old (at least!) She still keeps in touch with Nancy Norton Barkley and Evelyn Evans Stebbins. Her cousin, Roger M. Laverty (S'39) is nearing his 90th birthday as is his wife, Joan Wright Laverty (S'39). Ruth continues to reside in her home. Her son, Robert, and his family live nearby. Her daughter, Laine, lives in Oklahoma. Ruth has traveled the world and has lived in Pakistan, Bangladesh, Korea, and Indonesia. She is now content to read, write, work crossword puzzles and enjoy her family. She says she is a happy old lady.

**Mollie Milliken Hayes S'43** Mollie is now living in a wonderful 14-story senior living center where she is served a five course dinner every night. She can be reached at mollicule@comline.com and would like to have you visit.

**Jeanne and Chuck Jones S'43** Jeanne and Chuck met at BHHS when he was doing cartoon work for the Watchtower Yearbook. After WWII, Chuck completed his education as USC and began designing shopping malls and office buildings both in California and across the United States. He loved doing this type of work and worked as a commercial architect for 29 years. When he retired, he and Jeanne moved to a rural area in Northern California 35 miles from Sacramento in Granite Bay. They are still enjoying traveling around the globe and they again celebrated their wedding anniversary on a cruise ship – their 66th! Jeanne is still continuing her search for her BHHS friend, Elaine McIntosh and would appreciate any information anyone can give her.

**Dick Rowson S'43** Dick travels to Budapest twice a year to attend board meetings of an organization he helped found there to assist countries seeking democratic

governance, the International Centre for Democratic Transition. He is also active in the inter-governmental Community of Democracies made up of 120 democracies worldwide. His wife, Elena, is a volunteer on the White House Comment Line and has served there under the Clinton, Bush and Obama administrations.

**John Struchen S'43** John took a 12-day cruise with his two daughters and his sister, Mae Ann Struchen Garty (S'45), to the Caribbean. They all had a wonderful time and he particularly enjoyed the time spent with his daughters and sister. He and his sister enjoyed the time they had in BHHS and think it's a great place.

**Harriet Phillips Werner S'43** Harriet is originally from Los Angeles, attended Beverly Vista, BHHS, and Stanford ('47). Her daughter, Laura Werner, lives in Grass Valley, CA, and her son, David, was deceased in 1978. She is still living in her home of 54 years just west of UCLA and her interests include antiques, parapsychology and animals. Her late husband, Larry Werner (deceased 1977), was a television pioneer at Screen Gems at Columbia Pictures as post-production VP.

**Helen Osgood Yeoman S'43** Helen graduated from BHHS 68 years ago and it hardly seems possible to her. After years of raising a family, things are much quieter at their house; the children are all living around California with grown children of their own. Grandchildren and great-grandchildren are happily involved in their school and sports activities. The youngest ones are in preschools, older ones in elementary, middle and high school. Many have completed college, some will just begin this fall and a few are working hard to finish their studies in graduate school. One of the highlights in recent years was the Mexican Riviera cruise that all 40 members of the family enjoyed together. She

highly recommends this way to pull together a family reunion.

**Stanley Zimmelman S'43** Stanley quotes a line from "Cabbages and Kings", "...the time has come the walrus said to talk of many things." And he's here to tell you one. Never admit you are in your mid-80's. Not even to your spouse, because what did his wife, Karen, do? She threw him a surprise 85th birthday party! He couldn't believe it! In attendance were many good friends and relatives, including his son, Joe (also a BHHS graduate) and his lovely wife, Lou, who flew in from Hawaii. Stanley keeps busy almost every day walking to Century City to shop and not to see the secretaries on their lunch hour!

**Anne Stern Berkovitz W'44** Anne is living in Westwood just a few blocks (and one country club) west of BHHS. Her husband, Irving H. Berkovitz, although somewhat physically disabled, still keeps a limited practice as a psychologist. Anne's chief activity is as a volunteer at the Getty Museum. They have three children and five grandchildren.

**Arnold Seidel W'44** Arnold is Chairman of Morton Seidel & Co., Inc. and has been since 1949. He is a graduate of USC and the New York Institute of Finance. His two sons, David ('77) and Craig ('79) and grandson, Ronnie (2011) are all BHHS graduates. He also serves on several boards of charities, including FOTO (Friends of the Observatory), American Society for Technion (Israel Institute of Technology), Fraternity of Friends and formerly served on the board of Young Musicians Foundation. He is the founding chairman of Friends of Greystone. He has lived in Beverly Hills over 70 years.

**Bonnie Cox Butler S'44** Bonnie sees her sister, Joan Cox McKenna, often.

**Esther Needles Fine S'44** Esther lost her husband in 1995 and still misses him very much. Her two daughters are practicing physicians

and both their children give Esther great pleasure. She received a PhD in Psychoanalysis at the ripe old age of 78 and is still practicing. Viva la vida!

**Jean Dray Jong S'44** Jean surprised herself by accepting the position of Docent for the Centinela Valley Adobe Museum in Westchester a few miles south of Loyola Marymount College. She feels it's been an interesting journey back into the history and development of land and political development of just the acreage from the beginning of Inglewood stretching all the way down to Redondo Beach. The Museum has three buildings to explore: the Adobe House, the 183-year-old Daniel Freeman Land Office, and the Haskell Research Center. In many ways, today's politics and land development are still in the mixing bowl for further changes surrounding the Museum grounds. She invites you to go to <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/centinelaAdobe> for more information as well as for the interesting scheduled events throughout the year.

**Natasha Chapiro Josefowitz S'44** Natasha's 20th book, "Living Without The Person You Cannot Live Without", has just been accepted for publication. It was written after her husband died 18 months ago. She's glad to be living in a nice retirement community.

**Don Pullen '44** Don still lives in Arcadia with his wife and his Australian shepherd.

**Preston D. Richards, Jr. S'44** Preston is still living in Salt Lake City, Utah and enjoying life.

**Herb Semmelmeier S'44** Herb and his family have a cabin on Lake George at Mammoth Lakes.

Fishing for rainbows is still a happy pastime for him. His son, Craig,



and he caught 10 rainbow trout last September. The lake is at 9,000 feet and is frozen over until May.

**Stan Bernson W'45** Stan's wife, Lenore, passed away April of this year. They had been married 62 years and have one daughter and one grandson. Lenore was 80 years old. She was his tennis partner, business helper, lover, and best friend. He hopes all his old pals and schoolmates are as lucky in life as he has been.

**Laurel Hill Feigenbaum W'45** Laurel's heart remains in San Francisco, but she always enjoys reading the Highlights and associating faces with names and times she remembers well. She will soon celebrate 61 years of marriage, enjoys family time with children and grandchildren, bird watching, travel (just returned from Egypt and Israel), studying Spanish (building on verb tenses learned from Mr. Padilla), yoga, and many activities associated with music, art, reading and writing poetry. She hopes there are plans for a reunion as she would love to attend.

**Adina Goodman Urquhart W'45** Adina raised five children in the Thousand Oaks area and was in real estate 15 years before retiring. She loves walking the hills around her mobile home park and visits with her children, many of her 15 grandchildren, and two great-grandkids. For the last 10 years she has been a volunteer at Los Robles Hospital, and is still in touch with old friends Janet Cantor and Ruth Botsford from Hawthorne and BHHS.

**Wiley Caldwell W'45** Wiley's wife, Jo, and he just celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary. They feel fortunate to have met in their freshman year at Stanford. They have four healthy kids, six grandchildren (four out of college and two to go.) He and Jo have lived in the same house on the North Shore of Chicago for 40 years and still love it in spite of the weather. Wiley had a new hip installed and

hopes to be back on the golf course in a month or two. They enjoyed renewing some BHHS friendships at a mini-reunion held in San Juan Capistrano put together by Tike Tinsman last year.

**Irving H. Anderson S'45** Irving notes that Ann McGhee Zink ('45) hosted the annual mini-reunion of Hawthorne School classmates Irv Anderson, Maile Scott, Sheila Bullock, and Barbara J. Hall of Beverly Vista in Indian Wells. Bob Ivey and wife, Barbara, were dearly missed.

**Bill Campbell S'45** Bill and his wife welcomed their first great-grandchild with the birth of Levi Francis Campbell, born September 24, 2010. They decided he was a keeper, but his parents took him home anyway.

**Pat Ford S'45** Pat reports he had no "reunions" with classmates for the year. He did join Betty Jo Fitger Williams, S'44, her sisters and family at the memorial service for her husband, Harold Williams, in March 2011. Betty Jo is the only BHHS alum he knows in San Diego. The major event for 2010 was a farewell trip to Germany to visit long-time German friends from his residence there in 1988, followed by a Swiss rail adventure with boarding school friends of his late wife, Carol. Pat was honored by a First Place Award from the Press Club of San Diego for a travel story. Iris Klorer (S'45) would be pleased to know that Mrs. Pauley's journalism class and their working on the BHHS Highlights for two years did have its rewards.

**Evie Goldberg Gladstone S'45** Evie would like to know if anyone would be interested in a copy of an 8th grade graduating class picture (W'42) from Beverly Vista Elementary. If so, please contact her at 517-337-1238 or write to E. Gladstone, 1509 Hitching Post Road, East Lansing, Michigan 48823. The names of the graduates are on the back of the picture. Evie is doing well and

working on a "book of life" to leave to her family while she still has a vivid memory.

**Marilyn Granas S'45** Marilyn still loves Beverly Hills, although it has changed drastically since she went to BHHS. She spends her time painting and writing her memoirs and is having a ball doing both after all those years as a casting director.

**Howard Lipstone S'45** Howard and Jane recently celebrated their 45<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

Though Howard continues to serve as president of his media production company, he and Jane enjoy traveling and participating in community activities.

**Earl Rogers S'45** Earl retired from a career in engineering. He works occasionally as a freelance writer for Valley Community News Service. He published his first (and probably last) novel, "The Mountain of Seven Gables" ([www.mountainofsevenables.com](http://www.mountainofsevenables.com)), a story of survival and redemption on the John Muir Trail. Other books include "A Yankee Ace in the RAF" and "Flying the Rim."

**Bo C. Roos S'45** Bo is still living part time in Avalon, Catalina Island. All is well in paradise, Fallbrook, CA in their snug little home.

**Janelle Hutchins Steele S'45** Janelle says all is well in the high Rockies. Two great-granddaughters visited for two months this past summer. One grandson and family will be with her for Thanksgiving. Two other grandsons are in the service – one Marine in Germany and one in the Navy on Diego Garcia in the Indian Ocean. The fall color has been spectacular this year, especially in the San Juan Mountains.

**Sherman Wagenseller S'45** Sherman will celebrate his 84th birthday in June.



**Robert Fox W'46** Bob and his wife, Valerie, sold their second home in Carmel after 13 years. The 650-mile round trip became a chore and the last couple of years they spent less and less time there. Also, they built a new home in Pacific Palisades that they love and all of their friends are in L.A. and Southern California. They enjoy the reunions with various groups and the friendships grow stronger over the years. Robert is still involved publishing the Highlights and remains active on the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association. He also keeps in touch with many friends and associates in the radio business. He considers himself fortunate to have sold his radio stations 14 years ago as the media business has tanked in recent years. So, everything worked out okay. By the way, Bob was recently honored by the Pacific Broadcast Pioneers as he received their Diamond Circle Award. Also, he was elected to the Board of Directors of the organization. Bob thinks he went to Beverly at a wonderful time as friendships that began in high school still endure and have grown. Bob had back surgery in February for sciatica pain in his right leg. Surgery was successful and Bob is fine. Stay healthy!

**Dean Hanson W'46** Dean is now retired after having worked for the CIA for 50 years. During those years he spoke French in Asia and Spanish in Latin America and Spain.

**Merwin Koepfel W'46** Merwin's "big sister", Sheila Koepfel (S'42), died in Florida. They brought her home to be buried close to Beverly. Since her husband was interred at VA Cemetery West Los Angeles, they were able to put her next to her husband. His other sister, Rosalind Koepfel (S'47), put together a memorial for Sheila who was known as Cindy Ames, her professional name.

**Joan Jaffee Lewis W'46** Joan is grateful every day for feeling

great! She is still in touch with a lot of "old" BHHS friends and keeps busy painting, writing, and volunteering.

**Eugene C. Roche W'46** Eugene and Lucila celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary with family and friends at the Raritan Yacht Club in Perth Amboy, NJ in December, and enjoyed a vacation in Nuevo Vallarta, Mexico in January. They are looking forward to the college graduations in May of three grandchildren: Casey Roche from Stanford University; Anais Garcia from Franciscan University; and, Kelsey Roche from Boston College. Another May event is the wedding of their grandson Miguel Garcia to Erin Wegner.

**Barbara Vance Wilson W'46** Barbara has been rehabbing her home the past two years. It was built in 1964 and needed it. Her son and his wife live with her and both are active in planning the work on the house. The result is a beautiful home and landscaping. She is still singing with a non-profit group based in Santa Monica.

**Herbert Constine S'46** Herbert and his wife, Roberta, are still enjoying life in the Marina, a little travel and lots of tennis (although he's much slower than the pros.) He looks forward to the Highlights to catch up on what his old classmates are up to.

**Bill Fore S'46** Bill and Betty are still enjoying life at Claremont Manor, a retirement community in Claremont, next door to five top colleges and the school of theology where he taught a few summers. They see their four kids (social worker, doctor, lawyer and engineer) plus eight grandkids fairly regularly. He still maintains a website ([www.religion-online-org](http://www.religion-online-org)) that gets more than a million hits a month, and was elected President of the Resident's

Association which keeps him busier than he wants to be. They take occasional trips to the L.A. Philharmonic and the Getty, and once every few years a Trione reunion, but otherwise they stay away from Beverly Hills--too much traffic.

**Barbara Ann Jeffries Hall S'46** Barbara enjoyed the annual Hawthorne party at Ann Zink's place in Palm Desert. Her latest book, "Covina Valley Citrus Industry," comes out July 18th and she is busy with three more. Her seven grandchildren continue to be a joy.

**Pierre Kern S'46** Pierre feels the years are going faster all the time and is grateful for his good health. He'll be 82 in 2011 and his sons, Richard and Bradford, will be 55 and 54 respectively. Rick is a developer for industrial and commercial property and doing well. Brad is currently in his second year as Supervising Producer for the Fox Network Show "Human Target." Pierre's grandchildren are between four and 24 years old and doing well. His wife, Lindy, is still learning all she can about clay and pottery and has her own kiln. He would like to hear from some of his old, old classmates.

**Richard Kindelon S'46** Richard is living in the great northwest and loving the change of weather after living in Hawaii for 40 years.

**Joan Halperin Ortiz S'46** Joan's grandson, Nikolas Lambert '11, graduated from BHHS in June. He also started as second baseman on Beverly's baseball team and she is very proud.

**Joyce Roodberg Snyder S'46** Joyce finds life good. She has a brand new great-grandson, making a grand total of six great-grandchildren and 11 grandchildren. Summer BBQ's are full of fun, food and laughter. She always finds time for

vegetable gardening, Dodgers, and travel; and, of course, every Sunday morning they are at Factor's for breakfast.

**Gerry Curley Somers S'46** Gerry lives in Newport Beach and has three children and 11 grandchildren. She has traveled in 169 countries, about a third of which were third world needing medical help. Her husband, a physician, and she have enjoyed doing this work for a month out of the year. She has a wonderful husband, even if he is a Samohi man, who has a great sense of humor. Gerry would love to hear from any '46 people and can be reached at 949-722-923

**Lester Wertheimer S'46** Lester is working on his third novel titled "True Love, My Fellowship Year Abroad," which is based on experiences following his graduation from Berkeley. He is also back at the drawing board as architect of a new house that will soon be built in Beverly Glen. Lester continues to see a number of friends from Beverly, including Bob Fox, Rodney Loeb, and Bob Herts. Little has changed, he reports, except the jokes, which are mostly the type that killed vaudeville. He can be reached at [leswerth@aol.com](mailto:leswerth@aol.com) and answers all emails.

**Selvyn Bleifer W'47** Selvyn is still practicing cardiology in Beverly Hills and spends his weekends in La Jolla.

**Sally Frank W'47** Sally has moved into a very active retirement community very much like a 5-star hotel. She's exhausted from all the activity classes and trips. It's a very good life.

**Hilde Carsten Koessler W'47** Hilde sends her appreciation to Lynn and Rita Montjoy for arranging a gathering of Class of '47. Members of the group may be getting smaller but the memories shared are vivid and

important.

**William D. Lusk W'47** William extends congratulations on the 30th anniversary of the Alumni Association.

Wow! Where did the time go? He is now 82 and still flying his de Havilland Tiger Moth,



skeet shooting and trap, and playing golf. Being retired now he's bored as you know what! He is living in Big Canyon in Newport Beach with his wife Nancy and sends a big hello to all his classmates of W'47.

**Eleanor Bowen Parrish W'47** Eleanor and her high school boyfriend, Dick Robbins (W'46), went to Chicago and Hawaii with other high school friends and are planning to go to New Zealand at the end of January.

**Jim Spitz W'47** Jim lives in Tarzana and he and his wife have been married 60 years. They had a fantastic celebration with their friends, many from BHHS.

**Oliver Berliner S'47** Oliver says he's just found a photo of Hawthorne School's Summer '43 graduating class and is able to name all but six of the students, including luminaries Toby Madison, Joan Morris, Daniel Devor, Susie Tannenbaum, and Harry Hupp. Anyone who wants a print should mail him his/her e-mail address to PO Box 146, Bozman, MD 21612. He'll gift anyone a Cuban music CD who can name all 35 classmates. Meanwhile, he's returning to Havana on sad business in that two Cuban songwriters whose hits he publishes have passed away. "Cuba's become a wretched place; worse now with the loss of these tropical music giants," he says.



**Susan Redding Gettle S'47**

Susan has a new lease on life. She lost her husband, Jim S'47, two years ago, and her 25-year-old grand-



daughter has come to live with her. Her oldest son married a French woman and lives in Paris. Her granddaughter speaks English, French and German and loves the Southern California sunshine. Susan has found the truth in the old saying, "When one door closes, another one opens."

**Nancy Noble Holley S'47** Nancy sends regards to everyone she knows and is still enjoying life and feels fine. She just turned 81 and wants to continue feeling well. She looks forward to hearing more news in the Highlights in the future.

**Ann Reiss Lane S'47** Ann and Bert have been married 62 years. Their days are filled with community service (Women Against Gun Violence), and tennis and Curves workouts. Lucky her!

**Toby Robert Madison S'47** Toby continues to live in Florida. He volunteers at the junior high level to teach English to foreign children. He is also a docent at the Ham Museum which is connected to the University of Florida.

**Joan Cox McKenna '47** Joan has lived in San Diego for 25 years and loves it there. She has seen several friends from Beverly through the years and feels that life is good!

**Margene Morris Pyeate S'47** Margene writes that after reaching an unprintable age, she moved to a retirement (they call it a resort) community in San Diego. It was brand new and she was the first person to move in. It is a beautiful facility and she is enjoying all that it has to offer. Joan Cox McKenna and Barbara Terman Fox live nearby and, along with Joanne

Rice Killam, they all meet for lunch monthly. They also see other BHHS alums at frequent reunions in Southern California arranged by Lynn Montjoy, also Class of S'47.

**Lester Satterthwaite S'47** Lester became an aerographer mate in the U.S. Navy and married Joella Deberry from Bicknell, Indiana in 1951. He proceeded to get his AA degree and became a weather man for WTTV in Bloomington, Indiana. He continued his education earning a BS and MA in Education and then in 1966 his EDD degree in Audio Visual Education. From 1990 to 1995 he was full professor of Educational Technology at Arizona State, and in 1995 he retired Professor Emeritus from Arizona State University. He and his wife celebrated their 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary August 2011.

**Jack Shoemaker S'47** Jack sends many, many thanks to Robert Fox and his associates for the Highlights magazine. It is always a pleasure to read about the activities of his classmates and to recall the happy memories from BHHS. Jack and his wife, Louise, have been married 56 years and have a great time together playing golf, bridge, backgammon, and other fun things.

**Audrey Bledsoe Speights '47** Audrey was elated to see her article regarding her years at BHHS upon receiving the last issue of Highlights. Additionally, her article caused other alumnae to reach out to her via e-mail. It is ironic that the friendship she craved while at BHHS has come to her now because of her article, and she will always be grateful to Bob Fox for publishing her story. This year has been rewarding in so many ways and has erased the painful high school experience through the friendships extended to her now. Audrey continues to counsel young adults who are transitioning from foster care and spends quality time with her nine great-grandchildren.

**Penny Waters Taube S'47** Penny's husband, Bob, and she

traveled to Canada. They have six grandchildren college and high school age and they love to hear about other BHHS alums.

**Robert Cherniss W'48** Robert and his wife celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary by going to Alaska with their oldest son and his wife. The trip started in Vancouver with three days aboard ship and then they jumped ship in Skagway. The balance of the trip was by rail and motor coach. They visited several sled dog training facilities with the highlight of the trip going to Denali Park where they saw a variety of animals and birds. They also got to pan for gold, getting to keep what they panned. At the end of 2010, Bob wound up in the hospital for a by-pass surgery on his right leg. He recovered nicely then in mid-January it was discovered Bob had had a mild heart attack which resulted in his being flat on his back in the hospital on his birthday. Their regular annual trip to California in February was cancelled, but if "the Lord is willin' and the creek don't rise," they'll do it in 2012.

**Beverly Shane and Chester Firestein W'48** Beverly and Chester have been married 60 years and from these two there are now 20!

**John Landau W'48** John has been retired for over eight years and enjoys traveling with Norma, his wife of 57 years. They live in Encino and love volunteering at the J. Paul Getty Museum, as well as playing bridge and backgammon. He has a special hobby of doing jigsaw puzzles of famous paintings. They feel lucky to be in good health and enjoy their family and many activities.

**Bud Alper S'48** Bud has had injuries the last year that have limited his mobility. He fell and shattered his shoulder and couldn't have surgery because of other medical issues. Seven weeks after his shoulder injury he fell and broke his hip. He spent the first six months in hospitals and rehab

centers. He is now home and feeling much better. He wants to thank all his alumni friends who faithfully called and visited. Those who did helped him keep his spirits up. On August 24th he celebrated his 80th birthday with many friends and family.

**Donna Weiss Barnett S'48** Donna finds life in Florida very exciting. Two of her three sons live there as do all her grandchildren. She continues to go to school at a local university. Her social life is very busy as she is blessed with a wonderful family as well as wonderful friends.

**Liane (Bunny) Long Chapman S'48** Liane is enjoying life to its fullest and is still playing tennis, mah jongg, bridge, gardening, knitting incredible sweaters, attending educational lectures at SMU, and traveling. Liane is hoping for a class reunion as the last one was missed due to traveling to Croatia. Her children and grandchildren are happy and well.

**Stanley Feldman S'48** Stanley is enjoying life in the beautiful Pacific Northwest. He plays lots of golf and breathes wonderful, clean, pure air!

**Ronald T. Golan S'48** Ronald has a new addition to the family – another pet rescued from the pound. Her game is Goldie and is a two year old Shih Tzu. She fits right in with his 17 year old Shih Tzu, Tiger (and three cats.)

**Roy Kavin S'48** Roy and his wife, Diane, celebrated Bud Alpers' 80th birthday and Jim and Lorraine Spitz' 60th wedding anniversary. His granddaughter, Charlotte, graduated from Indiana U with a degree in classical voice. His children gave him an 80th birthday party which was attended by 75 of his closest friends, including many from BHHS.

**Philip J. Kroops W'48** Philip finds that the older he gets, the busier he gets. He's got three books coming out on Amazon Kindle and a fourth in the works.

For kids he's written "The New American Wind in the Willows." For us big kids he wrote "Houdini – His Greatest Escape," in which Harry Houdini is back from the dead in our time; he has succeeded in his dying promise to his wife, "to contact her, to come back if he could." Finally, a memoir of a fantastic summer in NYC called, "Tales from the Rockaways" aka "C'mon! Take a Dip. The Water Ain't Even Wet." On the acting side, aside from his one-man Charles Dickens Show, Philip can be found on [www.meetcharlesdickens.com](http://www.meetcharlesdickens.com). He's involved in an upcoming new musical called, "Elementary, Sherlock!"

**Robert Moher S'48** Robert and Nancy celebrated their 50th anniversary in January 2011. They have also been in the same house for 40 years. Time flies when life is good.

**Marc H. Monheimer S'48** Marc has nine grandchildren and one big dog. Go to [www.kidsflysafe.com](http://www.kidsflysafe.com) for what he does all day.

**Ted Morse S'48** Ted is a long-time retiree from both industrial real estate brokerage and the Navy. He's just been an investor since. He is divorced from wife, also a long time ago; has no kids, just squirrels and birds as pets demanding to be fed. What seems like forever, he played two-man beach volleyball, but gave it up some years ago when he finally lost a game. Plaudits to Bob Fox & Staff for the Alumni Highlights and to Joe Flatau, Fred Nason, and Bob Donnerstag for organizing their annual mini-reunions.

**Tom Newmark S'48** Tom says life stays sweet with a bit of work for Empire Mine State Historic Park and for the Nevada County Narrow Gage Railroad, and in his own shop, too. Mix all that in with a bit of traveling plus fun times with friends and family and he doesn't feel there is much to complain about.

**Charles Riskin S'48** Charles reports same town, same wife, same home, same children (3) with their first and same spouses with their same seven children and one fractional (5/9) coming soon. Above ground is still good.



**David V. Schweitzer '48** David says not much is new. He still plays golf three or four times a week and spends time between Costa Mesa and Indian Wells, CA.

**Margot Wiesinger Smith S'48** Margot welcomed her second great-grandchild last year. She is closing down video production (see [www.offcentervideo.com](http://www.offcentervideo.com)). She had a fabulous 80th birthday given by her daughter, Janet, and granddaughter, Claire. She's heading for a Gilbert & Sullivan festival in June, and she's grateful that all the kids are doing well.

**Norm Snyder S'48** Norm has been living in Los Gatos nearly 30 years and happily retired since 1988. His health is excellent and still skis and golfs. He retains all of his original body parts except for capped front tooth broken at La Cienega Plunge in 1943 and disk in spinal column crushed in skiing accident. His sister Joan (S'47), brother Daryl (S'51) and he lived at 238 Moreno Drive, the only other structure in aerial photo of BHHS in last Highlights.

**Peggy Burbank Wise S'48** Peggy celebrated her 80th at Alisal Ranch with her husband, Lloyd, two daughters and their husbands, plus three grandchildren. Life has been good to her.

**Edward Wood S'48** Edward is living in the Northwest (Poulsbo, WA).

**Allan Barry W'49** Allan played football at USC, Green Bay, New York Giants and for the L.A. Chargers. He recently published his book entitled, "The Unknown

Lineman/The Lighter Side of the NFL." Al was the starting left guard in the 1958 NFL world championship game. The Giants played the Colts and the game ended in a tie and went into overtime. This game is known as the "greatest game ever played." If anyone would like an autographed book, just send \$25 to Allan at 3760 Edgeview Drive, Pasadena, CA 91107, and he will mail you the book postage paid. On the cover you will see the picture of Al (#68) blocking for Frank Gifford (#16.)

**Naomi Cooperman Childs W'49** Naomi says not much has changed. She is still working as a travel consultant. She and her Samohi husband, Roland, will celebrate their 60th anniversary next March. She enjoyed the summer/winter reunion a few months ago.

**Betty Lucille Marx Davies W'49** Betty's days at BHHS were happy. She met her future husband, James, in her junior year and married in 1952. One of Betty's closest friends through all the years is Pat Wimer Rabelais. She occasionally sees Sister Patricia Geoghan when she has time off from her duties with her order. They met in first grade at Horace Mann. Betty moved to Newport Beach 58 years ago and has two great granddaughters and is expecting a great-grandson in April.

**Donald Eisenberg W'49** Donald is enjoying retirement, playing singles tennis, traveling and flying his T-210.

**Marianne Bartok Lindsay W'49** Marianne celebrated her 80th birthday with family and friends last November. She continues to talk with her dear friend, Sharon Clark Gayton (S'49) on a daily basis and is happy that they live near each other in Westchester.

**Liz Stern Nichols W'49** Liz feels grateful and lucky as all her grandchildren are doing well. She still volunteers in several classrooms.

**Eleanor Taylor Clarke S'49** Eleanor and her husband, Richard

(W'49), are rounding out their years at Franke Tobey Jones, a beautiful retirement community on a peninsula jutting out into Puget Sound with Pt. Defiance Park as its immediate neighbor. Their two sons and their wives (all teachers) live close by in Olympia and Gig Harbor. Eleanor and Richard have four granddaughters who are all grown and doing exciting things.

**Ralph Marx S'49** Ralph and Helen continue to spend as much time as possible sailing on the Mexican Riviera and the Sea of Cortez. They claim to be the only people in the world who "summer" in Arizona. During hurricane season they join family and friends in Wickenburg, AZ.

**Mitzi Gollos Redke-Eisenberg S'49** Mitzi and Stan are still traveling

the world and now have a great-grand-son and 14 grandchildren. This year will see three more assorted graduations and so may it continue.

**B. James Lieberman S'49** is still with us and enjoying life.

**Charles F. Sill, Jr. S'49** Charles has been retired in Fallbrook since 1997. He has been married to Louise Sargent (Marlborough '46) since 1956, has three grown kids and one grandson (USN veteran.) He enjoyed the Class of '49 reunion, especially sitting with Horace Mann alumni.

**Betsy (Roberts) and Frank Ulf '49** Betsy and Frank were very pleased to have been invited to the 60th reunion of the class of 1950. It was held at the Marina del Rey Yacht Club. Rod Wilger, Pat (Abrams) Heumann, Carol Blanchard, Dick Ward, and George Crosby had attended their reunion in 2009. They had a wonderful day! Betsy continues to serve on the BHHS Alumni Board, and is appreciative of all the work they do: The Highlights, Hall of Fame



Awards, 6 annual scholarships, the high school yearly musical, and much more. She thanks you, in advance, for your financial support to continue their work.

**John Van Dolah S'49** John and his BHHS sweetheart, Joan (Leavitt) celebrated their 44th anniversary this year. They enjoy the ongoing love and visits of their three children and 10 grandchildren

**John S. Watson S'49** John is retired and living in Bend, Oregon.

## 1950

**Joan D. Adler '50** Joan and her husband live in Sherman Oaks nine months of the year and in Juneau, Alaska three months. It's the best of both worlds.

**Ann Tobey Allbritton '50** Ann and her husband are retired and active in church and volunteer work. They are also active walkers and love to travel and visit their six children scattered throughout the country.

**Carol Goshaw Blanchard '50** Carol has enjoyed another year in Beijing at BEIDA University. It is very rare to have the opportunity to work in China at 77 years old. The government doesn't want to give work visas or permanent resident cards to any foreigner over 65, but she has been working in China since 2002 and helping graduate teachers who love and can speak English. I have four fabulous grandchildren, ages 23, 21, 14, and 11. The 21-year-old is a soldier just returned from second tour to Afghanistan. He's protecting us all. May God Bless America!

**Burton S. Boudinot '50** Burton attended prep school for USMA after BHHS then entered the US Army in 1952 to attend officers training. He was commissioned to Lieutenant in 1953 and deployed to Korea the same year. He and Jo Kiser, an RN from Baylor

University, married in 1957 and had three daughters. He has seven grandchildren, five boys and two girls. Burt became a widower in 2005.

**Gerald Factor '50** Gerald is still managing property and trying to be productive in community projects. He and his wife, Lorraine, will celebrate their 57th anniversary this year. They are amazed and blessed that so many years have passed, and they cherish their opportunity to share the expanding lives of their kids and their kids – soon to be six in college. The 60th class reunion was a grand experience and they want to thank the committee for their hard work in arranging such a successful event.

**Estelle Emerson Handler '50** Estelle is sorry she missed the 60th reunion, but her cruise around Italy was a dream come true! Her daughter, Lisa, is an intervention specialist; granddaughter, Rachel, is in special education; and grandson, Adam, teaches science at continuation school – all in Burbank. For the fifth consecutive year son, Blake, received Microsoft's MVP award for his blog "The Road to Know Where."

**Howard Mason '50** Howard is looking forward to the Class of '50 reunion in 2010. All is well with him and his family.

**Chuck Murray '50** Chuck finds it shocking to realize that for some their next birthday will be their 80th (except for Rod Wilger, of course.) He's hoping for a 61st or 62nd reunion.

**Joe Benford '51** Joe has been married 58 years and lives in Simi Valley.

**Alan Call '51** Alan resides in Santa Monica, CA. He's a graduate of USC with a political science major. He's a member of Delta Tau Delta Fraternity, single, and an attorney at law and real estate broker. He's been practicing in Santa Monica for years. He's a former men's singles and doubles national paddle tennis champion and received a Hall of Fame Award in 2011.

**Florence Barnett Chinskey '51** Florence reports all is well in Woodland Hills. Her 6th great-grandchild was born this year. She has seven grandchildren and now six great-grandchildren. They all live in New York or New Jersey. She plans to have Thanksgiving with her daughter in Ohio.

**Roberta Flam Finkle S'51** Roberta is very much looking forward to seeing old friends at the upcoming 60th reunion, still in the planning stages.

**Carole Wayne Foran '51** Carole is still living in Beverly Hills where she's been in the same house for 40 years. She's been married 57 years and plays tennis four days a week. She's in a book club led by classmate Naomi Zimmer Feldman. Carole is practicing family therapy and enjoying duplicate bridge. She has four grown children and four grandchildren. She is grateful for her wonderful Beverly Hills education, eight years at Horace Mann and four at BHHS.

**Joyce Diller Grunauer '51** Joyce has been married to Ralph 58 years this year. They were engaged 61 years ago! She is a wife, mother, grandmother of seven, and great-grandmother of two. She is still playing tennis, working and involved in three communities – Lake Tahoe, Beverly Hills and Palm Desert.

**Frances Lichter Itkoff '51** Frances has lived in Lakewood for over 45 years; raised two children, and has five grandchildren. Her son and his wife are both teachers, and her daughter is stuntwoman/actress Elle Alexander. Since the death of her husband, Phil, in 2001, she is active in the Lakewood Women's Club and continues to be involved in patient and fundraising activities for Multiple Sclerosis. She is looking forward to the next reunion and re-connecting with classmates and friends.

**Mort Gerson '51** Mort continues to reside in Santa Monica with Leslie, his wife of 52 years. This year, he climbed Mt. Fuji with

his daughter, Joanne and son-in-law, Scott. In addition to Mt. Fuji, Mort has climbed Kala Pattar, Mt. Elbrus, Mt. Kilimanjaro, and Mt. Whitney.

**Myrna Hyman Goldstick '51** Myrna sends congratulations to Elinor Awan Ostrom for her Nobel Prize in Economics. Myrna remembers her well starting with Horace Mann days.

**Phil Jaffe '51** Phil is now living at Casa Grande, Arizona.

**Betsy Feldberg Kaplan '51** Betsy's life is good. Her memories of her life growing up in the Beverly Hills School District are credited for all that she values in her present day. She has lived on a ranch for 51 years. Black Angus, burros, chickens, rabbits, a greenhouse for growing orchids, plus a German shepherd keep her occupied!

**Jeanne Curry Laye '51** Jeanne traveled to Hawaii, Connecticut, Washington, DC and Newport, CA. She is heading to Vietnam, Cambodia, and Laos for a Stanford tour after spending Christmas with the children and family. She is still working as a CPA, but beginning to reduce the workload. (Some say "about time.") She enjoys what she does and is still seeing old friends Ingrid Johanson, Jack Murray, Daryl Snyder, and Jim Morrow.

**Ursula Feldberg Levi '51** Ursula is looking forward to her third generation graduate from BHHS and her 60th reunion.

**Roxanne Delman Richards '51** Roxanne is one of the grey gals who attended the 60th reunion. The people that got there looked pretty darn good for 60! She lives in the Marina, is single, and is still working as a deluxe travel agent.

**Don Rowson '51** Don and Sharon (Black), a graduate of Van Nuys High ('53) have been married 53 years and have four children, five grandchildren



and six great-grandchildren. They still run their chemical engineering consulting corporation together after 45 years of owning their own business.

**Paul Selwyn '51** Paul married his trophy wife, Joan, 52 years ago and they have two children who are BHHS graduates, lawyer and art gallery owner Marc Selwyn ('78) and Laura Selwyn Wyatt ('80). Paul served as a Naval Officer for two years in the Philippines, then lived and worked in Hong Kong. He was the owner of Pauling & Co., importing diamonds and gemstones from around the world and manufacturing fine jewelry. He retired in 1990. After his tennis career at BHHS and UCLA, he was a member of the Beverly Hills Tennis Club for over 30 years, also serving as its president. He has been working on building a Children's Museum in Santa Barbara, and also served eight years on the Beverly Hills Planning Commission and six years on the Architectural Commission. He is the Founding President of the Wallis Annenberg Center for the Performing Arts, which is transforming the historic Beverly Hills Post Office building into a 500-seat theater. Paul and Joan have lived in Montecito for the past 14 years and have enjoyed many years of adventurous travel experiences. He even sky-dived at the age of 72! Paul now enjoys photography, playing golf, and still maintains many friendships with other BHHS graduates.

**Idelle Weber '51** Idelle's husband died four years ago and she continues to paint and reside in New York. She will have work in the "Seductive Subversion: Women Pop Artists 1958-1968". Following its run at the University of the Arts in Philadelphia, PA the exhibition will travel to the Sheldon Museum of Art in Lincoln, NE; the Elizabeth A. Sackler Center for Feminist Art at Brooklyn Museum in NYC; and, the Tufts University Art Gallery in Medford, Massachusetts. She is spending a month this summer at

an artist's residency in Bar Harbor, Maine at Acadia Arts.

**Shirley Seams Balasko Chestnut S'52** Shirley married Mike Chestnut on April 30, 2011. They have known each other 20 years and socialized a couple of times while their spouses were alive. 100 guests enjoyed a fun ceremony and a dinner and dancing reception.

**Lynne Sussman Braiman '52** Lynne has been spending a lot more of her winters in the desert – Rancho Mirage, since her husband is in a home for dementia. She plans to go to Africa the end of May.

**Vera Imbach Mackenzie '52** Vera is still living in Los Altos and loving it. She has three adult children (all married) and has five grandchildren; the oldest one is graduating from college. The biggest change in her life is the sudden passing of her wonderful husband of 54 years. She feels lucky to have wonderful family and friends in her life.

**Walter Schuster '52** Walter retired in June of 1995 and lives with his wife, Jennifer, in Los Alamitos, CA where they have lived in the same house for 40 years. BHHS seems a long time ago and very far away. Once a year, or thereabouts, he drives by his old house on South Bedford Drive.

**Maxine Mirisch Siegel '52** Maxine and her husband, Jerry, celebrated their 53<sup>rd</sup> anniversary in June. They travel a good deal of the time and spend a lot of that time in Maui. Their three children graduated from BHHS as did their granddaughter who is now teaching 4<sup>th</sup> grade in Texas. She recently graduated the University of Texas Magna Cum Laude with International Distinction.

**Peggy Albin Stauffer '52** Peggy and her husband, Art, celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary on a rafting trip in Idaho. Their three children, six grandchildren and two daughters-in-law had a ball on the Salmon River in paddle boats and kayaks, sleeping and eating outdoors.

**Robert Street '52** Robert and his wife, Norma just returned from three weeks in Africa.

**Loretta L. Weinberg '52** Loretta is still working and enjoying life as a State Senator in New Jersey. She is up for re-election this coming November. She has family in Southern California, including wonderful grandchildren and her brother, Carl Isaacs ('49), so she visits often.

**Victoria Shuken Weisenberg '52** Victoria is still cutting up dead things as she continues to teach Biology as Department Chair of Natural Science at Hebrew Theological College in Skokie, Illinois. She and the rest of the family just celebrated her mother's, Ruth, 100<sup>th</sup> birthday!

**Donald Alschuler '53** Don and his wife Lynne of 54 years remain active in business and charitable work. Don continues to serve on the Board of Vista Del Mar Child and Family Services. He is chairperson of the Audit and Technology Committees. He has become a professional photographer. His projects include photographing the building of the Chinese Garden at the Huntington in Pasadena. Don enjoys tennis, skiing, and biking. We were very fortunate to have had so many wonderful teachers at Beverly.

**Susan Horwits Brody S'53** Susan is enjoying her retirement. She and her husband are in good health and are having fun with their extended family and many dear friends. She is still visiting with numerous classmates. She finds it amazing how energetic and lively they are all and figures her 13 grandchildren also keep her energetic.

**Amaris Ward Bryer '53** Amaris is leading a wonderful and healthy life. She and her husband have eight grandchildren, are active in the "flying community," the Tarzana community, and Nine O'Clock Players. She invites everyone to come see her in a play at the Assistance League and bring your grandkids. Her last starring role

was as the Steamship SS Bombay – and, no, she hasn't gained that much weight!

**Walt and Barbara Dougher '53** Walt and Barbara will celebrate 54 years of marriage this September. Manhattan Beach is still their home where Walt was Mayor in 2001. They live close to their four sons and enjoy seeing the activities of their 10 grandchildren. Walt serves on the L.A. County Beach Commission, and is currently involved with the introduction of the Vitality City concept in the beach cities of Manhattan, Hermosa, and Redondo. Vitality City is a collaboration of Healthways, Blue Zones, and the Beach City Health District where Walt was formerly a board member.

**Betty Ann Grant '53** Betty is still happy in Napa and continues to volunteer at their local hospital. Her two black and white cockers still bring her joy and she always looks forward to her visits from her nephew, Don Ward and his wife, Connie, who help her upgrade her mobile home. He is the son of Beverly and Dick Ward ('50). Last year Betty took a trip to Whittier for a Ward family reunion. She also had the opportunity to go by ferry to San Francisco for lunch on Union Street with classmates and had a long visit with Jerry Williams ('53) and Arline Anderson ('53). She can be reached at her new email: bettyagrant@att.net.

**April Hathcock '53** April hasn't had much change in her life except that arthritis is creeping in so she walks slower and tires easily. She is still happily living in the house and neighborhood she married into although she is now a widow. Her two cats, Stormy and Spooky, keep her company and she gets out a lot by volunteering. She has been working elections as an inspector for 15 years; she sits on the executive board of Motion Picture Costumers Local 1705; and chairs their welfare committee. The biggest interest of all is her activity with the Friends of Studio

City Library. She is president (not the most rewarding job) and co-chair of their monthly book sales. She gardens, needlepoints, attends movies and the theater with friends and loves to cook.

**Howard Hirsch '53** Howard is still enjoying retirement, golf, snowboarding and helicopter snowboarding. He's been married 51 years and has three grandchildren ages 15, 17, and 19.

**Henry Kaperl '53** Henry and his wife, Pearl, have been comfortably residing in Palos Verdes, CA for the last 38 years. They recently celebrated their 51<sup>st</sup> wedding anniversary while riding on an elephant in Southeast Asia.

**Richard Lanni '53** Richard is living in Newport Beach with his wife Patti. He is Senior Vice President of Wedbush Securities and enjoys getting together frequently with Rod Wilger ('51), Fred Caso ('53), Bob Donaldson ('53) and Larry Edwards ('54). He is looking forward to the next 1953 reunion.

**Diane Jenkins Lano '53** Diane retired from TRW in '92 as a department manager and moved to Bellingham, WA near the Canadian border. She has her own income tax business and spends the off months just enjoying life with her family and grandkids. She still misses L.A.—it will always be home.

**Michael D. Levantahl '53** Michael, Red Dog, is still vertical; thanks for asking.

**Faye Nuell Mayo '53** Faye became engaged to Alan Landsburg while they were on a three week trip to China in April 2011.

**Orin O'Brien '53** Orin is still paying bass in the New York Philharmonic and is still teaching at Juilliard, Manhattan, Mannes. He enjoys seeing fellow BHHS alumni Dr. Robert April, Melvin Lebe, Jane Libby, Richard Lesser, Larry Lesser, and Susan Long Quainton.

**Anne Taggart Tunzi '53** Anne has been involved in the local astronomer's club for the past two years, and is keeping up with her

lifelong interests in music and fine arts. She has six grandchildren and one great-granddaughter. It all keeps her active and well!

**Mickey Crost Rotter '53** Mickey celebrated her 75th birthday in February with three days of parties! Six of her class of '53 friends joined her for the ladies' luncheon.

**Roger W. Behrstock '54** Roger has basically lived in or around Beverly Hills forever. He's been on South Linden for over 35 years. He and his wife, Fran, have three great kids (all attended BHHS); they all have spice (spouses to you) and seven grandchildren—all live within one mile of each other. He has stayed really close with Mike Franks, Lee Lewin Wertheimer, Jay Friedman, and, of course, their entire reunion committee – Sharon, Jackie, Gil, Stan, Lynn, etc. He plays a lot of golf with his boys, Tony and Joey, and his daughter, Laura, followed his cheerleading at BHHS. Roger still loves to sing all the show tunes like he did in school.

**Karolyn Eisenberg Berkman '54** Karolyn retired from teaching in the LAUSD after 52 years. She is a busy professional musician – percussionist and pianist, and tutors Algebra, too.

**Brian Bittke '54** Brian and his wife, Cathy, just celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary. They are blessed with good health and are enjoying having three of their children living close by. This also allows him to be with their 10 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. He continues to work with OpenArms International, a medical/missionary organization that helps the homeless and aids orphans in Eldoret, Kenya.

**Melford Chudacoff '54** Melford graduated from BHHS and UCLA then went to architecture school at UC Berkeley and practiced architecture



in San Francisco for 36 years until retirement early this century. He's now trying to interest one of his three grandkids (2 year old Diego) to just sit on his Harley motorcycle. Mel has been riding for 47 years and it hasn't dampened his joy of riding into the nether regions of Northern California and beyond. After 44 years of marriage to Patricia (raised in Paradise, CA) she still won't get on the back!

**Phyllis Korentajer Dimant '54** Phyllis is still around! This July she will celebrate her 55th wedding anniversary. She and her husband have four great-grandchildren, nine grandkids, and three kids.

**Leda Carroll Goldsmith '54** Leda has been happily married to attorney Gerald P. Goldsmith for over 53 years. Their older daughter, author Leslie Carroll, has just published her 14th book, most of them about 17th and 18th century royalty and other personalities. Their younger daughter has two brilliant children, Jessica, 15, and Joshua, 12. Leda's family has a weekend house in Sag Harbor (in the famous Hamptons) with a boat at their own dock. She does pro-bono editing for Jewish organizations while her husband enjoys semi-retirement. She is still in close touch with Dee Witt Stone. She saw her in L.A. in February and she came to Leda's 75th birthday celebration in May 2011.

**Eleanor Klein Kaufman '54** Eleanor taught 6th grade at Beverly Vista and is now teaching photography/photojournalism at Beverly High Adult School. Her students are the best and produce wonderful work. They often put on photography shows and their last one was attended by about 200 people. She feels lucky because she loves her work and sends everyone her best.

**Valerie Kay '54** Valerie retired as a teacher and is a community volunteer. She still lives in the BHHS area and is looking for class members in the area. She can be reached at vskaay613@aol.com.  
**Stan King '54** Stan and his wife,

Dianne (SAMO '56) still reside in Beverly Hills. He has just completed his third year with UBS Financial in Beverly Hills making a total of 52 years in the brokerage business. He is off to a three-week safari in Botswana and South Africa in May, followed by a cruise in October to Turkey, Israel and Egypt. He continues to be involved with California Special Olympics, Jewish Free Loan Association, as well as One Voice. His newest project is heading a committee to do a major renovation of Drake Stadium at UCLA. His daughter, Karen ('89) has joined the Board of BHEF to further community assistance to the schools where two of his granddaughters attend El Rodeo. Finally, he still is considered the resident USA Track & Field Official for all BHHS cross country and track meets. He is also a charter member of the BHAAA that supports all BHHS athletics.

**James Loos '54** James is currently the Senior Clinical Professor of Orthodontics at University of Southern California. He and Sherry, his wife of 28 years, live in Long Beach and enjoy boating in Long Beach and Lake Havasu, AZ where they have a second home.

**Patrick McDermott '54** Patrick has been living in Northern California since the late 60's. He's been married 50 years and has four children and nine grandchildren. He has enjoyed many years of retirement, is healthy and plays lots of golf.

**Norman Ross '54** Norman and Gloria celebrated their 52nd wedding anniversary in August 2010.

**Lynne Goldman Shapiro '54** Lynne sends greetings and a happy 75th to former friends and classmates.

**Patricia Landy Soderberg '54** Patricia is appreciative of her 50th class reunion bash as it reconnected her to her old pal Jimmie Duffy. He is meticulously restoring his beautiful Paul Williams home. She's also grown to know Tiffany Stone Miller and

admires her vast travel planning expertise and skilled photography. Patricia still misses her dear late pal Connie Rainer Passamaneck who got Dee Witt Stone, Beverly Shafer Trebow and her together after their 40th reunion. Their foursomes were always delightful.

**Dee Witt Stone '54** Dee's life is full and busy with a Brandeis Book Group, doing Yoga, painting and showing and selling her artwork.

**Marlene Shane Verny '54** Marlene had a fabulous 19 days traveling Africa. The most exciting part was walking with the lions and seven month cubs. Seeing Victoria Falls was spectacular.

**Beverly Black Angarella '55** Beverly is enjoying her retirement after 23 years of teaching. The last 18 years were in the Special Education Department at Birmingham High School in Van Nuys, CA. She now divides her time between golf, bowling, gardening, travel, family and working as a docent at the Leonis Adobe Museum in Calabasas, CA. Getting together with her dear school friends from El Rodeo and BHHS is still a joy after all these years.

**Sharon S. Kevan Arthur '55** Sharon feels great, is retired, and enjoys gardening and traveling to Argyle, TX, Omaha, NE, and Orlando, FL. All three daughters are great and all grandchildren fine and growing up fast. She had fun at her last reunion and hopes to see everyone again. Her parents passed away, so there is no more Beverly Hills house to visit and she doesn't miss it. Greetings to all her past acquaintances and friends!

**Norma Ensinger '55** Norma and Robert have just returned from three weeks in Botswana, Zambia and South Africa.

**Joseph Friedman '55** Joe celebrated his 73rd birthday in March of 2011 and in October the same year he and his wife, Stevie, will celebrate their 45<sup>th</sup> anniversary. They have four kids and nine grandchildren. Joe is still active with insurance clients and Stevie

is active in the travel business. They are leaving March 28th for their 382nd cruise. That's right! They both love the sea and take children and grandchildren with them many times. They work four days a week when they are home and their children are self sufficient and doing well.

**Soni Smith Wright '55** Soni and her husband, Ken, are living happily in beautiful Ojai, enjoying art, music, and lots of travel. They haven't bought a horse yet, but are thinking about goats!

**Peter Behrendt '56** Peter continues to split his time between Boulder, Vail and Puerto Vallarta. Board meetings in California and China provide a break from skiing and hiking and sitting on the beach – tough life! Recent trips include Antarctica, which far exceeded expectations, and Borneo to chase orangutans. Turkey and Syria are booked for later in the year. The first of his three sons recently married a lovely pediatrician at a lakeside ceremony in Vail.

**Meyer (Mike) Berk '56** Mike retired as a stockbroker in 2009 and he feels great about it. His wife, Susan, and he have been married for over 45 years and their two sons have done well and have provided Mike and Susan with three terrific grandchildren. Retirement has given Mike more time for the motor home, hiking, golf, a weekly bike group, volunteer work, friends, and best of all – Mike and Susan rescued a wonderful dog.

**Howard Fabrick '56** Howard is still practicing law on a reduced hour basis. He resumed activity for the Junior Blind of America as a board member and chair of several committees. He and Myrna are enjoying watching their six grandchildren grow up. They continue traveling to new locales and return visits to some of their favorites, such as the Mother Lode towns on highway 49 and Big Sur and Monterey.

**David Gross '56** David and the former Rosalyn Saffrin (Hamilton

HS '59) will be happily married for 50 years in August 2011. They have a son in Dallas and a daughter next door and each have blessed David and Rosalyn with two grandchildren. They both continue to work part time and have been in construction since graduation from UCLA in engineering. Rosalyn is an accomplished registered dietitian who has served both her clients and David well in spite of himself. Having attended the Beverly Hills School System from kindergarten to BHHS has given David fond memories and has retained lifelong friendships dating back to grammar school. He'll be looking forward to his next reunion because it has been just great to get together and rekindle old relationships. He would like to thank Joanie Yeoman for all her efforts in helping to organize the past reunions that have been a real success. The Sunday morning back yard parties at Marty Krell's home have provided a wonderful extension of the reunion activities.

**Marty Krell '56** Marty exchanged his neurosurgical scalpel for a pitchfork. He and Charlene sold their Beverly Hills home for a ranch in Santa Clarita, CA where they are building



a petting zoo for their 10 grandchildren. Their four married daughters live in Southern California and pursue professional careers, and one of their sons-in-law practices neurosurgery.

**Ted Marmor '56** Ted experienced 2010 as a consequential year, dominated by prostate cancer surgery in June. He feels relief with the result and gratitude for the medical care received and the speedy recovery. The other items, such as more squash tournaments, a month lecturing in New Zealand and Australia last December are trivial compared with catching an

eight pound brown trout on a fly in New Zealand's Owen River. New York remains a lively place to live, enhanced by visits with classmate Ann-Marie Birnbaum Levine.

**James Mawson '56** James turned 72 this year and is happy to still be working. He has been working on some older Dallas city schools this past year, which is a different type of challenge than the bigger and more glitzy projects that he has worked on in the past. Because of his work schedule, they did not travel as much as they have in previous years, but he and Donna did spend a week in October at their timeshare in Puerto Vallarta. This year they will be going up to Washington State as their oldest granddaughter graduates from high school. While there he is sure they will drive over to check out the vampires and werewolves in the "Twilight Saga" town of Forks, WA. His class is having a 55-year reunion this year and he is looking forward to seeing all his old classmates.

**Harvey Pine '56** Harvey and his wife, Anita, continue to enjoy retirement in Sandpoint, ID. Harvey's main hobby is writing. The novel "Landa" is not for sale but is traded for other people's craft hobbies. Their "labor of love" museum contains art, music, and woodworks, and there is always room for another item. For more information check the web and blog site: <http://pineproductions.blogspot.com> and [www.sandpoint.net/pineproductions/home](http://www.sandpoint.net/pineproductions/home).

**Gloria Stolaroff Ross '56** Gloria is still involved with her jewelry business representing artisans from Europe and Brazil. She travels to cities across the country setting up shows.

**Barbara S. Topkis '56** Barbara visited merry old England with her family and found it interesting to see an ancient looking castle with a TV antenna!

**Linda Price Vitti '56** Linda has been living year round in Aspen, CO since 1969. She has been

married 25 years to Clancy Joe Herbst and is retired after 34 years working for Aspen Ski Co. with a lifetime ski pass for herself and husband. She has two daughters and six grandchildren and volunteers for many local organizations. She serves on boards of Aspen Valley Medical Foundation; Aspen Hall of Fame; is on the National Council of Aspen Music Festival and School; and, Aspen Buddy Program. She gave up tennis because of knee issues, but still skis five days a week and rides her road bike 3,000 miles a year. She would enjoy seeing classmates who visit Aspen and can be reached at [lvitti@aol.com](mailto:lvitti@aol.com).

**Joan Kline Yeoman '56** Joan is still living in the same condo and still keeping the list of classmates. She is retired and enjoying her life a lot. She runs into classmates and would like to consider another reunion or an informal get-together soon. Please contact her if you move or change your information. She wishes every one good health and a long life and can be reached at [jyeoman11@aol.com](mailto:jyeoman11@aol.com).

**Donald Zlatnik '56** Donald had the joy of welcoming great-granddaughter Reiley to his family.

**John Ansen '57** John and his wife Susan ('58) are very fortunate to have their granddaughter selected to be on the Rose Court for the 2011 Tournament of Roses parade. They have enjoyed some of the activities of this special honor. They just returned from a vacation in Spain visiting John's brother, Steve Kahn ('61).

**Bob Bard '57** Bob and his wife Marian are happy to announce that their son, Jim, got married March 19, 2011. The newlyweds are living in the same town that Bob and Marian have lived in for 40 years (Rio Vista, CA). They celebrated their 40th anniversary this year. He sends his best to his classmates from 1957.

**Gerald V. Becker '57** Gerald has been happily married to Estelle for 51 years and has five grandchildren. They travel extensively and have

visited 85 countries. They find life is good!

**Edward Brown '57** Edward and his wife Linda ('59) celebrated the graduation of their second grandson from BHHS. They have six more to go. Their class reunion committee gets together every six months and they enjoy sharing their past and future. They are both still involved in Beverly Hills politics.

**Eleanor Coberly Cohen '57** Eleanor and her husband, Larry, celebrated their 50th anniversary in 2009 with a visit to San Francisco that brought back memories of their honeymoon trip. Much of their travel these days takes them to Paris and environs where they spent April of this year and will be returning in October. They have lived in Vista, CA in north San Diego County for the past 21 years.

**Thomas Grollman '57** Thomas is still enjoying semi-retirement on the island of Kauai in Hawaii. Besides doing consultations one day a week, he is keeping busy doing some digital image teaching at the community college and participating in the local computer and artist groups. He and his wife, Sachiko, have found time to do some traveling this year. They visited the Galapagos and Machu Picchu, and also found time to spend a couple of weeks in the British Isles, which included spending time with close friends in West Yorkshire.

**Adrienne Biren Leibovitz '57** Adrienne's wish is that all people 71+ should have a good, happy, productive next 30 years. She wishes that for all of you and herself too.

**Jim Ach '58** has been retired from Mattel Toys almost 10 years ago. He and his wife Ann have lived in Marina Del Rey for over 30 years. They like to travel, play bridge, and have been active in sailboat racing for a number of years. Jim just returned from 3 weeks in Thailand, a fascinating, vibrant place with wonderfully friendly people and a long history; in addition to sightseeing, he met some friends

there for sailing and diving. His father Ernest Ach passed away at age 97 in January 2010; he had been on the B.H. School Board for 12 years, and handed me my diploma when I graduated. In July 2010 my brother Larry ('65) and his Brazilian AFS classmate Andre Frossard joined me in presenting my father's bequest of \$10,000 to the Friends of the Beverly Hills Library, in which he had been active. This photo is of the three of us, with the B.H. librarian Nancy Hunt-Coffee, Friends president Barbara Linder, and Friends treasurer Jean Rosenblatt. We socialize with Paul Muchnic, Hal Stalmaster, Jim Miller, Susan Kahn Ansen, and Emory Josephs -- its fun to catch up with old and new times.

**Saralee Friedman Baldwin '58** Saralee feels extremely lucky to be a graduate of BHHS, and especially from an era when education was truly special, especially for a public school. She has raised two terrific children and has three wonderful grandchildren who are shining lights. She is volunteering at Cedars Sinai three days a week in the Heart Transplant Program which keeps her busy and reminds her how very lucky we are to be living in this day and age. Happily she gets to keep up with many friends and classmates.

**Richard A. Barton '58** Richard reports all is well and enjoying grandsons, traveling, and cycling.

**Melanie Aminoff Clampitt '58** Melanie is looking forward to her 55th class reunion. If anyone lives near Houston, TX, call her at 713-667-7877 to reminisce.

**Howard Franklin '58** Howard's wife, Patty ('68), passed away from cancer in 1988. He moved to Oregon, retired from the practice of law, and began writing full time. His first book, "An Irish Experience," was published in 2007. While it failed to achieve bestseller status, through its publication he met his wife Linda, and they will celebrate their third anniversary June 15, 2011. His three children,

and Linda's daughter, are well and pursuing their various careers. He is still able to play tennis twice a week and finds life good.

**Nancy Bryson Helgans '58** Nancy and her husband, Chuck, spent three weeks seeing Tokyo and SE Asia in 2010. They celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary in Washington's San Juan Islands. They then drove down the coast of Oregon, playing golf along the way and ended up in Northern California visiting family. They just welcomed their 11th grandchild. Both Nancy and Chuck are still working three days a week, travel, and play golf and bridge. She wishes she lived closer to attend the class of '58 luncheon.

**Cliff Landy '58** Cliff and his wife, Nancy, are both retired and enjoying life. They regularly visit their grandson, daughter, and son-in-law in San Diego. They are expecting their second grandchild from their son and daughter-in-law in August. Cliff and Nancy have been traveling to Oregon and Northern California to visit with family. He loves getting the Highlights and keeping up with BHHS alumni. Cliff is sad to report the passing of his brother, Errol ('62), after a long illness. He leaves a daughter, son, and a granddaughter.

**Jack Morgan '58** Jack turned 70 in August. He has undergone cataract eye surgery, had a few moles removed from his arm and back; and, "enjoyed" lumbar back surgery. Thank God everything turned out great and he is still pharmacy-free! He completed eight years of driving for Burlington Trailways Bus Co. and did his final run in June. He's worked six band jobs so far this year and has two more to do in November. After that there's nothing booked for the Russ Morgan Orchestra. He's thinking about filling the bell of the trombone with fertilizer and turning it into a planter! Ha! To keep himself busy, his wife, Bonnie, puts him to work running the ice cream cart at the zoo! It amazes her when she hears

him talk to people and ask them where they're from because 99% of the time he's been there and knows the best places to eat in their hometown. After all, he's been traveling all over the country for 52 years and accidentally has become somewhat of a combination human atlas and travel guide!

**Edith Weinstein Schwartz '58** Edith celebrated her 70th birthday and her 45<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary in 2010. She has five grandchildren, is teaching ESL and is grateful for her countless blessings.

**Irwin Zeke Warsaw '58** Irwin finds it difficult to believe that most of his classmates will turn 70 years of age this year. And, how many are as fortunate as he to have their 93-year-old mother be in attendance to celebrate this occasion? In his mind he still feels like he is at BHHS or in college, and most of the time his body agrees. He can't wait for his 55<sup>th</sup> class reunion in 2013!

**Nancy Schwartz Young '58** Nancy and her husband have lived in Maine the last two years after 15 years in Honolulu. Her husband is an interim Unitarian Universalist minister. He ministers to a church after a minister leaves until they hire their next settled one. In August Nancy and her husband will move somewhere else, but won't know where until June or July. In February, Wilma Peterson ('58), Jackie Wilks Hinkston, Maria Lewis ('59), and Nancy rode the train to Oceanside for a two-night slumber party at Nancy Nesheim Sheehy's ('58) house. They never stopped talking.

**Baret Fink '59** Baret is practicing law in Century City with his son, Randall, and watching his three children and seven grandchildren with pride and joy.

**Melinda Dauer '59** Melinda's family is still increasing. They have (God bless them all) 25 grandchildren. Their son is a doctor and professional musician. Their four sons-in-law are all rabbis. Rabbi Shmueli has a Chabad of Burbank Shul and pre-school.

Melinda's other sons-in-law are in real estate and finance. Two of her daughters are speech therapists. Melinda is a psychotherapist with her doctorate and an art therapist. Her husband is in internal medicine. They are Orthodox Jews and keep Shabbos, Kosher, and Mikveh and live in Beverly Hills. All their children and grandchildren live near them. They feel blessed by G-d and are going to Israel with the entire family for Passover. She sends blessings to all.

**Donald Greenspan '59** Donald is a CPA and has been practicing in the Las Vegas area for the last 18 years. His music and singing is still done on occasion.

**Michael Mehren '59** Michael has retired as Professor Emeritus from Gonzaga University. He continues to hunt and fish during every waking moment.

**Howard Rosen '59** Howard and his wife, Carol Davis (Hamilton '63), are enjoying home, family, friends, travel, and fly-fishing. They have two grandsons (and are hoping for more!) 2011 will see them in Argentina, Spain, France and Berlin. He co-chairs their reunion committee and looks forward to seeing lots of classmates at their next get-together in April 2013.

**Robert Schirn '59** Robert is still employed by the Los Angeles District Attorney's Office after 43 years, but now in a part-time capacity. His hobby is lecturing on cruise ships about the famous cases handled by the office.

**Gayle Erasmus Schuster '59** Gayle graduated with a BA in English from San Jose State College, and received MLS from C.W. Post

in New York. She worked as a Media Specialist in New Jersey, and is now retired and living in Pennsylvania. While at BHHS she wrote a story about US military adoptions of Korean children, and resolved to someday adopt a child

from Korea herself. Her daughter, Nicolle Song, is an artist and has now an adopted child of her own, Li Li, from China. Gayle's husband, Richard, worked 35 years for the Wall Street Journal. Their son, Evan, resides in Florida where he has opened several certified nurse's aid training centers. Gayle has taken up the hobby of rug hooking, and is a member of her local library board that is currently involved in building a library in Milford, PA.

**Lynn Alexander Tobias '59** Lynn is living in Marina del Rey with her husband, Bob. They have been married for 46 years and have three grandchildren.

**Leona Walden '59** Leona's year has been great. Each week she spends three days with her first grandson, now just over a year old. Her daughter and her family live in Napa, three hours away from Leona's home in Mendocino. She has taken three wonderful trips: to Egypt, Israel and Jordan; to Paris; and to Puerto Vallarta. She also continues to help out several local non-profits.

**Gloria Rosenberg Young '59** Gloria retired in 2006 from Beverly Hills school after 24 years. She is enjoying travel, classic car shows and traveling with her boyfriend of 11 years. They are both widowed. She's also busy with charity and temple functions and loves working on high school class reunions and decorating the events. She loves seeing her classmates and staying in touch. Gloria is looking forward to the next reunion.

## 1960

**Terry Leonard Friedlander '60** Terry says he's another old hippie from the sixties and is known to his peers as the "Survivor" (having nothing to do with the reality TV show.) After high school graduation he attended several colleges. The heavily female student body at UCSB, hoop practice, and other distractions made it difficult for Terry to awaken in time to attend very many classes. Nonetheless, he

did graduate from the University of Redlands. With a major in history and a minor in physical education, he began a high school teaching and coaching career in the Los Angeles. From there he had a vocational and relocation change to the state of Washington where he was the athletic director of the Jewish Community Center for four years. His move to Seattle inspired Terry to create a retail store for professional sports team merchandise. Starting with practically zero dollars, Terry found a financial partner and a location for the new retail store on one of the busiest prostitution corners in the Pacific Northwest. The store prospered and when he sold it 16 years later it had grown to 10 stores. About this time his identity went missing. Inevitably, the earring, motorcycle, and tattoo that followed resulted in withdrawal therapy, stern words from his wife, and a serious mid-life crisis. However, after regaining consciousness (he started cycling), Terry's love for the outdoors led to a move to Ketchum, ID. PicLits.com emerged from a combination of refrigerator poetry, an interesting article in USA Today, some Sun Valley Pale Ale, and a roaring fireplace. Go figure.

**Melanie Nourse Jolly '60** Melanie and her husband, Tom, had a lovely time at her 50th class reunion. They also visited friends and family before returning home in Nevada. Unfortunately, Tom was not well and passed away in September.

**Shelley Fraide Panches '60** Shelley celebrated her 51st anniversary this past February. Their 10 grandchildren have given them 10 great-grandchildren. She still keeps in touch with Melanie (Nourse) Jolly, who lost her husband last year. Shelley really regretted not being able to attend her 50th reunion, but her "Maryland" family came for a visit and she enjoyed meeting her great-grandson, Jack, for the first time. She's looking forward to her granddaughter's wedding this October in Phoenix,



as well as seeing other family members, some of whom she has never met in person—just photos and phone calls.

**Steve Ross '60** Steve is a retired health insurance broker living in San Diego with his wife, Gail. They travel on weekends to their house in Ensenada where they enjoy saltwater sport fishing aboard their yacht “Bad Dog” moored at the resort Marina Coral. Steve’s parents who owned Yorkshire’s on Beverly Drive for over 40 years have both passed away. He recalls the night in June 1960 when he carried out the tradition of tossing a box of Tide into the fountain on Wilshire and Santa Monica Boulevards to the effect of blowing bubbles across Wilshire. That night, he and several classmates, including Steve Gottschalk, were counseled by the BHPD and released to their parents.

**Sally Schiller Slavin '60** Sally married Richard Slavin in 1964. They have been married almost 47 years and have eight grandkids, ages 6 to 15. She works as a landscape designer in the Bay area.

**Stephen Solomon '60** Stephen is alive and living in Orange County, CA. He is married and he and his wife feel fortunate to be well adjusted to married life. He often thinks of BHHS and growing up in Beverly Hills. What a wonderful teenage experience! He was unable to attend his class reunion; however, he would enjoy hearing from any of his classmates at [cssolo@dslextreme.com](mailto:cssolo@dslextreme.com).

**Jeffrey Stevens '60** Jeffrey is now Vice Chairman of the Department of Diagnostic Radiology at Oregon Health and Science University. His son, Jacob, works for the Department of State, currently in Washington, DC with the Internet Freedom Task Force.

**Eric Valentine '60** Eric is a retired Oregon Circuit Judge after 20 years; is a mediator, long distance backpacker; and, photographer. He invites you to visit his website, [www.praisephotography.com](http://www.praisephotography.com).

**Doris Briggs Zimmerman '60** Doris enjoyed her 50th reunion and the trip afterwards to the Hawaiian Islands. She is currently teaching Instrumental Analysis at Thiel College, Greenville, PA. (She had retired.)

**Diane Girdwoyn Caspe '61** Diane feels fortunate to be enjoying life with the awareness of how fragile that feeling can be. She continues working as a psychotherapist/psychoanalyst and teaching/supervising at the Westchester Center for the Study of Psychoanalysis and Psychotherapy. Her family, a husband of 45 years, two grown daughters, and four grandchildren, are well and a source of great pleasure.

**Anne Rosenwald Epstein '61** Anne was busy helping organize her 50th reunion to be held at the UCLA Faculty Center in August. She is sending out an appeal to “lost” classmates to contact her at [awabbit@pacbell.net](mailto:awabbit@pacbell.net).

**Judi Corey Fogelman '61** Judi and Alan have been married 46 years and have two married children, John and James who each have three children. Alan is Chairman of the Department of Medicine at UCLA and Judi is selling real estate.

**Judith Miller Laska '61** Judith is happily living in Playa Vista and Rancho Mirage. She is busy with family, Special Olympics, real estate, and the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary. She and Paul have been married 34 years.

**Patty Meisel Nickoll '61** Patty’s highlight for 2010 was the PGA Tournament at Whistling Straits and the Ryder Cup in Cardiff, Wales. She and John are spending more time in Hawaii and their families are enjoying it with them. The snorkeling in Fiji this year was the best. She is really looking forward to their 50<sup>th</sup> reunion in August.

**Frank Ponder '61** Frank is semi-retired and is spending time with his grandchildren, working on his 50th BHHS reunion; volunteering for various groups; and, in his spare

time he invests in commercial real estate. His wife, Helen, owns Art One Gallery on the 3rd Street Promenade in Santa Monica. Between them they have three daughters and two granddaughters. Their daughter, Michelle Randall, works at Beverly.

**Elizabeth Marley Siegel '61** Elizabeth had to use hiking poles on the snow and ice to steady herself going down the front steps and walking to the car. The snow has finally melted! The only thing that seems to be changing in her life is her age. She still teaches at Quincy College, is married to Tony, and is still living in the same old, small house. She still sings sometimes and her Facebook page is still the most boring one can imagine. One of the few new things that have happened is the bigger part in the school play she got in exchange for doing publicity for the group. Elizabeth has made a little progress in her everyday life as her peas are planted and her tomatoes are seedlings getting ready for late May when they can be planted outside. Unfortunately, she won’t be able to attend her 50th reunion. She’ll miss seeing everyone, but wants everyone to have an extra dessert for her.

**Yvonne Stanley Solomon '61** Yvonne has been happily married to her second husband, Shel, for 25 years. Between them they have five children. Her daughter, Debbie, will be 50 years old in October. Yvonne has two children, ages 22 and 21, and is now a great grandma! Her daughter, Meg, is a business woman and currently single. Her husband’s children are Nancy who is 45 and in the television industry; Scott is 40 and a photographer, and Rick is 50 and raising horses. Yvonne has not missed a reunion yet. She is anticipating seeing everyone for the Big One – the 50th reunion!

**Sherry Berk Tedeschi '61** Sherry’s main occupations in her life are family, current events, politics, language, tap dance and

Afghanistan. She and Bob have been adopting Marines in Afghanistan and are constantly sending letters and packages to their adoptee and his unit. She’s been taking two and a half years of Japanese and feels that one day she will be fluent! She is also still tap dancing even though she can’t figure out how she is still standing. Their three remarkable grandkids are the vivacity of her existence. Is it real? Their 50<sup>th</sup> reunion is looming just around the corner and the committee is trying to work hard to put it together, but the “party animal” in all of them is relentless.

**Valerie Wilding '61** Valerie’s mom, Carolyn Conner Wilding ('33) and she both loved their BHHS years (separately, of course!) It was a great bond.

**Andrew Amerson '62** Andrew attended the University of Michigan and graduated with a BA in History and a commission in the Army Reserve. He was deferred for UCLA Law School ('69) and then served in various places in the U.S. and Viet Nam. After leaving active duty, he joined the California Attorney General’s Office in Los Angeles. He married Susan Ellis (UCLA Law '71) and they had one son, David. He retired from the Army as a full Colonel in '96 and from the Attorney General’s Office in 2000. He moved to Big Bear and became active in church, the American Legion, and a country western band. He continued to play the bagpipes. He passed away in August 2010 at home.

**Larry Calof '62** Larry and his group, Joel Goodman, Mark Greenwold, Bob Pincus, Lowell Orren, Randy Basset and their spouses have planned a reunion in Yosemite this fall. Check out his website at [www.classimages.com](http://www.classimages.com).

**Max Factor III '62** Max has had a largely joyful past five years. He’s had time to enjoy family, spend three or four days a week mediating or arbitrating business disputes, one day a week teaching conflict resolution at Pepperdine’s Straus

Institute, and writing. Evenings are crowded with three wonderful book clubs, reading student papers, and becoming increasingly serious about creating some useful written materials on resolving business, professional and personal disputes. His mother and father passed away, and still remain very much in his thoughts and heart. He's learning their wise, gentle ways.

**Gayle B. Fenton '62** Gayle and Bruce have been married 45 years and now have a three and a half year old grandson, Isadore Jacob Fenton Curry. His presence in their lives keeps Gayle working in higher education to make education better for all children. She is now Senior Director of Advising at California State University Long Beach where over 50% of the incoming freshmen are under prepared and need remedial English and Math courses. These challenges keep her working long after many of her colleagues have retired. She owes her love of learning and exploration to the years she spent at Beverly Vista and BHHS.

**Ingrid Staal Glancy '62** Ingrid can't believe it will be 50 years in 2012! She is looking forward to her reunion. She is still involved in real estate and volunteers at NAR. She still loves Denver where her five grandchildren live. Passions at her age are grandkids, Denver Art Museum, travel, plays, food and wine!

**Tom Hoffman '62** Tom is still living in Palo Alto and continues to practice dermatology in Menlo Park as well as continuing to teach at Stanford as a Clinical Professor of Dermatology. He is immediate past president of the Pacific Dermatologic Association and serves on the board of directors of the California Society of Dermatology and Dermatologic Surgery. His wife, Linda, to whom he was married for 30 years, passed away in March. He remains close to his two sons; David, who works for MTV in San Francisco, and Jay, who works in the film industry and

is residing in Beverly Hills. Tom plans to travel to Seoul, Korea in May 2011 where he will participate in a meeting of the World Congress of Dermatology.

**Margaret Phillips '62** Margaret is still happily living in Palo Alto, CA. She practices psychiatry in a part-time private practice and enjoys her work. Her one child is an adult woman of whom she is very proud. She is a professor of modern history at Vanderbilt University and her husband teaches there also. Margaret occasionally travels to L.A. where some relatives reside. Both BHHS and UCLA somehow look quite different from the "old days." She is thankful to both institutions for providing the beginnings of her love of education.

**Cheryl Segalove Priven '62** Cheryl continues to volunteer at the Beverly Hills Library bookstore and has enjoyed the experience for about 22 years. She also tends to her 35 or more rose bushes which constantly reward her with beautiful blooms. Her husband, Alan, and she keep in touch by e-mail with Martha Epstein Gude (now living in Maryland), and Barbara Einecke Grabyan in Northern California. Cheryl has a 17 year old Maltese, Kippie, who keeps them busy.

**Rich Reinis '62** Rich is helping in the planning of a 50th reunion for May or August 2012 for the class of '62. Please send all contact information to rreinis@steptoe.com. Also, check out Facebook page "Beverly Hills High School '62 - 50th Reunion."

**Sharon Samuel '62** Sharon is an artist living in Santa Fe, NM and affiliated with the A.G. Royce Gallery. Her daughter, Jennifer, is a psychiatrist, a Harvard graduate and living in Boston with her husband, also a medical doctor. They have two children, Noah (7), and Sara (6). Sharon's younger daughter, Broch, lives in Seattle and is a film maker and film festival producer.

**Eleanor Buckman Weinstein '62** Eleanor is looking forward

to seeing as many classmates as possible at her 50th reunion in 2012.

**Julie Freeman and Fred Crandall '63** Julie and Fred have lived in Glencoe, IL (a suburb of Chicago) for the past 28 years. Fred retired in 2010 as a management consultant and continues to consult part time, and teaches at Northwestern University. Julie had a career as a teacher, caterer, and a party planner/calligrapher. Their daughter, Suzanne, and her husband have a two year old son, Zachary. Their son, Michael, and his wife just celebrated their first year of marriage. Julie and Fred come to California frequently to see her mom who is 92 and still lives in the house Julie grew up in.

**Gay Hubbard Durward '63** Gay and her husband, Don, are thrilled to have just welcomed their fifth grandchild, a boy! They are enjoying their family so much and also continue to enjoy their work. Don has yet to retire and Gay has just started a new business with her trusty business partner, Jill, with whom Gay creates one-of-a-kind wearable art pieces in free-form crochet. They are known as the "Yarn Whisperers" and can be found at galleries, shops and art fairs. She also continues to sing with Los Cancioneros Master Chorale and perform with the Pennyroyal Players. If your group is looking for a great program, contact her at durwarddag@aol.com Life in Palos Verdes is so wonderful that it probably seems crazy to travel, but they still do and enjoy it immensely. On a sad note, her mother, Rena Hubbard, passed away this year at the age of 97. She taught at Beverly and was beloved by all her students. Gay sends heartfelt thanks to all the former students who paid tribute to her in various ways.

**Jay B. Fineman '63** Jay sold his veterinary practice after 30 years. He is working part time; surfing in Mexico; skiing the Northwest, and bicycling in Oregon and Sweden. This year he and his wife, Ann,

will be married 44 years. Their oldest son, Jonas, just married a beautiful Canadian folksinger. He's a fisherman, boat deliverer and surfer. Lars, their younger son, is studying for a CPA as well as surfing and hiking. Life is good on the upper left coast!

**Carolyn Goren '63** Carolyn is retired from cardiology practice. She enjoys music, birding, travel and Montana.

**Dolores Herne '63** Dolores is an Associate Pastor of a small congregation in Long Island, New York. Their website is www.FountainheadCongregation.net In October 1971, she became a Messianic Jew and has found life rewarding and interesting. She also sings in her congregation and other ministries throughout the year. Her personal email is doloresherne@gmail.com.

**Sherril Jaffe '63** Sherril's latest novel, "Expiration Date", was released in April 2011. She's a tenured professor of creative writing at Sonoma State University but lives in San Francisco. She's been widowed for two years.

**Paula Kaatz '63** Paula is still functional and working as a full-time field representative for her union (Motion Picture Costumers Local 705, IATSE.) She is still taking on personal clients as well, and doing graphic design.

**Lois Meshekow Kalinsky '63** Lois found 2010 fulfilling and very busy. Her daughter, her husband and new son visited from Toronto in January and again in July. She went to see them for a week in April. After having two daughters and two granddaughters, it's wonderful having a grandson. Lois' summer travels with her husband took them to Paris and a cruise with stops on the French Riviera, Italy, Tunisia, and Spain. They continue to help her mother (95 years old) and they take care of their granddaughters (4 and 2 years old) four days a week. She enjoys seeing them grow and learn even though it's tiring; it's still lots of fun.

**Bill Linsman '63** Bill had a 30-year career as an international television commercial director with Procter and Gamble and Honda as his main clients. Now in his fifth year back in California from New England and the U.K., he continues to run the Boston University in Los Angeles Internship Program. The program allows college students interested in the entertainment industry to live in Los Angeles for a semester, work at internships in the daytime and take classes at night. Bill is married to the writer Paula Panich and lives near Larchmont Village in Windsor Square. They have three daughters and four grandchildren.

**Ira Nepus '63** Ira toured last year with T-Bone Burnett's "Speaking Clock Revue" which included Elton John, Leon Russell, Jeff Bridges, Elvis Costello, and Gregg Allman. He co-produced the 10th Annual Salt Lake City Instrumental Jazz Festival. He also toured with Clayton-Hamilton Jazz Orchestra in Europe and last summer's Playboy Jazz Festival. He is currently performing and recording on episodes of Family Guy, The Cleveland Show, and American Dad.

**Leon Owens '63** Leon reports that he is now on Medicare but not ready to leave. His family is fine and classmates great! The best is yet to come.

**Jane Lipson Stiglitz '63** Jane still lives in Beverly Hills albeit on the east side now. She has graduated into the Medicare set and will be attending her class reunion which celebrates their collectively turning 65. Her greatest accomplishment is raising a son who is a contributing member of the community and a happy camper!

**Robert Whittaker '63** Robert is retired and traveling and photographing the world.

**Michael Dellar '64** Michael is a restaurateur and makes Stardust Cabernet Sauvignon from his vineyard in Napa Valley. He has opened his first Los Angeles

Restaurant, Moreton Fig, on campus at USC to go with his 11 others in the Lark Creek Restaurant Group. Fellow Normans are always treated with special care. He can be reached at [www.larkcreek.com](http://www.larkcreek.com).

**Elaine Liberman Doran '64** Elaine finds life good for her husband Richard, herself and their black lab, Lucca. She is President/Owner of her public relations firm, working with non-profits, corporations and PBS Series raising funds and awareness. She keeps busy with friends, family, travel and her husband's art gallery in NoHo. She always has fond high school memories.

**Barbara Witlin and Kim Guggenheim '64** Barbara and Kim celebrated their 35th anniversary last summer with a trip to Hawaii, the big island where they like to scuba dive and relax. They welcomed their first grandchild too: Elle Marina Guggenheim born April 9, 2010 to their older son and wife. Their younger son just became engaged so their family is expanding and being with all of them brings Barbara and Kim lots of pleasure and many activities. They all live within 20 minutes of them and they feel blessed to have them so close. Kim is still practicing music law in Century City and Barbara is still practicing clinical psychology in Brentwood. They still see Beverly friends frequently.

**Marcy Milan '64** Marcy is still living in Tarzana. She owns a systems integration company with her two sons, Scott and David. Both her sons are married and between them they have given her four wonderful grandchildren, ages 14, 9, 5, and 5 months. She has never relocated so she has been fortunate to maintain the friendships she had at both Beverly Vista and BHHS. She loves to travel and feels fortunate that she is able to do so. Between work, her sons and her grandchildren, life is never dull.

**Marty Nislick '64** Marty sends congratulations to the class of

'64 as they are in their Medicare year and there's still money in the fund. He is starting his 22nd year as Executive Director of the Water Buffalo Club, a men's charity that supports needy kids in L.A. Their motto is: Big Kids Helping Little Kids. His 50th is not so far away, so please keep in touch and stay well. He can be reached at [mrmartyn@aol.com](mailto:mrmartyn@aol.com)

**William Schreiber '64** William is practicing as CPA (sole practitioner) in Encino. He welcomed his second grandchild (both boys) in 2011.

**William Switzky '64** William and Angela are retired and living at the beach. They have two daughters, two sons-in-law, and four grandchildren ranging in age from 2 years to 9 years.

**Daniel H. Yergin '64** Daniel is rushing to finish his new book on energy, "The Quest," the successor to "The Prize." Classmate Jim Wiatt was instrumental in encouraging Daniel to take on this big challenge. It's even more challenging now because the world does not stand still. Look for "The Quest" in September.

**Harry S. Lew '65** Harry finds life is wonderful (when retired.)

**Rosalyn Zakheim '65** Rosalyn retired three years ago as an appellate lawyer.

**Shari Arnold Brooks '66** Shari and Jeff celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary in April. Jeff has his CPA practice and Shari still manages a Phoenix law firm. They enjoy their Prescott, AZ vacation home as time permits. Their daughter is a middle school teacher in Phoenix. She and Jeff have six rescue dogs, one of whom is a certified therapy dog. Shari is an avid Mah Jongg player.

**Patty Brown Myers '66** Patty has been happily married 41 years; has three children and five grandchildren, one of which is in high school.

**Anne Wentz Richert '66** Anne says BHHS is truly her alma mater. She attended Beverly Vista (K through 8), then on to

BHHS. Unfortunately, her dad, City Manager of Beverly Hills, accepted an offer in Riverside in her junior year and she and her siblings were uprooted. Luckily, she was asked and attended the junior prom, senior prom and grad night at BHHS, and continues to enjoy their reunions.

**Joan Sarnat '66** Joan continues to practice, teach and write as a psychoanalyst. David Hoffman, her husband, continues as a Consulting Research Professor of Mathematics at Stanford. Their older son, Jascha Hoffman, is a journalist and musician in San Francisco ([www.jaschahoffman.com](http://www.jaschahoffman.com)) and their younger son, Michael Hoffman, is married and living in Pittsburgh. He just left a philosophy PhD program to explore the world of computers and Internet startups. They are all healthy and very grateful to be so.

**Brian Bryan '67** Brian reports that Albert Goodman ('68) and wife Karen met with him and made the scene at the Final Four in Houston where cigars and martinis were enjoyed. Go Normans!

**Mark Cohen '67** Mark has been a risk management consultant for the corporate office of Sutter Health in Northern California for the past 16 years. He has been married 33 years and has two daughters, both living in Israel. He still skis, bikes, backpacks, and has a stock photography business, [www.markcohenphotography.com](http://www.markcohenphotography.com). He lives in Folsom just east of Sacramento.

**Frieda Gordon '67** Frieda's business (Cooper-Gordon LLP) has expanded to nine members and is still focusing on family law, probate, trusts, and estates. Her daughter Julie's design firm is doing well ([www.cri-de-coeur.com](http://www.cri-de-coeur.com)) and her other daughter, Laura, is back to school to train as a nutritional consultant while caring for her daughter Zoe who is four years old. Frieda and her husband, Avery, had a fabulous visit to the North and East of Spain and plan a return trip next year. They celebrated their

15th wedding anniversary last year. They just rescued a beautiful yellow lab puppy they named Mickey, and while he is loving and adorable, he is also a lot of work!

**Camille Caggiano Greenspan '67** Camille says life is good! She enjoys being a grandmother of two young boys who keep her going as they live close by and are always over. She is still working part-time at her husband's office. They love to travel and are planning a cruise to the Galapagos and a visit to Machu Pichu. She also loves to entertain and garden.

**Peter Hahn '67** Peter is a lifer at the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, practicing radiology.

**John Orton '67** John was rewarded very well by meeting up with fellow classmates through [www.classmates.com](http://www.classmates.com). He enjoyed very much the 60th birthday celebration for his class of '67 held in Beverly Hills in 2009. In 2010 he retired and moved to Texas and also married. He still consults with the aerospace industry and enjoys Texas. His wife, Karen, and he tour the state every weekend possible on the motorcycle. He's looking forward to the 50th reunion.

**Sherry Tamkin Catlett '68** Sherry has lived in Northern California for 35 years, but visiting with 10 of her classmates in December at a 60th birthday party, she had an epiphany! It was time to "go home," and she is moving back before October this year!

**Geri-Ann Galanti '68** Geri-Ann recently retired after 30 years of teaching at the CSU. She plans to become a student again, but this time with a small pension.

**Dean Rice '68** Dean still maintains his lifelong love of flying (he remembers getting in trouble in third grade at Beverly Vista for drawing airplane pictures in class) by staying agile enough to maintain his position as airline Captain. When not flying, he retains early loves of tennis and track by playing a pitiful game of tennis and, in a more rewarding fashion, watching

his two sons, Jonathan (21) and Jeremy (18), run both marathons and national track meets. For total relaxation, he sits in his backyard in Louisville, KY with his wife of 38 years, Linda. Whenever he flies into L.A., he always remembers great times: Senior Ditch Day, Senior Prom, Coach Kloes, track meets, the beach, and good friends: Debbie, Clarke, Joey, Noel, and so many others.

**Ruth Bassman Schriebman '68** Ruth has been meeting up with old friends. She is presently working on a doctorate in psychology, and has a private practice in Redondo Beach.

**Michael Barclay '69** Michael retired from the practice of law after 30 years. He is doing some volunteer work for the Electronic Frontier Foundation in San Francisco and is spending time on a number of hobbies.

**Marnee Phillips Foldoe '69** Marnee has been living on five acres in NW Washington for over seven years with Lou, her husband of 24 years. They adopted a long-hair Chihuahua two years ago. They have a flock of chickens, one rooster and seven hens, three of which she hand-raised. She enjoys very part time work serving samples at the Sequim Costco. Marnee is still in contact with Lynn (Mayer) Smith and Linda Glasser. A few months ago, Siri Sat (Judy) Strauss, her friend from second grade at Beverly Vista, and she reconnected after many years. **Melanie Nourse Jolly '60** Melanie and Tom visited her kids, Marie, Sharla, Russell, and Jeanette. She is still writing a cookbook and might add stories about the residents of Round Mountain, NV, a rural area of central Nevada and their gold mine. She had a great experience seeing everyone at her 50th BHHS reunion and had a wonderful time. She sends thanks for the memories and is looking forward to the next reunion.

**Marc Russell '69** Marc has been carving out a career as an occasional amateur singer and

doing administrative work for an escrow company in Beverly Hills. At this firm he encountered a teacher from BHHS whom he hasn't seen in 41 years!

**Lynn Mayer Smith '69** Lynn enjoyed seeing and reconnecting with former classmates at her 40th reunion and was saddened by the passing of many.

## 1970

**Daniel Fried '70** Daniel is still at the State Department in Washington.

**Gib Johnson '70** Gib had a wonderful time at his class of 1970 reunion and thanks all the organizers.

**Sandra Jones '70** Sandra attended her 40th reunion and is thankful to all those who made the event such a success and hopes there will be a 45th.

**Marcy Barbanell Landres '70** Marcy enjoyed her 40th reunion. Working on the reunion was as much fun as attending the actual party, and she is looking forward to the 45th!

**Pat Driscoll Myers '70** Pat is still working as an ombudsman for the Department of Education. Her oldest daughter, Sarah, was accepted at Columbia University and will begin graduate study this fall. She will be studying French. She just returned from living in France which she enjoyed very much. Her youngest daughter, Isabella, is studying graphic design at the Art Institute in Chicago and loves it there. Pat has been in a committed relationship for three years. She is very active at a local health club where she swims and practices yoga four times a week. Her email address is [patmeyers1@gmail.com](mailto:patmeyers1@gmail.com).

**Charles Rosin '70** Charles' daughter, Lindsey, married Josh Passman; daughter, Maxine, the University of Pennsylvania; and, he and Karen celebrated their 33rd wedding anniversary this summer. Check his website (created with his daughter Lindsey) [www.showbizzle.com](http://www.showbizzle.com). In the works is

a cool, new mobile "app" coming soon to a Smartphone near you!

**Debi Lindemann Snyder '70** Debi was sorry to have missed the 40th reunion in October and enjoys reading the Highlights. In 2006 she had a massive brain hemorrhage that was so powerful that it resulted in a stroke and left her paralyzed on the left side. She was in a coma and life support for three weeks and not expected to survive; however, she is working hard to recover and would love to talk to Scott Chandler who is now a professor in Neuro-science at UCLA. She would also appreciate talking to anyone who can help with ideas of therapy. She has lived in the same house and has the same phone number since 1985. Her mother, Betty Jo Newton Lindemann, class of '39, passed away due to cancer and her brother, James Lindemann, class of '66, also passed away from a brain hemorrhage.

**Marcy Frazen Toschi '70** Marcy taught middle and high school in California for 35 years, including work as a literacy coach for the last eight years. She retired from LAUSD in 2009 and has been a copy editor and part time writer for Auto Restorer Magazine, and Motorcycle Consumer News. She now enjoys background work in television. Her son, Matthew, works at Disney World in Entertainment, attended ASU in Computer Science and is currently engaged.

**Dianna Hyman Weiner '70** Dianna worked with about 15 fellow classmates this past year planning and executing their 40th high school reunion. They met once a month and had a great time reuniting and planning a fabulous reunion on October 30, 2010. About 250 classmates attended. This year her husband, Victor Weiner ('67) and she will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary. They are very lucky to still be in love, and are so very happy because their daughter Alexandra ('01) just got engaged to a wonderful guy.

**Scott Broffman '71** Scott is still

doing the same work – negligence claims and tenants' rights. He is amazed that there are still landlords who take advantage of tenants, and feels it is a sign of our times that no one wants to take responsibility for negligent behavior.

**Betsy Gindi Timsit '71** Betsy is the proud grandmother of four, two who live in Los Angeles and two live in New York. She and Simon Timsit are happily married.

**Lisa Golden '71** Lisa has changed her name twice since high school, lives in Northern California in a town whose name means "the leftovers," is single after 23 years of domestic partnership, and works for a nonprofit that fights poverty. In her spare time, she plays guitar and percussion and takes long hikes. She aspires to have tea with Ursula LeGuin, Joni Mitchell, and Bernice Johnson Reagon, though not necessarily at the same time.

**James Lane '71** James' second career as an emerging artist in Los Angeles is beginning to take off. He may have to consider retiring from his first career. He's just sorry that he didn't take advantage of the great art classes at BHHS.

**Eileen Tomson '71** Eileen has a BFA in Illustration and is a graphic designer for Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Medical Center special events, fine stationery, and her website is [www.eileentomson.com](http://www.eileentomson.com). Her daughter, Nicole, attends Bard College in Annandale-on-Hudson, NY. Her father is David Maron class of '72.

**Morley Feinstein '72** Morley is the Rabbi at University Synagogue in Brentwood. He was named Senior Rabbinic Fellow of the Shalom Hartman Institute in Jerusalem. He loves performing bar and bat mitzvah services for children of BHHS grads!

**Gina Gilbert Moffitt '72** Gina's three children have all graduated from BHHS: Emily and Julia ('00) and Evan ('10). They have gone on to earn degrees from UCSB, UCLA and Harvard, and Evan is now at UCLA. Emily is getting

married in July. Gina's architectural practice is in its 24th year, and she is celebrating her 32nd wedding anniversary. She is very happy to hang out with her Beverly buddies (Megan and Diane) and asks that eternal questions: "Where did the time go?"

**Diane Murray '72** Diane retired from nearly 30 years in advertising. She is currently spending the bulk of her time as director of Friends of Shamwari, a non-profit organization founded by her partner of three years which is dedicated to providing aid to the forgotten people of Zimbabwe. Her children are all grown up and happily pursuing their own passions, Sarah (25) and Mikey (nearly 21). Diane lives close enough to hear the BHHS fight song during football season!

**Jann VanHeuver '72** Jann has lived in San Francisco since '87. She is a mortgage banker with Princeton Capital affiliated with Coldwell Banker. She never married but has had a wonderful boyfriend for many years. They have traveled extensively and are looking forward to visiting Sicily and the Amalfi Coast this year. She's not getting any younger, but is having a great time!

**David Berkowitz '73** David is married, works as an actuary in Cedar Rapids, and lives in Marion, IA. His spare time activities include chess and giving speeches at Toastmasters.

**Clifford J. Cutler '73** Clifford has been married 28 years. He has a son, Geoff (22), and a daughter, Ryan (11). He is still friends with Mark Silverstein and Mark Ukra.

**Lisa Feintech '73** Lisa is continuing in life's adventures, always learning, always doing something new, tackling new challenges including snails and third world medicine. She hopes her classmates are well.

**Jonathan Ganz '73** Jonathan holds a US Coast Guard Merchant Marine Officer license and teaches sailing on the San Francisco Bay

on his boat and at various sailing schools in the area. His website is [www.sailnow.com](http://www.sailnow.com) and he's happy to give a discount to BHHS alumni for lessons and charters. He is married to Catherine Dee, an author of self-esteem books and kits for teen girls [www.empowergirls.com](http://www.empowergirls.com).

**Jeff Levine '73** Jeff is currently the Vice-Chair of the Beverly Hills Traffic and Parking Commission, a member of the Beverly Hills Police Department's D.C.S., and contributes to community service in many other ways.

**Sheldon Linker '73** Sheldon has been doing computer consulting since '78. After years of fixing problems, he hopes to get a job teaching so he can help people avoid problems in the first place. To that end he has just received his Ph. D. from Auburn University. He and his wife live in Irvine with three daughters and too many cats.

**Diana Berman Murphy '73** Diana and her husband are busy with their four sons. This summer they went to Chicago to visit family. The children are always busy with sports and are active in school. Diana is busy with art, swimming and tennis. As her children are in high school, she always thinks fondly of BHHS.

**Rena Freeman Roseman '73** Rena is enjoying life on the East Coast, although they avoided much of last winter in California, both Southern and Northern! They are going to visit Italy again this year and are looking forward to that. Coincidentally, she met two BHHS alums last year in the Washington area and has become friendly with them. They have fun exchanging stories of teachers from years gone by.

**Helen Starlight (formerly Sternlight) '73** Helen is now legally known as Helen Starlight. She has two daughters, Natalie and Naomi. Natalie is studying for her Masters at Harvard Kennedy School, and Naomi is a production assistant at Fox Studios in Los Angeles. Helen is a personal assistant for a well-known celebrity economist. She

can be found on Facebook.

**Scott Thayer '73** Scott and his wife Nena have been married 29 years and live just outside Washington, DC. He formally retired at the end of 2007 after more than 27 years in the Foreign Service, but has continued with a variety of special projects for the State Department that has taken him to Kosovo, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Iraq, and Afghanistan. Their son and daughter are grown and pursuing their careers in Hollywood and Upstate New York. When not on the road he enjoys golf, bridge, looking after his koi and water lily ponds, and following his BHHS classmates' adventures on Facebook!

**Andrew Frank '74** Andrew says 40 years is coming up soon. Impossible!

**Deborah Fried '74** Deborah is perpetually missing California and is about to be an empty nester. If any of the class of '74 (or thereabouts) are back East, please be in touch. She can be reached at [Deborah.fried@yale.edu](mailto:Deborah.fried@yale.edu).

**Leonard Mermel '74** Leonard was an invited lecturer at a NASA workshop, Johnson Space Center, Houston, TX. His lecture was entitled "Infection Control Challenges in Space Travel." He is a professor of medicine at Brown Medical School in Rhode Island.

**Leslie Simmons Potts '74** Leslie is happily residing in the mountains of Santa Monica with her husband of 29 years. She is a semi-retired costume designer with two wonderful children, both college graduates.

**Mariel Augusto Rubin '74** Mariel has moved from the Ft. Lauderdale area to North Tampa and finds it beautiful there with less congestion and friendlier people. She enjoys and loves going to the Gulf beaches in Clearwater where she can relax and be at peace with her significant other. They are blessed to have clean beaches – no BP pollution!

**Mason Sommers '74** Mason is a licensed clinical psychologist in private practice for 32 years.

He recently had a heart transplant and was humbled by the amazing response of so many alums who came to his aid. His son, Ben is going to be a junior at BHHS and is a starting Varsity pitcher and third baseman.

**Robert Winters '74** Robert is married with two children, ages 9 and 13, and continues to practice medicine in Santa Monica. With a busy home and professional life he looks forward to upcoming vacations and retirement in 2030.

**Peter Brown '75** Peter reports that 2011 is a year of big change for him. He is changing industries, combining one of his biggest hobbies with his greatest talent. He is now Vice President of Sales for Lamkin Golf Grips. As an avid golfer what better way to go. He can combine golf with sales and feels he has hit the jackpot career-wise.

**David Gross '75** David lives in Santa Monica where he publishes the website, [moviereviewintelligence.com](http://moviereviewintelligence.com). He enjoys seeing old friends around town, including his 8th grade All-Star Basketball teammates. Before returning to Los Angeles in the early 90's, he attended Brown University and then lived in New York City and London working for the studios in movie marketing.

**Gwen Sawyer Cobine '75** Gwen's son, Danny, turned 18 and is graduating high school this year. He will be attending the University of New Mexico in the fall. Her daughter, Priscilla, started high school this year. She attended and graduated from the Barbizon School of Modeling. Gwen is looking for her to be an extra in films and television and to model petite clothes.

**Bruce Soll '75** Bruce married Joy Blumstein Soll class of '75.

**Cheryl Factor-Baer '76** Cheryl is happily living in Los Angeles and has three children: twins who are freshmen in college, a senior in high school and two dogs.

**Halle Boyar Fetty '76** Halle and

her husband, George, continue to sell and service American motorcycles at their shop in Indio as they have for eight years! They will celebrate their 16th anniversary this June. Their son, Andrew, finally got that golden "3rd voucher," and is now a member of both SAG and AFTRA and hopefully is on his way to his first speaking part. Their daughter, Lexie, will spend her last summer as a Colorguard member of the 14 time World Champion Blue Devils Drum & Bugle Corps traveling and competing across the US with hopes of coming home with her 4th World Champion ring. She'll go back to coaching three different Colorguards while attending CSU Fullerton in the fall. Oh, no! Halle fears she is sounding like those people who write those awful Holiday Newsletters as she is bragging about her kids! She can be reached at [halle@valleyvtwin.com](mailto:halle@valleyvtwin.com).

**Marla Paillet '76** Marla's children (all graduates of BHHS) make her the proudest mom in the world! Her oldest daughter, Brianca Climons ('01), graduates with her Masters of Arts Degree in Integrated Marketing Communications from Emerson College in Boston May 2011. Her son, Michael Harding ('07), attends the University of Houston and was just elected President of the Student Body. Her youngest daughter, Morgan Harding ('09), will begin her junior year at the University of Colorado Boulder where she is excelling in the kinesiology program. As for Marla, she is happy to finally be recovering from the economic hit of 2008. Being unemployed for almost three years is a humbling experience, especially being single with three kids in college. But she says: I will survive!

**Tobey Cotsen Victor '76** Tobey went to Italy with Joanna Stingray ('78) and their families last June. She also went to India on a photographic trip in November without kids. Wow, that's a method of travel that she had all but forgotten! It was

a great trip. Her boys are in 9th grade at Harvard Westlake and her daughter is in the 8th.

**Tracy Baum '77** Tracy is Executive Director of The Guardians of the Jewish Home for the Aging after 26 years in the field of philanthropy. He is a single father of two miracles, his sons, ages seven and four.

**Richard D. David '77** Richard is in medical practice in Encino, CA as a urologist. He is married to Glenda and has three children and one step-child. His two sons graduated BHHS; daughter, Lauren, attends Archer School for Girls, and his step-daughter, Emma, is in the third grade at Hawthorne.

**Sonia von Matt Stoddard '77** Sonia is principal of Stoddard & Associates, a lease finance brokerage firm. Last year, she was elected President of her professional organization, the National Association of Equipment Leasing Brokers. She is one of only 22 brokers to take and pass the NAELB ethics exam and earn the certification of Best Practices Broker. At present, she is the senior editor of Leasing Logic; a columnist for the Tahoe Daily Tribune; and a book reviewer for Awareness Magazine, Whole Life Times, and Health Beginnings. She is also the owner of FitnessWitch Botanicals. Sonia has been married to her husband, Scott, for 25 years and they divide their time between Mar Vista and Lake Tahoe. They both enjoy hiking, kayaking, skiing, gardening, cooking, and reading. She can be reached at [lease@stoddardassociates.com](mailto:lease@stoddardassociates.com).

**Lisa Field '78** Lisa has a new rescue dog named Annie; is on the Board of Overseers of L.A. Philharmonic and is planning an African safari this fall.

**Jeff Glickman '78** Jeff is still a Rabbi at a small congregation in Connecticut. Last week he cut and split firewood from fallen trees to last a couple of winters. It is much more fun than it sounds.

**Rosemary Hilb '78** Rosemary recently completed a Genealogical

Research Certificate Program with Boston University. She is beginning a new career in geneology; performing research for clients, including large and small projects. It is said that family history research is the second largest hobby. Please contact Rosemary who lives in Beverly Hills with her daughter, Cassandra, who is currently a senior at BHHS by e-mail at [rsmy@aol.com](mailto:rsmy@aol.com).

**Mike Richman '78** Mike lives in the SF Bay Area and is continually entertained by his three teenagers. They ensure that no two days are the same! He works as a Services Software Architect for CA Technologies (basically, he has a great time working with his customers while playing with software.) When he's not swim racing in the Bay, he's sailing or hiking or being a weekend warrior by working around his house.

**Reuven Sison '78** Reuven is married, has three kids and works in Palm Springs. He is trained in family medicine, works in dermatology, and lives in Los Angeles.

**Jay Greenstein '79** Jay lives in Pico/Robertson with his wife, Pam, son, Jeremy, and daughter, Emily. He is currently the Transportation and Senior Field Deputy for Los Angeles City Councilmember Paul Koretz.

**Carl Marer '79** Carl's wife, Betty, passed away of melanoma cancer in May of 2010. They had been married 22 years and she left behind Carl and three daughters: Ashley, 22, Nicole, 18, and Madison, 14. He still lives and runs his property management business in Calabasas. He has learned how hard it is and fun, too, to be both mom and dad of the house. He can be reached via email at [headbuttu@aol.com](mailto:headbuttu@aol.com).

**Gina Mendello '79** Gina is an artist manager whose clients include Australian virtuoso guitarist Tommy Emmanuel who tours world-wide. She spent 10 years in Australia from '89 to '99 working in film production and

seven years as a label manager at Sony Music Australia.

**Mark Perlberger '79** Mark says all is well. His two daughters are ages 9 and 13. His father took them all to Europe last August. It was a great experience. He finds real estate hard these days.

## 1980

**Laura Selwyn Wyatt '80** Laura was happy to see many of you at the 30 year reunion and wished more had come. George M., Steve C., Karen B., Marc B., Linda G., please contact her. She would love to catch up with you and can be reached at laurawyatt@cox.net. She lives in Santa Barbara and is having a wonderful time. She has a 14-year-old son who loves all sports and ready to start high school, so she is about to relive her high school experience all over again!

**Ellen Moshein Federoff '81** Ellen loves island life on Maui with her husband and dogs. She races outrigger canoes and loves to paddle between islands. On Maui they work to live, and she mostly lives on the ocean.

**Wendy Kapstrom Hodash '81** Wendy and her family continue to live and thrive in the Central Valley. Her husband, Bob, and she continue to teach in urban schools with children who come from low-socioeconomic backgrounds. Wendy teaches kindergarten and she can't imagine doing anything else. She loves it, and it is both fun and grueling, and did she mention she loves it? She and Bob have two wonderful kids: Liam (16) and Jeniann (14). Parenting two teenagers can be fun and challenging, but once again, she loves it. They are an active family who enjoy skiing, snorkeling, swimming, traveling, biking and ATV riding.

**Audrey Israel '81** Audrey just celebrated her 20th wedding anniversary to the love of her life, William Freeman. They have three wonderful boys ages 15 and younger. Like all parents, their

days are very full of activities, meals, school projects and lots of love. They also have two Labrador retrievers. Audrey is an attorney, balancing career and family on a daily basis.

**Todd Elliot '82** Todd has been married four years and has a beautiful two year old daughter. He has his own music, entertainment, event/wedding planning, and dance company in Los Angeles. His full service company provides any and all types of vendors, catering, rentals and unique specialty requests for any occasion. Check out his website for more information: www.swingentertainment.net.

**Eric Fine '82** Eric is currently the Treasurer of the Culver City Democratic Club.

**Jennifer Terell '82** Jennifer has been in the pharmaceutical industry for 25 years. She is married to Mitch Schwartz and has two boys ages 16 and 11. Her older son attends BHHS and her younger one goes to Beverly Vista. She is active with PTA in the district.

**Lesley Goldberg '83** Lesley is a former UCLA gymnast. She has been the owner of At Your Side Private Exercise Studio in Beverly Hills since 1989. She lives with husband, David Schiffman, and daughter, Reese, in Hancock Park. Her parents, Ira and Linda, are still living in Beverly Hills.

**Natalie Weiss '83** Natalie has been married to Aaron Willis for nearly 20 years. They have four terrific children: Eliana, a senior at Shalhevet High School; Tamar, a freshman at Shalhevet; Boaz, a 7th grader at Pressman Academy; and, Nomi, a 4th grader at Pressman. She is Director of Admissions at Shalhevet and previously was Admissions Director at Pressman Academy of Temple Beth Am. In 2008-'09 she lived with her children for 10 months in Ra'anana, Israel. For many years she taught the Bradley Method of Natural Childbirth and recently began making jewelry. She is still in touch with many friends from BHHS and

goes to the girls' volleyball games because Natalie's sister, Marla Weiss ('81) coaches the team! They also enjoy seeing the BHHS musical every year. Go Beverly!

**Joann Song Zwagerman '83** Joann and her family moved to Radnor, PA last year. It has been an interesting experience. She went to architectural school in NYC, but never thought she would be living on the East Coast again. Her kids, Colin, 13, and Tyler, 9, really enjoy it there. The school system is excellent and has the same feel as Beverly Hills. She misses her friends and family, but life there is nice. Every day it seems the scenery changes. It's quite beautiful. She is still an insurance broker and has maintained her clients on the West Coast despite her move. Her husband, Mark, was transferred by his firm Kling Stubbins to Philadelphia. His expertise is hospitality. They travel to New York City about once a month and are really thrilled that their children can absorb all this rich culture. They have buildings there from 1702 and she finds it pretty amazing.

**Robert Bauer '84** Robert attended the University of Colorado and USC. He is currently living in the Hollywood Hills with his wife, Stacy and their two children, Nathan, 10 and Talia, 7. He is on the board of directors of Project Angel Food and is Director/Partner of Goldberg & Solovy Foods.

**Jolie Wolf Jashni '84** Jolie has had a long-held dream come true this year. They bought the house in Beverly Hills that she lived in and which her parents sold more than 20 years ago! Her husband, Jon, knocked on the front door for their first date. Full circle! They are actively restoring and renovating it and hope to move in soon. Their son, Jake, is a sophomore and their daughter, Juliet, is in the fifth grade.

**Carrie Jachnuk Hargraves '84** Carrie has been living in Colorado Springs for nine years. She has

been married to Scott for 10 years and they have a four year old daughter, Amanda Scarlett. Carrie currently teaches private voice lessons. She can be reached at scottcarrie2001@cs.com.

**Andy Shulman '84** Andy is finishing up a 2-year tour in Korea as a Chaplain



in the U.S. Army. His next stop is Grafenwoer, Germany. He is happily married to his wife of 12 years, Lori, and is the proud father of their two daughters, ages 9 and 10. He would love to hear from you at a.shulman@us.army.mil.

**Stacy Yeoman Sinclair '84** Stacy co-authored a new book to be released this spring, "Designing Healthy Communities," published by Wiley Press. She is currently the director of K-12 curriculum for Revolution Prep, creating on-line tutoring solutions for students in language arts and math. Stacy is still racing her sailboat.

**Dana Adler Starr '85** Dana resides in Dallas, TX with her husband and two sons, ages 9 and 12.

**Scott Feder '86** Scott has been married to his wife, Eden, since 2000. They have a son, Jack, who turned 10 this year; and, a daughter, Eva, who turned five this year. Scott's father, Steve, is also a BHHS alum ('62) and currently resides in Beverly Hills. Scott is currently media and entertainment account executive with IBM; maintains close friendships with many friends from Horace Mann and BHHS, and can be found on Facebook!

**Adam Porter '86** Adam is a mediator, attorney, and arbitrator in Beverly Hills.

**Peyman Yadegar '86** Peyman lives in Beverly Hills with his wife and three children. He is the CEO of Empyrean Funding, a mortgage banking firm.

**Rosemary Ringwald '88** Rosemary is Managing Director, See CLASS NOTES, p. 50



Alan Nierob '75 and Jacob Nierob '11. Jacob will be attending the University of Michigan.



From left: Alex Pop '07, Jeff Pop '65, Jackie Pop '11, and Sami Pop '07. Jackie will be attending Skidmore College.

# Graduates join parents, grandparents

Many graduates of the Class of 2011 have parents, grandparents and other relatives who also graduated from Beverly.

At the graduation ceremony in June, several of them posed for pictures with their family members. Graduates with three generations at Beverly appear with their predecessors on page 49, while second-generation grads appear on this page.

More than 30 pictures were submitted; unfortunately, the Alumni Highlights did not have space to run them all.

Are you one of three or more siblings who all graduated from Beverly?

The Alumni Association is updating its records. Send us an email with your name and graduation year at [BHHSALUMNI@yahoo.com](mailto:BHHSALUMNI@yahoo.com).



Josh Newman '11 and Jason Newman '69. Josh will be attending the University of Wisconsin.



Annie Ackerman '11 and Robin Schultz '78. Annie will be attending Chapman University.



Above: Jeff Berris '77, Josh Berris '11, and Lori Hashman Berris '78. Josh will be attending Chapman University.

Right: Firouzeh Neman Kashani '83 and Leora Kashani '11. Leora will be attending Santa Monica College.



Valerie Lehrer '74, Molly Mendelsohn '11, and Hannah Mendelsohn '08. Molly will be attending San Jose State University.





Tracey Fields '05, Lisa Kliman '11, and Pam Marantz '76. Not pictured: Toby Klasser Rothman '55. Lisa will be attending the University of Oregon.



Cindy Zimmerman Dubin '80, Josh Dubin '11, and Marlene Sudmin Zimmerman '50. Josh will be attending Stanford University.



Michael Levi '77, Rachel Levi '11, and Ursula Feldberg Levi '51. Rachel will be attending Scripps College.

# Three generations

Members of the Class of 2011 who appear on this page have parents and grandparents who also graduated from Beverly Hills High School.

They are shown here in pictures taken after the graduation ceremony in June.

*Photos by Vivian Killilea  
Courtesy of Beverly Hills Weekly*



Antonia Shaw '06, Cassandra Shaw '11, and Rosemary Hilb '78. Not pictured: Carlotta Laemmle '43. Cassandra will be attending the University of Arizona.



Arnold Seidel W'44, Ron Seidel '11, and David Seidel '77. Ron will be attending the University of Southern California.

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## 1990

### Jamie Leeds-Zucherman Sands

**'90** Jamie Elizabeth is a dentist practicing in Studio City, CA. She presently lives in West Hollywood and has a son, Beckett. She has appeared in Ten Years Younger (Channel TLC) and on The Doctors. Her media appearances are on her website: [www.studiocitycosmeticdentist.com](http://www.studiocitycosmeticdentist.com).

**Neil Omansky '90** Neil has lived in the Chicago area since 2004. He's married, has two children and has worked for the federal government since 1997.

**Angela Thompson '90** Angela has worked for the Fairfax County Public Schools in northern Virginia since graduating from Boston University in 1994. She is currently working as an Assistant Principal at an elementary school. She loves her work and is thankful for the opportunity to serve children and families. She is single and has no children; however, her family continues to grow and is doing well. She has five nieces and nephews, two brothers-in-law, and her precious, sweet mother.

**Christine Pae Bakan '91** Christine just moved back to Los Angeles after residing in the San Francisco Bay Area for many years. She and her husband welcomed their first child (a son) in September 2010. They live in Brentwood Park and you will often see them dining out locally or visiting the Sunday Farmer's Market. Christine has been in the software engineering and product development business for 15 years and is a Vice President at BMC Software.

**Andrea Bayrd '91** Andrea is actively involved in rallies in Madison, WI for workers rights. She is currently working on recall campaigns for several state senators and continues to serve as an elected official on the Dane County Board, which is the county for Madison, WI.

**David Haradon '92** David is a Senior Associate at Booz Allen Hamilton providing strategic consulting services for the federal government. He lives in Fairfax, VA with his wife and two boys, ages six and three.

**Nurit Toubian Gootin '93** Nurit has been married 14 years to her husband, Michael, and has three kids – Hanna, 10, Israel, 8, and Yael 2. She lives in Los Angeles, helps with administrative and bookkeeping for her husband's business and is PTA president and on the Board of Directors at her children's school, Yavneh Hebrew Academy.

**Rafael Moscatel '95** Rafael recently returned to Los Angeles from a seven year voyage in San Francisco where he met his beautiful and brilliant wife, Abby Jane, now a practicing attorney. (See photo on page 51.) They celebrated their first year anniversary in August. He is a consultant to law firms on the West Coast, advising on all aspects of information governance, compliance, as well as staffing alternatives and enterprise content management products for legal entities and general businesses. He and Abby Jane wish BHHS all the best and congratulate Carter Paysinger on what will surely be an adventurous responsibility.

**Shirin Danielpour Yadegar '95** Shirin lives in Beverly Hills with her husband and three daughters. She is the creator and CEO of [www.lamommagazine.com](http://www.lamommagazine.com).

**Ben Gleib '96** Ben's class name is Ben Gleiberman, but now uses Ben Gleib as his stage name. He is a stand-up comedian and actor, and for the last three years has been a regular round table guest on the show "Chelsea Lately" on E!. He was recently on tour performing in arenas all over North America opening for Dane Cook. He's performed stand-up on "The Late Late Show", "Last Call with Carson Daly", and "Last Comic Standing." For some reason Esquire Magazine

called him, "One of the next big things in comedy." He thinks it's because he has been a long time subscriber. He's on a show on NPR called "Patt Morrison's Comedy Congress," for which they won a Golden Mic Award; and this year he co-hosted a series for Yahoo! Sports and worked for The Grammys, co-hosting their live red carpet coverage. He's very excited that he's about to shoot his first starring role in a feature film comedy about ghost hunters called "The Polterguys." Sadly, since his Norman football career ended he has never picked up a football again, he is however, still great at sitting on a bench.

**Lisa Lewis '96** Lisa will receive her Clinical Doctorate of Occupational Therapy (OTD) from USC in July 2011.

## 2000

### Robin and Wendy DeLeon '00

Wendy was on the swim team at BHHS. She then went to serve her country and now helps other Vets in need when called upon. Robin was in the choir and theater arts department and is now a freelance artist. Both were average students who benefited greatly from attending Beverly Hills schools.

**Brandon Douglas '01** Brandon is a third-generation Beverly Hills resident and a third generation realtor. He works at the premier residential real estate office with Coldwell Banker Beverly Hills. He is also a select member of T.E.A.M. Beverly Hills.

**Lena Truthton Horowitz '01** Lena happily married in April 2010. She also received her Master of Science degree in Communication Disorders and Sciences in 2010 and is now working as a speech language pathologist in various skilled nursing facilities. She is thankful to her many teachers at BHHS.

**Burak Yildirim '02** Burak received his degree in International Political Economy from Cal Poly

Pomona and worked in finance for two years. He received his MBA in 2008 from Cal State Fullerton; and, has started his career with a multinational company in Turkey where he will be moving in September 2010.

**Breeanna Hutchens Joubran '03** Breeanna tied the knot in September 2010 in San Diego. Beverly alums



Tanya Wolkoff ('03) and Cayla Marks ('03) were in the wedding. Breeanna and her

husband, Ethan, live in Dallas TX where she is working as an account executive for CVS Caremark.

**Rachel Tamir '03** Rachel graduated in 2007 from Cal State University Northridge with a Bachelor's Degree in Liberal Studies and a teaching credential. In May 2010 she graduated from Cal State University Northridge with a Masters of Art degree in Elementary Education.

**Mimi Cheng '04** Mimi lived and worked in China and France respectively after obtaining her B.A. from Berkeley in '08. She is currently a J.D. candidate at the University of Pennsylvania Law School, Class of 2013.

**Alexander David '08** Alexander is attending Carnegie Mellon University in Pittsburgh, PA and is majoring in Biomedical Engineering.

**Cameron Marshall '09** Cameron is in his second year at The Art Institute of California Santa Monica, CA. He is studying animation and invites you to check out his website, [www.cameronmarshall.com](http://www.cameronmarshall.com).



**Jonathan David '10** Jonathan is attending the University of Miami majoring in pre-medicine.



Betty Lee Duncan Mott '36, far right, celebrated her 93rd birthday at the Peninsula Hotel in Beverly Hills with (from left) June Lindsley Clarke, S'37, Elaine Otter Leventhal, S'35 and Mott's daughter, Bonnie. The girls get together at least 4 times a year.



Jerry Williams, Betty Ann Grant and Arline Anderson, all graduates of the Class of 1953, reminisced in San Francisco in 2010.



From left, Stan Minick, Phyllis Bridge, W' 47, Valerie Brucker and Leon Myers, W'45



Major General William Lyon '41 and his wife, Willa Dean.



Rafael Moscatel '95



Members of the Class of 1978 celebrated their 50th birthdays this year. From left: Wendy Finerman, Lisa Hacket, Debby Klein, Jodi Levine Mitchell, Debbie Louchheim Watson, Alicia Saver Goldsmith, Joanna Fields Stingray, Karen Constine, and Diana Isaacs Sturr.



Margaret Halvorson, '31, with her great-grandchildren: twins, Jack and Austin, 9, and Kate, 6

## Class of '63 has a Medicare Reunion

The Class of '63 loves to get together, so since they were all in their 65th year, they decided to have a Medicare Reunion. The reunion was held at Pepper Salter Edmiston's home in the Pacific Palisades. It was a great setting for a party. The house is spacious (Pepper and her

husband Joe built it) and it has a huge backyard with a terrific view of the ocean. And the weather was perfect.

There were about 110 people at the reunion and alums traveled from all over the United States in order to attend and see their classmates.

Class of '63 alums traveled from Washington, Oregon, Maryland, New York, Illinois, Utah, Idaho and more. Also, there were some celebrants from the Bay Area. All of them were excited about the event and plans are already underway for their 50th reunion.



Nancy Greenberg Blumenfeld and Pepper Salter



Pepper Salter, Julie Freeman, and Patti Tyre Tanenbaum



Reuben Snipper, Bob Levy, Ken Riemer, and Gerry Sarnat



Jane Meltzer and Pam Freeze

## The Men of 1953

Annually, a group of guys from the Class of '53 gather to renew old friendships and stories. This year's group included from left, front row : Lee Lewin Wertheimer, Mike "Red Dog" Leventhal, Sherwin Turbow, Davis Factor Jr. Second row : Tony Brand, Don Alshuler, Paul Kanner, David Kelton, Mel Lebe, Jerry Williams, Tony Nast, George LeMaire and Tony Nesburn.



## The Ladies of 1954

These Lady Normans met in February for lunch. From left, Ann Hahn Levenstein, Jackie Pattiz Foster, Lillian Ansill Gottlieb, Leslie Vinnecour Schwartz and Barbara Eisendrath Platt.

# Vintage Friends of the '40s together again

The Vintage Friends had their bi-annual reunion on May 4, 2010 through May 6th at the Miramonte Resort and Spa in Indian Wells. Conrad Schweitzer S'46 has been responsible for making all of the arrangements and communications and coordinating all of the events.



**Don MacKinnon S'46**

Georgia O'Keeffe, the world-famous artist. There was also some talk about a book written by Jack Cameron W'46, "An Introduction to The Abionic Concept."



**Joan Jaffe Lewis W'46**

and Eleanor Bowen Parrish, W'47, and Bob and Valerie Fox and Joan Jaffe Lewis. From the Class of Summer '46 there were Bob and Amy Hart Ewing (who drove in from Phoenix, AZ), Bill Fore (he



**Conrad Schweitzer S'46**

Somers, Conrad and Diane Schweitzer, June O'Keeffe Sebring (June flew in from Hawaii), Don and Evon Mackinnon, and Dick and Carolyn Kindelon (they flew from Olympia, WA). Other alums and guests included Ginny Wright Widmann, W'47, June Griffin. Sterry

Conrad spoke to the group and then some of the attendees told stories and jokes. Also, June O'Keeffe Sebring S'46 gave an very interesting talk about her Aunt

attendance from the Class of Winter '46 were Jack and Barbara Cameron, Dean Hanson who flew from Washington, D.C and Pat McNamara; Dick Robbins

wrote the school alma mater) and Betty Stauffer Fore, Jack Ince (who drove in from Georgetown, TX), Joan Halperin Ortiz and Larry Ortiz, Gerry Curley Somers and Mac

Fagan S'45 and Joann Fagan joined the group for the Friday night dinner. Everyone agreed that the three days had passed by too quickly (as had the years).

## Tuscan/Terean Reunion



Standing, from left: Marilyn and Denny Morrow W'48 and Linda Suckling. Seated, from left: Joan Cox McKenna S'47, Jim Edwards S'47, and John Suckling W'48.



Don Wolf S'47, Jan Ewing Mays S'50, and Bob Mays S'47

The 2010 biennial gathering was held in Vista, CA September 15-17 with 27 in attendance. A buffet dinner was held at the home of Lynn (S'47) and Rita Montjoy followed by attending a riveting performance of "Miss Saigon" at Vista's beautiful outdoor Moonlight Amphitheatre.

Those attending were Irv Anderson, S'45 and Sheila Bullock, Annette and Sandy Bothman, S'47, Karen and Jim Edwards, S'47, Valerie and Bob Fox, W'46, Patti and Myron Jarman, S'47, Joanne Rice Killam, S'47, Hilde Carsten Koessler, W'47, Aulene and Ralph Lingenberg S '38, Jan Ewing Mays, '50 and Bob Mays, S'47, Joan Cox McKenna, S'47, Rita and Lynn Montjoy, S'47, Marilyn and Dennis Morrow, W'48, Margene Morris Pyeatte, S'47, Linda and John Suckling, W'48, Marilyn and Merritt Van Sant, S'47, Don Wolf, S'47.

They met the following morning for breakfast at the Lake San Marcos Country Club after which several of the group went on tours of San Diego including the carrier Midway. The party concluded with dinner at Casa Guadalajara a well known spot in Old Town San Diego.



Margene Morris Pyeatte S'47, Hilde Carsten Koessler W'47, and Joanne Rice Killan S'47



Sandy Bothman S'47

## Brothers present father's bequest to The Friends of the Beverly Hills Library

By Jim Ach '58

My father Ernest Ach passed away at age 97 in January 2010; he had been on the Beverly Hills School Board for 12 years, and handed me my diploma when I graduated.

In July 2010 my brother Larry '65 and his Brazilian AFS classmate Andre Frossard joined me in presenting my father's bequest of \$10,000 to the Friends of the Beverly Hills Library, in which he had been active. At right is a photo of the three of us, with the Beverly Hills librarian, Nancy Hunt-Coffee, Friends president Barbara Linder, and Friends treasurer Jean Rosenblatt.



Carol Goshaw Blanchard '50 and one of her Chinese students in 2010

## Alum teaches the poor in Beijing

Carol Goshaw Blanchard '50 has lived and worked for 10 years at a prestigious school in Beijing called Peiking University. She has also worked with Education Services Exchange with China to teach Chinese teachers, especially those who teach English in the impoverished areas of China.

The classes Carol teaches are part of a 20-day total immersion program where students may not speak any Chinese from 7 a.m.-11 p.m. Carol says the government wants Chinese children to have a better life and be able to make a living; thus, it enrolls its teachers in her program so they will become better English speakers. Not only do participants become vocal in English, Carol says many are changed people because the facilitators (also foreigners) are loving, kind, encouraging, and motivating.

After high school and college, Carol taught school for five and a half years at Bellagio Road in West Los Angeles. Later, she became a professional fundraiser because, Carol says, it was a job she would do if no one paid her as she loves a cause and being able to solve a problem. After 19 years of fundraising in Orange County, she needed a new challenge. Just then in 1995, the opportunity came to teach oral English in China.

Readers interested in more information can write to Carol at [carolblanchard@yahoo.com](mailto:carolblanchard@yahoo.com).

## Alum to speak about her book

Carolyn Roos Olsen S'41 will be speaking at the Balboa Bay Club on September 14 about her father, Bo Roos,



and the book she wrote about him entitled "Hollywood's Man Who Worried for the Stars." Bo Roos was a business manager for many of the great stars of the 30's, 40's and 50's. Those movie stars included Joan Crawford, Fred MacMurray, Peter Lawford and on and on. There is a philanthropic group of women at the Balboa Bay Club know as the 1221 Club and they have invited Carolyn, who is also a member, to speak at their luncheon in September. The stories are legion and legendary and Carolyn knows all of them.

## Wendy Howard Goldberg '57 supports the arts in education

Wendy Howard Goldberg '57 serves as a Chairperson of the California State Summer School Arts Foundation. Goldberg spearheaded the passage of legislation, which established InnerSpark in 1987 and for which she has since served as a Trustee.

A best-selling author, Goldberg co-wrote, with Betty Goodwin, the highly acclaimed book "Marry Me," which was the subject of two network television specials.

As an educational and social activist, Goldberg was involved in a leadership role with the Entertainment Industry Foundation and their National Arts Education Initiative. In conjunction with The Recording Academy and The Entertainment Industry Foundation, Ms. Goldberg co-chaired both the 2004 and 2005 GRAMMY Jam, which supported music &

arts education. Previously, she had served as a co-chair for the "Tribute to Style" Galas to raise money for arts education in Los Angeles.

She was one of the founding co-chairs of the Governor's Awards for the Arts to honor California's distinguished artists and art patrons; and was presented with a resolution by the State Legislature for her contributions to arts education.

Goldberg majored in Political Science and Theatre Arts at the University of California, Los Angeles. She is married to Leonard Goldberg, former President and Chief Operating Officer of Twentieth Century Fox Film Corporation. She has three children: Beverly Hills City Councilmember John Mirisch '81, Richard Mirisch '84, Amanda Goldberg '92 and two grandchildren.

## A man for most seasons: Lester Wertheimer S'46

Lester Wertheimer S'46, began life in Chicago, never dreaming as a child what an exciting life lay ahead. When he was nine years old his family moved to California, where they settled on Gale Drive in Beverly Hills.



Lester Wertheimer S'46

Lester attended Horace Mann School along with his brother, who was two years older. World War II brought about dramatic changes for folks along Gale Drive, not to mention the world. The years of his youth formed the basis for Lester's 2009 novel entitled "It Could Be Worse."

After Beverly High came UCLA, which turned out to be a disappointing experience. His solution? Drop out after one semester, become a merchant seaman, and see the world. Friends were mystified by his actions and family members feared he had lost his mind. Finding few job opportunities at the port of San Pedro, Lester took a train to Corpus Christi, where he was hired as a crewmember aboard an oil tanker.

During the next several months he visited ports in the Caribbean, South America, Europe, North Africa and the Persian Gulf. Some shipmates became friends, but a few were as threatening as the occasional rough storms and punishing heat of the Persian Gulf. The entire experience resulted in his first novel from 2004, "At Sea."

Financed by the money earned at sea, Lester enrolled at the University of California at Berkeley, where he earned a Master of Arts Degree in Architecture. After graduating with highest

honors, he won the much-contested Le Conte Memorial Fellowship. This award enabled him to spend more than a year studying the world's greatest architectural monuments in Europe, the Near East and Africa.

The experience inspired his most recent novel, "True Loves", which he hopes to publish this year and add to the collection of the library at Beverly High.

Lester's first job in an architectural office paid little more than he earned as a cashier at the Beverly Hills High School cafeteria—without the free lunches, of course. Soon he was married, and raising a family. In the year his first son was born he also started his architectural practice and built his first home. As money was tight, Lester began teaching an after-hours history course for architectural license candidates. This course led to preparing candidates throughout the country for the rigorous licensing exam. As a founder and the creative director, Lester helped develop written material and study guides that were eventually used by nearly every candidate in the country.

He now lives in Encino with his wife, Elyse Lewin, who is a renowned director of commercials. He enjoys a limited architectural practice and continues to write and travel, often to the log house he designed at Lake Tahoe.

A remarkable journey, one might say, filled as it has been with exciting experiences, some success, and lifelong friendships. And Lester would be first to agree that his earlier life at Horace Mann and Beverly Hills High School greatly enhanced the journey.



From left: Vice Mayor Willie Brien MD '75, Mayor Barry Brucker '75, Lili Toren Bosse '79, Julian Gold MD, John Mirisch '81

## Council includes four alums

The newly-elected Beverly Hills City Council was sworn-in in March, 2011 and includes four out of five members who are Beverly

graduates.

Brucker and Brien previously served on the Beverly Hills Board of Education.

## Norman honored for career in education

Don Davies S'44 was awarded a Presidential Medal of Honor for Service to Public Education in Portugal. The Medal was presented by the current Minister of Education, Isabel Alcada at a ceremony in Lisbon on May 12, 2011.

The award was a recognition for his work in Portugal over the last 28 years in a variety of projects and studies.

Davies is a Professor of Education Emeritus at Boston University and the founder and long-time president of the Institute for Responsive Education, a non-profit organization to study and advocate for increased parent and community participation in public

schools, especially those serving low-income and minority students and their families.

Portugal was a central locus of Davies' international efforts. Starting in 1984 he was a professor in the World Bank-sponsored progress to prepare new faculty members for the new Schools of Education in that country.

He was the facilitator of the first multi-national action research study of parent involvement in school reform, examining the issue in Portugal and Australia, Chile, Czechoslovakia, and Spain. In 2004 he gave a keynote address at a conference of the Conselho Nacional de Educacao in Lisbon.



The Reunion Committee - Bottom row, from left: Randi Capen, Karen Greenhouse, Laurie Raskin, and Kathy Finley. Center row, from left: Dianna Hyman, Deb Chodos, Patty Roach, Sari Newman, Dale Robin, and Ellen Bloom. Back row, from left: Jim Turken, Rob Feldman, Babette Lewis, and Jeff White



Ellen Bloom and Karen-Greenhouse



Steve March Torme and Tom Ruben

# Class of 1970



Kate Snyder, Tanis Harris (retired faculty), Dan Fried, and Lou Korell

The BHHS Class of 1970 40-Year Reunion was held at Mountain Gate Country Club in Bel Air on October 30, 2010.

The following day a casual picnic was held on the front lawn of Beverly High. There were at least 250 people in attendance at the reunion.

Many classmates attended from the East Coast, Texas, Canada and even as far away as China!

It was their most successful reunion ever and everyone had a fabulous time. Check out our class website: <http://bhhsclassof70.com>. They all came together with the purpose of reconnecting with friends who they have not seen in so many years, and they reminisced about their sweet youth at Beverly Hills High School.







Dale Robin, Joan Glusker, Helaine Lembeck, Deb Kranze, Andi Ross, Rob Feldman, Steve Rose, and Babette Lewis



Dianna Hyman, Ann Schoenfeld, Janet White, Patty Roach, Marcy Barbanell, and Randi Capen



Vic and Dianna Weiner and Deb and Rob Feldman



Carol Bloom and Margie Buck



Marcy Frazen, Chris Pina, Scott Colomby, Rob Feldman, Jill Werber, Tom Rubien, and Melissa Shaw

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# Performing Arts Department presents "Fiddler on the Roof"

A wonderful performance of "Fiddler on the Roof" was presented in the school auditorium on April 7, 2011 to a sold out audience. The audience included members of the Alumni Association, students, parents and faculty.

It is somewhat amazing that year after the musical presentations provide such talented students who cannot only sing and dance, but can also act. The end result demonstrates the hours, days and weeks that are involved in rehearsals, set design, costumes, musical arrangements and more. All of this takes a great deal of coordination involving not only the cast, but those that work on all of the facets that are included in preparation for such an offering. There is box office/house crew, costume crew, deck crew, fly crew, publicity crew, scenic painters, set crew and other crews and then there are the orchestral rehearsals.

The students who took part in the actual performances were outstanding. The voices were excellent and the choreography was more than entertaining – it was wonderful. There are over 160 students involved in the production and includes the actors, crew members, etc.

The musical was directed by Herb Hall, who is now the Chairman of the Performing Arts Department, has directed over 20 musicals and he has appeared in motion pictures and TV and well as TV commercials.

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## Beverly's arts programs continue to thrive

The Performing Arts Department enjoyed another highly successful year. Led by teachers Josh Butchart, Bill Bradbury, Herb Hall and Joel Pressman, the year was highlighted by outstanding performances from our vocal, instrumental and theater programs.

The choral music program continues to thrive under the masterful direction of Joel Pressman '67, with the assistance of accompanist Brian Michael. The Madrigal Singers performed numerous times during the holiday season and their caroling was applauded by many businesses throughout the Beverly Hills area. In December, the annual Winter Choral Concert featured the concert choir, Minnesingers and Madrigals. The evening was highlighted by solos from a number of students.

Saturday Night Live, the annual choral music fundraiser featured all three singing groups, as well as solos by several staff members, and culminated in a group number involving both staff and students.

In the spring the Madrigals traveled to Washington, D.C. for the Heritage Music Festival, where they competed, attended workshops and studied with choral masters. Their outstanding work garnered them first place and several trophies.

The various instrumental groups, under the direction of Bill Bradbury, played a variety of concerts and participated in numerous competitions and festivals this year.

The marching band entertained during half time of BHHS football games, and highlighted their season with a field show and drill at the

Homecoming game in October. Throughout the year, the drum line performed at several "drum battles" with drum lines from other schools.

In February, the symphonic band and the Beverly Hills Chamber Orchestra performed at Disneyland. In March the symphonic and concert bands performed at the Southern California School Band and Orchestra Association Festival, where both groups received "Excellent" ratings.

The chamber orchestra gave its first performance at the Thanksgiving staff luncheon. In February they performed at Disneyland, and in May they performed at the SCSBOA Regional Festival in Redlands, where they received an "Excellent" rating.

Both orchestras performed at the Southern California Band & Orchestra Association Festival at Burroughs High

School.

The final performance for the instrumental groups took place June 9th and includes all the performing groups, as well as the drum line.

The theater department presented three productions this year. The fall play, directed by Josh Butchart, was a contemporary look at Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream and played to capacity crowds for four nights. Produced by Herb Hall, this production was costumed by Kristie Rutledge, who also costumed the musical. Technical direction was by Annie Terry.

Theater Arts Workshop class again presented Scenefest, the annual showcase of their class work.

Five years ago theater teacher Josh Butchart See "ARTS," page 65

## FIDDLER: Devoted faculty members guide players

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Josh Butchart was also involved in the direction of the show and was the scenic designer and painter. Josh is leaving Beverly after 7 years to pursue a master's degree at the University of Washington.

Joel D. Pressman was the Music Director/Conductor as he has been for many years. Joel is in his 36th year as BHHS Choral Director. He has a Master of Music Degree in Choral Music and a Bachelor of Music Degree in Vocal Performance. He has performed on Broadway, toured with Opera a la Carte, a principal soloist with many

major choral organizations and enough additional activities to fill this page.

Also, Pressman is the faculty representative to the BHUSD Facilities Advisory Committee. Bill Bradbury directed instrumental musicians for the musical. He is in his second year at Beverly after several years in the BHUSD. Among other things, he directs the BHHS Marching Band and the Jazz Band. He received his degree from UCLA and continued music studies and USC and the University of Illinois.

Anne Terry was the set, light and sound designer/

tech director for Fiddler. She earned her BS from Northwestern Univ. She will be studying next year for her teaching credential. Fiddler marks Annie's twelfth BHHS musical.

Janet Roston, choreographer, was for 24 years the Artistic Director of the BHHS Dance Company and has choreographed the musicals at the high school for the last 13 years.

She is a professional award winning choreographer and director with credits in stage, television, film, music video, world tours and commercials.

Others involved were

Erin Zaruban, additional choreography; Kristie Rutledge, costume design; David Cohan, sound engineer; and Brian Michael, accompanist. We encourage all former Normans to attend next year's musical for a wonderful evening of entertainment.

For information call the Alumni Assoc. or send an email – this information is available on the second page of the Alumni Highlights. Also, prior to the musical, the Alumni Association hold the induction of new members of the Hall of Fame which takes place upstairs adjacent to the library.

**\$2,000 or more**

DORDICK	GARY A.	80
LIBOW	MICHAEL	81

**\$1,000-\$1,999**

HALVORSON	MARGARET	31
LYON	WILLIAM	41
WARREN	PATRICIA	42
TAYLOR	BEVERLY	47

**\$500-\$999**

MACKAY	JOHN C.	38
WOLFF	ROBERT H.	40
OLSEN	CAROLYN ROOS	41
WEHL	ARTHUR	43
JOSEFOWITZ	NATASHA	44
KERN	PIERRE A.	46
FOX	ROBERT L.	46
ARTZT	EDWIN L.	47
NASON, JR.	FRED	48
TAYLOR	LARRY	48
MORSE	TED	48
ULF	BETSY/FRANK	49
AMASS	WILLIAM	50
GREENSPAN	DONALD H.	59
BILAK	MILTON	59
LEVY	CHARLES	83
BENVENISTE	DAVID	88

**\$250-\$499**

COTTON	JACK C.	37
HEFNER	DOROTHY	39
BLOCK	GLORIA L.	42
CARVER JR.	LEROY	43
JONG	JEAN	44
LIPSTONE	HOWARD	45
ROGERS	EARL	45
LUPO	VINCENT	45
ROCHE	EUGENE C., JR.	46
GRIBBLE	NANCY	46
CONSTINE	HERBERT	46
EWING	ROBERT AND AMY	46
SCHWEITZER	CONRAD	46
GAMBLE	ROBERT E.	46
HICKS	GEORGE ANN C	48
HINDLE	DR. WILLIAM H.	48
WILSON	NANCY S.	49
SANDRICH	JAY	49
SMITH	DIONE G.	51
WITTENBERG	ERIC A.	51
SILL	JOHN R.	51
CUNNINGHAM	THERESIA	51
CARLSON	MARILYN	52
ZIMMERMAN	PAUL K.	54
GLASER	SHARON	54
KING	STANLEY K.	54
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MCCOY	PETER	60
FRANKLIN	BONNIE	61
BRODER	WILLIAM	61
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HERMAN	STUART LEWIS	83
SAVITSKY	SUSAN D.	85
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RAFFERTY	LOIS	31
REIN	PATRICIA R.	31
STANTON	JOHN R.	35
FOX	ELDON	36
SIMMONS	BARBARA B.	36
CAMERON	MARGARET	38
WOODILL	ALFRED L.	38
DEBAUGH	PAUL H.	38
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LAVERTY	ROGER M. JR	39
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SHIPP	ROBERT L.	39
WEBBER	ARTHUR H.	40
PERRY	HARRY F.	40
KAHN	IRVING B.	40
GRIFFIN	JUDGE JOHN A	40
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POLHEMUS	DR. DON	41
CHANDLEE	RICHARD	41
HUNSAKER	JOHN	41
HOWELL	ROBERT	41
CARLSON	RHONDA	41
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BOVILL	BLOOM	42
TIPTON	HAROLD & MARGARET	42
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STRUCHEN	JOHN G.	43
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LEWIS	ALAN	43
ZIMMELMAN	STANLEY	43
HAYES	MOLLIE	43
WERNER	HARRIET	43
STONER	MARIAN	43
SEVIN	SHIRLEE	43
ROESCH	JOHN A.	43
KNECHT	JAMES H.	43
IVERSON	DR. ROBERT	43
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HARRIS	DR. MAYFIELD	43
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BABCOCK	SHIRLEY L	44
FINE	ESTHER	44
BERKOVITZ	ANNE	44
REDFERN	JOHN	44
BLACK	CHARLES	44
ANDERSON	IRVING H.	45
GREENBERG	MORRIS	45
CALDWELL	WILEY N.	45
BRITTINGHAM	KENNETH A.	45
CHANIN	MARVIN	45

FAGAN	D. STERRY	45
SCHULMAN	MARSHALL	45
BURNAM	MARCIA	45
MYERS	LEON	45
FORD	JOHN PATRICK	45
ESHMAN	AARON R.	45
DOLBY	MARTHA	45
CAMPBELL	BILL W.	45
MORRIS	FRANK	46
HANSON	DEAN P.	46
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MCKENNA	JOAN	47
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KOESSLER	HILDEGARD	47
FULLER	ROBERT O.	47
BLEIFER, MD	KENNETH H.	47
KAVIN	ROY	48
CHERNISS	ROBERT P.	48
WIARD	JUDY	48
NEWMARK	THOMAS	48
GOLAN	RONALD T.	48
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SCOTT	PATRICIA	48
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JARVIS	LEWIS	50
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CROSBY	GEORGE	50
CASEY	ELAINE	50
ALLBRITTON	ANNA	50
POLLAK	CONSTANCE	51
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COLEMAN	CHARLES	51
GRUNAUER	JOYCE	51
GERSON	MORTON M.	51
AGAR	FRANK (KIP)	51
STOCK	NATHAN	51
KABRIN	IRENE	51
FRIEDMAN	RODNEY	51
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RUBIN	HOWARD A.	51
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SHINE	LORETTA	54
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EPSTEIN	ANNE	61	FIRESTEIN	GORDON J.	72	PEDERSEN	MAC MARION	39	OLERICH	RICHARD	48
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NICKOLL	PATRICIA	61	FEINTECH	LISA	73	CECCARINI	FRANCES E.	39	SNYDER	NORMAN P.	48
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Louise Brough Clapp W'40 and Lynn Montjoy S'47

## Athletic Supporters Holiday Luncheon

The annual holiday luncheon for former Athletic Supporters Society members, their wives, guests and BHHS classmates was held on December 8, 2010 at Dick O'Neill's Arroyo Trabuco Golf Club in Mission Viejo.

Chairman Lynn Montjoy, S'47 told of the history of this event. For many years Mike Zimmerman, S'39, organized a holiday lunch for the old Jocks in the San Diego area. In 2005 he passed the baton to Lynn Montjoy and Bob Ward, S'47. It was Bob who decided that they should invite women to the gathering, an idea which was warmly received. Dick O'Neill always gave them extra special attention at his El Adobe Restaurant where the group met until they began meeting at his Arroyo Trabuco Golf Club in 2009.

As always, the festivities began with the Beverly single speller led by former cheerleaders, Joe McCarthy W'47 and Dick Robbins, W'46. Lou Spitz, S'48 spoke about the Beverly Hills Athletic Alumni Association's special recognition of Ian Elliott, W'40

and Don Long, S'55 at their annual awards dinner. Another Hall of Fame awardee, Louise Brough Clapp, W'40 was introduced. Dave Corwin, '87, President of the BHAAA told of the nomination of Wally Wolf, S'47 to the organization's 2011 Hall of Fame.

Ralph Lingenberg, S'38, brought along his ukulele and led some songs, the fight song, military anthems and Christmas carols.

Other classmates in attendance were Chuck Black, S'44, Stan Bowen, S'41, Bonnie Cox Butler, S'44, Vic Caliva, W'38, Jim Edwards, S'47. Anna Horton Freeman, W'46, Dave Gill, S'44, Jack Ingram, S'42, Joanne Rice Killam, S'47, John Lesch, '54, Joan Jaffee Lewis, W'46, Bill Manning, S'47, Bob Mays, S'47, Jan Ewing Mays, '50, Joan Cox McKenna, S'47, Eleanor Bowen Parrish, W'47, Harry Perry, S'40, Margene Morris Pyeatte, S'47, Dick Robbins, W'46, John Roesch, W'43, Chuck Snipes, S'40, John Suckling, W'48, Merritt Van Sant, S'47, and Dick Ward, '50.



Marilyn Van Sant, Merritt Van Sant S'47 and Bill Manning S'47



Joan Cox McKenna, S'47



Harry Perry, S'40



Stan Bowen S'41 and Marge Bowen S'41, married 65 years. Read about the story of their courtship and Stan's WWII experiences on pages 20-21.





Chuck Black S'44, Bonnie Cox Butler S'44, and Dave Gill S'44



John Roesch W'43



John Suckling W'48



Lou Spitz S'48



John Lesch '54



Dick Robbins W'46 and Eleanor Bowen Parrish W'47



Rita and Lynn Montjoy S'47



Joe McCarthy W'47 and Marjie McCarthy

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 introduced the winter play into the theater schedule and each year it has grown in size, scope and popularity. This year the hysterical comedy *Moon over Buffalo*, was scheduled for a four-night run with two alternating casts. However, district budget rules forced the production to be cut back to only two performances, both of which sold out.

The end of this school year is bitter sweet because it means the end of a great collaboration with theater teacher Josh Butchart. After getting married to English teacher Jessica DeZure in July, he moved to Washington state to pursue his Master's Degree at the University of Washington. He will be sorely missed and the entire department wishes him well.

*Herb Hall, Chairman  
 Performing Arts Dept.  
 Beverly Hills High School*

One more snapshot...



Men from the Class of 1949 gather for their 60th reunion in October, 2009. From left, Chuck Griffin, Paul Marx, Jack Skinner, Bill Bacor, Bill Inglis, Bruce Wadman, and Jay Sandrich

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# BHHS 2011 Sports Wrap-up

## Girls Soccer

It was a season to remember for the girls soccer program in 2010-2011. The lady Normans finished the season with an outstanding 17-7-2 overall record and an 8-2 record in the very competitive Ocean League. The team was led by senior captains Nicole Star, who broke the school record with 23 assists, Emily Rosen, and Mahshar Zargar.

## Girls Water Polo

The girls team finished with a 5-5 record in Ocean League play and 12-15 for the season. The team was led by Patty Salgado who scored 126 goals on the season, shattering the single season scoring record for the second straight year while also breaking the career goals scored record.

## Girls Basketball

The girls basketball team finished the season at 15-15, finished 4th in the Ocean league and lost in the 2nd round of the CIF playoffs. The season was injury filled with three starters lost for the season. Chelsea Austin and Natalie Moy were voted 1st team All-Ocean League.

## Boys Basketball

The varsity team began the year with one of the best starts

in years and ended up with an overall record of 15-13. Junior Austin Mills was the first Norman in years to be named first team all-league. Boys basketball is looking forward to a bright future as a good core of varsity players is coming back next year.

## Boys Soccer

The boys soccer team returned to the CIF-SS playoffs for the first time in three years. The team finished 4th in the Ocean League and had an overall record of 12-12-2. Senior forward Mariano Gonzalez led the team with 11 goals and was named to the 1st team of both the Ocean League and the CIF-Southern Section.

## Wrestling

The wrestling team finished a historic season with outstanding individual and team performances. As a team, they ended the year with a record of 11-5 record (10-2 outside league). Armand Farrokh, the senior team captain, continued his impressive 30-win season by placing 1st in the Pioneer League.

## Football

The Norman football team ended the season in a three-way tie for second place in Ocean League play with Culver City and Santa Monica. All three teams finished with a record of 3-2 in

league play and Beverly finished 6-5 overall. Josh Newman led the Offense with 2,300 yards passing and was 1st team All-League. In early October, Coach Donald Paysinger was named ABC7/NFL Coach of the Week. This honor includes a \$1,000 grant from the NFL for the school's football program.

## Boys Water Polo

The boys water polo team finished 4-4 in Ocean League play, earning a tie for second place with El Segundo. Overall they finished with a 15-13 record. The team was led by senior captain Austin Shaheri, who was named the Ocean League's Most Outstanding Player. Dillon Silverstein, Zak Zukoski, and Kevin Suarez also earned All-Ocean League honors.

## Girls Tennis

The girls Norman tennis team had a great season culminating with an Ocean league championship. They once again qualified for the playoffs where they lost a tough match to San Marcos.

## Girls Volleyball

The girls volleyball team again earned a CIF playoff berth, coming in 2nd in the Ocean League. Six of the Norman diggers were honored

with All-League awards. Senior co-captain Emily Rosen was honored as the Ocean League's Libero of the League.

## Girls Cross Country

The girls Norman cross-country team won its sixth consecutive Ocean League championship. This year's team was led by Brianna Simmons who broke five school records and became the first athlete since 1981 to qualify and advance to the CIF Finals.

## Boys Cross Country

The boys team was led by Josh Galen who finished as the Ocean League Runner-Up. Josh also ran the 10th fastest time in school history for the CIF Prelim Mt. SAC course. The boys varsity team finished second to Santa Monica High School in a close race at league.

## Girls Golf

The girls golf team had a fair season. The team was led by Lydai Choi, who was first team All-League as a freshman. Showing promise was Ji Hyun Park who improved a great deal in her first golf season. The coaches are expecting great things next year from Emma Cannon and Aubrey Isaacman, who improved a great deal in the past year.

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

We would like to inform you that we have found a couple of sites claiming to be Beverly Hills High School Alumni sites and they are not.

Please make note that we only have an email of BHHSAlumni@yahoo.com and a reunion web page at <http://bhhs.bhusd.org/reunions.jsp>.

We have received notification from some alums

wondering why we are sending out so many letters. We have two mailings per year and one is the Alumni Highlights and the second is a letter mailed early year in which we request class notes and contributions. That's it.

Any other sites (especially [www.bhhsalumni.com](http://www.bhhsalumni.com)) are not affiliated with us and if you give address updates, reunion information or any other

information, it will not come to us. Some of these sites are also asking for fees to join. Again, please make note of our email and reunion web page: [BHHSAlumni@yahoo.com](mailto:BHHSAlumni@yahoo.com) and a reunion web page at <http://bhhs.bhusd.org/reunions.jsp>.

Again, [www.bhhsalumni.com](http://www.bhhsalumni.com) is NOT affiliated with the BHHS Alumni Association or the high school.

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Many of the 250 attendees greet each other and mingle with former classmates at The Mark in Los Angeles. Above, upper left corner, Reunion Committee Chair Robin Hoffman Kanter welcomes a former classmate.



Lori Schechter and Craig Isaacs



Jim Holt, Jay Scherick,  
Moise Emquies, and Steve Kreitenberg

# Class of 1980

The Class of 1980 Reunion was held Oct 2, 2010 at The Mark on Pico Blvd. The Reunion Committee consisted of Robin Hoffman Kanter and Debbie Markowitz Ullman. About 250 people attended the event from all over the world, including Japan, Israel, Hawaii, New York, Colorado, Texas, Washington, Oregon, Virginia, and Florida.

Also, the old High School band Quorum reunited and performed as the big surprise.



Kari Frankenstein, Bonnie Kulick, and Laura Selwyn



Left: Wendy Turk, Lisa Pitt Rizzi, Deb Pitt, Donna Rose Houchen, and Cathy O’Krent. Above: Jay schtick and Lori Schechter



Harvey Kanter, Patricia Murphy, Michael Wilmuth, and Lori Leve

Lisa and Rob Pitt



Donna Rose and Marjorie Aggate

Classmates snap pictures of one another at the festivities.

## New computers, furniture donated to library

The upgraded Beverly High library reopened on October 4, 2010. The project was initiated by the PTSA during the 2009/2010 school year and was completed thanks to a donation by Lili Bosse '79 and Jon Bosse.

The library offers brand new computers and new furniture. The library catalog is now completely web-based, so students will be able to seek materials when they are off-campus. With the new online catalog system, librarian Karen Boyarsky said she hopes students will use library resources more often.

"Our students live in the real world, where they are using internet sources for all of their information, for social networking and for reading the news," Boyarsky said. "So the more that our library resources can engage students because [the



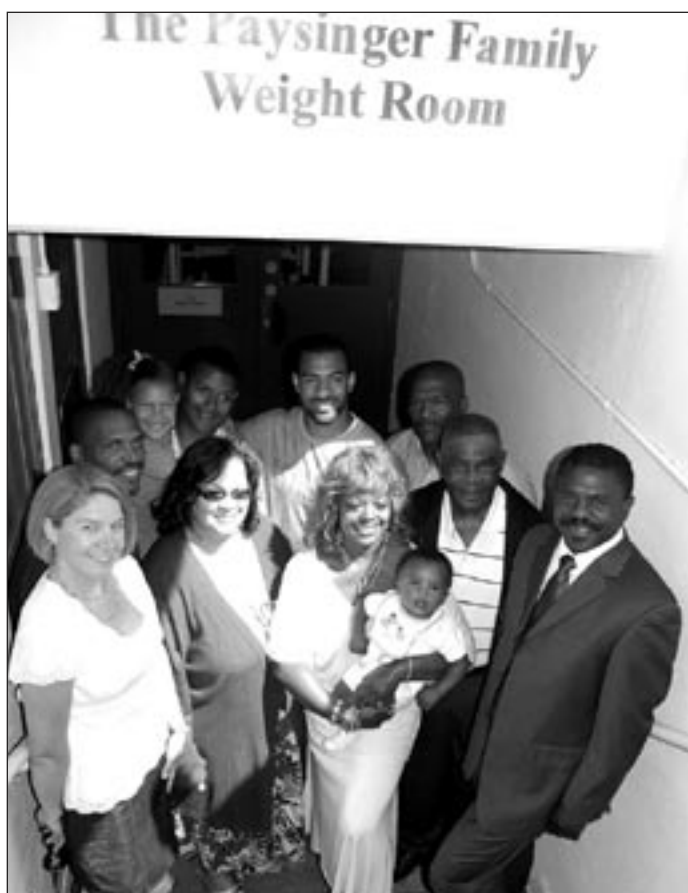
Front row, from left: Myra Lurie, Lisa Korbatov '82, Lili Bosse '79 and Jon Bosse, and Nancy Krasne. Back row, from left: Marilyn Taniguchi, Aviva Laufer, Chuck Kloes, Nancy Hunt-Coffey, Steven Fenton '88, Dick Douglas, Karen Boyarsky, Carter Paysinger '74, Jake Manaster, Jen Tedford, Ronit Stone '79, and Clndy Dubin '80.

library resources] look like what they're doing on their own time, the more successful we'll be."

Lili Bosse said the Bosse

family donated to the Beverly High library because they want to encourage students to use the library.

"My passion has always been books and libraries," Bosse said. "It was a natural fit for my passion and what I believe in."



## Weight room named after Paysinger

The Paysinger Family Weight Room at Beverly High was dedicated June 1. The new facility was made possible by a \$35,000 donation from the Beverly Hills Basketball League.

Members of Paysinger's family gathered for a picture at the weight room entrance. Back row, from left: Vonzie '79, Reina, Cameron, Spencer '06, and Donald '77. Front row: Colleen Davenport, Autumn, Karen, Chandler, Carter Sr., and Principal Carter Paysinger '74.

*Photo by Marc Saleh '80*

## PHOTOS FOR THE HIGHLIGHTS

Many of you send in photos for the Alumni Highlights. Often pictures are sent on paper or the pictures are so small that it is difficult to discern the persons in the picture.

We publish as many pictures as possible and there are quite a few in this year's publications. In the future when sending us photos try to make them large enough and with enough lighting and contrast in order that they will reproduce properly.

Also, when sending in pictures of groups, it is important to name all of the persons in the picture by row and from left to right. We have received several group photos of families with only the name of the alum on the back of the picture. Please try to write legibly. We want to publish as many as possible.

## Alumni Assoc. recognizes outstanding scholars

The Beverly Hills High School Alumni Association is the single largest sponsor of college scholarships to deserving, graduating seniors. This year's recipients include students who are multi-faceted.

Each of the six recipients received \$2,000.00 apiece. These grants were made possible by your generous contributions including especially generous contributions from BHHS Alumnus Michael Libow, '81 and Gary Dordick, '80, who have each contributed \$10,000.00 to establish scholarships in their respective names of \$2,000.00 per year for 5 years.

This Scholarship Committee is chaired by Lilly Lewis, '74 and includes committee members Candace Chen, '87, and Elyse Rothstein Beardsley, '76.

Each of the recipients will be

furthering their education.

Michelle Laksman '09 spoke to the audience and to the commitment of her mother, Nava Dordick, and stepfather, Gary Dordick '80, with respect to giving back to Beverly and their understanding of how important it is for one to give back to their community and support the education of students.

Michael Libow '81 also spoke and discussed the importance of education and also mentioned how important it is for all citizens to become involved in their community and participate in the various goals and challenges of the community. The scholarship recipients are all going to further their education at various universities throughout the state and country.

Nick Herbert will be



From left: Michelle Laksman '09, daughter of Mrs. Nava Dordick; Mrs. Nava (Gary) Dordick representing the Dordick Family Scholarship; Kelly Shim recipient of the Lucy Martel Scholarship; Erica Hendry recipient of the Lisa Harris Memorial Scholarship; Nick Herbert; Sidney Gray; Elizabeth Friedman, recipient of the Michael Libow '81 Scholarship; not pictured was Udit Manocha the recipient of the Dordick Family Scholarship.

attending Notre Dame and Elizabeth Friedman will attend Emory. Erica Hendry will attend U.C. Berkeley; Kelly Shim will

attend USC; Sidney Gray will be attending George Washington University and Udit Manocha will be attending San Jose State.

### *Board of Education President reflects on past year*

We have had a very busy year in BHUSD. We began the year by cutting over 2 million dollars in overhead without laying off one teacher or reducing the number of instructional days for our students, given the financial crisis the state finds itself in this was quite a feat.

After being stalled in our efforts this board majority successfully transitioning to Basic Aid status, which allowed our district to avoid over 3 million dollars in additional cuts to the classroom.

In order to ensure that education dollars are being spent on our students we created and implemented a Citizen Finance Committee to help the district better manage our resources for the benefit of our students. We also began the process of phasing out ALL opportunity permits

in the district, while avoiding the threatened lawsuits and winning over 70% of the appeals at the Los Angeles County Office of Education. This allowed the board to focus on our mission of providing a high quality education for our students.

We stood firm against public corruption by not settling with Karen Christensen and working with the Los Angeles County District Attorney to bring criminal charges for conflict of interest.

On the personnel side we promoted Carter Paysinger '74 to Principal at Beverly Hills High School and Steven Kessler '71 to Principal at Horace Mann. We brought back Dave Hoffman as Principal at El Rodeo and Irene Stern as Principal at Beverly Vista, and kept Toni Staser as Principal at Hawthorne because Educational Leadership at our

school sites is central to the success of our students. We were able to lift the moratorium on Measure E after hiring a new Executive Director, Nelson Cayabyab, who has a track record of success after managing a 270+ million dollar bond in Huntington Beach Unified School District. We implemented a zero tolerance for cheating policy district wide to ensure the academic integrity of the grades we give our students. Finally, BHUSD was a leader in California by recognizing that the use of Mental Retardation as a category for our students is harmful so we removed it from use in our district.

*Lisa Korbatov '82  
President, Board of Education  
BHUSD*

### **CORRECTIONS**

In last year's Alumni Highlights there were noted three errors and you will find the corrections below.

In the event any of you note any errors in this year's edition, please notify us and we will make note of the corrections next year.

Last year, on page 23 Mitch Cleary's S'47 name was misspelled.

On page 11 in the obituaries and incorrect picture was used with respect to Leon Lyon W'38. We are printing the obituary again this year with a correct picture.

On page 52 the group picture at the top of the page did include the name of Conrad Schweitzer S'46. He was 5th from the left going from left to right.

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## A MESSAGE FROM THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU! Apparently many of you got the message and contributions were the greatest we ever received. We received a net of over \$60,000.00 dollars from the letter mailed earlier this year and adding that to the contribution received from the Alumni Highlights, our total contributions were around \$100,000.00. We had

a surplus of several thousand dollars which offset the negative cash flow of two years ago – last year we broke even. Keep in mind that it costs us about \$94,000.00 annually to operate. The cost of printing, mailing, etc. of the Highlights is approximately \$37,000.00 and the mailing of the letter in February costs about \$9,000.00. Our Executive Secretary is paid \$30,000.00

and we contribute \$12,000.00 each year in scholarships and also we give \$1,000.00 to the Performing Arts Department. Legal, accounting and miscellaneous expenses amount to about \$5,000.00.

We need your CONTINUED CONTRIBUTIONS AND WE NEED MORE OF YOU TO CONTRIBUTE. We need contributions to remain at the same level as this past 12

months. And don't forget to send in your class notes. We rely on your contributions as we have no other means of support. Keep it up as you have this last year.

*Robert L. Fox W'46*

*Treasurer, BHHS Alumni Assoc. and  
Publisher of the Alumni Highlights*

## Second Message

Many of you send us pictures and it is not possible to publish all of them, and

we are sorry for that. In some instances we receive group pictures that include a number

of family members and none of the persons are identified. In the future please send us

captions with your pictures. Many thanks for providing us with the photos.