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SMA-VWIL Museum 20th Anniversary – 2021

by Mark Orr, SMA '73



SMA-VWIL Museum - Spring 2020

Next year will mark the 20th anniversary since the opening and dedication of the SMA-VWIL Museum during the SMA All-Class Reunion in July 2001. After a 25-year absence when our school closed its doors in 1976, the joint effort between leadership of Mary Baldwin University (MBU), the Virginia Women's Institute for Leadership (VWIL), the SMA Alumni Foundation (SMAAF), and the financial contributions of many, in particular Hunter Henry, SMA '46, the SMA cadets were able to return to "The Hill." This also allowed us to relocate our alumni office from the Staunton Veteran's Cemetery office building and to

establish an archives for preserving museum pieces and artifacts. Additionally, several related projects were also accomplished with the SMA-VWIL Museum, such as establishing the SMA-VWIL Memorial Wall, the Walk of Honor, and making replicas of the original SMA Eagle that hung above the entrance to



SMA - VWIL Museum October 2017

North Barracks, as well as the Major Thomas Howie bust. Of course, none of these accomplishments would have been possible without the leadership and dedication of BG Mike Bissell, Commandant VWIL, Tom Phillips, the President of SMAAF, Brocky Nicely, Museum Curator, and of course, this is when we also recruited Arlene Nicely to become the SMAAF Office

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REFLECTIONS FROM THE HILL



It is with great sadness that I report the loss of a member of our Board of Directors, Lee W. Lawrence, SMA Class of 1956, who died on October 9, 2020. Lee was a long-serving and stalwart member of our Foundation, and his contributions were legion. Lee was the swim coach at the United States Naval Academy for many years, where he lived and passed on the lessons he had absorbed at SMA

to many fortunate midshipmen. Lee will be greatly missed.

We are cautiously optimistic that we will be able have our Reunion as planned in a few months. Plans are being made as I write, and all of us are looking forward to a few days together in Staunton in April, 2021. We are, of course, living in uncertain times, and the events of the next few months may well have a significant impact on our ability to come together as we hope. We will keep you posted on developments. I wish you all the best of the approaching holiday season. We'll all be trying to navigate the complexities of safely celebrating with family and friends. Be safe and healthy!

Seventh and final Advantage of Sending Your Boy to a Military Boarding School as stated in 1920: "When Universal Military Service becomes a law - which it will - he will receive credit from all Universities and by the Federal Government for previous military life and work under army officers here."



Cadet G. Mastroianni

*George Mastroianni, SMA '73
 President, SMA Alumni Foundation*

manager. Here are links to the June and November 2001 Kablegram's that provide a lot of the details and background about the SMA Legacy projects that resulted in establishing the SMA-VWIL Museum . . . it's worth it to take a read to understand what was accomplished nearly twenty years ago:

- June 2001 Kablegram: <http://sma-alumni.org/wp-content/uploads/kablegram-leader/kg0601.pdf>
- November 2001 Kablegram: <http://sma-alumni.org/wp-content/uploads/kablegram-leader/kg1101.pdf>

So, our hope is that we will be able to celebrate this important 20th anniversary of the SMA-VWIL Museum and the establishment of a home for returning SMA alumni when they come back to Staunton and revisit The Hill during the SMA All-Class 2021 Reunion in April 2021. Hope to see you there!

2020 Board of Directors Meeting

The Staunton Military Academy Alumni Foundation (SMAAF) Board of Directors hosted its annual face-to-face meeting on September 19, 2020. This amounted to a telephonic meeting with only a few members making their way to Staunton to meet in the museum. (Messer's: Jack Dalbo, Frank, Lee Lawrence, Leigh, Mark Orr and Smith are pictured.) President Mastroianni welcomed new board members: Iuliana Petre, VWIL Class of 2001; Tim Scheel, SMA Class of 1973 and Tony Shipula, SMA class of 1974. Larry Atkinson is thanked for his 3 years of service as he rotates off the board.



SUSPENSE FOR FEBRUARY 2021 KABLEGRAM.

We plan to publish our New Year issue of the Kablegram – Leader in February 2021. Please submit your articles to vwil@marybaldwin.edu by February 1st, 2021.

CONFIRMED REUNION SPEAKERS.

The SMA Alumni Foundation Board of Directors announced that Barry B. Longyear '60 and Joseph D. Pistone '59 have agreed to be our speakers at the formal banquet on Saturday, April 17th, 2021.

Longyear '60 is best known for his award winning novella, "Enemy Mine," he's the first writer to win the Nebula Award, the Hugo Award, and the John W. Campbell Award for Best New Writer all in the same year. In addition to his acclaimed Enemy Mine series, his works include numerous short stories, the Circus World series, the Infinity Hold series, his Joe Torio Mystery Series, and novels ranging from Sea of Glass to The God Box, as well as his much praised Science-fiction Writer's Workshop-I and his text on career writing, The Write Stuff. He has recently completed his eight-book epic, The War Whisperer.

Pistone '59 more recent work is with police training as a consultant and instructor supporting FBI Republics of Serbia Albania, Royal Canadian Mounted Police, International Law Enforcement Academy in Budapest, Regional Counter Drug Training Academy in Mississippi and Montenegro National Police. Based on his twenty-two year FBI career, he's an internationally recognized expert regarding undercover operations and organized crime matters. He's the recipient of US Attorney General's J. Edgar Hoover Award and FBI Medal of Valor. He's the author of the New York Times Best Seller Donnie Brasco: My Undercover Life in the Mafia which was made into the Oscar-nominated movie Donnie Brasco starring Johnny Depp and Al Pacino. He's written seven books based on the Donnie Brasco character.

SMA Class of 1973 TDH Scholarship Class Project

by Mark Orr, SMA '73

A group of alumni from the SMA Class of 1973 have established a committee to create a new scholarship to be awarded annually to a VWIL cadet. The committee is comprised of Mark Orr, George Mastroianni, Peter Birckhead, Dave Shipula, and Tim Scheel. This is intended to be a Class Project to raise sufficient funds (\$50,000) that will endow the scholarship and provide an annual \$2,500 scholarship. The name of the scholarship is the "SMA Class of 73 TDH Scholarship" and the first award will be timed to occur during the 50th Anniversary of the Class of 1973's graduation as part of the SMA All-Class 2023 Reunion festivities and VWIL Parade. A fund raising campaign is already underway and it is hoped that every member of the class will contribute at least some amount to help achieve the \$50K goal. Already, \$13,500 has been raised or pledged, so we are a quarter of the way to achieving the goal. Contributions can be either made in a lump sum or spread over four years. A mailer has been sent to every classmate explaining the project and the committee is in the process of contacting each member personally. Again, this is a class project and we are targeting the first scholarship award timed to our 50th Anniversary . . . so, we hope to see "everyone" from the Class of 1973" at the 2023 Reunion in Staunton!

SMA Hall of Fame – Class of 2021 Nominations

by Mark Orr, SMA '73

The SMA Hall of Fame is published on the SMA website at:

<http://sma-alumni.org/hall-of-fame/>

The SMA Hall of Fame Committee is seeking nominations for induction as part of the Class of 2021. We are only selecting one inductee for 2021 and this individual will be inducted to the Hall of fame during the SMA Reunion next April 2021. The form to submit nominations is posted via a link on the Hall of Fame web page. Nomination submissions must be received by 16 November 2020. Send the nomination form and any supporting attachments to the SMAAF Office or scan the pages as PDFs and then email them to: SMAOffice@sma-alumni.org

Thank You

Dear Mr. Mastroianni,

I am very grateful to be receiving the Staunton Military Academy Legacy Scholarship. This award will go a long way towards my continued education at The University of Pittsburgh. I will do my best to uphold SMA'S values of truth, duty, and honor during my time at college and beyond.

Many thanks, Emma Kurts

Dear SMA Alumni,

Thank you for the scholarship I used it towards the Corps' Room and Board fees. I look forward to staying in touch throughout my four years at TAMU.

Very Respectfully, Benjamin F. Powell

Dear Scholarship Committee,

I cannot express how grateful I am to have received a scholarship from the Staunton Military Academy. In my time at the museum, I got to absorb stories and memories of SMA, and I am honored to carry on its legacy at William and Mary. Your scholarship has been a great help to me, allowing me to both pursue my studies without worrying how to pay for them and stay involved in groups on campus that have brought me my closet friends — and even begin to lead

them. Again, I want to thank the foundation for the chance to renew my scholarship, and I am excited to see what it enables me to do in the upcoming year.

Sincerely,
Joyner Miller

Dear SMA Alumni,

I want to say how grateful I am for being awarded this scholarship from Staunton Military Academy Legacy Scholarship Program. This fund was created to preserve and perpetuate the traditions of Truth, Duty, and Honor; I will continue to demonstrate and embrace this fulfilling tradition! Words can't explain how grateful I am, thank you so much!

Isabelle Basilis

Remembering SMA - Alexander (Sander) Spero

Remembering SMA - Alexander (Sander) Spero "Class of 1953"



It is a long time from 1949 till now 2020. That is when I started my journey at the Junior School with Colonel Hayes as the Superintendent. Then I graduated to the Hill in 1950, from Kable Hall to the South Barracks as a Cadet Captain. I did not realize it then but those were the good old days. I was Captain of the football team in 1953 with Coach Knoll and Coach Bryant but broke my leg in several places and did not play that year. I still had college scholarships, but the doctor persuaded me not to accept any football scholarships. I remember playing catch football with a young Catholic Priest who often visited me while I was in the hospital. I was Captain of the track team and was a javelin champion with many awards. I also was Captain of the Cotillion Club, I liked to dress up, and Captain of the Varsity Club. Even now I miss my teammates, the coaches, teachers and of course my roommates. I also

miss the kamikaze ride to Fairfax hall to see my love at that time Selma Bremmer and sneaking into Mary Baldwin College to visit with a friend. The hours I spent on the beat squad as an officer, I remember going into town for adventure as well as a haircut. I went to the Jewish temple when the Rabbi was in town. Also, going to the next town to the roller-skating rink and the foot-long hot dogs. From the mess hall (athletic table with Chick as our waiter) and to Flagpole Hill, all still in my mind's eye. From Colonel Dey,

the superintendent, to General Pershing, the Commandant of Cadets. After 5 years there is so much to remember I would need more pages to write it all. Since then, I will make it short. I went to the University of Miami, I have been in 2 Armies the US and the IDF (Israel defense force) went through basic training but after that I did not wear a uniform - long story, perhaps another time. I lived in a few states including the countries of Costa Rica and Israel, but Pittsburgh is still my home town. I was married



and now have two professional daughters. My son David died at age 29 and is buried in Jerusalem. I have 7 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. My worth as well as my net worth is all about my family. I am 86 and productive, and thus far have had a remarkably interesting and good life. I am doing well and have my whole life ahead of me. I must take this time to thank my departed parents for being able and willing to send me to such a fine school.

Reflections From Our Chaplain

YOUR QUARTERLY SERMONETTE

“Marching off the Map”

By Rev. R. A. Henderson, '63

I have just finished rereading the story of Abram in the book of Genesis. And it started me reflecting upon my own life and my own faith journey.

For the last eighteen years the Lord has been urging me to continue a journey that began when I retired from the corporate world. I felt called to ministry but it was very much uncharted territory for me. So after taking online courses, I continued my journey by sort of marching off the map. The Lord was moving me out of an old identity, into a new identity.

Have you ever seen a map from the middle ages? All the then known countries are present, but the world drops off at the end of the ocean. “Here be monsters” some maps say. Were there really monsters there? You would have to go to the edge of the map to find out. You see explorers and adventurers literally had to march themselves off the map to find out.

So where has the march off my map taken me? I now pastor an area church by preaching and seeing to the spiritual needs of their congregations through pastoral care. “Did God speak to you,” I have been asked several times. My response is always, “I feel as though he did!” That usually prompts the question, “Why you?” I then have to admit that I don’t know. It is amazing to me how many times God spoke to people in the bible about how he sees them and ignores how they see themselves. And how God completely ignores their past.

Thus far my journey has been, at once, personally rewarding and a way for me to give back for the life I have lived. It has been a joy to march off the map with God at my side.

God needs people who respond when He calls. Pioneers who go where they have never gone before. Caregivers who love those who have never known love before. Prophets who help us to see injustice with clear vision and determined energy. I have trouble imagining anyone being called as Abram was. And I am in awe of Abram’s faith and ability to leave everything behind. But each of us, in our own situation is called by God to follow Christ, called to repentance and faith. Each of us is offered the challenge of faith every moment. We have Abram as an example of faith. And we all have opportunities to march off the map in pursuit of strengthening our faith. Advent is the perfect time to consider such things as we watch and wait.

2020 LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

SMA ALUMNI FOUNDATION 2020 LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

This was the fourth year of the SMA Legacy Scholarship Program. It was established in 2016 as one of the precepts of the SMA Legacy Fund that provides the monies to be awarded each year to four deserving high-school seniors which includes renewals for those applicants during their sophomore, and junior years.

Determining the four recipients was quite challenging. The SMAA Foundation and the Scholarship Committee selected Miss Isabel Basilis of Cape Coral, FL; Mr. Daneel Konnar of Meridian, MS; Miss Emma Kurtz, of Charlotte, NC; and Mr. Benjamin Powell of Loudoun County, VA.

Our thanks and best wishes in the future to all those who applied, and our congratulations to the four young men and women who, by this action, have joined our community. Each of them will help perpetuate the legacy of Staunton Military Academy, its heritage, and its core values of "Truth, Duty and Honor."

The four winners each provided a picture and biography to introduce themselves, and here they are:

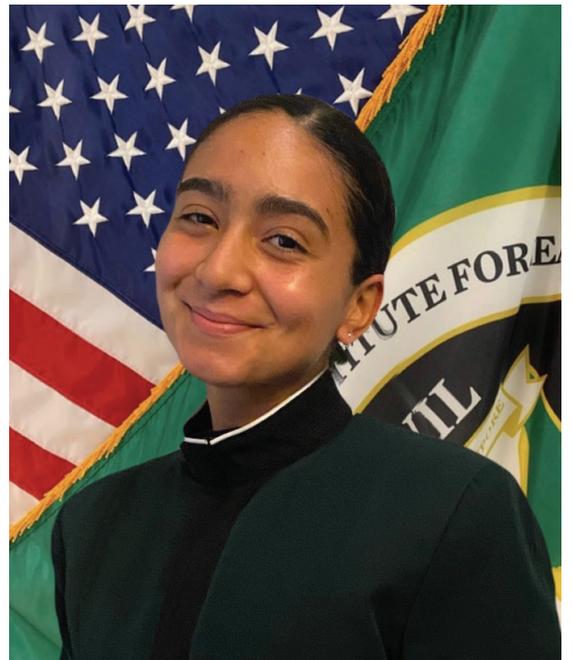
Isabel Basilis.

Biography: Isabel Basilis was born and raised in Cape Coral, Florida with both her parents and younger sister. She graduated from Cape Coral High School in the year 2020. She will be attending Mary Baldwin University as a proud member of the only all-female cadet corps in the nation in the fall, and she will be majoring in Criminal Justice. She will work extremely hard her first year to receive a three-year Air Force ROTC scholarship and commission as an officer in the United States Air Force upon graduation.

In the four years that she attended Cape Coral high school, Isabel is blessed to say that she's achieved many great things and has been recognized for all of her accomplishments. She has been awarded Academic Excellence all 4 years, she was a member of the National Honors Society as well as a National Honors of high school scholars program. She ended her senior year with a 4.37 GPA, class rank was 35 out of 251 seniors, and her class percentage was 86%. Isabel was also nominated as the top female senior, where only two females were selected out of all the seniors. But most importantly, Isabel had countless teachers who believed and supported her in everything. The one thing she learned from them was that the only way to achieve greatness is to allow others to help you, and in return, be truly grateful towards them.

Isabel took JROTC all four years, and she was the Raiders Commander for three of them! She surpassed her role as a leader using the one thing that made her and her team successful even through all the adversities that they faced together as a team - passion. Truth, Duty, and Honor were the main components that molded her into being the most determined Commander, who only wanted the best for her team. But the one thing that Isabel learned and will take with her for the rest of her life is that gratitude creates humility. When you are humble and grateful you find yourself having purpose, and Isabel found her purpose within her role as a leader.

Isabel is extremely honored to have been selected as one of the four winners of the Staunton Military Academy Legacy Scholarship! She truly cannot explain how grateful she is for this achievement and for everyone in the selection committee! She will continue the tradition that SMA Legacy Fund has demonstrated within the true meaning of what Truth, Duty, and Honor should always look like, and she is truly excited to be a part of such a hard-working community!



2020 LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS Cont.

Daneel Konnar.

My name is Daneel Konnar, and I would like to thank the Staunton Military Academy Alumni Foundation for the generous scholarship I have received. I graduated from Northeast Lauderdale High School in Meridian, MS as the Class of 2020 Valedictorian. I was the 2020 Senior Class President, the Founder and President of the Northeast High Public Relations team, as well as the President of the Young Politicians of America club. In the summer of 2019, I was chosen to represent Mississippi at the Youth Leadership Program in Washington, DC along with 88 other high school Mississippians. At Ole Miss, I will be a member of the Sally McDonnell Barksdale Honors College, the Trent Lott Leadership Institute, and Chancellor's Leadership Class. I will be majoring in Public Policy Leadership with a focus in pre-medicine. In my free time, I like to explore walking trails, play tennis, travel, spend time with my family, and eat lots of Chick-Fil-A.



Emma Kurtz.

My name is Emma Kurtz, a 2020 graduate of Providence High School in Charlotte, North Carolina. This fall I will be attending the University of Pittsburgh to study linguistics, anthropology, and music.

I grew up in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, but my family moved to Charlotte during the summer prior to my sophomore year of high school. The transition was difficult for my brother and me, as we were leaving the independent school we had attended since kindergarten. I made the decision to attend Providence, the public school near our new home; it was one of the best decisions I have ever made. At Providence, I joined band, choir, and student government, pursuing my interests in music and civil engagement. This past year as a senior, I had the honor of serving as Student Body Secretary on my school's student government.

My grandfather, Edward Hyde Morse, attended Staunton Military Academy. Throughout my childhood and teenage years, he taught me to embody the truth, duty, and honor that SMA promotes. He encouraged me to apply for this scholarship, and I am very grateful for the opportunity this award provides.



2020 LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS Cont.

Benjamin T. Powell

I made two decisions before I turned 14 that ended up having a tremendous impact on my life. I became a United States Naval Sea Cadet and I transferred schools my freshman year to join the Naval JROTC program at Loudoun County High School.

During the past four years I immersed myself in both programs by attending military trainings across the country, serving inside of my units, volunteering in my community, and mentoring my shipmates. One of my most memorable experiences allowed me to attend Fleet week as a crew member aboard the USS New York where I manned the rails as we sailed into New York City from Norfolk Naval Station.

I have been distinguished with many appurtenances over the years but am most proud of rising to the rank of Chief Petty Officer in the United States Naval Sea Cadet Corps and being selected as 1 of 15 Chiefs worldwide to serve on the Inaugural Senior Leadership Cadet Council and receiving the Presidential Community Service Award for my work with Valiant Warrior.

In the fall I will join the Corps of Cadets at Texas A&M University on a 4 year Army ROTC Scholarship and pursue a degree in International Studies. I look forward to a life of service to the United States and its Armed Forces.



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SMA ALUMNI FOUNDATION INC. LEGACY FUND

Updated as of September 15, 2020

By Peter Birkhead '73 ● peterbirkhead@gmail.com ● 713-819-1980

LEGACY FUND PROJECT EXCEEDS GOAL OF \$1.5 MILLION IN DONATIONS

Thanks to all of our alumni and patrons who have generously given to the Legacy Fund. We have now, after almost 8 years of fund raising, exceeded \$1.7 Million in cash donations, pledges, and life insurance death benefit designations either directly to or for the behalf of the SMA AF.

While we have now reached our fund raising goal our financial needs continue each year so please consider a donation and make it today either by mailing a check or going on line to www.sma-alumni.org using a credit card or paypal.

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Steve Bond '61 (w/ bench sponsorship) *
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Victor Rosenberg '56 *
Stuart Smith '48

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Joanie and John Antonelli (deceased) '61 *
Mark Orr '73 *
Louis Stathis '70 *

\$2,500+ (SERGEANT FIRST CLASS)

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Eugene K. Ehmann '74
Stephen L. Taylor '63 *

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Joseph A. Frank Jr. '68 *
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George Mastroianni '73 (w/ Col. Robert H. Wease Bench)
Gayle Myers (Patron) wife of Duke Myers '60 deceased) *
Ronald and Susan Yates (Patron) *

\$1,500+ (SERGEANT FIRST CLASS)

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Michael Byington '61 * (deceased)
Lucius Chapin '66
Allen Jones '48 *
Stanley Lesniak '67 * (with Col. Wease Scholarship)

\$1,000+ (SERGEANT FIRST CLASS)

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Peter Birkhead '73 *
Dr. Randy Blackburn '72
William Gershen '58
Charlie Drumheller '66 (w/Cannon Restoration sponsorship)
Robert Horvath '47 *
Warren Hutton '75 *
George Jennings '64 (w/bench and SMA Eagle sponsorship) *
Gary Jones '64 (w/bench sponsorships)
Anthony C. Korvas '59
Steve Landa '63 *
David Marshall '72 *

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Tim Scheel '73 (w/brochure sponsorship) *
Ralph Sebrell '45
David Shipula '73
Peter Stark '50 *
Frederick Walton '33

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Robert Bennett '45
John Browne, Jr. '64 (w/bench sponsorship)
Robert Cauthen '64
Michael F. Corbi '62 (w/SMA columns sponsorship)
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Jay Horwitt '64 (w/bench sponsorship)
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Douglas Nunn '71 *
Leland K. Ozawa '61 *
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David Rhodes '72
Al Rossy '74 (w/bench sponsorship) *
Edmund Smith '76
James H. Stevenson '58 *
Bruce Thomas '74 (w/bench sponsorship)
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Donald Westbrook '69 (w/SMA Eagle Sponsorship)

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Robert Barksdale '75 (deceased)
Edward Burka '48 *
Bill Crampton '62 *
Steven Crane '74 (w/bench sponsorship)
Robert Digiacommo '69 (SMA Eagle, Brick sponsorships, SMA Scholarship) *
Anthony Disher, Jr. '72 *
Robert Flatford '66 *
Jerome S. Fletcher '47 *
COL Zach Hagedorn, Jr. '51 *
Geoffrey Hall '65
Tad Hall '73 *
Mark J. Hancock '62 *
Page Kable (Patron) *
Harvie Martin III '74
Edward McLorie '63 *
Gordon Milestone '43 *
Edward Patsch '53 *
Phil Peter '50 *
Robert Piper '68

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\$250+ (BENEFACTOR) Cont.

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Fredrick Shaftman '66
Lawrence Steele III '61 *
Robert Tabor '58 *
Frank Till '71 *
John W. Turner '67 *
Peter Voss '48 *
Carl Winnefeld '61 *
Samuel F. Woody '47 (deceased) and Lee Hardin
Woody (wife) *
COL. Robert Wease (Faculty) Deceased *
Philip Yount '62 *

\$200+ (BENEFACTOR)

Anthony Betz '67
Pasquale P. Caiazza '68 (w/Col. Wease Scholarship)
Robert Clements '58 *
Howard E. Gibson '45
Craig E. Hanson '74
Paul Heyard '72 *
Tom Howie '67
Sanford Jacobson '55
Walter Kircher '70 (w/Brick Fund)
Larry Lombardi '69 (w/SMA Eagle sponsorship)
Michael Lipper '53
Edmund Leigh '74
Conrad Mihalek '66 (w/SMA Scholarship)
Gary Martell '69
Jeffrey Metzel '43
Hugh Sproul III '54 (w/brochure sponsorship)
James Stevenson '58
Doris Thompson (Patron) *
J. Warren Turner '67 (SMA Scholarship) *
W.J. Turner '67
William Truog '64 (Anna Randle Truog Mem. Fund) *

\$100+ (BENEFACTOR)

Anonymous '62 * (w/SMA column sponsorship)
James Adams '59 *
Darr Barshis '72
Richard Beaver '56
Gerald Bernfeld '57
James Bond '51 *
Thomas Brigham, Jr. '70
Judge Alfred Burka '45
Leonard Burka '51
William Bush '62 (with SMA columns sponsorship)
Alan Butterworth '51 *
Augustine Catalano '47 *
John Clifford '67
Jose Colon '60
Wesley G. Constable '61 *
David Dana '49
William Deane, Jr. '65
Robert H. Dewey III '68 (w/Col. Wease Scholarship)
Jack Dickerson '67 (w/SMA Eagle sponsorship)
David Didawick (Patron) (w/Col. Robert H. Wease Scholarship)
George Dunigan '64
Philip Farber '69 (w/SMA Eagle sponsorship)

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Allen Fisher '56 (in memory of his brother Bruce Fisher '49)
William Foard '56 *
N. Scott Gardiner (Patron)
Mark Hancock '62
James Hayslip '75 *
Harry R. Heavner (Patron) (w/Col. Wease Scholarship)
John C. Hildebrand '72
Benjamin Hudson, Jr. '54
John Kelly '57
Joseph Koch '53 *
Lee Lawrence '56
Robert Lehman '69 (w/SMA Eagle sponsorship)
Jon Levy '56
A Michael Lipper '53 *
William M. Meredith '45
Randall Melton '76
SFC Kenneth Messer, Jr '66 *
Mark Milone '60
Edmond Neuberger '50
Stephen Newton '62
Russell Ogan '70 *
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Robert A. Piper '68
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Robert Skrotsky '63
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John Steele '52
William Stillgebauer '54
Clarence Tart '53
D. Marshall Taylor '75
John R. Taylor '72
Patricia L Taylor (wife of Joseph J. Taylor '46)
David Tinker '69 * (w/SMA Eagle sponsorship)
John T. Turner '67
W. John Turner '67 *
Paul P. Vames (Patron) (Brother of Tommy Vames) (w/ Col. Wease Scholarship)
Jeffrey Van Hyning '64
Wm. Rock Viner '69
James H. Wease (Patron) (w/Col. Wease Scholarship Fund)
D. Eli E. White '53
David L. Wolfe '75
Robert Wood '53
Lee P. Woody '47 *
Charles Youngman '55

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Bruce Buchanan '66 (w/brick sponsorship)
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Ms. Terry Clark Patron (in honor of her father William Clark '48)
David Cohen '59
Don Cross '67 (w/brick sponsorship)
Jamie Deehan Patron (in honor of James Deehan '55)
John Diemer '67 *
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Frederick Gambke '73 *
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Scott Holcomb '66
Ben Hollis '58 *
Ben Hudson '54
James F. Keating '66 PG *
Patrick Kelley '72
Barbara Kerne (Patron)
Carolyn Lucy (Patron) Wife of J.C. Lucy, Jr. '53
Alan Messer '68 (w/brick sponsorship) *
Dan Newman '60 *
Peter Ottman '65 (w/Howie Bust sponsorship)
Richard Parson '60
COL. Brooke Read '46 *
AJ Scolio '43
Neal Smith '66
Michael Somers '65 (w/brochure sponsorship)
William Summers '60
Edwin Taliaferro '60 *
Thomas Vames Staff (w/Col. Wease Scholarship) Peter Velde '67
Jon Walker '54
Edna Wease (Patron) (Sister in Law of Col. Wease) (w/Col. H. Wease Scholarship)

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Thanks to all of these alumni and patrons who have supported the Legacy Fund Project. Your donations have helped to ensure the memories, traditions, and alumni efforts are carried into perpetuity. Your donations have helped our alumni foundation to continue to provide scholarships and support for organizations (such as the VWIL Program at MBU) that exemplify our core values of Truth, Duty and Honor. And finally your donations have helped support the new SMA Scholarship Program.

The listing above represents only 20% of living alumni. There are still 80% of those of you who have not made a donation! Please consider a gift to the Legacy Fund. No amount is too small and all donations are fully tax deductible. It is easy to donate, just contact me directly and we can discuss all options available to help you. Peter Birckhead, SMA '73, peterbirckhead@gmail.com or 713-819-1980.

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John Diemer '67
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John Graham '59
Mark Hannock '62
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Randall See '75
William Suppes, Jr. '45
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Chris Tsucalas '59
William Tucker, Jr '58
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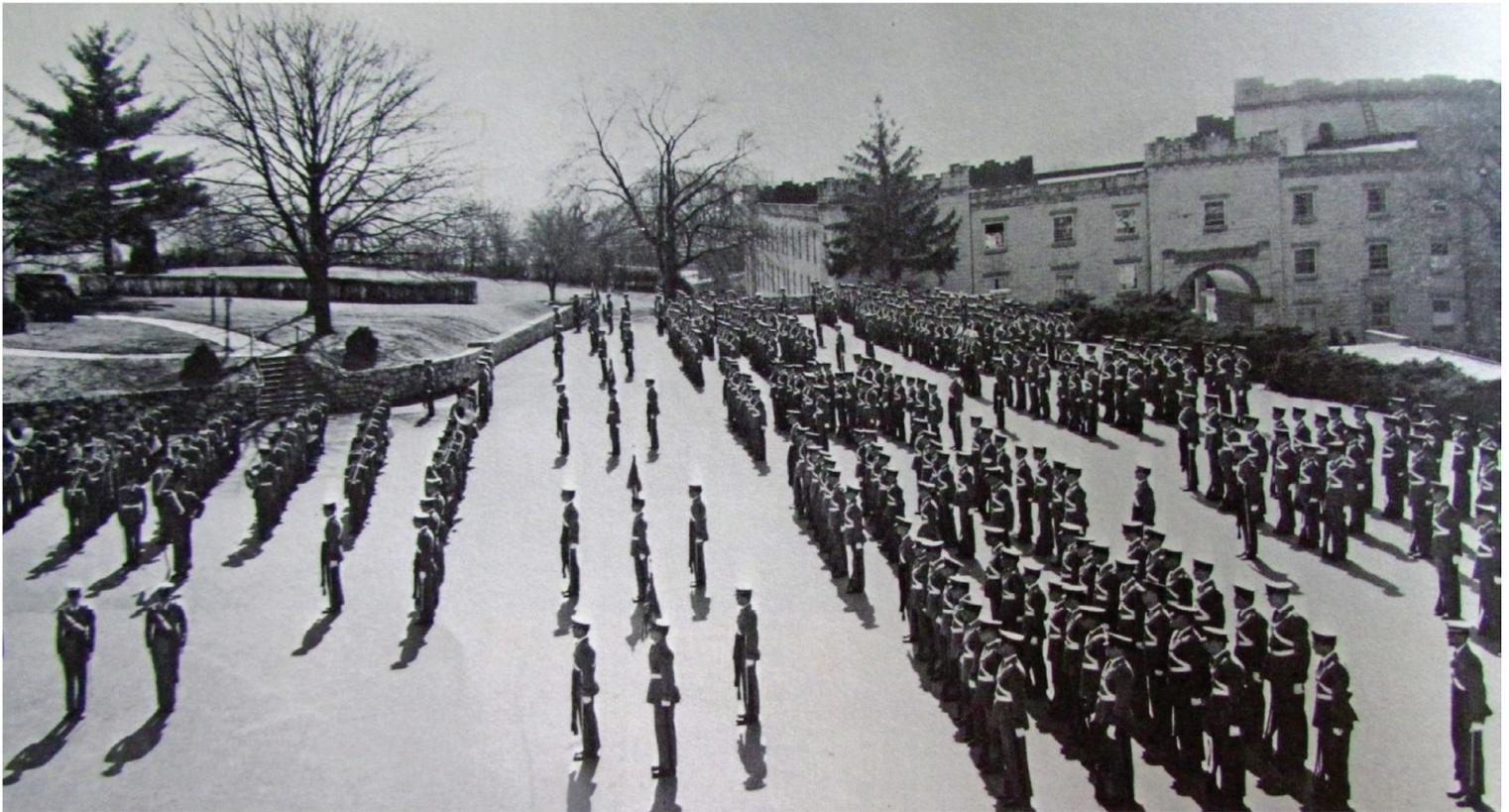
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'Immense gratitude for those along the way'

News of alumna's promotion looks forward to VWIL's 25th anniversary year

Published by Mary Baldwin University June 24, 2020



Commander Kathleen Mahoney '00 received news that she will be promoted to captain in the U.S. Navy (left); with her son in 2017 when she was guest speaker for the Virginia Women's Institute for Leadership (VWIL) Family Weekend parade (right). A former VWIL cadet, she commissioned as ensign in 2000 two days before she graduated from Mary Baldwin.

MBU congratulates alumna and former cadet in the Virginia Women's Institute for Leadership (VWIL) Commander Kathleen Mahoney '00 on the news that she will be promoted to captain (pay grade O6) in the U.S. Navy.

"Being selected for captain is as humbling as it is exciting," said Mahoney, currently serving as a human resources officer in the Office of the Naval Inspector General. "This is absolutely the pinnacle of my career, a career I never planned to have when I graduated in 2000. I joined the Navy out of tradition and a sense of adventure and found something I was incredibly passionate about — people and their success."

The naval rank of captain is equivalent to that of colonel in the U.S. Army, Marine Corps, and Air Force. Promotion to this level is rare, with only 2% of officers achieving the rank in the military services.

News of Mahoney's success looks forward to the celebration of VWIL's 25th anniversary during the 2020-21 academic year. The first class of cadets joined VWIL in August 1995, and more than 460 students have completed the program — still the nation's only all-women corps of cadets — thus far.

"I get goosebumps thinking about when I told my dad that I had been selected for captain. He teared up and said he needed a minute. I feel immense gratitude for those along the way who challenged me, pushed me, and, of course, sometimes pulled me along."

A third generation Navy sailor and granddaughter of a Pearl Harbor survivor, Mahoney commissioned as ensign in the Navy two days before she graduated from Mary Baldwin in 2000. First assigned the position of electrical officer on the USS Leyte Gulf, she has deployed three times between 2001 and 2005, twice to the Arabian Gulf and once to Camp Victory in Baghdad, Iraq. She now lives in Arlington with her husband, Commander Paul Mahoney, and their four children.

"Being a VWIL cadet put me on the road for success no matter where I was headed. Certainly a lot of the structure provided a great foundation for the military, but the leadership, resilience to adversity, and confidence the corps gave me ensured I was ready for anything."



VWIL Corps of Cadets Turns 25!

The VWIL Corps is proud to celebrate our 25th year of operations, recognizing the dedication and contribution of more than 460 VWIL graduates. We all know 2020 is no typical year as we learn and respond to the pandemic, racial unrest, and the national election. Be assured, the VWIL Corps continues to preserve through 2020 with all its unique challenges.

After being locked down for six months across the country, the cadets and nULLs were anxious to arrive MBU, continue their undergraduate education and participate in VWIL Corps training for the Fall semester. We welcomed 46 nULLs to Mary Baldwin University in early August with facial masks indoors and outdoors, double-armed interval distances, and virtual formations for quarantined cadets. In September, we celebrated our outstanding returning cadets: 85% earned rank, 70% awarded academic stars, 46% excelled with physical fitness distinctions. As we started the semester, the overall VWIL Corps average GPAs is 3.2, the best in seven years.

A few events were cancelled this semester to reduce large group gatherings: the Senior Military College conference, MBU's Family Weekend and Staunton's Veterans' Day. However, our cadets and band found ways to safely perform: Induction parade, 9-11 Memorial Ceremony with Staunton Police and Fire Departments, Founders' Day Run & Seniors Convocation, Women's Leadership Symposium, Fall ROTC Field Training Exercise, Junior's Ring Weekend, Corps Hike, and recognizing our veterans.

MBU's rigorous pandemic response plan has enabled our cadets to complete classes and corps training in person with only four cadets testing positive over the first 12 weeks. Our cadets look forward to returning home on November 24th and returning on January 10th. Our recruiting for the VWIL Class of 2025 is ahead of all previous years, so we're on track to welcome 50-60 nULLs in August 2021. Enjoy the photos.



MAJ Mei Ling Guarino VWIL'05 Meets VWIL Army ROTC Cadets



VWIL Class of 2024 Studying the nULL Book



Senior Military College Conference - Virtual



Class of 2022 - Junior Honor Ceremony



Wilderness Adventure on the Potomac River



ROTC Cadets Recite Contracting Oath on SMA Worth Field



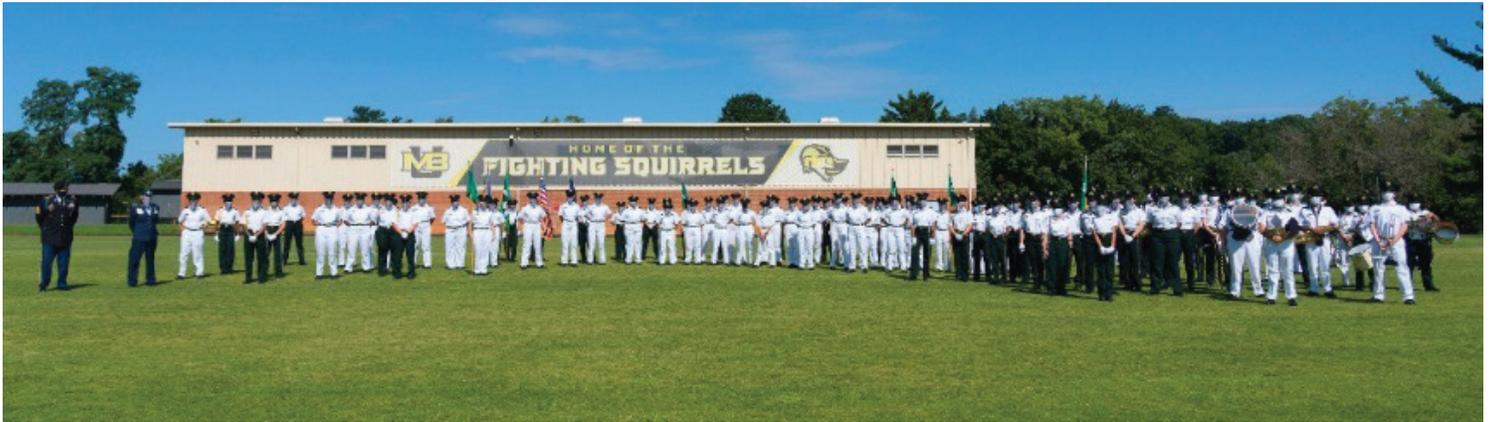
VWIL Staff Line for Fall 2020



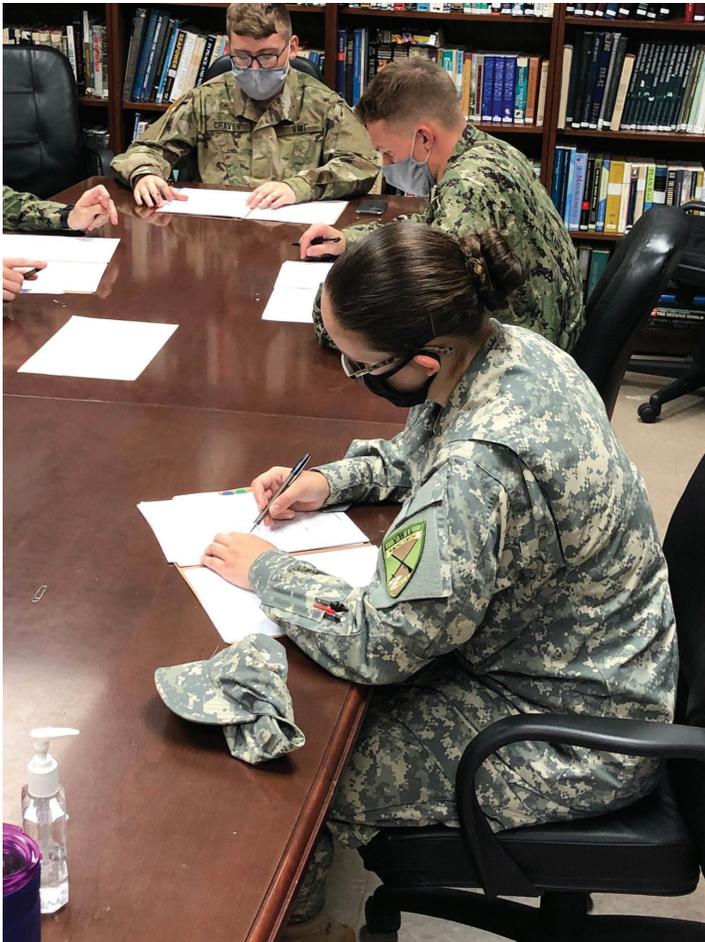
nULL Class 2024 at VMI for ROTC Orientation



First Sgt Yushchak & nULL Class of 2024 at VWIL Induction Parade



VWIL Corps and Band - August 23 2020



MIDN K. George VWIL '23 signs her Navy ROTC 3-year scholarship



ENS B. Dothard VWIL '20 administers contracting oath to MIDN T. Perrine VWIL '22



VWIL Class of 2024 ready for nULL Book Quizzing and marching



MBU Senior Class of 2021 can see themselves on this hill for commencement in May 2021



Monday Morning Formation at 0645 on the first day of classes



Push ups on Flag Pole Hill at 0630 on Training Day 1



Remembering 1Lt Sarah Small on the anniversary of her death



VWIL Class of 2024 ready for Saturday morning training



MBU Senior Class of 2021 gather for Founders' Day in their graduation regalia



VWIL Class of 2024 ready for white water rafting on the Potomac and Shenandoah rivers



Celebrating VWIL's 25th Anniversary with Wilderness Adventure in New Castle VA



Arms Issue prior to 3-hour training.



0700 Sunrise at Kable Residence Hall

TAPS

1944



Eric A. Wiltshire, of Clarkston Michigan, passed away August 23, 2019 at the age of 94. Born in Buenos Aires, Argentina. Eric attended U of M where he met and married Marcia (LaSage, Deceased) in 1951. He is survived by his 3 daughters; Susan Popelier-Howard, Brenda McIntosh, Lindsay Tobin and



his sister Brenda Thomas. Grandfather of 10, great-grandfather of 13.

1945



Howard Gibson was born on April 12, 1927 and passed away on Friday, December 13, 2019. After elementary school in Oil City, Howard continued his high school education and received his diploma from Staunton Military Academy in Staunton, VA. He then enlisted in the Army Air Corps from September 1944 - December 1946, where he served in the Philippines on active duty during WWII.



Edward H. Rowen passed away on December 11, 2019. He lived in Guilford, CT. No obituary found.

1947



Donald G. Rudert, age 90, passed away on May 2, 2020 at Green Acres Assisted Living Center in Fremont. Don was born on July 13, 1929 to Ely and Helen (Gould) Rudert in Pittsburgh, PA and attended Staunton Military Academy and later Salem College, WV. It was at this time at Salem College where he met his wife, Norma Johnson and they were married on July 30, 1949 in White Cloud. After working for his father for 5 years, Don decided to move to Norma's hometown of White Cloud and founded the Rudert Agency in 1954 and enthusiastically took part in the life of a small town. He served on the White Cloud City Council and later served as Mayor, City Planning Commission, School Board, was a member of

the Rotary Club, Summerfest Committee, White Cloud Fire Department, Newaygo County United Way, Saladin Shrine Temple of Grand Rapids, Shrine Motor Patrol, Two-Cylinder Club, and Antique Farm Equipment Club. Don was instrumental in arranging for NARCO to locate to White Cloud when the company was looking at locations to build their manufacturing facility. As a school bus driver, Don enjoyed driving the team bus to away games and working the scorer's table for home basketball games. He was an avid fan of Michigan State University Sports and The Pittsburgh Steelers. Don was a member of the Seventh Day Baptist Church of Daytona Beach, Florida and served on the denomination's General Council. He is survived by his wife Norma, their 5 children, Thomas (Cindy) Rudert of Mt. Pleasant; Eric (Michelle) Rudert of White Cloud and Traverse City; Sandra (Dan) Monahan of Birmingham, MI; Lauren (Willy) Marinez of Haslett; Gigi (David) Hines of Fremont, 15 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren, and his sister Carol (Burton) Douglass of Redmond, OR. Don's family gathered at Crandell Funeral Home on May 4 to hold private farewells.



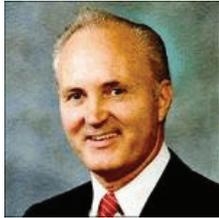
1948

Allen Jones May 24, 1930 - May 25, 2020 Voted the most likely to succeed at Staunton Military Academy (SMA), Allen "Hap" Jones, a native Washingtonian, did just that. He attended D.C. public schools and then SMU where he rose to top ranking cadet, First Captain, Regimental Commander. His distinguished



athletic and academic talent garnered him full scholarships at multiple Division I schools. He accepted a full athletic scholarship to Michigan State University (B.A. 1952) where he played on the Spartan football team that won the 1951 National Football Championship. After two years of Army service at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, Allen returned with his family to Washington, D.C. to attend Georgetown Law School, serving on the Board of Editors of the Georgetown Law Review. He was admitted to the D.C. Bar in 1957 and the Maryland Bar in 1962. During his 60 years of corporate legal representation and litigation, he held numerous positions in the D.C. Bar Association: President (1986-87) where he co-founded the Washington Lawyers Against Drugs; Chairman of the Lawyer Referral Service Committee; and President of the Research Foundation. He was a member of the Judicial Conference of D.C. and Superior Court of D.C. Civil Delay Reduction Task Force; a Superior Court Mediator; and an American Bar Association Delegate. Allen is named in the "Who's Who in American Law" and "Who's Who in the East." He also was a member of the Maryland State Bar Association and President of The Barristers Club of Washington, D.C. (1982). Noted for specialized

and reliable counsel, Allen represented numerous corporate entities, including prominent metropolitan Washington, D.C. enterprises. Allen was a longstanding partner in the law firm Wilkes, Artis, Hedrick & Lane and later worked at Hamilton & Hamilton, LLP. Throughout his life, Allen supported many community projects and fund raising. He joined the Rotary Club of Washington, D.C. in 1990 and became President in 1999. For over 20 years, he was active in charitable work for Children's Hospital—two years as Chairman of the Telethon and three years as Chairman of the Harden and Weaver Tournament. He was on the hospital's Board of Directors and later became Vice-Chairman of the Foundation. Allen is survived by his wife Cheryl Jones; his three children and their families: daughter Victoria Jones Brimmer and son-in-law Joseph Brimmer, their children, Jeffrey and wife Jennifer, Andrew, and Charles; daughter Jennifer Jones Benjamin and her sons, James and Matthew; and son Matthew Allen Jones and daughter-in-law Kim Jones and their sons Matthew and Preston.



1949

Clayton B. Armitage,

87, of Big Rapids, passed away peacefully in his home, with his family by his side, on Monday, Sept. 9, 2019. Clayton was born in Harbor Beach on Oct. 7, 1931, the son of Pearson and Mary (Boeckh) Armitage. He honorably served in the U.S. Army as a First Lieutenant in the



military police while stationed in Germany.

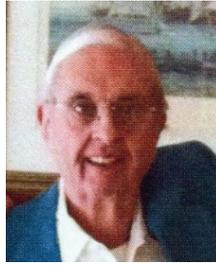
After graduating from Michigan State University with a degree in journalism, his career included a police officer, a journalist, advertising manager, owner/operator of The Sun and Snow in Cadillac and then the Big Rapids Motel and Three Knights Inn in Big Rapids.

Clayton is survived by his three loving children, Sherry Gile, Wendy (Chris Bothe) Armitage and Brad (Diann) Armitage; as well as grandchildren, Ryan (fiancee Kate Roof) Gile, Jamie (Patrick) Ruhland and Samantha Armitage; and brother, Jerry (Lynne) Armitage; as well as many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his siblings, Janet Rogers and Peter Armitage; his dear friend, Roy Johnston; and his beloved cocker spaniels, Brandy and Abby. He had a love for dogs, enjoyed traveling, reading military history and crime novels and spending time with his family. He has left us with rich memories.



1950



Andrew James Whitelaw

died Friday, January 4, 2019 at his home. He was preceded in death by his beloved first wife of 35 years, the beautiful and kind Anne Elise (Ronca) and his second wife, the gracious and energetic, Charlotte Erskine (Heffernan). He is survived by his son Seth Brooks Whitelaw, daughter-in-law Kathleen Anne Whitelaw, and grandchildren Seth Rogers Brooks Whitelaw and Joshua Nicholas Whitelaw. He is also survived by his stepchildren, James Davidson (Dave) Heffernan, James Heffernan, Jr., John Heffernan, Margaret Phelan, Mary Stanford and Patricia Neas.

William Bruce Anderson passed away this year. He attended SMA 1943-1946 no obituary available.



Charles Hughes

passed away this year.

Dear Arlene,

Very nice speaking with you on the phone this morning and as promised my father's obituary is attached. Just want you to know that my Dad thought and spoke very often about his time at SMA, he was proud of having attended school there. Thank you and all my best...

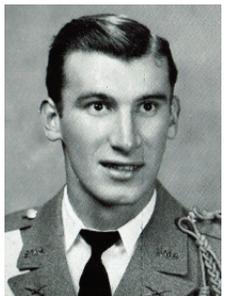
Sincerely, Mark L. Hughes



Petro Peter "Pat" Stark

passed away on June 19, 2020 at the age of 90. Predeceased by his parents, Gus and Kiratca Stark; sisters, Theopesty (Theodore) Vangellow and Athen Copanus; and brothers Michael and Louis (Sandy) Stark. He is survived by his loving wife of 66 years, Catherine Stark; his children, Peter, Rick (Kathy) Stark and Kathleen (Peter) Landers; grandchildren, Jacqueline (Jeff) Heeder, Danny, Bryan, Michael, Katelyn; great-grandson, Jaimesyn; sister-in-law, Ann Stark; and many nieces and nephews.

Pat was born and raised in Syracuse, N.Y. His parents were the owners of Stark's Bakery in Syracuse. Pat delivered bread for his father while attending Syracuse Vocational High School. He survived polio at the age of 11.



Pat and his brothers were high school sports legends in Syracuse. Pat was a standout high school football, basketball, and baseball player. He scored 78 points in a high school basketball game in 1949, the third highest single-game total in New York State history.

Pat attended Stanton Military Academy in Virginia on a scholarship prior to being awarded a football scholarship to Syracuse University in 1950. During his three seasons as the starting varsity quarterback, Pat established several school records, including most touchdown passes in a game, and helped guide the Orangemen to their first postseason game in school history - the 1953 Orange Bowl. During his senior season, Pat was named to Red Grange's All-America Team and was chosen to participate in the prestigious East-West Shrine



All-Star Game. College Football Hall of Fame Coach, Ben Schwartzwalder, called Pat the best quarterback he coached in his 25 seasons at Syracuse.

After his stellar collegiate career, Pat was selected in the second round of the 1954 NFL draft by the Pittsburgh Steelers, but was called by his country for military service. He served in the Army at Fort Dix from 1954 to 1956. Coaching was Pat's calling and he returned to his alma mater in 1956 to join Schwartzwalder's staff as an assistant. Three years later, he helped Syracuse win the national championship in football, and has participated in the team reunions ever since.

Pat went on to coach at the University of Rhode Island and Harvard University and was the primary play-caller in Harvard's stirring comeback against Yale in the classic 29-29 tie game in 1968. Despite receiving offers from Division I schools, Pat chose to accept the head coaching position at the University of Rochester in 1969 so he could be close to family and coach Division III student-athletes. His coaching career at the University of Rochester spanned 1969 to 1982, where he led the Yellowjackets to a 69-64-3 record. In 1971 Rochester Mayor, Stephen May, issued a proclamation to Pat acknowledging the 1971 team's 8 game winning streak and outstanding season. Pat was an inspiration, mentor, and life coach for his players and the coaches that followed him.

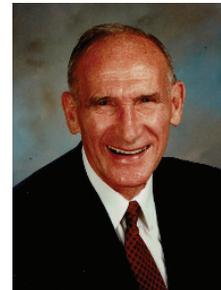
After his retirement, Pat served briefly as the school's athletic director and started the University of Rochester Athletics Hall of Fame.

Some of Pat's many honors include: Induction into the Greater Syracuse Hall of Fame in 1995; the University of Rochester Athletics Hall of Fame in 2000; the Frontier Field Walk of Fame in 2000, and the Hellenic Athletic Hall of Fame (Order of the Ahepa). In 1991, he was named a Letter Winner of Distinction at Syracuse University, and in 2013 received the Distinguished Alumni Award from the Syracuse University Alumni Club of Rochester.

The Pat Stark Endowed Fund for Football was established in 2014 to honor his legacy. He was revered by his many U of R players who held an annual coaches' dinner in his honor.

Pat was a dedicated parishioner at the Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church. He cherished his time with his family and friends. He had many hobbies including refinishing antiques, reading history books and his many tours to Normandy, France.

The family would like to thank the doctors, nurses, and staff of University of Rochester Medical Center for the medical care and support that Pat received over the past years.



1956

Lee Lawrence. Long-time Naval Academy swim coach, remembered for dedication and love of life Lee W. Lawrence, loving husband, father, and grandpa passed away peacefully while surrounded by family from complications due to a stroke on October 9, 2020 at the age of 82 in Jacksonville, Florida. Lee was always ready with a bear hug, a smile, and a wink, and took great pride in his family, enjoying spending time with



his wife, children, and grandchildren. Lee, born in 1938 in Pennsylvania and known to many through the years as "Coach" or "Lou," attended Staunton Military Academy and was on the varsity swim team. He entered the University of Missouri in 1956 to study chemical engineering before deciding that he "did not want to spend my working life in a green cubicle." He transferred to Springfield College, where he studied physical education and swam on the college team. Lee graduated in 1960 and entered the Navy's Officer Candidate School where he spent three years on active duty before returning to Springfield for graduate school.

Lee started his coaching career at Geneseo College in New York, where he spent two years as Assistant Professor Physical Education and men's and women's swimming coach. Lee began coaching for the U.S. Naval Academy Swim Team in 1967 and retired in 2003, a 36-year career with the last 30 as the head coach. Over the years, he also served a number of seasons as head coach of the women's swimming team and the men's water polo team. After retiring, Lee moved to St. Augustine, FL, in 2005 seeking warmer weather because "you don't have to shovel sunshine." Inspiring many swimmers over his years of dedicated coaching, he started volunteering with local swim teams and high school programs, continuing until his death. Lee had many friends and colleagues who respected both his work ethic and love of life. Lee is survived by his wife, Mary Lawrence of St. Augustine, FL, brother



Richard Lawrence, children Ed (Nancy) Lawrence, Drew (Alina Martinez) Lawrence, Mike (Scott Gallagher) Rivers, Jennifer Rivers, Casey Burns, and Matt Burns, and his grandchildren Courtney Lawrence, Haley Lawrence, and Emma Rivers. He was predeceased by his wife Betty Lawrence, his son Lee (Jay) Lawrence, Jr., his brother Larry Lawrence, and his mother and father Lois Potts and James C. Lawrence. A memorial service will be held in St. Augustine

at a later date. A memorial service will also be scheduled at a later date in Annapolis, Maryland. St. John's Family Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.



Al Rossy '74 and Lee Lawrence '56 when they got together in Florida

1957

Donald Kenneth Carey died Tuesday Feb. 11, 2020, at home. Born in New Jersey, he was the son of the late Zenia and Joshua Carey; and a stepfather, William Shipley. He worked as a teacher for the Harford and Caroline County school boards and St. Francis de Sales Catholic School. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Mildred Davidson Carey; a brother, Joshua; three children, Kenneth Mitchell Carey, Cassandra Collins and Kelly Carey; three grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.



1958

Eric Traphagen, 79, formerly of Boothbay, Maine passed on to his next life on July 30, 2019, his 31st wedding anniversary.



Eric was born and raised in Erie, Pennsylvania. He finished the last two years of high school at Staunton Military Academy in Virginia, then received a bachelor of arts degree from Oberlin College in Ohio, majoring in political science.

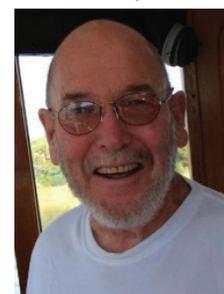
Eric spent the beginning of his career in a few white collar jobs, the favorite one as an advertising executive at Polaroid in Cambridge, Massachusetts, where he was able to travel to Australia and the Far East. At that time he lived in Marblehead and Groton, Massachusetts. However, Eric was never comfortable in a suit and he left the corporate world. He spent a year in a Buddhist monastery in California, then homesteaded in Nova Scotia. Following this, he arrived in Newburyport, Massachusetts in the mid-1970s during its redevelopment wearing a hammer holster and having a desire to work with his hands. He found his art and passion, becoming a master woodworker.

In 1996 Eric moved to Boothbay and built a woodworking shop in his barn at his home on Sawyer's Island. He continued to do what he loved, primarily custom finish carpentry and designing and building furniture.

Eric was an avid boater and always had at least one boat on his dock and mooring. He and his wife took many long sailing trips anywhere between Nova Scotia and the Leeward Islands. After his last two-year boating trip, he settled in Stuart, Florida for his final 3 1/2 years. He spent this time more avidly reading about nautical exploration and American history, and enjoying winter visits from family and long-time friends. He was very content.

He died unexpectedly while getting ready for bed, after cooking a dinner that he announced to his wife he was very proud of. He never suffered, for which we all were very grateful. His final words were "I had a great day!"

Eric is survived by his wife Brigit Britton who already misses him very very much; his brother and sister-in-law, Michael and Dianne Traphagen of Asheville, North Carolina; his sister, Susan Hanley and her family of Newport News, Virginia; his sister-in-law Kelley Garry of East Hampstead, New Hampshire and her long-time companion Michael Shea; many nieces and nephews, and many long time and new friends from all over.



1959

William (Bill) J. Koonce, Jr. was 79 years young.

He passed away on Sunday, July 12, 2020 in Rockledge Regional Medical Center, Brevard County, FL. Bill was born in Kinston, NC, and moved to Florida in 1976 after an eventful and adventurous young life.

Bill was in the US Navy active service for two years before enrolling in East Carolina University, where



he met Maria, an exchange student from Uruguay. Their romantic encounter paralleled the story of Tony and Maria in the then Broadway hit, 'West Side Story,' except theirs had a happy ending. Bill and Maria married in Uruguay, and had their son, Michael, there. They moved back to the United States in 1965, and he completed his Bachelor's Degree in Industrial Engineering. The family expanded with a daughter, Maria-Paula.

After a successful career in textiles and electronics, Bill joined his wife in the field of education, specifically the Adult program of English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) in Broward County, FL. He held two Masters Degrees: one in Business Administration and one in Teaching. They enjoyed a lively period in their professional life conducting trainings throughout the state and became known as 'Batman and Robin.'

The surprising and destructive visits from Katrina and Wilma to South Florida in 2005 were very persuasive: retirement to a less congested and exposed area led him and Maria to Brevard County. They moved to Lost Lakes, where they found friendship and camaraderie. In their book 'Retirement Rocks' they describe this stage of their lives: the activities and trips that provided them with rich global exploration and fun, always supported and encouraged by their family and many friends.



His mother-in-law said of Bill: "Si no existieras habria que inventarte..." (If you did not exist, we would have had to invent you). Bill was a truly genuine person, literally incapable of pretense or telling a lie; he was loyal and faithful in all his relationships particularly to the love of his life, Maria; he was 'Papi,' not only to his two children but to the granddaughters, great-grands and generations of their cousins and pals; he had a quick and sharp sense of humor along with the warmth that comes from real, deep caring; he was the ultimate 'people person' (one very British friend once commented: "Bill Koonce can talk to the rocks!... And the rocks will talk right back to him!") He was passionate about music, a graceful dancer (the 'twist' was his specialty); a talented 'Elvis' himself, relishing his many Karaoke sessions and his choral performances in the Lost Lakes community.

Bill is survived by his son, Michael, and wife, Jenny, in Oregon; by his daughter Maria Paula Corley, from the west coast of Florida, by Scott Corley; by his brother, Bruce Koonce, and sister, Marion Koonce Haines, and husband, Marvin, from Pennsylvania. His grandchildren are Amanda Turner, Candice Griego, Savannah Saxon, Madison Corley, Darby, and Brady Schrader, with their respective spouses or 'beaus'. His great grandchildren are Alahna, Elijah, Nyjah, Liam, Noah, Olivia Grace, and Branch.

1961

Phillip Stanley Carletti, 85, of Stuarts Draft, Virginia, passed into the presence of Jesus on Monday, August 24 at 12:43 am, after a long battle with Alzheimer's disease.



Phillip was born on April 30th, 1935 in Plymouth Massachusetts. He graduated from Plymouth High School and later attended Bates College in Maine. After college he served in the United States Marine Corps and the Marine Corps Reserve retiring as a Lieutenant Colonel.

Phillip spent most of his career as a teacher and coach at various institutions. In 1961 he joined Staunton Military Academy and taught history, and coaching football and track. In 1967, he returned to Massachusetts where he continued teaching and coaching at Masconomet Regional High School. It was during this time that Phillip received his master's degree in Special Education from Simmons College.

In 1995, Phillip retired from teaching, and he and his wife Lois returned to Staunton, Virginia. He became active in the local community by serving with Staunton Military Academy Alumni Association, Shenandoah Valley Athletic Association, and Marquis Memorial Hospital.

Phillip was an avid athlete throughout his life. He played football, basketball and baseball at Plymouth High School. In 1956, he was a part of the Bates football team that won the state college championship, and he was named to the All-State Team. He began his coaching career at Staunton Military Academy where he coached football, baseball and track. After moving to Massachusetts, he continued coaching football and track and Masconomet Regional High School, where he was named track coach of the year in 1992.



Phillip will be remembered for his unwavering faith in God, his devotion to mentor young men and women, his steadfast integrity, and a life of compassionately serving and caring for those in need. Phillip never turned down a request for help, no matter who it came from, day or night. He truly considered the needs of others before his own.

Phillip was a kind and loving husband to his wife, Lois, as well as an amazing father to their sons, Michael (Sarah) and Steven (Michelle). He also leaves behind grandchildren, Mason, Lauren, Anna, Johnathan, Timothy, and Daniel.

James L. Poole from the class of 1961 and passed away February 23, 2020. He was from Durham, NC.

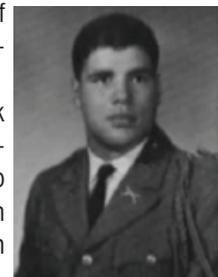
1962

Salvador "Sal" Garcia, Jr., 76, of Sloansville, NY, passed away on Monday, August 17, 2020, following a brief illness.

Sal was born on April 5, 1944 in New York City, a son of Salvador and Juanita (Milan) Garcia, Sr. He attended the Don Bosco Boys Prep School in Ramsey, New Jersey, and after high school he furthered his education with a football scholarship to Virginia Tech, where he played for the school and earned his BA in Business. On January 25, 1965 he married Beverly (Zayas) Garcia, and together they raised a family and moved to Sloansville.

Sal's passion for football extended beyond his college career. His favorite spot was in his living room, with the game on the big-screen. It didn't matter what the game was. When football wasn't in season other athletics would fill the screen and Sal loved them all. As much of a sports fan as he was, the one thing he loved more than his teams was his family.

Sal is survived by his wife of 55 years, Beverly Garcia of Sloansville; his two children, Salvador Garcia, III of Casa Grande, AZ, and Lisa Marie (Brian) Maughan of Cobleskill, NY; three grandchildren, Michael J. Garcia, Taylor Maughan, and Cole Maughan; and a brother Michael (Kathy) Garcia of Potomac, MD. He was predeceased by his parents.



1963

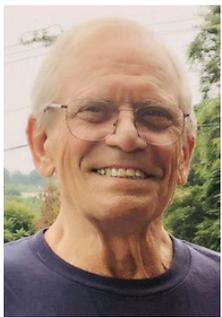
Thomas R. Griffiths. We regret to inform you that Thomas R. Griffiths passed away April 26th of 2020 at 9 pm. He will be unable to attend the 9th annual reunion for your academy. He spent two years as an MP in the army as a Special Courier. He was a Lab Tech at US Steel. He was the owner of Magi Cleaning Co. in Lake County, OH.





John Guilford Robinson. I'm John's younger sister and wanted to advise of his passing on July 16, 2020. His health had not been great and he succumbed to the COVID19 virus. He was born on October 25, 1944 and is pre-deceased by his wife of 53 years Nomie Robinson. He is survived by his son Michael Robinson, daughter-in-law Erin and grandchildren Jake and Emma. Thank you, Nancy R. Boucher

1965



Alan Worsky passed away on February 29, 2020. Alan Worsky passed away on Saturday, February 29, 2020, in Charlottesville, Va. He was a resident of Troy, Va. Born in Newark, N.J., he was the son of the late John and Olga Worsky. He is survived by his two children, Jamie Worsky (Billy Loving) and John Worsky; grandchildren, Heather Shiflett, Cody Shiflett (Dana Hensley), Nathan Worsky, Nicholas Worsky, and Saylor Davis-Worsky; his sister, Sandra Bromberg and her husband, Dr.

Charles Bromberg; his two nephews, Ronald Bromberg (Patty Bromberg) and Brian Bromberg (Heather Bromberg); his niece, Jodi Bromberg (Courtney Dunne), four great-grandchildren and a host of many great nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. "Fish on Alan"



1967



Jess S. Hayden, 71, of West Chester/Malvern passed away peacefully at his mother's home on March 31st under hospice care. Known as "the bald guy with one leg" around the town of Malvern he was always ready to lend a hand or greet you with a smile.

He was a graduate of Staunton Military academy in Virginia. Upon high school he joined the Marines, earning a Purple Heart and Bronze

Star after being wounded in the Vietnam War. Honorably discharged after losing his leg he worked full time at Wyeth until his retirement in 2004, as well as many part time jobs.

He is survived by his mother, Dorothy Misetic, sister Eva Misetic, and cousins Patricia Wright, Larry Beatty, and Darlene Walker.

Jess was a proud Marine who honored all veterans at the memorial park by placing flags on their graves for Memorial Day every year for 35 years. We will continue and honor his legacy at remembrance service with a Marine Honor Guard held at Philadelphia Memorial Park, 124 Phoenixville Pike Frazer, on May 23rd at noon.

1968

Robert "Bob" Brittingham, 70, of Selbyville, Del., passed away on Sunday, Aug. 16, 2020, at Delaware Hospice Center. He was born June 9, 1950, in Salisbury Md., son of the late Lester and Ruth Brittingham.

He was born and raised in Ocean City, Md., and was the owner of Britt's Market at 15th Street and Philadelphia Avenue. He loved Ocean City and always talked of happy times growing up there. He often spoke of the many lifelong friends that he made there, including his friends from The Hideaway Lounge, Pirates Den and his bowling, pool and golfing buddies. After being diagnosed with Mesothelioma in 2011, he became active with the Mesothelioma Foundation, becoming a new patient mentor and advocate. He was happy to complete his bucket list, including traveling across the country with his wife and attending a Tim McGraw/Faith Hill concert. He loved the song "Live Like You Were Dying."

Brittingham attended Ocean City Elementary School and graduated from Staunton Military Academy in 1968. He also attended Chesapeake College.

In addition to his parents, Lester and Ruth (Schaeffer) Brittingham, he was preceded in death by a sister-in-law, Sharon Pryer Aukamp.

Brittingham is survived by his wife, Sheila; daughter, Laura and her wife, Keena; son, Michael and his wife, Jessica; stepchildren, Heather Martin and Nathan Martin and his wife, Vicky; five grandchildren whom he loved dearly, Luci, Avery, Tenley, Anna and Wesley Robert; and by his constant companion, Toby.



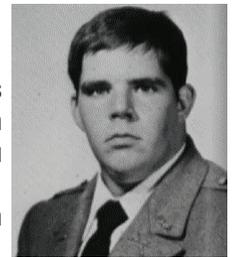
1973

Clem Alan Long, 60, of Point Pleasant, passed away unexpectedly on July 22, 2015. He worked for 34 years at M&G Polymers Plant, in Apple Grove, WV. Clem was a veteran of the United States Marine Corps. He was a member of the United Steelworkers of America, Local 644L. He was also a member of Main St. Baptist Church. He was born September 23, 1954, a son to the late John and Doris (Humphreys) Long.

Clem was a loving husband, devoted father and grandfather who leaves behind his wife of 24 years, Brenda (Sopp) Long; his sons, Jonathan (Ragan) Osborne, Joshua (Stephanie) Osborne and Jerrod Long; granddaughter, Scarlett Osborne; brother, Glenn (Linda) Long; four sisters, Lydia Davis, Karen (Dave) Jackson, Debra (John) Bryant, Ellen and Joe Smith; and several nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts and many friends and co-workers.

Clem's life will be remembered at 3 p.m., Sunday, July 26, 2015, at the Crow-Hussell Funeral Home, with Rev. James Kelly, III officiating. Visitation will be held at the funeral home from 1 p.m. until 3 p.m. Military honors will be rendered by military personnel from within his family.

Clem's care and the care of the Long family have been entrusted to Crow-Hussell Funeral Home. You may offer condolence to the family by visiting: www.crowhussellfh.com.





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	(can be cut to sizes up to 50 inches)		
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