



# AMES HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI NEWSLETTER

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## AHSAA Annual Scholarships - \$3,000 Awarded

Three Ames High School seniors each received a \$1,000 scholarship from the Ames High School Alumni Association. The scholarships were awarded based on grade point, student involvement and financial need. Two scholarships were funded from the AHSAA memorial donations for at least second generation seniors. One scholarship was funded from general AHSAA donations. Congratulations to these outstanding AHS seniors. Ames Hi Aims High continues on!



**Lora Van Marel** is the daughter of Steve '77 and Denise (Dennis) '76 Van Marel. She was active in band, speech club, school plays, dance programs and Girl Scouts while also working at the Ames Public Library. Lora plans to attend Iowa State University to become an elementary school teacher.



**Trevor Smith** is the son of Eric '90 and Connie (Buck) '71 Bappe and the grandson of Jim Buck '45. He participated in four years of baseball and football and two years of basketball. He also coached Parks and Rec T-ball and worked at the Kiliper Corporation. Trevor will attend the University of Iowa majoring in Sports Management and Coaching.



**Sarah Bean** is the daughter of Roger and Debbie Bean. She was a senior mentor, involved in Senior Girl's Club, intramural basketball and a reporter for the Web. Sarah plans to attend Iowa State University majoring in Business.

**Also, Congratulations to all  
370 Class of 2003 graduates!**

## AHSAA Golf Outing Returns

We are proud to announce the revival of the annual Ames High School Alumni Golf Outing. The event will be held Saturday, July 5, 2003, at Veenker Memorial Golf Course in Ames. It is open to all alumni, teachers and guests.

There have been some changes made from the past golf outings, starting with a shotgun start at 8:00 am. As in the past, the format will be a 4-person best shot. We currently are committed to Veenker Golf Course for 72 golfers, or 15 foursomes.

The cost of this event will be \$45.00. This will include green fees, cart, lunch and prizes for all levels of play. If you are a holder of a membership at Veenker, your cost will be \$18.50. The clubhouse at Veenker will handle all registrations which can be sent as teams or as individuals. A registration form is on page 10 of this newsletter.

For the latest information on the golf outing, go to [www.ahsalum.org](http://www.ahsalum.org) or contact Kerry Ferguson '75 (KerFerg@aol.com, 515-290-9879). Thank you, Kerry, for taking on the revival of the golf outing!

## Distinguished Alumni

Each Fall, in conjunction with the Ames High School Athletic Hall of Fame recognition, the AHSAA honors one Ames High graduate as our Distinguished Alum. This award is based solely on what the graduate has done and/or contributed to society since graduation.

We are always eager to add to our list of candidates for this honor. You may nominate such an individual by sending the name and supporting criteria for the award to: AHSAA, 1921 Ames High Drive, Ames, IA, 50010.

**W. C. Ripp, AHSAA Secretary**

## Class of 1947 --- 55th Reunion

October 18, 19 and 20 in 2002 was the memorable occasion of the Class of 1947's 55th reunion. It was a never-to-be-forgotten wonderful event. Spouses included, we had a turnout of about 76 people.

The committee - Alice (Blanchard) Akin (Texas), Chuck Dodd (Hawaii), Bill Smith (our only home-towner) and Delores (Switzer) Riccitiello (California) did it all via e-mail and lots of encouragement. Special thanks to George Turner for the fabulous job he did as MC, to Ted Grinstead our photographer, to Norm Jackson who led us in prayer, to Norm Brown and Dave Bechtel who spoke briefly, to Alice and Chuck Akin for the great picture name tags, to Darlene Bell for the awesome homemade baked goods, to Chuck Dodd for getting out the mailings, and to Bill Smith who did such a terrific job as treasurer.

As Ron House said, "We really had some special classmates, didn't we?" We are so fortunate to have had

this chance to once again hug and laugh and talk with so many of them. The hospitality room was always open with food and classmates, pictures and friends. The barbecue at Hickory Park was lots of fun and delicious. The football game was truly a success. Who would have thought it would have been so much fun? Alice Akin, Chuck Dodd and Jean Jones turned back the clock by leading us with a few cheers. The formal banquet was wonderful. Great food and great people. Everyone there spoke briefly and shared what had been going on recently in their lives.

Cheers to all the classmates who came from near and far. Everyone agreed that it was more than worth it. There was an overwhelming "YES" to the question posed as to whether we wanted to do this again in 2007. So take care and see you then. Be there or be square! Any volunteers to head up the next one?

**Delores (Switzer) Riccitiello '47**



**Front:** Joe Elwell, Ray Taylor, Norman Brown, Jack Knight, Dick Anderson, Al Bourne, Bob Borgmeyer, Richard Arrasmith.

**Middle:** Don Miller, Jean (Jones) Engle, Alicia (Giebelstein) Hotchkiss, Phyllis (Eschbach) Schulz, Eleanor (Breckenridge) Gates, Esther (Breckenridge) Blackburn, Mary Lou (Butler) Hines, Dolores (Lodden) McAllister, Joyce (Murphy) Maller, Elinor (Schultz) Bratton, Patty (Smith) Dieterich, Liz (Beard) Zink, Dorothy (Litchfield) Bower.

**Back:** Keith Taylor, Norman Jackson, John Daine, Faith (Fitch) Jackson, Bruce Gore, Max Hines, Bob Ernst, Delores (Switzer) Riccitiello, Ron House, Lois (Knutson) Moore, Chester Holland, Darlene (Bell) Nelson, Dave Bechtel, Alice (Blanchard) Akin, Conrad Lawlor, Virginia (Miller) Messick, Bob Egemo, Luella (Hanson) Ernst, Ray Kooser, Lyla (Day) McCandless, Chuck Dodd, Shirley (Carter) Beatty, Bill Smith, Alice (Ferguson) Holmes, Commodore Litchfield, George Turner, Ted Grinstead.

### ----- Upcoming Reunions -----

**Walker Reunion** - August 3, 2003

**1943** October 10-12, 2003  
Contact Margery (Osborne) Hale  
MHale25@aol.com  
2849 Greensboro Circle, Ames, 50014

**1944** October 2, 2004

**1958** September 5-7, 2003  
Contact Linda Woodworth

**1968** July 4-6 2003  
Contact Carolyn (Westvold) Tostey 515-232-0085

**1973** July 18-19, 2003

Contact David and Janet (Seim) Bunker  
Katie (Rozeboom) Rice

**1978** August 8-9, 2003

RSVP by June 15th to: Beth (Staggs) Fawkes  
1513 Linden Dr., Ames, 50010

**1983** August 15-16, 2003

Contact Robert W. "Bob" Gostomski  
515-225-7463  
bgostomski@mueller-yurgae.com

## Alumni Still Aiming High

**Don Payer '46**, has been an attorney in Ames for nearly 50 years; however, he is also an ordained Episcopal minister. He has held the unpaid position of the chaplain of the Story County Jail for seven years. Payer holds three worship services each Sunday and also offers one-on-one counseling and Bible studies. Payer states, "There are people in jail who are trying to do better. They need to become a part of the community. The public needs to invite them to church, help them get jobs."

**Norton Mezvinsky '50**, Professor of History at Central Connecticut State University (CCSU) and a distinguished scholar and teacher, was recently awarded the title of Connecticut State University Professor. "It is a signal honor, reserved for faculty members who fulfill the highest ideals of outstanding teaching, scholarly achievement and public service," said Lawrence D. McHugh, chair of the CCSU Board of Trustees. Dr. Mezvinsky has been with CCSU since 1968 and is only the fifth CCSU professor to receive this honor.

**Dan Craig '69** was recently awarded the Dudley S. Triplett Award given by the Ames Board of Realtors. The award is given to a Realtor who possesses several qualities, first of which is an inherent desire to be honest in all dealings both to the public and to competitors. Craig has overcome adversity in his life and is dedicated to his clients, his community, his board and his family.

**Matt Triplett '83** died in October 2002; however, his memory is living on at Ames High School. The Matt Triplett Memorial Fund recently purchased a brand new \$2,800 Pearl drum set for the high school. The school did not have a drum set. "This was Matt's passion; he was thrilled to be in the band," said Gretchen Triplett, Matt's mother.

**John Pelzer '84** was named the mecsports.com M.E.C. Conference Football Coach of the Year. He coached the 2002 Maryville, MO Spoofhounds to an 8-2 record. His career record is 63-25 in nine seasons as head coach. Pelzer also coached seven seasons at Hubbard-Radcliffe in Iowa leading them to the 2000 Class A State Championship. He lives in Maryville with wife Amanda and sons Mason (9) and Traye (6).

**Derek Anderson '87** illustrated the children's book "Little Quack", written by Lauren Thompson, which recently hit No. 8 on the New York Times Bestseller list. Anderson graduated from Iowa State University in drawing and painting and now lives in Minneapolis, MN.

## AHS Today

### \$10 Million Bond Issue Passes

The city of Ames recently passed a \$10 million bond issue for Ames High School. The funds will provide improvements to the learning environment including new classroom lighting, ceiling repairs and air conditioning. New lockers are planned for the gymnasium and swimming pool areas and a new cafeteria will be added to the front of the building. A sprinkler system will improve building safety.

### Teams Finish at the Top

Congratulations to the Destination Imagination team that will compete in the Global Finals in Tennessee after winning the state competition. Also, congratulations to the Science Olympiad team that won the Iowa State Science Olympiad for the 10th straight year, qualifying them to attend the National Science Olympiad competition at Ohio State University. And congratulations to AHS Quiz Bowl teams. They surpassed expectations when the A, B and C teams placed first, second and third consecutively in their regional competition.

### Swimming First

Andrew VanMeter, senior, became the only Iowa swimmer with eight individual state titles. He became the first person to win two state titles each year for four consecutive years.

The boys swim team finished second at the state swim meet for the third year in a row. They won every single dual or invitational that they participated in except for the state tournament. "It was an awesome season, we had a great time, and we couldn't really ask for more," VanMeter said.

### Special Olympics

Ames High School qualified nine Special Olympic swimmers for the state summer games. Also two aquatics relay teams will compete at the state meet.

### Art Award

Ames High School Junior Kai Tanaka was named as one of 25 national merit winners in the Imation Computer Arts Scholarship program for his entry titled "A Place of Childhood." Tanaka will receive a \$1,000 award for being chosen from more than 500 students from 45 states.

### Key into Reading

Ames High School's Key Club collected over 250 gently used books to be given to patients in the Mary Greeley Medical Center. The book drive, called Key Into Reading, was run entirely by volunteers and is just one of many charitable causes Key Club has contributed to this year.

### Hooked on Crochet

A dozen girls and 4 boys have started the Crochet Club at Ames High. "It feels productive," said a student. "It's a life skill, it's relaxing, and you can make things."

## Memorials

The Ames High School Alumni Association has received the following memorials since the last newsletter. Memorial funds go into the Memorial Scholarship Fund for AHS seniors.

In memory of

**Dorothy Jo Timmons '58**  
by John Timmons '64

In memory of

**Donald W. Young '41**  
**James N. Taylor '61**  
**Alice "Mickey" (Hockman) Ersland '42**  
by Donald W. Young '61

In memory of

**Thomas W. McDowell '51**  
by Mary Jo (McDowell) Mount '56

In memory of

**David R. Erickson '70**  
by Bradley K. Sills '70

In memory of

**Patrick W. Callahan '77**  
by Bonny (Bruce) Callahan '51

In memory of

**Frank E. Brown, Jr '33**  
by Louise (Brown) Dengler '41

In memory of

**Everett Ritland, staff**  
by Anonymous '65

In memory of

**Frank E. Brown, Jr '33**  
by Holmes M. Brown '33

In memory of

**James Lorette Opheim '44**  
by Rachel (Opheim) Lohafer '67

In Honor of

**Dale Breon '46**  
by Robert C. Long '46

In memory of

**Christine (Hakes) Manning '69**  
by Carol S. Warner '69

In memory of

**Donald L. Arney '50**  
by David '50 and Norma (Roelofsen)'50 Bappe

## Some Have Left Us

The following alumni are known to have died in recent years. Those listed in previous newsletters are omitted here. Some information is incomplete. If you have more information or unreported deaths, please advise the AHSAA.

**A complete listing of all known deceased alumni is available at [www.ahsalum.org](http://www.ahsalum.org).**

<u>Class</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Date of Death</u>	<u>Place of Death</u>
1921	Platt, Gertrude (Murray)	12-3-2002	Santa Barbara, Calif.
1924	Davis, Carrie Viola (Larson)	1-5-2002	Ames, Iowa
1925	Pecaro, Marjorie (Neal)	6-5-2001	Escondido, Calif.
1927	Mansfield, Josef V.	2-10-1992	Columbus, Ohio
1928	Hagen, Fred M.	3-5-1996	Des Moines, Iowa
1928	MacDonald, Gilmour Craig	1-1-2003	Shalimar, Fla.
1928	Mather, Robert E.	1-7-2002	Houston, Texas
1928	Porter, Ida May (Kennedy)	2-8-2003	Ames, Iowa
1928	Reiss, Anna Glenn (Maitland)	4-16-2003	Traverse City, Mich.
1929	Melton, Pearl Mary (Sheahan)	1-12-2000	Eagle Point, Ore.
1930	Johnson, Dorothea Helen (Freed)	1-23-2002	Oklahoma City, Okla.
1931	Davis, Helen Dora (Madden)	2-12-2003	Paoli, Pa.
1932	Dodds, Robert Harold	9-29-2002	Laguna Woods, Calif.
1932	MacRae, John Murray	10-4-2002	Los Gatos, Calif.
1934	Wright, Louise Annette (Olson)	3-18-2003	Waterloo, Iowa
1935	Hawks, Blanche M. (Rehnbloom)	2-12-2003	Des Moines, Iowa
1936	Menze, Marcia Maurine (Park)	11-8-2002	Beaverton, Ore.
1936	Thomas, Homer Earl	12-23-1999	Panama City, Fla.
1936	Zander, Joel C.	10-2-2002	?
1937	Baker, Ross Junior	11-26-2000	Brookings, S. D.
1937	Neff, R. Wilson	3-25-2003	Wheat Ridge, Colo.
1937	Olive, Max L.	1-9-2003	Hamilton, Mont.
1939	Hug, Muriel Covert (Park)	3-19-2001	?
1939	Polhemus, Martin Spencer	3-5-2002	Coeur d'Alene, Idaho
1940	Benn, Ruth Elinor (Zimmerman)	4-15-2003	Des Moines, Iowa
1941	Effler, Millie E. (Morrison)	1-22-2003	Escondido, Calif.
1941	Johnson, Lillian Irene (Johnson)	12-24-2001	Sioux City, Iowa
1941	Major, Charles Iverson	2-9-2003	Hendersonville, N. C.

In memory of

**Max L. Olive '37**  
by Richard H. Anderson '47

In memory of

**Max L. Olive '37**  
by Donald K. Anderson '37

In memory of

**Timothy A. Haviland '78**  
by Sharron L. Clemons '73

In memory of

**Barbara (Wright) Lantz '46**  
by Virginia (Wright) Lewis '57

In memory of

**Phyllis (Buttolph) Dillavou '32**  
**Friends of AHS Class of 1933**  
by Uryth J. Dillavou '33

In memory of

**John A. Lawson '56**  
by Marjorie (Lawson) Burman '54

In memory of

**James Hall Anderson '41**  
by Phyllis (Anderson) Rademacher '42

In memory of

**Millie (Morrison) Effler '41**  
by Betty J. (Morrison) Sinnott '46

In memory of

**Lisa (Sogard) Tate '82**  
by Angela (Ulvestad) Newton '82

In memory of

**Tim Haviland '78**  
by Cathy J. Christopher '79

## Some Have Left Us (cont.)

<u>Class</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Date of Death</u>	<u>Place of Death</u>
1941	Rinehart, Guy Sherman	11-23-2001	Sacramento, Calif.
1942	Heasty, Wanda Joyce (Penney)	9-5-2002	Nashville, Tenn.
1942	Lee, Bertha M. (Cassady)	4-12-2003	Ames, Iowa
1943	Davis, Kenneth Hanmer	12-14-2001	Springfield, Mo.
1943	Fjare, Lloyd G.	2-4-2003	St. Cloud, Minn.
1943	Griffen, Donald Charles	11-14-1999	Cedar Falls, Iowa
1944	Kingkade, Donald Ray	4-8-2003	San Diego, Calif.
1944	Lorch, Robert S.	1-28-2003	Colorado Springs, Colo.
1944	Schory, Robert A.	1-29-2001	Boulder, Colo.
1945	Comstock, Robert Dewey	12-14-2002	Baxter, Iowa
1945	Davis, Harry Raymond	2-24-2003	McAllen, Texas
1946	Nelson, Stanley Harris	3-26-1985	Memphis, Tenn.
1947	Schauer, Nancy Clair (Wilson)	2-7-2003	Riverside, Ill.
1948	Grant, John A.	1-14-2003	Ames, Iowa
1949	Graham, Marilyn (Anderson)	3-15-2003	Blue Springs, Mo.
1951	Olmsted, Ellen Jane (Gaskill)	1-13-2002	Tempe, Ariz.
1954	Buchele, Marcia Lynn (Moore)	3-19-2003	Ames, Iowa
1955	Elder, Martha Ann	1-21-2003	Dexter, Mich.
1955	Schroder, Shirley Esta (Wilson)	8-12-2001	Baltimore, Md.
1955	Waller, Mary Louise (McCardle)	12-9-2002	Mason City, Iowa
1956	Anderson, Gayle Lovette	1-7-2003	Baker City, Ore.
1960	Mell, Edward Benjamin "Ben"	2-24-2003	Ames, Iowa
1963	Agard, Kenneth Kim	2-13-2003	Rohnert Park, Calif.
1964	Peters, Jerry Michael	11-27-2002	St. Louis, Mo.
1964	Watkins, Terrence Alvin	3-24-2000	Arlington, Texas
1965	Carlson, James Edward	12-22-2002	Ames, Iowa
1967	Hawthorne, Marilyn (Smit)	12-30-2002	Antioch, Calif.
1969	Gossard, John Thomas	12-5-2002	Clear Lake, Iowa
1975	Evans, Jeffrey Lynn	11-8-2002	Osceola, Iowa
1979	Ryan, Cheryl Ann (Hanson)	6-12-2002	Crested Butte, Colo.
1983	Newell, Joel Scott	2-13-2003	Ames, Iowa
1997	Wee, Matthew Alan	4-13-2003	Ames, Iowa
2001	Hafermann, Matthew David	12-28-2002	Ames, Iowa
Staff	Johnson, Alice P.	11-15-2001	Columbus, Ohio

In memory of

**Laura (Wilkin) Allen '40**

by Barbara (Caine) Bogle '40

In memory of

**Daniel James Anderson '77**

by Gloria (Anderson) Fink '43

In memory of

**Arthur & Evelyn Skeie**

by Larry J. Skeie '60 (son)

In memory of

**Robert Daniel Schaeffer '58**

by Sandra (Schaeffer) Bailey '55

In memory of

**Marilyn (Anderson) Graham '49**

by Don '52 & Janice Anderson

In memory of

**Daniel J. Anderson '77**

by Chris & Lynn Fink

In memory of

**R. Wilson Neff '37**

by Robert J. Neff '41

In memory of

**Ben Mell '60**

by The Fox 1

In memory of

**Helen Farni Williams '38**

by Bernice (Farni)  
Hutchison '32 (sister)

## Donation to AHS Media Center

The AHSAA recently granted a request from Nancy Buck, Ames High School Media Specialist, for \$1,500. The funding will help support a technology project that will provide high school students without the ability to create, edit and produce videos for class projects.

The equipment, which includes a digital video camera and a PC wireless laptop computer will allow students to use iMovie to produce projects. This equipment will be available in the media center for students to checkout.

An additional \$3,300 was provided by Superintendent W. Ray Richardson through the Ames Education Foundation, Ames Community School District technology department and the Ames High School Student Council to fund this project.

## Books Tell Ames' History

The AHSAA continues to offer five books that describe the history of Ames in unique ways. All are full of pictures to spark your memories of school days at Ames High School. An order form for all books is on page 7.

**AHSAA Directory:** Lists all alumni plus includes 52 pages of pictures from all Spirits from 1920-2000.

**Once Upon A Time** by I. W. (Red) Milliken '51: Highlights the 1950 AHS State Champion football team. Also, a delightful look at Ames in the 40's and 50's.

**Ames-From Marsh to Modern City** by Farwell Brown '29: A collection of nearly sixty stories about Ames.

**Ames in Word and Picture** by Farwell Brown '29: Further tales and personal memories.

**Ames-A Ride Through Town on the Dinkey** by Farwell Brown '29: Brown's newest book, contains 220 pictures.

## --- AHSAA thanks you for financial support ---

The Ames High School Alumni Association has received donations or memorials from the following supporters during the 2002 calendar year. Thank you to all alumni and friends who have generously sent contributions to the AHSAA. All contributions are greatly appreciated and make it possible to provide support to our various projects. Memorial donations go entirely into the Memorial Scholarship Fund. (\* = memorial contribution) (Our apologies for any omissions.)

*AHS Class of 1952	Amy L. Cook-Porter '76	*Marie Schaller Johnson '67	Linda Petefish Rexroat '69
*AHS Class of 1955	Marcia Heidel Courson '61	Merrill E. Joy '51	*Linda Reynolds '60
*AHS Class of 1957	Richard Culbertson '52	Perry L. Kellogg '54	Jane P. Richards '84
*AHS Class of 1962	Paula Gruzca	John R. Kennedy '64	Tim J. Richardson '82
*AHS Class of 1989	Damgaard '73	Darwin H. Kephart '41	James E. Ricketts '62
Mary Ellen Rierson	Tom D. Daulton '84	Douglas Kirk '67	Thomas A. Rockwell '72
Amick '50	*Louise B. Dengler '41	*Margaret Koch '59	Frances Nelson Roberg '54
*Donald '52 and	*Janis Jordan Dickens '67	*Michaela Holdren	*Robert F. Rowell '63
Janice Anderson	*Uryth J. Dillavou '33	Kolberg '75	Robert F. Rowell '63
*Richard H. Anderson '47	Charles M. Dodd, Jr. '47	Particia L. Knutson '51	*Gayle K. Schaeffer
Kathryn Burnet Andre '65	*Parry '35 and	Vera Biorn-Hansen	*Phyllis Eschbach
*Anonymous '65	Barbara Dodds	Larson '49	Schulz '47
Anonymous '71	Barbara N. Eddy '35	*John R. Lawrence '60	Marlys Johnson Seibert '56
Mary K. Armstrong '61	*Jan Gore Egemo '56	*Kathryn Spear Little '64	Partricia Pollock Sharr '54
Heikki J. Arppe '71	*Sonja Accola Ehrenrich '65	Elizabeth Lockhart '60	*Marilyn Griffith Schockley
Norma Hammond Baker '46	Richard A. Elliott '79	Mary Clare Lokken '67	*Bradley K. Sills '70
*Virginia Osborne Baker '39	*Charlie Ellis '69	*Patricia Hadaway Lowe '71	Elaine Leffingwell Smith '32
Dale E. Bappe '49	*Chris Ellis '73	Lois Knutson Lynch '61	*Beth Cummings Solem '68
*Joe C. Beeman '48	*Jim Ellis '78	Keith E. Magoon '57	John W. Standley '49
Melvin and Joneta Bell '48	*Gloria Jones Erickson '71	Nathan S. McCay '72	*Robert E. Stewart '48
Diane Yoerger Bjorklund '81	Steven P. Erickson	Roberta McIntire '67	Carrie Stidwell '89
Julie Goodrich Blake, staff	Margaret Hillyard	Maurice M. Miller '70	*Sherry Netcott Stowe '66
Mary Jane	Ericson '61	*Mary Montgomery '64	*R. Bruce Textrum '55
Bogdanovitch '39	Ben E. Fellows '58	Mary Montgomery '64	*John Timmons '64
Robert J. Borgmeyer '47	Gretchen Wildman Finn '60	*Virginia Chloe Morris '61	Andrew Tipton '83
Carl F. Brandner '42	Angela Rickert Fisher '91	Curtis L. Mosier '70	*Susan Allen Toth '57
*Margaret Brennan '60	Marie Anfenon Fisher '44	Christopher Jon Mote '84	*Jerry '61 and Karen
Thomas J. Brindley '67	*Patricia Dahm Flores '61	*Mary Jo McDowell	Skold '63 Tow
*Dorothy Allen Brown '44	*Shirley S. Freshwaters '55	Mount '56	*Betty Lea Trout, staff
*Holmes M. Brown '33	Goeffrey W. Goudy '85	*Maxine Norlin Muecke '37	James I. Tuttle '64
*Betty K. Busby	Mary Decker Green '42	Gary and Rhea Mulhall '63	Virginia Jones
*Keith W. Busby	Bruce Gualdoni '63	*Kathryn "Kay" Mulhall '75	Underwood '64
Linda Bergland Busker '64	*Karen Houge Haines '58	*Robert D. Munson '51	Mary Ellen Bragouier
*Bonny Bruce Callahan '51	*Virginia H. Hancock '33	Janet Skeie Nesbit '54	Vogt '63
Robert B. Campbell '55	*Letitia Smith Harder '72	Wanda Marshall Neilson '40	William C. Wagner '73
Terry R. Carroll '73	Debra J. Harris '72	Mildred C. Nolan '40	William H. Wall '45
Jeanette E. Carter '36	Ed L. Hendrickson '74	Donald D. Overland '58	John Weldon '54
Betty Chase '44	Kevin Highland '78	Kimberly K. Panton '79	Kyle D. Williams '72
Gwen Griffith	Shirley Baker Hoerman '52	*Jean B. Polhemus	Steve F. Williams '71
Chegwidden '35	*Laurie Hazel Hoffman '65	*Phyllis Anderson	Thelma Worthen '39
*Pat Catron Christensen '59	*Barb Ellis Holm '76	Rademacher '42	*Ronald W. Young '61
*J. Paul Clark '61	William S. Holmes '37	*Peggy L. Rasmussen '70	Kaye Stuve Zhorne '76
*Gary W. Clem '61	Diane Jetmund-Perigny '63	*Karen Allen Reed '56	

During 2002, the AHSAA made contributions to benefit Ames High School students in the following ways:

**\$1500 to new band uniform fund drive**

**\$100 to the Post Prom committee**

**\$100 to the Baccalaureate Committee**

**\$4000 to fund four \$1000 scholarships**

Thank you to all who support the AHSAA and make these contributions possible.

**Membership Blank      Membership Blank      Membership Blank      Membership Blank**

Mail to Ames High School Alumni Association, 1921 Ames High Drive, Ames, IA, 50010. Make checks payable to AHSAA.

Please circle membership dues enclosed:      1 year - \$6.00      2 years - \$11.00      3 years - \$15.00

Additional Donation enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_      Memorial enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
In memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_      Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_      Graduation Num: \_\_\_\_\_  
(first number on name label)

City: \_\_\_\_\_      State: \_\_\_\_\_      Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_      If married, is your spouse an AHS grad? \_\_\_\_\_      If so, what year? \_\_\_\_\_

First and last name of spouse (maiden name of wife): \_\_\_\_\_

Your father's first and last name: \_\_\_\_\_

Your mother's first and maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

Names and addresses of brothers and sisters who graduated from AHS: \_\_\_\_\_

Names of other relatives who graduated from AHS: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and address of someone who will always know your address: \_\_\_\_\_

Suggestions / comments for the AHAA (special events, newsletter ideas, anything): \_\_\_\_\_

**Book Order Form      Book Order Form      Book Order Form      Book Order Form**

Mail to Ames High School Alumni Association, 1921 Ames High Drive, Ames, IA, 50010. Make checks payable to AHSAA.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_      Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\* 2001 Ames High School Alumni Directory \*\*\***      qty: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$12.00 ..... subtotal \_\_\_\_\_  
(Includes pictures from every Spirit from 1920-2000.)

**"Ames - From Marsh to Modern City" by Farwell Brown**      qty: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$20.00 ..... subtotal \_\_\_\_\_  
(a collection of nearly sixty stories about Ames with over 200 photos)

**"Ames in Word and Picture" by Farwell Brown**      qty: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$20.00 ..... subtotal \_\_\_\_\_  
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The Ames High School Alumni Association can be contacted as follows:

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# Ames Education Foundation (AEF) News

## Mini-Grants for Ames High School Projects

Each year the Ames Education Foundation awards mini-grants to faculty to provide special projects in the classroom. Funded projects directly involve students, are innovative and incorporate matching funds or community resources.

This year 20 proposals requesting over \$8,000 were received. We were able to fund, either completely or partially, 15 projects, for a total of \$6,000. Ames High School received awards for the following mini-grants:

**One Book, One Ames High** (Nancy Buck, media specialist) - This project is modeled after the City of Chicago's book discussion club. Mrs. Buck wanted to establish a school-wide book discussion club to promote reading and discussion at AHS. All students who participate will read the same book and will have book discussion opportunities with other participants during the school day. Funds would cover an honorarium for guest speaker(s) and books for students.

## 2002 Fall Orchestra Festival (Mary Kay Polashek) -

The AHS Orchestra hosted the Pioneer String Quartet as artist-in-residence during November. This gave students the opportunity to listen to and to play chamber and orchestral literature. The Block Concerto Grosso was guest conducted by ISU symphony conductor Mark Laycock. Over 100 students from AHS and the Ames Middle school are enrolled in orchestra and benefited from this project. Private funds were also generated to cover the expenses for this project.

**Binoculars for Students** (DeAnna Tibben and Nancy Svien) - Eleven binoculars and cases were purchased and are now used by the Survey of Earth Science students to help them make astronomical observations throughout the school year. The binoculars are easier to use than the telescopes and give students practice in searching the stars. Once the students have mastered using the binoculars they will be ready and eager to check out the telescopes.

## Walk of Fame

You can honor, or remember, a loved one, student, athlete, teacher, or even a special occasion by purchasing a brick or granite in the Walk of Fame. Located in front of the Paul R. Jones Fitness Center, the Walk of Fame gives you a chance to leave a permanent symbol of your support to Ames High School and the AEF. An engraved brick or granite can help to recognize a student's academic success, or participation in extracurricular activities such as sports, band or theater.

The Walk of Fame campaign began in 1998 when the AEF was working with a group of volunteers to raise money for a fitness center. At that time purchasing a brick or granite helped raise the almost \$250,000 needed for construction of the facility. The Ames High School Alumni

Association donated \$15,000 to purchase weight lifting equipment that is now located in the fitness center.

The Paul R. Jones fitness Center is now a permanent part of AHS. The fitness center is used daily by hundreds of Ames High students. Most current students have no memory of the school without this beautiful addition. The Walk of Fame continues to be a place dedicated to preserving memories made at Ames High School.

Funds raised through the Walk of Fame will go in part to provide ongoing maintenance and supervision for the Paul R. Jones Fitness Center. In addition, your donation will assist the AEF to finance worthy school projects.

If you would like to purchase a brick or granite, please contact Jean Kresse (see below).

## Phantom Benefit Concert

The AEF annually raises money to help kids who are not able to afford all the school supplies necessary to attend classes. The fund is called Support Our Students (S.O.S.) and the campaign is held in the spring. This year's event was titled the "Phantom Benefit Concert."

Last year's campaign raised almost \$12,000. That money went to help families purchase items from the school supply lists posted in the fall. Having adequate

school supplies is essential if a student is to make good progress in the classroom. Each school building in the district received funds so that teachers and principals, who are most closely associated with children and their families, could be the ones to help identify students who would benefit from the S.O.S. program.

The Phantom Benefit Concert was held on April Fool's Day but gifts will be welcomed at any time. For more information, contact Jean Kresse (see below).

## Contact the Ames Education Foundation

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415 Stanton Avenue  
P.O. Box 1125  
Ames, IA 50014-1125

515-268-6630  
Jean Kresse, Development Director  
jkresse@ames.k12.ia.us  
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# Walker Reunion

The Walker Reunion will be held Sunday, August 3, 2003, at Walker, Minnesota. It will be a pot luck starting at 11:30 and running to about two o'clock. The location is the east end of the City Park. All Ames people, alumni or not, are invited. Come for fun, food and conversation.

**Jack Smalling '58**

# Booster Club Offers AHS Clothing

Ames High Alums can now purchase apparel through the Ames High Booster Club! T-shirts, sweatshirts, shirts, flannel pants, shorts, hats and much more are available. Have a reunion coming up and want custom shirts or sweatshirts to sell? We can do that, too!

Great quality items at awesome low prices! Show off the Little Cyclone spirit with some great quality apparel! Contact the Booster Club via email at [crandell@isunet.net](mailto:crandell@isunet.net) to find out more! Under "subject", please enter "AHS Clothing".

# ...and remember

Remember to send to the AHSAA:

- \* name and address changes
- \* death information
- \* reunion dates
- \* alumni accomplishments
- \* Spirits or any other high school memorabilia that need a home
- \* names for Distinguished and Honorary Alumni Awards
- \* ideas about projects that the AHSAA can be involved in

See page 12 for how to contact the AHSAA. Thank you!

# It's a small world

Here is an interesting story involving two AHS alumna.

I am a 1986 AHS grad. I have been working in international business since I finished my MBA and have been in Europe since 1996. Since September 2000, I have been working for an Italian luxury goods company called Bulgari, in the Perfumes division. I am based in Neuchatel Switzerland. This division has about 200 people working for it worldwide, the majority of which are Italian or Swiss. There are only a few Americans working in the company (outside of the USA).

Last year I was attending a new product launch in Italy that we were making. I was introduced to the new Travel Retail Manager North America, named Valerie Mills, who had just been hired and based in Miami after leaving Singapore where she had lived for many years. As she was also American (and thus we were only a few of the American women in the whole company), we got to talking. Of course, one of the first things is "Where are you from originally in the states?" She said, "Oh, the Midwest."

I said "Interesting, I also grew up there. Where are you from?" She said "Small town in Iowa". I said, "Oh really, I grew up in Ames!" It turns out that she is also from Ames originally, and also went to Ames High, graduating in 1979! (Valerie Beavers).

We found it an extremely rare and interesting coincidence that two women from the same high school ended up working for a small Italian luxury goods company and that we have both pursued international business careers!

Cathy Stidwell '86



**Cathy Stidwell '86 and Valerie (Beavers) Mills '79**

# AHSAA Golf Outing Registration

July 5, 2003 Veenker Memorial Golf Course 8am shotgun start  
See page 1 for article. Mail as soon as possible. Space is limited.

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Veenker Memorial Golf Course  
Stange Road  
Ames, IA 50011  
or call 515-294-1523, email [mpollman@iastate.edu](mailto:mpollman@iastate.edu)

# We Get Letters . . .

Dear AHSAA,

On behalf of the Ames Heritage Association, I wish to express our appreciation and gratitude for the help given by AHSAA with providing the mailing labels that we requested. Your cooperative assistance with helping the AHS build a larger base of support for preserving the heritage and history of Ames and the surrounding area, demonstrates the commonality of our mutual community values.

It is my hope that the day is not too distant when Ames will have a permanent museum site within which Ames High School will be presented as a partner in this effort.

Sincerely,

**Leo Lawlor '53**

Ames Heritage Assoc. Board

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Dear Staff,

I really enjoy the Alumni newsletter even though I graduated a long time ago. You have stuff for recent grads as well as the old-timers!

I'm sending a check to renew my subscription for 2 years.

**Dorothy R. Metzler '37**

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Dear Folks,

I surely enjoy reading the alumni newsletter. Keep up the good work. None of my current friends receive anything from their respective high schools.

I guess that you can call me an optimist for renewing my membership for three years. I will be 85 in March.

Your article and pictures of the class of 1935's mini-reunion were great. Parry and Barbara Dodds are faithful correspondents. I don't do very well at that activity.

Best regards,

**Don Boland '35**

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Dear Officers and Members,

Thank you for all the hard work you do to maintain the AHSAA. Without your dedication, those of us who live in distant locales would have a much more difficult time remaining connected to AHS and Ames.

I feel grateful to have attended AHS. Too many high school students do not have access to the wonderful education I enjoyed, which has enabled me to move just about anywhere, and live the life I have wanted to live. My AHS education provided me with the foundation to build an abundantly rich life.

While living in New York City for the past 20 years, I have met a number of fellow New Yorkers who are also AHS grads. Each always notes how they have greatly benefited from their AHS education.

In closing, I would like to ask if a physical memorial will be built at AHS to honor **Timothy Haviland '78** who was killed at the World Trade Center on 9/11/01. (My only connections to him are that I attended AHS with his brother Andy, and that I was seriously injured on 9/11/01 at the World Trade Center.)

To me, Tim and his brothers and sisters represent the very best in AHS graduates. They built upon their AHS educations to develop rewarding lives that included contributing generously to their communities and country. To me, their lives represent what the terrorist fear most - people who are free and responsible, independent and intelligent, with a great respect for learning, concern for the well-being of others, and tolerance and acceptance of those with differing beliefs and ideas.

Thank you for your consideration of my thoughts.

Very truly yours,

**Sheri (Sharron) Clemons '73**

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Dear AHSAA,

I nearly bit my tongue off when I read the letter from Sonia Rolland '81. I resolved not to write a rebuttal, but here goes!

I have always felt I received an extraordinary education because I lived in Ames and graduated from Ames High School. If it weren't for Iowa State and the Cyclones, this would not have been possible. I'm wondering if Sonia didn't float through Ames High School to be using the phrase "I don't owe you nothing." My husband and I are Cyclone fans through thick and thin. I admit this is sometimes hard to uphold, but we hang in there.

**Shirley (Baker) Hoerman '52**

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AHSAA,

I will try again. You reported my letter in Volume 13, Issue 3, December 2002, page 11...that I had written to tell you about misspelling my name. Perhaps you thought I didn't know how to spell my name and decided to help me out! My name is PATRICIA MCKEE ROBISON...THERE IS NO 'N' IN MY LAST NAME...IT IS ROBISON. Your mailing label is addressed to Patricia Robison...please, try to get it straight.

Thank you,

**Pat (McKee) Robison '45**

**NOTE:** *Sorry, I guess third time is the charm!*

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Dear AHSAA,

It is very nice to get some news of the old hometown and school. The newsletter is about the only contact some of us have with that part of the world. Please keep it coming. I appreciate your efforts.

**Bert Cook '49**

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## AHSAA Calendar

June 17	AHSAA Meeting
July 4-6	Class of 1968 Reunion
July 5	AHSAA Golf Outing
July 15	AHSAA Meeting
July 18-19	Class of 1973 Reunion
Aug. 3	Walker Reunion
Aug. 8-9	Class of 1978 Reunion
Aug. 15-16	Class of 1983 Reunion
Aug. 19	AHSAA Meeting
Sep. 5-7	Class of 1958 Reunion
Oct. 10-12	Class of 1943 Reunion
Oct. 2, 2004	Class of 1944 Reunion

## AHSAA Membership

Continuation of the AHS Alumni Association is dependent mainly on the financial support we receive from memberships. Our graduates can be divided into three categories: (1) the largest group consists of those who have never been members, (2) the next largest group is comprised of our current membership holders and (3) the smallest group consists of those who were once members, but have let their memberships lapse.

So, as you read this newsletter, please check the three sets of numbers printed above your name and address. The first number is your graduation number, the second number is your year of graduation and the third number is the year that your membership expires. (Memberships expire Dec. 31 of the that year.) The AHSAA publishes three newsletters each year. All graduates for whom we have a valid address receive the first newsletter of the year. Only members receive the next two issues. Although it is expensive to send all graduates the first newsletter each year, that is our way of keeping our data base updated with current addresses so that we can assist classes with their reunions, periodically publish a new alumni directory and assist individuals in their searches.

Although postal rates have risen, our membership rates remain the same: \$6.00 for one year; \$11.00 for two years; and \$15.00 for three years. If you are not a current member, please consider becoming one soon. Your support is sincerely needed and appreciated.

**W. C. Ripp, AHSAA Secretary**

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