# Cougar Tracks #

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# Yakima Fruit Market Takes a Stand and WINS!



By Kathy Greenwood Class of 1966

We all know that location means everything to the success of a retail business, and the Yakima Fruit Market & Nursery has been well-situated in a prime location at the south entrance to Bothell for many years. The market is owned by BHS class of '74 alumni, Stuart and Karin (Bagnall) Poage, who took over the business from Stuart's parents. Both worked at the market since their teens, and hoped to keep the business in the family for many more years to come. However, their prime location along Bothell Way has made them subject to a couple of take-over efforts; first by the City, and more recently by Sound Transit. Sound Transit was talking about widening

Bothell Way by 25 feet in order to make way for a new rapid transit bus lane and sidewalks. That plan would have taken away the market's parking lot and perhaps part of their building too. Fortunately for the community and the owners, Sound Transit recently announced that their latest designs would not cause an impact to the market. Stuart and Karin had hired an attorney who specialized in "eminent domain" cases to represent them, and they were prepared to defend their property rights, so this news came as a huge relief, especially since they had just put a new roof on the building last year, and then were impacted by the Covid-19 shutdown. Any efforts to remodel the circa 1950's building and bring it up to today's code requirements would have been both difficult and costly.

Most residents probably don't know that the market location was originally occupied by a roadhouse called the "Blue Swallow Inn" that offered alcohol and entertainment during Prohibition. ("Blue" probably referred the 1909 Blues Laws, which prohibited drinking on Sunday among other things.) When Prohibition ended in 1933, the owners used the roadhouse as their home. The husband, Ken Lynch, took a job driving a milk truck, which sometimes took him to Yakima. While he was there, he would buy fruit and bring it home for his wife Marie to sell on their front porch. Marie's "side business" must have been very successful, because in 1950 they tore down the house and built the market building that still stands at that location today. Times were different back then. Freezers were not commonplace, so many households bought crates of fruits and vegetables in the summer for canning. Peaches from Eastern Washington were a popular item to preserve for the winter months, as were cucumbers for pickling. A section on canning was still taught in Home Economics classes at Bothell High well into the 60's

For many years, Karin supported the Alumni Association by hosting a booth at the high school Homecoming games; and we at the Alumni Association join with the community in expressing our gratitude that the award-winning market will not be affected by the expansion of the rapid-transit bus routes along Bothell Way. There was a real out-pouring of support from the community

that no doubt helped turn the tide with the decision-makers on the City Council and at Sound Transit. For many decades, the market has been a favorite spot for buying local and seasonal produce, and they are also popular in the fall for their pumpkins, and in the winter for their Christmas trees. The market is consistently voted "Best of Northshore" by the Bothell/ Kenmore Reporter, and they are known for their Fourth of July float, which is also a frequent prize-winner. Their favorite award though, came as a complete surprise when the Seattle Times recognized them as 1991's "People of the Year in Puget Sound" for taking a stand against racism by posting a sign in front of their market that read "*Northshore Cares. We Reject Racism.*" If you haven't been to the market in a while, why not celebrate the holiday season by getting your Christmas tree there this year? They start selling trees right after Thanksgiving. *Happy Holidays!* 



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Foster a network of proud students and alumni who preserve school history and support higher education.

### Mission:

Communicate with alumni, students, and staff; support scholarships, and preserve the history of BHS.

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# A WORD FROM THE PREZ'

# 2020 Confusion, Fear, Anger, Heroics, Love, Compassion, Innovation...

By Al Nelson Class of 1982

This certainly has been a memorable year. At least that's the word I am using to describe it. It is a year none of us will soon forget, nor should we. It certainly has been much more than a black-out mark in Marty McFly's DeLorean. On February 29, the Life Care Center, near Juanita Beach in Kirkland, experienced the first COVID-19 death in the United States. Bothell Sr. High was one of the first schools to close in the nation as a result of the pandemic. On May 25, George Floyd's murder sparked an explosion of civil unrest and public awareness throughout the country. Our region was significantly impacted by forest fires and frequency of intense hurricanes swept through the south. Summer activities, picnics, camping trips, parades, holidays, vacations, and family gatherings were cancelled in the interest of public health. There was a staggering loss of jobs and a political climate, of the likes I have never seen. I know this would all be hard to believe if we haven't been living it.

It is difficult to understand how we can define this time as a "New Normal." I realize I have previously referred to this time as an "Improved Normal" and I believe that will be. I am an advocate that adversity makes us stronger and will bring us together. As I reflect on the year, I think of the wonderful heroic gestures of our neighbors, friends, and families; the selfless acts of our first responders and health care professionals, and the innovators that develop fun new ways to keep us connected. The commitment of restaurant and grocery workers, delivery drivers, teachers, volunteers at our foodbanks, churches, and counselors, and local distilleries who worked tirelessly to produce hand sanitizer when none was available. The list goes on and on. I do not believe there is one of us who has not been touched positively by others during this time. I am warmed and inspired by the thoughts, love, and compassion of those around me.

I am particularly inspired by one of my fellow Bothell High School Alumni, Merry. I want to share a little about Merry, to keep things in perspective. Like too many others, Merry has been battling cancer for years. I have always known her to be a positive, energetic, kind spirit. She has an outlook like no one else I know. She has recently succumbed to the conclusion that her life is nearing an end. So, what did Merry do? She decided to throw a "FUNeral." When I asked her, "What's a FUNeral?" Merry smiled and replied, "It's a party that I can enjoy with my friends and family while I am still here; after all, we are all here only for a short time."

I had some anxiety as I debated attending the event, which lasted a couple of days, but I am so fortunate I did. In attendance were many former Bothell High School Alumni, friends, and family. There was not a single moment of sadness, but rather an entire time filled with fun, laughter, joy, love, and mask dancing; it was amazing. I suppose I am sharing this story because it is so important to look for the positive things in life and to enjoy the time we have. I also think its important to ask ourselves during uncertain times, "What would Merry do?"

My wish for my fellow alumni is to be compassionate, be safe, and stay healthy as we all get through this time together.

Your humble Association president,

Al

# From the Mailbag

To the Association,

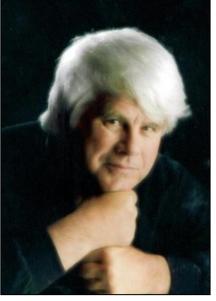
THANKS for the newsletters. Living on the other side of the state, I am not up to speed on events in the Northshore area, and certainly events related to BHS.

In one newsletter, you had a very thorough review of the life and work of one of my all-time mentors, Bernie Ackerman. That man taught me so much! He was incredibly inspirational, exciting, and extremely talented. He helped to shape my life.

In this latest newsletter, I read the same very kind and gracious review of the life and work of Larry Peterson. It's odd sometimes how things work out. I never took a math class with Larry as a teacher, BUT - as manager of the BHS basketball team, Larry provided me with rides home after practices and after games. Those became very special moments in my life with life lessons taught in the car on the ride home. We lived a few blocks apart.

I learned much about organization, dedication to mission, positivity, resilience, and one of the grandest lessons of my life: KEEP IT SIMPLE. It didn't matter what IT was. Just keep it simple. We ran a basketball offense off something called *the shuffle*. It wasn't complicated. It had a few variations. It worked. I will always remember the first few days of practice, watching the players work out *(Continued on page 10)* 

# Remembering Coach



# **Coach Dee Hawkes**

By Craig Smith, Class of 1963 Kathy Greenwood, Class of 1966

Bothell High School football coach and 2013 Wall of Honor recipient Myron Dwight Hawkes Jr., who always went by the nickname "Dee," passed-away on September 24<sup>th</sup> from Parkinson's disease. He was 84. Dee coached and taught at Bothell High from 1973-91. Courses he taught included psychology, biology, personal growth, and personal motivation. He also wrote five books including "What Every Coach Should Know" and "Football's Best Offensive Playbook." Hawkes attended several national football clinics and rubbed elbows with the likes of Bear Bryant, Woody Hayes, and Steve Spurrier. He was active in the National Football Foundation and American Coaches Association and for twelve years ran the Seattle Seahawk's Coaching Academy. For 40 years, he wrote a column for a state coaching magazine that he called "Hawkes Squawks."

Hawkes was born in Wallace, Idaho, but his family moved to Seattle when he was six. He was an alumnus of Queen Anne High School, where he was a three-sport athlete. He went on to play football for Washington State University (WSU). During his

senior year at Queen Anne (1953-54), he played quarterback and led the team to the Seattle City Championship; played Olympia in the Turkey Day Game; and was selected to play in the City-State Game. One story he told about his years at WSU was about tackling University of Southern California (USC) star running-back "Jaguar" Jon Arnett who is in the National Football Foundation's Hall of Fame. It was at WSU that Dee met the love of his life, Judy Greenup. They were married for 61 years and had two children, David, and Leanne.

Hawkes got his coaching start as an assistant at Port Angeles High School under Jack Elway, father of future NFL Hall of Fame quarterback John Elway. It was the senior Elway who gave Dee some coaching advice he never forgot. Hawkes, then only 22, had apparently been referring to the junior-varsity offense and defense as "my offense" and "my defense." Elway pulled back the shower curtain, turned off the water, and told Hawkes to stop using the words "I" and "my." Elway then turned the cold water on Hawkes and walked away. Maybe it was the cold water, but that lesson really sank-in.

When Elway left Port Angeles, Hawkes enrolled at the University of Washington to get his master's degree, and while there he helped coach the Husky punters. After earning his degree, Dee coached the sons of military and civilian personnel in Japan and Germany. He returned to Washington and coached one year at Queen Anne High, before becoming the head coach at Davis High in Yakima for six years. It was after that, that he started coaching and teaching at Bothell High. In his 18 seasons coaching football at Bothell, Hawkes maintained a 76-91 record, before retiring due to health concerns. When a new high school in the Issaquah District needed a coach for its inaugural football seasonal, Dee came out of retirement to start the program at Skyline High School on the Sammamish Plateau. Not one to shrink from a challenge, he coached their first season without any seniors or even a locker room. His lifetime in-state record was 104-126-2. He was a wonderful coach and educator who contributed much to his sport, his players and students, and his community. He will be missed.

# **NSD's Revamped Sports Schedule**

By Craig Smith Class of 1963

Are you ready for some spring football? That's when football is scheduled to be played during this pandemic school year. Here is the revised seasonal sports schedule. It comes with a big warning on the BHS website that says in capital letters that it "MAY CHANGE!"

**Dec 28 – February 28** – Boys and girls basketball, girls gymnastics, boys swimming, boys and girls wresting (yes, there is girls wrestling).

March 1 – May 2 - Football (practices start on Feb. 17 and season goes through May 8); boys and girls cross-country, boys golf, girls soccer, girls slow-pitch softball, girls swimming, boys tennis, girls volleyball.

April 26 – June 27 – Girls golf, girls badminton, boys soccer, boys baseball, girls fastpitch softball, girls tennis, boys and girls track and field.

# Bothell Grieves Its Fallen Hero



# Officer Jonathan Shoop

By Dawnmarie DesJardins Class of 1985

On July 13, 2020, Officer Jonathan Shoop, age 32, died in the line of duty after a routine traffic stop led to a short vehicle chase and shooting. Officer Shoop attended Ballard High School, North Seattle Community College, and graduated with a BA in History from the University of Washington. He served six years in U.S. Coast Guard as a Marine Science Technician, and was part of the response team to the Deepwater Horizon oil spill in 2010. Following a personal call to service, Officer Shoop was hired by the Bothell Police Department on June 3, 2019 and graduated from the Washington State Criminal Justice Training Academy on January 28, 2020.

A police cruiser was parked in front of Bothell City Hall after the tragedy, where hundreds of mourners brought flowers and signs to honor his service and show support for the men and women who protect and serve our community. Officer Shoop's memorial service was a private event, held on August 4, 2020 with police and fire departments from around

the region participating in the procession through Bothell. Bothell residents paid their respects by lining the streets to view the procession as it passed. Officer Shoop is the first police officer killed in the line of duty in the history of the Bothell Police Department and will be deeply missed. He is survived by his mother, two brothers, and his beloved girlfriend.



Bothell City Hall, July 2020

# Editor's Note-Stay Informed

Visit these school/community sites:

- BHSAA: www.bothellhighalumniassociation.com
- City of Bothell: www.ci.bothell.wa.us
- Northshore School District: www.nsd.org

- City of Woodinville: www.ci.woodinville.wa.us
- City of Kenmore: www.kenmorewa.gov
- Kenmore Heritage Society: www.kenmoreheritagesociety.com
- Bothell Historical Museum: www.bothellhistoricalmuseum.org
- Woodinville Heritage Society: www.woodinvilleheritage.org

# What's Happening in Bothell

# Main Street Closed for Socially Distanced Dining



By Dawnmarie DesJardins Class of 1985

With so much uncertainty due to the pandemic, it's comforting to see how our town comes together to support each other when we need it most. Too many businesses have been forced to close their doors this year, but with the support of the Bothell City Council, our community has found a way to save jobs, support local businesses, and give residents a safe way to stay connected.

In the June city council meeting, City Manager Jennifer Phillips proposed to the council the idea to close Main Street to vehicle traffic between 101<sup>st</sup> Ave NE and 102<sup>nd</sup> Ave NE, and 101<sup>st</sup> Ave NE between Main Street and SR22, so local busi-

ness could offer outdoor dining and retail sales to customers. The proposal was unanimously supported and, effective June 15<sup>th</sup>, Main Street businesses set up to serve the community outside. In a subsequent meeting, businesses off Main Street were given the opportunity to use private property and their own parking lot spaces to keep doors open and aid in following social distancing requirements as well.

The response was an overwhelming success. Restaurants quickly put together procedures for safe take-out, pick up, and seating options for customers. People uncomfortable eating inside restaurants, now found picnic tables, Adirondack chairs, and shade umbrellas allowing them to enjoy meals outside in the sunshine. Soon residents were walking and biking down Main Street again. Children broke out sidewalk chalk and family dogs joined in on the fun. As word spread, people from neighboring towns began to visit Bothell once again.

The original plan called for traffic to resume after Labor Day but, as the virus continued to be a threat and the governor's Stay Safe protocols were unable to be lifted, the date was moved to October 25th. Once again, our City Council members responded to our community's request to continue with the closure until businesses can start serving inside. During the October 6<sup>th</sup> meeting, members voted to keep Main Street closed until businesses can open more indoor seating, or until the Bothell UW and Cascadia campuses reopen, requiring the streets to open due to increased traffic. Business owners will be responsible for keeping areas clear of leaves and snow throughout the season, but they can now order shelters and heaters to keep patrons warm and dry.

Through the continued support of our leaders and caring residents who look out for each other, our community will overcome anything that comes our way. Stay strong Bothell, we've got this!

# The Bothell Bridge Has Gone Digital

By Dawnmarie DesJardins Class of 1985

The Bothell Bridge, a quarterly newsletter and recreation guide, has gone digital. Four times a year, Bothell residents receive a newsletter in the mail containing articles from the city manager, budget updates, and public works projects. We've learned about our city council members, new and returning, and what's important to them.

Did you know that September was National Preparedness Month? The Fall issue of the Bothell Bridge gave step by step instructions on how to prepare for the unexpected and keep our families safe. It included community interest stories like pollution prevention and fall yard care workshops. In an effort to cut costs and go green, newsletters will no longer be sent by mail but you stay connected, and catch up on past issues at <u>www.bothellwa.gov/bridge</u>. Show off your photography skills by submitting photos to be used in upcoming issues while you're at it.

If you'd like to be notified when the next issue is published, sign up for City eNews at <u>www.bothellwa.gov/NotifyMe</u> to receive email updates.

# Tech Talk – The Alumni Association Gets a New Website

By Kathy Greenwood Class of 1966

When I renewed my Alumni Association membership back in 2013, the Association President said in a newsletter article that the Association was looking for someone to help build a website, so I volunteered. I had just built my first website for my brother's business on a platform called "GO DADDY," so while I was a novice, I had some idea of what was required to publish a website. There were many website-building tools available at that time, but they all had different capabilities, so it was important to ask the board what they wanted the website to "be able to do" for them. This helped me zero in on a "security capability" that could differentiate one website-building tool from another. The most important thing to the Association was to be able to have a secure webpage for posting the four most recent newsletters, so that they would only be accessible to the members. The 'Go-Daddy' application I was familiar with did not have that capability, so that sent me on a search for another application. I was luck y to find an application called WIX, which had the "secure page" capability as well as many other helpful features.

Once the website application was chosen, the next step was to decide on the design, or "look and feel" that would best represent the Alumni Association. WIX offers many "templates" that have already been designed, so the user is mostly just in-putting their



y been designed, so the user is mostly just in-putting their own data into the pre-set boxes. The original version of the website was built using a template that was designed for sororities. It had a cute scrapbook look and feel, and it also emulated a school bulletin board. Because the mission of the Association is to preserve school history, I selected a page 'background' that looked like an old brown paper lunch sack, and I modified the color of the Association logo to make it look like a retro Pee Chee folder. It was fun trying to find ways to use all the various gadgets available on WIX such as thumbtacks, paper clips, buttons, tape, frames, and sticky notes, but it turned out that all of those items tended to clutter up the page when the website was viewed on a Smartphone. As the use of smartphones have become more prevalent, it was clear to the board that

there was a need to renovate the website and gear it more towards viewing from a smartphone.

I began to work on a new website in June of this year, and the finished product was released on July 12<sup>th</sup>. The new website places

an emphasis on the volunteers who keep the Association running, and on the mission of the Association, which is to grant scholarships to deserving Bothell High seniors; to preserve school history; and to foster a network between alumni.

The new 'background' for each page is a photo of the remodeled high school building, and the page colors are now the school colors of blue and white. The photo gallery on the home page features pictures from the All-Alumni Picnic, which has been the Association's annual event for many years. I am happy with how the new website turned out, and I hope it will serve the Association well for many years to come.





# BHS COUGAR T-SHIRTS

Order a Bothell Cougars T-shirt now! There are only a limited number are available.

### COST (includes mailing):

Small, Medium, Large, and X-Large sizes:\$18.002X-Large size:\$20.00

You can order them online at the Association website: <u>https://www.bothellhighalumniassociation.com</u>

# MEMBERSHIP

Annual Association renewals are in August. Payments can be made through the BHSAA website or by mail. We appreciate your continued support.

### ATTENTION SNOWBIRDS AND TRAVELERS:

The Post Office charges for returned newsletters so *snowbirds*, travelers, and those who have moved are often a "cost" to the Association. The post office will not deliver bulk mail even if you have a hold or forwarding on your mail; it is returned to us with a fee. Many of our members are travelers and over the year, this can add up. If you will be temporarily away, please call or write to let us know when you will be gone. If you move, be sure to update us. Remember that we mail at the end of November and May. Call Bev at 425-488-8260 or e-mail bhsalumniassociation05@msn.com with information.

# MEMORIAL GIFTS

A Bothell High scholarship is another way to honor a friend or loved one who has departed. The scholarship fund is a great way for a friend or fellow classmate to express their love or friendship. Show your appreciation or sympathy during times of sorrow or note the anniversary of someone's passing. If you wish an acknowledgement recognizing your contribution, inform us and provide name & address. The amount of your gift is not disclosed.

# IN MEMORY OF...

The following graduates made donations to BHSAA in memory of a deceased alumnus, friend, or loved one:

Clifford James, class of 1951 in memory of Rockne Harper, class of 1951 Beverley Swirsky Smith, class of 1950 in memory of Ted Strang, class of 1950 Donna Bennett Sprague, class of 1952 in memory of Maggie Haaland Ruhl, class of 1951 Gail Fletcher Price, class of 1968 in memory of Diane David DeHart, class of 1968 Alan Strand, class of 1963 and Nancy Haining Strand, class of 1966 in memory of Gene Olson, class of 1964 Pat Kraft Struthers, class of 1954 in memory of Lorn Struthers, class of 1955 and JoAnne Shea Davis, class of 1954 Robbie Wheat Taipale, class of 1953 in memory of Bill Wheat, class of 1949 and Rosalie Escareno Wheat, class of 1953 Jane Mattieligh Rosi-Pattison, class of 1954 in memory of the class of 1954 (scholarship) Jessie Manning, class of 1952 in memory of Louise Millman Phillips, class of 1952 (scholarship) Toni Bitterman Franklin, class of 1965 in memory of William (Bill) Miller, class of 1965 (scholarship) Jean Tornow Rose, class of 1966 in memory of the class of 1966 (scholarship) Nancy Pihlman English, class of 1957 in memory of the class of 1957 (scholarship)

Lorane Rough Mobley, class of 1951 in memory of Charles Rough, class of 1957 and Paul Rough, class of 1953

Carla Devito Richards, class of 1977 in memory of Fawn Luckow Sheets, class of 1977 and Peggy (Mary) Platt, class of 1977

Richard Nicholl, class of 1957

in memory of Barbara Schaefer Ellis, class of 1957 Phyllis Nelson Draughn, class of 1957 in memory of Barbara Schaefer Ellis, class of 1957

# **DONATIONS**

### General Fund:

Ron Nardone, class of 1961 Gary Jang, class of 1959 Carol Carlson Lee, class of 1956

### <u>Scholarship Fund:</u>

Jerry Forell, class of 1962 Jack Kirk, class of 1959 Meredith Backman Stucky, class of 1965 Lorane Rough Mobley, class of 1951 Russell Rogers, class of 1941 Beverly Nicholas Beardsley, class of 1954 JoAnne Carver Dandin, class of 1965 Emma Helgeson Pedersen, class of 1961 Frank Vitulli, class of 1955

The membership form at the back of this newsletter has options for donations; general, scholarship, and "in memory of."

# **NOTICES**

The Association is always in search of old newspaper clippings, annuals, programs, and other BHS keepsakes and memorabilia. If you can contribute, notify Bev at 425-488-8260 or -mail: bhsalumniassociation05@msn.com.

We still need commencement programs for 1912-1918, 1920-1921, 1923, 1925-1926, 1929-1930, 1933-1934, 1937, 1942, 1970, 1972, 1975, 1979-1982, 1984-1985, 1988, 1993, 2005, 2015, & 2016. We have 74 originals or copies so we only need to find these last 32. If you have a family member or friend in any of these classes, please ask if we may have or copy their commencement programs.

We do have *copies* of the following, but would still like originals: 1919,1924, 1927, 1928,1935, 1938, 1943, 1944, 1947, 1951, 1952, 1954-1956, 1958, 1961, 1971, 1977, 1978, 1983, 1995, & 1996.

We do not have the following yearbooks: 1932-1937, 1960, 1981-1983, 1987, 1988, 1993, 1994, 2002, & 2003

- DIDN'T RECEIVE YOUR NEWSLETTER? Inform the *Association* right away. Mark your calendar for June and December, when they are distributed.
- ADDRESS CHANGES: Notify us of any changes *before* we mail our newsletters, as the cost increases substantially with subsequent mailings.

# **ASSOCIATION MEETINGS**

The location for Association meetings is 19065 85th Avenue NE, Bothell 98011, Mrs. Green's home (mother of our new treasurer, Laurie Green Edwards). Contact Bev Niemeyer Schmer for directions or information at 425-488-8260 or e-mail bhsalumniassociation05@msn.com.

**Please note**: Due to Covid-19 concerns, association meetings will be held via Zoom, until further notice. Notifications and meeting links will be added to the BHS Alumni Association website, as well as our Facebook page before the meeting. We invite everyone to attend!

### 2021 BHSAA Meeting Dates:

Meetings are held the second Saturday of each month. General meetings begin at 9 am:

January 9, 2021	February 13, 2021	March 13, 2021	April 10, 2021	May 8, 2021
June 12, 2021	July 01, 2021	August 14, 2021	September 11, 2021	October 9, 2021
November 13 2021	(Election of Officers)	No meeting in Decem	lber 2021	

Note on Association meetings:

General meetings are at 9:00 am, lasting not more than 1 hour before the board meeting begins. All may attend board meetings, but only board members and officers can vote. New faces are encouraged.



# **All-Alumni Picnic**

After careful consideration, and with the highest concern for the health and wellness of our BHS alumni family, the BHSAA board had to make the tough decision to cancel the 2020 all-alumni picnic.

It is with that same caring that they have not yet decided if it is safe to begin plans for the 2021 picnic, normally held at Blyth Park on the third Sunday of August.

Your board members will continue to monitor the pandemic situation and will make a decision in early 2021 on how to proceed. Announcements will be made on the BHSAA webpage, on Facebook, and in the June 2021 newsletter.

Until we can be together again, stay strong BHS Cougars!

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## ATTENTION BHS CLASSES WITH MILESTONE ANNIVERSARIES TO CELEBRATE IN 2021:

Class of 2011:	10th Anniv
Class of 1981:	40th Anniv

)th Anniversary )th Anniversary Class of 2001: 20th Anniversary Class of 1971: 50th Anniversary Class of 1991: Class of 1961:

f 1991: 30th Anniversary f 1961: 60th Anniversary

Contact the Association with your event information on so it can be posted on our BHSAA website & in the next issue.

### Class of 1970

Due to Covid-19, the 2020 reunion was rescheduled. It will now be held Friday, August 13, 2021. Contact: Reunions with Class or 425-644-1044

### Class of 1980

Due to Covid-19, the 2020 reunion was rescheduled. It will now be held Saturday, August 14, 2021. Location: Nardone's

### Class of 2000

 Due to Covid-19, the 2020 reunion was rescheduled. It will now be held Friday, August 6, 2021.

 Location:
 Haynes Hall, McMenamins Anderson School, Bothell, WA

 Time:
 7:00 pm until 11:00 pm

 Contacts:
 For more information and to purchase tickets, go to: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/bhs-class-of-2000-20-year-reunion-tickets-90087105959 or email adam-jack@hotmail.com

# **DECEASED ALUMNI**

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years old this year, but an obitua		Lois McAllister Wickland	1941
		Peggy Miller Moore	1943
		Marion Jacobson Pratsch	1943
Gundmund Morrison	1925	Anneva Hanson Jensen	1944
Irene Nelson	1930	Bonnie Cusick Walther	1945
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Phyllis Clark	1932	Frank Beaty	1950
Dick Gard	1932	David Haugen	1951
Fredriqua Hartwell	1932	Maggie Haaland Ruhl	1951
Virginia Vandell Huber	1932	Glen Rollman	1952
Daisey Jester	1932	Mary Louise Hansen Hager	1953
Charlotte Gregory Lauckhart	1932	Lorn Struthers	1955
Albert Norris	1932	Jack Turner	1955
Mary Louise Borg Papineau	1932	Charlie Estes	1958
Norman Schroder	1932	Jan Macri Brandenburg	1961
DeEtte Baron Wenger	1932	George Sattler	1961
Floyd Bates	1933	Helene Johnson	1961
Lucille Bates	1933	Rhoda Christian	1965
Eileen Wheeler Beard	1933	Dwight Funai	1965
Elvera Kramlich Dowsky	1933	Brian Speakes	1966
Arden Foster	1933	Joan Freeman Guptill	1967
Lew Hall	1933	Jim Boice	1967
Walter Henry	1933	Gary Lyshol	1967
Fred Hunter	1933	Leonard Peele	1967
Ruth Anderson Hunter	1933	Diana David DeHart	1968
Don Langlois	1933	Jay Ossiander	1969
Bert Miller	1933	Donald Perkins	1970
Dorothy Nelson	1933	Melissa Clark Webster	1972
Harold Nicholas	1933	Joe Duvey	1972
Russell Nicholas	1933	Eric Hovde	1973
Florence Foster Oates	1933	Lora Lewis Taylor	1973
Wendell Pearson	1933	Phil Duvey	1975
Ruth Person	1933	Danny Moore	1976
Lennart Peterson	1933	Michael Novak	1976
Lila Egbert Richie	1933	Robert Baldridge	1977
Betty Sherwood	1933	Thomas Nash	1977
Caroline Tinkham Spentz	1933	Michael Jex	1978
Lois Stewart	1933	David Zahorodni	1978
Oscar Van Fine	1933	Mark Holzknecht	1982
Ruth Johnson Vanderlip	1933	Eric Anderson	1982
James Wilbur	1933	Kristopher Kinkade	1985
Lillian Kapphan Williams	1933	David Serles	1985
Warren Winter	1933	John Morrison	1987
Dayton Wintermute	1933	Jeffrey Wandler	2004
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Harla Seaberg Fox

Shirley Ricketts Pinkerton

1934

1935

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by dribbling basketballs around chairs. Then there was the running of the lines. Honestly, BHS basketball workouts were Hoosiers before Gene Hackman ever made the movie when it came to simplicity of the system.

Then there was the State Championship. We lost 53-51 to Bethel. I missed my cousin's wedding that night. She had graduated from Bethel. But basketball had to take center stage. I was a team manager. My place was to be at the game, not at a wedding.

It was a long bus ride back to the BHS gym after the heart-breaking loss. I wondered what the ride would be like back to my home in Maywood Hills with Larry driving, and me trying to figure out what to say, or should I say anything? In the ride home, Larry brought everything back down to earth. It had been a tough loss, but life goes on. It was a lesson about resiliency and staying in the game of life.

Years later, whenever anyone would ask me, "Who was the mentor who had the most influence on shaping your life?" my answer was so easy; it was always Larry Peterson, a teacher and basketball coach at the high school I attended. Those rides back home after practices and after games forever shaped my life and helped to mold my character. Larry Peterson was the ultimate mentor.

Kind Regards, Brian Kingsbury, Class of 1971

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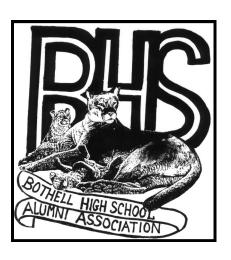
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