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New Lifetime Members

Our Thanks to the following Classmates and friends who became Lifetime members in 2008 & early 2009

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings Grads and Friends of Lake Worth High School! The Board of Directors has begun a New Year. The diversity of the students at Lake Worth High School is remarkable. If you think your teachers had a challenge with your class, you can fully appreciate the challenge facing the teachers with students whose first language is not English. The teachers and the administrators are working hard and their success is beginning to produce results.

The recent "Hat Luncheon" provided us all with smiles and laughs. Your presence would have provided more smiles. Please mark your calendar for April of next year and join us. Our ability to raise funds is limited. We currently have three fund raisers; Hat Luncheon, Spaghetti Dinner and the Golf Tournament. We are exploring other sources such as corporate donors and Alumni. If you have room in your annual "giving" budget to include "Our" Alumni Foundation, the money (or services) you provide will be put to good use. The criterion for recipients of the "Scholarship Awards" is comprehensive and it takes time to select the winners. You can be proud of the process of selection. Here is a "Hurrah" for your good health LWHS Alumni President, John Adair



Class of 1981 Grad Murdered

A Nova Southeastern University professor who spent his promising career trying to cure cancer was murdered during an apparent home invasion in his usually quiet Plantation suburb in the middle of the night.

Dr. Joseph Morrissey, 46, was tied up and shot before his house was set on fire by an armed man, according to reports. His wife, Linda, was also tied up but escaped the home with the couple's 5-year-old son.

Morrissey's colleagues are left stunned and full of questions.

"This is just stunning," said David Gazze, a fellow professor at NSU's College of Pharmacy. "We only had him here for a year, but in that time, he was one of the great all-time people. You couldn't ask for a better guy. He was just superhappy, supercompetent, an outstanding communicator, very clear -- we all just loved him, basically. Based on what we know of him, there is no way that anybody could have any evil intent toward this man. It's just impossible."

The crime makes no sense.

"There are so many questions we all have here," said Gazze, who spoke with me by phone from his office at NSU. "If you have him tied up, why shoot him? If you shot him, why the gasoline? It's just strange."

Morrissey had recently been hired full-time at the school, said Gazze. Morrissey had previously worked at Motorola and before that at the Goodwin Institute for Cancer Research in Plantation. When the defunct Sunshine Magazine wrote a feature on Goodwin in 1993, it included this passage about Morrissey:

Dr. Joseph Morrissey, a molecular biologist who studied biochemical pharmacology at Harvard Medical School, worked at the Dana Farber Cancer Institute in Boston and just finished work on his doctorate at Stanford.

Like several other Goodwin staffers, he was drawn to South Florida by the climate and by the fact that family members have already settled here from up north.

"Dr. Morrissey adds a whole new dimension," Thuning-Roberson says. "He allows us to look at the DNA level and begin to identify genes that are responsible for the induction of cancer and its metastasis, as well as ways to be able to control or turn off those genes in the treatment of cancer."

Gazze said that Morrissey was working on cutting-edge cancer research.

"He was working on these radio-frequency waves that could very specifically heat up certain cells by .1 centigrade and target certain tissues," Gazze told me. "What he was looking at was whether this could make anti-cancer drugs more effective by heating up these tissues. He had done a lot of work at Motorola on some very similar research -- using radio waves to raise tissue temperatures."

Morrissey and his wife had purchased their home in the Planation Secluded Gardens neighborhood in 2006. As its name suggests, it's a quiet neighborhood, and it's not far from his old workplace at Motorola.

"All I can tell you is he was a great, great person," said Hamid Omidian, a fellow assistant professor in pharmaceutical sciences. "Everybody here liked him very much."

ANNUAL LWHS ALUMNI SPAGHETTI DINNER SUNDAY, AUGUST 29

Last year we came very close to our goal of selling 300 tickets for this great fundraiser. This year we are striving for 500 and will need everyone's help to make this possible.

We will be serving our great spaghetti, with meat or meatless sauce, a super/duper salad, garlic bread, dessert, canned sodas/coffee/tea/water.

All this for the great price of \$15.00 per person - what a bargain!! Take outs available.

We want this event to not only be a fundraiser, but a fun day for all the family and to bring LWHS alumni closer together. To help accomplish this, we plan to feature an "Alumni Talent Show". We know we have plenty of alumni talent whether it be voice, instrument, dance, comedy, magic, skit, drama, etc. It can be solo, duet, trio, quartet, group, etc. Your act should be no longer than 5 minutes. Let us hear from you if you are interested or know someone who is.

In addition to the talent show which will run throughout the afternoon meal, we will have a huge silent auction of hopefully 75+ items of merchandise and gift certificates for your bidding. We'll also have alumni merchandise for sale, door prizes, and a 50/50 raffle, all in the high school cafeteria which will be colorfully decorated.

As last year, Virginia Sullivan Thomas will be our ticket chairperson,

Cathy Brand Peters will run the silent auction, Gena Lee Graves Ohman will be in charge of volunteer food workers, Maggie Shamo Wetherow the 50/50 raffle, and Randy Hall the door money. We will be needing and asking for many more volunteers in all categories as we go along.

We are hopefully going to have most of our food and the

silent-auction items donated by merchants. If you, or someone you know, should have merchant/business contacts, please let me know and I will be glad to reach them.

We will also be needing donations of new items of \$10+ value for our door prizes. It could be a new gift item you have received and never needed/used or something new you've bought up ahead to use for a gift. We'll also need gift-bag donations in which to put the door prizes. We will have a chairperson for this, but for now please let me know.

Remember our cause is to provide financial assistance to needy LWHS graduates in order to make their dreams of attending college a reality. We have other fundraisers during the year sponsored by our two foundations -- LWHS

Alumni Foundation and LWHS Dollars for Scholars Foundation, but this one not only seeks to serve our cause, but to bring all ages and classmates together. We want to make this the most successful fundraiser ever.

Please let me know (1) any ideas or suggestions (2) any merchant contacts or contributions for food donations or items/gift certificates for silent auction (3) any items for door prizes and (4) be sure to keep this date open (5) sign up for the talent show. Thanks.

I know August sounds like a long way away, but this event requires months of planning and coordination. Please respond asap if you can. Thank you so much.

Kathy Snyder Graves, Class of 1953

Spaghetti Dinner Chairperson, 561-762-5449

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SAVE THE DATES

May 11, 2010

Breakfast

August 29, 2010

Spaghetti Dinner

May 13-15, 2010

Class of '51

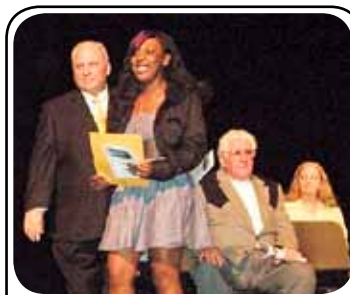
50th Reunion

July 26, 2010

LW Fishing Tournament

October 9, 2010

Golf Tournament



Icles Israel receives the Tommy & Helen Hansen Memorial scholarship from Phil Calcagno, Vice President LW Alumni Foundation. Seated: Dave Cantley and Tonda Hansen Masson, the daughter of Tommy and Helen Hansen.

HATS ON! A HUGE SUCCESS

BY DRIS DORSEY

Chairwoman, Roberta Woolson Stephens opened the morning with a welcome to all and announced that the “Hat’s On Luncheon” this year is dedicated to Thomas “Tommy” Hansen, who passed away last month, praising his help with the LWHS Alumni and Dollars for Scholars Foundations with his generous donation of \$100,000 when the Foundation was founded. He also gave \$20,000 for a scholarship to be given as the Thomas & Helen Hansen Scholarship for an outstanding athlete each year.

She introduced the family, his daughter and her husband, Tonda and Pete Masson, nephew Dennis F. Dorsey and wife Doris. His son, Chris and wife Carol were out of town and could not be present.

Recognition and a thank you to all Hat’s On Committee Members who worked so hard to make the event a success.

The invocation was given by Rev. Dewitt Matthews, former pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lake Worth.followed by the pledge to the flag.

Lunch was served after people mingled and visited the silent auction. The new LWHS Alumni President for 2010, John Adair was introduced and invited everyone to take part in the Alumni and Dollars for Scholars Events.

President of the Dollars for Scholars, Dave Cantley was introduced and invited everyone to the Scholarship Night Awards at the Tommy Hansen Hall on May 7th.

Dave also announced the Alumni, Dollars for Scholars Golf Tournament to be held October 9, 2010 at the Atlantis Country Club. If you are a golfer and would like to participate in a FUN DAY contact: John Harvey 561-502-1156/ or Danny Derringer 561-818-2755/ or Dave Cantley561-964-4025.

There will be a copter drop before the tournament begins...SO you can buy a ball for \$20, 3 for \$50, or 8 for \$100..The closest to the hole wins. WINNER does NOT need to be present. Winner receives 50/50 of the purse. If you are in attendance at the May 11th breakfast at the Atlantis Country Club 7:30 AM you will have a chance to purchase the balls at a discount price.

Mr. Cantley also recognized the Class of 79, Candy Radder and Alan McPherson announcing that the class of 79 Reunion donated \$1,063.62 to the Scholarship fund. THANK YOU CLASS OF 79.

Judges for the Hat Show were Mark Easton, Ann McGill, Tom Peeling, and Michele Bell.

Alumni Foundation Brick Order Form

The information must fit within 3 lines of 14 spaces each (leave blank spaces between words). Bricks are limited, so hurry and order yours now! You will receive verification of your order promptly. All orders are final. No cancellation or refunds will be accepted.

Contributor's Name _____
Daytime phone _____
Address _____
City/State/Zip _____

Print information in boxes provided

Check enclosed in the amount of \$_____ (\$100 per brick) Number of bricks ordered _____

Make checks payable to Lake Worth High School Alumni Foundation with the notation, **“Pave the Way”** and mail to: Lake Worth High School Alumni Foundation, Alumni Relations Office, 1701 Lake Worth Road, Lake Worth, FL 33460.



Dennis Dorsey and Dick Sorgini



Most Patriotic
Claire Cohen Orth '53



Cindy Coffman '74 and Dena
Mc Cracken '73 (Prettiest Hat)



Candy Radder '79, Dave Cantley class of 1913, and Alan McPherson '79

CLASS “79” DONATES LEFT OVER PROCEEDS TO DFS

Candy Radder & Alan McPherson of the Class of 79 were in attendance at the “Hat Luncheon” and received a tremendous applause for their Class Reunion donating \$1,063.62 to help with scholarship.

HATS OFF TO THE CLASS OF “79”

DFS Awards Night Scholarship Recipients



2010 DFS Scholarship recipients on stage May 5th awards ceremony in Tommy Hansen Hall.
See President’s Message on page 8.

BUY A BRICK “PAVE THE WAY”

The Lake Worth High School Alumni Foundation’s “Pave the Way” program invites you to become a lasting part of LWHS by contributing \$100 for a unique personalized brick which will be installed in the walkway in front of Tommy Hansen Hall. Your personalized brick will play an important role in expanding our scholarship program, Dollars for Scholars.

The walkway consists of nine sections of 272 bricks each. Every other brick will be engraved amounting to 136 bricks per section for a total of 1,224 total engraved bricks. Currently, 564 bricks have been purchased. The class of 1952 currently leads all classes with 64 bricks purchased.

Reserve your place in history with a brick inscribed with your name to remind future generations of the Lake Worth High alumni and friends who helped “Pave the Way” by supporting the scholarship program, DFS. If you have not yet ordered your brick, a “Pave the Way” order form is located in this newsletter. Order your brick today!

Principal’s Message

Recently, the Major league baseball pitchers and catchers reported for spring training sessions. Soon we will be getting caught up in all of the drama that is professional baseball. It is going to be difficult for the Yankees to repeat, but with proper preparation, they will be champions once again.

I use this analogy for Lake Worth Community High School as well. We are in the middle of FCAT testing and we have put forth a lot of preparation.

Because of the hard work and clear focus shown by each teacher and staff member, the Trojans will be able to hold their heads high, like the champions they are. Our achievements are on par with other high schools in the district, and the test results will show this to be true.

Spring time begins a new season as well as the promise of a bright future for our seniors as they graduate and plan out their lives. I want to thank each hard working member of our great alumni for your efforts. Our students are better off because of your dedicated commitment to our youth.

I wish you much happiness and long lasting health.

Dr. Ian B. Saltzman , Principal



Dr. Saltzman

Trojan Activities

Lake Worth High Students Meet With State Senator

Students Mingle With Community Movers and Shakers at Forum Club Luncheon Nine students from Lake Worth Community High School learned more about the world of politics and the business of running the State of Florida when they participated in a recent Forum of the Palm Beaches luncheon where they enjoyed an informative presentation by Florida Senator Bill Nelson. They were accompanied by teachers Jairo Garcia and Abbe Gleicher, along with Assistant Principal Daniel Snider. After the presentation the students asked thoughtful questions about

health care reform and learned Senator Nelson’s vision for Florida’s quality of life. They were pleased to know that fellow session participants included community leaders representing many professions in Palm Beach County. Seniors Landria Carr, Abigail Doyle, Luther Fleury, Nabiha Haq, Kareem Martin, Mollie Pleasanton, Victor Roa, Jennifer Robb, and Trisha St. Fleur were delighted to have this experience as one they will remember fondly as part of their final year in high school. For more details, contact Brett Packard, 561-533 6300 or email Packard@palmbeach.k12.fl.us.

LWHS in the ARTS

Richard Avedon inspired Student Photography at The Norton Museum of Art, will showcase the works of forty students submitted by eight photography teachers on February 27, 2010, at 1:00 PM. The exhibition will be on view until April 4, 2010. Friends and Family are invited to the opening. Lake Worth HS Ileana Lopez, Brittney Head, Sarah Lishen, Erin McKenzie, Taylor Collister Art News:

Several LWHS Students Have been selected to be in the Women in Visual Arts Juried Art Show Located at Sugar Sand Park in Boca Raton. Show starts this weekend with artist award ceremony/reception in April.

Nick Schuettler (11th grade) Photo “Charlottes Web”

Sarah Lishen (11th grade) Photo “ Sir Lexus”

Daniesh Patterson (11th Grade) Mixed Media “ The Suffering of Love”

Shawn Botello (11th grade) Acrylic “ Portrait of Eve”

Claribel Gonzalez (11th Grade) Acrylic “ Portrait of Adam” See Art teacher Brent Bludworth for more details

Also Street painting wrap up:

Just wanted to say what a wonderful job the following students did at the Street painting Festival this past weekend.

Street painting Festival 2010 participants:

Yane Exantus (12th grade) “ Sea Turtle”
Pedro Andres – Juan (12th grade) “ Mayan Art”

Darian Matos (12th grade) “Eye-Skull”
Perla Silva (12th grade) “ Monet- Figures with Glass of Wine”

Erdjy Louissant (12th grade) “ Grim Reaper”

Yane Exantus (12th grade) “Sea Turtle”
Volunteers/Art assistants:

Taylor Barahona (12 th grade) “ For the Love of it (surfers)” and “Rhino Surfers”

John Dunfee (11th Grade) “For the Love of it” and “ Rino Surfers”

Miguel Tomas-Manuel (10th grade) “for the Love of it” and “Rhino Surfers”

Lauren Redgate (12th Grade) “Rhino Surfers”

Elizabeth Osborne (12th Grade) “Rhino Surfers”

Taylor Adams (10th grade) “ Eye-Skull”
These students are also showing.....

Yelitza Cotts
Bruce Brickleff
David Villarin
Francis Mercado
Larry Vasquez
Sindy Espinoza

World Language Fair

The 2010 World Language Fair was held on Saturday at Palm Beach Central High School. Winners in Spanish Impromptu were: Jake Fagan-1st place, Michael Keller-2nd place and Shaun Plunkett-Honorable Mention. In Spanish Declamation: Marie Sylveste-2nd Place. In Spanish Reading Comprehension-Abby Doyle-2nd place. Great job students!

LW Chorus goes to NY

Several students participated in the Manhattan Concert Productions National Festival Chorus held March 26 through 30, 2010. They performed on stage at Carnegie Hall with other students from Missouri, New York, and Florida.

Thanks to those of you who helped by participating in fund raisers of ours this year or by your support of our program. Special thanks to Dr. Saltzman for assisting with the last of our needs to get there.

Down Time? No such thing at Lake Worth High!

Upper classmen who already passed the FCAT, still made the most out of FCAT week.

This past March, during the regular administration of FCAT Testing for 9th and 10th graders and retake students at Lake Worth High School, there was plenty of training, information and entertainment on hand for the juniors and seniors who did not have to sit for those exams they had already passed. The morning testing hours of these three days of were filled with great speakers, business partners, college and career representatives and even entertainers. Events such as these were designed by the College Bound Coach and school administration to encourage compulsory attendance and take great advantage of students gathered in one place to impart important and useful information.

Here are some of the guests that joined us:

Greg James, ESB Productions- Motivational speaker, accomplished print and media entrepreneur, associated with Cosmo GIRL, ELLE girl, Disney and Universal Studios. Mr. James offered industry specific career awareness and a follow-your-dream type motivational presentation. He also shared information and flyers about upcoming auditions, acting workshops and Talent Fest 365.

Palm Beach State College Drama Department, Improv Actors-

An improvisational performance, including audience participation, delivered in a “Whose Line Is It Anyway?” type format. Drama department chair and members also entertained questions and

answers from students about their course of studies in drama, their intended career paths in the industry.

Information about the institutional change from Palm Beach Community College to Palm Beach State College and what it means for their school were also discussed.

Lion Country Safari, Animal Activities and Enrichment Workshop- On site delivery by the Lion Country Safari staff and animal handlers was given to educate students about the park, animal communication, habitat and adaptations, including a live sloth on stage. Careers in zoological studies were discussed, and questions and answers from students about the industry were entertained by the LCS staff. Calendar of events and coupons for students were distributed complimentary with the exhibit.

Marc Murray, Safe Schools Institute- Motivational speaker who encouraged students to make good choices at critical phases in young adulthood, follow their passions, and believe in themselves. Mr. Murray used inspirational visuals with numerous moving clips from “Rudy” and other films.

Wachovia Bank- Bank representatives presented financial planning for young adults, and offered free promotional items from the bank for student checking and savings.

Keiser University- University representatives presented college admission general information and time sensitive planning strategies that seniors should look forward to in their first year as college freshman.

Winter Guard Awards!

On Saturday, March 27, 2010, the Lake Worth High School Winter Guard and Winter Percussion attended the South Florida Winter Guard Association Championships in Miami. Both groups performed extremely well!

The Winter Percussion, in their first year in existence received 1st place and Gold Medal in the Percussion Scholastic Concert A Class. The members of the Winter Percussion are: Vanessa Bui, Ted Dorceus, Wesben Liautaud, Jesus Lorenzo, Javel Perriel, and Khari Reid. If you have these students in your classes, please congratulate them!

The Winter Guard received a Superior and a score of 65.4 in the Scholastic B Class. The members of the Winter Guard are: Idaly Amaya, Elien Camposeco, Dasmirne Isoph, Annita Marquez, Milagros Ortega, and Amy Ramos.

Schools participating from Dade, Broward and Palm Beach were involved.

For more information go to the SFWGA web site <http://www.sfwga.org> (<http://www.sfwga.org/>) and click on the “Scores” tab, then click on the March 27th Competition line.

AFJROTC gets ready for a Pass and

Review ceremony:

You are cordially invited to attend our annual Air Force Junior ROTC “

Pass-In-Review” Parade, scheduled for Wednesday, 7 April 2010, beginning promptly at 8:25am at the football field.

ALL AFJROTC cadets in uniform will report directly to the Football Field that morning (maroon day). Those cadets in your class failing to wear the uniform should remain with your class—they will not be allowed to march with the rest of the cadet corps.

The Pass-In-Review is a formal military ceremony where the entire Cadet Population marches together, divided by Squadrons, honoring a Reviewing

Official and graduating AFJROTC students. Also during the ceremony, the colors and responsibilities of command of the Cadet Wing are officially passed to a cadet of the Junior Class. Those attending will learn about the historical background associated with the activities and sounds of this military tradition.

Our students have practiced long and hard for this event. I know they would love to see you there.

Spring Sports Getting Started

At this time there are a number of sports beginning at Lake Worth High. Girls can take part in Softball, Track, Water Polo and Flag Football. Boys can join Volleyball, Track, and Water Polo.

Let’s all get behind these athletes as they represent us as Trojan athletes. **Lake Worth High Student Government Get’s Involved**

The Lake Worth High Student Government Association, or SGA, went to a District V Rally at Lake Placid High (FL) school on Feb 19th -20th.

The SGA sponsor Mrs. Teman escorted 15 students to the annual rally to compete in categories such as Hall Of Ideas (a working diorama of the SGA group), Mr. and Mrs. District 5, Project Books, Community

Service and School Spirit.

They took a charter bus and rode along with other local high schools John I. Leonard, Wellington and Palm Beach Gardens. All of the students enjoyed the positive bonding during the 2 ½ hour trip.

Lake Worth’s Shaun Plunkett won “Mr. District” for District V, and Lake Worth also won 1st place for the “Hall of Ideas”!

Busy Band gets ready for Spring Season

The Lake Worth high Marching Band sponsored a Friday night coffee house that provided a showcase for our students individual talents on Feb.12 2010.

They also hosted a “Festival Prelude Concert” on Feb. 19 that showcased the band as an entire group. Many parents and friends came out and enjoyed the many talents of our band members.

CLASS “ 55 “ REUNION NOTICE

Class of 55 Reunion will be celebrating their 55th reunion October 1 & 2, 2010. For more information, call Ray Davis, 968-1862.

Don't forget the Kissimmee reunion May 16th & 17th

The Kissimmee reunion is always the weekend after mother's day

Charlie Brooks class 52, and his wife Cindy have given us great rates for staying at their east gate Comfort Inn Suites just minutes away from Disney World and right next to “Kissimmee Old Town”. Make your plan to come and enjoy the time with your “old classmates” May 16, 17 , Sunday and Monday events. The class of '52 has their reunion on Friday and Saturday, then LW Alumni come in on Sunday and the Fun begins.

Alumni Foundation Membership Fees Due

Remember... membership fees are due on January 1st each year—unless you have paid to become a “Lifetime Member” of the Alumni Association.

Yearly Fees are as follows:

Single	\$25.00
Couples	\$40.00
Business	\$100.00
Lifetime	\$200.00*

***Lifetime membership
one time fee**

Mail payments, with application to: Lake Worth High School Alumni Foundation Office 1701 Lake Worth Road, Lake Worth, FL 33460.

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Lake Worth High School Class of 1945 Reunion

Don't tell anyone that is was our 65th reunion, because we are only in our 60s now! There were fifteen classmates attending the reunion on Sunday, March 15th, for cocktails and dinner at the Bohemian Gardens Restaurant. We are always so glad to see our classmates and renew friendships.

Each year, we are always pleased to see a number of our classmate's children who also attend the event. Additional attendees included friends, spouses and Lake Worth graduates from other years.

The Adams', Collar's and Lanes' came from out of town, and Winnie Clowe Pierson came from out of state. Our class of 45 has been hosting small reunion dinners each year, and we truly enjoy seeing our classmates!

LWHS Class of 1976 Thirty-Fifth Reunion!

It is that time again for the planning of the reunion committee for the Class of '76 Thirty Five (35) year reunion...say it ain't so!

Our committee consists of Rock Tate (President), Cindy “Lyn” Haapanen Tate (Treasurer), Sharon Wintermute Palmer, Beth McLaughlin Michael, Jim Michael, Steve McConnaughay, Mike Adair, Carol Seamon, Candy Rebecchini, Don Keltner, Pat Bush Lentini, Elaine Misisola Raulerson, Mike Amado, Derek Moses, Robert Borden, Hattie Aikens Lynch, Rosetta Martin Carter and Karen Knowles.

The committee is open to any class member. Send your interest level to Rock at _Tate5983@Bellsouth.net (mailto:Tate5983@Bellsouth.net).

Our first meeting will be in March at Brogues' Pub in Lake Worth. The exact date and time of meeting will be emailed to the committee.



In Memory of

Richard Stephen Bethel
Marilyn Coles Bie 1950
William Arthur Boutwell, Jr. 1934
Richard Collins 1952
Geraldine (Jerry) Sunde Doty 1940
Raymond Eckert 1945
Robert C (Bob) Engram 1939
David Lynn Evans 1956
Peggy Fulton,
Wife of our Coach Bob Fulton
Maynard C. Hamblin 1948
Thomas C Hansen 1935
Frederic Herbert (Fred) Hemstreet 1964
Wilton Hock 1952
Patricia Holden 1962
Archie Norris Lin 1943
Steve Leis 1970
Thelma Loveless 1952
Thomas Robert McCracken
Terry R. Mattinen 1969
Phil Melcher 1952
Dr. Joseph Morrissey 1981
Gay Hulme Mueller 1948
Joseph Osborne 1952
Richard A. Power 1949
Wayne D. Proctor 1958
Diane Rynasko 1969
Dory Dorsey Sacco 1979
Betty Stearns Scargill 1952
Ed Sterling 1952
James J. Van Wagner 1943
Marilyn Grammes Wood 1953



Front row left to right: Marjorie Protiva Collar, Virginia Sullivan Thomas, Nancy Burkholder Humphrey, Carolyn Gillette Alexander, Winnie Clowe Pierson, Pat Donnelly Lechiffard, Doris Carlton Lane Back row left to right: Roger Collar, Joy Harper Bower, Bill Humphrey, Eddie King, Chad Drake, John Adair, Bobby Adams



Class of 84 Reunion Dinner at the Bonnet Hunting Lodge, West Palm Beach

LUNCHEON FOR BILL SARGENT CLASS OF 1953 Held Tuesday, March 16, at Atlantis CC Restaurant

When we heard from Bill last November that he was going to be in our area after 27 years over St. Patrick's Day weekend, we decided to try to put together a luncheon of classmates. Bill had made his reservations to attend our LWHS 55th reunion in October of 2008, but was called out of state to a relative's funeral and missed that reunion. So we were glad for the opportunity of seeing him again.

We had a great bunch of 24 attendees and could not have wished for a nicer luncheon. When everyone started arriving, it was like old home week.

There was a lot of happy greetings, hugging, and reminiscing before we finally sat down in the private area set up for us. Just in case anyone had changed a little bit in looks, I had made name tags for all.

Attendees from our Class of 1953--Rae Ann Reynolds Robertson, Donna Ozinga Brooks (came from Orlando), Dennis Dorsey, Jo Ellis Chasse and husband Bob, Nat Smith, Claire Cohen Orth, Joan Curl McLinton, Winnie Wise Nicoletti, Dede Owens Lewis, Mike Hellmuth, Donna Harvey Musgrave, Carolyn Roach Snapp (came from Vero Beach), Bill Sargent, and myself Kathy Snyder Graves & husband Gene.

Attendees from Class of 1954--Cecil and Lois Derringer (Class of 1956) Walker, Helen Dermott Dickey & husband Ron, Doris Anderson Dorsey, Ed Mitchell, Bobby Brooks, and Jim Bickel.

Chuck Freed Class of 1953 and a good friend of Bill's had just come out of rehab and wasn't up to attending, so Bill went by to see him after the luncheon.

Bill was very appreciative of the great turnout and thanks everyone for giving him a nice day and a good memory. The only sad note was that Jim Bickel got a speeding ticket driving down from Palm Beach Gardens to join us.

Submitted by Kathy Snyder Graves, Class of 1953



Bill Sargent and Rae Ann Reynolds Robertson

Old Photos Wanted

If you have any pictures from long ago when you were in school or your parents were in school, we would love to have copies if you do not want to give up the original. They can be at the beach, casino, downtown LW, at the grade schools, high school, anywhere. It would be fun to have a couple in each issue of the Alumni News. I would appreciate it if you would send to Doris, 650 Atlantis Estates Way, Atlantis, FL 33462 or scan them and Email them to me at _hogfish123@aol.com (mailto:hogfish123@aol.com).

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What's Your Hobby? Mark Easton '72 Builds Cigar Box Guitars

Reprinted from the Lake Worth Herald

by LEONARD SAFFIR
Staff Writer

LAKE WORTH – There are absolutely no rules to making a cigar box guitar, something Lake Worth Herald and Observer publisher Mark Easton has been doing for three years.

Easton today owns 16 normal guitars plus five cigar box guitars and if that's not enough, he's currently making one.

He has been collecting guitars for 10 years.

"I'm going to keep buying guitars until I find one that I can play," Easton says with a chuckle.

Charity Auctions

In reality, Easton not only has a love for making guitars but a love playing them either at home, after work hours in the Herald office or occasionally on the road.



Mark Easton '72

"I try to play some every night," he said and quickly added, "I'm self-taught.

"I really have no desire to be on a stage performing," he says.

Easton has sold many of the cigar box guitars he has made to people coming into his Herald office on seeing them, given them as gifts or to charities to be auctioned off.

Origin

Simply put, the cigar box guitar is a stringed instrument that uses an empty box as its resonator.

They are not the same necessarily or the same design as a normal 6-string acoustic guitar.

Cigar box guitars usually have 1, 2 or 3 strings while normal guitars have six strings or 12.

The origins of cigar box guitars stem from poverty.

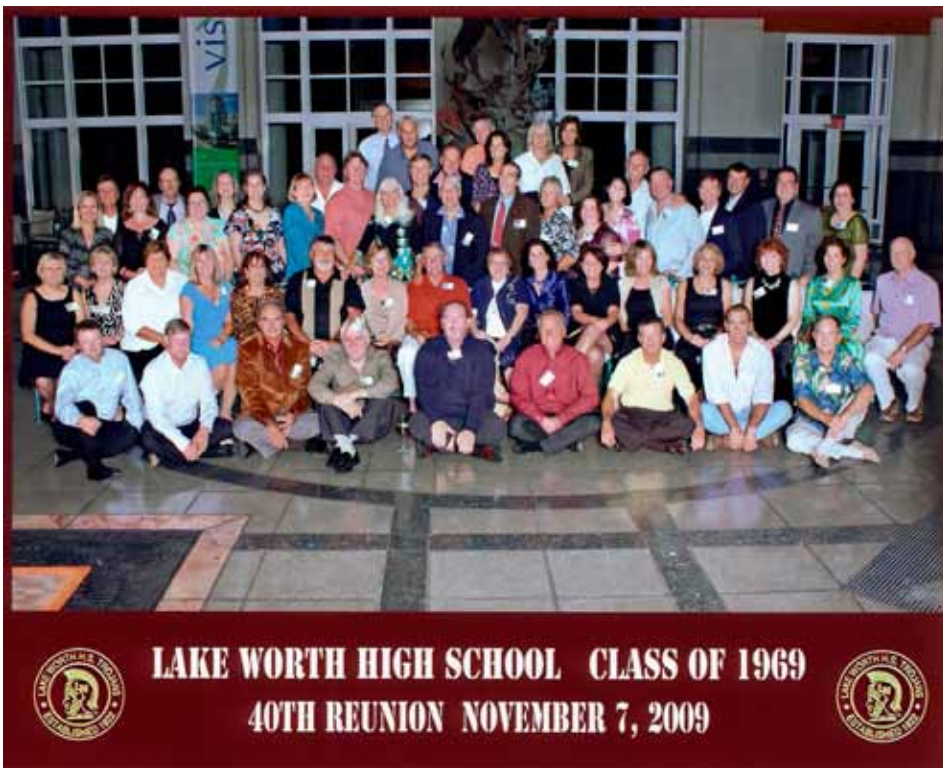
"Guys who couldn't afford guitars dating back to the depression era started making them," Easton said.

There is evidence tracing cigar box guitars to civil war days.

The modern revival of cigar box guitars is documented in the 2008 film, "Songs Inside the Box" which was shot primarily at an annual Huntsville, Ala., event called the Cigar Box Guitar Extravaganza.

Different Shapes

Easton buys cigar boxes at flea markets and cigar stores, and sometimes finds some even in a dumpster or



At thier 40th Reunion, the Class of '69 gave a \$1000.00 check to the Alumni Foundation. The Check was presented by Michael Bayer.

people give them to him.

The boxes are all different sizes and shapes.

Easton also builds the necks but buys bolts and strings to finish the job.

"I cut the boxes for what ever sound I want.

"Every guitar is different and every cigar box is different. There are no rules how you build them or how you play them."

Background

Asked how he got started, he responded, "Honestly, I don't know why I built them in the first place. What made me do it, I don't really know."

Easton is a graduate of the Rochester (New York) Institute of Technology.



Our Alma Mater "Hail to Lake Worth High"

R. Paul Fiscus

The light of our learning
Is still brightly burning,
Our thoughts ever turning
To old Lake Worth High
Our memories never fade
Of dear friends we have made
Of plans that we have laid
In days long gone by.
The walls that have housed
All hopes for the future.
The light that has led us
Through life's stumbling way.
Nor, will we forget
The challenges we met.
We cherish her yet,
Hail to Lake Worth High.

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Class of 52



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FOND MEMORIES

Grant Hibbard, Class 52

I remember diving off the Boynton inlet bridge, showing off for the senior girls, hitting the water wrong and breaking my left arm. Of course the tide was going out, but we had to dive to show the "girls" how brave we were, so here I am drifting out to sea with a broken arm. Bo Mcolley and I think Richard Scargill helped me up the ladder at the end of the north jetty. They drove me to the hospital in WPB. Dr. set the break and I was taken home. Totsie came by the house to visit and make sure it wasn't my neck that was broken. Good thing the trip to the hospital wasn't in my 39 Ford as I normally ran out of gas once per week. New Subject: Don James and I put a dead mullet under the hood of Jack Walters DeSoto, so he and Ann Howe could enjoy the aroma while parked at the beach. Ha Ha!

Charles "Chuck" Freed, class 53

I enjoyed not only school activities, but also, the many friends. There were a few teachers that use to say "why can't you be like your brother?" My brother had a photographic memory and made 'a's"! I was the one who wanted to live a life of dreams and fun, as long as I passed. I will say this, just attending LWS was eventful. Enjoyed special senior days and of course the graduation. LWS teachers instructed us well and I never had any problems. If you caused a problem, you had a problem....Detention after school hours. Overall, I would rate LWS an A+ over all experience of learning, athletics and fun! Attended navy 4 years (enjoyed the 4 years) and college, graduated in 1961 (enjoyed FSU)Go Trojans!

Lynn Tuckwood (Eason) '78

The fondest memories I have of Lake Worth High were the friends I made, many of which I have re-connected with on Facebook. I still stay in touch with Michael Coppola, who became my best friend in high school, and I recall all of the great times I had with him. The Drama Club was instrumental in getting me involved in theatre at high school and throughout the community. I have my BFA in Theatre because of those experiences. I especially remember, Eddie Howard, who had the gumption to preach on the front steps of the high school. I always thought that took great courage because he was ridiculed by others for doing so. That is a memory that burns in my mind. . . .

As our class turns 50 this year, and many of our children are teenagers in high school, more memories of the friends and good times display in our minds and we think fondly of those times growing up proud to be a Lake Worth High Alumni.

Paul Castronovo '78

As a proud member of the class of 78, I recently turned 50, and you know what? I still feel like the kid sneaking out of the gym during a Trojan basketball game to try and buy beer. We were shut down of course, but that story came up as I sat with Mike McGirt, Sam Jenkins, Dave Chafin, Bill Basante and Kristi Bower (Jenkins) during my 50th birthday weekend in the Keys. We are so lucky that we grew up in a place that upon graduation we didn't want to run away from. We are all still extremely close, and one of the bonds that we have is Good old Lake Worth.

Every time I drive over the I 95 overpass and see the Giant Trojan head on the building, I tell my wife, "Hey, I was part of the crew that painted that!" She thinks my mind is going. I am just proud to have been a part of it. Speaking of I 95, do you remember when it wasn't there? How the heck did we get around back then? When I was in school, I 95 was a construction site and to get to Miami, you had to take Military Trail!

Playing football my senior year and doing impersonations of Coach Nate Collins (behind his back, I might add), much to the delight of my fellow teammates, then after beating our arch rivals, John I Leanard, Coach stood up on the bus and said, "Castronovo, you've been doing that impersonation all damn year! You think you can do it to my face?" The whole team cracked up. What other school had a surf club? How about the parties we threw and the Senior Skip days at John Prince Park? I'll never forget those days and sure it was a long time ago, but it sure seems like yesterday.

PS..You guys can listen to me every morning on the radio on 98.7 FM the Gater. The Paul and Young Ron show. I bring up Lake Worth stories all the time.

Leni Boynton Brown, '59

How can they be so vivid after so many years, those memories of my days at Lake Worth High School? But, they are vividly etched into the cortex of my brain. My initial encounter with the school was when my mother dropped me off on the first day of the 1954 school year. I was 13 years old and entering the 7th grade. Since my brother, John, was a senior there, I was feeling pretty grown up to be attending his school!

As it were, I believe that was the day I did begin to grow up. As those school years sped by, I was growing educationally most certainly but, also in the realization that I was an independent person, capable and strong. I recognized and grew in appreciation and admiration of others. My spirit came alive and so much of who I am was molded in those lovely years.

I remember Mrs. Morrow as such a wonderful role model and what a good English teacher she was. I learned many helpful "life lessons" in her class. Mrs. Hall was my home economics teacher and she actually made me believe that I would be able to sew a straight line some day. (I'm pretty positive she had her doubts!) Miss Ledbetter taught me shorthand and was another very important teacher in my life. Mrs. Neal, who taught me Spanish, took our Spanish Club to Cuba and I was so excited to go. Coach Pete was my math teacher and he taught me I could jump three feet in the air while sitting down (with just one loud smack of his yardstick on my desk!) I believe he recognized my mind was elsewhere.

The aroma of the old books reused year after year (with the names of previous users on the back of the front cover and a "grade" of condition when received and returned right next to the name!) The steps up to the balcony of the auditorium and those down to the cafeteria all worn down from so many years of footsteps upon them. Assemblies, pep rallies! Sitting on the lawn at lunchtime. The hot breezes blowing into the classrooms through open windows. The memories and the feelings of those times will forever be with me.

As I walked out of the auditorium in 1959, having just received my diploma, I stood alone under a moonlit sky. I had just a few moments to myself before the steps were flooded with other graduates and parents, but in those moments I was keenly aware that I probably would not return to Lake Worth High School again and that I was the sum of the effort I had put into what the school had offered me and I was confidently looking forward to what lay ahead. I was grateful then, as I still am now, to my teachers and my fellow classmates for those years and the kindnesses shown me.

Gene Kuhar '52

Outside of the LWS baseball championship year, (Herb Score, Dick Brown, etc), one of my fondest memories at LWS occurred in my senior year on April 5, 1952. It was my first formal date, attending Nancy McNamara's birthday party. It was unusual, because Nancy's mother suggested the invitations be sent to the girls, who then chose the boys to the formal birthday dance bash, complete with a band. A fabulous time was had by all.

Sarah Shepard, my date, and I doubled-dated and went with Marguerite Waggener and Al Elam in Al's father's brand new Ford pick-up truck.

Fifty-five years later Sarah and I are still happily married.

Shari Woodyard Kemp class 79

I went to LWS from 1976 – 1979. A lot of my classmates have gone to the same schools since elementary school. During my years at LWS, I met some lifelong friends and have recently reconnected with some old classmates on Facebook and Classmates.com.

Some of my best friends were Dory Dorsey (who I am so very sad to say passed away last July), Dawn Snyder, Marcy DeMarco, Jan Jordan and Tracy Mannino. Dory and I lost contact for many years, but she and I reconnected many months before her passing and it just seemed like we picked up where we left off.

I was always the instigator when it came to cutting class, a bunch of us would cruise around Lake Worth Beach and see others from school, most of the time we went to eat at Grandma's Bakery, John G's or the Lettuce Patch.

I was also on the swim team from 1974-77 which also has special memories for me, Coach Coffman (who recently passed in January this year) was a huge influence in my life. I loved going to all the swimming meets and trips, but hated those 5:00 am practice sessions at LW pool!!

I moved to Houston, Texas in July 2000. I try to come down and visit family and friends at least once a year. I always drive by LWS when I come down to see how it's changed, but ironically, it still looks the same. My sister, brother and cousins have all gone to LWS.

Last year, when we were planning our 30 year reunion and it was great reconnecting with classmates, I came across a few girls that live close to me in Houston. Some of my cherished memories from LWS are graduation parties, Proms, Grad Night, Yearbook signings, Key West trip with Tracy, parties at Tracy's house, going to the Dorsey's and making Dory take me in Dorsey Funeral Home, bowling alley, roller rink, getting ready to go out either at my house, Dawn's or Marcy's house while listening to the music of Michael Jackson, Donna Summer, Eagles, Hall & Oates, Earth Wind & Fire, pool parties at Dawn's house and more swimming at LW Racquet Club.

I am still reconnecting with many on Facebook, it sure doesn't seem like we've been out of school for 30 years. The memories, friendships, teachers, coaches, swimming meets, football games all hold a special place in my heart from LWS! Go Trojans!!

Tami Thomas '76

I'm thinking that I have so many memories.....but namely, dealing with the schedule due to double sessions was a big thing. It changed the way you "went" to school and socialized. Also, I have lots of fun memories of cheerleading, and also of club participation. I also really enjoyed being "Mayor for a Day" when we had student takeover day with the City of Lake Worth.

Carl Howard '52

Being on the field at football games(1/2 time that is...) And on the bus going and come from games. Dancing at the gym!

Carolyn Tisdale Howard'54

Being in the band, and going to all the games and slumber parties.

Charles Gillotte '52

I have so many fond memories of school days at LWS and so many of the classmates who also went to South Grade Elementary. Of course I especially remember Dolores Smith, Beverly and Carolyn Smith singing at assemblies and also getting the Hi Times newspaper ready for the printers. My brother Fred (Class of 48) is well and I either call him daily or see him once a month. My sister Dolores (Class of 50) passed away March 25, 2008 after a long illness and heart surgery.



Alumni News requests your help putting the spotlight on LWS alums

We know there are many alumni success stories just waiting to be told. If you would like to appear in the newsletter, or would like to suggest a fellow LW High School alum, please contact your alumni foundation office, or email newsletter editor Doris Dorsey at hogfish123@aol.com.

We welcome your suggestions for story ideas, as well as articles and photographs pertaining to Lake Worth High School Alumni. We are always interested in highlighting your reunion or other alumni gatherings—just let us know! If we use your article or photo, you will be listed as a contributor to that particular volume of Alumni News.

We look forward to hearing from you soon and representing all of Lake Worth High!

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Randall B. Hall – Class of 1960

Lake Worth High School Alumni Foundation Treasurer



With his wife Mary Lou visiting Colorado in 2007

Randall Brian (Randy) Hall was born in West Palm Beach in 1942. He grew up in Lake Worth on South D Street with his parents and three younger sisters. Randy attended Lake Worth High School where he did well academically, was a class officer, and was active in sports and clubs.

Following graduation from Lake Worth High School, Randy went to Princeton University (seeing snow for the first time in his life during his freshman year there). He majored in Chemical Engineering and looked for summer jobs each year that were consistent with his chosen vocation.

During a summer job in Ohio, Randy met his wife (Mary Lou Fort) on a blind date; she was in nursing school in Ohio, but actually lived near Princeton University in New Jersey. They were married in 1964, a week before Randy graduated with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Engineering.

During the summer of 1963, Randy and two high school friends had driven from Lake Worth to Seattle to see the World's Fair. This trip greatly influenced his future by creating his love for travel and a desire to "see the world". Consequently, Randy chose his first job after college in the "International" Division of Procter & Gamble, at their Research & Development center in Cincinnati. He spent the next 13 years developing new products, and then going to manufacturing plants in other countries to teach the plant personnel how to make the new products. This work took him to Mexico, Venezuela, Morocco, Iran, Saudi Arabia, Japan and several European countries. He loved experiencing the many cultures around the world, but would not trade what we have here in the United States for any of them.

In 1977, Randy went to work for Clorox Research & Development in northern

California. His department handled technical support for Clorox cleaning products (Clorox, Clorox 2, Formula 409, Liquid Plumr, etc.); he also developed Tilex bathroom cleaner during this time.

Due to several family deaths, Randy returned to Lake Worth in 1982 to work in the family business (Modern Venetian Blind). He eventually ran the business until his retirement in the year 2000.

Since returning to Lake Worth, Randy has continued to travel extensively with his wife Mary Lou. Overseas travel has included New Zealand, Australia, China, Scotland, France and Argentina. Driving trips have become increasingly attractive, and he has been to all 50 states and most of the Canadian provinces. More recently, he has taken up birding which adds a pleasant element to the driving trips.

Randy's other primary interest is genealogy. He has identified well over 1000 direct American ancestors for his immediate family, and is the acknowledged expert on the surname Fort in the United States. He has been the treasurer of the Genealogical Society of Palm Beach County for the last 10 years.

Randy has been the treasurer of the LWHS Alumni Foundation since his retirement in the year 2000. Separately, he is currently working on his high school reunion committee planning their 50th reunion in October 2010.

Randy's two daughters were the 3rd generation in his family to graduate from Lake Worth High School. They lived in San Francisco and South Carolina after college, but have since moved back to Palm Beach County (along with two grandchildren).

Randy has family, friends, worthwhile activities, history and a world to explore. A man can't ask for much more and Randy knows it.

BRADLEY G. HARPER, CLASS OF '95

Recipient of LWHS Scholarship

by Char Macon

Bradley Harper, a fifth generation native of Palm Beach County, was raised in Rivera Beach and West Palm Beach. Bradley attended local elementary and middle schools in that area. Before starting high school, his mother, an elementary school principal, showed him a brochure about magnet schools.

He was interested in the ROTC and Medical Magnet programs at Lake Worth High School.

He was accepted in the program and this was during Principal Dave Cantley and Patricia "Patty" Mandigo's rein. Bradley developed leadership abilities with the ROTC. He started to play football and run track, however, a young lady convinced him to try out for an upcoming play. He was given the male lead in the "Diviners," and credits the drama coach, Dennis Sims, with instilling in him a great work ethic.

Getting in trouble, which involved a fight with another student, he was in counseling with Mr. Cantley which led him to improve his grades so he could go to college.

He graduated from LWHS in 1995 and received a \$500.00 scholarship from the LWHS Alumni Foundation. This along with other grants and help from his dad allowed him to attend Morehouse College in Atlanta, Georgia.

Upon graduation from Morehouse College, he came home and worked for his father in his business, Bella Floor Covering. He, at that time, realized the struggle small businesses have in dealing with government agencies, county building departments and legal issues. Because of this and the realization that major political and economic changes came through law, he developed a passion for the legal profession. A year later, with the help of a three year scholar-



Bradley G. Harper

ship, he attended the University of Florida College of Law.

After graduation USF College of Law, he returned to Palm Beach County to eventually become a partner with Olds, Stephens, & Harper, P.A. Possessing a strong sense of community, he has spearheaded a Responsible Leadership Forum addressing ethics in business and government for community leaders. He has adopted West Rivera Elementary School hoping to increase student achievement and perhaps will become involved with the LWHS Alumni Foundation.

Bradley and his wife, Channele, have a son and a daughter and expect another daughter soon. They live in West Palm Beach near downtown, but Bradley has dreams of someday owning the home on the hill built by "Cracker Johnson".

The LWHS Alumni Foundation & Dollars for Scholars salute this outstanding alumnus.

Harold '47 and Helen '50 Gilmore

It was a Sunday evening and Methodist Youth Fellowship was meeting at Sunset Ridge Park. Helen Moore needed a ride home. Harold Gilmore offered that ride in his newly purchased '47 Ford . . . the rest is history. Now, married for 60 years, they have raised three children and are grandparents of six and great-grandparents of three.

On a crisp Thanksgiving day, Dr. Grady Brantly went to the Lake Worth residence of the Bert Gilmores and delivered a baby boy - Harold. It was at this home on Pine Street that Harold grew up. Starting at West Grade Elementary, Harold attended all local schools, graduating from Lake Worth High - class of 1947.

In 1946, the Hall and the Gilmore families partnered to start Modern Venetian Blind Corporation. While still in high school, Harold started working in the new business, and, except for a stint in the U.S. Air Force, he spent the next 52 years manufacturing and selling window coverings. In 1957, Lance Awning Company was added, which soon became one of the leading suppliers of hurricane awning and aluminum hurricane shutters in the Palm Beach area.

Over the years, Harold has enjoyed many activities. He was Scoutmaster of three different Boy Scout Troops, and coached youth baseball and the Lake Worth Reds Semi-Pro Baseball team. At the age of 45, he discovered the joys of flying and got a pilot's license. Helen earned her license also. Together they have flown many places including Mexico, the Cayman Islands, the Bahamas and many U.S. destinations. Two months before the 9-11 tragedy they flew down the Hudson River past the Twin-Towers and Statue of Liberty. Helen even celebrated her 65th

birthday with a skydive. Today Harold serves on the Palm Beach County Aviation and Airports Advisory Board and is vice-president of the Florida Aero Club (FAC). They are both past-presidents of FAC.

Helen was born at home four blocks away



from Harold's house. She enjoyed learning at South Grade Elementary School and, thanks to many inspiring teachers, graduated from Lake Worth High. After marriage and children, Helen continued her education, earning two education degrees from Florida Atlantic University and a doctorate from Nova Southeastern University. Grandchildren teasingly called her Dr. Grandma. Her public school teaching career spanned 20 years - 12 at Palm Beach Public Elementary School, Palm Beach, and eight as the School District's Program Specialist in Gifted Education. Helen has been an adjunct professor for 30 years teaching graduate education classes for Nova Southeastern University. Now teaching online master's degree literacy courses, she has students all over the world.

Turning entrepreneur, Helen left the school district after 20 years opening the Helen Gilmore Learning Center, Lantana, 21 years ago. Master teachers tutor and test preschoolers to adults - most any subject. Helen has been vice-president of the state's Florida Teaching Profession, president of the Classroom Teachers' Association and the local National Association of Women Business Owners. Currently she is Leader of Laity for Calvary United Methodist Church.

Helen and Harold have led a happy, successful 60 years together and gratefully credit a loving God, good parents and the excellent start they got at Lake Worth schools.

LISA A. WETULA

(Formerly Lisa A. Hevener) '88

After graduation, Lisa spent a year sailing in Europe, the Caribbean and the east coast of the United States. Lisa returned to Palm Beach Community College and graduated with a degree as an Occupational Therapist Assistant in 1995.

Lisa married Michael Wetula Jr. in December of 1998. Michael is also a health care professional and area manager for a national rehab company. They have three wonderful boys: Michael, Dylan, and Kyle. Presently, they live in West Lake Worth where the boys are very active in Boynton Beach Little League.

Lisa has become a rehab director at Signature Health Care, also right here in Lake Worth. Lisa has been very blessed to assemble a group of therapeutic professionals who work as a team to allow others to regain their independence after a trauma or sickness.

Lisa and her family enjoy spending time at their camp in Kissimmee. At camp they ride ATV's on trails and in the mud. They also spend quality time with their dogs Taz and Bo. Bo is also a Therapy Dog two days a week at Signature.

It's hard to believe that it's been more than 20 years since high school. I can be contacted at wetula@aol.com. I would love to hear from some old friends.

DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS PRESIDENT’S COLUMN

Dave Cantley

The Lake Worth chapter of Dollars for Scholars was formed in 1999 to assist financially needy students fulfill their dream of a college education. We awarded \$10,000 to the class of 1999. Twelve years later, fifty-eight students in the class of 2010 will receive \$65,000, pushing us past the half-million dollar mark. The total amount awarded since our founding year is \$538,450. This does not include 100% matching funds provided by Florida Atlantic University (FAU) for students attending that institution. Palm Beach State College (formerly Palm Beach Community College) matched our scholarships until 2008.

It is the philosophy of the national office of Dollars for Scholars, a program of Scholarship America (www.scholarshipamerica.org) to award scholarships to needy students who have proven the ability to succeed in college. Parents of applicants must sign a financial disclosure statement. The Lake Worth chapter awards scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 to \$3,000. In many cases, this small amount means the difference in a student going or not going to college. We are especially grateful to FAU and their foundation for their match. A needy student can live at home, work a part-time job and commute to school. Partnering is a big part of what has made Dollars for Scholars successful nation wide since its

inception in 1958 in Fall River, MA. We are also very fortunate to have partnered with The Lake Worth High School Alumni Foundation. The alumni foundation pays all overhead costs for Dollars for Scholars which means that every dollar donated to DFS goes directly into the scholarship fund.

Dr. Ian Saltzman, Lake Worth High Principal, continues to be a major partner, making sizable contributions from proceeds generated by the Lake Worth High Flea Market, the most successful fund raiser in the history of Palm Beach County Schools. Other partners are The Lake Worth Fishing Tournament, The Lake Worth Kiwanis Club, John F. Kennedy Medical Center Foundation, The Lake Worth Women’s Club, Baha’l of Lake Worth and our long-time partner, Wayne Akers Ford. Two of our grads in the construction business are big sponsors of our golf tournament. Jim Auld,

’83, VP of The Morganti Group, has been a major sponsor since our first tournament. Matt West, President of the class of ’89 and President of West Construction, became a major sponsor for last year’s tournament.

The DFS Board of Directors is made up of twenty-two volunteers who work very hard to fulfill our mission. We are very grateful to them for the many hours they put in. We especially appreciate the work of the scholarship committee who went through ninety-two applications, evaluated them and selected the fifty-six recipients. The committee was comprised of co-chairs Doris Welsh and Paul Blockson, Ed and Jane Whitaker, Scott Curry and Mary Faucci. Many hours were spent on typing letters, assembling packets and doing other clerical chores by Doris Welsh and some lady named Kay (Dave’s sweet wife who puts up with him.)

DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS
9TH ANNUAL
GOLF TOURNAMENT

by Dave Cantley

Lake Worth Dollars for Scholars in conjunction with the Lake Worth High School Alumni Foundation has announced plans for their 9th annual golf tournament. The tournament will be held at Atlantis Country Club October 9, 2010. Last year’s event was a sell out and golfers were turned away. Players are urged to register early to avoid disappointment.

Chairman of this year’s event will be Dan Derringer, class of ’79. Dan will be bringing many classmates and friends to the event this year to insure a successful tournament.

Lake Worth Dollars for Scholars provides scholarships for financially needy students graduating Lake Worth High School. Scholarships range from \$1,000 to \$3,500 The foundation at Florida Atlantic University matches DFS awards 100%.

The tournament committee needs volunteers to help raise funds and plan the tournament. For more information on volunteering call Dan Derringer at 561-582-7719, Phil Adams Calcagno at 561-386-7157 or Dave Cantley at 561-602-2513.



Lake Worth Dollars For Scholars Foundation Summary Financial Report January 1, 2010 to March 31, 2010		
Description	Amount	Balance
Beginning Fund Balance 1/1/10		\$72,485
Revenue		
Donations	\$4,989	
Endowment Contributions	\$4,355	
Interest Income	\$3	
Total Revenue		\$9,347
Total Revenue and Fund Balance		\$81,832
Expenses		
Endowment Investments	\$9,103	
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$550	
Total Expenses		-\$9,653
Ending Fund Balance 03/31/10		\$72,179
Endowment Investments as of 5/5/10		
Barry Grunow		\$65,759
David Cantley		\$22,739
Dennis & Doris Dorsey		\$19,308
Karl Easton		\$20,406
Michael T Fisher		\$15,349
Kristen Stanley		\$24,082
LWHS Alumni		\$38,474
Eva Norberg		\$8,372
Robert Fulton		\$4,220
Betty Milone		\$25,574
Tommy & Helen Hansen		\$26,177
ER “Buddy” Goodell		\$19,057
Watson B Duncan III		\$21,838
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