

2019 Milestones to celebrate

Congratulations to the below listed classes as they celebrate their milestone this year !!! 75 yrs . Drummer '44

70 yrs - Drummer '49

65 yrs. - GCHS '54 -to be announced

60 yrs - GCMS '59 - **Mary (Kelley) Holsten, John Swanson**

55 yrs. - GCHS '64 - **Committee**

50 yrs. - GCHS '69 -**Steve Parsons**

45 yrs. - GCHS '74 -to be announced

40 yrs. - GCHS '79 -to be announced

35 yrs - GCHS '84- to be announced

30 yrs. - GCHS '89 -to be announced

Let us know what your reunion plans are and we will be glad to post in the coming issues.

February / March

Happy Birthday...Happy Anniversary

Congratulations to the Falcons Basketball Team who captured 3rd place trophy in the State Tournament in an exciting overtime win 75-66.

Class of 1959 prepares for 60 reunion in 2019 !

Mary Kelley '59 Holston and John Swanson '59 are working on their 60th class reunion for 2019. They ask that anyone in their class with email to please send an email (with your name) to either Mary or Jim. they have may email addresses, but can't identify some of them. Thank you in advance. John emails to their class, so you should be able to respond to his email.....if not, you can email me (Carla) and I will forward your message.

The Reunion committee for **Class of 64** is busy making plans for their 55th celebration. Notices will be sent out to the class along with reservation forms for the Festival. They plan to meet at Moyer Library on July 20th for their celebration prior to attending the Festival at the Kruse Center.

Increase postage in January !!!

Thank you to those who have sent stamps to help with getting the Newsy to those without internet.

As you may or may not know, WGCY's Gary McCullough '72 has been having health issues since August that have side-lined him for awhile. We all wish him a quick recovery and return to WGCY radio.

Please keep the McCulloughs all in your prayers.

M & W Revisited

Compiled monthly and posted on our website for your viewing. www.greyhoundfestival.com

NOTE --New address >>>>>>Send any news to Carla at 47cmoxley@gmail.com

Candy (Crowe '66) Williamson reported that her brother Steve '70 recently was hospitalized, following suffering a stroke and will be going to a local nursing home soon for rehabilitation. Please keep Steve and his family in your prayers.

Steve Day '59 extends his thanks to his classmates and others for sending condolences to the son of Gil Haas ('59), who recently passed. Your thoughtfulness was greatly appreciated.

Register now -- see you in July !!!

The reservation form for the 12th Annual Greyhound Festival is ready and will be posted online at our website shortly. It will also be emailed to everyone on our list.

The fee this year is \$20.00 per person which includes entry, name badge, appetizers, and listing in the printed program (if your reservation if received by Friday, July 12, 2019).

All late reservations will be \$20.00 per person, but will not be listed in the program. As always, we encourage early reservations, to help with seating and food ordering.

Thank you for your consideration !!!!

More information will be sent as it becomes available.

Send any questions to Carla at 47cmoxley@gmail.com

Register now.....see you in July !!!!

Mark your calendars for the 12th Greyhound Festival - Saturday, July 20, 2019

Thoughts and Prayers to the families of :

May God grant you strength and peace during these difficult days.

Brian Heideman '76 - Broken Arrow, OK - January 13, 2019. Survivors include children Nicole, Chuck, Kevin and Kyle, 7 grandchildren and sister Kathy (Heideman) Steibner, Brother Tony Heideman, Jr. and extended family.

Betty Ann Landau Warsaw Barth (Drummer '43) - Gibson City, IL - January 14, 2019.

Carol Marie Kroon - Paxton, IL - January 29, 2019. Survivors include husband Darrel, children Cathy '78 (Ken) Breeden, Bob '83 (Sheila) Croon, David '79 and Rick '80, 6 grandchildren, 5 great grandchildren and a brother.

Grant Conibear - Gibson City, IL - February 3, 2019. Survivors include his wife Marianne and children Michelle '79 Pauken, Grant '84, Heidi '87 Krug, 5 grandchildren, sister Julie and extended family. Grant served in the Air Force and operated Grant's Pharmacy in Gibson City.

Robert 'Bob' Hill - Gibson City, IL - February 10, 2019. Survivors include his wife Mary Jane and children Diane '74 Smith and Carla '78 (Jim) Jones, 4 grandchildren, 2 great grandchildren and a sister. He served in the Navy for 4 years, stationed in Pearl Harbor.

Jessie (Donner) (Drummer '41) Roesch - Gibson City, IL - February 17, 2019. Survivors include children pat '64 (Mike Harris, John '66, Doug '72 (Kara), 34 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren and brother Ivan '52 (Phyllis) Donner and many extended family members.

Marvin Kumler '58 - Palm Springs, Cal. - February 18, 2019. Survivors include his partner Jack Hayden, his sister Sharon '65 KumlerSeaton, 2 nieces and a nephew. Marvin courageously fought pancreatic cancer for 10 years. Prior to his retirement from Bowling Green State University, Marvin started 1 of the very first crisis intervention centers for college students to get emergency help....later called 'The Link'.

Eric M Noyd - Geneseo - February 21, 2019 - Survived by wife Jane (Tjardes '88).

Festival Plans and Reservation Forms will be available in MarchStay tuned !!!

12th Greyhound Festival

Saturday, July 20, 2019

(Annually 3rd Saturday of July)

Mark your calendars now!!! and plan to join us.

Preparing for Festival Memorial Board

I am requesting that all classes submit your latest list of your classmates who you would like added to the Memorial Board at the Festival in July.

Please email your list to Carla at 47cmoxley@gmail.com. In 2018, I set up a Memorial Board to honor and remember our classmates who are no longer with us. I would like to expand that this year to include more classes. Thank you.

Again I want to thank you all for your continued support of not only the 'Newsy', but the Annual festival !!!!

**Always say a Prayer (ASAP)
for all of our classmates who are facing health issues
(listed here or not)**

Betty '53 Moser, Nancy (Conover '58) List,
Bill Dueringer '64, Tess (Royal '67) Powell, Steve Crowe '70,
Gary McCullough '72,
Nancy Dueringer (wife of Tom Dueringer '74)
and any Greyhounds who might be homebound,
in nursing homes or assisted living facilities.
May God's peace and strength be with you.

Note : Let me know if there is anyone you want added to this list.
In order to preserve privacy, only those names are printed that