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# Alumní Association UPDATE

#### **Dear Fellow Alumni:**

Homecoming for 2019 is scheduled for Saturday, October 12. Again, we are hoping for a large turnout for this year's Homecoming with class reunions for the classes of 1959, 1964, 1969, 1974, and 1979. An official reunion has not been confirmed for 1984. Please make plans to contact your classmates and encourage them to attend this year. <u>Information on the class reunions is on page 3</u> of this newsletter.

From May 09, 2019 to August 8, 2019 (since our June 2019 Newsletter) our fundraisers have brought in \$6,046 for the Library Fund, and \$13,728 for the General Fund. We have received donations from 204 alumni. **If you have not sent in your contribution yet, please consider doing so. Contributions are IRS tax deductible.** All of us deeply appreciate the support shown by each contributing alumnus.

We have recently paid WASCO the amount of \$30,221 for the repairs to the library roof. That is \$3,400 less than the original price. As a result, the amount in our accounts are down. I want to encourage each of you to continue to contribute in order to build the accounts back up. Of course, many of you have already sent in a donation.

Our Homecoming events for 2019, include tours of Main Building (Lebanon City Hall), and the City of Lebanon Museum and History Center located in the basement of Lebanon City Hall from 10:30 am. to 1:30 pm. Mayor Bernie Ash, and his staff are graciously allowing us to visit both of these facilities and we thank them for their assistance on that Saturday. The Rutherford Parks Library will be open at 9:30 a.m. through 2:30 p.m. on Homecoming Day. (See insert on Homecoming Activities.)

Registration for Homecoming will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the registration tent next to the Rutherford

Parks Library. Our picnic luncheon will be on the same site. Parking is available in front of the Library, in the grassy area next to the luncheon tent, behind Main Building, and the parking lot across the street from the Alumni House. The Alumni House will be open on Friday, October 11, beginning at 10:00 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. so that you may visit classmates and see the displays inside the house. Rutherford Parks Library will open at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, October 11, for the BB&W event and will close later that night after the event is over.

Our <u>Picnic Luncheon</u> will begin at 11:00 a.m. on **Saturday, October 12** with Chester Jordan's Catering serving us for the 30th consecutive year. All of you will want to take



the opportunity to visit with former faculty and staff who are invited to the luncheon as our guests. The \$15 cost per person will cover your lunch as well as our guests. **<u>RESERVATIONS</u>** <u>**ARE REQUIRED**</u> so that we can give the caterer a correct headcount.

Our **Alumni meeting** will follow the luncheon under the tent. With the conclusion of the Alumni meeting, we will then move to the War Memorial in front of Main for our annual memorial service and wreath laying. We will then have class reunion pictures taken on the steps of the Rutherford Parks Library. Our morning and afternoon activities should be concluded around 2:30 p.m.

The <u>Dinner/Dance</u> that evening will be held at the Lebanon Golf and Country Club. The

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cost is \$40 per person. The entrée choice includes bayou chicken, grilled salmon, or prime-rib. The social time before dinner will be 6:30 - 7:00 p.m. with the dinner beginning at 7:00 p.m. David Hale, CHMA '74 and owner of Hawk Specialty Services will provide the music for the dance which follows the dinner. **RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED** for the Dinner/Dance.

At Homecoming under the registration tent we will have for sale, coffee cups, Heights sweatshirts, t-shirts (shortsleeve and long-sleeve), golf shirts, baseball caps, license plates, brass buttons, lapel pins, school logo emblems (patch) used on blazers, car windshield decals, CHMA "throw" blankets (\$35), and a CD with the song, "The Hilltop" written by Bill Wheeler '72 for \$5. Also for sale will be the color print of the Heights campus, circa 1916, for \$35, a small panoramic print of the campus taken during the 30's for \$15, an 11 X 14 picture of the tiger and cannon in front of the Alumni House for \$25 taken by Gary Moor '59 (Gary is a Master Photographer), and an 11 X 14 print of the Auditorium for \$25. Phil Ponder's 16 X 20 print of the Library will be available for \$45, and his print of the Main Building for \$45. Additionally, we will have our book, Hail, Castle Heights! for \$20, and the J.B. Leftwich book, View From the Hill, for \$20. We will also be selling hat shields that were attached to the CHMA garrison hats for \$10.

We hope to have additional displays placed in the Library to include composite class pictures from the 1920's and the 1930's as well as several banners representing Castle Heights. Hopefully, all of you will take the time to tour the Library to see the many displays that we now have.

We look forward to visiting with many of you in Lebanon for <u>Homecoming 2019 on Saturday, October 12.</u> Please remember that the Alumni House will be open on Friday, October 11, as well.

Sincerely, Rob Hosier '63

# <u>No Official GOLF Tournament</u> <u>HOWEVER,</u> <u>PLEASE READ THIS:</u>

For those interested in playing golf on Friday, October 11, please join some other former cadets from the 1976 and 1977 classes and other classes who are meeting at 11 a.m. at the Lebanon Golf and Country Club for lunch. After lunch, they plan on playing golf which should be sometime around 12 noon. This is just for fun and not an official organized event, so if you are interested, just show up !! Have a nice time !! LODGING INFORMATION

Please make your lodging reservations as soon as possible so you will not have a difficult time booking a room. Most of the hotels in Lebanon are located on Hwy 231/South Cumberland/Murfreesboro Road, Lebanon, off I-40/Exit 238. The Hampton Inn is off of I-40/Exit 236 (Hartmann Dr.) then on Franklin Road. Book ASAP to get the hotel you want!

#### PLEASE BE SURE TO ASK FOR THE CASTLE HEIGHTS ALUMNI SPECIAL RATE

We called to get these discounted rates for you. For the discount, <u>please mention you are attending the</u> <u>CASTLE HEIGHTS REUNION/HOMECOMING.</u>

\$179 & \$184 + tax (king to 2 queens) prices are their regular fees for lodging (I-40 Exit 236)

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**RESERVATION FORM** 

#### For Homecoming 2019 *Luncheon* and *Dinner/Dance* <u>and the</u> ACTIVITIES SCHEDULE

The <u>Reservation Form</u> for the Homecoming Luncheon and Dinner/Dance, and an <u>Activities</u> <u>Schedule</u> for <u>Saturday, October 12</u> are on separate printed sheets inserted in this newsletter. A self-addressed envelope is also included in the newsletter to mail your reservation form to us.



# HOMECOMING 2019 REUNIONS

#### 60-YEAR REUNION CLASS OF 1959

Celebration scheduled Friday, Oct. 11, at Five Oaks Golf and Country Club, Lebanon. Activities include honoring 8 key '59 faculty: Leonard Bradley, Robert Hosier, Gene Hale, Stroud Gwynn, Tom Harris, Bobby Todd, John Sweatt and Lindsey Donnell. Children of at least 6 will be dinner guests, and speak about their fathers. Ted Lavit '57 guest comic. AV show and 50's music. Social Hour starts at 5 p.m., buffet dinner at 6:30 p.m. Exhibits on '59 grads / faculty / CHMA. "Class of '59" rooms are at Executive Inn all booked (32 of 70 known alums of 132 grads already signed up); check other lodging in this newsletter. Clav Woods 731-694-2882 Co-chairmen or clay.woods@att.net, and Jerry Ream at 270-651-8987 are coordinating the "last big HOORAH" for THE "best and brightest" class. Call either one immediately (by Sept. 6) to make dinner reservations.

#### 55 YEAR REUNION CLASS OF 1964

The Class of 1964 is having a reception and dinner **Friday October 11<sup>th</sup>** at the **Lebanon Golf and Country Club**, in the Oak Room.

#### Reception at 5:30 and Dinner to follow Order from the special menu

On Saturday, class members will be participating in the regular scheduled Homecoming activities including Lunch under the tent. Please respond to **Bill Goodner at** <u>williegood@comcast.net</u>. <u>RSVP no later than</u> <u>September 5</u>. If you have any questions, please contact the following: **Bill Goodner at williegood@comcast.net Bill Stewart at bills@stewartlumber.com Bob Bussey at ceebeebank@bellsouth.net** <u>Please plan to chip in \$5-\$10 for the cost of the room.</u> They look forward to seeing you!!

#### 50 YEAR REUNION CLASS OF 1969

The Class of 1969 has planned a **50th anniversary reunion dinner for 6:00 p.m., Friday, October 11, at Sammy B's**, the restaurant in the former president's house on campus. It's located at 705 Cadet Court for the GPSchallenged. Don't forget to register for all the other Alumni Association events described in the newsletter, including the luncheon, dinner-dance, and golf if desired. Rob Hosier and the Association have arranged special rates for lodging in Lebanon for those interested. Lodging information is on page 2.

Contact Tom Bradley at <u>tom.bradley.tn@gmail.com</u> or Dan Coleman at <u>jdcm@hotmail.com</u> for more information.

#### 45 YEAR REUNION CLASS OF 1974

The Class of 1974 plans to gather at Wheeler's Beer, Beans and Weenies that is being held at the Rutherford Parks Library, from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m., on Friday evening, October 11. Around 6:00 p.m. those 1974 class members who wish to eat will go to Sammy B's restaurant on the former campus. **Dana Devine is the contact person**. If you have questions, or plan to attend the 45 year reunion, please let Dana know so he will have an idea of how many to expect to see. You may call **Dana "Arkie" Devine at 813-748-4115 or email him at ddevine@clayton.com**. Arkie, Mitch Damsky, and Chuck Lowe look forward to seeing you!

#### 40 YEAR REUNION CLASS OF 1979

Members of the Class of 1979 will have their 40 year reunion on Friday evening, October 11. They will gather at the home of Dale Johnson in Nashville. They have already sent out letters to class members with details of the gathering. If you have not heard from Jeff Seely or Bobby Parker regarding this event, you may contact them by calling Jeff at 615-364-3561 or Bobby at 601-214-7806. The 1979 class is inviting alumni from other classes to attend. For example, if you are in the class of 1977, 1978 or 1980 or any other class, you are welcome to join them. Just call to let them know and they will provide details.

## <u>Wheeler's</u> <u>Beer, Beans & Weenies</u> Friday, October 11, 3:00 p.m. Rutherford Parks Library

Friday, October 11, will be the start of another exciting Homecoming weekend on the grounds of Rutherford Parks Library. For the sixth year in a row, Wheeler's Beer, Beans, and Weenies' crew will be offering free cold beer, and hot dogs along with the fixings, to those of you who arrive early for the fun and friendship.

Happy Beer Hour starts at 3:00 p.m. Hot dogs start rolling off the grill at 5:00 and everyone will be served, rain or shine, until the last cadet leaves. As always, BB&W is absolutely free. If you feel the need to contribute, there is a donation jar nearby. Wheeler's BB&W t-shirts will be available for \$15, and koozies for \$1.

# OTHER HEIGHTS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEWS

## NOTICE OF RECENT DEATHS

## <u>Alumni</u>

**Randy Allen '59 Charles Bauermeister '57 Tommy Britt '71 (2014)** William Brownsey '55 Robert Cobb '56 **John Freeman '55** Larry Hallums '68 George Haynes, Jr. '53 Donald F. Howard '50 (2016) Lewis Kash '59 Karl Kleibl '49 (2014) **Reed Knight '41** (2008) **Ronald Majors '57 Ron McBride '71 Herb Schuler '43 Joe Sawyer '61 Bud Tuttle '43 Roderick Tyra '42 (2007)** Rav B. White '53 **Jack Wilson '42 (2007)** 

### Note:

The Alumni Association has recently been notified of the passing of some alumni who died a number of years ago, and we have listed those with the year they passed. We wanted to include their information in this newsletter.

PLEASE SEND CHANGES OF ADDRESS, PHONE NUMBERS, OR EMAIL TO:

Jennifer Franklin Winfree 186 Ashburn Circle Lancaster, TN 38569

OR

Email: loveboatlovefish@yahoo.com

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION Information for 2020

<u>SAVE these instructions</u> if anyone in your family will be applying for a scholarship !

## <u>On December 1, 2019</u>

Info on scholarships will be posted on the alumni website www.castleheights.com

We will enter into our twentieth (20th) year of awarding scholarships in 2020. PLEASE KEEP THIS INFORMATION. Beginning on December 1, 2019, you may go to the Castle Heights Military Academy Alumni Association's website www.castleheights.com and print the instructions and application for the **three** (3) scholarships (\$2,000 each) that will be awarded in 2020 for the academic year 2020-2021. February 15, 2020 will be the deadline for the applications to reach the Alumni Association. April 15, 2020 will be the deadline for the Scholarship Selection Committee to have the names of the three students selected to receive the scholarships (\$2,000 to each). The selected recipients will be notified after April 15, 2020.

If you do not have access to the internet and/or you are unable to print the information/directions and application, <u>contact us after December 1</u>:

Jennifer Franklin Winfree 615-477-9762 Ioveboatlovefish@yahoo.com

If anyone wishes to <u>sponsor and</u> <u>provide a SCHOLARSHIP</u> in memory of or in honor of someone, please contact:

> Rob Hosier 1045 Woodmont Drive Gallatin, TN 37066 615/451-0468

shosier@msn.com

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**ADAMS, DENIS F.** '52 - Georgetown, TX; Says it's hard to believe that he went to Heights so many years ago and still remembers it fondly. He is 84 years old and just celebrated his 64th Wedding Anniversary. Denis has balance problems but still gets around. He doesn't travel much now but would love to make it to just one reunion. Sends best wishes to all! denlo3452@yahoo.com

**ANDERSON, JOHN '54 -** North Palm Beach, FL; John is President of Bayou Du Chein LLC. He plays music, old time and bluegrass every weekend so he can't attend Homecomings. He fondly remembers Rodney Thomas and Earl Cato.

**COL. (retired) DAVID R. APPLEGATE '86 -** Milton, GA; Col. Applegate is currently flying a Gulfstream 550 as an International Captain for the Coca-Cola Company in Atlanta, GA. He and his wife reside in Milton, GA. **david.r.applegate@gmail.com** 

**ARMSTRONG, DR. JOHN H. '67 -** Carol Stream, IL; John retired June of 2019. Mentoring and writing are his future work. **johnA1949@gmail.com** 

**ASH, DON R. '73 -** Murfreesboro, TN; Don is the Senior Judge for the State of Tennessee. His wife Rita, sells Real Estate for Parks Group. Don and Rita have 8 grandchildren. **drash1234@gmail.com** 

**AUER, GEORGE '71** - West Lake, OH; George is still working and sailing. He won a National Championship in 2018. He spends his free time playing volleyball and working out at the gym. He enjoys reading the newsletter. **gasobstad@yahoo.com** 

**BALLARD, REGGIE '63 -** Forrest, VA; Reggie still lives in Lynchburg but has been in Trinity, North Carolina a great deal lately helping his granddaughter carry his grandson to UNC School of the Arts who will be a 16 year old freshman at NC State. He is a proud grandfather and said we have not heard the last from his grandson because he is a great musician! **piperpilot12@yahoo.com** 

**BLACKWOOD, RON '59 -** Hewitt, TX; Ron moved back to Waco and is very happy. His wife is now Dr. Shelley Blackwood. He encourages everyone to look at his new website, www.ronblackwoodagency.com He has wonderful memories of CHMA. **ronblackwoodmc@icloud.com** 

**BLUNCK, DR. CARL E. "SHOTS" M.D. '68 -** Mobile, AL; Carl is still practicing medicine in Mobile. He has been married for 37 years to Chris Currie Blunck. He and his wife do triathlons together. He enjoys skiing, hiking, and cycling in Europe. He works and plays hard. He has several children that practice medicine. He may transition soon to Aspen, CO so come up for the cycling fun. Love to all his brothers of 1968. **triclyde01@aol.com** 

**BOHANON, JOHN '67 -** Kevil, KY; John has been retired 21 years from the Paducah Fire Department as Assistant Chief. He is still farming and enjoys his grandchildren. He lives on the family farm, and enjoys gardening and fishing with his grandchildren. He has two children. **thebohanons@yahoo.com** 

**BRADLEY, RALPH "GARY" '59** - West Palm Beach, FL; Ralph is retired, married to Patty (RN) and has three children, a daughter Kim (RN), son Drew (chef and coach), and son Drew (Deputy Sheriff), and grandchild Riley.

**BREAUX, HARRY '63 -** San Francisco, CA; Harry is a long time survivor of AIDS. He advocates in Washington DC and Sacramento for Health and Housing concerns for LGBTQ issues.

**BRINKMAN**, **DOUG '59** - Morgantown, GA; Doug is enjoying the mountains at its finest - snow, fall colors , clean air, and no traffic. **fiero\_gt@juno.com** 

BRYSON, BILL (Coach–Faculty 1971-79) – Lebanon, TN; william.bryson@axa-advisors.com

**CARTER, CHARLES E. '57** - Congress, AZ; Charles has a motor home and travels in the summer. He will be volunteering at Custer St. Park, SD this year. He survived knee surgery and a triple bypass and is ready for 80 years more or less! **cecarter39@yahoo.com** 

**CARUTHERS, JACK (JOHN) MINER '55 -** Tupelo, MS; As he has gotten older and having dealt with cancer, Jack has been blessed by God. The cancer treatments are working. He is very active with Jackson Street Baptist Church. He helped a lot with Vacation Bible School. He still enjoys trips to an amusement park to ride a roller coaster or a double ferris wheel (when you can find one).

**CATES, JAMIE '72 –** Allons, TN; He has been a Tennessee Licensed Physician since 1986, and a Board Certified and Fellow with American Academy of Family Medicine. Jamie is currently practicing in Cookeville, TN at Satellite Med PLLC. He is an active member of Tennessee Medical Association of Trustees. He is married to Connie Sanders and has two children. jamiecatesmd@yahoo.com

**CHAMBERS, STEPHEN MOUNT '77** – Lafollette, TN; He is a Social Media Musical Documentarian and DJ Programmer for the Psychedelic Groove Express. **smc9498@yahoo.com** 

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**CHUBB, JOHN O. '71** - Knoxville, TN; John is retired. His hobbies include shooting competition and gun collecting. **c5414@comcast.net** 

**DAMSKY, MITCH '74** - Gillette, WY; Mitch is a Senior Trial Attorney with the Wyoming State Public Defenders Office. He has a small ranch overlooking the Big Horn Mountains, and has a herd of Alpacas. damsky5@aol.com

**D'ARCY, BROSIUS (HAMLET) '47** - Ft. Myers, FL; Bob has had three strokes and is unable to speak and is wheelchair bound. He has wonderful memories of his and his older brother (James) years spent at Heights. **dmdar66@gmail.com** 

**DURANT, BUD '49** - Minneapolis, MN; His wife, Lorrie died, was cremated and in a columbarium at Ft. Snelling National Cemetery where he will be interred with her. His three children live nearby and look out for their dad. He is still building model planes and even flying full scale with his pilot friends. He is sad that there are too few graduates for a Class of 1949 reunion. **beckleybud@gmail.com** 

**DWYER, DR. BILL '53** - Chattanooga, TN; This is Bill's twelfth year as Treasurer of the Bowen Theory Archives Project and the organization is in the process of donating Murray Bowen's work to the National Library of Medicine. It will be the largest collection of Psychiatric material in the world. He is still doing Bowen Theory Therapy. wkdsenior@aol.com

**ELLIS, KEN '64** - Hot Springs Village, AR; Ken's grandson graduated from high school (class of 2019) and will report to Ft. Benning to enlist on June 24. He plans to make a career of the Army. They are proud grandparents. **kengellis@yahoo.com** 

**FLAUGHER, TERRY '61 -** Edmond, OK; He is enjoying retired life in Oklahoma and Sarasota, Florida with his wife, Farah. **theblueeyedsailor@gmail.com** 

**FURMAN , RICHARD A. '64 & '65 -** Belle Isle, FL; Has two children. He practiced accounting and tax law until his retirement in 2017. **rafurman@netzero.net** 

**GIBBS, GARY M. '62** - Henderson , KY; He is an attorney in Henderson.

**GILLESPIE, WILLIAM (GIL) '56 -** Louisville, KY; William is enjoying retirement. Loves visiting family in the DFW area. At Thanksgiving had lunch with Bob Peel '57 and wife. Works out about 3 times a week at YMCA. Enjoys spending time with their 3 year old grandson. Takes about 2 cruises a year. **gillespie1938@aol.com**  **GORMAN, TOM '70** - Lebanon, TN; Has three grandbabies. Bill's wife told him not to retire in order to buy things for the grandchildren. After 42 years of marriage, his response was "Yes Dear". **tlgorman84@icloud.com** 

**GREEN, MURPHY, MD. '56** - Bowling Green, KY; Murphy is a retired urologist. He was a CHMA PG Football Guard. He is active in Boy Scouts—NCS Aquatics. Jamboree AQ Chair X 4 thru 2010.

**GRIFFIN, GAINES '63** - Tishomingo, MS; Enjoys being home with his wife and his hobby of ham radio. He is retired from MDOT. **Ig320177@gmail.com** 

**GRIGSBY, RICHARD '63 -** Prescott, AR; moved from Hot Springs to Prescott before Christmas of last year. **tavarestrain@gmail.com** 

**HALL , KEN '71 -** Monterey, TN; Ken is starting his 12th year as Leader of an all Volunteer Disaster Response Team. **kenevil@frontiernet.net** 

HARTLEY, FRANK '64 - Antioch, TN; Frank retired in September of 2017. He stays at home taking care of his wife, Sandra. He enjoys visits with his daughters and grandchildren. Frank is looking forward to his 55 year class reunion in October. fleet11944@aol.com

**HEGET, HARRY S. '48** - Tulsa, OK; Will be moving back to Michigan later this year. **hsh2612@cox.net** 

**HERRIN, MORRIS '62 -** Rocky Top, TN; He is a retired Pharmacist. Married to Sondra, and they have a son and daughter and 2 grandchildren.

JACKSON, FRANK '84 - Thompson Station, TN ; Still "Rock'n" it in Williamson County. frankjackson007@comcast.net

**JENKINS, JAMES '76** - Orinda, CA; Lives in the Bay Area with his wife Caroline and his two children. His construction firm is based in San Francisco. They spend the winters in Lake Tahoe. **jenks94563@gmail.com** 

**JOHNSON, JAMES '62 -** Tulsa, OK; James is semi retired, working part time in his business of selling equipment to the plastics industry. He is still in good health. **jim@ps-southwest.com** 

JOHNSON, WALKER '67 - Rockford, TN; Walker restores and leases property in Maryville, TN. He has been married to Denise M. Johnson, Ed.D. for 48 years. They enjoy traveling and playing music. denveranmollysdad@gmail.com

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JONES, DONALD L. "DON" '64 - Lebanon, TN; Donald is a retired pastor. He enjoys spending time with family, traveling, and fly fishing. don\_reba@hotmail.com

**KIRSCHNER, GARY '70 -** Cincinnati, OH; Gary is retired. He and his wife Evelyn have been married 47 years. They enjoy traveling and living in Indian Hill, Ohio outside of Cincinnati. Their two sons live in Los Angeles where they all run into Bert Wherry once in a while. **gbkirsch@aol.com** 

**LAREMORE, ROBERT '53 -** Decatur, AL; He is married to his wife, Becky. He is a retired Catholic Deacon and R&D Chemist. Was in USNR until injury in 1967. He has 3 children and 8 grandchildren, and 1 great grandchild. **boblaremore@yahoo.com** 

**LITTLEPAGE, SAMUEL '59 -** Findley, OH; He is a retired Physics and Astronomy Professor at the University of Findley. **slittlepage4@att.net** 

**LONGENECKER, THOMAS L. '71 -** Powder Springs, GA; Hopes to retire soon.

**LOONEY, JONN '60 -** Franklin, TN; John is still practicing Psychiatry at Duke Medical Center. They have a home in Franklin and a family farm in Cross-ville. He is an Orthopaedic Surgeon and has just opened up the Bone and Joint Institute of Tennessee. **john.looney@duke.edu** 

**MCCORMICK, JAMES D. '64 -** Danville, CA; James is still dividing time between upstate New York and the San Francisco Bay area. May retire in 4 years. He is planning on attending Homecoming this year. **mccormickjamesd@gmail.com** 

MCKENNA, THOMAS R. '48 - Stowe, VT; Thomas is a retired U.S Army Lieutenant Colonel. He is author of the book, <u>Kontum, The Battle to Save</u> <u>South Vietnam</u>. (U. Press of Kentucky)

MCMURRY, ROBERT '72 - Knoxville, TN; Robert retired from the United States Postal Service in 2017. mcmurryr@yahoo.com

**MONTI, STEWART T. '70** - Sanford, NC; Monti and his family are still living in Sanford not far from Raleigh. They vacation in the mountains and the beaches the vicinity affords. They wish everyone the best. **smonti9775@aol.com** 

**MORTON, GEORGE B. '64** - Leavenworth, KS; Said he cannot make it to Homecoming this year but wishes everyone the best. He still enjoys playing tennis, and enjoys Florida weather about two thirds of the year. **eg10spro@aol.com**  **NUNN, OLIVER J. '59 -** Johnson City, TN; Oliver retired in 2019. Married to wife Phoebe. They have been living in their patio home for 4 years and love it. They don't have to climb stairs to get groceries to the kitchen. **frogjump537@gmail.com** 

**PARKER, BOBBY '79 -** Manatee, MS; Bobby retired from Fire Service after 26 years. He has been the Pro Bull Riders Judge for 25 years. He is also raising bucking bulls. He is married to his wife, Lorie, and has two sons. **rbrtprkr333111@yahoo.com** 

**PARTEE, AL. L. JR. '47 -** Lebanon, TN; He is sad to see all the buildings are almost all gone from the CHMA campus. He is glad the City of Lebanon bought the Mitchell House. He is 89 years young, and a Korean War Veteran. **alpartee@bellsouth.net** 

**PHILLIPS, PHILIP Dr. '87 -** Franklin, TN; Philip was recently elected to serve on the National Board of Directors of the Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi. He is Professor of English and Associate Dean of the Honors College at MTSU, where he has worked for 20 years. **pephillips@bellsouth.net** 

**PRICE, DAVID P. '57 -** Adairville, KY; David is retired from raising cattle. He is looking for his third career. He is married to his wife, Beth. They will celebrate 25 years of marriage in September. They have three sons. He celebrated the big 80 in May. **elizabethlcprice@yahoo.com** 

**QUARLES, STEPHEN R. '66 -** Nashville, TN; He has retired after 45 years in Automotive Manufacturing Management. **stevequarlestn@gamil.com** 

**RAGLAND, EDWARD R. '50 -** Huntsville, AL; He is married to his wife, Sue.

**RICHEY, DEAN '72** - Summerville, SC; He is preparing to retire next spring. Is currently unemployed but is enjoying being a house husband. Been busy remodeling their two story home in preparation for sale in order to move to Pawley's Island, SC. He and his wife stay active playing tennis. He will see everyone at the 50 year reunion in 2022. djrsc485@gmail.com

SHELTON CURTIS '58 - Madison, MS; Retired from Marketing Agents South in January 2016. cshelton@masouth.com

SIMPSON, GORDON T., LTC, US Army Ret. '55 -Fair Oaks Ranch, TX; Gordon and Ruth celebrated 63 years of marriage on May 25th. gtandruthsimpson@aol.com

**SMITH, GILBERT (GIL) '63 -** Lancaster, SC; Gil moved after spending 40 years in Connecticut to South Carolina. He loves being in the south again. He said it

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was great seeing everyone at the reunion last October. He still has his business which is growing, even though he works remotely. He stays healthy and is enjoying his life. **gsmith@essentialtel.com** 

**SNODDY, JAMES T.** '70 - Sandy Springs, GA; He enjoys traveling between his home in Atlanta and his lake home in Hiawassee. He has a son and two grandchildren. James enjoys water aerobics, yoga, and most of all pickleball. He plans on coming to Homecoming when his class of 1970 has its 50 year reunion. jsmwest@bellsouth.net

**STONE, STEVEN '69 -** Knoxville, TN; He is enjoying retirement. Downsized from home and big yard to a condo. Best move he said he has made in years. Looking forward to the 50th reunion. **stonesh51@gmail.com** 

**WALTER, ALONZO J. '45 -** San Antonio, TX; He retired from the USAF after 35 years. He is enjoying life at the Army Residence Center.

WHITLOW, DOUG '65 - Georgetown, TX; Still living large and loving Texas. daw212@msn.com

**WILLIS, LESLIE LANCASTER '84** - Hendersonville, TN; Leslie has been married to Mike for 26 years. They have two children, Chandler 20 and Allie 16. This is Leslie's 28th year in teaching. She loves to travel and has made several trips with Jennifer Franklin Winfree '80. **Ieslie.willis8331@yahoo.com** 

WINFREE, JENNIFER FRANKLIN '80 - Lancaster, TN; Jennifer is retired from teaching after 30 years. Still living on Center Hill Lake. Jennifer is also Secretary for the Heights National Alumni Association. She is still heavily involved in Republican politics. Jennifer is still doing interims for Wilson County Schools in her spare time. Enjoys traveling with close friend, Leslie Lancaster Willis, Class of '84.

loveboatlovefish@yahoo.com

**WOODALL, JESSE C. MD '54 -** Memphis, TN; Jesse is still volunteering at Church Health. Loves hunting and fishing.

WOODS, H. CLAY '59 - Tierra Verde, FL; Clay said he lives in Paradise with the love of his life. clay.woods@att.net

YORK, JAMES E. Sr. '57 - Lebanon, TN; James is retired and enjoying his old friends. He said he just survived his 7th heart attack and is feeling okay. blockman39@att.net YOUNG, JAMES R. '56 - Blythewood, SC; Went to CHMA from 1950-56, then to Texas A&M for Bachelors degree, then to Pepperdine for his Master's. U.S. Army 1960-90, retired as Colonel. SC State government 1991-96. Steel Art - see www.JimYo.com. Instagram - JimYo01, Facebook - James Russell Young JYoung@sc.rr.com



Charles P. (Jerry) Juroe receives the French Legion of Honour medal on June 6, 2019 from French President Emanuel Macron at ceremonies during the 75th Anniversary of the D-Day Invasion (June 6, 1944). The ceremonies were conducted at Normandy in Northern France. Jerry was one of 5 D-Day American veterans to receive this honor. We are all so very proud of him.

Jerry is planning to attend Homecoming this October and we look forward to seeing and hearing from him.

Jerry is a member of the Class of 1941, having attended Heights since the 7th grade (1935-41).