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When considering your membership level, recall and reflect on the words of the school song:

We're loyal to you Pike High, we're the red and the white, Pike High. We'll back you to stand 'gainst the best in the land, for we know you can stand, Pike High.

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PIKE SUMMIT

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Alumni Association Publication

Pike Hall of Fame Inaugurated; Event Honors Past, Present, and Future

May 4 the past recipients of the Pike Alumni Association's Alumni of the Year, the 2008 Top 25, and 5 inductees into the newly formed Pike Hall of Fame were honored. The honorees met the following criteria: had been out of high school for 10 years; had special achievements; had received honors, awards, or other recognition; had demonstrated community service; had made meritorious contributions to society. This year's inductees are Tom French '76; David Gadis, '80; Kelly Lloyd, '95; Ann Sablosky (Hank Phillippi Ryan) '67; and Jerry Smart, '92.

Tom French, '76, is a writer on the *St. Petersburg Times*. He has written 2 books, 6 serial narratives (book-length stories that are published in the paper chapter by chapter); his subject matter ranges from executions, to a year in the lives of 6 h.s. students, and hurricanes. Tom won the 1998 Pulitzer Prize for Feature Writing for *Angels & Demons*.

David Gadis, '80, is the President /Chief Operating Officer of Veolia Water/ Indianapolis Water Co. David was Pike's first Indiana All-Star basketball player; he was recently inducted into the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame. David received the Center for Leadership and Development's 2005 Achievement in Business award and the Sam Jones Award from the Indianapolis Black Chamber of Commerce.

Kelly Lloyd, '95, was Miss Indiana USA 2002, 2nd runner up to Miss USA 2002, Miss Indiana 1999, contestant in Miss America 2000, a professional model, and lawyer. She graduated Summa Cum Laude from Ball State University in 1999.

Ann Sablosky (Hank Phillippi Ryan) '67, has been a television reporter for 32 years and author of 2 best selling mystery novels. Hank has 24 Emmy awards for television investigative reporting and 12 Edward R. Murrow awards for investigative reporting.

Jerry Smartt, '92, graduated from the I.U. School of Medicine in 2000 with licenses in psychiatry and neurology. He received the Emerging Black Professional Award, and the Mozel Sanders Foundation Humanitarian Individual Award in 2007.

We are very proud to honor these Hall of Fame inductees. Come see this newest addition to the Pike Hall of Honor.

Reunion News

Annual Alumni Dinner and Honorary Alumnus Award and Special Recognition. August 10, 2008. Pike Stadium Press box. 1pm. Fill out reservation form on page 2 of Summit and send to Larry Metzler, 2715 Cardigan Road, Indianapolis 46268 by July 18th.

Annual Pike unofficial golf outing. August 9, 2008. The Brickyard. Contact Mark Montieth at Montieth@comcast.net.

'48
'58 Saturday, August 2, 2008. Clarion Hotel Conference Center, 2930 Waterfront Parkway, W. Dr. The official reunion starts at 5pm, banquet 6pm. Cost \$35 per person. Make banquet reservations by July 15 with Susie Fairchild, 9333 Kissel Rd., Zionsville 46077, susiefairchild@peoplepc.com.

'68 Sat., Aug. 9 Brickyard. For additional activities and details, contact Jim Metzler at jim@insuranceindy.com or at 844-4402.

73 Friday, August 8-Sunday, August 10. Fri. night casual meet & greet, Brickyard Crossing Motel, 7pm-midnight; **Sat., Aug. 9**, breakfast TBA 8am-10:30. Golf outing (see above), Dinner, 6 pm, Brickyard Crossing Hotel; **Sun., Aug. 10**, Pike Alumni Program, 1:pm. Contact Harry Metzler at harryaug@comcast.net.

'78 Weekend of August 9th. While plans are not finalized yet, the tentative weekend is August 9th. Please submit your information and interest to John C. Ruckelshaus at johnruckelshaus@aol.com.

'83 Aug. 8, 25th reunion, the deck of the Brickyard. Anyone wanting more info can contact Andy Bowman at andyhoops44@sbcglobal.net.

'88 Saturday, June 21st. Rick's Boatyard Café. Contact Jill Marks Wilson or Kristi Engle Gaynor at pikehs88@msn.com.

'98 Friday, August 22nd—welcome to support the state runner-up Red Devil football team as they face off against

Pike Alumni News of Note

May 4—Hall of Fame. See p. 1 for more details on this new event.

May 6—Sr. Awards Night. The \$1000 Max & BA Metzler/Alumni Scholarship was awarded to Tymothie Duckett, the child of Norma Buckwalter Duckett, '69, and the grandchild of the late Howard Buckwalter, PHS Social Studies teacher and coach.

May 29th- Senior Breakfast. The Alumni Association donated \$500 toward the breakfast.

May 29th—Graduation. 7pm. Pepsi Coliseum. The Alumni shook hands with the graduates after they received their diplomas and presented them with a rose.

August 9—the unofficial Pike golf outing, The Brickyard. Contact Mark Montieth at Montieth@comcast.net. Alumni donated \$500 toward this event.

August 10—Alumni Recognition Dinner, 1pm. Pike Stadium Press Box.

Harris Publishing Alumni Directory 2008

The 3rd version of the Alumni Directory is being updated now. You may be contacted to verify or update your information.

Basketball DVD's

The Archives has 221 basketball tapes which have been converted to DVD's. Look for information in the November Summit on how you can secure copies of these games for your own personal collection.

Alumni Web Site

The Alumni Web page currently can be found by going to www.pike.k12.in.us and then to the Pike High School page. We have been remiss in keeping this page current; it will soon be more pertinent and up-to-date.

Alumni Recognition Dinner Reservation Form

August 10, 1pm, Pike Stadium Press box

Name _____

Maiden Name _____

Class _____

Number of Reservations _____

Send a check for \$10 per person and reservation form to Larry Metzler, 2715 Cardigan Road, Indianapolis 46268 by July 15th.

Pike Passings

- Val Dillon, Sr., Pike school board member from 1998-2002; mother of **Karen Dillon Roth, '73; Patricia Dillon Knoff, '74; Val Dillon, Jr., '77; and Donna Dillon Bennett, '79.**
- Lynne Foster Fife, mother of **Kristen Grove, '89.**
- James Stephens, retired PHS custodian and husband of Claudette Stephens, retired cafeteria director at Eastbrook.
- Marilyn Jean Paton-Kuhn, 43 year Pike elementary teacher.
- Pearl Good, 20 year MSD secretary, wife of **Noel Good, '45,** and mother of **Toni Good, '69.**
- **Jack Brookshire, '45.**
- Howard Buckwalter, LMS & PHS retired Social Studies teacher and varsity football coach, father of **Norma Buckwalter Duckett, '69; Wade Buckwalter, '72; Bruce Buckwalter, '77; Brian Buckwalter, '86; Chris Buckwalter, '88; and Mark Buckwalter, '74,** (deceased), .
- **Susan C. Coy, '62.**
- **Mike E. Coy, '61.**
- Alfred A. "Bud" Starling, father of Wayne Starling; Keith Starling; **Wendy Starling Bray-Hamilton, '82; Scott Starling** (deceased), '77; and Gary Starling (deceased).
- **Louise A. Daupert Bowden, '40,** wife of **Harry Bowden, '40;** sister of **Rose Daupert Stockwell, '37, and Elmer Daupert, '38;** mother of **Peggy Bowden McComb, '69, and Dan Bowden, '72.**
- Amanda S. Cagle Oliverio, wife of **Ed Oliverio, '79.**
- **Charles U.S. Hollingsworth, '42,** brother of **Joseph H. Hollingsworth, '45.**
- Margaret Hanna Edwards, former Pike elementary teacher and widow of Corna Edwards, former Pike and Central principal; mother of **James Edwards, '59, and Janet Edwards Bowerman, '61,** grandmother of **Scott Edwards, '92.**
- Anna Genevieve Eisenbarth, mother of **Janis Ann Eisenbarth-Eubanks, '74, Richard Eisenbarth, '70, and Steven Eisenbarth, '77.**
- H. William Irwin, MSD of Pike's 1st attorney and father of **Michael Irwin, '65, and Bill Irwin, '72;** grandfather of **Emily Irwin Bowers '97, and Stephanie Irwin Quinto, '94.**
- **Alma Guion Breedlove, '41,** sister of **Thelma Guion Perkins, '41; Mildred Guion Campbell, '37, and Marjorie Guion Farmer, '38;** mother of **Sandra Holmes, Bob Breedlove, Don Breedlove, '71, and Jim Breedlove, '75.**
- **Anne S. Hubertz Floeck, '61,** sister of **Holly Hubertz Floeck, '64, and Sally Hubertz;** mother of **Bob Terando, Amy Terando Calkins, '89, and Mark Steele, '92.**
- Vance A. Zartman, father of Gretchen Zartman Espich and **Chadd A. Zartman, '83.**
- Theodore B. Boots, father of **Jeani Boots Park, '84, and Greg Boots, '86.**
- Philip J. Bickle, father of **Philip J. Bickle, Jr., '86; Paul Bickle, '88; Marcus Bickle, '93;** and father-in-law of **Kristen Hasselbach Bickle, '89.**
- David W. Marler, father of **Jackie Marler Finney, '72; Karen Marler Denton, '74; and Terrianne Marler Loudenback, '72.**
- **Marjorie Davis Stum, '34,** former Pike Central teacher and mother of **Carol Stum, '72.**
- **Mary Christian Gregory, '54,** sister of **Gary Christian, '53.**
- **Jack Glunt, '64.**
- John Leo Rowland, Jr., current Pike special education teacher.
- Don White, retired PHS science teacher and planetarium director.
- Evangeline Romano Wagoner, mother of **Sandra L. Wagoner Gorsuch, '66 ; Lee O. Wagoner, '68; and Jerry Wagoner, '71.**

President's Letter

"Here I sit broken hearted, spent my dime and only ..." "I could have danced all night, and still have begged for more." Dollar fifty per hour with paid lunch breaks. Smokin' grapevines at scout campouts. Strange memories they may be, but all are topics for conversations. Do you remember pay toilets? Do you remember "My Fair Lady"? Wouldn't it be wonderful to be ecstatic about making \$1.50 an hour? And WOW, I can't believe some of the stupid things I did as a boy.

Well, perhaps as you get into the middle of scheduling your summer, you'll consider getting back to a reunion or the PIKE Golf Outing with NO Class. Those discussions of high school memories go on into the wee hours of the morning if you let them, and you just might if you participate in any or all of these events. Keep watching for updates on the golf outing. Get on Mark's email list; the golf updates are entertaining enough to pay a subscription price just to be on the email list.

Hey, while pushing for attendance at events important to Pike—what a show the PIKE football team put on this year. They were undefeated until they lost in the State Final game to a good Carmel team. Football season will be here before you know it. And, the Pike Brain Game team competed in the championship match on April 29th. Support the future good memories of Pike High School.

Harry D. Metzler, '73
 President, Pike Alumni Association

Pike Passings (con't)

- **Robert Gooliak, '71**, brother of **Dan Gooliak, '72** and **Lisa Gooliak, '74**.
- **Amy C. Drew, '79**.
- Hilda L. Andrews-Valenti, mother of **Nathan Andrews, '72**; and **Deborah Andrews Valenti-Yeoman, '74**; mother-in-law of **Dennis Valenti, '72** (deceased) and **Debbie Layson Andrews, '73**; step-mother of **Allen Valenti, '70**; **Mark Valenti, '76**; **Daniel Valenti, '78**; and grandmother of **Angela Valenti Jones, '92**.
- Mary Lucile Dooley Bell; mother of **Ronald Bell, '53**; **William Bell, '61**; **Annalou Bell Baker, '55**; **Dwain Bell (deceased), '51**; and **Michael Bell, '65**; mother-in-law of **Karen Bennett Bell, '62**; grand-mother of **William Bell, '88**, and **Becky Bell, '89** (deceased).
- **Jeffrey W. Rozelle, '89**.
- Gerald L. Lawlis, father of **Lorraine Lawlis Hamidi, '88** and **Jeffrey Lawlis, '91**.
- Dr. David E. Copher, father of **Liz Copher Browning, '80**; **David Copher, '82**; **Michael Copher, '85**; and **Sarah Copher Claymon, '89**.
- Edmund W. Riedweg, father of PHS counselor **Deborah Riedweg**.
- **Yvonne E. Wright Craig, '47**, wife of **Maynard Craig, '40**; sister of **M. Eugene Wright, '46** and **Sue Wright Barton, '57**.

JOIN THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NOW!

Over 12,000 Pike High School graduates exist; join this illustrious group and become part of the Pike High School Alumni Association. Don't miss out on an opportunity to catch up on the news about your classmates and other Pike grads. As a part of the Pike family, you will continue to expand on the foundation that you received at Pike.

CLIP AND SEND

The Association will use its resources to give scholarships and to actively support class and alumni gatherings. Show your support of Pike High School by joining the Pike High School Alumni Association today!

Enroll now!

Single Membership:

1 yr. \$10 2 yr. \$15 3 yr. \$20 Life \$250

Joint Membership: (Husband/wife both grads)

1 yr. \$15 2 yr. \$25 3 yr. \$30 Life \$250

Recent Grads: (0-5 yrs. After graduation) 5 yrs. \$5

Associate Membership: (Friends, teachers, etc.) 1 yr. \$10

Name: _____

Maiden Name: _____

Spouse's name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Yr. Of Graduation: _____

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