



The DRAWSHEET



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This and That from Gayle

Reunion 2015: Even with the many changes what a wonderful time we had. The Elizabethan Room certainly added a touch of elegance to dining. Do you remember what a special event it was to dine there when you were a student?

Wish I had more time to view the wonderful hat creations from the class of 1965. Thanks to all the class representatives for all they do.

Your President: I know several of you noticed I was not my best that day. Beginning August 2 I began having back pain which steady escalated to uncontrolled with nausea & weight loss of 1 # a day. I saw multiple clinicians; had multiple tests; finally Oct 2 a large tumor was DX on the outside of two vertebrae going into spinal column at T8. I had no symptoms relating to this aside from the pain/nausea. I was hospitalized that day (1 week @ St Marys then transferred to Methodist for 1 week. Dx = solitary plasmacytoma (rare; highly curable 80% with radiation.). I have completed 14 radiation Treatments so now wait until have MRI to see how radiation worked. Feeling great - no pain or nausea; however am moving at turtle speed. Tumor causes balance issues for up to 2 years so have walker. Thanks for all thoughts and prayers you have sent.

Reunion 2016: Will be held at the Kahler by Apache Mall which will have handicap accessibility, free parking, and for those staying at the venue a continental breakfast with their room.

Reunion in 2017 & 2019: No reunion held. Classes will celebrate in 2018.

Reunion 2018: The 100th year celebration will include special events not offered before. One event already booked is "tea" at the Foundation House. A special reunion booklet will also be available. The committee is working on some other options we think you will

enjoy. Please put the dates Friday September 21 & Saturday September 22, 2018 on your calendar. You will not want to miss this reunion!

Start filling up your "piggy" bank as the 100th year celebration will cost more for registration & events due to the special events planned.

Recruiting Board Positions: We are still hoping to find a co- chair for the program committee, most of 2016 planning is done. The board meets 4 times yearly (April, June, August & November) for 2 hours beginning at 2 PM plus the Friday/Saturday yearly Reunion Days in September. Time comment outside board meeting depends on the position.

The reunion preparations are our main focus for the year with other topics as they arise. Working from a Master Reunion Planning list tasks are delegated to board members and preparation goes very smoothly.

2018 Committee members: Thanks for those stepping forward we have a core group for this committee now but still needed are Alumni willing to serve on subcommittees. Decisions need to be made & preparations begun. The core group will meet with sub groups to work on individual activities with one person from the subgroup attending/reporting to main meetings. Possible offerings include bus tours of Rochester, uniform style show, "blessing of the hands" ceremony & 100 year anniversary booklet. If you are interested in helping with any activities give Gayle a call/email. I will be calling 2018 members in Dec to get started on their task

Have a blessed Holiday Season.

Gayle Walters Miller '68 President

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2016 M-K Alumni Board Meetings
2:00 pm (1400): Christ United Methodist Church
April 26
June 14
August 30
November 1
Annual Meeting- Kahler Apache
September 16 & 17 2016
Classes ending in 1 and 6

General Reunion class info:

Please phone, e-mail or write your class representatives with any changes to your information - especially send e-mail address (if you have one) and phone numbers. Contact your class representative if you can help them in any way or if you have some ideas to make your year special. If you have stories about your time at M-K or as a nurse please write them down and send to your President plus bring to share during open mike at the Reunion.

The 2016 Reunion will be held at the Kahler Apache (which you may remember as the Hoffman House or Ramada) 1517 16th St. SW Rochester, MN 55902. Reservations 1-800-255-7224 www.kahlerapache.com The Friday social will be in the afternoon from 2 PM-4 PM at the same location.

Class of 1941 & 1946: : Nancy Kollar Moore '65 M-K Alumni Association Vice-President call 507-287-6475.

Class of 1951

Greetings, Yes it's time for our 65th Class Reunion. Mark your calendars for Sept. 2016 and join us in sharing the past and present happenings in our lives. If you are unable to join us please send pictures, share a stories or just send a note to share.

To keep our records current; please contact me if you have an address or any information about any of these 1951 classmates:

Mary Gusa Juhnke Marion Tucker Stoeckinger
Anna Crockett Rush Catherine Harings Nelson
Betty Davidson Sauer Phyllis Green Greer

I hope to hear from you or see you at the reunion!
Mary Burnham Asprey
62680 174th Ave
Dodge Center, MN 55927

Class of 1956

Guess what, it is time for our reunion. It doesn't seem possible we have been graduates for 60 years. Please set September 16 & 17, 2016 aside and plan to attend. If unable to attend please send stories and or pictures, hope to see you.

Margaret Moehnke
314 Everett Ave. SW #269
Eyota, MN.55934

Class of 1961

Greetings, can you believe it's been 55 years since we graduated from Methodist-Kahler School of Nursing. As your class representative I would like all of you to attend our 55 reunion on Sept 16 & 17 2016. There will be no organized tours but you can tour on your own. Bring your photo albums and stories to share, if unable to come send a letter to share. Since the social is on Friday afternoon, I thought it might be better to go to Hubbell House Fri. night as so many leave on Sat. Let me know what you think, there will be an update in the July Drawsheet.

Let me know of any deaths or address changes.

Hope to see you all there.

Grace Burmeister Gillies
506 1st Ave NE
Kasson, MN 55944
507-634-6463

Class of 1966

50 years is almost here!! It is time to start reserving the date. Our reunion will be on September 16 & 17 2016. We hope to see as many of our classmates as possible. If you are unable to come, please send a note to share with the group.

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We're MOVING!!

The 2016 Reunion will be held at the Kahler Apache Event Center (most recently known as the Ramada). They are located just west of Highway 52, adjacent to Rochester's Apache Mall. We think this a more "user friendly" location, with lots of free parking right on site, large meeting rooms close to the entry doors, and away from the congestion/construction/aggravation of downtown Rochester. Complete registration information for the September 16 and 17, 2016 Reunion will be in the July 2016 issue of the "Drawsheet".

Deaths

Anna (Anderson) Erdman '46

Kenneth Torrance '53

Winifred Huff Borgialli '57

Ruth Bakker Dryden '57

Marcia Louman Dingler '61

Last December Lynn Hadden Chess '54 was mistakenly listed as dead sorry but someone said you were this isn't the first time this has happened so please check your facts before telling us someone is deceased.

.Scholarship Fund Contributions

In memory of Marjorie Behnke Parker '63
From: Jacquelyn Warburton Connelly '63

In memory of deceased members of class of 1965
From: Helen Lichtblau Myers '65

In memory of Janette Wilhelm '70 &
Leora Wilson Lasher '70
From: Nancy Schavey Wille '70

In memory of Carol Ann Wallace '55
From: Helen Stedman Christensen '55

In memory of Charles R. Peterson
From: Carol Willts Peterson '60

In memory of Laurabel Reeve Murray '45
From: Marjorie Reeve Young '50

In memory of Tom Hosier
From: Gayle Walters Miller '68

In memory of Ina Mae Berg Smith '46
From: Barbara Smith Family

In memory of Jean Elsey '27
From: Gwenith Elsey Abell '65

In memory of Leora Wilson '70
From: Vicki Lewis Davison '70

In honor of Mary Batten Adams
From: Kathy Kinney Zarling '70

In honor of M-K Board and Committees
From: Gayle Walters Miller '68

In honor of Class of 1965
From: Helen Lichtblau Myers '65

In honor of Class of 1965
From: Alice Jungemann '65

In honor of class of 1965 50th anniversary
From: Marlene Zwakman DeJongh '65

In honor of 50th Anniversary Class of 1965
From: Frances Abelson Edberg '65

From: Kathryn Kelley Powell '65

From: Margaret Thompson Moehnke '56

From: Nancy Peoples Chaplin '65

From: Carol Heldt Werschky '65

From: Gloria Olson Mueller '65

From: Rita Tuttle Yeada

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Please Save for future reference:

Contact us at Methodist-Kahler Alumni Association ATTN: _____ Box 654 Rochester MN 55903

Address & email changes/deaths to Sandy Moore

Drawsheet articles/information to Sandy Moore (Drawsheet published in July and December)

General Fund donations (not tax deductible), cap charms, pin replacement & bills to Attention Treasurer

Illness & general questions to Gayle Miller

Scholarship donations (tax deductible)

Send to Mayo Clinic Department of Development 200 First St SW Rochester MN 55905 (Make check payable to "Mayo Clinic" with memo field note stating for M-K School of Nursing Alumni Scholarship Fund in memory of ___ or in honor of ___. Attach note to include your first name, maiden name, married name, year of graduation, current address. See web site for other options.

Transcripts

Request from M-K Alumni Association care of Mayo Registrar's Office, 103 Guggenheim, 200 First Street, SW, Rochester, MN 55905. Request must be in writing and include: graduation name and year, current name and address, number

needed and where to send, and include any forms to be completed. There is no charge for a transcript.

2014 Reunion

September 18&19, 2015

Please note the web address has changed.

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