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140 Witness 10th Annual SCSAA Sports Hall of Fame Induction

An enthusiastic audience celebrated a milestone for one of the treasures of the Sidney Central School Alumni Association – the Sports Hall of Fame Induction Dinner and Ceremony on September 29.

The American Legion served as gracious hosts for the tenth annual event honoring four more individuals and the sixth Legacy Award recipients. A delicious turkey and roast beef buffet followed a spirited social hour that brought family, friends and alumni together to celebrate the true Warrior Spirit.

Inducted in the class of 2012 were: Jerry Curtis ('59), Carole Redmond Stanbro ('76), Lindsay Hinsch Drake ('01) and Coach Stephen "Spike" Paranya. Their biographies follow this article.

The only female team to win a New York State championship, the 1991-92 Field Hockey Lady Warriors, were lauded as the Legacy group and were also the first to share their honor in a unique connecting of generations. Their story also appears below.

Wall of Fame member and Alumni Association VP Jim McIntyre ('60) got the evening officially started – with an orchestrated standing ovation even – before introducing the perennial Master of Ceremonies and Sports Hall of Fame chairman Greg Davie ('76).



Master of Ceremonies, Greg Davie addresses the group.

As usual the format was familiar, yet the speakers introducing the Hall of Fame inductees showed a sincerity and sentimental touch unlike any other year.

Hall of Fame coach Doug Quinney had the distinct honor of introducing both Spike Paranya who remains a volunteer jumping coach for track & field and our youngest inductee Lindsay Hinsch Drake ('01) a 4-time NYS champion.

The sister act of Cassie Redmond Knapp ('85) introducing Carole Redmond Stanbro ('76) was impressive and certainly emotional. The sisters had visited their father (and SCS legend) Fran Redmond earlier that day. Sadly, he would pass away three days later. It was confirmed that he knew his daughters would be in Sidney for Carole's special event, and no doubt he was there in spirit.

The comedy act of the night saw Allen George ('58) begin his introduction of Jerry Curtis only to excuse himself and be "replaced" by Punky George. His descriptions of football games from the 1950s were unforgettable.

Twelve of the 25-girl roster for the Field Hockey team reunited for the weekend, with Jamie Bessett, Pam DuMond Tarnowski, and Ashley Mohler Lodovice (all '92) speaking on behalf of the



SCSAA Vice President, Jim McIntyre gave the opening remarks at the Induction Ceremony.

record-setting 20-0-2 Class A State Champions. While they took different angles during their speeches, all three were able to pay tribute to their coach, and Hall of Fame member Mary Morrison, who had passed away in July.

Each member received a homemade mini field hockey stick and flower. In making the introductions, Greg Davie noted most of the players would go on to play at least one sport at the collegiate level. That, combined with the fact that they finished second in the state (by only .007) in grade point average a remarkable feat AND were a Class C school winning the Class A title made this accomplishment extremely noteworthy.

The Sports Hall of Fame dinner serves as a fundraiser and an effective one at that. In the first nine years, the donations have been incredible, averaging \$2,000 annually in the form of equipment that would not be feasible in the ever-tightening budgets facing our alma mater's athletic department.

This year, the Hall of Fame induction proceeds are committed to constructing a display area near

the high school gym. All inductee names and highlights will be spotlighted in the form of plaques to be mounted on the wall leading to the Sports Hall of Fame display case next to the swimming pool.

This year's event saw some of the most impressive displays ever, a point which should not be overlooked. It is clear that Alumni being honored have embraced this chance to celebrate and have made it a spectacular showcase for the Warrior Spirit. Ten years are in the books...and it can only get better!

Class of 2012 SHOF Inductees: Gerald "Jerry" Curtis, 1959

Tough... gritty ... intense ... demanding... All of these adjectives were used to describe Jerry Curtis when he was wearing the maroon and white uniform representing Sidney High School.

His never quit persona and will-to-win focus has always been carried forward, from his early days at the Rec Center, throughout high school, to his Marine Corps service, into his coaching of youth sports, and throughout his life as a hardworking family man.

Jerry Curtis was born in Cornwall-on-Hudson in December of 1937 then moved to Sidney with his family at the age of 4. Sports played an important role not only in his life but in the lives of his siblings Barbara, Milt, Phyllis and Sandy as well.



Jerry Curtis and Allen "Punky" George

A boxing trophy from the Recreation Center was earned in 1952, followed by a basketball championship playing for the "Nationals" in the Rec Center's Teen League. He played neither sport in high school yet he was already showing those traits listed above. The sports he DID play were:

Wrestling. Though not yet a full-fledged sport at Sidney, Jerry made the most of his limited mat time, pinning three of his opponents in the first period. His coach Fran Redmond observed that

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Three Seek Election to SCSAA Board

Amber Wilson Fogarty 1993

Amber Fogarty served in the United States Air Force (USAF) for over nine years as a Signals Intelligence Analyst. While on active duty, she earned a Bachelor’s degree from Saint Leo University in Marketing. After leaving the USAF in 2003, Amber became a defense contractor at Booz Allen Hamilton working as the Operations Supervisor for the National Geo-spatial-Intelligence Agency’s (NGA) Integrated Watch, in Springfield, VA. In 2009, she transferred to the USAF Research Laboratory in Rome, NY, and became Lead Systems Engineer and Project Manager for cryptographic key management research projects. In February of 2012, Amber left the Department of Defense to work in the private sector as the Project Administrator for the Customer Care Program at the Raymond Corporation in Greene, NY.

Amber is a 1993 Alumni of Sidney High School and currently resides in Sidney with her husband Sean and step-son’s Ian and Alec. She is a Board Member of the Sidney Veterans Memorial Park Association and Vice-President of Tri-County Kiwanis.

“I would like to serve on the Alumni board to help bring in membership that will sustain the Alumni Association for years to come, and contribute fresh ideas to the Alumni Association’s activities. I believe my professional and community service experience will cultivate new ideas and help assist the board with all endeavors.”

A Note From Sherry Smith Mott

A few words of thanks seem so inadequate to the many who tirelessly make the events of Alumni Weekend so memorable. My sincere appreciation to the SCSAA Board and the WOF Committee for supporting my nomination into this honored group. Each of you in your own special ways made the WOF Luncheon a most memorable event, as did our classmates of 1962 who carried our 50th year Anniversary on into the WOF luncheon to help us celebrate!

I’m overwhelmed at this honor and extend Special thanks especially to Doug, Dennis & Pat for their words of confidence and recognition that I’m sure were contributing factors for my name being presented.

This weekend was part of an amazing journey that brought back so many wonderful memories. We are all so blessed to have such a dedicated group of alumni members that not only gave to us throughout Alumni Weekend but are an inspiration to our youth and community of tomorrow.

Thank you ALL most humbly,
Sherry Mott
WOF Recipient 2012, Class of ‘62



Some of the Class of ‘84 met in July.
left to right: Robin Goodrich, Pat Stevens, Todd Hunt, Mark Burdick, Michelle (Dann) Stewart, Joe Tabone, and Cory (Hall) Rose

Sean Fogarty 1993

Sean Fogarty is a 1993 graduate of Sidney High School. He received a bachelor’s degree in Accounting from SUNY Brockport in 1997. While home on college breaks, Sean worked for Sidney Federal Credit Union (SFCU) in the Accounting department. Upon graduation, he returned to Sidney and continued his employment at SFCU. His first full-time position at SFCU was as an Information Systems Specialist, but quickly returned to the Accounting department as an Accounting Assistant in the fall of 1997. Sean is currently the Vice-President of Finance at SFCU, a position he has held since 2005.

Sean lives in Sidney with his wife, Amber and his two sons, Ian and Alec. He is currently the Treasurer for Tri-County Kiwanis. Sean also volunteers as a coach for his sons’ football, soccer and baseball teams. In addition, he is active on the SFCU’s “Friends Fighting for a Cure” Relay for Life Team.

Greg Davie 1976

I would like to contribute my time to the Sidney Alumni Association Board, to help grow the current membership and use my professional network and understanding of finances to assist the Board in any way that I can. I believe that I will bring new ideas to the board for fundraising and organization.

I am interested in continuing my position on the Board of Directors of the Sidney Central School

Alumni Currently Serving in the Military

Sean White--Army--Rank: W01-- Stationed: Ft. Rucker AL--At helicopter flight training--Years in service 7 yrs-- Graduated: 2002

Brian Burnham--Air Force--Rank: Major--Currently Deployed to Afghanistan--Mainpower Chief--17 years in service--Graduated 1988

Paul Longwell--Air Force--Rank: MSgt --Currently Deployed to Afghanistan--Flight Chief--22 years of service-- Graduated 1990

Vicki England-Ervin--Army-- Stationed at Ft. Stewart GA--21 years of service--graduated in 1989

John Mercurio--Army--Stationed Schofield Barracks HI--Rank: PFC--Military Police-- 7 months in service-- graduated 2009

Frank Mercurio--Navy--Stationed Naval Submarine Base New London, CT--Rank: Seaman--Electronics Technician Radioman-- 4 months in service-- Graduated 2006

Dakota Finch--Air Force-- Rank: SrA-- Stationed Shaw, SC--Crew Chief and Honor Guard--2 years in service-- graduated 2008

Paige Jump -- Army -- Communica- tions -- 4 months of service graduated 2012

Steven Lewis -- Marines —SHS 2010

Thanks to Kim Burnham for this list. Do you know others who are serving? Please let us know by emailing the editor at karency- con@yahoo.com

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Alumni Association. As part of the original planners of both the Sports Hall of Fame and Wall of Fame, I enjoy seeing projects such as these come to fruition. My bio is fairly well-known though I should add that my wife Diane is now in her 26th year as a Special Education teacher, having the distinction of being the only such staff member to have worked in all three buildings/level of the school. Our son Kevin graduated from SCS in 2010 and attends Ithaca where he is in the demanding 6-year doctorate program for Physical Therapy. Our daughter Brynn is a senior at Sidney, currently holding down the #1 position academically and is taking advantage of the college courses being offered through BCC and Delhi at this time. Your vote for my spot on the SCSAA Board would be most appreciated.

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Associate Member Scott Hasselbarth has lived in Sidney since 2007 but was born in Albany. He is married to Michelle and they have one daughter.

2005 Renee Hunt. “I am the office manager for Fyr-Fyter Inc. located in Oneonta NY, as well as an independent consultant for Scentsy Wickless Candles.”

2003 Rosemary Gregory Fisher married Brandon on August 18th of this year and they live in Sidney. She is a NYS licensed funeral director and works at Landers Funeral Home. She enjoys reading and bowling and is the Youth Exchange Counselor for the Sidney Rotary Club.

2001 Beth Felter recently earned her Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree from Hartwick College, Oneonta, NY. She will be working in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit at Strong Memorial Hospital as a registered nurse.

1991 Wayne Puffer lives in Hollywood, FL with his wife and 2 sons, Ryan, 7 and Dylan, 5. He is currently Director of Cost Savings Initiates at Windstream, America’s 4th largest telecom provider. He is active in Cub Scouts and enjoys hunting, fishing, camping and traveling.



*Brandon and Rosemary Gregory Fisher
August 18, 2012*

1976 Jacqueline Muir lives in WA and has 2 children, Shannon and Alex and 3 grandchildren, Bryce, Hazel and Bastien. She is an Occupational Therapist, Certified Hand Therapist and a Home Health Agency Administrator. She enjoys photography, quilting, any outdoor activity and watching her kids/grandkids sporting events.

1971 Linda Gray Keenan lives in PA with her husband John. She was a special education teacher for 10 years until they adopted their daughter, Jessica, and stayed at home with her until 1992. She started working part time then at a structural engineering firm and continues there still. She said that retirement is nowhere on the horizon. In 1997 they inherited the Keenan family home which was built by her husband’s grandfather in 1920 and spent a year renovating and adding an addition before moving in. She volunteers as the Corresponding Secretary for the Historical Society and they are active members of the their Methodist Church. She also enjoys gardening, reading, and singing. “I think the Alumni Association is an absolutely fantastic organization and that all of you who work so hard to keep it going deserve a tremendous amount of credit. The Phoenixville Area School District has decided that they want to establish an alumni association and I am emailing them the link to the SCSAA as a model for an outstanding alumni association.”

Ed Rock just recently retired from engineering and lives in Kissimmee, FL.

1970 Joeline Wood Cole is married to **Terry Cole, ’65** and they live in Sidney. She retired from teaching in 2007 and enjoys reading, genealogy, and taking bus trips to see Broadway shows. She volunteers for the Sidney Historical Association and organizing her class reunions.

Janice Muir Feather retired in 2010 and now enjoys travel, quilting, genealogy, reading and singing. She volunteers as a WWII honor flight greeter, singing in nursing homes and is a Community Board member. She and her husband live in VA.

FayEllen Mertz Stockwell lives in Raleigh, NC and says, “Had a great time at the Alumni Weekend events and thanks for all your hard work putting the weekend together! I’m so glad I came, this was my first time and it will not be my last.”

1969 Christine Davis Chase teaches plant biology as a college professor and says she is a servant to 3 Labrador Retrievers. She lives in FL with her husband Josh but says she will always be grateful to her Sidney School teachers for their dedication and high standards. “Any academic success I have enjoyed was built upon their foundation.”

Eleanor Burian-Mohr lives with her husband, Christopher and assorted animals in the heart of Los Angeles. Kids are out of the house but no grandchildren yet.

Noreen Hoke Quill lives in VA. Retired in September 2011, lives with 2 cats plus brought her parents' (**Alice Asplund Wells '43**) cat back when they were moved into the nursing wing. One brother, **Gerry, '72** and family live in Michigan.

Jerry Smith has 4 sons, Scott, Eric, Mathew, and Troy and 6 grandchildren and lives in PA with his wife Marcia. He is the President/Owner of Laurel Mt. Estates, Laurel Mt. Homes and Laurel Highlands Campland. He enjoys ping pong, kayaking, flyfishing and golf. He has worked in retailing his whole life and his education includes Broome Community College, Michigan State and Harvard Business School.

1966 Fred Root lives in NY with his wife Lisa and has 4 children, Jeremy, Amanda, Samantha and Marley and 2 grandchildren, Mathew and Zoey. He retired in 2009 as a high school Principal and is now a consultant with the Southern Regional Education Board. He loves retirement but is busy working with schools in Colorado, Indiana, Arkansas, New Mexico, New York and Pennsylvania. He said his youngest child and grandchildren keep him young and give him an excuse to play. He made his reunion last year for a brief moment and hopes to come next year and gives his best to all his classmates.

Charlotte Johnson Axtell “John and I are retired, enjoy being around home. We have 2 sons. Michael is a Biology Professor at Penn State and is married with 2 children. Steven is the head coach for soccer at SUNY Cortland.



Nancy Cycon Gunn, '65, is pictured here with granddaughter, Myriah LaTourette. Myriah has recently been inducted into the Ithaca College Oracle Honor Society. She is a student at Ithaca in the School of Health Science and Human Performance. The induction ceremony will take place in November, 2012.

Gavin McMillan is Vice President of Operations for Eastman Assoc. in Oneonta and lives in Unadilla with his wife Teresa and 2 boys, Kyle, 15 and Justin, 13.

1982 Michelle Pressler has a son Donny and lives in IL with William Ward. She enjoys gardening and snowmobiling.

1978 Dawn Kozak Moochlar lives in Binghamton and says, “Thank you so much for all you do. We as outsiders appreciate everything you do. Don’t forget that.”



Old pals from the Class of '64, Rick Gray and Craig Carlson, got together during Alumni Weekend.

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1965 Janet Washburn Jacob lives in Alaska with her husband Glenn and they have 4 children, Matthew, Audrey, Dianna and Ruthmarie; 6 grandchildren and 1 great granddaughter. Janet retired in 2008 from the Mat-Su borough School District and enjoys gardening, traveling and crafts. She volunteers at the local food bank and her church.



Class of '63 golf foursome getting in a practice round before Alumni Weekend. Harry Bouvier, Bill McIntyre, Dick Germond and Al Murray.

Bonnie Hinkley McDowell enjoys reading and learning German. She lives in FL with her husband Michael and has 2 children, David and Donna and 3 grandchildren, Joshua, Bradley and Savannah.

1964 Marjorie Roff Bunch lives in CA with her husband Bob but says that Sidney will always be her #1 home. She has 4 children, Jarett, Johnna, Marilyn and David; 5 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. She has been retired since 2008 and enjoys quilting, genealogy and traveling. She volunteers at her local car club, hospital guild and quilt guild and is active in the D.A.R.

Betty Lou Wheeler Koran enjoys decorative and tole painting and traveling. Her and her husband William have been married 44 years and have 4 children, Billy, Steven, Michelle and Stephanie and 3 grandchildren, Natalie, Isabella and Braden. They enjoy spending time at their summer home in Rehoboth Beach, DE but love living in Lancaster County, PA, home of the Amish.

Maxwell Peck, Jr. has already retired twice, once in 2000 and then again in 2005 but must really like it because currently he is a Nurse at a free clinic and will eventually retire again! His wife, Rev. Dr. Jane Stanley-Peck started her own church a few years ago and it has grown tremendously. His 5 children are all doing well and he enjoys 8 grandchildren. They travel to Europe at least once a year to visit family and friends but live in Gulfport, MS. They both enjoy movies, reading and snuggling on the sofa. He sends his greeting and blessings to all and reminds everyone to VOTE.

Tom Rettberg's younger daughter, Lauren Anne Wolcott, is expecting her first child, a boy, in late October or early November. Lauren and Frank Wolcott were married on the beach in Florida 11/11/2011. Tom's granddaughter, Amelia Mae Sheehan, turned 6 September 15th. His oldest daughter, Kristin Leigh and husband Charles Sheehan, celebrated their 10th wedding anniversary September 14th.

Sharon Hamilton Sandberg enjoys hiking with the Bullthistle Hiking Club and has been a Girl Scout leader for 16 years. She is retired from the Sherburne-Earlville School and lives in Norwich.

She has a daughter Lorraine and 2 grandchildren, Elijah and Dannah.

Ken Lord. "Living in Monticello, Indiana since retiring from the Army in 1984. Have 2 grown children with 6 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren all living close"

William Sisson lives in GA with his wife Nancy and they are both retired and enjoying every minute of it.

1963 Constance Ryder Mathewson and her husband **Bob, '61** had their first grandchild born in September of this year from their son Scott who is in the National Guard and lives in VT. Their son Robert, Jr. teaches 7th grade in Oklahoma City. Constance and Bob are enjoying their retirement in Mustang, OK. Bob teaches kids to fish with the Oklahoma Wildlife Department.

Robert Neish and his wife **Veda Steinbacher, '68** live in NY and have 3 children, Tonya, Jessica and Gregg and 2 grandchildren, Sydney and Brooklyn. Bob retired in 2002 and enjoys fishing, hunting, working on apartments and social drinking with friends.

Judith Riesen Wright works in the church store and still sings in the choir. She and her husband Richard live in NY and have 2 children, Todd and Wendy and 6 grandsons. She still works in their family business which will celebrate 30 years in 2013. Her grandsons bring them great joy with never a dull moment.

1962 Bruce Longwell retired in 2003 from American Airlines as an aircraft mechanic and enjoys bluegrass and banjo. He volunteers for Meals on Wheels. He lives in OK with his wife Betty and has 2 children, Brenda and Mark.

Sheryl Smith Mott is married to **Ron Mott, '60** and they live in Unadilla. Their son, Dwight, is Director of International School of Lesotho in South Africa and their daughter, Tammi, is the Program Director for Emergency Relief in Southern Africa and Haiti for the Episcopal Church. They adopted a family from Rwanda and watched as the children grew up. They both enjoy camping and boating with the Sidney Boat Club at Sylvan Beach and Sherie is the Adm Council Chair for the Unadilla United Methodist Church and a team member of the Upper New York Conference Finance & Administration Team for the United Methodist Church. Ron is a Village of Unadilla Board Member, member of Board of Trustees for Unadilla United Methodist Church and past director of the Sidney Boat Club.

Karen Palombo Rosa lives in Bainbridge and says that the Association is doing a super job.

Patricia Rafferty Smith retired in 2006 as a licensed teaching assistant and enjoys quilting and gardening and uses her quilting skills to make quilts and pillowcases for the needy. She volunteers in the Baptismal Ministry for her church. Her and her husband Bob live in Sidney and have 2 children, **Kisten, '83** and **Daniel, '87**. They also have 5 grandchildren. They are both enjoying their retirement and

love cheering their grandchildren on while watching their various activities. Kisten is currently the assistant high school principal at Norwich and Dan is an assistant director for Fannie Mae in Washington.

Anita Freyer Stephan and her husband, Dennis, live in SC and have 2 children and 8 grandchildren.

Sandra Browne Taeschler and her husband John live in AZ with their 2 cats and love it. She is a professional artist working in encaustics and ceramics and shows her work in two local galleries. Together they like to do home improvement projects, spending time with family and close friends, hiking and anything outdoors.

Patricia Gray Tancredi enjoys golf, reading, travel and her 4 grandchildren. She and her husband, John, live in FL and have 2 children, Heather and Beth. Pat volunteers for the Women's Giving Alliance and the Women's Golf Association. She was sorry to miss her 50th reunion and wishes her classmates all the best life can offer them.

Mary-Alice Crumley Thompson enjoys reading, knitting, crocheting and volunteers at the school's angel baseball games. She is divorced and has 2 sons, David and Robert and 2 grandsons. She lives in



Fleming Larsen, exchange student in the Class of '63, sent along this photo of his family, including a new grandson. Fleming is planning to come and join the Class of '63 for their 50th in 2013.

CA about a mile from her oldest son and has been retired for 5 ½ years. She works one on one with 2nd and 3rd graders and volunteers in the school library and at the preschool at her church.

1961 Donna Decker Armer lives in Ballston Spa, NY and is a retired teacher. She has 2 daughters, Lorilee and Juliane and she and her husband run the Saratoga County Fair Draft Horse Show and she is a 4H leader and loves to read and cook. "I continue to enjoy my retirement. I love spending time with my beautiful granddaughters and travel to NC to visit Karson and Emma while Sydney lives around the corner from me. Each fall since I have retired I have given tours for the school groups at Bowman Orchard and what a great job! I get to work with children outside in a beautiful apple orchard. Tom and I continue to work with our draft horses and we show them at the country fair. One of our favorite activities is the hayrides we give during 'Sundae on the Farm.' This event highlights agriculture in Saratoga County."

Howard Bonnell retired 3 years ago and works part time when he feels like it. He enjoys HO model trains and trips with family and friends. He has 2 children, Marie, and Tim and 1 grandson, Booger. His brother, **David, '65** lives about a mile and a half away and together they have some rental houses thanks to their parents who have passed on.

“Any day that I can walk, talk and still keep breathing is a good day! The newsletter is great and I look forward to reading it.”

Gary Johnson “I have 3 sons: Gary, Wayne, Cheyenne. 4 step children: Margaret Frazier, Edwin Frazier, William Frazier, Christine Frazier. Between Joyce and myself we have sixteen grandchildren, ranging from age 29 years old to 8 years old. Joyce has most of the girls with 8 girls and 2 boys. I have 5 boys and 1 girl, a beautiful family. I would like to thank the class of 1961 for including me in their reunions. Most of you who know me know why I say that. Also the class of 1964; I got there and never ever quit. I served in the United States Marine Corps. Served in Vietnam in 1966 and would do it again for the average people there. I retired at the age of 68 in 2011 from Amphenol Aerospace. Love to travel. Also go on vacations with family and grandchildren to the ocean. I'm so glad I grew up in Sidney. It was a great little town. Everyone knew everyone. It was an all around American town. Still live here, but miss Main Street and the people that are no longer here. Miss some of the friends that I have not seen since the 60's!”

1959 Constance Knapp Edelen retired in 2010 from pediatric nursing and enjoys walking, reading and crossword puzzles. She has 4 children, John, Mark, David and Alisa and 7 grandchildren. “I look forward to receiving each issue of Reflections! Thanks! My husband Jack is still employed as a cardiologist so we need to live near Berkeley, CA!”

Anthony Kemp lives in Norwich with his wife Tracy and retired in 2004. He enjoys walking the beach in Corpus Christi, TX and has 2 children, John and Robin and 2 grandchildren, Brandon and Shelby.

Joann Yenson Schmidt and her husband Bernie celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in Oct. with a trip to Rome and a Mediterranean Cruise. Earlier in the year they were at Hilton Head with their son Chris and her sister, **Evelyn, '67** and had a great week. Then in July their son Joe came to visit with his children Colton and Mikayla, Joann's only grandchildren and that was wonderful. Joanne just finished a 2 year term as President of the Ascension Knight of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary in MO. At this year's state convention she was chosen Missouri State Lady of the Year. Both she and her husband volunteer at Wings of Hope, a charitable humanitarian organization. “I really do enjoy reading Reflections. It brings back so many memories of growing up in Sidney and my days at Sidney Central High School. When you live in the St. Louis area everything centers around where did you go to high school. It has been fun to see the expressions on some faces when I say Sidney Central High School. Most people here have never heard of a Central High School.”

Kathleen Boardman Tiska and her husband, **Stephen, '51** have lived in Masonville for 51 years and are very fortunate to have their 3 sons, **Ted, '80, Greg, '82** and **Dan, '84** and 7 grandchildren nearby. They both enjoy keeping up with the grandkids and she enjoys gardening.

1958 Richard and Lavancia Ellis Chubb live in FL and have 2 children, Elizabeth and Derek, 4 grandsons, Matthew, Michael, Adam and Jimmy and 2 great grandchildren, Annmarie and Jasper. Dick still works for the US government

and plans on retiring in Jan, 2013 but retired from the Navy in 1984. Lavancia makes quilts and machine embroidery. Their son lives in TX and their daughter lives in WV.

1957 Tom Hamilton lives in Silicon Valley but is not a billionaire!

Robert Stark is being exhibited in Scranton PA in a 40 year retrospective of his paintings concurrently at the ArtWorks Gallery, Artists for Art Gallery and the Scranton Federal Courthouse opening October 5th and closing October 27th. A 4th exhibition of works from his studio will open at Keystone College on October 28th.

1956 Carl Karlson retired in 2003 and enjoys RV travel with his wife **Norma Turtur Karlson, '58**. They live in CA and have 2 children, Eric and Kristina and 5 grandchildren. They winter in AZ and their grandchildren keep them busy.

Richard “Dick” Curley was inducted into the Greater Norwich Golf Hall of Fame on October 11, 2012. Established in 2004, the Hall of Fame seeks to recognize and honor those individuals in the Norwich area who have, through their accomplishments contributed in an exceptional way to the sport of golf.



Sally Provenzon, honorary member of the Class of '37 and one of the Founders of the Alumni Association, celebrated her 92 birthday recently. She is shown here with daughters, Bonnie Curtis, '59 and Ann. Sally is also one of the first inductees to the Wall of Fame for Distinguished Alumni and Faculty. She was inducted along with other Founders, Bob Chantler, Betty Rowe, Velma Riggs Blanche Hunter, Bernadine Boardman, Donald Laraway

1955 Phyllis Turtur DuMond and Clarence (Steve) DuMond, '52 live in Santa Maria, CA and have 2 children, Tamra and Steven and 2 granddaughters, Sunniva and Bettina.

Kurt Hearth is a retired police officer and enjoys writing and volunteering as a fire fighter in FL. He has a son Steven and a grandson Matthew.

Donald Puffer has 4 children and 3 stepchildren, 30 grandchildren and 26 great grandchildren!! “What a great pleasure to receive the Reflections twice a year. You people do a wonderful job. Info: Deb Woytek Puffer's husband is a distant cousin of mine. Also, Anne Mott is my niece. Been in MA for 59 years and still miss Sidney. SCHS were the greatest years of my life. What wonderful memories I have of Sidney; Reeds Diner, Civic Center and all the friends I had. Sidney will always be my home. Chip McElroy called me last year. Had not seen or heard from him for 58 years. What a wonderful surprise. Thank you Chip. I called Harvey Elander, hadn't seen or heard from him since 1953.”

1954 Betty Marriott Winchester has lived in Mt. Upton for 39 years, since her husband (deceased) retired from the Air Force in 1973. She enjoys flower gardening and has 3 children, Terry, Danny and Robin and 5 grandchildren.

1953 Maryon Karlson Bramley retired in 2007 and enjoys knitting, reading and volunteering at the First Presbyterian in Lakeland, FL. Her and her husband moved to Presbyterian Homes in 2011 and have been busier than ever.



Greater Norwich Golf Hall of Fame Induction L-R: Frank Mirabito, Dick Curly, Hal Skillin, Angelo Muserilli

They usually travel 3 or 4 weeks every year and have 3 children, Debra, David and Douglas, 4 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.

Barbara Henderson Edwards has 3 children and 9 grandchildren ages 10-6. She lives in NY and has a large vegetable garden and enjoys canning, sewing, grandchildren and 4 cats. She still sings in the church choir and is a retired RN.

Patricia Greene retired in 1999 and enjoys bowling, reading, all kinds of puzzles and travel. He volunteers for Women's Clubs, church, food bank, and she transports people to Dr. visits, etc. She has 2 daughters, Kimberly and Karla and 4 grandchildren, Justin, Trisha, Zak and Emily and 4 great grandchildren. She said she is leading a very busy life and involved in many organizations. Her great grandchildren call her GiGi and she still travels whenever the opportunity arises.

Shirley Segall lives in TX and retired in 1996 from nursing. She has 2 children, John and Jennifer and 2 grandchildren, Emma and Jenna. She enjoys classical music, walking and current events. “I enjoy reading Reflections with current updates of the alumni of Sidney Central School.”

Marilyn Hort Thomson lives in PA and really enjoys keeping up with events, stories and updates through Reflections. “You are all doing a great job.”

1952 Benjamin Gloeckler, Jr. lives on Sidneys Rd in SC and loves to garden, take care of the lawn and carpentry. He volunteers at the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church and Pep Club. He has 5 children and retired in 1991.

Erma Scott-MacDonald is retired with 2 children and 2 grandchildren and lives in NJ.

Barbara Tacea Smith lives in NC with her husband Bob and has 3 children, **Regina Reynolds, '74** (deceased), **Steve Reynolds, '77** and **Greg Reynolds, '78**. She has 3 grandchildren, Regina, Brennan and Roxanne and 1 great



This is Colin Kelly's (Class of '68) second grandson and everyone is doing well, very happy and enjoyed the summer.

*In August, Lora's brother, **Jason Wagner (Class of '92)** came from Indiana to NY for a visit. Pictured are: Tucker (Lora's oldest), Lora, Jason & Levi.*

Labor Day Weekend, 2012 was the occasion for a family outing and mini reunion at Howe Caverns for Dick Germond, '63 and his family. Family included Dick's daughter, Taryn, her husband, James, Dick's mom, and sister Susan.



Ann Chisko is a Grandma again. Son, Steve Lasher and his wife, Liane had a baby boy, Calvin Joseph Lasher, in September and daughter, Kathy and son in law Andrew became the parents of Rose Madeline, born on October 4, 2012. Rose joins big sister, Grace. In the picture Ann is holding baby Rose and is joined by daughter, Kathy.

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A Capital Region Sidney Warriors - Class of 1963 reunion was held on Saturday, September 15, 2012 at George and Jean Weed's lovely lake-side home in Galway, NY for a get-together that was rescheduled due to tornado and high wind warnings on September 8. Laughs aplenty/good food/and dear friendships were enjoyed by George and Jean, Bob and Sue Wadsworth Slawson, '64, Marion Jipson Luce, Brenda Brooks-Olsen, Jerry Patrick and Mary Pat Gilbert-Lemieszek. In this picture: Mary Pat Lemieszek, Jean Weed, Brenda Olsen, Marion Luce. Back: Bob Slawson, Sue Slawson, George Weed.



Dick Germond and Mike Gallup got together for a sail across Lake Winnepausaukee and a round of golf at the Wolfeboro golf course in August.

We Remember...

Clifton Steele

1962

Cheryl Wilhelm Morris
1974

Virginia Ashton Bartz
1944

Kathryn VanderMeulen
1970

Donna Stanton Leonard

1963

Sandra Herrick Lewellen
1957

Albert Breutsch
1953

Marion Walker King
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Janet Sands Miner
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Freida Bidwell Putnum
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Elizabeth Parsons Foster
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William Howes
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Mary Marjorie Suttle MacDonald
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Ron Page
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Stewart Wilcox
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grandchild, Noah. She retired in 1994 and enjoys gum, golf and painting. She is active in her church and volunteers for the food pantry.

1950 Virginia Wagner Compton lives in Sidney with her husband Alfred and enjoys photography and is a church greeter. She has 2 children, Kristine and William, 2 grandchildren, Brian and Jennifer and 4 great grandchildren.

Bob Searle and his wife have lived in VA since 1964 and they have 3 boys, 2 girls all of which one live nearby. They have 12 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. “I really enjoy the Reflections. You people are doing a great job. I keep up to date with Sidney through my sister, Esther and my brother-in-law, Bill Walker. Keep up the good work.”

1949 Almetta Hodges VanValkenburg is a retired nurse and lives in Burnt Hills, NY. She says she is still at it and her youngest grandson is in 6th grade and she is almost finished!

1948 Janice Prindle Williams lives in FL and has 13 great grandchildren including 3 sets of twins! She is planning a trip to the Holy Land in January 2013.

1947 Steve Simons “I’m still active at age 83, but if I keep having body parts repaired, replaced or removed at the current pace, ‘active’ might be severely curtailed. My new ‘keep busy’ activity is volunteer work at the local hospital. I work 2-3 days a week pushing wheelchairs, or manning the information desk. I enjoy the work and it keeps me active.”

1945 Walt Canfield lives in SC and this past July 25th celebrated his 65th wedding anniversary with his wife. “The Association continues doing a great job.”

Janet Moore Caswell has 2 sons, Andrew and Daniel and 4 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren and lives in NY. She enjoys gardening, reading, senior activities and needlework. Last year she had a fractured hip so missed the alumni weekend but came this past July. Last year in Sept she was fortunate to attend her 3rd grandchild’s wedding in NC and then reconnected with an old friend whom she had not seen in 26 years.

1943 Elizabeth Zurbruegg Simpson lives in Cobleskill, NY and was the Sidney School secretary from June 1943-1948. She loves to travel and has a daughter, Sheryl, 3 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren.

1938 Doris Howe Fahy lives in Sidney and is a retired teacher. She volunteers at her church and for the American Red Cross.

1936 Fred Riesen has a daughter, **Judy**, ’63 and 2 grandchildren, Todd and Wendy and 6 great grandchildren. “At 94 am still in good health. I am caring for Millie with the assistance of many loving and caring caregivers and family.”

1933 Frances Tripp Ackley has 2 children, Joyce and John and 6 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren.



Class of 1962 Celebrates 50th During Alumni Weekend

Front row—Dolores Hayes Breunig, Vincent George, Cheryl Smith Mott, Michael DiPretoro, Carol Thompson Keeney and Gary Root. Back row- Diane Olds, Victor Twaddell, Arlene Hubbell McCoon, Gail Ward Morey, Rena Cole Doing, Linda Hager Bailey, Marty Burdick Benson, Donna Harris Kuzdzal, Pat Raferty Smith, Earl Hendee, Gracie Franks Allidi, Art Weed and Rosemarie Mirabito Weed.

Classmates from the Sidney High Class of 1962 enjoyed a very special 50th reunion during alumni weekend. Fifty-seven people including thirty-eight class members gathered for a delicious dinner at the Cream of the Crop.

Letters were read from those that couldn’t be there. As usual everyone picked up where we left off from the last reunion or for some several years of not seeing each other. It didn’t seem like fifty years had gone by since we were going to school together.

Many of the thirty-eight, in addition to a few of our other classmates, also joined in at the events held over the weekend at the American Legion, Elks Club, VFW breakfast, March of Classes,

tours of the school and historical society room.

Some of us also went to the Sunday Memorial Service where Gary read the twenty-three names of our classmates who had passed away. Class of 1962 alumni, Clifford Steele and Dayle Elwood Schmidt, were both planning on attending the reunion but died just a couple of months before.

Afterwards at the Sunday alumni luncheon a strong contingent of our class supported and were very proud of our two classmates, Cheryl Smith Mott and Michael diPretoro, who were inducted into the Wall of Fame Class of 2012. It was indeed a very special weekend.



The Class of '48 Celebrates 64th Annual Reunion

Great food and camaraderie was had and exemplified at the Track Side Restaurant Friday July 13th 2012. Plans are in the making for their 65th dinner, and they do expect a much bigger gathering, (providing). After lunch several went to the afterglow at one of the classmates wife's house. Some came from Florida, North Carolina, and Pennsylvania. *Classmates* and guests: Front Row L-R: *Arnold Wischheusen, Irv Palmer, *Norma Hyatt Palmer (absent), Jim Wright, *Grace Hoyt Wright, *Shirley Hard Davidson, Reed Davidson, *Paula Galloway Prindle, Norm Prindle Back Row L-R: Less Gregory, *Mimi Isliker Unhorchak, *Beverly Preston Gregory, *Janice Prindle Williams, Helen Halbert, *Lawrence ‘Bunker’ Halbert, Helen Dickson, *Richard ‘Dick’ Dickson, *Dawn McElligott Brennan, *Jean Van Valkenberg Stanton, Phylliss Chase.*



The Class of ‘92 celebrated 20!

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Jerry's skills on display during a summer wrestling camp at Lehigh University were "as good as anyone's".

Baseball. Jerry played mostly third base and catcher. He was a Susquenango League All-Star during his senior season, batting a nifty .353. Jerry lists Hall of Fame coach Al Drake ('07) in baseball as well as Coach Redmond (HOF '03) in football and wrestling as two of his biggest influences

Football. That was the sport that turned the heads of spectators under Coach Redmond. As a two-way end and captain on the 1956 undefeated team, Curtis was a ferocious blocker and tenacious tackler. During the unbeaten season of 1956, he took a reverse from teammate Fred Collins on the opening kickoff versus Walton and raced 75 yards for a touchdown run. At the time, it was the third longest return in school history. While no other statistics are available, it was clear that the Warriors were a running team, with plenty of runs to the outside sprung via blocks from #68 - Jerry Curtis.

After playing a fourth season in 1957, Jerry was honored (along with teammate Bill Burdick) with his selection to represent Sidney on the East squad in the very first Section IV All-Star Football game, sponsored by the Endicott Optimist Club. What an honor!

The game was played on August 23, 1958 and was the precursor to the present-day Ernie Davis Classic. This game, however, actually included Ernie Davis, who would enter Syracuse University shortly after the game and be just one year from leading the Orangemen gridders to an undefeated record and a National Championship. Jerry's highlight of that game was making a tackle on the opponent who would later win a Heisman Trophy as the top football player in the United States.

Following his 1959 graduation, Jerry enlisted in the Marine Corps, where he also excelled as part of a team. He was a member of the "8th and I" which is the oldest active post in the Corps, known for its support in both ceremonial and security in our Nation's Capitol, according to its website. As a member of this prestigious unit, Jerry served on the Silent Drill Team and the President's Honor Guard.

With an honorable discharge from the service in 1963, Jerry and Bonnie dug their roots firmly back in Sidney, where Jerry entered the apprenticeship program at Scintilla. While raising their family, Jerry worked tirelessly, often holding down two jobs, and spent many hours as a volunteer fire fighter.

Jerry still keeps an intense watch over his grandchildren's athletic pursuits in Sidney and Holland -Patent school districts. As a "bonus:", his son-in-law is Mike Brazee, Sidney's all-time winningest boys basketball coach while his daughter-in-law Liz Voltz Curtis has led the competitive H-P field hockey team for a number of years.

Tough and gritty perhaps, but those closest to him will also let it be known he has a "heart of gold". So congratulations Jerry, on this very special induction into the Sidney Alumni Sports Hall of Fame.

Carole Redmond Stanbro, 1976
This will be the story of someone who doesn't feel she is worthy of a place in the Sidney Alumni Sports Hall of Fame. The story will tell

you why she does.

Carole Redmond Stanbro grew up in Sidney like most other young girls. And like some, she was considered more of a "tomboy" because she loved playing any game or any sport in a very competitive way. It would serve her well on Carole's own merits. However...

Yes, as the daughter of Athletic Director Fran Redmond this competitive spirit was somewhat expected. She outran all of the girls and most of the boys in elementary school, then played all of the sports a girl was allowed to play through junior high - and then Title IX changed all of that!

Upon her sophomore year, Carole played varsity field hockey, basketball, and volleyball while she also was a JV basketball cheerleader. These were the first real seasons of the new Sidney Girls Sports programs. Most games were played in the afternoon, so it would in no way interfere with Carole remaining a cheerleader, right?

Well, here's where the story gets good. After playing field hockey and being a Varsity Football cheerleader, Carole made a decision which sent shock waves through the school. Instead of cheering for the boys basketball team, she opted to run for the very first girls indoor track team. Hall of Fame coach Doug Quinney had started the boys program two years earlier. A small group of young ladies requested there be a girls team. led by Carole Redmond who propelled her natural speed into a winning endeavor. Her 60 yard dash time of 7.3 seconds is favorably converted to the 55 meter dash today. Thus that time remains a school record (tied by Willa Payne in 2000) to this day.

As a footnote, Carole's indoor track success prompted her to switch from softball to track for her senior year. She would set the 100 yard dash school record time of 11.7 seconds, however that record will go unpublished - and unbroken - as that distance does NOT favorably convert to meters.

All told, Carole earned 14 Varsity letters, covering six sports. She really was the first post-Title IX female athlete to take full advantage of the new opportunities. She was also her senior class president and was named the Most Active Female Student in both her junior and senior years.

Then it was on to SUNY Cortland - her dad's Alma Mater- where Carole ran one year of track. Later she would "change gears" and run distances instead of sprints, participating in many 5K road races, as well as one biathlon and several triathlons to further test her endurance.



Carole Redmond Stanbro and Cassie Redmond Knapp

Eventually, Carole's competitiveness was transferred into the world of education. She initially worked her way into special ed.,first as a Broome-Tioga BOCES Adapted P. E. teacher,

then at Whitney Point where she specialized in the Primary and Elementary grades. There Carole also coached the same sports she had enjoyed in Sidney at both modified and varsity levels.

By 1994, she moved to Greene and was promoted to Elementary School Principal. Much of that time she doubled as chairman of Committee on Special Education (CSE) and tripled as District Curriculum Coordinator - a position she still holds. Her expertise and guidance has earned Carole numerous awards. Most recent was her selection for the Marshman-Hall Commitment to Education Award in 2012 through DCMO BOCES.

Along the way, Carole's love of physical fitness has never waned. She is a proud member of the "46er Club", the designation given to those who hike all 46 peaks of 4,600 feet or more in the Adirondack Mountains which she completed before her 46th birthday!

In addition, she and her husband Tom have enjoyed snow-shoeing, kayaking, and cross country skiing. Her running is now limited to the treadmill, but her thirst for life's adventures certainly has stayed a part of Carole Redmond Stanbro's personality all these years.

Lindsey Hinsch Drake, 2001
In the ten years of the Sidney Alumni Sports Hall of Fame, multisport careers have been a common denominator, especially among the females inducted. Such is the case with Lindsay Hinsch Drake, our youngest inductee to date as a



Lindsey Hinsch Drake and Coach Doug Quinney

member of the Sidney Class of 2001.

Lindsay is best known for her four New York State Track & Field titles in the long and triple jumps. But her high school days were still in the off-mentioned "glory years of Sidney Track" when the Warrior teams were filled with scholar-athletes who played three (or more!) sports on a regular basis.

Sure enough, Lindsay first came into her success on the varsity level through the track program as a jumper. She had mentors who nurtured that talent- namely Hall of Fame coaches Doug Quinney, Larry Armour, and (fellow 2012 inductee) Spike Paranya. Additional coaching came in the form of Bill Munro and her dad, Mark Hinsch. This group, combined with Lindsay's ability and hard work, enjoyed five years of constant improvement and reward.

She debuted on the varsity track scene in eighth grade and by the next year Lindsay was a regular among the top jumpers in the Susquenango League and all of Section IV. It would take more than one page to list the invitationals, league and

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sectional meets that saw Lindsay take top honors.

The ones that counted the most? Let's start with her junior season, when at the 2000 Indoor State Meet at the Carrier Dome in Syracuse, Lindsay leaped 17 feet 11 and 1/2 inches. That was her scholastic best and earned the first of four NY State championships! She would repeat at Class C State Champion in the outdoor long jump that spring, then pull a unique "double" in her final scholastic meet held at Hofstra University. That sunny day in June of 2001 saw Lindsay win both the long and triple jumps. As amazing as the jump results were, Lindsay also ran with teammates Willa Payne, Caitlin Graham and Paula Foote that same weekend to a school record time of 50.23 seconds (and third place finish) in the 4 x 100 meter relay!

In addition to track and field, Lindsay's athleticism came into play with the soccer and basketball teams at Sidney. Having never played organized soccer before her junior year, Lindsay became the "sweeper" for two years, responsible for shutting down the opponent's best offensive player. That season (1999) began well as she was named MVP of the Pre-season Mang Tournament. And for the next two years, no team facing the Warriors on the soccer pitch could muster a fast break goal. Predictably, her role in basketball was much the same - play defense and guard the other team's top scorer. Of course, her final two hoop seasons she was also participating in track & field.

Lindsay's scholastic sports honors included being named as the very first Mary Morrison Outstanding Female Athlete Award recipient as well as earning the Francis L. Redmond Scholar Athlete Award. From graduation, it was off to Lehigh University on a track & field scholarship.

At Lehigh, it was more of the same. School records - three in all -were set, with her 2003 indoor long and triple jump marks still intact ten seasons later. Along with many Patriot League and ECAC honors, Lindsay's highlight of all highlights was the realization of her collegiate goal of breaking 19 feet in the long jump (19' 1/4" to be exact) in a meet at West Point. That feat qualified her for the ECAC meet and was certainly a factor in Lindsay being named Lehigh's Female Athlete of the Year in 2004.

Lindsay also met her eventual husband Jeff Drake while at Lehigh. They have been married a year already and live in Bethlehem, PA. She works in media relations for NASCAR. The Sidney Alumni Sports Hall of Fame's youngest member is also one of its most accomplished. Congratulations, Lindsay!

Stephen "Spike" Paranya

Since when does a volunteer coach rank so highly on the list of eligible nominees for the Sidney Alumni Sports Hall of Fame? Since this volunteer coach has helped produce SIX New York State Public High School field event jumping champions - that's when!

Stephen "Spike" Paranya has a resume which centers around two distinct loves and successes. One is well-known, his love for education. The other is not as well-known, his love



Legacy Award Winners 2012

of track and field, Both parlayed nicely into his work in the Sidney Central School system and its perennially strong track & field program.

Spike's accomplishments at Lexington High School in Massachusetts reflect the same two avenues as mentioned above. He was President of his school's National Honor Society and Student Council. In track & field, he won two state championships in 1956 - 880 yard run and long jump - in his enrollment class.

That fall, during a stellar senior year, Spike set Massachusetts records for Cross Country, which was followed by similar results in the 1000 yard (indoors) and 880 yard (outdoor) runs. In fact, the 880 time he recorded was the fifth fastest by an American scholastic runner in the country!

At Wesleyan University, Spike continued in track, concentrating on middle distances. There, he won the ICAAAA mile run both indoors and outdoors. and at the NCAA meet his junior year ran to a 7th place finish in the 1500, followed by an even better 5th place standing in the mile.

Track stayed a constant even during his 3 years in the Marine Corps (1961-64) where he attained the rank of Lieutenant and got his first experience as an administrative coach in 1964. Let's fast-forward through his years of teaching science in high school and college. earning his Master's from Harvard ('66), a Doctorate from U-Mass ('74) and an initial principal's job in New Hampshire. That brings us to 1979. when Dr. Paranya became a fixture at all three ele-



Stephen "Spike" Paranya and Doug Quinney

mentary schools in the Sidney district. How it took Doug Quinney (HOF '04) six years to convince this track and field dynamo to climb aboard full-time is-unclear; by 1986, the connection was indeed made to make Spike an official volunteer jumping coach! He blended with several other gentlemen - Bill Munro, Mark Hinsch, John Cappello, and Larry Armour (HOF'08)-to elevate the high jumpers and to insnare the long and triple jumpers to take off. [Yes. puns intended.]

Here is more you need to know from the perspective of Spike's coaching. Eleven times, Sidney jumpers won Section IV titles. Ten consecutive revisions of the section's indoor and outdoor high jump records came from Sidney Student-athletes! State Champions in this event were: Bonnie Shoemaker (HOF '04) in 1992, Adam Farrell in 2002, and Amanda Haney in consecutive seasons of 2003 and 2004.

Spike was part of a dedicated group who believed in the track and field program and believed in its student-athletes. Reflective of that, all teams during the years Doug Quinney was the head varsity coach for both genders and both seasons earned New York State Public High School Scholar-Athlete Awards, emblematic of a 90+ GPA bt team.

From the age of nine, Stephen "Spike" Paranya was addicted to track and field, based on a visit to the Boston Garden to watch a track meet. There are dozens of current and former Sidney tracksters who sure are grateful he brought that love to Sidney. On their behalf we congratulate Spike Paranya as he joins his son Karl (HOF 06) in the Sidney Alumni Sports Hall of Fame.

Legacy Award Winners 1991-92 Class A Field Hockey 20-0-2 New York State Champions

In the fall of 1991, America was still months away from watching the "Dream Team" rule the basketball world at the Summer Olympics in Barcelona. In Sidney, we got to see the "Dream Season" unfold in field hockey for the Lady Warriors and Coach Mary Morrison.

A nucleus of players returned that August, eager to improve on the impressive 1990 campaign which ended in the last possible game of the season - the New York State Class A Finals - in an agonizing 1-0 loss to Lakeland. Coach "M" had most of her scoring and defense back from that squad so it was a real optimistic pre-season. But a 1-1 non-league opener with Class C power Deposit gave her cause to be concerned.

Still a major plus in that game was the play of freshman goalie Denise Martin, who made her varsity debut surrounded by the steady play of senior defenders Pam DuMond, Ashley Mohler, and Lori Marron. All told, the defense recorded 13 shutouts during the season. Offense came from many sources. Junior Josette Woodyshek led the way with 20 goals, followed by Nikki Thomas with 11 then Erica Peterson and Pam DuMond with 10. Team speed and athleticism were also major advantages.

There would be another "blip" on the radar when Greene's powerful team and chief league rival of Sidney mustered a 2-2 tie after the Warriors had led 2-0 at the half.

To add to the drama and sheer excitement, especially in the playoffs, Sidney also had the knack of playing from behind. The NYS Quarterfinals and Semifinals each saw the girls trailing 1-0 by halftime. Some amazing talks at intermission (which were well-documented in print) got the message across that mistakes were made, corrections were needed and execution would dictate results. Indeed, those challenges were met as Sidney played some of its best hockey, scoring three time and keeping their opponents scoreless in both elimination games.

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Class of 1952 Celebrates 60th with Dinner at the Old Mill.

It was a milestone for the Class of 1952 as they shared three days together to celebrate the 60th anniversary of their high school graduation.

They gathered Friday night to have a pizza party and talk about their memories and what has been happening since they saw each other five years ago. They were greeted by class president Tom Rogers, who had traveled here with his wife Ronna, from California.

On Saturday they attended the March of Classes where they wore their Class of 52 T-shirts and walked with the canes that had been provided by classmate Carol Goldshine Mayer and her husband Bob Mayer. That evening they had a banquet at The Olde Mill, attended by 49 classmates and their guests and Sunday many attended the Memorial Service and the All Class Luncheon and Wall of Fame Induction ceremonies. It is safe to say that everyone had a very good time and they are already discussing our next meeting, either our 65th reunion or a combined 80th birthday party!

Class of 1952

(l-r)Bernie Gillar Gaydorus, Keigh Cronauer Earisman, Larrie Sheldon, Esther Weeden Davidson, Joan Misner Crandall, Carol Goldshine Mayer, Erma MacDonald Scott, Sandra Johnson McLean, Esther Wolfe Boyd, Carol Sue Davis, Dingman, Bernadette Frisch, Eleanor Walters MacDonald, Mary McElroy Begeal, June Zimmerman Snover, Tom Rogers, Barbara Tacea Smith, Helen Cribbs Halbert, Helen Reisen Rosenkranz, Ed Snover, Sandra Dimorier DeCocker, Jean Parker Warner, Dave Sager, Bill Ostrander, Joy Juckette Chuma, Don Doyle, Elliot Danforth, Nancy

Class of 1954

The Class of 1954 has decided to have mini reunions (get togethers) every year to be held during Alumni week. This will be either getting together for coffee, lunch or dinner. It may be at other times of the year whenever classmates are in Sidney. So, if any 1954 Classmates are going to be in the area at any time, please let Peggy Stilson know by phone (607-563-1055), by e-mail (mstilson@stny.rr.com) or by letter (72 Pearl St. W, Sidney, NY 13838) and something will be arranged.

We believe this will keep us in closer contact than just our every 5 year dinner and special birthday parties. Our next regular reunion will be in 2014 (our 60th) and our 80th birthday in 2016.



Class of '51

Class of 1970 Turns 60

Celebrating 60 with long-time friends just cannot be beat! 35 classmates, from the Class of 1970, gathered together for our special BIG birthday celebration on Saturday afternoon of Alumni weekend, at the Sidney Golf and Country Club. There was reuniting with hugs, laughing, enjoying the old time penny candy, more laughing, drinking, taking photos, remembering, even more laughing, sharing the great luncheon and a huge birthday cake with 60 candles to collectively blow out! It was a celebration of turning 60, but another chance to share the special bond that we have from growing up and going to school together. It is a unique group indeed! As we move on, we realize even more how special we are to each other. Goodbye hugs are even more appreciated.

On Sunday, we also celebrated the induction of classmate Cherie Stevens into the Wall of Fame. What an honor for Cherie! It was a pleasure to be able to share this special moment with her. Cherie lets her light shine to all those around her.

Remember that we WILL celebrate our 45th reunion in July 2015! Please mark your calendar now...make it happen again, or for the first time. Your classmates DO want to see you!



Class of '67 Celebrates '45th in July

Amy Miketta FitzGerald, Jackie Yale Rivino, Leslie Schorling Mazzarella, Larry Gleason, Gail Horth Zeigler, Loren Thompaon, Chris Davis, Jerry Clutter, Chuck D'Imperio, Ed Green, Tom Ruff, Jack Burnham, Ray Stark, Dave Williams, Larry Wyss, George Hollister, Diane Graney Holbert, Ron Henderson, Chris Jayne, Judy Warren Myers, Sue Learn Bennett, Marion Barger Hoag.



Sue Stevens Larsen and husband, Bob recently visited with Bill Cable, '63 when their cruise visited American Samoa. Sue's brother, Fred is a classmate of Bill's. The Larsens continued on their cruise after the visit. Bill is looking forward to coming home to Sidney for the Class of '63's 50 reunion in 2013.



Dr. Ted Elliott. '31 was the Leader of the Parade on Saturday at the March of the Classes



The Annual Alumni Golf Tournament took place on Friday of Alumni Weekend. Some 32 foursomes hit the links for a day of fun with former classmates and friends. Under the able leadership of Bryan Innes, '01, the very successful tournament again raised money to fund the SCSAA scholarships awarded each June.

The winners were: Masters Division: Mike Feltman, Doug Porter, Dennis Hallquist and Tim Barnes. In the Professional Division: Rick Cole, Bill Vandermulen, Gary Cole and Chris Tacea. The Open Division Winners were: Joe Mirabito, Rick Mirabito, Doug Cornforth and Bob D'Imperio.



In a tribute to Terry Dermody, President of the SCSAA, Alumni gathered at the March of the Classes to send him a get well message. Terry was taken ill in June and was unable to attend Alumni Weekend.



Music for the Sunday Memorial Service was provided by Hannah Wood '14, and her Mom, Josette Woodyshek, '93, Terry Dundon, '77 and Greg Davie, '76

Josh Woodyshek Completes Scout Project for Prospect Hill Cemetery

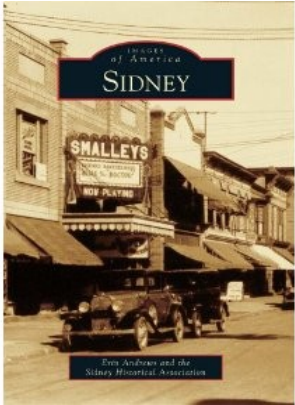
The Sidney Historical Association hosted Joshua Woodyshek as a guest speaker on May 8, 2012. His program was a power-point presentation of his Eagle Scout project.

His grandmother suggested obtaining a new fountain for Prospect Hill Cemetery. Only the base of the 1889 fountain still existed. However, the condition of the base was very poor. Josh decided to take on the task of restoring the base, buying a new fountain that resembled the original one, and obtaining water and electric service.

In 2011 an article in the Tri-Town News about Josh’s project was brought to the attention of our organization. Our members voted to donate money to help him recreate a part of Sidney’s history.

Many other community organizations, businesses, and individuals also donated funds. Because of the generosity of donors, Josh was also able to build a walkway with gray pavers around the fountain and to buy a plaque thanking donors. His family and friends helped him with much of the physical labor. The fountain was dedicated in a ceremony in June 2012.

Josh is a student at Sidney High School. His parents are Tina Breunig Woodyshek ’89 and Jason Woodyshek ’88. His grandmother is Dolores Hayes Breunig ‘62.



Sidney Historical Association Book

Sidney by Erin Andrews and the Sidney Historical Association, was published in 2010 by Arcadia Publishing as part of its Images of America series. This book has over 200 pictures with captions about the history of the village. It would be a wonderful gift for anyone with ties to our hometown!

Copies can still be purchased from the Historical Association. The price is \$22. Shipping costs \$5. Please contact Joeline Cole at 607-563-1425 to order books.

You can also visit <http://www.facebook.com/SidneyHistoricalAssociation> to click on the link for the SHA book order form. Or, stop in room 218 at the Civic Center during our regular open hours Wednesdays 4-6 p.m. and Thursdays 9-11:30 a.m. to get your copy. Proceeds benefit the Sidney Historical Association. Thank you to all alumni who have already purchased our book.

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The NYS Finals, played at the now-familiar Astro-Turf Field at Hartwick College in Oneonta, saw a different scenario play out. Sweeper Pam DuMond rocketed an early shot past the Mahopac goalie just moments into the game and somehow, some way that tally held up for the entire contest! The defense was stellar and teamwork was incredible – the Lady Warriors prevailed 1-0 over previously undefeated Mahopac in front of a wild and crazy throng of hometown fans on a crisp Veterans Day in November. To ice the cake, the thinly-veiled secret that it was Mary Morrison's 200th career coaching victory finally came to light – officially. They were Class A State Champs!

Many of these 25 players – 22 full-time and 3 JV post-season call-ups – went on to excel in other sports for both Sidney and at the college level. In fact that same school year, Sidney's girls teams were Section IV champions in basketball, softball and track. They were...SIMPLY THE BEST.

Retirement Brings the Opportunity To Develop A New Talent

By Diane Graney Holbert, '67

Imagine. It all started with Facebook. After retiring from the work force and having some time on my hands, I finally decided to join Facebook. I began thinking about people from whom I hadn't heard in years and would like to get in touch with.

One person who stood out in my mind was a young man I had met and dated back in the early 70's. I did a search and his name popped up. After several chat sessions, he challenged me to draw an egg with no lines. No, I said, and proceeded to draw a pear. I was amazed that it turned out rather well and his comments and criticisms led me to continue on with pencil drawings of animals and people of all ages.

As I drew, I scanned in my progress and sent it to him to evaluate.

Each time he surprised me with new techniques and introduced me to tools that are used in graphite drawing. His continuous critique, some of which I did not like, helped me to become the artist I am today.

I began drawing family members and their pets and giving them as gifts. Many times I would search "google" for an interesting face as a project. I posted my drawings on Facebook and soon was getting requests to draw for other people. I, being the cynic that I am about most things I do, could not believe my drawings were worthy of compensation.

This was 2 years ago that I started my drawing. I had done only one pencil drawing back in Jr. High School (50 years ago) when Ward Herrmann, my favorite teacher, was my art teacher. I hadn't tried graphite drawing since then and was thrilled, to say the least, that I had been shown the way to a new purpose in life. I believe I have been given a gift to draw to make others happy and continue to do this to date.



Proud Grandmother, Dolores Hayes Breunig, was joined by some other Sidney Alumni at the dedication ceremony for the fountain in Prospect Hill Cemetery. (l-r) Dolores, Carol Weaver Wessels, Bonnie Roof Wood, Pat Rafferty Smith, Arlene Hubbell McCoon.



Josh's family gathered for a picture after the Dedication ceremony in June, 2012. l-r Akansha Jain, exchange student from India staying with the Woodyshek family, Tina Breunig Woodyshek, '89, Josh, 2013, Jason Woodyshek, '88, and Kelsey Woodyshek, 2015.



A sample of the work that the very talented Diane Graney Holbert has produced.



Inductee Cherie Stevens and Betty Spinelli.

Four are Inducted into Wall of Fame for Distinguished Alumni and Faculty



Wall of Fame Committee Chair, Doug Sheldon, Chuck D'Imperio who introduced Bill Davis and Scott Davis who accepted the award for his father.



Doug Sheldon, Inductee Mike DiPretoro and Gary Root who introduced Mike.



Committee member, Pat Greene and Inductee , Sheryl Smith Mott.



The Class of '57 gathered to celebrate 55 and couple of people made it to the March of the Classes.



Class of '65 turned 65 with their usual panache!



Class of '72 thought their 40th was very cool!



Class of '82 made 30 look great!

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1 Your First name: _____ Your Nickname: _____

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Significant Other's first name: _____

Your Significant Other's SCS Class Year, if applicable: _____

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Which years? _____

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Grandchildren's First Names:

Great grandchildren's First names:

Your personal statement:



Peg Patrick Landers, Class of 1946

Class of '68—Save The Date

The Class of '68 will celebrate its 45th reunion during alumni weekend. The planning stage is happening now but keep July 19-21, 2013 open to celebrate with your high school classmates. Any questions contact Deb Woytek Puffer, 607-967-8480, dwpufer@frontiernet.net

We are searching for someone to produce and edit the newsletter Reflections. Please let us know if you are interested at dwpuffer@frontiernet.net

**For latest updates check
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In order to keep this list current—we urge you to contact us with any changes.
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The Class Roster and Class Rep list are essential for ensuring that communications about the Alumni Association reach you.

The SCSAA has a class roster that contains the names of all Sidney alumni. Your contact information is only as current as your membership. When you join or renew and send your contact information, it is entered in the roster and on the website unless, in the case of the latter, you indicate you do not want it posted. The future of *Reflections* depends on alumni maintaining their official membership

The list of Class Representatives has been updated and revised. Please check the list. Are you listed as the “Class Rep”? If so, is your contact information, i.e., name, address, phone number and email address, correct?

Is there no Class Rep for your class? Would you like to volunteer?

The membership form is in *Reflections*, and an abbreviated form is on the website. Membership is cheap – and it’s about the only thing that is these days!



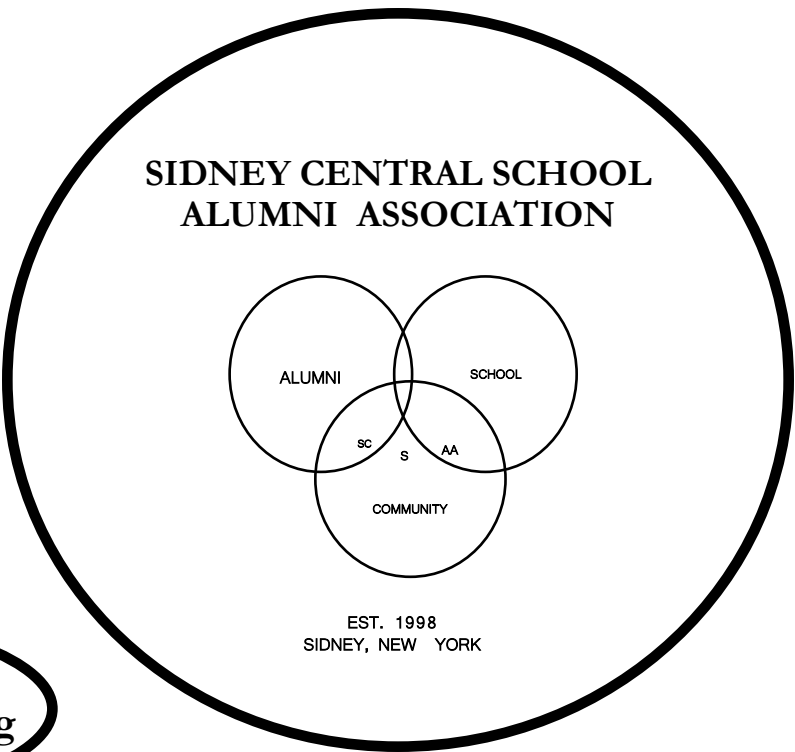
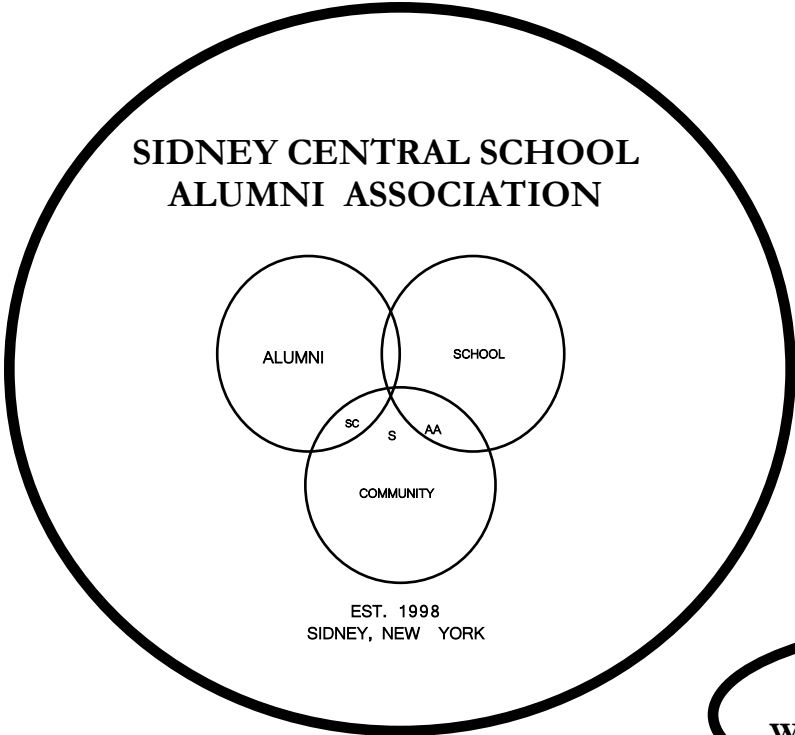
It’s a Family Affair

*The Dickson Drummers providing cadence for the Sidney American Legion & VFW Color Guard & the Sidney Fire Dept. in the recent Memorial Day Parade in Sidney. Periodically they bring their horns. This year the ensemble played 3 part harmony of “Grand Old Flag” & “Yankee Doodle Dandy”. Rich Dickson ('78) and three more of Dick Dickson’s grandsons, from out of the area, fill in when available. They have been performing in this holiday parade for over 25 years.
Front Row: Rob Dickson ('79), Dick Dickson('48), Bill Dickson ('73) Back Row: Vince Dickson (Rob's son).*

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