



**Scotland School
for Veterans' Children
Alumni Association**

*"Dedicated to Preserving
Our Family Forever"*

SSVC Alumni News - Issue No. 132— Fall 2020

From the Desk of the President



Dear Alumni and Friends,

I hope this letter finds everyone doing well. These are trying times, but the Scotland family is strong and we will get through it. "Stay Positive!!"

One of the hardest things I had to do as President was to cancel our 2020 Reunion. I didn't have much of a choice, but hated doing it. With that said, we are still planning to have our Open House and Homecoming dinner/dance on September 26. However, given the current situation they could be canceled. We will let everyone know early September. If we have them, we will do everything possible to keep everyone safe. I know the subject of masks will come up so I will give you my opinion—it is your choice to wear one or not to wear one. I will wear one at times, but not all the time. I am really hoping we can have these events, and that many of you will be able to attend. LETS MAKE THIS A GREAT TIME.

We haven't had much of a chance to work on the museum this summer since the campus was closed until recently. As stated above we do plan to have an Open House on 9/26.

The Board was finally able to resume meetings on July 8. We were not able to meet since March. It is nice getting back to work for our Alumni.

I hope you saw the email from our secretary Vickie Cook '73 about our Golf Tournament on August 29. We need help with Sponsors. If you can help or know a business that may be able to help please let us know.

Please "STAY POSITIVE" and "STAY SAFE" we will get through this. I hope to see everyone soon.

Sincerely,

Ken Beck '74

President

SSVC Alumni Association

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2020 Events!

Museum Work-dates: Your alumni secretary will provide the dates. Your help is always welcome!

August 29: 17th Annual SSVC Alumni/Friends Golf Tournament — Eagles Crossing Golf Course, 501 Conodoguinet Ave. Carlisle, PA.

September 26: Museum Open House (Scotland Campus—Old Laundry building) . **Homecoming Banquet**—Chambersburg American Legion, Post 46., 755 Philadelphia Ave. Chambersburg

October 17: Bingo—Chambersburg American Legion, Post 46, 755 Philadelphia Ave. Chambersburg

2021 Events

June 11-13: Reunion—American Legion Post 46, 755 Philadelphia Avenue, Chambersburg, PA

Taps / In Memory Of / In Honor Of *GONE, BUT NOT FORGOTTEN*

Names in **BOLD** text represent recipient, names under recipient represent person making donation

TAPS

The following alumni, friends, & supporters have been reported deceased since Newsletter 131. We carefully reviewed this list for accuracy, but if there are any omissions/corrections please contact Vickie Portner Cook '73.

Florence McDowell "Mickey" Davis '45

June 16, 2020

Marjorie Gettle Farnum '49

June 12, 1995

Horace R. Rooney '55

April 14, 2020

Nancy Brisbin Crouse '57

August 30, 2019

Donald Hughes '57

April 21, 2020

Bertha Fox Musgrave '60

Date: Unknown

Gary Baker '61

March 16, 2020

Judi Kelso Cushing '61

May 17, 2020

Dorothy Mills Adams '64

May 1, 2020

Richard Negley '66

November 26, 2019

David Carmelo '71

June 29, 2020

Paul Yeager '90

March 29, 2020

Erique Figueroa '95

July 12, 2020

TAPS

Carol Kauffman (72), Houseparent

March 7, 2020

Brian Wells (62), Houseparent

March 16, 2020

Dr. Robert Coy (91), Dentist

May 7, 2020

Rev. Faust Hissong (96), Chaplain

April 5, 2020

Mrs. Virginia James, SSVV Supporter

July 7, 2020

Romaine Hrivnak, Houseparent

August 12, 2014



IN MEMORY OF

Mary Kilpatrick Miller '38

Bobbie Hendrix, daughter

John William Petre '38

Karen Petre Gordon, Daughter

Granville Waldt '41

Mary Waldt, Wife

James Shaffer '47

Shelvie Shaffer, Wife

Rose Shrawder Hoke '54

Bob Shrawder '57

Virginia Shrawder Ferrizzi '57

Bob Shrawder '57

David Pinsky, Spouse

Susanne L. Beckner Pinsky '63

James Rhodes III '64

Nancy Rhodes, Wife

William Rhodes '67

Alana Rhodes, Wife

Harry Jenkins '70

Jim Bria '70

Mrs. Dorothy Miller, Teacher

Terry Poriotis '65

Ken Katusin "Coach K"

Jim Bria '70

Treasurer's Report, School Records, Reunion

Treasurer's Report (as of 07-08-2020)

General:	\$21,767.55
Museum:	<u>\$ 6,603.46</u>
Total:	\$28,371.01

School Records

Alumni and Students with graduating years of 1976-2009 need to contact the DMVA. The contact person at DMVA is Callie Miller. Her number is 717-861-8656. Ms. Miller has your records at Ft. Indiantown Gap in Annville, PA and is very helpful and quick to turn around requests. Alumni and Students with graduating years of 1895-1975 need to request records from the PA State Archives. You may ask the State Archives representative to copy everything in your record. To release copies of files to former students and alumni, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Archives will need a written request from the student/alumnus, signed by the student/alumnus. Send the student/alumnus's full name, date of birth and Social Security number. Research and copy fees will apply to mail requests. The Research fee is \$15.00 for requests from Pennsylvania residents; \$25.00 for requests from out of state. The Copy fee for the first 10 pages is free; thereafter it is \$0.50 per page plus shipping and handling for additional pages. Mail your request to State Archives, PA Historical & Museum Commission, 350 North St., Harrisburg. If the student/alumnus visits in person, the State Archives representative will need to see current identification such as a driver's license or passport. Copying fees will apply: \$0.50 per page. For inquiries, the State Archives number is: (717) 783-3281.

Picnic

July 2020

We had a beautiful day for our picnic. Fifty six alumni/friends attended. John Klenzing did an excellent job cooking— THANK YOU! The oldest class in attendance was 1956 (Dorothy Singer Kelly & Jere Gossert). Along with Dorothy was her sister Ruth Singer Myers '58 and Betty Hicks Swope '57. The youngest were the Eckenrod siblings (Susan '84, Laverne '86 & Gerald '88) along with Jesse Wright '85. We were glad to have Mrs. Nancy Wright (houseparent) & Miss Kay Shearer (gym/health teacher/coach) stop by to say hello. I hope I didn't miss anyone.



Many Alumni :-)



Bob Kreiger '75 & family
Betty Hicks Swope '57 & friend



Jesse Wright '85, Gerald Eckenrod '88, Susan Eckenrod Bollman '84, & Laverne Eckenrod Smith '86
John Klenzing, girls volley ball coach (cooking). Sitting is Deb Shaffer (Chet Shaffer's '72 wife)



Ken Beck '74 (alumni president),
Vickie Cook '73 (alumni Secretary)
Ruby Lowe (Jim Lowe's '70 wife)
Andy Crane (with Vickie)
Lynn McJunkin (with Sally Sheaffer '65)

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Alumni Dues— \$25 (covers two years). Please send to Vickie Cook, 80 Red Rock Avenue, Dover, PA 17315

Make checks payable to: SSVCA Alumni Association, mark memo section: Alumni dues

Chambersburg Area Lodging (off Route 81)

EXIT 14

Holiday Inn Express & Suites (2.7 miles, 7 minutes)

1097 Wayne Avenue

Chambersburg, PA 17201

717-709-9009

Red Roof Inn (2.7 miles, 9 minutes)

1110 Sheller Avenue

Chambersburg, PA 17201

717-264-8382

Motel 6 (2.9, 9 minutes)

1095 Wayne Avenue

Chambersburg, PA 17201

717-263-3400

Hampton Inn (3.1 miles, 9 minutes)

955 Leshner Road

Chambersburg, PA 17202

717-261-9185

Fairfield Inn (3.2 miles, 10 minutes)

1122 Wayne Avenue

Chambersburg, PA 17201

717-264-1200

EXIT 16

Travel Lodge (1.2 miles, 3 minutes)

565 Lincoln Way East

Chambersburg, PA 17201

717-264-4187

Red Lion Inn & Suites

(2 miles, 5 minutes)

Note: Formally Clarion Inn

1123 Lincoln Way East

Chambersburg, PA 17201

717-263-9191

Days Inn by Wyndam (2.3 miles, 8 minutes)

30 Falling Springs Rd.

Chambersburg, PA 17201

717-263-1288

EXIT 17

Best Western (2.3, 7 minutes)

211 Walker Road

Chambersburg, PA 17201

717-262-4994

Candlewood Suites (2.4 miles, 7 minutes)

231 Walker Road

Chambersburg, PA 17201

717-263-2800

Country Inn & Suites (2.3 miles, 8 minutes)

399 Beddington Blvd.

Chambersburg, PA 17201

717-261-0900

LaQuinta Inn & Suites (2.2 miles, 6 minutes)

199 Walker Road

Chambersburg, PA 17201

717-446-0770

EXIT 20

Comfort Inn (7.3 miles, 14 minutes)

3301 Black Gap Road

Chambersburg, PA 17201

717-263-6655

Comfort Inn (5.4 miles, 12 minutes)

3648 Olde Scotland Road

Chambersburg, PA 17201

717-706-6142

Sleep Inn & Suites (5.2 miles, 11 minutes)

1435 Doron Drive

Chambersburg, PA 17202

717-263-0596



The officers of the
**Scotland School for
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Association**

cordially invite you to attend our

MUSEUM OPEN HOUSE

Please join us on

Saturday, September 29, 2020

Scotland Campus

10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Plan to stop by to visit our museum
which embraces 116 years of rich
history and artifacts.

Alumni available to answer questions.

SSVC Scotland Museum

3585 Scotland Road

Scotland, PA 17254

WWW.ssvcalumni.org

"Dedicated to Preserving our Family Forever"

THANK YOU

**to the community, members,
and donors!**

Light Refreshments

Free Admission and Parking

"2020 SSVc HOMECOMING DINNER / DANCE"

September 26, 2020

Name: _____ Maiden Name (Alumni) _____

Address: _____

Home Phone #: _____ Cell Phone #: _____ Class of (Alumni): _____

Email: _____

Position & years employed at SSVc/Retired (year): _____

Veteran: Yes ___ No ___ Branch of Service: _____ Retired military: Yes ___ No ___

What's Happening? (Please add extra paper if needed.) _____

RESERVATIONS / DONATIONS

American Legion Post 46
755 Philadelphia Avenue, Chambersburg, PA

Dinner/Dance Reservation — (\$30 / person) No. of Meals _____ x \$30 = \$ _____

Membership Dues\$25.00 per person (covers 2 years) \$ _____

Museum/Alumni ParkDonation \$ _____

PostageDonation \$ _____

General FundDonation \$ _____

In Honor of: _____ Amount of Gift \$ _____

In Memory of: _____ Amount of Gift \$ _____

GRAND TOTAL..... \$ _____

Please RSVP/send payment by: September 14, 2020

*Please make checks payable to: SSVc Alumni Association
Send to Vickie Cook, 80 Red Rock Avenue, Dover, PA 17315*



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