

# COURIER II

## SACRED HEART HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI

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### HONOREES FOR THE CLASS OF 1963

Starting at bottom, left to right:

**Row 1:** Cheryl Ciolino, Barbara Davis Grant, Cheryl Amato Cuccia, Barbara Giroir Botsay, Sharon Grosch Donato, Linda Bernard Sanchez, Gail Cucurullo Ducote, Catherine Musmeci Esser, Patsy Breaux Swanson

**Row 2 (far left):** Carolyn Ovella, Louise Pipitone Brunet; **(middle to right):** Elaine Keller Gussoni, Carroll Capezza LaGrange, Melanie Mascaro Boudreaux, Julie Randon Ricord, Sherron Pelitere Leggio

**Row 3:** Sherron Wimprine Atzenhoffer, Jean Ann Smith Neumann, Cathie Ranlett Weinstein, Karen Froeba, Sue Meyer Rodriguez, Bonnie Doherty Dekemel, Barbara Doherty Daul, Juliette Randon Schellhaas, Pat Tessitore Richard

**Row 4:** Sharon Villemarette Hulin, Janice Cyrus Kimball, Mary Ellen Moll Suter

**Row 5:** Jane Meyn Margavio, Sylvia Beshel Comeaux, Marie St. Romain Larriviere, Barbara Balser, Cecilia Sclafani Abney, Pam Steele Shinetsky, Sharon Richard Heintz

**DATE FOR HOMECOMING  
IS SUNDAY, MARCH 23, 2014**

**Mark your calendars!**

St. Anthony of Padua Church  
4640 Canal Street New Orleans, Louisiana



## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Dear Alumni,

Where has this year gone? Hope everyone had an enjoyable summer. I'm looking forward to the cooler weather.

Our Annual Homecoming held in March was a huge success! Thanks to all who participated. A special thanks to my fellow Board Members for their hard work and continued dedication and support in keeping the memories of Sacred Heart High School alive. Next year's Homecoming will be held on Sunday, March 23, 2014. We will be honoring the class of 1964. Mark your calendars now to attend this special day.

Have a Happy and Healthy Holiday Season! See ya'll in 2014!

Sincerely,

*Audrey Garin Kennedy '68*, President

## CLASS OF 1969 44<sup>TH</sup> REUNION

APRIL 13, 2013 AT HUCKLEBERRY'S RESTAURANT

**Back Row – Left to Right:** Charlene Jouandot, Karen Brechtel, Peggy Lytell, Eileen Burke, Gerry Wadge, Janet Cook, Kay Schnexnayder, Karen Schwebel, Karen Mau, Beryl Mau, Connie Sackman, Alice Conde, Jennifer Schwaibold, Claudia Blanchard, Barbara Petit, Jill Jung, Karen Conzelmann, Margie Frisard

**Middle Row – Left to Right:** Jackie Bodenheimer, Carolyn Meyer, Barbara Tourard, Rhonda Boubede, Karen Knox, Rose Reis, Jolene Urbeso, Fran Comiskey, Debbie Giardina

**Lower Row – Left to Right:** Terry Geier, Eileen Leonard, Sheila Gilibert, Kathy Woessner, Charlene Breaux, Doris Horton, Karen Moreau, Ana Maria Maramoros





# SACRED HEART REUNION INFO

Send Reunion News to Mary Joe Decareaux '71 at 827-1600 or [saintsangelnola@outlook.com](mailto:saintsangelnola@outlook.com);  
or send info to Gaynelle Hand '52 at 831-2920 or [gand1@cox.net](mailto:gand1@cox.net)

**'47** – We were all saddened by the loss of our beloved classmate, Frances Heath Arceneaux, on July 15, 2013. Frances served on the Alumni Board for many years and was President of our Alumni Association from 2003-2006. She was truly dedicated to Sacred Heart and will be deeply missed by all. If any member of the Class of 1947 would like to serve as the contact person for the class, please contact any Board member.

**'48** – Mary Jane Woolledge Creel (504) 833-0060

Members of our class who celebrated our 65<sup>th</sup> reunion at Homecoming on March 10th were Velma Landry Elmer from Lacombe, La., Adele Maestri Dominguez from Bellaire, Texas, Rosalie Young Quigley from Covington, La., Muriel Droulihet Soileau from Conyers, Ga., and myself, Mary Jane (Janie) Woolledge Creel, from Metairie, La. We enjoyed sharing our past memories and catching up with recent events in our lives. At the Alumni Board meeting on April 29, 2013, I was given a letter from class member Laurence Neeb dated March 6, 2013. She is doing well and sent regards to her classmates. Her last travel adventure was to Turkey. Keep in touch. Call or write and let me know how you are doing.

**'54** – Ronalee Sunseri Pusateri (504) 835-5785

Gayle Nunez Viles '54 writes that the Class of 1954 meets the last Friday of each month at Landry's Restaurant, 800 Lakeshore Drive in New Orleans at 11:30 a.m. If you can join us, please call Ronalee Sunseri Pusateri '54 at 504-835-5785 a few days in advance so they will know how many are coming. Try to join us if you can.

**'57** – Ken Killian (504) 456-7851

Our class meets monthly on the first Wednesday of each month at New Orleans Hamburger and Seafood Company, 817 Veterans Blvd. in Metairie for 1:00 p.m. No reservations required. For more information call or e-mail Dottie Bishop Cadella (504) 458-0870, [dottiecadella@yahoo.com](mailto:dottiecadella@yahoo.com) or Ken Killian at 456-7851, [KILLIK@juno.com](mailto:KILLIK@juno.com).

**'58** – Loretta Thomas Keane (504)733-7436

Call Loretta with any news about our class.

**'59** – Linda Marchand Prattini (504) 488-5151  
(504) 858-0822

March 23, 2014 has been selected by St. Anthony Church for the annual SHHS Alumni Homecoming. It will be held on Sunday afternoon at a mass held at 2:00 pm with a reception immediately following in the auditorium. Our class will be celebrating our 55<sup>th</sup> reunion and we will be recognized along with the class of 1964 who will celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup>. This is a free reception and you, your family and friends and all graduating classes of Sacred Heart High School are invited to attend. There is food, wine and soft drinks served for your pleasure. We, as the graduating class of 1959, might want to get together that same weekend, possibly the night before the SHHS Alumni's Annual Homecoming which will be on Sunday. It might be nice to celebrate on Saturday night, March 22, 2014 our own special 55<sup>th</sup> REUNION! This would make it a very special SHHS weekend for us. Please e-mail me at [lindap504@aol.com](mailto:lindap504@aol.com) and let me know how you feel about this. I would be pleased to set up this special gathering, If you have any other ideas for our 55<sup>th</sup> reunion, please submit them to me.

**'60** – Bobbie Tonglet Zeringue (504) 887-1409

Our classmate Frank Davis has been recently diagnosed with a rare neurological disorder. He is now living in Houston, Texas. Please pray for him as he is undergoing therapy for this condition. Also Sister Juliette, SSND is still serving in Rome, Italy but will return to the states in late summer of 2014, when her eight year assignment in Rome will be completed.

**'69** – Sheila Gilibert Painter (985) 652-2201

We had our 44<sup>th</sup> year high school reunion on April 13, 2013, at Huckleberry's Restaurant at 1821 Hickory Ave., Harahan, Louisiana. It was a nice sit down dinner with a cash bar. Everybody went home with a gift and a copy of our senior newspaper donated by Karen Schwebel. A slideshow from our four years of high school memories were played while we ate. Beryl Mau came from California. She traveled the longest distance for the reunion.

**'75** – The Class of 1975 celebrated their 37<sup>th</sup> reunion in New Orleans at Julie Burnett's home in September of 2012.

## MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 1957 GET-TOGETHER ON AUGUST 7, 2013

AT NEW ORLEANS HAMBURGER AND SEAFOOD CO.

THE CLASS MEETS ON THE FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH

**1st row:** Louise Ricks Paternostro, Joan Guerin Reilly, Carol Bosworth Galendez, Sandra Landry, Jane Wright Tarleton

**2nd row:** Sandra Pagnac Pecoraro, Jill Fisk Peyton, Dottie Bishop Cadella, Glenda Theroit Faila

**3rd row:** Emile Latour, Anthony "Tony" Atzenhoffer, John Ciravolo, Henry Amato, Ken Killian



## SACRED HEART CLASS OF 1975 CELEBRATED THEIR 37TH REUNION

IN NEW ORLEANS AT THE HOME OF JULIE BURNETT IN SEPTEMBER, 2012

**Front row - left to right:** Darla Radecker Lennox, Ann Zuppardo Selph, Judy Baudot Habeny, Karol Barkemeyer Posner, Debbie Preskitt Amato, Leslie Brennan, Cissy Majeste Yakelis, Inez Durham Johnston

**Back row - left to right:** Laurie Henderson Wehlen, Dottie Hebert Grooms, Linda Bernard Bauer, Darlene Tullier Chanove, Pam Hautau Vaughn, Deborah Ducote Keller, Nancy Wiltz Guilbeau, Sally Scanlan Wiltz, Madeline Simoneaux Bell, Karen Galiano Macaluso, Hazel Hebert Zanca, Charlene Hymel Lavender, Julie Burnett Ayers





**Frances Heath  
Arceneaux**

On July 15, 2013, the Sacred Heart Alumni Association lost one of its most devoted board members. Frances was on our board for many years, serving as president from 2003 until 2006. She was always willing to volunteer her time to us. Whenever we needed a place to hold a meeting or Christmas party, Frances always let us come to her home. She treated us like family. One time she convinced the pastor of St. Rita Church in Harahan to let us have our Christmas party in the parish center. When we needed a place to meet to mail out our newsletter Courier II, she asked the Fire Department in Harahan if we could use the meeting room of the fire house. She always found a way for her Sacred Heart activities to continue. Frances volunteered at the gift shop in Children's Hospital on Thursday and also volunteered her time at the National World War II Museum in New Orleans. She was a champion for all causes. Many board members and classmates from her class of 1947 attended her funeral services at St. Rita Church in Harahan. A saying from Ralph Waldo Emerson was included in her memorial pamphlet. It read: "It is not the length of life, but the depth of life." This truly applied to Frances. We all will miss her. God bless.

*Helen Mayfield, '60 Editor*



The winner of the two framed oil paintings of French Quarter scenes, raffled by our Sacred Heart Alumni Association, was Katherine Eskridge Crawford of the Class of 1973. Katherine now lives in Shreveport, Louisiana. Congratulations!

Our Alumni Association has made a \$3,000 donation to the School Sisters of Notre Dame in Chatawa, Mississippi. A \$1,500 donation was also made to St. Anthony of Padua Church for allowing us to hold our annual homecoming in church and school auditorium.



Anyone wishing to sing with the choir at our Homecoming, please feel free to join in with us.

## OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS

Audrey Garin Kennedy '68 *President*  
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## IN MEMORIAM

Kathleen Hennessey Whitehurst '39  
Frances Heath Arceneaux '47  
Virginia Talbot DeBlanc '49  
Doris Emma DePaoli '54  
Marion McGoey Cox '55  
Juanita Barbay Campo '56  
Patricia Trombino Hadley '58

