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PARKING AVAILABLE IN SCHOOLYARD

HONOREES FOR THE CLASS OF 1964

Linda Abate Lussier (Deceased)
Mary June Adema McJunkin
Christine Allen Ewy
Bertha Argus Reno
Lynda Autin Prattini
Linda Balfour
Beryl Balot Berggren
Pat Bares Anderson
Mary Ann Barrouquere Linker
Karen Ann Becker Lambert
Karen Faye Becker Ballas
Mary Bernard Blanchard
Linda Bianchini Le Bon
Sandra Bloodworth Sanchez
Judith (Judy) Bogatz Brockmann
Eileen Bonette Gros
Beverly Bouchon Scala
Linda Bourg Marcade (Deceased)
Mary Anne Bradford Treuil
Phyllis Bruno Eumont
Angela Butera Moseby
Diane Byrd Conforto
Pat Cado Charlton
Terry Cavin Steilberg
Jeannette Cazale Vicknair
Carolyn Ann Centanni Stevens
Margaret (Maggie) Christensen Reeves
Vera Clay
Marilyn Clesi Tamberella
Sandra Cochran Brindell (Deceased)
Charlene Cocreham McCabe
Susan Connell Beatmann
Linda Conte Geyer
Rosemary Cuccherio Coleman
Mary Ann Danna O'Brien
Patsy Dantonio Christensen
Frances Debroy Exnicios (Deceased)
Lynn Dewhirst Blalock
Carol Diaz Caravella
Kathleen Donelon D'Laneuville
Dionysia Dye Pertuit
Louise Elfer Roser
Sharon Elliot Betpouey
Susan Entwistle Ourso
Barbara Faller Barinsfather
Mary Lynn Fenasci Mumphrey
Judy Fontenlle Himel
June Gandolfi

Mary Gandolfo Coronna
Marilyn Garcia Galle
Marilyn Garin Dembinski
Diane Green Englehardt
Sylvia Grote Weidert
Lois Guarisco Friloux
Gayle Guidry Horton
Cindy Guillot Bourgeois
Pat Hammill Lander
Linda Hertel Giardina
Diana Hartenstein Vignes
Fay Herzog
Diane Horton Hayes
Janis Hote Stutts
Kathleen Howland Owens
Terry Huth de Lanzac
Glenda Hymel Copeland
Norma Icard Bostic
Elveria Jackson Burch (Deceased)
Sharon Jones De Blanc
Susan Joseph Snook
Coralie Jouandot Caruso
Shirley Juneau Couret
Janet Kihnemann Diaz
Ann Marie Klein
Beverly Klein Rayburn (Deceased)
Cheryl Knatzer Herwig
Carole Kolb Danna
Suzette Kopp Doescher
Janet Krieger Pagart
Judy La Douceur Broussard
Bernell Lacour
Grace Landry Stolz
Shirley Leaumont Lauret
Mary Ledet Secketa
Rose Livaccari March
Judy Lopez Gros
Mary Elaine Lora
Maureen Lyeki Cicero
Melanie Marino (Deceased)
Cheryl Martens Betz
Ann Mayeaux Riles
Gail Mayes Moss
Donna Millis Weaver
Carolyn Modica Hannemann
Theresa Moll Gravois
Cynthia Moreau Farkas
Denise Montagnet Berthelot

Patricia Mullen Milner
Patricia Murphy Brown
Sharyn Murray Landeche
Susan Murtagh Hughes
Dianne Myers Raphael
Ellen Myers Giardina
Andree Navarre LeBlanc
Mary Ellen Negrotto Amato
Cheryl Newfield Lawton
Cheryl Nobles Sherman
Beverly Nuccio Galloway
Virginia Nuss Sink (Deceased)
Nancy Olivier Cassaro
Cindy Osborne Roux (Deceased)
Bonnie Ovella Boyer
Karen Plaisance Parker
Earline Pradat Couvillion
Toni Radosti Aspelund
Gothlyn Reck
Cheryl Reynard Tharp
Susuan Rickert Jones
Pat Ritter Junior
Julie Rose Azzaro
Denise Roux Moon
Judy Scheuermann LeCompte
Kathy Schiro Duvic
Linda Schuler Bourgeois
Vicki Segar (Deceased)
Gwen Shields Crimmins
Cheryl Sill Galla
Patricia Slemmer Huber
Suzanne Speed Heidel
Betty Steele Lundgren
Janice Strassel
Frances Sulfstede
Mary Tamporello Dunn
Kathleen Timothy Peneguy
Patsy Trahan Kent
Paula Trombatore Wilson
Anna Valentino Anthony (Deceased)
Kathy Vicari Kohl
Cynthia Vidrine Delatte
Elaine Wehrlin Chatelain
Sally Werner Edwards
Judy Wilson Wilson
Sharyn Wooten West



FIFTY YEARS AGO – 1964

On the political scene, Lyndon B. Johnson was President of the United States. Nelson Mandela was sentenced to life imprisonment in South Africa and in Russia, Khrushchev was deposed. In the entertainment field, Bob Dylan was becoming popular and bands such as the Grateful Dead and Jefferson Airplane were really successful. The Beatles appeared on the Ed Sullivan Show and took the country by storm. Movies such as My Fair Lady, Mary Poppins, Zorba the Greek and Dr. Strangelove were hits at the box office. The Academy Award for the best picture of the year went to “Tom Jones.” and “The Days of Wine and Roses” was the record of the year.



But back at 3222 Canal Street in New Orleans, Father Thomas Peyton, C.S.C. was pastor of Sacred Heart of Jesus Church. Sister Mary Naoma, S.S.N.D. was principal of Sacred Heart High School. Mrs. Stouder was school secretary and Miss Florence Kane was our physical education teacher and coach. Mr. Francois, our beloved janitor, kept the fire going and took care of whatever else needed to be done.

Education came first and we had many clubs to promote interest in various subjects. Devoted nuns such as Sister Mary Owen, Sister Mary Dorothy, Sister Thomas Aquinas, Sister Mary Patrice and many others helped teach us many subjects. In the business classes, Sister Marie Thomas and Miss Ruth Norton taught business subjects.

The Courier Staff kept everybody informed of happenings at school. Sister Madeleva and the Choral Club entertained students during the year but were especially busy during the Christmas season. They caroled at Hotel Dieu Hospital and had a Christmas concert in the gym. The Yearbook Staff met on Sunday afternoons to finish the 1964 HEART yearbook. Sister Mary Dorothy and the Dramarians put on plays and the talent show. The annual intramural tournament in the gym was always fun. The Senior Satans pep squad was a big hit. Some of us were bowlers at Mid City, O’Shaughnessy’s and O’Dwyer’s bowling lanes. The Senior Varsity volleyball and basketball teams always



placed near the top in league tournaments. The Sodality and CSMC helped keep us in focus with spiritual activities such the May Crowning and CSMC meetings and conventions. On December 12, 1963 we got our shiny blue stone rings. What a thrill! “Evergreen Enchantment” was the theme of the Christmas dance. The Contour band placed our favorite songs. We had a surprised snow fall in New Orleans around the New Year. All enjoyed the white flakes falling and making snow men. Who can forget Gym Night with the drill teams, flag twirling and hula hooping among the many different fun activities. We had our Junior-Senior Prom on May 3, 1964. The theme was “Rome Adventure”. We were a happy, close-knit class. Graduation was bittersweet but our years at Sacred Heart will always be treasured and remembered as some of the best days of our life. “Live on Sacred Heart.”



Helen Garin Mayfield '60

Courier II Editor

MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT AUDREY GARIN KENNEDY CLASS OF 1968



Dear Alumni,

Where did 2013 go? Hope this New Year finds everybody “Happy & Healthy.”

Our beloved Saints made the playoffs but things didn’t go well in Seattle. If you are like me, you can’t wait for next season. If you are looking for something to do on Sundays, plans are well under way for our annual Homecoming. Come join us on Sunday, March 23, 2014, at St. Anthony of Padua Church for a 2:00 p.m. Mass with a reception to follow in the auditorium. Help the class from 1964 celebrate the 50th anniversary of their graduation from Sacred Heart of Jesus High School. All alumni are welcome. Anyone wishing to help set-up or clean-up, please contact a Board Member. Hope to see y’all there!

SINCERELY,
AUDREY GARIN KENNEDY, ‘68
PRESIDENT



REUNION NEWS SPRING 2014

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

Helen Farrington Monteiro called and said her brother had recently passed away, She and her husband, Charles, have moved to Panama City, Florida to be near four of their seven children. As neither she nor Charles drive anymore and have health problems it was necessary to be near their family. Also spoke to Mary Norris Folmer. She is doing well. I look forward to hearing from all of you and hope to see you at Homecoming on March 23rd.

'52 – Marilyn Reynolds (504) 455-1627

The Class of '52 is planning a reunion in June, 2014. Anyone interested in attending and helping please call Marilyn Reynolds at 504-455-1627.

'56 – Genelle Gueno Armstrong (504) 837-4037

On May 13, 2014 our class will celebrate our 58th reunion at k Gee's Restaurant, 2534 Florida Street, Mandeville, LA. The turnout for our 57th was great! Call or e-mail Genelle at aalgen@bellsouth.net with news about our class and remember to pray for our ill and deceased schoolmates. Hope to see you at the Homecoming.

'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., Metairie, Louisiana for 1:00 p.m. (No reservations required.) For more information, call or e-mail Dottie Bishop Cadella (504) 458-0870, dottiecadeooa@yahoo.com or Ken Killian at 456-7851, KILLIK@juno.com.

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

Contact Loretta if you have any news from our class.

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

The Class of 1959 will have a 55th Reunion Dinner on Saturday, March 22nd at Vincent's Italian Cuisine Restaurant, 4411 Chastant Street, Metairie, Louisiana. Plans are to have a "Meet and Greet" Cocktail Party with a cash bar at 5:00 p.m. with a dinner following at 6:30 p.m. Please get in touch with Linda Marchand Prattini by email at lindap504@aol.com or phone (504) 488-5151 or (504) 858-0822 (cell) for more information.

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

Our classmate, Frank Davis, passed away in December, 2013. He was diagnosed with CIDP, chronic inflammatory demyelinating polyneuropathy, a rare autoimmune disease. Please remember Frank and his family in your prayers. Contact Bobbie if you have any news about our classmates.

'64 – Terry Huth deLanzac (504) 835-4483

The reunion committee has set the date of Saturday, March 22, 2014, for our 50th reunion. It will be held at Copeland's Restaurant, 701 Veterans Memorial Blvd. Metairie, Louisiana from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. A buffet style lunch will be served. The cost will be \$45 per person. In addition to the reunion, on Sunday, March 23rd, at 2 p.m., the Alumni Association will honor our class with a Mass at St. Anthony's Church with a reception to follow. You and your adult family members are invited to attend. Food and drinks will be served. There will be no charge for Sunday's reception. Attire is dressy casual...no jeans. Please mark your calendar for the above dates. We are also asking for your help in locating the following classmates. Please call Terry Huth deLanzac at (504) 835-4483 with any information which might assist us in making contact with these individuals: Dionysia Dye Pertuit, Louise Elfer Roawe, Diane Green Englehardt, Linda Hertel Giardina, Mary Beth Ledet Secketa, Gail Mayes Moss, Patricia Murphy Brown, Susan Murtagh Hughes and Susan Rickert Jones. On a sad note, Cindy Osborne Roux, our class President, passed away in December, 2013. Please keep Cindy and her family in your prayers.

'65 – Mary Ann Ruppert Ticker
(504) 296-9773 Cell (985) 871-8898 Home

The class of 1965 has begun working on our 50th year reunion. Sue Sisk Mackenroth and MaryAnn Ruppert Ticker and the committee will be happy to answer any questions concerning our reunion plans. Please update your information, ex: Name, address, e-mail and phone number to SHHSJet1965@yahoo.com.

Send Reunion News to Mary Joe Decareaux '71
at 827-1600 or saintsangelnola@outlook.com;
or send info to Gaynelle Hand '52 at 831-2920
or ghand1@cox.net



COOKBOOKS ARE STILL AVAILABLE

“Hearts in the Kitchen” cookbooks are available. They make nice gifts for friends and family. You can e-mail us at shhsneworleans@gmail.com or write to us at Sacred Heart Alumni Association, P. O. Box 7463, Metairie, LA, 70010-7463.

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



JUST A REMINDER:

Only those who pay dues for the current year will receive a copy of the Sacred Heart Courier II. A copy will be sent to you in the fall and in the spring. This change was necessary due to the rising cost of printing and mailing. If you feel you are unable to pay dues, please contact us and we will be glad to send you a copy.

Thank you.



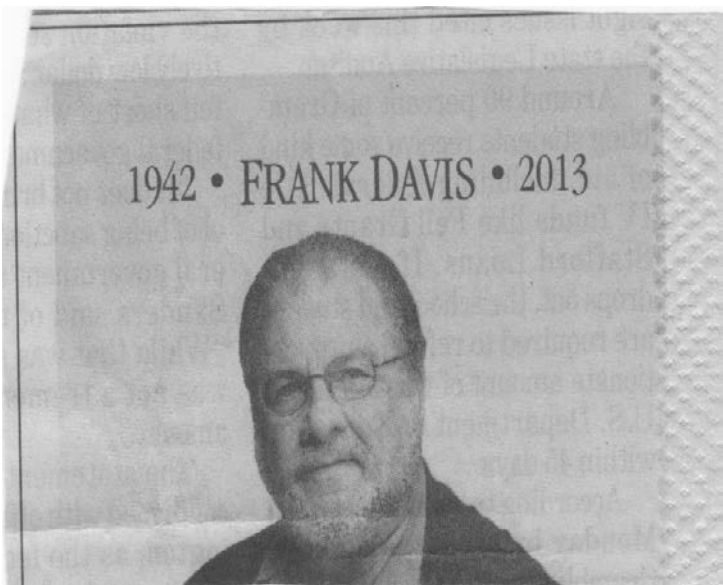
PHOTOGRAPHER

Our photographer, Pam Cresson of Jim Cresson Photography, will be taking class pictures again at the Homecoming. Pictures can be ordered and will cost \$14.00 each. Please pay by cash or check only. There will be no credit card billing available.

OIL PAINTING RAFFLE

Once again, a graduate of Sacred Heart has generously donated an oil painting of St. Louis Cathedral located in the heart of New Orleans famous French Quarter. The painting measures 37” long by 25” wide before framing. It will be framed when it is auctioned at our appreciation dinner in August of 2014. Chances are \$2.00 each or 3 chances for \$5.00. Just fill in the area on the bottom of the dues slip and let us know how many chances you would like. Monies raised will assist us in supporting our charities of the School Sisters of Notre Dame at Chatawa, Mississippi and St. Anthony of Padua Church in New Orleans. Your help is appreciated.





REMEMBERING FRANK DAVIS
OF THE CLASS OF 1960
'NATURALLY N'AWLINS'

To most New Orleanians, Frank Davis was a popular television and radio personality known for his love of the outdoors, culinary skills, Mardi Gras lover and whose New Orleans accent made him such a likable person.

Along with his devoted wife Mary Clare, Frank appeared on a kitchen program on Channel 4 for many years. He did the Fish and Game Show, usually on Thursday evenings and hosted a live Mardi Gras telecast with Sally Ann Roberts and Eric Paulsen from St. Charles Avenue, each year wearing a different costume. He hosted his "naturally N'Awlins" show interviewing people with interesting stories and hobbies. Frank's career began in 1974 when he hosted a outdoor radio talk show. His career lasted almost forty years but he retired in 2011 due to a rare autoimmune disease known as CIDP, chronic inflammatory demyelinating polyneuropathy. Frank died in December, 2013.

The members of the class of 1960 knew Frank as a jovial person, always trying to entertain. He was a member of the Courier staff and participated in the talent show with his Blue Suede shoes and guitar and acted in many school plays.

He attended many homecomings in the last several years. When the alumni association decided to publish a cookbook "Hearts in the Kitchen" he gave us permission to use several of his recipes in

our cookbook to help promote sales. He and his wife came to our homecoming in 2012 and he personally signed cookbooks for those who wanted a personally-signed copy. The alumni association is grateful for all he did for us. Hopefully, Frank is in heaven now making groceries and cooking gumbo. He was one of a kind!

Helen Garin Mayfield '60

Editor



At our recent board meeting, guess who got the "baby" in the King Cake?
Yes, no other than our beloved teacher and friend, Miss Flo Kane. She was quite surprised!

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