

New Life Members, 1995

Class of 1929
Edward H. Born Jr.
—*Gift by Eric Wischhusen '36*
Harry L. Gitlin
—*Gift by Class of '38*
Jean Scott Williams
Dickens
—*Gift by George Stoner '38*
John Steever
Thelma Strickland
—*Gifts by Norman Kelly '38*
Thomas H. Tomlinson
—*Gift by Class of '38*
Emil Ulrich
—*Memorial by Eric Wischhusen '36*

Class of 1930
Helen V. Bauder Adams
Harold W. Callow
Howard M. Clark Jr.
John B. Egner
Ralph P. Givins
Joseph D. Graham
Morris H. Hankin
John E.P. Longshore
Charles Marino
Mary J. McNeal Young
James M. Mudd
Edward H. Niehenke
Conrad S. Oswald
Emmy Lou Perpall Elsrroad
Robert W. Reeves
Edward F. Seaman
Charles A. Walter Jr.
Arthur L. Watmough
Maurice J.K. Yates
—*Memorials by Class of 1930*

J. Edgar Armstrong
Alma E. Cannoe Dees
Ruth M. Carpenter
Rev. Gordon S. Cook
Concetta J. Godorecci
Simone
William F. Crevello
Doris M. Enck Carver
Gertrude K. Firman Keown
Grace I. Garlinger Lewis
Helena M. Gassman
Koebberlin
Edith Goldsmith
Leon A. Gosson
Naomi E. Graham Kelso
Mary E. Hambach Dutton
Leora A. Hampp Hussey
Anna M. Hansen Heger
Richard C. Keyser
Winifred D. Mulley Yeatts
Aubrey B. Mulley
Ethel Nash
Mabel M. Oberholtzer
Peters
Blanche C. Powell Poole
Samuel G. Rainey
Charles R. Scott

William H. Short Jr.
Sommers N. Smith II
Martha Stover
Marion R. Taylor
Natalie R. Taylor
Sylvia L. Taylor
Florence E. Weakley
Simonson
—*Gifts by Class of 1930*
Class of 1931
Ruth M. Campbell

Class of 1933
Dorothy Clark Exley

Class of 1934
Mary Jane Armstrong
Connors
Ruth Boucher Roberts
Hazel F. Luby
Marjorie Chubb Carroll
William C. Cluck
William J. Davidson
Annette McCurrey Smith
John McDermott
E. Dorothy Scott
Gladys Smith Trendler
Genevieve Towill Popjoy
Harriet Watson Kaufmann
Eva Willett Gourley
Marjorie Williams Nelson
—*Memorials by Class of 1934*

Class of 1936
Rebecca Kulp Geissler
—*Memorial by Eric Wischhusen '36*

Class of 1940
Donald Dovey
Alida G. Neis
E. Burton Ramsey
Helen Sullinger Pitt
—*Memorials by Class of June 1940*
Howard L. Thoman
Sydney S. Walker
—*Memorial by sister, Barbara Walker Shive '53*

Class of 1942
Elizabeth Leonhard Miller
Class of 1944
Catherine M. McNeill
Mignogno

Lorraine B. Engle Hanlon
Robert L. Fickett
Stanley Janney
Warren L. Loudon
August Maier
Lucille A. Martin Clayton
—*Memorials by Class of 1944*

Class of 1945
Robert J. Edmonston
Helen Mauthe Devlin
C. Robert Morris
Ruth Newman Grosch
William Quay
Joan Robinson Miller
Doris Woerner Marleton

Roma Auch Martigan
William Blackburn
Louis Blilie
Doris Durn Gross
Wallace Haynes
Olive Henry Kenny
Janet Hesse Lauder
Beatrice Higgins Mercer
Joseph Janke
Floyd Justice
John Leidy
James McCullough
Werner Stark
—*Memorials by Class of June 1945*

Class of 1946
Dorothea Schuetter Progin
Phil Stuhltrager III
Edward E. Wassman

Class of 1947
David R. Cook
Estelle M. Sommers
Thomas
Inge Vogel Neuhauser
Ann Schuetter Yohe

Class of 1948
C. Michael Burton Jr.
Richard W. Painter
James D. Pratt

Class of 1949
Donna Cook Dreyer

Louis Cristaldi
Kenneth Glausman
—*Memorials by an anonymous classmate*

Class of 1950
Herman Benninghoff
Joan Bowers Benninghoff
E. Carrington Howes
John Ceneviva

Nancy Farra Dickson
Jean Mitchell Gillespie
Janet Virelson Daniels
—*Memorials by Class of 1950*

Dorene Singleton Sutphin
—*Gift by Woody Kiel '47*

Class of 1951
Jeanne Sargent Klippel

Class of 1952
Joanne K. Brosso Shipley

Nancy G. Sherer Drew
Jesse E. Tucker

Domenic Serratore
—*Gift by Norman Kelly '38*

Class of 1954
Elaine Iva Maurer Steinle
Howard B. Spofford Jr.
Richard Steinle
Jane Stuhltrager Clymer

Class of 1955
John Charles Ross
John Bardsley

Class of 1956
Joan Bauman Ross
Nancy Erk Rich
Dr. Harry Love

Class of 1958
William J. Cassidy Jr.
Barbara Givens Malamut
Carol Gross Daniels
Charles G. Norman
Dorothy Spence Schere

Class of 1959
Mark H. Wert III

Class of 1961
David Lufkin
Dale Rosenthal Berkowitz
William F. Smith

Class of 1962
David Newcomb
Linda Wolff McKee

Class of 1963
Carol L. Balin Zagnit
Wayne Saurman

Class of 1964
Nancy Norman Ripley

Class of 1965
Sue Balin Shotel
Richard A. Beaumont
Susan R. Ketterlinus Clark
Timothy Roesing
Floyd L. Shaw
Leggie M. Willis

Class of 1966
Keith Dodge

Class of 1967
Pennie Korn Roesing

Class of 1968
William L. Kranzer
Sandra M. Serago Mann

Class of 1969
Stephan R. Bieber
Joseph K. Costello III
Carol A. Deputy Bankes

Gary S. Silow

Class of 1970
Sandra Citron Humphrey
Eloise Kinstler Hallman
John Partridge
Roy Scott

Richard Erk
—*Memorial by sister, Nancy Erk Rich '56*

Class of 1971
Deborah Gannon Schenck
Deborah Houseal Depue
Deborah M. Williams Lynd

Class of 1972
Bret Lashner
John G. Mathe
Theresa Quinlan Clampffer
Bart Schenkel
Jose Stevenson

Class of 1973
Peter D. Corrigan
Jean E. Fanelli
Karen A. Pieretti
Lindsay A. Rosenwald
Karen J. Strein Waynick
Larry M. Mathe

Class of 1974
Linda Frank Kania
Craig Selner

Class of 1975
Lawrence Dash
Elliot Grossman
Kathleen Higgins Whaley
Lisa Solometo Toombs
David Sternberg
Susan Wallace Montgomery

Class of 1976
Karen Campbell Severin
Karen J. Lingo Marple

Class of 1977
Phillip C. Brainerd
Gail Ann Yeager Greene

Class of 1979
Scott A. Overbey
Vincent J. Daniels

Class of 1980
Jenny Ketz Philippen
Marcy Maimon Monheit
Cynthia Moore Geller
Patricia Murtha

Class of 1982
Ellen Nofer Sinclair
Donald S. Pringle

Class of 1984
Elizabeth Sitasz
Andrew Slifkin

Boosters

B-1	Woody Kiel	'47
B-2	Jane Maurer Lamont	'37
B-3	Marion Doty Bickford	'43
B-4	Anonymous	
B-5	Karen Strein Waynick	'73
B-6	David Fleekop	'61
B-7	Amy Biagi Rozelle	'42
B-8	Harry Love	'56
B-9	William G. Cline	'46

Cornerstone

No.	Class
259	Cynthia Howes Wright '53
260	Carole Easton Eitelgeorge '56
261	Joanne Brosso Shipley '52
262	Karen Campbell Severin '76
263	Donald S. Pringle '82
264	Arthur R. McConnell '43
265	Elizabeth Sitasz Cataldi '84
266	Leggie M. Willis '65
267	Patricia A. Murtha '80
268	Dorothy Spence Schere '58
269	Lois Taylor Johnson '40
270	Dorothy Clark Exley '33
271	Roy R. Scott '70
272	Claire Williams Hare '39
273	Lindsey Rosenwald '73
274	Bret Lashner '72
275	Edward E. Wassman '46
276	Doris Woerner Marleton '45
277	Dale Rosenthal Berkowitz '61
278	Herman O. Benninghoff '50
279	Joan Bowers Benninghoff '50

Class of 1986
Lori Ann Blum
Tracy Renee Ridgeway Meyer
Raymond S. Wysocki

Class of 1987
Sean I. Birch
Courtney W. Love Kanner

Class of 1991
Jennifer L. Dougherty
Christopher Mulkeywycz

Class of 1992
Richard R. Wysocki

Class of 1993
Denielle Burke

Class of 1994
William Blessing
Stephanie Newman

Memberships and Donations, 1995

Maroon and White

No.	Class
86	Jo Hennessey Kiel '53
87	James "Woody" Kiel '47
88	Barbara Bitman Hochman '70
89	Sandra Serago Mann '68
90	Larry Cadwell '62
91	Richard Hogg '58
92	Craig D. Selner '74
93	Walter D. Cameron '44

Century Club

No.	Class
325	Maxine Schaffer Coleman '61
326	Dorothy Cathell teacher — <i>Gift by Jerome Eichert '47 and Jean Kay Eichert '47 in honor of Miss Cathell's 100th birthday, April 4, 1995.</i>

327	George J. Mills '42
328	Bart Schenkel '72
329	Ruth M. Campbell '31
330	Walter Mast '38
331	John Copeland '33
332	Jesse E. Tucker '52
333	Gary Silow '69

500 Club

No.	Class
26	John E. Copeland '69 — <i>Gift by Maureen Svenningsen Copeland</i>

Specified memorial donations

\$150	For Isabella Wheller Mitchell '36, by her husband, Andrew Mitchell
\$100	For Charles Lang '39, by sisters, Alberta and Virginia '34
\$50	For Edward "Ted" Phillips '36, by John Wischhusen '36
\$50	For Arletta Hansford Gessner '30 by John Wischhusen '36
\$100	For Marjorie Stanert Thompson '51, by her husband, John '51, and sons, John III '74, Gregory '78, Glenn '80
\$50	For Raphael Luizzi '51, by his daughters, Teresina Phillips, Lisa Brady and Karen Jones
\$50	For Joel G. Clemmer '40, by his wife, Arlene Clemmer
\$100	For Sydney S. Walker Jr. '40, by his sister, Barbara Walker Shive '53

Specified donations

\$3,000	Linford L. Shaffer '32, bequest to the scholarship fund.
\$50	Overlook Hills Womens Club, to the scholarship fund.
\$100	David Fleekop '61, in gratitude for Robert Miller being faculty adviser to the Class of 1961.
\$150	Bruce Cunningham '73, to the scholarship fund.

New Life Members, continued

David Pope
Jessica Shaller
Sherry Stevens
Tracy Swan
Maureen Yodzio

Class of 1995
**Alumni Awards*

Touraj Abdollahi
Eun-Soo Ahn
Emily A. Alexander
Bettina Anello
Steve Bai

Sonya B. Balchadani
Cathy-Anne Barto
Eileen D. Bilger
Dawn D. Brotz
Michael Cantor
Stephen M. Day

Joseph L. Dillman
D. Magen Dillon
Jamie Mogell
Behrang Emami

Douglas N. Friedel
Jason J. Glemser
Robert C. Glemser
Daniel P. Huntzinger
Jennifer L. Isdamer
Robin C. Johnson
Jennifer Keithline
Heather R. Kulp
Nina A. Landsberg
Rainer Lange
Jennifer A. Lawless*
Joshua M. Levin
Dana A. Lips
Monica E. Madnick
Jessica S. Mailman
Donna M. Marcus
Stacie M. Martin
Brian W. Matula
Matthew L. McAlpin
Charles A. Mina
Bogdan G. Minda
Jamie Mogell
Jason Morris

Keith Necker
Stephanie L. Netter
MaryKate Nyman
James H. Oursler *
Jean H. Park
Matthew S. Rhoda
Ihsan Roberson
Lindsay M. Rossano
Jeremy S. Rothman
Eric Schmitt
Jonathan S. Schwartz
Jesse P. Sciscio
Leanne R. Scott
Jason Shim
Carly M. Silvestri*
Laura V. Sorrentino
Anthony L. Sozio
Kelley Stafford
Sean Staskin
Jason Szczurowski
Darrian Theisen
Spencer Tucker
Lizabeth J. Wolf

Douglas E. Wysocki
Jeffrey T. Zucker

Class of 1996
Melissa N. Alexander
Cynthia L. Bartus
Rebecca L. Chick
Keith M. Eppert
Ginny G. Filer
Lindsay B. Goldsmith
Katherine S. Gourley
Christopher McGinness
Meera D. Namjoshi
Kyung Park
Christina J. Peters
Laura B. Polinsky
Bryan Rothfuss
Kristen Swan
Eric M. Winokur
Sara E. Withers

Save the Association hundreds of dollars

If you move, please send your new address, year graduated and name (maiden if applicable) to:
AHS Alumni Association, P.O. Box 55, Abington, Pa. 19001

Gone but not forgotten ... a trip down memory lane

What are your memories of Abington High and the Abington area? Going to the Hot Shoppe at Broad and Stenton after a prom or French Club dance? Narrowly escaping detention hall? The Elizabethan singers Christmas caroling at Strawbridge and Clothier's former Jenkintown store?

Ghost Stories is looking for your reminiscences about places that aren't there anymore. Remember Willow Grove Park (the amusement park, not the mall)? How about the Glenside Theater, where only a thin brick wall came between the moviegoers and the adjacent railroad tracks. Leonard Clark '40 recalls that he couldn't hear the movie while a freight train rolled by.

Maybe you remember the days when every homeroom had a chaplain and responsive Bible readings. Or the great milkshakes at Schuenemann's, and the sticky buns from Gunn's Bakery on Mount Carmel Avenue near the Glenside station. (If your mother sent you for a dozen, there were probably only 11 left by the time you got home!)

Who could forget Jim Nassau's record shop? He was "Uncle Jim" of WIBG radio fame when the station was on the second floor of the Keswick Building. In his shop,



This building on Mount Carmel Avenue once housed Schuenemann's Pharmacy.

a 78 rpm record of a Glenn Miller tune (on the Bluebird label) cost 35 cents, but for a Victor record of Benny Goodman you'd have to pay 50 cents.

Over the years, lots of places have come and gone in the Abington area: the Casa Conti, Ace Cut Rate, Turner's Hardware and the Wharton Shoppe. Florey's pond for swimming and ice skating, Prifold's Delicatessen in Willow Grove and Fleck's Hardware in Jenkintown.

Tell us what you remember—we'll publish it in next spring's *Ghost Stories*. Pick a favorite place and tell us what made it spe-

cial to you. Articles, which are subject to editing, should be typed, double-spaced, with your name, class year, address and phone number on the top of each page. Send your submissions to Memories, c/o Abington Alumni Association, P.O. Box 55, Abington, Pa. 19001.

Photo contest didn't develop

OK, so maybe it was a little tough, asking you to identify two of Abington's 30,000-plus grads. But classmates recognized the subjects in the photo contest we ran in last year's *Ghost Stories*.

Picture No. 1 was Helen Mauthe Devlin '45, whose photo appears on page 21 of the 1945 yearbook. "Reds" was a forward on the varsity basketball and wing on the varsity hockey teams. She was identified by her classmate, Joan Robinson Miller '45.

Picture No. 2 was David Sternberg '75 (see page 98 of the 1975 yearbook). David played intramural basketball, was active in Junior Achievement and tutored math. Larry Dash '75, recognized David. Helen, Joan, David and Larry received life membership in the Alumni Association for being part of the contest.

Class Reunions

Reunion information is available from the alumni office 24 hours—call our answering system at 215-572-8899.

All classes to and including 1946—The Fifties Plus Club luncheon, hosted by the Class of 1940, will be held at noon on Wednesday, Oct. 9, 1996, at the Williamson restaurant at Easton Road (Route 611) and Blair Mill Road in Horsham, Pa. Contact: Chuck Corwin, 215-343-3289, or Clark Cutting 215-657-0680. Reservation forms will be mailed in late July to all whose mailing label shows "50" following their alumni ID number. If your label omits this identity and you would like a reservation, send a post card to AHS Alumni Association, P.O. Box 55, Abington, Pa. 19001.

Class of 1936 (60th)—Saturday, May 4, 1996, at Old York Road Country Club, Spring House, Pa. Contact: Connie Brownell Flower, 215-884-7870, or Tom Cameron, 215-886-4834.

Class of 1941 (55th)—No reunion is planned, but class members are welcome to

attend the Fifties Plus luncheon (see above). Contact: (January class) Robert Marsh, 610-775-0157, or Marjorie Postle Miller, 215-646-4873; (June class) Samuel Neely, 215-393-8435, or Virginia Gardner Sonneborn 215-646-0322.

Class of 1946 (50th)—Saturday, June 15, 1996, at Twining Valley Golf Club, Dresher, Pa. Contact: Betty DiGregorio Butera, 610-828-4474, or Margaret O'Hara Gartling, 215-441-5048.

Class of 1951 (45th)—Saturday, Oct. 5, 1996, at Sandy Run Country Club in Orelan, Pa. Contact: Richard Weber, 215-659-1802.

Class of 1956 (40th)—Saturday, Nov. 30, 1996, at Warrington Lodge, Route 611, Warrington, Pa. To be followed by a brunch from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 1, at the lodge. Contact: Beth Robinson Cherry, 215-672-8661.

Class of 1961 (35th)—Contact: Robin Spence Costa, 215-887-1945, or Betsy Brandon Wilson, 215-659-1840.

Class of 1966 (30th)—Friday, Novem-

ber 29, 1996, at Cedarbrook Country Club, Blue Bell, Pa. Contact: Reunion Celebrations, 908-845-5200; Judy DePaul Coupe, 215-441-4039; or Glen Becker, 215-646-2605.

Class of 1971 (25th)—Saturday, April 13, 1996, at Sheraton Valley Forge, King of Prussia, Pa. Contact: Susan Hower Moritz, 215-657-5738 after 6 p.m.

Class of 1976 (20th)—Reunion plans in progress; a notice will be mailed in March. Contact: William Wustner Jr., 215-576-6246.

Class of 1981 (15th)—Saturday, Nov. 30, 1996, at the Williamson restaurant, Horsham, Pa. Contact: Marilyn Levit, 215-659-4123 (after 6 p.m.), or Lisa Yampolsky Provost, 215-659-9023.

Class of 1986 (10th)—Contact: Lisa Harris, 215-886-0290, or Dana Lee Sykes 215-947-9320.

Class of 1990 (Delayed 5th)—Contact: John Graves Jr., 215-659-1628, or Patti Metz, 215-887-7829.

Class of 1991 (5th)—No information at this time.

Where Are They Now?

Walter Mast '38 is a lay preacher in the United Church of Canada and has served in many churches in west-central Alberta. Some of the hymns he composed will be in the church's new hymnal, and the FM radio station in Alberta plays many of the waltzes he has composed.

James Brice Clark '42 of Woodland, Calif., retired in 1988 after 39 years as an Episcopal priest.

Joseph Butch '51, general manager of the Warminster (Pa.) Municipal Authority, was elected president of the Pennsylvania Municipal Authorities Association. He also serves on the Federal Lands Reuse Authority of Bucks County and has served on the Johnsville Naval Air Warfare Center Restoration Advisory Board.

George W. Gamedinger '61 recently moved from International Labour Organization in Nairobi, Kenya, to a new assignment with Habitat in New Delhi, India.

Larry Cadwell '62 has a computer-oriented employment service in Deerfield Beach, Fla. Before becoming a headhunter, he was a computer programmer at a Fortune 200 organization.

Cliff Hepler '63 is an engineer with the Quantum Corp., and lives in San Jose, Calif. He also served in the Navy.

Joan Lotz '65 and her husband, composer Morton Subotnick, are living in Sante

Fe, N.M. Since 1971, Joan has been working as a composer and singer in the field of contemporary classical music under the professional name Joan LaBarbara.

J. Martin Beiser '66 is managing editor of GQ magazine, based in New York City. He's a 1971 graduate of Northeastern University, where he earned a degree in journalism, and later studied at Columbia University.

James H. Lesko '69 was recently appointed group vice president in charge of desktop products for Xerox Corp. He is a 1991 Abington Hall of Fame honoree.

Senior Chief Petty Officer Ronald T. Millar '71 retired from the Navy in September 1994 after more than 22 years of service. He and his family live in Sadsburyville, Pa.

Susan McGettigan Malen '73, of Fairbanks, Ala., has served in just about every capacity at the Tanana Valley State Fair Association over the past 13 years. She recently received the association's Blue Ribbon Volunteer Service Award, and is the only person to win the award twice.

Karen Pieretti '73 is computer operations/travel administrator for the Atlanta Falcons Football Club in Suwanee, Ga. She's also a competitive body builder and open-level racquetball player, and is a former Ms. Atlanta and Ms. Georgia.

Richard W. Stevens Jr. '77 is manager of the control systems group at Advanced Automation Associates Inc., in Exton, Pa.

Mark Weaver '79 has moved from Washington, D.C., to Columbus, Ohio, where he's the state's Assistant Attorney General for Public Affairs. He and his wife, Linda, have a daughter, Jamieson.

1st Petty Officer Frank A. Karolczak '81 is aboard the Navy's destroyer USS Conolly, homeported in Norfolk, Va.

William C. Tompkins '81 is vice president of Status Label Corp. in Horsham, Pa. He is a graduate of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.

Scott Thompson '82 has completed his doctorate in computer science at the University of Maryland and is now a research scientist at a small company in metropolitan Washington, D.C.

Andrew B. Slifkin '84 received his doctorate in

biopsychology from the State University of New York last spring. He's now doing postdoctoral work for the National Institute of Health while at Penn State University.

Daniel Sean Kaye '85 is the creator of the cartoon strip, "Abyssburg," which was exhibited in "KomicArt" at Penn State's Ogontz campus last year. Daniel's work was also seen at 1994's Art in the Atrium show at Abington Memorial Hospital.

Peter J. Sheridan '85 earned his doctor of optometry degree from the New England College of Optometry in Boston, and is working in that city. He also received the F. Dow Smith Leadership Award at his graduation.

Lauren Chalmers '86 and Louis Marion '86 were married last June and are living Chapel Hill, N.C. Lauren is an editor and writer for the North Carolina Beacon and Louis is a prosthodontics resident at the University of North Carolina School of Dentistry.

Tami Trost '86 is a lawyer and civil rights analyst with the federal Commission on Civil Rights in Washington, D.C.

Air Force 2nd Lt. Charles M. Creely '87 attended pilot training this spring. He will serve as a KC-135 pilot with the Pennsylvania National Guard in Pittsburgh.

Bartricia Williams '88 recently graduated from the University of Central Florida and is now doing research in quality and productivity improvement in orbiter and space shuttle processing at NASA's Kennedy Space Center in Florida.

Shannon D. Hayes '89, a chemistry graduate of Carnegie-Mellon University, is working for Eagle Environmental Health Inc. in Houston.

Gwendolyn Tucker Heathcock '91 is working as a marketing and referral assistant for Youth Villages in Memphis, Tenn. The agency specializes in placing troubled adolescents in residential psychiatric treatment.

Association meeting set May 9

The Alumni Association's annual business meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 9, in the main board room of the Administration Building on Highland Avenue. This general membership meeting replaces the combined meeting and dinner dance held previous springs.

If you plan to attend the meeting, please leave your name and phone number on the association's answering machine: 215-572-8899.



Scholarships awarded to Class of 1995

Four seniors from the Class of 1995 received scholarships from the Alumni Association to help further their education. The \$1,000 awards were presented at graduation to Danielle Henry, who will attend the University of Delaware; Dana Lips, who will attend Cabrini College; Andrew Peoples (above, left), who will attend Villanova University; and Leanne Scott (above, right), who will attend American University.

Hall of Fame 1995

Eight distinguished alumni were inducted into Abington's Hall of Fame in 1995. The honorees attended an all-school assembly on Oct. 20, then visited with students and staff members during classes. A dinner at the William Penn Inn concluded the day's events.

Those honored were:

Gail Berman-Masters, Class of 1974 (Arts). A producer of Broadway shows and film and television programs, she has been nominated 12 times for the Tony award. Her productions include "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat," "Hurly Burly," "Blood Knot," and "Almost an Eagle."

Anne Rutledge Sage, Class of 1962 (Athletics). A former member of the U.S. lacrosse team, she is now women's hockey and lacrosse coach at the University of Pennsylvania.

Maxine Coleman, Class of 1961 (Business). Vice president of personnel and organization at Kal Kan Food Inc., and a former vice president of Mars Electronics in West Chester, Pa. She also lectures at the University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School of Business.

Edward E. Bondi, Class of 1966 (Edu-



Hall of Fame awardees (seated, from left) Maxine S. Coleman, Howard Yoder and C. Andre Washington; standing, from left, Edward E. Bondi, Michael C. Morris and Anne Rutledge Sage. Not pictured: Gail Berman.

Maxine Coleman, Class of 1961 (Business). Associate professor of dermatology at the University of Pennsylvania medical school, and a recipient of the Lindbach Award for Distinguished Teaching. He has a clinical practice at Penn's dermatology clinic.

C. Andre Washington, Class of 1970

(Government). A former assistant district attorney in Philadelphia and judge pro tem in the city's Court of Common Pleas, he is now president of the Big Brothers and Big Sisters Association of Philadelphia. He is also a partner in the Philadelphia law firm of Post and Schnell.

Harold J. "Penny" Pannepacker, Class of 1939, (Posthumous). He was one of the first employees at KYW-TV in 1946, and for 40 years, until his retirement in 1990, sold advertising for the station. In the early years, his job was communicating with the station's 500 viewers to let them know the schedule for the 2 hours of broadcasting each

day. In 1948, he was behind the camera for the first televised Mummies Parade. He was named person of the year in 1992 by the Broadcast Pioneers.

Michael C. Morris, Class of 1972 (Science). A transplant surgeon specializing in pancreatic and renal transplantation, he is co-director of solid organ transplantation at the University of Rochester Medical Center in Rochester, N.Y. He is a former clinical instructor at Temple University School of Medicine.

Howard Yoder, Class of 1930 (Service). Vice president of Montgomery Publishing of Fort Washington, Pa., he spent 60 years in the newspaper business with the Times Chronicle. He is also a past president of the Glenside Kiwanis.

Who from your class should receive the Hall of Fame Award?

Nominations to the Hall of Fame can be made by writing to:

Charles S. Baker
Chairman, Hall of Fame Committee
Abington Senior High School
900 Highland Ave.
Abington, Pa. 19001

Please include information about each nominee's accomplishments. Only graduates of Abington High School should be nominated. Please consider any graduate who has not been distinguished from others in a field but who shows great potential.

Nominations are automatically renewed each year, but updated credentials, addresses, etc., are appreciated.

Sr. high Principal Norman Schmid retires after 40 years with district

After 40 years, Norman W. Schmid's school days will officially end on April 22.

Mr. Schmid served as principal of Abington High School from 1968 until 1995. His final year at Abington is being taken as a sabbatical, and an interim principal was appointed for the 1995-96 school year.

A graduate of Germantown High School in Philadelphia, he attended East Stroudsburg State College. He earned a master's degree and did additional graduate work at Temple University and the University of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Schmid joined the Abington School District in January 1956 as a social studies teacher in the junior high school. He later taught social studies in the senior high school.

In 1967 he became assistant principal at the high school's South Campus. At the time, the South Campus housed 11th and 12th grades and the North Campus (the present junior high) housed ninth and 10th grades. In 1968, Mr. Schmid became associate principal of South Campus, and a few years later became



Norman Schmid

principal of the entire high school.

Many graduates may have parents who remember Mr. Schmid as their history teacher at Glenside-Weldon Junior High School.

In an article in the *Philadelphia Inquirer* last fall, Mr. Schmid said he's proud of the job he's done at Abington and hopes students have received educations that will "stand them in good stead for the future no matter what they do."

Mr. Schmid, who is 64, told the *Inquirer* that he'll miss the students most of all.

"I'm going to miss the kids," he said. "Many of them are a delight. I will even miss the ones that weren't a delight, because they were your challenge; those were the ones that you were trying to help set on the right path. They gave you a cause, and you have to have a cause to be."

Sports

By Ken Schaefer '36

Winter 1994-95 summary

Boys basketball: 11-4. Girls basketball: 6-17. Boys bowling: 1-39. Girls bowling: 32.5-7.5. Boys swimming: 2-15. Girls swimming: 5-10. Wrestling: 8-10, Craig Rollins and Sean Boyle, most valuable players.

Spring 1995

Baseball: 5-15, Jae Im, MVP.
Boys lacrosse: 12-7, Wes Furchner, MVP.
Girls lacrosse: 9-11; Amy Sullivan, MVP (68 goals); Amy Sullivan and Tina Anello named to All First Team.
Girls soccer: 6-12.
Girls softball: 1-19.
Boys tennis: 7-8, Jason Morris, MVP.
Boys volleyball: 6-10, Jim Hill, MVP.

Fall 1995

Boys cross country: 12-4. Chris

McGinness was named PIAA state champion, District One champion, Suburban One national conference champion, and was the winner of five invitational meets.

Girls cross country: 9-7, Lauren Dean, MVP.

Field hockey: 5-13-2. Stephanie Cornell and Rachel Razzi were named First Team All Stars.

Golf: 7-6-1, Eric Fonner, MVP.

Girls volleyball: 7-11, Leigh Anne Baltzer, MVP.

Football: 2-9. Wes Furchner and Marcus Hoover were named MVPs, and Marcus Hoover was named First Team All League.

Soccer: 17-5. The team was the Suburban One Colonial Division champion and advanced to the PIAA District final four. Gary Johnson was named All League First Team and All-State Team, with 25 goals. Matt Johnson was the first freshman in Abington history to make the varsity soccer team.

Girls tennis: 17-2, Brie Glover, MVP. The team was undefeated in the Colonial Division and second in the National Conference and in District One. Brie Glover had an undefeated season (11-0) in the conference and placed second in the Suburban League singles championship and District one singles championship. She was seeded fifth at States and was named to the All League Singles First Team. Kerry Lenehan was named to the All League Singles First Team and was second in Suburban One League doubles. She also won a championship with partner Shayna Marmar. Shayna Marmar and Kim Brooks were named to the All League Doubles First Team.

Coaches corner

Ray Buck resigned as baseball coach in November 1995.

Stacy Rhoades (Class of 1975) became girls basketball coach in November 1995.

Ghost Notes

Thanks for door prizes

We wish to acknowledge with sincere appreciation those who contributed door prizes to the 1995 alumni banquet:

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This year we received \$285, of which \$104 represented receipts from Susan McCaffrey Biddle '56.

Other contributing alumni are: Jane

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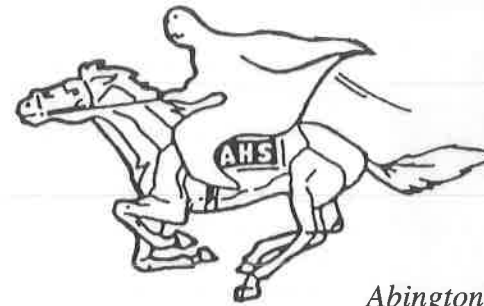
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Spring 1996

Remembering milestones, looking to the future

By Tim Simmons '65



As we start the downside of this decade that will lead us to a new millennium, I am reminded of our past at A.H.S. Some memories are good and some are not so good. Dances in the gym Friday night and a football game on Saturday afternoon, homework term papers, a favorite teacher, the latest dances, fads or loves are a part of our past. And time marches on: the demise of old Abington High School, known to some of us as Huntington Junior High School, is yet another milestone in our lives.

There will be more milestones for all of us, and *Ghost Stories* will be there, with the help of volunteers, to carry the torch forward. Through the newsletter, we aim to keep the alumni association a strong and important part of A.H.S. And in doing so, to make the past and present forever "the good old days."

Speaking of good old days, I am pleased to announce that two of my classmates, David Clark and Bonnie Parkhouse, both Class of '65, have agreed to be candidates for the scholarship committee. I am confident they will be elected at our membership meeting in May, and that they will provide expert input to determine which students are most deserving of scholarship awards.

In closing as a reminder to all: Your alumni association is funded solely by the memberships and bequests of those kind enough to remember us. Any contribution, no matter how small, is greatly appreciated. If you are not a life member, consider becoming one.

Retirement home planned for former junior high site

The former Huntington Junior High School—which had been Abington's high school from 1923-57—will be razed this spring, and a retirement community is planned by the property's new owners, Sunrise Assisted Living of Fairfax, Va.

The original Abington school building, on the west side of the property, will become a community center. That building, completed in 1888, is on the National Register of Historic Buildings. The former junior high school has been vacant since 1983.

Sunrise plans to build a 103-bed center for assisted living and another building with 59 apartments for independent living. The project is expected to cost \$10 million and be completed late this year.

The center's community room in the original Abington school building is envisioned as the first link in an electronic village in Abington Township. The developers plan to donate a room to Abington Township, and Penn State University will donate six computers. Penn State students will train inter-



The former Huntington Junior High School.

ested retirement community residents to use the computers to access the Penn State library and the township information bank.

—Excerpted and adapted from the *Intelligencer/Record*.

Abington ranked in Top 100 schools

Abington School District has been ranked one of the "top 100 districts in towns you can afford" by *Money* magazine.

In an article in its January 1996 issue, *Money* listed top-rated public school systems in communities with affordable housing. These top-scoring districts, *Money* editors wrote, compare favorably with selective private preparatory schools. The magazine ranked the schools based on students' performances on college entrance examinations and on the number of National Merit scholars named in the past five years.

Top-rated school districts shared several

characteristics, including widespread community support for public education, involved parents, enthusiastic teachers, innovative—but not trendy—administrators, and high expectations for all students.

The median home value in the Abington district, according to the magazine, is \$126,159, and the median family income is \$54,049. The Abington district enrolls more than 6,800 students, with 82% taking the Scholastic Achievement Test, and an average score of 962 out of 1600 points. Haverford Township, Rose Tree Media, and Cheltenham Township also made the magazine's list.

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