Visitors to Doane regularly comment that our school reminds them of Hogwarts, the wizarding school of Harry Potter fame. To celebrate this connection, on a Friday night this past spring, two hundred Muggles attended Doane Academy’s First Annual Harry Potter Night. Faculty, staff, and even a couple of parents donned costumes and took on the personae of characters from the Harry Potter series of books and films while hosting the event. Guests gathered in the Chapel, before being moved along by that gentle giant, Hagrid (Mr. Bennett). Professor McGonagall (Ms. Brandwood) gave the assembled further instructions before all were then seated, by their house, in the Great Hall (a/k/a our festively decorated dining room). A brief but entertaining greeting was delivered by Professor Dumbledore (Headmaster Sanderson) as well as several of the faculty of Hogwarts, ahead of a wonderful dinner and dessert. The enchanting evening concluded with a showing of Harry Potter and the Philosopher’s Stone. What magic might next year’s event bring?
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FROM THE HEADMASTER

This issue of *Ivy Leaves* includes our Annual Report, which provides a review of 2016-2017 at Doane Academy. By any measure, our year was outstanding. We began in September with our highest enrollment since 1988 and ended in June by honoring the graduation of 34 wonderful seniors. In between, we celebrated the success of our students in academics, the arts and athletics. The following pages chronicle many of our achievements throughout the school year.

We are especially proud of, and grateful for, contributions from our alumni, parents, students, faculty, and friends to the Annual Fund, which is the most important source of unrestricted giving to Doane Academy. Participation in the Annual Fund from all of our constituents increased considerably this year, allowing us to continue and enhance the exceptional initiatives that make a Doane education so distinctive. Programs such as Rocks, Roots and Wings, Nature Discovery, Strong Ethical Leadership, a new Ceramics class, Studio Incamminati art instruction, and our innovative S.T.E.A.M. curriculum are all made possible because of the generosity of our donors.

Our work since the end of the school year has continued with the complete makeover of the theater, which will be reincarnated this fall as a versatile, state-of-the-art black box performance space. In addition, we are nearing completion of our restoration of the Greene Room, which will be used as a stunningly beautiful space for meetings, receptions, classes, and dining.

Doane Academy is thriving in large part because donors recognize how special our school has been for 180 years. On behalf of the faculty and students at Doane, thank you for your support, which honors our illustrious past and prepares us for an inspiring future.

Sincerely,

George B. Sanderson
Headmaster
NEW RELATIONSHIPS, NEW CONNECTIONS

Ted de Villafranca comes to the Board of Trustees with 30 years of experience in all areas of admissions work, from selective college and university admissions to independent boarding school admissions. He worked at the Peddie School for 17 years as the Director of College Counseling and later as Dean of Admissions and College Counseling. He also served on the Arts Faculty as a choral director. Mr. de Villafranca directed the college counseling program at Berkshire School, where he was also Sixth Form Dean, advisor to the newspaper, and tennis coach. He also directed the college counseling program at Virginia Episcopal School, where he was a dorm parent, tennis coach, and English teacher.

Also joining the Board of Trustees, Alita T. Wingfield is an Executive Director and Head of Bank Non-Market Risk at Morgan Stanley Bank N.A. Previously, she was the Managing Attorney of the Global Litigation Group. She is the former Chair of the Legal and Compliance Division's Diversity and Inclusion Committee where she also served as Chair of the Supplier Diversity Initiative, aimed at increasing use of minority and women-owned law firms. In recognition of her diversity and inclusion efforts, Mrs. Wingfield was awarded the 2013 New York City Bar Diversity & Inclusion Champion Award and the 2013 Corporate Counsel Women of Color Individual Star Diversity Award of Excellence.

Audrey Akins Williamson ’82 was elected as the new President of the Society of Graduates this spring. She follows the presidency of Fred Mirsky ’74, who led in the current growth and engagement of the alumni. Mrs. Williamson attended Rutgers University, graduating with a B.A. in Sociology and Economics. Formerly a Visiting Professor of Sociology, Religion and Gender Studies at Monmouth University, currently she is a Mentoring Consultant at the Union Theological Seminary in New York. Audrey is also an ordained minister in the Methodist Church, having been conferred the Master of Divinity from New Brunswick Theological Seminary and the Master of Theology Degree from Princeton Theological Seminary.

Allison Baratta, who joined the Doane faculty in 2013, has been named the Head of Middle School where she will oversee the program dedicated to our sixth, seventh, and eighth graders.
Kath Brandwood has been named our new English Department Chair. She will also continue with classroom teaching duties.

Taking over for Ms. Baratta as Chair of the World and Classical Language Department is Kate Strasser, who joins us from the Tower Hill School in Wilmington where she taught upper school Spanish. At Doane, Ms. Strasser now teaches Spanish, oversees the department, and serves as assistant coach of the cross-country team. She is a magna cum laude graduate of Temple University, where she majored in Spanish and Anthropology. She earned her master’s degree in secondary education from Chestnut Hill College and previously taught at the Mastery Charter School in Philadelphia.

Also joining us this year is Chace Nolen, who is teaching middle school science and math. Mr. Nolen comes to us from a middle school teaching position at Greene Street Friends School in Philadelphia. He is a graduate of the Cambridge School of Weston (Massachusetts) and the University of Chicago, where he majored in Biological Sciences with a concentration in microbiology and earned General Academic Honors.

Doreen Caniglia is our new assistant teacher in the Primary Program. A resident of Mount Laurel, Doreen comes to us from Kaleidoscope Kids Preschool in Collingswood, where she has served as director and pre-kindergarten classroom teacher. She has also taught pre-kindergarten at The Schoolhouse in Mt. Laurel and Tots Cooperative Preschool in Cinnaminson, among other schools. Doreen is a graduate of Rowan University, where she majored in elementary education, was a member of the Honor Society, president of her senior class, and recipient of the Thomas E. Robinson Leadership award.

Michele Machion joins us as our third grade teacher. Michele is a graduate of Rowan University, where she majored in elementary education. Prior to coming to Doane, she taught at Chesterbrook Academy, Holly Hills School, and Mansfield Township Elementary School, among others.
On June 10, noted illustrator and children’s book author, Gene Barretta ’78, was our 180th Commencement speaker. As Mr. Barretta stepped to the podium, he told the graduating class that it was too hot to speak, so he would instead text his speech to them. He pulled out a cell phone, took a “selfie,” with the class framed behind him, said, “...and send,” and then he moved to sit down. After a beat, he returned to the podium and began to tell of his time as a student at Doane and his life after Doane.

Mr. Barretta told several entertaining stories, fastened with life lessons. His stories included trying to “get over” on his French teacher, accidentally breaking the school’s bookshelf while trying to “initiate” a new teacher, and how he found his true passion after years of various jobs and experiences. He explained how his time at Doane provided him with the education and the tools needed to endure the rejection that comes with the process of publishing a book.

At the conclusion of his speech, Mr. Barretta pulled a fortune cookie from a bag below the podium. He spoke on how people would often find meaning in the fortunes contained within, even if the slip of paper inside had some obscure generality written on it. Many would adjust to the message and find a way to fit it into their lives. But, to everyone’s surprise, the fortune read, “Be on the alert to recognize your prime, whatever time in your life that may occur,” a message very much in keeping with Mr. Baretta’s speech. No interpretation was needed. He closed by wishing the graduates “good fortune” as he ran by, tossing fortune cookies to all.
In May, Doane hosted its first Career Day, an opportunity for upper school students to hear from and meet professionals in fields ranging from finance to engineering. Mark Bucher ’86 delivered an inspiring keynote speech, describing his journey from Doane to his current work as a Washington-based restaurateur and consultant to the National Football League Players Association. “His path showed us that it’s OK to change your career over the course of your life,” commented Tania Bryant ’18. “Before hearing Mr. Bucher, I hadn’t appreciated that one career could set you up for other options in the future,” added Hannah Murphy ’18.

After Bucher’s speech, students attended two career panel discussions led by professionals in a variety of fields including healthcare, finance, science and engineering, education, the arts, and law. Participants included Vince Schino ’08, Takuya Kisaka ’93, Alita Wingfield P’ 27 and ’29, Rowan Watson, Edward Wingfield P’27 and ’29, Rachel Bennett P’30, Ivy Washington ’85, Toni Thompson P’19, Eric Blow ’11, Brian Campbell P’25, and Sally Schwarzwaler Lopez ’82.

“Career Day was a way to extend education beyond the classroom,” observed Headmaster George Sanderson, “and we are so grateful to connect with our graduates, parents, and friends who shared their perspectives with our students.”

The Doane sports program upped its profile this year by achieving unprecedented success in Prep B state tournaments. This year, the boys’ basketball team dominated much larger independent schools, defeating Princeton Day, Rutgers Prep, and Moorestown Friends during the regular season. In the year-end state tournament, the Spartans defeated Pennington before falling in a thrilling overtime final to Morristown-Beard. Damon Wall ’18 and Chase Lane ’18 were both named to the All State Prep B first team, the first time in school history for Doane to have two first team all stars. The team finished the season with a record of 18-5.

The Sparkling 3rd floor of Rowan Hall, the Florence Newbold Center, is Dedicated

Founder’s Day 2017 marked the official dedication of the Florence Newbold Resource Center, a multipurpose study space on the third floor of Rowan Hall. Two large common areas provide the space for the Center. Newbold Center East is an area designed for group meetings and multimedia presentations and includes a large conference table and oversized monitor on the wall. Newbold Center West functions as the upper school library and space for quiet individual research and study. This area includes study carrels, computers for student use, and roughly 2,000 books and periodicals.

The Newbold Resource Center was made possible by the generous gift of Dr. Alice Huang x’57, who originally came to St. Mary’s Hall from China at six years of age. She spent several years boarding at the school and fondly remembers the special care and mentorship provided by the school’s headmistress, Florence Lukens Newbold. These spaces now function as a living memorial to Miss Newbold and the genuine caring that she showed to Dr. Huang and so many students of St. Mary’s Hall.
A Stunning New Window Shines in the Chapel

Another new stained glass window, the second in as many years, was installed in the Chapel on Founder's Day. A generous gift from the Class of 1957, the window's theme is John 4:15—the woman at the well. Peggy Morris, Julia Rhoads, Alice Huang, Cynthia Floria, and Ginger Shaw -- all members of the class of '57 -- celebrated their 60th reunion and the 180th anniversary of the founding of the school by attending the dedication of the beautiful new window. The window was designed by Beyer Studio in Philadelphia, which has created the last two stained glass windows for the Chapel. Beyer's other recent work includes stained glass windows for Princeton University, Bryn Mawr College, St. Peter’s Episcopal Church, and the Union League of Philadelphia.

Another first was recorded by the softball team, which enjoyed an outstanding season against challenging competition. The team defeated Montclair Kimberly in the Prep B state tournament, the first win ever for Doane in the competition. The girls completed the season with a record of 16-3 and won the Penn-Jersey conference championship, defeating New Foundations in the final. Over the course of the season, the team recorded three no-hitters and a perfect game.

Largest Senior Class in Forty-Six Years Honored at Graduation

In May of 1837, fifty-two girls walked into a new school established by Bishop George Washington Doane. One hundred eighty years later, thirty-four young men and women -- the largest group of seniors since 1971 --- walked out of the same school as members of the latest graduating class of Doane Academy. As has been the case in recent years, seniors were given their Society of Graduates medals in a ceremony in the Chapel and commencement continued outdoors, before a large crowd on the soccer field, where students received their diplomas. Special recognition was given to six “Lifers,” students who attended the school since at least kindergarten. They are: Dominica Colavito, Dana Fine, Albert Haines, Maddie Miller, Bobby Stiles and Adam Ziegler. Tim Schwanitz and Ben Mathews then delivered memorable senior perspective speeches. Traditions continued with the bestowing of the Ivy Leaf Award to Eliana Harrison and Head Boy Cup to Adam Ziegler. The graduates then gathered for their class photo, which now joins so many other class photos, from our long and storied history, on the wall outside of the Headmaster’s office.
SENIORS LOOK BACK ON
Their Years at Doane

In June, Doane graduated 34 students, its largest senior class in many decades. In addition to being well populated, this year's senior class was known for its accomplishments both in and out of the classroom. The seniors were, and are, talented scholars, artists, and athletes. Moreover, as Headmaster George Sanderson noted at the commencement ceremony, “What is especially notable about this group of students is their humanity – the compassion and care they give to each other. They speak to each other with respect, they regularly demonstrate empathy, and they practice acts of kindness. Through the examples they have set, we can be optimistic about what lies ahead for our shared national culture.”

Ivy Leaves sat down with several members of the senior class a few weeks before their graduation to hear them reminisce about their experiences at Doane. Their comments say a lot about what makes this senior class, and Doane, special.

“[The tradition with the most impact on me was...] school families, with people chosen from each grade, [which] made for a unique experience and brought us all together.” – Chenjie Wang

“[The tradition with the most impact on me was...] the S.T.E.A.M. Fairs, which are organized in a way to let your natural talents shine through. You can see that impact as we’ve been able to go on to regional and state championships.” – Adam Ziegler

“The close-knit relationships between everyone, including all of the teachers and staff, is special here. We’re small enough that we all know each other, and when someone might need help. We’re like a big family.” – Dominica Colavito

“Before I came to Doane Academy, I thought that the world was a cold place and that I couldn’t feel love (anywhere) besides at home, but now I do feel the love here, and I know that has changed me and my views.” – Liqian Zhang

“On my first day at Doane Academy I felt immediately comfortable, and I felt like I’d known everyone as long as they’d known each other. I’m going to miss that immediate sense of ‘I belong.’” – Eliana Harrison

“Doane is a second home to all of us. Most of us come in early and stay late after school, with sports and other activities. It’s going to be hard to leave this home behind.” – Brianna Boulton
“Even though Doane is small, it doesn’t focus on just one or even a few things. It isn’t just like, if you get great grades, then you are successful. Doane wants you to and lets you set so many of your own goals and then helps you follow through on them, whatever they are. Finding your talents and passions and then following through on them, that’s what makes you a success at Doane.” – Campbell Mason

“Becoming well-rounded is something that seems so easily provided here. We’re exposed to so much. Having sports required in high school, for example, opens doors to most of us, and helps to learn to work as a team. There are academic opportunities, acting, music, and extracurriculars, and all of them provide access and support to help you be successful.”
– Dominica Colavito

“The teachers all expect the best from us. They know us and what each of us is capable of, and they push to bring out our best every day. It makes me want to do the best I can.” – Brianna Boulton

“I always felt that we were all on the same level and when I saw others succeed, I wanted to do the same. I think that we all challenge each other, in the best way.”
– Campbell Mason

“Doane Academy has helped me to find and explore my passions. When I came here, in ninth grade, I was so scared to try anything new, but my coming to Doane, such a warm community, has helped me to become confident in my abilities and let me know what I’m capable of accomplishing.”
– Brianna Boulton

“[The advice I could give to a prospective student is...] you’ll never feel like you don’t belong. There is so much diversity here, and there are so many clubs and activities that I would say that this is the place where you can just be yourself, and take it on.” – Adam Ziegler

“The opportunities I’ve had here, like choir, where I was able to explore so many types of music and to work on solo singing skills, I know I wouldn’t have had that at other schools.” – Campbell Mason

“[The advice I could give to a prospective student is...] be prepared to enjoy your life at Doane because there are so many fun experiences to have and to learn from here.”
– Liqian Zhang

“I was very shy, outside of my circle, but the Strong, Ethical Leadership class gave me a way to push myself. I had to go to township meetings and participate in my community, so those things forced me out of my circle, and I learned (how) to communicate with many people. It helped me a lot.” – Chenjie Wang
For all of our 180 years, St. Mary’s Hall and Doane Academy have been deeply committed to the arts. Indeed, Bishop Doane’s first curriculum included time dedicated to drawing, painting, piano, and singing. The arts program at Doane now extends well beyond that which the school’s founder envisioned. With the recent introduction of new programs and significantly upgraded facilities, the arts program is flourishing like never before.
The band program at Doane is just one example of what sets Doane apart from its peers. Over half of students in the middle and upper school play a musical instrument and perform either in the upper school band, the jazz ensemble, or the middle school select band, called River Rock. Under the direction of Adrienne Mazar, who also chairs the Arts Department, the band performs several times a year to standing room only crowds on campus and travels in the community, entertaining audiences in local life care retirement facilities and at events hosted by organizations such as the Burlington County Chamber of Commerce.

In addition to its intellectual, physical, and creative benefits, instrumental music study benefits students’ emotional well-being. As noted by Ms. Mazar, the opportunity for “students to express themselves individually and in an ensemble setting, with the encouragement of faculty and peers, helps promote self-confidence and builds self-esteem. In addition, the relevance of the discipline, the rigor of music study, and the team skills that music develops benefit teens long after high school.”

Leila Daly ’20, a talented flutist and valued member of the instrumental music program at Doane, agrees that the benefits of playing in the band extend well beyond making great music together. “Camaraderie and fellowship are my favorite aspects of band. There’s a family-like environment that promotes harmony, tolerance, and understanding.

The band practices in a beautiful new space in Rowan Hall while the drama program is set to enjoy its own new facility this fall, when the restoration of the third floor of Scarborough Hall is completed.

Originally built as a gymnasium over 100 years ago and then serving as the school’s library in the 1970s and 1980s, the third floor theater space in Scarborough is undergoing a complete facelift. The result is a state-of-the art, versatile black box performance space.

“We were fortunate to work with technical theater experts from McCarter Theater in Princeton this summer to bring the 21st century to Doane’s drama program facilities,” explained headmaster George Sanderson. “The new lighting, sound system, floor, and painting combine to produce a performance space that is truly magnificent,” he added.

The drama program, led by Ginger Agnew, stages an upper school play or musical in the early spring, as well as a lower school production in May. In addition, middle school students can take a performing arts elective course and many students are involved in set design and construction as well as lighting and stage management.

While the newly redesigned performance space provides an outstanding facility for productions and visiting artists, Doane students use many other areas of the campus as performance spaces – the Chapel for the annual Christmas Mystery and most of the school’s venerable buildings for Doane’s Dungeon at Halloween.

While the Mystery and Doane’s Dungeon are upper school productions, students of all ages take part in the school’s vocal ensembles. Lower School students, under the guidance of Shelley Zuckerman, perform often in all school meetings and the older students often remark that these performances are the highlight of those gatherings. “Singing in front of peers and receiving the affirmation of older students helps our lower school students develop the confidence to grow into polished performers,” noted Dr. Zuckerman.

Meanwhile, middle and upper school students sing regularly at concerts on campus and in the community. Campbell Mason ’17, who is now studying music at Bucknell University, found her voice at Doane. “Singing at Doane was a springboard for my love of music. Dr. Zuckerman and the older singers in choir inspired me to learn as much as I could about music during my time there,” she observed.

The Fine Arts program also includes students of all ages. This past year, with the generous support of Patricia Decker Patterson ’56, Doane was able to bring back and enhance its ceramics program, taught by Jackie Ashmore Bak ’76. The courses immediately became a big hit with students, so much so that the school hopes to expand its facilities to accommodate more ceramics students in the near future.
The ceramics program complements Doane’s unique partnership with Studio Incamminati, one of the nation’s foremost schools of art, where professional teaching artists show students how to see the world in higher definition as they learn the techniques and principles of humanist realism. Nelson Shanks, the late world-renowned artist and co-founder of Studio Incamminati, -- and the father of two Doane graduates -- said that one of the goals of his Realism school and program was to train students to “see”, and to do so beyond the shape and color of the subject. Working with professionals from Studio Incamminati on a daily basis is an opportunity available only to students at Doane.

For Emily Sohn ’16, currently a student at the Pennsylvania College of Art and Design, working at Doane with teaching artists from Studio Incamminati helped her cultivate skills that have served her well at the next level. "I definitely would not be ahead of my class [at PCAD] in my traditional art skills if it wasn’t for my instructors and friends at Studio Incamminati. I am forever grateful to Doane for giving me the means to try the best art supplies and receive outstanding guidance to develop my technical and creative skills," she noted.

Eliana Harrison ’17, a freshman at the University of Michigan, plans to pursue a dual degree program in psychology and art. "I think the most important thing I learned through the Studio Incamminati course is how to truly see things. Over the four years I was in art class, I developed the ability to see past the colors, shapes, and forms that are generally associated with certain objects and people, and instead create my own interpretation of them on a canvas. I will carry this skill with me throughout my art career, in my attempt to create works of art that capture the feeling, gesture, and spirit of whatever my subject may be," she observed. To underscore the school’s commitment to the arts, this past spring Doane dedicated an entire day of programming to the Arts. Student performances –vocal, band, drama – highlighted the day, which included exhibits of student work in ceramics, drawing, and painting. The day culminated with performances by the Roaring 20, Princeton University’s a cappella ensemble and the Universal African Drum and Dance Ensemble, which filled the gymnasium with their music and a number featuring scores of dancing Doane students.

Ms. Mazar observed, "I know of no other school, public or private, that would have considered dedicating an entire day towards the appreciation of the Arts on campus…. Several wonderful conversations among faculty have our minds spinning as to how to build upon this exciting day. There is good reason why the words Arts and Culture are spoken in the same breath. We have served our students well in realizing the importance of the three A’s [academics, athletics, and arts]." Indeed, with a sophisticated, innovative curriculum and an increasing array of modern facilities in the works, Doane demonstrates its commitment to the arts on a daily basis. Bishop Doane no doubt would be very proud.
Class Notes

Announcements

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If you are a class agent, please keep Elizabeth updated on changes you get from classmates.

Looking for a way to volunteer for Doane Academy? Become a class agent, for your class or for someone else’s! It’s a fun way to connect with fellow graduates and develop friendships between generations.

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Jeanne Tirpak turned 100 on July 15! She continues to enjoy walking and dancing, and being around young people. She has been told not to live alone, but does it anyway!

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Kay Phelon Allen and her daughter Cathie Allen Rodkey met with Pam Borden Heckert ‘67 and Clark near her Shawnee, KS home last summer for a lemonade and conversation. Kay spent much of the winter with her son in Washington State. She is hard at work on her new book after her successful first novel, “If...” The book is now in multiple printings. Look for it on Amazon under the pen name Catherine K. Allen.

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Mary Cox Morrison is now a great-grandmother of Emma Charlotte!

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Arlene Spencer Waddell enjoys that her daughter lives with her. Arlene is busy taking care of her house, which is in a retirement place.

1946
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Temple Fawcett continues to be involved in politics, both local and national. She has always enjoyed crafts and now makes dolls from felt that are eighteen inches high.

1947
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Nancy Hogeman Hillas wants a smart phone, and probably has one by now. She continues to take interesting courses at Drew University. Joan Ferguson went to London to meet her son’s new wife, Sholpan. He is vice president of a high tech company.

1948
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Marleigh Morland Baratz goes to music school in Baltimore, which she says is the best one in the country. She continues to compose music, and now she is writing a full orchestral opera.

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Carolyn Megargee loves that her son comes to visit her often. She has three grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren. Nancy MacFarland Wismder loves going to the Shakespeare Festival near her, and watching her grandson in swimming matches.

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As our living class members are all around 85 now, our activities are somewhat restricted: many doctor visits; lots of pills; repairs, replacements, and maintenance, etc., but we
carry on. Ann Morton Nourse is looking forward to her daughter’s coming to Thorpe, WA, to live with her. Becky is taking early retirement from the National Park Service. As I wrote this in early August, Ann was looking forward to travelling to Oregon to a hot spot in the path of the solar eclipse on August 21st and then on to a new National Monument and to Mount St. Helens to see its recovery since its colossal eruption in 1980. Ann still winters in California. (Come to think of it: Ann’s activities aren’t much restricted.) Nancy Perkins Andrews is recovering from a broken hip from tripping at home in early summer. To further complicate her life, after her time in rehab she’s temporarily staying in a senior living establishment while she gets back to full mobility and work is done on her house. Meanwhile, our late bloomer (as a grandmother) is enjoying her grandchildren, Isabel 7 and Nicholas 5, who live nearby. Eleanora McDonald Worth copes with the neuropathy in her legs with help from three caregivers who see that she gets out to shop and to her daily visits to the local library where she spends much of every day. When I spoke with her, she had just visited Mount Vernon after not having seen it since she was a teenager, and she was interested and pleased that the interpretation of the site paid attention to all who lived and worked there, not just the Washington family. We have heard the sad news of death last October of Kay Strahle Rogers after a long illness. She had lived in New Mexico since 1951, worked for a state social service agency, became a Life Master in bridge, had a son and daughter plus grandchildren and great-grandchildren, ran for public office, and was a faithful communicant of her local Episcopal church. She lived a full life, always sparkly and cheerful. She managed to get back to Burlington for a SMH reunion some years ago, and what fun we had! Wylie and I are so far in the same house in Putnam Valley NY; we get to a local gym and library regularly. I will keep working (for fun) in the county archives (doing research, processing collections, and writing some) until they take away my car keys. We still do a big family camping party in Downeast Maine every year with children, grandchildren, nieces, nephews and cousins. – In short, a mob. We go to Croatia this fall with Road Scholar and will try to keep up with the younger seniors. Alice Shoemaker continues to paint with watercolors. This summer she says Seattle weather is perfect. Right now her two cats, that she adores, want her full attention.

1952
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Gail Durnell Batchelder moved to Dunwoody Village in Newtown Square, PA. It is near where she grew up and she is enjoying all the things to do in the area. She is still active with golf and pickle ball and enjoys attending St. David’s Episcopal Church. Her daughter, Kim lives in Devon, PA and her sons John and David live in Philadelphia and Florida respectively. She has two grandchildren, Lily and Mac. Lily works in New York City and Mac just graduated with his MBA. She recently spoke with Ann (Scottie) Cook ’52 and reports all is well. Ann Richards Cook has three daughters, and in the summer they like to join her on Long Beach Island. All of them enjoy the ocean and the wonderful beach. Sandra Heede lives in South Carolina, and her two grandsons from Florida came to visit for a whole week. Unfortunately it rained every day except one. Riva Magaril Poor finished her book called “Raising Innovator,” which tells how her parents raised her. Two of her other books have been published. This latest book will also be published with a forward by Nobel Prize winner, Paul A. Samuelson.

1953
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Judith Focht Steele and her husband continue to rescue sea otters and sea lions, but she also enjoys being with her three grandchildren, who live close by. Besides that, she is in the Chorale which gives many concerts throughout the year.

1954
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In January, I was on a cruise to Hawaii. One day I was in line behind a passenger waiting to board a tender to go on shore. I kept looking at her ring, thinking it looks just like my class ring. I finally asked her if I could look at her ring. She turned it to the side and there was the ivy leaf. She was Susan Greene, class of 1973. We had a lovely conversation. In April Bette Birdsaill Evans and I met half way for lunch. We made plans to get together again in the summer. In July we met Darlene Palmere Byrne for lunch in New Jersey. Darlene came with her daughter and granddaughter.
Bill and I recently returned from a fantastic 6-day sail aboard the oldest (built in 1851) schooner in the US, the Lewis R. French which sails out of Camden, Maine. We would love to hear from other members of the class! Keep in mind that we will celebrate our 60th reunion in 2019!

Suggie Dorsett Cary was up from Florida visiting family and friends last summer. She is having a hard time letting go of the past...the Brant Beach Cottage will be a part of their past, as the house will be sold at the end of August, and it’s time to move on to the next chapter in life. She will be visiting with her son, two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren after the shore.

Linn Davies visited with Suggie and family for a few days at the Carys’ shore house and is also finding it hard to say goodbye after 60 years of visiting there. She still enjoys living at the shore and said she spent a while in Florida this past winter and also visited Suggie at their Florida home. Jean Doak stayed home all summer and was happy not to lose her garden for once. It looks so good she has had some garden parties! Grandson, Makai Sloane-Anthony, was in intensive soccer camp and stayed with her for 2 weeks. “It is wonderful to be around a 10 year old glowing with passion!” Jean’s dear friend,
Ursula Freymuth. (SMH class of 1963 for sophomore year only) died suddenly in January as we reported last spring. It has been a violent shock to Jean. Ursula’s home in the Sierra foothills had been her retreat place from time to time and their sons were the same age. Suzi Shaw Smith and David are still enjoying Vancouver, hanging out with Suzi’s sister Ginger Shaw ’57, traveling to interesting places where David presents to schools and conferences, and bingeing on BBC and Australian detective shows. In the fall, they’re going back to the place they honeymooned, 51 years ago, the Banff Springs Hotel, to address a conference of Early Childhood Educators. Diane Wilson Koger said it was good to see Susan Kahn Ferry at Founder’s Day. We both think those of us that are close by should try to get together. Jean Scott Lendvay and Greg are both retired but busier than ever - two granddaughters, 5 and 8, plus a new puppy. All provide lots of fun. She is also enjoying having Alice Collins Fisk here in Dallas again. She moved from Naples, FL in February after Bunny passed away. She’s at EDGEMERE, 8523 Thackery St., Suite 9203, Dallas, TX 75225. Her new email address is alice@fisk4@gmail.com. They both attended Founder’s Day and had a great time. Both of Trudi Scott Lefavour’s children are relocating and starting PhD programs. Lisa is starting a PhD in theology at Vanderbilt in Nashville. She and her two younger children, ages 3 and 5, left Taiwan mid-July. Her British husband and oldest son were to arrive after that. Son Jonathan moved from New Hampshire to Southern California and will start a PhD in psychology at Biola, a Christian school. They have an 18 month-old daughter and will be living in Whittier, CA. His wife, a veterinarian, is starting a new job in Long Beach. Joan Gale Smith downsized two years ago, and is now in a nice retirement village in the New Jersey Pine Barrens. All family is within ten miles. She took a bad fall in the kitchen in early June but has been recuperating and receiving PT. Joan is looking forward to fall and trips to their grandson’s university where as a sophomore he returns as the varsity kicker. They enjoy the tailgating experience at Pace Univ. just north of NYC. Sandra Smith reported that since Mike’s back still won’t let him travel, she went to the west coast of Ireland with a woman friend in May, and then on to Wales to visit other friends who live there. They had a great time, though “I have to admit I still love Scotland more and miss our annual trips. Things here at home are much the same —playing golf, doing needlepoint, and reading so much Miss Cathell would be proud.” As for me, Linda Whinney, I am still working part time. I have no travel plans but enjoying visiting with friends and having a nice summer. Please let us know if you’re in the area as, along with Susan and Diane, I hope we’ll see you before our 60th!

1963
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Our class has been hitting the road via boats, planes, trains and automobiles. Looks like it’s been a busy year in that regard, and I was glad to read that we are well enough to continue to travel and enjoy places new to us. Last spring Anne Wright enjoyed a Road Scholar trip to Atlanta and Asheville, NC where she also visited the Biltmore Estate and all it had to offer—beautiful gardens, both at the estate and in Atlanta, as well as along the Blue Ridge Parkway. Anne also attended her Mount Holyoke fiftieth class reunion for five glorious days in mid-May with a lot of catching up and talking with one hundred and forty-four classmates in attendance! In mid-June, she was on the road again, this time with a Road Scholar trip to French Canada to Montreal, Quebec City and the Charlevoix region. In Montreal she enjoyed the archeology museum and the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, which included an incredible Marc Chagall exhibit. The next leg of the trip was a train trip to Quebec City, where she stayed in the charming Old Quebec City. Then the group ventured north to the Charlevoix region to explore several small villages along the St. Lawrence River, which she found to be much larger than she’d expected! Anne enjoyed the two group leaders, both natives of the Quebec province. She found it good to be in a French-speaking area as her high school and college French came back a bit. “Madame Fanelli would have been proud!” Carol Richards Culberson was also kept busy traveling. “Someone must have sent our kids a memo to keep mom busy.” By the time this will be published she’ll have been to: Boston, Austin, three trips to Seattle, two trips to New Jersey (one being to Founder’s Day, a smashing success and a lot of fun!), and Charlotte, NC. Carol learned that gratitude softens the hard edges of grief since her husband, John, died. Ibby Stratton extended invitations to our class to visit her and Jim at Edgewater Farm in Strasburg, VA. If you can catch her at home! In April she visited her son and family in Streatley, England for a week; then spent a week hiking the Tramuntana Mountains in Mallorca; and then a final week on the Isle of Wight. Her daughter, Bonney, still works for “the enemy of the people”, CNN Washington’s Bureau, where Bonney goes to her job under guard. Yikes! Ibby said that Mrs. Stephan would get a good laugh over her attending watercolor camp during the first week of August in Maine, where she enjoyed the cool weather, the rocky Maine coast, and, of course, lobster rolls! Our congratulations to Jeanette Smith Cureton and Bryant Cureton on their 50th wedding anniversary! (Is it a coincidence that I am wishing them congratulations on August 14th, the day they were married? And the day I am writing this?) They were married by Father Conklin in
our lovely chapel with Ginger Volkommer Collier serving as Matron of Honor. They celebrated with a visit from their daughter Elizabeth and her then 14-month-old twins from California. After a hectic academic year bursting with activities and work for Doane’s Board of Trustees and the Vestry at their church in Williamsburg, Jeanette crashed for a few weeks over the summer. She and Bryant escaped to Maine for a week in mid-July and welcomed and loved the chaos that filled their house in August when their family arrived from California. And to Bryant, Jeanette appreciates the lovely memories and immense gratitude for a wonderful husband! Our class workaholic, Linda Sharlin, and her partner/significant other, Michael, traveled to Cape Cod to get in on the festivities of Michael’s parents’ 60th wedding anniversary with a big clambake. Linda has also done a lot of traveling for work to Virginia and North Carolina, and she is sometimes “alive and screaming, depending on my work day!” Linda also has been in and out of New York City to visit with friends, go to the theater, spend time in some of the wonderful museums, and just general “bumming” around. She went on to say that both Annie with her group, and Meredith with her husband, Jim, have been performing at summer music festivals in the NJ/NY area this summer. Meredith Ates Gray hopes that Sonny’s next project, will be the 1950’s playroom, outfitted with a juke box, pinball machines and soda fountain. Get your poodle skirts and saddle (ugh!) shoes ready if you visit! They still have kitties but now have acquired a new dog, Ember, who has now owned them. Additionally, Sonny has fostered an orphaned chicken. At this writing, the chicken, Woodstock, can only fly to Sonny’s knees, but by the time this is being read, who knows how high she will be flying? Fourth of July was not only the celebration of our country’s birth, but also Meredith’s and Sonny’s 36th wedding anniversary! Meredith’s only trip so far this year, other than visiting her daughter and family outside Jacksonville, was to Birmingham to have her second knee replacement. The first, left knee is doing well, but the second one is a whole new ballgame—still a lot of pain after nearly eight weeks post-op, unlike the first. She said that she is living vicariously through her busy grandchildren. Her 25 year-old grandson, Nick, is in the Air Force National Guard based in Jacksonville and is frequently deployed to places that can’t be mentioned… secret stuff. And very busy granddaughter, Kate, graduated in May with many honors and will be attending the University of Tennessee to study chemical engineering. They are planning a trip to Louisville, KY in mid- Sept. to visit friends they made in Arlington, VA. Meredith lived in Kentucky twice during the 1960’s and is looking forward to seeing how things have changed over the last 50 (Holy Cow!) years! Paul and Shari Reilly Culotta were off to Alaska for an eleven-day cruise to help their son and daughter-in-law celebrate their first wedding anniversary. Congratulations, kids! The Culottas are still involved in the local theater scene in Rome, GA, and are planning a trip to Australia with friends from their church in October 2018. Bon voyage! As for me, Martha Conway Gabriel, our son and main concern, Chuck, has recovered well from his brain surgery for a meningioma in November of 2016 and, although, occasionally tired, is back to his regular routine, thank God. He was recently appointed to a full-time faculty position at the University of Massachusetts, Lowell campus in the music department, after over 13 years of being an adjunct faculty member. Gabe and I are planning a trip for next May to celebrate our 50th wedding anniversary. I attended Founder’s Day along with classmates Jeanette, Carol, and Linda to celebrate our school’s 180th founding. No husbands or significant others were along, so we got to spend as much time as we could with each other, and it was great catching up. We were all well entertained, wined and dined. It truly was a wonderful event, and kudos to all who planned and managed it! The beautiful changes on campus are worth a visit, so, to our classmates who have not been back to school in a while, please try to make it to our 55th class reunion/Founder’s Day next May 4th and 5th. After all of the celebrating at school, I took myself over to St. Mary’s Church to find Bishop Doane’s grave and found it right outside the back door of the church. After roaming around the cemetery, I headed back to Pennsylvania where I was staying with friends in Langhorne, and, lo and behold, wouldn’t you know it? The bridge was up!

1965
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Sandy Alves Belcher brags that she and Bob still love seeing their precious granddaughters every Thursday, even if it usually involves schlepping them from one activity to another!! They are going to England in the fall because Bob is a Churchill scholar, and they plan to see many of the landmarks associated with his life. Susie Brotz Lippincott had a little excitement in late June. A home right behind hers burned to the ground and the sheriff had to wake them at 1:30 a.m. to tell them to gather important things and possibly go outside. All were safe and sound. Scott is on deployment to the China Sea, but will be returning in July. He has rented an Airbnb in Waikiki and all of them and the grandchildren, and Scott’s in-laws are going there for five days. Lanny will be going on the “tiger cruise” with Scott on his ship, the USS Dewey, and ride back from Hawaii to San Diego. Hopefully some time in the coming year, Susie will be “home” again. She is really looking forward to seeing
friends, and visiting the Hall. **Nancy Carson Berst** says life is very strange and wonderful but what a crazy stage, like many of you, we are in. Her mother celebrated her 95th birthday in July on LBI and the whole family managed to make an appearance - all 27 of them. Her first-born granddaughter is heading off to Kansas State University and her newest granddaughter, who made it to her great-grandmother’s birthday, is just a delight doing all sorts of clever things at 8 months old. Plus she doesn’t even have to tell all of you what birthday she is about to celebrate! **Teddi Groff** and **Mimo Black Betten** and husband Keith were in LBI last summer and caught up on the latest news. After almost 70 years two amazing friends located Teddi’s birth mother! She is alive and well and wants to meet Teddi. Last October Teddi took the Ancestry DNA test and there were 174 1st to 6th cousins listed as family matches. She planned to spend a long weekend in North Carolina visiting her 2nd cousins on my birth father’s side. Then there’s another cousin in Australia that she would love to visit. **Marsha Megariotis** spent five days sightseeing in San Diego visiting **Susan Brotz Lippincott** and Lanny. She attended the graduation of her first grandson, Caleb Skopelitis, who graduated from high school Magna Cum Laude in North Carolina. She also went to Cambridge, MD to visit **Susan Wojick Carrow** and Paul. Later in the summer she went to Kill Devil Hills on the Outer Banks for a week with the family (all 19 of them)! **Martha Mulford Gray** is happily busy with granddaughters and Guy’s amazing cooking. How many people can walk down the street and bring home fresh crabs? The picture of the five of us at Founder’s Day was sent by Martha, taken by Guy who is almost a class member. **Jo-Ann Trouts Falcon** and Ray are both melting through the dog days of August in Tallahassee. “It’s like walking into a sauna and getting slapped in the face with a hot wet towel.” Ray is continuing his studies in Arduino, programming computer electronics. She loves her bi-weekly two-hour visits to Pulmonary Rehabilitation at Southern Medical Group/Tallahassee Memorial Hospital and begs anyone who smokes to please quit now! **Jane Walton Mashburn** has had a very rough time lately. She’s beginning to see the light and hopes to be in touch in the future. We’ve missed you, Jane, and look forward to hearing from you/seeing you. I ask all to send prayers for a brighter light to shine. **Susan Wojick Carrow** spent June and July helping Paul as he recovered from lower back surgery. Marsha spent 3 days with them in late July. Her book club always welcomes Marsha for their annual planning meeting. **Sherry Shaw Butterworth**…finally, here I am. I apologize that this writing didn’t get much attention from me. John was diagnosed with early onset Alzheimer’s in mid-July 2015, but the testing took a year before that. He was 62 when testing began. I will always believe that prayer and humor are the best medicines, so John and I laugh as much as possible. He retired on disability in September of 2015 and he and beloved canine Charlie watch TV and walk much. He is in a double-blind drug study for two years. At the end of the study, he will be given the drug, FREE for life! We change our minds every other day wondering if he is on the drug or on the placebo. Katie and Ray now have 4 dogs, 6 cats, and a long-hair rabbit who had 6 babies last month. Let’s hear it for guessing gender at that ASPCA…I am healthy, way overweight and on August 20 I will have been sober for 10 years!! My little nanny dude turned 7 in June…can’t believe we’ve been together for almost 6 years! Next Founder’s Day some of us will be 71, some of us will still be 70 AND I’m wondering if some of us will be turning back the clock…Hope to see many of you next May! The school is truly beautiful!!

1967

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Pam Borden Heckert ‘67, Kay Phelon Allen ‘39, and Kay’s daughter Cathie Allen Rodkey

Pam Borden Heckert and Clark left Delaware for Colorado August 8 the day their house was placed on the market. Pam believes the Holy Spirit was at work again two days later when their visit with **Kay Phelon Allen ‘39** in eastern Kansas caused them to miss a disastrous western Kansas storm with hail as big as grapefruit! **Barbara Branche** reported that her...
son’s family has a new beagle puppy. Barbara is still selling Native American events and camping every weekend, rain or shine, and loving it. She thought the 50th reunion was lots of fun. Jane Connors Rehark is feeling the heat in Texas. She has been working at keeping healthy by attending Silver Sneakers exercise classes, water aerobics, and walking their three mini poodles each day before the heat is intolerable. Jane bought a sewing machine to take some quilting classes and hasn’t sewn in so many years. Machines have certainly changed and she now doesn’t spend 30 minutes chasing the bobbin around the room. She is also enjoying her reading again and has a new favorite author, Allison Pataki, who writes historical fiction. Jane reads anything Pataki puts out although she was never a history fan! Anne Gold Gleason says that everybody who was unable to attend the 50th reunion was missed. She is looking forward to our 55th. Who would have thought that 50 years could have gone by so quickly? She was also glad to have been in attendance for our class gift to the memory of Barbara, Suzanne, and Rosamaria. Anne and Larry’s son Rick and his wife Larissa had their fourth child Micah born in April. That birth brings the total to eight grandchildren for the Gleasons. Congratulations! They actually start rehearsing for their Christmas show with the Majestic Voice Chorus in a few weeks! Yikes! They also attend water aerobics classes at their local YMCA. Anne does a lot of reading and enjoys being outside. She would love to hear from classmates of any year. Her email address is: gleason7269@yahoo.com or friend her on Facebook.

Kathy (Kay) Newberry Dubit says that the 50th reunion was great and it was fantastic seeing everyone from ’67 plus the wonderful women from all the other years! SMH raised them to be dynamic!!!

Jane Rosenthal Schorr’s daughter Courtney gave birth to a baby girl in March. She’s precious! She and Marc took their other two grandchildren ages 6 and 7 to London and Paris in July. Jane found a fabulous tour company that had guides who made their sightseeing interesting and so much fun for the kids. It was an incredible family trip! Jane and Marc are building a house in Las Vegas. People say that she’s crazy to build a house now but she says that at this stage of life she knows what she wants – one story, no shared bathroom, and no shared closet! It should be completed by June of 2018. Jane’s mom turns 90 this October. They are celebrating in Las Vegas with a dinner party for her close friends and family and a Diana Ross concert. It should be a great celebration for a great lady! I, Bonnie Dix Cavanaugh, wish I could have been with you all at the reunion. We are now in our 8th week with no rain and record high temperatures. After the coldest winter on record, the wettest spring on record and are about to hit the hottest, driest summer, we would gladly settle for “average.” We remain concerned again about wild fires and are trying to keep our grass and garden areas alive. I continue to be involved with two book clubs, church activities, the hammered dulcimer, gardening and stacking wood. We hope to have a less severe winter, but all our wood is not yet cut and stacked because the hot/dry weather prohibits the use of ATVs and chain saws in the woods right now.

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1968
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Donna Griffing Dovi’s oldest grandchild Clay, 14, will be going to high school this fall. Donna dropped her early-2000 phone which ended up in three separate pieces. She quickly found that you cannot just put the pieces back together ... so she set out to buy a new cell and was drowning in options. She turned to her 12 year-old grandson, they worked it out, and Donna now has an iPhone 7. She and hubby Bob are still working, with Donna still doing EMS. They have lots of deer in the area and it is driving Daisy, the beagle, crazy. (Donna, call Chris quick!) Last spring we heard that Doris Fischer participated in the January Women’s March in Washington, DC. In May, she took a month-long trip from Montana east to coastal Maine and Newfoundland. She drove to Maine, wove her way around the Great Lakes Region, and visited friends and family along the way. Doris found Newfoundland a wondrous place with charming fishing villages, stunning coastal scenery, and very fun-loving, hard-working people. Kathy McMillan Hoyler walked 200 miles in 21 days on the Coast-to-Coast walk in the U.K. in May, with her husband for part of it and with a good guidebook for all of it, ending with a visit to her 24 year-old daughter based in London. She had so much fun that they are planning a 6-day walk in
the Cotswolds in September, staying as before in bed and breakfasts and pubs ("for our daily pint") with bags carried by Sherpa Van. Kath says it's far easier than Sierra backpacking!! She is sorry to have missed Doris on her Eastern trip this spring. **Pam Weddle Joyce** has been spending time with family and friends this summer with mini-vacations in northern Indiana and in Ohio. Seeing granddaughters Maddie and Lucy is always a priority! Back home, Pam started a discussion club with her retired friends, which has grown from the original four members to twelve members in a couple of months. It's completely social ... meeting for lunch once a month to solve the world problems with great food and a glass of wine. She says the wine disappears faster than the world problems, but they persevere. Pam is still doing online editing with "her little freelance business" and is still volunteering with the Sierra Club and Westie Rescue. **Linnie McLean Livingston** and hubby Tom are spending a few days in Lake Tahoe. Their pool at home has been very busy, especially because of the heat. Linnie's qigong teacher is doing a water qigong class at their pool! Her flower and vegetable gardens are doing well this year, and they are enjoying the fruits of their labor. She really enjoys making bouquets for friends. Daughter Lara and family moved out into the country and have started a mini farm: two dogs, two cats, two goats, 5 chickens, and two fish! Other daughter Nerissa and her husband are both teachers and travel all summer. They have enjoyed many outdoor adventures including paddle boarding, kayaking, and parasailing. **Chris Picard Olson** has discovered that deer don't eat zinnias! So in case anyone is a gardener fighting in the deer-flower wars, try planting some! On the work front: for one of her clients, Chris has learned new analysis programs to derive insights from Twitter, and she's applying machine learning tools to their proprietary data sets. Yikes! **Jane Lawrence Purdy** says the doldrums of summer have been clouded over by concern for a dear friend and his family who stayed with them while hoping to qualify for a double lung transplant at Duke. It's hard to deal with the reality that he wasn't accepted because of serious cardiac issues. Her good news is that her nephew's family has relocated from Saudi Arabia and are now living in Charlotte, NC! It was a great a relief. Her sister, **Sandy Lawrence Wheeler**, class of 1970, has returned to Charlottesville, VA, where she is now living in a care facility for dementia. **Jacqui Thomas** says "hi" but has no new news this time ... just same old same old, she says. I can relate! **Kate Thropp** is refining the "look" for their grandchild who is two. Says she never in her wildest dreams thought she would be doing this!!! Kate, Josh, and two adventurous souls took their Bavaria 42, "Aloha Spirit" to Bermuda this spring for the America's Cup race. After three days of "set on tumble" in the Gulf Stream, Kate said, "stop the boat I want to get off". She remembers the two dolphins that came by to say "Hi" one morning. Kate says life is good and sends love to all! **Barby Stults Crear** is me, The Blurb Gatherer. This time I heard from all but one classmate! All of them are well, but a few just had nothing to report to Ivy Leaves. I can relate, as I have no news to report either. It's hot. OK - you knew that.

**1969**

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**Jay Abbott** is hurrying to get his kitchen remodel done before San Francisco is hit by a nuke. **Margaret Eysmans** is very active with projects on the Medford Leas, NJ campus, plays duplicate bridge, and enjoys spending several weeks in the summer with her "significant other" Peter at his family's "cottage" (built in 1927) in Southwest Harbor on Mount Desert Island. They are taking a Road Scholar barge trip in Provence in October. **Melissa Craven Fowler** says there is not too much new to report. **Jack Gearren** has spent the last two years traveling solo around Southeast Asia, participating in a global non-competitive running club, and marveling at what he calls "paradise". You'll have to stay tuned to find out the rest of the story. **Susan Block Orr's** daughter graduated from the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine with a doctorate in clinical psychology, and will be working at the Devereux Foundation with children and adolescents. It was a very proud moment and big milestone for her family. Susan and her husband got a Springer Spaniel puppy named Rose after losing their dog unexpectedly from an acute illness. She's a handful, but a delight. **Frank Sleeper** writes there is nothing newsworthy to report. **Dianne Worthington** is spending a lot of time in the garden this summer, growing fruits and vegetables and milkweed to attract monarch butterflies. She is also enjoying blueberry picking with her grandkids, and trying to figure out what to do with the resident hogdog. I, **Linda McMillan**, started off the year participating in the January 21st Women's March in Boston. It was a powerful and thrilling experience to stand in solidarity with women across the globe who are fighting for equal rights and social justice. It was our generation that started the social movement that would change the American culture forever, and I can't believe we are fighting the fight all over again. Additionally, I serve as a member of the Outreach Committee of my Unitarian church. In the spring, our committee reviewed numerous grant requests and conducted site visits to a number of non-profit organizations to determine which would receive a large grant from one of our endowments. I am extremely proud that we selected an organization instrumental in helping to settle Syrian
refugees in the Boston area. To meet these families and learn their stories has been personally very moving. On August 5th, my daughter biked 163 miles and raised almost $6500 for the Dana Farber Cancer Institute in Boston, where my husband Tim was treated successfully 12 years ago. This is her 5th year riding, and she is already talking about next year. So much progress has been made in the treatment of cancer thanks to the availability of funds for research. This summer I tried my hand at organic gardening for the first time, and I am amazed at the beautiful produce I have grown. Whole Foods would be proud. For the end of summer, I’m looking forward to a vacation on Vinalhaven, an island off the coast of Maine. On the mundane side, our house renovation continues on and on and once again I say that I hope it is finished in 2017! I also recommend the following free podcast by Malcolm Gladwell that mentions Henry Rowan who gave so generously to St. Mary’s Hall/Doane Academy. You can find it at www.revisionisthistory.com. Season 1: Episode 6: “My Little Hundred Million.” It’s an exposé about philanthropy in the world of higher education. Check it out.

1970
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Suzanne Muldowney, at 65, does not plan to retire for quite a long time. To mark the 120th anniversary of the novel “Dracula”, she was asked to dance “The Dracula Archives” at the Mausoleum of Contemporary Art in Philadelphia. Sandy Lawrence Wheeler has relocated to Charlottesville VA. See 1968 for more details about Sandy. Barbara Wise keeps busy teaching and traveling and said she has been to some “pretty strange and remote places in the last year or so. All is well with kids and grandkids. Anyone out her way (Tucson or Phoenix area) is welcome to get in touch to meet for lunch.

1971
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Thank you, John Borden, for pitch-hitting for Wendy this time! John Borden and Mike Davis were able to spend some quality time together when Mike was here from Wisconsin for Founder’s Day last May. They would both report that it was a grand time catching up! John’s son has been promoted to a branch manager’s position with Enterprise in Maplewood, NJ. He apparently is improving the branch’s performance and is looking to continue to improve the office’s performance at the location.

Sheryl Kemp Kittrell’s son Steven was married to Lindsay in Charleston in April 2016. In March 2017, their son David became engaged to MaryGrace, and they will be married at the end of December in Orlando, her hometown. Also in March, the Kittrells welcomed their first grandson, William, born to Steven and Lindsay. Sarah and her husband Andrew continue to pastor a church in Douglasville, GA, and their two daughters (now 3 and almost 6) bring them incredible joy. Sheryl and husband Ralph just celebrated their 41st anniversary. He retired spring of 2016, and they hit the ground running, doing as much globe-trotting as possible, weighing Sheryl down with 20 or more pounds of photo equipment everywhere they go! In May they did a Baltic cruise, followed by a beautiful driving journey through Scotland. Last fall, they spent a fascinating month in Botswana and South Africa, where they had a wonderful photo adventure on safari and along the West Coast of South Africa for wildflower season. In January, they headed for a two-week cultural immersion trip along the Irrawaddy River in Myanmar, now accessible to tourists. In February, Ralph succumbed to his back issues, and underwent lumbar reconstruction surgery, and she had foot surgery so they’ve been stuck at home since, while they recuperated. They were supposed to meet Wendy Elliott Russell and Andy at Glacier National Park, but they are not quite yet up for hiking yet, so they had to cancel. Paul Worthington recently toured the west coast of the USA. He reports that he could fit in there very well!! Is it too soon to plan for our 50th reunion in 2021??

1972
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Neil Grannick went to a number of Doane’s basketball games this past winter. If you’ve never been to one, they are very exciting and very good. He just became semi-retired still selling ladies intimate apparel but now “working” from home four days a week and one day in the office. August 19th is his son’s wedding taking place at Rose Bank Winery in Newtown PA. His wife Joanne is planning to retire after this school year. Then travel and playing golf!

1974
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A request to the class of 1974 from Pam, your class agent – I’ve been attempting to do our Class Agent “job” for 43 years! That ought to be worth everyone chipping in for me to take a trip to Italy, don’t you think?! LOL And, to this day, it’s the same people who respond with occasional updates, and still many who will not respond to me at all. If you’ve changed your contact information (email, phone, name change) and have not updated me or the school,
please do that! My email is above and I’m also on LinkedIn and Facebook. Thank you everyone! I’ll look forward to hearing from you! Here are the people that are MIA (still): Marge Kleinfield, Robin Granello, Margaret Griggs, Mark Slocum, Tish Morrow. I’ve tried to search on Facebook, LinkedIn, etc. with no results. If you know any of our missing classmates and/or have their contact info – please let me know. Andrea “Bitsy” Hall Preston is still living in the Burlington area and continues to work with beloved animals at a vet clinic. But, both she and her husband Mark are looking forward to one day moving to New England! She stays in touch with Janice Mitchell Christianson. Carol O’Neill Tharp continues to work in property management. Life revolves around her children, Brittany and Adam. Brittany and her boyfriend, Marc, recently bought a house close to Carol in Toms River, NJ. Adam will be graduating in December from West Chester University in PA. Carol has a new feline in the family, Esme. Fred Mirsky says “Everything is fine in Connecticut!” He and his wife bought a condo and are living near their son, daughter-in-law, and new granddaughter! Janice Mitchell Christianson and hubby Gary are enjoying their granddaughter, who turned two in November. She’s been enjoying the summer and also went on a winter vacation – destination kept secret! She would love to get together again in the Burlington area with classmates, if people are going to be in the area again anytime in the future. Marc Zingarini turned 60 years old and celebrated with a major blow-out bash in Asbury Park. He’s currently managing the General Liability Department of the Philadelphia office of McGivney, Kluger and Cook. In addition, he has spent a lot of time out west, cycling, skiing, and climbing at his place in Jackson Hole, Wyoming which Marc says it’s “Heaven on Earth!” Paul McIvaine is still in sunny California! Says he’s blessed to be in relatively good health. Two of his children are living outside the country. He and his wife Sue have not figured out retirement yet. Just waiting to see where the kids end up living and whether or not there will be any grandkids! He had a “Mark Slocum sighting” and hopes to talk to him soon! (Class Agent note: That would be great since I haven’t heard from Mark in 43 years!) After 35+ years, Terry Peikin has retired from being a chef and is continuing his successful craft, Steampunk lamps and jewelry. (sample photo below) His crafts are located at Arts Plus in Collingswood, NJ, Deasons Change in Hainesport, NJ, Eco Alley in Stone Harbor, NJ, and, Broadfoot and Broadfoot in Boonton, NJ. Terry also is on Facebook and Instagram as the The Steampunk Illuminist. He and his wife Diane will be celebrating their 35th wedding anniversary, live in Sunnyside, NY, and enjoy weekends at their Margate, NJ place. He keeps in touch with Fred Mirsky and Bob Kushner. Terry would love to hear from classmates. Pam Brown, your class agent, has moved from Terre Haute to Lafayette, IN, home of Purdue University, to be closer to my daughter, son-in-law, and (now) two grandchildren: Aiden Matthew Rusk, 4, and Brooklyn Payge Rusk, born last November. It’s so nice to be close to them now but, it has been an adjustment moving again and starting over in a new city with all of the associated challenges: from finding a new doctor to meeting people! And, those boxes….ugh! Do they ever end? Retirement is not a word allowed in my vocabulary. My daughter, Meghan, works at Purdue University and my son-in-law, Rob, is in practice as a chiropractor in West Lafayette, IN. I still keep in contact with...
Carol O'Neill Tharp, and try to get updates from all of you every 6 months! I would love to hear from all of you.

1978
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Adam Potkay will be a visiting distinguished professor at Princeton University for the 2018-19 academic year-- he'll be back in New Jersey after a long absence, and looks forward to seeing some old SMH/Doane friends. Bill and I, Debra Peters Cilingin, were overjoyed when our son, John, got married to our amazing daughter-in-law, Rohini, on July 1 at Normandy Farm in Blue Bell. We are so blessed and also happy that our daughter and son-in-law, Kara and Ben, were able to return for the wedding from Okinawa, where Ben is serving in the US Marines. It's hard to believe our 40th is next year. I hope to see everyone at our reunion!

1982
Class Agent:
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On May 6, 2017, the graduates attending the Annual Meeting elected Audrey Akins Williamson as president of the Society of Graduates. Thank you, Audrey, for your service to our school! We look forward to your leadership! Your class agent, Susanne LaGraff Galioto, is proud to say that my daughter Sophia recently graduated from North Brunswick Township High School. She is attending Rutgers College of Arts and Sciences in September, with the goal to study genetics. Our former classmate Bill Barretta is performing with the Muppets at the Hollywood Bowl for three nights in September and also begins filming with Melissa McCarthy in "The Happytime Murders" feature, directed by Brian Henson.

1985
Class Agent:
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Rob Bodine's son Alex graduated from Boise State University with a degree in human biology. Son Tate is entering his senior year at Michigan State University majoring in graphic design.

Joe Garemore is organizing a “Class of 85 Amphibious Trip” through the Pinelands over Labor Day Weekend. Joe promised an update (with photos!) in the next issue of Ivy Leaves. Joe’s son Tim is a junior at Doane, and daughter Grace is at Hofstra studying communications. Jeff Ugoretz and his family are enjoying Corning, NY. The Garemore family and Wells family spent Easter with the Ugoretzes. They were able to see Jeff deliver his sermon and share a delicious Easter meal together. Everyone had a great visit. Jeff’s eldest daughter Kaitlyn graduated in May from the University of Pennsylvania with a bachelor’s degree and master’s degree in East Asian studies. She will be going to University of California - Santa Barbara for a PhD program studying Japanese Shinto in the fall. I am hoping to see Kaitlyn if she chooses to stay in SoCal for the holidays.

Daughter Ariel will be a sophomore at St. Timothy’s in Maryland. Empty Nest syndrome has arrived at the Ugoretz home! Ivy Washington was a guest speaker at Doane’s Career Day last May. As part of the Finance Panel, Ivy spoke about her career as a bank examiner. Thank you, Ivy, for being a resource and inspiration! I, Cindy Ferguson Pennepacker, was able to sneak away for a few days over Labor Day to spend some time with Chuck and Jenn Sehorn Wells at their beach house in Sea Isle City, NJ. My amazing mom passed away in April and it was nice to spend a few days with my best friends near the beach my mom loved. They are (unofficially) my “go to” Bed and Breakfast when in New Jersey. My husband, mom and I, along with my brother and his family, stayed there last November when we attended my nephew’s wedding. We all stayed at their shore home again in April.
when we were in New Jersey for my mom’s funeral. The accommodations are amazing if anyone is in need of a comfortable room and unlimited scrapple and pork roll!

1995
Class Agent:
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Marnie Byford has been promoted to Regional Director of Recruiting for the TN/ MS region for SIMOS, a customer-focused, results-oriented labor management firm. Her oldest daughter, Taylor Williams, has graduated from high school and is attending Tennessee State University ‘21 and playing Woman’s Basketball on a full ride Scholarship. Her 14-year-old was accepted into the IB (International Baccalaureate) Program at Germantown High School. Her two youngest daughters are accepted into the Germantown optional program for elementary and middle school. Alex McTighe started a new job selling software for an eCommerce company called Channel Advisor. His wife, Lizzie, recently added a real estate license to her home renovation and design business. Their daughter, Frances, is entering Children’s House at Follow the Child Montessori School. Alex welcomes any SMHDA friends who are visiting the Raleigh area. Your reporter Cristina Smolenak, and my husband, Steve, and daughter, Abigail, will be welcoming another baby girl in October 2017.

1996
Class Agent:
Jaclyn Hickey Marshall
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Neal McTighe, his wife Heather and son Henry have enjoyed a number of trips to Southport, NC, this summer. Henry loves to play on the beach and, like his father, loves golf! They are celebrating his 2nd birthday on August 22, and looking forward to cooler weather this fall. He wishes us all the best the rest of 2017! Your class agent, Jaclyn, is looking forward to seeing many more alumni at the next Bi-Annual Alumni & Friends Get-Together at Legends, 318 High St, Burlington, NJ on Saturday, October 14, 2017 after Homecoming. Please spread the word to alumni from all years. Let’s make the next one even better than the last! For more information about the event contact Jaclyn Marshall at jaclyn.m.marshall@gmail.com

2004
Class Agent:
Crystal-Lynn Carter Hayes
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Zachary Beachem recently completed his MBA at UC Berkeley’s Haas School of Business. He is a Global Business Manager for Wipro Limited. Zach is residing officially in Hayward, California but he travels and works all over the world. Shaina Booker moved to Maryland in the fall of 2016. She will start a new position as an art teacher at Hyattsville Elementary School in September 2017. Bryan Leib was recently elected Treasurer of the Philadelphia Young Republicans.

2006
Class Agent:
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I have been enjoying spending my summer with family especially my daughter, Scarlett. Scarlett will be one on September 19th. It seems as though time is going by fast! As for the rest of the summer, I am looking forward to going on a few little family vacations. Class of 2006 reach out to me with your news!

2008
Class Agent:
Kimberly M. Doell
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Abena Bonna is entering her final year at Yale School of Architecture and will receive a Master of Architecture degree in May 2018. Your class agent, Kimberly Doell, has been living in Providence, RI for the past five years and I have worked at Harvard Business School in Boston for the past two. I’m looking forward to my upcoming travels (for fun) to Chicago, New York City, Colorado, and Washington DC. We’ve also started planning a get-together for our ten-year reunion next summer/fall!

2010
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In April, Callan Dill was engaged to Evan Lichtenauer, a fellow chiropractic student. They will be married in May 2018 and Callan will graduate with a Doctorate of Chiropractic in June 2018. The couple plans on opening their own practice in Northern Virginia, hopefully in October 2018.

2013
Class Agents:
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Joe DeMarco graduated with a biology major and neuroscience minor degree from Ursinus College, where he played varsity soccer. He has plans to study physical therapy in graduate school. Jermall Keels graduated from American University with a degree in information technology and communications. This fall he begins his first year at Georgetown Law School. Aaron Minton is studying mechanical engineering and has a co-op with Alaska Airlines in Seattle. He will graduate from the University
of Alabama next year. Vince Pensyl graduated from George Washington University with a degree in political science, and was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the U.S. Army. Vince next reports to infantry school at Fort Benning, Georgia. Alexa Smith-Rommel graduated with a political communications major with political science and Spanish minors from George Washington University. She's planning on doing some traveling after graduation and will be looking for employment in communication for international development organizations. Emily Young graduated with a marketing degree from Adrian College, in Michigan, where she skated for 2 years on Team USA, was a 4-time national competitor, and a 2-time international competitor. She is planning on going into coaching the sport. Brett Keays graduated with a Management major from Moravian College. He obtained his Commercial Real Estate licence in 2016 and is employed as an associate with Mercer Oak Realty.

2015
Class Agent:
Sarah Howell
showell2015@gmail.com

Gregory Allen recently began a job with Morgan State University’s admissions. He auditioned and was chosen to be a member of his school’s famous choir. He also met and received a tie from Congressman Cedric Richmond. Kelsey Doell has declared a double major in psychology and communications. She hopes to pursue a career as a school counselor. This past spring she competed on the softball team at Juniata, making it the playoffs for the first time in over 5 years. Trent Eastman went abroad to Madrid, Spain, where he loved learning about the history and language while visiting places like Barcelona, Morocco, Paris and Geneva. He is currently doing a summer internship for an engineering consulting company in Riverside, NJ with Brook Eagleson and looking forward to playing club baseball again in the fall. Steven Klova is working this summer as a bike courier and has declared printmaking as a major at Tyler. He plans to spend his spring semester 2018 in Rome. After an exciting freshman year in New York City, Leyli Malikova moved back home to Azerbaijan where she landed an internship as a guest service agent at JW Marriott Asbheron Baku. She is currently applying to schools in Spain in order to continue pursuing her career in marketing and advertising, as well as her fluency in Spanish. Charles Marchesani is at Washington College pursuing a major in anthropology. He was working with the Habitat for Humanity Club at several work sites this past semester. He created his first album cover for ‘Heart on Fire’. He spent the beginning of his summer at Archaeological Field School in Maryland and is interning for his second year at Broadridge Financial Systems. Connor Newman is continuing his pursuit of a triple major in Brain & Cognitive Science, Psychology, and Studio Art at the University of Rochester, while also making dean’s list. This past semester he worked in a lab studying the visual systems of rhesus macaques with live animals. He also finished out his year and a half term as the publicity/communications chair for Pride Network. Connor has continued his design work including designing all the posters for Pride as well as a t-shirt and logo for the largest and oldest simulation (table-top) gaming convention in the northeast. In that same vein Connor has continued to pursue art competitions getting 4th place in his school’s Art of Science competition and was the only artist to have two accepted works in the Hartnett Gallery’s yearly undergraduate juried exhibition. Connor is currently in the process of co-founding a club at U of R for people to discuss animal research (with a focus on people who are pre-vet or plan on studying animals in grad school). Vivian Okoye started working as a research assistant at the Advanced Biomedical Research Center on her school’s medical campus. She also recently began volunteering at the Brigham Women’s Hospital on her free weekends. She is on the executive board for the African Students Organization. Alyssa Rogers will soon be studying abroad in Italy at Studio Arts College International (SACI). Mary Jo Sieb began her clinical experiences this past spring and she has decided to pursue a career in travel nursing. During the school year, she volunteers her time with the elderly. Thomas Simpson joined two financial clubs, FMA and Sam Fund. He is most proud to be a member of Sam Fund. He immediately applied for leadership and was elected to be manager of the industrial sector. Alexander Trosko is extremely excited to be halfway through with college. John Victor runs a social media marketing company. He is currently working with his team on a Youtube promotional series on the culture of each section in D.C. Your class agent, Sarah Howell, recently joined
Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority and I was elected as treasurer for the Executive Greek Council on Ursinus College’s campus. I am studying English and Education to become either a high school English teacher or a special needs teacher. In hopes of improving my writing skills I began writing for The Odyssey and was promoted to editor.

In Memoriam

1945
Patricia Van Horn Lix,
May 15, 2017

1948
Phebe Gulick Snow,
May 5, 2017

1949
Anne Harvitt Barlow,
March 31, 2017

1950
Kay Lorraine Strahle Rogers,
October 7, 2016

1969
Hresanthe “Terry” Litsas Calogredes,
March 1, 2017

2014
Gabriel West Roth,
August 16, 2017*
(*) associate graduate

Kathy Lisehora
September 1, 2017
served as our school nurse from 1979 through 2015

Last year’s freshman class honored the class of ’33 during Spirit Week by recreating their graduation photo.
# DoaneNation

On May 31st 2017, in celebration of Bishop Doane’s birthday and to honor the 180th anniversary of St. Mary’s Hall and Doane Academy, we hosted our third annual #DoaneNation day. With the support of Doane parents, students, alumni, faculty, and friends, we surpassed our initial goal of 180 donations and ended the 24 hour period of giving with over 210 donations and $22,000. The success of this year’s #DoaneNation day was possible because of the overwhelming support and generous contributions of the Doane community. Many members of the community had the chance to engage with Doane via social media platforms, featuring video clips and images of students and faculty, leading up to and during #DoaneNation. This increased online engagement had a significant impact on the success of the day and allowed us to capture donations from many first time donors as well as continued participation from other members of the Doane community.
Current Students
Rocco Andonie ‘28
Elle Bukosky ‘18
Katherine Bukosky ‘24
Gokul Hankumar ‘18
Andrew Keays ‘18
Adeline Kendall ‘30
Giana Longo ‘18
Ben Marchesani ‘18
Sara Marchesani ‘18
Donovan McClellan ‘18
Connor McHugh ‘20
Emily Myers ‘20
Daria Osterman ‘24
Sabina Osterman ‘21
Olivia Randhawa ‘30
Ava Sadar ‘26
Brooke Sadar ‘29
JT Thompson ‘19
Isabella Trumble ‘20
Ariana Zacek ‘30

Friends
Richard Abdill
Cynthia Affleck
Kathy Almeida
Lois Anderson
Nitin Banwar and
Heidi Schwarz
Rita Barbalace
Rebecca Beckerman
Andrew Berezin
Thomas and Jeanne
Marie Blair
Patrick Blair
Peter Blair
Randye Bloom
Briana Boles
Leslie Boles
Zelphia Boles
James M. Buck III
Robert Cabanas
Joseph and Denise Campbell
Renee Carl
Salvatore and
Gerladine Carlese
Linda Carnival
John and Patricia Casey
Susan Catando
Carmine Ceasar
Kelly Chalifoux
Jeanne Charles
John Collins
Julia Cooper
Chris Cosentino
Joseph and Laurie Creighton
Joseph and Karen Cserenti
Edward and Mary Dallmann
John D’Amelio
Melissa D’Amelio
Paul Dawson
Mark and Paula DiLeo
David Doran
Hugh Dougherty
Candy-Lou Dwayne
Robert and Virginia Dunne
Rosemary Fearon
Fred Fisher
Linda Fox
Jeremy Freidman
Itai Fruchter
David Gardellin
Robert and Cindy Goodrich
Janet Greave
Keri Guinnesso
Harry Hero
Marc Hembrough
Christopher Henn
Richard and Sandra Hibbard
Lawrence Holeman
Mary Hultz
Jonathan Isakoff
Ellis Jack
Glenda Jack
Joyce Jack
Ryan Nicole Jennings
Denise Johnson
Leslie-Anne Jones
Mark and Lisa Jones
Justine Jones
Jamaal Jones
Natasha Jones
Julius Jones
Tom Kariger
Eric and Joanie Keays
Davieille Keiser
Greg and Peggy bullpen
Nicole Kruitwagen
Esther Lark
Mark Lawshe
Loretta Lewin
Rich and Vivian Lewis
Giovanna Lockhart
George and Carol Long
Reva Luce
Julie Lyman
Sherri Mahoney
Thomas Mahoney
Mary Lou Mascarin
Kevin and Margo Mattis
Katherine McKee
Andrew McDonald
Deborah Mensch
Diane Mensch
Dolores Michels
Michael Mikulski
Lorraine Moore
Rev. Paul Morrissey
Matthew Naula
Cory Newman
Cynthia Newton
Kristen Nisbet
Margaret Jones Osman
Charles Otley
Vilene Parris
David Payne
Tara Perigyn
Ernest Perino
Emmanuel and Christine Perry
Nancy Polisano
Douglas Powell
The Powell Family
The Powers Family
Michael Praveco
Cheryl Pratt
Debbie Priebell
Kevin Prout
Suzanne Quint
Melinda Rath
Marl Robinsohn
John and Donna Rusinko
Cardiss Sammy
James Sanderson
Katharine Sanderson
Peter Sanderson
Vincent and Mary Schino
Douglas Schlechter
David Schmelzter
Jeanette Scholz
Karl Schwarz
Michael Scalo
Steven and Sylvia Sederuk
Donald Shaw
Brittany Shaw
Adolph Shaw
Desire Sherwood Bagnell
Adam Sholley
Christopher and Ashley Smith
Frances Smith
Cheryl Smith
Kay Smith
Kathleen Staerck
Rah Staufier
Rick Swain
Jeffrey and Patricia Taylor
Adriane Thomson
Demetrius Tilley
Jeffery Tinnick
Cindy Tobin-Payne
Jennifer Tomkowski
Aldo Tonti
Kyle Trimble
Genna and Elana Voronov
Kathleen Ware
Dian Wender
Maxine White-Brown
Suzanne Woodward
Bruce Wylie
Ryan Yansick
Domenic and Carol Zulla

Corporations/Organizations
A 2 Z Emblems LLC
A&E Construction Co.
Acacia Financial Group, Inc.
Andrews Federal Credit Union
Atlantic Concrete Cutting Inc.
Baldwin Photo LLC
Bank of America Charitable Foundation
BCG Securities
Beneficial Bank
Benefit Community Impact Fund
Bervan Security Systems, Inc.
Brown & Connery, LLP
Burlington County Bar Foundation
Burlington Country Club
Caroline Myers Trust
Cementex Products, Inc.
Cepregy Charitable Foundation
Chygoes Island Properties, LLC
Clearwater Concrete
CSC Investments, LLC

Curtin’s Wharf, INC.
Diocese of New Jersey
EJA/Capacity Insurance Agency LLC
Ellis Family Foundation
Essex Community College
Meri’s Basketball
Evans Chiropractic, LLC
Fidelity Charitable Gift Fund
Glenmede Trust Company
Gore Real Estate
Finance LLC
Greater Burlington Chamber of Commerce
Harrison, Mauro, Morgan CPA
Henry M. Rowan
Family Foundation
IBM Matching Grants Program
Insight Properties
Inverbrook
J&B Bakery
JH Consulting Group, Inc.
John Gibson Martin, Architect
Johnson Electronic Services
Joy’s Gift Shop Inc. T/A
Joy’s Hallmark
Kelly and Partners
Kent & McBride, P.C.
Laura’s of Homestead, Inc.
Mercer Oak Realty, LLC
Morgan Stanley Smith Barney, LLC
Mortgage America, Inc.
Networking Matters
New York Life
Page Funeral Home
Pathways Government Relations, LLC
PSE&G
Renzi’s Cigars
Rotary Club of Burlington
S J Alliance Mechanical, LLC
Salesforce.org
Schino Property Management, LLC
Shoppes at the Glen, LLC
Silver Oak Design
Sterling Benefits LLC
Stinsman Photography LLC
T.C. Irons Agency
Terra Associates, Inc.
The Baltimore Family Foundation
The Cornerstone Bank
The Dubrow Foundation
The Jonathan E.
The Kula Foundation
The Overton Foundation
The Studio for Yoga
The Kula Foundation
The Studio for Yoga
Third State Brewing
Trimfoot Co LLC
Tustin Farm
United Way
Wharton Business Group
Whitesell Construction
Winezinger, Inc.
YMCA of Burlington and
Cameron Counties

Current & Past
Grandparents
William and Beatrice Ashmore ’46
Bonita Bennett
Patricia Blair
Charles and Roxane Blow
Richard and Lois Bunners
David and Sheila Butt
Alexander and Joyce Buzick
Peter and Norma Carter
Betty Lou Casey-Gernhardt
Giovanna Cecchi
Jeanne Doran
Rose Greenbaum
Wayne Lisehora
Howard and Nancy Mann
Margaret McClellan
Lucy McGraw
John and Virginia Miller
Thomas and Gene Monahan
Norman and Phyllis Newman
Wallace and Priscilla Norum
Janice Osterman
June Osterman
James Ottley
Robert and Carol Paglione
Dominic and
MaryAnn Paradise
Patricia Decker Patterson ’56
Ronald and Margaret Pitko
Linda Reillo
Stephen Russo
Timothy and Maria Sadar
Jane Sherwood
Robert and
Marsha Silcox
Constance Price Smith ’55
Joyce Thompson
Joseph and
Bonnie Zacek
Constantine and
Angie Zimnes

Dennis and
Richelle Sherwood
Mary Ann Sieb
Robert and Marsha Silcox
Thomas and Sarah Simpson
David Stein
Dianne Sterchons
Kevin and Daunne Sullivan
Joseph and Toni Thompson
Eric and Branetta Toadley
Faith Zimnes and
Cindy Toering
Michael and Meghan Toomey
Michael and Lisa Totin
Brad and Susan Trimble
Allison Trosko
Catherine and Chancellor Van Sciver ’88
Charles ’85 and Jennifer Sheehan ‘95
Daniel and
Mary Ann Williamson
Edward and Alita Wingfield
Cynthia Young
### The 1930s
- Catherine Phelon Allen '39

### The 1940s
- Nancy MacFarland Wismer '43
- Mary Cox Morrison '44
- Emily Wright Holt '45
- M. Temple Fawcett '46
- Shirley Lukens Rosseau '48
- Phoebe Gulick Snow '48
- Elizabeth Budd Breighton '49
- Maxine Rosenthal Lampert '52

### The 1950s
- Tony Hubert Huntington '50
- Alice Schoemaker '50
- Sallie Siegert Sypher '50
- Carol Allen Baugh '51
- Barbara Armstrong
- Constance Fellows Koolt '51
- Margaret Stillwagon Collins '54
- Constance Price Smith '55
- Nancy Fuller Wright '55
- Patricia Decker Patterson '56
- Margaret Siegert Robbins '56
- Cynthia Johnson Floria '57
- Sidney Hagert Goddell '57
- Alice Huang '57
- Mary Louise Johnson '57
- Robert McKay IV
  - (Gail Prosabosco McKay '57)
- Margaret Fenimore Morris '57
- Judith Perinchief '57
- Julia Gleason Rhoads '57
- Katharine Shinn Rich '57
- Mary-Virginia Shaw '57
- Judith Walters Stein '57
- Sally Garrison Thomas '57
- Diane Higham Warrick '57
- Elena Viteri Yuskiewicz '57
- Linda Focht Whistler '58
- Karen Fischer '59
- Anne Cramer Hoover '59
- Joan Wright Konecnay '59
- Barbara W. Schuessler '59
- Katharine Hutton Tweedy '59
- Frances Mulford Young '59

### The 1960s
- Elizabeth Fineburg '60
- Linda Viteri '60
- Susan Kahn Ferry '61
- Alice Collins Fisk '61
- Diane Wilson Koger '61
- Jean Scott Lendvay '61
- Betsy Siegert Petri '61
- Alice (Lollie) Berger Rogers X '61
- Sandra Stoddart Smith '61
- Suzanne Shaw Smith '61
- Sandra Harbort Bishop '62
- Caroline Kerlin Kemmerer '62
- Carol Richards Cullerson '63
- Jeanette Smith Cureton '63
- Martha Conway Gabriel '63
- Frances Rosenzweig Kaufmann x '63
- Linda S. Sharlin '63
- Sandra Alves Belcher '65
- Nancy Carson Berst '65
- Muniel Black Betten '65
- Sherry Shaw Butterworth '65
- Susan Wojick Carrow '65
- Martha Mulford Gray '65
- Teddi Groff '65
- Carolyn Viola John '65
- Susan Brotz Lippincott '65
- Marsha Megariotis '65
- Maryann Schoeller Stroup '65
- Eileen McCormack Brooks '66
- Kathleen Blair Person '66
- Ellen Winslow '66
- Barbara Branche '67
- Nancy Applegate Carson '67
- Gayle Van Durzer Carson '67
- Bonnie Dix Cavanaugh '67
- Donna Lanting Davison '67
- Kathryn Newberry Dubit '67
- Anne Gold Gleason '67
- Suzann Condoroudis Halstuch '67
- Pamela Borden Heckert '67
- Judith Herman '67
- Frances Megariotis Klenzenie '67
- Jane Connors Rehark '67
- Jane Rosenthal Schorr '67
- Georgia Hardenbergh Tucci '67
- Doris Fischer '68
- Linda McMillan '69

### The 1970s
- Victoria Greene Aldrich '70
- Lawrence Rogers '70
- Barbara Wise '70
- John Borden '71
- Michael Davis '71
- Wendy Elliott Russell '71
- Kathleen Blair Person '71
- Richard Towle '71
- Richard NYPD '71
- Mary-Ellen Pumyea Siner '71
- Emily Collins Hanes '71
- Joseph DeMarco '72
- Brett Keats '73
- Jermall Keels '73
- Alexa Smith-Rommel '73
- Emilyrose Young '73
- Wen-Heui Shao '74
- Gregory Tyler Allen '75
- Trent Eastman '75
- Mary Jo Sieb '75
- Alexander Trosko '75
- Audrey Winzinger '75
- Harry Van Sciver '77
- Kendal Bradford '78
- Adam Potkay '78
- Cheryl Cohen Miller '79
- Daniel Tocci '79

### The 1980s
- Lou Pica X '80
- Aubrey Haines x '81
- Pamela Geurds Kabati '81
- Timothy Hall '83
- Kent Hendricks '83
- Elizabeth Sharrier '83
- John Stockton '83
- Nancy Cramer Walker '83
- Michael Zieliński '83
- Christina Cecchi '85
- Joseph Garemore '85
- Jennifer Sehorn Wells '85
- Charles Wells '85
- Robert Gordon '86
- Jeff Hedge '87
- Paul Sheehan '87
- Kathleen Lisichora Keays '88
- James Millson '88
- Jose Peguero '88
- Stephen Teitelman '88
- Chancellor Van Sciver '88
- Greta van Noordenberg x'88

### The 1990s
- Rebekah Wallace Baier '90
- Janette Boulden '90
- George Mesthos '95
- Ashley Sadar '95
- Hillary Bryce Rupert '96
- Suzanne Davis '97
- Lacy Hall '97
- Maria A. Morgan '97
- Jessica Blow Kendall '98
- Vincent Schino '98
- Justin Baldwin '99

### The 2000s
- Nicholas Schino '10
- Eric Blow '11
- Gabrielle Perrottet '11
- Rebecca Perrottet '11
- Antony Haines '12
- Emily Curci '13
- Joseph DeMarco '13
- Brett Keats '13
- Jermall Keels '13
- Alexa Smith-Rommel '13
- Emilyrose Young '13
- Wen-Heui Shao '14
- Gregory Tyler Allen '15
- Trent Eastman '15
- Mary Jo Sieb '15
- Alexander Trosko '15
- Audrey Winzinger '15
- Harry Van Sciver '15
- Kendal Bradford '15
- Adam Potkay '15
- Cheryl Cohen Miller '15
- Daniel Tocci '15

### Grants
- Burlington County Bar Foundation
- Ellis Family Foundation

### Bequest
- The Estate of Cynthia McFarland *H

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**The George Washington Doane Heritage Society**

The George Washington Doane Heritage Society was established to honor those who have included Doane Academy in their long-term plans through intention to bequest, life income gift, or other planned gift. If you have already included Doane Academy in your long-term plans and we do not have you listed in the George Washington Doane Heritage Society, please let us know. If you have not included Doane Academy in your plans, but would like to, contact Kathleen Keays, Director of Development at (609) 386-3500 ext. 166 or kkeays@doaneacademy.org.

**Anonymous**
- Betty Sue Campbell '64 *
- Christina Cecchi '85
- Bryant and Jeanette Smith Cureton '63
- Jasmine Declet
- Alice Collins Fisk '61
- Victoria Greene Aldrich '70
- Marjorie C. Hayes '39 *
- Pamela Borden Heckert '67
- Anne Cramer Hoover '59
- Kathleen Lisichora Keays '88
- Cynthia McFarland H *
- John and Alice McGee H
- Margaret Fenimore Morris '57
- Mabel Welles Owens '33 *
- Jeanne Leach Scott '40 *
- Ann Pumyea Siner '40 *
- David and Suzanne Shaw Smith '61
- Sally Garrison Thomas '57
- Adelaide Ward '35 *

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