

# THE GRAPEVINE

The Newsletter for Friends and Alumni of Prince of Peace College Preparatory, Mater Dei High School, St. Mary's High School, Mt. St. Clare Academy and Our Lady of Angels Academy

Alumní Association presents: 2010 Sunset Social

All-School Alumní Event Saturday, July 31, 2010 Tuscany Room at Rastrellí's Restaurant

Planning has continued on the Sunset Social. The event is planned for alumni of Clinton Catholic Schools, as well as friends of Catholic education. The Alumni Association is excited to present an event that will gather graduates of Prince of Peace College Preparatory, Mater Dei High School, St. Mary's High School, Mt. St. Clare Academy, and Our Lady of Angels Academy. It is also important to include our "friends", whether they are parents who sent their children to one of the schools, parishioners or community members.

Alumni Association president, John Griffin says, "We hope that this becomes an annual event. We look forward to alumni and friends putting this event on their calendars every year. We will have at least three classes who are celebrating their reunions. They will not only get to see their own classmates, but also those who have attended school the years before and after them."

If you are having a class reunion, please email a photo and identify the class members for the next issue of the Grapevine.

Karen Witt, Development Director devdir@prince.pvt.k12.ia.us

#### **Evening Schedule**

*5:00 PM* Mass at Jesus Christ, Prince of Peace Church

> 6:00 PM Cocktail hour Cash bar Beer available at no charge (for a limited time)

> > 7:00 PM Dinner

8:30 PM - 11:30 PM Music provided by Second Chance

To make your reservation, turn to page 7.



### Class Reunions at the Sunset Social

The following classes are celebrating their reunions at the Sunset Social.

Class of 1975 Contact: Mike and Kathy Yackshaw 563•243•5285

#### Class of 1980 Contact: Tammy Isenhour 563•242-9166

Class of 1990 Contact: Stacy Lingle-Hemstreet 303•880•2094 email: stacylingle@hotmail.com

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Class of 2 0 1

**Briana Asmus**, daughter of Hope and Randy Kimmer of Maquoketa, Iowa. Briana plans to attend Ashford University to study psychology.

Haley Chapman, daughter of Dean and Lisa Chapman of Clinton. Haley plans to attend Kirkwood Community College to study nursing.

Jill Crigger, daughter of James (SMHS 1980) and Carol (SMHS 1980) Crigger of Clinton. Jill plans to attend Clinton Community College to study nursing. Samantha Dodd, daughter of Troy Dodd and Margaret (MDHS 1981) Kuhl, both of Clinton. Samantha plans to attend Marquette University to study international affairs and business communications.

**Ian Flood**, son of Jim and Abbie Flood of Clinton. Ian plans to attend the University of Dubuque to study environmental science.

**Brittany Horst**, daughter of Connie Horst of Sabula, Iowa. Brittany plans to attend Clarke College to study nursing.

Kelsey Hosette, daughter of Steve and LuAnne Hosette of Clinton. Kelsey plans to attend the University of Iowa to study history.

YeKyung Jang, daughter of ChangSuk Jang and Myeong Yel Lee of Ulsan, South Korea. Host parents are Larry and Patrice Knudson. YeKyung plans to attend the University of Washington in Seattle to study biomedical engineering. **Isaac Jankowski**, son of Tom and SueAnn Jankowski of Clinton. Isaac plans to attend Western Illinois University to study musical theatre.

Nicholas Jensen, son of Mark (MSCA 1979) and Denise Jensen of Clinton. Nicholas plans to attend St. Ambrose University to study political science. Megan Lehmkuhl, daughter of David and Margie Lehmkuhl of Clinton. Megan plans to attend Clarke College to study biology.

Michael Leon, son of Michelle Leon of Clinton and Alvaro Leon of Henderson, NV. Michael plans to attend Marquette University to study business economics. Megan Morthland, daughter of Randy and JoAnn Morthland of Thomson, IL. Megan plans to attend Ashford University to study psychology.

**Sean Mulholland,** daughter of Robert (MDHS 1982) and Joanne Mulholland (MDHS 1983) of Clinton. Sean plans to attend Augustana College to study accounting.

James Nelson, son of David and Sally Nelson of Clinton. James plans to attend Kirkwood Community College to study business.

John Nelson, son of David and Sally Nelson of Clinton. John plans to attend Kirkwood Community College to study business. Commencement

Sunday, May 23, 2010 Central Catholic Auditorium Valedictorian • Megan Lehmkuhl Salutatorian • Nicholas Jensen

Mark Roling, son of Steve and Sharon Roling of Clinton. Mark plans to attend Iowa State University to study business. Cameron Roth, daughter of Paul (SMHS 1979) and the late Christy Roth of Clinton. Cameron plans to attend Clinton Community College to study special needs education.

Shannon Roth, daughter of Paul (SMHS 1979) and the late Christy Roth of Clinton. Shannon plans to attend Kirkwood Community College to study culinary arts. Seulgi Ryu, daughter of Jin Hwan Ryu and Youngmi Kim of Gwangju, South Korea. Host parents: Don (SMHS 1975) and Gerilyn (MSCA 1977) Jacobs. Seulgi plans to attend the University of Buffalo in New York to study pharmacolgy. Erica Ugarph, daughter of Tom (SMHS 1977) and Cindy Ugarph (SMHS 1979) of Clinton. Erica plans to attend Clinton Community College to study nursing. Ryan VanZuiden, son of Robert and Lori VanZuiden of Morrison, IL. Ryan plans to attend the University of Illinois to study international business.

**Dorthea Varner**, daughter of David and Shirley Varner of Clinton. Dorothea plans to attend Clinton Community College to study education.

#### The grapevine

#### Dear Alumni,

The end of a school year is bittersweet. We gaze back on the year and all of the accomplishments of our young people. We have experienced great success in sports, the arts and, of course, academics. We graduated twenty-three fine young men and women to add to the alumni roll. I am always in awe of the hard work, dedication and commitment to education that our students value. Academic success cannot always be quantified but the numbers are impressive none the less for this graduating class. For freshman year scholarships, these students earned \$122,550. Adding in four year scholarships the number reaches almost \$300,000. Wow!! This clearly indicates that our Catholic school provides our students with an excellent education and prepares them well to meet the challenges of college and university demands.

Our most recent graduates, like so many who have gone before, choose to prepare themselves for careers that reflect Catholic values of service and leadership. Careers in business, medicine, environmental science, education, musical theater, law, culinary arts and pharmacy are part of the life goals of our graduates. Our students, as they grow closer to senior year and graduation, understand that "life" isn't just about getting the diploma. Our seniors are provided a day of reflection right before graduation. One strong thread of understanding that weaves through the day is the importance of relationships. The relationships developed between student and teacher, among friends, with their coaches and with church impacted who they are now and who they will become in the future. Catholic education is a great place to start youth on the right path in life.

As we rejoice with our new alumni, reflect on how your Catholic education has formed you, your life decisions and choices. I ask that you keep not only our new graduates in your prayers, but also our school that it remains strong in its mission to "provide educational programs which promote Gospel values and Catholic tradition in the context of a changing world."

In another week, we will also be saying goodbye to our pastor of twelve years, Fr. Tony Herold and parochial vicar of five years, Fr. Thom Hennen, as they leave Prince of Peace for new assignments. We have been so fortunate to have them be part of our school as board members, teachers in our classrooms and as our priests. We will miss them both very much.

In Christ, Nancy L. Peart, Principal

School Life



Seniors work on their projects during the egg-themed Art Week



Prince of Peace Prep National Honor Society

Prince of Peace Prep band performs in large group band competition.





Prince of Peace Prep girls' basketball team qualifies for the state tournament.

High school students read a story in Spanish to a 3rd grade student.



Prom "A Night in Paris"



# **IN MEMORIAM**

## 1930's

 Patricia Britt - Stitzel, of Clinton (SMHS

 1934) 4-14-2003

 Kathryn Gambell, 90, of Glenwood

 Springs, CO (OLA 1934) 8-19-06

 Ila Jean Thomsen, 92, of Clinton (OLA

 1935) 5-20-2010

 Robert White, 91, of Clinton (SMHS

 1936) 3-1-2010

 Josephine Gerke, 92, of Clinton (SMHS

 1936) 3-3-2010

## 1940's

Bill Quinlan, of Jasonville, IN (SMHS 1945)
Ed Frett, of Banning, CA (SMHS 1946) 11-13-08
Sr. Margaret Keefe, BVM, 80, of Dubuque, IA (SMHS 1947) 12-3-09
Nellie Tieso, 78, of Clinton (SMHS 1948) 5-1-2010
John Pelisek, 78, of Clinton (SMHS) 3-14-2010
Mary Lou Hoffman, 79, of Clinton (SMHS 1949) 2-19-2010

# 1950's

Doris Ann Maltas, 76, of Clinton (SMHS) 3-7-2010 Gerald "Jerry" McClimon, 70, of Channahom, IL (SMHS 1958) 3-3-2010

# 1960's

Fred Balwin, 67, of Fort Worth, TX (SMHS 1960) 1-24-2010 Lynn Emrick Valet, of Lee's Summit, MO (MSCA 1965), 5-15-09

# 1990's

Laura (Frey) Bynum Anderson, 33, of Davenport, IA (MDHS 1994) 1-8-2010

## Friends

**Kylee Hyde,** 17, of Greenville, WI, daughter of Erik (MDHS 1988) and Amy (Waldorf) Hyde. Kylee attended Prince of Peace Schools before moving with her family to Greenville in 2008. 2-2-2010

# NOTEWORTHY ALUMNI

Mary Lynn Wolfe, a 1981 graduate of Mater Dei High School, is running for a seat in the Iowa House of Representatives. Wolfe, a Democrat, has been practicing law in Clinton with her father, Jack.

Jan Thyne, a 1970 graduate of St. Mary's High School, is named varsity head volleyball coach at Dubuque Wahlert. Thyne has spent the past 25 years as the school's freshman and sophomore coach. Thyne coached Mater Dei/St. Mary's between 1981-1983. During that time the Irish won three consecutive state titles.

Allison (Schuetzle) Schultz, a 2003 graduate of Prince of Peace Prep received the Clinton Jaycees "Outstanding Young Religious Leader" award. Mrs. Schultz teaches 5th grade at Prince of Peace Academy.

Luke Roling, a 2007 graduate of Prince of Peace Prep was elected president of Iowa State University student government. Roling is a senior at ISU and will serve as president for the 2010-2011 school year. Nancy (McDonnell) Peart, a 1969 graduate of St. Mary's High School and current Principal at Prince of Peace Schools is also a very active grandmother of nine. In a 16 month time period she was blessed with four new grandchildren. Nancy's son Eugene, MDHS 2000, had a son, Dominic, born in September of 2008. Her daughter Kate, MDHS 1995, had a daughter, Fiona, born in November 2008. Nancy's youngest daughter Maggie, POPCP 2004, had two sons, Cooper, born in November 2008 and Frankie born in January 2010.

# THANK YOU!

A special thank you to Alma Nichols (OLA 1939), who so kindly donates her time and energy to clip obituaries and news articles for *The Grapevine* and Prince of Peace Schools. We appreciate everything you do.

### Tell us about yourself or provide a new address...

Please send news of special events in your life to share with your fellow alumni. We'd love to hear about your career, military status, educational achievements, and family!

E-mail:

Name (include maiden): \_\_\_\_\_

Full Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone:

School you attended and class year:\_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's name:

If s/he attended our schools, please indicate school and class year:

News:\_\_\_\_

# **PRINCE OF PEACE EDUCATION FOUNDATION Christy Roth Service Scholarship Scholarships**

on February 2, 2010 at age 17.

Over the years, many alumni and friends of Catholic education have established scholarships to be given to current Prince of Peace students to offset tuition costs. Most of these scholarships serve as a memorial to a loved one who understood and appreciated the unique academic and spiritual experiences of a Catholic education.

A scholarship can be started with as little as \$5000 (an annual scholarship of approximately \$250). The scholarship amount is then determined by the interest earned on the original fund, making sure that the scholarship will impact Prince of Peace students year after year. The scholarship funds are managed by the Prince of Peace Education Foundation.

At an awards assembly on May 19th, many family members of our memorial scholarships were able to present the scholarship award to the student recipient. The scholarship awards for the 2010 - 2011 school are as follows:

Jack Nelson Scholarship - \$500 Leon McDonnell Scholarship - \$500 Bernard "Bubs" Mayer Scholarship - \$500 Vernon Witt Memorial Scholarship - \$300 Harvey Suehl Memorial Scholarship -\$350 John Lingle Memorial Scholarship - \$950 Student Council Scholarship - \$200 Coupe DeVille Scholarship - \$200 Dorothy Benishek Pratt Scholarship - \$500 Fred Benishek Memorial Scholarship - \$500 Harry J. Pratt Endowed Scholarship - \$300 Christian Experience Weekend Scholarship \$200 Lyman & Ullaniee Wareham Scholarship \$600 Deb Lind Scholarship - two \$775 Lucille Jensen Memorial Scholarship - \$300 Jack Dermody Memorial Scholarship - \$350 Margaret Dillon Memorial Scholarship - \$300 Thomas E Hansen Scholarship - \$500 Thomas "Pinky" McDonnell Scholarship - two \$900

Regina Gill Trust was established to support families of high school students who have a financial hardship. Funds from this trust are received and distributed every year.

# **Established**

The Christy Roth Service Scholarship was established through funds donated by family and friends of Christy, who passed away on August 28, 2009. Christy is the wife of Paul Roth (SMHS 1979) and the mother of Prince of Peace students Shannon, Cameron, and Nic Roth. Christy was an extremely active school parent having just completed her sixth year on the Prince of Peace School Board as president shortly before her death. Christy had a strong belief in service to her community, church, and school. The Christy Roth Service Scholarship serves as a celebration of students' service to others. The first scholarship, in the amount of \$250, was presented at the 2010 Commencement Exercises in which her daughters Shannon and Cameron graduated.



Kylee Hyde Scholarship Family and friends of Kylee Hyde are raising money to establish a Prince of Peace Scholarship. Through the sale of Kylee Hyde memorial window stickers and an annual Kylee Hyde Memorial Golf Tournament on September 4th, the family hopes to establish two scholarships. The first will be a one time college scholarship for a Prince

will be a memorial scholarship given each year to a Prince of Peace student. Kylee is the daughter of Erik (MDHS 1988) and Amy Waldorf Hyde. Granddaughter of Lauren (SMHS 1955) and Judy Hyde. Niece of Sherri (SMHS 1977), Debbie (SMHS 1979), Terry (SMHS 1980), Angie (MDHS 1982), and Coley (MDHS 1987). Kylee attended Prince of Peace Schools, along with her two brothers and one sister until the family moved to Greenville, WI in 2008. Kylee was killed in a car accident

of Peace Prep graduate from the class of 2011 (Kylee's class). The second scholarship

Window stickers are on sale in the school office. Information on the golf tournament is on the school website or contact Sherri (Hyde) Allen at: www.Sherri.Allen@xerox.com



## Memorial Endowment Fund

A memorial endowment fund is being established through the Scott County Family "Y" to ensure Laura's passions and her legacy live in perpetuity. The fund will support cancer and cardiac programs and services at the Scott County Family Y, which are areas about which she was very passionate.

Laura Bynum Anderson (MDHS 1994) is the daughter of John and Cheryl Frey. She is the sister of Robert (MDHS 1990) and Deborah (MDHS 1987). Laura died on January 8, 2010 at age 33 from a heart condition. Classmates and friends of Laura's can call the Scott County Family Y's Development Office at 563•332•0234 for more information.

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#### Jesus Christ, Prince of Peace Parish Located at: 1105 LaMetta Wynn Drive

Mailing Address: PO Box 578, Clinton, IA 52732

### Fr. Tony And Fr. Thom Are Re-assigned

Father Tony Herold, Pastor at Jesus Christ, Prince of Peace Parish for eleven years, has been re-assigned. Fr. Tony will become the Pastor for SS. John and Paul Parish in Burlington, Iowa. Father Thom Hennen, our Parochial Vicar, will move to Iowa City to become Parochial Vicar at St. Mary's Parish and the Newman Center. Fr. Thom has been with us for five years. Prince of Peace School families, staff, and students are thankful for the spiritual leadership and guidance provided by Fr. Tony and Fr. Thom.

Both will be missed in the classroom and at school Masses. We pray that God will watch over them, as they have watched over us. We will miss you both.

#### Fr. Ken Kuntz and Fr. Joseph Nguyen Will Take Over Duties As of July 1, 2010

Prince of Peace students surprise Fr. Tony (r) and Fr. Thom (l) with a goodbye party after a school Mass. Our priests were showered with well wishes, gifts and prayers.

Father Ken Kuntz will join our parish as Pastor after serving sixteen years in the same capacity at St. Mary's Parish in Iowa City. He will be joined by the newly ordained Father Joseph Nguyen, who will serve as Parochial Vicar. We welcome them both with open hearts.



Student dresses as the saint he introduces to the class.



Elementary student holds the cross during the Living Rosary.





Student crowns Mother Mary during the May Crowning Ceremony.

Fr. Thom speaks to a group of high school students.





#### From the Alumni Association

The Alumni Association would like to thank the following for their donations to offset the costs of *The Grapevine*:

Ken Springer (SMHS 1955) • Joe O'Donnell (SMHS 1964) • Ann Marcucci Van Vickle (SMHS 1962) • Jean Rowan Kelley (SMHS 1954) • Tom Klinkner (SMHS 1948) • Judy Hilgendorf Long (SMHS 1967) • Connie St. Clair Walker (SMHS 1962) • Jack Stanford (SMHS 1942) • Larry Morris (SMHS 1955) • Msgr. Francis Henricksen (SMHS 1946)

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#### From the Foundation

The Foundation Board of Directors would like to thank the following contributors for their donations. Their gifts will help insure the future of Catholic education in Clinton.

James (SMHS 1959) & Donna Doyle (SMHS 1960) Ries • Donald Dodd (SMHS 1955) • James Timmer (SMHS 1946) • Judy Libberton (MSCA 1957) • Marilyn Kerens (MSCA 1950) • Msgr Francis Henricksen (SMHS 1946) • M. Dennis Dinneen (SMHS 1956) • Larry Morris (SMHS 1955) • Terry Thiessen (SMHS 1959) • Sisters of Charity, BVM in memory of Sr. Margaret Keefe, BVM

# Errors & Omissions

#### From the Development Director

I hope this column doesn't get any longer than this. I try to be as accurate as I can, but as you can see, I sometimes fall short. I apolgize for the following errors and omissions.

Omission: Irish Annual Appeal Margaret Maloney (OLA 1960)

Correction: Irish Annual Appeal Geraldine Voss was incorrectly listed as a St. Mary's High School graduate. She is a 1956 graduate of OLA.

Omission: The feature article in the Winter 2010 newsletter regarding the Sunset Social omitted St. Mary's High School in the list of schools. This is really embarrasing as I am a graduate of SMHS as well as my two "proofers".



## Make Your Sunset Social Reservation

Complete the form and mail with your payment of \$30 per person to the address below. To assist in the planning, please make your reservations as early as possible.

Yes, I/we would like	e to attend the Sunset Social			
Names:		Phone #		
Address:		City		StateZip
Are you alumni of a Clinto	on Catholic School?Yes	No	If yes, school &	z year
Number of tickets	X \$30			
Total Enclosed \$	Make checks payable to:	Alumni Ass	ociation	
Credit Card Payments:	Mastercard		Visa	
Name (exactly as shown o	n card):			
Credit Card number:			Se	curity Code(from back of card: )
Expiration date:				
Complete and return to:	Karen Witt Prince of Peace Schools 312 South 4th Street Clinton, Iowa 52732			

A chance to win Source of Peace Schools. Tickets cost \$50 and you can have up to ten people on a ticket. Drawing to be held at the Sunset Social on July 31, 2010. Need not be present to win.	<ul> <li>How You Can Give "A Gift of a Lifetime"</li> <li>There are many giving opportunities that will enable Prince of Peace Schools to continue to offer a quality education. Those opportunities include:</li> <li>Provide for Planned Giving/Estate Gifts</li> <li>Establish a memorial scholarship in memory of loved ones</li> <li>Establish a class legacy</li> <li>Contribute an outright gift to Prince of Peace Education Foundation</li> <li>Consider giving "A Gift of a Lifetime." Contact Karen Witt, Development Director, 563•242•1663 for more information.</li> </ul>		
I would like to purchase # X \$50 Enclosed is my payment of \$ (Make checks payable to Prince of Peace Schools)	Enclosed is my contribution of \$ for The Foundation (Make checks payable to Prince of Peace Education Foundation)		
Name:	The Grapevine (make checks payable to Prince of Peace Alumni Association)		
Phone #:	Name:		
Address:          City       StateZip         To share a ticket; attach a piece of paper with names and amount paid. Return with payment to school address.	Address:       City       State         Alumni?       yes       no If yes, school/year         Mail with contribution to the school address.		
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