Prior to 1970

Twenty-nine people attended the Class of ’42’s annual reunion July 26, 2000, at the Crab Shack at Fisherman’s Inn in Stevensville, MD. In attendance were Marcella Bailey Watts, Frederick Marvel, Doris Reynolds, Albert Atkinson, Augusta Heath, Barbara Oakley, Josephine Taylor, Frances Barrett, Bud Wieland, Bea T. Wright, Irma Aydelotte, Jeannette Insley, Gus Garrison, Donald Horner, Gary Hostetter, James Kerr, Margaret Cifaldo and Oris Horsey. Guests were Dr. and Mrs. Goldy Tyler. This year’s reunion is scheduled July 25, 2001.

Karen Y. Gabrizeski ’75 was selected Employee of the Quarter at Taylor Bank.

Mary Lou Horsemann ’75 was selected as a Teacher Who Makes a Difference by Delmarva 47 News.

R. Joanne Keys ’75 recently presented a bench to the Alumni Association for the Alumni House porch. The inscription reads “In memory of Leroy L. Keys Sr. and Mickey.”

David A. Taylor ’75 recently traveled to St. Louis, MO, for the financial services firm Edward Jones of Salisbury.

Bonnie Lokey Walston ’75 represented Wicomico County and Maryland at the Milken Family Foundation’s 2000 National Education Conference in Los Angeles, CA.

Elain Lee Wong ’75 is teaching fourth grade at Mickey Cox Elementary School in Clovis, CA, which received the National Blue Ribbon School Award for Exemplary Schools from the U.S. Department of Education.

Class Notes
(Information received prior to January 1, 2001)

Prior to 1970

Suzanna R. Bramhall ’60 was elected the 201st second vice president of the Delaware Association of Realtors.

Beverly Bryan Blades ’65 was honored as the June 2000 top producer for Callaway, Farnell and Moore Real Estate in Seaford, DE.

1970s

Herman G. Riggin Jr. ’70 retired after 30 years of service with Somerset County public schools.

Jeffery L. Webb ’71 was a semifinalist in Maryland’s 2000-2001 Teacher of the Year program.

Tamara J. Brewer ’73 teaches algebra II, trigonometry/pre-calculus, calculus I and calculus II at Mardela Middle and High School.

Karen Brownell Leimann ’73 was promoted to principal of Prince Street Elementary School in Salisbury.

Dr. Sharon Lea Nelson ’73 opened a new psychological and counseling practice in Ocean Pines, MD.

Susan B. Lloyd ’74 was recognized for 10 years of service at Wor-Wic Community College.

Jane Wells Pruitt ’74, supervisor of career and technology education for Worcester County schools, went to China as part of a delegation to study that country’s school system and exchange ideas about educational reform.

Gerald ”Jerry” L. Walter ’74 was hired as high school principal at Wesleyan Christian School in Denton, MD.

Kevin J. Hayes ’77, employed at Avery W. Hall Insurance Agency Inc. in Salisbury, was recently recognized by the Society of Certified Insurance Counselors for his dedication and ongoing leadership in the insurance industry.

J. Gary Price ’77 was appointed as the new elementary principal for Wesleyan Christian School in Denton, MD.

C. Tom Bawmann ’78 was named National Distinguished Principal for Maryland.

Pam Herbert Rubin ’79 would like to organize a 20-some-years reunion with her friends who attended SSU in the mid-to late-’70’s. Please contact her if you lived near Hazel and Smith streets, were a fan of Picnic and/or were a DJ at WSSC-Cable FM. (Tom, Dave, Steve (Hawk), Stan, Trish, and Dodie where are you?)

1980s

A group of alumni gather each July at Harpoon Hanna’s in Ocean City, MD, for a reunion. This past year, Karen Collins Coleman ’82 and her husband Matt traveled from Atlanta, GA, to join the group and plan to return next year. If anyone is interested in joining the group please e-mail Ann Gladding Gasiorek at gazzi@mindspring.com for more information.

Pictured are (bottom row) Kevin Dohony, Mary Sadler Dohony ’82, Ann Gladding Gasiorek ’82, Stacey Austin Boettger ’82, Jennifer Sayre McInerney ’82, Katie Sadler McDonald ’84, Chrisiss Tacka Chamberlain ’83, Nick Chamberlain ’81, (top row) Scott Gasiorek, Bob Boettger ’93, Mike McInerney ’84 and Ray McDonald ’83.

Peter D. Hanulak ’80 was promoted to vice president of multi-unit sales at Lankford SYSCO Food Services LLC in Poconos City, MD.

Sally M. Long ’81 was recognized for 15 years of service at Wor-Wic Community College.

Gail E. Phillips ’81 received Peninsula Bank’s Second Quarter Excellence Award.

Sandra Lynn Smith ’81 recently graduated with a Master of Social Work from the University of Maryland Baltimore and is working for the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Maryland chapter, Eastern Shore regional office.

Robin T. Bunting ’82 accepted the job of Somerset County’s director of recreations and parks.
Mark A. Doyle ’82 participated in the 2000 National Police Shooting Championships in Jackson, MS, with the Ocean City Police Department Pistol Team. Doyle won 20 of the 51 awards, including overall winner in the sharpshooter class of the individual revolver 1500 championship. He won eight other matches and placed in 10 additional revolver and semi-automatic pistol events.

Cheryl A. Graham ’82 has begun a temporary assignment, through NOAA, with the H. John Heinz III Center for Science, Economics and the Environment, located in Washington, D.C. She will work with the center and NOAA in developing and assessing coastal management programs and practices.

Robert Thompson ’82 received a M.S. in biotechnology from Johns Hopkins University and for the last five years has been at the Laboratory of Parasitic Diseases in the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases at the National Institute of Health. He periodically travels to Brazil to do field work. Bob recently gave his first talk at an international meeting, American Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene.

True-ly Tiger-Lilly ’83 appeared in SSU’s 11th annual Dance Showcase.

JoAnne Rogers Baker ’84 now teaches algebra, pre-algebra and basic geometry at Mardela Middle and High School.

Lawrence J. Bohlen ’84 was elected to the Cambridge City Council in July. He lives in Cambridge and is employed by the Dorchester Board of Education as site administrator for the evening high school program.

Stacey L. Hiltner ’84 has been awarded one of Disney’s American Teacher Awards. She was one of 33 nominees selected out of 11,000 to compete in the outstanding teacher competition held in Los Angeles, CA.

Robert S. Watson ’85 director of the nonprofit organization, DateAble, was recently profiled in People magazine. DateAble, based in Chevy Case, MD, provides social contacts for people with physical and mental disabilities.

Louis F. Reale Jr. (Jay) ’86 married his long time girlfriend from Australia in a ceremony in Hawaii. These two former professional bodyboarders dropped off the World Tour of Bodyboarding in early 1999 and started eBodyboarding.com, an Internet bodyboarding shop.

Linda Brader Dashiel ’87 was honored during the grand opening ceremony of the Fruitland Wal-Mart as its 2000 Teacher of the Year and was presented with a ceremonial $500 check.

Richard S. Fahey ’87 has been named Rotarian of the Year by the Rotary Club of Wicomico County.

Lorraine Hartling Pica ’87 was appointed as the new ninth grade English and eighth grade reading teacher at Mardela Middle and High School.

John C. Moses ’87 was recognized for 10 years of service at Wor-Wic Community College.

Gary P. Desjardins ’88 was appointed as manager of the new Salisbury office of Eichelberger, Grieser, Eddy & Alms, a Columbia, MD-based management, estate and financial planning firm.

Walter “Pete” Glass II ’88 program coordinator for Greek life at the University of Nevada Las Vegas (UNLV), has been named the recipient of the 2000 Fraternity System Advisor of the Year Award by the Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity.

Daniel H. Gladding ’78 was recently presented a citation from Maryland Governor Parris N. Glendenning before relocating to Birmingham, AL, with the Fortran Corporation. At the presentation, Glendenning thanked Gladding for his dedicated efforts in telecommunications support at the State House as an employee of Fortran. The citation was presented on behalf of the citizens of Maryland and read, in part, “in recognition of your outstanding service to the people of Maryland; in honor of the expertise, dedication and professionalism you have demonstrated working on behalf of State and local government agencies in the field of telecommunications; and as an expression of our great respect, gratitude and sincere best wishes as you continue your successful career with the Fortran Corporation.” Gladding is a member of SSU’s Board of Visitors and a former member of the Alumni Association board of directors. He is the on-site systems manager for the Social Security Administration’s southeastern program service center and resides in Vestavia Hills, just south of Birmingham.

Rosemary Putaky Heher ’88 was appointed coordinator of mathematics instruction for Worcester County Board of Education.

Peter A. Roskovich ’88, owner of Adam’s The Place for Ribs, was given the Small Business of the Year Award for 2000 by the Fruitland, MD, Chamber of Commerce.

Cynthia Mason Wood ’88 was appointed as a director of Atlantic General Hospital/Health System in Berlin, MD.

Nona C. Harmon ’89 is now employed at Stephen Decatur High School as the in school suspension teacher.

Susan E. Karhu ’89 was recognized by her colleagues as Employee of the Month for November at the Holly Center in Salisbury.

James W. Kellam ’89 was promoted to director of financial aid at the University of Maryland Eastern Shore in Princess Anne, MD.

Janet Simms Kennington ’89 was recognized for 10 years of service at Wor-Wic Community College.

Larry M. Wright ’89 has joined Digital Memories as lead videographer and vice president of operations. In addition, he continues to be the public address announcer at his high school alma mater for volleyball and basketball games.

1990s

Monica E. Cofell ’90 was selected to serve on the board of the Eastern Shore Maryland Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa International. She will serve as membership vice president and be responsible for recruiting and retaining members for the association.

Julia Nelson Harper ’90 was named Teacher of the Year at Delmar (DE) Middle School and the Delmar School District. She was also named Delaware Teacher of the Year.

Marion F. Keenan ’90 recently presented at the Senior Management and Leadership Conference of the National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization in Washington, D.C.

Penny L. Austin-Richardson ’90 won the title of Mrs. Maryland and will represent the state in the Mrs. America Pageant 2000 in Honolulu, HI.

Sandia Adams Schroeder ’90 is now working as the deputy public affairs officer for the Navy Program Office at Patuxent River, MD.

Marcus C. Harley ’92 works as management consultant for Washington Area Computer Management System Integration Corporation, while building two other entrepreneurial endeavors. He has been serving as an ordained deacon for Kingdom Life Christian Center in Washington, D.C., for the past three years.

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Marie Ellis Smith ’92 art exhibit, "Tall Trees and Lofty Sentiments," was on display at SSU’s Atrium Gallery in November.

Daniel J. Walmeyer ’92 is currently working in the Maryland State Police Executive Protection Unit, providing protection for Governor Parris N. Glendenning.

Carmen M. Wessel ’92 earned a Master of Arts in leadership in teaching from the College of Notre Dame of Maryland. She teaches sixth grade reading at Lansdowne Middle School in Baltimore County.

Joan Hess Demko ’93 was recognized for 15 years of service at Wor-Wic Community College.

Michael W. Elliott ’94 attended the Professional Development Institute at the Tyson Foods Management Development Center in Russellville, AR.

Russell D. Hewitt Jr. ’94 has been named vice president of Printing & Imaging Industries of Maryland, the trade association for the printing and graphics industries.

Susan Lynn Read ’94 opened her own commercial sign shop in Salisbury in January 2000 called READ Signs.

George S. Scouter ’94 has been awarded the Endowed Writing Chair at Heathwood Hall Episcopal School in Columbia, SC.

Steven L. Trottle ’94 passed the Maryland and Massachusetts bar exams and has started working for the Hampden County District Attorney's Office in Massachusetts as an assistant district attorney.

Leatrice Vogel Jay ’95 is working at National Institute of Health in the Respiratory Virus Unit developing vaccines for para influenza virus types 1, 2 and 3.

Brian C. Myers ’95 was promoted to community support team leader for Go-Getters in Salisbury.

Susan Lee Parker ’95 was honored by the Maryland State Teachers Association for outstanding reporting on public education for a piece she wrote while working for The Daily Times in Salisbury.

Natasha N. Parks ’96 was named catering sales manager for the Inner Harbor Restaurant in Baltimore.

Tre C. Zimmerman ’96 works for the National Institute of Health performing exercise research as an exercise physiologist on a fibromyalgia project.

Debbie S. Sebach ’97 was hired as the new business education teacher at Mardela Middle and High School.

Terence F. Daly ’98 was appointed director of client services at Bay National Bank in Salisbury.

William F. Fennelly ’98 completed a Masters of Arts in modern European history from Fordham University in May 2000.

Andrew M. Haynie ’98 has joined the Salisbury office of Rowles and Co. LLP as a staff accountant in the audit and tax department.

Duane Larmore ’98 recently joined the firm of Pigg, Krah, Stern and Co. P.A. in their Ocean City office.

William J. Rutter ’98 was named new loan officer of MidAtlantic Farm Credit in Pocomoke City, MD.

Bruce A. Wolper ’98 was appointed as vice principal of Salisbury Middle School.

Eric R. Bowen ’99 is the lone analytical chemist at Becton-Dickinson Corporation in Sparks, MD, performing HPLC and LC/MS method development on a prospective pharmaceutical panel called "Phoenix."

Katherine G. Cater ’99 was promoted to vice principal of Mardela Middle and High School.

Julie L. Gillice ’99 has joined Fitness Inc. in Parole, MD, as a professional fitness trainer and consultant.

Stacie N. Jones ’99 currently works for Corporation Service Company in Wilmington, DE.

Gina Melissa Dean ’00 was named as the 1999-2000 NCAA Woman of the Year for the State of Maryland.

Class of 1996 Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity alumni gathered in Key West, FL, in May 2000. Still great friends, the guys gathered for a fishing trip. Pictured (from left) are Yuri Levinson, Mike Shirk, Dave "Mud" Gill, Chris Fozzdale, Darren Bush and Brian Rossi.

Caren J. Franchetti ’00 has been dancing with the Full Circle Dance Company, a professional dance company in North Baltimore. She will be a guest at the Broadway Dance Center fall performance in New York City.

John J. Herl ’00 was appointed as outpatient treatment coordinator at the Princess Anne location of White Flint Recovery Eastern Shore Inc.

Chantalayayers ’00 has been accepted to participate in the National Institute of Health post-baccalaureate research-training program.

Tammy Burke Tucker ’00 is teaching second grade at Arthur Middleton Elementary School in Waldorf, MD.

Marriages

1970s

Dr. Michael Angelo Triglia ’74 – Alyson Jane Jackson
Dr. Thomas William Campbell ’77 – Duane Lynn Jacobson
Catherine Regina Clagett ’77 – John Richard Lynn Jr.

1980s

Ginger Rogers Blackburn ’85 – Anthony J. Rizzi
Louis Francis Reale ’86 – Vicki Anne Gleeson
James William Kellam ’89 – Elizabeth A. Huetter

1990s

Laura Ann Lina ’91 – Gregory Scott McGillem
April Glen Meilhammer ’91 – Denis Michael Brilliant
Kerrie Anne Jones ’92 – Gerald Timmons Bunting Jr.
Linda Christine Welsh ’92 – Michael K. Munday
Carmen Michele Wessel ’92 – Kyle Zavorotny
Sean Lamar Huffines ’93 – Anita Ann Thompson
Frank Darnell Bateman ’94 – Monica Lili Zavala
Kathleen Lynn Healy ’94 – Gordon Haber
Russell David Hewitt Jr. ’94 – Nicole Rose Onorato
Kelly Elizabeth Pierce ’94 – Timothy James Thimmesch
Kenneth James Rehm ’94 – Jennifer Lauren Dorsey
Susan Margaret Stehle ’94 – Peter Thomas Jones
Julie Anne Summersgill ’94 – Sean Michael Tettemer
Jill Marie Dyott ’94 – Andrew Harrison Cooper
Kimberly Ann Ruark ’95 – Mark Christian Lynch

Keep Those Photos Coming!

What kind of exciting things have you been doing? Traveling overseas? Visiting an amusement park? Having a baby? Well send us a photo! Alumni are asked to submit a glimpse of your life for us to print in an alumni publication (please note that photos cannot be returned, nor can we guarantee they will be used).
in touch

Richard Dominic Brown '96 – Emily McCaul Toner
James John McIlvain '96 – Kelley Shawna Carmean '98
James Fonseca Rendeiro '96 – Jennifer Allison Marsh '97
Amy K. Joiner '96 – Brian Andrew Mills '97
Paul Douglas Marshall Jr. '96 – Cristal Lee Shores
Amy Lynn Smolinsky '96 – Gregory Reese
Roger Marshal Theis '96 – Connie Lynn McCulley
Melissa Leigh Valentine '96 – Jon Patrick Miller
Jeffrey Scott Boyer '97 – Amy Colleen
Jack Darren Gunther '97 – Catherine E. Rizas '97
Kathryn Elizabeth Lowe '97 – Jonathan Dale Proper '98
Renee Lynne Reese '97 – Brian Michael O'Malley
Beth Anne Rychener '97 –

2000s
Tammy Zelpha Burke '00 – Gerald Tucker
Kristina Jeanette Heishman '00 – Michael Daniel Smidile Jr.
Leila Michelle James '00 – Aaron Matthew Hudson
Stephanie Melissa Strickland '00 – David Troy Underwood Jr.

Births
Milton Harper Wright '80 – daughter: Molly
Ann Gladding Gasiorek '82 –
Lori Doeg Houtz '83 – daughter: Kylie Rose
Major Mark A. Murray '85 – Betsy Messersmith Murray '86 – daughter: Rebecca
Eric Rebstock '85 – daughter: Abbey
Ann Hermann Hitchcock '86 – son: Andrew Thomas
Dana Yaw Cook '87 – daughter: Carlee
Mac Shell '87 – Diane Phipps Shell '92 – daughter: Morgan

Michael Burton '88 – son: Jack Robert
(pictured with big sister Bonnie Marie)

Cynthia Kratz Phillips '88 – son: Matthew Spencer
Melissa R. Judkins '89 – Wayne A. Judkins Jr. '89 – son: Drew Reynolds
Dean R. Wagner '90 – daughter: Elyse Grace
Lisa Dimick Feeley '91 – Adopted two babies from Russia with her husband Keith. - son: Nicholas James and daughter: Isabella Jean
Yu-Vette J. Greene '91 – son: Jordan Timothy
Julie Judkins Ates '92 – son: James Randall
Antonius M. deLange '92 – Kelly Snow deLange '92 – son: Antonius Matthias Stuylingh deLange V
Christopher G. Eberhardt '92 –
son: Jacob Christopher

Susan Dawkins Klepper '93 – son: Chase Randolph
Kenneth R. Sunday '93 – Kerri G. Sunday '95 – son: Andrew Jacob
Julie Skebee Allen '94 – son: Nathan Joseph
John M. Brittingham '94 – son: Daniel James
George Samuel Scouten '94 – Janet Parenti Scouten '94 – son: William Oliver
Jeffrey Howard Canada '95 – Allison Marie Canada '96 – son: Nathan Howard
William J. Schneider '95 – Elaine M. Schneider '96 daughter: Hannah Grace
Heather Lynn Andrews '96 – son: Nathaniel Jacob
Heather M. Sullivan '96 – twin sons: Jared Hendrix and Grant Elijah
Terra Antoinette Leatherbury '00 – daughter: Alysssee

Obituaries
Isabel McDowell Hampton '28 – November 20, 2000
Elizabeth Ellis Jackson '28 – August 8, 2000
Emma Marks Smullen '29 – August 8, 2000
Thelma Mister Todd '30 – May 6, 2000
Robert Talmage Lockerman '40 – October 7, 2000
Jacquelyn Lord Ennis '46 – November 28, 2000
Dr. Norris Leon Meredith '50 – September 16, 2000
Barbara Lane Noble '51 – October 18, 2000
Josephine W. Hudson '55 – November 18, 2000
Lorraine Eileen Shanoski '64 – September 21, 2000
Margaret Jean Savarese '69 – August 14, 2000
Kathleen Reis Jones '70 – November 4, 2000
Marsha Lynn Phillips Chambers '72 –
October 14, 2000
David Cranmer Finney '77 – August 11, 2000
Diane Marie Weaver '77 – August 30, 2000
John F. Andrews Jr. '85 – November 9, 2000
Daniel Robert Silling III '88 – September 17, 2000
Lynn Shockley Sturgis '97 – October 16, 2000

Great Britain Trip
Dr. Wayne Ackerson, History Department, is organizing a travel course through England, Scotland and Wales from May 30-June 10. The approximate cost of the trip, exclusive of tuition, is $1,998, including all transportation, most meals and admission charges to many locations. For more information, contact Ackerson at 410-546-2868.

William Glenmore Townsend IV '97
Karen Lloyd Cordrey '98 – William Michael Bailey
Karen Faye Donohoe '98 – Kevin Wayne Parsons '98
Anne Marie Kline '98 – Jason Michael Passarell '99
Clifton Filmore Brimer Sr. '99 – Robin Lynn Munion
Shannon Lee Phillips '99 – William Jonathan Ritz

Kathleen Kerry McCormack '98 - Robert Thomas Comber

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