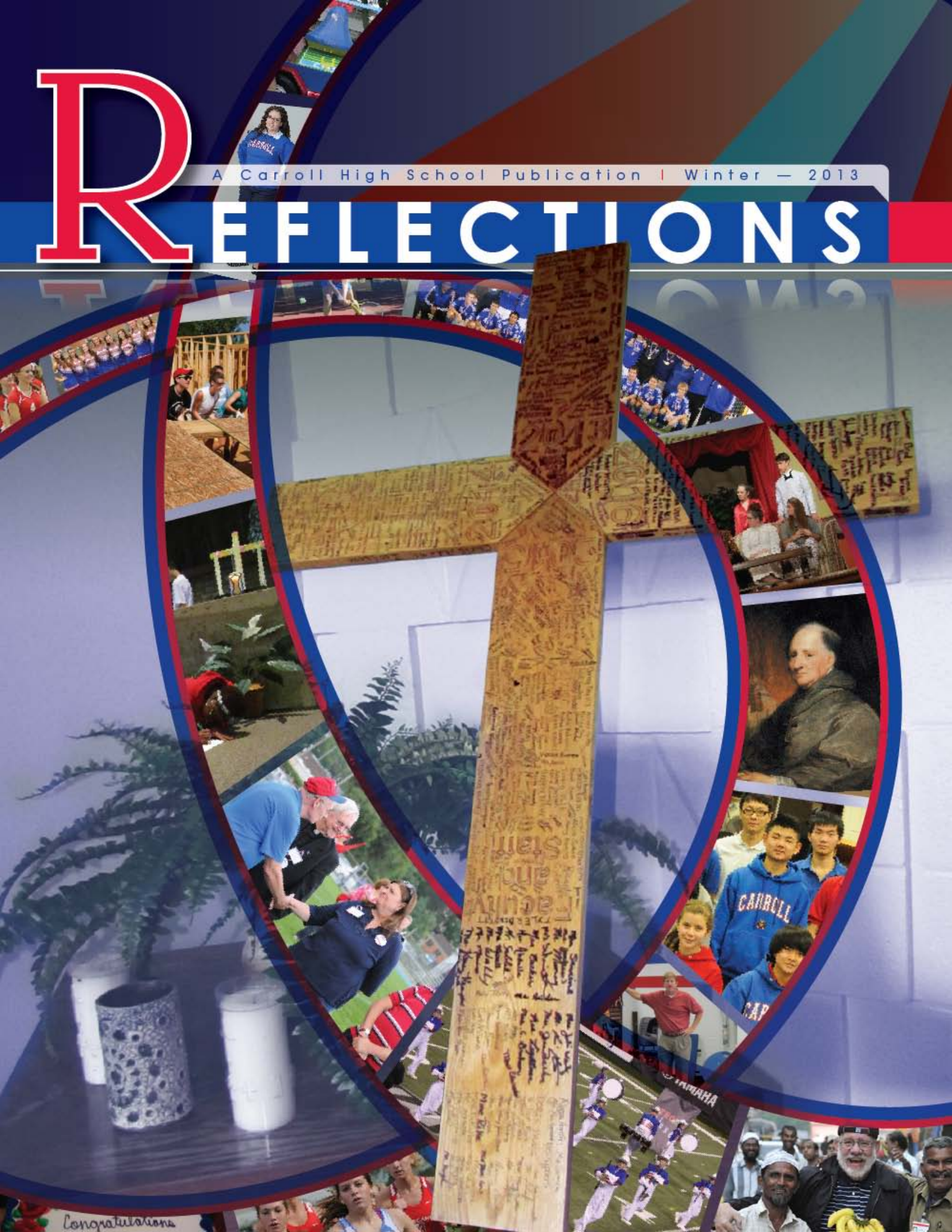


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Carroll Signed Cross Display
As we continue to Shape the Future, everyone in our current Carroll community of teachers and students have signed this special cross as a symbol of unity...

(read more about it on page 03)

Dear Fellow Patriots,

In St. Augustine's work, *The Teacher*, he is quoted as saying: "Never send a child to school to learn what a teacher thinks; send a child to school to learn to think for themselves." In other words, as a school, our job is not to train students to obtain jobs, but rather to prepare them to have a fulfilling life. We want our students to acquire skills and knowledge, but more importantly, we want them to acquire values, dispositions, and perspectives that will help them be successful in whatever field they choose. Furthermore, as a Catholic school, we must inspire students to be people of great faith as they enter the world so that the life they lead, and the faith they profess, are one and the same.



Principal Matt Sableski, Class of '91

This is a time in society when young people growing up are confronted with challenges never imagined by other generations. Materialism abounds, the avenues of self-destruction are evident everywhere, and the values that have served as cornerstones to our national and religious heritage are often times questioned. For some, the time spent in high school is one of confusion and lack of direction.

At Carroll High School, it is our mission to provide clarity and direction to our students. It is our belief that a values orientation should not only be taught in the classroom but lived in daily life. As my predecessor, Mr. Joseph Sens, says, "Values should be caught as well as taught." At Carroll, we stress making responsible and moral choices, being sensitive to others, and sharing an eagerness to serve.

Excellence has long been a tradition at Carroll and our results speak for themselves. High standardized test scores, an abundance of college scholarships granted to our graduates, and top-notch employers seeking out our alumni are all indicators that quality education is a reality in our school. The Class of 2013 has 15 National Merit Scholars and 3 Finalists; our students have a 100% passing rate on their Ohio Graduation Test; and nearly 15% of this year's seniors scored a 31 or better on the ACT test.

Our ongoing goal is to make every aspect of Carroll as strong as it can possibly be. Our students give thousands of hours of service and are active in campus ministry; our Freedom Players perform two drama productions a year; our award-winning band and choir program win numerous awards; our champion athletic teams compete at the highest level; a rigorous and relevant curriculum exists in all subject areas; and our faculty is second to none!

Thank you to every member of this extraordinary community, past and present students, faculty and parents, who make every day a great day to be a Patriot!

God Bless,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Matthew T. Sableski".

Matthew Sableski '91

Principal



Carroll High School Cross

Something that represents the spirit and communion of Carroll students, faculty and staff.

This became one of the visions of the Revolution Executive Committee as they met on August 9-10 at the Marianist Retreat Center on Governor's Island, Indian Lake to discuss and plan events for this school year. The Revolution Service Club is a group of students that plan school-wide service projects in which any student in the school is welcome to participate. While on the retreat, Revolution advisor, Martha Saurine, noticed the cross that is displayed over the fireplace in the retreat center's great room - a cross with four intersecting points. An idea was born and this cross was created.

The cross was designed and built by Carroll's Industrial Technology Club. This club is born out of the only Industrial Arts program offered by a Catholic school in

"The cross represents our school's unity, both Catholic and other denominations, and symbolizes how our school community comes together in work, play, service and worship"

Southern Ohio, and is led by instructor, Mike Lakin. According to senior Maty Mays, "Having worked on the cross for Carroll High School and helping out the Carroll community is one of the reasons I joined the Industrial Technology Club." The cross was then displayed in the main lobby to be signed by all Carroll students, faculty and staff. It now resides in Carroll's Chapel of St. John the Evangelist. According to Revolution member, senior Maggie Shaver, "The cross represents our school's unity, both Catholic and other denominations, and symbolizes how our school community comes together in work, play, service and worship; supporting each other as we strive to be more the compassionate, caring, Christians we are called to be."



Archbishop John Carroll portrait by Christopher Pohlar '99

Carroll High School's namesake, Archbishop John Carroll, "felt that the new republic (United States of America) needed the special talents of every nationality and denomination within its boundaries."¹ It is in this spirit that we work, study, play, serve and pray together, embracing our many talents and ideas within these Carroll walls. Archbishop John Carroll's portrait in our main lobby was placed there "as a visible symbol of the Catholic faith to students, faculty, parents and alumni as they enter the building."² As Sr. Maryann Bremke, C.P.P.S., then Assistant Principal and Theology Department Chair, stated at the portrait dedication on October 21, 1998, "By prominently positioning this portrait of the school's namesake in this main lobby, we pray that all present and future patriots will be reminded that, like John Carroll, much can be accomplished when you, God, are at the heart of our daily priorities and life-long goals."³

So, too, this cross becomes a symbol of these daily priorities. Our paths are separate yet intersect at Carroll - we become the Revolution!

^{1, 2, 3} Carroll High School 50th Anniversary Book, 2011.

Men's State Soccer Champions

1980, 2008, 2010, 2011 and ...

2012



Top Row: Scott Molfenter (Head Coach), Katie Kronenberger (Statistician), Noah Kummer, Eric Sweet, Demetri Tsamasiros, Nick Donohue, Aaron Haney, Tim Barbera, Andrew Eberly, Andrew Austria, Sam Green, Alex Keller-Biehl, Tom Dosedel, Dave Clymer (Trainer), Emily Kronenberger (Statistician), Mike Whitney (Asst. Coach), Daryl Jones (Asst. Coach)

Bottom Row: Joe Flach (Asst. Coach), Quincy Pope, Eric Austria, David Austria, David Saintignon, Salvatore Sparaco, Zach Zwiesler, Vonne Byrd, Patrick Raiff, Trae' Collins, Jordan Staley, Rob Steck, John Rutan

Here are two local newspaper articles that effectively describe the moment:

Beavercreek News Current:

[Nov. 15, 2012](#)

Dayton Daily News:

[Nov. 10, 2012](#)

Carroll High School's Men's Soccer team wins its 3rd state title in a row - OHSAA history in the making! With a 2-0 win over Cuyahoga Valley Christian Academy on Saturday, Nov. 10, at Crew Stadium, Carroll takes its 4th DII state victory in five years. Add on Carroll's first state title in 1980, coached by Mike Donohue, and that makes five. An incredible feat!

The Patriots extend their winning streak to 60 games!
2013, here we come!

Other team accomplishments/honors:

- GCL-N, District and Regional Champions
- OSSCA Team Academic Award
- #4 Final NSCAA/Adidas Region V Poll
- #2 Final Div. 2 State Coaches Poll
- #1 Final Div. 2 Miami Valley Coaches Poll

The Kronenberger Family Tradition

What is the key to the success of Carroll High School Soccer? Maybe, just maybe, it's the Kronenberger family. A Kronenberger has been a part of every State Championship team Carroll has ever fielded...all five times in 1980, 2008, 2010, 2011, and now in 2012! They didn't display their skills on the pitch but they supported the team in so many other ways. This soccer-faithful family played vital supporting roles as team manager, student trainer and team statistician. It started with Eddie '83 in the 1980 championship, then his daughter Emily '11, who has been with the team since the 2008 championship, and, most recently, his daughter Katie, who is a freshman this year. Perhaps we could have won these championships without the Kronenbergers but we sure are glad we didn't have to! More good news for Carroll Soccer: the youngest Kronenberger, Aiden, is in third grade; it looks like we can count on soccer success for years to come, thanks in part to the Kronenberger family!



Katie Kronenberger '16, Eddie Kronenberger '83, and Emily Kronenberger '11 displaying their State Championship medals and plaques at Carroll's Victory Bell



Fall Sports Recognitions

We recognize and congratulate these Fall student-athletes and coaches for the following awards . . .

Women's Volleyball

Noel Cain, 2nd Team GGCL-Grey N
Casey Hobbs, Honorable Mention GGCL-Grey N
Stephanie Townsend, Honorable Mention GGCL-Grey N
Autumn Wright, Honorable Mention GGCL-Grey N

Women's Soccer

Abbey Saurine, 1st Team GGCL-Grey N, 1st Team Miami Valley-South
Julia Ulrich, 1st Team GGCL-Grey N, 1st Team All Miami Valley, 2nd Team All State
Karoline Baldasare, 2nd Team GGCL-Grey N, 2nd Team All Miami Valley-South
Rachel Nunez, 2nd Team GGCL-Grey N, 3rd Team All Miami Valley-South

Women's Cross Country

Genevieve Marchese, 1st Team GGCL-Grey N, Regional Qualifier
Emily Penn, 2nd Team GGCL-Grey N
Meera Sample, 2nd Team GGCL-Grey N
Rachel Ollier, 2nd Team GGCL-Grey N
Katie Beach, Honorable Mention GGCL-Grey N
McKenzie Wilson, Honorable Mention GGCL-Grey N

Women's Golf

Alexandra Greene, 2nd Team GGCL-Grey N

Women's Tennis

Carli Milano, 2nd Team GGCL Singles, 2nd Team All Area Singles
Colleen Fazio, Honorable Mention GGCL Singles and All Area
Tye Arnold/Gabrielle Tarlano, 1st Team GGCL Doubles, 3rd Team All Area Doubles
Colleen Fazio/Katy Wilhelm, All Academic Honors

Football

Nate Hemmert, 1st Team GCL-N
Juan Soto, 1st Team GCL-N
Chris Adams, 2nd Team GCL-N
Max Ankeny, 2nd Team GCL-N
Forrest Cordova, 2nd Team GCL-N
Tom Hill, 2nd Team GCL-N
Tom McArdle, 2nd Team GCL-N
Dailon Pentheny, 2nd Team GCL-N
Cary Sullivan, 2nd Team GCL-N
Jay Titus, 2nd Team GCL-N

Men's Soccer

Coach Scott Molfenter, NSCAA/Adidas National, Region IV and OSSCA State Private/Parochial Coach of the Year; Miami Valley Private/Parochial Coach of the Year; and GCLN Coach of the Year
Vonne Byrd, GCL-N Player of the Year, NSCAA/Adidas All-Region IV Team, 1st Team All State, Miami Valley District Team, 1st Team Miami Valley-South, 1st Team GCL-N
Zach Zwiesler, 1st Team GCL-N, Miami Valley District Team, 1st Team Miami Valley-South
Traé Collins, 1st Team GCL-N, 1st Team Miami Valley-South
Patrick Raiff, 1st Team GCL-N, 2nd Team Miami Valley-South, Academic All-Ohio
John Rutan, 2nd Team GCL-N, 2nd Team Miami Valley-South
Eric Austria, 2nd Team GCL-N, Honorable Mention Miami Valley-South
Andrew Eberly, GCL Academic All Star, Academic All-Ohio
Tim Barbera, 2nd Team GCL-N, Academic All-Ohio
Demetri Tsamasiros, 2nd Team GCL-N
Nick Donohue, Academic All-Ohio

Men's Cross Country

John Agnew, GCL-N Coach of the Year
Ryan Dull, GCL-N Runner of the Year, 1st Team GCL-N, All State, Academic All Ohio, Regional & State Qualifier
Robbie Smith, 1st Team GCL-N, Academic All Ohio
Dean Ohde, 1st Team GCL-N, Academic All Ohio, Regional Qualifier
Dakota Brunzman, 1st Team GCL-N, Academic All Ohio, Regional Qualifier
Wes Nash, 2nd Team GCL-N, Academic All Ohio
Paul Bete, 2nd Team GCL-N, Academic All Ohio, Regional Qualifier
Phillip Connair, 2nd Team GCL-N, Academic All Ohio

Men's Golf

Nick Seitz, GCL-N Golfer of the Year, 1st Team GCL-N



Congratulations Jim!



Assistant Athletic Director, Jim Kuntz, was inducted into the Ohio Athletic Director's Hall of Fame on November 12. Congratulations, Jim, on an outstanding and dedicated career!

Carroll Men's and Women's Swim Team Coach, Michele Devitt, has put together [CHS's Swim & Dive Records](#) dating back to 1982, the inception of the team. If you are a former Swim & Dive Team member and have any updates or corrections to these records, e-mail Michele at:

michele2swim@yahoo.com





Men's and Women's Cross Country Teams had an exciting season ending in a State appearance! The Men's team were GCLN Champions and finished as runners-up in Districts and Regionals earning them a run at State Championships, the 9th year out of the last 10 that they have qualified to State as a D-II team. Representing Carroll were Ryan Dull, Dakota Brunzman, Dean Ohde, Paul Bete, Robbie Smith, Phillip Connair and Wes Nash, finishing 13th in the State!

The Women's team were GGCL runners-up earning them a trip to Regionals where they came in at 14th. Senior Genevieve Marchese finished 18th at Regionals, narrowly missing qualification to State as an individual!

Jennifer Schmidt Memorial Tournament

Carroll Women's Tennis Team took 2nd place at the 2012 Jennifer Schmidt Memorial Tournament on September 22. This tournament is always an inspiring one for the players. "Playing in a tournament that celebrates the life of a great Patriot brings out the best in our tennis game," the players agreed.

Jennifer Schmidt, CHS Class of '84, and tennis player, was instrumental in making Carroll's tennis program the vibrant one it is today. Her parents, Donald and Johnni Schmidt, still support the program by cheering on the team each year at the tournament named for their late daughter. Jennifer was abducted from the Purdue University campus during her freshman year and was never found. The Carroll community still prays for peace for the Schmidt family and all families that have to live with unsolved tragedies.



"On behalf of my wife, Johnni, our sons, John and Jeffrey, and myself, I want to thank all of you for your generous donation of time and resources in making the Jennifer Schmidt Memorial Tennis Tournament a pleasurable event for all those in attendance. Each year, we continue to receive many compliments from the participating coaches and team players, as well as parents." - Donald Schmidt

New Athletic Training Room

The training room, renovated this past summer, has many items available to assist in the treatment of students involved in our sports program.



From left to right: Athletic Director Scott Molfenter, Morgan Williams, Ryan Koesel, Michaela Hoagland, Mia Raiff, Noah Kummer, Marcus Lajeunesse, Eric Sweet, Lauren Dahm, Dakota Brunzman, Isabella Scarpelli, Jarrett Cooper, Taylor Waggoner, Jordan Taylor, Lauren Milby



Dave Clymer – Carroll's Athletic Trainer for 17 years

Dave Clymer is proud to show off Carroll's newly renovated Athletic Training Room, funded by Kettering Medical Center and Carroll's Alumni Association. As Carroll's Athletic Trainer for 17 years, he's excited about the new equipment and extra room that enables him to better meet the needs of Carroll's students, whether prepping them for practice and games, providing first aid treatment or providing them rehabilitative therapy.

Equipment available includes:

- 2 whirlpools
- Hot pack steam hydroculator
- Cold compression unit and an ice machine
- Ultrasound electrical stimulation unit (for pain control and rehab)
- Ankle weight/dumbbell weight multi-unit
- Poly Bock - trampoline (therapy for shoulders and backs)

With the support of the Athletic Department Fundraiser this year, whose participants are pictured above, the training room has added a full-size whirlpool to its



Front Row: Abbey Saurine, Ian Molfenter, Emma Rumme, Justin Western, Emily Klepacz, Eryn Hendrickson, Rose Jenkins, Holly Schwarzman
Middle Row: Rachel Nunez, Evan Peterson, Sean Stull, Matt Heil
Back Row: Patrick Raiff, Jessica Nunez, Coach Molfenter, Ryan Miller, Joel Teleha, Alex Keller-Biehl, Daniel Lajeunesse, Richie Koesel, Anthony Meeker, Kyle Fricke, Emma Barlow, McCall Milby, Katie Kronenberger, Noel Cain

inventory. This allows treatment of many athletes at any given time.

Being a high school Athletic Trainer is a huge task and, fortunately, for Clymer, Carroll has an excellent Student Athletic Trainer program. The students assist with prepping athletes for practice and games and help with basic first aid. There is also a one-week summer Student Trainer Workshop held at Kettering Hospital that covers the basics of First Aid.

This active facility keeps Clymer and his student trainers busy. On average, about 400 athletes utilize the training room each year. With a renovated facility and expanded equipment inventory, they can better meet the needs of the athletes that contribute to the success of Carroll High School!

Students interested in this program can fill out an athletic interest form in their first year at school or by contacting the Athletic Office.

International Student Program

Carroll High School has historically enrolled students from all over the Miami Valley-as far north as Urbana and as far south as Springboro. A lesser known fact is that we pull students from all over the world!

This year we have 22 International Students. These students come from China, Mexico, Korea, Germany, Thailand and Vietnam.

We are very proud of the International Student Program. The Catholic Social Teaching, Solidarity, tells us, “We are one human family, whatever our national, racial, ethnic, economic, and ideological differences.” In this vein, we welcome the international community to Carroll High School and provide a compassionate, spiritual, and fun atmosphere for their students to learn, pray and grow both as individuals and students. International students are here for one of two purposes; as a cultural exchange program for one year or, like the majority of our students are here for the purpose of earning a diploma from Carroll High School.

Students seeking a four-year high school diploma enroll at any grade level 9-12. It is the goal of these students to increase their English Language skills in an effort to maximize their scores on the college entrance exams, the ACT and SAT. The American Higher Education system is still seen as tops in the world. Families, who can afford it, send their children abroad at an early age to seek the best opportunity to be accepted at a top tier American University. Students on cultural exchange are here to improve their English skills as well as experience all of the fun of the American high school experience!

How do we integrate international students into our Patriot community? We start with a 4-day summer orientation program. Topics covered include an introduction to the culture of American education, expectations in the classroom, the social system of the school and encouraging them to reach out to their general peer group instead of just mingling with their international peers. This past summer, the week was topped off with a real American pastime - a trip to a Dayton Dragons game! There is also a religious orientation included in the week; part of our mission of sharing our faith as many of these students do not come from a background that includes Christianity. International students, like all Carroll students, are encouraged to participate in extracurricular activities.

Perhaps the most consistent and impactful support for these students is the International Student

“We are one human family, whatever our national, racial, ethnic, economic, and ideological differences.”

Liaison, Mr. Mike Donohue. Mr. D, as the students call him is no stranger to CHS! Mike recently retired from Carroll as the head of the Guidance Department.

Mike meets with these students 2-3 times per week to assist with academic as well as cultural issues. He also provides assistance in understanding the importance of the OGT's, proper course selection and the college preparation process. Mike states, “These students are a great addition to Carroll. They bring a world view that is so valuable to our native students.”

Yeon Hee You, a senior from Korea recently reflected, “I will miss everything when I graduate, even my locker! I won't forget the precious memories of high school”. As our call

to live in solidarity tells us, “We are our brothers and sisters keepers, wherever they may be”. The students, faculty and staff truly embrace this tenant of Catholic Social Teaching. Zicong Lou, of China says, “Teachers are really kind, they give us the time to adjust and then they treat us as every student. They are strict to have us meet our goals. They put no difference between American and International students; we are all the same.”

If you would be interested in hosting an international student or gaining more information on the program please contact Mrs. Pam Tipps, Director of Advancement and Admissions at ptipps@carrollhs.org.



Fall Review

Many exciting events are happening at Carroll. Here are just a few...

Mrs. Watson's Spanish classes celebrated El Dia de los Muertos, or Day of the Dead, a Mexican tradition that honors and remembers friends and family who have died. The celebration occurs on November 1st and 2nd in conjunction with the Catholic holidays of All Saints' Day on November 1st and All Souls' Day on November 2nd. Traditions include building private altars honoring the deceased, using sugar skulls, marigolds, and the favorite foods and beverages of the departed, and visiting graves with these as gifts. The students brought in personal items to put on the class altar to honor family members. They also made candy skulls for the celebration.

Pictured from left to right: Allison Stokely and Emilio Flores Burke

El Dia de los Muertos



CHS Receives Governor's Thomas Edison Award For Excellence In STEM Education

For the second year in a row, Carroll High School has been selected by the Ohio Academy of Science for the Governor's Thomas Edison Award for Excellence in STEM Education. [Details Here](#)



2013 Annual Science Day - Carroll celebrated excellence in STEMM research at the Annual Science Day in February with 123 students presenting their individual projects and three pairs of students presenting their projects as teams. Sixty-six students qualified to present at the



Montgomery County Science Day on March 2 with freshman Elise Paietta winning an elite distinction and special prize. [Details & gallery of projects](#)

Carroll STEMM Students Job Shadow At Indy Brickyard

This summer, senior Curtis Leny and junior Mattie Carter learned about various engineering techniques



used to support performance racing vehicles during a job shadow opportunity at Indy's Brickyard. [Details Here](#)

Campus Ministry Sponsors Vocation Fair - Campus Ministry sponsored a Vocation Fair on Tuesday, September 25, 2012. Vocation Fair is a day set aside



for students to consider a calling by God to impact the world. Over 30 organizations were able to make the day! [Details Here](#)

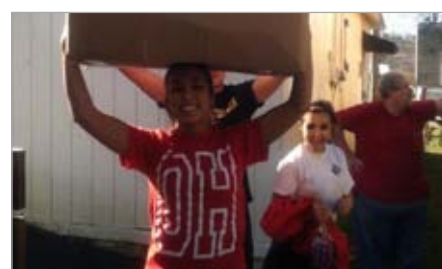
Spanish Pen Pal Program - In December Carroll's Spanish II students, along with their secret pen pal Spanish students from Kettering Fairmont HS,



participated in a holiday fiesta, hosted by Kettering Fairmont HS in the Fairmont Commons. More than 500 family members, friends,

community members and Carroll and Kettering Fairmont Spanish students attended. [Details Here](#)

Action Appalachia - Our annual Action Appalachia was a huge success! The senior class organized this wonderful initiative and did an amazing job! All items collected



were delivered to the Campton Center, in Campton, KY on November 20. They supplied a local thrift store for holiday shopping. [Details Here](#)

Students Serve At Ride For Life - On July 28, ten Carroll students volunteered at the 3rd Annual TK Hausfeld Ride For Life. The bike ride, held in honor of Tom & Kacie Hausfeld,



who tragically lost their lives in a plane crash in 2010, raises funds for the Life Resource Centre for their emergency baby pantry and parenting education. [Details Here](#)

A Season of Caring - December was a busy month of service for the Carroll community. Students, faculty and staff came together to participate in 3 different charity events: the Giving



Tree program, a Homeroom Challenge and a Santa visit to a local elementary school. [Details Here](#)

The Marching Band had another successful season this year. At the Bellbrook Marching Band Invitational in October, they won class AA by a 9-point margin sweeping all performance captions: best music, best visual, best general effect, best color guard and best percussion. At the MSBA Championships on November 3, they placed 2nd out of 23 bands! At The Bands of America Grand Nationals in Indianapolis on November 7-10, Carroll's Marching Band placed 5th in their class on their day of performance and received an "Excellent" rating. It was a fabulous performance and a great finale to their season. Congratulations!



In November the Carroll Freedom Players presented "Murder's In The Heir," an interactive comedy mystery and dinner theater. Over 50 students helped make this production an awesome experience for all who attended; a great night of entertainment, as well as great food! Mark your calendars on March 22, 23 and 24 for the spring musical, "Wizard of Oz."



As always, check out the latest news at www.carrollhs.org

Academic Team Highlight

Sheldon and Leonard of "Big Bang Theory" fame have nothing on the geni of the Carroll Academic Team. Our kids know just as much as those two fictional characters about Pickett's Charge, Pavlov's dogs, and that a singularity isn't a burger you order at Wendy's. They even know that "genii" is the more traditional plural of "geniuses."

Carroll's Academic Team has a long tradition of success, and this past spring won a spot in the State Finals of the Ohio Academic Competition for the first time in school history."

Only eight of the 820 high schools in Ohio advance to this elite level. In spite of the fact that the Finals were held on the same day as the State Science Fair, causing the team to compete without its captain, the Patriots played very well in round robin competition.

Congratulations to varsity players Zach Schaub, Nico Flores, Robbie Smith, Thomas McArdle, and Jacob Ollier on their outstanding performance.

This year, the team's tradition continues under the leadership of Dr. Martha Carter. At their tournament in Tipp City on November 3rd, the team played tough against a very strong field, placing 9th out of 32 teams from four states! Competing for Carroll was Captain Zach Schaub, Curtis Leny, Jacob Ollier and Alex Trimbach. The team also had a strong performance at the Northmont Academic Challenge on January 12 against a field of 32 Ohio teams. The JV Team swept their tournament winning the 1st Place trophy! JV players were Alex Trimbach, Michael Curliss and London Bishop. The Varsity Team played strong and finished 2nd in their tournament and 4th overall. Varsity players were Zach Schaub, Robbie Smith, Ian Best and Curtis Leny.

The Carroll team competed in The Brain Game competition at COSI in January against Walnut Hills. The show will air on April 27 at 8:30 p.m. To see who wins, tune in to ioTV.com and follow the links for The Brain Game. "Eat your hearts out, Sheldon and Leonard!" *Contributed by Tom Clark, Retired CHS Latin Teacher*





Class of 2016 Legacy Students

Children of Carroll High School Alumni

Each year, Carroll High School graduates choose their alma mater as the best place to educate their children! Their confidence, trust and support are greatly appreciated!

The Class of 2016 Legacy Students are listed in order of left to right, by row, along with the names of their parent(s). Those who are Carroll graduates have their class year listed after their names.

Bottom Row:

- Madeline Eckhart - daughter of Daniel Eckhart '85 and Karen (Stermer) Eckhart '85
- Allyson J. Brown - daughter of Douglas Brown and Karen (Hahn) Brown '76
- Emily C. Klepacz - daughter of Jeff Klepacz and Karen (Tegenkamp) Klepacz '89
- Eva R. McLaughlin - daughter of Kevin McLaughlin and Alexis (McHenry) McLaughlin '82
- Haley J. Sabo - daughter of Gregory Sabo and Paula (Stein) Sabo '82
- Kate E. Hickey - daughter of Kenny Hickey and Teresa (Cogan) Hickey '82
- Kayla D. Pierce - daughter of Keven Pierce and Melissa (Neu) Pierce '83

Second and Third Rows:

- Samantha L. Jobe - daughter of Richard Jobe '81 and Mary (Sammons) Jobe '81
- Sarah A. Howard - daughter of Edward Howard '80 and Ann (Wellmeier) Howard '87
- Lauren E. Dahm - daughter of Christopher Dahm '87 and Ginger Dahm
- Brianna R. Babel - daughter of John Babel '83 and Gretchen Golden
- Elise E. Triplett - daughter of Zach Triplett and Julie (Mescher) Triplett '85
- Amber M. McCarthy - daughter of Brian McCarthy '87 and Donna McCarthy
- Gabriella M. Zaharieff - daughter of Joseph Zaharieff '90 and Michelle Zaharieff
- Sean J. Stull - son of John Stull '86 and Barbara (Fecke) Stull '85
- Olivia Nelson - daughter of Joseph Nelson '82 and Mollie (Murray) Nelson '82
- Paul A. Miller III - son of Paul A. Miller, Jr. and Stephanie (Howard) Miller '83
- Savannah J. Sheets - daughter of Michael Sheets '83 and Vicki Sheets
- Jason C. Obergefell - son of Roger Obergefell and Karla (Sorrell) Obergefell '86
- Caitlyn M. Kremer - daughter of Raymond Kremer '85 and Cristal Kremer

Fourth and Fifth Rows:

- Anna T. Fischer - daughter of Dan Fischer and Maureen (Staker) Fischer '80
- Samuel W. Speyrer - son of James Speyrer '81 and Dorothy Speyrer
- Katarina N. Kronenberger - daughter of Ed Kronenberger '83 and Amy Kronenberger
- Colin E. Flaute - son of Mike Flaute and Susan (Sims) Flaute '82
- Noah M. Draper - son of Mark Draper '84 and Maria (Potts) Draper '85
- David L. Austria - son of Dan Austria '80 and Tracey Austria
- Charles W. Howard III - son of Charles W. Howard, Jr. '79 and Marcia Howard
- Matthew A. Heil - son of Andrew Heil '81 and Melissa Heil
- Jacob L. Buechele - son of Jeffrey Buechele '86 and Angela Buechele
- Beau A. Austin - son of Gene Austin '83 and Tracy Austin
- Mathew B. Boggs - son of Roger Boggs and Jill (Rockafellow) Boggs '84
- Clayton J. Cooney - son of Eileen Cooney '96

Top Row:

- Theodore J. Clarke - son of Lee Clarke and Lisa-Kay (Erbacher) Clarke '88
- Matthew C. Kinnison - son of D. Cory Kinnison '79 and Renee Kinnison
- Daniel J. LaJeunesse - son of Daniel LaJeunesse '80 and Donna LaJeunesse
- Daniel J. Sommers - son of Paul Sommers '88 and Mary (Farrell) Sommers '87
- Jon Marino - son of Gregg Marino '88 and Christine (Vogel) Marino '88
- Jaren T. Eifert - son of John Eifert '83 and Erin Eifert
- Christopher D. Draper - son of Chris Draper '83 and Susan (Murray) Draper '84
- Ryan J. Wuebben - son of James Wuebben '76 and Kristi Wuebben

(Not pictured: Sam W. Fortener - son of Rob Fortener '79 and Jane Fortener)

2012 "See the USA" Raffle Hits Record Level

\$57,223 was raised from 761 students. This is the highest per student ratio in the school's history.

1st Prize, Hawaiian Islands

Eric Dietrich - ticket sold by son, Christian.

2nd Prize, Alaskan Cruise

Brian Bailey - ticket sold by Emily Penn.

3rd Prize, Chicago Getaway

Craig Wolfenbarger - ticket sold by daughter, Callie.

The students were motivated by individual and class incentives. [Details Here](#)

Over 460 students attended the Marion's Piazza Parties for hitting 100% of their homeroom goal. We had 100% participation by all Freshmen and Sophomore classes. It is great to see the younger students stepping up to lead!

New this year were \$25 mini grants awarded to students who showed effort in fundraising but struggled to meet their personal goal of \$75. Alumni, parents, teachers and staff stepped up to purchase tickets from students and sponsor the grants.

Thank you to all who bought tickets to support Carroll High School and its students.

Check the CHS website in April to see how you can provide a mini-grant for The Walk for Carroll.

The winning ticket sellers each received a \$100 prize.

Top student sellers were:

- 1st Place **Matthew Pitstick**
- 2nd Place **Jarrett Cooper**
- 3rd Place **Lauren Dahm**

Congratulations! Thank you for your leadership in supporting CHS!



Thank you to all who supported the Patriot Pride Gala, The Carroll Couples Challenge and The Step up for Carroll Campaign. It was a huge success. Over \$38,000 was raised in our efforts to replace the front steps.

Volunteerism is the key to the success of many programs at Carroll. Without the hundreds of hours given by our volunteers, The Patriot Pride Gala could not have been as successful as it was. It is due in large part to volunteer commitment, energy and expertise that the front steps at Carroll High School will be replaced over the summer.

There were approximately 240 items donated for the silent and live auction. Local, regional and national businesses contributed. The community loves Carroll and they showed their support by giving when asked. Thanks to all for their generosity!



Melissa '83 & Bill Fisher Julie '87 & Kevin '87 Kates Shirley & Charlie Keller Eileen & Steve '77 Austria Karen '73 & Greg '71 Notestine Vicki & Mike '83 Sheets

Thank you to the wonderful Carroll Couples who were such good sports during the Carroll Couples Challenge, helping to raise \$11,197 toward The Steps Campaign. The competition was tight. Melissa and Bill Fisher came in first in the total votes with 4138 while Eileen and Steve Austria raised the most money with \$3,335.

At the Gala, Bill and Melissa Fisher, Greg and Karen Notestine, and Kevin and Julie Kates participated in the game show challenge. All couples were very entertaining! In the end, the Notestines and Kates' tied for the win showing just how much they do *and* don't know about each other!



Meet Christine Rafalko, Class of 1972

During the Phonathon, Jordan Kilby '14 put the phone down with a grin and exclaimed, "She was so nice!!" The Carroll graduate on the other end of the line was Christine Rafalko, an enthusiastic Patriot who wanted to know the current happenings at CHS and the reasons Jordan appreciated her Carroll education.



Christine in her office at The Bank of New York Company, Inc. in New York City.

Christine, otherwise known as "Tina" by her classmates, is a graduate who has not forgotten her Carroll experiences.

Christine recently stated, "My time at Carroll is very important to me. Perhaps what I most appreciate is the warm welcome I received when I first arrived after the school year had

begun in my junior year. Including kindergarten, Carroll High School was my tenth school. To be at Carroll for both junior and senior years was a lucky circumstance and a privilege. To be honored as Patriot of the Year in 1972 was a recognition that was unexpected but one I cherish above almost any other that I received later in life.

"One of the singular most important aspects of Carroll are the people and the environment they have created. The faculty gave us all the attention and encouragement to strive to learn more, try new things, strive for better results, and accomplish all we could. They created an environment that nourished critical thinking and habits of study and exploration, which in turn led us to experience the satisfaction of a job well done. Never could there be a better lesson that can be so universally applied to all we do.

"It was with great pleasure to read that Carroll's Alumni Association honored Fr. Stan Neihsel for his lasting effect on Carroll High School. I fondly remember his introduction of Innovative Day. This school-wide event was a perfect example of what encourages students and introduces them to new areas to explore. Being Innovative Committee Chair on Student Council at the time he was principal, it was very rewarding to see him so honored."

Christine believes that it is important to give back to Carroll High School. She explains, "My reasons initially

for supporting Carroll were first of all in appreciation, then to enable the school to continue to offer to others the same wonderful experience, and lastly, to enable Carroll to continue to enrich its programs and its learning environment. But when making such an investment, it is critical to know that our donations will be effectively used. We have been so fortunate and blessed to have our faculty and administration. We are in good hands."

What motivates Christine to continue to support Carroll is a bit more complicated. Several years ago, her first high school, St. Vincent's Academy, another beloved institution of hers, abruptly closed. It had been an integral part of the community for 120 years, having served generations of families. It was unthinkable to her that this might ever happen to Carroll. It makes her appreciate Carroll all the more and continue to applaud and support its programs and approach to education. Christine encourages everyone to contribute whatever is possible. "The smallest amounts, over time, make a huge difference!"

Christine received a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Finance from Miami University in Oxford in August 1975. Her career has centered in banking and financial services. After various training programs and a stint as a bank examiner, she spent several years as a commercial lender, eventually concentrating in structured real estate finance for commercial properties. The projects and the personalities that developed them were fascinating. Her work ultimately included the financing of several skyline defining and architecturally significant projects in several major cities across the United States.

"My reasons initially for supporting Carroll were first of all in appreciation, then to enable the school to continue to offer to others the same wonderful experience..."

She states, "As you may have noticed, the real estate industry does not follow normal business cycles. Everything is exaggerated so that the cycles are really boom/bust, not just up/down. When the market is up: development, sales and new financings are prevalent. When down: work-outs, foreclosures. Well, you've read the press. When, in the late 1990's, GE introduced a statistically based process improvement management

tool known as Six Sigma, I was part of the real estate group at GE Capital. I was immediately immersed into the discipline to apply this new approach to improve results, reduce errors and simplify processes. It changed my outlook on business practices.



“With these tools in hand, I left the real estate industry and sought an opportunity to more directly apply this new-found approach. Ultimately I became the quality assurance program manager for my firm, The Bank of New York Company, Inc., and relished the opportunity to explore all aspects of our businesses to identify areas we could improve. Many of the efforts were centered on client retention programs, client service and operational excellence. After a recent merger, I am in a similar role as Vice President for my firm’s Wealth Management business, always looking for the next challenge.”

While Christine’s career keeps her going, her extended family and her philanthropic work in the community also enrich her life. Her voluntarism has been principally in the arts, for children and in health arenas. Working with Mt. Sinai Hospital and another volunteer organization in New York, where she lives, she helped establish a volunteer opportunity in the Pediatric Cardio-thoracic Intensive Care Unit, which she filled each week for seven years. In this role, for several hours a week, volunteers support families, nurses and interact with the patients; children who have recently undergone heart surgeries, transplants and related medical procedures. These children are severely ill, but are not developed fully enough to appreciate the consequences of their medical conditions. They’d like to play, get back to school and be with their friends, their families and their pets. A volunteer in this setting has the rare opportunity



Christine with her great niece, Abigail Mayhall, and great nephew, Cooper Olson. “Tina” welcomed another great nephew, Austin Edmund Mayhall, into the world in November.

to be an objective party that can engage them. The children become comfortable with the volunteers because they sense the objectivity at once. It is an opportunity to remove themselves from facing the next medical tests or (somewhat sadly) the fear and worry they often sense from their families. It was an amazing experience for Christine.

In the arts, Christine worked with a committee to provide business management counseling to fledgling arts organizations in New York. The artists were gifted in their genre, but not so much in generating audiences, attracting board members, fundraising or generally running the business aspects. In addition to her committee being honored for its contribution, many of the participating arts organizations continue to thrive! Currently, Christine is chairing a book signing and sale to raise funds for educational scholarships for children of the staff of another organization.

All of these experiences, combined, have created the passionate and prosperous Christine of today. Christine wishes to encourage all current students to absorb as much as possible, listen, take it all in, and not be in too much of a hurry to move to the next thing. She explains, “Enjoy the learning process. Savoring, even celebrating achievements, however small along the way, is a vital part of education and in enjoying life. Make friends along the way and recognize and celebrate their achievements as well as your own. The most important lesson, though, by far, is to specifically identify where to concentrate your energy, time and attention. Figure out what drives your interest most; what you would jump all hurdles to do; where your heart is. If you can be enthusiastic about a topic, then that should be not only your avocation, but your life’s work. How you figure out what this area of interest might be is not always easy. Pay attention to what you read. Do you wait all week for the Science section of the newspaper? Do you head straight to the Design section? Sports? What skills will you need? Do you have them; can you acquire them? These are clues that might help you identify where your enthusiasm will be and that will leverage your satisfaction and ultimately your success.”

WHERE ARE CARROLL PATRIOTS?

Email jweitz@carrollhs.org a photo of yourself in Carroll Spirit Wear and include your name, Carroll graduation year (or how you are associated with Carroll), and the city/state where the picture was taken.



Joey Saurine, Class of 2017, lays a wreath at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

Wouldn’t it be fun to see where Carroll Patriots are roaming around the world? If you live in the Dayton area, you can also participate by taking photos at some of your favorite vacation spots... Photos may be shared in a future online or print publication.



Here are Carroll Patriots in Orlando, Florida: 1991 CHS graduate, Joe Nadeau, with his three children: Christian (in the Carroll sweatshirt), Danny and Carolyn.

Ideas for future alumni profile articles can also be emailed to [Julie](mailto:jweitz@carrollhs.org).



Xenia Boy Finds CHS 1969 Class Ring

In early September, Donna Yates, a Xenia resident, left a message with Carroll High School's Advancement Office. Her grandson, Silas Yates, had been digging in his grandma's back yard when he found a class ring from Carroll High School.



1969 Carroll class ring that Janet lost over 35 years ago

Julie Weitz, Carroll's Director of Alumni and Community Relations, returned Donna's call to gather more information. The ring had been covered

in dirt, but after cleaning it up with water and a toothbrush, Donna could make out that it was a woman's class ring from Carroll High School with the initials JLM from either 1966 or 1969.

Julie searched through the 1966 yearbook but did not have much success finding the possible owner. Jeannie (Heid) McManus '66 also confirmed that there were only three graduates from 1966 that had the initials of JM but they were men: James Manning, Joseph McAllister, and John Mullin.

The 1969 yearbook search was more successful than the 1966 search, bringing forth the possibilities of Judith Merrick and Jacqueline Miller.

Betsy (Fish) Brown '69, a previous Alumni Association board member and reunion chair, was extremely helpful and took control of the hunt with amazing detail skills! Betsy first phoned Jackie. Ironically, Jackie's ring had been stolen years before but her initials were JMM, not JLM. Judy's initials were JAM so she wasn't the owner, either. Now what? Betsy then remembered Janet (Munday) Moler who had transferred from Carroll her junior year. Janet had attended some of the 1969 reunions so Betsy had her phone number. The phone call was a happy ending!

Janet later explained to Julie that it had been over 35 years since she had last seen her ring. She stated, "My family and I moved to Xenia in 1971. I had the ring for a few years in Xenia but then it just seemed to disappear. I thought that I would NEVER see it again! I was so shocked to first hear the message from Betsy on my answering machine the same night as my youngest daughter's wedding rehearsal dinner." In planning the details for her daughter's wedding, Janet had recently come across her husband's class ring and showed her kids, telling them that she had lost her

own ring. Janet was so thrilled to learn that her ring had been found!

It turned out that the Yates family who had found the ring was Janet's former neighbor who lived behind them. Janet and her husband raised three children in their Xenia home and then later moved to Spring Valley. Janet couldn't believe that her ring was found in her former neighbor's yard and had been plowed over year after year!

Janet and Donna coordinated a time to meet so that Silas could return the ring in person. It was a great experience for them to be re-united after all the years that had passed! Tiffany Beverly from *The Xenia Gazette* was there and wrote a moving story. It was published in the paper there on October 29, 2012 and also in the *Kettering-Oakwood Times*. It was even placed on the Xenia Schools website, along with a photo of Silas, as a good example of a McKinley student following one of the behavior pillars of "doing what's best, even when no one is watching."

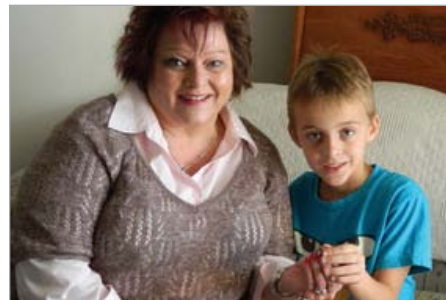
"I thought that I would NEVER see it again! "

In *The Xenia Gazette*, Tiffany wrote: "Janet remembered wearing the ring occasionally. Her children think that the ring may have gotten lost when she was gardening in the back corner of the

yard. 'Maybe I was working in the garden and put it on the fencepost,' suggested Moler. 'I don't remember losing it. I had it one day and then not the next.'

"Silas found the ring at the edge of the garden near the house...The theories as to how the ring had gotten from one edge of a garden to the other range from the '74 tornado to squirrels and garden plows. Silas' grandmother thinks that this has been a great object lesson for him. 'Finders aren't keepers,' she said."

According to Janet, the ring is in amazing condition, but will be going to the jeweler for a thorough cleaning. Janet is still so thrilled to have her class



Janet (Munday) Moler with Silas Yates, the Xenia boy who found Janet's class ring

(photos taken by *The Xenia Gazette* reporter Tiffany Beverly)

ring in her possession once again and is so very appreciative to all those who took the time to solve the mystery!



Upcoming Carroll High School Events

Go to www.carrollhs.org to register or to gather more information. Questions? Contact jweitz@carrollhs.org or call (937) 253-3338

The Wizard of Oz Musical | March 22-24, 2013

Don't miss this much-loved family favorite as the Carroll Freedom Players presents another fabulous performance. Ticket information is available online at www.carrollhs.org. All Drama Alumni are invited to a reception after the Saturday performance. Please RSVP to tweitz@carrollhs.org



Senior Nicole Collins will play Dorothy Gale.

7th Annual Family Easter Egg Hunt | Saturday, March 30, 2013

Meet in the Carroll cafeteria from 9:00-11:00 a.m. for a continental breakfast, games, crafts, and photo opportunity with the Easter Bunny. Student volunteers will lead children in various age groups to the Easter Egg Hunt location(s) around Carroll. Cost: \$5 per adult and FREE for participating children. RSVP deadline is March 25, 2013. Register at www.carrollhs.org/2013egghunt. Questions? Call (937) 253-3338 or email jweitz@carrollhs.org.

Purse Bingo | Saturday, April 27, 2013

Like purses? Like to play BINGO? The Carroll Music Department is holding its first-ever DESIGNER PURSE BINGO! Doors open at 11:00 a.m. and BINGO starts at noon in the Carroll cafeteria. Instead of cash prizes, we PURSE BINGO for high-end handbags like Kate Spade, Vera Bradley, and Coach. There will be 20 Bingo games for only \$25. We will also have exciting raffles for purses and other fun games. Refreshments and food will be available. Look for more information later, but mark your calendar now. Tickets to this popular fundraiser will go fast and seating will be limited. This will be a fun afternoon to enjoy with your friends and daughters. If anyone is interested in learning more, please contact Linda Stocker at (937) 235-2414 or Lisa Stokely at (937) 426-5497. All proceeds will benefit the Music Department to acquire new and used band instruments.

Old Timers Carroll Baseball Game | Saturday, May 4, 2013

Attention all current and former Carroll Baseball Players! You are invited and encouraged to come back and challenge the short Left Field porch, or get on the bump one more time to strike out that rival. Come to our Varsity game vs. Monroe at 12:00 noon, and stay for the Old Timers game afterwards. Even if you aren't going to play, come out and visit with your former teammates and coaches. For more info, go to the Carroll Patriots [Facebook page](#) or email: CarrollBaseball@aol.com

Football Golf Outing | Saturday, June 8, 2013

The annual Football Golf Outing is scheduled for June 8th at Locust Hills Golf Club with an 8:00 a.m. shotgun start. This is the primary fundraiser for our football program. Last year, we were able to raise funds for new home jerseys, a sled and a chute. Golfers and sponsors may contact the golf chairman, Bill Tom, at theosuagr@aol.com or Coach Levy at blevy@carrollhs.org. Join us for a great day of golf and fellowship!

Patriot 5K | Saturday, July 27, 2013

Join us for this year's Patriot 5K for runners and walkers! The race starts at 9:00 a.m. at Carroll High School. Cost is \$20 for pre-registering, \$25 day-of, and \$15 for Juniors (15 and under). There will be awards for men and women (1st, 2nd, 3rd); Juniors (1st), and team (1st). To pre-register, go to www.carrollhs.org/patriot5K. For more information, contact Race Chairman Chris O'Bryan '07 at obryancr@gmail.com or (937) 304-7825.

A Taste of Northern Italy | September 20-October 4, 2013 (15 days)

Carroll alumni, family and friends are invited to travel to Italy in 2013 with Mrs. Eldora Perfilio, retired Carroll foreign languages teacher. Highlights include Milan, Lake Como region including Como and Bellaggio, Turin, Bologna, Cinque Terre, the Italian Riviera, Pisa, Verona, Venice, etc. This is an all-inclusive tour to Italy (*includes round trip airfare; hotels; ground transportation; all transfers; tour director; city tour guides; all breakfasts; 5 lunches; 10 dinners; visits to 4 wineries, to a parmigiano-reggiano producer, to a balsamic vinegar farm, and to many natural and cultural sites; entrance fees; and portage.*) The total cost, with 20 travelers, is \$5,299. This price includes everything

except optional travel insurance and optional tips. Please contact Mrs. Perfilio at eldoraperf@aol.com or (937) 426-7183 for more information.

SAVE THESE DATES

- ⊖ **Alumni Softball Tournament**
Saturday in August, 2013 - Delco Park
- ⊖ **16th Annual Alumni Golf Outing**
Friday, September 6, 2013 - Beaver Creek Golf Club
www.carrollhs.org/2013alumnigolf
- ⊖ **Alumni Weekend: September 27-29, 2013**
 - » Alumni Night: Friday, September 27, 2013
 - » Athletic Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony: Saturday, September 28, 2013
 - » Mass in Memory of Deceased Alumni and Faculty: Sunday, September 29, 2013



Recap of Recent Alumni Events and Reunions

More reunion photos can be found [here](#).

The Class of 1971 celebrated life at their 41st reunion during the weekend of July 20-21, 2012. On Friday night, about 4 dozen classmates joined together on the patio at Quaker Steak and Lube. Then, on Saturday night, the group celebrated with a Bar-B-Q at Walnut Grove Country Club, finishing the night out dancing to the music of The Termites. A wonderful time was clearly had by all which prompted the group to decide that in the summer of 2013, they would convene once again to celebrate their 60th birthdays. Ideas are currently being gathered as to an appropriate “out of Dayton” venue for that party. Contact Barb (Downs) Powers at BPowers71@gmail.com with suggestions. Pictured here is the group photo from Walnut Grove Country Club.



The Class of 1982 celebrated their 30-year reunion on July 21, 2012. They gathered at the Bella Villa Italian Club for the Bocce Classic and invited other classes to join them. They had fun participating in a corn hole tournament and then listening to the rock bands: The Trace Band and Slowhand.



The Class of 1987 held their 25th reunion on July 27 and 28, 2012. A fun, casual get together was held on Friday at TJ Chumps in Fairborn followed on Saturday by dinner, dancing and drinks at The Presidential. Approximately 100 classmates attended one or both nights. Classmates came from all over the country: Colorado, California, South Carolina, Illinois, Tennessee, Kansas, Michigan, Virginia... Bruce Mescher even made it from Brazil! Good times were had by all and it was wonderful to get together again with a great group of people. Thanks to all who made the weekend such a wonderful success! Pictured here is a group of 1987 grads that attended St. Helen together.



The Class of 1980 celebrated their 50th birthday party at the Beaver Vu Bowling Lanes in Beavercreek on August 4, 2012. Those in attendance had a fun time! Several couldn't make it at the last minute for reasons beyond their control and they were missed.



The Class of 2002 gathered for their 10-year reunion on August 18, 2012 at Brixx Ice Company in downtown Dayton. Many ventured from far and wide to attend. Over 100 classmates met and reminisced over drinks and hors d'oeuvres. The 2002 graduates have experienced great success in their careers and fields. Lots of new faces, too...many classmates have settled down and started families! Plenty of baby pictures were passed around. Everyone in attendance had a great time and old friendships were reignited. Thanks to everyone who came out and made the event such a success.



The Class of 1998 met at the Beavercreek Marion's on Thursday, August 30th to celebrate having the second highest class participation rate for Carroll's 2011-2012 Annual Fund Campaign. They thought it would be fun to experience the traditional pizza party they used to have as Carroll students to celebrate surpassing their own class goal. Over 20 classmates attended with their families. The Class of 98 is already planning its next fundraising project in order to do what they can to help Carroll High School.

Dedicated Patriots marched in the rain this year for **Kettering's Holiday at Home Parade on Monday, September 3, 2012**. An Alumni Association committee spent an entire month creating a fabulous float! Sticking to the theme, "Holiday at Home Puts on the Glitz," the float demonstrated Carroll continuing to put on the glitz in both academics and athletics. Thanks to the following for their creative ideas and strong commitment: Josh Weitz '09 (committee chair), Adam Becker '09, Andrew Becker '09, Orren Fitch '09, Sam Weitz '91, Julie (Hemmert) Weitz '94, Jeannie (Heid) McManus '66, Bill Baron '76, Lisa (Strehle) Baron '81, Nick Weitz '87, Toni (Hemmert) Weitz '86, Bill Potts '66, Mike Thompson '65, Mary Ann Wendeln '69, Abby Seiter '12, Ben Seiter '14, Alice Weitz, and Weitz/Baron kids. Thanks also to the sponsors: Leaders of the Pats, Becker Construction, D.A.M. Machine and Tool, and Dr. John Gazzero DDS. *Pictured here is Adam Becker '09 and Kelly (Sheetz) Becker '82.*



The 15th annual alumni golf outing was held at Sugar Valley Country Club on Thursday, September 6, 2012, chaired by Michael Sticka '00 with the help from committee members Dr. Greg Notestine '71, Chuck Wagner '72, Mike Miller '72, Jim Butler '74, Dan Wyskiver '74, Julie (Hemmert) Weitz '94, Jason Hughes '96, Jack Leopard '01, Brian Sticka '04, and Josh Chaney '04. \$6,829 was raised to support the Alumni Association in providing opportunities for alumni, in helping to further the advancement of Carroll, and in providing Carroll legacy scholarships to current students. The 1st place foursome was Jack Leopard '01, Paul Day '03, Luke Notestine '00, and Mike Anderson '01. *(pictured to the right)*



The 2nd place foursome was Sam Dalessandro '78, Dr. Robert Zaino '79, Dr. John Zaino '87, and Jim Diller. The longest drive for the men was Luke Notestine '00 and the longest drive for the women was Sue Eakle. Mike Renk '98 was closest to the pin. Thanks to all of the sponsors, donors, and golfers for giving of their time and treasure, especially Jim Butler '74 of United Pacific Pet for being our major Patriot sponsor. Red sponsors included Ameriprise Financial, Greg Notestine DDS, and Pepsico. White sponsors included Heidelberg, Michael's Door & Hardware, Marion's Piazza, and Michael Sticka '00. Blue sponsors included Early Express; Flagel, Huber, Flagel & Co.; Green Leaf Printing & Design; Hands On Printing; Matt Joseph '90; O'Neil & Associates; Patken Group; and Stroh Johnson & Company CPAs.



On Friday, September 7, 2012, a school assembly and special luncheon was held for the 2012 Inductees to the Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame. The assembly, emceed by Mr. Tom Hoefler, was exceptional! The students were engaged by the inductees, their accomplishments, and their Carroll experiences. Following the assembly, student ambassadors led the inductees on tours of the school and then all enjoyed a delicious lunch prepared by Mrs. Cullin and her "Healthy Gourmet" students. Pictured here are Jerome Porter '13 and Bill Hess '71.



The Class of 1972 celebrated their 40-year reunion during Alumni Weekend, September 6-9, 2012. A group of classmates gathered at the Alumni Night Social on Friday and then, on Saturday, a last minute gathering was planned. After making a couple of phone calls, class members decided to meet at Tale Gators Sports Bar in Centerville. Pictured here in the back row (left to right) is Tim Griffin, Tom Mauro, Danny Kinser, Ed Schaeffer, Glenn Manny, Donnie Fortner, Mike Bolton, and Nick DeMonico. Kneeling in front (left to right) is Tim Kuntz and Dennis Lane.



The Class of 1977 also gathered for their 35-year reunion during Alumni Weekend, September 6-9, 2012. They joined in the alumni events planned for that weekend, including the alumni social on Friday and the Mass in memory of deceased alumni and faculty on Sunday (with classmate Fr. Martin Pitstick serving as one of the celebrants). On Saturday, classmates attended their own dinner and dance at the Milton Club. Pictured here are the attendees at Saturday's event.



The Class of 1992 also held their 20-year reunion during Alumni Weekend September 6-9, 2012. About 20 met at Carroll's game and social on Friday. Then, on Saturday, approximately 50 classmates enjoyed a very fun evening at The Filling Station on Linden Avenue. Metal of Honor, a retro rock cover band, played familiar tunes while classmates caught up and reminisced over finger foods and cocktails. It was such an amazing night that the date is already set and funds set aside for the 25-year reunion! Pictured here are the Saturday attendees.



In addition to the classes of 1972, 1977, and 1992, members of the classes of 1967, 1997 and 2007 joined in the festivities during Alumni Weekend. **On Friday, September 7, 2012, Alumni Night was held.** Before the Carroll vs. Bellefontaine football game, the Carroll band marched down the field playing the *Fight Song and Alma Mater*, along with the alumni band members and alumni drill team members. The 2012 Inductees of the Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame were also announced. Pictured here is Mr. Jim Kuntz congratulating the inductees: Fr. Stan Neiheisel, Carol (Gasper) Huber '68, and Thomas Hischak '69.



After the game, on September 7, approximately 200 alumni met in the cafeteria and gym for the **Alumni Social** for appetizers, beverages, and live band - the Hathaways with Tom Dempsey '70 and Tom Baer '71. Thanks to Mike Lofino '65 for donating veggie trays, and for the many restaurants who donated wings. Slyder's Tavern and Fox & Hound tied for first as the wing-tasting contest winner(s)! Thanks also to committee members Sue (Sheetz) Graham '76, Myrna (Fisher) Gazzero '81, Jeannie (Heid) McManus '66, Ken Belcher '70, Greg Notestine '71, Bernie Williams '77, Doug Ballman '77, Chris Youngerman '79, Mary (Sammons) Jobe '81, Toni (Hemmert) Weitz '86, Diane (Hames) Chappell '92, Becky Jordan '92, and Julie (Hemmert) Weitz '94. Pictured here are members of the class of 1966 present at the social: Bonnie Franz, Gene Jackson, Karen (Reed) Franz, April (Milord) Midas, Bill Rawers, Dick Bennett, Sandy and Chuck Nartker, Jeannie (Heid) McManus, Bob Beecroft, and Pat Saunders.



On Saturday, September 8, 2012, the fourth Induction into the Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame occurred. The evening was once again a first-rate event producing wonderful memories of exceptional faculty and an excellent education at Carroll High School. Five alumni from the classes of 1968 through 1989 were honored, along with the third recipient of the "Honorary Patriot" award: Fr. Stan Neiheisel, the second principal of Carroll High School. 140 people attended the ceremony. Thanks to chairperson Amy (Sableski) Wittmann '88 and committee members Suzie (Kuntz) Roselius '66, Jeannie (Heid) McManus '66, Kathy (McGarry) Brewster '70, Kathy (Kuntz) Heeb '70, Anita (Notestine) Coleman '70, Greg Notestine '71, Mary Heider '74, Cathy (Wuebben) Jackson '75, Diane (McNelly) Keller '80, Jim Fleisher '85, Julie (Hemmert) Weitz '94, and Mr. Tom Hoefler. The 2012 inductees are pictured here. In row 1 (left to right) are Carol (Gasper) Huber '68, Bill Hess '71 and Tamara Gonzalez '71. In row 2 (left to right) are Thomas Hischak '69, Honorary Patriot Fr. Stan Neiheisel and John Timm '89. To see more photos, go [here](#).



An opportunity to sail on a Western Caribbean Cruise was offered to Carroll alumni and friends for the week of October 27-November 3, 2012. Vacationers visited the white sandy beaches of Labadee, Falmouth and Cozumel and had an enjoyable time! Pictured here are Jeannie (Heid) McManus '66, Carol Brinkman (mother of Vic '88 and Angie Brinkman '95), Shirley Mlod, and Karen Heid in Montego Bay, Jamaica at Jimmy Buffet's Margaritaville.



2013 Reunion Information

Go [here](#) for the latest reunion details.

Be sure to keep your contact information updated in Carroll's alumni office if you'd like to receive future reunion details! Please contact jweitz@carrollhs.org with any address, phone or email changes.

It is time to begin planning the reunion celebrations for 2013!

WELCOME BACK ALUMNI

1968: Plans are **underway for the 45-year reunion** being planned for **June 28 and 29**. If you'd like to help, contact Diane (Ferguson) Morris at (937) 898-0708 or [morisimom@gmail.com](mailto:morrisimom@gmail.com). Friday night will be held at Quaker Steak & Lube and Saturday night will be held at the Hope Hotel at Wright Pat Air Force Base.

1971: Barb (Downs) Powers is planning another party for the class of 1971 - **a 60th Birthday Party!** If anyone has any suggestions on what to do and where "outside of Dayton", please contact Barb at BPowers71@gmail.com.

1973: Contact Bev (Amatulli) Lightner if you'd like to help with the **planning for the 40-year reunion**, to be held at the Quaker Steak & Lube on **Saturday, August 2nd at 6:00 p.m.** You can reach her at (937) 429-9472 or emolight1@juno.com.

1978: Save the date! Plans are underway for the **35-year reunion, to be held during Alumni Weekend, September 27-29**. The class of 1978 will be joining in the alumni events planned for that weekend, including the alumni social on Friday and the Mass in memory of deceased alumni and faculty on Sunday. A special dinner will be held for the class of 1978 at Walnut Grove Country Club on **Saturday evening, Sept. 28th**. It would be great if you can make it back to town and renew all those great friendships we made as Patriots! The best class - 1978 - in the history of Carroll High School! It is a great day to be a Patriot! If you'd like to help, contact Dan Wolodkiewicz at (937) 320-9491 or danwally36@woh.rr.com, or Laura (Sims) Kramer at (937) 256-5907 or lkramers5@att.net.

1983: Plans are underway for **the 30-year reunion, to be held during Alumni Weekend, September 27-29**. The class of 1983 will be joining in the alumni events planned for that weekend, including the alumni social on Friday and the Mass in memory of deceased alumni and faculty on Sunday. A special class gathering will be held for the class of 1983 on Saturday at the Brixx Ice Company downtown Dayton (7 p.m.). If you'd like to help, contact John Janssens at jjanssens@bex.net; Mark Jobe at (937) 237-3139 or markjobe@gmail.com; or Melissa (Balsom) Fisher at (937) 253-7650 or mfisher@carrollhs.org.

1988: Krista (Bitsko) Rueve is trying to rally a group of classmates together to help plan **the 25-year reunion, to be held during Alumni Weekend, September 27-29**. Please contact Krista if you'd like to help. You can reach her at (513) 922-4067 or krista.rueve@fuse.net.

1993: Plans are underway for **the 20-year reunion, to be held during the weekend of August 9-10**. If you'd like to help with the plans, contact Molly (Michelbrink) Tucker at (937) 672-2799 or mollymarysuetucker@yahoo.com, or Julie (Staton) Malesko at (937) 572-4232 or jmalesko@yahoo.com.

1998: Contact Pete Williams if you'd like to help with **the plans for the 15-year reunion**. You can reach him at (937) 623-2315 or peter.joseph.williams@gmail.com.

2003: Committee members are still needed for the class of 2003. If you'd like to help organize your **10-year reunion**, please contact jweitz@carrollhs.org or (937) 253-8188, ext. 339.

2008: Committee members are still needed for the class of 2008. If you'd like to help organize your **5-year reunion**, please contact jweitz@carrollhs.org or (937) 253-8188, ext. 339.

Do you want to receive information about your reunion or individual class gatherings, find out the latest Carroll news, or receive invitations for upcoming events? Be sure your contact information is up-to-date in the Alumni Office by calling (937) 253-3338 or emailing jweitz@carrollhs.org



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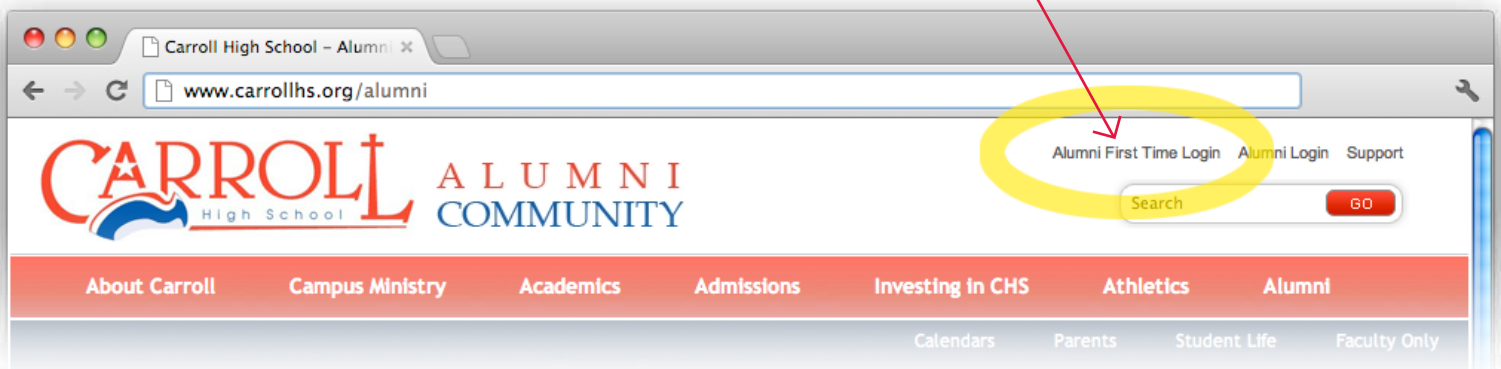
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3. Enter your Constituent ID.

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Class Notes

1965 Robert Pytel and his wife, Clare, are still living in the same house in New Jersey, now for 33 years! They have three grown-up daughters and four grandkids - their oldest Michael is a freshman lefthanded pitcher for Shenandoah University in Virginia. Robert is still with the same bank through three mergers, now called Bank of New York Mellon. He is the Managing Director of Corporate Billing systems. Robert travels a little - he was recently in London, India and Frankfurt. He loves his job and will probably work until the age of 70. Robert also has a second job as a professional photographer, which he began in 2002. He is primarily a photo journalist specializing in newspaper, magazine, runway fashion shows, websites, and regularly shoots for Saks Fifth Ave. He has shot many celebrities: Miss America,



Robert Pytel in Pune India at an early morning village market with his new best friends

Miss Teen USA, Robin Roberts (ABC), Solidad O'Brien (CNN), Merideth Vera (NBC), Nicole Murphy (Eddy's Ex), Spike Lee's wife Tanya, Malaak Rock (Chris' wife), Rapper Lil Kim,

Geraldo Rivera, Michael Strahan, CC Sabathia, Derek Jeter, Ely Manning, Phil Simms, Jersey Shore stars, and all the Housewives of New Jersey many times. He even made it on the show during one of the tapings! Having "two" jobs actually keeps him young - energy to burn!!!! Robert is looking forward to seeing everyone at their 50th reunion - three more years - can't wait!

1968 Stephen K. Haller was recently elected (unopposed) to a third term as a Greene County, Ohio, Prosecuting Attorney. Steve serves as a Trustee of Michael's House, Greene County's nationally accredited child advocacy center.

1971 Susan Walsh retired after 27 years working in the Public Defender's Office in Alameda County, California which encompasses Oakland and Berkeley. She has now opened her own practice where she continues practicing criminal defense work. She thought she could have a more leisurely work experience. Not so - she is working harder than ever and enjoying it more than ever. Susan is married to Peter Kasin, a national park ranger. He is in charge of the music program at Maritime National Park in San Francisco. Their son is a senior at U.C. Davis, graduating in the spring.

1972 Timothy Beecroft is currently a captain on the airbus A-320/A-321 based in Phoenix for US Airways.

1974 David Gasper and his wife, Theresa, received the "Outstanding Philanthropist" award at the 23rd Annual National Philanthropy Day on Tuesday, November 13, 2012. The Association of Fundraising Professionals of Ohio, Greater Dayton Region Chapter, planned this event with help from The Dayton Foundation, Wright-Patt Credit Union, Wright State University, and the Dayton Business Journal. In recent years, Dave's efforts as lead Fundraising chair for DECA has helped to generate almost \$2 million to ensure success for first generation college students. To read more about their accomplishments, click [here](#).

1974 Kathleen (Baron) Snyder will be married to Jerry for 36 years on April 16. They have 3 kids: Vicky, Lee, Matt; and 6 grandchildren. Kathy is a staff accountant at Springfield Metropolitan Housing Authority. She has participated in the Susan G. Komen 3-Day Walk in Cleveland for four years in a row.

1975 Donna (Pitstick) Haller went back to Wright State University to get her Master's in Education after 10 years at General Motors (most recently as a systems engineer) and 20 years as a stay-at-home mom and business owner. She's now an intervention specialist for ninth and tenth graders at Yellow Springs High School. Her four children--Jeff Mohlman '92 and Anna, Jonathan, and Isaac Haller are all over the country.

1977 Jeffrey Hochwalt lives in Denver with his wife, Carla (Conley) Hochwalt '77. They still get back to Dayton often to visit family. Jeff is one of 200 Authorized Advisors for the national program, Bank On Yourself. More information can be found at www.findoutmorenow.com, passcode JH78. Carla is a Senior Oncology nurse working for Rocky Mountain Cancer Centers.

1981 Ginger (Arnold) Domer has been a registered nurse for 27 years. She is currently working with high risk pregnant patients and has taken leadership roles at the hospital where she is employed. Ginger has three young adult children and has been married to Terry Domer for 30 years!

1982 Angela (Hischak) Bleemer has been married since 1988 to Jonathan and has a daughter in high school and another in college. They have been happily living in the suburbs of Philadelphia for 21 years. Angela has been in the skin care field for 26 years doing aesthetic services at a full service salon. She is also an actress and producer of local theater.



1984 Christopher Hennessey recently returned to Dayton after living in Florida for the past 15 years. He accepted a position at Hospice of Dayton in September as a Patient Services Coordinator and is excited to be working for this incredible organization. He appreciates the loving support from his amazing parents and the opportunity to reconnect and make new friends. He's happy to be back in the Buckeye state!



1988 John Heintzman is in a ministry position as assistant pastor of the Franklinton Vineyard Church in Columbus.

1993 Renee Grogg is happy to announce that she just married Adam Wilson on October 6th. They celebrated their marriage in Chicago where they live, in California with his extended family, and in Beavercreek with her friends and family. She teaches Middle School Science in Chicago Public Schools and loves it! Adam is the Office Manager at First United Church of Oak Park, Illinois.



1994 Emily (Henninger) Ridenhour and her husband Daniel announce the birth of Paco Roo Ridenhour on 3/6/2010 and Captain Bleakley Ridenhour on 1/9/2012. They join big sisters Phoebe (12) and Winnie (11). Emily is currently an Administrative Assistant for Wells Fargo Bank and Daniel is a Division 1 College Soccer Coach in Rock Hill, South Carolina.



Emily Ridenhour with her family on Mother's day at Elevation Church

1996 Amanda (Schlegel) Stockman and her husband, Mike, celebrated their 15th Wedding Anniversary on November 2nd. They celebrated with several friends and their children: Jacqueline who is 14, Keith who is 12, and Kayla who is 10.

1998 Pete Williams and his wife, Becca, are proud new parents once again! Joseph Alexander was born November 17th. He weighed 9lbs, 6oz and 22.5 inches at birth. Baby Joey joins his big brothers: Jack and James.



Jack, Joey and James Williams

1998 Dr. Adrienne (Perfilio) Edwards and her husband, Howie, welcomed their first child into the world on December 2, 2012: Lidia Caroline Edwards.

1999 Sandra (Balsom) VanVranken is the laboratory compliance manager for The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center. She finished her Masters in Allied Health Professions, focus in Education, from The Ohio State University in the summer of 2012. She resides in Hilliard with her husband and two children: Tessa (7) and Scott (5).

2003 Shannon (Stewart) Mueller and Greg Mueller '02 welcomed their son, Phillip Joseph Mueller, into the world on July 10, 2012.



Phillip Joseph Mueller

2003 Dr. Patrick O'Bryan graduated from Palmer Chiro College in the Fall of 2012 and is now a partner/co-owner in a new chiropractic/rehab office recently opened in Centerville - Chiropractic Associates of Centerville (1504 Yankee Park Place, 937-424-3068; www.chiropractorincenterville.com).

2004 Daniel Raeth is a chemical engineer working for Welltec, Inc.

2004 Emily Ruef returned to St. Labre Indian Catholic School in Ashland, Montana after finishing up her year as a Recruiter for the Jesuit Volunteer Corps Northwest. She is now serving in a campus ministry capacity as the Religious Education Coordinator and is loving diving back into the cultures of the Northern Cheyenne and Crow tribes.

2005 Andrew Rouhier graduated in June 2012 from Wright State University with a Master's of Business Administration focusing in Management, Innovation and Change.

2006 Katie (Young) Baltodano and Anthony Baltodano of Ypsilanti, Michigan were married in June 2011. They currently reside in Jackson, MI.





Zack and Kristen Heider

2006 Zachary Heider, son of Maryann and Chris Heider '77, married fellow Carroll alum, Kristen Schwieterman '06, daughter of Louis and Pat (Straethern) Schwieterman '77 on Saturday, August

4, 2012. Zack and Kristen attended Green Oak preschool together and began dating during their senior year (2005-2006) at Carroll. Zack and Kristen are presently residing in Denver, Colorado. In June 2010, Zack earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Geology at The Ohio State University and moved to Denver to work as a Senior Geosteering Technologist for the Houston-based Anadarko Petroleum Corporation. Kristen is a 2010 College of Nursing graduate from the University of Cincinnati.

2008 Adam Fearing was praised for his positive outlook and motivation in an article found on the University of Cincinnati website in September 2012. [Go here](#) to read more about Adam's accomplishments.



Adam Fearing

2009 Victoria Picard published a novel dedicated to the Carroll family. It is called: "Rose de Loup: The Guardians" and can be ordered at amazon.com.

A NOTE FROM A PROUD PARENT ~ MRS. JANET BOEHMER: "I saw Carroll High School built and they really made a lot of great progress over the years! I am a parent who is very proud of the school. I sent all four of my children to Carroll: Don Jr. '74, Leona '77, Timothy '78, and Kenny '80. I feel our money was well spent. The faculty, teachers and principal were always great and very helpful. I was happy when I could keep students overnight so they could go to Mass and play sports. Because of the wonderful education, our children always found good jobs. Timothy bought a home on Cobblestone St. close to Carroll and has lived there 26 years. He calls it the Alumni Home. We're so proud of the upkeep and the grounds always being clean and kept very nice. The neighbors all appreciate your high school. May God bless you with many more great years! You are the best! I'll always try to be here for you. My husband, Don, passed away October 15, 2009 and our daughter, Leona, in 2005."

CONGRATULATIONS TO ANOTHER CARROLL PARENT ~ MR. HOWARD BURGER! An article about Howard Burger, father of Marty Burger '69, was included in the Neighbor section of the Dayton Daily News on November 15, 2012, written by Sandy Baer. "Howard Burger, 90, was recently honored for his 17 years and more than 15,000 hours volunteering at Hospice of Dayton. Burger, a Washington Twp. resident, is a World War II Navy veteran, who survived 45 minutes in the ocean after a kamikaze attack sank his ship. One of seven brothers, who together served in all branches of the military, Burger worked in construction until retiring in 1980. Burger has volunteered at Carroll High School, Kettering Medical Center and most recently at Hospice of Dayton where he collected numerous awards for his volunteer efforts. In 2012 alone, Burger logged 423 hours before recently retiring from his volunteer duties. Burger states: "The most rewarding thing for me was giving the patients' caregiver relief. I'd speak to the patients and other times I'd just be there as they slept so that the caregivers could have some time to themselves. I started volunteering after I saw the wonderful care that my sister-in-law, Pauline Burger, received. I encourage people to volunteer and to know that Hospice is a warm place to do it."



Howard Burger, 90, has volunteered more than 15,000 hours at Hospice of Dayton.

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Alumni: Deceased Alumni prior to January 1, 2013

Carroll extends its deepest sympathy for these deceased alumni.

Lt. Col. Mary E. Dohr USAF (Ret.), Class of 1965, passed away peacefully at her home in Springfield, Virginia on Tuesday, September 11, 2012. Mary was the beloved wife of Lt. Col. Craig S. Goheen, USAF (Ret.); devoted mother of Craig S. Goheen, II and his wife Kelly; loving sister of Patricia A. O'Connor and her husband Michael O'Connor '67. She was a member of St. Raymond of Penafort Catholic Church in Virginia and was buried at Arlington National Cemetery on Thursday, January 17, 2013.

Randolph "Randy" J. Forrester, Class of 1965, passed away peacefully at the age of 65 on August 13, 2012. Randy was a long-time resident of Santa Fe, having moved to New Mexico after falling in love with the area on a college road trip. He was known throughout New Mexico as an accomplished dancer and graced the dance floor to the very end. Randy was also a Vietnam veteran, national Scrabble champion, writer, and lover of culinary delights. In addition, Randy was a Grants Administrator for the New Mexico Historical Records Advisory Board; a co-host for the radio program Gotta Dance; and a member of the Board of Directors of the New Mexico Humanities Council and the New Mexico Dance Coalition. He was also active in the Arts, enjoying many years of tail-gating parties at the Santa Fe Opera. Randy is survived by his brothers, Dave, Terry, and Rick, as well as his sister Ginny McKee. To read more about Randy's character and the impact he had on those in New Mexico, go to <http://oldgringosgazette.com/?p=1188>.

Paul Alexander Lemming, Class of 1967, passed away at the age of 63 on Monday, November 19, 2012. Paul was a graduate of Wright State University and recently retired after 35 years of devoted service to UD Printing and Design. Paul is preceded in death by his parents, John L. and Rose Lemming, and brother, Ralph Lemming '71. Paul is survived by his loving wife, Charlotte Plunkett Lemming, daughter Emily and son-in-law Jeff Pedro Jr.; sisters, Rose Marie Stupakiewicz, Marilyn Lane '65, Virgilia Lemming '72; and brothers, John Lemming, David Lemming '68, and Donald Lemming '68.

Kenneth F. Kerley, Class of 1981, passed away at the age of 49 on December 30, 2012 at Hospice of Dayton. He is survived by his brother Chris Kerley '83. Ken was a competitive outdoorsman and leaves behind many cherished memories of fishing and hunting with his friends.

Michael W. Kinser, Class of 1979, passed away at the age of 51 on September 1, 2012 after a massive stroke. Michael was a master carpenter and built several houses and remodeled hundreds of houses in the Dayton area. He was a graduate of Ascension School. Michael is survived by three adult children: Amy, Brian, Jakob, and newborn granddaughter, Violet Kinser. Michael is the brother of Nancy Kelble '71, Mary Girardot '77, Kathy Seifrit '82, Daniel Kinser '72, Joseph Kinser '73, Thomas Kinser '75, John Kinser, and James Kinser '81.

Neil W. Pies, Class of 1982, passed away at the age of 49 on November 8, 2012 in San Diego. Neil has resided in the La Jolla and San Diego, California area since 1984. He enjoyed his 34 year career as a self-employed pilot in the private transportation industry. Neil was a proud member of the Airline Owners & Pilots Association. He attended Mary of the Sea Catholic Church in La Jolla, California. He will be deeply missed by his mother Mionnia R. Pies, half-brother James N. Pies, pet apricot toy poodle "Star", extended family and many friends. Neil was preceded in death by his father Othmar W. Pies in 1979.

Patrick M. Petersen, Class of 1983, passed away at the age of 47 on November 20, 2012 from complications of ALS (Lou Gehrig's Disease). Pat resided in Durham, North Carolina. Patrick is the brother of the following Carroll graduates: Colleen McCoart '74, Kathleen Luke '78, Maureen Petersen '76, and Rob Petersen '79.

Susan E. (Spahn) Johnson, Class of 1984, passed away at the age of 46 on Tuesday, October 30, 2012 at her home due to complications from a rare form of cancer. She was a resident of Colorado Springs since 2005 and was an operations expert for Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield Insurance Company. Susan graduated from Wright State University and married Eric A. Johnson on July 17, 1993. She enjoyed spending time with her stepchildren, nieces and nephew. She loved her animals and was a member of Holy Apostles Catholic Community. Susan is the sister of Patricia Jumper '86.

Jennifer Ann Tucker-Wazgar, Class of 1987, passed away on Wednesday, September 26, 2012 at Miami Valley Hospital due to complications from brain surgery after being diagnosed with a brain tumor the previous week. She was 43 years old. Jenny is the daughter of the late Robert E. Tucker, Sr., and Nancy A. Tucker who worked in the Carroll bookstore from 1989 until 1992. She is survived by her husband, Chris Wazgar, daughter Mia, son Noah, her mother, mother-in-law, father-in-law, siblings, nieces, and nephews. Jenny is the sister of Lisa Wiersma '80, Mary Ann Castonguay '89, and Bob Tucker '92. She will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her. Her sister, Lisa, wishes to thank all of the alumni and teachers who attended Jenny's funeral. Jenny ended up being an organ donor on October 3rd, helping so many people with her donations.

Lamont Harris, Class of 1997, passed away at the age of 33 on August 8, 2012. He was a member of Northwest Church of Christ and graduate of Clark State. He is survived by his beloved children, Lamont Jr., Raje, Rashad, and Liric; beloved grandmother Lou Harris; parents Linda Cesario and Rodney (Brenda) Lewis; and siblings Jessica, Yvonne, Rod (Nicole), and Rodderick.

Faculty, Parents and Friends

Cyril “Cy” B. Borgert, father of Sharon, Doug and John Borgert '74, and grandfather of Theresa (Borgert) Weed '93, Joseph and Gregory Borgert, passed away at the age of 91 on Wednesday, February 8, 2012 at Oak Creek Terrace. Cy was a decorated WWII Navy veteran receiving numerous prestigious decorations for bravery. Following retirement from NCR, he worked several more years at Hobart Corporation and volunteered for St. Mary's, Ascension, Emmanuel, and Carroll High School.

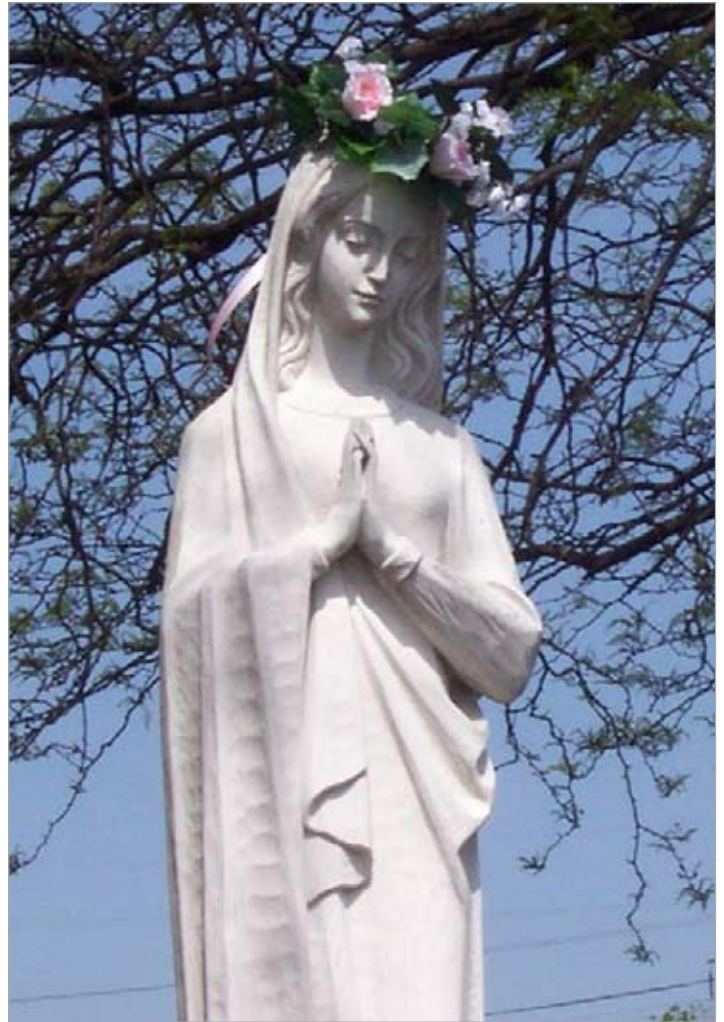
Mary Margaret Giust, mother of Debbie Vance '70, and grandmother of Jennifer (Vance) Finkle, Justin Vance '97, and Jessica (Vance) Fugate '99, passed away at the age of 84 on April 14, 2012.

Thomas M. Hischak, father of Thomas S. Hischak '69, Christine (Hischak) Lucas '74, Gregory Hischak '78, Angela (Hischak) Bleemer '82, and Ronald Hischak, passed away at the age of 89 on Friday, September 14, 2012, at Miami Valley Hospital. Thomas is survived by his loving wife of 62 years, Helen. Thomas was a WWII Army veteran, a graduate of The Rochester Institute of Technology, and a retired test engineer from General Motors.

Stephanie (Markham) Minge, one of Carroll High School's music directors from 2001-2006, passed away peacefully, surrounded with love by her family, on December 5, 2012 after battling a very rare form of cancer for the past seven years. As an Osteosarcoma patient at the MD Anderson Proton Therapy Center, Stephanie publicly encouraged other patients to be positive, to be educated on their treatment, and just simply take one day at a time. Stephanie was an amazing woman who lived her life with courage, focusing on the good things in life - her supportive husband Sammy, her family and her friends.

Sister Juliana Mislovic (Anna Margaret), a Sister of Notre Dame de Namur, died on December 2, 2011, at the age of 93 in the 75th year of her religious life. Sr. Juliana taught religion at Carroll High School from 1970-1971. In 1971, she studied gerontology and began her second career in ministry to the elderly. She held positions of leadership at convents in Dayton, Columbus and Cincinnati.

Carroll extends its deepest sympathy for these deceased faculty, parents, and friends.



UPCOMING EVENTS IN 2013

THE WIZARD OF OZ STUDENT MUSICAL
March 22-24

FAMILY EASTER EGG HUNT
Saturday, March 30

PURSE BINGO
Saturday, April 27

FOOTBALL GOLF OUTING
Saturday, June 8

PATRIOT 5K
Saturday, July 27

ALUMNI GOLF OUTING
Friday, September 6

ALUMNI WEEKEND
September 27-29



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