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## **Front Cover**

Natalie Ryan '22 carries the Class of 2022 banner in the entrance procession of the 58th Baccalaureate Mass held at the Church of the Immaculate Conception on May 19, 2022.

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## Building Men and Women of Faith



It has always been our mission to be a welcoming, Catholic community dedicated to the holistic formation of our students for a life of virtue, academic excellence, and service to the common good. It is not a coincidence

that our mission statement begins with “Catholic,” as our Catholic identity is at the forefront of all that we do at Carroll. Our Catholic faith formation shapes who we are as Patriots, the experiences we share, and the communities we serve, both on campus and beyond.

In this edition of *Reflections*, we are proud to share many stories of current and alumni Patriots who are living their faith and being God’s light to others in incredible ways. Our Christian Justice and Service Workcamp students, for example, were able to both serve our greater Dayton community and continue to grow in their own faith life this summer. Every year, those students attend Mass together. This year, students attended a Mass celebrated by Fr. Sean Stilson ‘06, an alumnus of both Carroll and the Service Workcamp itself. It was such an inspiring moment for our students to both worship with a fellow Patriot living out his faith through the call to priesthood and to witness what faith in action looks like throughout their week of service.

This past July, we registered with the Ohio Department of Education to be officially known as

Archbishop Carroll High School. With other Ohio counties and school districts sharing our Carroll name, we wanted to put our faith identity first, even in our official name, as our faith is what makes our alma mater such a special place. Archbishop John Carroll was the first bishop and archbishop of the United States, and he helped establish the Catholic Church in our newly-formed country. Similarly to Archbishop Carroll, we hope that our Patriots will make their mark in history as active, faith-filled citizens of the world.

St. John of the Cross once said that, “Faith is like the feet where with the soul journeys to God, and love is the guide that directs it.” We hope to continue to inspire all generations of Patriots to come together by moving closer to Christ through the faith formation they encounter at Carroll. May our love for Christ guide the lessons we learn, the choices we make, and the service we share with others- this year and always.

It is a great day to be a Patriot at Archbishop Carroll High School!

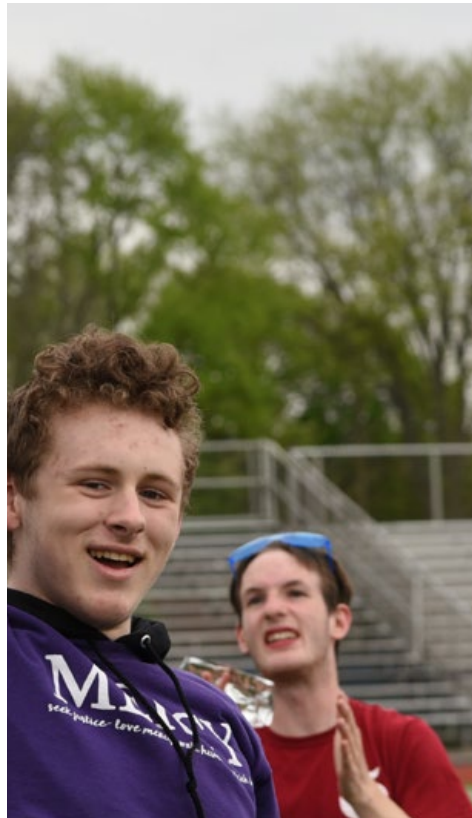
God Bless,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Matthew T. Sableski". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a small flourish at the end.

Matthew Sableski '91  
Principal







## 2022 Champions: Mercy House

Mercy House claimed their first Patriot House cup after narrowly edging out Baltimore House at the top of the standings following the final House Event competition of the year. Students earn points for their House through performing service hours, maintaining excellent grades, and competing in four House Events throughout the year. This is the first year the Houses competed for the cup since the 2018-19 academic year due to the COVID-19 pandemic.



# SPOTLIGHTS

A look at some of the highlights from within and around our amazing student community

## ACADEMICS

### Aquaponics brings lessons to life

A year-long experiment in maintaining an ecosystem demonstrated just how fragile interconnected life forms are to Tom Westgerdes '22 and the rest of the students studying Ecology.

After using an aquaponics system to grow plants in the fall, the students added dozens of perch, one of Ohio's most common fish, to the environment to see how they would co-exist with the plants.

"I learned just how delicate the balance of life is in the wild," Westgerdes said. "Every day, our class had duties such as measuring the pH, calcium, and iron levels within the system. This was to ensure that the fish would survive and in turn nurture the plant life in the system. Even with this extreme care, many of the fish died."



Tyler Schmalstig '23 checks on perch in Ecology class

After restocking the fish tank and adjusting their approach with feeding and water conditions, the students were able to care for the fish and watch them grow over the final weeks of the

semester. The semester culminated with a successful harvest of many fish that could be used to prepare meals along with the produce fed through the aquaponics system.

### Patriots take the lead at Ohio Youth-in-Government



Carroll students at the Ohio State House for Youth-in-Government

Archbishop Carroll High School students won election to several high offices at the 2022 Ohio Youth in Government Conference. Maria Camacho '23 was elected Governor, Bailee Bolton '24 served as Speaker of the House, Kariss Speakman '23 was the Attorney General, and Brian Crum '23 was a Presiding Officer.

### Two Patriots encourage others to take their *Chance* at TEDxYouth

Empowered and confident are how Mikayla Petrovic '22 and Jakob Burdick '22 described their mindsets after delivering speeches at the 2022 TEDxYouth Dayton event in March.

They hope to pass those feelings on to their peers through the stories they shared.

"It helped me realize that my voice does matter, and I can make a difference," Petrovic said. "I've always wanted to do something to help, but I never knew how to. Even if one person listens and takes the message away from our speeches, we made an impact."

As two of eleven speakers selected to deliver a talk focused on the theme *chance*, Mikayla and Jakob worked from December through March brainstorming, researching, writing, revising, and memorizing their speeches. Jakob encouraged young voters to take advantage of their chance to change their communities at the ballot box, and Mikayla examined the advantages she grew up with and how to use them to benefit those around her.

They both recall pacing through the backstage area at the Main Branch of



Mikayla Petrovic '22 at TEDxYouth Dayton in March





Jakob Burdick '22 at TEDxYouth Dayton in March

the Dayton Metro Library moments before delivering their speeches. Seeing rows of their family members, classmates, and teachers helped calm their nerves.

“I’d love to run for Congress one day,” Jakob said. “It felt like it was my first campaign speech, so coming off the stage, doing it well, and getting the audience to react the way they did, it was a good confidence booster.”



Scan code to watch Mikayla and Jakob deliver their speeches.

## ARTS

### Marching Patriots *Closing In* on another outstanding season

The Archbishop Carroll High School Marching Patriots will present their 2022 competition show *Closing In* at numerous performance venues this fall.

The show features original music by director of bands, Carl Soucek, and



visual design by drill writer, Thomas Sparling. Melodies from artist Imogen Heap’s song, *Closing In*, build the musical foundation of the performance, and the band and guard will be staged in a set of props that physically close in on the performers as the show progresses.

Under the direction of Mr. Carl Soucek and Mr. Aaron West ‘07, the 80 member group of musicians and guard members will compete locally and regionally, including a September 17 performance at the Bands of America Obez Regional in southern Ohio and the 2022 Bands of America Grand National Championships at Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis on November 11.

Drum Majors Mason Lajeunesse ‘23 and Cecilia Sharp ‘23 will also lead the band in regular season football games and local competitions in the Mid-States Band Association. The staff and students are thrilled to continue their legacy of perennial finals appearances and medal winning performances at Mid-States Band Association circuit championships throughout the fall.

### Carroll artist earns national prestige for oil painting

During her sophomore year Emma Williams ‘23 began experimenting with oil painting. Little did she know that her first piece, *The Freedom of Being Young*, would take her to New York City this past June to receive the National Gold Medal at the Scholastic Art Awards. She now joins artists and creatives such as Ezra Jack Keats and Andy Warhol as award winners when they were emerging artists.

The piece is inspired by a photograph Emma took of her sister, Maggie Williams ‘25, and their 10 year-old cousin playing in a flower field at

a family gathering in Columbus. *The Freedom of Being Young* was selected from hundreds of pieces to be displayed at the Regional Art Exhibit at the K12 Gallery in Dayton. From there, it received a Gold Key and moved on to the National Adjudication, where it received the rare, prestigious Gold Medal. The piece was also displayed digitally with other Scholastic Art Award recipients in an exhibit coinciding with the ceremony.

Williams comes from a family of artists, as both her mother, Katie (Landis) Williams ‘92, and grandmother both specialized in watercolor painting. Emma took her entire family, along with Mrs. Merland, to New York City this past June to formally receive the award at Carnegie Hall.

Though Emma grew up in an artistic household, her first formal art lesson took place in Renee Merland’s classes at Carroll. Emma is Carroll’s first National Gold Medal recipient. “It



Mrs. Renee Merland and Emma Williams ‘23 in NYC





Emma Williams '23 showcases her piece, *The Freedom of Being Young*

is so cool to see someone so humble about her talent taking a step and letting her talents shine,” said Merland, “She’s getting the recognition she deserves, and I’m just really happy and proud that she’s doing that for herself.”

### **Freedom Players Journey to the Past for spring musical**

The Freedom Players presented *Anastasia* for their spring production. The 2017 musical, based on the 1997 animated film, dives into the legend surrounding Anastasia Romanov, the youngest daughter of the last Tsar of Russia. The story stars a young woman, Anya (Isabella Olivas '23), who is searching for her past and the family she has never known. With the help of two con men, Dimitri (Max Weitz '22) and Vlad (Brian Crum '23), Anya

travels from St. Petersburg to Paris to discover her family, her true love, and, ultimately, herself.

Though the piece is considered historical fiction, director Toni (Hemmert) Weitz '86, and music director Rachel (Niemer) Barnell '06 could not help but notice the deep connection to current global events. “Anastasia’s desires are simple: to find true love that comes from being with her family,” said Weitz. “Her journey from Russia to France, though a fictitious one, is one that audience members will relate to, as so many have desired to reconnect with family members distanced due to the pandemic. Watching characters onstage who are reluctantly fleeing the homeland they love for safety will resonate with audience members who have watched the conflict in Ukraine with heavy hearts. Our show reveals the hope and love that awaits at the end of the journey.”

*Anastasia* won 12 Miami Valley High School Theatre Awards (MVHSTA), including Outstanding Lead Actress in a Musical for Olivas’ performance as Anya/Princess Anastasia. She also performed a piece from the show at the MVHSTA Showcase on the Schuster

Center stage. The Freedom Players also won 20 MVHSTA awards for their fall production of *Daddy’s Girl* including Merit for Production of a Play.

## **SERVICE**

### **Powderpuff football helps tackle hunger**

The junior and senior girls didn’t let the rain stop their drive to victory and make a difference in the lives of their neighbors at the 2022 Powderpuff



Members of the senior team at the 2022 Powderpuff Football Game

Football Game. Just before kickoff, rain showers and lightning threatened the matchup, but the Patriots called an audible and waited until the storm passed before playing under the lights.

Once they took the field, members of the varsity football team coached their classmates while dedicated family, friends, and teachers cheered them on. The night was not just about the game taking place, as our athletes chose to make the event an act of service. Alongside our athletes, the fans collected a full barrel of canned goods to donate to The Foodbank.

Both teams exhibited admirable flag-football talent and teamwork, but shortly after 11 p.m., it was the Seniors who earned the right to ring the Victory Bell.



Isabella Olivas '23 and Max Weitz '22 on stage at *Anastasia*

## A Voice of Service

Max Weitz '22 has a simple explanation for why service matters.

“It’s important to help people out and do what you can for others.”

Throughout his time as a Carroll student, Max spent 431 hours performing inspired, not required, Christian service in his church, his community, and his high school. He sang every Sunday at Mass at Ascension Church alongside his siblings as well as monthly at All School Mass. Helping with a task he enjoyed next to the people he cares about made giving his time a pleasant experience.

“It helps push you more towards

helping if you do it with people you know. It makes it easier to take the time out of your day,” Max said. “Instead of thinking of service as taking time out of my week, I thought of it more as equal priorities with studying and my other responsibilities.”

Helping with set-up for events like St. Pat’s Fest and scanning and digitizing thousands of historical photos from the Patriot archives are other ways Max gave back to his school community. He also cleaned up eyesores in the community and fed members of our community at food pantries through other volunteer opportunities.

Through it all, Max had to balance service projects with being a member of the Marching Patriots and Freedom



Max Weitz '22 sings with the choir at Baccalaureate Mass

Players as well as maintaining high grades. His dedication did not go unnoticed by the Carroll faculty, and Max was awarded the Mathematics Department Award and Archbishop John Carroll Award for Community service at the Class of 2022 Senior Awards Ceremony. ✝



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# COMPETITION



After winning “Best in State” awards at a multifaceted STEM competition in Dallas in the spring, four Archbishop Carroll High School students earned top ten awards in multiple categories at the national event.

## Dallas TEAMS students shine

The Patriots’ road to the Technology Student Association’s Test of Engineering Aptitude, Mathematics, and Science (TEAMS) competition began this past winter when the group was tasked with retrofitting a minor league baseball stadium to host a concert while enhancing the fan experience, ensuring safety, maximizing the flow of fans, and featuring the stadium as a model that others should follow. Dayton Dragon’s Executive Vice

President Eric Deutsch spoke to the students about how Day Air Ball Park has been transformed into a concert venue in the past to show them best practices for their problem solving.

Two Carroll teams qualified to compete in Dallas for national awards in the 2022 competition, and the team of Vivian Dao ‘22, Max Weitz ‘22, Christine Zhou ‘22, and Andrea Olivas ‘22, a substitute participant for Vincent Ye ‘22, earned a spotlight

on the awards stage twice for top ten finishes in the Multiple Choice and Presentation portions of the competition.

Carroll students are no strangers to success at TEAMS events. This is the third year Carroll has competed at the national level of competition following a trip to Orlando in 2013 and Nashville in 2016. Both of those teams won Best in State as well. ✝



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Congratulations to participants Jack Agnew '23, Seth Tivakaran '23, Craig Vonderheide '23, Chris Reutschele '23, Kai Hary '23, Vivian Dao '22, Max Weitz '22, Vincent Ye '22, Christine Zhou '22, Andrea Olivas '22, and coaches Science Department Co-chair Laurie Fuhr and Mathematics Department Chair Mary Ollier





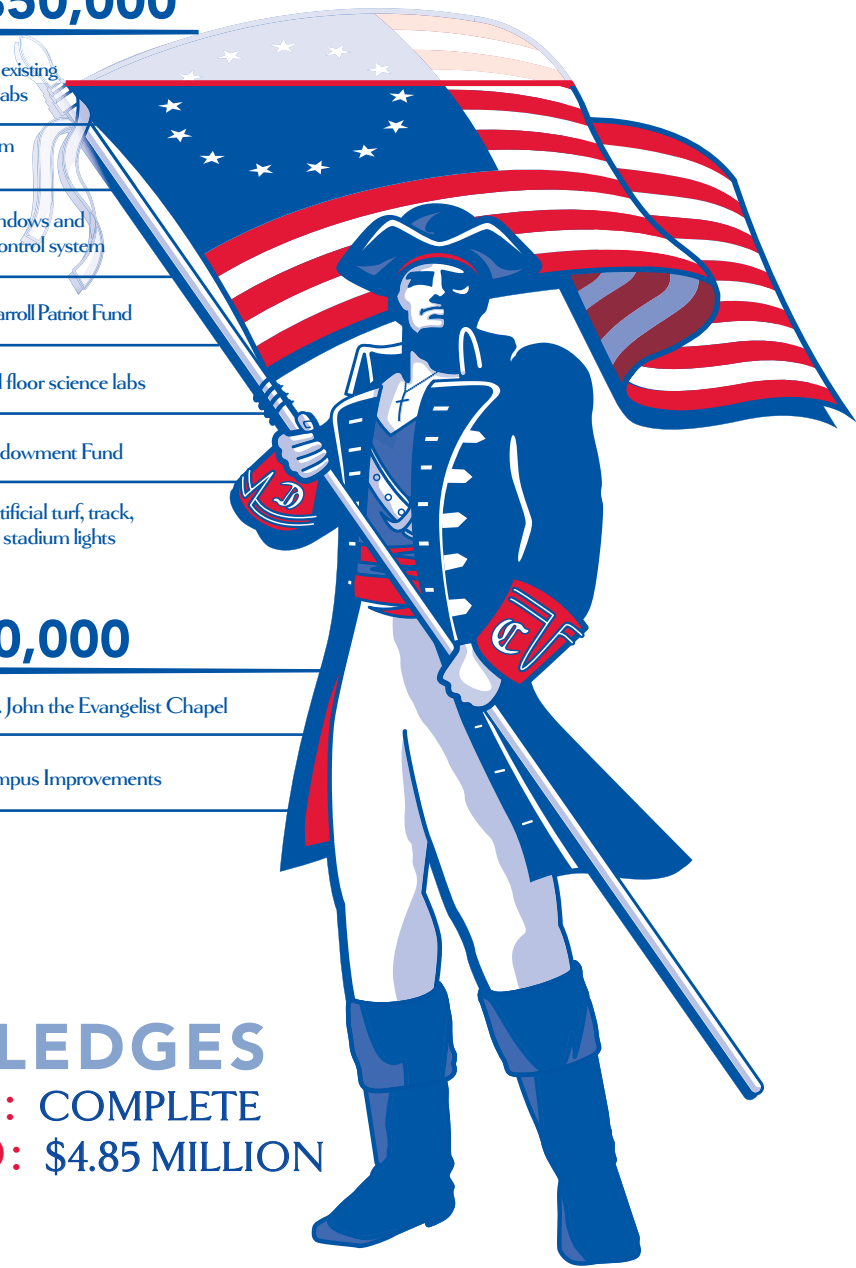
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**PHASE TWO** **\$5,850,000**

- \$1,000,000** » Renovate existing first floor labs
- \$125,000** » Build stadium entry plaza
- \$1,200,000** » Install windows and climate control system
- \$675,000** » Grow the Carroll Patriot Fund
- \$500,000** » Build second floor science labs
- \$250,000** » Establish Endowment Fund
- \$2,100,000** » Install artificial turf, track, and new stadium lights

**PHASE ONE** **\$900,000**

- \$400,000** » Renovate St. John the Evangelist Chapel
- \$500,000** » Exterior Campus Improvements



**TOTAL PLEDGES**  
**PHASE ONE: COMPLETE**  
**PHASE TWO: \$4.85 MILLION**

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## PHASE ONE

St. John the Evangelist Chapel and Campus Ministry Center	\$400,000	✓
Exterior Improvements	\$500,000	✓
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$900,000</b>	<b>✓</b>

## PHASE TWO

Stadium Step One artificial field turf, track, lights	\$2,100,000	✓
Endowment	\$250,000	✓
New Windows and AC System	\$1,200,000	✓
Build New Labs	\$500,000	✓
Carroll Patriot Fund	\$675,000	✓
Build Stadium Plaza	\$225,000	✓
Renovate Existing Labs	\$1,000,000	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$5,950,000</b>	

## PHASE THREE

Bleachers/Press Box	\$1,500,000
Additional Field	\$1,000,000
Field House	\$2,000,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$4,500,000</b>



# NAMING OPPORTUNITIES

OPPORTUNITY	AMOUNT	AVAILABLE
Stadium	\$2,500,000	One Available
Field	\$500,000	NAMED
Track	\$250,000	One Available
Pressbox I	\$150,000	NAMED
Pavillion	\$120,000	NAMED
Science Center	\$500,000	NAMED
Science Labs	\$100,000	8 NAMED
Field House	\$500,000	One Available
Additional Stadium	\$600,000	One Available
Pressbox II	\$60,000	One Available



Marilynn Rupp '98 is the president of Presto Sport, a Cincinnati-based company that provides technology to high school, college, and semi pro sports organizations to increase funding and community engagement. During her time as a student, she was a member of the Cross Country and Track & Field teams and continues to compete in triathlons and other races. She also served on Student Council and as a Class Officer, activities that she credits with helping develop leadership skills and teamwork.



## 01 Why make a gift?

I've always wanted to continue to give back to Carroll, and I have in some capacity for a number of years. I can trace my path to success all the way back to my experiences in high school. It's what gave me my opportunities in college that allowed me to grow into who I am today.

## 02 Most exciting aspect of the campaign?

There isn't one particular aspect of it to me that is more important or sentimental. Continuing to better the school, inside and outside, is incredibly important. If Carroll wants to continue to advance and be a scholastic leader in Ohio, there are investments that need to be made that are reflective of the direction and innovation it wants to foster.

## 03 How will your gift impact the lives of Carroll students?

It will provide them with the resources, opportunities, and support that they will need once they graduate. What I like about what I've seen come out of Carroll over the last ten years is that the school recognizes there is not one linear path forward. Participating in the Carroll Alumni Mentor Program every year shows me that the school is providing versatility in opportunity. They support the trades, junior colleges, and military service, and it's fantastic. Where the administration makes investments to build and develop the school inside and out is aligned with that.

## 04 Why is the campaign worthy of support?

The students who attend Carroll are worth it. If you invest in them, in return, they'll invest back. I can put myself in the position of a student who went through Carroll. I went through school here with my brother and sister, and I know that was a sacrifice that my parents had to make. I want to make sure that I continue to return and give back to the school the way that it gave to me. It's not just about the building or stadium or science labs. You're fostering the Carroll community, and to me, that's the power that comes out of it. ✚





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After 32 years of teaching Mrs. Edwards has retired. She served as the Business Department Chair as well as Dean of St. Mary's House, Yearbook Advisor, and Admissions Marketing Assistant. Please join us in congratulating Mrs. Edwards and wishing her well on all of life's new adventures! ✚



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You are always someone I think of when I remember my time at Carroll. Yearbook was such a transformative part of my life, especially the camp of 2015. Thank you for everything -- your time, your kindness, pizza, snacks, Disney music, guidance, and more. I wish I had taken one of your other classes at some point because you taught such important life skills. Thank you again, and I wish you a wonderful retirement! - Brooke Butler '17

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Best of luck on your retirement. Carroll will miss a dedicated person like you. It is great that you will still touch the students through your work on the yearbook next year. A 32 year teaching career is very impressive. You never know how many people you have impacted, and you will still remember the wonderful times you had at Carroll. Enjoy your retirement. You deserve it. - Tom Hoefler, former Carroll Social Studies Department Chair, Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame Honorary Patriot '21

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Thank you for inspiring in me the desire to be an entrepreneur. You helped me build a foundation for a career in business, and the lessons you taught remain with me still today. Thank you for your dedication to excellence in education. Happy Retirement. - James Cox '96

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Miranda Schock '22 and Brea Lawton '22 (right) on Graduation Day

Walking through the front doors of Carroll High School as a freshman, I was expecting to get an extensive education and make some memories. I was not, however, expecting to learn an incredibly valuable lesson about life: it's okay to walk your own path. And I learned this, again and again, each year through Carroll's retreats. Growing up, I was raised Catholic, but my family didn't live it out until I went to my first Catholic school in fifth grade. Even then, it was more so for the community and less for the religion. So, as an effect, I didn't truly know God until I came to Carroll and started going on retreats.

The retreat freshman year was my least favorite. This isn't to say it was unenjoyable, I just can't even remember what happened on it. I do know every

person there was obsessed with their image and how others viewed them, including me. This retreat was mostly full of ice breakers because none of us really knew each other yet. Sophomore retreat was better, but still not great. Although this may be alarming, the part where Señora Branum made every girl cry was my favorite. Her message was beautiful and positive to its core. She told me at this retreat that she knew I would make a great leader one day, and I believed her. Junior retreat was the first one we went on after COVID hit. It was a full-day retreat, and I remember genuinely enjoying it, but I don't think I truly experienced what was expected of me. And, finally, we have Senior year retreat, the last one most of us ever get the chance to go on. I enjoyed this retreat so

much that I went on it twice; once to experience it and again to lead it, just as Señora Branum had predicted. The impact PATS Retreat has on you cannot be understated. I grew so close to people I had known, or at least I thought I did, for four years. It was the perfect environment for me to heal and appreciate myself for how far I've come in life. In my witness talk, I wrote about how, through all of my retreats at Carroll, I had never been able to feel God's presence the way others always seemed able to. I felt there was something wrong with me, because why else would He abandon me? Eventually, somewhere along the line, I realized that God comes to us when we're ready to receive Him, and I had never before been open enough for that. I am still working on being vulnerable enough to see Him in my life but, for now, seeing the impact He has on others is more than enough for me. ✝



Brea Lawton

# GRADUATION | CLASS OF 2022

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Ayden Alexander Salm	Kayleigh Jeannette Via
Thomas Leneer Samuels	Emily Michelle Walls*
<i>Kelly Marie Sanko</i>	Kacy Anne Walsh
<i>Stephen Joseph Sanko IV</i>	<i>McKenzie Kate Walsh</i>
Andrew Carl Saraga*	Zane Alan Watkins
Brandon Michael Scheu	Tristan Eugene Wedderburn
<i>Miranda Kristine Schock*</i>	<i>Caitlyn Ann Wehner</i>
<i>Joseph Matthew Schrand*</i>	<i>Maxwell James Weitz*</i>
John Lafayette Sears	<i>Matthew David Wells-Ruiz</i>
<i>Rachel Josephine Seiter</i>	Thomas Andrew Westgerdes*
Donald Lewis Shepherd	Shemar Jaylen Whitfield
<i>Jillian Denise Simon*</i>	Anthony Gavin Wilson
<i>Evan Christopher Sliper</i>	Jacob Lee Wilson
Brianna Nicole Smith	<i>Maria Danielle Wilson</i>
Byron Joseph Smith II	<i>Samuel Lee Wittmann*</i>
Joseph William Sullivan	Destiny Cheyenne Wright
Diana Karolina Tenesaca-Cuji	<i>Brynn Caitlyn Yahna</i>
<i>Maxwell Raymond Thompson</i>	Yang Ye*
<i>Samuel Melvin Thompson</i>	Sicheng Zhao
Carsyn Laine Tipton-DeLisle*	
Aveiana Luzina Torres	

\*National Honor Society Member  
*Legacy Student*

The Class of 2022 is the 58th graduating class in the history of Carroll High School. The 168-student group earned more than \$16 million in merit-based scholarships and performed 14,523 hours of inspired, not required, community service throughout their time at Carroll. Join us in congratulating the newest class of Carroll alumni!

**Patriots of the Year:** Jakob Burdick & Emily Walls

**Valedictorians:** Kelly Dong & Ryan Donohue

**Salutatorians:** Vivian Dao & Jacob Reuter





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Emily was one of a small group of seniors that helped prepare and choose music for Mass. The group carefully selected music with themes of building the future and remaining

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It meant a lot. It was in a much more reverent setting, and everyone was able to focus more on the music, the readings, and what the message was. It’s the setting where [most of us] began our faith, and it brought everything together in that environment. -Emily Walls ‘22

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For the first time in a quarter of a century, Archbishop Carroll High School graduates, their families, and school faculty celebrated the Baccalaureate Mass in a Catholic church.

Fr. Satish Joseph and the Church of the Immaculate Conception hosted the Class of 2022 for their final mass together as Carroll students the evening before they received their diplomas at graduation. Splitting the



baccalaureate Mass and diploma ceremonies into separate events not only eased the burden of an hours-long ceremony, but more importantly allowed those in attendance to enjoy the Mass in a sacred space befitting of a celebration of Catholic faith.

“It meant a lot,” Emily Walls ‘22 said. “It was in a much more reverent setting, and everyone was able to focus more on the music, the readings, and what the message was. It’s the setting

strong in their faith as they begin adulthood. The recessional song they picked was Matt Maher’s All the People Said Amen, a song with special meaning to Carroll’s newest graduates.

“I felt like that was our class song. We sang it at work camp, PATS Retreat, and a lot of all-school Masses. It’s one of everyone’s favorite songs, and we really got into it with singing and clapping. It’s a great memory for my class.”

After Mass ended, 68 Carroll alumni who are also parents or grandparents of the newest graduates gathered in front of the altar to pass the torch of a Carroll education to the next generation. 48 Patriots received a pin signifying their family’s legacy at Carroll to wear at graduation the next day. ✝

# ATHLETIC HONORS

## BOYS' BOWLING

Overall Record: 17-1

League Record: 9-1

GCL Co-ed Co-Champions

**Albert Brust:** 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Eric Bui:** 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Jacob Wilson:** 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Trenton Griffith:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Logan King:** GCL Co-ed Honorable Mention

## GIRLS' BOWLING

Overall Record: 14-4

League Record: 9-1

GCL Co-ed Tournament Champions

**Grace Norman:** 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Sarah Rautio:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Abigail Becker:** GCL Co-ed Honorable Mention

## BOYS' BASKETBALL

Overall Record: 16-10

League Record: 4-6

District Runners-up

**Sean McKittrick:** 1st Team All GCL Co-ed, District 15 Underclassmen All Star

## GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Overall Record: 10-15

League Record: 3-7

**Sarah Ochs:** 1st Team All Ohio, District 15 Senior All Star, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Ellie Meyer:** District 15 Underclassmen All Star, GCL Co-ed Honorable Mention

**Lyla Oliver:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

## WRESTLING

Overall Record: 5-6

League Record: 3-1

GCL Co-ed Runners-up

**Christian Wilson:** GMVWA Special Mention, District Qualifier, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Vince Sefic:** GMVWA Special Mention, District Qualifier

**Jimmy Bechter:** GMVWA Honorable Mention, District Qualifier, 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Jackson Reynolds:** 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Jayden Walter:** 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**AJ Wolfe-Smith:** 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Raul Diaz:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Dylan King:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Trenton Yahna:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed



## GIRLS' SWIMMING

**200 Medley Relay (Claire McEachen, Rois Bultemeyer, Abby Brown, Mckenna Clark):**

Sectional Runners-up, GCL Co-ed 3rd Team

**200 Freestyle Relay (Claire McEachen, Rois Bultemeyer, Abby Brown, Mckenna Clark):**

Sectional Runners-up, GCL Co-ed 3rd Team

**Rois Bultemeyer:** 100 Breaststroke Individual

Sectional Champion, 200 Individual Medley

Sectional Runner-up, 100 Breaststroke GCL Co-ed

Runner-up, 200 Individual Medley GCL Co-ed 3rd Team

**Mckenna Clark:** 100 Freestyle Sectional GCL Co-ed 3rd Team

## BOYS' SWIMMING

**200 Freestyle Relay (Ethan Dean, Owen Fennig, Aden Dean, Max Bultemeyer):**

Sectional Runners-up

**400 Freestyle Relay (Ethan Dean, Max Bultemeyer, Nathan Bartlett, Owen Fennig):**

GCL Co-ed 3rd Team

**200 Medley Relay: (Bryce McEachen, Nathan Bartlett, Max Bultemeyer, Owen Fennig):**

GCL Co-ed 3rd Team

**Max Bultemeyer:** District Qualifier, 500 Freestyle Sectional Runner-up, 200 Freestyle Sectional

Runner-up, 500 Freestyle GCL Co-ed Runner up, 200 Yard Freestyle GCL Co-ed Runner-up

**Owen Fennig:** 100 Freestyle Sectional 3rd Team, 100 Backstroke GCL Co-ed 3rd Team, 50 Freestyle GCL Co-ed Runner-up







**SARAH OCHS**  
1st Team All Ohio Basketball



**MICHAEL DUCKRO**  
1st Team All GCL Co-ed Baseball



**MEREDITH SANDERS**  
USA Lacrosse Academic All-America Team



**SHEMAR WHITFIELD**  
All Ohio Indoor Track & Field Team



**CONGRATULATIONS TO  
OUR AMAZING ATHLETES!**



## ATHLETIC CONT.

### GIRLS' LACROSSE

Overall Record: 16-3

League Record: 8-0

GCL Co-ed Champions

**Meredith Sanders:** USA Lacrosse Academic All-America, Regional Honorable Mention, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Kacy Walsh:** 2nd Team All-Region, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**McKenzie Walsh:** 2nd Team All-Region, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Sarah Ochs:** Regional Honorable Mention, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Maren Delisle:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Casey Frederick:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Samantha Reygaert:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Coach Mike Hilton:** Region 7 Co-Coach of the Year, GCL Co-ed Coach of the Year

### BOYS' LACROSSE

Overall Record: 7-10

League Record: 3-5

**Elliot Braun:** 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Eli Bey:** 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Eric Hilgford:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Max Horton:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Ryan Chapman:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Michael Stefanek:** GCL Co-ed Honorable Mention

### BOYS' VOLLEYBALL

Overall Record: 23-6

League Record: 8-2

State Runners-up, Regional Champions,  
GCL Co-ed Runners-up

**Reese Monnin:** 1st Team All-Ohio, 1st Team All-Region, Region Player of the Year Runner-up, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Andrew Saraga:** Honorable Mention All-Ohio, 1st Team All-Region, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Tyler Monnin:** 2nd Team All-Region, 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Cannon Tucker:** Honorable Mention All-Region, GCL Co-ed Honorable Mention

**Trace Bauersfeld:** Honorable Mention All-Region



### BASEBALL

Overall Record: 5-17

League Record: 3-7

**Michael Duckro:** 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Jackson Malesko:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed, 2nd Team All-Area

**Shane Ochs:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed, Honorable Mention All-Area

**Albert Brust:** Honorable Mention GCL Co-ed

### SOFTBALL

Overall Record: 9-8

League Record: 4-6

**Grace Randall:** 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Emma Sexton:** 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

**Shaina Beam:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Julia Jordan:** 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

**Abby Springer:** Honorable Mention GCL Co-ed

**Coach Cassandra (Weitz) Shea '07:** GCL Co-ed Coach of the Year



### BOYS' TENNIS

Season Record: 9-4

League Record: 4-1

GCL Co-ed Runners-up

**Jack Buhrman:** All-Area 2nd Team (Singles)

**Tony Nguyen & Kai Hary:** All-Area 2nd Team (1st Doubles)

**Jake Reuter & Christian Bryant:** All-Area 2nd Team (2nd Doubles)

### GIRLS' TRACK & FIELD

GCL Co-ed Varsity and Jr. Varsity Outdoor  
Champions, District Runners-Up

**Sophia Bruhn:** Nike Nationals Qualifier, Indoor State Champion (4x800m Relay), Outdoor State Qualifier; Academic All Ohio, Outdoor All Region, Outdoor District Runner-up, GCL Co-ed Individual Champion, GCL Co-ed Individual Runner-up

**Merideth Goeke:** Indoor All Ohio, GCL Co-ed Individual Champion, Outdoor All Region, Outdoor Regional Qualifier

**Ruby Gross:** Indoor State Champion (4x800m Relay), Outdoor GCL Co-ed Individual Champion, Outdoor All Region, Outdoor District Individual Champion, Outdoor State Qualifier

**Grace Braun:** Indoor State Champion (4x800m Relay), Academic All Ohio, Outdoor State Qualifier, Indoor All Ohio, Outdoor All Region, Outdoor Regional Qualifier, Outdoor District Individual Champion, GCL Co-ed Individual Champion



**Maggie Poor:** Academic All Ohio, Outdoor State Qualifier, Indoor All Ohio, Outdoor Regional Qualifier

**Ruby Gross:** Indoor State Champion (4x800m Relay), Outdoor State Qualifier, Indoor All Ohio, Outdoor Regional Qualifier, Outdoor District Individual Runner-up, GCL Co-ed Individual Champion

**Rachel Gervais:** Indoor All Ohio, Outdoor All Region, Outdoor Regional Qualifier, Outdoor District Individual Runner-up, Outdoor All District, GCL Co-ed Individual Champion

**Addie Ryan:** Outdoor District Individual Runner-up

**Sophie Rieman:** Outdoor Regional Qualifier

**Guinivere Bishop:** Outdoor Regional Qualifier

**Abby Springer:** Outdoor Regional Qualifier

**Jasmine Buscher:** GCL Co-ed Individual Champion

**Sydney O' Conner:** GCL Co-ed Individual Champion

**Coach Mike Triola '95:** GCL Co-ed Coach of the Year

### BOYS' TRACK & FIELD

GCL Co-ed Varsity and Jr. Varsity Outdoor  
Champions

**Jack Agnew:** New Balance National Qualifier, Academic All Ohio, Outdoor State Qualifier, Indoor All Ohio, Outdoor All Region, Outdoor Regional Qualifier, Outdoor District Individual Runner-up, GCL Co-ed Individual Champion

**Shemar Whitfield:** Indoor All Ohio

**Sammy Deep:** Outdoor All Ohio, Outdoor Regional Individual Runner-up, Outdoor District Individual Champion, Outdoor All District, GCL Co-ed Individual Champion

**Seth Tivakaran:** New Balance National Qualifier, Outdoor All Region, Outdoor Regional Qualifier, Outdoor All District, GCL Co-ed Individual Champion

**Logan Arnold:** New Balance National Qualifier, Outdoor All Region, Outdoor Regional Qualifier, Outdoor All District, GCL Co-ed Individual Champion

**Neil Tivakaran:** New Balance National Qualifier, Outdoor All Region, Outdoor Regional Qualifier, GCL Co-ed Individual Champion

**Andrew Janson:** Outdoor All District

**Kyle Heilmann:** Outdoor All District, GCL Co-ed Individual Champion

**Coach Mike Triola '95:** GCL Co-ed Coach of the Year







# a disciple's JOURNEY

How a search for home led Fr. Sean Stilson '06  
across America to discover his vocation



As the child of United States Air Force Master Sergeant Gregroy Stilson and First Lieutenant Mona Stilson, Sean spent the first fourteen years of his life growing up in six different states. Frequent moves prevented the Stilson family from calling one place home for more than a handful of years at a time, but the time they spent together practicing their Catholic faith provided a foundation for the rest of Sean's life.

"It was a source of consistency because no matter where you move in the world, the Catholic Church is the Catholic Church," Stilson says. "The Mass is the Mass. We always practiced our faith no matter where we were."

Attending Mass every Sunday, frequent prayer, and reading the Bible with his family are some of Sean's earliest memories. Despite constantly moving, he always felt the presence of God nearby instead of as a vague entity across an unreachable distance.

His parents received relocation orders

for an assignment at Wright Patterson Air Force Base the summer before Sean would begin high school, and the Stilson family settled in Dayton. Sean and his family became regular parishoners at Immaculate Conception Church where he would sing in the choir and play in the band for rock mass on Sunday evenings. A few months later, the next chapter of Sean's faith journey began when he became a freshman at Archbishop Carroll High School in the summer of 2002.

Sean fondly recalls competing as a member of the Cross Country team and playing trumpet in the Symphonic Band, but faith formation inside and out of the classroom made the biggest impact on him during his time as a student. Religion classes that focused on the Old Testament and New Testament that explored scripture provided him with a deeper understanding of Christ's teachings, and courses like Peace and Justice as well as Media, Teens, and Values applied those lessons to modern society. Participating in Christian Service Workcamp prior to his

senior year helped open Sean's eyes to see things from the perspectives of people who are struggling to meet their basic needs and realize what God calls us to do about those things.

Seventeen years after that life-changing experience, Fr. Sean Stilson celebrated Mass with another group of Carroll Patriots during their workcamp week in the church where he worshiped and sang countless times before with students who would soon live the same workcamp experience.

The path to that moment was not always clear.

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completed his degree in May 2010. A conversation with his girlfriend at the time inspired him to consider the call to religious life more intently.

After months of prayer and conversations with a priest for guidance, Sean heard God’s call becoming clear. He remembers going to Mass and being fascinated that a human could act on God’s behalf to bless those around him and forgive sins. He wanted to help others in the same way that he had been helped throughout his life by priests, and the growing desire to do so outweighed his wishes to have a family of his own.

Going to class and studying were just a small part of Sean’s Masters of Divinity program at the Oblate School of Theology in San Antonio, a seminary run by the Oblates of Mary Immaculate. Celebrating Mass, praying, participating in the Liturgy of the Hours, and receiving spiritual direction filled most of his days as a seminarian. Sean also had to pass a psychological evaluation to ensure that he was prepared to devote the rest of his life to his faith and other people in such a profound way. Each of his four years in the seminary focused on a different aspect of service and outreach as part of his Theological Field Education. One year, he regularly visited people in hospice care preparing for the end of life. He also guided adults embarking on a new faith journey of their own as a parish director for the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults, visited inmates in a county jail, served as a hospital chaplain, and even spent a summer in Mexico to learn Spanish so that he could meet the needs of all the members of his San Antonio community.

Sean’s ordination ceremony came in 2018 after spending the final months of his time in the seminary as a deacon interning at a nearby parish to gain practical, administrative knowledge of how to run church.

“Part of me was relieved that all the seminary formation was completed. It was certainly a joyful occasion to finalize in a public way my commitment to God. It was an experience of finality that I was no longer discerning what God wanted me to

do with my life, but that I had finally found it and committed to it.”

In addition to serving St. Philip of Jesus Catholic Church in San Antonio as pastor, Sean remains an active member of his religious community where he manages finances as treasurer, plans retreats as worship director, and helps young people discern their call as a vocation director. As a newer priest, Sean tries to deliver a message that resonates with young men and women looking for answers to the same questions he once had.

“One of the messages I try to convey to any person is that God has a plan for your life. He created you for a reason, gave you particular gifts and interests, and wants you to use those gifts and pursue those interests. The life God calls us to is the best life we can live. He doesn’t call us to be miserable or ruin our fun. He guides us in life because he wants to guide us to a beautiful future.”

The search for a beautiful future led Sean back to the place he knew best.

“I grew up as a military brat, really as a nomad. We don’t have a physical home and move every few years, so it can be a very really rootless lifestyle. It was difficult



Sean was open to the possibility that answering God’s call could mean entering the priesthood even as a Carroll student, but he was not certain about that decision when he graduated in 2006. He knew he wanted to be close to God and serve him in some way, so he attended St. Mary’s University in San Antonio, a Catholic, Marianist University, to study theology. The coursework held his interest and inspired him to continue learning more about his faith, but Sean did not envision a future teaching theology and hadn’t yet decided to become a priest when he

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“for me at first to contemplate committing my whole life to being a member of the same community or serving in the same diocese as a priest, but I think we all need to set down roots somewhere. It was a good experience for me to stop being a nomad and settle down somewhere.” ✝

# EVENTS RECAP

Organized by Carroll Parents, the Alumni Association, and Carrolleer Band Boosters, the **7th Annual Carroll St. Pat's Fest** was held March 11-12 and raised a total of \$85,694, our best year yet! Net proceeds positively impacted the entire Carroll community in funding student scholarships, music



program needs, and much-needed stage and curtain repairs in the main gymnasium. Special thanks to all of the committee members, booth chairs, volunteers, event sponsors, and silent auction/raffle donors (go to [www.carrollhs.org/stpatsfest](http://www.carrollhs.org/stpatsfest) to see the complete list of supporters). Pictured here are (1) Julie (LeMaster) Bey '95 and Event Chairperson Mindy Hilgeford selling soft pretzels; (2) Anthony Lehmenkuler '15, Margaret Lehmenkuler '13, Marina Sorrell '17, and Maria Schlegel '18 serving fish; and Rachel and Jared Price '07 with their beautiful daughter enjoying the Saturday festivities.



**The 2021-2022 Passing the Torch Alumni Speaker Series** finished strong! Second semester speakers included Jonathan Chapman '01, Financial Advisor; Mark Rimkus '86, Owner of Jahn Electric Services; Lindsey (Kelemen) Herrin '08, Occupational Therapist; and Anthony Braun '90, Flight Nurse (pictured here). This

program is a great opportunity for students to learn about various careers from Carroll graduates. For more details or to see recordings of previous presentations, go to [www.carrollhs.org/alumni/speakers.cfm](http://www.carrollhs.org/alumni/speakers.cfm).

Reunion photos and summaries will be included in the 2023 Winter Issue of Reflections.

## Thank you to the hundreds of volunteers and dedicated committee members who planned these events!

### CARROLL ST. PAT'S FEST CORE LEADERSHIP COMMITTEE:

**Lead Event Chairs:** Mindy & Drew Hilgeford '89

**Junior Co-Chairs:** Melissa & Steve Leaman

**Senior Advisors:** Tom Whitney '82, Nick Wahl '07

**Fundraising Chairs:** Pat McCoy Glaser '71, Wendy Lobbstaal Fleisher '85

**Volunteer Coordinator:** Debbie Rose

**Corresponding Secretary:** Jeannie Heid McManus '66

**Recording Secretary/Entrance Chair:** Linda Edly-Mead '80

**Entrance Co-Chairs:** Jon '91 & Laura Kozuh Bistrek '92

**Finance Chairs:** Bruce '98 & Amy Kulhanek Comer '98

**Logistics Chairs:** Scott Jokerst, Mike Wittman

**Food & Kitchen Chairs:** Tina & Dave Schlegel '88, Meaghann Crowe Fite '97, Betsy Vokits Carnevale '90, Myrna Olivas, Chris Youngerman '79, Barb McCoy '83, Jenny Remy, Nate Musser, Julie LeMaster Bey '95

**Drink Chairs:** Rachel & Jared Price '07, Seth Brewer '07, John Ross '04, McCall Milby '16, Katy Dahm, Maria Chilia Snizik '88, Steve Nagel '85

**Stage/Technology:** Bill Baron '76, Andrew Connair '20, Frankie Kosir '21, Josie Rose '21, Don Wright, Roger Obergefell, Toni Hemmert Weitz '86

**Leprechaun Land Chairs:** Susan Marticello, Kathy McDonald Moddeman '89, Carol Justice, Kim Barthelemy Braun '88

**Silent Auction:** Karen Westgerdes, Shelly Macharoni Kramer '95, Amy Sableski Wittmann '88, Nicole Rash Braun '94, Jenny Meyer

**Raffle Chairs:** Katie Landis Williams '92, Chuck '66 & Sandy Burns Nartker '66, Katie Frey Klain '65, Kathy Flynn Parrett '66, Gwyn Fox Stump '99

**Alumni Fundraising Reps:** Sharon Schneider Becker '69, Jack Glaser '69, Patty Hattan Buhman '80, Myrna Fisher Gazzerro '81, Lori Dahlinghaus Wolff '83, Maria Chilia Snizik '88, Karen Tegenkamp Klepac '89, Beth Poliquin Scolastico '93, Angie Stauffer Bolin '98, Elizabeth Glaser Rice '01, Rob Walter '02

**Parent/Staff Fundraising Reps:** Debbie LeMelle, Joe Smith, Suzie Sorrell

**Carrolleers Fundraising Reps:** Emily Mongelli, Melissa Williamson

**Booth Chairs, House Basket Chairs & Hundreds of Day-of-Event Volunteers**

**CHS Director of Communications:** Michael Franz '05

**CHS Business Manager:** Kevin Kates '87

**CHS Alumni Association President:** Chris Youngerman '79

**CHS Carrolleer President:** Keith Kozma

**CHS Band Directors:** Carl Soucek, Aaron West '07

**CHS Alumni Director/Staff Lead:** Julie Hemmert Weitz '94

**CHS Principal:** Matt Sableski '91

### PASSING THE TORCH ALUMNI SPEAKER SERIES:

Dr. Julia White, PhD '82

Mark Rimkus '86

Anthony Braun '90

Betsy Vokits Carnevale '90

Jason Walsh '91

Amanda Miller Drake, MSW, LISW '97

Jonathan Chapman '01

Jordan Jennewine '07

Lindsey Kelemen Herrin, OT '08

Dr. Nick Herrin, PT, DPT '08

**Mentoring Chair:** Julie LeMaster Bey '95

**CHS Alumni Director:** Julie Hemmert Weitz '94



# UPCOMING EVENTS

Upcoming Reunion Information can be found at [www.carrollhs.org/alumni/reunions.cfm](http://www.carrollhs.org/alumni/reunions.cfm). Go to [www.carrollhs.org/alumni/1973.cfm](http://www.carrollhs.org/alumni/1973.cfm) for a special message from the Class of 1973.

## Alumni Golf Outing

Friday, September 9, 2022

Join alumni and friends at Beaver Creek Golf Club. Shotgun start is at 10:00 a.m. Cost: \$125 per player. To register, go to [www.carrollhs.org/alumni/golfouting](http://www.carrollhs.org/alumni/golfouting).

## Alumni Job Shadow Day

Thursday, September 22, 2022

We are looking for local Carroll alumni to serve as mentors and be available for Carroll juniors and seniors to shadow them for a day and learn more about their career. For more information and to sign up, please go to [www.carrollhs.org/alumni/shadowday.cfm](http://www.carrollhs.org/alumni/shadowday.cfm).

## 'Passing the Torch' Speaker Series

This is another mentoring option for alumni, both local and non-local, to speak to students about their career in a classroom or virtual setting sometime during the 2022-2023 school year. The purpose of this program is to provide an opportunity for students to begin looking at life after Carroll and learn from those who came before them, giving alumni the ability to pass the torch and share their knowledge on careers and/or educational paths. More details about speaker topics and dates can be found at [www.carrollhs.org/alumni/speakers.cfm](http://www.carrollhs.org/alumni/speakers.cfm).

## One Great Day of Giving

Thursday, October 20, 2022

Mark your calendar and help us ring in Carroll's Annual Day of Giving! Thank you to all those who continue to make such a big impact for Carroll students!

## Class of 1982 40-Year Reunion

Saturday, October 22, 2022

Go to [www.carrollhs.org/alumni/1982.cfm](http://www.carrollhs.org/alumni/1982.cfm) for more details.

## Fall Play

November 11-13, 2022

Don't miss the Carroll Freedom Players' next performance!

## Class of 2002 20-Year Reunion

Saturday, November 26, 2022

Go to [www.carrollhs.org/alumni/reunions.cfm](http://www.carrollhs.org/alumni/reunions.cfm) for more details.

## Carroll St. Pat's Fest

March 10-11, 2023

Irish fun for everyone! Organized by Carroll Parents, the Alumni Association, and the Carrolleer Band Boosters, Friday evening will be the ever-popular Irish Fish Fry, followed by fun for all ages on Saturday highlighting Irish Dancers, talented bands, delicious food, Leprechaun Land games, and more. Games of chance, such as Blackjack, Showdown and Texas Hold'Em, will be available both nights in the auxiliary gym. More details will be available online at [www.carrollhs.org/stpatsfest](http://www.carrollhs.org/stpatsfest).

Go to [www.carrollhs.org/alumni/events.cfm](http://www.carrollhs.org/alumni/events.cfm) to register or see the latest updates.

## Alumni Travel Adventures

Carroll alumni and friends are invited to take a trip to Greece in June 2024 (adults only). Experience the cobblestone streets, the windmills of Mykonos, the history of the Acropolis in Athens, and the blue domes and black sand beaches of Santorini. There is a three-day extension to Rome to visit St. Peter's Basilica and the Vatican. Excursions to the Sistine Chapel, St. Paul's Basilica, and the Catacombs are also available. For more details, go to [www.carrollhs.org/alumni/travel.cfm](http://www.carrollhs.org/alumni/travel.cfm).

## ALUMNI HOMECOMING WEEKEND

October 7-9, 2022

All alumni, parents and friends are welcome! Advance reservations are strongly encouraged.

MORE DETAILS ARE AVAILABLE AT [www.carrollhs.org/alumni-weekend](http://www.carrollhs.org/alumni-weekend).

### ALUMNI NIGHT AT CHS: Friday, October 7

Carroll's football game versus McNicholas begins at 7:00 p.m. Arrive early at 6:30 p.m. to see the special marching band performance – all alumni are welcome to participate! Contact Myrna (Fisher) Gazzo '81 ([gazzo81@gmail.com](mailto:gazzo81@gmail.com)) or Dan Eckhart '85 ([daneckhart@att.net](mailto:daneckhart@att.net)) if you plan to perform with the band. Contact Mary (Sammons) Jobe '81 if you plan to perform with the guard/drill team: [mljobe@donet.com](mailto:mljobe@donet.com). The 2022 Athletic Hall of Fame inductees will also be introduced in the pre-game performance, and the Homecoming Court will be announced at half-time. Join us for the Alumni Night Social after the game in the cafeteria from 9:00 p.m. until midnight.

### ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME CEREMONY: Saturday, October 8

Held at the Hilton Garden Inn in Beaver Creek, the social begins at 5:00 p.m. with dinner at 6:00 p.m. 2022 inductees include Stanley Gaither '76, Greg Terbay '98, James Borchers '02, Jason Riggs '06, Brogan (Berry) Magnarelli '08, Katie (Ollier) Chu '11, Special Contributor Coach Rob Berry, Special Contributor Charles Keller, and the 1998 Wrestling State Dual Championship Team.

### CLASS OF 1992 30-YEAR REUNION: Saturday, October 8

Go to [www.carrollhs.org/alumni/reunions.cfm](http://www.carrollhs.org/alumni/reunions.cfm) for more details.

### MASS IN MEMORY OF DECEASED ALUMNI & FACULTY: Sunday, October 9

Join us for Mass in Carroll's St. John the Evangelist Chapel at 9:30 a.m. If you are interested in representing a deceased classmate or family member in a special candle procession, please contact [jweitz@carrollhs.org](mailto:jweitz@carrollhs.org).



**STANLEY GAITHER '76:**

**Football, Track**

Stanley earned 6 varsity letters (2 in football, 4C award in track). His awards include: (football) Most Improved Player;

(track) 3-year team captain, MVP, All-Conference, All-District, All-Regional, and All-State. He placed 4th in the state running the 220-yard dash. He set a number of school records, including the 200m and 400m. He still holds the 200m, set in 1976, with a time of 21.91.



**GREG TERBAY '98:**  
**Football, Wrestling, Track**

Greg earned 8 varsity letters (1 in track, 3 in football, 4C award in wrestling). Greg was a 2-way football player, and

had over 100 wins in wrestling. As co-captain, he helped lead his team to be state dual champions, where he was undefeated during the meet. His awards include: 4x district qualifier, district placer, 4x sectional placer, sectional champ, 2x league champ, DDN Athlete of the week, Greater Miami Valley Wrestling All-Star team, most pins in the least amount of time, 3pt near fall record for which he still holds, 3rd person at Carroll to win the CIT, Patriot Award, and Josh Baker Award.



**JAMES BORCHERS '02:**  
**Wrestling, Track, Cross Country**

James earned 12 varsity letters (4C award in wrestling, track, cross country). His awards include: (cross country) 4x

MML second team, 2x district placer, 2x All-Ohio Catholic second team; (wrestling) 2x MML champ, 2x MML runner-up, All-Ohio Catholic, 2x sectional runner-up, sectional champ, 3x regional qualifier; and (track) 2x MML second team. At the time of graduation, he held records in the 1400m relay, pyramid relay, and 3200m relay.



**JASON RIGGS '06:**  
**Football**

Jason earned 3 varsity letters in football. His awards include: 2-time 1st team defense MML, Greater Dayton Knights of Columbus Award, 1st

team MML North, MML North Defensive Player of the Year, 1st team Defense (LB) Division I-II All-Area, and 1st Team Defense All-Ohio Division II (LB). He led the team in tackles the 3 years he played, won the Patriot Award in 2005, and Athlete of the Year Award in 2006.



**BROGAN (BERRY) MAGNARELLI '08:**  
**Basketball, Track, Cross Country**

Brogan earned 6 varsity letters (1 in track, 1 in cross country, 4C award in basketball).

Her awards include: 3x League MVP, 4x 1st team selection (2x MML, 2x GGCL), 4x Player of the Year, 3x All-Southwest Ohio 1st team, 2x Jim Dabbelt 1st team, 2x District 15 1st team Underclassmen of the Year, 3x DDN 1st team, and All-Ohio 1st team. She still holds the Carroll record of the turnover/assist ratio at 2.64.



**KATIE (OLLIER) CHU '11:**  
**Swimming, Track, Cross Country**

Katie earned 8 varsity letters (3 in cross country, 3 in track, 2 in swimming). She received the

Newcomer Award, 1st team GGCL, GGCL North Player of the Year, 2x Academic All-Ohio, and Patriot Award. She placed 1st at the GGCL meet, 1st at Districts, 4th at Regionals, and went to state. In the 3200m, Katie finished 4th at Midwest, 2nd at Districts, 4th at Regionals, and 3rd at state medaling as a D1 Runner. She holds the Carroll record for the 3200m with a time of 10:51.37.



**CHARLES KELLER:**  
**Special Contributor**

Charlie was a Carroll volunteer for almost 40 years who helped with the press box 4th floor addition, facilitated the replacement of the

wooden visitor bleachers, installed the aluminum bleachers, striped the football field, conducted yearly maintenance of the concession stand and stadium water system, helped build the softball dugouts, cut grass, and saved Carroll countless dollars on machine and small engine repairs. He was a quiet guy who asked for nothing in return.



**ROB BERRY:**  
**Special Contributor**

Rob began his Carroll career in 2000, coaching the women's basketball team for 14 years from 2002 until he passed away in 2016. His overall record was 260-86

(74.9%), earning 6x league titles, 8x sectional champs, 7x district champs, 4x regional runner-up, regional champs, and first-time state runner-up in 2010-11. His awards include: 3x MML Coach of the Year, 2x District 15 Coach of the Year, 3x DDN Div II Coach of the Year, Southwest All-District Coach, Jim Dabbelt Coach of the Year, and OHSAA Div II Coach of the Year.



**1998 STATE DUAL CHAMPION WRESTLING TEAM**

Carroll won its first Dual State Championship in wrestling in the winter of 1998, coached by Brian Carter. Accomplishments included: League Champs, DeSales Champs, P.I.T. Runner-up, CIT 4th place, Eaton Champs, Graham Runner-up, Sectional Champs, 3rd place in Districts, and State Dual Champs.

**2022 Inductees to be honored Saturday, October 8th at the Hilton Garden Inn-Beavercreek**



On May 20, 2022, three Sableski family members appeared on stage at Archbishop Carroll High School's graduation ceremony—and one is both the principal and an alumnus. Matt Sableski '91 handed out diplomas to and hugged his twins, Patrick and Annie. Sableski and his wife, Mary-Kate, also have daughters Nora '24 and Colleen '27, a seventh grader at St. Helen School in Riverside and future Patriot.



Patrick '22, Matt '91, and Annie Sableski '22 at Baccalaureate Mass

“I feel truly blessed to work at the place my kids go to school,” Sableski said. “I have loved watching them grow and learn and interact with their classmates each day. By and large my kids do well academically, make good choices and they have wonderful groups of friends. We set boundaries and I give them their space, but the best part of any day is when I see them during the day, even if they're coming to ask for money or an item left at home!”

Having your dad just down the hall in the main office every school day could be intimidating for any teenager, but Annie and Patrick eventually embraced it and the extraordinary richness it brought to their high school career.

“[Having my dad as principal] shaped my formation by giving me a chance to experience high school in a special way that others didn't get to experience,” said Annie. “Getting into the building after hours, talking with my dad about concerns my friends and I had and seeing how much the school meant to my family were all ways that my experience was unique.”

“Going into and throughout the first year or two of high school, I was definitely worried about becoming my own person and not being identified only as the principal's son,” said Patrick. “Just like any high schooler, I have really come into my own the last couple of years. My dad is obviously a huge part of my life, but I have become my own person, and I feel now as if I am viewed that way rather than as an extension of my father.”

Sableski admitted that his own freshman year at Carroll was much like his son's: a lesson in discovery.

“When I came in as a freshman, I was 4'11” and weighed about 90 pounds,” said Sableski. “I was kind of lost that first year, but once I started running cross country and track as a sophomore, everything changed. I became more confident, started to succeed academically, and made great friends.”

Like his father, Patrick ran cross country and track and was captain for both teams. He's been involved in numerous service activity clubs, including Youth in Government and Trinity House Captain, while Annie was busy with theater, campus ministry, cooking club and Trinity House, where she was service coordinator.

Despite all the advantages of having your parent on campus with you, both teens admit to being aware of his presence when in the presence of others.

“Especially early on, I felt as if some of my peers worried about me being the principal's kid when interacting with me, not talking to me much,” said Patrick. “Some teachers, too, would seem to sort of walk on eggshells around me. Overall, however, my experience at Carroll with my dad and sisters has been a very positive one.”

“The funniest moment with my dad was when a teacher made a joke about my dad

and the teacher quickly realized that I was in the room and got embarrassed,” Annie said. “I thought it was funny and laughed right along with everyone else.”

There were also many special moments, such as when Sableski presented to each child an award for academic achievement and when he addressed the student body at school Masses.

“Mass is very important for us at Carroll, so it is very cool to see everyone in a good mood with my dad addressing all of us,” said Patrick. “I felt how special this was and appreciated it a little extra this year as we weren't able to have any all-school Masses last school year due to the pandemic.”

After graduation, Annie plans to attend St. Mary's College (Ind.) then become a kindergarten teacher in Catholic education, crediting her father with inspiring her to work with students. Patrick plans to attend The University of Dayton, major in English, and eventually become a filmmaker. Both take with them a strength in both character and faith, thanks to the example set by their father.

“I have seen how hard [my dad] works every day and how he cares so much, especially these last few years,” said Patrick. “Watching him work through a pandemic has shown me just how much this job means to him.”

Annie added, “My dad is a great role model who has a very strong faith and has inspired in me a strong work ethic, a love of my family, and a love of God.” ✝



The Sableski family at Archbishop Carroll High School's St. John the Evangelist Chapel

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## CLASS NOTES

**1967 Peggy (Miller) Ruhlin** was the commencement speaker for Otterbein University's 2022 graduation ceremony on May 1, 2022, at which she was awarded an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree.

**1971 Tamara (Gonzalez) Oberbeck** spent December 2021 on an island off the coast of Honduras (Utila) working on a diving resort followed by a month in Spain walking the Camino de Santiago. She took a wrong turn trying to get to Greece and ended up in Springfield, Missouri, accepting a 3 month travel nurse assignment before heading out again.



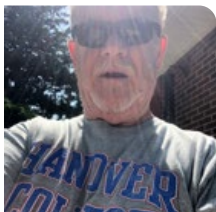
**1971 Anne (Beecroft) Vaughn-Alvarez** is proud to announce that she attended the hooding ceremony of her youngest

child, Matthew Vaughn PhD, in the field of mechanical engineering at Johns Hopkins University. He delivered his dissertation in September 2021, but Johns Hopkins has not held graduation ceremonies due to COVID for the past 2 years.



**1973 Mary (Pitstick) Hess** feels blessed to have just had her 17th grandchild, a boy, on June 12 named Xavier Paul Autenrieb.

Mary's parents celebrated their 75th wedding anniversary on February 15 and her dad, Paul Pitstick, will turn 100 on December 13. Her dad attended several of Padre Pio's Masses when he was stationed in Italy during World War II, kissed his hand with the stigmata, and was blessed by him.



**1974 Bob Van Leeuwen** has two sons who have graduated. His son, Jacob, graduated from Eshelman Pharmaceutical

College of North Carolina and other son, Luke, graduated from Hanover College this year. Bob is employed full time at the University of Dayton in Dining Services and Catering this summer. Bob gives a shout out

to the Class of '74 who all turn 65 and 66 this year. They are already preparing and planning for their 50th Reunion in 2024.



**1977 MaryAnn (Roderer) Fenwick** was married to Bob Guenther '66 on November 6, 2021, at St. Francis of Assisi. They live happily in

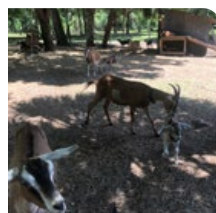
Centerville, Ohio. MaryAnn has 2 daughters: Hilary is a teacher in Lexington, Kentucky, and Hannah is a nurse at SoIn Medical Center.



**1978 Dan Wolodkiewicz**, Certified Financial Planner™ and President of The Pinnacle Financial Associates, along with Partner

Alex Wolodkiewicz '11, have an office located in Beavercreek, Ohio. Pinnacle Financial Associates was recognized as the Top Investment Team in the Midwest and is one of the top 10 investment advisory teams in the nation for Equity Services, Inc.

**1980 John Luttrell** is the Operations Manager and Program Director for KGNC-FM with Alpha Media radio stations in Amarillo, Texas. He started this job in February of this year.



**1982 Mike Densmore** is down at the TrueTrail Farm in DeLand, Florida. He became a goat herder and Airbnb host.

**1982 Dan England** has been working in consulting for the Salesforce Ecosystem for the past three years. In his current role, he works exclusively for applications that serve non-profits.

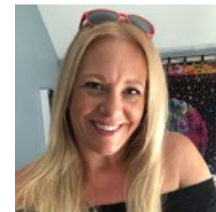
**1982 Rob Karme** always has a smile on his face remembering winning Carroll's first-ever state championship in 1980. He is looking forward to seeing his class of 1982 soccer teammates, Billy Meyer, Pat McDevitt, Dan Ebert, Kevin McHugh, and Jim Schrand at the reunion.

**1983 Jenny (Zimmer) Wilhelm** opened her own law practice after retiring from

Montgomery County in October 2020. She works as a Guardian Ad Litem for children who are abused and neglected. It allows her to work part-time doing what she loves while spending time with her two granddaughters and awaiting the birth of twin grandchildren who are due later this year. She is happily sharing her life with her husband, Mike, and traveling to visit their four children who are scattered around the country.

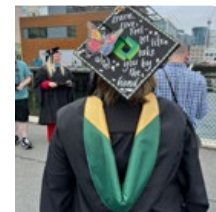
**1985 Kimberly (Clark) Nicholson** and her husband, Jeffrey, are proud to announce their youngest son, Kevin, graduated Summa Cum Laude with an honors diploma from Beavercreek High School and is headed to The Ohio State University to study Engineering. They have also been blessed with two grandsons: Clay Parker, born April 25, 2020, and Grayson Lee, born November 29, 2021.

**1988 Angie (Lewis) Wagner** married Scott Wagner '88 on June 17th.



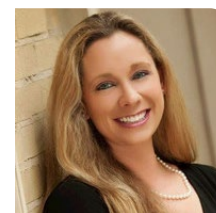
**1990 Tina (Frank) Sampson** retired in 2019 and now does sales training and consulting part-time in addition to her hobby as a baker.

She is a volunteer baker for an organization called Cake4Kids that bakes cakes for foster and underserved youth in the community who might not otherwise receive a birthday cake. You can follow her on Instagram @ SugarFingersBakeryColorado. Tina lives in Colorado with her two children.



**1993 Catherine (Haines) Burroughs** received her M.Ed. in Arts, Community, and Education from Lesley University (Cambridge, Massachusetts) in

May. Her dual concentrations are in Arts in Health and Visual Arts. Her goal is to help people diminish stress and burnout through the joy and flow that comes through engaging in the arts.



**1998 Marilyn (Rupp) Cox** was recently appointed as President of PrestoSports, a sports technology company headquartered in Cincinnati, Ohio.

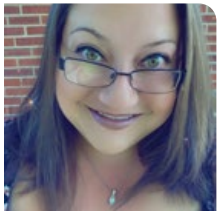


**1998 Julie Kraft** welcomed a baby, Charli Rose, on September 2, 2021.



**1998 Jamie Wyskiver** is married and enjoys a busy life with her husband and two daughters, 15 and 7. She owns two chiropractic offices

in Tennessee that are family, pregnancy, and pediatric focused. Jamie is finishing her Pediatric and Prenatal Certifications through the International Chiropractic Association and will start her Diplomate. She served as the Tennessee State Representative at the International Chiropractors Association in addition to speaking at seminars and offering continuing education for fellow doctors of chiropractic. She plans to continue educating and empowering communities on how healing always comes from within and is in the beginning stages of building a birthing community to support women in experiencing the sacredness of birth while trusting the process.



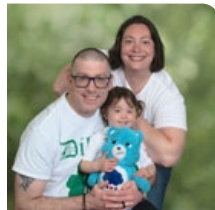
**2001 Christina Bertke** quit her family job after more than 23 years and has found a fulfilling job as a full-time adult care giver and companion.

**2001 Shandah (Hickey) Brannen**, her husband Scott Brannen, and two school aged children relocated from Dayton to Xenia's Amlin Heights Neighborhood in November 2020. Scott's Fire Protection Business, SBIII, has joined the Emerge Recovery and Trade Initiative. Shandah has taken on a new position as an Admin Coordinator for the Beaver Creek Wetlands Association.

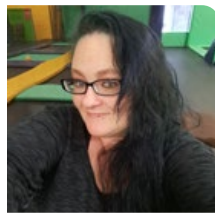


**2001 Kristy Ernst** married Josh France on June 5, 2022, at the Brightside Event Center in Dayton, Ohio.

**2001 Jeri (Paquette) St. Clair** was diagnosed with stage 3B grade 3 which is an aggressive Breast Cancer in July of 2021. Her three children (daughter Joey 16, son Jacob 14, and daughter Charlie 9) have been the biggest troopers, supporters, and cheerleaders through it all. Jeri has managed to continue to attend Wright State University's Sign Language Interpreting Bachelors Program, and she will graduate with honors in December 2022. She is the Communication Services Manager and Freelance Sign Language Interpreter for Interpreters of the Deaf, the only deaf-owned and operated interpreting agency in Dayton. After completing her Bachelors degree, she will enter the Legal Studies Program at Wright State to become a Nationally Certified Interpreter with the ability to work in legal settings.

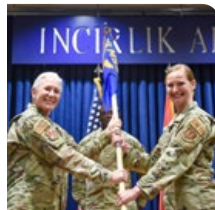


**2003 Ashley (Donnell) Dillon** is a second grade teacher for Emerson Academy. She has a 3 year old daughter.



**2003 Ashley (Foland) Million** is a mother to three beautiful children. She is working hard to be the best person she can be one day at a time!

**2003 Amanda West** is graduating in December with a Masters in Social Work.



**2005 Major Amanda (Taylor) Nerg**, 39th Contracting Squadron commander, received the guidon from Colonel Angela

Herron, 39th Mission Support Group commander, during a change of command ceremony at Incirlik Air Base, Turkey on June 10th. The change of command ceremony is a long-standing military tradition that represents the formal transfer of responsibility from one officer to another. Nerg previously served as the contracting section chief of the special operation forces and personnel recovery rotary wing at the Air Force Life Cycle Management Center at Robins Air Force Base in Georgia. (U.S. Air Force photo by Senior Airman Joshua T. Crossman)

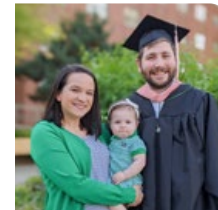
**2006 Charles Childers** has been accepted to the University of Nebraska School of Law on a full scholarship and will begin classes this August.

**2007 Megan (Falter) Meyer** and her husband, Jeff, welcomed Grant Thomas on October of 2021. Grant joins his big sister, Susie. Megan works as an attorney and lives in Findlay, Ohio.



**2007 Samuel Miller** had a baby boy, Franklin Miller, on May 26 and works as a USPS Supervisor at the West Chester Post Office.

**2008 Timothy O'Brien** works at Wright Patterson Air Force Base as a financial analyst, and his wife works at Montessori School of Dayton as a teacher. They have an almost two year old boy, Thomas, and they are expecting their second child in January.



**2012 Ben Heil** completed his Masters in Nursing Administration. He and his wife, Kelly (Dunham) Heil '12, welcomed their first baby in August 2021.



**2017 Brooke Butler** recently graduated from The Ohio State University with a Bachelor of Music Education (Instrumental Music

emphasis) and has been appointed Assistant Director of Bands at Shawnee High School in Fort Shawnee, Ohio. While at Ohio State, she marched in The Ohio State University Marching Band for three years, served as the Assistant Squad Leader of S Row in 2021, and was a member of several jazz big bands, concert bands, vocal ensembles, and much more. Through her reflection, she hopes that more Patriots feel inspired to continue an in-depth study of music after graduation.



**2017 Sydney Ingram** recently graduated from Saint Mary-of-the-Woods College and returned for her fifth year with the Pomeroy's women's

basketball program. Ingram led SMWC (14-14) with a scoring average of 11.6 points, and her play helped the Pomeroy's to the championship game of the United States Collegiate Athletic Association (USCAA) tournament. She was among the top ten shooters in NAIA with a 45.7 percent mark from 3-point range. Ingram also learned that her SMWC jersey will hang at the Women's Basketball Hall of Fame for the next year as part of the venue's Ring of Honor. For more details, go to <https://smwcathletics.com/news/2022/5/24/smwcs-ingram-to-have-jersey-hang-at-womens-basketball-hall-of-fame.aspx>.



**2017 Eddie Wolff** and his research group at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign participated in the Propagation, Evolution,

and Rotation in Linear Storms (PERiLS) field campaign in the Southeast United States this past spring. The project's goal was to enhance the understanding of tornadoes that occur within lines of storms, often with little warning, by gathering extensive data in the environment surrounding them. Eddie's group deployed the department's four mobile Doppler on Wheels (DOW) weather radars along with weather balloons and instrumented pods ahead of and within four storms during March and April. They will return to the Southeast next spring in hopes of gathering even more data to improve our warnings of these dangerous storms.

**2018 Casey Manos** moved to Chicago to work as a software engineer.



**2018 Cameron Weitz** recently graduated from Mount St. Joseph University, Summa Cum Laude, with a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Graphic

Design and Music. He is now working as a Graphic Designer at World Digital Imaging in Beavercreek and handles design, printing, and mailing projects.

**2019 Ally Gozum** is currently participating in a Summer Fellowship for a Public Relations firm in Chicago before her senior year at The Ohio State University. During school, she works as an Event Planning Assistant at the Ohio Union. She also had the opportunity to meet Tom Hanks by being a background extra for his movie, "A Man Called Otto," which comes out in December 2022. She is also an extra for John Green's "Turtles All the Way Down" movie which will be released on HBO Max. Allie loves working on production sets and meeting so many different people from these experiences.



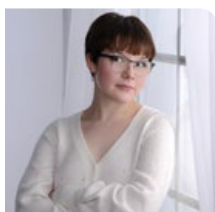
**2019 Dawn (Anderson) Mayse** got married a year after graduating. She moved to Tennessee, then to Kentucky, and is starting a new family.



**2019 Jessica Roberts** is currently in her last two semesters at Wright State University studying to become an intervention specialist with the

goal of helping children achieve their dreams from their perspective. She currently works at Mini University where she is an Assistant Teacher with toddlers. She also has taken on photography, helping with Carroll and Wright State Athletics.

**2021 Mason Barber** made the Dean's List during his first two semesters of fashion design at the University of Cincinnati.



**2021 Melina Flint** has found it hard to stay on the road to success since graduation after being diagnosed for a borderline-personality

disorder. This was an alarming discovery, but she has since taken the necessary steps to better herself mentally through therapy, medication, and more. She wants to share that despite these obstacles in life, it is possible to overcome them. She is proud to now be not only engaged, but majoring in Forensic Psychology. Melina's advice to anyone experiencing challenges like hers is don't give up, and know that you are never alone. ✚





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## IN MEMORIAM

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

### ALUMNI & FACULTY

**Eugene “Gene” Francis Jackson, Class of 1966**, died from a traumatic brain injury on April 3, 2022, after falling during the Doubles Division of a handball tournament in Bowling Green, Ohio. He is survived by his children, Eugene Dario and Azucena; as well as siblings, Patricia Rau '67 (Thomas), Sue Mencia '71 (Robert), and Jeffrey '75 (Esther). Gene was a retired teacher with Dayton City Schools, but was still very active in the lives of his students. He continued to teach at various schools and dedicated many years to the Carroll Alumni Association as a class representative. Gene was a renowned and celebrated handball player who won many trophies, but his biggest trophies and greatest joys in his life were his children.

**Anthony “Tony” Tangeman, Class of 1966**, passed away March 8, 2022, in Lutz, Florida. He is survived by his loving wife, Millie; children, Julie and Eric; and five grandchildren. Tony proudly served in the United States as an Officer in the Coast Guard and Senior Executive Service member with 34 years of combined military and federal service. He was inducted into the Carroll Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame in 2009. Tony was a tremendous husband, father, Pap-Pap, and leader who always put those around him first. He was a man with a moral compass grounded in calmness, competence, integrity, and concern for the greater good.

**John Edward Bucher, Class of 1968**, died April 27, 2022, at Traditions at Hunter Station in Sellersburg, Indiana. He is survived by his loving wife of 50 years, Julie; children, Matt (Anne) and Molly Rubesh (Grant); eight grandchildren; and brothers, Bill (Brenda) and Tom, Jr. John earned his undergraduate degree from Wright State University and a PhD in Evolutionary Biology & Ecology from the University of Kansas. He dedicated more than 30 years to higher education through various administrative roles finally retiring as Chief Technology Officer at Oberlin College. He loved walking outdoors, watching Cincinnati Reds baseball, photography, attending the orchestra, and a lifelong passion of bird watching.

**Kristine “Kris” Marie (Kessel) Thurman, Class of 1970**, passed away at her home on April 24, 2022. She is survived by her husband, Russell; daughter, Nicole; mother, Mary Ann; and brothers, Jim (Sandy), Mike (Tammy), Ken (Yvonne), and Tom (Tamara). Kris earned a Bachelor Degree from the University of Cincinnati, followed by a Master Degree in Education from Wright State University. She was a beloved teacher at Southdale Elementary/Kettering City Schools for over 35 years, retiring in 2009. Kris tutored long after retirement, was very active in numerous groups, and loved being a hostess, having a natural ability to make everyone feel welcomed and loved in her presence.

**Eric Donofrio, Class of 1972**, died May 30, 2022, after a courageous battle with brain cancer but his illness never defeated his spirit and good humor. He is survived by his loving wife, Susann; children, Christina and Nicholas; mother, Kathryn; and brothers, Timothy (Andrea), Anthony (Laura), Christopher '83 (Sue), and Peter '86 (Catherine). Eric graduated from The Ohio State University in 1976, was employed as a Controller and Financial Analyst with Amcast Industrial for 28 years, and later retired from WPAFB. One of his joys was spending time with his brothers and friends fishing in Tennessee.

**Timothy S. Kuntz, Class of 1972**, passed away at Miami Valley Hospital on June 15, 2022. He is preceded in death by his brother, George '65 and is survived by his wife, Judith; sons, Tim and Jeff (Emily); and sisters, Suzanne Roselius '66 (Dave) and Kathy Heeb '70 (Gary). Tim retired from a lengthy career in the liquor/spirits industry and later repaired lawnmowers and small engines for many friends and neighbors. He will be deeply missed by family, classmates, and friends.

**Janet (Phelan) Smith, Class of 1972**, died peacefully May 3, 2022, surrounded by her loving family. She is survived by her husband of 48 years, Jack; daughters, Jenn Hyland (Brian), Amanda Walker '97 (Geoff), Lindsey Wells '01 (Chris); eight grandchildren; sister, Barb Chance; and brothers, Mike (Patty) and Dan (Michelle). Janet was a loving wife, mother, nana, friend to many, and she will be greatly missed.

**David Allen Munday, Class of 1975**, passed away March 1, 2022 at Hospice of Dayton. He is survived by his children, Andrea, David (Lizette), Brian (Roberta), Shannon; grandchildren, Bishop, Tyree, Easley, Ella; and siblings, Bill, Thomas '66 (Donna), Janet Moler '69 (Mike), Paula Mercuri '71, Connie '72, Dan '73 (Marlene), Joanne '79, and Bobby '80 (Sheila). David was a loving father and grandfather. He retired from the National Elevator Inspector Union and he had a passion for woodworking and talent for building and creating things.

**David Anthony Schock, Class of 1975**, died peacefully on April 20, 2022. He is survived by his loving wife for 40 years, Diane; children, Andrew (Abigail), Ryan, Elizabeth (Jonathan Blados); grandchildren, Theodore and Walden; and siblings, Dan '74 (Jill), Dale (Becky), and Denise Hart '78 (Doug). Dave retired from WA Hammond Drierite in Xenia. His passion was youth trapshooting. He served as president of OSTA in 2015 and was also youth director for many years. Dave was the coach of the Greene County Fish and Game SCTP team since 2003 and was a proud member of the OSTA Hall of Fame. He loved hunting and fishing, as well as spending time and sharing donuts with his grandsons.

**Theresa Marie Kilgallen, Class of 1980**, passed away at her home on March 23, 2022. She is survived by her children, Alicia, Nicolas, and Shannon Albrekton; five grandchildren; siblings, Mary Bullock, Kathy Sturgill, Noreen White, Sheila Paxton; and best friend, Darleen Nash. Theresa received an Associate Degree in Medical Assisting from Sinclair Community College. She loved shopping with her daughters and grandchildren, camping, crossword puzzles, and spending time with her friends.

**Lisa Renee Arnett, Class of 1981**, died January 8, 2022, after a lengthy battle with cancer. She is survived by her daughter, Sydney Hudson '23; and brothers, James '79 and Jon. Lisa received her Bachelor and Master degrees from Antioch University. As a member of St. Luke Catholic Church, she lived her life through the faith and values she learned as a child. She was a talented artist, author, and substitute teacher for the Beavercreek School System.



**John Paul “Christiaan” Guttman, Class of 1994**, passed away April 15, 2022. He is survived by his husband, Steven Knisley; mother, Shirley; father, John (Vickie); and siblings, Julie Lambert '87 (Greg) and Jeff '96 (Megan). Christiaan loved to stir the pot, both literally and figuratively. He was an amazing cook and was always happy to create something delicious in the kitchen for his loved ones. His favorite pot to stir, however, was online and his sarcastic sense of humor was not always understood. Facing health challenges made him re-evaluate how he lived his life, how he was perceived, and how he behaved. He did not want to leave this earth without everyone knowing his true self; he is sorry to anyone that he hurt or offended, and he hopes that he is remembered as an extremely sensitive soul who cared deeply about his family and friends.

**Elaine Frances (Viney) Crane, Women’s Volleyball Coach** from 1986 until 2001, died March 29, 2022. She is survived by her husband, Claude “Steve” Crane; children, Eric Viney '98 and Lauren Cowan '00; four grandchildren; and siblings, Ken Mauch, Nancy Moore, Linda Middlesworth, Marita Montgomery, and Larry Mauch. Her memories as a volleyball coach were some of her greatest; she appreciated the opportunity to mold young people into not only skilled and competitive athletes but highly regarded men and women of their communities.

**Lois Elaine Klotz, Kitchen Staff Member** from 1979 until 1986, passed away February 20, 2022. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband of 64 years, Frank, and two sons, Tim and Tom '74. She is survived by two daughters, Jan Lawrence '71 (Fred '69) and Judi Kuhlman '78 (Phil); five grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. Lois was a soft-spoken, kind, and generous soul who loved baking and sharing her jelly and baked goods with everyone.

**Katherine L. Otoski, Kitchen Staff Member** from 1986 until 1997, died peacefully February 25, 2022, after a brave 15-month battle with brain cancer. She is survived by her loving husband of 54 years, Thomas; children, Jim '87 (Angela), Jason '89 (Jennifer), Krista Froehlich '92 (Eric), Kerry Kaiser '95 (Fred); eight grandchildren; and siblings, Paulette, Vicki, Randy, Joe Jr., and Greg. Her proudest moments were watching her kids and grandkids graduate from high school and college, see them get married, and cheering them on at their various events.

## FAMILY MEMBERS OF STUDENTS & ALUMNI

**Franklin Farrell:** 5/4/2022

Father of Mike '78 (Christine Albers '78), Tim '80 (Jennifer), Steve '82 (Holly), Margaret '84, Mary Sommers '87 (Paul '88); Grandfather to 9 including Derek '12, Julia '15, Daniel Sommers '16, Sarah Sommers '19

**Judith “Judy” Ann Flynn:** 5/9/2022

Mother of Patrick '82, Joseph '85, Kathleen '86, Mary '89, Robert '02

**Joyce “Joey/JL” Hand:** 2/19/2022

Mother of Mike '85 (Annemarie Kaiser '85), Dave '86 (Abby), Gary (Melissa), Steve '88 (Casondra); Grandmother to many

**Sammy K. Johnson:** 11/13/2021

Husband of Trina (Norckauer) Johnson '74; Father of Jared (Stefanie), Jason Redd '96 (Tegan), Nicole Murphy '00 (Brian), Jeremy Redd; Grandfather to 13; Great-Grandfather to several

**Robert Paul Kates:** 6/22/2022

Father of David '86 (Bonnie), Kevin '87 (Julie Franz '87), Shari Elam '91 (Larry); Grandfather to 7 including Luke '22, Kara '24, Krista '26

**Reagan Terese Scacchetti:** 5/16/2022

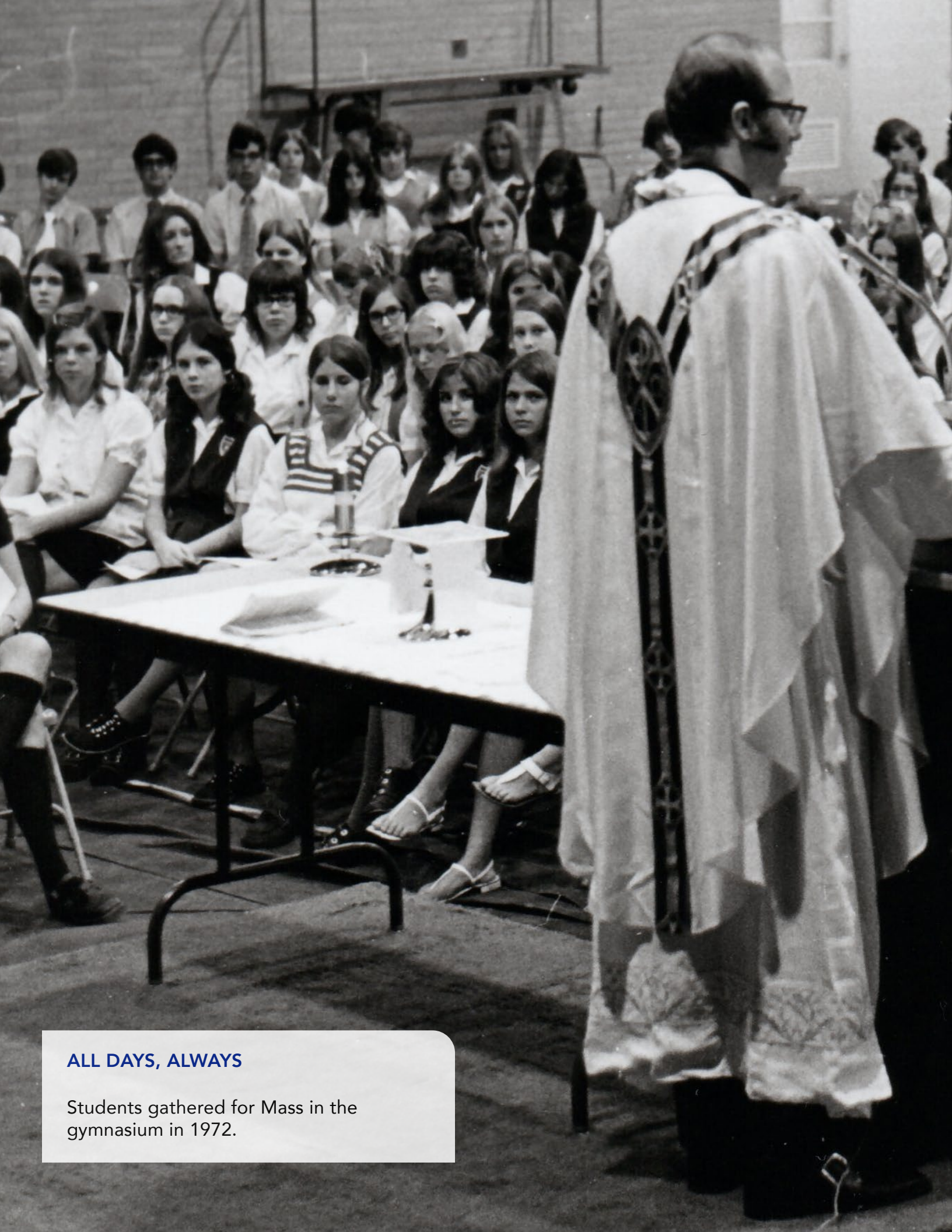
Daughter of Becca (Coleman) Scacchetti '96 (Raymond); Granddaughter of Anita (Notestine) Coleman '70

**Mary Jane Strathearn:** 4/14/2022

Mother of Nancy, Mike '70 (Jeanne), Jeff '71 (Dianna), Teri Kovach '75 (Steve), Pat Schwieterman '77 (Lou); Grandmother to 13 including Kristin (Schwieterman) Heider '06 (Zachary '06) and Elyse (Schwieterman) Goodson '08; Great-Grandmother to 12; Great-Great-Grandmother to 1 ✝

If you become aware of any Carroll High School community members who pass away, please contact (937) 253-8188, extension 339, or email [jweitz@carrollhs.org](mailto:jweitz@carrollhs.org). We apologize for any errors or omissions.





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## IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE CLASS OF 2027

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### OCTOBER & NOVEMBER

Applications accepted online at [www.carrollhs.org/apply](http://www.carrollhs.org/apply)  
(paper applications available by request)

### CHALK TALKS WITH PRINCIPAL SABLESKI

Wednesday Evenings in October

### 8TH GRADE VISIT DAYS

October 24, 26 & 28

### PATRIOT FOR A DAY (SHADOWING)

October & November for interested 8th Grade Students

### OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, October 30, 1:00-4:00

### OPTIONAL PREP SESSIONS FOR THE HSPT

Saturday, November 5, or 12

### HIGH SCHOOL PLACEMENT TEST

Saturday, November 19 — 8:15am - 12:00pm  
(Pre-Registration Required)

### DECEMBER 1ST

Deadline to submit Applications for Admission and Financial Aid & Scholarships

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