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Fellow Patriots,

St. Thomas Aquinas once said that, "There is nothing on this earth more to be prized than true friendship." Carroll High School has been a place where many of us, myself included, have found lifelong friendships and mentors that have supported us and guided us along our journey towards Christ. As we enter a new decade, I look forward to seeing how our students, staff, and Carroll community will stand together and work towards bringing God's love into the world.

Our students go above and beyond to answer the call to be a companion for those in great need in our community. They give back, not because we ask them to, but because they feel inspired to serve all



of God's people. Our Patriots sacrifice thousands of hours helping others both off and on campus, and they challenge their peers to do the same.

We at Carroll are excited to see our alma mater advancing and updating to accommodate for future generations of Patriots. Thanks to the tremendous success of our first ever Day of Giving and the continuous support of our *Foundation for the Future* capital campaign, we look forward to seeing our school become a companion that supports the continuously-advancing, globalized education our students receive.

After visiting the National Shrine of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, the pioneer for Catholic education in America, I was inspired to bring back her teachings to be a companion for our staff this year. Mother Seton believed that a school should be a model of Christ and His teachings. She used marigolds, a plant known for encouraging companion plants to grow while protecting them from weeds and pests, as an example for Catholic educators. As you'll read in this edition of Reflections, Mother Seton and her marigolds are continuously guiding our teachers to support one another as they foster faith and academics within our students and greater Carroll community.

With this new decade upon us, we are challenged to be like Mother Seton's marigolds. May our school be a place where the seeds of faith and wisdom are fostered. May our Patriot Family, like those marigolds, strive to be a nurturing companion for our current and future Patriots so that they will one day be a shining light in our world.

The 2020s will be a great decade to be a Patriot!

Sincerely,

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Matthew Sableski '91 Principal

HOUSE KEEPING

What's new in our House.





















BALTIMORE

Baltimore has had quite a year so far. We came together to finish in second place in the Lip Sync Battle with our performance of The Beach Boys' hit "Surfin' U.S.A." and continue to show spirit after four years with the House System. At the beginning of the school year, Baltimore gathered as a whole for the first time and allowed everyone to get to know others in the House. We are a family, and we are working as hard as possible to show it.

Not only is Baltimore doing well as a whole, but we also have some extraordinary people in our House. Kevin Agnew '21 from Family Room 107 had an absolutely fantastic Cross Country season, helping to push the varsity team to 7th at the state championship meet. Kevin placed 1st in five different meets this year, including the GCL, Regional, and District Championships. - **Michael Taylor '20**

CHARITY Charity House has been hard at work throughout the first semester. Beginning with the Cheer Competition, Charity brought home the "W," finishing in first place. There was great participation and enthusiasm in showing our House spirit. Also, a number of our House members have finished up their fall sports seasons, participated in the fall play, and are well into their winter sports seasons.

Many students are also excelling academically. Will Moddeman '20 is an outstanding student athlete who is dedicated and determined when it comes to his studies. His test score of a 33 on the ACT was greatly deserved as he is a lock down student and still finds time to participate in other school activities and clubs. Congrats, Will! - **Jill Roberts '20**





GONZAGA

Sarah Ruetschle '21 is a legacy student who contributes to Gonzaga in a number of ways, including her participation in House Events and her attitude towards helping others during Academic Day. She truly embodies Gonzaga's motto of "God, Grace, Giving and Gratitude", especially through the community service she does.

Some of the places where Sarah actively volunteers are her church, St. Luke in Beavercreek, and her local library. She has received the Ambassador's Award for service and has the most service hours of any Gonzaga member. She is an important member of Carroll's Academic Team, Swim Team, and Pats 4 Life. She is also a member of National Honor Society and Latin Honor Society. - Madeleine Sanders '20

T MERCY

Joshua Vagedes '20 embodies the spirit of Mercy House. From volunteering to help with the Cheer Competition to helping with the Lip Sync House Event, Josh is always excited to contribute to Mercy House. A member of Family Room 204, he is a senior who takes his passion for the House System and puts it to use. Julia Nemeth '20, his Family Room Captain, says, "Josh is always ready to volunteer. He always tries his hardest to support our Family Room and House." Mercy chose "I Want It That Way" by the Backstreet Boys for the second quarter Lip Sync Battle, and Josh was one of the planners who helped with everything for his Family Room and Mercy. - **Summer Medina '20**





ST. MARY'S This year, St. Mary's has had a lot of great moments. At the beginning of the school year, everyone welcomed the incoming freshmen and transfer students, the whole house has done a really great job of supporting each other. One of the greatest achievements for this year was the first House event. Everyone was very spirited and thrilled to show our House pride! Finishing in third place was a sign that we had a lot to look forward to!

Not only has the House had great success, but it also has had some outstanding people. Jessica Babros '20 is one of our Family Room Captains who was already achieved so much this year. She has held many leadership positions and is involved in many activities. Jessica was a Women's Varsity Soccer Team Manager and is a Co-President of the Spanish Club. As of now, she is also very active with the community and gives her time by doing service. Jessica has earned the Ambassador Award this year for her service and plans to continue serving others while showing great leadership for our house! **- Janelle Soto '20**

TRINITY

Trinity House has had a great start to this school year! We started off strong in the first House Event and ended up winning the Lip Sync Battle with our performance of the "Best Song Ever" by One Direction. Paige Bey '20 had an active role in participating in this competition and has had four outstanding years at Carroll High School. She is a member of Family Room 310 and is actively involved in the Carroll community. She is an exceptional volleyball player and made the varsity team two years in a row. Paige has chosen to serve her country and join the Army National Guard after high school while attending Wright State University for ROTC. **- JC Copley '20**



SPOTLIGHTS on our Patriot Student Community

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

» Finite math inspiring infinite possibilities for students

For many seniors, thinking about their plans once they graduate Carroll seems exciting and possibly a bit daunting. "A lot of us don't know what we're doing," said Jackson Stanard '20, "but, we're seniors, so we've got to figure it out." So, when Jackson's Finite Math completed a project, focusing on career budgeting, he and his peers received valuable tools to help refine and direct their career paths.

Under the instruction of Ms. Sarah Lesiak, Stanard's Finite Math class participated in a career budgeting unit where the students researched professional areas of interest and applied the mathematical formulas necessary to budget their financial and lifestyle needs accordingly. "What was nice about the budget project was that it gave me a taste of careers I might be interested in," Jackson said. "I was able to find out what would be a good career fit for me and what would be profitable."

For Jackson, this unit proved to be helpful right away, as he already is an entrepreneur. His mother Jerri owns K12 Gallery & TEJAS. Not only has Jackson been managing a group of interns and helping out with classes offered there, but he also owns soda and gumball machines within the gallery. After his class project, he modified the design of his soda vending machine. The new design attracted more customers and increased Jackson's revenue.

"I do find myself using the equations (from class)," Jackson said, including those formulas necessary for taxes, tips, and sales tax. The material from class complements students' daily lives and has helped provide students like Jackson with relevant, valuable life-budgeting skills.

For now, Jackson is still deciding whether he will pursue his business, graphic design, or journalism interests. However, regardless of the path he chooses, he now has the tools necessary to be successful and financially plan for a bright future.

» Chemistry classes "breaking out" for breakthrough results through Innovative Teaching Grant

During her time student teaching in an Honors Biology class, Science teacher Ms. Meghan Mulligan saw her Cooperating Teacher's students partake in an interactive project using Breakout Boxes. Much like the popular breakout room experiences, students had to decipher clues, solve puzzles, and work through activities in order to break out and unlock a box containing a study guide and/or a reward. While working for the prize, students didn't realize that the ultimate prize was the content-related knowledge needed to unlock the clues along the way.

Mulligan saw great student achievement when using the Breakout Boxes, so she began to look for ways to acquire the system for her own classroom. Thanks to an Innovative Teaching Grant from the Archdiocese of Cincinnati,



Mulligan was able to purchase the Breakout Boxes to use in her Chemistry 101 and AP Chemistry classes.

"It makes your classroom an escape room," Mulligan explains." Clues can be hidden throughout the room or students can be given problems using colors, numbers, and words to figure out the codes to the locks." The boxes contain many pieces that excite students and game-lovers alike. There are word puzzles, which Mulligan uses to promote mastery of key vocabulary, UV



lights to reveal hidden codes or clues, and other engaging activities. "I like to use (the Breakout Boxes) for review at the end of a unit," she said.

Mulligan has found that using these materials has promoted out-of-the-box thinking and a relatable, engaging way to access the more difficult concepts covered in her classes. "Students who often struggle with math or science really excel at this avenue of application," Mulligan explained, "It gives them an opportunity to be a leader for once."

Not only is Mulligan looking forward to using the Breakout Boxes, but she is excited to share her materials with her colleagues teaching other subjects at Carroll. "(These activities) are not unique to science," she notes. "They can be used in any subject or on a larger scale in a House competition."

- ART -

» The Freedom Players "Family" revives a family tale

As the oldest student organization at Carroll, the Drama Club has always been a source of camaraderie for cast and crew alike. "We're all one big group of friends," said Becca Jobe '21, "We make one big family that works together as a team," and they did just that this past November in their production of *The Little Dog Laughed*.

First performed on the Carroll stage in 1963, The Little Dog Laughed is an enduring story of a family in 1940's small town USA. "Drama Club was quite literally a family in this production," remarked Emma Howey '20, who played matriarch Martha Huntington. The story focuses on Martha's daughter, Laurie (Bre DeVellier '20), a college sophomore psychology student, who comes home for the summer and can't resist analyzing her family, friends, and even her mother's tea party guests. She has turned the house



into an experimental maze and her family into an emotional mess.

Under the direction of Toni (Hemmert) Weitz '86 and featuring the set design of Andrew Becker '09 and Josh Weitz '09, the Freedom Players family brought an onstage family to life and warmed the hearts of audience members young and old.

The Freedom Players will perform their spring production of *Bye Bye Birdie* on March 20-22nd.

Carroll Freedom Players' Oklahoma! lassoes more accolades

Congratulations to the Carroll Freedom Players for receiving yet another award for the musical this past March. The Dayton Daily News named Oklahoma! as a contender for the Best of Dayton Theatre for the 2018-19 season. This included any local or regional production to play in Dayton. Carroll's performance was the only high school to be recognized in this group. Congratulations, Freedom Players!



» Marching Patriots return to AAA competition

Led by Drum Major Jackson Mitchell '20, the band and guard hit the road with their show "JoyRide." The Marching Patriots finished as the top-rated Ohio school in both the Bands of America Regional Championships in Muncie, Ind. and Mid States Band Associations AAA Championships. The final stop on their tour was the Bands of America Grand National Championships at Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis. The band will take one more voyage this spring when they travel to perform at Walt Disney World in Orlando, Florida.



» Carroll student wears his art on his sleeve

Andy Warhol once said, "Everything has its beauty, but not everyone sees it." Trey Blevins '20 is helping his classmates see that beauty by making his art clearly visible - on the of the Patriot student body. Since the seventh grade, Blevins has been creating designs and screen printing them on apparel. As an AP Art student, Trey is refining his craft, creating his own business, and sharing it with his peers.

"My dad owns a screen printing company, so it was always very easily accessible," Blevins said. His father, Larry, owns Green Leaf Printing & Design in downtown Dayton, and he has been utilizing Trey's artistic talents from an early age. "If his designer was busy or if he needed some artwork, he would talk to me, and I'd do it," said Trey. Soon, Trey began creating designs of his own, like one inspired by an internet joke popular his 8th grade year at Ascension. They were a hit, and that lead Blevins to continue his business upon entering Carroll.

Trey is pioneering the way for young designers at Carroll as the first student graphic shirt artist. Likewise, he is the first student to have shirt designs on display in the Carroll lobby. "It's fun," Trey said, "No one else has done it, so I have a bit



of a monopoly on it." Having sold more than 200 shirts, Trey is always ready with spare order forms to sell another shirt. With AP Art Teacher Renee Merland's guidance, Trey focused on his designs as his concentration in class, allowing him to make more complex pieces.

The more Blevins delves into the artistic and business processes, the more he finds himself using the tools he accumulated from his Carroll classes. "I'll be working down (at Green Leaf), and I'll remember something from class," Trey said, "I'll think, Oh, I'm utilizing that right now," especially skills from his art, business, and STEM classes.

Trey has found inspiration for his designs in all areas of his life. He had finished an exam early freshman year and happened to have two sharpies on hand to draw a whale that made one of his shirts. Another, a bird, was designed simply through Blevins improvising. The design of a planet with a city was inspired by the song "City of Stars" from the film, *La La Land*.

Similar to the characters in *La Land*, Trey also plans to move to Los Angeles and pursue a career in filmmaking after graduation, to take his art from screen print to silver screen.

» Inspired, not Required: Carroll senior gives 653 hours of service to Dayton community

For Brittney Sargent '20, giving back to her community has always been a priority. Sargent has always felt called to serve others in any way she can. So far, during her time at Carroll, Brittney has logged 653 hours serving her community, and she has no plans to stop anytime soon.

Brittney has been involved with the Greene County 4H Club since the third grade. From rabbits to chickens to her dog Holly, a huge Newfoundland, Brittney has been raising and showing animals since she was eight years old. As president of her chapter, she motivates her peers to go above and beyond to give back to the community in other areas as well. Cooking and serving meals to those at The Caring Place and making snack bags for at-risk youth are just a few ways in which she and her peers are helping make a difference.

As a senior, Brittney has found several ways to give back with her Patriot peers. This past fall, Sargent participated in



Action Appalachia, where she and 25 of her senior classmates traveled to Kentucky with donations to help the community of Campton. "Going on that trip was really eye-opening and inspirational for me," Brittney said.

Brittney has been involved in many projects, but her favorite so far has been her time volunteering as a greeter at Soin Medical Center in Beavercreek. There, she welcomes patients and families, often escorting nervous patients via wheelchair to their

appointments in the hospital. "I'm able to be their reassurance that everything's going to be okay," said Sargent, "I'm the first face you see when you walk into the hospital."

Brittney knows first-hand how comforting a smiling face in the hospital can be. In March of 2018, her mother was diagnosed with breast cancer. "My community surrounded me and my family with so much love and support," she recalled, "I want to give that to others." Thankfully, Brittney's mother has won her cancer battle, and Brittney has found a calling to enter into the medical field to help provide care to patients in the future.

Sargent's service hour goal has also been inspired by the outstanding Carroll seniors who have come before her. As an underclassman, she sat with her peers at the senior awards assemblies, hearing the large numbers of hours that the class of 2017 gave to the community during their time at Carroll. Like those influential seniors before her, Brittney wants to be a role model to her underclassmen peers and inspire them to top her hours.

Though Brittney has logged 653 hours during her time at Carroll, she hopes to reach 700 before graduation. "I've put so many hours into my community- a community that has given me so much," she said, "They really inspire me to give them back as many hours as they have given me."



» Carroll hosts Family Fun Day for foster families

Carroll High School has always been a second home to Kelly Walsh '83. As an adoption worker for Montgomery County Childrens' Services, she and her colleagues were looking for a safe, welcoming place for children to meet potential foster and adoptive families. So, when brainstorming where to host a Family Fun Day and how to get the community involved, Carroll was one of the first places to come to mind.

Walsh, along with her husband Jim '83 and and their children, have always been connected to the Patriot family and known the support and generosity the community provides.

Six years ago, Kelly reached out to Carroll religion teacher Melissa (Balsom) Fisher '83 to get the Patriot community involved. Fisher, who adopted her son Wesley through Montgomery County Children's Services, knew firsthand how Carroll could provide a positive, memorable experience for these new families. Carroll has hosted the event every year since.

This year, families who are becoming licensed foster or adoptive parents were invited to meet 35 of the children available for adoption in the area. Some children, already with placements, met their new families for the first time at this event. With the help of Carroll students like Micah Kilby '22, families participated in holiday-themed activities together, such as decorating stockings. "I used to have foster



siblings," said Kilby, "It's nice to help families out and see the kids getting adopted and having fun."

"Carroll has done such a wonderful job being so incredibly generous, and I've received nothing but praise about the student volunteers for how they interact with our kids and families," stated Walsh. "This program has facilitated many connections that are lifelong for our kids. We desperately need to make sure that our kids have positive people in their lives and people they can go to for help as they get older."

To be a positive role model in a child's life through fostering or adoption, call 937-224-KIDS(5437) to ask to speak to an adoption recruiter about the process. You can also ask to speak to Kelly specifically.

MONARCH WAY STATION

The Carroll High School courtyard is undergoing a metamorphosis, just like many of its new inhabitants. A group of students spent a few afternoons in September clearing dead plants and replacing them with sunflowers, black-eyed susan, marigolds, and even milkweed to create a waystation for monarch butterflies.

The students are connecting ideas they've learned in the classroom about plant life, animal life, and conservation and putting them into practice to help mitigate damage to monarchs' natural habitats. AP Bio Anh Pham '20 and Kristin Hildebrant '20 are leading the way.



"It makes the environment better and provides more habitats for animals like butterflies," Pham says. "We're making the world a better place by having a waystation here."

"At Carroll, our mission is always to help other people and be good Christians," Hildebrant added. "This helps other people and the environment, and every living thing has its part in the food chain. If we're doing our part to conserve the butterflies and help them, we're helping other people."

"We're making the world a better place by having a waystation here."

The students designed the waystation to provide nourishment for the butterflies and a safe space from natural predators. Caterpillars, chrysalis, and butterflies have already started appearing in the waystation, and Carroll science teacher Dr. Christina O' Malley is considering keeping an official count of butterflies, collecting eggs, and growing caterpillars either in the waystation or one of the school's science labs to collect data about the area's impact.

O'Malley obtained all the plants from Monarch Watch, an outreach group focused on monarch conservation. Monarch Watch provided the students with a variety of plants like blazing star, bee balm, coneflower, and aster -- all native to Dayton region, another key factor in the conservation aspect of this project. Classrooms, St. John the Evangelist Chapel, and the faculty and student lunch rooms all have windows to view the waystation garden and its new residents so that other students and faculty members can enjoy a reinvigorated part of campus that is making a positive impact on our local and global communities.

MARIGOLD PROJECT

Since the day Carroll High School opened its doors, its faculty and staff have answered the vocation and calling to create a nurturing environment that helps young learners grow in their faith and knowledge. A trip to the birthplace of Catholic education and a common garden flower inspired Principal Matt Sableski '91 to help Carroll's educators provide that same environment for their colleagues.

During a visit to the National Shrine of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Sableski purchased a prayer votive for Carroll at the shrine just outside of Washington. As the founder of St. Joseph's Academy and Free School, Mother Seton planted the seeds of Catholic education in the United States. Her philosophy on education still resonates centuries later.

"Mother Seton believed that a school should be a model of Christ," Sableski says. "It should reflect his teachings, and those who work in a Catholic School should model Christ. We have to help our students grow in knowledge and faith, but [faculty and staff] have to help each other do this as well. It's easy to get caught up in the minutia, the logistics, and the details of every day, but they cannot become more important than being present to our students, their families, and each other." teachers," Sableski says. "You can identify them by the way their offers to help sound sincere, or even just by how you feel when you're with them."

At each faculty meeting, Sableski takes a few moments to recognize the Marigolds of the Month. Based on nominations from colleagues, the award honors faculty members who make the extra effort to provide support, speak words of encouragement, or do anything they can to help make someone's day a little easier. Each Marigold of the Month receives a marigold seed kit to grow in classrooms and offices.

One of the first Marigold of the Month honorees was Science Department Co-chair Mrs. Laura Wright. She started a monthly book club focused on the everchanging nature of education for teachers looking to grow as marigolds for the fellow educators and their students. The group meets regularly to pick new books to read and share what they have learned from previous selections.

"We are trying to help each other do our best teaching and work with the students," Wright says. "It helps us support each other, and I think this helps us think about each other a little more."

The idea to "be a marigold" as a call for Carroll's faculty to support one another took root after a conversation between Sableski and a few teachers. Based on the concept of companion planting, placing certain plants near each other to improve growth for one or both plants, Sableski challenged the faculty at the first staff meeting of the year to serve as marigolds. Marigolds are known for encouraging growth for a wide variety of plants while protecting them from weeds and pests.

"Marigolds exist in our schools as well — encouraging, supporting, and nurturing growing fellow



Members of the Mom Book Club

SPOERL-BARTLETT

After seven months of construction and countless hours of antic



FIELD DEDICATION

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ipation, the Carroll Patriots celebrated a new place to call home.

Aerial view of the first home football game played on Spoerl-Bartlett field on September 6, 2019. (photo courtesty of Monell Communications) **O N SEPTEMBER 6, 2019**, 58 years to the day after Carroll High School opened its doors for the first time, the Patriot community gathered to start a new era of school history. The dedication ceremony for Spoerl-Bartlett Field and all-weather track was a moment that thousands of Patriots had dreamt of since their days as students. Fans, major donors, and representatives of the field's namesake families were on hand as Principal Matt Sableski '91 addressed the crowd and then witnessed Fr. Ethan Moore bless the new facility before the first football game of the inaugural season.

Brian Thomeczek '96 attended the event with many of his family members. The Thomeczek family's history as major donors to Carroll date back to the earliest days of the grass field. Brian's father, Jim '66, joined the "Carroll 100 Club" boosters in the 1980s, and his father made a major gift to the original stadium construction project. Continuing his grandfather's legacy of giving made the night even more memorable for Brian, James, and their family.

"Carroll and the field has a special place in our family. My grandfather started [Nortwestern Tool], the company I run today. He and the company donated the prior scoreboard, so it always gave us a sense of pride for the field," Brian recalled. "That was the first Carroll game my family had ever attended and we were all excited to watch them play. It was even better to see them win the game. The field looked amazing, especially under the lights. It was a special day for everyone that attended."

"The dedication of anything is always exciting, seeingthe results of hours and hours of discussions, planning, fundraising and construction," Jim said. "Students moving forward will know that those who came before them cared enough to make sacrifices for future generations and hope that they too will continue to pay it forward." The Patriots played one of their best games of the season, a 23-13 win over Tecumseh. Wide receiver Steven Chapman '21 scored the first Patriot touchdown on the new field, a 26 yard pass from quarterback Trent Fox '20. Sam Severt '21 picked off a Tecumseh pass and returned it 27 yards, and Fox threw another big touchdown pass in the second half, finding eventual GCL Co-ed Offensive Player of the Year Donovan LaJuenesse '20 for a 68 yard touchdown. The boys' and girls' soccer teams combined for a 17-1-2 record on Spoerl-Bartlett Field and a GCL Co-ed Championship for the boys. Carroll student athletes cherish their memories of hard-fought victories for decades, but cheering from stands sticks with the spectators just as strongly.

"I remember when I was a student going to the soccer and football games and watching our classmates and friends play," Brian said. "We had amazing times bonding with our classmates and making lifelong friends. My absolute favorite thing was going to a football game and having a sock hop after, especially if we had just won the game. It was a wonderful experience celebrating and having fun with our friends and fellow classmates."

The \$2.3 million dollar field, track, and lighting project is just the first phase of renovations for Patriot Stadium. Upcoming renovations planned as part of Foundation for the Future: The Campaign for Carroll High School feature an overhaul of the rest of the outdoor facility including a new entry plaza, press box, bleachers, field house, and even an additional field.

"When [Principal Sableski] said 'It's a great day to be a Patriot,' it felt very surreal," Brian said. "Seeing the physical changes made to the school and seeing the excitement and applause from the faculty, alumni, parents, and students, it displayed very clearly why the future is bright for the school and its students. This campaign and the work being done will improve the Carroll experience."



Football, soccer, cross country, and the Marching Patriots all call Spoerl-Bartlett Field home. Enjoy some of the sights from the fall season, and join us in the spring for the first season of lacrosse and track on Spoerl-Bartlett Field.



These generous major donors have made The Foundation for the Future possible. Please follow their example and invest in this campaign!

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PHASES ONE & TWO PROGRESS

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\$1,000,000 » Renovate existing first floor labs

\$1,000,000 » 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



Tell them to do good, to be rich in good works, to be generous, ready to share, thus accumulating as treasure a good foundation for the future, so as to win the life that is true life. - 1 Timothy 18-19

CONSTRUCTION ON THE MILLER FAMILY STEM CENTER ON THE SECOND FLOOR OF THE AUXILIARY BUILDING WILL BEGIN IN MAY 2020.

This facility will feature two laboratory and classroom areas equipped with seating and modern safety features that will facilitate more problembased learning experiences and independent research for our students. The laboratories will share common storage and prep areas.



Artist's rendering of renovated science labs.

App Architects designed the facility, and Becker Construction will serve as the general contractor for the \$500,000 project. The Miller Family STEM Center, and two new science labs will be ready for use at the start of the 2020-21 Academic Year.



DONOR PROFILE



Dr. Chris Bonasso '87

Dr. Chris Bonasso '87 is a neurosurgeon who specializes in a wide range of adult neurosurgery and is board-certified by the American Board of Neurological Surgeons.

Dr. Bonasso and his wife, Christine (Kaiser) '87 live in Columbus. As a member of the Honor Roll, Ohio Math League, German Club, and men's tennis team during his time at Carroll, Dr. Bonasso began his path to a career in medicine. He gave to Foundation for the Future: The Campaign for Carroll High School to allow generations of Patriots to excel academically and chase their dreams in STEM career fields.

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WHY DID YOU CHOOSE TO MAKE A GIFT TO THE CAMPAIGN?

WHAT PART OF THE CAMPAIGN EXCITES YOU THE MOST AND WHY?

The initial goals and funding are aimed at revamping and adding to the science labs, making them state of the art. This will benefit both current and future students for many years.

Now is the time to contribute because anyone that does so can be sure that their contribution is going toward definite goals that have already been organized and planned out. There is nothing nebulous about how your contribution is going to help Carroll HS and the students. WHY IS NOW THE TIME TO MAKE A GIFT TO THE CAMPAIGN?

WHY IS FOUNDATION FOR THE FUTURE: The Campaign for Carroll High School a worthy cause?

I believe that the values that I learned at Carroll have made it possible for me to pursue my goals. A contribution that in some small way adds to Carroll's ability to continue teaching these values makes the campaign a great cause.



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ATHLETIC Honors and Recognitions

We recognize and congratulate these Fall student-athletes and coaches ...

GIRLS' GOLF

Overall Record: 6-5 | League Record: 3rd place in GCL Co-ed Tournament Meredith Goecke: 1st Team All GCL Co-ed Olivia Hickman: 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed Alli Hucke: 3rd Team All GCL Co-ed

BOYS' GOLF

Overall Record: 4-1 | League Record: 5th place in GCL Co-ed Tournament Shane Ochs: GCL Co-ed Tournament Champion, All Southwest District, State Qualifier

GIRLS' SOCCER

Overall Record: 14-1-1League Record: 5-1-0 (2nd Place) District Runners-upAlaina Casey: 2nd Team All Ohio, 1st Team All Miami Valley, 1st Team All GCL Co-edAllie Stefanek: 1st Team All Miami Valley North, 1st Team All GCL Co-edCat McNamara: 2nd Team All Miami Valley North, 1st Team All GCL Co-edJill Roberts: 2nd Team All Miami Valley North, 1st Team All GCL Co-edCatherine Berent: 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed, 3rd Team All Miami Valley NorthAva Lickliter: 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed, 3rd Team All Miami Valley NorthLisa Klingbeil: 2nd Team All GCL Co-edNatalie Ryan: Honorable Mention All GCL Co-ed

BOYS' SOCCER

Overall Record: 17-1-2 League Record: 5-0-1 (Tied for 1st Place) OSSCA Team Academic Award, District Finalist, GCL Co-ed Champions, No. 12 in Final Division I State Coaches Poll, No. 2 in Final Division I Miami Valley Coaches Poll

Conner Osterholt: United Soccer Coaches All America Selection, 1st Team All Ohio, Miami Valley D-I Player of the Year, Miami Valley District Team, 1st Team Miami Valley North, GCL Co-ed Player of the Year, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

Kade Greer: Academic All Ohio, Miami Valley District Team, 1st Team Miami Valley North, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

Brandon Osterholt: 1st Team Miami Valley North, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

Conner Bailey: 2nd Team Miami Valley North, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

Ben Del Cid: Honorable Mention Miami Valley North, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

Martin O' Grady: Academic All Ohio, Honorable Mention Miami Valley North, 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

Daniel Irumva: Honorable Mention Miami Valley North, 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

Will Moddeman: Academic All Ohio, 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed

Charlie Thompson: Academic All Ohio, Honorable Mention All GCL Co-ed

Mitch Johnson: Academic All Ohio, Kettering Sports Medicine Sportsmanship Award

Coach Scott Molfenter: Miami Valley Private/Parochial Coach of the Year, GCL Co-ed Coach of the Year

GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL

Overall Record: 4-19 | League Placement: 7th Place

Julia Barnes: Honorable Mention All District, 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed Sophia Carter: Honorable Mention All District, Honorable Mention All GCL Co-ed Megan Lencke: Honorable Mention All GCL Co-ed







Congratulations to our amazing athletes!



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Conner Osterholt United Soccer Coaches All America Selection

> Alaina Casey: 2nd Team All Ohio

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FOOTBALL

Overall Record: 4-6 | League Record: 2-3 (4th Place)

Donovan LaJeunesse: 3rd Team All Ohio, 1st Team All District, GCL Co-ed Offensive Player of the Year, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed Offense

Ethan Braun: 1st Team All GCL Co-ed Defense Steven Chapman: 1st Team All GCL Co-ed Offense Trent Fox: 1st Team All GCL Co-ed Offense Jamen Hill: 1st Team All GCL Co-ed Defense Sam Howard: 1st Team All GCL Co-ed Defense Garrett Walker: 1st Team All GCL Co-ed Offense Michael Cozart: 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed Offense Eli Haney: 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed Defense Justin Parlette: 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed Offense Sam Severt: 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed Offense

GIRLS' CROSS COUNTRY

Team Highlights: GCL Co-ed Champions, Regional Qualifiers, Moeller Primetime Invitational Champions

Meghan Schrand: 1st Team All GCL Co-ed Sarah Ochs: 1st Team All GCL Co-ed Grace Braun: Individual Regional Qualifier, 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed Sydney Thomas: Individual Regional Qualifier, 2nd Team All GCL Co-ed Cecelia Leopold: 3rd Team All GCL Co-ed Trinity Raber: 3rd Team All GCL Co-ed Meredith Sanders: 3rd Team All GCL Co-ed

BOYS' CROSS COUNTRY

Team Highlights: 6th Place at Ohio Division II Championships, Regional Champions, District Champions, GCL Co-ed Champions, OHSAA Early Season Invitational Runners-up, Midwest Catholic Championships Runners-up, Tipp City Invitational Runners-up, Yellow Springs Invitational Champions

Kevin Agnew: All Ohio, Individual State Qualifier (10th place finish), Academic All Ohio, Division II Regional Champion, District Champion, GCL Co-ed Runner of the Year

Grant Arnold: Individual State Qualifier (36th place finish), Academic All Ohio, District Runner-up, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

Michael Osgood: Academic All Ohio, Individual Regional Qualifier, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

Andrew Connair: Academic All Ohio, Individual Regional Qualifier, 1st Team All GCL Co-ed

Drew Maxwell: Academic All Ohio, Individual Regional Qualifier, 3rd Team All GCL Co-ed

Seth Tivakaran: State Participant

Luke Wittmann: State Participant

GIRLS' TENNIS Record: 1-15 | League Placement: 7th Place

Hongyu Chen: Honorable Mention All GCL Co-ed



















Congratulations to our amazing athletes!



Kevin Agnew Division II Regional Champion

Donovan LaJeunesse GCL Co-ed Offensive Player of the Year



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> Cathi Marshall 99, 90 and Adrian Sargent 90 Nedding Date, May 2, 1996



Carla (Conley) '77 and Jeff Hochwalt '77 Wedding Date: December 31, 2009



Karen (Stermer) '85 and Dan Eckhart' 85 Wedding Date: May 13, 1995

Kathy (McDonald) '89 and Mike Moddeman '87 Wedding Date: May 22, 1993

Beth (Stefanek) '90 and Aaron Schmidt '90 Wedding Date: August 19, 1995

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Justin & Katie Chu

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Pat (McCoy)'71 and Jack Glaser'69 Wedding Date: November 17, 1973



Children of Carroll High School Alumni

Each year, many 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 2023 Legacy Students are listed in order of left to right, by row, along with the names of their parent(s) and/or grandparent(s). Those who are Carroll graduates have their class year listed after their names.

Front Row (bottom)

Sean McKitrick - son of Dave McKitrick and Sarah McKitrick; grandson of Ed Schaeffer '72 and Kathleen (Livingston) Schaeffer '73 Stevie Shaw - daughter of Stephen Shaw '89 and Christina Shaw

Julia Roberts - daughter of Jeff Roberts '85 and Loree Roberts

Maddie Regensburger - daughter of Anthony Regensburger '04 and Amy (Yates) Regensburger '04

Preston Davis - son of Gregory Davis and Ericka McConnaughey; grandson of Paula (Bashaw) Trimbach '71

Annelise Galiardo - daughter of Rick Galiardo '90 and Heather Galiardo; granddaughter of Jan (Voss) Galiardo '66 and Joan (Rissinger) Ivory '70 Kai Hary - son of Francesca Hary '79

Eli Bey - son of Bradley Bey and Julia (LeMaster) Bey '95

Row 2

Maria Sills - daughter of Robert Sills and Doris (Merten) Sills '81 Sydney Hudson - daughter of Lisa Arnett '81 Emma-Lee Brown - daughter of Jennifer Brown '99 Abby Noss - daughter of Michael Noss and Kimberly (Skapin) Noss '95 Tess Schlegel - daughter of David Schlegel '88 and Tina Schlegel Chris Ruetschle - son of Patrick Ruetschle '89 and Jennifer Ruetschle Jack Agnew - son of John Agnew '80 and Christine Agnew Sam Wilson - son of Anthony Wilson and Karen (Weaver) Wilson '83

Row 3

Alex Mead - son of Roy Mead and Linda Edly-Mead '80 Ethan Benedict - son of Robert Benedict '76 and Teresa Benedict Alli Hucke - daughter of Shaun Hucke '97 and Kellie Hucke Cecilia Sharp - daughter of Doug Girtman '94 and Nell Sharp '94 Mason LaJeunesse - son of Jeffery LaJeunesse '93 and Amy LaJeunesse Colton Staub - son of Michael Staub '82 and Kimberly Staub Jaykob Yates - son of Nicole (Herbert) Treber '04 Mason Bellamy - son of Kenneth Bellamy '94

Row 4

Erin Jachimski - daughter of Beth Poliquin-Jachimski '93 Michael McHugh - son of Thomas McHugh '80 and Cathy (Redden) McHugh '82 Nathan Bartlett - son of Timothy Bartlett '85 and Corinna Bartlett Tyler Monnin - son of Arthur Monnin '76 and Stephanie Monnin Dylan King - son of Jason King and Karla (Wourms) King '94 Emma Williams - daughter of Arlie Williams and Katie (Landis) Williams '92 Liam Oliver - son of Brian Oliver '94 and Laura Oliver

Row 5 (Top)

Reese Monnin - son of Arthur Monnin '76 and Stephanie Monnin Caden Bistrek - son of Jon Bistrek '91 and Laura (Kozuh) Bistrek '92 Sammy Deep - son of Geoff Deep '85 and Abby Deep Michael Stefanek - son of Tony Stefanek '89 and Kate Stefanek Jacob Ruef - son of Megan Ruef '02 Nathan Snizik - son of John Snizik and Maria (Chilia) Snizik '88

Not pictured:

Paxton Clark - son of Richard Clark and Cherie Bucheit-Clark '96 Craig Vonderheide - son of David Vonderheide '83 and Shirlene Vonderheide

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ALUMNI PROFILE Meet Allison (Ritchie) '98 and Kelly Corrigan '97

Romances come and go for many students throughout their high school years, but for some couples, the flames grow and forge a bond that lasts through teenage years, college, and ultimately into marriage. Allison and Kelly Corrigan are one of those couples.

Twenty-four years after meeting at Carroll, Allison still remembers seeing Kelly for the first time in Ms. Laura Beery's anatomy class in the first semester of her junior year. Even though Allison had a crush on Kelly after a mutual friend introduced them, their relationship gradually grew from classmates to friends. They went on their first date around the time of Kelly's 18th birthday: a trip to the mall, an Italian dinner downtown at the Spaghetti Warehouse, and a stroll through the Beavercreek Wetlands.

Their foundation as friends helped keep them close after Kelly graduated in the spring of 1997 to attend Wright State University and began his path to a career in medicine. Allison finished high school a year later to pursue a nursing degree at Sinclair Community College. Kelly eventually moved to attend medical school at the University of Cincinnati while Allison was finishing her degree, a time that Allison recalls as one of the most difficult times of their relationship.

"It was tricky. He was definitely busy with school, wanting to do well to get into medical school, and I had to find my own identity. It was a struggle through medical school because he was in Cincinnati, and I was finishing my degree here. I would go down when I could, but I worked on the weekends."

With nursing school behind her, Allison moved to be with Kelly through his final part of medical school, internship at The Jewish Hospital in Cincinnati, residency at UC, and eventually to Columbus for a fellowship at The Ohio State University in 2010.

"I don't know that there was any trick," Kelly remembers. "She was a good friend and always supportive of me. She knew when I had to commit to school but still wanted my attention. She knew the repercussions."

Kelly's support to Allison during her time at nursing school was just as crucial.

"He was just always very supportive," Allison says. "He always helped me study and just understood what I was going through. Having his support through studying for licensure and final exams, he was always there. He would help me when I needed it or understood when I needed to study. Just having a friend to lean on when I was struggling with certain things, he was always there."

The distance and demands of attending college away from each other strengthened their relationship, but



Allison always knew that Kelly was the man she wanted to marry. "It was very early on, if not in high school, right after high school. We just always clicked and have been good friends. Kelly is definitely my best friend. We make each other laugh. We have a good time together. I always felt that connection with Kelly and thought this is the man I am going to spend the rest of my life with."

"I don't know that there was a specific moment that I could reference, but as we became closer and better friends, I realized that I couldn't imagine her not being in my life," Kelly says.

In 2001, Kelly built his plan to ask Allison to be his wife around one of their favorite Christmas traditions. One December evening during a visit to the legendary lights at Clifton Mill, Kelly bought hot chocolate for Allison and walked her over to the centuries-old grist mill wheel, pulled out the ring, and proposed. On December 20, 2003, nearly two years to the day after their engagement, Kelly and Allison became the Corrigans at St. Cecelia Catholic Church in the Oakley neighborhood of Cincinnati. Leading up to the wedding, Kelly was balancing the start of his marriage with one of the most difficult stretches of medical school. Kelly took Step 2 of the United States Medical Licensing Exam the day before the wedding. Even through Kelly's exhaustion, their marriage ceremony and reception at Paul Brown Stadium stands out as one of the happiest days of their lives.

"I don't know that there was a specific moment that I could reference, but as we became closer and better friends, I realized that I couldn't imagine her not being in my life"

Now in their sixteenth year of marriage, Kelly and Allison always make time not only to maintain, but strengthen the foundation of their love. Kelly commutes to Columbus in the evenings for his job as a radiologist at the Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center, and Allison serves as a nurse at St. Brigid School in Xenia where their sons Liam and Wyatt are students. Making time for yearly adults-only vacations to the Virgin Islands, romantic dinners at Flemming's or Pasha, lunch dates for tex-mex or sushi, and occasional weekend getaways to Cincinnati are perfect balances to the demands of their professional and family lives.

"Taking time for our marriage and just the two of us is really important," Allison says. "We can get caught up in his job or the kids. It's nice when we go on day dates or we make a point to go out to dinner."

Looking back on their decades-long relationship, Kelly and Allison agree that the secret to a marriage filled with love and dedication is not much of a secret at all.

"In today's society, there's a tendency for people to give up easily and perceive that something else is better or easier without valuing what you have," Kelly says. "If people think what they have is valuable, it is worth working for. There are no relationships without peaks and valleys. There will be times when you're ready to quit and throw in the towel, and there will be times when it's the best time of your life. My advice would be to look at what you have and figure out if it's valuable to your life. If it is, it's worth working for."



"Take it one day at a time," Allison says. "Like Kelly said, relationships are not always easy. Sometimes you have to work and sacrifice to be successful. It takes a lot of dedication, and we've been dedicated to each other."

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RECAP of Reunions & Events June-Dec. 2019



The Class of 2009 celebrated their 10-year reunion on Saturday, June 22, 2019, at the Dayton Dragons Game and a post-game brewery. Pictured here are the classmates who attended the Dragons game.



The Class of 1984 celebrated their 35-year reunion July 19-20, 2019. They gathered at Wandering Griffin on Friday and Cardinal Hill on Saturday. It was so amazing to listen to everyone's stories. The resilience in so many lives was nothing short of spectacular! Pictured here are a group of attendees on Saturday. For more photos, go to https://www.facebook.com/groups/ Carrollclassof1984/



The Class of 1994 celebrated their 25-year reunion on July 20, 2019. They met Principal Matt Sableski '91 for a tour of Carroll High School on Saturday afternoon and then reminisced with classmates at Fricker's later that evening. Pictured here are the classmates who attended Fricker's.



The Class of 1974 celebrated their 45-year reunion July 26-27, 2019, where attendees enjoyed sharing memories Friday night at the Town & Country BW3. Saturday's dinner was held at the Spaghetti Warehouse downtown. Pictured here are some of the attendees at Spaghetti Warehouse. To see more photos, go to

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The Carroll women's soccer team held its annual Patriot Day on July 27, 2019. The Patriot 5K, Little Pats Lap and Alumni soccer game were all a success and helped the program purchase new uniforms for their record breaking season. The day was filled with laughter, tradition and family. Pictured here are both the alumni and student participants for the alumni game.



The Class of 1969 celebrated their 50-year reunion September 20-21, 2019. Their celebration took place at Wandering Griffin on Friday, and Kohler Banquet Center on Saturday. The committee would like to thank everyone who was able to attend. The response was overwhelming! They missed those who were unable to join them. Pictured here are the Saturday attendees. For more photos, go to

https://carrollhighschool.smugmug.com/Reunion-Photos/1969-50-Year-Reunion-Photos-2019/1969-50-Year-Reunion-Friday-Night-Photos/n-cQsdFL/ or https://carrollhighschool.smugmug.com/Reunion-Photos/1969-50-Year-Reunion-Saturday-Photos/n-ncghxS/

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The 42nd Annual Cross Country Alumni Run was held on Saturday, August 10, 2019. It was the first official event held on the new track. A large crowd of alumni, parents, and friends participated in the event and enjoyed a delicious cookout afterward. The 2 mile race started on the new turf field and then circled the track before leaving the stadium to loop the Carroll grounds. The runners came back into the stadium, circled the track again, and finished in the middle of the field. The Carroll teams ended up sweeping the event for the first time in many years. The Carroll varsity men edged the Alumni 27-28, and the Carroll varsity women outpaced the Alumni 27-32. The individual titles went to Kevin Agnew '21 and Genevieve Marchese '21. Pictured here is the start of the race. Complete results can be found at

https://www.carrollcrosscountry.org/announcements/37068/alumnirace-results



The Carroll Athletic Club held their 5th Annual Bocce Blitz on Saturday, August 17, 2019 on the grounds of the Sons of Italy's Bella Villa. The event raised its highest total since its inception in 2015. The proceeds will go towards supporting Carroll's Student Athletes. Pictured here are Bocce participants at the event.



The 22nd Annual Alumni Golf Outing was held at Beavercreek Golf Club on Friday, September 6, 2019, with a sold-out course of 144 golfers. The outing was a success, raising \$7,597 to support the Alumni Association in providing scholarships to Carroll students. The 1st place foursome was Dan Biedenharn '03, Paul Day '03, John Kopilchack, and Justin Mosher '03. The 2nd place foursome was Mike Dorsten '95, Pat Rasey '95, Jeff McGrath '95, and Mark Haught '95. The longest drive winners were Craig Elam '06 and Jillian Heigel '13. Mike Ryckman was closest to the pin on Hole #6 and Chris Pearson was closest to the pin on Hole #17. Thanks to all of the sponsors, donors, and golfers for giving of their time and treasure. Pictured here (left to right) are Drew Johnson '00, Matt Isaacs '00, Corey Myers '00, and Tony Kraus '00. To see more photos, go to https://carrollhighschool.smugmug.com/2019-2020/Alumni-Events/2019-Alumni-Golf-Outing/n-7Cx7m3/.



The Class of 2014 celebrated their 5-year reunion on Saturday, September 28, 2019 at the Brixx Ice Company downtown Dayton. Pictured here are those who attended.



The Alumni Association held their 6th Annual Alumni Job Shadow Day on Thursday, October 3, 2019. 41 Carroll High School juniors and seniors were matched with local Carroll alumni who allowed the students to shadow them for the day and learn more about their career. Graduates who participated had class years ranging from 1977 through 2008 and worked in a wide variety of career fields. For more information about this program, go to https://www.carrollhs.org/alumni/mentoring-opportunities.cfm. Pictured here is Hailey Spivey '21 with Jessica (Green) Costello '99, Paralegal for Freund, Freeze & Arnold Law Firm.



On Friday, October 25, 2019, Alumni Night was held. Before the Carroll vs. Badin football game, the Carroll band marched down the field playing the fight song and Alma Mater, along with alumni band and drill team members. The 2019 Inductees to the Athletic Hall of Fame were also announced during half-time. Pictured here (left to right) are the following members of the 2008 State Soccer Championship Team: Dave Clymer, Matt Peterman '09, Tanya Grant (sister of Coach Daryl Jones), Emily Kronenberger '11, Jeffrey Graham '10, Michael Whitney '09, Rory Lassalle '09, and Coach Scott Molfenter. To see more photos, go to https://carrollhighschool.smugmug.com/2019-2020/Alumni-Events/2019-Alumni-Night-Football-Game/n-ZXXfxP/


After the game, on October 25, 2019, approximately 120 alumni and friends met in the cafeteria for the Alumni Social for wings, beverages and photo booth. Thanks to our donors: Buffalo Wild Wings, Elsa's, Flowerama, Jersey Mike's, Milano's, Nick's, Philly Pretzel Factory, Slyder's, Subway, and Toni (Hemmert) Weitz '86. Slyder's Tavern received first place in the "Best Wings" contest! Pictured here are Mary (Sammons) Jobe '81 and Linda Edly-Mead '80. To see more photos, go to <u>https://carrollhighschool.smugmug.com/2019-2020/Alumni-Events/2019-Alumni-Night-Social/n-8JhbhC/</u>.



The Class of 1979 celebrated their 40-year reunion during last year's Alumni Weekend, October 25-27, 2019, where attendees enjoyed wings and subs at the Alumni Night Social on Friday and attended a special class gathering at Los Reyes Restaurant on Saturday. Pictured here are the Saturday attendees. For more photos, go to https://www.facebook.com/groups/CHS1979Reunion/photos/.



The Class of 1989 celebrated their 30-year reunion during this year's Alumni Weekend, October 25-27, 2019, at the Alumni Night Social on Friday and a special class gathering at Brixx Ice Company on Saturday. Pictured here (left to right) are: Justin Goulet, Carmen (Luzio) Terry, Mike Stava, Karen (Tegenkamp) Klepacz, Rebecca (Seiter) Shelek, Kathy (McDonald) Moddeman, Drew Hilgeford, Stephanie (Hunter) Haley, and Brad Reigelsperger.



The Class of 1999 celebrated their 20-year reunion during this year's Alumni Weekend, October 25-27, 2019, at the Alumni Night Social on Friday and the Alumni Memorial Mass on Sunday. Pictured here are Josh Wildermuth with Amanda Frommeyer.



On Saturday, October 26, 2019, the 14th Induction into the Athletic Hall of Fame occurred at the Beavercreek Golf Clubhouse. The evening was once again filled with wonderful memories and pride to be Patriots! Pictured here (left to right) are the 2019 inductees: Lyle Garrison '05, Brittany (Horvath) Stiegemeier '04, Becky (Belcher) Mueller '00, Joe McGarvey '89, Juliet Nail '88, Tom Sableski, and Justin Mosher '03. To see more photos, go to https://carrollhighschool.smugmug.com/2019-2020/Alumni-Events/2019-Athletic-Hall-of-Fame-Ceremony/n-2PBkZp/.



On Sunday, October 27, 2019, a Memorial Mass in memory of deceased alumni and faculty was held in Carroll High School's St. John the Evangelist Chapel. Classmates, family members and loved ones of those who passed away carried candles during the entrance procession. In addition, a special program listing the deceased names was distributed. Pictured here are former faculty, alumni and friends carrying candles. To see more photos, go to <u>https://carrollhighschool.</u> smugmug.com/2019-2020/Alumni-Events/2019-Alumni-Memorial-Mass/n-N4sxND.



The Class of 2004 celebrated their 15-year reunion during Thanksgiving weekend on Friday, November 29, 2019, where attendees first toured Carroll High School and then gathered at Beavercreek Fox & Hound. Many classmates and their significant others were able to get together for the first time in years to catch up and share stories from the good old days. There is a plan in the works to have another get together over the coming summer so more people can connect. Class of 2004 remembers and prays for our beloved classmates Eric Bilinski and Sarah McDaniel who were lost too soon. Pictured here are reunion attendees.



The Carrolleer Association held their annual Christmas Dinner and Concert on December 5, 2019. Guests enjoyed a delicious spaghetti dinner and homemade desserts. After dinner, Carroll High School's Symphonic Band and the Youth Band Program entertained the crowd. Pictured here are Charlie and Jack Williams.

UPCOMING EVENTS What's Going On...

Go to **www.carrollhs.org** to register or to gather more information.

Carroll St. Pat's Fest | March 13-14, 2020

Irish Fun for Everyone! This 2-day event includes the Friday Irish Fish Fry, a 35-year tradition for ages 21 and up, plus Saturday's 'fun for all' St. Patrick's Day festival. Live entertainment from bands, Jameson's Folly, Wildcat Road, Miami Valley Pipes & Drums, '5' and Dulahan, as well as all six Dayton Irish Dancing schools performing throughout the weekend. On Saturday, don't miss the delicious Irish beef stew and corned beef, carnival & giant games, as well as Leprechaun Kiddie Land from noon until 6 p.m., Mass in Carroll's St. John the Evangelist Chapel at 4:30 p.m., gambling in the auxiliary gym from 6-11 pm, and Trivia with a Twist from 7-9 p.m.! Large crowds will be welcomed both days with expanded seating in a heated tent and additional parking/bus shuttles. For more info on times, sponsorships, class competitions, Irish food and spirits *(including Guiness Irish Stout and more flavors of White Claw)*, special Shamrock Seating reservations, or pre-sale tickets, go to www.carrollhs.org/stpatsfest.

Spring Musical: Bye Bye Birdie | March 20-22, 2020

Be sure to attend the Carroll Freedom Players' latest fabulous performance, an American musical about fictional pop sensation Conrad Birdie and his final performance before being drafted to the army. He promises a song and a kiss to a typical American teenager on the Ed Sullivan Show.

14th Annual Family Easter Egg Hunt | Saturday, April 11, 2020

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.

Purse Bingo | Saturday, April 18, 2020

Like designer purses? Like to play BINGO? The Carroll Music Department is holding its DESIGNER PURSE BINGO in the Carroll cafeteria. Doors open at 11 a.m. Bingo starts at noon. Tickets are \$30 in advance and include a box lunch.

Patriot 5K and Little Pats' Lap | July 25, 2020

Hosted by the Women's Soccer team, the Patriot 5K is typically held on the last Saturday in July to set the stage for the beginning of the season. This tradition continues in 2020 with the 11th Annual Patriot 5K at 9:00 a.m. Due to the success of this past year, the 2020 Patriot 5K will once again include a 65 and up division, and there will again be cash prizes for all our division winners. If you would like more information on the event, please contact Coach Sarah (Rogers) Flach '99 at sarah3flach@gmail.com.

Alumni Weekend: Oct. 16-18, 2020

- → Alumni Night: Friday, October 16 Carroll High School
- → Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame: Saturday, October 17 - Hilton Garden Inn
 Congratulations to the 2020 Inductees: Honorary
 Patriot Tom Hoefler, Amy (Menke) Loges '65, Christine
 Rafalko '72, Dr. Stephen Blatt '77, Dr. Elizabeth "Betsy"
 Skowron '84, Col. Urban Gillespie '86, and Michael Sticka '00.
 - → Memorial Mass: Sunday, October 18 Carroll High School's St. John the Evangelist Chapel (12:30 pm)

SAVE THESE ADDITIONAL DATES

- → Carroll Science Day Sunday, February 16, 2020
- → Senior Art Showcase
 March 20-22, 2020
- → Carroll Athletic Club Mulch Sale Saturday, April 25, 2020
- → Class of 2020 Graduation Friday, May 22, 2020
- → Athletic Club Unsung Hero Golf Classic Monday, June 8, 2020
- → Athletic Club Garlic Fest & Garrison Bowl Saturday, June 20, 2020
- → 43rd Annual Cross Country Alumni Run Saturday, August 8, 2020
- → Carroll Athletic Club Bocce Blitz Saturday, August 15, 2020
- → 23rd Annual Alumni Golf Outing Friday, September 4, 2020

UPCOMING REUNIONS - Time to Reconnect!



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.

Classes of 1965-1966 | 55-Year Reunion

To be determined...

Attention Leaders of the Pats: the official joint 55-year reunion for the Classes of 1965 & 1966 will be celebrated during Alumni Weekend in the fall of 2021. Celebrations will begin early in 2020, for as you know, Leaders of the Pats celebrate year-round! Especially plan to join your classes in honoring Amy (Menke) Loges '65 who will be inducted into the Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame during Alumni Weekend, October 16-18, 2020. Mark your calendars now!

Class of 1968 | 70th Birthday Party

Saturday, October 24, 2020

Carillon Brewing Company Hey '68 Patriots! Mark your calendars NOW! Happy Birthday to US! For more details, contact Diane (Ferguson) Morris at morrisimom@gmail.com.

Class of 1970 | 50-Year Reunion

August 1, 2020

Hilton Garden Inn (3520 Pentagon Park Blvd, Beavercreek) Contact Kathy (Kuntz) Heeb at <u>kathryneheeb@gmail.com</u> if you'd like to help. We have arranged for a block of rooms at the Hilton Garden Inn under the name of '1970 CHS 50th Reunion' at the rate of \$129 + tax per night. More information is available on our class Facebook page and at <u>www.carrollhs.org/alumni/reunions.cfm</u>. Be sure to share your most current contact information so we can keep you

your most current contact information so we can keep you up-to-date!

Class of 1975 | 45-Year Reunion

October 16-18, 2020

If you'd like to help, please contact: Helen (Cantrell) Wyskiver at wyskive@aol.com or Nan Christensen at nmc627@roadrunner.com.

Class of 1980 | 40-Year Reunion

October 10, 2020

10+10+20=40! Specific plans still being determined. Questions or to help on the committee, contact Patty (Hattan) Buhrman at pbuhrman_62@msn.com.

Class of 1985 | 35-Year Reunion

October 16-18, 2020 ALUMNI WEEKEND

Classmates who haven't seen the new athletic field yet: be sure to attend the game and social at Carroll on Friday night. Specific details for the Saturday gathering are still being determined. Contact Jeff or Steve Nagel at jsntwins@aol.com with questions or to help with the plans. The next reunion planning meeting will be posted on the 1985 Class Facebook Page. Thanks to those who have already volunteered. It should be a great weekend for everyone that attends!

Class of 1990 | 30-Year Reunion

2020 event details to be determined... If you'd like to help with the plans, please contact Kelly (O'Brien) Maxwell at kellymaxwell@woh.rr.com.

Class of 1995 | 25-Year Reunion

August 7-8, 2020

So far, reunion committee members include Maria (Holmes) Surovy, Stephanie (Smith) Oehler, Julia (LeMaster) Bey, and Heather Crago-Weston. More help is needed! Please contact msurovy@icloud.com if you're able to help with the plans.

Class of 2000 | 20-Year Reunion

2020 event details to be determined... If you'd like to help with the plans, please contact Brian Charek at <u>brian.charek@gmail.com</u>.

Class of 2005 | 15-Year Reunion

2020 event details to be determined... If you'd like to help with the plans, please contact Michael Franz at <u>mfranz@carrollhs.org</u>.

Class of 2010 | 10-Year Reunion

2020 event details to be determined... If you'd like to help with the plans, please contact jweitz@carrollhs.org.

Class of 2015 | 5-Year Reunion

2020 event details to be determined... If you'd like to help with the plans, please contact Nathan Price at price.228@wright.edu.

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CLASS NOTES

1965 John Jacobson was a nutrition coordinator for Dekalb County Schools in Georgia. He is now retired and continues to volunteer at the Atlanta Veterans Affairs (VA) Hospital.



Tom Clark '65 with his new grandchild

Tom Clark and his 1965 Cindy, welcomed wife. their first grandchild, Quentin Thomas Clark, on September 16. Quentin and his mom and dad, Stephanie and Will Clark, live in Westerville, Ohio. All are doing very well. Tom retired from teaching last spring, fifty years after starting his teaching career at Carroll in 1969. Cindy retired this past

February from her career as a registered nurse.

1966 Ellen Welsh continues her work in education and counseling in Houston, Texas. She volunteers as a pastoral counselor with The Catholic Chaplains Corporation.

1967 Dr. Richard Campbell was the featured keynote speaker at Miami University's December commencement ceremony. Campbell, Professor Emeritus of Media, Journalism and Film, also received the 2019 Benjamin Harrison Medallion - one of Miami's most significant recognitions. For more information, go to https://miamioh.edu/news/top-stories/2019/12/ fall-commencement.html.



Dr. Richard Campbell '67, shown here with his students, received Miami's highest honor, the Benjamin Harrison Medallion.

1972 Scott Graham and Mary (Dempsey) Graham met late in their senior year at Carroll, married in 1976, and are still happily married today. They celebrate life these days with three wonderful children and eight beautiful grandchildren, all living near Dayton.



Scott and Mary (Dempsey) Graham: 1972 Carroll High School Graduation

1972 Kevin Hixson retired in July as an International A330 Captain after thirty years of flying for Delta Air Lines.

1973 Monica (Rieker) DeBrosse's family has a band called Branches that writes and performs Catholic music. Branches is primarily a family band consisting of Monica's husband David, their daughter Rita Davis and her husband John Davis, and their daughters Hannah and Rachel Davis. Assisting on bass and drums respectively are Harrison McGoogan and Graham McGoogan. They write all their songs to give praise and honor to God. Their motto is: 'Reaching up to God, reaching out to others, rooted in Christ.' Information on their CD, The Invitation, can be previewed at https://store.cdbaby.com/cd/johndavis13.

1977 Maribeth Fisher celebrated her 35-year anniversary in September as Assistant Vice President at Seven Hills Foundation located in Worcester, Massachusetts.

1981 Steve Bognar and Julia Reichert's film, "American Factory," won an Oscar on February 9th at the 92nd Annual Academy Awards at Dolby Theatre in Hollywood, California! Their Academy Award was in



Steve Bognar '81 with Julia Reichert, Lindsay Utz, Jeff Reichert, and Julie Parker Benello (Photo by Kevin Winter/Getty Images)

the documentary feature category, after winning The Independent Filmmaker Project's prestigious Gotham Award in December. "American Factory" is set inside Fuyao Glass America in Moraine where a Chinese billionaire opens a new factory in the husk of an abandoned General Motors plant, hiring two thousand blue-collar Americans. Reichert and Bognar also received an Academy Award nomination in the "Best Documentary (short subject)" category for their 2009 HBO film "The Last Truck" about the closing of that very same GM plant in Moraine. Bognar was inducted into Carroll High School's Inaugural Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame in 2008. For more information, go to https://www.carrollhs.org/alumni/alumni-news. cfm#detailid_344689.



Mark Kramer '92

1992 Mark Kramer was promoted to Senior Lecturer at the University of Pittsburgh this year. He has taught creative nonfiction and service learning classes since 2006, with a focus on social justice issues and political writing. Through Pitt, he has taught a 6-week intensive service learning course in Bolivia and he's

particularly proud of receiving the 2019 Distinguished Public Service Award from the Chancellor (one of only three faculty to receive the award) in recognition of the various ways in which he has leveraged his teaching and writing in the community. He also published the book, "Dispossessed: Life in Our World's Urban Slums" after he conducted research in Manila, Bangkok, Mexico City, Tegucigalpa, Nairobi, and Cairo. For more information, go to www.mnkramer.com.



Marc McNulty '94: The Uhl Agency Partner

1994 Marc McNulty was recently promoted to partner of The Uhl Agency. Marc also serves as vice president of Carroll High School's Alumni Association. Married and the proud papa of two children, Marc enjoys reading and writing fiction; following the NFL and Italian soccer; playing golf; listening to

his extensive classical music collection; and evenings out with friends and family. He takes his insurance continuing education seriously, having earned the Certified Insurance Counselor designation in 2008 and the Certified Risk Manager designation in 2016. Marc also writes a bi-monthly column in the national insurance publication 'Rough Notes' and is a monthly guest blogger for the Central Insurance Companies. For more info about his promotion, go to https://www. daytondailynews.com/business/local-insuranceagency-adds-two-new-partners-amid-strong-growth/ oG8jCqRR4WBz8eXTonPhdO/.

1995 Tony Stieritz and his wife, Jessica, have three active boys: Luke (11), Jonah (8) and Sebastian (5). They are expecting a girl in the fall of 2019! Tony is currently the Chief Operating Officer at Catholic Charities Southwestern Ohio. He and his family live in Cincinnati.



Michael Sticka '00: President of The GRAMMY Museum®

Michael Sticka 2000 was recently promoted to president of The GRAMMY Museum[®], with a contract that extends through 2022. President. Michael As will continue to lead the Museum's growth and sustainability strategy as an independent nonprofit arts organization and oversee all aspects of Museum operations, including

curatorial, development, marketing, grants and awards, public and education programs, and more. For the full press release, go to https://www.businesswire. com/news/home/20190730005358/en/.

2003 Dr. Patrick Johnson, Assistant Teaching Professor in Physics at Georgetown University, is featured on the video entitled, "How Close Are We to Creating a Lightsaber?" So far, Johnson's video has exceeded 1 million hits on Seeker. To see how close we really are, check out the video at: https://youtu.be/dK2ym66or6E.



2004 John Ross III married Brooke Ross on June 17, 2018. They have an 18 month daughter.

2005 Jackie (Ross) Hanten married Nick Hanten February 23, 2019. They welcomed twins in January 2020. She now lives in South Dakota and is a preschool teacher. **2007 James Ross** married Ashleigh Guinn on May 4, 2019.

2011 Abby (Wiles) Merkle and **Aaron Merkle '12** welcomed a healthy baby girl into the world on October 27, 2019, weighing in at 7lbs 12oz. They named her Eloise Margaret and are enjoying all the adventures of being new parents!



2011 Joanna Ross is employed at Goddard School in Beavercreek.



2017 Maeve Curliss, a physics major at Notre Dame, spent last summer on campus under the direction of Assistant Professor Jeffrey Chilcote. Maeve studied how and why the point spread function of a particular star changed over the course of the night, information she hopes will help find

Maeve Curliss '17

exoplanets around other stars. For more info, go to https://science.nd.edu/news/on-campus-summer-research-beneficial-for-undergraduate-student-experience-students-say/.

2017 Danielle Spanbauer is a member of a Wright State University research team working with Thomas Brown, vice chair for research in WSU Department of Neuroscience, Cell Biology and Physiology. The team has been internationally recognized for making a significant scientific breakthrough in the field of pregnancy and preeclampsia and for being one of a few labs in the world able to achieve placental-specific gene transfer without negatively affecting the mother and baby. For more info, go to https://webapp2.wright.edu/web1/newsroom/2019/08/26/baby-steps/.



Danielle Spanbauer '17 at WSU pictured on the far right

2017 Will Taylor, junior at Ashland University, excellently portrayed the protagonist Dr. Thomas Stockmann in Ashland's October production of An Enemy of the People. Will is majoring in journalism and digital media at Ashland University with a minor in theatre. On campus, he is involved with AUTV 20 and Phi Kappa Psi. **Sarah Graham '19** was also a member of the cast.



Will Taylor '17: Lead Actor in "An Enemy of the People"

To update your own class note information, go to www.carrollhs.org/alumni/classnotes.cfm, or email your information to jweitz@carrollhs.org.

IN MEMORIAM

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

ALUMNI & FACULTY MEMBERS

Daniel J. Sullivan, Class of 1965, age 72 of Sherrills Ford, North Carolina, passed away September 11, 2019, after a brief battle with cancer. He retired from General Motors after 38 years of service. Danny is survived by his wife of 50 years, Carol; son, Timothy (Tonya); daughter, Carmen Venable (Matthew); 4 grandchildren; and brother, John.

Virginia A. "Ginny" (Koester) Zahora, Class of 1974, age 63 of Centerville, passed away October 31, 2019, at Miami Valley Hospital surrounded by friends and family. She is preceded in death by her mother, Catherine. She is survived by her father, Raymond; son, Kevin (Stephanie); daughters, Kristy Worden (Michael) and Amy; siblings, David '71 (Mary Jane), Anthony '78 (Ollie), Angela Plumlee '82 (Joe); 4 grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews. Ginny was a member of St. Albert the Great where she worked as secretary for many years. She always had a way of making people laugh.

Mary Louise Baer, Class of 1980, age 57, passed away suddenly at her home in Mentor, Ohio, on January 19, 2020. She is survived by her siblings, Karen Weller '66 (Lester), John, James (Carol), Kenneth, David '68 (Mary), Thomas '71, Robert '74 (Patricia), and Christopher. She is preceded in death by her parents and siblings, Marilyn Culberson '69, Daniel '73, Sharon Turner '66, and Philip. Mary attended University of Dayton studying business and received a Bachelor of Science degree from Cleveland State University. She held several administrative assistant positions and retired in November 2019 after working 20 years at Cleveland State University as Manager of Retirement Benefits. Mary was a very active member of her church volunteering, working in the nursery and running many events.

Saundra C. (Shattuck) Williamson, Class of 1982, passed away November 23, 2018, after a courageous 15 year battle with cancer. She was preceded in death by her parents, Judson and June; and brother, Judson '78. She is survived by her husband, Alan; daughter, Kayla; son, Justin; and brother, George '79. Saundra graduated as a dental hygienist and loved creating memories with her family during the holidays, cooking and decorating, traveling to Chicago, Florida, Hawaii, and her beloved Walt Disney World.

Michelle M. (D'Amico) Goodman, Class of 1983, age 54 of Riverside, passed away unexpectedly after a lengthy battle with HLH on February 1, 2020. She is survived by her husband, Tony; daughters, Nicole (Herbert) Treber '04 and Kristina Herbert '11; stepson, Tyler; grandson, Jaykob Yates '23; parents; brothers, Steve (Pam) and Michael (Amy); and her beloved husky, Luna. Michelle enjoyed cooking, gardening, playing Rock Band with her cousins and close friends, crafting and the outdoors. She started at Mad River Schools in the cafeteria and retired from Oakwood Schools, where she was the kitchen manager at Edwin Smith Elementary. Michelle enjoyed life, spending time with her family, whom she loved dearly and will be greatly missed by all.

Ronald D. Roth, Class of 1988, age 49 of Cincinnati, passed away January 4, 2020. Ron received an associate degree in medical coding from Cincinnati State. He was employed as a medical coder and supervisor with the University of Cincinnati Medical Center. He is survived by his parents, Ron and Wendy; brother, Brian; and many close relatives and friends. Ron will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him. **Nicholas L. Shackleford, Class of 1990,** died November 15, 2019, in Enid, Oklahoma after a battle with melanoma cancer. He is survived by his beloved wife, Lori; 2 sons, Spencer and Luke; mother, Kathy Stanaford (Bob); father, Larry (Carol); brother, Scott '93 (Chi); and sister, Holly St. Pierre (Jason). Nick served in the United States Air Force for four years. He graduated from Honolulu Police Academy and joined the Honolulu Police Department. He later joined the Enid Police Department, earning the rank of detective in 2016 and working in the Internet Crimes Against Children Division.

Robert L. "Bobby" Caspar III, Class of 1995, age 42 of Beavercreek, passed away unexpectedly at his residence on September 28, 2019. He was preceded in death by his mother, Linda. He is survived by his father, Robert; sister, Annie Hurr (Tony); nephew, Harlon; niece, Lennon; and special friend, Danielle. Bobby graduated from Wright State University with his BSN and was most recently employed as a Unit Manager at The Koester Pavilion. He had a kind heart and gentle soul.

Jeff McGrath, Class of 1995, age 42 of Beavercreek, passed away unexpectedly on January 19, 2020, at the Soin Medical Center. In addition to his parents, Michael and Janet, he is survived by his beloved wife of 17 years, Cecilia (Trimboli) McGrath '95; children, Sean and Sophia; siblings, Scott '97 (Natalie), Julie Baltzer '99 (Ian), and Emily Miller '01 (Curvin); mother-in-law, Denise Trimboli; and sister-in-law and brothers-in-law. Jeff was a graduate of Miami University in 2000 and was actively involved with the City of Beavercreek serving as the Director of Planning and Development. He was a loving and devoted husband, father, son, brother, uncle, and mentor to the many youths he influenced with his dedicated involvement with The Beavercreek Stars athletic program. Jeff's love of life and family and his dedication to the community he served will long be remembered in the hearts of all those he touched.

Andrew L. "Drew" Duckro, Class of 2008, age 30 of Beavercreek, passed away December 1, 2019. He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Lawrence Cochran. He is survived by his father, Joe; mother, Tammy Sagraves; brothers, Jon '10 and Anthony '13 (Kate); sister, Brittani Sagraves; and grandparents, William and Carol Duckro and Mary Jo Cochran. Andrew received a Bachelor's Degree from Wright State University in Physical Therapy. He enjoyed playing sports, never missed watching an Ohio State football game, held the highest black belt degree in both Jujitsu and Karate, and played rec league softball at Rotary Park.

Anthony K. Ravelli, Class of 2008, age 30, passed away January 11, 2020. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, John and Shirley Hannan and Ray and Virginia Ravelli. He is survived by his parents, George and Andrea; and siblings, Hannah Stewart '09 (Zach), Emilee Thomas '13 (Nick), and Georgie '13 (Brook Horner). Anthony faced multiple challenges throughout his life but never let those challenges deter him or fade his positive spirit. He was a selfless, one-of-a-kind person that did small acts of kindness on a daily basis. Anthony loved running track, watching and collecting all genres of movies, doting over his dogs, and playing pranks on his sisters. He was a proud ambassador for Dayton Children's Hospital.

Reverend David E. Brinkmoeller, Carroll High School Board Member and Former Pastor of Ascension, St. Helen and Immaculate Conception Parishes, age 74, passed away September 27, 2019. He was preceded in death by his father, Joseph; mother, Catherine; and brother, James. He is survived by his sister-in-law, Judith; nephew, Mark (Sara); and nieces, Beth Nottage (Bruce), Katy Lonneman (Rich) and Amy. Fr. Dave was a loving priest and friend to so many in the Carroll community. He preached from his heart and soul about love and was such a kind reverent example of faith. Fr. Dave will truly be missed and kept in our hearts forever.

Daryl D. Jones, Carroll High School Soccer Coach from1996 to 2019, departed this life August 14, 2019. He is survived by his mother; sister, Tanya Grant; brother, David; niece, Jillian; nephew, David; and devoted girlfriend, Helen Neu. A graduate of University of Cincinnati (B.S.) and University of Dayton (M.S.Ed.), and a retiree of Dayton Public Schools, Daryl dedicated his talents as a soccer coach and mentor to youth across the Miami Valley. He was such a thoughtful coach and will always be remembered for his thank you cards to parents and birthday greetings sent to team members.

Father Raymond Kammerer, Carroll High School Religion and History Teacher from 1964 until 1971, passed away January 4, 2020, at his residence in Waynesville at the age of 80. Fr. Kammerer earned graduate degrees from both the Athenaeum of Ohio (Mount Saint Mary's of the West) and Xavier University in Cincinnati. He was ordained a priest in the Archdiocese of Cincinnati by Archbishop Karl J. Alter in May 1964. After leaving Carroll, he served as pastor and a college professor at College of Mount St. Joseph, Erlanger College Seminary and Chatfield College. Fr. Kammerer will be remembered as a tireless educator, promoter of Catholic education, and huge collector of history and art that he used in the classroom. His church history class will long be remembered by Carroll graduates for his eccentric live reenactments of the early Christian crusades, complete with real swords, knives, and bows and arrows!

Dr. Phyllis M. Kittel (aka Sr. Mary Harold, C.PP.S.), Carroll High School Math Teacher from 1963 until 1966, died December 4, 2019, in Colorado Springs at the age of 81. Phyllis left the convent to further her studies and obtained her doctorate in mathematics from the Illinois Institute of Technology. She devoted herself to educating others and had a fulfilling 30-year career at Illinois Benedictine College where she taught math, was the dean of faculty and eventually became vice president of academic affairs. She was preceded in death by her husband, John C. Light, Ph.D., in 2016.



PARENTS & FAMILY MEMBERS OF STUDENTS & ALUMNI

Kelly L. Collins: 8/30/2019

Father of Nicole '13, Lindsey '16, Kaylie '18, Chase '24

Jennifer L. (Scott) Cross: 11/2/2019

Sister of Robert '95 and Samantha '10

John D. Eckhart: 11/21/2019

Father of Mary Stephens '80 (Chris), Steve '82 (Stacy), Jacey Skillman '83 (Brad), Dan '85 (Karen Stermer '85), Nick '88 (Michelle); Grandfather of Alex, Jordan, Ruth, Kelsey (Dan), Samuel (Rachael), Peter, Maddie '16, Katy '18, Jackie '20, Josie '22, Zoe, Calista

Kenneth W. Haller: 8/8/2019

Father of Stephen '68 (Doretta), Clarann Tinney '71 (Warren), Margaret '72 (Mike Reagon), Susie Hayden '74 (John), Kent (Mary)

Ernestine "Tina" Hammermeister: 12/12/2019

Mother of Karl '68 (Pat), George '71 (Sara), Tim '76 (Carla)

Rita E. Heider: 12/11/2019

Mother of Angela Morris '73 (Steve), Mary '74, John '75 (Susie), Chris '77, Joseph '78 (Mary Frances), Joan Rauch '79 (Chris '79); Grandmother of 17 grandchildren including Zachary '06 (Kristin Schwieterman '06), Benjamin '08, Caroline '11, Joshua Rauch '04 (Vicky Goad '04), Joel Rauch '06, Maria Rauch '07, Noah Rauch '09

Thomas L. Hickey: 11/1/2019

Brother of Cathryn Knipfer (Thomas), Patricia Batdorf, Mary Runk (Paul), Susan Peterman '75 (Robert '75), Bob, Tim (Barbara), Chris '76 (Janine), James '78 (Patrice), John '79, Theresa Penney '81 (Todd)

Alice M. Jackse: 5/24/2019

Mother of John '76 and Thomas '83

George R. Johnson: 1/7/2020

Father of Lori, Tim '80, Terry '87 (Diane), Angela Boerger '95 (Nick); grandfather of Erin '17 and Ian '20

Emmett F. Joseph: 8/19/2019

Father of Matt '90 (Irena), Brad '92 (Tisia), Russ '95 (Katie)

Corina R. "Jean" McDaniel: 10/27/2019

Mother of Diana Byrd (Jeffery) and Paula Lamb '88; Grandmother of Harmony (Byrd) Thoma '94 (Marc), Chris Byrd '97, Caleb Lamb

Velma E. Miller: 9/24/2019

Mother of Connie Swary '68, Debra Madden '70, Douglas '71, Gary '72, Frederick '74 (Diane Falter '74), Jeff '78, Chris '79, Edward '81, Theresa Coy '83; Grandmother of 25 grandchildren including Kristen '02 and Kyle '04

Jamie G. Morgan: 9/11/2019

Father of Shelbie '23

Joseph Nemeth: 9/13/2019 *Father of Julia '20*

Carole S. Sauerland: 1/7/2020

Mother of Julie Finley '84 (Michael), Wendy Kordik '89 (Mike), John Jr. (Stacy)

Geraldine L. "Jerry" West: 8/17/2019

Mother of Christine Decker '70 (John), Patrick '72 (Kathy), John '75 (Joy), David '79 (Donelle), Jim '83 (Erren)

If you become aware of any Carroll community members who pass away, please contact (937) 253-3338 or email jweitz@carrollhs.org.

We apologize for any errors or omissions.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN 2020

Carroll Science Day | Sunday, February 16 St. Pat's Fest | March 13-14 Spring Musical - Bye Bye Birdie | March 20-22 Senior Art Showcase | March 20-22 14th Annual Easter Egg Hunt | Saturday, April 11 Purse Bingo | Saturday, April 18 Carroll Athletic Club Mulch Sale | Saturday, April, 25 Class of 2020 Graduation | Friday, May 22 Carroll Athletic Club Unsung Hero Golf Classic | Monday, June 8 Carroll Athletic Club Garlic Fest and Garrison Bowl | Saturday, June 20 Patriot 5k and Little Pats' Lap | Saturday, July 25 43rd Annual Cross Country Alumni Run | Saturday, August 8 Carroll Athletic Club Bocce Blitz | Saturday, August 15 23rd Annual Alumni Golf Outing | Friday, September 4 Beavercreek Golf Club Alumni Weekend | October 16-18

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