

ORLAND ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

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Alumnus of the Year Chris Overton – Class of 1982

CHRISTOPHER GEORGE OVERTON attended the University of California at Berkeley on a Naval Officer Training Corps scholarship, earning a BA in Naval Reactor Science and a science degree in Mechanical Engineering. He was then commissioned as an Ensign in the US Navy, assigned as an engineer to Headquarters Nuclear Propulsion Plant in Washington DC. This Plant is the government agency responsible for the development, construction, maintenance, operation and ultimate disposal of the nuclear propulsion plans and the Navy's nuclear-powered submarines and aircraft carriers.

In 2006 Chris retired from active duty as a Commander. Personal awards include Meritorious Service Medal and Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medals, the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal and various campaign and service awards. Since retirement he has continued with Naval Reactors as a civil servant at the Nuclear Reactor in Washington Naval Yard in DC, assigned to Reactor Safety Analysis Division where he is lead for Fleet Reactor Safety, nuclear ship porting, and analyses supporting radiological emergency planning.

Chris completed the Bettis Reactor Engineering School in Pittsburgh PA and was certified as a Professional Engineer in the Commonwealth of

Virginia. He qualified as a Naval Reactor Technician Assistant and completed a Masters of Engineering degree in Mechanical Engineering through the Naval Postgraduate School.

Chris, son of GEORGE, 51 and JOANNE LEVET OVERTON, 52, lives in Herndon VA with his wife Diane and daughters Megan, Sarah and Hannah.

ORLAND ALUMNI ASSOCIATION ANNUAL DINNER MEETING February 23, 2013 Glenn County Fairgrounds

President Larry Donnelley welcomed approximately 160 people to the Orland Alumni Association Annual Dinner. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Gene Russell, followed by a prayer by President Donnelley.

Larry recognized the past presidents of the Orland Alumni Association. In attendance were Irma Overton, Donna Tanner, Larry Donnelley, Dorothy Westaby, Kathy Skala and Ralph Hilzer. He also recognized past Alumni of the Year that were in attendance – Dr. John Schmidt, Janet Ellis, Gene Russell and Bill and Shirley Ceccon. There was a moment of silence for Betty Bills and Ray Lyon, two former Alumni of the Year who recently died.

Annual Dinner Chairperson Debbie Olney arranged for alumni Kristine Monck and Ann Barley to cater the buffet dinner. Dinner included Tri-tip Steak, Red Potatoes, Salad, Vegetables and Rolls. Wonderful desserts were served by the Orland High FFA students. Wine was available, as well as coffee and ice water. FFA members also served the ice water and coffee and cleared the tables following dinner.

Business Meeting: Nominating Committee representative Debbie Olney presented the nominated OAA officers for 2013-14. The

2013. After graduating from Chico State Joanne moved to New Hampshire where she was a resource teacher for special education students for 17 years. Her husband, a native of Vermont liked California so much from their visits with family they decided to move to Orland in 1985. After a couple years of substitute teaching, she spent the next 25 years working for the Glenn County Office of Education, teaching the junior high opportunity classes at CK Price, independent study students and home study students of William Finch School.



After ten years leading the creation of Glenn County's exhibit for the CA state fair, TERRIE SALVAGNO BARR,77, of Salvagno's Event Designers and Flowers earned Best of Show, Best Marketing Presentation and a Gold award for a bee-themed display. The county has received gold and silver awards in the past but this is the first time to win Best of Show. The exhibit "Glenn – Land of Milk and Honey" featured a giant walk-through beehive depicting the life of the honeybee and its importance in pollinating crops. The dairy industry was also represented with a display of products and a statue of a cow in a field of sunflowers. Terrie uses a team that includes family members and is constructed initially in an Orland warehouse before installation at Cal Expo.



Published by Coffeetown Press in Seattle, *Badges, Bears, and Eagles* chronicles STEVE CALLAN's 66, thirty-year career investigating wildlife outlaws from one end of California to the other. It has received outstanding reviews in *Publishers Weekly* magazine, *International Game Warden* magazine and the *Chico Enterprise Record* newspaper. The book has also received extensive media coverage, with articles in Redding's *Record Searchlight*, *The San Francisco Chronicle*, *East Valley Times*, *enjoy* magazine, *Outdoor California* and *anewscafe.com*.

Badges, Bears, and Eagles is available online (Amazon and Barnes and Noble). It is available in the Orland/Chico area at Lyon Books and Barnes and Noble.



GARY CAMPBELL,91, Orland, was selected Businessman of the Year by the Orland Chamber of Commerce, something he knew ahead of time. What he didn't know when he arrived at the Chamber's quarterly mixer in October was that Assemblyman Dan Logue had singled him out for a state resolution recognizing Gary for his long-standing support of Orland and the community, his steadfast commitment to customer service and his high business ethics. Gary began as a car washer for his father and grandfather at R & R Sales in 1987. He eventually took over as manager and expanded to two locations – Orland and Chico- and employs nearly 30 people. He is also on the Orland Volunteer Fire Department, has served on the Orland Economic Development Commission and Public Safety Commission. In the past year he has organized clean-up projects for the Swift Adobe site and Bihler Field on Earth Day.



PHIL PUTNAM,60, of Orland participated in the Peking to Paris race in a 1932 sedan through 22 countries. In November 2013 he displayed the car at the Soda Shop on Fourth Street for an Orland Volunteer Fire Department fundraiser.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Dam's 50th year is Celebrated

Dignitaries and members of the public gathered at the Eagle Pass Recreation Area for the 50th Anniversary of Black Butte Dam in July. Speakers told of events that have occurred over the years involving the dam, ranging from the flooding in Orland that used to occur before the dam was built, to the two times in the '80's when waters were released over the spillway.



City Pool is Going Thru Renovations

But first – an item from the May 22, 1939 edition of the *Orland Unit* newspaper: Seventeen boys, all swimmers and all ambitious boatmen, have entered for a tub race, to be held in connection with the dedication of the new municipal swimming pool next Saturday. The tub race will be held following the more serious part of the program, and preceding the bathing beauty pageant. The boys will start

nominated officers included President Larry Donnelley, 1st Vice President Linda Schroer, 2nd Vice President Debbie Olney, Secretary Kathy Congdon and Treasurer Sylvia Lopez. Larry asked if there were any nominations from the membership. Motion made by Gene Russell to close the nominations and to accept the slate of officers as presented. The motion was seconded by Pat Martin. Motion carried.

Larry called attention to the 2012 Treasurer's Report and thanked Treasurer Sylvia Lopez for doing a great job. He also thanked Pat & Lynton Smith for auditing the report this year.

Larry thanked the kitchen crew, Orland FFA, and Salvagno's for their help with the decorations around the room. He encouraged everyone to attend the Golden Grads Luncheon that will be held on Saturday, May 4th. OAA is always looking for volunteers to help with some of the activities. The association will now have a new p.o. box – P.O. Box 1. Larry thanked the members who continue to send in scholarship & general expense donations in memory of a classmate or loved-one. A member in the audience stood and thanked Janet Wackerman for continuing to do a great job with the OAA Newsletter.

Larry introduced Dennis Hoffman, Vice Mayor of the City of Orland. Dennis proclaimed February 23, 2013 "Christopher George Overton Day" and handed Chris the keys to the City of Orland.

Joe Gerber Undergraduate Scholarships

Presentation: Prior to presenting the scholarship, Larry shared a brief background about the Joe Gerber Undergraduate Scholarships. Tonight a total of 9 scholarships were given with three students unable to attend the dinner (Emily Moloney, Franklin Howard and Stephen Batchelder). Receiving the scholarships were new recipients Rebecca Pendergrass and Katie Pendergrass and renewal recipients Matthew Brown, Taylor Goings, Maigen Matteucci, and Steven Garman.

2012 Alumnus of the Year – Christopher George Overton, Class of 1982. Larry introduced Chris Overton's sister, Nancy Overton, who provided a biographical introduction of her brother. Chris then gave a powerpoint presentation beginning with his graduation from Orland High School, his years at Cal-Berkeley, and on to Washington D.C. and his

years as an engineer in the U.S. Navy assigned to Headquarters Nuclear Propulsion Plant, which is the government agency responsible for the development, construction, maintenance, operation and ultimate disposal of the nuclear propulsion plants and the Navy's nuclear-powered submarines and aircraft carriers.

Larry then presented Chris with the Alumni of the Year plaque. Larry thanked everyone for attending, and also thanked Chairperson Debbie Olney and the committee members for their hard work. Everyone was encouraged to stay and visit and to plan to attend again next year.

Respectfully submitted, Kathy Congdon, Secretary

<p>2012 Joe Gerber Scholarship Recipients STEVEN GARMAN (CSU Chico) REBECCA PENDERGRASS (CSU San Francisco) MATTHEW BROWN (Butte) EMILY MALONEY (CSU Humboldt) KATIE PENDERGRASS (CSU Chico) FRANKLIN HOWARD (Pacific University, OR) TAYLOR GOINGS (Butte) STEPHEN BATCHELDER (Wabash College) MAIGEN MATTEUCCI (Shasta)</p>

ALUMNI IN THE NEWS

MARVIN FORBES, 50, found it was time to retire from his delivery of meals to seniors from the Glenn County Senior Center in Orland. Since October 2003 he has been in charge of delivering 35 meals each Monday to homebound seniors. He also sells insurance full time, except for the half day on Mondays that he would devote to the senior center. Marvin worked on the family dairy and served in the military after high school. When he came home from the service he went to work for Wickland Oil and worked his way up to managing all the gas stations owned by the company. He began his career in insurance sales 41 years ago when Dale Buckner entered in to the same field buying out Erickson's Insurance.

Wonder what Marvin has found to fill up those half day Mondays now?



JOANNE OSBORN CHAPMAN, 64, was inducted into the Glenn County Educator's Hall of Fame in

from one end of the pool, and a prize of a free swimming ticket good for the entire season will be the reward of the boy first successfully piloting his craft to the opposite end of the pool. Rules of the Race: Each boy entering the race must be able to swim. All must wear clothes, not swimming suits. They must furnish their own tubs. They must be at the pool at 10:30 sharp. The guest party of expert swimmers and divers have been suggested as judges of the event, with Miss Helen Crlenkovich chairman of the judges. The boys who have entered for the event are as follows: WALLACE ALLEN,44, DAVID GROSS, 44, FRANK SPURLOCK,44, Duane Pearson, Darrell Fullbright, KENNETH ABSHIRE,44, KEITH BAUGHER,44, Marvin Trammel, Robert Frizzell, JOHN MORANVILLE, 43, Homer Daily, DONALD DUGAN, 43, JAMES TAPP,43, Leonard Edgecomb, Arnold Johnson and CHARLES JASPER,44. The only finisher and winner was Keith Baugher!

And so, back to present - The Orland City Council approved a \$415,000 remodeling project for the city pool. Plans call for the installation of a new deck-level gutter system that will capture and recirculate pool water so the temperature will be warmer, calmer and more efficiently maintained. More deck space, replacement of old ladders and lifeguard stands, adding an automated chemical control system, improved bleachers and an upgrade to the restrooms is also planned. The Orland Otters plan to use the pool for its practices and tournaments that would bring visitors to town.

Should there be a tub race when the project is complete?



New Stores are Opening

Orland has seen a few new stores open in the past year – Orland Pharmacy on Walker Street next to Andy’s Butcher Block; Schulps Pottery and Kathy’s Sew More on Fourth Street; North Valley Collision on Colusa Street, Whiskey’s in the former Dalton’s/Whistle Stop building; across the street, Willy’s Barbeque is open; Grocery Outlet, Dollar Tree and L & L Thrift have located in the Stony Creek Plaza and I5 Café has located in the Portuguese Plaza. Businesses to be open sometime in early 2014: Fourth Street Café in the former Purity Market building on Fourth Street and Dollar

General on Newville Road between Subway and CVS.



JOYCE OSBORN YANCY,80, financial planner with Golden Hills Financial Management in Orland was the Rotary Club President from 2012 – 2013 and SHIRLEY CUSHMAN SCHRUMPF,79, bank manager for Umpqua Bank, Orland branch, is treasurer.



Glenn County 4-H celebrated 100 years during October 2013. The club began in 1913 and its first club was formed in 1914. First projects were vegetable gardening and growing milo or grain sorghum. Today the clubs have expanded into areas beyond agriculture by doing archery, science and educational enrichment programs. The emphasis in Glenn County remains on livestock with pigs, sheep, cattle, rabbits, poultry, goats and horses. Also quilting and sewing, crafts, photography and cooking programs among others. There are 461 youth and more than 159 volunteers in the nine clubs in Glenn County.



Second annual multi-cultural event was held at Harmony House, located at the corner of Yolo and Railroad Avenue. Most of the food and displays centered around countries such as Portugal, Armenia, Mexico, Puerto Rico, Indonesia and other unique cultures such as the youth culture and tattoo culture were represented. The Glenn County Cultural Conference Committee planned the day as a way to bring people together to learn about other cultures.

And Other News

38th annual Old Fashioned Fourth of July celebration is held in Vinsonhaler Park this time with a parade organized by Orland Pride. The Citizens of the Year award was presented to Angus and Trish Saint Evens... The first Joe Quail Fastpitch Tournament was held in July... First Laws & Paws fundraiser, a music festival, was held to raise funds for the Orland Police Dept.’s K-9 program... Twelve organizations received a total \$27,953 from the Barceloux-Tibessart Foundation. Orland High Athletics received \$2,799 for a batting

cage. This was the ninth grant awards from a foundation founded by the late Leo and FERN TIBESSART BARCEOUX... The 15th Annual National Night Out featuring law enforcement and emergency personnel along with social service and health organizations was held in August... GENE RUSSELL,60, and wife Shirley conducted their 19th annual History Camp... *Orland Press Register* and the *Willows Journal* merged to a once a week publication now called the *Glenn County Transcript*... The Friends of the Orland Library held their 30th Annual Ice Cream Social and dedicated the new addition to the public library... 38th Annual Craft Fair put on by the Orland Historical & Cultural Society is held Thanksgiving weekend at the Glenn County Fairgrounds... 10th annual Avenue of Lights drive-thru Christmas holiday display is held at the Glenn County Fairgrounds December 18-22.

Golden Grads Luncheon

The Orland High School gym decorated with blue and white balloons and filled with smiling faces of almost 300 Golden Grads and their guests was a happy place to be on May 3, 2013! Following the flag salute and singing of our national anthem, a welcome was extended by Larry Donnelley,69, Orland Alumni Association president, who then introduced Sanford "Sandy" Beck, 55, as the MC for the afternoon.

Introductions by family members of the three attending OHS alumni from the 1930's – Lily Hinz Alberico,37, Lena Nicolai Woodmansee, 37 and Maye Farley Hatcher, 39, was followed by the introduction of individual classes from the 1940's, 1950's and 1960-1963 era.

An impressive and inspirational reading by Rev. William "Bill" Kees,61, preceded adjournment for a luncheon prepared and served by OHS alumni.

The afternoon session was opened by a group of the class of '58 "cheerleaders", Lana Stockton Trovao, Doris Johnson Yates, Judy Beck Serrano, Norman Bates and Ralph Hilzer leading the attendees in singing the school songs – "Here's to Orland High", the football fight song ("and when that football team all falls in line") and the "Big 15 cheer (OR-R-ORLA-ND-ND HI). Sandy Beck then led the gathering through a delightful and special afternoon

of recalling former Orland High faculty members, and memories of incidents while attending OHS.

Gene Russell, 60, Orland Alumni Association Historian, provided a table of OHS memorabilia and letters received from Golden Grads unable to attend.

An invitation was extended to all present to visit the new library and classroom addition on the high school campus completed during the past year.

A great day ended with the group singing the OHS Alma Mater and many stayed on to continue with visiting.

The next Golden Grads luncheon will be May 2, 2015, honoring the classes from 1930 to 1965.

Kathy Snyder Skala,66, was in charge of registration and Carolyn Mattucci Pendergrass,78, Diantha Carlson Candieas, 70, Lucille Benson Stockton, 63,and Glory Caviglia Mathews, 65 also helped her. Glenys Heuchert Anderson,64, greeted alumni and their guests with help from classmates Spike Schonauer, Shirley Daniels Walker, Brigetta Windberg McGarr, Joanne Osborn Chapman, Dianna Sanders McKeehan, Melinda Fariss Karkoski, JoAnn Kavanaugh Kidd, Barbara Miller Marcos, Karen Ponci Hicks and Jeanette Simmons Lacque, 65. Hostesses were from the class of '67 - Kathy Moranville Lyon, Linda Tanner Curtis, and Doreen Lourenco Mendes; Class of '69- Bonnie Gilmore Lapp; Class of 72 - Betty Skala and Debbie Long Newman, and Sylvia Raygoza Lopez 79 joined them after helping with registration. Helping Linda Sanford Schroer,67 with the food were:Don Schroer, 66, Lorraine Salvagno Overton, 63, Nancy Silveria Villalobos, 67, Gail Ellis Brewer, 67. Sue Schroer Carmona, 69, Larry Carmona, Dennis Schroer, 73 Kevin Donnelley,73, Sandi Schroer Donnelley, 75 Sylvia Raygoza Lopez,79, Athena Schroer,97 and Paige Forbes Schroer, 04

We also had Paul Barr,75 and Manuel Cesa, 72, help with parking.

Those attending: 30's – LILY HINZ ALBERICO,37, Chico...MAYE FARLEY HATCHER,38, Vacaville...LENA NICOLAI WOODMANSEE,37...40's – LOUIE JOHNSON,41, Orland...GEORGE WILSON,41,

Orland...BEULAH BUTTON DANIELS,42,
 Orland...DORIS CLARK DANIELS,42,
 Hayward...AILEEN HOLVIK MCDANIEL,42,
 Carmichael...DONNIS JOHNSON
 OWEN,42,Chico...RUSSELL,42 and DOROTHY
 LEHMAN WESTABY,42, Orland...BEATRICE
 CECCON SCHROER,42, Orland...FRED LEON
 HIBDON,43, Chico...ANNE HAZELTON
 RUCKER,43, Chico...KEITH BAUGHER,44,
 Orland...JUNE GUNDRY GILMORE,44,
 Orland...OSKAR JOKSCH,44, Orland...ELSIE
 SILVEIRA LORENZO,44, Orland...JEWEL
 HIBDON MITCHELL,44, Chico...SHIRLEY
 MADSEN REISINGER,44, Sacramento...JIM
 SLY,44, Orland...WAYNE WORMAN,44,
 Oroville...ELISE HARDY,44, Orland...LOU ANN
 LAVIGNE MILLSAPS, 45, Orland...PHILLIP
 MORRISSEY,45, San Luis Obispo...ELAINE
 WESTABY NELSON,45, Arnold...MARC
 PIAZZA,45, Orland...LAVERNA ERICKSON
 WILKINS,45, Livermore...LEONORA CECCON
 PESTANA,45, Orland...LORRAINE BROUSE
 PIAZZA,45, Orland...JEAN SNODGRASS
 PAUL,46, Hamilton City...ALICE SCHUHART
 BIRD,46,Orland...REUBEN BARCLAY,47,
 Orland...CAROL LEONARD BAUGHER,47,
 Orland...ERMA HARWOOD CUSHMAN,47,
 Orland...CLEO WEIDNER MIRANDE, 47,
 Willows...KENT PLOTT,47, Orland...EMMA
 BRUN REASONER,47, Red Bluff...REVA
 JACOBSEN SELLERS,47, Chico...DONNA
 EDGERTON TANNER,47, Orland...VERNON
 VERESCHAGIN,47, Orland...ARNOLD
 VOLNY,47, San Luis Obispo...KENNETH
 WHITSETT,47, Orland...MARGARET LYNN
 BAY,48, Artois...SALLY PRICE
 MEGORDEN,48, Orland...VIRGINIA BROUSE
 PIAZZA,48, Orland...BILL BARCLAY,49, Sparks
 NV...DIANA CAMPER ELLIS,49, Orland...LEE
 GUNDRY,49, Sacramento...HAROLD
 HALDORSON,49, Fournoy...KENNETH
 HIBDON,49, Orland...LEROY MADSEN,49,
 Truth or Consequences NM...ROXIE FORTNER
 SPENCE, 49, Orland...ALVIN STONE,49,
 Klamath Falls OR...MEDORA HARWOOD
 JONES,49, Corning...50's – MARILYN
 JOHNSON AGUIAR,50, Chico...YVONNE
 YEARIAN CROSNO, 50, Old
 Station...CHRISTINE LAVON NICHOLS
 DENNISON,50, Chico...MARVIN FORBES,50,
 Orland...VIRGINIA VERESCHAGIN HOMER,50,
 Orland...FRANK LAUCK,50, Orland...IRMA

LEVET OVERTON,50, Orland...ANTHONY
 PIAZZA,50, Pollock Pines...GARY PECK,50,
 Sacramento...BILL REECE,50, Sierra
 City...CAROLYN SMITH WHITSETT,50,
 Orland...WILLARD WILSON,50,
 Sacramento...THOMAS BIRCH, 51, Forest
 Hill...STANTON BLAIR,51, Orland...BARBARA
 YANDELL HARGIS,51, Pahrump
 NV...BEVERLY PETERSON LYNN,51,
 Auburn...TRESSIE HIBDON RICHARDSON,51,
 Chico...MILT ROMER,51, Clatskanie
 OR...NELIA HANCOCK BENSON,52,
 Orland...FRANK BLEVINS,52, Orland...BILL
 BOOT, 52, Corning...DARLENE KAYSER
 FORBES,52, Orland...EARL HAYTON,52,
 Prineville OR...ROBERT "BOB"
 JORGENSEN,52, Yreka...BYRON ROYCE,52,
 Corning...JAMES AGUIAR,53, Orland...HANS
 ASMUS,53, Port Orchard WA...JACKIE FRY
 BAUMAN,53, Shasta Lake...PATRICIA
 HARRINGTON COSHOW,53, Orland...SHIRLEY
 RICHARD HAYTON, 53, Prineville OR...MARY
 JACKSON LOWE,53, San Diego...DOLORES
 HYDE-REED,53, Port Orchard WA...KAREN
 WESTON MALOY, 53, Grants Pass OR...JOHN
 "JACK" LEONARD,53, Skagit WA...MACK
 JACOBSON,53...HELEN ROBERTS
 ASKELAND,54, Orland...RONALD
 BAUMGARTNER, 54, El Macero...WILLIAM
 DRAGSETH,54, McCloud...PATRICIA DANIELS
 MULLANIX,54, Orland...PETER OVERTON,54,
 Orland...GEORGE TROVAO,54,
 Sacramento...DALE TURMAN,54, Twain
 Harte...MARY PORRAS ZARAGOSA,54,
 Orland...CLARENCE BAKER,55,
 Clovis...SANFORD "SANDY" and MYRNA
 SPIEGEL BECK,55, Davis...BARBARA
 WARREN BOOT,55, Corning...BILL and
 SHIRLEY MUDD CECCON,55, Orland...DORIS
 JOHNSON DRAGSETH,55, McCloud...WANDA
 NEWMAN FORD,55, New Plymouth ID...RAY
 GOLLNICK, 55, Orland...ROBERT HOLLIS,55,
 Castro Valley...GARY C. JACOBSON,55,
 Richland WA...ARLIE JOKSCH,55, Yankee
 Hill...LORINE STEMPLE LAUCK,55,
 Orland...GEORGE ONDRICEK,55,
 McCloud...HARVEY PECK,55,
 Woodland...RICHARD PIPER,55, Chico...KAY
 STRAWN,55, Chico...BEA WALSH BIBLE, 56,
 Orland...VERDA BELLE BAYLESS
 GOLLNICK,56, Orland...JERRY HARDIN,56,
 Martinez...JEAN (VIRGINIA THOMPSON)

ONDRICEK,56, McCloud...ROGER
 RONGLEY,56, Yuba City...GORDON
 WILSON,56, Sacramento...ERMANELL
 BROGDEN AGUIAR,57, Orland...FLORINE
 SMITH BLAIR,57, Orland...TRAVIS
 HATCHER,57, Placerville...KATHERINE
 FRIESEN JIMENEZ,57, Woodland...RAYENELL
 HIBDON ORR,57, Orland...SHARON WOOD
 PHIPPEN,57, Orland...GERALD STEMPEL,57,
 Orland...JANET MCNEAR THOMAS,57,
 Quincy...CAROL FORBES VIVION,57,
 Chico...SHARON SABIN BURROWS,57,
 Willows...LARRY BATES,58, Orland...JUDY
 BECK,58, Lincoln...CONSTANCE RONGLEY
 BERCOT, 58, Glendale OR...BARBARA BOOTH,
 58, Martinez...TRUMAN CUNNINGHAM,58,
 Sacramento...DIANA DAY DEATS-
 O'REILLY,58, Grand Forks ND...RICHARD
 "DICK" JOLLEY,58, Quincy...FRANCES
 STEMPEL,58, Orland...LANA STOCKTON
 TROVAO,58, Sacramento...MILDRED RUFF
 VOELKER,58, Cottage Grove OR...DORIS
 JOHNSON YATES,58, Fairfield...ROSS
 HICKS,58, Petaluma...MYRNELL THOMAS
 DYER,59, Orland...MARGARET TOLLEY
 GAMBILL,59, Citrus Heights...DON HIBDON,59,
 Orland...LILA FRANZEN KORVINK,59,
 Sacramento...RITA PETERS KRANIG, 59,
 Sacramento...NANCY RONGLEY MONTERO,59,
 Chico...MARGARET LEVER MOSER,59, Elk
 Grove...PATSY CAVIGLIA ROBBINS,59,
 Cottonwood...CLARICE LUBA SIMONS,59,
 Orland...NANCY ELLSWORTH
 STEINWAND,59, Sacramento...60's - DARYL
 ALBERICO,60, Willows...SHARON CASWELL
 BAUMGARTNER,60, El Macero...RICHARD
 LARRY BIBLE,60, Redding...SHIRLEY
 WILSON HAYTON,60, Orland...JUDY KEES
 JOKSCH,60, Yankee Hill...JIM PETERSON,60,
 Chico...GENE RUSSELL,60, Orland...DARRELL
 CODROMAC, 61, Redding...KAREN ROLD
 ELDRIDGE,61, Redding...GENEVE SPANNAUS
 HARDER,61, Montague...WILLIAM "BILL"
 KEES,61, Chico...NANCY FRANSEN LEA,61,
 Woodland...FRANCES BOOTH PHILBROOK,61,
 Vacaville...RUTH STICKLER TURMAN,61,
 Twain Harte...JIM ARANO,61, Orland...BILL
 DAVIS, 62, Cool...ROBERT "BOB" DAVIS, 62,
 Corning...SHARON CUTSHALL RIOS,62, San
 Diego...NORMAN MARTENS THIEDE,62,
 Corning...RUSSELL ALBERICO,63
 Chico...I. YNETTE BENSON.63.

Orland...ROBERT FRANZEN,63,
 Nipomo...JUDY HAYTON JOHNSON,63, Citrus
 Heights...CONNIE HARRIS KING,63,
 Orland...GARY LEDONNE,63,
 Sebastopol...MARGARET MANGUM
 NORAAS,63, Orland...BONNIE HATCHER
 RODDA,63, Vacaville...DOROTHY MARTENS
 RONGLEY,63, Yuba City...LUCILLE BENSON
 STOCKTON,63, Orland...BARBARA REIMERS
 TESTERMAN,63, Orland...BRUCE (MYRON)
 TOMMERAASON,63, Sacramento...PAULINE
 SALVAGNO THOMPSON,63, Orland...PATTY
 WARREN LEDONNE,64, Sebastopol...CHARLES
 CUTSHALL,65, Orland.

And some news from those who attended: ANNE
 HAZELTON RUCKER,43, Chico, tells us the
 golden years are wonderful! Was an advocate for
 seniors who live in manufactured home parks and
 she writes. Husband Keith still solves engineering
 problems...LEROY MADSEN,49, Truth or
 Consequences NM, makes a four or five week trip
 in his RV very year. He looks forward to the OAA
 newsletter...ARLIE JOKSCH, 55, Yankee Hill, was
 looking forward to the luncheon and the gathering
 for grads of 1955 at the home of VIC and
 DOROTHY KAISER COOK...SHARON
 CUTSHALL RIOS,62, is still living in beautiful
 San Diego and working full-time. Her husband is
 retired but actively plays soccer. They relax a few
 weekends a month in their Baja home and
 travel/cruise when they have the chance. She
 brought along brother CHUCK CUTSHALL,65, as
 a guest...GARY,63, and PATTY WARREN
 LEDONNE,64, Sebastopol, Gary married his high
 school sweetheart and after graduating from Chico
 State he was employed as a probation officer in Red
 Bluff for four years. They moved to Sonoma
 County where he worked for an organization called
 InterVarsity Christian Fellowship as a campus
 minister. Following that he did similar work with
 Campus Life which is a ministry to high school
 students. He got back into probation for 15 years
 and then retired. Patty worked at Chico State in the
 housing office until Gary obtained his degree and
 then was a stay-at-home mom for 17 years. When
 the last of the six children were in school, she
 obtain an AA degree and then a real estate license.
 She has worked in the mortgage industry for the
 past 23 years. Recently she sold her ownership in
 the mortgage company and is now working part-
 time. Gary and Patty have traveled to many parts of

the world and they are Board members of a bush hospital located in Zimbabwe, Africa. They have traveled to this mission hospital to help with various duties, their host arranged for them to work three weeks and go on a safari for one week. This non-profit hospital is in constant need of medicine, supplies, equipment and donations to run the hospital.

Unable to attend but responded: RUTHALEE DAKIN MAULDIN, 37, Los Gatos, would like to hear from any of her classmates from the Class of 1937 (ruthemauldin@comcast.net)...MARJORIE SMOOT CLEMENS,38, Yuba City, she is doing great and enjoys taking care of her dog and her dog takes care of her...RAYMELLE BAY KING,40, Carmichael, celebrated her 90th birthday in January and is slowing down some but still lives in her own home, drives, loves working in her yard, still active in her church and plays bridge...CLARK NELSON,40, Magalia, wishes his fellow grads the best...MARIE CERLES BOSS, 40, Pleasanton, wanted to know she was with the Golden Grads in spirit with special wishes to her class. She has a special appreciation for the music and girls sports programs they enjoyed during the Depression and recently rescued her Circle O letter from the discards. Marie is well and active, enjoying friends and family if moving slower, but still moving!...NEOLA LAVIGNE HANSEN,40, Dallas OR, has a small group of paintings on display at her local library and is enjoying the comments she has received about them. Started her garden in April and also feeds a lot of birds including a large one-legged robin...ALLAN THODE, 45, Murphys, living is good for Allan in Murphys where there is no north wind. Chronic back problems kept him from making the trip to Orland...RICHARD L. JONES,45, San Jose, disappointed to be missing the luncheon but experiencing limited mobility. Instead he will make a run to Trader Joe's, RiteAid, Safeway, the doctor, Lucky's and one or the other (wife Mary) will be going to the ER. He's thinking of trading in his Honda for a walker with a V-6 and a 5.1 sound in the round. He and Mary reminisce over their grandchildren and the places they have been...ELDORA TRAMMEL BARBER,46, Long Beach, has lived in her home for 61 years and is close to her two sons and their families who make sure she behaves herself...RENA WIKOFF DAVIS,46, Oak Harbor WA, is close to her children on Whidbey Island which she finds similar

to Crescent City where she lived previously for 20 years. She misses California but she says it is very beautiful with Mt Baker to the north and Mt Rainer to the south...JACK PARKS, 47, Sacramento, had a previous meeting scheduled so couldn't attend the luncheon...JUNE FULBRIGHT,48, Blountville TN, keeps occupied with reading, working jigsaw puzzles, visiting friends and church work...LYLE,48, and LAVONNE TILLERY FLOYD,52, Redding, Floyd's bad back kept them from attending... BETTY BIRCH BELLER,49, Placerville, still has their wildlife – deer, fox, raccoons, Mr. Bear and Mrs. Mountain Lion and keeps busy weeding and raking leaves...BETTY WOODS KALB, 50, moved back to Story WY to be near family after the death of husband Bernard...ALFRED "RUSS" MARSHALL,50, Wilmette IL, moved to a retirement apartment from Sacramento after the death of his wife in 2012...LEONARD D. BROWM, 51, Nipomo, enjoys going to movies, poker and going out with friends...JUANITA PENROSE BLACK,55, Sonora...FRED BAKER,56,Lubbock TX, was planning on making a trip to California in June to attend the United Methodist Church Annual Conference in Sacramento for a memorial service for Pastors and their wives who had passed away during the year. His wife was going to be memorialized and he was preparing a tribute that would be published in a memorial booklet with many others as well. He was in Orland in November 2012 and was very impressed with all the changes, most especially the high school buildings...NYLA HALL STANDRIDGE,56, Orland, is residing in a care home with Parkinson's Disease...BEVERLY BROUSE O'SABEN,56, Westville IN, is finishing up her 51st year with Girl Scouts, had a hip replaced in May and all is well with that. Her daughter Cori has moved in with her after the death of her husband Rich in February 2013...PATRICIA LONDON MELCHER,56, Orchard NE, with husband Ken still owns a motel and can't get away. They have children living in Texas, Georgia, Colorado and Nebraska...GLORIA PIPER MANJARREZ,57, Orland, is an author under her maiden name. Her metaphorical fantasy, *Finnegan's Quest*", is now out in paperback. With husband, Grayson, they drive people to their medical appointments and they enjoy the dwarf orchard planted in their lawn – "just the right size for old fogies"...MICHAEL HOLMES,60, Yountville. retired teamsters – 30vrs construction.

Enjoying retirement but still works side jobs in Napa CA...PATTI GAVIGON MCKINNEY BISHOP,60, Dalton Gardens ID, was going on a mission for the church of Latter Day Saints in May but would love to hear from some of her classmates...ROSIE SCROGGINS ARREGUY,63, Rocklin, like most retirees, her life is so busy she has to leave home to rest. With husband, Gene, they follow their three youngest grandchildren around to their sporting events. She plays golf two – three times a week and occasionally cleans house and cooks. On the day of the luncheon they will be on their way from Athens to Istanbul. They live in a retirement community so there are constant social functions to help out with...

News from the 30's to 40's – DOLORES BRANTLEY EAGLE,31, moved from Los Gatos to Sonoma...ELEANOR THOMAS HALL,34, moved from Orland to Chico...STANLEY JOHNSON,34, moved from Weston OR to Redding...EVERETT BUCKLEY,34, moved from Graton to Novato...MARY JANE KIRKPATRICK ROBINSON,35, moved from Mesa AZ to Truckee...NORMAN JOHANSEN,36, moved from Orland to Penn Valley...FLORENCE HELIN BARNEY,37, moved from Napa to Gilroy...EVELYN NUNES GLEASON and MAMIE DUTRA ROSE, from the class of 39, are residing at Westhaven Assisted Care in Orland...RICHARD HAVENS,39, moved from Hughson to Portland OR...BRUCE P. SMITH,40, moved from Orland to Corona...WILLIAM MCLELLAN,42, moved from Pasadena to Alhambra...NANCY DERRICK MORANVILLE, 46, moved from Chico to Red Bluff...DOROTHY BEDFORD CUFAUDE,49, moved from Napa to Salinas...MEDORA HARWOOD JONES,49, Corning, is still driving, lives in the country and loves it. She has a rental business and is married to a wonderful man. As of early 2013 she had four children, eight grandchildren, nine great grandchildren and one more on the way!

Class of 1953 Meets

The alumni of '53 met at Farwood Bar & Grill on Fifth Street in Orland for dinner after the Golden Grads luncheon. For the first time in 60 years, classmate Jack Leonard from Washington State was

in attendance. Thirty four class members were present and they were so loud it was heard that when they got up to leave the restaurant to take their group picture, a diner shouted "Lock the door!" Must have been a fun group having a great time.

Class of 1958 Celebrates 55 Years

On May 4, 2013, the Orland High Class of 1958 celebrated their 55th reunion. It was held at the Skala Ranch north of Orland. The delicious full dinners were catered by The Farwood. A lovely evening was enjoyed by all. Only a brief stormy whirlwind disrupted the outside visitors for a few minutes. The Masters of Ceremonies was shared by Ralph Hilzer, Dottie Cook Tefelski and Lana Stockton Trovao. A total of 25 classmates were able to attend: Gary Freeman; Judy Beck Serrano; Joyce Rentfro Burgoon; Allyene Ruff Voelker; Lana Stockton Trovao; Doris Johnson Yates; Arlene Stemple Whitlock; Dottie Cook Tefelski; Diana Day O'Reilly; Neal Cook; Larry Witherow; Ross Hicks; John Second; Jerry Miller; Ed LeDonne; Bill Olney; Harvey Moranda; Dick Jolley; Barbara Booth; Floyd Thomas; Janet Hefty Hamann; Judi Wadman Osburn; Norman Bates and Ralph Hilzer. Also it was great to have 13 spouses attend: Joan Freeman; John Burgoon; George Trovao; Shirley LeDonne; Jim Osburn; Dian Bates; Carol Jolley; Ellwood Voelker; Jackie Moranda; Juliet Second; Carol Witherow; Betty Hicks and Leilani Cook. This reunion was a time of re-bonding with some very special old friends. Looking forward to our 60th reunion in 2018.

News from the 50's – RUSSELL MARSHALL,50, moved from Sacramento to Wilmette IL...BETTY WOODS KALB,50, sold home in Harlinger TX and moved to Story WY after the death of her husband...DONALD KAYSER, 50, moved from Quartzsite AZ to Noxon MT...FRANK,50 and LORENE STEMPEL LAUCK, 55, moved from Yuba City to Orland and are docents at the Orland Art Gallery...LOUISE MOORE CLEMENTS,51, moved from Sacramento to Roseville...CARROLL LEON BENSON,53, moved from Redding to Ukiah...BARBARA SCHWARTZ PROBERT, 54, moved from San Carlos to Eureka...HARVEY PECK,55, Woodland,

retired but keeping busy raising a grandson who is a junior at Woodland High and aspires to be a medical doctor...PATSY SLACK VANSOEST,55, W. Sacramento, continues to do yard work and physical therapy and helps watch her great grandchildren...DR. DAVID LUCE,56, moved from Stoughton WI to Beaverton OR...PATRICIA LONDON MELCHER,56, Orchard NE...FRED BAKER,56, Lubbock TX, he and his late wife Carolyn began a personal ministry called "The Wedding Pastor". Fred, a retired minister, has officiated at the weddings of over 300 couples. Carolyn passed away in November 2012 but Fred will stay in Lubbock for the time being. He still connects with Orland through the Orland Federated Church and hopes to return to California some day... JILL KUHNEN,56, summers in Salem OR and winters in Desert Hot Springs... TRAVIS HATCHER,57 moved from Shingle Springs to Placerville...JOANNE WAYMIRE HALL,57, moved from Canyon Lake to Alameda...CAROL BOYLES CARNAGEY,57, moved from Orland to Chico...JUDY WALSH NOAKES,57, moved from Sacramento to N.Highlands...SANDRA THOMPSON SMITH,57, moved from Yuma AZ to Coolridge AZ...DAVID LINTON,58, Vancouver WA...DONALD MACY, 58, resides at the Willows Care Center, Willows...MILES FERRIS,59, moved from Santa Rosa to Tucson AZ...JOAN SCHUSTER SAMUELSEN,59, moved from Modesto to Mission Viejo...DONALD PRINCE,59, moved from Redding to Orland...SHARON DRAGSETH GREESON,59, Tucson AZ, retired and travels lots with husband on their Harley. They love the community they live in (Saddlebrooke)...RONALD HOSKING,59, moved from Givens Hot Springs ID to Brookings OR...Classmates of 1959 from in and near Sacramento get together for lunch and travelled to Orland for the Golden Grads reunion – MARGARET LEVET MOSER, LILA FRANZEN KORVINK, NANCY ELLSWORTH STEINWAND, RITA PETERS KRANIG and MARGARET TOLLEY GAMBILL.

The OHS Class of '63 celebrated its 50 year reunion during the weekend of September 14-15, 2013

Before the Friday evening festivities, class members Tor and Margaret (Mangum) Noraas, Allen and Bonnie (Hatcher) Rodda and Jim and Barbara

(Reimers) Testerman attended the first home game of 2013 for the Orland Football Team. John Skinner had planned to join them, but was detained at Rolling Hills Casino, winning \$4,800.00!

Saturday evening, 89 people attended the delicious reunion dinner, including 53 classmates and 36 guests. Classmates wore name tags made to look like Medicare cards. Every attendee received a porcelain mug as a gift, with the original Trojan on one side and a drawing of the original High School building on the other. Candy like that in "the day" was scattered on the dining tables. John Skinner treated each classmate with a 3-CD set of music played by his band. Fifty years of memorabilia was displayed in the room for attendees to enjoy. Mike Lyon and Pat Overton were Masters of Ceremonies with a cameo appearance by Mike Overton. Theron Walker won the fifty/fifty raffle. Gary LeDonne gave the invocation and also showed a DVD of our Senior Skip Day, as well as the march of the graduates onto the football field on the day of graduation 50 years ago.

Sunday morning George Bakkenta and John Heintz played golf, while over 40 others enjoyed brunch and more visiting which was a perfect end for the fun and eventful weekend.

Mark and Ella (Vincze-'62) Gauthier won the prize for being married the longest. Tor and Margaret (Mangum) Noraas won for most grandchildren. Pat and Lorraine (Salvagno) Overton won for most great-grandchildren. Larry R. and Kathy Smith won for coming the farthest to attend (from Garden City, Kansas). Theron Walker won the 50/50 raffle.

Reunion-goers included: Russell Alberico, Jerry Allen, Shirlee (Anderson) and Dave Davidson, George and Wendy Bakkenta, Paul and Charlotte Ballew, Tom Ballew, Lucille (Benson) and Robert Stockton, Lynette Benson, Jean (Brown) and Mike Woodward, Don and Joyce Bunch, Russell Darling, Ramona (Forrester) Rogers, Robert and Juliet Franzen, Mark and Ella Gauthier, Ken and Beverly Gilmore, Connie (Harris) and Charlie King, Bonnie (Hatcher) and Allen Rodda, Judi (Hayton) and Jay Johnson, John and Ann Heintz, Ernie Higgins, Linda (Jasper) Halsey, Kristi (Jasper) and Terry Haynes, Gary and Patty LeDonne, Mike and Kathy

Lyon, Ed and Kathy Main, Margaret (Mangum) and Tor Noraas, Dorothy (Martens) and Rodger Rongley, Judy (Martin) and Denny Bungarz, Vickie (Martinez) and Gale Frolech, Raye Anne (Oliveira) Kelly and daughter, Janelle, Mike and Dianne Overton, Pat and Lorraine (Salvagno) Overton, Janice (Peart) Lomba, Richard and Carol Peters, Brian and Colleen Piper, Gerry Putnam, Barbara (Reimers) and Jim Testerman, Pauline (Salvagno) Thompson and guest, Robert, Bill and Barbara Schroer, Rosie (Scroggins) Arreguy, Jim and Janet Seavers, Cheryl (Simmons) Hancock, John Skinner, Larry and Kathy Smith, Don and Suzi Stien, Jim Taylor, Barbara (Thompson) McDonald and daughter, Tisha, Bruce and Jean Tommeraason, Cliff and Deni Vinsonhaler, Theron and Shirley Walker, Doug and Jeannette Wheeler, Linda (Wykoff) Booth.

But we weren't done yet! On October 4th, members of the class of 1963 participated in the Orland Homecoming Parade, showing "50 Years of Spirit". Class members included: Ken Gilmore, Bill Schroer, Bonnie (Hatcher Rodda), Allen Rodda, Lucille (Benson) Stockton, Lynette Benson, Connie (Harris) King, Pauline (Salvagno) Thompson, Barbara (Reimers) Testerman, Margaret (Mangum) Noraas, along with Shirlee (Anderson) and Dave Davidson and their 1932 pickup.

Also from the Class of 1963: We finally reached 50 years, making us eligible to be invited as guests to the Golden Grads Luncheon this year. Thank you to all of you who worked hard to make it such an awesome day! *(submitted by Lynette Benson)*

News from the '60's - PEGGY LEACH
HIMES, 60, moved from Enumclaw WA to Bend OR...**JIM PETERSON**, Chico, is a California certified residential real estate appraiser, holds an AR certification and works in the tri-county area...**CRAIG POULSEN, 61**, moved from Clovis to Half Moon Bay...**LENDEL THARPE, 62**, moved from Chico to Hamilton City...**MYRON ERICKSON, 62**, moved from Rio Vista to Lodi...**JANICE PEART LOMBA, 63**, Grass Valley, retired and living happily with husband Steve and enjoying six grand and two great grandchildren...**KENNETH GILMORE, 63**, Oxnard, is a life member so made a donation to OAA (Thanks) still has the home ranch in the Lake

District, farming olives. Spends a great deal of time with his and wife Beverly's grandchildren and in June 2013 was five weeks in Italy and Switzerland. The previous year they were on a safari in Africa. For 2014, they will be in New Zealand, Australia and swing by Alaska for a graduation..**ARMOND ERICKSON, 63**, moved from Martinez to Brentwood...**LISPETH ATKINSON SIERRA, 65**, Bakersfield, visited the Glenn County Fair while they were in Orland in May...**SUSAN VINCZE WAUER, 65**, moved from Redmond OR to Cove OR...**BETTY BERRENDOS HOTCHKISS, 65**, Red Bluff, has been so busy since she retired "don't know how I had time to work all of those years!"...**CANDACE SMITH THURMAN, 66**, moved from Oroville to Chico to be near their sons and their four grandchildren...**MARY STEPHENSON-HOWARD, 67**, and her family moved this past year to Pinedale, Wyoming. She has been busy hosting two foreign exchange students from Russia and Finland - and even busier keeping in shape by winning a gold medal in swimming at the Senior Olympics and finishing the 21 mile swim of the English Channel! Quite a few moving/relocating for the class of 1967: **GERALD BACON** moved from Biggs to Brownsville...**GAIL ELLIS BREWER** moved from Castle Rock CO to Corning...**STACEY SHARP CSONKA** moved from W. Sacramento to Wilmington NC...**LINDA TANNER CURTIS** moved from Sacramento to Orland...**THOMAS DAWLEY** moved from Reno NV to Sparks NV...**LARRY GARDNER** moved from Logan UT to River Heights UT...**TERRI MUNRO HOUCHINS** moved from Chico to Paradise...**BILL SHANNON** moved from Palomar Mountain CA to Belgrade MT and **BRIAN WATSON** moved from Redding to El Dorado Hills.

Class of '73
 40 Year Class Reunion
 Rolling Hills Casino, Corning, CA
 October 12, 2013

With probably the least amount of planning in the history of OHS reunions, the Class of 1973 held their reunion at Rolling Hills Casino, Corning. At times they thought they couldn't pull it off but they did and 41 classmates and guests had a great time getting together again. They even had a turtle make an appearance. Just as Bob Whitaker was leaving his home in Manteca, he spotted a just hatched

turtle, put it in a jar with water and brought it along. It was apparently well behaved.

Those on the Class Reunion Planning Committee were, General Chairperson: Joann Sousa Beasley, Treasurer: Debbie Trovao Owen, Recorder: Marcie Porras, Assistant locating classmates: Ray Evaro, Decorating Committee: Janice Walker and Terry Hibbard Spencer, MC: Kevin Donnelley, Photographer: Bob Whitaker, Electronic Memory Book: Candace Schneider Moorman, Name Tags: Connie Wackerman Pinkerton (made all and donated), Ed Perez Jr, and Chuck Schonauer.

After an hour of mingling, MC Kevin Donnelley began the evening by telling a few jokes. We observed a moment of silence after Kevin listed those classmates who have gone on to eternity: Wade Enos, Steven Kime, Eric Anderson, David Reynolds, Sanford Reichert, Robin Hoffman, Jon Woo, Laurence Candieas, Gregory Alban, Jane Gilmet and Mike Belcher. May they rest in peace.

There was a wonderful buffet dinner with three entrées, salads, veggies, rolls and a variety of deserts. There were two gift baskets and two bottles of wine, which were so graciously donated by Ron and Cathy Shriver ('74) Riddle and, raffled off as well a 50/50 raffle. They had a great turn out. The person traveling the farthest was Sherry Cutright who drove from University Place, WA. The person with the oldest child was Dana Mohler Smith, the persons having the most children (there was a tie of four children) Joann Souza Beasley and Marcie Porras. Bob Whitaker's wife, Anita, took a group picture which was made available electronically.

The room was turned into a dance floor at 9:00 when the live music began, many classmates stayed to visit and dance. The following morning they met at the Rolling Hills Buffet filling one section of the buffet. Some pictures are available via Face Book.

Those attending the class reunion were: Kevin Donnelly (& Sandy), Jean Manner Schwimmer, Nina Stone Halsey (& Chet), Terry Hibbard Spencer, Serreno Charles Mozzini (& Ginny), Jane Haldorson Richarson (& Doug), Dennis Schroer (& Becky), Julie Smith Overton (& Jeff), Janice Walker Westerfield, Marcie Porras, Loren Alberico (& Nora), Dan Tracey Earls (& Bonnie), Frank Lowman (& Sarah), Ray Evaro (& Lee Ann), Cliff

Berry, Susan Crouch Foster (& John), Ed Perez, Miros Martinez, Joann Sousa Beasley (& David), Rick Whitmarsh, Connie Wackerman Pinkerton (& Mike), Devora Stripe Corbin, Donald A. Canadas (& Kay), Steve Tanner (& Demaria McCurdy 75), Ron Goings (& Angela Mattice), Mitch Riddle, Summer Ballock, Debbie Trovao Owen (& Larry), Ron Riddle (& Cathy), Connie Hendrickson Hale (& Hubby), Jeff Hahn (& wife), Mitch Gomes, Bob Whitaker (& Anita), Jerry Leen (& wife), Molly Cole Blunkall, Chuck Schonauer, Ted Lohse, Dana Mohler Smith, Susan Riddle Metcalfe, Sherry Cutright (& guest), Ken Barley, and honored guest/former high school teacher, Nancy Demmer (& Chas).

Candace Schneider Moorman so graciously put together an electronic Memory Book. Here are the responses that were received:

Loren Alberico, Los Gatos, CA. Wife-Nora (NICU Nurse), one son; one dog and a one eyed cat. Started a manufacturing company in '79 and sold the company to Lohmann Corp in 2009. Semi-retired since 2012. Still trying to figure out what to do next. For 27 years has vacationed with other alumni at Ruth Lake. **Summer Ballock**, Chico. Recently retired after surviving 30 years as a small business owner! Spouse-1, Children-0, Siblings-2: Dennis,71,-retired biology teacher now a State of Idaho Ag inspector. April,78,-defense attorney Washington State. Parents-2: Ray still goes to the Butte College football games. **Burdean Bartlem**, Portland, OR. real estate agent. Planning a Mexico trip with Summer and Devora in October and another trip to Florence, Italy in January. **Joann Sousa Beasley**, Orland. Spouse: David Beasley; married 35 years; 4 children. Still does medical transcription but also works for a veterinary hospital clinic in Orland. Still loves running but just doesn't have as much time for it. Taking her kids and husband with her the second time she ran the Boston Marathon was an amazing trip; the marathon is HUGE in every aspect and then the history of the area was amazing to see as a family. Every other year they take a Caribbean cruise with a large group of their friends (classmate Becky Struthers Hancock included). **Cliff Berry**, Chico. 1 son; 3 grandchildren. Build/service swimming pools. **Donald A. Canadas**, Orland. 2 sons. Farm mechanic. **Molly Blunkall Cole**, Orland. Single, 3 kids, Mom & Dad, 1 Brother, 5 grandchildren. Retired. **Devora Stripe Corbin**, Chico. Married 30

years, 2 sons. Still working. Left pharmaceutical industry 4 years ago, back into laboratory business. Currently employed by Quest Diagnostics. Went to France for two weeks in 2012. Has many vivid memories of OHS, such as playing field hockey even though the field was muddy, playing basketball, the orchard parties, being hung upside down by her ankles out of a third story window by Todd Bartlem, not being able to go on the senior skip day as she had detention, are just a few. **Sherry Cutright**, University Place, WA (The greater Seattle \Tacoma area). No kids but two beautiful kittens (my longest commitment) they're 14 ½ years old. Three years as a cashier; 1 year as a backup singer in a local band. Hobbies are still sewing and designing women's fashion. **Jan Basich Diller**, Cheyenne, WY. Married 33+ years to Dave. Two girls. Last 22yrs working as an RN for the VA. Before that, US Navy nurse. Remembers elementary teachers: Mrs. Kaiser, Mrs. Willard, Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Evans. **Kevin Donnelley**, Orland. Married Sandy Schroer, 75; 3 children, 6 grandchildren, #7 on the way. Retired, farming English walnuts, riding his Harley. Kevin remembers leaving Bob Vierra's class to register for the draft. **Dan Earls** (Tracy Married and lives in Petaluma has 2 sons, a step son and a step grandson. His mother Sylvia; brother Mike and sister Cheryl all live in the Sacramento area, healthy and happy. Retired in 2010 and enjoys each day doing pretty much what he wants to do which includes hunting, fishing, archery, free diving for abalone, bowling, following the 49ers, Giants and Warriors, all his own yard work including tending to his roses and anything else on his wife's honey-do list. When people ask how he likes retirement he tells them "I highly recommend it." However, he still needs to find a 10" abalone, get two more wild sheep to complete the North American Slam and still looking to harvest that perfect 4 x 4 Blacktail Buck with eye guards. He has a very fond memory of a sunny and blustery day in September of '72, hearing Rod Stewart's "Maggie May" blaring out over the speakers of Orland High's very own radio station "KNOB" the big red knob. That memory is very vivid and comes back every time he hears that song. **Ray Evaro**, Orland. Wife-Lee Ann Blevins, 81, 1 son; works for Pacific Pulmonary (respiratory care). Fishes, hunts, and rides his Harley when "farm chores" are done. **Debbie Trovao Owen**, Willows. Married to Larry 36 years; 1 daughter and 1 son: 1 granddaughter and one on the way. Not

working-back surgery; stay at home grandmother; reading; knitting; crafts. **Ed Perez Jr**, Orland. Married to Pam; 4 grown step-children in Arkansas; 6 Chihuahuas; 1 terrier. Retired; writing short stories that hopefully will be published; taking care of dogs. Remembers Miros Martinez teaching him how to make a cannon with his fingers in Mr. Myers' class. **Terry Hibbard Spencer**, Orland. 2 sons; 6 grandchildren. Working part time for schools; remodeling old Jobe home; on balloon crew. **Theresa Zabala Williams**, Las Vegas, NV 3 children, 4 grandchildren and one on the way. Waitress at Main Street Station in Las Vegas. Remembers the day she wore pants to school and they had not yet passed the new dress code...**Kevin Harrington** (Via email after the reunion) has been working as an IT specialist for past 16+ years for electric utility, SMUD, in Sacramento. They have 2 high school girls, oldest graduating this next Spring. **Susan Crouch Foster**, Rohnert Park husband John; 1 son (married with 1 daughter) District Supervisor for TNG, The News Group, NorCal West Region Sales Marketing Merchandising Team. Her most vivid school memory is all of her classes with Mrs. Demmer; being new to the school and voted junior class home coming princess! Really? WOW! **Jeff Hahn**, Fairfield, married, 37 years 3 daughters, (2 surviving). Works with individual hotel owners in California, Oregon and Washington for Wyndham Worldwide which is a hotel company with 6500 hotels, resorts and timeshares. Remembers the day that Orland actually got a snow day. It was then he had to learn to drive in the snow. **Nina Stone Halsey**, Winters in Las Vegas, summers RVing Spouse-Chet; 3 children and 1 cat. Retired snow-birders; scuba diving; kayaking; bible studies. **Becky Struthers Hancock**, Oroville, six grown children. Works at Golden Hills Elementary school where she is in charge of the discipline and all of the testing. Loved going to the football and basketball games at OHS. **Frank Lowman**, Magalia, Significant other-Sarah; 1 son and 1 grandson; does site work construction and paving. **Debbie Miller** Aurora, Colorado 1 Son and 1 Daughter, father-Ray Miller, Age 82: living in Centennial, Colorado; Sister-Denise Miller (Class of '71): living in Centennial, Colorado with her husband and their son; Telecom Engineer with MDC Holdings, Inc., Denver, Colorado (11 years); Webmaster for Inspire Creative <http://www.inspirecreative.org>. a local Performing

Arts company (her son is actively involved with Inspire Creative, also) **Candace Schneider Moorman (Candy-but don't call me that)**, Rancho Cordova, retired in 2011 at age 56; volunteer one day a week in a Kindergarten class; attends movies, theater, concerts, teas, museums, traveling, etc (all the things she didn't have time for when working and commuting); season tickets to five theater companies; completely renovated her house inside and out; belongs to a Mexican Train group; attends the National Figure Skating Championships every other year. Will be on a 17 day European cruise in October. Her most vivid school memory was the CSF trip to Stanford as a sophomore; seeing their computer which filled the basement and thinking she would NEVER use a computer. Now she holds one in the palm of her hand. **Sereno Charles Mozzini**, Orland, Wife-Ginny; 7 children. Driving truck; restores cars, hotrods. **Julie Smith Overton**, Orland, married to Jeff Overton, 76, 3 children, Twin Brother Robert and half brother Thomas. Cashier at Holiday/Sav-Mor in Orland for 12 years. Loves working in her yard. **Connie Wackerman Pinkerton**, Elk Grove Spouse – Mike, is a CPA; 2 sons; has been a teacher for 35 years & has taught 3rd-8th grades. Plans to retire in one year! Connie and her husband golf regularly. She has school memories of being a cheerleader, dissecting animals in Mr. Penner's Biology class and learning how to type on a typewriter. ☺ Oh, and playing on the field hockey team. **Marcie Porras**, Chico; 4 sons. Butte County Child Support Services Office Specialist. Brother John Porras lives in Portland, Sisters Mary Galvan, Manuela Marston, Vangie Porras, Estel Porras, Julie Gregory and Josie Porras Corporon all live in Orland and sister Frances Ligamen in Cohasset. Parents Manuel & Esther Porras still live in the home where she was raised. Her biggest hobby is being a grandma, "I love it!" She thought it was time to share this school memory: "It was a rainy day and I had an appointment so I checked out of school in the office and, remember those big steps that led to the main office at the high school? I slipped on the top step and fell all the way down to the bottom. I was so embarrassed but it was during school hours so I don't think anyone saw me." (Mary) **Jane Haldorson Richardson**, Orland, married to Doug (class of '74) no children so now they can afford to enjoy retirement with Doug working part time as a self-employed machinery consultant: has had many cats over the years – all of

them polydactyl – now have two. Retired since 12/05 after 32 years with Bank of America. Travel nationwide for Doug's work, taking their pickup and travel trailer and cats. Jane remembers riding around with friends in Robin Hoffman's Jeep on graduation night; her family left the next day for a month-long road-trip to Disney World and Long Island, New York. **Mitch Riddle**, Woodfords, 1 son, 2 labs; his mom is 99 years old. Hunts, fishes, bartender/server in Lake Tahoe. Went to Death Valley for highest temperature recorded (131 on 6-30-13). **Ron Riddle**, Arroyo Grande, Married Cathy Shriver, 74, 2 daughters, 1 son, 2 grandchildren. **Dennis Schroer** Orland, married to Becky Stripe, 76; 3 children, 1 boy, 2 girls; 2 step-children; 2 grandsons. Almond farmer. **Jean Manner Schwimmer** Salinas, "Prunedale" suburb; Monterey County. Husband: Lloyd Manner Schwimmer; No kids; No pets; Parents: Frank and Rose, both deceased, but not forgotten! They seem to keep showing up in nieces and nephews, looks and personalities. Realtor in Monterey County; Ombudsman--CA Assoc. of Realtors; Presiding Officer—Professional Standards, Monterey County Association of Realtors. Every Thanksgiving (Wed.-Sun) her bro's and sisters, Susan, Bill, Keith, Joy, Frank (Pinky), Chris (along with all the nieces and nephews) rent a large vacation home somewhere in CA; they share food prep and go for long walks/hikes. **Dana Mohler Smith**, Nevada City, married; 1 son, 3 grandchildren; operating a worm farm and working at a meditation retreat. **Steve Tanner** Orland, married to DeMarie McCurdy, 75, 1 daughter and 1 son, 2 granddaughters. Retired from building houses in 2007, now is babysitting granddaughters and fishing. **Robert Carlton (Bob) Whitaker**, Manteca, met wife Anita (Anderson) Whitaker at BYU. His "Momma Rae" passed away October 11, 2009, at age 77 in Orland. His dad, OHS math/science/photography teacher Reed Whitaker, turns 90 this November 7th! They own AboutFacePhotoAndVideo.com and he sells a simple paper tax organizer TaxMiniMiser.com that he created for self-employed small biz owners like them. In his backyard (aka fake farm) they have 20+ chickens, 20+ turtles, 1 rabbit, and 3 cats. In 1982, K.C., Audrey, Ron, Pam, & Bob were on "Family Feud". They lost, but they had fun! "In 1965 we had just moved from SLC, Utah, to Orland. I was the new kid in Miss Prudence Elliott's 5th grade class at Fairview Elementary. I was trying

to fit in & make friends. I remember Joe Gilmet took the time to teach me on the playground how to throw & catch a football so I could play with them. He's cool. And I have so many other very positive memories of so many classmates in Orland. I wish I could have known how & what everyone has been doing over the past 40 years. I know it sounds like a long time, but it sure seems like it blew by pretty fast too." (submitted by Marcie Porras)

Class of 1978 holds their 35th Reunion

The weekend kicked off with a social gathering Friday, September 13, 2013 at HB's Lounge in the Rolling Hills Casino. Those attending were Ernie Blevins, Dan & Anne Ledbetter, Terri Granger Clendenning, John & Donna Burgoon, Heidi Hubert Tooker and Jim & Janice Pollesel Reynolds. Fred Perez stopped by for a visit also.

On Saturday, September 14, 2013 the Class of 1978 held their 35th Year Reunion at Carlino's Event Center at Rolling Hills Casino in Corning with music by classmate Dan Gomez, a buffet dinner, raffle and dancing. Ken Hibdon, who works at the casino, had come by earlier in the day before the festivities to say hello as he was unable to attend that evening. Classmates who attended the event were BETSY ANTHIENY JORGENSEN & Gary (76), Chico...PAULINE BIBLE SPOONER & John, Willows...ERNIE BLEVINS, San Jose...JOHN & Donna BURGOON, Orland...TAMMY BUTTON STRAUTMAN & Ken, Roseville...ANN GILMORE MERRIFIELD & Mike (75), Orland...DAN GOMEZ, Oroville...TERRI GRANGER CLENDENNING & Bruce, Chico...DAN & Anne LEDBETTER, Chico...BETTY MOSS YEH, Burbank...RICHARD & Debbie Royce(80) OLNEY, Orland...SUZANNE OVERTON SEEKATZ, Gilroy...JANICE POLLESEL REYNOLDS & Jim, Chico...MIKE ROBBINS & DENISE SMITH, Chico...MIKE & Diana ROYCE, Oroville...BONNIE TANSON MORGAN, Orland...SHARON TROUPE POPE & Dave, Folsom...CINDY WELLS TAYLOR & James, Orland...STEVE & Karri Johnson (80) WESTABY, Anderson...KEN & Suzanne Nelson (80) VERESCHAGIN, Mountain View...FARON TAYLOR, Orland...DEBBIE SCHLAPPI SMITH,

Salt Lake City UT and one of their junior high teachers, Janie Smith from Chico.

Sunday morning final good-byes were said over breakfast at the casino.

Janice Pollesel Reynolds would like to thank the following people who helped to make this event a time to remember: Terri Granger Clendenning for making arrangements on the facility, menu as well as the endless pictures that were displayed on the tables and being on the committee; Heidi Hubert Tooker for the awesome invitations and the pictures that she took throughout the evening; Dan Gomez for his musical entertainment and being on the committee; Dan Ledbetter for his lifetime nomination as our emcee; Theresa Lambert Sanders for decorations and being on the committee; Ann Gilmore Merrifield for being on the raffle committee; Suzanne Overton Seekatz for making their name tags as well as helping Bonnie Tanson Morgan and Cindy Wells Taylor with gathering addresses and being on the committee. Thank you to those who donated to the raffle and to all of the above listed classmates for making this reunion fun and memorable. (submitted by Janice Pollesel Reynolds)

News from the 70's - Orland business owners LEWIS BAMBAUER, 70 and family, wife KARLA HARRIS, 73, sons LEWIS, 02 and SCOTT, 05, host 60 or so tow truck professionals at their 11+acre yard every year so they can be certified in heaving towing; the tests they are given are similar to college physics and mechanical engineering tests. The Orland Moose Lodge catered the event...SUSAN JOHANSEN JONES, 70, moved from Pollock Pines to Coeur d'Alene ID...MARGARET WEBSTER DAVIS, 72, Quincy, is a flight paramedic with Mountain Lifeflight out of Susanville. She is also a part-time firefighter/paramedic with the Peninsula Fire department and part-time with the Plumas District Hospital in Quincy. Her son is a graduate from CSU Chico...WALTER DRESCHLER, 73, moved from Escondido to Roseville...BETH MERRIFIELD MULLINS, 73, Chico, is the director of finance for Chico Bag...CANDACE ERICKSON RODRIGUES, 73, moved from S. Lake Tahoe to Honolulu HI...VICKY HIBBARD STILWELL, 74, Orland, is a member of the

Westside Photo Group and has had her photos on display in shows around Glenn County...MICHAEL GRANGER,74, moved from Killeen TX to Chandler AZ; after retiring from the military became a school teacher...LYNDA HIBDON THRALLS, 75, moved from Aurora CO to Bremerton WA...JAMES NULTY,76, moved San Jose to Los Gatos...SHERRIE SPENCE COOPER,76, Orland and husband Scott won Best of Show for their 1960 El Camino at the Orland Chamber of Commerce 5th Annual Rod & Custom Car show held at Library Park in October 2013...NANCY OVERTON,76, was a member of a grass-root effort, the Bidwell Mansion Community Project, which was formed to keep the Bidwell Mansion State Historic Park open in Chico in 2012. She organized the major fundraiser, Run for Bidwell Mansion, in 2012 as well as motivated other community members and organizations to hold their own fundraisers and contribute their funds to the project. Over \$140,000 was raised in three months and the Mansion doors remained open. She is currently president of the Bidwell Mansion Community Project Inc. which she and 9 other board of directors incorporated in June 2012. The corporation has a three year donor agreement with the California State Parks and monitors all activity at the Mansion on behalf of all donors...JIM,77, and JEANINE PETERSON WACKERMAN,78, Orland are busy with the North Valley Hockey Complex in Hamilton City. Jim coaches son Gabe on the 18 and under travelling team and Jeanine helps with scheduling travelling for out of town games and the family skate nights held every Saturday...TODD,78 and DENISE SIMPSON TALBOT,80, moved from Newport Beach to Balboa Island... CRAIG THOMAS,79, Chico, is the executive chef at Enloe Medical Center supervising a kitchen staff of 40 and getting to cook once a week, was also the co-founder of the Red Tavern and Farm Star Pizza. Craig's dad is DICK THOMAS, 55 and his grandmother, the late FLOSSIE BRYANT THOMAS was in the class of '29.

The Class of 1983 held its 30th class reunion,
June 22, 2013

A pre-party was held at Farwood Restaurant on Friday evening and the class reunion was held the following evening at the Rolling Hills Casino in Corning. There were approximately 55 in

attendance, with this being the first reunion some had attended. Classmates traveled from Oregon, Washington, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho, Ohio, Michigan, Maryland, and surrounding areas in California.

News from the 80's - KEITH

BUTTON,80, moved from Bend OR to Trenton IL...KEVIN PARKER, 80, moved from San Jose to Grass Valley...HENRY DRESCHLER, 81, moved from Roseville to Auburn...REBECCA CUFAUDE, 81, moved from Shasta Lake to Red Bluff...TIM OVERTON,81, Lynnwood WA, received the "2012 Instructor Excellence Award for Team Technical Contributions" in February 2013. Tim teaches wind tunnel testing. He went to work for Boeing Aircraft in Everett WA when he graduated as an aeronautical engineer from Cal Poly San Luis Obispo in '86. Tim's title is Lead Engineer in Aerodynamics - Stability Control. Among the many planes he has helped design is the 787 Dreamliner and he is now working on the 777x...MARTIN O'BRIEN,81, moved from Orland to Corning...JACK SCHMITKE,81, moved from ME to Kennewick WA...JEFFREY MANGUM,81, Charlottesville VA, a scientist at the National Radio Astronomy Observatory headquarters, has added the additional job of Editor of the *Publications of the Astronomical Society of the Pacific*, a peer reviewed scientific journal specializing in astrophysical research that commits all of its net income to the advancement of science education. Jeff specializes in developing advanced astronomical instrumentation, and the journal is one of the top places for instrument and software developers in astronomy to rigorously document and disseminate their contributions to the field. Jeff also leads the observatory's summer student program and contributes to other educational and outreach activities... ROBERT SIMMONS, 81, moved from Sacramento to Oakland...KENNETH OLNEY,81, moved from Madison AL to Harvest AL...JEANETTE LOWE, 81, moved from Orland to Lincoln...CHRIS OVERTON, 82, fresh from his OAA Alumnus of the Year award, was on an aircraft waiting to take-off at the San Francisco Airport when Asiana Flight 214 crashed July 2013 and was at the Navy Yard in Washington DC when the Navy Yard shooting occurred in September. When he first heard that the Navy Yard was under a security guard lockdown because of a shooter in

Building 197, he was sure it was a mistake. He knows guards check IDs at every entrance and a person has to have a security clearance of some kind to work at the Yard. As the incident unfolded, his thoughts went out to all those families that had a loved one leave that morning for a normal Monday of work and not return that night. Tim states he personally never felt in danger given the massive law enforcement response. But, he had been in the building where the shooting occurred just 40 minutes before the shooting began... MARTIN MARTINEZ,83, Santa Paula...ROBERT STOCKTON,83, moved from Orland to Grand Junction CO...JAMIE HAWKS,83, Fresno...DOUGLAS UPTMOR,83, moved from E. Palo Alto to Santa Clara...BONNIE BALTAZAR,83, El Dorado Hills, obtained her Liberal Studies degree from CSU Chico in '88 and is married with two children...ROBERTA OLNEY,83, moved from Forbestown to Meadow Valley...BRIAN O'HAIR,83, moved from Grants Pass OR to Bend OR...STACY HAYTON TAYLOR,84, moved from Hillrose CO to Bandon OR...MATHEW ROMANO,84, moved from Tempe AZ to Woburn MA...TERRIE WADSWORTH HACKETT, 84, moved from Orland to Sacramento...LEE,85 and SHERRI VERESCHAGIN HALDORSON,87, Ukiah, Lee retired from the US Marine Corps and is now a police officer for Coyote Valley. Sherri is the branch manager for the Savings Bank of Mendocino in Hopland...CATHERINE COLLETTE MYHERS, 85, moved from Fallbrook to Santa Rosa...JASON GAGE,85, moved from S. Pasadena to Los Angeles...JAIME RAIGOZA,86, Chico, completed his PhD in computer science from Nova Southeastern University and is a lecturer at CSU Chico...LAURA THOMAS LEPKOWSKY,86, moved from Roseville to Castro Valley...JASON DAHL,88, Orland, is the police chief for the city of Willows.

Do you have a yearbook from 1982 or 1984? Gene Russell will send an Annual Dinner ticket to anyone that can provide an edition from one of these years. Call him at (530) 865-9555 if you can help OAA "complete" their collection.

News from the 90's - DONALD

ROYCE,90, Clarksville TN, is currently in the US Army as a MP instructor, stationed in Afghanistan.

He is an E-6 with 20 years of service. He has attended many army schools such as Airborne, Air Assault, Ranger and Sniper. He has been deployed to Iraq, Kuwait, Panama, Honduras and Egypt. When he is home in Clarksville he is a full-time fireman...DR. DAN PETERSON, 90, Seattle, is a professor of Humanities at Seattle University's Matteo Ricci College and for the university's Department of Theology and Religious Studies. He was ordained in July 2013 as a pastor in the Evangelical Lutheran Church for a specialized call in ministry to students as a professor at Seattle University... BUTCH PETERSON, 92, Orland, teaches Spanish and Music at William Finch Charter School in Orland and Shasta College (history/political science). FRED PEREZ,52, visited the Spanish courses in the Spring of 2013 to share about Spain along with the preparation of a true Spanish tortilla. Children of RIGO LANZARIN,91 and JAY,77, and SANDRA HOFF BOSTROM, 86, were standout students in the first ever school music education concern in June 2013...S. RYAN TERRY,95, moved from Sacramento to Woodland...ASTRA SHANNON DOSS,95, moved from Chico to Durham.

News from the 00's - JILL

VERESCHAGIN,00, is the store manager for Kohl's Department Store of Bozeman MT...DILLON WACKERMAN, 01, Nacogdoches TX, received his masters in Library Science from CSU San Jose and is the digital archivist for the East Texas Research Center at Stephen F. Austin University... SAMANTHA FRANCIS,06, Chico, is the lead vocalist for Decades, a Chico based band dedicated to playing popular music from as many decades as possible. In the three years since their formation, the band has played more than 220 shows. Check out their debut album - Take Me Back.

News from the 10's - MICHELLE

SHELDEN GREGORIO, 11, accepted scholarships to play softball for Wayne Peace University, a NCAA Division III school, in Raleigh NC...Classmate HEATHER OAKLEY,11, accepted an athletic scholarship to play softball for the University of Delaware in Newark. A Division I program, Heather is expected to play first base and bat cleanup for the Blue Hens. While at Sacramento City College she was named to the first

team all-conference and was an All-Northern California team selection...SOPHIE WACKERMAN,11, a member of the Chico State Tennis Club, is heading to a national competition after pulling off a huge upset against Stanford university's club team. CSU Chico received an anonymous \$250,000 donation to rebuild their tennis courts so the club began competing more often, and now attends four to seven tournaments a semester.



MERGERS

TERI TROVAO 80 – JEFF MOORE 80
 ASHLEY VIEGAS 04 - Andrew Piersons
 LISA SMITH 04 – Justin Gibbs
 JACK BLUM 78 – LaLeh Hariri

ANNIVERSARIES

66 years – Louis, 41 and Ann JOHNSON
 65 years – Walter and BARBARA THOMAS
 LOHSE,46



IN THE MILITARY

Army National Guard Pvt. DALE J. ASKELAND JR.,11, graduated from One Station Unit Training at Fort Leonard Wood, which included basic military training and advanced individual training. DALE is the son of DALE J. ASKELAND SR,79, and grandson of BEVERLY KANDLER ASKELAND,56 .



Alumni Help the OHS Band

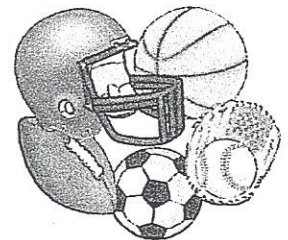
The OHS class of 1977 had left-over funds from a recent reunion and decided to kick off a drive to raise funds for new uniforms for the Orland High

School marching band with a \$500 donation. The class “challenges” OHS alumni to follow them in this fund drive!

With the leadership and enthusiasm of the new band director, Mike Walker, the marching and concert band has increased in numbers from 50+ players two years ago to 85 this school year and the possibility of 110 musicians by 2015. The present uniforms have “seen their day” and the numbers do not supply the need. The band’s half-time performance at the Orland/Willows game this year was superb, but Willows “out-shined” OHS in appearance with their “classy” uniforms! Mr. Walker is challenging his students with the hope of a performance in Disneyland at the end of the year.

Already over \$1000 has been collected toward the goal of \$48,000 to purchase 110 band uniforms (each uniform costs \$450) Donors of \$450.00 will have their name sewn on the inside pocket of a uniform. Monetary donations of any amount will be greatly appreciated.

If you want to support the OHS band in their efforts to obtain new uniforms, your donation may be sent to the Orland High School, Attn Mike Walker,1320 6th St. Orland CA 95963. The checks should be made out to the OHS Student Body with “Band Uniforms” in the memo line.



The latest class of inductees into the Orland High School Athletic Hall of Fame were honored in April 2013. This year’s inductees were:

DON FRAILEY,50, a three-sport athlete, made his mark on the baseball field where he helped lead the Trojans to a 13-1 record and a Westside League Championship. A first baseman, he also pitched and went 4-0 during the championship season. After high school Don spent time playing minor league baseball in the New York Giants baseball organization. Also a standout on the gridiron, Don played running back on the 1949 championship team, scoring six touchdowns and throwing all of OHS’ touchdown passes that year. In basketball he

also started and was the second leading scorer on the team.

CHRIS DIXON,55, did a little bit of everything as a high school athlete. He was the league MVP in football and earned All-North State honors leading the Trojans to an 8-0-1 record. He still holds the school record for touchdowns in a game with five. In basketball he finished his career as the all-time leading scorer with 524 points and led the Trojans to a Westside League Championship in 1954. In track and field he set the league record in the pole vault and helped lead OHS to a WSL and Northern Section championship in 1955. He was also an accomplished tennis player, trombone player and singer. Chris, a war hero, was the first Orland resident killed in the Vietnam War and his name is listed on the Vietnam War Memorial in Washington DC.

TRAVIS HATCHER,57, excelled on the gridiron and on the track for OHS in the late '50s. A wide receiver in football, he was first team All-North State and second team All-NorCal after setting a school record with 10 touchdown receptions. In track he was top hurdler, winning the 180 hurdle at the section meet and advancing to State where he set league and school records.

JOHN HEINTZ,63, was a standout in football and track and field from 1960-1963. Coach Ray Ballock brought John up to the varsity as a sophomore where he was a first string end and defensive lineman. As a junior he helped the team finish 9-0 and ranked No. 1 in Superior California by the Sacramento Bee. While a senior John excelled on defense for the Trojans who finished 7-1-1 and won their fourth straight league championship. He was all-league, All-Superior California first team, All-Northstate first team and All NorCAL second team by the San Francisco Chronicle. He was also chosen to play in the Optimist All-Star football game. In track he helped the Trojans win the Northern Section championship in '63 while setting school records in the shot put and discus.

DENNIS BALLOCK,71, holds nearly every passing record at OHS. Playing in Orland's passing offense coached by his father Ray, he threw for an Orland record 1,851 yards as a senior in 1970 and that records stands today. For his OHS career

Dennis completed 213 passes in 446 attempts for 3,167 yards, all school records. He also had 24 career touchdown passes. He led the Trojans to a Westside League title in 1970, earning WSL MVP honors, and was also a standout on the basketball and baseball teams. He was the second-leading scorer on Orland's second place basketball team in 1971, finishing with 302 points. In baseball he was a starting second baseman.

JAVIER LOPEZ, 76, just as he was beginning his wrestling career for the Trojans, the OHS wrestling dynasty was beginning under first year head coach Jeff Patch. Javier captured the Westside League Championship at 112 pounds in his sophomore year and finished second at the Northern Section meet while leading Orland to a 12-1 dual meet record and the school's first league title. As a junior he once again won the Westside League championship at 112 pounds and helped Orland go 14-0 in dual meets with a second-straight league title. He finished fourth at the section meet that season. For his senior year he went 34-1-1 and captured the Northern Section individual championship at 112 pounds. He was also a league champion for a third-straight season and helped Orland win a WSL title and finish second at the Northern Section meet. The team this year also went 15-0 in dual meets.

CHRIS HARRIS,85, excelled in four sports earning league MVP three times and playing on six Westside League and Northern Section championship teams. In volleyball, Chris was league MVP while leading the Trojans to a 16-2 overall record and a WSL title in 1983. As a senior, she led her team to a 21-3 overall record and a Northern Section title. In softball she was named the league MVP in 1983 and 1984 while leading the Trojans to back-to-back league and section championship teams. She also played on Orland's section title team in 1985. In track, she won the silver medal in shot put and discus three years in a row at the Westside League meet. She also participated on two section championship teams in 1983 and 1985. In basketball Chris was three-year starter.

Along with the aforementioned alumni, Eileen Mason and Stan Kinnier were inducted as coaches and Ty Barron as community contributor. Mason had a league record of 77-43 in volleyball, teams winning three WSL championships and two

Northern Section titles. In softball her teams won the league championships all six years she coached ('83- '88). Her '85 team finished the season ranked No. 4 in the state small school rankings by Cal-Hi Sports while the '86 team was No. 7, '87 team No. 5 and the '88 team No. 9. Eileen has taught at OHS since 1982. Kinnier produced championship basketball teams during two different stints as head coach. From '66-'71 his teams won 66 games including a WSL championship in '66. That team from '66 remains the highest scoring team in school history. He also coached from '80-'88, winning 102 games during that span.

OAA Scholarships for the 2013 class were awarded to: Michelle Inzunza; Shannon Pflum and Mason Weupe. Each graduate will receive \$750 when they have completed one semester of secondary education.

CSF also recognizes past sealbearers at their annual luncheon. Those honored from the class of 1963 were: Sister Mary Bertagna; Elizabeth Bestul; Virginia Cunningham (deceased); Rex Hassard, Dorothy Martens Rongley; Barbara Reimers Testerman; Rosita Scroggins Arreguy; Dr. John G. Schmidt; Don Stein and Jim Taylor. Those honored from the class of 1988 were: Jeanelle Downey; Jeff Leach; Wade Lacque; Tamara Loff Bonet; Shuana Schlenker; Eric Reimer and Jennifer Ussery Sites.

OHS students Allison Wallace, Fatima Melgarejo and Marisela Velasquez were selected to attend the 29th Annual Range and Natural Resources Camp at the Elkus Youth Ranch in Half Moon Bay. While there they were immersed in science and management topics related to the use and conservation of rangelands, forests and riparian areas in California. The camp is conducted by the California-Pacific section of the Society for Range Managements.

The Trojans hosted the Willows Honkers in September and kept the Ax, scoring 28 points to the opponents 0.

The first 5K Zombie Run was held in October as a fundraiser for the Orland Unified School District's music program. Nearly 100 participants had to make their way through a 3.1 mile course of

attacking zombies. The Lambda Iota of Beta Sigma Phi donated \$300 toward OHS band uniforms.

Amy Madden, 14 and Vanessa Mendoza, 14 are the first ever junior docents for the Orland Art Gallery. Both are students of OHS art teacher MOLLY WALLACE, 71. The two young women will be mentoring under docents Jan Taylor and Mary Allen and will use the experience for their community connection project. Amy and Vanessa will volunteer at the gallery and present a power point presentation of their experience to a panel of judges later in the school year.

2013 Girls tennis captured the NSCIF Division II championship. They finished their season 19-4.

Thank you for your help in compiling last year's edition of the OAA Newsletter:

Sharon Sivisind Heise; Lorraine Brouse Piazza; Erma Harwood Cushman; Nelia Hancock Benson; Lynette Benson; Bea Walsh Bible; Pat Daniels Mullinax and Irma Levet Overton. OAA needs volunteers throughout the year for various functions, let us know if you can help. Orlandalumni.org or Irma at (530) 865-2520

Upcoming Events:

Annual Dinner Meeting – February 22, 2014
60th year reunion for 1954 – May 3, 2014 Moose Lodge, Orland. Contact Pat Daniels Mullinax (530) 865-4561
55th year reunion for 1959 – October 4, 2014 at the Glenn Co Golf & Country Club. Contact Nancy Rongley Montero (530) 570-1558
50th year reunion for 1964 – September 20, 2014 at the home of Spike Schonauer. Contact Roberta Stein (530) 865-2271 or Spike (530) 934-3728
40th year reunion for 1974 – TBD
10th year reunion for 2003 – February 22, 2014 Contact Kendra Gates Kaneshiro via Facebook or call (530) 865-3949
10th year reunion for 2004 – September 9, 2014 Contact Heather Niegel Murrillo (530) 519-2583

IN MEMORIUM

ENID FOSHAUG TETZLAFF 1929
STANLEY JOHNSON 1934
MILDRED KASAK URBAN 1934
WANDA PUTZGE 1935
EDITH ALLEN BARCELOUX 1936
ARNOLD HILLS 1937
FLORENCE HELIN BARNEY 1937
CHARLES ERICKSON 1937
LENA NICOLAI WOODMANSEE 1937
ALDO GUIDOTTI 1937
CAMILLE BAY MERANDA 1938
EVELYN PEHRSON CURCIO 1938
VIRGINIA FLOOK HENRY 1938
LAURENCE "OLE" OLSEN 1939
RUTH JASPER REIMERS 1939
LOUISE PETER HIGGINBOTHAM 1940
DOROTHY REHSE PIEPER 1940
GLENN TIBESSART 1942
DORIS CLARK DANIELS 1942
JOHN TANNER 1942
ADYLENE BOSTROM SMITH 1942
JOSEPHINE FOSTER MURRAY 1942
EARL R. SMOOT 1942
BEN DONNELLEY 1943
SHIRLEY PAPST HODGE 1944
ALLAN R. CUSHMAN 1944
JEWEL MAE HIBDON MITCHELL 1944
JOELLA ADAM TUNNELL 1945
HARRIETT PETER HAASE 1945
CHARLES WHITSETT 1945
CHARLES TEMPLETON 1945
LEONORA CECCON PESTANA 1945
DONA HANKS PETERSON 1946
NELDA RAHORST AGUIAR 1946
BERNALD KALB 1946
GERALD RADFORD 1946
LAURENCE "LARRY" BORACCI 1947
BETTY JEAN BERRY VALINE 1947
BOBBEYE YOUNG MEYER 1947
PHYLLIS GAMBLE BOWMAN 1947
JOHN HESS 1948
LAURENCE AGUIAR 1948
BETTY LINDOU BILLS 1948
IRIS FABER WEATHERSBEE 1948
PATRICK LEE STILWELL 1949
WILBUR VONASEK 1949
MARGARET SCHROEDER SANFORD 1949
PATSEY YOUNG STEUBEN WINCAPAW 1950
RAYMOND LYON 1950

THOMAS BROWN 1950
DONALD SEEVERS 1950
CLIFFORD THOMAS 1950
GENEVIEVE HOIT DAY 1951
MARY LOU ABSHIRE FLAGG 1951
EDWARD A. PETERSON 1951
JUNE BRODERSON SEALY 1951
BILL BELLER 1951
FRANCES PRATT MCCOLLUM 1952
ROBERT "BOB" HANSEN 1951
JAMES FRED WELCH 1953
LEONARD BROWN 1953
JOHN STANBERY 1954
JIM WEVER 1955
MARION CUNNINGHAM GUNDRY 1955
SHARON NIELSEN CHRISTA 1958
DAVID PEHRSON 1958
PATSEY STUCKEY ROYCE 1960
MICHAEL OSBORN 1961
LARRY LEWIS 1962
JEAN HULL MALLIRES 1962
SHARON BLACET WEESE 1962
ROBERT SILVEIRA 1962
VIRGINIA CUNNINGHAM 1963
FRANK HANSON 1963
KENNETH DALTON 1964
CHARLENE CHAPMAN FERNAND 1964
JAMES WESTABY 1964
DENISE SARDINAH ALBERRO 1964
SHARON REID OLNEY 1964
MIKE HUGHES 1965
STEVE MORGAN 1966
MILENA EVARO WATTERS 1966
GEORGE LEWIS 1966
PATRICIA VICTORINO 1967
BILLY CHARLES SHANNON 1967
ERNEST "ERNIE" POULSEN 1968
GLEN BAILEY 1970
MAJOR HOGGARD 1970
JIM SEALY 1970
THERESA GALVAN PETE 1972
JAMES T. DANIELS 1972
DIANA RICE 1976
DERRICK HAZELTON 1982
DEBBIE PURSELL 1982
MIKE RIOS 1984