



Panther Postscripts



BURLINGAME HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER *SPRING/SUMMER EDITION 2019* - Editor Rusty Knudsen

BHSAA President Rusty Knudsen



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I am pleased to announce that we have moved to a more user friendly and much easier to manage website for the BHS Alumni. You can now find us at www.BurlingameAlumni.com. Please register on this site by clicking on the "Sign In" and following the prompts. Here you will find information on Class Reunions, alumni events like Golf and Bocce Ball tournament, Hall of Fame and much, much more. A lot of work went into moving to a new website to be easier to navigate and offer a more enjoyable experience to the alumni.

The Alumni association is pleased to announce several new members to our group with the following; Henk Van Arkel '72, Brian Ackley '73, Melody White Ackley '73, Brett Ross '73, Amy Feiner '77, Antony Nispel '78, Ed Lopez '78, Linda Stover Ferrando '78, Myrna Fernandez '79, joining our growing organization to help with several committees; 100th Anniversary of BHS in 2023, Web-Site, Reunions, Annual Events, Fund Raising, Publication, Scholarships, Hall of Fame, History of BHS, Hospitality, Advisory roles. If you would like to join us, please Contact me, Rusty Knudsen bhsalumni74@gmail.com and come join us at our next meeting.

You can find our Schedule for meetings at the end of this newsletter or on our web site. www.burlingamealumni.com

We held a couple of events in May. The 10th Annual Alumni Golf Tournament, which was held on Friday May 3rd at Poplar Creek. The following day on Saturday May 4th we had our 1st Bocce Ball event at Washington Park. Both of these event can be found on our website as well for more details for you to join next year.

We are starting the groundwork on planning for the 100th year celebration of BHS which will be sometime in 2023.

We are also looking to having more fund raising events to help support scholarships, Hall of Fame ceremonies, Alumnus of the Year, updating our Alumni room and preparing for BHS Centennial Recognition Campaigns to help raise the necessary funds to keep the Alumni Organization thriving.

BHS Principal Paul Belzer



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Alumni and BHS Panther Families, As we transition from the end of the school year to summer vacation, I would like to take this opportunity to recognize and thank our Alumni Association and all our BHS families for the support we

receive every day. Through the individual support for our students, volunteering at school activities, and through contributions to our school, our students and school are truly fortunate to have the tremendous support we do.

I would also like to recognize some long standing BHS staff who have made an indelible impact on our school but are now moving on to other endeavors. BHS has three retirees this year; Spanish and Italian Teacher Mrs. Pina Heyer, School Counselor Mrs. Karen Latham, and Campus Supervisor Mr. Randy Williams. Between them, they have nearly 100 years of experience working with high school students and have been a steady and guiding force in the lives of thousands of students. In addition to our retirees, English Teacher Mr. Jim Burke and Counselor Mrs. Tammy Esrailian are also moving on to new professional challenges. BHS will not be the same without their collective wisdom and good humor but I am grateful to have shared the time we've had.

It has been a tremendous year. As I visited with our students at the Senior Picnic just before Graduation, I was overwhelmed by the excitement and enthusiasm on display. Seniors playing volleyball, signing yearbooks, and enjoying the various blow-up games and activities- simple, easy fun. There is enough to be concerned about it in the near future but for the day, it was wonderful to see them just enjoy the moment. As I spoke with several soon-to-be graduates, I was happy to hear them reflect on their year and their overall high school experience with joy and gratitude. It has not always been easy and each student's experience is unique, but I was grateful to hear the various stories that made their experience rewarding and fulfilling.

In close, I would again like to express what a privilege it is to serve as Principal of BHS. Our students, families, staff, and alumni are all contribute to making BHS an exceptional school and I am grateful for all the support in helping make the 2018-19 school year a tremendous success. I wish you all a relaxing and enjoyable summer. Go Panthers!
Paul Belzer, Principal

BHS **Alumni of the Year**



2019 - AL FACCHINI, CLASS OF 1949

Our 2019 Alumnus of the Year was raised in Burlingame, attending Washington Elementary School and BIS Intermediate. Al was a terrific athlete and excelled in all sports. At age 14, he became the Northern California Bicycle Champion (his father was the bicycle champion of Northern Italy). In 1946, Al entered Burlingame High School.

He was a two-sport athlete and started for both the BHS baseball and basketball varsity teams each of his four years. Baseball was always his 1st love however. During WWII, high school baseball was not played in the Bay Area. It resumed in San Mateo County in 1946. Money was tight and the school district did not have enough money for new uniforms, so players had to use the uniforms from the 1939 team, the last organized team to play. Al vividly remembers "the moths and the smell" after opening the metal trunk where they were stored for seven years. The uniforms weren't in terrible shape, but because the fabric had deteriorated a little, they tore easily when sliding into a base. New uniforms were purchased in 1947, which brought a whole new vitality to the program.

Al was one of BHS's two starting pitchers as well as their shortstop. He was chosen to the All-County team three consecutive years. Al played in the Babe Ruth American Legion All Star game at Seals Stadium in 1947 with Babe Ruth in attendance. In 1948, Al was chosen the MVP of the Examiner All Star game and was awarded a trip to New York to play in a top prospect game at Yankee Stadium.

While there, he got to personally meet the World Champion New York Yankees. As a senior, his outstanding play attracted many scouts to Burlingame High School.

Upon graduating from BHS, Al signed with the Boston Braves (soon to be the Milwaukee Braves). He started out in the California League and led the league in stolen bases in 1951. Baseball was going great until he was drafted into the Korean War in 1952. He served in the Army with Fox Company. He was the squad's BAR man (BAR man was the soldier who was responsible for the unit's machine gun). If you know anything about military history, the enemy would always target the flamethrower and the BAR soldiers, as they represented the greatest threat to the opposition. War is hell and no one should have to experience what Al did while fighting on the front lines. Like many veterans, it's still difficult to talk about 67 years later. In the middle of the war, branches of the military formed baseball teams for the benefit of soldiers' entertainment. Because of his athletic background, Al was chosen to join the "team." After a year of fighting on the front lines, Al and his new teammates' responsibilities included loading ammunition onto transport trucks, and other "hands on" work. One day, Al got the heart wrenching news that his former unit in Fox Company was ordered to take an enemy hill. The news came back that every soldier in the unit was either wounded or killed in action. In fact, Hollywood made a movie called Pork Chop Hill starring Gregory Peck about the infamous battle. Incredibly, the game that he loved since he was a kid probably saved his life.

When the war ended in 1953, Al resumed his baseball career with the Milwaukee Braves. He eventually made the Major League club, where he played with Brave greats (and Hall of Famers), Hank Aaron, Warren Spahn, Eddie Matthews, Del Crandall, Lew Burdette, and Frank Torre (brother of Joe Torre). In fact, the great Warren Spahn was Al's roommate. One of Al's memorable moments was being called to pinch hit in a spring training game and face the Brooklyn Dodgers Hall of Fame pitcher, Tommy Lasorda. It was the bottom of the ninth, and Al's pinch-hit single won the game for the Braves. He was the last cut that spring, but played seven more years on AAA teams.

In 1957, Al's baseball team went to Cuba to play against the Cuban national team. Tensions were high between both countries and the team was surrounded

with armed guards at all times. Al led off their first game and singled. The next batter hit a ground ball and Al slid into second and took the second baseman out with a hard slide. The fans got riled up and Al was taken out of the game for his own safety. Because of the threats, he didn't get into the other two scheduled games. A few months later, a ballplayer was shot and that was the end of baseball in Cuba for the United States.

After Al retired from baseball in 1961, he became an extremely successful wholesale liquor distributor. He also opened a restaurant on El Camino in San Mateo, which many of your parents probably ate at. It was called Taddy's Steak House, and was known for serving the best steaks on the Peninsula.

Al had the privilege of being the first baseball player to be voted into the Burlingame High School Hall of Fame in 1997. Asked about his favorite teacher, without hesitation he mentioned Vic Mangini (yes, that Vic Mangini). Vic was a Physical Education and Math teacher in 1948. He took interest in Al and no doubt saw what a special player and person he would become.

Al has always stayed in touch with his class, organizing and attending his class reunions. He still proudly wears his colors (red & white) and promotes BHS and his high school experience wherever he goes. He's a lifetime member and recently donated all of his yearbooks to us here at the Alumni Association (1946-1949).

Whether in baseball, military, or any other part of his life, He did it the "right way" and always with "passion." Al's story is an inspiration to all past, present and future BHS students and athletes and one we can all be very proud of.

The BHS Alumni Association

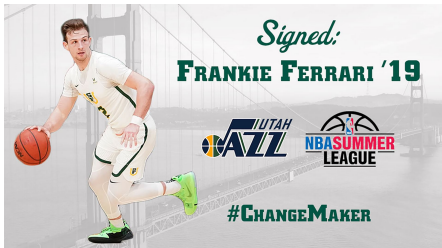
Is Proud to induct,

Al Facchini, Class of 1949

BHS Alumnus of the Year



BHS Panthers In the News



#2 Frankie Ferrari – G / 6'1" / 188lbs

SAN FRANCISCO – Two-time First Team All-WCC guard Frankie Ferrari has signed an NBA Summer League contract with the Utah Jazz.

Ferrari will report to Utah's training camp this week and will compete with the Jazz during summer league which takes place July 1-3 and in Vegas July 5-15.

"I'm very excited about the opportunity to be a part of the Utah Jazz," said Ferrari. "Playing in the NBA has always been a goal of mine and this is the first step in achieving that goal."

The native of Burlingame, Calif., finished his career with 1,053 points which is 30th all-time. He's fifth all-time with 172 made 3-point field goals and third all-time with 410 assists. He is one of two players in program history to post back-to-back seasons in which he scored at least 400 points and dished out 150 or more assists.

Best of luck to Frankie Ferrari for continued success from the BHS Alumni.



"Class News"

An Alumni Update

By Dianne Ragozzino Knudsen '74

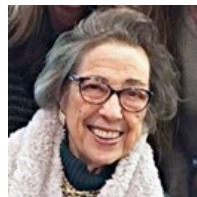
We want to know what **you and your classmates have been up to, have done or are doing now!!** Please send your stories to **Dianne Knudsen** at dknudsenBHSalumni@gmail.com or mail them to Burlingame High School Alumni Association, 1 Mangini Way, Burlingame, CA 94010 c/o Dianne Knudsen or at info@burlingamealumni.org

40's



George Edward Cator '41 passed away September 17, 2017. Mr. Cator was born in San Francisco and raised in Burlingame and Hillsborough. At

Burlingame High School he was active in student government and athletics. Mr. Cator was recently enshrined into the school's Sports Hall of Fame. He lettered four years in football and two years in track. He was captain of the 1940 undefeated football team. The team had played together for four years and possessed the most outstanding record of any group of football players in the history of the school. They dominated the PAL with George, and four other players, on the All-PAL football team. George lettered two years on the track team and was student body president. After graduation, George went to Menlo College where he lettered in football. He later went to Stanford, UCLA, and Harvard Business College. He went on to graduate from Stanford University, Class of '45, and attended Harvard Graduate School of Business. <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/sfgate/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=186847242>



Geraldine Cravalho Mitchell Classof '46 was affectionately known as "Gerry" was born on Aug 7, 1928 to Manuel and Theresa Cravalho in

San Mateo. Gerry was a happy and fun filled child. At a very young age, she felt the call to follow Jesus and did so by walking herself to Sunday Mass at St. Catherine's Catholic Church when she was seven. Gerry's walk of faith would become her greatest and most enduring quality throughout her life. Gerry

attended Burlingame Elementary School and Burlingame High School. She was always surrounded by friends that wanted to be a part of her boundless joy and energy. And oh that smile! It was those Burlingame High friends that would make up the "Gang", who shared the company of one another throughout the best and worst of life, for the next seventy years. Gerry worked her early years at a Carnation ice cream counter and you can be sure she was an expert in her field as she loved the product she was "scooping up" (especially chocolate flavors). Later, she worked as an administrative assistant for Chevron Corporation.

<https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/legacy/obituary.aspx?n=geraldine-mary-mitchell&pid=190662383>

Class of '47 tells us they are looking forward to their 75th reunion in 2022 and in keeping with the tradition that they started many years ago, held its 70th class reunion on Saturday, October 7th, 2017. The reunion was held at Cliff and Pat Donley's home. The committee that put together the reunion included Cliff Donley, Gordan Campbell, Pierre Bouquet, Ann Christianson Dorst and Joe Rodgers. (Cliff, Gordon And Pierre's wives were also involved) In addition to the committee, the graduates and or living spouses attending were: Doug Detata, Mel Moore, Joan Inglis (wife of John) Bill Lohmann, Skeet and Donna Taigen, Al Kennel, Barbara Ruth Sorby, Noel Thompson, Pat Medley Lewis, George Cope (husband of Wanda Hawley, Jean Lehman, Rhoda Strauss Kaplan and Rosemary Nettke Coburn.

50's

Terry Jackson '53 writes: My fellow guy from that great class, **John Robbins '53**, died on January 30, 2017, in Portola Valley, CA. He was 80 years old. His wife MJ Miller was with him. We both came to Blgme. as 10th grade transfers in 1950, John from the little gold-rush town of Alleghany in the foothills, and I from San Diego. Burlingame Hi was a wonderful place to come to: very open and welcoming, even though most had lived in town all their lives. John was the ultimate banjo player and performer, a true natural. He used to play at the Red Garter in SF when we were undergrads at UC Berkeley, and more recently led the banjo band that performs weekly on Tuesdays at the Hof Brau in Redwood City. I'm also a lifelong musician after playing clarinet with E. O. Brose in the band room and sax with the Rec Center Dance Band. I now play in a woodwind quintet every Wednesday here in

Berkeley and biweekly with a string quartet. Very life-giving! Thanks for your work on alumni news Regards, Terry

Michael Hurd '54 and his wife Judy have moved from their long-time hometown of Colebrook, CT to Evans, GA. Mike says that after years of hauling and splitting firewood for his wood stove, moving his lawns with his John Deere tractor, snow blowing the driveway and paths to the barn, etc., they have decided to seek a "turnkey" situation in Georgia near their daughter and son-in-law, an Army periodontist stationed at Fort Gordon. Mike says that with all the chores now covered by the home owners' association, we will be free to do more traveling and hopefully get back to our historic town in Connecticut when the temperatures here in the summer are brutal.

Colonel Richard "Rich" Alan Romer '57, USAF passed away in North Beach, Maryland on September 4, 2018.

Rich was born on December 3, 1939 in Burlingame, California to Sidney and Miriam Romer. After graduating from Burlingame High School in 1957, he went on to Stanford University, graduating in 1961. Shortly after, he accepted a commission in the US Air Force and embarked on a career as an aircraft maintenance officer and later logistician. He served all over the world with assignments in Japan, Korea, the Philippines and was a veteran of the Vietnam War, where he was awarded the Bronze Star. He culminated his career having achieved the rank of Colonel and serving as the Chief of Logistics for 12th Air Force, Bergstrom AFB, TX.
<https://www.leefuneralhomes.com/obituaries/Col-Richard-Romer-Usaf-Retired#!/Obituary>

60's

Jere Rae-Mansfield, Class of '68 asked on Facebook:

What is your most prominent memory of 1968? Martin Luther's death? Astronauts viewing earth from space for the first time? Vietnam war? Please keep it clean and non-political, but lets hear from you. We are the generation that changed how the world heard from the US.

Here are some of the Class of 1968's answers to that question:

J Said: Vietnam War and the entire political storm that accompanied it. Pentagon papers, Watergate, Chicago 1968 Democratic convention, Kent State, and all the dissident movements

challenging our Government. My trust of Government and Politicians of any party started its decline, and now is in the negative territory. Sad scenario. So glad I was in, and still am, a profession that gives me great satisfaction that I am making a difference in every patient I treat.

M Said: Graduated from high school and entered San Jose State where anti war and black power movements were common.

L Said: Such a tumultuous time. I remember sitting on the floor in Gayle's bedroom watching TV when Bobby was shot.

K Said: Oh...such a rich time in our history. I agree with everything said above and know that this was a time when so much changed. The MUSIC was amazing and going to the Fillmore and Avalon Ballroom over and over was the best! Steve and Wayne- wow!!! Sooo much fun and again opened up my mind to more than I could have ever imagined!. If you have not read the book Season of the Witch by David Talbot I HIGHLY recommend this book- it is all about San Francisco from the 60's to the 80's- so much happened during this time when we were all awake- Manson, Patty Hearst, Jim Jones...on and on. I too just like Jim feel grateful that I chose a career that helps people because there is so much pain in the world and clearly with what is going on now we need love and support more than ever!

H Said: Hard for those of us on the baseball team to forget the very unfortunate assassination of Dr. King. We had a game scheduled at Ravenswood High in East Palo Alto the following day. Coach Milano held a team vote for taking that trip. We voted to play. Your Panthers won the game...but not without incident. Our pitcher (forgot who was on the mound) beamed one of Ravenswood's batters...the only white player in their lineup! After the last pitch was thrown, I'm pretty sure we set a record for boarding the team bus! Coach Milano retold the story at one of our alumni games, and admitted he wasn't necessarily in favor of playing that game.
T Said: Looking at all the pictures on Facebook was a great blast from the past. You all look so great. We live in San Carlos and part time in Hawaii. Life's been good and I've got a feeling the rest of our lives will be the BEST OF OUR LIVES. Name was Lee Masterson. now it's Taylor Lee Kelly

B Said: class of '68 posted on Facebook back in [November 27, 2015](#) It's been almost 30 years since the Indian Head Band had a reunion at Route 66 (October, 1986) in Burlingame. We invited everybody that had a vague memory of us. Check out the video on

Facebook under Burlingame High School Class of 1968 of Backdoor Man. Rich Bulotti filmed the crowd which included Nadine, Duncan, Jose, Karen, Mike and many more (band members include: Pete Charles, Steve Seligman, Mike Butler, Ed Valentine, Bob Cullinen, & Linda Persike

70's



Craig P. Healy '71, his loving wife, Gerriane, tells us he passed away. He attended elementary and junior high school at Clarke School for the Deaf in

Northampton, Massachusetts, where he graduated in 1968 and set many school basketball scoring records. At Burlingame, he lettered in basketball (voted All-Peninsula), track, football and baseball. He completed a four-year high school curriculum in three years. He received his undergraduate degree (1975) and graduate degree (1976) in Physical Education from California State University Northridge/CSUN. He was a starter on the school's Junior Varsity college basketball team and on the NCAA II track championship team. He was well known for his jumping ability during his young years. He was a teacher at the California School for the Deaf in Fremont for 21 years. He was also girls' basketball assistant and coach at the school. He taught American Sign Language/ASL at Chabot College during evenings for several years in Hayward.

Voted the World's Greatest Deaf Athlete in 1975, he was a world-class athlete who excelled in track, basketball and weightlifting. He was inducted to the USA Deaf Hall of Fame in 1997. Among his many athletic accomplishments, he held the World Record for the Deaf in the javelin and competed in two Deaf Olympics winning a silver and bronze medal in the javelin. In the mid-1970s, he also was voted Los Angeles' Most Improved Weightlifter. He played many years in the USA Deaf Basketball League where he led his Oakland and Los Angeles teams to multiple national championships in the 1970s and 1980s and received multiple All Tournament Team honors and a Most Valuable Player award. He was inducted to Northwest Association of the Deaf Basketball Men's Hall of Fame.

Since he grew up in MA, he loved the Red Sox, Celtics & Patriots but also he was also an avid fan of the Bay Area teams SF 49ers, SF Giants & Golden State Warriors

Cristina Panepinto Koukis '78 tells us "October 20th, 2018 marked the BHS "40th" Reunion for the graduating class of 1978. The evening was lovely in every way from the summer-like weather, to the beautiful and amazing venue @ GreenHills Country Club in Millbrae, CA; we were treated like VIP's the entire evening!



In addition, we had the pleasure of seeing one of BHS's finest teachers, Mr. Milo Gwosden, who stopped by to say hello to many of his former students & friends. "A powerful & extraordinary teacher's influence follows us throughout our lives" and this certainly rings true of Mr. Gwosden. It was an honor to see him and every guest agreed wholeheartedly!



BHS Reunion Class of 1978

When asked what their favorite aspect of the reunion was, the alumni stated, "for one night we are transported back in time through our memories, seeing familiar faces, reminiscing about days gone by & giving us a little piece of our past back."

The event planning was a collaborative effort that included BHS alumni Mike Prozan, Gigi Glafkides, Cristina Panepinto- Koukis, Ed Lopez, Christine Hackett- Lawson, Rebecca Knudsen, Joanne Coppelillo, Kendall Swisher-Kelly, Pati Vicari, Debbie Taylor-Cramer, & a much appreciated table of BHS spirit wear, hosted by Jan Privitera. Earlier that afternoon, Ed Lopez orchestrated a successful school tour of the BHS grounds. The night was filled with delicious food & beverages, dancing to the mix of tunes from our very talented

D.J. and ending the celebrations raffling off some fabulous gift cards to local restaurants & venues. As the last guest left for the evening, we heard them say, "what a fantastic night!"



L-R; Christina Panepinto Koukis, Milo Gwosden and Gigi Glafkides

90's

Gina Ausano Glaser '99 reported, "The class of 1999 celebrated our 20 year reunion last June with great success! We had over 100 alumni and spouses attend including our beloved English teacher Mr. Burke, who by the way recently retired from Burlingame High School! Congratulations Mr. Burke and thanks again for everything you've given to the school."



BHS Reunion Class of 1999

The reunion was held at the Vinyl room in Burlingame with many pitching in to make it a great success—Karli (Bulnes) Mullane created a selfie station, Emily (Lin) Karbarz baked delicious cookies and cupcakes provided by her business Elemental Baking, Julie Wisefield supplied the video she made for our 10 year reunion, Rhea (Coulter) Rampel made the great name tags with the

graduation head-shot pictures on them and Rhea Rampel and I, Gina (Ausano) Glaser organized the event. A huge thanks to all those involved—without your help it wouldn't have been the success it was. And based on the feedback, we're hearing lots of you would like to do another reunion in five years...stay tuned!



L-R; Gina (Ausano) Glaser and Rhea (Coulter) Rampel



10's



Kevin Nelson, BHS teacher for 26 years, sadly tells us of the passing of his son **Bryce Nelson class of 2015** in 2018. After graduation, Bryce was a student at Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo.

Bryce's passions for exploration, creativity, technology, and film drove his life. He saw no boundaries and had no fear of failure. His infatuation with technology was infectious and he was highly skilled in photography, film, and high-tech post-production. Throughout his youth, one of Bryce's greatest joys was being a part of the summer camp community at The Bishop's Ranch. Bryce was a loving son and brother. He was a kind and caring friend. He encouraged those around him to push beyond their fears to pursue their dreams. <https://www.legacy.com/obituarie/s/sfgate/obituary.aspx?n=bryce-nelson&pid=188925049&fhid=26209>

We would love to hear from you. Contact us at info@BurlingameAlumni.org

BHS Alumni ~ Lifetime Members

Lifetime membership donations to the BHS Alumni help support your Alma Mater in many ways. The fees collected go towards funding Hall of Fame and other Alumni events that help raise money for athletic programs as well as provide funds used towards scholarships that are awarded each May to a select few students.

Our newest Lifetime Member
Linda Scott
Thank You for your Support

BHS Alumni Reunions

Have a reunion coming up? **Laura Hesselgren, Jan Privitera, of '75 and Myrna Fernandez '79** are the Reunion Committee chairs for your reunion assistance. They can be reached at the following email address;

info@BurlingameAlumni.org and are able to help you plan your next reunion.

Did you know you could schedule a tour of the school as part of your reunion? Most reunions tour on Friday afternoon. **Linda McLaughlin** conducts the tours. She is a former BHS teacher and granddaughter to Mrs. Beeman's (Dean of Girls in the '50's & '60's). You can contact her at the following bhs_turns100@burlingamealumni.com

Reunion Info Coming Soon

Classes - 1950 '60, '70, '80, '80, '00, '10
Planning a reunion this year? Check the reunion page at for further details as they are provided to us!

www.burlingamealumni.com

Thoughtful people update us with news of an alumni passing, so the years of death are sporadic. Transitioning to the new web site, we discovered some that may have not been listed in the newsletter in the past. We will update the Memorium for 2019 in the next newsletter coming soon. If you have news of an alumni passing, please send the name, including the maiden name if applicable, and the year of death with a link to their obit for validation to DKnudsenBHSalumni@gmail.com.

IN MEMORIUM

- '23 William O Vickery.....2014
- '30 Emmet Jones.....2013
- '31 Florence Biscays.....2016
- '34 Robert Jacobs.....2015
- '38 Jeanette Louis Conroy.....2016
- '56 James Augustus Clark.....2016
- '56 John MacNamara.....unknown
- '56 Norm Swope.....2014
- '59 Kenneth Paul Fisher.....2016
- '62 Earl Frudenberg.....2010
- '63 Barbara Ross Conroy.....2016
- '63 Geraldine A MacDonald.....2016
- '64 Eric Knudsen.....2016
- '65 Burl Cohen.....2017
- '65 John Sutherland.....2017
- '66 Kenneth Paul Fisher.....2016
- '67 Chris Bolt.....2017
- '69 Neil Howard Dobson.....2018
- '70 Melissa Brooke Evans.....2016
- '73 Gayle Draper Brandt.....2015
- '73 Brian Rafferty.....2018
- '74 Lorrie Storek Moisan.....2018
- '77 Thomas Kimbrell.....2013
- '81 John Porgie.....2018
- '02 Cody Scott Nowlin.....2015
- '12 Nicholas Baylock.....2017

BHS ALUMNI APPAREL

Show your spirit by purchasing apparel from our website and the BHS Alumni Store. There you will find: Tee-Shirts, Pro-Celebrity Polo Shirts, ¼ Zip Sport-Tek Sweatshirt and Black Hoodies from Port and Company along with Baseball style hats in Red and Black. The proceeds will support our scholarship program and other alumni activities. Thanks to BHSAA Board Member Len Lubrano '64 for championing this effort.



Picture of the actual Logo



Hoodie, Polo Shirt and ¼ Zip Sweatshirt



Different Tee Shirts, Black baseball Hats.



Tee shirts and Red Baseball Hats

To place your order, go to the site above. Please look at the approximate measurements to determine size. All items are unisex. There is a slight variation between brands and it seems the t-shirts run a little small. The qualities of the shirts are very good. We hope to see you wearing your BHS Alumni apparel at the next BHS event!

BHSAA 2019 Scholarship Fund

May 20th we held the annual scholarship award night. From donations and fundraisers held throughout the year, the BHS Alumni Association is able to present nominal scholarships to students whose parents are also BHS Alumni. This year we were proud to award the following students who exemplify hard work and dedication. They are: Allison Bottarini, Julia Everson, Alexander Mak, Elena Middlemass, Katherine Mohr, Heather Perillat, Courtney Rosales



Seated L-R; Julia Everson, Allison Bottarini, Alexander Mak, Heather Perillat. Back Row; Jeff Tateosian VP BHSAA, Courtney Rosales, Katherine Mohr, Rusty Knudsen Pres BHSAA

CONGRATS TO ALL OF THIS YEARS SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS. WELL DESERVED!!!

Marshall Umpleby Scholarship Award

A scholarship honoring former teacher Marshall Umpleby has been set up through donations in his name. His daughter Amy presents the student who is selected through the English department where Mr. Umpleby was a teacher. This year's recipient was Courtney Rosales. Congrats Courtney!



L-R Courtney Rosales, Amy and Mrs Umpleby

~ Upcoming Events 2019/2020 ~

September 12th: Alumni Mtg at Burlingame Alumni room. Meeting runs from 6:00pm – 7:30pm

October 10th: Alumni Mtg at Burlingame Alumni room. Meeting runs from 6:00pm – 7:30pm

November 13th: Alumni Mtg at Burlingame Alumni room. Meeting runs from 6:00pm – 7:30pm

December 12th: Alumni Mtg at Burlingame High Alumni room. Meeting runs from 5:00pm – 6:30pm
Holiday Dinner at Celia's on Peninsula Ave. 6:30pm – 9:00pm

January 9th: Alumni Mtg at Burlingame High Alumni room. Meeting runs from 6:00pm – 7:30pm

February 13th: Alumni Mtg at Burlingame High Alumni room. Meeting runs from 6:00pm – 7:30pm

March 19th: Alumni Mtg at Burlingame High Alumni room. Meeting runs from 6:00pm – 7:30pm

April 16th: Alumni Mtg at Burlingame High Alumni room. Meeting runs from 6:00pm – 7:30pm

May 14th: Alumni Mtg at Burlingame High Alumni room. Meeting runs from 6:00pm – 7:30pm

May 15th - Alumni Golf Event Friday ~
If interested, please Contact Rusty at BHSAlumni74@gmail.com

May 16th - Alumni Bocce Event Saturday
If interested, please Contact Rusty at BHSAlumni74@gmail.com

May 20th : BHS Alumni Scholarship Awards and BHS Alumnus of the Year Presentation. Meet in Alumni room at 5:00pm then Auditorium at 6:00pm for presentations followed by Dinner at Tomatina's

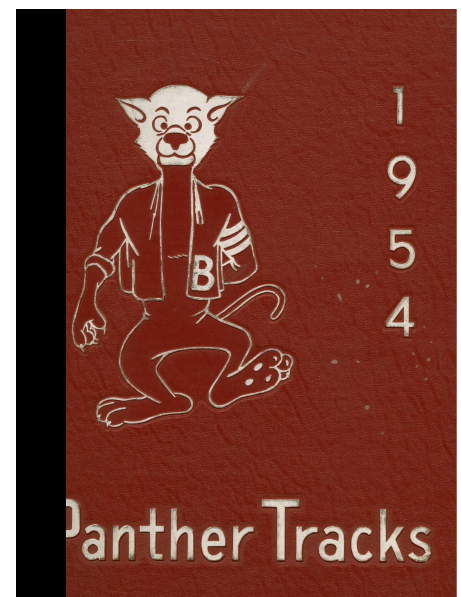
The Official BHS Alumni Web Site

We have made the move to an "Official" BHS Alumni Website, which is where you will get the newsletters, reunion information and all things assigned to Burlingame High School. Don't be fooled or confused with other sites like Classmates.com or AlumniClass.com. By

their own admission, they are not affiliated with BHS. You will find us on the website listed below at www.burlingamealumni.com

Past Alumni Newsletters (called Panther Postscripts) can also be found online as well as Hall of Fame inductees, Alumnus of the Year, In-Memory of alumni and soon the Photo Gallery section. We also have a new Reunion Guide that gives many ideas and suggestions, including a timeline if your class is just starting to plan its reunion. Find more under Reunion Section on page 3. For more info log onto BurlingameAlumni.com the only real sanctioned Alumni site of BHS

BHS YEARBOOK 1954



I'm collecting pictures of BHS Yearbook covers from all the years the school offered a yearbook. Please send me a picture of your yearbook cover so we can place on our web site depicting all the yearbook covers from 1924 on. If you have donations of yearbooks for the school or other memorabilia of the school we'd love to speak to you about those items as well. Send to BHSAlumni74@gmail.com. We're interested in pictures of the school, downtown, athletic uniforms, equipment all things BHS. THANKS IN ADVANCE!



We held our 10th annual Alumni Golf event on May 3rd, 2019 at Poplar Creek. Everyone had a great time playing a scramble format allowing for any level of golf experience to contribute. We had great golfers and we have great duffer's who play once per year at this event. Come out and have fun with your fellow alumni catch up at the 19th hole and stay for the awards.

Thanks to Derek Barton class of '70 for the wonderful Logo provided.



These are co-ed events and fundraisers for the Alumni Association. So get busy and mark your calendars. Next year's Golf event is Friday May 15th at Poplar Creek. Contact Rusty at BHSAlumni74@gmail.com

We held our 1st annual Alumni Bocce event on May 4th, 2019 at Washington Park. Everyone had a great time playing in a four person per team tournament. We had alumni spanning multiple decades for this event. This event is sure to be a huge success for many years to come. So grab your classmates and come out and have fun with your fellow alumni. You'll be glad you did

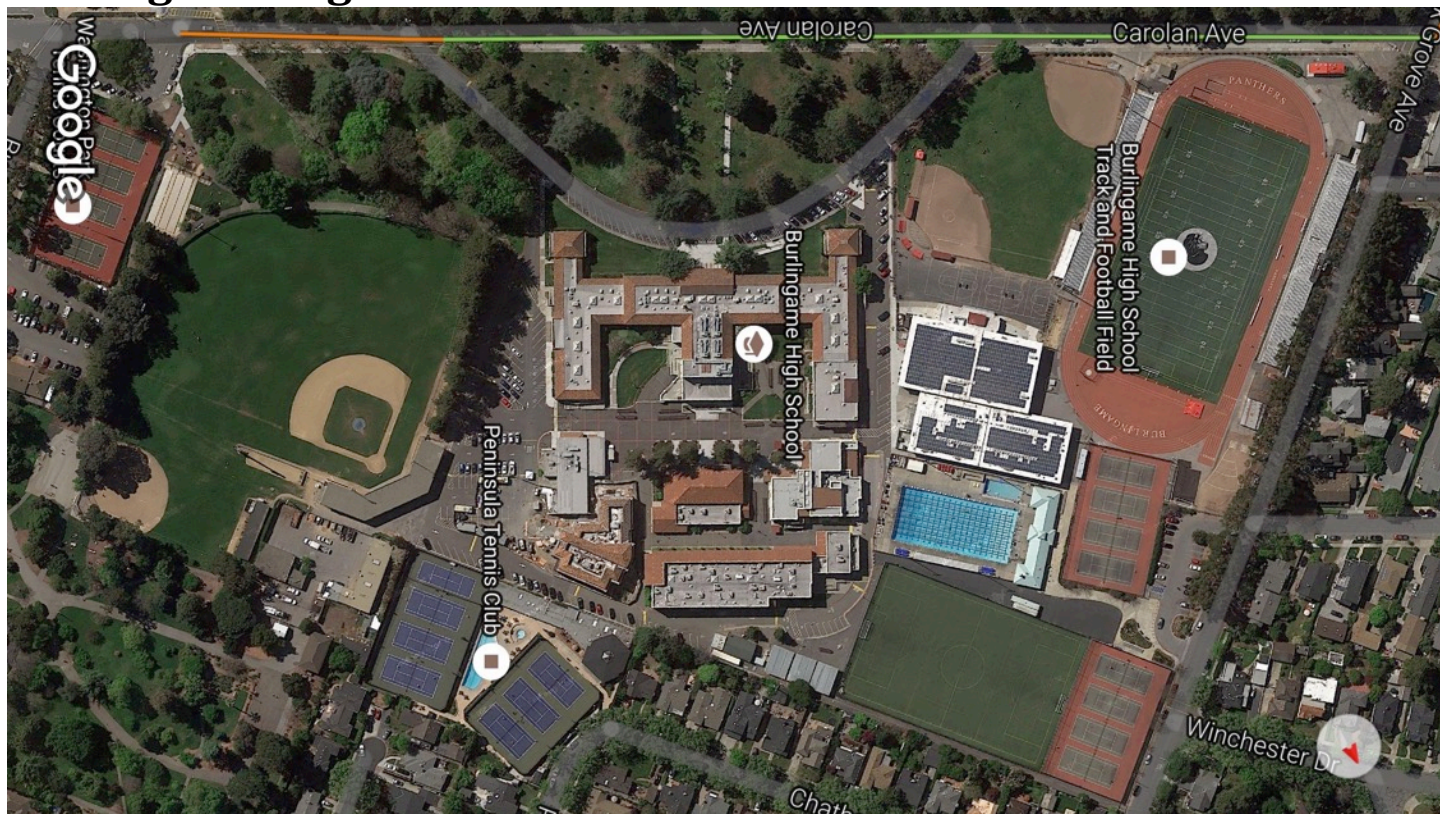
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Please be sure to check out the pics on our web site for these two events. You can find lots of pics on our web site home page at BurlingameAlumni.com

Next year's co-ed Bocce Ball Tournament is scheduled for Saturday May 16th at Washington Park between the tennis courts on Burlingame Ave and the Baseball Field. Contact Rusty at BHSAlumni74@gmail.com

Burlingame High Aerial View



This aerial view shows the upgrades BHS has gone through over the years. It is a campus we can all be proud of. At your next reunion, be sure to schedule a tour of the campus updates.

Interested in participating on the Alumni Association? Come to one of the meetings listed below. We're looking for volunteer's to help support different committees to assist in making the BHS Alumni Association the best. Committee help needed; Reunion, BHS History, and many more. Contact BHSAlumni74@gmail.com for more information

BHS Alumni Association 2019/20 Meeting Schedule

2019	Date	Start	Finish	Location
	Sep 12 th	6:00pm	7:30pm	Alumni Room
	Oct 10 th	6:00pm	7:30pm	Alumni Room
	Nov 14 th	6:00pm	7:30pm	Alumni Room
	Dec 13 th	5:30pm	7:30pm	Alumni Room - Holiday Dinner @ Celia's
2020	Date	Start	Finish	Location
	Jan 9 th	6:00pm	7:30pm	Alumni Room
	Feb 13 th	6:00pm	7:30pm	Alumni Room
	Mar 19 ^{th*}	6:00pm	7:30pm	Alumni Room (*Third Thursday)
	Apr 16 th	6:00pm	7:30pm	Alumni Room (*Third Thursday)
	May 14 th	6:00pm	7:30pm	Alumni Room (Annual Alumni Mtg)
	May 20 th	5:00pm	6:30pm	Alumni Room (Wed, Scholarship Award Night-- --Tomatina's for end of year dinner)

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Attention:

We are updating our files. Please let us know your email address. Send to Rusty Knudsen c/o
BHS Alumni Association, 1 Mangini Way, Burlingame, CA 94010 or email
BHSAlumni74@gmail.com or info@burlingamealumni.org

BHS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Enclosed is my/our check payable to: BHS Alumni Association
(address: 1 Mangini Way, Burlingame, CA 94010)

- For membership dues: \$15 per alum per year.
- For Life Membership: \$100 per alum.

- For the BHSAA programs (tax deductible).
- For the BHSAA scholarships (tax deductible).
- For the BHSAA Athletic Hall of Fame (tax deductible).
- For the Marshall Umpleby scholarship fund (tax deductible).
- For the Mike McQueen scholarship fund (tax deductible).
- For a donation "In Honor of /In Memory of..." please attach note (tax deductible).
- PLEASE UPDATE MY EMAIL OR MAILING ADDRESS.
- Please mail the Panther Postscripts to the following BHS alum
(name and address attached).

Sign up and pay online at www.burlingamealumni.org Today's Date _____

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