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Shullsburg High School Alumni News

Spring 2016

22nd Annual Banquet

Over 120 alumni and friends gathered for a fun evening at the 22^{nd} Annual Banquet and meeting held at the Wheel In, Shullsburg. Three men from the Class of 1944, Glenn Matl, Marvin Russell, and Jim King, were the most senior alumni attending the event.



Celebrating their 60th reunion from the Class of 1955 were (front row): Marlene (Lindsay) Korleski, Charlotte (Metz) Nelson, Patricia (Farrey) Knutson, Patricia (Hammer) Mullen, Joanne (Morgan) and Kurt Bale. Back row: Charles Thompson, Norman Schardt, Bernie Wiegel, and Robert Scott. Not pictured: Bob Doyle, David Hicks, and Kathleen (Burke) Runde.



Celebrating their 45th reunion from the Class of 1970 (above) were: front row L to R:Jim Stoycheff, Mary Lou (Schmitz) Woodward, Diane (Geissbuhler) Olson, Kay (Leahy) Alexander, Jill (Cherrey) Powers, Delva Palfrey, Linda (Korte) Rollinger, Mary Ann (Edge) Poppy; back row: Bethel Ubersox, Tom Walton, Dennis Fryar, Terry Larson and Jim Sargent. Steve Wand and Lonnie Averkamp also attended but weren't present for photo.



Celebrating their 40th reunion from the Class of 1975 (above) were: front row L to R: Mark Walker, Pat Webber, Michele (Menard) Wedige, and Stan Woodworth; back row: Callen Harty & Tom Black.

Three board members were elected to serve 3-year terms on the Alumni Board. Elected were Pat Timmerman (95), Dave Weiskircher (69) and Tom Black (75).

Winners of this year's 50/50 raffle were: Curt Russell - \$138.75, Patricia Teasdale - \$69.38, Jerry Leahy - \$41.63 and Tom Lethlean - \$27.75. Thank you all for supporting the *Miner Tremor*!

Our next banquet is scheduled for September 17, 2016 at the Wheel In. This is Homecoming Weekend. Mark your calendars! Hope you'll make plans to be there!

New Members

Welcome to our newest members: Steve Leitzinger (78), Denise (Gleason) Leitzinger (81), Tim Harty (80), Heidi (Skatrud) Harty (81), Richard McCauley (71), Bob Wedige (70), Sandy (Wiegel) NeCollins (69), and Patricia (Morris) Gile (58).

Alumni Board Changes

We send out a big "<u>Thank You</u>" to Tammy (Schunk) Morrissey (83), Cuba City, for her 7 years of service on the board, from the fall of 2008 until her resignation in the fall of 2015. Welcome to Jamie Roberts (99), Shullsburg, who has been appointed by the board to complete her term. Newly elected board officers are: Mary Gensler, president; Dave Weiskircher, vicepresident; Tom Black, secretary; and Cheryl Mulcahy, treasurer

Book Sales



The new *Shullsburg High School History 1861-2015* book is now available and has been on sale since September 2015. We've had some issues with the binding and appreciate your understanding as we get this corrected. A lot of volunteer time and effort

was put into the book and we have had great feedback on the content. The book is in color, lists the graduates, their photos, names and photos of faculty and crossreferences graduates with their married names, if known.

The books are \$35 each and can be mailed to you for an additional \$5. Books can be purchased at Clare Bank or at Kingsley Crossing in Shullsburg. If you'd like to have one mailed to you please send a check made out to "Shullsburg Alumni" to Paula Stauffacher, 960 Williams Street, Platteville, WI 53818. To use a debit or charge card for payment, contact Paula at (608)732-7025 or email pstauffacher@msn.com

Some books are currently at the binding company in the process of getting spiraled bound. If you have had problems with your book you can take it to Clare Bank and they will exchange it for a different one or call Paula to discuss it. If you find an error, please contact Paula so future editions are corrected.

Calendar of Events

Amish Farmers' Market every Saturday- 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. <u>May 27</u> – SHS 2016 Graduation at 8 p.m., in new gym <u>May 30</u> - Badger Mine & Museum opens, 11:30 - 4 p.m. <u>July 3</u> – Firemen's Pork Supper, 4:30 - 7:30 p.m. in Badger Park at Jackson Pavilion July 2 – Star Spangled Scramble, Platteville Golf Course

<u>July 2</u> – Star Spangled Scramble, Plattevine Gon Course <u>July 4</u> – Parade at 10:30 a.m., Fireworks at dark <u>July 7, 14, 21, 28</u> & August 4 - Music in the Park, with food at 6 p.m., music at 7:00 p.m. in Badger Park <u>August 6</u> - Emily Franz Scholarship Fun Night/Steak & Chicken Dinner starting at 5 p.m. at the Jackson Pavilion <u>Sept 17</u> - SHS Homecoming, parade at 10:30 a.m., game at 2 p.m.

- Sept 17 Class of 1981 Reunion at "The Burg"
- Sept 17 Alumni Banquet & Meeting, Wheel In, 6 p.m.

<u>Sept 17</u> – Class of 1966, 1971, 1976 Reunions, Wheel In <u>Nov 25</u> - A Bit of Yesteryear Christmas, Open House on Water Street

<u>Nov 26</u>- All day events, Christmas Tour of Homes & Lighted Christmas Parade

Changes in the Old Burg



Colleen (Byrne) Henderson (83) has purchased the Copeland House at 123 E. Water Street, Shullsburg. She is opening the home as a guest house in the spring of 2016. For several years Colleen had been looking for a house in the Shullsburg area to purchase as a gathering place for friends and family. The Copeland House had been for sale for several years... then on Sunday, July 5, 2015 it went up for auction. Under the influence and encouragement of her family, Colleen raised her hand for the winning bid and purchased the Copeland House. A couple brothers gave her quite the crazy woman look after the final "Sold" rang out! The excitement and nervousness began.

The extended Byrne family (and you know they are abundant) has come together to help Colleen fulfill her dream. For the past six months they have helped her clean up the property—trimming trees, weeding, planting and landscaping. The interior has been painted, original wood flooring refinished, and the home has been furnished and decorated. Colleen wants it to feel like home, so there is a mixture of antique Victorian and contemporary furnishings. She calls it 'eclectic Victorian'.

There are four guest rooms—Wicklow, Amore, Namaste and The Master. With her niece Kathryn providing design guidance and with input from other family members, each room was decorated with individual style. Each room has a comfortable queen bed, sitting area and its own bathroom with a walk-in shower.

Breakfast each morning will consist of a variety of pastries, quiches, breakfast casseroles, breakfast meats, fresh fruit, fresh squeezed juice as well as coffee and tea.

The warm, comfortable solarium overlooks the front yard as does the front porch with its relaxing rocking chairs. The library is furnished in memory of Colleen's husband, Dave, a brilliant erudite gentleman and bibliophile if there ever was one. There are a variety of gardens with shady spots to linger and enjoy the outdoors as well as a veranda at the back of the home to enjoy relaxing conversation in the shade. Evenings will allow guests to enjoy time outdoors sitting around one of two fire pits watching the stars. Check out the Copeland Guest House page on Facebook and plan your visit!

New Hardware Store under Construction

Darrell and Lisa (Allendorf) Morrissey (both 91), Shullsburg, are planning to open "**A & M Hardware**" in June 2016 when construction is completed. The new store is located at 438 State Hwy 11 West, Shullsburg. The 3700 square foot store will be under the "Hardware Hank" franchise and carry a full line of hardware items along with gardening supplies, Amish-grown bedding plants and mulch. The existing building on the site will house lumber supplies. Darrell and Lisa hope to bring convenience and friendly service to local folks and area businesses. Watch for their store opening!

"The Burg" Now Open for Business

The Burg at 134 W. Water Street, Shullsburg, opened for business in November 2015 and has been getting good reviews and lots of local support.

The totally renovated interior pleases and surprises patrons who comment on the exposed brick walls and the dark wood bar and floors. Diners have enjoyed the soup and salad bar, the Friday night fish fry and other specials. The bar features tap beers, hard cider, and your favorite cocktails. Reunions, birthday parties and other celebrations are encouraged and accommodated. **The Burg** is open daily at 11:00 a.m.

CLASS of 2016

A graduation ceremony for the seventeen members of the Class of 2016 is scheduled to be held on Friday, May 27, 2016 at 8:00 p.m. in the new gym.

Annual Star Spangled Scramble

The 18th Annual Star Spangled Scramble will be held at the Platteville Golf and Country Club on July 2, 2016. Last year's event raised \$800 toward Saving the Bell at Shullsburg Schools. Please contact Lance Wand (86) or Mike Pfeil (87) if you have any interest in playing.

2016 Music in the Park

The 13th annual Music in the Park promises a little something for everyone and a good time for all on Thursday nights in beautiful Badger Park. Five nights of FREE entertainment, five great bands, and five nights off for the cook as you relax and enjoy the show!

Back for the 8th year by popular demand, **The Wundos** will get us started on July 7th. The Brewster House Restaurant will be supplying the food starting at 6 p.m.

Here for the first time, **The Mississippi String Band** will bring their take on country, classic rock and the blues on July 14th. Food venue to be announced.

Back for seconds, **Rainbow Bridge** brings Top 40, current and classic country and foot-tappin' gotta get up and dance music to the stage on July 21st. The Shullsburg Community Development Corporation will sponsor their annual ice cream social complete with hot sandwiches off the grill.

Classical Blast takes the stage on July 28th with their exciting fusion of rock, pop and classical music. Russell Law Office serves up their 3rd annual hog roast dinner to benefit the Shullsburg Girls' Basketball Team.

Putting a fiddle, tin pan and jug band ending to the summer is the **Fever River String Band** on August 4th. And what goes better with good old-time music than the Lions Club's annual chicken dinner? Don't miss this country treat on August 4th!

In our Neighborhood

New Exhibit to Open at Badger Mine & Museum

"Freedom is Not Free" is the new featured exhibit at the museum for the 2016 season that starts on Memorial Day. This exhibit will focus on local participants in the military from the Mexican War of 1846-1848 through World War I. Stories, photos, uniforms, medals and other related items will be on display. If you have additional items to lend for the exhibit or to donate to the museum's permanent collection, please contact Michael or Mary Bradley at (608) 965-3076. Be sure to stop in to enjoy this fascinating exhibit of local history!

The museum is using grant monies received from the Shullsburg Fund in 2015 to institute a two-part plan called "Protecting Our Collection". One part of the plan calls for the purchase of window coverings and archival storage boxes to protect sensitive items from UV damage. The second part is photographing, marking and entering descriptive data in the new Past Perfect Museum software for all artifacts in the museum's collection. Ethan Sobbe, a Loras College history major, has been added to the staff for this extensive project. More grant monies will be sought in 2016 to improve their website and to enhance educational programming at the museum.

Shullsburg 2016 4th of July Celebration

Plans are being made for Shullsburg's annual 4th of July celebration. A softball tournament takes place on July 2-4th. The Firemen will host a delicious Pork Supper at the Jackson Pavilion on July 3rd, followed by a Talent Show, Home Town Throw Down with the Manz Brothers, and music by a D.J. in the Beer Tent. Little folks are sure to enjoy the Inflatable Carnival at the park.

On July 4th the flags will be flying along Water Street for the parade. Later bingo, Fire Dept. Water Fights, Free Kids Games, Kid's Pedal Tractor Pull, a petting zoo, and kickball by the T-Ball kids will keep us entertained. Local groups will be offering beer and pop, hamburgers and brats, cheese curds and ice cream. In the evening we'll stretch out on our blankets and lawn chairs to enjoy live music by Sunshine, a pie auction, the raffle drawing, and of course, a beautiful fireworks display.

Upcoming Class Reunions

The Class of 1951 is making plans to gather to celebrate their 65th Reunion! Please contact George Burns, Jake Teutschmann or Barb Teutschmann.

The Class of 1966 is celebrating their 50th Class Reunion on Homecoming, September 17, 2016. Save the date and more details later.

The Class of 1971 is making plans to gather at this year's Alumni Banquet on September 17, 2016 to celebrate their 45th Reunion. Contact Mary Gensler at mag3971@hotmail.com for more information.

The Class of 1976 will hold their 40th Reunion at the Alumni Banquet on Homecoming, September 17, 2016 at the Wheel In. For more information you can contact Julie (Bale) Risum at julier@appliedeco.com

The Class of 1981 is holding their 35th class reunion on Saturday, September 17th at "The Burg". If you have any questions contact Kathie Schwartz or Anastasia Burger. They have also created a Facebook page "Class of 1981". Join the group there.

Fire Department Celebrates 120 years

Members of the Shullsburg Fire Department and their guests were feted at a dedication supper for all current and past members held December 5, 2015 at the Fire Station. Retirees from the department with 20 years or more of service have their helmet displayed on the wall of the station to recognize their dedication to the community. So far there have been 61 members recognized in this way. Congratulations on 120 years of volunteer service!

Bits and Pieces Alumni Updates

40's

Lucille (Aurit) Herbst (42), Shullsburg, celebrated her 90th birthday on January 28, 2016 with a card shower and visits with family and friends.

Glenn Matl (44), Larry Cherrey (43), and Chuck Ubersox, World War II veterans, and **Robert Woodworth (66)**, Viet Nam veteran, visited the McCoy Public Library in September 2015 to share their experiences of participating in Honor Flights. Glenn, Chuck and Larry made the trip to Washington DC to visit and reflect at the memorials. Bob recounted his experiences welcoming veterans at the airport on their return back from honor flights.

60's



Allen Poppy (68), Shullsburg, who has served as a long time city carrier for the Darlington Post Office, retired in September 2015 after 30 years on the job. Congratulations, Allen, and happy retirement! Pictured is Allen along

with the Darlington postmaster, Rose Schulte.

70's

Ted Teutschmann (74), Shullsburg, was named to the Southwest Technical College Dean's List for the fall 2015 semester in Culinary Specialist.

80's

John Walker (80), is post commander of Shullsburg VFW 10533 that was recently selected as 1 of 5 All State Posts in WI. He was capped by State VFW Sr. Vice-Commander, Mike Eggleston, as part of the award presentation on September 27, 2015 during the 3rd District VFW meeting. The award recognizes community involvement and active membership.

90's

Gabe Wand (99), Shullsburg, was announced as the 2015 Driver of the Year at the Wisconsin Harness Horse Association Annual Meeting held on January 23, 2016 at the Howard Johnson, Madison. It is his 7th (consecutive) Driver of the Year Title! He's now tied for the WHHA record! Gabe finished the year winning 24

of his 74 starts (32%) and finished $2^{nd} 20$ times and $3^{rd} 10$ times. This gives him a batting average of 0.520. Racing will commence in June.



Josh Jerry (95), Shullsburg, assumed the duties of Chief of Police in Shullsburg on December 9, 2015. Josh is returning to the department where he started his career working part-time before spending the last 16 years full-time with the Grant County Sheriff's

Department. There he gained experience in investigations, patrol work, undercover work and as a team leader for the tactical team. He credits former Lafayette County Sheriff Scott Pedley and Detective Joe Thompson with having a huge influence on his professional development.

Josh is married to Karla (Turpin) (95), "my biggest supporter and biggest critic" and credits her with keeping him grounded and making his career possible while they raise their three children. Josh is a long time member of the Shullsburg Fire Department and a former Shullsburg EMS member.

2000's

Carissa Ubersox (03) was named to the Dean's List at Edgewood College for the fall 2015 semester.

Kyle Redington (08) was named to the Dean's List at Southwest Technical College, Fennimore, for the fall 2015 semester. His major is Agri-Business/Science Technology.

Alecia Montgomery (08), a 2010 graduate of SW Technical College, was recently approved to become a 32 hour/week police officer for the Village of Belmont. She has been with the department since 2011.

Receiving diplomas at commencement exercises held December 12, 2015 at UW-Platteville were: Bryce Blackbourn (09) and Tadgh Hanley (10), Industrial Technology Management; and Katie Morrissey (12), Business Administration.

2010's

Paige Heim (11) was named to the Dean's Honor List at UW-Madison School of Nursing for the fall 2015-16 semester.

Nathan Hendrickson (14) was named to the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater Dean's List for the 2015 fall semester.



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Earning academic honors at UW-Oshkosh for the fall 2015 semester were: Brett Knautz (13) - Dean's List, and Morgan McComish (12) – Honor Roll.

The following were named to the Dean's List at Southwest Technical College, Fennimore, for the fall 2015 semester: **Mick Curran (11)**, Electrical Power Distribution, and **James Morrissey (15)**, Agri-Business/Science Technology.

Anna Doyle-Chandler (12) was named to the Chancellor's List (4.0 GPA) for the fall 2015 semester at UW-Platteville. Her major is elementary education.

Nathan Hendrickson (14) was named to the fall 2015 Dean's List at UW-Whitewater.

Emily Morrissey (15) was named to the fall 2015 Dean's List at Loras College, Dubuque, IA.

Named to the Dean's List at UW-Platteville for the fall 2015 semester were: Jordan Doyle (15), Blaire Lutes (13), Katie Morrissey (12), and Pierce Russell (13).

Wedding Anniversaries



Norman "Charles" (59) and Karen (Mulcahy) Kittoe (61), Shullsburg, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on February 19, 2016. They have one daughter, Pamela

(Adam) Slonim (84), Verona; and three grandchildren, Dylan; Milwaukee and Brianna and Jacob; Verona. They will be celebrating with a family dinner at a later date.



Weddings

Justin Crotty (07) married Tiffany Melby on September 19, 2015 at Lake Windsor Golf Club, Windsor, WI. Parents of the couple are Tim and Rita Crotty, Shullsburg, and Roger and Shirley Melby, Whitehall, WI.

The bride is a 2012 graduate of UW-Eau Claire with a bachelor's degree in Kinesiology. She is currently employed as an area manager at Anytime Fitness. The groom graduated in 2012 from UW-Platteville with a bachelor's degree in Mathematics. He is currently employed as a programmer analyst for Colony Brands, Monroe. The couple are making their home in Monroe, WI.



Brock Gille (07) married Kerri McArthur on August 29, 2015 at a ceremony held at St. Columbkille Catholic Church, Dubuque, IA. Parents of the couple are Thomas (74) and Teresa Gille, Shullsburg, and Doug and Kathy McArthur, Darlington. The reception

followed at the Hotel Julien in Dubuque.

The bride is a 2008 graduate of Darlington High School. She is currently employed at ImageWorks in Madison, WI. The groom is currently employed at the Dubuque Community School District in Dubuque, Iowa.

Births

Reid (01) and Jenna Gill, Shullsburg, are parents of a baby girl, Blythe Marie, born on January 23, 2016. She joins a sister, Reese. Grandparents are Rick and Lee (Cherrey) Gill (both 72), Shullsburg.

Nick (92) and Jessica (Blackbourn) Paquette (97) are parents of a daughter, Katelyn Sage, born September 26, 2015. She joins sisters Lily 5 and Maddie 4. Grandparents are Jim (65) and Pam (Geissbuhler) Paquette (66) and Harry (77) and Deb Blackbourn, all from Shullsburg.

Brandon and Amber (Harker) Capp (03), Darlington, are parents of a daughter, Brooklyn Lee, born August 11, 2015. Brooklyn joins a sister, Abigail, $2\frac{1}{2}$.

Nicholas and Megan (Shawcross) Simon (04), Humble, TX are parents of a daughter, Paityn Rae, born October 9, 2015. The happy grandparents are Dawn Shawcross, Shullsburg; Ken & Dolores Simon, Chandler, AZ, and Jeff & Cindy Thumser, Benton, WI.

Obituaries

John Russell Nethery (36), Flagler Beach, FL, passed away on March 21, 2013 at his home. He was born on January 8, 1919 in Gratiot, Wisconsin to the late Harry and Bernice (Russell) Nethery. As a young man he served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He moved to the Flagler Beach area from Rockford, IL in 1987. He was preceded in death by his brother Richard Nethery; sisters, Winifred Swanson (41) and Eunice Doyle (34). Survivors include his brothers, George (Roberta) of Ormond Beach, Robert (Jackie) (13) of CA; sisters, Dorothy Johnson of Rockford, IL, Shirley Nethery of Flagler Beach; sister-in-law, Marlys Nethery; and numerous loving nieces, nephews, great-nieces and nephews.



Gertrude V. (Gile) Townsend, age 98 of Shullsburg, WI passed away Sunday, October 25, 2015 at Epione Pavilion in Cuba City, WI. She was born June 16, 1917 in Boaz, WI the daughter of Clifford and Anna (Stadley) Gile. Gert was united in

marriage to Bergen "Tink" Townsend (30) on June 4, 1936 at St. Matthew's Catholic Church in Shullsburg.

Gert is survived by her children: Ken (Bernadine) Townsend (54) of Dubuque, IA, Jim (Carol) Townsend (56) of Bellevue, IA, Dick (Donna) Townsend (58) of Moline, IL, Betty (Dave) Thompson of Rockford, IL, Tom (Nerrie) Townsend (58) of Arlington Heights, IL, Harry (Carol) Townsend (68) of Cedar Falls, IA, and Diane (Judd) Jones (73) of Montgomery, IL; one brother: Bill Gile (53) of Shullsburg; two sisters: Mary McCoy of Madison, WI, and Jean Otting of Cascade, IA; and many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and greatgreat-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; one grandson: John Fitzgerald Townsend; and five brothers: Cliff, Jim, Bob, Charlie, and Cletus Gile.



Harlo O. Webster (47), Shullsburg, passed away September 4, 2015 at Lafayette Manor in Darlington. He was born August 28, 1928 in Shullsburg, the son of Reo and Mildred (Fowler) Webster. Harlo dedicated four years of his life to the United States Navy from 1947 to 1951. He was united in

marriage to Naomi Black (48) on May 6, 1950 at Centenary United Methodist Church in Shullsburg. They lived in Shullsburg where he owned and operated Webster's TV for many years. They later moved to Fennimore where he was the Electronics Servicing Instructor at Southwest Technical College. They retired first to Shullsburg, later moving to Benton for seven years, before returning to Shullsburg.

Harlo was a proud member of the Shullsburg Fire Department for 30 years, the McCann - Richards American Legion Post #105, Shullsburg for over sixty years, the Shullsburg Conservation Club, Glutton Club, and Platteville Bowling Association. He served as mayor and a city council member of Shullsburg. He cherished time spent with his family and friends. Harlo loved to bowl, fish, hunt, golf, and was an avid Badger and Packer fan.

He is survived by his wife Naomi at home; four children: Dan (Judy) Webster (72) Shullsburg, Sandee (Tony) Schunk (74) Jefferson, WI, David Webster (78) Bellingham, WA, and Melissa (Mike) Niemiera (84) Victoria, MN; seven grandchildren: Jacinda (Gunner) Gunnell (96), Angela (Brian) Alt (99), Amanda (Manny Bennett) Webster (06), Jason (Leslie) Schunk, Brent (Renee) Schunk, Samantha and Benjamin Niemiera; and eight great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother Cecil and sister Beula White (37). Harlo's family have made a generous donation of a large screen TV and DVD player to Lafayette Manor in his memory. Manor residents enjoy it very much.



Marvin "Marv" Russell (44), Shullsburg, WI, passed away on February 2, 2016, at Pleasant View Nursing Home, in Monroe, WI. He was born on April 8, 1926 in Gratiot Township, the son of Roland and Irene (Giles) Russell (22). In 1946, he married Elizabeth "Liz" Metcalf (44) in Shullsburg.

Marvin farmed and operated a grain business in his early years and was later a truck driver, which was a passion for him. Later he was an owner/operator for Menards. This brought many new friends and great trucking stories. Marv was very proud that he was born and raised, and always remained, from Shullsburg. So as they say, "Keep on Trucking" and always "Remember Your Roots." Marv's family will always remember him for his love of simple life and his quiet good humor.

Survivors include his two children: Robert (Frances Halferty) Russell (66), Shullsburg, and Jane (Dave) Nachreiner (71), Oregon, WI; two sisters: Jeanne Schwenn (47), Longmont, CO, and Marilyn (Mark) Klauber (52), Boulder, CO; two brothers: Charles (Marcella) Russell (50), Shullsburg, WI, and Dennis (Cindy) Russell of Galesville, WI; four grandchildren: Jennifer (Shawn) Metz, Monica (Anthony) Endres, Joshua (Ashley Travis) Russell (99), and Brianne (Bradley) Farrey (01), seven great grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife, his parents, and his brother, George Russell (48).



John E. Morgan (53), Dubuque, IA died December 15, 2015 surrounded by his family. He was born June 17, 1934 to Daniel and Veronica (Saam) Morgan in Seymour Township, Shullsburg. John was a Korean Conflict Army Veteran.

John married Janice Stanke in 1962 and together they raised three sons. He founded the Morgan Clock Company in Dubuque, IA in 1969 and worked for over 31 years at John Deere Dubuque Works. He enjoyed repairing clocks and watches of all sizes, antique restorations, boating, casino visits, and watching the Packers and Badgers play. He was a member of the Coast Guard Auxiliary, Order of Blue Nose, Transportation Corps and Greenland 1953-1954.

His wife, Janice, three sons, Daniel (Rhonda), James (Rosalie) and William (Janice) Morgan survive him. He is also survived by 5 grandchildren, and a great-grandson.



Delvon "Del" J. Tregloan (54), Shullsburg, WI passed away Sunday, October 11, 2015 at Memorial Hospital of Lafayette County in Darlington, WI. He was born February 13, 1936 the son of Mylroie and Jessie (Hagar) Tregloan in Woodford Township, WI. Following

his H.S. graduation Del joined the Marines and served in Okinawa. He was honorably discharged in 1957. He later graduated from Barber school in Chicago.

Del was united in marriage to Deloris Scott (55) in February 1960 at Centenary United Methodist Church in Shullsburg. She preceded him in death in 1971. He married Jean Teutschmann on July 14, 1973. Del was a traveling barber and worked in Dodgeville, Milwaukee, Shullsburg, Gratiot, South Wayne, and Argyle for a number of years. He owned and operated Del's Barber Shop in Shullsburg from 1963 until 1997. In 1980 he began selling insurance for American Family Insurance in the communities of Shullsburg and Gratiot.

Del was a member of Centenary United Methodist Church and the Glutton Club of Shullsburg. He served on the Shullsburg city council, and the McCann-Richards American Legion Post #105 in Shullsburg.

Del is survived by his wife Jean at home, three daughters: Pam (John) Harker (79) and Penny Tregloan (83) both of Shullsburg, and Tricia (Mike) Borgrud (82) Deerfield, WI: step-children: Tom (Sharon) Teutschmann (73), Tim Teutschmann (77) both of Shullsburg, Dick (Lauri) Teutschmann (78) Gratiot, WI, Roger (Lisa) Teutschmann (80), Waukesha, WI, Lisa (Bill) Holland (81) Apple River, IL, and Randy Teutschmann (82) Monroe, WI; one half-brother: Terry (Mary) Tregloan, Freeport, IL; one half-sister: Tammy (Mike) Halatek, Monroe, WI; step mother: Esther Tregloan, Monroe; 17 grandchildren, and 3 greatgrandchildren.

Norbert J. Christopher (57), Stillwater, MN died on January 25, 2015. A graduate of Loras College who served in the US Army, he worked in commercial lending for 33 years with US Bank before partnering in a consulting firm in his retirement.

His wife of 47 years, Loree, survives him along with his daughter Amy (Jeffrey) Scalise; grandchildren Violet and Archer; and sisters Elaine (Tim) Murphy (53) and

Connie (Mike) Cosgrove (68). He was preceded in death by his parents Charles and Catherine; sister Sharon Leahy (61); brother Donald (66) and infant brother Gerald.

Mary Alice (McKendrey) Mullaney (53), Shullsburg,



WI passed away February 9, 2016 in Naples, FL. She was born May 23, 1935 in Shullsburg, the daughter of A. Leo and C. Gladys (Ganshert) McKendrey. She married Byron J. Mullaney on May 7, 1960 and they raised their family while living in and

moving across Canada over the next 20 years.

Mary is survived by her five children: Anne Mullaney, Napa Valley, CA, Sean Mullaney, Las Vegas, NV, Todd (Jennifer) Mullaney, Metamora, MI, T. Michael (Jayme) Mullaney, Boise, ID, and Tara Mullaney, Nashville, TN; her sister Patti Lasser (61), Naples, FL and brother-inlaw Ron Pole of Corpus Christi, TX; seven grandchildren, cousins, nieces, and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, her former husband, her brother David McKendrey (55) and sister Jane Pole.



Mary Lucille Wiegel, Madison, formerly of Darlington/Shullsburg, passed away July 30, 2015. Mary was born on January 5, 1926, the daughter of Eugene and Viola (Arnsdorf) Scheckel. She married Urban (Barney) Wiegel in 1947 and together they farmed and raised their

family in the Shullsburg area. In 1994 she married Raphael McGuigan. Her pastimes of golf, dancing, playing euchre, and volunteering kept her young at heart.

Her children Rita (Ron Holtz) Salathe (68), Jerry (Karen) Wiegel (70), Adele (David) Crary (71), Ralph Wiegel, Linda Scheuerell (75), Irene (Tom) Burris (77), Chris (Jim) Perry, and Rose (Greg) Schulte survive her. Mary is also survived by 18 grandchildren, 25 greatgrandchildren, her sisters Alice Loeffelholtz, Gladys O'Brien, and Anna Mae Smith, her brother Allen Scheckel and many nieces and nephews.



Verle M. Sargent (67), Shullsburg/ Darlington, died August 28, 2015 at his home surrounded by his family after a courageous battle with cancer. He was born on May 9, 1949 in Dodgeville, to Francis and Kathleen (Smith) Sargent. He married Catherine Olson at Holy Rosary Catholic Church in 1970. Verle loved farming and shared

that love with his family.

Survivors include his wife, Cathy; his mother, Kathleen

(Robert) Teasdale, Benton; his children: Sandy (Dale) Hendrickson, Florida, Steve Sargent, Dodgeville, Sarah Sargent, Shad Sargent, Sid (Katy) Sargent, all of Darlington; 10 grandchildren; 3 step-grandchildren, and a great-grandson.

He is survived also by his brothers and sisters: Charlie (Jean) Sargent (65), Darlington, Jim (Joann) Sargent (70), South Wayne, Mary Kay (Larry) Cropper (71), Nora, IL, Joe (Cindy) Sargent, Benton, Tina Brugger (81), Darlington, and Bette Sargent (74), Benton.



Larry G. Johnson (67), Platteville, formerly of Shullsburg, died unexpectedly on January 17, 2016 at University Hospital, Madison, WI. He was born December 13, 1948 in Platteville, the son of Delbert and Bethyl Johnson.

For over 30 years he worked on the family dairy farm in rural Shullsburg. For the next 17 years he worked for Gro Alliance in Cuba City, a seed production company. Larry enjoyed his job there and had many friends among his co-workers. He served as Chairman and Supervisor for the Town of Shullsburg for more than 20 years.

He is survived by his mother, Betty Johnson, Janesville; his children Shawn (90), West Allis, Jason (92) (Holli), Darlington, and Joshua (98) (Bridget), Chicago; four sisters, Karla Kuhls, Winnebago, IL, Cheri Saarinen, Roscoe, IL, Darlene Judd, The Villages, FL, and Kathy (78) (Kevin) Rogers, Milton, WI, four grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Gary L. Jeffery, Shullsburg, died October 13, 2015 at age 66. He was born October 27, 1948 the son of Donald & Martha (Rolli) Jeffery. He attended SHS with the Class of 1967. As a young man he served his country in Vietnam. He had a trucking business in Florida and later in Wisconsin. He enjoyed watching sports and spending time with his friends.

He is survived by his son, Jeremy Jeffery (92), daughter Lena Blakeslee (00), his brother Ed (Kay) Jeffery (64), and four grandchildren.



Brady Farrey (72), Shullsburg, passed away unexpectedly on November 20, 2015 at Finley Hospital in Dubuque, IA. He was born in Darlington, WI, June 4, 1954, the son of Eddie "Bob" (53) and Norma (Cridge) Farrey (52).

Brady lived in the Shullsburg area all

of his life. He worked at Merkle Corporation in Darlington for 15 years. Brady was a bartender for the Irish Inn in Shullsburg for many years.

Brady is survived by his step-mother: Liz Farrey of Shullsburg, WI; two brothers: Gary (Sue) Farrey (81), Belmont, and David (Jennifer) Farrey (86), Lancaster; one step-brother: Matthew Woodward (87), Shullsburg; two sisters: Pamela Hammill (75), Dubuque, IA and Patricia (Brad) Wiegel (91), Shullsburg.

Brady is preceded in death by his parents, two brothers: Tim (79), and William (77); one step-brother: Michael Woodward (89); and a brother-in-law, Dennis Hammill.



Hal E. Ubersox, age 57, Shullsburg, WI died unexpectedly on January 23, 2016 at Memorial Hospital of Lafayette County, Darlington, WI. He was born October 16, 1958 in Darlington the son of Fred "Fritz" and Joyce (Puls) Ubersox. He attended SHS with the Class of 1976. Hal was united in

marriage to Sherry L. Richardson (85) on April 4, 1987 at Centenary United Methodist Church in Shullsburg. He grew up in rural Shullsburg on the Ubersox family farm where he farmed until 2000 when he and his family moved to Shullsburg. In 1999 he began driving cement truck for Horsfield Construction of Peosta, IA.

Hal is survived by his wife Sherry at home; step-mother: Lois Ubersox, Gratiot, WI; three children: Austin (Breanna) (06), Dodgeville, WI, Bronson (08), Shullsburg, and Gavin (11), Platteville, WI; brothers: Jim (65), Shullsburg and Rick (Kim Jacobsen) (68), Darlington; one sister: Gale (Ken) Wilson (69), Lancaster, WI; two step-brothers: Jim (Lori) Larson of Madison, WI, and Gordy Larson of Gratiot; three stepsisters: Audrey Larson, Milwaukee, WI, Barb Bonney, Blanchardville, WI, and Sharon (Bruce) Carlson, Winnebago, IL; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; step-brother: Charlie Larson; step-sister: Carol Larson; sister-in-law: Alice Ubersox; and his mother and father-in-law: Mark and Ruth Richardson.

SCHOOL NEWS

Bell Project Challenge Issued

Dan Morrissey (82), President of the Shullsburg School Board, has issued a class challenge to all alumni to raise the last \$10,000 needed to cover the entire cost of restoring the old school bell, building the structure, and installing lighting to display it in front of the school. To make a donation in honor of your class, send a check with your class year written in the memo section to: Shullsburg Alumni Bell Fund, C/o Shullsburg Schools, 444 N. Judgement St, Shullsburg, 53586. Recognition will be given for all Classes supporting the project on a plaque installed on the site. Thank you for showing your school spirit!

Miner Basketball Excitement!

As this newsletter goes to the printer both the Shullsburg Girls' Basketball team and the Boys' Basketball team have finished the season as undisputed Champions in the Six Rivers West Conference. Wow! Congratulations to the players, coaches, parents and fans! Sounds like there will be plenty of March Madness in the Burg this year. Good luck in the playoffs!

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