



NEWSLETTER #7

REGISTRATION DEADLINE EDITION

“Early Bird” Registration Cut-off Looms!

Deadline nears! Time running out! Don’t get caught short!



NEWS FLASH FROM THE STEERING COMMITTEE!

Classmates: don’t let your “Early Bird” Registration DISCOUNT opportunity slip away!

It would be like flushing **ten buck\$** down the drain. Coming with somebody??? Might as well **burn a \$20**.

For the first time in 50 years, *THIS* December 31st is not just New Year’s Eve — and Midnight is not merely a chance to get kissed by somebody! Nope, it’s actually the *unalterable* deadline for the Early Bird Registration discount.

A whole bunch of you have already registered for the Reunion at the *cool* price of \$68. But we still have room for everybody else. It’s easy! Send us the dough at Box 2721, Ann Arbor MI 48106-2721. Or go online at the [Reunion Website](#). It’s quick & painless. You don’t have to worry about sending payment now for golf or any of the tours (UM Stadium, Pioneer High, the City) because they each have a later deadline. BUT! We must receive your \$68 Registration (\$136 for two) postmarked or electronically stamped by... **December 31st at MIDNIGHT.**

Already registered???

Okay, that’s great. But if you haven’t sent us your money yet, the Steering Committee would really appreciate it if you can do so soon. We’ve got a number of payment deadlines in our budgetary plan — everything from large Kensington Hotel bills, to printing expenses, to name tags and decoration costs & so forth. Some of these are contractual, with payments due over the next two months. So, your checks and PayPal transfers would sure help our planning process...not to mention be reassuring for our nervous budget watchdogs — that’d be your Committee. THANKS!



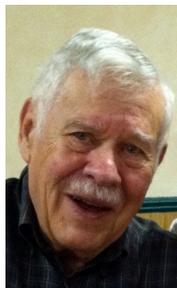
... A SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM HISTORY TEACHER MR. RANDY PEACOCK ...

Hey, Class of ’63!

(My favorite class of all time!)

Listen to this:

Your brilliant Steering Committee is giving you a historic opportunity. If you get your 50th Reunion Registration money sent in by the Early Bird Discount Deadline, it’ll make you



happier than Rasputin at one of Czar Nicholas II’s parties before the Revolution — just like I taught you in my Modern History course. But if you don’t get your Registration in by **MIDNIGHT, Dec. 31st**, I’m assigning you a 12-page term paper on the history of the Federal Reserve System! Don’t let me down, my favorite students...

TWO GOOD IDEAS FROM BLONDEEN MUNSON & JUDY HINDAL JAHNKE!

Good Idea #1:

The Classmate Fund:

Back in July (Newsletter #5) we announced a plan to make sure that any classmates finding Reunion attendance financially tough will still be able to come. Blondeen Munson and Judy Hindal Jahnke asked that we consider making donations to help out with Registration and/or dinner, as well as a few (local) transportation needs.

On a strictly confidential basis, Blondeen & Judy set up a process for receiving donations & requests for assistance. If you would like to help out a classmate — or if you'd like to receive a little support for Reunion Weekend — for cryin' out loud, do NOT hesitate to let Blondeen & Judy know. That's what the Classmate Fund is for!

Blondeen & Judy report a nice response to their donation request, so far. But they can always use more of our gifts. We don't want to leave anybody out of next year's Reunion!



EMAIL Blondeen & Judy by clicking on:

sponsorship@aaahs63.com

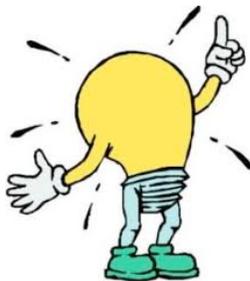
Or... **WRITE** to them here:

Sponsorship

AAHS 1963

Box 2721

Ann Arbor, MI 48106-2721



Good Idea #2:

The Teacher Fund:

Want to sponsor one of our wonderful teachers?!?

The Committee will be sending Reunion invitations to 25+ beloved faculty members for our great

Class of '63. (Those who've attended our July events all had a really good time.) We think it's only proper that we offer to buy their dinner if they accept our invitation to the Reunion. If you would like to help out our budget by sponsoring a teacher, please follow the same procedure outlined above. Several of you have already signed up to do so, and we can always use more.

Submit your sponsorship & support gifts via PayPal, [right here, on our website.](#)

OR!

To do so by U.S. mail, use the address above, make your check payable to "Class of 1963," and write **Classmate Fund, Teacher Fund**, or both, on it.

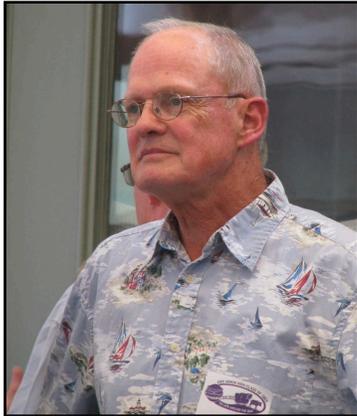
Blondeen & Judy hope to receive donations as soon as possible, but no later than next May 1st, and they said to tell everyone —

Thanks a million, Classmates!



YOU **CANNOT** REGISTER **AT** THE REUNION!

We hope that everybody will take advantage of the Early Bird Registration discount. But whatever you do ... don't forget that it will NOT be possible to register at the Reunion on July 13th.



Bob Dailey
1945 - 2012

Sadly, on November 2nd, our Steering Committee lost a fun member, a beloved friend, and a wise advisor. As many classmates have learned, Bob Dailey passed away last month after a brief illness.

Bob was already in the midst of planning to once again undertake the role of Reunion Master of Ceremonies with his unique blend of humor and his Class of '63 memories. Now it is we who remember Bob.

Classmate Larry Grace, one of Bob's dearest friends, has graciously agreed step in as our MC next July. We are so grateful to him for doing so. Larry's moving tribute at Bob's memorial service touched the hearts of the 300+ who were there.

Until Newsletter #8,

Stan Bidlack

Betty Brown

Mary Lou Covert

Pete Dodge

Charles Larkins

Louise Salamin

Rick Weid

Cindy Wild

Chuck Wilkins

Calendar

December 31, 2012

12 Midnight:

\$68 Early Bird Registration ends!

January 1, 2013

Registration fee increases to \$78!

Friday, July 12, 2013

50th Reunion Weekend Begins!

Michigan Theater Reception, 4-6 PM
(Included in Registration fee.)

Saturday, July 13, 2013 [Daytime]

Tour of UM Stadium, 10 AM

Tour of A2 & UM Campus, 12:30 PM

Tour of Pioneer High School, 2:00 PM

Golf Outing (Tee times & course TBA.)

Saturday, July 13, 2013 [Evening]

"50 Laps Around the Sun" Celebration!

Kensington Court Ann Arbor
(610 Hilton Blvd., Ann Arbor MI 48108)

6:30PM — **THE REUNION**

Cash Bar; Delicious Dinner; After-Dinner Welcome & Program; Musical Entertainment; Photo Booth; Dancing; Relaxing; Hobnobbin'!

Sunday Morning, July 14, 2013

Farewell...

6-10 AM, Kensington Court
Survivors' Breakfast (\$10.95)

6-9 AM, Kensington Court
Viennese Coffee Bar (Complimentary)

Questions?

Alumni Hotline:

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