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WILDCATS

SO, WHAT'S GOING ON AT MY ALMA MATER?

With the year winding down, the second semester at Mayfield High School was quite exciting. From sports to academics Mayfield is exceeding their reputation of excellence. The seniors are getting ready to move on and eighth graders are getting ready to begin their journey into high school. With this new change of student dynamics the school is bursting with new energy while Mayfield High School is beginning a new chapter.

In academics, Mayfield's freshman through senior classes have displayed great discipline and hard work to achieve good grades, high test scores, and superb grade point averages. On May 28, 2010, those students with a G.P.A. of 3.75 or higher were invited to be a part of the Honor Court during the Senior Honors Day Assembly in the high school auditorium. Seventy-five seniors earned the honor of being a part of the Honor Court for this assembly. Out of two local National Merit Scholar awards given out, one was earned by Mayfield's own **Jeffrey Yu**. Yu won the the Lubrizol Foundation Scholarship and will go on to study engineering. Senior **Mark Suslik** has gone above and beyond, thus gaining him The Sun Messengers "Student of the Week Award." Suslik is the first student in school history to take all four foreign languages offered at once. The senior send off awards assembly went very well with many students given scholarships and awards in return for their hard work and dedication throughout the years. The **Mayfield Alumni Association** very generously awarded over twenty students scholarships, which will benefit multiple college bound seniors.

Prom and After-Prom were huge hits. Students danced the night away at the Junior-Senior Prom which was held at La Malfa Party Center. **Andrew Welsh** was name Prom King while **Antonia Kopp** took the crown for Queen. After-Prom ended everyone's memorable night with the theme of "Game On" bringing back many childhood memory board games, video games, etc. The After-Prom Committee consisting of parents of present and former Mayfield students did a magnificent job setting up the event. The students played games, ate an

assortment of food from popular local restaurants, and won prizes all night.

In sports, our Mayfield Wildcats had some terrific winter and spring seasons to end the year off right. The Mayfield Wildcat Varsity Ice Hockey team lead by team captains **Joe Wilson**, **Jake Malone**, and **Jake Wolfe** had one of it's best seasons in school history with the help of new coaching staff **Steve Bogus** and **Danny Gilliam**. After winning the Blue North Division the Ice Cats went on to defeat Bay Village in the city championship and won the first Baron Cup in school history. The basketball team had a winning season as well, with the most wins in over twenty years, coming in second place in their conference. The swim team, raising the bar as well, went undefeated and won their conference. They sent many female and male swimmers on to states including **Dan Nemeth** (sr), **Lance Sterle** (jr), **Riley Orians** (sr), **Justin Hollinstead** (sr), **Brian Csumitta** (jr), **Rachal Ciferno** (soph), **Steph Nemeth** (soph), **Jackie Anderson** (jr), and **Logan Arnold** (soph). Fast forwarding into the spring sports, the girls fast pitch team, lead by captains **Amber Tagg** and **Jen Martrello**, won their conference and went onto states. The boys baseball team won districts and became regional semi-finalists, led by **Tim Wetzel**, **Lee Longo**, **Joe Wilson**, and **Jake Santora**. Tim Wetzel, who is going on to play for The Ohio State University next year was recently named one of the "Players of the Decade."

The end of the 2009-2010 school year was without a doubt one to remember. With the help and support of the teachers, staff members, parents, and alumni the students gained great amounts of knowledge, experience, and life lessons. The seniors of the 2010 class made their mark here and will go on to do the same in the future. It has been a great year for academics, sports, and accomplishments and will continue for years to come because of the upstanding students, faculty, and administration, as well as local community support, that make Mayfield the best school around.

Jake Wolfe, Class of 2011

Scholarship Awards Rise Again This Year

The Mayfield Alumni Association established another new high in scholarship awards at the annual Honor's Day Program May 28, 2010. This year 27 outstanding students shared a total of \$22,000. Alums can be very proud of the financial assistance they provide to seniors who work diligently in the classroom and who also manage to get highly involved in athletics, clubs, volunteerism, and extra-curricular activities. Our committee of **Chairman Dave Huelsman, Dan Cox, Diane Mastrobuono, and Laurie Blood** had their usual difficult and time consuming task of reviewing 55 applications and interviewing many students to reach a final decision. With much gratitude, the Association thanks all alums who donated during the 2009-10 scholarship drive. Your names will appear in the next issue of *The Alumni Voice*. Following is a brief summary of this year's scholarship recipients.

\$1,000 Alumni Association General Scholarship, (1981): Michael Timen—Michael, a four-year Honor Roll member, Marching, Jazz and Pep Band member has also been involved with the Astronomy Club and Future Business Leaders of America, where he tested 3rd in the State of Ohio in Networking Concepts. He also has volunteered with Gate Mills, Mayfield Jazz Festival and Monarch School for Autism. Michael will be attending Purdue University majoring in Actuarial Sciences.

\$1,000 Alumni Association General Scholarship, (1981): Kyle Koski—Kyle, a National Honor Society member, Scholar Athlete, Student Council member, has participated in Basketball, Soccer and Baseball earning a total of 8 letters. He was also a team captain for Basketball and Soccer as well as earning 1st, 2nd and 3rd team honors Soccer and Basketball. He has volunteered for a number of organizations such as Harvest for Hunger, St. Vincent DePaul Charity, Adopt-A-Family and the Raking Leaves Project. Kyle plans on attending the Case Western Reserve University School of Dental Medicine.

\$750 Alumni Association General Scholarship, (1981): Katelyn Stickley—Katelyn, a four-year Honor Roll member, Limited Edition Show Choir member and treasurer and a mentor in the Wildcat Focus program has participated in Soccer (letter winner), Diving (letter winner) and the Girls Rugby Club. She has also assisted the athletic department as a student athletic trainer. She really has enjoyed watching her mentored

“students” pursue the goals she has taught them as well as their growing success. Katelyn plans on attending Eastern Michigan University to major in Athletic Training with a minor in Physical Education.

\$750 Alumni Association General Scholarship, (1981): Rachel Evans—Rachel, a National Honor Society member, Marching Band (vice-president), Wind and Jazz Ensemble member also has been a member of Student Council, Cats Cabinet and is president of the Astronomy Club. She has participated in Volleyball, Basketball and Track & Field. She earned one letter in basketball and two for Track & Field. She is still an active member of the Girl Scouts. Rachel will be pursuing a career in Earth Science Education at either Ball State or Wittenberg University.

\$750 Alumni Association General Scholarship, (1981): Claire Ewers—Claire, a Principal's List member, World Affairs Club (president), Key Club, Cats Cabinet and P.R.I.D.E. member has also participated in the Scholastic Art Show as well as being a member of the Track & Field Team. She has also volunteered with the Special Olympics and CEVEC, further enriching her life, because of a special needs family member. Claire's goal is to earn a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing from the University of Montana and eventually work in a Washington, D.C. hospital.

\$750 Alumni Association General Scholarship, (1981): Sylvana Paternite—Sylvana, a National Honor Society member, Technical National Honor Society member, Student Council, Gospel Choir, Cats Cabinet and Key Club member has also been involved with many school activities as well as getting a jump start on her career by being in the Medical Technologies program of Excel Tecc. She has been taking college nursing classes at Lakeland Community College and works part time at Hillcrest Hospital as a Nursing Assistant. Sylvana plans on attending Indiana Wesleyan University and obtain her BSN degree. She also desires to pursue a Masters Degree in Nursing after that.

\$500 John Szuhay Memorial Theatre Scholarship, (1990): Riley Orians—Riley, a National Honor Society member, Scholar Athlete has been involved in Mayfield Theater, participating in major roles in three stage productions. He is also a member of Marching Band and Concert Band, both for four years as well as Key Club for two years. He has been a Swim Team member for

\$22,000 Awarded to 27 Students on Honors Day

four years and earned a letter in the last 3 of those years and has earned the Liz Manzo Award and was the N.O.C. River Division Champion in the 200 yd Individual Medley. Riley has been accepted to Westminster, Bowling Green and The Ohio State University. He will be pursuing a career in medicine and will major in Pre-med and minor in Spanish.

\$1,000 Ron Ritner Memorial Scholarship, (1991): Ian Godby—Ian, a scholar athlete, member and President of the Men's Chorus, member of Mayfield Chorale, and Peace Core has also participated in Cross Country and Track & Field, where, up to this point, he has lettered four times and one time, respectively. He was also captain of the Cross Country team, which made it to the regional meet. Ian has been accepted to Hocking College, Shawnee State University and Lakeland Community College. His goal is to attend Hocking College where he plans to earn, at least, a bachelor's degree, majoring in Fish and Wildlife Management and Conservation.

\$1,000 Ron Ritner Memorial Scholarship, (1991): Olevia Young—Olevia, a member of the Principal's List for four years, ranked 17th in her class, a Scholar Athlete for four years and Key Club member has also participated with Meals on Wheels and volunteered at retirement homes. She also participated on the Cross Country team where she earned four letters, played a little soccer but also belonged to the Cleveland Select Soccer Club. Olevia has been accepted to Rice University, Northeastern University and Case Western Reserve University. She plans on a career in Engineering.

\$500 Alvarez-MarkFrank Cosmetology Scholarship, (1992): Dominique Alioto—Dominique is a responsible, respectful, creative, and outgoing individual. She has received various awards throughout her high school career while maintaining a 4.0 GPA in Cosmetology. She will be attending Ohio University to major in business and minor in dance. Dominique is currently employed at Michael Christopher Salon and plans on continuing there for the summer and occasionally throughout the upcoming school year.

\$500 Alvarez-MarkFrank Cosmetology Scholarship, (1992): Ashlee Rosson—Ashlee is a very responsible, independent individual who has a great passion to excel in the field of Cosmetology. She also has received various awards and does volunteer work in her community.

Ashlee is currently employed at Gary Ann's Hair Salon and plans on taking advanced education classes with her scholarship money.

\$500 Tim Collaros Memorial Scholarship, (1995): Katlyn Grossman—Katlyn, a National Honor Society member, Scholar Athlete, 10th in her class, has participated in Cross-country and Track & Field as well as Marching Band, Key Club and being a mentor in the Wildcat Focus program. Her club work and community affiliations have allowed her to raise money for organizations in need. She has been accepted to the University of Pittsburgh and the University of Toledo.

\$1,000 Michael Patrick Colombi Memorial Scholarship, (1998): Tim Wetzel—Tim, a Scholar Athlete, Principal's List member, AP Student of the Year winner, 22nd in his class has participated in Baseball where he is a four-year letterman and lettered three times in Football. He was a captain of the Baseball team as a junior & senior and a captain of the football team as a senior. He participated in community service through his church and has been accepted to The Ohio State University where he will play Baseball and pursue Medical School.

\$1,000 Michael Patrick Colombi Memorial Scholarship, (1998): Paul Mann—Paul, a National Honor Society member, Scholar Athlete, has earned three letters in Golf, two letters in Basketball, two letters in Baseball. He has been involved in community efforts and charitable organizations to assist the hungry, needy and homeless. Paul has been accepted to the Honors College at The Ohio State University and plans on majoring in Biomedical Engineering.

\$500 Norm Huelsman Memorial Scholarship, (2001): Ashley Valentino—Ashley, a National Honor Society member, Scholar Athlete, Principal's List member has been a four-year letter winner in Swimming and was a captain this year while also qualifying for the District meet in individual events as well as relays. She has participated in Fastpitch Softball and Track & Field as well as being a mentor in the Wildcat Focus program. Ashley has been accepted to Miami University and is waiting to hear from The Ohio State University. She plan on pursuing a career in teaching.

\$500 William Shaylor Memorial Scholarship, (2002): Katie Clarkin—Katie, a National Honor Society member, Scholar Athlete, 16th in her class,

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CLASS REUNIONS



<u>CLASS</u>	<u>REUNION</u>	<u>WHEN</u>	<u>LOC./COST</u>	<u>CONTACT PERSON</u>	<u>PHONE / E-MAIL</u>
1955	55th	Aug. 27-29, 2010	Holiday Inn/\$40	Nancy/Hal West	Nancyw155@aol.com
1960	50th	Sept. 17-18, 2010	Landerhaven/\$80	Marie Chess	meccook@juno.com
1970	40th	July 23-24, 2010	Ramada Inn/\$45	Karen Savransky	karen.savransky@comcast.net
1980	30th	Oct. 8-9, 2010	Stonewater	Denise Valentino	dval80@aol.com
1985	25th	Oct. 8-9, 2010	Boneyard	Gina Antonelli Layman	udgrad89@yahoo.com
1990	20th	Aug. 13-14, 2010	Catered Elegance/\$30	Seth Rodin	sethrodin@yahoo.com
2000	10th	Nov. 27, 2010	Hilton Garden Inn/\$60	Paul Lin	paul.k.lin@gmail.com

Class of '49

Whenever you read or hear someone speaking about "a 60th class reunion," it's natural that sepia-colored visions flash through your consciousness. Yet, for those of us who graduated from Mayfield High School in the spring of 1949, our 60th class reunion was anything but an antique show. Of course, many once-limber body parts are now reinforced with metal components; formerly sharp eyesight now focuses through bifocals, and hearing is frequently enhanced electronically. Don't even mention dental aspects. But what matters doesn't change. The individuals with whom we spent so much of our youth are, wondrously, pretty much the same warm and friendly people we keep in our school memory bank. That may reflect well on the school itself, or on our teachers, or on a myriad of other factors. It doesn't matter. As some 36 of us reminisced, traded family stories, and greeted one another, the intervening years evaporated. It was like old times, again.

One of the revealing aspects of this reunion lies in the fact that so many made such long trips to attend. Classmates from FL included Rich Laconte, Reggie Miller, Ruth (Frank) Robson, Carole (Dennis) Smith and Marcia (Barker) Vangunten; from AR, Bill Anderson; from GA, Hal Doster; from OK, Bob Miller (his first time back in 50 years); from PA, Carol (Phelps) Morris; from IL, Ruth Mary (Ingram) Porter, and from CT, Elsie (Marten) Scheetz. Also, nine graduates from the local area also attended. We partied first at Gloria (Zoldak) Strasshofer's home on Friday evening, followed by a tasteful dinner Saturday at Dino's Restaurant. We chose not to have any "formal" proceedings (they made 'em smart in '49) and Bob Summers kept his Presidential promise with brief comments. And now that we've shown all how easy a 60th reunion can be, we're looking ahead to the next one...perhaps with a shorter time span between. **Gloria Strasshofer, Class of '49**

Class of '59

The **Class of '59** held its 50th class reunion June 26, 27 & 28, 2009 at Pine Ridge Country Club. The weekend started off with a great cocktail party and passed appetizers at Pine Ridge. Saturday night started off with cocktails and then a great family style dinner followed by dancing to great songs of the 50's by a DJ. Several of the guys got up and really made us think back at the good old days of Mayfield and the trouble we thought we go into. Sunday we had a wonderful buffet brunch with an omelet station. There were about 40 graduates along with spouses to make a total of 60 attendees. A great weekend was had by all. Some of the group even made it to the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame. Everyone is looking forward to the next reunion.

Sandra Benedict Mershon
Class of '59



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Many to Thank for Nautica Charity Poker Festival Success

The Nautica Charity Poker Festival, available to any non-profit organization in Greater Cleveland, was a huge success for the Mayfield Alumni Association due to the many alums and friends who volunteered their time. The weekend assigned to us was Super Bowl weekend, which was not the best for soliciting volunteers. The Wildcats came through, however, with ample volunteers. When another organization dropped out because they couldn't secure enough volunteers on Memorial Day weekend, Nautica asked the Mayfield Alumni Association if we would take on a second weekend in 2010. We knew this would be a difficult task, so we asked the Mayfield Athletic Boosters if they wanted to

help and earn some money for their projects. They agreed and we once again had a successful weekend. Proceeds from the Texas Hold'em event will go into our scholarship program while the Athletic Boosters will put their profits toward several projects. We certainly want to thank our volunteers. We couldn't have done it without you. The Alumni Association made each volunteer a lifetime member, gave them a Texas Hold'em t-shirt, paid for parking and fed them. It was worth every penny! If you weren't able to volunteer this year, we hope you will consider helping in this terrific fund raiser next year. It is an excellent fund raiser to benefit the student body of Mayfield High School. A **Big Wildcat Thank You** to all these great volunteers:

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has been involved with cheerleading for 4 years and has been a captain. She has maintained an excellent academic rating while being involved with school and community affairs and organizations. She has been a member of Cats Cabinet and the Limited Edition Show Choir. She has been accepted to Ohio University, Miami University, John Carroll University, Mercyhurst, Bowling Green and Kent State.

\$500 Butch Woodie Memorial Scholarship, (2004): Amber Tagg—Amber, a four-year Honor Roll member, four-year Student Athlete who has earned letters in Fastpitch Softball and Volleyball has also been a Fast pitch team captain for 2 years. She has been involved in Student Council, Key Club and Cats Cabinet for 4 years. Amber works as well as volunteers in the community. She has been accepted to Lake Erie College, Ohio University, Mercyhurst, and Lakeland CC. She would like to major in Communications and Public Relations.

\$2,500 Leadership Scholarship, (2005): Antonia Kopp—Our valedictorian and Phi Beta Kappa winner Antonia Kopp will be attending Georgetown University in the fall. She was one of one hundred fifty state finalists out of a pool of over three thousand students selected for a National Honor Society Scholarship. Although involved in many activities, she distinguished herself as President of Student Council and Captain of the varsity swim team her senior year. Antonia will major in Biological Sciences in the Pre-Med program as a freshman at Georgetown University.

\$1,000 Rich Vojticek Memorial Scholarship, (2005): Suparna Reddy—Suparna, a National Honor Society member, Scholar Athlete, 8th in her class, is a four-year letter winner in Tennis, team captain and undefeated in her senior year. She has devoted a large amount of time to community service and involvement in extra-curricular activities and has managed to maintain her studies at a high level of achievement. Her love of history and politics has inspired her to pursue law and would like to major in Political Science and Economics and minor in French or Anthropology. She has been accepted to The Ohio State University.

\$1,000 Harvey Scheetz Memorial Scholarship, (2007): Matthew Shannon—Matthew, a National Honor Society member, Scholar Athlete, Principal's List member, has earned three letters in Football and has earned All-Conference, All-District and All-State honors. He has been a mentor in the Wildcat Focus program and has also volunteered time at Menorah Park and partici-

pated in other community events. Matthew has been accepted to Brown University where he would like to pursue a dream of being a sports writer.

\$1,000 Nancy West Business Scholarship, (2008): Robert DeJohn, Jr.—Robert, a National Honor Society member, Principal's List member and a former Student Council president has been involved with school groups such as S.W.A.P. (Students With A Purpose), Wildcat Focus, Key Club and has participated in Tennis as well. He has earned an English Department Award while doing community service via the clubs and organizations he has been active in. Robert will be attending Miami University of Ohio and will be majoring in Business.

\$1,000 Paul Gadke Memorial Scholarship, (2008): Joe Wilson—Joe, a National Honor Society member, Scholar Athlete and 11th in his class has participated in Marching Band, Baseball (lettering three years), Golf and Hockey, where he lettered four times and was a two-time team captain. He has also won conference awards, Tema MVP, Farmer's, Phillips and Academic Awards for his efforts in Hockey and school. Joe plans on attending the University of Pittsburgh to pursue a degree in Engineering.

\$500 Judy Delfs Spirit Scholarship, (2009): Jeffrey Wunsch—Jeffrey, a member of National Honor Society member, Key Club and P.R.I.D.E. has also enjoyed being a mentor in the Wildcat Focus program and being involved in community service. His four year perfect attendance record is evidence of his commitment to the school, his clubs and organizations, his fellow students and his own education. Jeffrey has been accepted to John Carroll University, Kent State University and Cleveland State University.

\$1,000 Laura Rinker Nursing Scholarship, (2009): Rachel Kovacs—Rachel, a member of the National Honor Society, National Technical Honor Society and a delegate to Student Council has been focused on her career. She is part of the Medical Technologies program of Excel Tecc, has been accepted to a Cleveland Clinic internship program and also did a nine week internship at South Pointe Hospital. She is also working at Cleveland Clinic Hillcrest Hospital in the pediatric unit. Rachel will begin working on her four-year RN, BSN program at Edinboro University.

\$1,000 Wendy DiVita Murphy Memorial Scholarship, (2009): Jason Ina—Jason, a member of National Honor Society, Principal's List, Key Club and Student Council has been involved with community organization that help children and other people in need, such as Homework Club (helping inner city children with homework), CYO Basketball, CYO Baseball and Little League Base-

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ball (coaching teams in the 10-12 year old age range), Helping Hands Ministry and United Way. He also has participated in school Baseball and Basketball. Jason has been accepted to John Hopkins, Georgetown, Univ. of Rochester and Miami University. He plans on majoring in Bio-medical Engineering and then continue on to medical school.

\$500 Ed Ferris Memorial Scholarship: (2010): Daniel Coleman—Daniel, National Honor Society member, Scholar Athlete and a member of the Wildcat Focus program has participated in Football, lettering three years, Basketball, lettering three years and being captain, Track, lettering 2 years and being a district meet qualifier. He is also a member of Key Club, Marching Band and Student Council. Daniel has been accepted to Xavier, Dayton, OSU, Ohio Wesleyan, Otterbein, BW, OU, BGSU and Utica and he is planning on becoming a cardiologist or thoracic surgeon.

\$1,000 John DeLauro Memorial Scholarship, (2010): Lauren Moran—Lauren, a National Honor Society member, Student Council Treasurer, Scholar Athlete and Yearbook Editor has participated in Basketball for four years and a captain this year, has won recognition with being an All-Sun Award winner, All-Northeast Lake District Honorable Mention, All-District Honorable Mention honoree. She has been a member of Key Club and done community service with groups and United Way as well. Lauren will be attending Ohio University's College of Business.

IN MEMORIAM

Leland Lumadue, '38, passed away Jan. 27, 2010.

Leonard Marous, '38, passed away Jan., 2010.

Marion Wehrung Brandes, '41, passed away May 6, 2010 of Alzheimer's Disease.

Ralph Duncan, '45, passed away Jan., 2010.

Joan Shay, '48, passed away June 9, 2009.

Wanda Hejcl, '50, passed away Dec. 27, 2009.

Captain David Walker, USNR, '50, passed away Oct. 26, 2008.

Donald "Hoppy" Hopkins, '54, passed Feb. 2, 2010.

Jack Christian, '55, passed away Jan. 17, 2010 from cancer.

Dennis Waterman, '55, passed away March 1, 2010.

Kay Palmer Lanese, '57, passed away March 9, 2010.

"Augie" Malchow, '58, passed away Dec. 14, 2008.

Lisa Trivisonno Stawicki, '79.

Romie (Rose Marie) Garibotti, '83.

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Help Us Inform Our Members

If you are aware of the passing of Mayfield graduates, the Association would welcome this information. Often, with our membership living all over the United States, the only way some members learn of the death of their classmates is through our newsletter. You can send this information to us through our e-mail address.

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Wildcattin' With Kitty



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Robert Clasen, '62, has been instrumental in bringing great movies to television. On April 24, he was recognized as one of Bowling Green State University's "100 Most Prominent Alumni" during a ceremony at the Bowen-Thompson Student Union. Clasen holds bachelor's and master's degrees in counseling psychology, both from BGSU, but is better known as the chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Starz LLC, which oversees the country's largest provider of premium movie channels. Clasen retired in 2009. During his 30-year international career, Clasen has served in a variety of senior positions in the cable television, telecommunications and new media industries with companies like Comcast Cable Communications and McCaw Cellular Communications (now AT&T). He was inducted into the Cable Pioneers in 2001. Before he became a media mogul, he was an admissions officer at BGSU and director of student services at BGSU Firelands from 1966-74. BGSU decided to recognize its "100 Most Prominent Alumni" as part of its Centennial celebration. The Alumni Awards honor individuals who personify the University's tradition as an institution of excellence.

Steve Cadwell, '77, was named the CEO of the American Holistic Medical Association (AHMA) on March 15, 2010. Steve has almost 25 years of leadership experience in non-profit and private-sector areas. AHMA's Board President, J. David Forbes MD of Nashville, said, "I am confident that the right person has arrived. Steve brings to us a solid Executive Directorship history, a dedication to our core principles and philosophies, a commitment to the continued growth of the AHMA, and a huge heart. He wants to see us continue to solidify our reputation and credibility as a central voice for holism, increase our financial sustainability, and serve our key mission of transforming health care to a more holistic model.

From 1998 to 2008 Steve served as Associate Director, and later Executive Director, of the Nature Center at Shaker Lakes, a nationally recognized science and environmental-education center in a Cleveland suburb. At the center, he orchestrated a \$3.5 million capital campaign, developed strategic partnerships and gained national recognition for innovative programming.

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WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



We are pleased to acknowledge the following individuals for joining the Mayfield Alumni Association. Whether referred by a classmate, friend, or relative, the Alumni Association continues to grow and has become stronger through the participation of new members.

A lifetime membership to the Alumni Association is only \$35. It is the surest way to be located by your class reunion committee and stay up-to-date on your alma mater's activities. Also, it becomes much easier to participate in Association events. Remember, there is no fee for those alumni who are over 65 years old. Also, married Mayfield graduates can join for the same \$35 lifetime fee. Please feel free to clip the registration form from this newsletter and give it to a fellow alum. If you have any questions regarding membership, you may contact us at: Mayfieldalum@sbcglobal.net

A warm WILDCAT WELCOME to:

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CONFESSIONS...of a HOLLYWOOD HAIRSTYLIST

By "Little" Joe Micale

On June 8th **Rose Newman, Hal and Nancy West, and Wayne and Anna Farinacci** had the pleasure of attending a book signing at the Mayfield Regional Library. The main attraction was **Little Joe Micale, '57**, who wrote his first published book. Following is a synopsis of the book.

For more than 100 years, every person who has ever given a haircut to a Hollywood Celebrity has Pledged, Promised and Vowed to publish every detail in a book. Guess how many books have been written to date. The answer is ONE! The book is new and appropriately called **CONFESSIONS... of a HOLLYWOOD HAIRSTYLIST**. The author is **Little Joe Micale, Hairstylist to the Stars**. Interestingly, Little Joe has enjoyed a dual career as a writer!

"CONFESSIONS..." is a selection of the Cream of the Crop of Little Joe's columns that were published in two Southwest Florida newspapers, **the Islander**, a **Breeze** publication owned by **Ogden Newspapers** and **The News-Press**, a **Gannett** newspaper. News-Press readers elected Joe "Best Columnist of Southwest Florida Runner-up, 2007."

Most of the columns focus on Hollywood Celebrities like *Dirty Harry's* alter ego, **Clint Eastwood**; Hollywood writer **Sydney Skolsky**; Movie Sex Goddess **Jayne Mansfield**; dear friend **Telly "Kojak" Savalas**; *Cheers* Bartender **Nick "Coach" Colosanto**; *Kung Fu's* **Philip Ahn**; *Top 40 Countdown King* **Casey Kasem**; Screen Beauties **Connie Stevens, Stephanie Powers, Debbie Reynolds** and **Judy Garland**; Comic Icon **Red Skelton**; the Comedy Team of **Jerry Stiller** and **Anne Meara**; **Tony Curtis** and **Larry Storch**. Also meet a not-so-reclusive **Howard Hughes**! And everyone will certainly enjoy an intimate look at the life of Character Actor **Paul J. Micale**, Little Joe's father, who with more than a hundred Movie & TV credits is best remembered as **Father Carmine** in the *Rocky* series of movies that starred **Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire** and **Bert Young**.

The **STARDUST** section of the book contains sketches on the careers of more than **300 Celebrities!** Readers will enjoy new, first-hand and never-before-published information on many of their (and Little Joe's) favorite personalities.

In 1999, Little Joe and wife **Ginny** moved from Beverly Hills and reestablished their California-chic hair salon, **Beverly Hills Hair Design**, on Sanibel Island – "the Beverly Hills of Southwest Florida."

In September 2002, the local newspaper was preparing a commemorative issue for the First Anniversary of 9-11-01. Joe wanted to memorialize a former client and dear friend, **Mark "Mickey" Rothenberg**, who lost his life on **American Flight 93**. They asked Joe if he would like to write a column of remembrance. The column became the First of an ongoing series that focused on Little Joe's fabulous, Star-Studded Hollywood career.

With so many millions of movie-loving, diehard Hollywood fans in America and covering the entire world, **CONFESSIONS... of a HOLLYWOOD HAIRSTYLIST** is expected to top the Best Seller lists. The book is projected to be an iconic favorite for years to come as it contains insider stories that only a celebrities' hairstylist like Little Joe can tell! Each story is compact; there's humor, irony, tears of joy and sorrow, and rest assured - all are interesting and intimate, for the added bonus is that **Little Joe Micale**, like his Grampa Dominic, is a born storyteller.

It's all in "CONFESSIONS..." along with so many more of the Stars - did we mention **Frank Sinatra?** - who graced Hollywood's Silver Screen from the '60s through today. More to come? Bet on it.

As Little Joe is fond of saying, "ENJOY!"

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THE WEATHER HELD OFF UNTIL DINNER AND IT WAS DIFFICULT FINDING THE WINNER



The Mayfield Alumni Association's 16th annual golf outing was held at Grantwood Golf Course on June 27TH, 2010. Attendance was good again this year, due mostly to handing out a quality door prize to every entrant instead of giving out money to the top three finishers. Feedback from the golfers last year was that this was much appreciated and should continue in the future.

Once again this year, three teams finished with the identical score of 62. The PGA method of breaking ties was used to determine a winner! **George Persiano '74, Kenny Kozak '74, Bill Liotta '75, and Stu Jones '81** will be added to the Alumni Golf Outing trophy for 2010. See chart to the right for total results.

After all holes were tallied, we realized there were no skins out. The \$300 skin game total will be carried over to next year making a grand total of \$600—\$700 in skins! Don't miss out next year.

Cash payouts were given for pin shots and long drives as follows: Closest to the Pin - #4 **Mark DeJohn** #7 **Cliff Zenobi**, #9 **Mark Frank**, #12 **Bill Liotta**, and #14 **Jim Newkirk**. Long drives - #5 **Kenny Kozak**, and #17 **Bill Liotta**. Each winner received \$10 and a golf bag mug.

We could not have a successful outing without the help of our sponsors. The Association and golfers greatly appreciate the following companies and alums for providing such great golf gifts:

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Finally, the Association wants to thank our organizers **Al Agresta, '63 and Bud Nihiser, '59** for making all the arrangements and obtaining sponsors. We would also like to thank our scorekeepers and registration assistants **Anna Farinacci, Sandie Agresta, and Lori Boroski.**

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Next year's date—**Sunday, June 26th** with lunch at 11:00am and shotgun start at noon. A steak dinner will be held after golf. Cost is projected to be \$95/golfer and includes absolutely everything. Organize your group now.

Executive Board Leadership to be Commended

The Mayfield Alumni Association has been in existence for 30 years. We have helped over 20 high schools begin their alumni associations, awarded \$215,900 in scholarships, contributed to many school projects, and held numerous social functions for alums. The following past and present Board members should be commended for their time and commitment to the success of the Alumni Association, one of the strongest in Ohio. The number of years served is listed. Anyone wishing to serve on the Board should contact the Association at mayfieldalum@sbcglobal.net

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