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Hagerstown High Schools
Class of 1957
Online Newsletter



August 2015 Edition

Bulletin Board

- Class Picnic is fast approaching! First, mark your calendar with the time (11:30-??), place (FOP picnic grounds), and date (September 17th). Second, contact Jo Ann to confirm your attendance @ jkline6160@myactv.net. The cost is the same as last year, \$12 per person. Make your checks payable to me and mail to 1472 Westcliff Dr., Pasadena, MD 21122.

I must have your reservation and \$\$ in hand on or before Saturday, September 12th so we can give the caterer the head count!!!!!!!!!!

August Birthdays



August Anniversaries





Class Activities

Glenn Julian

I am more than halfway through writing a book (eventually about 150 pages) about my mother's genealogy, dating back to a miller in Saxony about 1400. Alas, nothing new finished yet.

Editor's Comment: Check with Don Bowman for facts about the 1400's, he was around during that century.

Ron Amos

I celebrated my 76th birthday on July 17th, by driving to Attman's Deli in Potomac, MD to pick up some great Kosher hot dogs, salami, pickled tomatoes and rolls....really exciting...right!

Editor's Comment: Slow up Ron, you will have a heart attack!

Ann Corderman



Family reunion at beach house in Ocean City MD.

Phil Brader

Pic is Holmes family in Las Vegas a few days ago. Darren (our son) and Abby, Paris (11), Asher (9 months) and Bently (1 year old pup). The Holmes family will be leaving in August for a 3-year TDY in Hong Kong. Darren is a FEDEX 777 Captain.



Meier's Family in San Antonio for Father's Day 2015. Courtney (our daughter) and Tim, Parker (insert, 17), Dillon (14), and Kylie (12 approaching 21).



Don Gordon



Yes they were my boots and a lot of other guys too. In the spring of 1964 I was in the army stationed at MacDill AFB in Tampa FL. My outfit was comm support element. We were a part of U.S.STRIKE COMMAND. They decided to hold a small airborne drop for the Shah. I was the team chief for a MARC 69 double terminal. My team was chosen it was quite an adventure. It took two c-130's to fly my marc 69 and two PE197 power plants. We went to Bermuda, the Azores, Spain, Turkey and then to Iran. We were about 35 miles from Tehran. That area looked like the Mars pictures. I couldn't get my antennas up because the ground was so hard. I had to strap one to the front of my truck. All in all it went well. It was quite an experience. A lot of us got the Ayatollah's Revenge. You know what that is. Coming back we flew nonstop from Spain to Gander Newfoundland. Three weeks

after being back at MacDill I was once again on the move. This time I ended up in the Mohave Desert. This operation was called Operation Desert Strike. Sounds like today's news. All in all my army time was something I'll never forget.

[Jerry & Pam Hess](#)

FAMILY TIME IN HILTON HEAD FOR PAM AND JERRY HESS

Most of the Hess family met in Hilton Head or the mountains of North Carolina in June and July.

Our youngest son, Jonathan of Cumberland, visited us in mid-June for 10 days with his three children and his fiancée's three children. We had young adults sleeping everywhere on floors and couches. Thank goodness Jon and Kristin both like to cook and did most of the meal preparations.

It was unusually hot in June so we only went to the beach twice, but to the pool often.

When Jon and Kristin left; three children stayed on for another week. We met their Dad in Hagerstown where we stayed with Cynthia Gordon Milsop. Also, spent time with my brother, Steve, and my 97-year-old aunt in Bedford.

In July, Pam and I went to the mountains of Western North Carolina for a cooler weekend. Son, David, and his wife, Stephanie, fly fished and caught two rainbows.

We played games with our other three grandchildren and brought two of them to Hilton Head for an extended vacation. A busy two months, but well worth the time and effort to be with family.



Grandsons, Christian, left, and Ethan toured Paris Island while visiting us at Hilton Head Island.

[Education Section – Classmate Contributions](#)

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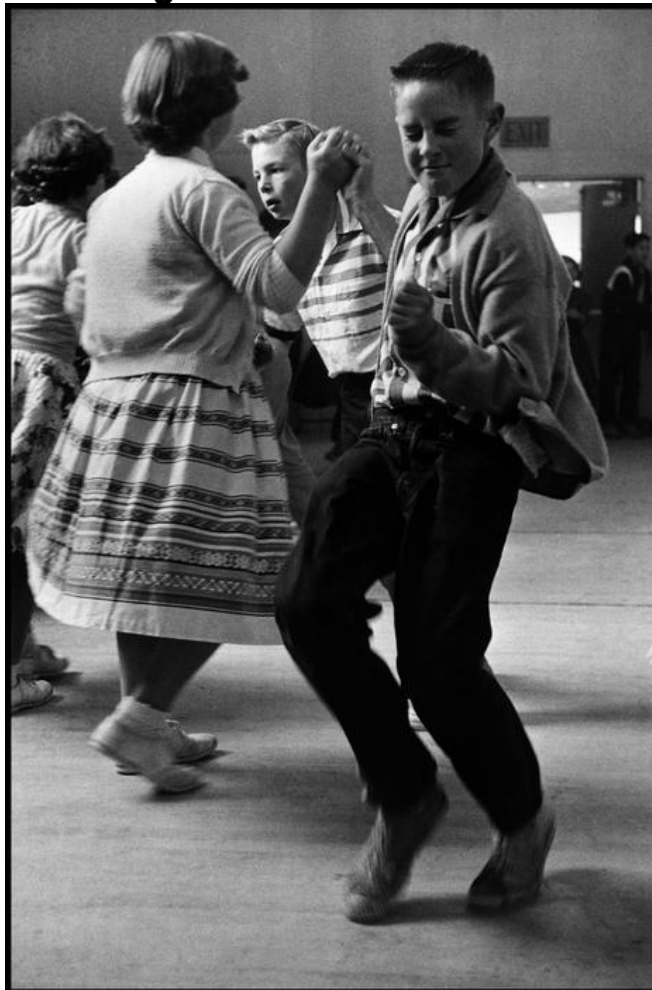
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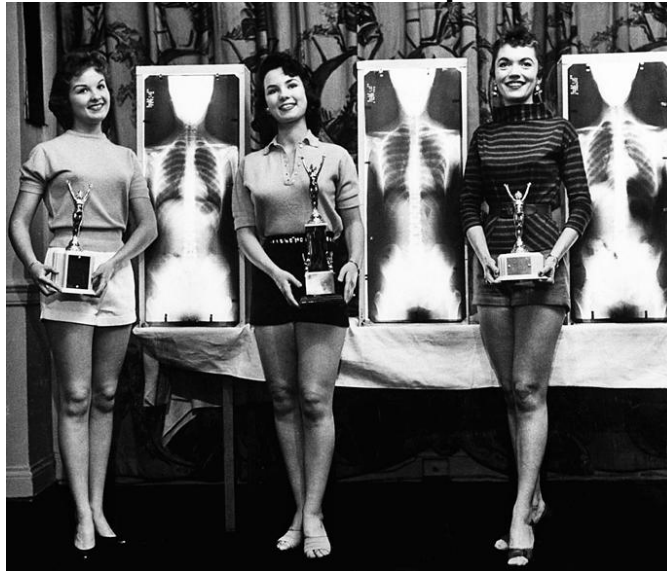
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[Pics From Our Early Life](#)

High School Dance 1956



Chiropractic Beauty Pageant, 1956. Miss Beautiful Spine



A Supermarket In 1964



Phone from Car (1959)



Hot dog stand 1947



Breaking all the rules 1950's



Popular hair styles from the 50s



Segregated seating at the Orange Bowl, 1955



Women wrestling in the 50's



For city kids the street was your playground.



1948 Los Angeles, street car chaos



Prom night, 1957



Nice sales pitch, 1953



Crowd at a high school football game, 1944



Editor's Comment: Why all the ladies? During WW II, Selective Service was drafting 18 year-olds out of high school!!

The Classic Lunch Counter 1960's



Buying a car in 1950

5% Down Payment and
36 Months to Pay for
Qualified Veterans



1950 Nash Tudor	1395.00
1949 Mercury Fordor	1395.00
1949 Ford Club Coupe	1195.00
1949 Ford Fordor	1095.00
1949 Ford Tudor	1095.00
1947 Chevrolet Fordor	695.00
1947 Ford Tudor	795.00
1946 Chevrolet Fordor	695.00
1946 Packard Fordor	695.00
1947 Nash Brougham Tudor	695.00
1939 Ford Tudor	175.00
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1942 Nash Fordor	395.00
1950 Ford 1/2 ton panel	995
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Doing Homework 1946



Daytona Beach in the 1950's . . .



Editor's Comment: While attending Aviation Fundamentals School in Jacksonville, FL, we would ride on Daytona Beach on the weekends looking for young ladies who wanted to discuss Shakespeare.

Entertainment

You can retire to Phoenix, Arizona where...

1. You are willing to park 3 blocks away from your house because you found shade.
2. You've experienced condensation on your ass from the hot water in the toilet bowl.
3. You can drive for 4 hours in one direction and never leave town.
4. You have over 100 recipes for Mexican food.
5. You know that "dry heat" is comparable to what hits you in the face when you open your oven door.
6. The 4 seasons are: Tolerable, hot, really hot , and ARE YOU KIDDING ME?

OR, You can retire to California where...

1. You make over \$450,000 and you still can't afford to buy a house.
2. The fastest part of your commute is going down your driveway.
3. You know how to eat an artichoke.
4. You drive your rented Mercedes to your neighborhood block party.
5. When someone asks you how far something is, you tell them how long it will take to get there rather than how many miles away it is .
6. The 4 seasons are: Fire, Flood, Mud, and Drought.

OR, You can retire to New York City where... _

1. You say "the city" and expect everyone to know you mean Manhattan
2. You can get into a four-hour argument about how to get from Columbus Circle to Battery Park, but can't find Wisconsin on a map.
3. You think Central Park is "nature."
4. You believe that being able to swear at people in their own language makes you multi-lingual.

5. You've worn out a car horn. (IF you have a car).

6. You think eye contact is an act of aggression.

OR, You can retire to Minnesota where...

1. You only have three spices: salt, pepper, and ketchup ..

2. Halloween costumes have to fit over parkas.

3. You have seventeen recipes for casserole.

4. Sexy lingerie is anything flannel with less than eight buttons.

5. The four seasons are: almost winter, winter, still winter, and road repair.

6. The highest level of criticism is "He is different, she is different or It was different!

OR, You can retire to The Deep South where...

1. You can rent a movie and buy bait in the same store.

2. "Y'all" is singular and "all y'all" is plural.

3. "He needed killin" is a valid defense.

4. Everyone has 2 first names: Billy Bob, Jimmy Bob, Joe Bob, Betty Jean, Mary Beth, etc.

5. Everywhere is either: "in yonder," "over yonder" or "out yonder".

OR, You can retire to Colorado where... _

1. You carry your \$3,000 mountain bike atop your \$500 car.

2. You tell your husband to pick up Granola on his way home, so he stops at the day care center.

3. A pass does not involve a football or dating.

4. The top of your head is bald, but you still have a pony tail.

OR, You can retire to the Oklahoma where...

1. You've never met any celebrities, but the mayor knows your name.
2. Your idea of a traffic jam is three cars waiting to pass a tractor.
3. You have had to switch from "heat" to "A/C" on the same day.
4. You end sentences with a preposition: "Where's my coat at??"

OR, FINALLY You can retire to Florida where... _

1. You eat dinner at 3:15 in the afternoon.
2. All purchases include a coupon of some kind-- even houses and cars.
3. Everyone can recommend an excellent cardiologist, dermatologist, proctologist, podiatrist, or orthopedist.
4. Road construction never ends anywhere in the state.
5. Cars in front of you often appear to be driven by headless people.

Confucius Say

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It's ok to let a fool kiss you,
but don't let a kiss fool you.

Confucius Say.

A kiss is just shopping upstairs
for downstairs merchandise.

Confucius Say.

It is better to lose a lover
than love a loser.

Confucius Say.

A drunken man's words
are a sober man's thoughts.

Confucius Say.

Viagra is like Disneyland ...

a one hour wait for a 2-minute ride.

Confucius Say.

It is much better to want the mate you do not have

than to have the mate you do not want.

Confucius Say.

A joke is like sex.

Neither is any good if you don't get it.

Lao-Tzu was a great philosopher and poet in ancient China. He is credited with many profound quotes and this one might be his best.

The Great Lao-Tzu said:

"It is only when you see a mosquito landing on your testicles that you realize there is always a way to solve problems without using violence."