

NORTH & SOUTH Hagerstown High Schools Class of 1957 Online Newsletter



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BULLETIN BOARD

Happy New Year! Can you believe 2013?

<u>Mail Needed!</u> Some troops are not receiving any mail from home. If you drop a line or card to SPC Ridgely Leonard, F. Co. 227th Aviation Regt., Task Force Grey Eagle, FOB Shank, APO AE 09364, he will make sure all the troops will get some mail from "home."

Unfortunately, another classmate has died. Martha "Marty" Bryan died sometime in December. She was living in Florida.

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

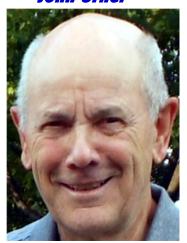
Jo Ann Copenhaver



Sybil Spec



John Urner



Arlise Weaver



Jim Nichols



Bob Westphal



Francis Norris



Betty Horn



JANUARY ANNIVERSARIES

Dick & Nelda Baker



Larry & Nancy Nunamaker Weber



Bob & Arlise Weaver Cianelli



Bob & Audrey Smith



Carroll & Jane Wright



CLASSMATE ACTIVITIES

2012 Chrismas Luncheon

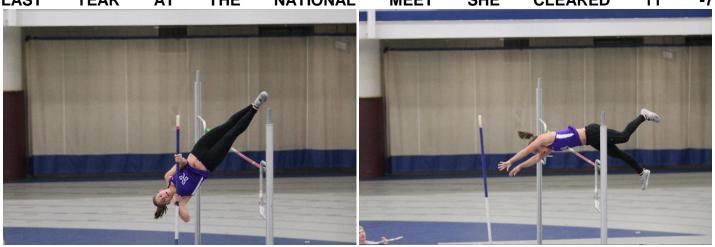
65 classmates gathered for lunch on December 20th and they had a ball. Gossip, tall tales, a memory test and caroling were included in the activities. There is a short video with pics and a shaky video. If you are prone to motion sickness, take a pill before you watch the memory test portion of the video. Click on the following link to view the video.

20 Years Ago!

Click on the pic above for more. Wow, how you have changed!

Betty College

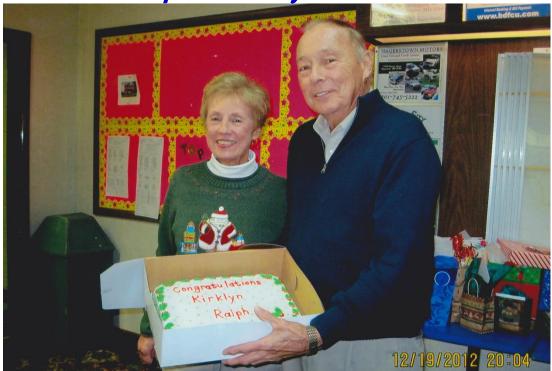
BETTY COLLEGE'S GRANDDAUGHTER, KENNEDY SHANK, IS A SOPHOMORE AT DILLSBURG HIGH SCHOOL, IN PA. SHE IS A MEMBER OF THE NORTHERN HIGH SCHOOL TRACK AND FIELD TEAM. WHERE SHE HOLDS THE GIRLS POLE VAULT RECORD. SHE IS IN TRAINING AT VAULTWORX IN CAMP HILL, PA. FRIDAY 12/14/12 AT THE F & M COLLEGE MEET SHE CLEARED 11' AND SHE IS NOW QUALIFIED FOR THE STATE MEET AT PENN STATE. IF SHE CLEARS 11'-3" SHE WILL QUALIFY FOR THE NATIONAL MEET IN NEW YORK. LAST YEAR ΑT THE **NATIONAL** MEET SHE **CLEARED** 11'





Editor's Note: WOW! Way to go Kennedy. You now have over 300 new fans!

Ralph Kline & Kirklyn Middlekauff



Congratulations are in order for Kirklyn and Ralph. They were engaged on December 8th! Everyone was wondering if Kirklyn was under the influence when she accepted Ralph's proposal. (We are all invited to the wedding!!)

EDUCATION CORNER

HOLIDAY EATING TIPS

- 1. Avoid carrot sticks. Anyone who puts carrots on a holiday buffet table knows nothing of the Holiday spirit. In fact, if you see carrots, leave immediately. Go next door, where they're serving rum balls.
- 2. Drink as much eggnog as you can. And quickly. It's rare... You cannot find it any other time of year but now. So drink up! Who cares that it has 10,000 calories in every sip? It's not as if you're going to turn into an eggnog-alcoholic or something. It's a treat. Enjoy it. Have one for me. Have two. It's later than you think. It's Christmas!
- 3. If something comes with gravy, use it. That's the whole point of gravy. Gravy does not stand alone. Pour it on. Make a volcano out of your mashed potatoes. Fill it with gravy. Eat the volcano. Repeat.
- 4. As for mashed potatoes, always ask if they're made with skim milk or whole milk. If it's skim, pass. Why bother? It's like buying a sports car with an automatic transmission.
- 5. Do not have a snack before going to a party in an effort to control your eating. The whole point of going to a Holiday party is to eat other people's food for free. Lots of it. Hello?
- 6. Under no circumstances should you exercise between now and New Year's. You can do that in January when you have nothing else to do. This is the time for long naps, which you'll need after circling the buffet table while carrying a 10-pound plate of food and that vat of eggnog.

- 7. If you come across something really good at a buffet table, like frosted Christmas cookies in the shape and size of Santa, position yourself near them and don't budge. Have as many as you can before becoming the center of attention. They're like a beautiful pair of shoes. If you leave them behind, you're never going to see them again.
- 8. Same for pies. Apple, Pumpkin, Mincemeat. Have a slice of each. Or if you don't like mincemeat, have two apples and one pumpkin. Always have three. When else do you get to have more than one dessert? Labor Day?
- 9. Did someone mention fruitcake? Granted, it's loaded with the mandatory celebratory calories, but avoid it at all cost. I mean, have some standards.
- 10. One final tip: If you don't feel terrible when you leave the party or get up from the table, you haven't been paying attention. Re-read tips; start over, but hurry, January is just around the corner. Remember this motto to live by:

"Life should NOT be a journey to the grave with the intention of arriving safely in an attractive and well preserved body, but rather to skid in sideways, chocolate and wine in one hand, body thoroughly used up, totally worn out and screaming "WOO HOO what a ride!"

1910 Ford

Make sure you read all the statistics under the photo.
This has only been 102 years ago..Amazing!!!



Show this to your friends, children and/or grandchildren!
The year is 1910, over one hundred years ago. What a difference a century makes!
Here are some statistics for the Year 1910:

The average life expectancy for men was 47 years.

Fuel for this car was sold in drug stores only.

Only 14 percent of the homes had a bathtub.

Only 8 percent of the homes had a telephone.

There were only 8,000 cars and only 144 miles of paved roads.

The maximum speed limit in most cities was 10 mph.

The tallest structure in the world was the Eiffel Tower!

The average US wage in 1910 was 22 cents per hour.

The average US worker made between \$200 and \$400 per year.

A competent accountant could expect to earn \$2000 per year, a dentist \$2,500 per year, a veterinarian between \$1,500 and \$4,000 per year, and a mechanical engineer about \$5,000 per year.

More than 95 percent of all births took place at HOME.

Ninety percent of all Doctors had NO COLLEGE EDUCATION!

Instead, they attended so-called medical schools, many of which were condemned in the press AND the government as 'substandard.'

Sugar cost four cents a pound.

Eggs were fourteen cents a dozen.

Coffee was fifteen cents a pound.

Most women only washed their hair once a month, and used Borax or egg yolks for shampoo.

Canada passed a law that prohibited poor people from entering into their country for any reason.

The five leading causes of death were:

- 1. Pneumonia and influenza
 - 2. Tuberculosis
 - 3. Diarrhea
 - 4. Heart disease
 - 5. Stroke

The American flag had 45 stars.

The population of Las Vegas Nevada was only 30!

Crossword puzzles, canned beer, and iced tea hadn't been invented yet.

There was no Mother's Day or Father's Day.

Two out of every 10 adults couldn't read or write and only 6 percent of all Americans had graduated from high school.

Eighteen percent of households had at least one full-time servant or domestic help.

There were about 230 reported murders in the ENTIRE U.S.A.!

I am now going to forward this to someone else without typing it myself.

From there, it will be sent to others all over the WORLD...all in a matter of seconds!

Try to imagine what it may be like in another 100 years.

RETIRED HEALTH MESSAGE

- As I was lying in bed pondering the problems of the world, I rapidly realized that I don't really give a rat's ass. It's the tortoise life for me!
 - 1. If walking is good for your health, the postman would be immortal.
 - 3. A whale swims all day, only eats fish, drinks water, and is fat.
 - 3. A rabbit runs and hops and only lives 15 years.
- 4. A tortoise doesn't run and does nothing, yet it can live for more than 150 years.

And, you tell me to exercise? I don't think so. I'm retired. Go around me. God grant me the senility to forget the people I never liked, the good fortune to run into the ones I do, and the eyesight to tell the difference.

Now that I'm older here's what I've discovered:

- 1. I started out with nothing, and I still have most of it.
 - 2. My wild oats have turned into prunes and all-bran.
- 3. I finally got my head together, and now my body is falling apart.
 - 4. Funny, I don't remember being absent-minded.
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 - 6. If all is not lost, where is it?
 - 7. It is easier to get older than it is to get wiser.
 - 8. Some days, you're the dog; some days you're the hydrant.
 - 9. I wish the buck stopped here; I sure could use a few.
 - 10. Kids in the back seat cause accidents.
 - 11. Accidents in the back seat cause kids.
- 12. It's hard to make a comeback when you haven't been anywhere.
- 13. The only time the world beats a path to your door is when you're in the bathroom.

- 14. If God wanted me to touch my toes, he'd have put them on my knees.
- 15. When I'm finally holding all the cards, why does everyone want to play chess?
 - 16. Its not hard to meet expenses . . . they're everywhere.
 - 17. The only difference between a rut and a grave is the depth.
- 18. These days, I spend a lot of time thinking about the hereafter I go somewhere to get something, and then wonder what I'm hereafter
 - 19. Funny, I don't remember being absent-minded.

20. DID I SAY THIS TO YOU BEFORE ...?

Bad day at Hallmark

Ever wonder what happens when Hallmark writers are having a bad day?

y tire was thumping.
I thought it was flat

When I looked at the tire...

I noticed your cat.

Sorry!

eard your wife left you,
How upset you must be.

But don't fret about it...

She moved in with me.

ooking back over the years

that we've been together,

I can't help but wonder...

'What the hell was I thinking?'

Congratulations on your wedding day!

Too bad no one likes your husband.

ow could two people as beautiful as you

Have such an ugly baby?

've always wanted to have

someone to hold,

someone to love.

After having met you ..

I've changed my mind.

I must admit, you brought Religion into my life.

I never believed in Hell until I met you.

As the days go by, I think of how lucky I am...

That you're not here to ruin it for me.

Congratulations on your promotion.

Before you go...

Would you like to take this knife out of my back?

You'll probably need it again.

Happy Birthday, Uncle Dad!

(Available only in Tennessee, Kentucky & West Virginia)

appy birthday! You look great for your age.

Almost Lifelike!

hen we were together, you always said you'd die for me.

Now that we've broken up,

I think it's time you kept your promise.

We have been friends for a very long time.

let's say we stop?

I'm so miserable without you

it's almost like you're here.

Congratulations on your new bundle of joy.

Did you ever find out who the father was?

Your friends and I wanted to do

something special for your birthday.

So we're having you put to sleep.

So your daughter's a hooker

So your daughter's a hooker, and it spoiled your day.

Look at the bright side,

it's really good pay