

# NORTH & SOUTH Hagerstown High Schools Class of 1957 Online Newsletter



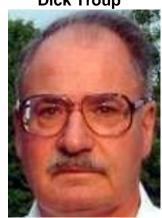
#### March 2014 Edition

### In Memorial

#### ❖ Kellar Smith





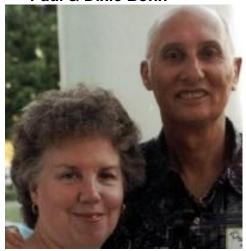




# **March Anniversaries**Ron & Elaine Finniff Smith

#### Paul & Dixie Bohn





Harry & Rose Marie Nigh Barger



Ron & Virgina Lashley Hartman





Ron & Barbara Carbaugh Young



#### **Class Activities**

#### Roger Kisiel

Below are pictures from my two weeks in Muscat, Oman completing my 6-week class with 14 Omani MBA students, 11 of whom were women. The other picture shows me at the beautiful Opera House. The first picture is of me with my students, and some professors from the Modern College of Business & Science, with which Franklin University (my university) is affiliated. I'm headed back to Oman this coming Wednesday for a bit over 2 weeks to teach a new MBA course to a new group of 17 students.





Terry Strock, Jim Carnes, Ralph Kline & Dick Knode



Class of '57 Snowbirds

A celebration from the cold temperatures and knee-high snow in Maryland and Virginia was held at ROSEBUDS in Nokomis, FL.on Feburary 11. The dinner party included Ralph & Kirklyn Kline, Dick & Janie Knode, Terry & Cindy Strock, Nancy & Jim Carnes, Barbara Grogan Hamman & Leo (Class of '52) & Judy Burke. Jim, Nancy and Barbara live year round in Florida, so they have no need for shovels, snow boots, or winter coats.

Everyone enjoyed the fun, food and fellowship. The highlight of the evening was the picture taken on Nokomis Beach with the men in their Speedos and the girls in their bikinis. We could not send the picture to Webmaster Bob since it was considered adult pornography. The picture will be on display at the 75<sup>th</sup> birthday party in September.

On Tuesday, February 18, Jim, Dick, Ralph & Terry played Pelican Point Golf Course while Nancy, Janie, Kirklyn & Cindy shopped in downtown Venice. Dick & Jim were the big winners. As a result of their winnings, they had to buy drinks and dinner which cost them more than they won. Thankfully, the girls did not empty the bank account on their shopping spree. We dined that evening at Pineapples in Venice. (See pic above.)

The Knodes, Klines and Strocks are due back in the fridge north the first week of March. So much for the sand, beach and warm weather.



Kennedy Shank, Dillsburg, Pa. Northern H. S. junior and Granddaughter of Betty (Horn) & Durbin College, competed in the prestigious 107th NYRR Millrose Games on Feb. 15th, at the New Balance Track & Field Center at the Armory. Kennedy competing out of the VaultWorX Pole Vault Club, is one of 10 of the Nations best, who is entered in the Junior Girls Pole Vault. A PIAA State medalist and Northern's record holder. Kennedy was the only girl vaulter from Pennsylvania to compete at Millrose, and will also compete at at Nationals and Penn Relays.





Editor's Comment: Notice how they never invite any guys? And we are soooooooooo anxious to attend.

#### **Class Donation Letters**

Click on the link below to view the Class of 57 donation letters from Jone's favorite charities. Over 800 people attended the celebration and the Class of 57 was well represented.

#### **Donation Letters**



#### **Bob Cianelli & Arlise Weaver**

Our daughter Angie is the Program and Event Director at the Orange County Marathon Foundation. As such, she conducts a "Kids Run The OC." Through their schools, the kids accumulate 25 miles of training prior to the "Kids Run The OC" on the Saturday before the real OC Marathon on Sunday. On that Saturday they run the final 1.2 miles to complete their full 26.2 mile marathon. The effort is aimed at children getting regular, age appropriate exercise and to modify behavior to make good nutritional choices.

Each student who completes the program is awarded the same marathon medal as the Sunday runners. It is hung around their neck during a school assembly with all the students in attendance. Since Angie started the program, it has grown from 900 to 6,500 students and with 82 Orange County schools participating this year.

In addition, Angie has obtained partners like Target and The Magic Shoe Foundation so students who need shoes can receive sneakers so they can participate in the program.



#### **Education Section**

Written by Regina Brett, 90 years old, of the Plain Dealer, Cleveland, Ohio .

"To celebrate growing older, I once wrote the 45 lessons life taught me. It is the most requested column I've ever written.

My odometer rolled over to 90 in August, so here is the column once more:

- 1. Life isn't fair, but it's still good.
- 2. When in doubt, just take the next small step.
- 3. Life is too short enjoy it.
- 4. Your job won't take care of you when you are sick. Your friends and family will.
- 5. Pay off your credit cards every month.
- 6. You don't have to win every argument. Stay true to yourself.
- 7. Cry with someone. It's more healing than crying alone.
- 8. It's OK to get angry with God. He can take it.
- 9. Save for retirement starting with your first paycheck.
- 10. When it comes to chocolate, resistance is futile.
- 11. Make peace with your past so it won't screw up the present.
- 12. It's OK to let your children see you cry.
- 13. Don't compare your life to others. You have no idea what their journey is all about.
- 14. If a relationship has to be a secret, you shouldn't be in it.
- 15. Everything can change in the blink of an eye, but don't worry, God never blinks.
- 16. Take a deep breath. It calms the mind.
- 17. Get rid of anything that isn't useful. Clutter weighs you down in many ways.
- 18. Whatever doesn't kill you really does make you stronger.
- 19.. It's never too late to be happy. But it's all up to you and no one else.
- 20. When it comes to going after what you love in life, don't take no for an answer.
- 21. Burn the candles, use the nice sheets, wear the fancy lingerie. Don't save it for a special occasion. Today is special.

- 22. Over prepare, then go with the flow.
- 23. Be eccentric now. Don't wait for old age to wear purple.
- 24. The most important sex organ is the brain.
- 25. No one is in charge of your happiness but you.
- 26. Frame every so-called disaster with these words 'In five years, will this matter?'
- 27. Always choose life.
- 28. Forgive
- 29. What other people think of you is none of your business.
- 30. Time heals almost everything. Give time time.
- 31. However good or bad a situation is, it will change.
- 32. Don't take yourself so seriously. No one else does.
- 33. Believe in miracles.
- 34. God loves you because of who God is, not because of anything you did or didn't do.
- 35. Don't audit life. Show up and make the most of it now.
- 36. Growing old beats the alternative of dying young.
- 37. Your children get only one childhood.
- 38. All that truly matters in the end is that you loved.
- 39. Get outside every day. Miracles are waiting everywhere.
- 40. If we all threw our problems in a pile and saw everyone else's, we'd grab ours back.
- 41. Envy is a waste of time. Accept what you already have, not what you need
- 42. The best is yet to come...
- 43. No matter how you feel, get up, dress up and show up.
- 44. Yield.
- 45. Life isn't tied with a bow, but it's still a gift."

## **How Real Men Decorate**









# Best secret passage ever

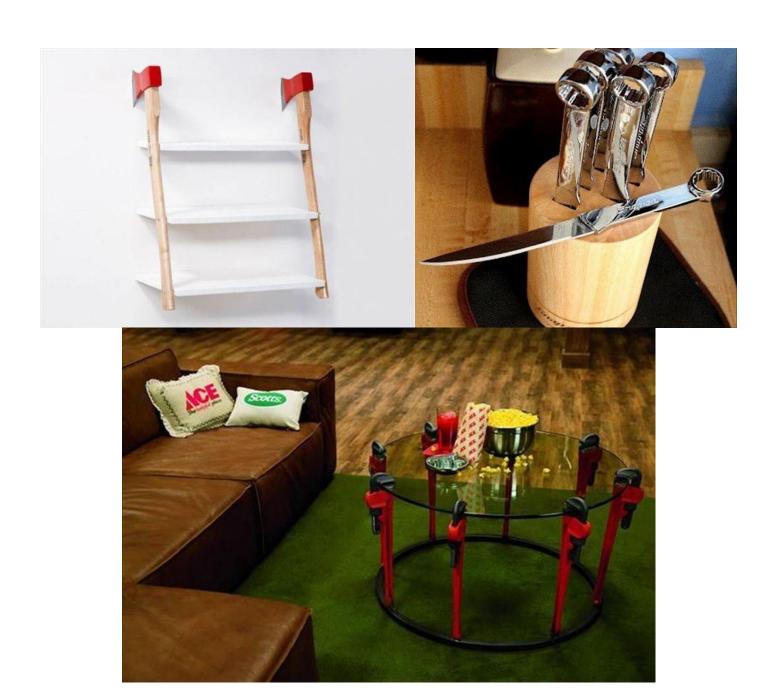
The door to an underground panic room/secret hide out in the kitchen island. Would also be good if someone broke into your house and you had to hide somewhere, or a Zombie apocalypse.



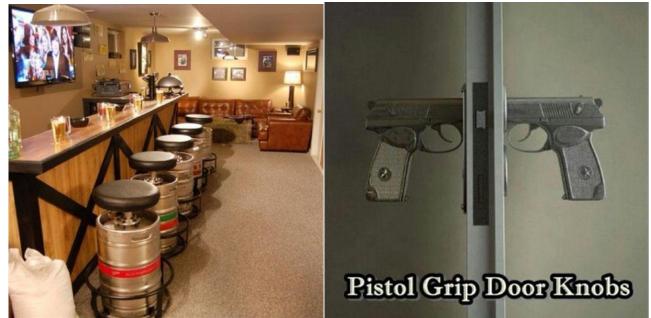










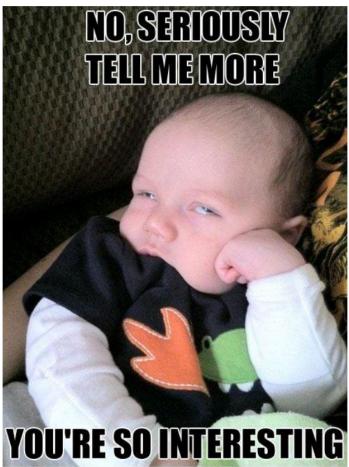




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#### **Comedy Section**



















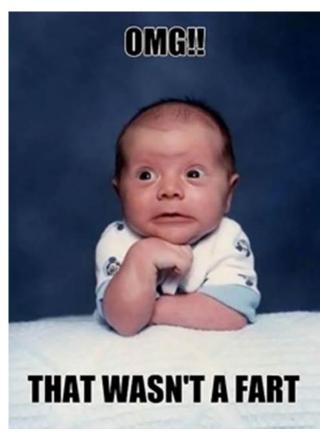
















#### <u>Signs</u>













