



RIVERSIDE – WHITE CROSS ALUMNI

NOVEMBER 2001 NEWSLETTER



Welcome to late Autumn in Ohio. My favorite season of the year. I love everything that Fall stands for. Beautiful trees changing colors. Buckeye Football. Thanksgiving. Pots of chili on a cool afternoon. Windy days. Crisp nights. Snow flurries. I could go on and on...

~**Pamela A. Martin (1973)** Newsletter Editor

My mom, **Genevieve Menkel Martin (1948)**, has been doing OK and is anticipating the Christmas holiday season. She will enjoy having us decorate her apartment and reading the cards sent to her. Coverage of the Olympic Winter Games, February 8-24, in Salt Lake City, Utah will be a special time. Mom's favorite sport is Figure Skating and she will be glued to her TV set for the entire 2 weeks. Mom can be contacted at 3399 Mill Run Drive, Apt # 3, Hilliard, Ohio 43026. Please flood her with Holiday cards and know that we both wish all of you the best and happiest of Holiday Seasons!

Dates to Remember

- ❖ Saturday December 8, 2001 at 11:30 am
Holiday luncheon at Fawcett Center - See details and Reservation Form elsewhere in this newsletter.
- ❖ Tuesday March 26, 2002 at 7:00 pm
Regular alumni meeting at RMH
- ❖ Saturday May 4, 2002 at 11:00 am
Annual reunion luncheon at Fawcett Center
- ❖ Tuesday September 24, 2002 at 7:00 pm
Regular alumni meeting at RMH
- ❖ Saturday December 7, 2002 at 11:00 am
Holiday luncheon at Fawcett Center



- ✓ Your mailing label has a **NEW** look and is now showing the year through which your dues are paid! If you see "LT" that indicates you are a Lifetime Member!
- ✓ Any alumnus who has graduated more than 50 years ago is entitled to **Lifetime Membership** status that allows that alumni member **FREE** membership and newsletters. Lifetime Members are asked to please keep us apprised of address and/or status changes on a regular basis.
- ✓ Have a change of address? Make sure you notify us, as the US Postal Service does NOT forward our newsletter, that is sent by Bulk Mail.

Attention Class of 1952

Your 50th Reunion will be celebrated at the Annual Reunion Luncheon on Saturday May 4, 2002. You will be receiving a complimentary newsletter with luncheon reservation information. Please contact:

Charlotte Mindling Marmon
939 Sunset Drive
Anderson, Indiana 46011
(765) 643-0110



Attention Class of 1962

From **Sharon Penewit Compton (1962)**: We are contacting the class of 1962 for our 40th reunion in May 2002. There will be a dinner on May 3rd at the Berwick Party House for all members and a guest. We are still trying to locate the following ladies:

- Harriet Burwell Neiser
- Mary Jane Hughey Ahman
- Karen Marshall McKibben
- Barb Conklin Howley
- Carletta Jenkins Banks
- Mary Ellen Bachman Toland

If anyone has any information please contact:

Sharon Penewit Compton
3273 Deer Path Drive
Grove City, Ohio 43123
614-871-5870
BCOMSCOM@AOL.COM



Attention Class of 1967

Several members of the Class of 1967 are planning on meeting after the Christmas luncheon to begin planning their 35th reunion for October 19, 2002. If anyone from the class is interested, they are invited to participate. Please contact **Diana Soergel Bussian (1967)** at: DBUSSIAN@NEONRAMP.COM

General Fund Donations

Mary E. Watts Holzapfel - 1937
Margie West Kuebler - 1969
Kathryn Kemnitzer Renshaw - 1945
Jean Anne Judy Tracy - 1946

Memorial Donations

Helen Jeweldeen Linson Dove - 1947

Postage Fund Donations

Virginia Marie Jeffers Buck - 1944
Nancy J. Hays Hilton - 1956
Susie Thomas Hilty
Margaret Rainey Gray - 1962

Scholarship Fund Donations

Jane E. Kraseman Cotsamire - 1959

Our sincere sympathies go out to **Anna V. Gerken** on the death of her husband of 51 years, Richard C. Gerken, who passed away on July 23, 2001. He had suffered from coronary artery disease, congestive heart failure and respiratory disease. He was 91 ½.

Our sincere sympathies go out to the family of **Joan Spain Bogen (1950)** who passed away at Kobacher House on October 18, 2001.

Margie West Kuebler (1968) wrote --still contingent at RMH on mother infant unit. Had shoulder surgery in August and going on insulin pump in October. 3rd grandchild due in March (1st child for daughter Erin and her husband Tim--they live in Dallas). We are true empty nesters now that youngest son Tim moved to apartment attending OSU. Oldest son, Ken, was promoted to Sgt. in the Columbus Police Department and is the youngest Sgt. in the Department (was 28 on his promotion). Jim and I like to travel, spend time with our family and friends. Her email address is: JKUEBLER@IWAYNET.NET

Classmate **Vicki Whitt Pelfrey (1973)** writes: Hi Girls! Hope this finds everyone in good health and enjoying the beautiful fall weather...at least it is here in Columbus! Am so excited that I finally got to return to Columbus and good ol' RMH! We had been living in NE Ohio for the past 15 years. I worked at Hillcrest Hospital in Mayfield Heights; this is on the east side of Cleveland. I just finished my almost 11 weeks of orientation on the M/B unit @ RMH and now looking forward to returning to my "spoiled" lifestyle of contingent/working at least 2x/week! Anyway the reason I'm writing you is that was wondering if any of you know what happened to our classmate Kay Thacker? I know she married Dr. Nims and I think they eventually got a divorce. Also knew she had been diagnosed with Hodgkin's disease and was not doing well. Was just reminiscing with another one of our former classmates, Debbie Perrigo, (she didn't finish with us), and we were just wondering if anyone knew. Would appreciate any information you might have. Would welcome any "correspondence" from anyone.... I am an "email addict"! Hope to hear from you soon via: SCARLETANNGRAY@HOTMAIL.COM

From our Internet Web Site Guestbook

Visitor's Name: Lois Naylor Neal
E-mail Address: DCN71@AOL.COM
You are from: Mingo Jct., Ohio
Year of Graduation 1968
Active Alumni Member: Yes
Comments: I would like to hear from any graduates from my class. I don't get back to Columbus very often but have fond memories of RWC.



New E-mail Addresses

Ann Elizabeth McCarley Wetherbee (1958)
MOMMABEE1@EARTHLINK.NET

Julianne Gotshall Rausch (1954)
JRR@CGATE.NET

Carol Sue Wisecup Rumer (1961)
CRUMER@AMERITECH.NET

Margaret Rainey Gray (1962)
APPLESTUFF@JUNO.COM

Margie West Kuebler (1968)
JKUEBLER@IWAYNET.NET

Vicki Whitt Pelfrey (1973)
SCARLETANNGRAY@HOTMAIL.COM

Diana Soergel Bussian (1967)
DBUSSIAN@NEONRAMP.COM

Lois Naylor Neal (1968)
DCN71@AOL.COM

Susie Thomas Hilty
SAT59Q@AOL.COM



- ✓ Our new Membership/Correspondence Secretary, **Patty Persinger Reed (1977)** is now handling all membership dues. Send your dues to Patty at 1839 Ramblewood Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43235. Patty can be contacted via email at:
PRECIOUSPATTY@COLUMBUS.RR.COM
- ✓ Do you have access to the Internet? Visit your Alumni Association on-line at my home page
WWW.PAMARTIN.COM
- ✓ Do you have R-WC Alumni news or photographs to share in the newsletter? Items of interest can be sent to Pam Martin, Newsletter Editor, 392 Yarmouth Lane, Columbus, Ohio, 43228 or sent by e-mail to:
RWCALUMNI@AOL.COM



R-WC Alumni Holiday Luncheon Reservation Form
(Please PRINT all information)



First / Middle _____ Maiden _____ Last _____

Address _____ Year of Graduation _____

City / State / Zip _____

Telephone _____ E-mail Address _____



Make check payable to R-WC Alumni Association. Holiday Luncheon cost is \$16.50 per person.
Mail check and form to: Marilyn Foor Smith, 2630 Queensway Drive, Grove City, Ohio 43123
Reservation deadline is Monday December 3, 2001.



R-WC Alumni Annual Holiday Luncheon

Saturday December 8, 2001
Social Hour at 11:00 am
Lunch served at 11:30 am



Fawcett Center for Tomorrow
2400 Olentangy River Road
Columbus, Ohio 43210

MENU: The Ultimate Salad Bar

Tossed Salad with Nine Dressings and Twenty-One Toppings, Chicken, Tuna, Egg and Ham Salads for Sandwich Building, Three Soups, Fresh Fruit Salad, Redskin Potato Salad, Cole Slaw, Black Bean and Corn Salad, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, and Onions, Croissants, Kaiser Rolls, Marble Rye Bread, Freshly-Baked Cookies, and Choice of Beverage.

Deadline for Reservations is Monday December 3

Make checks payable to R-WC Alumni Association
\$16.50 per person

For questions contact **Marilyn Foor Smith (1948)**

at 614-875-4566 or E-mail Marilyn at
GRANNYS@IOPENER.NET

R-WC Alumni Association Membership Application Form
(Please PRINT all information)

First / Middle _____ Maiden _____ Last _____

Address _____ Year of Graduation _____

City / State / Zip _____

Telephone _____ E-mail Address _____

Notes _____

This is a change of address. YES / NO (Circle one) This is a NEW / RENEWAL membership. (Circle one)
Make check payable to R-WC Alumni Association. Dues are \$7.50 per year. Donations to funds accepted.
Mail check and form to: Patty Reed, Membership Secretary, 1839 Ramblewood Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43235



Happy Holidays!



Join us for food fun, and
entertainment
at our annual Holiday Luncheon!

Saturday December 8 2001



RSVP Required
See Details Inside



Mailed By:
Riverside Methodist Hospitals
3535 Olentangy River Road
Columbus, Ohio 43214

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Columbus, Ohio
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