



# ARLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL Alumni Association



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HOMEcoming · SEPTEMBER 28 · PEP RALLY · 1:30 · ALUMNI TAILGATE ·  
6:00 · STADIUM PARKING LOT · EXES FROM ALL DECADES · ALUMNI BAND ·  
DISTINGUISHED COLTS PRESENTATION · FREE EATS AND DRINKS ·  
COLTS VS TRIMBLE TECH · 7:30

## *A President's Thank You*

### *To the Alumni Board members*

- Who set up and created a fun, entertaining Open House (see pages 6 & 7): **ERIN** for her can-make-it-happen spirited expertise; **MAC** for his planning and pacing of the program and humor at the microphone; **SHARRON** and her crew on the membership tables; **PAUL, LINDA** selling Alumni products; **PEGGY** introducing us to our Alumni Scholars and arranging our Archives display

- **BUDDIE** and his tech team for the marvelous sound system and video streaming

- **KATHY** who handles all the rules and requirements for our parade entry (see page 5)

- **BONNIE** for organizing float builders and their meal
- All who built, decorated, and rode on our July 4th float—special shout out to **JERRELL** for his skill at building, tearing down and storing

### *To our "auxiliary" of helpers we couldn't do without*

- **David Bailey, Ken Bailey, Beverly Reynolds, Betty Swartz, Jo McGovern, Carol Boring, Scott Ericson, Ken Watkins, DeeDee Winter, Jane Wright, Doris Whitlock**

- **AHS administration and staff** for planning, set up and take down

- **Alumni Band**—especially for their tribute to veterans
- **Alumni Choir**—for bringing our favorite songs to life
- **Linda Chaney** and her sparkly **Class of '68** parade signs
- **David Bailey** for towing the float to parade grounds at 6am
- Friends, especially **Mick Canfield**, who brought supplies to build the float

- **Madison Gover** who brings the enthusiasm of youth

These two events require tons of work by lots of folks. Best of all, working together—a team united by our undying affection for Arlington High School—is so much fun! We will be inviting you to join us in making Homecoming Tailgate just as much



**Debbie, Jerrell, Mac** get ready to greet the crowd.

**Erin** with refreshments

Alumni products on display; **\$1,111** raised for the scholarship fund from product sales!



Eight on the float and one on the side: front-**Linda Chaney, Buz Murphy, '68, Jerrell, Madison, back-Mac, Peggy, Bonnie, Ken, corner-David.**



**President Debbie, Karen Giorgio-Logos, Parade Chair Kathy, Linda Kinser Chaney, all '68!**



fun. Hope you say, "yes." By the way, your Alumni Association joins the Alumni Band on September 20 for the North Texas Day of Giving. Watch for us there, and see you at Tailgate!

*Kick 'em, Colts!*

*Debbie~  
Class of '68*

## 2018 Distinguished Colt Alumni

**MORGAN WOODWARD · CLASS OF 1944**

Nominated by Larry Armour, '71



Although the renowned actor really wanted to sing opera, he recognized early on that opera was *not* the most popular entertainment in America. So he changed his major to business and corporate finance. After graduation he served in the Korean War. In 1955, Walt Disney discovered him for Disney's first full-length, live-action feature film, *The Great Locomotive Chase*. A few years later he was in the popular TV western, "Wyatt Earp." Many roles ensued, but no one who ever saw the movie *Cool Hand Luke* could ever forget Boss Godfrey (pictured)—the man with no eyes—and his sunglasses as Paul Newman's nemesis. Many awards have come Woodward's way, including being listed as one of the six most wanted bad guys on television and in movies. Woodward has also been honored as a Distinguished Alumnus of the University of Texas and is listed in *Who's Who In America* and *Who's Who in the World*. How lucky we are to call him a Distinguished Colt Alumnus.

**SHARRON CHAPMAN MERRILL · CLASS OF 1961**

Nominated by Cathy Brown, '63

One of the requisites for receiving this honor is to typify the spirit, pride and tradition of Arlington High School through tireless efforts to 'give back' to our school. Serving as our membership chairman since 2002 qualifies Sharron in spades. For 16 years, she has collected memberships, recorded the data, made adjustments in the database, sent out invoices to annual members, followed up with calls and emails to remind folks to send in their dues. She sets up at every event to sign up new members and never fails to help the Alumni Association carry on its mission for Arlington High. Somehow she has even



found the time to sing in her church choir, play their handbells, lead the Prayer Shawl Ministry and do the newsletter for the Arlington Handknitters Guild. She is that amazing combination of a big picture person who values organization and respects the need for accuracy in the details. When Sharron hangs it up, the Association must look hard for her clones. It will take several because she has spoiled us rotten with her can do spirit and her excellent, reliable recordkeeping. Sharron is pictured with her family, including her AHS alumni children, *Alyn*, '86, and *Laura*, '89.

**ROGER WEED · CLASS OF 1961**

Nominated by Charlene Mahan, '61

After graduating from Arlington State College as a distinguished military graduate, Roger went to flight school to become a helicopter pilot, eventually serving in Vietnam. While evacuating soldiers under fire, Roger was shot in the left arm. The radial nerve was severed. After undergoing the reattachment of the nerve, plus an additional three surgeries, Roger worked through a regimen of intensive physical therapy. He not only did the work to recover, he willed his left arm to work again. He eventually returned to flight status which led to deployment in Korea. After his service, he became a dentist and taught himself to use both his right and left hands in his practice. In his teaching career at UT Health Science Center in San Antonio, he has been able to teach both right-handed and left-handed students proper technique. His students have selected him multiple times as "Teacher of the Year." Roger is pictured at Open House with his wife *Mary Murchison Weed*, '63.

**VERNE HARGRAVE · CLASS OF 1968**

Nominated by Katie Hargrave

Verne is an Arlington man—start to finish. He loves that he spent his school years on Cooper Street—at Ousley, AHS, and UTA! He is proud of that fact and is genuinely excited about our growing and changing community, and the roots we share. At AHS, he was glad to have his sister Phyllis Forehand nearby for emergency

loans. He is glad, too, that he had Berta Mae Pope for chemistry since it made college easy. Although he took typing as an easy class, Ms. Lands drilled into him the skills he would use years later on his computer at his CPA firm. Verne retired as a partner after 40 years at the firm. His expertise was in non-profit auditing and



his service to churches gained him a spot in the Hall of Fame of the National Association of Church Business Administrators. Verne is currently serving as treasurer of our Alumni Association. He says being named this year is a double honor because his childhood friend Rusty Ward is being honored as well. A sidebar provided by Verne at Open House: Verne played on Rusty's Optimist baseball team coached by Rusty's dad. Rusty batted third because that gave him the greatest number of opportunities to hit in any game. Verne batted fourth and still "brags" about batting cleanup for Rusty Ward! Verne is joined at Open House by wife **Karen Flechtner Hargrave, '69**, daughter Katie, (with apologies to Verne's son **Blake, '04**, who arrived after the photo was taken).

**RUSTY WARD · CLASS OF 1969**  
Nominated by Jeff Wolfskill, '69

Although Jeff Wolfskill wanted to nominate Rusty for Distinguished Colt last year, Rusty was too humble to permit it. We all wish we had managed to override that modesty so that Rusty could be here to receive it. The AHS Alumni Association honors Rusty posthumously. Rusty's athletic accomplishments at AHS are part of Colt legend. He was all-state in both football and baseball. Last year at Night of Champions, he was named athlete of the 1960s



decade. He played pro baseball in the organizations of the San Francisco Giants and Cincinnati Reds. Eventually, after earning his MBA and CPA, he started his career in the field of insurance and university finance. He had a distinguished career in the field of finance at the University of Texas at Dallas and the University of Texas at Arlington. He retired as Vice President and Comptroller after 20

years of service. He played a critical role in negotiating the gas royalties for UTA—mineral rights which have returned millions of dollars to UTA. His leadership role at UTA advanced the careers of dozens of his employees in the Office of Accounting and Business Services. He also enhanced the fiscal standing of the University and left it financially sturdy upon his retirement. Despite his lofty status at UTA, Rusty was a kind and approachable administrator whose purpose was to serve the needs of his school, the staff and his students. His life and career have brought pride and honor to Arlington High School. In addition, Rusty served as treasurer for our Association.

**MICAH GREEN · CLASS OF 2001**  
Nominated by Peggy Martin, '66

Micah Green admits he is living the dream entering his ninth year of teaching at his alma mater—Arlington High School. After graduating from Oklahoma City University with a Bachelor of Music degree, Micah moved to New York City as a member of the Actor's Equity Association.



He has performed in numerous musicals throughout the country, as well as with Disney Cruise Lines. He won the Showcase Showdown on "The Price is Right," and was also an associate producer of the opening number for the Rose Bowl Parade in 2007 starring Kristin Chenoweth. After retiring from performing, Micah went on to be a casting assistant for many Broadway shows and national tours. In 2010, Micah decided to come home to Arlington where he found his passion in teaching. At AHS as Director of Theater, Micah takes pride in the shows he has directed, the students who have gone on to have wonderful careers, and the success his UIL One-Act productions have achieved. Micah, as senior class chairman, works to ensure each senior class has a great year! His AHS colleagues selected him Teacher of the Year in 2016. This led to the citywide Kiwanis Woodrow Counts High School Teacher-of-the-Year award. This year the Dallas Theater Center bestowed their Distinguished Educator Award. Micah has also recently joined the Theatre Arlington Board of Directors and has gotten back into performing with this wonderful community. Micah attended Open House with his parents Lester and **Cathy McLaughlin Green, '72**.

## Milestones

**Passings:** Joyce Herbert Biggers, '38, March...Lillie Lawson Couch, '45, June...Mildred Wheeler Hilbun, '47, July... Albert Ross, '53, June...Danny Osburn, '54, April...Kenneth Wolfe, '54, March 2017...David Eaton, '56, March... Charles Gooden, '57, June...Robert Hopkins, '61, February 2016...Linda Scanlan Wright, '61, July...Eddy Bost Branch, '62, April...Ron Davis, '62, June...Gaylene Garrison Pierce, '62, May...Dick Hirsch, '63, July...David Love, '63, April...Jeri Tucker Packe, '63, November 2017...Tommy Schneider, '64, March...Jane Veres Elliott, '66, July...Kregg Jokisch, '78, April...Glen Paradise, '81, March...Scott Harmon, '82, May...Leah Ferguson Rukavina, '08, June.

**Congratulations:** Retired AHS history teachers **Peggy Wood Martin '66**, and Cyndi Fairchild used the 100th Anniversary of World War I as their subject for "Exploring America Through The Arts." Their entry was the National First Place Winner in the Collage Category of the Art and Sculpture contest held by the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) American Heritage Committee. They combined resources from their personal libraries, which included original letters and sheet music, to craft a collage. The star used was a 24-inch wooden five-point star with each point flowing into the next, illustrating and teaching about the United States involvement in the war effort.



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**Karen Bailey Meacham, '90**, earned two Bachelor of Science degrees from Texas Woman's University, one in biology, the other in nutrition with an emphasis in dietetics. She will pursue a Masters in public health at the UCLA Fielding School of Public Health. Karen is one of four applicants selected nationally for an internship at the Los Angeles Veterans Administration in conjunction with UCLA. The Jack Kent Cooke Foundation scholarship which was awarded for her undergraduate work at TWU has been extended to her post-graduate studies at UCLA.



The late **Charles Marshall, '51**, past president of our Association, was honored at the AISD Athletics Night of Champions as a premier athlete from the '40s decade. **Wanda Roberson Marshall, '49**, asked **Jim Ball, '59**, to write a commentary accompanying a video presentation about Charles. Here is what Jim had to say about our Distinguished Colt Alumnus: Charles Marshall came along at the right time. It was Charles plus Coach Sheffield who lifted Colt Football from the post-World War II doldrums and catapulted the Colts to unprecedented prominence. Early in the 1949 season an aspiring young sportswriter, TCU senior Dan Jenkins, began covering the Colts for the *Fort Worth Press*. He quickly labeled Charlie "the new marshall in town." Jenkins gave him another nickname—Charlie the Horse. With their other gifted players, the Colts began a 25-game win streak, producing great drama for our town, two district titles, and a state semi-final appearance in Charlie's last game. That disappointing loss ignited a flame which would not die until the 1951 Colts captured the 2A state title. Jenkins still speaks glowingly of Charlie "the horse" Marshall who embraced his gridiron stardom nobly and humbly—the lead horse among a thundering herd of champions.

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More on the 2018 Night of Champions from **Jannette Workman, '54**: Other AHS coaches and players honored this year included **Gerald Richey, Margie Austin**, volleyball teams from the late 1960s, **Mike Hedlund, Erin "Tooney" Brown, Kathy Pyle, Luke Joeckel**. The Arlington Athletics Hall of Honor Foundation sponsors its Night of Champions annually. For more information: [www.arlingtonathletics.net](http://www.arlingtonathletics.net).

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**Masen Caudle, Kathy Einhaus, Peggy Martin, Jerrell Womble.**  
~ the editor



Alumni float—ready to roll



Andy Wright's awesome 1956 Ford; **Andy, '61, Butch Mahan, '59, Mac Martin, David Bailey, both '61, Madison Gover, Cari Johnson, both '15.**



Left: Colts in the crowd—in green or with horseshoes held high—always salute the Alumni float!

**Alumni Band** float and their trophy!

Lower left: Parade chair **Kathy Einhaus**, President **Debbie Ericson** in last minute powwow with **Mac and Mike Enger**





Pictures from left: Sue Smith Gray, '54, Jeannette McNeil Procter, '54, Kurt Meyer, '53, Jannette Workman, '54, Fred Cook, '52, Brian Johnson, '54, Sandra Roebuck Cook, '54; Janie Reynolds Pumphrey, '58, Jim Reynolds, '71, Wanda Turck Sorrell, '58; Loise Olsen Mason Rudiger, Mimi Pillar Zumwalt, Kay Olsen Clausen, all '58; Linda Kinser Chaney, Gary Athans, Class of '68 reunion organizers.

## Alumni Open House ~ 2018



Barbara Nash Kight, '57, Mary Scholwinski Bennett, '59; Ronnie Campbell, '60, and Wilson Campbell, '63; John Bruton, '63; Mark Hott, '86, Kevin Peel, '84, Leanna Cartier, CBC, Michael Cartier, '84.



Above: Karl Osborn, Joyce Heffington Preisser, Wilson Campbell, all '63; Kurt Meyer, '53, Bob Wegner, '70, Josie Bird O'Quinn, '56; Fred Cook, '52, Wanda Roberson Marshall, 49, Sandra Roebuck Cook, '54; Clete McAllister, '65, Geraldine Nash Mills, '59, Susie Wine McAllister, '65, Wanda Marshall, '49; Below: Bonnie Beebe Watkins, Mike Farhat, both '62; Gayle Maxwell, '60, Vernon Brunson, '59, Richard Horinko, Vinita Brunson Horinko, '58; Tommy Foster, Art Brees, both '68; Jane Morrow Wright, '68, Pru Vader Brett, '61.





James Mills, '57, Pam Mason Holden, Lamar '77, Loise Olsen Mason Rudiger, '58; Genie Culbertson Hermann, '62, Phyllis Deardorff Graham, '62, Jim Waite, '60; DeeDee Mosby Winter, Pat Walden Myrick, Dean Hooper, Dee Butler Morehead, all '62; Roger Weed, '61, Doug Middleton, Brad Jessup, Robert Myers, Karl Osborn, Bill Jones, all '63.



Cousins Tom Hartin, Sharron Merrill; clockwise from bottom left: Isaiah Morgan, '18, Taylor Penland, '18, Cole Johnson, '19, Emely Garcia, '18, Tyler Dickerson, '18, Mason Barlow, AHS choir director, Jimmy Baas, Shannon Winckel—associate directors; Judy Whitenight Northup, Beth Ward Reser, JoAnn Snodgrass Andersen, all '69; Kitty Lee Bryce, '50, Wally Bryce, '75



Alumni Band; Alumni Choir gathers music; Miss Jane Ellis prepares to direct; singers mount the risers.

## *Daughters and Sons of the White and Green*

Relaxed with legs crossed, Miss Ellis instructs both the audience and choir; standing and singing the Fight Song.



## Alumni Scholars ~ Class of 2018



Congratulations to these **nine** Alumni Scholars from the Class of 2018. The \$1,250 award for each scholar is the largest ever given, made possible by an anonymous \$10,000 grant from a Texas-based foundation

honoring the **Class of 1963** and its support for our Association. Congratulations to all who have joined and/or contributed to our Association and its scholarship fund. The bios of these wonderful kids include their colleges, their majors, their characterization and feelings about Arlington High School. Over the years AHS has adapted to many changes. One thing which hasn't changed is the love, gratitude and connection AHS Colts feel for their high school.

*How Sweet It Has Always Been To Be In  
Colt Country!!*

**MEGAN BRETT**

Cathy Bontley Brown Scholarship · Texas A&M · Pre-dental · **INCLUSIVE:** “The minute I walked through the doors, I knew there was a place for me. AHS is a very diverse campus. However, we are all included. It does not matter your race, religion, economic status or family situation because we are all Colts! Every person at Arlington High is valued and respected as an individual.”

**TARYN CATES**

Houston Baptist University · Pre-med/Biology · **FAMILY:** “I remember watching the AHS Alumni Band perform in the July 4th parade. How awesome that active alumni keep participating in AHS related activities. I never really “got” why my alumna mom would go to every AHS activity she could. Now I “get” it. The spirit, family and traditions of Arlington High might have originated with our alumni, but they continue to thrive in every Colt who walks through our hallways.”

**HANNA FARRIS**

Captain William Nation ROTC Scholarship · University of Texas Arlington · Nursing/Pre-med · **DEVOTED:** “Arlington High School is devoted to its students—to helping them, checking up on them, just making sure they are all right. My microbiology teacher Ms. Escalante made me feel at home and safe. She gave me advice about friendship, college, the medical field. Teachers who work at Arlington High School are kind, loving, spiritual people. Forever, I will cherish these moments at Arlington High.”

**HANNA JONES**

Kilgore College · Physical Therapy (and dancing for the drill team!) · **UNIQUE:** “It’s the first high school in Arlington; many of our teachers went to AHS; we have classes such as Astronomy and Environmental Science.” To the Alumni Association, Hanna writes, “Thank you for the opportunity for students like me. I appreciate the AHS Alumni Association for rewarding the Class of 2018.”

**Abby Mathis**

University of Texas at Austin · Astronomy/Astrophysics · **TRADITIONAL:** “Our school is built on traditions! Since we were the first high school here, we have the longest lasting traditions in the district. Big Arlington High traditions include spirit halls, Homecoming Court (and all those festivities for that matter), band, Little Arlie! After a game, when the band plays the alma mater and horseshoes rise into the sky—it’s tradition. We are so big on traditions I am sure it is a tradition to have traditions!”

**NOAH MORGAN**

Jane Robin Ellis Scholarship · Oklahoma City University · Performance Education · **HEART:** “Learning to have heart throughout all of high school’s issues, especially in today’s society, can lead to a successful life. It’s a genuine feeling which exists at Arlington High. Teachers, staff and students show heart as we learn, represent, and honor the educational experience at AHS. That heart makes us Arlington Colts forever. I am beyond grateful to have been part of this diligent, fun, spirited family.”

## EMMA RUBY

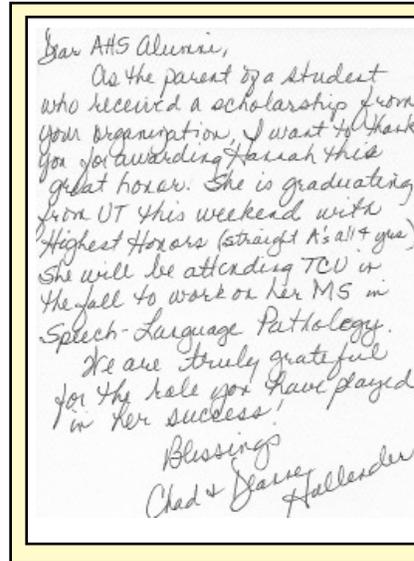
Loyala University, New Orleans · Journalism/Political Science · **DIVERSITY:** “Arlington High has students from every demographic, every creed, every facet of life. In my IB program we have leaders, scholars, debaters, athletes. Despite our differences we are a tight knit group at AHS. While movies depict high schools as being cliquish and aggressive, the lines between groups at AHS are blurred. This intermingling creates a gigantic, school-wide support network.”

## TYLER SEIBOLD

Texas A&M · Mays Business School · Honors College · **VIBRANT:** “Campus life at AHS is vibrant. At any given time, you will see 2,600 students in the hallways laughing, talking, connecting with their peers. There is an undeniable energy you feel when you attend a pep rally or any of the hundreds of extracurricular events which take place every year. I can truly say I will never stop being a Colt. I have fostered relationships which will last a lifetime.”

## MYKHAYLO (MICHAEL) SIMANOVSKYY

Texas Christian University · Political Science · **DEFINING:** “Arlington High School takes all of our strengths and characteristics and gears them toward a field of study where we can become the person we aspire to be. AHS encourages us to learn, to imagine, and to do that which helps us reach higher goals than we thought we could. Not only that, but shortly after moving here from Ukraine, I experienced my first ever pep rally. I really loved it! The memories, perspectives and friendships you take away from AHS are things you keep for life.”



Hannah Hullender  
Alumna Scholar  
Class of 2014

Alumni Open House gave these brand new AHS alumni their first taste of an Association event. We wish them the best in college and beyond.



From left:  
**Mykhaylo,**  
**Hanna Jones**  
**Abby**  
**Tyler**



Scholars with **Peggy Martin**, scholarship chair, at Open House. Not pictured: **Hannah Farris**

**Emma**  
**Megan**



Not pictured:  
**Megan Brett**



On the scholarship application the 30 students who applied were asked to pick three words which describe Arlington High School. These nine scholars—in addition to the word in bold green letters in each bio—added the following descriptions:

personal	excellence	extraordinary	resourceful
competitive	integrity	welcoming	high-spirited
supportive	accepting	enjoyable	authentic

## New Members

Gary Athans, '68  
 Megan Brett, '18  
 Wilson Campbell, '63  
 Taryn Cates, '18  
 Pattie Ward Cupples, '68  
 \*Tyler Dickerson, '18  
 Hannah Farris, '18  
 \*Benjamin & Cindy Hawkins  
 Goodyear, '01/'02  
 \*Jack Goodyear, '94  
 \*Kay Hawkes Goodyear, '69  
 \* Ann Adams Hickson, '63  
 \*Glenn Hickson, '63  
 Hanna Jones, '18  
 \*Gala Lemon Jones, '85  
 \*Emily Goodyear Klophaus, '91  
 \*Benjamin & Abby Klophaus, '15/'19

\*Patrick & Kathy Keeton Magill,  
 '69/'69  
 Abby Mathis, '18  
 Noah Morgan, '18  
 \*Marian Seale Nance, '47  
 Jinx Neff, '68  
 \*Ed Nowaski, '63  
 Joyce Gibson Previte, '69  
 Emma Ruby, '18  
 Loise Mason Rudiger, '58  
 Tyler Seibold, '18  
 \*Frances Freeman Shupe, '58  
 Mykhaylo Simanovskyy, '18  
 \*Jacob Thompson, '18  
 Aleyne Pillar Zumwalt, '58  
UPGRADE TO LIFE  
 \*Billy Don Johnson, '66

## MEMORIAL MEMBERSHIPS

David Binion, '60, by Ronnie Campbell  
 Eddy Bost Branch, '62, "the '62 girls"  
 Thomas Carr, '67, from all who knew him  
 Ronnie McCain, '63, by Wilson Campbell  
 Richard Merrill, CBC, by Cathy Brown  
 Brad Nelson, '62, by Ronnie Campbell  
 Danny Osburn, '54, by Class of 1954  
 Gaylene Garrison Pierce, '62, "the '62 girls"  
 Kenneth Wolfe, '54 by Class of 1954

## GIFTS TO SCHOLARSHIP FUND

\$10,000—Gene & Beverly Martin, '62/CBC  
 \$1,000—Girls of Class of 1962  
 \$1,000—Class of 1978  
 Judy Whitenight Northup, '69

## Reunions

**CLASS OF 1988 (12)** · October 20 · Reception 6:30 · Dinner dancing to follow · Headquarters hotel, Hilton  
 Arlington on East Lamar · Details—<https://goo.gl/j5B8fM> · Facebook: [Arlington High School Class of '88 \(Arlington, TX\)](#) · National Reunion Services · 888-4-alumni · [www.nationalreunions.com](http://www.nationalreunions.com)

**CLASS OF 1998 (5)** · September 28, 29, 30 · Friday: Pre-game Tailgate · Colt Football · Grease Monkey Bar and  
 Grill · Saturday: Family BBQ · River Legacy Park · Concert at Levitt Pavilion · Adults only after party at  
 J Gilligans · Sunday: Brunch at Joe T Garcia's, Fort Worth · **Ross Williams** moderator of Facebook  
 group [Arlington High School Class of 1998](#)

**CLASS OF 2008 (9)** · We didn't make connections with the 2008 class until after the spring newsletter was mailed.  
 Although the fall issue is out too late to advertise the event, we want readers to know this class did have a  
 10th reunion on August 4. Contact: **Hope Adams** · [hope@cryousa.com](mailto:hope@cryousa.com) · Facebook: **10 Year REUNION!!**  
[AHS Alumni Class of 2008](#)

**NUMBERS IN RED INDICATE HOW MANY OF THE CLASS HAVE JOINED THE AHS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.**



## COLT FOOTBALL ~ 2018

* 8/31 @ Dallas Jesuit	* 10/19 @ Martin
# 9/6 @ Byron Nelson	* 10/26 North Crowley
* 9/21 @ Horn	# 11/1 @ Sam Houston
* 9/28 Trimble Tech	# 11/8 Lamar
Homecoming	
# 10/4 Paschal	*Friday games at 7:30
* 10/12 Bowie	# Thursday games at 7



## Reunion Photos



**Craig Atherton, Tom Joy, Barbara Jones Young, Ralph Valentine**—classmates who grew up on Drummond Drive!



**Class of 1963** celebrated #55 at Cafe Pulido—**Miss Ellis** at head of table—for the 15th annual ladies lunch; at Gilligans—trio of **Margaret Floyd, Rusty Workman, Cathy Bontley Brown**; at Candlelight Inn. Front left: **Jim Dupstadt, Becky Martin Armstrong, Pat Conner, John Coble '62, Pam Morrison Coble, Barbara Beard Wooten, Joyce Hefington Presisser.**



**Ruth Britain Whitecotton, Mike Daughtry, Jennifer Hamilton, Debbie Koehl, Ericson, Ralph Fredrick, Donna Crenshaw, Widman**



**Ralph Widman, Mark Sherrod, Mark Schellhammer, Lee Via, Emory Estes, Bill Grief**



Above left: **David Keal, Cheryl Kavathos Anderson**  
Starting secondary: **Jeff Prince, David Garner, Steve Warner, Steve Pirkey**

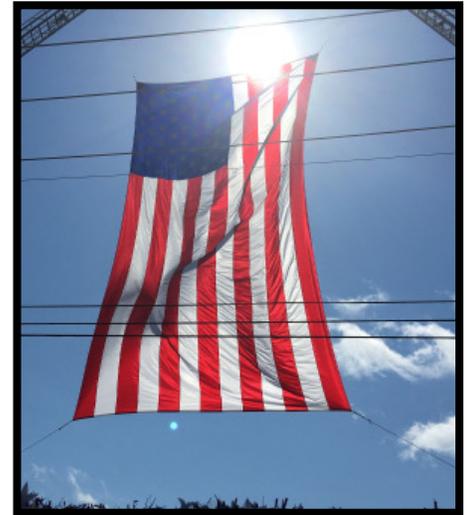


'68 Reunion committee: **Kathy Einhaus, Gary Athans, Linda Kinser Chaney, Diane Pierce, Verne Hargrave.** Not pictured: **Tommy Foster, Art Brees**



In May 2018, a memorial for USMC 1st Lieutenant **Robert Wood, '63**, was dedicated at Quantico, Virginia. Classmates **Randy**

**Mack, Tom DeFrank, and Glenn Hickson** attended the ceremony. Bob's survivors include his three siblings—**Tom, '61, Peggy, '66, Randy, '72**, his widow **Shirley Hanak Wood, '64**, and his daughter, **Lisa, '87**. Bob was killed in Vietnam, May 13, 1970.



Alumni Band float; Ken & Bonnie Watkins, Mac & Peggy Martin; loyal Colts watching



## Alumni Association Board of Directors

### OFFICERS

President: Debbie Koehl Ericson, '68  
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 Treasurer: Verne Hargrave, '68

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 Campus Liaison: Micah Green, '01



May Teacher Luncheon



Servers:

**Jerrell, Kathy, Erin, Debbie, Mac, Bonnie, Randy Ford—of Gilligans fame—Madison, Linda**



**Coach Nix Peggy Kathy**



**Debbie Madison**