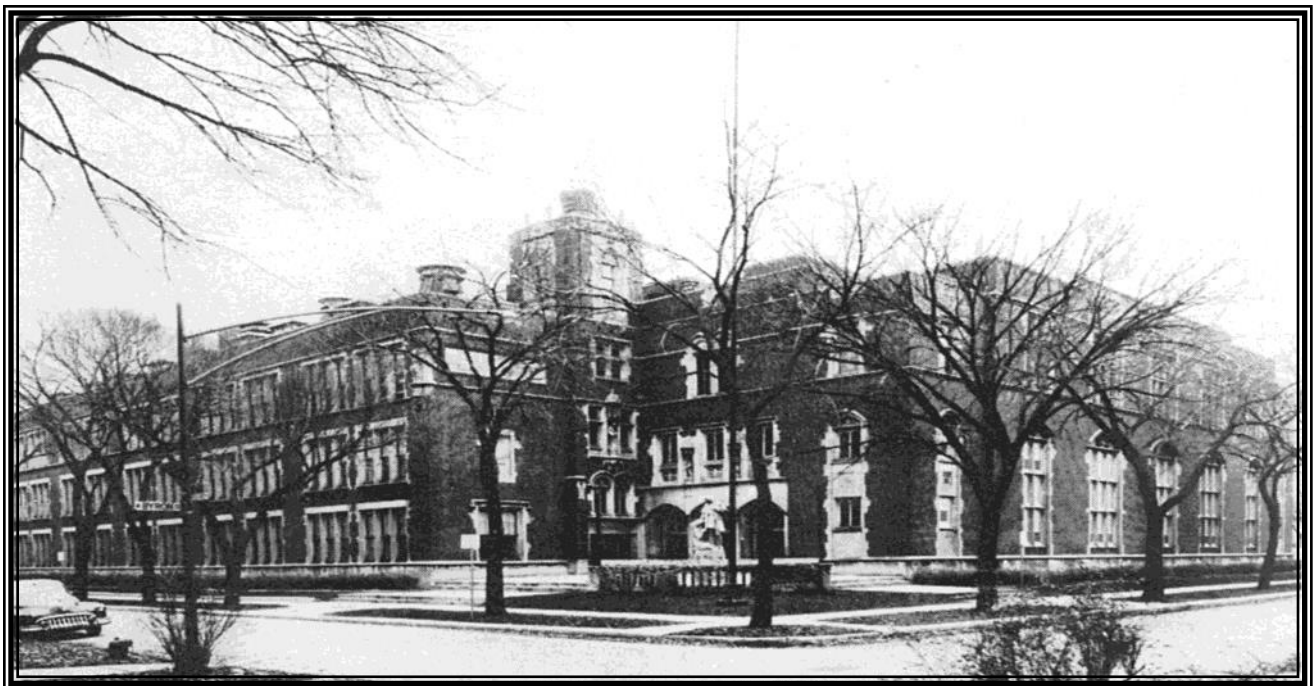


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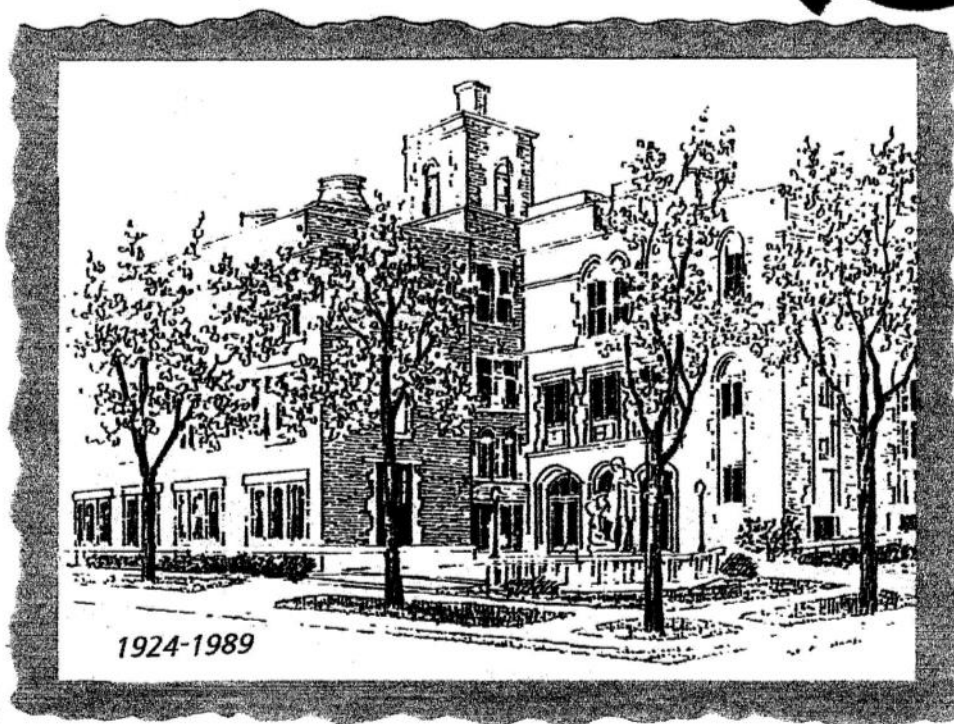
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Everyone really enjoyed
42nd St and went home ex-
hausted after seeing all that
energy exerted by the cast!!

Mark your calendars for
Wednesday, November 14,
2018 when we'll enjoy
Disney's
Beauty and the Beast.



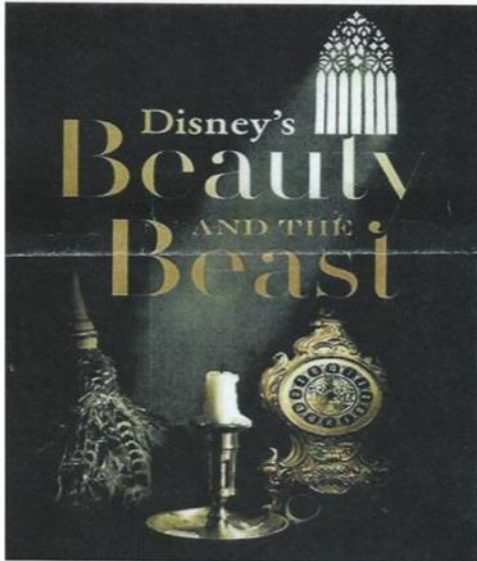
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Be sure to join us for *Beauty and the Beast*—Wednesday, November 14, 2018

Thanks to Pat Feeny Kimberley '55 for organizing this event. and taking the photos!. (She is the only one missing in our groups!)

JOIN THE ALVERNIA ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
AT DRURY LANE OAKBROOK THEATRE
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LUNCH 11:30 A.M. PLAY 1:30 P.M.

TICKETS \$58.00 PER PERSON

We have a limited number of tickets available.

Deadline is October 20, 2018

Based on the beloved Academy Award winning Disney film, this nine-time Tony nominated musical continues to win the hearts of people all over the globe. Trapped in her provincial town life, an intelligent young beauty risks everything to become the heroine of her own story and break a wicked spell imprisoning a castle full of enchanting misfits and a terrifying beast.

RESERVATION FORM

NAME _____ CLASS _____
ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____
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Please provide individual names and menu selection for each ticket reservation.

The very latest we can accept reservations (providing tickets are available) is 7 days before the performance. No exceptions. Tickets not sold by that time must be returned to the theatre so seating with the group is also not guaranteed. Table and theater seating is **pre-arranged**, indicate your preference on this form. In order to avoid disappointment, please reserve early. Reservation deadline is **October 20, 2018**

SELECT CHOICE OF ENTRÉE

- Vegetable Linguine Pomodoro
- Lake Trout
- Roast Turkey

All entrees include salad, chef's selection of garden vegetables, potato, fresh baked bread, dessert and choice of one beverage. **VEGETARIAN or GLUTEN FREE ENTREES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST**

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UPCOMING REUNIONS

Let's Celebrate!

Class of 1943—75th Reunion— No Information at this time.

Class of 1948—70th Reunion— No Information at this time. **Class Rep Pat Lyons Stubig, 847-842-8822**

Class of 1953—65th Reunion— No Information at this time.

Class of 1958—60th Reunion—**See Page 10**, **Class Rep Kay Severa Merkle, 708-457-1483, marykmerkle@gmail.com**

Class of 1963—55th Reunion— *Celebrating at the Annual Luncheon, April 22, 2018.* **Class Rep Marianne Aiken, 773-625-5774, maiken1945@comcast.net**

Class of 1968—50th Reunion—*Celebrating weekend of Annual Luncheon, April 22, 2018.* **Class Rep Darlene Dionne, 630-859-3667, Darlene.dionne@att.net, See Page 10**

Class of 1973—45th Reunion—No Information at this time. **Class Rep Marie Nachman, 210-859-7905, marienachman@me.com.**

Class of 1978—40th Reunion—*Celebrating at the April 22, 2018, Annual Luncheon*, as well as other dates **Class Rep Colleen Ahearn, cahearn219@att.net See Page 11**

Class of 1983—35th Reunion— No Information at this time. **Class Rep Jeanette Gonzalez Burgos, jburgos1017@yahoo.com**

Class of 1988—30th Reunion— No Information at this time. **Class Rep Kristin Barker Munin, 773-315-9310, kbarker719@ao.com**

Class Reps are not responsible for class reunions but should be contacted for/with information regarding reunions.

GROUP PHOTOS AT THE 2018 LUNCHEON



Reunion class photos with Bill, from ImagesbyDavidKay, will be scheduled between 12:10 p.m. – 12:50 p.m.

Non-reunion class photos can be scheduled between 11:45 a.m. – 12:05 p.m. If your class would like to be scheduled for a photo at the luncheon, please contact **Eileen Lowery '71** at eimouse@aol.com, **773-882-1637**, or **message her on Facebook**.

The 8x10 photos can be purchased for \$25.00, which includes tax, shipping and handling to be paid on luncheon day by cash, check or credit card. Photos are mailed within 2 weeks of the luncheon.

Photo order forms will be available on reunion class tables.

CLASS REUNIONS

CLASS OF 1958

Let's Celebrate!

The Class of 1958 is asking YOU to SAVE the DATE, Wednesday, **September 12, 2018** to join in the celebration of their **60th Reunion at Cucina Biagio, 7310 W. Lawrence Avenue, Harwood Heights, IL.**

More information will be forthcoming via email, or snail mail if I don't have your current email address. Please send all inquiries to **Kay Merkle, marykmerkle@gmail.com or 708-457-1483.** Reunion committee: **Sue Immel Casey, Marge Normoyle Wermich, Barbara Siebert Winn and Mary Volopich Broderick.**

CLASS OF 1959

Hello Class of 1959! We will be planning our **60th reunion** next year and just want to give you a heads-up so you can plan to be in the area. It will probably take place the day before the Annual Alumnae Luncheon in April 2019. (Exact date not determined as yet)

Yikes! Did you ever even think about a 60th reunion (let alone a 50th) when you walked the halls of Alvernia? Our 50th luncheon was attended by **118** of our classmates, a record, I think, for a 50th...and we'd like to set another record in 2019. Please keep in touch! **Susan Schell Cargill, smcargill@comcast.net.**

CLASS OF 1968—50TH REUNION

Our class is looking forward to celebrating on **Friday, April 20th and Saturday, April 21st** before joining all Alumnae for the luncheon on **April 22nd.** We have sent out a packet of information describing the activities and inviting our classmates to join us at the Arlington Heights Double Tree Hotel. We have a special room rate for the weekend.



There will be a Trolley Tour which will include a visit to Alvernia and a Taste of Chicago Evening on Saturday when we can share our stories and remember the fun times we have shared over these 50 years.

If you are still interested in joining us for the activities, please send an email to **Alvernia1968@outlook.com or loisdefelice@gmail.com** so we can connect you to the fun that has been planned by the Reunion Committee. Can't wait to celebrate and see our "old" friends.



Don't Miss Out!

Prayer of St. Francis

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.
Where there is hatred, let me sow love;
Where there is injury, pardon;
Where there is doubt, faith;
Where there is despair, hope,
Where there is darkness, light and where
there is sadness, joy.

O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be
consoled as to console;
To be understood, as to understand;
To be loved as to love;
For it is in giving that we receive,
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
And it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.

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Class Plays of our 2018 Reunion Classes

1943—*American Passport*
1948—*Barrets of Wrimple Street*
1953—*One Family Sings*
1958—*Anastasia*
1963—*You Can't Take It With You*
1968—*David and Lisa*
1973—*Pride and Prejudice*
1978—*Dirty Works at the Cross
roads*
1983—*West Side Story*
1988—*The Wizard of Oz*

CLASS REUNIONS



CLASS OF 1978

Greetings Alvernia Sisters,

It's hard to believe how quickly time has passed. The 40th anniversary of the end of our Alvernia journey together is fast approaching and events are already underway.

- ◆ Our first event, our 7th **Annual Girl's Night Out**, was held **Saturday, November 4, 2017 at 7PM – Iron Horse Ale House** 6158 N. Northwest Highway, Chicago, IL. As always, it was a fabulous evening with surprise appearances from two we haven't seen in many years: **Judy Andringa** and **Jamie (Glaviano) Tipre**.
- ◆ Pictured are: back row: the tall one - **Kathleen (Forde) Santangelo, Marianne Kramer, Kelly Andersson-Singer, Meg (Hough) Connelly, Penny (Kennedy) Kalebich, Judy Sviatko, Sue (Henehan) Lally**; front row: **Colleen Ahearn, Judy Andringa, Laura (Cymerman) Coplon, Amy Abele, Sandy (Benson) Nevill, Penny (Collins) Dweil, Mary O'Connor, and front & center. The "little one" Patty (Santos) Leifel**.
- ◆ Next up is the **Alvernia Alumnae Association 26th Annual Luncheon Sunday, April 22, 2018** Cotillion Banquets 360 S Creekside Drive, Palatine, IL <http://www.alverniaalumnae.org/> Although it is rare for anyone from the Class of '78 to attend this function, what better opportunity to see friends from other classes and your favorite teachers? Proceeds raised through raffles go to support the School Sisters of St. Francis in their retirement. These dedicated nuns take a vow of poverty and devoted their lives to our education. What a nice way to say thank you while sharing memories with friends. – FB posted 11/12/17
- ◆ Many of us have reconnected over recent years and often get together for our annual Girl's Night Out. Since this event is so popular we are expanding for our 40th Reunion with a **Class of '78 Girls Weekend! Thursday, June 28th through Sunday July 1, 2018**. This is the **BIG ONE** ladies so start shopping flights if you need to travel. Our committee is planning many fun activities. Details to follow in the coming months.

At present we have contact for approximately 80 members of our class (close to half) through our Facebook page **Alvernia78** <https://www.facebook.com/groups/320960397923452/members/> and/or email. In addition to posting on Facebook, I will be emailing to all so please forgive any redundancy as I try to reach as many of you as possible. Please continue to update me with contact info for anyone who is missed.

Honored to be your Class Rep, Colleen Ahearn



CLASS NEWS

CLASS OF 1955



Thirty-Five happy ladies came to celebrate our milestone Birthday last Oct. at the Park Ridge Country Club. \$455 and 25 back packs filled with school supplies were collected and donated to Maryville. We will meet there on **Oct. 11, 2018** and **collect school supplies** again. Details will come later. Can we possibly improve that number? Remember our Motto "Nothing is impossible....."

Floor - Mary Ann Lomonaco Lavin, Sue Rehak, Darlene Olsen Slowik, Elsa Maestranzi, Marie Heinisch Lehman, Shirley Wagner Jacksack, Pat Feeny Kimberley

Sitting - Mary Ann Neisius Minor, Mary Ann Beeftink Strunc, Arlene Schwarte Rydel, Mary Ann Ulm Rosso, Barbara Voss Dowling, Dorothy Meyer Scherer, Barbara Matousek

Standing - Lorraine Schaumberger Kurek, Phyllis Monastery Nehls, Marge Tadel, Mary Lou Jacobsen Holdway, Joanne Trebat Manshreck, Jeanne Taepke Monson, Joan Zientara Covers, Kathleen Finerty Pater, Ellen Rae Jablinsky Tomich, Clare Schuh Sindelar, Joan Hansen Hansen, Mary Dalton Uccello, Karen Heller Trimpe, Gloria Paolicchi Fields, Barbara Covey Hickey, Claudia, Lussem Farrell, Pat Kubistal, Jeanette Marino Tanney

Missing Helen Krofl Mikos and Loretta Dorfmeister Egan

CLASS OF 1960

Seventeen members of the Class of 1960 celebrated our milestone Birthday at Basilico Restaurant in Chicago last October. Pictured are Sylvia Przybek Taldone, Marilyn Keating Mace, Arlene Wojton Quartaroli, Josephine Guiliano Conlon, Judy Wielgus Ambrose, Cathy Biedron Eckart, Barbara Stefan Annoreno, Peggy Brady Ross, Jane Wyzgoski Kunath, Marge Clark Stancy, Joann Lewandowski, Sharon Watt Scesniak, Isabelle Sarno Loftus, Alberta Matulis, Rita Kouba Drake, Pat Sandke O'Dowd, Carol Noel Disch. It was an enjoyable afternoon.



CLASS NEWS

CLASS OF 1961 I want to thank all who joined us for helping make our third annual “Class of ‘61” fall lunch a rousing success!! I had a great time and it seemed like everyone there did too!

Attending: Diane Castronovo Daumer, Pat Weber Dziedzic, Carol Guligowski Glanz, Sandy Creal Kazmer, Pat O’Neil Kerrigan, Joan Glotzbach Kuersten, Maryellen Pickens McCants, Kitti Schaefer Miller, Karen Dougherty Mocarski, Nancy Lauer Morrison, Betty Heraty Pelikan, Barb Godzich Peters, Sharon Wapole Phillips, Kay Lesperance Schmidt, Donna Lee Meilinger Schuh, Mary Jo Urban Semple, Peggy Anderson Smykowski, Annette Janusz Staszkiwicz, Marilyn Mark Stibling, and Marie Lacorte Zagurski.

We all want to say and great big “thank you” to Kitti for bringing us some fun gifts from China. She is still flying high and enjoying every minute. Sharon looked great and keeps getting younger starting with two new knees this year. Annette was so kind to celebrate her birthday with us and explain how her heart monitor keeps her active and grateful, and Donna substitutes and enjoys keeping busy. Carol had an adventure climbing Machu Picchu in the Peru Andes Mountains this year. Diane enjoys keeping busy and involved by working part time.

Joan Glotzbach Kuersten shared that it was a delightful afternoon. “I particularly enjoyed seeing Annette and Barb Godzich-Peters, both of whom I hadn't seen or spoken with in ages. Annette took ballet classes at the same studio where I studied in high school, and Barb and I double-dated to prom. Nice to catch up with them. Regarding my activities, I was in a production of The Vagina Monologues at Oakton Community College this past winter. Absolutely loved doing this show. Still have a bit of the acting/performance bug in me.”

Nancy Lauer Morrison is keeping very active with her two youngest granddaughters, volunteering for Catholic Charities, packing meals at Glenbrook Hospital, and volunteering in Memory Lane at Addolorata Villa plus playing golf and taking care of a house. No time for being bored.

Barb Godzich Peters came in from Iron Mountain, MI, and enjoys working at a senior center in upper Michigan. She advised that it was encouraging to see how involved, enthusiastic and great everyone looked at the luncheon. It just goes to show that age is just a number and you are as young as you feel.

I would just like to say how nice it is to have this half-year reunion luncheon and thank you Peggy for doing all the work it involves. I really enjoyed visiting with Annette, who stood up to our wedding, since we aren't able to see each other often enough due to her living out of state. I think meeting with our classmates is so much nicer than the total reunion in April. I hope to see everyone again next year. Mary Jo Urban Semple

As with most of us, I enjoy spending time with my family and being part of my grandchildren slowly becoming adults. We still travel every year and take advantage of every side trip allowed making each trip as full as possible. I thank everyone for helping to keep our class together, informed and vibrant.

Peggy Anderson Smykowski

Everyone wanted to get together again next year, so the date is set for October 14, 2018! Don't forget to mark your Calendars for the **Alvernia Luncheon on April 22, 2018** at the Cotillion and our **Annual Class of '61 lunch on October 14, 2018** at Vince's Rocco Vino.



CLASS NEWS

CLASS OF 1965

Class of 1965 70th birthday year continued..... It sounds pretty ancient, but we couldn't let our 70th birthdays come and go without another event to mark our life-long journey of learning. After a fun-filled getaway to Galena Illinois in June, on September 28, 2017 we boarded a bus for a day-long tour of the ethnic churches of our ancestors.

Immigrants to Chicago from Ireland, Poland, Germany and Italy lovingly sacrificed and created magnificent parishes here. **Vicki Granacki**, our own architectural expert, added some narration to that of our local guide (having just returned from giving her own presentation on Chicago churches in Poland the week before!) To be as diverse as possible we had lunch in Greek town. It turned out to be richly informative and a lovely way to spend another school day on a special field trip!

Janet Borghesi Starr, Class Rep



CLASS OF 1966

We Are Strolling Back To The 70's.....

Birthday Wishes to all the 66ers who will reach their 7th decade this year.



Whoever thought that we would continue to be so young? We are young in spirit, life experience and tradition. My late father in law would say “*So soon we get so old, so late we get so smart*”.

I always laughed at his quote, but it is very true in so many ways. I firmly believe that we have learned through life experience, and we have exemplified our class motto ***Let Me Find A Place To Stand And I Will Move The Earth.***

So many of us have gone through good and bad times since we met one another in 1962. Many of us have gone our separate ways, but I do believe that most of our 66ers have very special memories of our lives together during our Alvernia days.

Please remember our 21 Guardian Angels from our 1966 Class, especially **Kathy Hogan** who left us in the past year.

Hope to see you at the next Annual Alvernia Alumnae Luncheon on Sunday, April 22, 2018. Information is posted in this Winter/Spring ***Alvernia Alive*** and if you cannot attend, please send in the annual dues of \$20.

One last item, if you have changed any of your contact information since our 50th Reunion in 2016, please email me: **sellinger9@aol.com**. with updated information. Additionally we are on Facebook as **Alvernia Class '66**, please join us.

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For several evenings at bedtime, Mrs. Smith had been teaching the **Lord's Prayer** to her three-year-old daughter, Veronica.

Mrs. Smith would recite the prayer, one line at a time, and Veronica would faithfully repeat the words.

Finally, Veronica decided to go solo. She carefully enunciated each word, until she got to the last phrase. “Lead us not into temptation” she concluded, “but deliver us from **email**.”

“Amen,” said her mom.



Prayer



25th Annual Alvernia Alumnae Association Luncheon
April 2, 2017
Attendees

**1942**

Irene Hochstetter Barry

1944

Sister Geraldine McGovern

1945

Mary Lou Rockford Quinn

1947

Carol Berger
 Rosellyn Dettert
 Betty Beck Hickman
 Dorothy Kleich Jacob
 Sister Joan Kaepplinger
 Joan Schwab Linkman
 Sister Gerda Moehler
 Constance Ringesen Renno
 Dorothy Swiatkowski
 Joan Theis

1948

Rosemary Wilcox Conlon
 Annette Weyrich Kaefer
 Joan Westman Meyers
 Dolores Luecker Steffens

1949

Joan Wersching Deppong
 Sister Bernardin Deutsch
 Priscilla Warner Dohrmann
 Margaret Hohner Franzen
 Mary Hartwick
 Noreen Sennis Kobos
 Donna Severa Schmidt
 Margaret Severa Steinkuller

1950

Frances Novello Aiello
 Barbara Boril
 Kathleen Duggan
 Lorraine Wedemann Handler
 Mary Schorsch Kenevan
 Sandra Ahern Loftus
 Marilyn Twitchell Pfaff
 Margaret Sheppard Tully
 Sister Marita Zeller

1951

Mary Rehak Kmet
 Gerry Knapowski
 Ann Kerrigan Tuohy

1952

Renis Flodstrom Barrett
 Mary Bartos
 Patricia Doherty Bunkenburg
 Anna Betti Cecchi
 Jeanne DeVriendt
 Betty Servatius Furlan
 Dorothy Kozlowski Hagen
 Mary Miceli Henneman
 Maureen Heraty Lantero
 Georgia Lewis Leese
 Virginia Leidinger
 Sally McGuire Loeffler
 Peggy O'Neill McGovern
 Dorothy Cunningham Mitchell
 Arlene Plash Muench
 Corrine Rode Quinnett
 Carol Ulbert Schafer
 Margaret Weldin Senne
 Corrine Snow
 Carol Geske Steegmuller
 CarolJean Hitzleberger Stutzman
 Maryann Angelina Tarlach
 Jeanne Judd Tenkash
 Eileen Schaefer Witt

1953

Joan Fishleigh Blood
 Marie Braghini Burda
 Kathleen Maloney Gordon
 Patricia Jozwiak
 Rose Marie Feit Kees
 Diane Conroy Kirschner
 Jo Boril Lopez
 Patricia Stift Mulsoff
 Patricia Noonan
 Barbara Barnowski Wagner

1954

Patricia Lakota Apida
 Catharine Palcer Campe
 Helen Marie Hart
 Dolores Markech
 Margaret Grealish Mathes
 Mary Ann Prosniewski Michels
 Theresa Conroy Raniere
 Rita Steinkrauss Votzmeyer
 Joanne Posch Wagner

1955

Joan Walz Barsella
 Barbara Voss Dowling
 Mary Jacobsen Holdway
 Patricia Feeny Kimberley

Patricia Kubistal
 Lorraine Schamberger Kurek
 Sister Bernadette Luecker
 Helen Krofl Mikos
 Betty Lou McCarter Misher
 Kathleen Finerty Pater
 Susan Rehak
 Mary Ann Ulm Rosso
 Connie Musial Sparkowski
 Ellen Rae Jablinsky Tomich
 Karen Heller Trimpe
 Mary Dalton Uccello

1956

Sister Jamine Barbara Angelina
 Muriel Ziebka Banach
 Sister Marilyn Brodd
 Betty Banas Cella
 Anne Dillon Chaplin
 Sheila Duggan Dworak
 Mary Kay Kauth Fitzpatrick
 Carol Ershbock Fritz
 Ellen DiSilvestro Germanos
 Rosemary Muhr Kraft
 Anne Boril Macalik
 Sister Regina Pacis Meservey
 Sandra Schultz Pecoraro
 Sister Janet Petersen
 Bonita Smith Pollock
 Patricia Gallagher Schneider
 Mary Anne Guagenti Zielinski

1957

Mary Anne Poppe Calhoun
 Judy Kruzel Carlson
 Margaret Brummer Clementi
 Vita Cutrona Coniglio
 Carolyn Hefner Connor
 Charlene Landeck Dahl
 Lorraine Koschny Dittrich
 Margaret Granito Dixon
 Frances Noel Feldman
 Phyllis Kobsa Fulton
 Barbara Huspen Gaffke
 Nancy White Groff
 Arlene Fonte James
 Dolores Kirschten Leuthner
 Barbara Nieland Lim
 Dorothy Pfrenger Lind
 Valerie Ellgass Lund
 Carol Creal Miller
 Mary Ann Kamm Minnec
 Margaret Kneer Morris
 Rosemarie Brown Panattoni

Jo Anne Burek Pawlak
 Jeanne Friedrichs Roller
 Dolores Salek
 Judith Schmidt Schneider
 Marcia Skwarek
 Arleene Gibisch Wajda

1958

Carolyn Carramusa
 Susan Immel Casey
 Marilyn Finerty Donahue
 Christine Doran
 Camille Fitzgerald Dressel
 Karen Chrabot Jensen
 Sister Amy Therese Kenealy
 Kathleen Faloon Kinahan
 Sister Sharon Kubes
 Judith Eagleton Kviz
 Kay Severa Merkle
 Beverley Bickel Ralph
 Jean Sabatka
 Judy Walsh Schlesinger
 Diane Niederer Seibert
 Carole Flynn White
 Barbara Siebert Winn
 Mary Agnes Coyne Zych

1959

Louise Hauser Angel
 Janet Beck Belton
 Arlene Mendriski Berry
 Susan Schell Cargill
 Mary Stavinoga Delhaye
 Patricia Warner Heinlein
 Diana Liska Kost
 Sister Barbara Kraemer
 Karen Mahoney Kreher
 Jeanne Tumino Lamantia
 Therese Pietrzak Maier
 Georgiana Hofelt Pasulka
 Bobbi Luecker Philipp
 Suzanne Noonan Smith
 Nancy Strumin Sugrue

1960

Barbara Stefan Annoreno
 Sister Donna Marie Cirone
 Caroline Noel Disch
 Rita Kouba Drake
 Lori Gagola Dziewiatkowski
 Cathy Biedron Eckart
 Cindy Pontoriero Grimaldi
 Kathleen Killeen Havranek
 Brunhilde Kaempfer Henke

Beverly Nygren Herbig
Loisann Abel Koestler
Jane Wyzgoski Kunath
Joann Lewandowski
Carole Kauffman Lockhart
Marilyn Keating Mace
Kathy McGrath McDermott
Pat Sandke O'Dowd
Lana Newton Prouty
Arlene Wojton Quartaroli
Bernadette Brown Rieman
Gail Rzany
Marge Clark Stancy
Sharon Scesniak Watt

1961

Carol Leonard Bullis
Pat Weber Dziedzic
Carol Guligowski Glanz
Julie Smith Gopon
Joan Glotzbach Kuersten
Maryellen Pickens McCants
Sharon Wapole Phillips
Kay Lesperance Schmidt
Mary Heffernan Sieger
Peggy Anderson Smykowski
Judy Wagner Zlatic

1962

Jane Unger Caccamo
Patricia O'Malley Cahill
Nancy Lee Romano Carter
Mary Ann Pelley Catuara
Judy Kraft Chmura
Nancy Nagel Coughlin
Darlene DeGrazio Edwards
Ruth Kouba Kaminski
Judith Jagiello Kloss
Diana Lea Liebert Kucera
Henrietta Whalen Machnick
Mary Ann Obholz Malartsik
Sharon Gall Mizialko
Marcy Hammes Mueller
Kathleen Healy Neja
Mary Small Piotrowski
Kathy Feller Porkuski
Mary Ellen Enright Primeau
Marjorie Salek Richards
Lou Steiner Rothbauer
Carol Dettling Sheridan
Danita Maryanowski Stich
Ann Malecki Stockwell
Virginia Infante Touhy
Jacqueline Zentmyer
Susan Wisniewski Zurek

1963

Jacqueline Brennan
Mary Sue McGovern Ciezadlo

Valrie Lussem Doppke
Maureen Hellwig
Patricia Lydon
Carolyn Burns Mangold
Patricia Nitschneider Repec
Susan Szumny Stanislawski

1964

Lynn Bonaccorsi Beckman
Dori Maryanowski Bonder
Sharon Wesol Carr
Charlis Hickey Colin
Bernadette Musial Gross
Victoria Hojnacki
Joanne Wydra Kalkirtz
Gloria Kapusinski
Barbara Bujalski Lotz
Patricia Voytovick Lowman
Pamela Major
Sandra Court Nowak
Franciska Cerbes Parrish
Johanna Cavallo Santi
Nancy Schell Schultz
Sandra Wrtjak

1965

Diane Anstett Breman
JoAnn Gagliardo Butler
Virginia Duggan Christiansen
Carole Robert Dore
Joan Zaehler Entwhistle
Dottie Fugiel
Andrea Zwierzyna Gagliani
Victoria Granacki
Mary Grimes
Mary Carney Hammerl
Karen Edwards Holland
Joyce Paluch Koenig
Christine Pollowy Kokoruz
Charlene Potocki Macina
Judy Vana Mikrut
Barbara Armbrust Nash
Angela Conone Palac
Patricia Dalton Paulick
Nancy Vydra Pawlowski
Kit Marchok Powers
Sharon Mazur Ramon
Kathy Baumet Rzany
Barbara Schultz Shulman
Janet Borghesi Starr
Nancy Rychtarczyk Stasiak
Pam Weber Stepansky
Dianne Gilboy Temirian
Alice Wozniak
Mary Buczkowski Zabelski

1966

Susan Schultz Batterham

Linda Noreen Michaels
Sue Mrotek
Mary Beth Bartels Norwood
Barbara Lobello Ruccia
Joyce Rompa Stamer
Bobbie Inda Street
Linda Byrne Tomasello
Cheryl Ledenbach Voelz
Mary Lowery Warzynski

1967

Lynn Piazza Alther
Mary Hauser Andersen
Madeline Palicki Arendt
Ruth Sands Baker
Patricia Vanderhoof Beeson
Paula Bernacki
Marlene Jablon Broderick
Catherine Comiskey Bryant
Peggy Jacobson Calhoun
Nancy Lee Clemente Conforti
Vicki Jarecki Cronin
Pat Zito Dettmer
Doris Franklin
Susan Weber Giguere
Gloria Blue Green
Linda Grzesiakowski Hanrath
Kathy Lesperance Hickman
Joyce Brewer Hlousek
Linda Paluch Huth
Kathy Litewski Jackson
Carol Oczkowski Jardin
Clare Schlitter Kaszuba
Corinne Glas Kiriluk
Kathy Strutynski Laffe
Cheryl Gielarowski Lange-Thomson
Mary Dillon Lombardo
Marianne Ellerson Lucas
Mary Ellen Byrne McGrath
Donna Duncan Mirallegro
Pamela Frapolly Moore
Annette Giambarberee Murray
Lois Broski Paluch
Kathleen Zwier Passineau
Pamela Nelles Pasulka
Elizabeth Phillips Posey
Jane Schwarz
Janice Bujalski Sefcik
Bobbi Stec Shick
Linda Rieger Skomurski
Judi Wachs Stein
Maureen Shanahan Totaro
Diane Fencil Urban

1968

Susan Mendralla Anderson
Rachel Duebner Bodzioch
Diane Grillaert Borowczyk
Karen Davis Campe

Gayle Getner Cichon
Lois Weiler DeFelice
Darlene Dionne
Peggy Dalton Grzelak
Mary Hojnacki
Susan Janusz
Mary Ellen Pocrnich Johnson
Judith Evenson Kunkel
Patricia Scanlon Litberg
Marie Weisenberger Nicklas
Marilyn Cardella Ross
Betty Scott
Dale Skinner-Blum
Barbara Ramel Slade
Suzanne Cory Wielgus

1969

Mary Hahn Bielski
Claudette Prem Giza
Patricia Grimes
Catherine LaBonte Holman
Marianne Rzadzki O'Neill
Joyce Johnson Robinson
Jean Nelson Smith
Kate Wachs

1970

Patricia Rizzo Cicero
Judy Fidkowski-LaVanway
Kathie Foszcz
Adena Rankin-Hicks

1971

Carol Chapman Huntkowski
Mary Ellen Janninck Johnson
Lori Bluett Lashbrook
Diane Ucha Lentine
Eileen Lowery
Eileen Moore-Oleksy
Kathleen Chesbro Naanes
Eileen Laatsch Polep
Evie Baran Raffanti
Elizabeth Malewig Rayski
Gloria Wagner Sagen
Judy Skotzko
Peggy Hester Spagnola
Susan Skweres St. Onge
Nancy Quarles Steward
Sally Mayerbock Usmani
Jane Walsh-Gawlik
Cindy Wozny-Carl

1972

Debbie Rizzo Dombrowski
Kathleen Nuccio Halik
Janice Lorek Jadin
Robin Bujak Maro
Patricia McKelvey McCanna

Cathy O'Brien
Mary Anne Schuster-Korkut
Olga Keller Wegehaupt
Mary Zentmyer

1973

Maryann Hunsdorfer Boubel
Kathleen O'Connor Casey
Jeanne Cecchin Fec
Patricia Durkin George
Marianne Tuchscherer Hardine
Linda Burgess Hehir
Gladys Perilla Kozlin
Nancy Olsen Mannion
Charlene Scro Martin
Lisa Waldmann Pometta
Jamie Gooding Skoda
Donna Wozny Swanson
Candy Fisher Youngen

1974

Sandy Maximovich Bleizeffer
Mary Doherty Davis
Donna Marie
Nancy Hicks Zak

1976

Margaret Goecke Alford
Rosalia Vittorino Cucinella
Angela Diaz-Kay
Joanne Mulsoff Perez

1977

Susan O'Donnell Baer
Lynette Goyke Barazowski
Donna Andersen Bogdaniec
Denise Scharneck Burton
Sharon Marquez Bush
Maureen Byrne
Donna Johnson Carroll
Christine Czernecki
Denise Juliano Damore
Judy Kordik Deck
Janice Ridgeway Dickenson
Maria Foszcz
Karen Buresh Gagliano
Krystyna Siuzdak Gallagher
Donna Heckler Gallo
Linda Rizzo Johnson
Corinne Dodovich Jordan
Patti Twardos Karaczewski
Kathy Loeger Karrasch
Maureen Hoffman Kattner
Sharon King
Kathy Lee
Janice Leva Linsner
Nila Frangioni Machado
Eve Martinez Soto
Karen Klein McGovern

Lorraine Kearney Mesch
Shirley Grosklaus Musial
Carmen Luquerosales Nelson
Diana Westfall O'Kelly
Lois Brooks Olsen
Janice Osowski
Christine Tokarz Passalacqua
Cindy Hill Petersen
Barbara Mizera Petrowski
Candi Pohl
Eve Bandelin Pool
Linda Rada Reamer
Jean Miller Rice
Deborah Joyce Schab
Marlene Veit Scheibl
Sharon Pawlarczyk Shelton
Karen Kurek Stamm
Kristin Barnum Urzen
Angela Maciejczyk Weldon

1979

Jennifer Zittnan Boldry
Annette Bakos Liput
Beth Ann Lock
Coralie Strazlewski Reinhart
Christine Phillips Vohasek
Ellas Kontoyiannis Voules

1980

Andrea Sullivan Jervier

1981

Tommica Foster Akins
Mary Bieze
Angela Kordik
Silvia Kovacs-Langan
Helen Heyza Polo

1982

Barbara Schenfeld Bosak
Jolene Belcher Ceglarek
Peggy Richmond Clements
Freida Hugueth
Judy Kuzniar
Yvonne Dionne Mundorf
Cynthia Moton Perteet
Therese Reuther
Cyndi Frapolly Watanabe
Desdemona Wilkie

1986

Melixa Martin Behnke

1987

Martha Baca
Sharon Besterfeldt
Aggie Blusiewicz Decker
Mary Kloska

Theresa Heredia Lovell
Annette Brennan Miller
Tina Praznowski Mola
Dorina Neantzu
Namnama Paredes Pearson
Sandy Siakavelis Pizzonia
Janet Fredrickson Sedlacek
Chante Swift-Dodds
Peggy Vahle
Adriana Velez
Traci Williams

Faculty (non-alums)

JoAnn Pellettiere Luke
Mary Rose Matus Nowak
Carol Quagliano VanDurme
Adrienne Walantas Zader

Religious (non-alums)

Sister Kate Brenner
Sister Bernice Chantos
Sister Alice Feather
Sister Barbara Forster
Sister Marilyn Ketteler
Sister Jo Ann Miller
Sister Michael Mary Muse
Sister Louise Noesen
Sister Rose Marie Peters
Sister Rita Mae Rabbitoy
Sister Celestine Schall
Sister Helen Strueder
Sister Johanna Tremli
Sister Dorothy Sinibaldi
Sister Joyce Wagner
Sister Peter Julian Werner

Guests

Sonny Annoreno
Nick Brode
Kay Choyinski
Shelley Grzelak
Shirley Kloska
Kera Lansu
Kathy Liska
Joe Pugliese
Rita Quinn
Nancietta Stocking
Patty Welch
Sandy Wilson

Please accept our humblest
apologies for any misspellings
or omissions. ☺

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Save the Date

April 22, 2018

*"What A Time
We Had, The
Way We Were"*

*26th Annual
Alumnae
Luncheon*

SNIPPETS



Luella Hildebrand Montezon '42, Milwaukee, WI. Kudos and many thanks for everything you and your team have accomplished and are still growing strong in keeping Alvernia alive.

My days/years in high school hold treasured memories. I had the best time—band, orchestra, sports, Cisca, volunteering and managing my grades making the honor roll a time or two.

I always look forward to the *Alvernia Alive* newsletter. Keep up the good work. Thank you and your team for all you do for us. Peace, Lu Montezon

Loretta Matheis, Class of 1952 was featured in a Chicago Tribune article on October 11, 2017. Loretta is a sketch artist and had drawn 34,069 sketches when this article was published.

Wrigley Field holds 41,268 and she expects to steamroll past that figure eventually. Loretta has been drawing portraits of patrons of Murphy's Bleachers across from Wrigley for 34 years, charging \$5 a head. She drops both Murphy's and Cubs logos into each of her portraits.

Loretta is a self-taught artist who spent the first half of her life as a secretary. Since the late 1960s she's primarily made her living by sketching people around Chicago and occasionally being hired to teach watercolors.

She has drawn George Clooney (when he was in *E.R.*), many members of prominent Chicago families and McCormick's and Art Institute trustees. Loretta says she will retire at 100 and live to 110. She figures that she'll take 10 years off!

Jackie Green Radka '53, Glen Ellyn, IL Thank you, (Pat) for all the work you and the board do for the alumnae. It is appreciated.

Ellen Miller Casey, PH.D.'58, Scranton, PA Professor Emerita at University of Scranton received honorary degrees at the 2017 Commencement Ceremonies. In 1969 she became one of the first three women hired to a tenure-track University teaching position.

Ellen retired from the University as a full-time professor of English in 2009. Her numerous awards include a National Endowment for the Humanities Younger Humanist Fellowship and recognition as a Danforth Associate as part of a national program to recognize and encourage effective teaching and to humanize teaching and learning. Congratulations, Ellen!

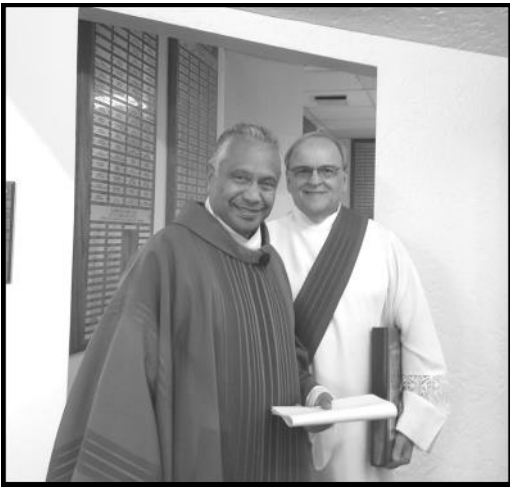
Judi Smith Weiner '60, Ankeny, IA, (Dear Alumnae Association), I am so glad to receive the newsletter and catch up on all that is going on! I live in a city ten miles north of Des Moines. Retired now after working as a Medical Laboratory Technician for 30 years. My husband and I have three grown children and five grandchildren. Keep up the great newsletter!
Proud Alvernia Grad!

Debbie Cartina-Smith '85, Chicago, IL On October 9, 2017, Debbie celebrated the **20th anniversary** of when her life forever changed. Her scary journey began on October 9, 1997 when she was admitted into the hospital because of strange muscle aches and pains, fevers, night sweats, chills and swollen ankles which had been going on for months.. The condition was Bacterial infective Endocarditis. This condition eventually caused a stroke at the age of 29. Many complications followed. After having brain surgery she had to have emergency heart surgery. Debbie was finally released from the Rehab Institute in May of 1998.

She knows she was given a second chance at life and takes nothing for granted. The complete story was posted on Facebook October 9, 2017.

Looking for some Daily Catholic Devotions??

Check out *Living Faith*. Short daily reflections based on a Scripture passage from the daily Mass. Each booklet covers three months. It is a great way to keep our focus on what is important spiritually and cost is reasonable.



Our **Annual Memorial Mass and Reception** was well attended on Sunday, November 5, 2017. Our guest presider, **Father Britto Berchmans**, Pastor of St. Paul of the Cross in Park Ridge, IL delighted all with his humor and insight. He was assisted by **Deacon Sonny Annoreno**. Many candles were lit in honor of deceased alums as the names of those who died in the past year were read during the Prayers of the Faithful.

We are grateful to all who shared their culinary talents by bringing appetizers and desserts. We do have quite a spread for the enjoyment of all.

Once again a number of people went home with door prizes. Alberta Matulis '60 won the Thanksgiving Table Décor Basket (donated by Mary and Pat Grimes). Carol Noel Disch '60 won the \$25.00 Gas Gift card and others won the beautiful fall mums that had decorated our tables.

Due to diminishing numbers and ill health, the choir will no longer provide our music. **Sister Bernadette Luecker** assures that she will provide us with piano/organ and cantor/s to lead us in song. We are very grateful for all the years the choir has been present at our Memorial Masses.

The date for **2018 is November 4**. Please join us!

Thanks to **Mary Grimes '65 and Pat Grimes '69** for organizing this event and all who helped in any way that day.

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April 22, 2018

“What A Time We Had

The Way We Were”

Thank you to all of the following Sisters, alums and guests who assisted with photos, welcoming, registration, selling raffle tickets, delivery of raffle baskets, gift table sales, etc. We are very grateful for your assistance. We apologize for any misspelled names or omissions.

Fran Novello Aiello '50
 Marilyn Twitchell Pfaff '50
 Dolores Salek '52
 Dorothy Kozlowski Hagan '52
 Mary Micelli Henneman '52
 Pat Jozwiak '53
 Barbara Voss Dowling '55
 Pat Feeney Kimberley '55
 Mary Ann Ulm Rosso '55
 Pat Kubistal '55
 Ellen Rae Jablinsky Tomich '55
 Eileen DiSilvestro Germanos '56
 Arlene Gibisch Wajda '57
 Dolores Salek '57
 Christine Doran '58
 Kathy Faloon Kinahan '58
 Louise Hauser Angel '59
 Bernie Brown Reiman '60
 Carol Noel Disch '60
 Marge Slark Stancy '60
 Pat Sandke O'Dowd '60
 Cathy Biedron Eckart '60
 Lori Gagola Dziewiatkowski '60
 Carol Kauffman Lockhart '60
 Rita Kouba Drake '60
 Jane Wyzgoski Kunath '60

Beverly Nygren Herbig '60
 Joann Lewandowski '60
 Sharon Watt Scesniak '60
 Alberta Matulis '60
 Mary Ellen Pickens McCant '61
 Peggy Anderson Smykowski '61
 Marcy Hammes Mueller '62
 Judy Kraft Chmura '62
 Beth Kouba Kaminski '62
 Jackie Brennan '63
 Maureen Hellwig '63
 Pat Lydon '63
 Joanne Wydra Kalkirtz '64
 Dianne Gilboy Termerian '65
 Mary Grimes '65
 Angie Conone Palac '65
 Diane Anstett Breman '65
 Mary Beth Bartels Norwood '66
 Darlene Dionne Karales '68
 Pat Grimes '69
 Judy Fidkowski-LaVanway '70 (Photos)
 Judy Skotzko '71
 Eileen Lowery '71
 Sue Skweres St. Onge '71
 Jeanne Cecchin Fec '73
 Marge Goecke Alford '76

Coralie Reinhart '79
 Andrea Sullivan Jervier '80
 Nancy Stocking
 Sister Joanna Trembl
 Sister Rose Marie Peters
 Sister Helen Struder
 Sister Donna Cirone
 Sister Alice Feather
 Sister Kate Brenner
 Sister JoAnn Miller
 Sister Barbara Forster
 Sister Bernice Chantos
 Sister Rita Mae Rabbitoy
 Sister Barbara Kramer



Have you moved? Are you moving soon? Or, do you know an alumna who is not receiving our semi-annual newsletter and would like to? The Post Office does not forward bulk mail and sometimes we do not know that you have moved. And, if you have changed your phone or email, last name, please use the form below for those updates.

Fill in the information below (please print) and mail or email to:

**Judy Skotzko—jskotzko@sbcglobal.net
 5306 W. Carmen Avenue
 Chicago, IL 60630-2224**

First Name _____ Maiden Name _____ Last Name _____

Address _____ Class _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ email _____



"What a Time We Had—The Way We Were"

Memories.....

As has been the case for **26 years** now our decorating committee has come up with a "catchy" theme! We have been blessed over the years to have alums who are very talented with choosing themes and creating decorations to match! So save the date of April 22, 2018 and plan to attend another **fabulous** luncheon! **The reservation form is on page 23.**

We will be at **The Cotillion in Palatine; located on Creekside Drive which is off of Northwest Highway (Route 14), just west of Route 53. Plenty of free parking is available in front of the building with additional parking provided to the west of the banquet hall in the office building lot.**

Our Gift Shop will have a variety of items with Alvernia logo to purchase. We have refillable Sanitizers, Power paks, Covered car cups, Cross on chain, Note Cards. We expect to have tote bags and pens also. Be sure to take a look! Memorial Cards created by the SSSF are available at the gift shop also. Donation is made when the card is used.

Remember to bring your address labels for the raffle tickets! We'll have wonderful prizes for you to win! The majority of our general prizes include a gift card!

Platinum Prizes will include an **Echo Show, TV, Fitbit, Lake Geneva Gift Certificate.**

Everyone attending the luncheon must be registered and wear the name tag issued at the registration table. We cannot accept reservations at the door; nor can we change seating the day of the luncheon.

Any questions regarding the **luncheon, prizes, or special needs for reunion classes**, should be directed to **Barbara Annoreno, 847-577-6259, email: oneronna@comcast.net**

Questions regarding your **reservation and class reunion responses** should be directed to **Pat Grimes, 773-589-0275, email: grimes.pat@att.net**

Proceeds of the Luncheon benefit the SSSF Retirement Fund



HELP WANTED

Alum volunteers are needed to help on the day of the luncheon.
We are asking for just an hour of your time. Have a friend work with you.
Volunteers are needed in the following areas:

- Registration
- Dues Table
- Alvernia Gift Shop
- Raffle ticket sellers at the side tables in ballroom
- Raffle ticket sellers to walk the floor
- Distribute raffle prizes to the winners.

Please call or email Joann Lewandowski if you have questions or would like to volunteer

708-386-1681/lewjoann@hotmail.com



CLASS REPS

Our Alumnae Association has a two-fold purpose: to keep the Spirit of Alvernia alive within its members and to raise funds for the Sisters who guided us in our earlier years. A **Class Rep** can help to accomplish these goals by:

1. Keeping an accurate class list by establishing a network within the class to contact members.
2. Calling classmates to: a) Gather news items for the newsletter.
b) Promote enthusiasm and class representation at the various functions.

Class Reps are NOT responsible for organizing reunions.

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Alvernia Alumnae Association

26th Annual Luncheon

Sunday, April 22, 2018

The Cotillion

360 S Creekside Drive, Palatine, IL

Northwest Highway and Route 53

11:30 AM - Cocktail Reception 1:00 PM - Lunch

Reservation deadline: April 13, 2018

Advance reservations only! No walk-ins.

Mail to: Pat Grimes, 3712 N Paris Ave, Chicago, IL 60634

Please complete **ALL** fields below:

Last Name: _____ **First Name:** _____ **Maiden Name:** _____

Class of: _____ **Phone number** in case we need to reach you: _____

Email Address: _____ @ _____

	How many?	Total
Membership Dues for: 8/1/2016 through 7/31/2017 - \$20.00		\$
Luncheon Tickets: \$55.00 per person		\$
I am a member of a religious order – Luncheon ticket at \$40.00 per person		\$
I am a former faculty member – Luncheon ticket at \$40.00 per person		\$
I'd like to sponsor a religious to attend - \$40.00 per person		\$
I'd like to make a prize donation.		\$
Total Check Payable to the <i>Alvernia Alumnae Association</i>		\$

All attendees will be seated with their class. If you wish to be seated with someone OTHER than your class, please indicate below:

If you are paying for someone other than yourself please list their names and class year below:

If you have the following dietary needs please indicate below:

____ Gluten Free ____ Vegetarian

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CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

**26th Annual Luncheon
April 22 2018
The Cotillion, Palatine, IL**

**Sunday, November 4, 2018
Annual Memorial Mass
and
Fall Gathering**

**Wednesday, November 14, 2018
Drury Lane Theater
*Disney's
Beauty and the Beast***

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