

# FHS 25+ Alumni Club Newsletter

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## Our 2014 Scholarship Recipients

By Shirley 'Horetski' Stasinski '69

The Fraser High School 25+ Alumni Club is proud to announce our scholarship recipients for 2014. I had the pleasure of awarding the two \$1,000 scholarships on May 15, 2014.

Our first scholarship was awarded to Sonja Berger, the daughter of Matthew Berger and Kelly Dolland, Class of 1982. She has a grade point average of 3.570 and plans to attend Michigan State University for an Engineering Degree. Her teachers have described her as a mature, intelligent, polite, industrious, responsible, enthusiastic and the hardest working student.

Sonja has participated in sports throughout high school including JV Soccer, Varsity Cross Country (as Captain) and Track.

Other activities include Student Council, as volunteer and Representative; volunteering

at Macomb Hope Pantry, Showing You New Connections (SYNC), Cooking Up Great Taste and being a hostess at Ram's Horn Restaurant.

Our second scholarship was awarded to Erica Kloski, daughter of David, Class of 1985 and Sheila Kloski. She has a grade point average of 3.439 and is planning to major in English at Oakland University. Her teachers appraise Erica as having a strong work ethic and a high moral character; always willing and able to take on challenges, whether in her school work or in extra-curricular activities; also, kind and caring when assisting others to do their best.

Erica received her Varsity letter for three consecutive years in Gymnastics and was also on the Swim Team.

Her high school activities include Student Council, Fraser 4 A's, Big Sibs / Lil' Sibs and Business Manager for the newspaper

'The Flash' and the Yearbook.

Besides working for the family business with answering phones, doing paperwork and helping customers, she also does babysitting and nannies.

She has volunteered at Woodside Bible Church as a Nursery Worker, Ministry Leader and Camp Counselor.



This article is my last 'official' duty as an Officer of the Fraser High School 25+ Alumni Club. After many years of service to the Club, I am rotating out. I am starting on a new adventure with my husband, selling the house and plan to travel around the country in our motor home. I hope to see many of you, either during our travels or at future Alumni

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### Our Very Own 'Blue Angel'

Commander Tom Frosch, Class of 1988, a native of Clinton Twp., MI, lettered in football. He attended the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, MD, where he also lettered in football, graduated with a B.S. degree in Engineering in 1992, and was commissioned as an Ensign in the U.S. Navy.

Tom reported to Naval Air Station (NAS) Pensacola, FL, for aviation indoctrination in March 1993. He completed primary flight training in the T-34C Turbo Mentor at NAS Corpus Christi, TX, and completed advanced flight training in the T-45 Goshawk at NAS Kingsville, TX. He received his 'Wings of Gold' in March 1995.

Tom then reported to Strike Fighter Squadron 106 (VFA-106), the 'Gladiators', at NAS Cecil Field, FL, for initial training in the F/A-18 Hornet. In June 1996, Tom reported to

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### 2014 Alumni Family Picnic

We had thought that the 2013 weather was the greatest, but 82° with a nice breeze certainly beat that. We had the Class of 1964 win the highest of percentages for Attendance Contest, but appreciated all that came out to join in the camaraderie.



Pictured are Jim Wakeman and Paul Petrucci, both '67 and both relaxing after their volunteering stint at the registration area.

Special thank you to State Rep. Marilyn 'Messana' Lane '77 for paying the fees for the 2 pavilions + tent charges for 2014 picnic. It used to be the fees were waived by the City, but times have changed and with the many 'special interest' groups, it's no longer possible.

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### FHS Military Honors



There is an area in the high school that has been designated for graduates that have served or are serving in the

U. S. Military. There are pictures, pins, etc and a partially filled plaque.

The requirements to have a name added to the plaque are: FHS graduate, completed Boot Camp and the request needs to be made by the graduate or a family member. They do not need to have served overseas.

The Class of 2011 donated the plaque, along with the funds for 100 names to be engraved and added.

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Much needed donations since our last newsletter - if we missed you, we are truly sorry.  
Please let us know, we'll include you next year.

## Donations to the Scholarship Fund in the amount of \$100 - \$499

Linda 'McIntosh' Sandula	1955	In Memory - Philip Sandula '55
Class of 1964	1964	50th Reunion 50/50 proceeds
John Porter	1977	Pig Roast / Pulled Pork proceeds
Mike Austerman	1984	Website renewals / Maintenance

## Donations to the Scholarship Fund in the amount of \$1 - \$99

Tom Lusk	Teacher
Jerry Oehmke	1945
Barbara 'McMyler' Manderbach	1953
Janet 'Smits' Kimball	1960
Diane 'Michel' Gettner	1963
Ken Partyka	1964
Dan Wojcik	1964
Dave Johnson	1965
Norman Hilton	1965
George Sheppard III	1965
Sandi 'Damm' Chavez	1965
Ken Boggs	1967
Bill Laughlin	1967
Janice 'Koppin' Brown	1967
Mitch Rittner	1967
Doug Sheppard	1969
Greg Beels	1971
Tom Mayer	1971
Janet 'Baril' Margita	1973
David Richmond	1974
Ruth 'Davidson' Chaplen	1976
Terry DeFauw	1977

## Donations to the General Fund in the amount of \$100 - \$499

Gerald Richards	1954
John Uhlik II	1965
Kim Carter	1980
Wanda 'Carter' Matheny	1981
Jamie Carter	1984
Jody 'Carter' Nelson	1988

## Donations to the General Fund in the amount of \$1 - \$99

Gladys 'Pruehs' Batkins	1939	
Harold Bock	1947	
Lt. Col. Retired Jack Kimball	1947	
Roger Jacobson	1953	
Walter Zwar	1957	
Roland Fillmore	1959	
Roland Fillmore	1959	Donation from 50/50 prize
Janet 'Smits' Kimball	1960	
Elsie 'Larson' Rigger	1961	
Rich & Elsie 'Larson' Rigger	1961	
Marion 'Zwar' Teske	1961	
Diane 'Michel' Gettner	1963	
Jane 'Patton' White	1963	
Harold Fairbrother	1964	
Ed Nelson	1964	

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## TV Fundraiser Raffle

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Tickets \$5 each - Or 5 for \$20

Drawing Aug. 9, 2015 @  
FHS 25+ Annual Family Picnic  
@ Steffens Park, 4 p.m.

Tickets available from Committee Rep., at picnic or  
Send check to PO Box 154, Fraser, MI 48026

*(You or your representative must be present to win)*

## OBITUARIES

*Only listings of FHS Alumni, Classmates, Principals, Teachers and Staff are listed.*

### 1938

Mildred 'Buelow' Reindel - of Fraser on October 1, 2014

### 1939

Alvin Steffens - of Ypsilanti, MI on July 14, 2014

### 1942

James Rose - of Salem, OR on May 14, 2014

### 1943

Ted (Joseph) Vicks - of East China, MI on March 17, 2014

### 1944

Robert Angle - of Tacoma, WA on July 12, 2014

Thelma 'Wheeler' Marcus - of Novi, MI on April 1, 2013

### 1945

Robert Lutz - of Sarasota, FL on April 26, 2014

### 1947

Richard Morehead - of Oxford, MI on May 4, 2014

### 1948

Eleanor 'Schindewolf' Holcomb - of Fraser on March 29, 2011

### 1949

Robert Soltman - of Houghton Lake on September 10, 2014

### 1950

Gerald Keyte - of Kalamazoo, MI on September 29, 2013

### 1955

Betty 'Giessler' Gensheimer - of Offenbach, Germany in 2014

Reginald Gould - of Gladwin, MI on June 24, 2009

Edgar Keller - of Lexington, MI on April 30, 2014

### 1956

Claude Trambley - of Macomb Twp., MI on February 20, 2015

### 1957

Gerald Faulmann - of Bradenton, FL on July 18, 2014

Charles Foster - of Prescott, MI on March 4, 2015

### 1958

Leonard Bassett - of Oscoda, MI on December 12, 2014

### 1960

David O'Bryan - of Ann Arbor, MI on January 1, 2015

### 1961

Roy Pries - of Fraser on January 27, 2015

### 1963

Larry O'Bryan - of Clinton Twp., MI on January 29, 2015

### 1965

Gary Asman - of Sterling Heights, MI on October 31, 2012

Frank Dierwa - of Troy, MI on April 1, 2011

Mary Ann 'Krajenke' Vyncke - of Shelby Twp., MI on March 2, 1999

Betty 'Stade' Nichols - of Orlando, FL on October 2, 2014

## 1974 40th Class Reunion

Fraser High School Class of 1974 Forty Year Reunion was a blast! Thanks to everyone who showed up to share memories!



### Committee Cudos

For the past few years, there has been a feature article for various groups or people. This year I, as President, would like to give cudos to the Committee members, both the Executive and Working Committee members.

Beginning with the Vice President, Chris Fletcher '71, giving his passion to raising funds for the scholarships that we award yearly. He works tirelessly setting up the picnic, from securing the tent, tables and chairs to storing ALL the equipment and supplies for same. This means a good portion of his garage is all FHS 25+ (much to the dismay of his better half). During the year, if there is a raffle to be held, he is at the top of the sales list, whether it be Candy Bars, televisions or BBQs. He is a constant consultant on Club matters and is always ready to step up to the plate to do whatever is necessary.

Our Recording Secretary, Pat Hallendy, '65, does an amazing job of keeping the Minutes for the Club, storing all necessary papers (and having them available at a moments notice). She has taken on the registrations table at the Annual Picnics, organizing the intake, securing

volunteers, balancing the til, supplying the appropriate people of the names and donation amounts. All this and she drives over an hour - each way - to attend the meetings.

The technical website advisor, Mike Austerman '84, is truly just a gem with which to work. Not only does he jump through hoops to maintain, juggle and add to the website, he has also personally procures registrations for our domain names and internet space.

Our Database administrator, Mike Jennings '69, enters all the new classes, fixes those ever changing street addresses, replaces the e-mails with new e-mails and delivers an updated file before each scheduled meeting. He started this position when he lived in Shelby Twp., MI and continues on, even after his move to Arizona.

Historian Helen Ayers-Stovel '41, maintains all of the Club's history - from newsletters to yearbooks. She is the 'Guard' you will see each Picnic at the Yearbook table.

The Working Committee members, Jane Patton-White '63, Elinor Moehr-Sweet '65, Kim Carter '80, Wanda Carter-Matheny '81 are faithful in

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## Recipients From Pg. 1

Picnics. Having held the position of Corresponding Secretary and volunteering at the picnics has been a very gratifying part of my life. I hope younger Fraser Alumni will now 'step up to the plate' and volunteer to be a part of this great organization.

Congratulations to both for the 2014 Audrey Kleino - DeFauw Memorial Scholarship Fund/ FHS 25+ Alumni Club Awards!

**1975 40th Reunion on Oct. 10 - Contact - 75FHS40year@gmail.com**

The delivery of our newsletter has changed, but we've tried to maintain the format that will lend itself to print from the 'fhs25plus.org' website. Of course, we'll be happy to mail a hard copy - send a \$5 check or money order (made to FHS 25+ Alumni @ PO Box 154, Fraser, MI 48026) with your address and one will be printed and mailed.

### FHS 25+ Alumni Annual Family Picnic

will continue on 8/9/15 at Steffens Park, 14 & Garfield, from Noon until dusk. Parking off 14 Mile, by the baseball diamonds. You can even come out and volunteer for a bit and give someone a break.

*This year we welcome the class of 1990 - unfortunately we don't have many addresses. If you have access to any, please send to fhs25alumni@gmail.com or send class listing to PO Box 154, Fraser, MI 48026*

**Your FHS 25+ ALUMNI CLUB has awarded scholarships, to qualifying graduating seniors, since 1995, in the amount of \$36,400.00**

## Military Honors From Pg 1

The names that have been added so far are listed below. If you would like to have someone listed, please contact Ingrid Fryia, FHS 2015 Class Sponsor & German Teacher, at (586) 439-7344 or Ingrid.Fryia@fraserk12.org for details.

NAME	U. S. BRANCH	GRADUATION YEAR
DeVoogd, Elmer	Army	1950
Jacobi, Michael	Air Force	1962
Warner, Joseph	Navy	1962
Dumas, John	Marine Corps	1964
Gair, Terry	Navy	1964
Heberlein, Dale E.	Marine Corps	1964
Silva, Arnold	Navy	1964
Berryhill, Lowell	Navy	1965
Darr, Thomas	Army	1965
Kollmorgen, Lance	Army	1965
Petrucci, Louis	Navy	1965
Smits, Walter	Navy	1965
Uhlik III, John	Army	1965
Rattee, Jr., William	Army	1966
Redlawski, Darwyn	Army	1966
Merrifield, Peter	Marine Corps	1967
Mitteman, Mark	Army	1967
Prosser, William	Air Force	1967
Skowronek, John	Marine Corps	1967
Luehmann-Statzer, Judith	Army	1971
Smagacz, Michael	Navy	1977
Commyn, Jr., John	Army	1981
Smagacz, Daniel	Navy	1981
Dumas, James	Army	1982
McCaffrey, Joseph	Army	1983
Drennan, Steven	Navy	1984
Kucharski, Jr., Ronald	Marine Corps	1986
Griswold, Russell	Air Force	1987
Pacholski, Phillip	Army	1987
Frosch, Thomas	Navy	1988
Harwick, Scott	Marine Corps	1988
Howard III, Walter	Army	1988
Murdock-Borough, Michell	Army	1988
Watson, Randy	Army	1988
Yakey, Todd	Marine Corps	1988
Gerebics, Keith	Army	1989
Sawyer, Joseph	Navy	1989

There are more names of the plaque, but they did not graduate 25 or more years ago

## Picnic From Pg 1



So we have Sharon, George and Dave sitting around, Norm standing in the background, all of '65 and is that a wandering stranger sitting next to Sharon?



Another couple getting in some mingling time from volunteering are Art and Sandy 'Damm' Chavez, both of '65.

The people working without much mingling or relaxing time need to be recognized and thanked, too. Thank you to Chris Fletcher '71 and for bringing the non-Fraser graduate friends to help set up and then returning to help load up.

Thank you to Mike Austerman '84 for the ever vigilant observations for fresh coffee, 50/50 raffle tickets, and wandering picnic attendees and all.

Jo 'Joleen King' Boguslaw '87, needs a thank you for all the grilling in the hot sun and for training her daughter, the Class of 2018, to start volunteering early, at the food station.

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**1965 50th Reunion Alert** - It seems like just yesterday all of us were walking down the aisle with excitement of finally graduating from FHS! Sorry, I was daydreaming for a minute. . . well, in 'realsville' it doesn't seem just like yesterday or even 50 years ago, but it is. In honor of our great accomplishment back then, there will be a 50th Reunion for our Class of 1965 on Saturday, August 8, 2015 at the Fraser VFW. **PLEASE SAVE THIS DATE !!** The FHS 25+ Alumni Picnic will be held on Sunday, August 9, 2015 at Steffens Park in Fraser. So, it will be a jam-packed fun weekend. More details on the 50th will be available in the near future. In the meantime, if you, or any other classmates you know, have changed contact information (name, e-mail mailing/home address, phone number), or if you would like to join the planning committee, please contact Pat Hallendy at phgowings@aol.com or (248) 634-2083 - soon. The 50th Committee is currently gathering information and will be planning an evening full of wonderful memories. We hope to see you there !! Committee: Sandi 'Damm' Chavez, Pat Hallendy, Linda Lahay, Jackie 'Moase' Burke and Elinor 'Moehr' Sweet

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Cheryl Farmer	1964	
Mary Louise Kramp	1964	
Toni 'Schmitz' Reed	1964	FL Reunion 50/50 proceeds
Patrick Laughlin	1964	
Sharon 'Falk' Evenson	1965	
David Haight	1965	
Pennie 'Knisley' Paczkowski	1965	
George Sheppard III	1965	
Susan Stier	1966	
Ken Boggs	1967	
Janice 'Koppin' Brown	1967	
Nancy 'Neel' Dunstan	1967	
Paul Petrucci	1967	
Jim Wakeman	1967	
Robert Bonnell	1970	In Memory - Kent Brown '71
Robert Bonnell	1970	In Memory - Ken Hintz '68
Robert Bonnell	1970	In Memory - Ken Petty '68
Sharon 'Horetski' Barrett	1971	
Janet 'Baril' Margita	1973	
Ann 'Hanrahan' Calvo	1973	
Dennis Symons	1973	
Bryan Tardiff	1973	
Janice 'Tokarski' Cameron	1973	
Terry DeFauw	1977	
Michelle 'Pedica' Lindquist	1977	
Linda 'Horetski' Smith	1977	
Jamie Carter	1984	
Mike Austerman	1984	
FL Reunion		50/50 Proceeds

All donations are greatly needed and very much appreciated - thank you!!

## 2015 FLORIDA REUNION



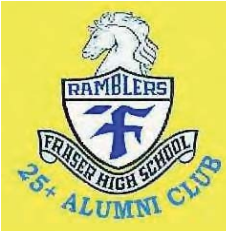
The 2015 FHS Winter Reunion took place in Sarasota at the Sun-N-Fun RV Resort on Saturday, March 14. We had nearly 50 people in all, with 36 alumni present. If you would like to attend future Winter Reunions in Florida, please make sure your email address is on file by registering at - [www.fhs25plus.org/Contact](http://www.fhs25plus.org/Contact) - We'll see you in 2016 at the home of Rich & Elsie 'Larson' Riggen, in Royal Palm Beach, Florida, usually held on the second Saturday in March.



Always supporting Fraser School Graduates and the School thru active affiliation with the Fraser Educational Foundation.

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## FHS 25+ Club Fundraiser - for locals



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and they will send your raffle ticket(s).

Tickets are \$25.00 each, with all ticket sales going to the Scholarship Fund.

We would like to thank you in advance for your donation and wish you luck in the  
4 p.m. drawing on August 9, 2015 at the Alumni Picnic at Steffens Park.

Please make check payable to FHS 25+ Alumni Club

### Cudos From Pg 4

their attendance at the meetings and also work tirelessly at the annual picnics and with the fundraisers.

Working in the background and ever faithful is Jerry Oehmke '45, working with the High School's store securing door prizes and clothing for profits at the Annual Picnics.

It is with this small group of volunteer graduates that have generated over \$33,000 in awards to our qualifying Seniors. It shouldn't take too long for you to personally thank this small group for all that have committed with their time and talents.

I know I am truly grateful having the opportunity and good fortune to work with these truly amazing, selfless people.

If you'd like to see them in action, consider attending one of the 5 yearly scheduled meetings, in the odd months, starting at 7:30 p.m. at the high school's Media Center.

### Picnic From Pg 5

Kim Carter '80 gets a pat on the back for soliciting, gathering, wrapping, hauling and selling all those packages that were available for the Raffle.

Jamie Carter '84 and Wanda 'Carter' Matheny '81, can share that pat on the back, as ticket sellers, Sergeant-at-Arms, also set up & tear down, too.

Jane 'Patton' White '63 devoted her time and talents, as she has for the past many years, going and doing whatever needs to be done.

John Porter '77 can't be left out either - giving up his night to make sure the roasted pig is ready for the pulled pork sandwiches, with all proceeds going to the Scholarship Fund.

Check in couldn't have been handled any more efficiently without Pat Halendy '65 working thru the procedure.

And thank you to all those not mentioned by name, we couldn't do it without **YOU** !! (<< Insert name here)

### ATTENTION ALUMNI MUSICIANS!!

If you would like to donate your musical talents and jam with some of your classmates at the 2015 FHS 25+ Alumni Picnic, please contact Joe Tackett '72. He will supply the P.A., so please just bring your own instruments, amplifiers, microphones and mic stands. All drummers should contact Joe, so that only one of you has to bring a set.

If anyone would like to video the jammers, that would be great also!



The picnic will be held on Sunday, August 9, 2015 starting at Noon at Steffens Park, 14 Mile Rd. & Garfield in Fraser.

Joe Tackett: 248-425-0447 -  
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## OBITUARIES From Pg. 3

**1965** (Cont'd)

Cheri 'VanNittersum' Daniel - of Duluth, MN on Jan. 23, 2014

**1966**

Mark Ludescher - of Clinton Twp., MI on January 2, 2014

**1967**

Brenda Joan Petrykowski - of Belleville, MI on Oct. 16, 2014

Friend-'Fred' Karlewski of Clinton Twp., MI on April 27, 2014

**1968**

Camille 'Powell' Kawalec - of Imlay City, MI on March 28, 2013

Dennis Spencer - of Shelby Twp., MI on January 11, 2010

**1969**

Sally 'Christovich' Davis - of Phoenix, AZ on April 2, 2014

Paul Deitrick - in Germany about December, 2013

**1970**

Ronald Hellebuyck - of China Twp., MI on April 24, 2014

**1971**

Gene Endres - of Clinton Twp., MI on July 30, 2014

Ricky Revers - of Attica, MI on June 7, 2013

Randolph Wassmann - of Clinton Twp., MI on July 26, 2014

**1972**

Richard Brusatori - of St. Clair, MI on September 14, 2014

**1973**

Patricia 'Lenhardt' Smith - of Clinton Twp., MI on April 24, 2014

Valerie 'Music' Joseph - of Macomb, MI on July 14, 2014

**1974**

Michael Hanson - of Clinton Twp., MI on September 15, 2011

**1974** (Cont'd)

Paul Scheier - of Petosky, MI on July 6, 2014

**1975**

Margaret 'McDaniel' Yrigue - of Phoenix, AZ on Jan. 31, 1998

Scott McNally - of Palm Springs, FL on September 14, 2014

William Prieur - of Roseville, MI on September 13, 2014

**1977**

Cynthia 'Filar' Richard - of Rye, NH on October 3, 2014

**1978**

Durwin Bowers - of Roseville, MI on June 9, 2014

Julie 'Hallmann' Chadwick - of WV on December 24, 2014

Friend-Jeffry Sheppard - of Springfield, OH on September 9, 2014

**1979**

Martin Elias - of Clinton Twp., MI on March 19, 2014

Friend-Kevin Stout - of Fraser, MI on January 15, 2014

**1980**

Carole 'Megge' Lievens - of Springfield, OH on March 24, 2011

Lisa 'Schroeder' McNamara - of Macomb County on December 23, 2014

**1981**

Michael Jacobson - of Center Line, MI on October 23, 2014

Gary Jurkiewicz - of Clinton Twp., MI on September 15, 2009

**1983**

Catherine 'Demeniuk' Nichols - of Warren, MI on August 16, 2011

**1986**

Friend-Wesley Phillips - of Fraser on August 29, 2014

**1987**

Brian Holtz - of Eastpointe, MI on November, 2014

**STAFF**

Jeanne Eble, Librarian - of Shelby Twp., MI on August 16, 2011

Violet Harms-Heyer, Secretary - of Pinckney, MI on Nov. 5, 2014

DeLila Pontius - Food Service, of Belleville, MI on Feb. 8, 2015

Betty Robbins, Staff - of Onaway, MI on August 20, 2014

Edward Sidorski, Auto Shop - of Clinton Twp., MI on Jan. 15, 2015

*This is just a brief listing of our departed classmates, principals, teachers and staff. An obituary, if available, in its entirety, is on the website - [www.fhs25plus.org](http://www.fhs25plus.org)*

**Please notice some of our deceased alumni have no other information beside their name. If you have any other information available, like an obituary, please forward to [fhs25alumni@gmail.com](mailto:fhs25alumni@gmail.com) or to P.O. Box 154, Fraser, MI 48026-0154.**

**ATTENTION U.S. VETERANS**

In the last 10 years, there have been more than 50 changes to benefits available to Vietnam-era veterans. Find the web portal for Michigan Veterans Affairs Agency (MVAA) at [www.michiganveterans.com](http://www.michiganveterans.com) for more info and/or to connect with an accredited veterans' service officer.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE!!**

The previous page could be used as a flyer to advertise the annual picnic. Please print it & post at YOUR favorite hang outs.

Please e-mail us at [fhs25alumni@gmail.com](mailto:fhs25alumni@gmail.com) for instructions to send donations of FHS **yearbooks**. We're looking for many years to fill in what we display every year at our picnic.

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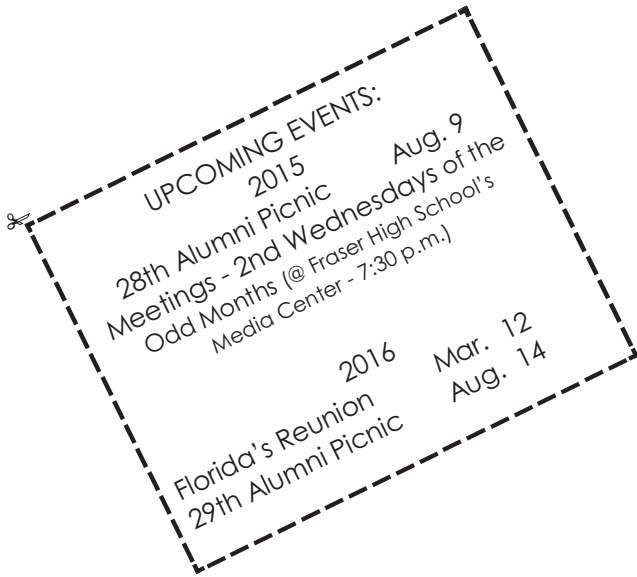
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<b>'Blue Angel'</b> (From Pg. 1)		
<p>Strike Fighter Squadron 87(VFA-87), the 'Golden Warriors', also at NAS Cecil Field, where he served as the Avionics/Armament Div. Officer, Legal Officer, Admin. Officer, Training Officer, and Landing Signals Officer (LSO). Tom completed a Mediterranean Sea and Arabian Gulf deployment with the USS John F. Kennedy (CV 67) and flew in support of Operation Southern Watch, as well as a deployment with the USS Theodore Roosevelt (CVN 71) where he flew in support of Operation Allied Force in Kosovo and Operation Southern Watch in Iraq. While serving with the Golden Warriors, he was named the 1999 Strike Fighter Wing Atlantic Pilot of the Year.</p> <p>In July 1999, Tom was selected to attend the U.S. Naval Test Pilot School at NAS Patuxent River, MD. He graduated in December 2000 and reported to Naval Strike Aircraft Test Squadron 23 (VX-23) also stationed at NAS Patuxent River. He served as a test pilot with the Ordnance Support Team, an LSO, and Avionics /</p>	<p>Armament Division Officer.</p> <p>Tom returned to the fleet in January 2003 as a Department Head for Strike Fighter Squadron 192 (VFA-192), the 'World Famous Golden Dragons', stationed at Naval Air Facility (NAF) Atsugi, Japan, where he served as Safety Officer, Operations Officer and Maintenance Officer. While assigned to VFA-192, Tom deployed with the USS Kitty Hawk (CV 63) and flew in support of Operations Southern Watch and Iraqi Freedom.</p> <p>Tom attended the Naval War College in Newport, RI, in August 2005, where he earned a Master of Arts degree in National Security and Strategic Studies, then reported to NATO at Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe (SHAPE) in Casteau, Belgium. During his tour, he deployed as an Individual Augmentee with the NATO International Security Assistance Force to Kabul, Afghanistan.</p> <p>Tom reported as Executive Officer of Strike Fighter Squadron 146 (VFA-146), the 'Blue Diamonds', stationed</p>	<p>at NAS Lemoore, Calif., in May 2009. He commanded the 'Blue Diamonds' through a work-up cycle and Western Pacific/Arabian Gulf deployment with the USS Ronald Reagan (CVN 76) in support of Operation Enduring Freedom.</p> <p>Tom joined the Blue Angels as Commanding Officer in November 2012. He has more than 3,300 flight hours and 830 carrier arrested landings. His decorations include the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, two Meritorious Service Medals, two Individual Air Medals with Combat "V" (Six Strike Flight), three Navy Commendation Medals, one with Combat "V," and numerous unit, campaign, and service awards.</p> <hr/> <p><b>SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL VETS . . .</b> with Fraser V.F.W.'s monthly, held on 4th Wednesday, except in November &amp; December, all-you-can-eat Spaghetti Dinner, 17075 Anita. It's from 11:30 to 8 p.m., \$7, includes salad and the fixings, bread, homemade dessert &amp; beverage.</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">The price of freedom can be seen at your local VA Hospital.</p>

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