



Osborne Alumni Hi-Tide 2017

Osborne High School 131st Alumni Reunion

March-May 2017

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- WATCH MAIL FOR BANQUET INFORMATION
- IF YOU DO NOT RECIEVE A POST-CARD PLEASE CONTACT THE ALUMNI ASSOC. And click our link to the registration form.
- HURRY AND REGISTER TODAY— Deadline for T-shirts is MONDAY, MAY 8, 2017

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CLASS OF 1967 - Celebrates 50th

The OHS Class of 1967 is gathering on Memorial weekend, 2017, to celebrate their 50-year class anniversary. We have NOT reserved a room anywhere to gather, so please join us at 9:00 AM Saturday at the Old Gym to attend the Alumni Reception. Then at 6:00 PM also at the Old Gym for the Banquet. On Sunday we will meet at the Circle Inn at 9:00 AM for breakfast and to say farewell.

For more information, please contact:
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Class of 1972

Class of 1977

Two bands made of OHS ALUMNI will be playing at Lady Luck the Saturday night of the reunion!

Kill Creek Rising and Blackwater will be playing at Lady Luck from 8p.m. to 1 a.m. Kill Creek Rising members are JR Sloggett (Class of 1999), Paul Roach (Class of 2003), Christa Roach Hougaard (Class of 2005), Ronda Schweitzer (Class of 1984), Travis Cameron (Class of 1994) and Tristan Thompson. Blackwater band members are Travis Cameron (Class of 1994), JR Sloggett (Class of 1999), and Paul Roach (Class of 2003). Kill Creek Rising and Blackwater will be playing at The Lady Luck from 8p.m. to 1 a.m.

2016-2017 Athletics and Other Activities Prove to Be a Success

The 2016-2017 school year has been filled with many exciting accomplishments for OHS's student athletes. The OHS football team had another very successful season going 13-0 and bringing home the state championship. They defeated the St. Francis Indians by a score of 38-24. This was played in Newton. This was the second championship for the seniors, as OHS had also won the state championship when they were freshmen. Sixteen of the twenty-one football players were sons of OHS attendees with senior Cullen Grabast, son of **Blake Grabast (1986)**, being a part of all three state championships. Many of the athletes received post season honors for their hard work.

Cross country saw three athletes compete at the state meet in Wamego. Individuals qualifying for state were Afftin Conway (daughter of **Rick Conway - 1989 & Jenny Jones Conway - 1996**), Pierce Wolters (son of **Dusty - 1986 & Traci Raab Wolters - 1989**), Tierra Conway (daughter of **Jenny Jones Conway - 1996**) and Cameron Delaney (son of **Dave Delaney - 1972**).

Tennis also saw Erin LeVan (daughter of **Mike LeiVan - 1974**), in singles, and the doubles team of

Bretton Wolters (**daughter of Marty Wolters - 1987**) and Savannah Noel (daughter of **Bret - 1977 & Corina Angell Noel - 1983**) compete in the state tennis meet in Wichita. There were unable to bring home any hardware, but represented OHS well.

The boys' basketball team also made a state appearance in Hays. They were defeated in game by Burlingame, which was a team they had beaten in post season football playoffs. The basketball team ended their season with an overall record of 17-5. Wrestling also took two athletes, Spencer Heise (145) and Derek Naegle (195) (son of **Gina Goheen - 1988**) to the 3-2-1A state tournament in Hays. Neither boy was able to place, but also represented Osborne High School well.

For the first time in a very long time, the OHS Scholars Bowl team also made a state appearance at Sattanta. The team consisted of Emma Carlin (daughter of Darin Carlin - 1993), Maddie Staples, Kaelan Cameron (son of **April Anderson Cameron - 1987**), Chloe McKeon (daughter of **Rita Hageman McKeon - 1978**) and Jessa Cockerham (daughter of **Jodi Megaffin Cockerham - 1986**). They were unable to bring home a medal,

but did have a great time representing our school.

The band and vocal students have also been busy. They recently competed in League completion at Concordia. They too will be sending several to participate in the state competition at Hesston College. Those students were Spencer Heise (trumpet solo), Kaelan Cameron (vocal solo), Sydney Liedtke (flute solo) and Jarrett Earl (saxophone solo) and the mixed choir.

The forensic students are finishing up their season. There is a very good chance that several of our students will also qualify for state in that competition. The track & golf seasons are under way. It also looks to be a promising season for each team as many of the above student athletes are also a part of those teams as well.

As you can see, OHS continues to have many outstanding students. They participate in most, if not all of the activities. They continue to strive to be the best they can be in the classroom and during their activities. They represent the school and their parents well. If you see a current student, congratulate them on a great year at OHS and wish them the best of luck on the coming years.

"BACK WHEN" MEMORIES

SHARED BY

DEAN CONN (1932),

DR DAN YUNK (1967),

VALERIE KREFT WERTHMANN (1982), KATIE DELANEY LIX (1997)

Who was your favorite teacher and why?

DEAN CONN (1932) I liked all of my teachers but if I chose one that stood out it would be Miss Emerson. She was a very kind teacher.

DAN YUNK (1967) I was so fortunate to have a number of really good teachers while attending OHS. Of course, Big Dave Johnson was a Hall of Fame football coach and an excellent science teacher. Miss Leaver made history and government come alive for me. Mr Linder was a great music teacher and an even better role model. And finally, Warren Boomer did an amazing job teaching journalism. Obviously, these four individuals made a difference in many students lives.

VALERIE KREFT WERTHMAN (1982) Mr Webb and Larry Anderson were both great teachers.

KATIE DELANEY LIX (1997) Honestly, I really loved all my classes and teachers, I can't even think of a class that I dreaded going to (and I'm not just saying that since I live in Osborne, as do most of my former teachers, LOL!

What is one of your most memorable high school moments?

DEAN CONN (1932) I was not yet in high school but I really enjoyed watching the new high school being built. I would go past the construction site everyday on my way to school. As an 8th grader I helped move the library books from the former high school to the new library in the new high school. A long line was formed and books were passed from one student to another until all the books had been moved. As a freshman, the upper class had "FRESHMAN RECEPTION" at that time the boys were initiated by paddles. All the freshman boys were told to line up in the hallway and run the line. I zigzagged back and forth to avoid the paddle and then I just kept running. I also remember Supt. Mr. Brewster threatening anyone who scuffed the halls or touched the walls of the new high school. We were told we should be proud of our new building.

DAN YUNK (1967) Probably being a starter on two undefeated football teams my junior and senior years.

VALERIE KREFT WERTHMANN (1982) Being stuck in a blizzard in Ellis as a freshman. When we went into the school before the girls B-team basketball it had just started to snow and by the end of the boys B-team game we knew that

we were staying in Ellis. They brought in donuts on snowmobiles for breakfast the next morning and then stuff for sandwiches at noon. We finally got to leave to head home in the afternoon.

KATIE LIX DELANEY (1997) The death of our classmate Jessica Gray was really, really tough. She had such a big kind heart.

What was your mode of transportation to and from high school?

DEAN CONN (1932) I walked to and from school each day. We lived across "the tracks east of town where Star Seed is now located.

DAN YUNK (1967) I lived only a few blocks from school, so I usually walked.

VALERIE KREFT WERTHMANN (1982) I walked alot or caught a ride with Lisa Adams in "old green".

KATIE DELANEY LIX (1997) As an underclassman I took the Portis bus. As an upperclassman I drove several different vehicles...unless it was snowy, or my parents were mad at me, then I would be on the bus.

Who did you look up to as a teenager and why?

DAN YUNK (1967) My parents always were very supportive of me and I worked hard to make them proud. Danny Rice was an upperclassman I admired. He was a leader, a good athlete, a talented musician and a good person.

VALERIE KREFT WERTHMANN (1982) Harold Lund, my grandfather, he was my everything.

One of my biggest supporters and and teacher of life lessons.

KATIE DELANEY LIX (1997) Tom and Dea Jaenson. I got to know them my freshman year when they had Tiago, Class of "1994" foreign exchange student. Both Tom & Dea were very active in our community and didn't know a stranger. When we were seniors they housed another foreign exchange student, Hao, who currently lives in Osborne with her husband, Dan Miner.

What national and/or historical events had an impact on you during high school?

DAN YUNK (1967) I vividly remember sitting in the library on the second floor and Miss Leaver telling us President Kennedy had just been

assassinated in Dallas.

VALERIE KREFT WERTHMANN (1982) The release of the hostages from Iran and the attempted assassination of President Ronald Reagan.

KATIE DELANEY LIX (1997) I remember we watched coverage of the Oklahoma City Bombing on a TV set up in the hallway outside the library.

What do you remember about school lunch?

DEAN CONN (1932) I always brought a sack lunch from home.

DAN YUNK (1967) It was always tasty when I ate school lunch. In high school though I often walked home and ate lunch there.

VALERIE KREFT WERTHMANN (1982) The homemade bread.

KATIE DELANEY LIX (1997) We enjoyed open lunches. Popular

lunch options included walking to the deli at Town and Country or eating the Pizza Hut hot buffet. On the days I'd go home, I remembered to stay out of the way of Allen Herrman, Chris Miner, Jerry Schweitzer and my younger brother Michael as they would travel WAY above the speed limit down west Main Street.

What were you most involved in during school?

DEAN CONN (1932) I did not go out for sports during high school, nor did I belong to clubs. I worked at the grocery store after school and week-ends. I worked any part-time jobs I could work. Besides the grocery store I worked part-time plowing farm ground, worked at a gas station, and a clothing store. Just anywhere as I enjoyed working.

DAN YUNK (1967) Lots! I loved sports, student council, being in the junior and senior plays, participating in our outstanding music programs, and serving as editor of the school newspaper and yearbook.

VALERIE KREFT WERTHMANN (1982) Basketball, volleyball and spending time with my friends.

KATIE DELANEY LIX (1997) I loved cheer-leading. We were not allowed to cheer our freshman year as we had to letter in pep-club before being allowed to try out for the squad. We had 12 members on our squad.

I was not yet in high school but I really enjoyed watching the new high school being built. I would go past the construction site everyday on my way to school.
- Dean Conn (1932)



Class representatives assist in finding alumni and maintaining contact with their class. This list is what is currently on file with the OHS Alumni Association. If you would like to be a class representative or need to make changes to the list, please contact the association at osbornealumni@gmail.com. Classes that are in bold and italics denote honored classes.

1942 – LaVeda Legg Hahn – 415 W. Washington; Osborne, KS 67473

1943 – Awyn Kaser Ayers - 534 W. New Hampshire; Osborne, KS 67473

1944 - Rex Hyde – 317 N. 2nd St.; Osborne, KS 67473 or Everett Waugh – 316 N. Elm; Osborne, KS 67473

1945 –No Class Contact

1946 – No Class Contact

1947 – Vernon Steerman – PO Box 26; Osborne, KS 67473

1948 – Frankie Chandler Lund – 124 N. 4th St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1949 – Bryan Byrd – 312 N. 3rd St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1950 – Don Darnell – 711 County 388 Dr.; Osborne, KS 67473

1951 – Myrna Bader Foster – 807 Apollo Ave.; Osborne, KS 67473

1952 – Farrel Foster - 807 Apollo Ave; Osborne, KS 67473

1953 – Phyllis Lund Kreft – 308 W. Vermont; Osborne, KS 67473

1954 – Iris Foster Hahn – 107 Mercury; Osborne, KS 67473

1955 – Barbara Bliss Wilson – 636 W. Vermont; Osborne, KS 67473

1956 – Rebecca McReynolds Adcock - 642 W. Main St; Osborne, KS 67473

1957 – Elizabeth Riley Pletcher – 23031 240th Rd.; Portis, KS 67474

1958 – Karen Britt Foster – 792 County 671 Ave.; Osborne, KS or Coleene Snyder Conway – 233 S. 7th St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1959 – Ortha Greig Goheen -809 S. 130th Ave.; Osborne, KS 67473

1960 – Judith Moore Tompkins – 635 W. New Hampshire; Osborne, KS 67473 or Alfred Reif – 315 N. Elm St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1961 – Joan Hillman Grieve – 435 N. 3rd St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1962 – Louise Cormack Gantz – 317 S. 3rd St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1963 – Sandy Foster Hudson – 116 N. 3rd St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1964 – Bonnie Wheeler Boxum - 1306 N. Bell St.; Beloit, KS 67420

1965 – Kathy Martin Rush – 750 N. 1st St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1966 – Linda Guyer Rice— delirice@sbcglobal.net—2308 Cheryl Terrace; Manhattan, KS 66502 or Vicki Henderson McRae— veem-crae@earthlink.net—9927 Stonefield Place, San Antonio, TX 78254

1967 – Beverly Roberts – 1911 Glendale Rd., Apt. E; Salina, KS 67401

1968 – Carol Trexler Cooper – 809 Apollo Ave.; Osborne, KS 67473

1969 – Janet Muck – 315 N. 3rd St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1970 – Cheryl Legg Bihlmaier – PO Box 365; Osborne, KS 67473

1971 – Nancy Thompson Metz – 227 W. New Hampshire; Osborne, KS 67473

1972 – Brad Corbett – 810 Telstar Ave.; Osborne, KS or Mary Clark Gashaw – 238 N. 1st St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1973 – Kenny Ubelaker – 117 S. 8th St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1974 – Shelley Conway Roach – 2550 W. 70th; Alton, KS 67623

1975 – Brenda Adams Henke – 1771 Conway 388 Dr.; Osborne, KS 67473

1976 – Bo French—118 S. 9th St, Osborne, KS 67473

1977 – Tammy Strahm Spears – 924 S. US Hwy 281; Osborne, KS 67473

1978 – Ginger Kreft DeBey- Rt. 2 Box 24B; Cawker City, KS 67430

1979 – Marsha Henke LaRosh – 2097 W. 100th Dr.; Osborne, KS 67473

1980 – Lisa Mayers Spears – 918 W. New Hampshire; Osborne, KS 67473

1981 – Kayla Moore Brummer – 318 W. 120th Dr.; Downs, KS 67437

1982 – Valerie Kreft Werthmann – 326 W. Main St.; Osborne, KS 677473

1983 – Shan Lomax Holloway – 325 N. 1st St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1984 – Michele Foster Watkins – 524 W. Main St.; Osborne, KS 67473 or Julee Trexler LeRock – 535 N. 2nd St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1985 – Milton Carlin – 116 N. 5th St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1986 – Jodi Megaffin Cockerham – 525 County 388 Dr.; Osborne, KS 67473

1987 – April Anderson Cameron – 213 N. Locust; Osborne, KS 67473

1988 – No Class Contact

1989 – Traci Raab Wolters – 217 W. New Hampshire; Osborne, KS 67473

1990 – Raegan Schurr – 23805 W. 57th Terr.; Shawnee, KS 66226

1991 – Lisa Wilkens Eisenminger – 1315 Washington Cir; Hays, KS 67601

1992 – Shari Wolters Brown – 130 Van Buren St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1993 – Amy Geist Houghton Chapman – 100 N. Douglas, Salina, KS 67401

1994 – Geri Thibault Beatty – gbeatty@usd264.org

1995 – Kelli Cooper Wolters – 122 S. 11th St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1996 – Becky Snook Schaefer – 121 N. 5th St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1997 – Rebecca Hahn McNeal – 323 N. 1st St.; Osborne, KS 67473

1998 – Craig Poore – 2763 W. 50th Dr.; Alton, KS 67623

1999 – Janie Sigle Dunstan – 317 E. Randolph St.; Randolph, KS 66554

2000 – Andrea Thibault Strecker – 907 Cedars Dr., McPherson, KS 67460 or Malea Henke Zeller – 8205 N. 182nd Rd.; Mayetta, KS 66509

2001 – Amanda Smith Mans – 859 S. 130th Ave.; Osborne, KS 67473

2002 – Stefanie Schurr Morris – 2311 Butternut Lane; Manhattan, KS 66502

2003 – Heather Rohr Betzold – 134 S. Oak St.; Osborne, KS 67473

2004 – Bethany Johnston Herrman – 333 N. 3rd St.; Osborne, KS 67473

2005 – Jenny Schurr Wolters – 75 S. 105th Ave.; Portis, KS 67474

2006 – Samantha St. Clair Gasper – 526 100th Rd; Tipton, KS 67485

2007 – Andrea Koops Schurr – 419 N. 1st St.; Osborne, KS 67473

2008 – Maria Hyde Kuhlmann – 131 W. New Hampshire; Osborne, KS 67473

2009 – Rikki Lundy Oliver – 411 3rd St.; Alton, KS 67623

2010 – Taylor Thibault – 840 S. 150th Ave.; Osborne, KS 67473

2011 – Jerilee Cameron – 213 N. Locust St.; Osborne, KS 67473

2012 – Jamie Cockerham – 525 Co. 388 Dr.; Osborne, KS 67473

2013 – Jenna Dibble – 1155 Union Circle #306196; Denton, TX 76203

In Loving Memory

- 1936 Henry Hoffman
- 1938 Neil McDanel
- 1939 Isabel Baumgartner Hogan
- 1942 Joe Seaman
- 1943 Pauline Anderson Delaney
- 1943 J. G. Wade
- 1945 Carolyn Gregory Perkins
- 1945 Doris Robinson Compton
- 1947 Alvina Roenne Bullock
- 1947 Eugene Thornburg
- 1950 Betty Miller Murphy
- 1950 Dick Schreiber
- 1951 Doris Hackerott Greig
- 1951 James Hlad
- 1951 Wendal VanScyoc
- 1954 Elizabeth Reif Yarnell
- 1957 Robert Hirst
- 1957 Jack Pinnick
- 1961 Gerald Alflen
- 1962 Dean Greig
- 1965 Gary Corwin
- 1967 Stephen Cunningham
- 1967 Robert Storer
- 1971 Bobbi French Jarret
- 1972 Cindy Coop Clausen
- 1973 Randy Hale

Wedded Bliss

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Births