

## CLASS REPRESENTATIVES

1930	Sara Haas Tillett	1974	John Clutcher
1931	Mildred Bixler Sharp		Mary Anne Pitorak Miller
1932	Open	1975	Jamie Hoffman Bordell
1933	Reba Hirsch		Anna Marie Poplaskie Reidinger
1934	Dorothy Albright Moser		Susan Kropinski Haas
1935	Geraldine Keating McFalls	1976	Kathi Weaver Christ
	Philathea Faust Welker		Cheryl Thomas Sherman
1936	Kimber Savidge	1977	Judy Milbrand Reed
1937	Louise Kline Hubler		Elizabeth Donmoyer Richie
1938	Open	1978	Jeffrey Clutcher
1939	William Frederick		Paul Zupicick
1940	Mae Paul Christ	1979	Diana Venn Ginitz
1941	Allen S. Grow, Jr.		Nicholas Keiser
	Betty Edwards	1980	Edward Griffith
1942	Irvin Liachowitz		Brenda Piechowski Messner
	Shirley Schrader Pavelko	1981	Linda Hughes Santos
1943	Helen Jane Murphy		Linda Henninger Long
	Lewis F. Gaydon	1982	Stacy Munson Derck
1944	Dorothy Zebrowski Goodman	1983	Janice Olcese Miner
	Miriam Thomas Startzel		Maxine Howerter Harvey
1945	Alma Boyer Carl	1984	Ann Nowaskie
1946	Frederick F. Reed	1985	Jennifer Erdman Woland
	Lorraine Wetzel Strausser	1986	William J. Woland
1947	Shirley Edwards Hughes	1987	Edward Smink
	Richard Weimer		Kristie Strunk Bogush
1948	David Donmoyer	1988	Tracey Bamford Bixler
1949	Particia Hoy Engle	1989	Lori Pultynovich
	Bert L. Klinger	1990	Sharleen G. Peralta
1950	Michael Muskey		Ryan Quinn
	Joan Wallish Muskey	1991	Raymond General
1951	Shirley Fisher Jackson	1992	Carolyn Kearney
	Nancy Updegrove Price		Greg Slodysko
1952	Barbara Hoy Kessler	1993	Kimberly Stoud Roadarmel
	Joan Rhoades Donmoyer		Stacy Gubernert Erdman
1953	John Schankweiler	1994	Heather Cook
1954	Patricia Johnson Klemick		Judy Golda
1955	Nancy Schrawder Booth	1995	Tracy Delong
	Herbert Dressler	1996	Nicole Miller Kodack
1956	James Krebs		Heather Sherman
	Carol Culton	1997	Dorothy Brown
1957	Linda Romanoski Latshaw		Karena Kodack Weikel
	Kay Barr Berry	1998	Ryan Pensyl
1958	Raymond G. Splane		Kathryn Schu
1959	Ronald L. Chamberlain		Amanda Keefer Prusch
	Joan Fauland Eltringham	1999	Jolene Kazlauskas
1960	Linda Musser Knopp		Kristy Welsh Renn
	Harvey Buriak	2000	Daniel Jones, Jr.
1961	Betty Adams Scott		Jessica Jeremiah Amato
1962	William Karpinski	2001	Laura Schrader
	Barry Buriak		Joseph Knapick
1963	Carol Swatt Dudinskie	2002	Stephanie Pavelko
	Frances Lee Brennan		Samantha Rarick
1964	Gail Delbaugh Mench	2003	Lauren Graboski
1965	Jean Derk Shaffer		Matthew Filarski
	Marily Edmunds Stasney	2004	Amber Tomcavage
1966	Wanda Klase Baumgartner		Mallory Szymanski
1967	Ned Sodrick	2005	Ashley Hubler
1968	Bonnie Ensinger Klinger		Kurt Troxell
	Bob Mattis	2006	Zachary Houser
1969	Particia Yeager Kopenhaver		Steve Gallie, Jr.
	Kenneth Gaydon		Nathan Schwalm, III
1970	Charmaine Hoffa Smith	2007	Sarah Martin
	Susan Shuey		Tony Wondoloski
1971	Donald Blessing	2008	Laura Thew
	Sandra Parks Davis		Jessica Yost
1972	Violet Greco Schuck		
	Holly Woland Helterbrand		
	Wayne Grow, Jr.		
1973	Kathleen Faust Jeremiah		

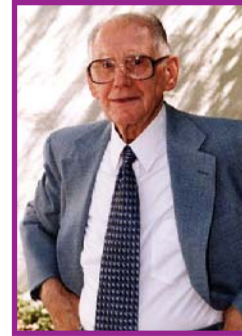
## IN MEMORIAM

### George J. Edwards, Sr.

(April 16, 1919 - March 7, 2009)

#### 1964 Alumni President

School District Business Manager  
School District Acting Superintendent  
Northumberland County Chief Clerk  
Official for First "Big 33" game  
Dedicated community member  
U.S. Army Veteran  
Member of the Class of 1938

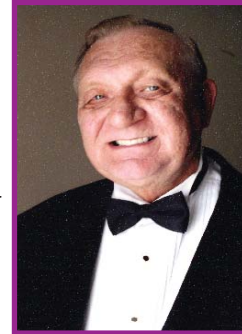


### Harry A. Strausser, Jr.

(August 12, 1936 - January 7, 2009)

#### 1978 Alumni President

Founder of Action Management, Inc.  
President & CEO of Action Management  
Recognized authority in the credit industry  
Award winner in the credit industry  
Trade organization board member  
U.S. Navy Veteran  
Member of the Class of 1954



## ALMA MATER

Alma Mater Dear,  
we sing to you  
With devotion deep and true,  
Your colors bright -  
The Purple and White,  
Will stir our hearts anew  
Shamokin Area High School  
We give thanks  
and honor due  
Though changes come  
as time rolls on,  
We'll always be loyal and true.

Words and Music -  
L. Pearl Seiler 1907

THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION  
OFFICIAL HOME WEB PAGE

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# 126<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL REUNION

## SHAMOKIN AREA HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

### SATURDAY, MAY 23, 2009

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

#### Welcome to the 126<sup>th</sup> Shamokin Area High School Reunion

Welcome friends. The officers, committee members and I are pleased that you are able to join us this evening. We hope that you take this opportunity to enjoy the company of your fellow Shamokin Area High School Alumni. The committees have worked hard to make this an enjoyable evening for our more senior alumni, our newest members, and the many family and friends who join us. Please take an opportunity to thank those who work so diligently to keep this organization vibrant and promise to make this evening enjoyable.



Serving as president of this association has been a richly rewarding experience and has given me a greater appreciation of the tremendous efforts involved in keeping this organization strong. As with any volunteer organization, there are never too many volunteers. Please consider becoming more active in YOUR Shamokin Area High School Alumni Association.

We are proud to welcome the Class of 2009 to the Alumni Association. Class of 2009, tonight you become part of this great organization. The efforts of countless individuals, for over one hundred years, enable you to become part of the oldest active alumni association in America. We hope you reflect fondly on your education and hope you share your talents with your alumni association.

Please relax and enjoy the company of old friends, take a moment to make a new friend. Safe travels to you as you leave this evening.

Best wishes,

Susan Salvatore Reed  
President  
SAHS Alumni Association  
Class of 1978



## PROGRAM

INVOCATION.....Pastor Beverly Petrovich

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND  
“GOD BLESS AMERICA” ..... Irvin Liachowitz ’42  
*Accompanist*

BANQUET INTRODUCTION..... Susan Salvatore Reed ’78  
*President*

OFFICERS AND GUESTS  
BUSINESS MEETING..... Susan Salvatore Reed ’78  
*President*

SILENT PRAYER ..... In Memory of Deceased Members

SECRETARY’S REPORT ..... Mrs. Doreen Weaver Choffel ’77

TREASURER’S REPORT ..... William Korbich ’54

PRESENTATION OF THE 2009 CLASS ..... Susan Salvatore Reed ’78  
*President*

PRESENTATION OF  
THE 2009 CLASS PENNANT.....Courtney Conrad  
*Senior Class President*

ENTERTAINMENT BY  
SHAMOKIN AREA HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ..... Rebecca Brandt  
*Director*

PRIZE DRAWINGS .....Program Committee

RECOGNITION OF  
THE ANNIVERSARY CLASSES..... James Backes ’80  
*Vice President*

1939 Class    1944 Class    1949 Class    1954 Class    1964 Class  
1969 Class    1974 Class    1979 Class    1989 Class  
1994 Class    1999 Class    2004 Class

Silver Anniversary Class 1984  
Golden Anniversary Class 1959  
Diamond Anniversary Class 1934

Presentation of Gifts to the Golden Anniversary Class  
from the S.A.H.S. Alumni Association

DISTANCE AWARD..... James Backes ’80  
*Vice President*

S.A.H.S. ALUMNI ASSOCIATION AND COAL TOWNSHIP  
ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS .....Irvin Liachowitz ’42

PRINCIPAL’S REPORT ..... Chris J. Venna  
*Principal*

RATIFICATION OF 3 DIRECTORS TO THE  
EDUCATION (SCHOLARSHIP) COMMITTEE

RATIFICATION OF OFFICERS .. Nominated by the Executive Committee

INTRODUCTION OF  
PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT ..... Susan Salvatore Reed ’78  
*President*

ALMA MATER.....Senior Class

BENEDICTION .....Pastor Beverly Petrovich

AFTER GLOW .....Refreshments with Music  
by the Vic Boris Trio

## ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

Susan Salvatore Reed ’78 .....*President*    William Korbich ’54.....*Treasurer*

James Backes ’80 ..... *Vice President*    Jeffrey Clutcher ’78 .....*Registrar*

Dorene Weaver Choffel ’77 .....*Secretary*    Helen Jane Murphy ’43..... *Historian*

## COMMITTEES

### **PUBLICITY**

Robert Wheary

### **AUDITING**

James Booth

Joan Fauland Eltringham

### **NOMINATING**

John Clutcher

John Klinger

Shirley Fisher Jackson

Susan Kropinski Haas

### **EDUCATION FUND**

John Schankweiler, President

Frederick F. Reed, Vice President

Frances Brennan, Secretary

William Korbich, Treasurer

James Booth

Tom Olcese

David B. Marateck

Irvin Liachowitz

Myron Moskowitz

H. Robert Mattis, Jr.

Ronald Chamberlain

Joan Fauland Eltringham

David Donmoyer

Eugene Boughner

Susan Kropinski Hass

### **PROGRAM**

Mary Anne Pitorak Miller

John Schankweiler

### **MEMORABILIA**

Jeffrey Clutcher

Shirley Edwards Hughes

### **CLASS REPRESENTATIVES**

Jeffrey Clutcher

### **AFTER GLOW**

Dorothy Zebrowski Goodman

### **ENTERTAINMENT**

Irvin Liachowitz

### **BANQUET**

Rob Ensinger, Co-Chair

John Klinger, Co-Chair

William Korbich

Jeffrey Clutcher

Richard Eltringham

Joan Eltringham

Walter Fidler

Dorothy Zebrowski Goodman

Helen Jane Murphy

Karen Wilk Colangelo

### **BY-LAWS**

H. Robert Mattis, Chair

Edward V. Twigg II

Mary Maue Hack

### **INVITATION**

Sheila Masinos Pavelko

Jeffrey Clutcher

William Korbich

### **WEBSITE COMMITTEE**

John Clutcher, Chair

Bruce Clutcher

Jeff Schlader

Tim Latshaw

### **AWARDS COMMITTEE**

William Korbich

Eugene Boughner

Myron Moskowitz

Jeff Schlader

## ADMINISTRATORS

James A. Zack ’81, *Superintendent*    William Callahan, *Assistant Principal*

Chris J. Venna, *Principal*    Anthony Carnuccio ’93,  
*Dean of Students / Assistant to the Principal*

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Charles L. Carpenter ’62, *President*    LaRue E. Beck ’46, *Member*

Todd L. Hockenbroch ’76, *Vice President*    Edward M. Griffiths ’80, *Member*

Robert C. Getchey ’71, *Secretary*    Barry B. Rebeck ’90, *Member*

Tracey Witmer ’84, *Treasurer*    Daniel K. Venn ’68, *Member*

Mark Anonia, *Member*    James A. Zurick, *Solicitor*

## NECROLOGY

1923	Clara L. Yordy Blanksby	1946	John H. Kerstetter
1924	Dorothy Meek Long		David H. Milbrand
	Margaret P. Scicchitano		Vera Slashinski Hill
1928	Marion Reed Eberhart		Faye N. Venn Heath
1930	Gertrude E. Berger Wilson	1947	Marie N. Kaskie
	Amelia H. Kulanda Campbell		William A. Clark
1931	L. Ward Lichtel		Erma L. Hawk Krayniak
	Verda Morlock Boyer		Dr. Charles G. Steck
1932	Ruth P. Martz Reeser		William C. Brien
	Dorothy M. Trutt Williams		Shirley M. Seiler Kanasky
	Mary Zimmerman Derk	1948	Mary H. Malafi Baldwin
1933	Mary Hleva Haleman		Betty L. Martin Brown
	Anna Woytovich Senghas		John R. Steele, Jr.
1934	F. Annetta Haupt		Mary J. Strohecker Crawford
	Flora M. Kroh Borgiet		Elizabeth J. Woolcock Meiser
	Hudson A. Thomas	1949	Joseph A. Scovack, Jr.
1935	Pearl E. Baily Weikel		Grace I. Wiest Lanxner
	Elizabeth E. Fausold Akenhead	1950	Flora J. Kissinger Buckalew
	Stephania Novack Geist	1951	Constance E. Carsto Greco
	Sara A. Nye Surak		Mona G. Rebeck Kimsel
	Elizabeth G. Ryan		Mary F. Weslowski Sopp
	Pauline B. Edwards Hull		Rev. Robert F. Zanker
1936	William E. Fausold	1952	David L. Gruneberg
	William F. Kanasky		Nancy M. Hertzog Schankweiler
	Helene Nesterick Kruczynski		Doris M. Ambicki Stark
	Mary L. Strembo Kurtz		Kenneth C. Snyder
	Vincent A. Vedral, Jr.		Albert F. Zaremba
	Reynold R. Weise	1954	Myra L. Clark Reitz
	Ruth Smigelsky Aronld		Harry A. Strausser, Jr.
	Glenn L. Weikel		Lester E. Varano
1937	John E. Bower, Jr.		Robert S. Zarick
	Robert B. MacIndoe, Jr.	1955	Bernard J. Danglovitch
	William F. Crowl		Phyllis J. Luckens Lowe
	Margaret L. Zuern Crone	1956	James V. Erdman
1938	Harriet E. Evans Musser		Audrey L. Karns Shaffer
	Marian M. Jones Mattern	1957	Marlin E. Koons
	William L. Rickert	1958	Raymond C. Helt
	Donald W. Sarge		Alex Simcizen
	William F. Sherry, Sr.	1959	Elizabeth L. Shaw Boyer
	Edythe A. Smigel Sukoff	1960	Mary N. Neil Yacka
	L. Robert Startzel		Kathie L. Romanoski
	Olga Worhacz	1961	Alex D. Markle, Jr.
	George J. Edwards, Sr.	1965	Pauline Labosky Splitt
1939	Irene D. Drust Snyder		Clayton N. Stehr
	E. Lucille Snyder Vedral		Hanna R. Zimmerman Marshall
	Robert A. Macalady	1967	Kenneth A. Koharski
	Ruth A. Rummel Knarr		Joyce M. Reitz McCliment
	Vernon A. Whitmer		Willaim G. Snyder
1940	Catherine M. Foley Somerday		Anna L. Himmelreich Gibbs
	Annie L. Madara Dietz		William J. Willis
1941	Bernard A. Grego	1968	Erin I. Chladek
	Alan G. Hack, Jr.		John R. Luberecki
1942	Robert M. Auman	1969	Sandra M. Krushinskie Boyle
	Frank T. Gearhart		Maryanne L. Schicatano
	Frank L. Marhefka	1970	Belinda B. Burd Samp
	G. Reynolds Marquette	1971	James R. Jeremiah
	Panthea C. Smith Walburn	1972	Sharon L. Albright Hertzog
	Jean L. Bendel Brown		Marlin T. Bellis, Jr.
	Louise R. Eveland Boos		Karen M. Startzel Merchlinski
1943	Frank S. Dilliplane		Pattiann Tuckett Catizone
	Lucille N. Derrick Dent		David W. Murphy
	Conrad R. Graeber, Jr.	1975	Daniel L. Spotts
	Anne A. Poliniak Novack		Mark A. Buscavage
	Dr. Daniel S. Rowe	1976	Armond L. Pallash
	Donald A. Bixler	1977	Anthony J. Evans
	James B. MacFee		Gerald G. Hughes, Jr.
	Mildred Worhacz	1978	Ronald G. Denmark
1944	Birute A. Bozis Yancheski	1980	Robert G. Carey
	Paul R. Jones, Jr.		John A. Witkowski
	Haroldene J. Miller Malick	1981	Christopher Sockloski
	Boyd J. Reed	1995	Ivy L. Stearns, Jr.
	Clara L. Rhiel Bahner	1999	Nicole A. Bramhall Sheriff
	Doris L. Walsh Elliott		Carl J. Korbich
	Antoinette A. Druzd		
1945	June B. Conrad Kerstetter		
	Kenneth S. Crowl		
	Laura A.L. Jenkyn Barni		
	George J. Mattis, Jr.		
	Charles W. Troxell, Jr.		