



John C. Moore, 90, of Mishawaka passed away on April 11, 2021. Born in South Bend on November 4, 1930 to the late John and Marie (Bauerlein) Moore, the family settled in Mishawaka where John lived all of his life.

John was a man of the people. Wherever he went, he made friends or met someone to have a conversation with. He devoted much of his time and energy to his beloved Mishawaka, where in recent years he enjoyed sharing memories of his childhood, adolescent adventures, and many misdeeds over drives along Lincoln Way from the East End.

John was a star athlete in his youth, which inspired a lifelong love of sports. He attended the University of Arizona on an athletic scholarship before being drafted into the Army in 1950. In 1951, while stationed in Aberdeen, Maryland, he married his high school sweetheart Jean Anne Rodgers.

After basic training, John shipped to Korea where he proudly served his country for 18 months. His first daughter, Rebecca, was born in 1952 during his service. A second daughter, Kathryn, followed in 1955.

After returning home from the war, John had a successful career as a sales manager. He participated in fast pitch softball for many years and later led the Wagner Steel team to a state championship.

John was a long-suffering Cubs fan and proud New York Yankees fan. He and Jean Anne were Notre Dame ticket holders for thirty years and spent many wonderful Saturday afternoons tailgating with good friends and family.

Passionate supporters of the Special Olympics of St. Joseph County, for nearly 20 years John and Jean Anne could be found at track meets as timers or judges at local, regional, and state meets. John later served on the Board of Directors. He began donating blood in the late 1940s and remained a passionate blood and platelet donor for the rest of his life.

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Notes From The Editor

We are all very excited for our July 6th get together. It's been way to long! I am always looking for stories, updates and new information on everyone. Please email, phone or write me if you would like to see something in the newsletter.

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John Moore *cont'd*

John was a member of the BK Club, the DeAmici's Club, DeLorito Club, and Club 15. He was a founding member and director of the Mishawaka High School Alumni Association, which grew from 13 members to over 3,000 members in all 50 states and seven foreign countries under his leadership. John was inducted into the Mishawaka High School Athletic Hall of Fame and was awarded the first Mishawaka Education Foundation Growing the Future Award in 2005.

In 2013, John and Jean Anne moved to the Sanctuary at St. Paul's in South Bend, where they participated in the bell choir, joined the welcoming committee, played bridge and euchre, and visited with old and new friends. John is survived by his daughter, Rebecca M. Strickland and son-in-law Kevin J. McDevitt. Also surviving are five grandchildren: Briana Jean (McDevitt) Wojciechowski and her husband James, Elizabeth Marie Strickland and her husband Cristiano Vendrame, Cara Rose (McDevitt) Murphy and her husband Brian, Shannon Moore McDevitt, and Connor Daniel McDevitt. He was a proud great-grandfather of four. John is preceded in death by his wife Jean Anne, daughter Kathryn A. McDevitt, son-in-law Terry K. Strickland and sister, Rosemarie Lindahl.

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2021 50/50 Raffle
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- Complete by clearly printing name, address, phone number and email. Submit with payment for entry in the 2021 50/50 Raffle. This is your entry, which is used in the drawing. You will not receive a ticket.
- Prize will be awarded on October 2, 2021 to the name listed on the entry.

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2021 50/50 Raffle

Return this portion with payment

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Name _____

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Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

The winner will be notified immediately after drawing. Raffle entry price: \$10 each. Make checks payable to Mishawaka Education Foundation. See official rules at www.MishawakaEdu.org. Return coupon along with payment to MEF, PO Box 1593, Mishawaka, IN 46544.

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CLASS RING STORIES

In Memory

Edwin S Addison

03-05-32 to 11-15-20
Class of 1950

Edgar Allen

10-22-27 to 12-02-20
Class of 1946

Richardson Anderson

11-06-40 to 12-01-20
Class of 1958

Michael W Barnette Jr

07-31-72 to 10-27-20
Class of 1990

Burneal Barrett

02-03-43 to 11-10-20
Class of 1962

Ralph Bartels Jr

09-29-32 to 10-26-20
Class of 1952

**Christine Ann (Allen)
Baucher**

03-26-62 to 12-07-20
Class of 1980

**Rosella (DeMeyer)
Bentley**

08-24-40 to 10-19-20
Class of 1959

Eugene Bianco

04-26-38 to 10-26-20
Class of 1956

**Betty R(Goddard)
Bobson**

12-17-25 to 10-25-20
Class of 1943

Michael Boehnlein

05-27-51 to 10-11-20
Class of 1969

Ricky Lee Bogaert

04-06-56 to 10-21-20
Class of 1974

Raymond Bolin

01-05-36 to 05-18-17
Class of 1954

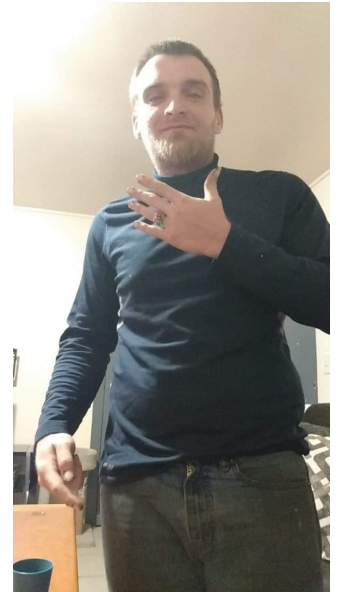
**Sheri Lyn (Wieczorek)
Boren**

02-04-68 to 12-21-20
Class of 1986

**Barbara (Miller)
Bradley**

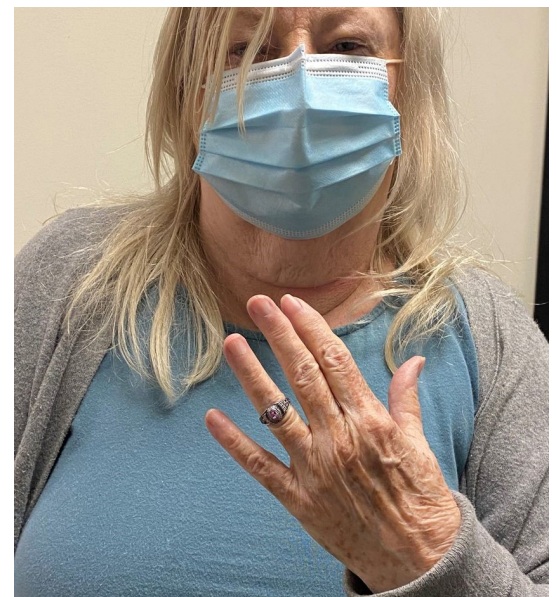
08-13-36 to 12-27-20
Class of 1954

Meet Nathaniel Mark, class of 2009, happily showing off his lost class ring that I was able to return to him. Nathan last remembers taking his ring off and putting it in his backpack to play basketball at Merrifield Park during Summerfest 2009. Next thing he knew, his backpack was gone, along with his ring. So glad that I was able to give it back to him after all these years.



I had the pleasure of meeting Geof Shearer 90' and returning his class ring to him after being lost for 20+ years. He thinks that it may have been left in a home he was living in at the time but wasn't really sure. He was just glad to get it back after all these years.

Another lost class ring was successfully returned to its rightful owner. Nicole Garcia, class of 2000. Nicole was unable to meet me in person so instead her lovely mother came to retrieve the ring for her. Nicole said that the last time she saw her ring was at Cross Country practice her senior year. She put her ring on the top shelf of her practice locker and when she returned from practice, the ring was gone. So glad I was able to return it to her!



REUNIONS

Roger D Bruegel
08-05-39 to 11-26-20
Class of 1958

**Jeanne Ann (Forte)
Burke**
06-20-37 to 10-14-20
Class of 1955

**Margaret Adelaide (Arata)
Caleal**
08-07-19 to 12-11-20
Class of 1937

David D Coffman
09-18-27 to 10-17-20
Class of 1947

Walter R Collins
09-18-47 to 11-28-20
Class of 1967

Jack Nelson Comer
03-08-54 to 12-29-20
Class of 1972

**Shirley Ann (Mumby)
Cook**
09-05-30 to 12-07-20
Class of 1948

**Nancy L (Taylor)
Cranmer**
09-13-46 to 12-02-20
Class of 1965

James Cripe
08-27-31 to 12-04-20
Class of 1950

Richard C Crothers
03-13-38 to 12-28-20
Class of 1957

Jack D Davis
09-14-33 to 10-18-20
Class of 1951

Richard "Dick" Dentino
11-03-44 to 12-11-20
Class of 1961

**Karen A (Yoder)
Dermody**
03-02-35 to 11-24-20
Class of 1953

**Loretta R (Dooms)
DeWitte**
12-17-24 to 10-12-20
Class of 1943

**Madeline J (Hortsman)
Dulmatch**
01-22-30 to 11-16-20
Class of 1948

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HEY CAVEMEN CLASS OF 2011!

SAVE THE DATE FOR OUR TEN YEAR REUNION

June 19, 2021 | 6:00 PM
Wings Etc. Beach Club
11480 McKinley Hwy | Osceola, IN 46561

MORE INFORMATION TO COME. CURRENT COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS WILL BE FOLLOWED.



MISHAWAKA HIGH SCHOOL

Class of 1971

50th Class Reunion

Saturday June 26, 2021

Chicory Event Center
114 W. First Street
Mishawaka IN 46544

Cocktails 6:00 cash bar

Polish-style Dinner \$40.00pp

Make checks payable to
MHS Class of 71
Payment by June 1st please

Karen Baldini
1406 Margaret Ave
Mishawaka, IN 46545

**Gladys (Rench)
Fozo**

08-25-25 to 11-23-20
Class of 1943

**Carol (Whitlock)
Freeman**

06-23-43 to 05-25-13
Class of 1961

**Carolyn S (Fisher)
Friedman**

04-17-43 to 10-15-20
Class to 1962

Jimmy Allen Gosa
02-21-37 to 11-19-20
Class of 1955

Lea (Hurst) Graham
04-24-40 to 12-24-20
Class of 1958

**Mary A (Wullaert)
Grohans**
12-06-43 to 12-19-20
Class of 1961

Arthur E Hartzog
10-26-38 to 10-14-20
Class of 1956

**Sally A (Magers)
Heick**
04-08-48 to 12-17-20
Class of 1966

**Rose (Springer)
Hopkins**
11-25-43 to 12-29-20
Class of 1962

Joseph F Hunsberger
11-13-39 to 11-16-20
Class of 1958

**Mary H (Weinland)
Jones**
03-05-18 to 10-23-20
Class of 1936

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Local News

Patricia R Kater
12-06-34 to 2-23-20
Class of 1953

**Mary A (Lowman)
Keb**
11-12-31 to 10-13-20
Class of 1949

Eldon G Kronewitter
02-07-29 to 10-01-20
Class of 1946

Donald R LaPlace
03-11-64 to 11-16-20
Class of 1983

Robert J LeVeque
04-18-39 to 10-01-20
Class of 1958

Marie E Macri
09-25-41 to 11-16-20
Class of 1959

**Linda I (Nielsen)
McGovern**
04-15-56 to 10-22-20
Class of 1974

William G Mellen Sr
04-15-44 to 12-23-20
Class of 1962

James W Metzner
08-04-35 to 11-15-20
Class of 1954

James A Miller
10-07-32 to 12-03-20
Class of 1951

**Mary G (Trimboli)
Miller**
06-22-28 to 12-06-20
Class of 1946

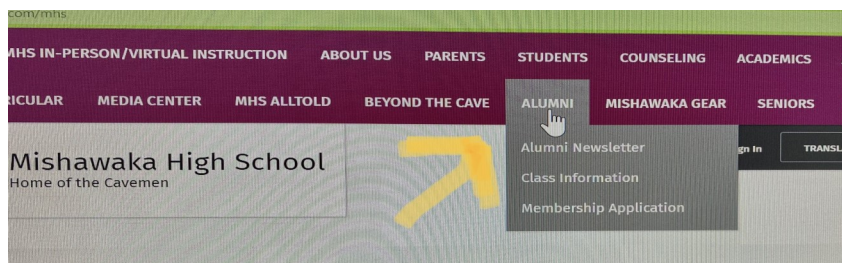
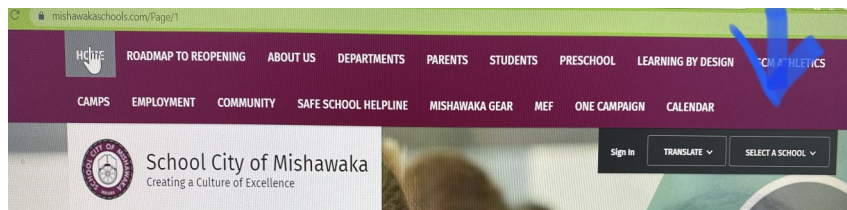
**Bonnie A (Fish)
Minder**
08-10-40 to 12-01-20
Class of 1958

Update: In the February newsletter, there was a brief news bit on Jim Sirok 64' beginning his 2,650 mile hike along the Pacific Crest Trail . I have been following him on his YouTube channel and as of his last post dated May 6, he had already covered 134.8 miles. It's quite the trip that he's undertaken and recommend that you check him out to see exactly how he's doing. Go to <http://youtu.be/qvYLR1DKO9w>.

A retraction is needed from the February issue where Doris (Teegarden) Clark 45' was listed in the In Memory column. I am happy to report that Doris is alive and well. Sincere apologies to Doris for the error and the many phone calls she received regarding this shocking news.

Congratulations to seniors Cameron Lidgard and Skylar Milewski for being awarded the Mishawaka High School Alumni Association Scholarships.

The MHSAA has a page on the Mishawaka High School website. Go to Mishawakaschools.com, choose Mishawaka High School, once there choose Alumni. There you will be able to look at past newsletters, and find the most current Membership Application. The Class Information will show buttons with class years on them. Those are classes that have Facebook pages. Click on the button and it connects to the class Facebook page where you can be kept up to date on the most current information. If you're class had a facebook page and it's not listed here, please let me know and I will add it.



Just a reminder, that all current memberships are good until December 31, 2021. We will send out new/renewal applications at the end of this year. Please do not send money for renewal at this time. You can contact Sandy Mikesell or myself with any questions.

**Laura A (McLeod)
Myers**
01-04-47 to 11-10-20
Class of 1964

**Verleen (Hedman)
Obren**
07-06-34 to 10-03-20
Class of 1952

Loren F Palmer
11-12-30 to 11-17-20
Class of 1950

**Gabrielle H (DeGeyter)
Poikus**
02-23-24 to 10-08-20
Class of 1943

Robert D Richter
01-27-52 to 11-28-20
Class of 1972

**Martha A (Sipe)
Stalcup**
10-06-38 to 10-03-20
Class of 1957

Jay "Pete" Stebbins
06-22-27 to 11-07-20
Class of 1945

Cheryl (Hodges) Stillson
05-09-44 to 11-10-20
Class of 1962

Charles Strantz
06-21-52 to 11-01-20
Class of 1971

Jon L Swanson
10-10-35 to 11-07-20
Class of 1963

Dominic Trimboli
02-07-25 to 11-25-20
Class of 1943

Joseph Zappia
02-24-28 to 10-06-20
Class of 1947



Luncheon Information

Ball Band Biergarten

12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 6, 2021

The words everyone has wanted to hear!!! We are going to do something different for our first time back together. We are going to meet at the Ball Band Biergarten at Beutter Park. It is an outdoor setting so this will help with those who may not have been vaccinated yet. This is very informal and relaxed. No entertainment just a lot of catching up with what has gone on with each other over the past year. Lunch will not be served but instead, it's picnic style! Bring your own sack lunch & drink, carry out food, OR Chicory Café is offering us a box meal. It will include any sandwich on the menu, chips, cutie orange and a cookie for \$10.25. If you would like to order a box lunch (see menu below), **please call me (574-254-4523) with your order by Monday June 28.**

Looking forward to seeing everyone there!

<i>Sandwiches</i>	
Mediterranean Veggie	6.75
<i>Cajun hummus, cucumber, tomato, spring mix, red onion, and mozzarella with balsamic vinaigrette on a wheat roll</i>	
Turkey Supreme	6.75
<i>Turkey, cheddar, spring mix, tomato, shaved red onion, cucumber, and honey mustard on a wheat roll</i>	
Double Ham and Swiss	6.75
<i>Honey glazed ham, spicy capocollo, Swiss, lettuce, tomato, and mayo on French. Served warm.</i>	
Italiano	6.75
<i>Ham, salami, spicy capocollo, mozzarella, lettuce, tomato, and balsamic vinaigrette on French. Served warm.</i>	
Caprese	6
<i>Tomato, fresh basil, fresh mozzarella, and balsamic vinaigrette on French</i>	
Creole Club	6.75
<i>Turkey, cheddar, bacon, lettuce, tomato, and creole mustard on French</i>	
Classic Veggie	5.50
<i>Spring mix, sliced tomato, and olive salad or Cajun hummus (or both) on toasted French bread.</i>	
Grilled Caprese	6.75
<i>Mozzarella, muenster, tomato, basil, and honey grilled on sliced whole grain bread</i>	
Triple Grilled Cheese	6.75
<i>Muenster, gouda, pepper jack and dill pickles grilled on sliced whole grain bread</i>	
Cubano	7.75
<i>Marinated pulled pork, ham, Swiss, yellow mustard, and dill pickles grilled on French. Served warm.</i>	

Prom Dress Sale

We were graciously bestowed 300 brand new, tag still on, prom dresses from Macy's Department Store in University Park Mall. We offered these to our MHS students for \$20. There were so many different styles in all sizes ranging from 0 to 24w. Umeki Williams, a teacher from MHS, who is also an independent costume jewelry salesperson, was gracious enough to come and sell to the students to complete their ensemble. Her prices were very affordable for the students and with every \$5 purchase they received a free pair of earrings.

There are plenty of dresses still left, which gives us the opportunity to offer these dresses again in the winter for the Winter Dance.

It was a lot of fun helping the students pick out just the right dress and am looking forward to doing it again in the winter.



MHS Alumni July Financial Report

Beginning balance as of June 30, 2020		\$ 38,011.28
Expenses:		
Designation error	<u>50.00</u>	<u>50.00</u>
	\$ 50.00	\$ 37,961.28
Income:		
Interest	3.22	
Membership/Donations	<u>45.00</u>	
	\$ 48.22	\$ 38,009.50
Ending Balance as of July 31, 2020		\$38,009.50

Class Rings

I have acquired a collection of lost class rings that has been growing and growing over the years and I have recently stumbled across a Facebook page, ***Class Rings Lost & Found***, dedicated to lost class rings. I've posted a few of the rings on this page as well as on the ***MHS Cavemen Alumni*** Facebook page. If you have lost your ring or found a ring, please contact:

mhs-alumni@mishawaka.k12.in.us.
I currently have:
B=boy G=girl
1940G,1989G,1957B,1992B, 2008B, 2012B

Miskodeed Request

If you have old yearbooks that you would like to donate or are looking for a certain year that you may not have, please contact mhs-alumni@mishawaka.k12.in.us or call 574-254-4523.

I currently have extras of 1912, 15, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 33, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48,49, 51, 52, 57, 59, 60, 62, 63, 64, 65, 67, 68, 71, 72, 73, 75, 79, 85, 87, 88, 89, 90, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 2000, 01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 08, 09, 11, 12, 13, 14

Free to Alumni, \$5 donation per book for non-alumni.

Support Groups

Alzheimer's and Dementia Services of Northern Indiana offers the following caregiver support groups in the St. Joseph County area. All groups are free and open to the public and meet monthly. For more information, contact 574-232-4121 or 888-303-0180 or go online to alzni.org.

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Welcome New Members

Susan (Gry) Biron 61'
Bill Biron 59'
Jackie DeLaunelle 61'
Cindy (Hoffman) Grimes 68'
Kelly (Reichow) Kincaes 97'
Jason Kincaes 90'
David Kline 71'
George Luke 42'
Ruth (Starke) Luke 41'
Emily (Boembecke) Stauffacher 70'
David L. Steinhauer 60'
Monica (Divietro) Yost 62'

JULY Birthdays

Michele Kleiser Foster
Mary Truax Leary
David L. Steinhauer

PAVE THE WAY

School City of Mishawaka has built a lasting tribute to the tradition of Mishawaka High School. Alumni Plaza is the newly renovated courtyard leading to Steele Stadium. This is a beautiful external space that has become a place for students, alumni, and the community that encompasses the "Spirit of Mishawaka". Personalized 4"x8" bricks are great gifts to: celebrate your class reunion, create a permanent place in the community for yourself, your children or grandchildren, promote your business and show your community support, memorialize a lost loved one, honor a soldier or service-person with a patriotic thank you. For more information, email peeblesh@mishawaka.k12.in.us or call 574-254-4523.

