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### "Super" News

Duane VanOrden, Ext. 226 dvanorden@howemilitary.com

# Summer is finally here! What a great year at Howe Military School!

A ay is always a very busy month, filled with many events and activities. We begin with Alumni Weekend, which went extraordinarily well. The 50th reunion class of 1953 and all of the anniversary classes seemed to have an exceptionally good turnout and everyone had a lot of fun! It was really great to see all of our alumni brothers and sisters back on campus.

Mother's Day Weekend follows a week later. The weather cooperated; and 500+ cadets, parents and their guests thoroughly enjoyed a lovely weekend.

May 31st, commencement! It was exciting and rewarding to see our seniors cross the stage and become alumni! We are extremely proud of this fine group of young men and women, who will become great leaders in our world! We will miss them. Summer camp, under the very capable leadership of Camp Director, William McClish, and Commandant, Captain Kevin Bouma, is off to a great start. We opened with 119 campers and only have a few beds left, which we expect to fill soon. This should prove to be an excellent camp year!

The 2003 school year looks promising with retention looking good at this early point. Many, well-rounded candidates are applying for fall enrollment. Our future looks great!

The campus is looking terrific and I invite you to stop by any time. Have a great summer!





Alumnus, Gordon Wiles '48, strolls Alumni Walk.

Class of 2003



## **Campus News**

### Quest for the Best The Exchange of Leadership

Marie Savage '04

Being the first female Battalion Commander of Howe Military School is an honor. This recognition is extremely overwhelming for me. I am proud of the accomplishments I have made while attending HMS for the past five years. I have come a long way and worked hard to develop my character, academics, and leadership skills. I could not have done this without the support of my family, friends, and faculty of Howe Military School. I am grateful to them all. I am quite anxious, yet nervous, to take on the responsibility of Battalion Commander; but with my staff and company commanders, I know this coming year will be a good one."



Cadet Savage accepts the Battalion Commander position from Superintendent VanOrden.

### A Well-deserved Promotion Meet the New BC

Cadet Marie Savage wins the following awards for the 2002 school year:

National Honor Society Certificate — Candidates are selected from the junior and senior classes and may qualify for membership with a 3.0 cumulative GPA and must also be outstanding in leadership, service, scholarship, and character.

Frances M. Howe Medal for Christian Courtesy — Presented to the junior cadet who demonstrated the most Christian courtesy throughout his or her tenure at Howe. Major Merritt Sword & Medal — Presented to the most outstanding non-commissioned officer of the Howe Military School cadet corps. Selection is based on morale and military, academic, athletic and all other school activities.



Cadet Savage receives Major Merritt sword and medal during Mother's Day Weekend.

John A. Pagin Economics Award — Recipients of these medals excelled in college level economics, were aware of problems inherent in major economic systems, exhibited an abiding curiosity for the discipline of economics, and were able to write essays on all aspects of current economic dilemmas.

Academic Excellence Award — This program is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education and recognizes and honors students who have achieved high academic goals by their hard work and dedication to learning. Cadets must maintain a required GPA and have test scores within established percentile levels as set forth by the National Association of Secondary School Principals to be eligible for one of two honors: the President's Award for Educational Excellence or the President's Award for Educational Achievement.

Outstanding Non-Commissioned Officer Medal — Presented to the outstanding non-commissioned officer of the cadet corps.

# Cadet Savage was also named to the Superintendent's List six times during the 2002-03 school year.

Marie Savage is the daughter of William and Chung Mei Savage of Howe. She has been attending Howe Military School since August 1999. Her sister, Su-Mei, graduated from Howe in 2002 and her brother, Tony, will be a sophomore in August.

### A Home Away From Home

Eleni K. Mitropoulos, Battalion Executive Officer, Class of 2004.

ow About Howe"? That was the first thing I heard about Howe Military School when I was twelve years old and in seventh grade. I toured the school three times before I attended, and finally decided to start my second semester in February of 1998. I had always been in small Catholic schools before, so Howe was a significant change for me, especially because the age range was so different from what I was used to. Six years is a long time...about half of my childhood. That is how long I have been a cadet at Howe Military School.

The lessons that Howe helped me learn are priceless. The memories are endless, and the friendships are something that will last until the end of time. All of the staff members are extremely professional when it comes to dealing with children or young adults. As soon as I arrived, I felt incredibly welcome and respected.

Attending Howe as a girl is different from a boy's experience. The number of girls in Alpha Company has varied throughout the years, the most being in the high thirties and the least being in the twenties. I am not going to say that it is easy living with a bunch of girls, but in the end it all works out very nicely. Living with all of them has taught me many things, such as learning how to make lasting friendships, dealing with bickering, standing up for myself, and speaking my opinions respectfully.

This coming year will be my final year at Howe; and while I will miss being there every day, I will always know that I have a "home away from home". Being there for so long showed me how people can act, deal, and react to certain things. The teachers have wonderful relationships with students...many of them are more than teachers to most students. They are compassionate and understanding, yet firm mentors. The teachers at Howe are genuine and care about the school.

Over the years I have held many leadership positions, but I am most excited about the upcoming year because my best friend, Marie Savage, and I are going to be making history. She is the first female Battalion Commander, and I will be her trustworthy right hand, the Battalion Executive Officer. This makes the first time that two females have been the top officers. I am filled with the utmost excitement, and am pleased that we could both achieve these positions. We are the leaders of the school who



must show everyone what Howe is about.

Howe's sports and clubs programs are extensive. Being involved in every club and sport that I can is tiring, but at the same time it is too much fun

Eleni Mitropoulos and Marie Savage is too much fun to stop.

Although our sports teams may not win every time, we still have the heart to win and the toughness to stick it out until the end of the game. Clubs are also fun, and all of the cadets on campus are in something called a "CAP Group". These groups are led by teachers or other staff members who take

their group out for fun (usually off-campus) to a pizza place, bowling alley, etc. Howe keeps everyone busy, which is one of the things I like most.



The alumni of Howe mean a great deal to me. They have gone through the same things we have, and know what Howe is all about. These are some of the people I have the most respect for, because they simply understand how you feel and have been in your "place". About 97% of all Howe graduates go on to college, and it is a well-known fact that most of the older alumni have been successful business people who are also the core support of the school.

Howe is everything to me, and it has taught me a great deal. I have briefly explained to you why I love Howe and what it has done for me; and with these words, I can only hope that you understand the extensiveness of what Howe means to me. I hope I have emphasized to you, not only the importance of a well-balanced education and learning experience, but what it means when you receive that very thing.

## **Take the Challenge**

### An equal chance for young women at HMS

The term, "separate, but equal", does not apply to Howe Military School. Since the addition of females in 1988, we have provided a fully integrated, truly co-educational experience. Without losing traditions that have withstood the test of time, Howe has successfully developed a curriculum that can benefit every cadet, male or female.

At HMS, a girl is not judged by what she wears or her connections. Rather, she is given the opportunity to advance on the basis of her talents, strengths and effort. What can a young woman gain from attending Howe Military School - a genuinely unique educational experience, in which we develop the whole person – mentally, physically and spiritually. If she applies herself in our program, she can become more mature, responsible and self-motivated. She can be instilled with a sense of honor and pride. In a learning environment that extends far beyond the classroom, a female cadet can reach heights she never thought possible.

#### Unlocking her potential

You know she has the ability for a promising and bright future. The determination for personal excellence and achievement has to come from the cadet – and we can help her develop the path to success.

At HMS, we teach a cadet to be an individual first and foremost, while never losing the sense of esprit de corps she feels from being part of the cadet battalion. Being a cadet does not mean being a tomboy - we do not want a female cadet to compromise her femininity, but rather become a self-reliant woman. She is given the same opportunity as the male cadets, and with equal opportunity comes equal expectations. We expect all of our cadets to live up to high ideals. If we demand certain standards from our students, their performance can rise to the challenge, and in turn they can learn to expect greater things of themselves.

Academics — A solid college preparatory education is the most important aspect of our program. In both the lower and upper schools, we prepare our students to pursue higher education by stressing traditional study methods and "getting back to basics" academically. From our small class sizes to our advanced computer technology, a student



will be provided with a strong academic background that can serve as a foundation for learning the rest of her life.

**Character** — At Howe, we train students, not soldiers. Our structured and disciplined program encompasses several essential areas of development for any young adult, including time management, organizational skills, and co-operation. The JROTC program is a catalyst by which we teach our cadets these important traits. We



teach cadets to face each day with newfound self-confidence and take on every challenge with an inner motivation that knows no bounds.

Leadership — Leaders aren't born, they're made. At HMS, we provide the tools necessary for a girl to become a successful leader. At first, a new cadet is a follower, learning her role as part of a team. With time and

experience, she can take on additional responsibilities and leadership positions. She can learn that leadership is not about just giving orders, but rather an opportunity to lead by example, tending to the needs and concerns of subordinates, while keeping the greater task at hand in mind.

Athletics - Physical activity is an integral part of any complete education. Through athletics, female cadets can not only become physically fit, but gain an invaluable sense of self-esteem and teamwork. Cadets are required to participate in two sports each year. For girls, we offer varsity volleyball, basketball, cheerleading, softball and tennis. Co-educational participation is also available in cross country, swimming, track and field, rifle, golf and soccer.

### The time is now

There will never be a better time than right now. The quest for a quality education has become increasingly prominent and exceedingly important. At Howe, we've been answering that call for over 118 years, providing a fundamentally sound program that can prepare a young woman not only for college, but for the rest of her life.

Every day she will be challenged, and she'll find out just how far she can go. The word, "can't", will disappear and she will know that with proper self-motivation, anything is possible.

If you know a girl who aspires for excellence, has the ability to do college preparatory work and is of good character, she may qualify for admission. We encourage you to phone, write or email us and set up an on-campus interview time.

#### Facts. . .

- HMS is one of only 12 secondary boarding schools in the United States that offer a co-educational JROTC program.
- 2. Over 350 females have attended HMS since 1988.
- 3. Thirty percent of the current faculty is female.
- Female graduates have been accepted to Indiana University, Valparaiso University, Michigan State University, Purdue University, the Merchant Marine Academy and many other fine schools.
- Female alumnae have gone on to successful careers in a variety of areas, including international commerce, financial consulting, accounting, nursing, hotel management and the armed forces.

### Commencement — 2003

### A time of pride and achievements

itting the beaches was far from the minds of the class of 2003 as they lined up for the processional into Bouton Auditorium. It may have been a rainy day, but the spirits of twenty-five seniors were not dampened by a black sky.

Salutatorian, Diana Richardson, and valedictorian, Aaliyah McNary, gave heartwarming speeches that left very few, if any, dry eyes. Diana began her address by saying she didn't know what was expected in a speech like this, so she would just talk. She continued with, "all that comes to mind are feelings of fear, ambition,



apprehension, bliss; you name it and I'm feeling it. How can I write a speech that includes every moment, every emotion, and

everything that this school has done for me, or even at times taken away?"

Diana stated that she did not expect to be at Howe for as long as she had. Hoping her first year would be her last, she tried to weasel her way back home every chance she got. Almost any teacher at Howe could attest to the fact that before every break they would hear her say, "I won't be coming back!" However, she came to appreciate the place that she never wanted to be at in the first place. Howe made her appreciate the concept of a home and brought out qualities in her that she didn't think would be there until later in life.

Diana was not afraid to admit that she was diagnosed with depression a year earlier and that she was bipolar. Although she can never fully rid herself of something like this, she now has more control of the situation than she did before. Diana shared this information, not for pity, for she knows she is far from alone when it comes to this disease; but to let everyone know that when you have the right surroundings it is possible to jump any hurdle. She thanked everyone for their support through some difficult times. "If it wasn't for the support of many, I would not be standing here in front of you today", said Diana.

### Let us do this together

Having sat though three, previous graduation ceremonies, valedictorian, Aaliyah McNary, told herself that if she ever had the opportunity to be up on this stage to speak, she would know exactly what to say. She found the words did not flow as easily as she thought they would.

Aaliyah acknowledged that many here had helped her in some way to get to this milestone in her life. "My family, especially my parents, has always been my support. They taught me that no matter what, I will always have someone there who believes in me, someone to care, someone to push me in the right direction. Without your love and your support, I do not think I would be standing here today. My teachers have taught me how to learn, excel, and strive to be whatever I want to be. I learned quickly that I could not get very far with crocodile tears or the flash of a smile. It is you who taught me to strive to be the best. You taught me to keep my head up high and be proud of my accomplishments. You taught me how to look in the mirror and love what I see. You taught me to never be ashamed. My friends, my peers - I say that it is you who have taught me the most. You taught me how to love and that it is just not worth my time to hate. You showed me how to laugh and have a good time and taught me that I do not always have to be so serious. I do not think that I have stopped smiling since. You made me realize that no matter how great a person I am, not everyone is going to like me; and, now I know, that is really okay. From you I learned how to find the good in every bad. I learned how to trust and what to do when someone lets me down. I know now how to pick my battles. Not everything is worth my tears. Thank you, all of you."

Aaliyah reminded the underclassmen of one thing.

Cherish every moment you have. Do not even waste one. You will never find the lasting friendships that you have gained here, anywhere else. You will be able to do so much if you allow Howe to help you help yourself. These are the good old days that you are going to miss. Please don't be foolish. There are empty seats that are no longer reserved for members of our class who allowed foolishness to fill their



lives with regret. Use us as your example. Use judgment to choose the path that will lead you to success.

Orrin Hatch once said, "There is a good reason they call these ceremonies 'commencement exercises'. Graduation is not the end; it's the beginning." Today, when we walk across the stage, we are walking into the beginning of the rest of our lives. I know that you are just as scared as you are excited; because believe me, I feel the same way. Yes, today I will graduate from high school-but not just me-WE-we will graduate from high school. We have lived together, played together, laughed together, and cried together. Now has come the time for us to graduate. So let us do this - together.

## Larger Lessons of Life

### Dr. Brent Smith, Ext. 221 bsmith@howemilitary.com

G ood discipline contains a boy and his energy, providing the sense of physical and emotional security he needs in order to learn the larger lessons of self-control and moral behavior...Good discipline engages a child, encourages contact instead of isolation, draws him into discussion, instead of sending him away."

This is a passage from the landmark book Raising Cain: Protecting the Emotional life of Boys by Drs. Dan Kindlon and Michael Thompson. After more than a quarter of a century working with young people and their parents, these two, nationally recognized psychologists have produced a piece that I think really breaks through to the most inner struggles of today's youth, boys and girls.

As I recently read this book, I was repeatedly reminded of ways that Howe Military School reaches into the lives and minds of young people. Since 1884, Howe's private, boarding, military approach in working with youth has done just this. Through our structured program and daily regimen, I believe we successfully contain their youthful energy and provide security for our students to prepare for college. Kindlon and Thompson describe this as learning the "larger lessons of self-control and moral behavior". Not a day passes at Howe when our cadets are not engaged in the lessons of their own discipline. Through the consistent guidance of our rules and regulations, under the patient guidance of our faculty and staff, Howe students internalize discipline for life. Regular worship and spiritual teaching strongly internalizes moral standards.

Howe's enrollment for the 2002 school year increased over last year. Two hundred twenty-two students attended Howe this year, representing a 4% increase over last year. Our retention of former students significantly improved this year. I believe our enrollment increases reflect Howe's commitment to a program that does internalize the "larger lessons" of life. Howe engages our students in the lessons they so desperately need in a world committed to moral relativism.

Since our founding in 1884, our global society has experienced a widespread, fundamental revolution in worldview. Though the stressors on youth and families have changed in nature and intensity, the inner lives of young people remain the same. Ask any Howe graduate of any class and I believe they will tell you that Howe gave them the security and guidance to be engaged in the tough lessons of self-discipline and morality. That is why Howe Military School is growing today. Like the above passage from Kindlon and Thompson, Howe's procedures for guiding kids engages young people—not isolates them. As an independent school, Howe is free to encourage the kind of spiritual and moral development that tax-supported schools are prohibited from doing.

How many American schools today actually engage their students in the larger lessons of self-control and morality? How many families with whom you have contact are desperately in need of the kind of education Howe provides?

As an ambassador for Howe Military School, I encourage you to tell others what Howe has meant to you. Encourage parents to call Admissions and schedule a campus visit. Urge them to meet our Admissions' staff when we are in your local area to meet families; better yet, offer to bring them to an Admissions reception. Never in any other period of time has youth more seriously needed the guiding hand of adults, partnering with educators in enabling students to internalize the "larger lessons" of life.

In a time when parents are seriously looking for schools that will engage their children in a quality, college preparatory education, Howe Military School stands as a model in addressing the needs of kids today.

### **Campus Open Houses**

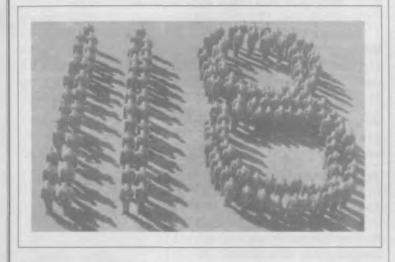
Registration for all open houses begins at 9:30 a.m. (Indiana time). An informative program is scheduled for 10:00 a.m., followed by campus tours, a complimentary lunch, and an opportunity to take our entrance exam and be interviewed.

| July 19, 2003  | September 7, 2003 |
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| August 2, 2003 | November 9, 2003  |

## **Clearly a Winning Year**

James Malerich, Eext. 236 jmalerich@howemilitary.com

Another school year has come and gone, and I am pleased with the successes accomplished by our cadets, faculty, and staff. There have been a few bumps along the way, but everyone managed to work their way through those not so easy to deal with at times. You can "hold your heads high." I salute all of you for your untiring efforts to make Howe Military School what it is today. Let's do it for another 118 years!



We are already working diligently in preparation for the upcoming school year. I feel confident that next year will be as successful for cadets as was this last. In my last report, I mentioned that the cadets got off to a good start for the first six weeks of the first semester. The overall grade point average for the first six weeks of this semester was 2.824, an outstanding effort. I do not recall during my tenure at HMS any initial grade point average being higher. Obviously, there is hope that overall grade point averages will improve, but sometimes that does not happen. Well, the cadets continued to achieve during the year, and they finished the final six weeks of the school year with an overall 2.841 grade point average and a 2.802 grade point average for the second semester. Again, I offer my congratulations to cadets, as well as faculty and staff who made that possible.

I am pleased to note that 50% of the cadets made honor grades for the last grading period, meaning that they had to achieve at least a 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. That percentage has been fairly typical throughout the year. I am also pleased to note another outstanding accomplishment related to the President's Education Award. This award is based on standardized test scores, as well as overall grade point averages, and is presented to cadets at the commencement ceremony over graduation weekend who meet stringent criteria. Cadets must maintain a required GPA and have test scores within established percentile levels as set forth by the National Association of Secondary School Principals. Ordinarily, only four or five cadets meet the criteria. On May 31, 2003, thirty-five cadets received the President's Education Award for academic achievement and excellence.

During the commencement exercises, Diana Richardson, salutatorian, and Aaliyah McNary, valedictorian, gave their commencement speeches. I can honestly say that I have never been more moved by any such addresses.

Both cadets addressed what HMS is all about and what it has meant to them. The Class of 2003 is to be commended. I wish you all my best as you pursue your dreams. No doubt, they will be achieved.

Finally, once again I cannot thank cadets, faculty, and staff enough for making this past year one of my most enjoyable and memorable. Everyone, have a great summer; and I look forward to seeing you in late August, as we embark on what I hope will be an even more productive year for our cadets, faculty, and staff.



## On the Move

William Decker, Ext. 243 wdecker@howemilitary.com

> he 100th anniversary year of the Lower School can best be described by saying that we were constantly "on the move."

Not including the extensive travel of our ten sports teams, and academic travel for such events as the science fair and spelling bee, cadets of the Lower School took part in 17 field trips this school year. While not all students attended all of the field trips; no "F" conduct cadets were allowed on trips and some events were for special groups such as "Honors" or various clubs, the majority of our cadets attended multiple outings.



Cadets Rigsby, Epstein, Canacci and Rose arrive at Kalamazoo Air Zoo

While many of our trips were for largely educational purposes such as The Museum of Science and Industry in Chicago, regional historical sites, The Dead Sea Scrolls, Maplewood Nature Preserve and Western Michigan University; other trips like Pokagon State Park's Toboggan, Laser Tag, and the Fun Spot Amusement Park were strictly for fun.

Because the cadets are on campus seven days per week, some have not traditionally had the chance to take advantage of these kinds of trips; which, if the cadets were at home, would normally be conducted by family and friends. The entire Lower School faculty was directly involved with these events, of which 11 were outside the normal "work week".

In brief, we feel that we presented the cadets with chances to get off-campus, have some fun, learn things outside the classroom, and provided the sense of "family" for which Howe is known.



Cadets Pelfrey, Lassiter and Hopkins enjoy Smith Field

William Decker will be teaching social studies in the Upper School next year and has been named the department head. We have enjoyed his articles for the Howe Review and wish him well in his new position.

Jessica Montgomery has been named the new principal of the Lower School and has been busy at work this summer in preparation for her new duties.

Jessica joined the Howe family in December of 1996. She first served as the science master in the lower school, grades 6 -8. The following year she became the fifth grade master and taught in that self-contained classroom for six years. She has also been an instructor at the Howe Summer Camp since 1998 and served as the assistant academic program director.



During her time at HMS, Ms. Montgomery has been active in many athletic teams. She coached high school volleyball and 8th grade basketball from 1997 - 2000. For the past three years she has coached both the 7th and 8th grade basketball teams. She has been the advisor of the lower school Varsity Howe Club and is a member of the school's Old Guard. During the 2003 commencement, she was awarded as an honorary member of the Varsity Club.

Jessica graduated from Tri-State University, where she played for the women's basketball team for four years. She earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education. Along with her teaching license, she also has a Middle School Science Endorsement. Ms. Montgomery is currently pursuing her master's degree in administration. You can reach Jessica at:

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## **It Takes Vision**

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t Howe Military School, each athlete has a vision to win at least one game and for the Howe cadets their dreams were fulfilled as the spring sports season turned out to be a fairly successful one. We had a very large number of cadets out for spring sports, which was great to see.

The golf, track and baseball teams all finished second in their respective, conference tournaments and the track team finished second at the Tingley Invitational. A large number of cadets also made All-Conference teams. On the track All-Conference team was Yevgeniy Tehkneryadov in discus, Jim Knight in the 110 high hurdles, and David Kueltzo



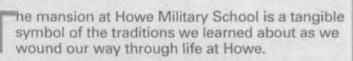
in the 1600 meter. On the softball All-Conference team (first time we've had three players in one year make the All-Conference team), were Jennifer Jarmuszka, Eleni Mitropoulos and Marie Savage. The baseball players making All-Conference were Michael Luker, Clinton Sheward, and David Kueltzo. Finally, making the All-Conference team in golf was Michael King.

Congratulations to all of our athletes!

A new sound system has been installed in the gym. Although no system would be perfect in such a wide

## **New Archivist**

Roger Zuercher, Ext. 273



Its holdings, such as military mementos, academic, church and sports items, remind us of how lucky we were in those days and helped us as adults to be the best we could be.

The mansion holds these mementos, but it also needs care. There are many concerns that need to be addressed to protect our traditions: painting, period pieces from the Victorian era, security systems and an environmentally healthy atmosphere.

I will be looking for your help. We need to build on

open facility, the new system sounds wonderful. We should get plenty of use from this system with our sporting events, dances, and social events.

The Howe athletic program has a new project in the works. Due to wear and tear, the wiring in our baseball scoreboard has seen better days. As the wiring wore out, it burned up some of the inner parts of the scoreboard and control panel. Some estimates for a new "Poljak Field" sign and scoreboard were received. The estimated cost is \$6000.00. The Howe Parents' Association and the Alumni Association have graciously agreed to donate \$3000.00 each to cover this cost. Jake Poljak dedicated his life to Howe Military School and absolutely loved Howe baseball, thus the field was dedicated in his memory.



I will be leaving the position of Athletic Director to be the full time Dean of Students. Taking over as the new Athletic Director will be Tony DeFelice. You may reach Tony at 260-562-2131, ext. 240 or via email at tdefelice@howemilitary.com.

the wonderful job that Tom Merritt started.

Dr. Roger Zuercher '57, formerly of Ft. Wayne, IN and a graduate of the school, has been appointed to the office of school historian and archivist.

The school itself was founded in 1884, but one of its first buildings was constructed in 1875. This building served eventually as the Superintendent's home, the Administration Building, and now as a museum and repository for historical materials.

It is open to the public by appointment. Be prepared to walk back into the past - through high teas, battlefield helmets, and a library of old books.

## **All Charged Up**

# Major Karl Vaughn, Ext. 275 kvaughnl@howemilitary.com

A look back over the past nine months; not only on the physical growth of our cadets, but also on the growth of maturity and responsibility hopefully learned by them. It is wished that they use these skills for making the right decisions in life and leadership traits to help them realize that we are all the same.

This will be the first time since 1998 that the Commandant position will be held by the same person for two consecutive years. All primary tactical officers will again return to their companies. All this, with the return of MSG Satterfield, add up to an even better school year for 2003.

In addition to the transportation duties, I will again be in charge of an ever-growing activities agenda for the next school year, so look for more off-campus trips offered to those eligible cadets.

**New Boathouse at Summer Camp** 

Max Taylor, Ext. 237 mtaylor@howemilitary.com



n Saturday, July 19, the new, Bob James boathouse was dedicated. Bob was honored for his 47 years of service as the waterfront director at the camp. The new boathouse was made possible through a generous donation from Mr. John C. White of Scottsdale, AZ. Mr. White



Bill McClish, George Douglass, John White, Bob James, Jean Miller

was a past camper and counselor at summer camp and was present for the ceremony, where he was also inducted into the Herrick Fellow Society. The building was completed just in time for the Our Equestrian Horseback Program will expand its visibility at on and off-campus events. Look for sign-up at fall registration and remember that class size is limited.

I look forward to working with the students in the coming year.



beginning of summer camp and is now in daily use. Lucky campers!

Renovations on the tactical officers' apartments are complete. The tactical officers and their families are enjoying their well deserved extra space.

The electrical services project which began last year is in the process of completion. When the work is finished, the campus will have all new transformers and updated wiring. This project is expected to bring greater efficiency and substantial financial savings. Mr. Jeff Leu of River Run Power was the contractor for this project. He and his staff did an outstanding job.

Knapp Roofing is putting new roofs on St. James Chapel, All Saints Chapel and the Athletic Complex press box. Partial roofs and substantial repairs are being done on the Mess Hall, White Hall Gym and the Hardiman House.

The old, inefficient boilers in the Quartermaster Building, D Company and B Company have been replaced. These new boilers will provide greater efficiency, consistent warmth throughout the buildings and lower heating costs.

## **Now Hear This**

Major Donald Happel, Ext. 211 dhappel@howemilitary.com

> he 118th corps of cadets had a busy 2nd semester. I've listed just some of the highlights.

The H.M.S. JROTC Battalion had its formal inspection on February 10, 2003. Notre Dame University's ROTC Department inspected the corps. We scored 98 out of a possible 100 points; again, the battalion received the highest rating possible "Honor Unit with Distinction".

The rifle team finished its season in April. The team finished 2nd in both the high school and college leagues; one of the highlights of the year was an overnight trip to Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo. Western's ROTC rifle team treated our team to a hockey game and a movie on Friday, and then we toured Western's campus and the Kalamazoo Air Zoo on Saturday.





The 9th Annual Copp Drill Competition was held on Alumni Weekend; a total of six schools attended. The entire event is planned and managed by

the LET 2 class, as their major project for the year. Cadets Tony Savage and Chris Smock took 1st place in the Exhibition Duet competition, 2nd place in Exhibition and Best Inspection and 3rd in Platoon IDR. Their win qualified the two to compete at the National Drill Competition in San Antonio, Texas in September. Next year the drill competition will again be held on Alumni Weekend.

Cadets participated in parades in South Bend, Indiana for St. Patrick's Day and, again, in Sturgis for the Michigan Week kickoff parade.

The Class of 1953 donated a jeep to the school for use during reviews and ceremonies. On behalf of Howe Military School, we thank them for their generosity and we are sure the jeep will be of great use during many of our events.



On Memorial Day the corps of cadets marched down to the Riverside Cemetery in Howe and participated in the town's annual ceremony. In the afternoon the corps enjoyed a cookout behind the canteen and The Superintendent's Field Day with games, activities and even a jello-eating contest. This event was planned, organized, and ran by the LET 3 class. It was a nice break for the cadets just prior to final exams.



### **Good Things Come in Bundles**

George Douglass, Deacon, Ext. 215 ddouglass@howemilitary.com

> he chapel program has moved into the summer camp mode after a successful school year.

The school year was completed with over 60 cadets serving as acolytes, ten supporting the evening and Sunday services as readers and two Jewish cadets serving as cantors. The cantor program is in its second year and is an integral part of Friday night vespers and the Sunday parish and cadet services. We are fortunate to have Cadets Epstein, a 7th grader, and Harper, an 8th grader, who both say prayers at the beginning and end of each service. The prayers are given in both Hebrew and English and remind the cadets of our Jewish tradition and respect for all religions. Cadet Harper supported the Howe community's memorial service at Riverside Cemetery by giving the invocation again in both Hebrew and English. This addition to the annual Memorial Day ceremony was well received by the community and cadets alike. To recognize the cantor, Fr. Yaw and I have instituted a pin, which is worn on the garrison or academic uniform. This pin is in the shape of the ten commandment tablet with the Star of David above the tablet.



Cadet Emma Baker '03, a longtime cadet acolyte, was selected by WNDU Channel 16, South Bend, as one of the regions outstanding high school seniors. A video of Ms. Baker made by Channel 16, and a brief history, were aired on Channel 16 throughout June. Ms. Baker was adopted from a Russian orphanage at

the age of 11, came to the United States, and lives in Kalamazoo. She attended Howe for four years and will enter pre-veterinary studies at Purdue University.

A delegation of cadets, along with Duane VanOrden '77, Jim Malerich and George Douglass '60 traveled to Jackson, Michigan to take part in a memorial service for Travis Wakefield "Tap" Pearse, father of Trav Pearse '66. Our cadets were honored to fold the national flag and present it to Trav's sister at the service. Trav's father was a veteran of WWII, Asian Theater, serving there as a naval officer. After the memorial service the cadets were invited to the Jackson Country Club for fellowship and refreshment.

This year the offerings for each of the festival services in All Saints Chapel were designated for those in need. For example, monies were donated to the LaGrange Clothing and Food Basket and to two. separate deputy sheriffs' families who suffered the loss of the deputy's wife. In both cases, the death of the respective wife incurred expenses and the monies went to defray those costs and to establish a trust fund for the children's college. One deputy was from LaGrange County (I am one of the chaplains to the LaGrange County Sheriff's Department) and the second deputy was from LaPorte County, Indiana. The plight of the LaPorte deputy was brought to our attention by Michael P. Kellems '83, who is a sergeant with the LaPorte County Sheriff's Department. The offering from the Alumni Weekend service was designated for the LaPorte deputy. All donations supported the schools outreach program.

With regards to our chapel services, Fr. Yaw has been offering the Sunday Holy Communion services for all members of the armed services. HMS has over 28 alumni who are serving or who have served in the Iraqi and Afghanistan conflicts. In addition, the chaplains include in the intercessions alumni who may be experiencing some difficulties in their daily lives; therefore, we welcome your request for intersession. To include your loved one or yourself, just write, call or E-mail (ddouglass@howemilitary.com). The organ in All Saints Chapel has been tuned and final repairs are to be completed by the middle of next school year. The final monies were donated by the Max Larsen estate. We still have a long way to go with regards to restoration of the organ at St James.

I was presented, for the second year, the Raymond R. Kelley award; the monies from this award were used by me to defray the costs associated with my preparation and inclusion in the Diaconate program. This endowment was instituted through the generosity of the Class of '51 and I am deeply honored and indebted to that class and the school for bestowing such an honor on me twice. In addition, I had the Tatler dedicated to me which makes my year a success!

I am glad to report the chapel program is alive and well and continues to grow. Fr. Yaw and I have instituted a cultural evening where we take cadets from different ethnic backgrounds to restaurants associated with the cadets' culture. This last year, we visited a Chinese/ Japanese, Italian, Mexican, Indian and McDonalds' restaurants. McDonalds was for St. Patrick's Day and the Irish cadets were able to partake of the shamrock milkshake and fries in commemoration of the great potato famine. We enjoy going to these places with the cadets and it affords the cadets a chance to get off campus.

## **Recognizing Our Founders**

he beginning of October usually means that fall has arrived, but for Howe Military School it is a time to recognize its founders; Frances Marie Glidden Howe, John Badlam Howe, James Blake Howe, Bishop David Buell Knickerbacker, Dr. Charles Nelson Spalding and the many other benefactors who have so generously helped to keep the school in existence for 119 years.

We celebrate the founding of HMS with various events on campus, such as cookouts, sporting events, fundraisers, a recognition dinner, the military ball and the induction of new members into the Herrick Fellow Society. This year we will celebrate the founding of the school October 3 - 5.

### Putting a Little Fun in the Front Yard

The Parents' Association had so much fun last Founder's Day Weekend with the Hawaiian luau theme; they decided to do it again this year. The barbecuers will be going whole hog.

This event is by reservation only, but is open to all alumni, parents, siblings, grandparents and friends. So dig out your Hawaiian attire, pray for sunshine and come out and take part in the excitement. The

cost is \$12.00 per person. You may use the form below to RSVP or contact the Development Office at (260) 562-2131, ext. 228 or by email at alumni@howemilitary.com.

We also encourage everyone to join us for the Heroes in Education Banquet, with a reception at 5:00 p.m. in the Major Merritt Dining Hall, followed by a buffet dinner at 6:00 p.m. Make your reservations again with either the form below or by contacting the Development Office. We will be honoring those individuals who were named a "Hero in Education", during the 2002-03 Annual Fund campaign. Special invitations will be mailed to those named a hero. The cost for dinner is \$30.00.

A complete schedule of Founder's Day Weekend will appear on the Howe Military School website soon. Be sure to visit the school's website for information on Founder's Day Weekend and other activities that will be taking place throughout the year. See you all at Howe October 3 - 5.

Don't forget to participate in our 50/50 drawing. A ticket is provided below. You may make additional copies or we will fill them out for you.

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## **Alumni News**

### Alumni Weekend - exciting, rewarding, fun

A year seems like a long time, but it might as well be tomorrow when you are trying to plan a reunion weekend. The job of a class agent is never easy; writing letters, making telephone calls or sending email messages to get a commitment from classmates to return to Howe takes a lot of effort and time. Starting five years in advance of their 50th reunion, the Class of 1953 did an outstanding job of getting 22 class members to return. The Classes of 1943 and 1948 also had a good return because of the hard work of their class agents.

Nearly two hundred alumni, spouses, girlfriends or friends returned to Howe from around the states, including distances such as California, Alaska, Hawaii, and even the Virgin Islands. Not only did they bring with them the sun and warm temperatures that had been missing at Howe since last summer, but also the warmth of their hearts and minds. Old friendships were rekindled and new and lasting ones made, with promises to get more involved with HMS.

The dates of Alumni Weekend 2004 are April 30 -May 2. Mark your calendars now. If your class year ends in a 4 or 9, you will have special reunions and your class agents are working hard to ensure a good return. Don't disappoint them! Be here and support them and the school. If you are not having a reunion year, don't let that keep you away. Come and join in the fun. If you don't meet up with anyone you knew when you attended school here, you are sure to make at least one new acquaintance.



### **Alumni Weekend Photo Gallery**

## **Bittersweet in 2003!**

which the recent loss of Tom Merritt and the death of George Dollas in 1998, the 50th reunion class found the weekend to be bittersweet. Both Tom and George had been either co-class agent or class agent for the Class of 1953. Preparing the last few months of a golden anniversary alone is not an easy task. However, class agent, Keith Duley, who recently had some health problems as well, was overwhelmed with joy to see the circle of friends who returned to Howe to celebrate this special time in their lives.



Scott Nelson, Cheryl Dollas, Jean Duley, Keith Duley, Jason Dollas and Felicia Nelson (George Dollas' children)



Bill Copp, John Coleman, Judy and Miles Perkins (sister and brother-in-law of Tom Merritt)

As a special tribute to the years that Tom and George dedicated to Howe Military School, its goals and programs, a scholarship endowment was established by the Class of 1953. The "Dollas-Merritt Academic Excellence Scholarship" was



Mike Lynch presents class recognition plaque to school.

presented to the school at the annual banquet, as their 50th anniversary class gift.

Tom and George recognized the need for Howe Military School to maintain high academic standards and they constantly worked towards this goal. Tom, with his entire life central to Howe: 33 years on the Board of Trustees, eleven years as Superintendent, six years as Archivist/Historian and co-class agent. George, with his years of service on the Alumni Association board of directors, class agent, and his untiring efforts at fundraising. The purpose of this scholarship is to attract students that are of the highest caliber, not only scholastically, but in all phases of their lives. It will be awarded annually, for the term of one year. The cadet may renew it for each year attending Howe Military School, provided the provisions and requirements of the scholarship criteria have been maintained.



Class of 1953 shows support of Dollas/Merritt Scholarship Endowment.

## **Reunion Classes Celebrate in 2003**

## **60th Reunion**



Class of 1943

(Back L-R) Clark Springer, Robert Strausser, Jack Impey, Jay Schoch (Front L-R) Jacob Way, Robert Kopsch, Robert Hunt **55th Reunion** 



### Class of 1948

(Back L-R) Anthony Ellison, Richard Hile, Robert Duin (Middle L-R) John Brill, Dick Milholland, James Kenneth Carse, Gordon Wiles (Front L-R) James Campbell, Fred Trippel, James Keeney, David Frederick

## **50th Reunion**



Class of 1953 — Also known as the Powerhouse Class

(Back L-R) John Coleman, John Lloyd, Michael Lynch, Carl Rehm, Gary Wattles, Frederick Seibold (Middle L-R) Phillip Brown, Bill Copp, John Shuman, Rolf Hess, Gerald Robinson, Charles Courim, Barton Forsyth, George Longwell

(Front L-R) Scott Schurz, David Schlatter, James Weiss, Lawrence Green, Keith Duley, Fred Galmish, Keith McInnis

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### **45th Reunion**

**40th Reunion** 



Class of 1958 (Back L-R) Bill Watson, Norm Still (Front L-R) Jack Franck, Tyrus Place

### **35th Reunion**



Class of 1968 Roman Lynch

### **30th Reunion**



Class of 1973 William Strother



**25th Reunion** 

Class of 1978 Scott Reisland

### **15th Reunion**



Class of 1988 Aaron Coleman



Class of 1963 (Back L-R) Ben Butzbaugh, H. David Houser, Rich Franck (Front L-R) Stephen Snapp, Charles Bachrach, John Thornton, George Raach

### **20th Reunion**



Class of 1983 Mike Kellems, James Boaks

### **10th Reunion**



Class of 1993 (Back Row L-R) Glen Barton (guest), Jacob Schuehrer, Phillip Smith, Tim Cook (guest) (Front L-R) Shannon Barton, James Streeter

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## Alumni Association presents 2003 Awards

### Another Golden Moment James D. Weiss '53.....Alumnus of the Year

The most prestigious award the Alumni Association presents each year is our Alumnus of the Year award. The criteria necessary for being named Alumnus of the Year is to be a reflection of the Howe Alumni Association's mission statement. This award recognizes an alumnus whose career achievements and service to Howe have been exemplary. A formal picture of the honoree will be placed in the Major Merritt Dining Hall for the next year. His name will also be

placed on a permanent plaque, which is also in the dining hall. James D. Weiss, Class of 1953, humbly accepted this award.

James, or Jim as most refer to him, came to Howe Military School as a camper for five years and as a cadet for four years. While at Howe, he was one of the very few who participated in and lettered in four sports. They were track, basketball, baseball, and he served as captain for the cross country team. Jim received the NFL Degree of Honor, and, he qualified as an expert rifleman for three years. He was a member of the Varsity H Club, the Old Guard, and won the county ping-pong singles and doubles championship.

Following graduation from HMS Jim attended Wayne State University where he received his BA in business management in 1957. While a student at Wayne State, he was chosen to be a student intern assistant to Walter Ruether, president of the AFL-CIO. Jim then attended Indiana University where he graduated with an MBA in finance in 1959 and served as Vice President of Delta Chi fraternity. Having been identified as an individual who was both highly personable and capable of administrative affairs Jim was hired as a personal assistant to Eli Lilly...not Eli Lilly the corporation but Eli Lilly the man who founded and served as the long term chairman of Eli Lilly Corporation. So impressed was Mr. Lilly with Jim's talent that he insisted on sending him to the Indiana University School of Law.

Jim has had an outstanding professional career; having worked for Charles Pfizer & Company, Bache & Company, E.F. Hutton, and Kemper Securities. While at Pfizer & Company, he was named salesman of the quarter several times and salesman of the year in 1966. He also taught personal finance and salesmanship at the University of Toledo. In 1973 he formed his own company, specializing in real estate development and leasing, with an emphasis on tax planning. Jim has been a member of the NYSE, NASD and was a licensed commodity broker. He has also served on the Board of Advisors for Century Bank and Trust, is a director for Southern Michigan Bancorp and has been a member of the Rotary Club, and the American Management Association.

> Jim has had a long-standing association with Howe Military School, as did his father, Earl, and mother, Elizabeth. In their honor, Jim made it possible for them to be inducted into the Herrick Fellow Society. His father, Earl, was quartermaster of the school from 1942-1964.

Thirty-six years after his own graduation, Jim was proud to have his son, James, graduate from Howe in 1989.

Jim has served on the Alumni Board for over 30 years, having served as president in 1971. He also served on the school's Board of Trustees for five years. He was named Distinguished Alumnus in 1984-85 and was named a Hero in Education in

2002. He opened the Alumni Club in Sturgis, MI in 2002, as a permanent home for the Howe Military School Alumni Weekend hospitalities.

We believe that Jim's achievements, leadership and service certainly prove that he is well deserving of the Alumnus of the Year award. He has been recognized as a consistent donor through his membership in the Herrick Fellow Society and John B. Howe Society. He places a special emphasis on scholarships and wishes for Howe to maintain its status as a first rate school, helping young people to have the opportunity to be prepared for college through the Howe experience. He believes that Howe Military School will instill in them the fundamentals of leadership and enable them to become the type of citizens of which our school and nation can be proud.



## A Time to Award Achievements

### Honorary Alumni awards presented at Alumni Banquet

ne of the highest tributes the HMS alumni can bestow is our Honorary Alumnus/ae awards. Naming individuals to this high honor is, in essence, accepting them as a brother or sister into the Howe alumni family. We recognize them for their values, contributions, and dedication to our school and the Association. It is, therefore,



not a decision that is taken lightly by the executive board when we name someone to an honorary status. This year we were excited to recognize two individuals who have met these high standards.

Tony DeFelice, a 13year faculty member, has exhibited the qualities which distinguish our teaching staff as something special.

After graduating high school, Tony attended the University of Akron, working many odd jobs to pay for his own schooling. Soon after college, he found his way to Howe Military School where he began teaching Algebra I and II. He also accepted the many extracurricular responsibilities that accompany a teaching post at Howe. Among them are: several coaching responsibilities, including lower school soccer coach, tennis coach, junior varsity boy's basketball coach and head basketball coach (for which he was named the Midland Athletic Conference coach of the year). Tony was also assistant baseball coach for one year and head baseball coach for one year. He currently teaches Algebra II and Geometry and coaches varsity golf and varsity boy's basketball. He is also a member of the National Honor Society Committee and is an honorary member of the VHC. Tony has also been named numerous times to the Who's Who among America's Teachers.

For years Tony has set a positive example for his fellow faculty members as a professional in the truest sense of the word. He was married August 1997 to his lovely wife, Leanne, who is our Dean of Students, athletic director and recipient of an honorary alumnus award in 2002. They are expecting their first child in October and in his free time Tony enjoys visiting his parents and brother in Myrtle Beach, SC, playing golf, reading, and spending time with his two dogs. It was with great pride and honor that the Howe Military School Alumni Association presented the title of Honorary Alumnus to Anthony "Tony" DeFelice.

Glen Barton takes his job at Howe seriously and his work ethic is exceeded by his friendliness and competence. A son of lowa raised in the Midwest, Glen was drafted into the Army soon after completing high school. It was in the Army that he was trained as a mechanic. While stationed in France in the mid 1960's he met the woman he would soon marry. His unit was transferred to Germany in 1968, where he was stationed before his return to the United States and a post at Ft. Leonard Wood, MO. Through the early 1970's, Glen served tours of duty in Vietnam and Turkey before returning to Germany for a second time. By the late 1970's he was stationed at Ft. Meade, MD and promoted to the rank of first sergeant, a level and position he had long sought.

Not content with a leisurely retirement, Glen came to Howe Military School in 1987 after serving 21 years in the Army. He was assigned the position of tactical officer in Echo Company, where he received the respect and love of many HMS cadets. In 1993 he transferred to the quartermaster position, where he supplies our corps of cadets with everything, from books and uniforms to Howe memorabilia and sportswear, and still keeps a close connection with alumni, parents and friends.

Glen is the father of five children, a very close family. Shannon, a 1993 graduate of Howe, was attending his 10th

reunion this year. Sons, Shane and Shawn, also attended Howe. His lovely wife, Fran, works at Howe, as an associate for Sodexho Food Services. It was a pleasure and an honor to name Captain Glen Barton an Honorary Alumnus of the Howe Alumni Association.



## Howe's Values are for Life

A message from the Alumni Association President Charles Piszczor '83 cpiszczo@cme.com

look forward to serving the Association and meeting alumni throughout the course of my term."

The annual Alumni Weekend was held May 2-4, with great success. The annual business meeting was conducted in the Major Merritt Dining Hall, Saturday, May 3. Newly elected officers were Charles Piszczor '83, President; Ray Stuckey '67, 1st Vice-President; Greg Taylor '80, 2nd Vice-President; and Rich Franck '63, Treasurer. Van Kchikian '82 was elected as a new board member to serve a three-year term. During the annual business meeting, special recognition awards were presented to George Douglass '60, Keith Duley '53, and Larry Green '53 for their support of the school.

Special Recognition Awards are awarded to individuals, not necessarily alumni or HMS employees, who have made a significant contribution toward the vitality of Howe Military School and/or the Association and/or the cadet corps. Such awards are appropriate for retirements of employees or major support from an individual, company, or foundation. Nominations for award consideration must be provided to the Awards Committee of the Alumni Association by their November board meeting for consideration. Nominations for the award will be accepted from any Howe alumnus or Howe Military School administrator. All nominations must include a brief written resume of the nominee's criteria.

George Douglass '60 was granted special recognition honors for his dedication and service



to HMS as a teacher, pastor, counselor, coach, commandant, mentor and director of summer camp.



Keith Duley '53 was granted special recognition honors for his dedication and willingness to serve as the class agent for the Class of 1953 and for his outstanding support and participation in the Class Agent Program.



Larry Green '53 was granted special recognition honors for his dedication and service to HMS and the Alumni Association and for the initiation of the 50/50 raffle.

The weekend was greeted with warm weather and smiling alumni faces. Registration in the mansion reunited alumni and renewed friendships, some reaching back fifty years. The excitement continued Friday evening at the Alumni Club in Sturgis. The highlight of the weekend was the banquet at the Kendallville Banquet and Convention Center, where the classes of 1943, 1948, 1958, 1963, 1968, 1973, 1978, 1983, 1988, 1993, 1998, and, of course, the 50th reunion class of 1953 were recognized.

The 50/50 raffle was the only fundraiser for this year. You may still participate. Drawings are held the first of each month. Payment must be received two weeks prior to the drawing. If you wish to be included in every month until the end of April, please send your check for \$80.00 (\$10 per month). The average payout has been \$350-\$400. Contact the Development Office for a form or to have them fill it out for you. Mastercard, Visa and American Express are accepted.

## **Cruising the USA Mapping our Route**

raveling, traveling and more traveling! What fun it has been coming to your areas and we plan to expand and go even further this year.

Development and Admissions' staff, along with faculty members, spent the past vear visiting alumni at either regional gatherings or dinner outings, prior to off-campus open houses. At some of the gatherings we enjoyed dinner with five or six, while at others there were fifteen to twenty in attendance. Many new acquaintances were made and there were





always alumni board members or class agents present. Some attending had not been in touch with Howe for nearly fifty years. New class agents and co-class agents were gained and the camaraderie has been exuberant.

We are currently mapping our route for 2003 and 2004 and plan to travel beyond the Midwestern states. With the help of Personalized Map Company, Howe alumni across the nation have been charted, county by county. The map provided here does not scan well, but we hope you will get a general idea of where our alumni are located. It is interesting to note that there

are alumni in all fifty states.

### A Big Thanks to our Florida Hosts

As noted on the map, many alumni live in Florida and many are snowbirds there as well. Getting together on the east and west coast has become somewhat of a tradition. For some reason though, attendance was low this year and we are, therefore, open to suggestions for achieving a better turnout. Our hosts go to a lot of work making hotel accommodations, booking a country club or restaurant

and making follow-up telephone calls after the initial invitations are mailed. Our gatherings this year were hosted by Margaret Harvey Briscoe '91 and her husband, Craig, on the west coast and by David Sheppard '70 and his wife, Lyn, and Richard Dryden '56 and his wife, Janet, on the east coast. Our thanks and appreciation to all of them for their hours of work in getting everything arranged for some enjoyable evenings.

The west coast event took place at the elegant Fiddlesticks Country Club in Ft. Myers. Leanne DeFelice, Dean of Students at Howe, attended the gathering on behalf of HMS, bringing

greetings and updates from the school and the very cold, snowy north. Memories of Tom Merritt and Howe experiences were shared and enjoyed by all who attended.

The east coast event began with a limo ride from the Holiday Inn hotel, where some of the attendees were staying, to the fabulous River House Restaurant in historic downtown Ft. Lauderdale. Following a dinner that found everyone eating way too much, a walk along the river was necessary. Artists and crafters lined the walk, which made for an exciting and enjoyable addition to this beautiful spring evening. The event was concluded with a relaxing limo ride back to the hotel. Director of Development, Jean Miller, and her husband, Ray, attended the east coast gathering and also visited with alumni on their way to Florida and back.

If you missed either of these gatherings, we hope you will consider attending next year. We are looking for hosts for our Florida gatherings in 2004. February seems to be a good month, as most of our northerners are still there.

In addition to our Florida gatherings, we look to

travel west this year. We hope to include Texas, Arizona and California in our travels. If you are interested in hosting a gathering in any of those areas, please contact the Development Office at ext. 227.

Watch your mailbox for your invitation to the gatherings in your area. Then, when you receive the invitation, mark your calendars and plan to attend. We look forward to seeing you.



## Congrats to our newest alumnus

### Ending the Howe Experience on a High

A year ago many thought the dream of a young man, who had attended Howe Military School since 1995, might just have come to an end. With the beginning of his senior year just weeks away, Philip Vernier was involved in a serious automobile accident while summering in Colorado. The accident left his legs and arms immobile. In a full body cast and wheelchair, with surgeries and therapy ahead of him, Phil and his family now wondered what the future might hold. Determined to complete his education at Howe, Phil pressed forward with all he had and in early October returned to accomplish his goal - graduating from HMS.

In early spring, Phil was promoted to Battalion Commander. Having overcome many of his physical tribulations, he was now in charge of 175 cadets. His days were long, but the discipline learned at



Howe helped him to become one of the school's best.

Howe Military School is pleased to announce the following awards presented to Phil during Mother's Day Weekend and graduation weekend.

**General MacArthur Award** — Each year the General Douglas MacArthur Foundation presents this award to the outstanding cadets of the Association of Military Colleges and Schools of the United States. The objective is to encourage students of the member institutions to emulate and practice the qualities exemplified by General MacArthur as a cadet at

### **Proud of a True Hero**

Lt. Col. J. Thomas Pearlman '51 recognized

n October 11, 2002, while Tom Pearlman was in Texas with his wife, Janice, for her high school reunion, he was presented with Proclamation No. 1140 from the Texas Senate. He was recognized for his dedication to his country and his outstanding military service. At the same time, he received a Texas state flag (the Lone Star flag) that was flown over the state capitol on July 4, 2002.

The proclamation, signed by Eddie Lucio, Jr., member of the Texas Senate, reads in part:

"Whereas the regular infantry officer and master army aviator, Col. Pearlman served his country with valor in Vietnam and in Korea and received numerous decorations during the course of his distinguished career. West Texas Military Institute and the U.S. Military Academy. To be eligible for the award, the nominee must be the most soldierly cadet considering academics, athletics and leadership.

Bishop Gray Saber & Bouton Memorial Plaque – This award is presented to the senior who has made the greatest overall achievement in school activities during their years at Howe Military School.

**Commander of the Old Guard Plaque** – The Howe plaque is awarded to cadets who attend Howe Military School for eight years.

Academic Achievement Award – This program is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education and recognizes and honors students who have achieved high academic goals through their hard work and dedication to learning. Cadets must maintain a required GPA and have test scores within established percentile levels, as set forth by the National Association of Secondary School Principals, to be eligible for one of two honors: the President's Award for Educational Excellence or the President's Award for Educational Achievement.

National Honor Society Honor Chord – Chords are awarded to the seniors who are graduating in good standing from the National Honor Society.

Phil is the son of Lisabeth Vernier of Rochester Hills, MI and Paul Vernier of Eastpointe, MI. He was named to the Headmaster's List four times and the Superintendent's List one time during his senior year. He plans to attend Oakland University where he will major in law, and minor in engineering or psychology. Howe Military School wishes him the very best on his accomplishments, not only during this past year but all eight years at HMS. Welcome to the Alumni Association!

He was awarded the Bronze Star medal, the Distinguished Service Cross, the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Army Commendation medal, the Meritorious Service medal, and the Legion of Merit. He was also awarded 28 air medals."

The proclamation goes on to say that Tom volunteered three times to serve in Vietnam and was shot down three times. He received the Purple Heart and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry.

"Whereas Col. Pearlman is noted for his integrity, leadership and courage, and his outstanding military career is a testament to his patriotism and his commitment to his fellow man..." the proclamation continues.

"I never knew they were going to do this," Tom said. "The State of Texas doesn't do this kind of thing, and this just blows you away!"

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## Have you purchased your brick?

ocated along the southern wall of the beautiful St. James Chapel, the walk is filled with the names of former cadets, faculty & staff members, and friends of HMS who will be part of Howe forever. We invite you to place a lasting symbol of pride and remembrance in this beautiful campus landmark, and we hope you will be able to visit soon to see your brick, as well as those of your classmates and friends.

Below is a list of those who have ordered a brick since the last Howe Review. If you are interested in purchasing a brick for yourself or someone else, please fill out the order form below and return to the Howe Military School Development Office, P.O. Box 240, Howe, IN 46746.

In Memory of Roger A. Yoder Jeff Yoder '65 Mary Sullivan Yoder Michael P. Burns '69 Jim F. Joseph '58 Gerald A. Robinson '54 Fred Galmish '53 R.W. Currin '61 in honor of Robert

Jackson & Dylan Dennis Charles R. McFadden '53 Jay B. Foster '53 Herbert Johnson '53 Rev. Gary N. Wattles '53 John S. Coleman '53 George W. Longwell '53 John F. Thornton, Jr. '63 Chuck Courim '53 Keith G. McInnis '53 H. David Houser '63 Christine Way Lynn SAM Fred J. Trippel '48 John C. Lloyd '53 Richard E. Kohl '53 Lawrence L. Lauterbach '53 William H. Oakes '53 In Memory Terry D. Fortier Pete Fortier '01 Frank E. Arbaugh '53 Ann K. Aikman

### "Alumni Walk of Fame" Brick Order Form

Cost is \$100 per brick. We cannot get the larger bricks at this time. Three (3) lines, with up to 15 characters per line, are advisable; four (4) lines at the most. Please print inscription as you would like it to appear on brick.

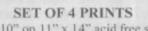
Yes, I would like to order a brick Yes, I would like to donate a brick in memory/or honor of an Alumnus or Friend of Howe

Name .

## **Howe Military School Colored Prints**

We are very pleased to offer this wonderful set of four full color prints of some of the most familiar and beautiful buildings on the HMS campus.





8" x 10" on 11" x 14" acid free stock By Artist Gerald Hill 100 Sets Signed and Numbered 900 Unsigned Sets ORDER FORM

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Make checks payable to: Parents' & Alumni Assoc. Prints



Class Year

Mail to: Parents' & Alumni Assoc. Prints c/o Howe Military School P.O. Box 240 Howe, IN 46746 Set(s) signed & numbered @ \$75/set Set(s) unsigned @ \$32/set Please add \$2.00 shipping & handling unless

Total Enclosed

prints are to be picked up at the school

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Class Notes LET US HEAR FROM YOU! Everyone enjoys hearing about former classmates and friends. Have you moved recently? Changed jobs? Recently married? Had a child or grandchild? Taken an interesting trip? Received an award or degree?

Share your news with us! Pictures are welcome!

Send your information to Alumni Office, P.O. Box 240, Howe, IN 46746. You can also fax it to us at 260-562-3678 or email to alumni@howemilitary.com.

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1939

Class Agent Thomas Parker 2321 Yorkshire Columbus, OH 43221 (614) 488-7739 thomasp53@aol.com

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1944 \*\*\*\*\*\*

60th Reunion April 30 - May 2, 2004

Class Agent Bruce Coleman 16981 Beecher Hudson, MI 49247 (517) 448-8545 ecurbnameloc@yahoo.com

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1945 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Your Class Needs a Class Agent! To volunteer, please contact the Alumni Office.

**Ross Norberry** informed the Alumni Office that he has moved from Michigan to warmer Tempe, Arizona. Ross' new address is 1876 Flores Drive, Tempe, AZ 85282.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1949 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

55th Reunion April 30 - May 2, 2004

Class Agents Brenier Fries, Sr. 1131 Hoover Circle Indianapolis, IN 46260 (317) 255-0122 sodypop@att.net Robert Lamb 4798 SR 309 Galion, OH 44833 (419) 468-1149 bob4798@earthlink.net

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1953 \*\*\*\*\*\*

Class Agents Jay Duley 4632 Forest Ave. Downers Grove, IL 60515-5973 (630) 963-6698 duleyjk@ameritech.net

Charles Courim HC68 Box 162 Plainview, AR 72857 (479) 272-4889 crappie@arkwest.com

Frederic Galmish 6954 Diana Dr. Port Austin, MI 48467-9747 (989) 738-7395 f\_galmish@hotmail.com

You may find **Joseph Rieth** at Guarara 117 Apt. 143, Sao Paulo, S.P. Brazil South America 04125 001. His phone number is 55-11-3885-6749 or email Joseph at walmir.lima@accenture.com

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1954 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

50th Reunion April 30 -May 2, 2004

Class Agent Thomas Wolfrum, II 11235 N. Cedar Point Low Rd. Syracuse, IN 46567 (260) 856-4546 tigerwolfrum@hotmail.com

Larry Priest's new email address is lpriest@columbus.rr.com.

Class Agents Ronald Bailey 221 Illinois Dr. Bryan, OH 43506 (419) 636-3936

rlbgimm1@vahoo.com

1956

Richard Dryden 3199 Sandy Creek Dr. Shelby Twp., MI 48316 (586) 739-3146 djdryden@worldnet.att.net

Robert Bishop 6805 Covington Creek Tr. Fort Wayne, IN 46804-2871 (260) 436-4770

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1958 \*\*\*\*\*\*

Class Agents Mark Sill 3250 S. 200 E. Lebanon, IN 46052-8288 (765) 482-7115 nsill@quixnet.net

Class Agent John Franck 135 Cherry Hills Drive Aiken, SC 29803-5603 (803) 642-9963 jandmfranck@mindspring.com

William Watson 10460 S. Leelanau Way Traverse City, MI 49684 (231) 946-0495

Norm Sill has accepted a position with AUTOBASE, Inc. in Fishers IN. He will continue to represent IHE in Indiana and SW Michigan. Note his new address above.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1959 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

45th Reunion April 30 - May 2, 2004

Your Class Needs a Class Agent! To volunteer, please contact the Alumni Office.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1962 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Class Agents Wayne Kieb 1468 Darnel Dr. Brighton, MI 48116 (810) 844-0289 wmek@earthlink.net

James Woodley 1079 Summer Ridge Rd. Bozeman, MT 59715 (406) 586-3669 woodboz@theglobal.net

The Alumni Office received new info from **Ken Scoville**. Ken is now located at 1001 East Washington Ave., Gilbert, AZ 85234. You may phone Ken at (480) 507-1938 or send him an email at vk1943@cybertrails.com.

> 40th Reunion April 30 - May 2, 2004

1964

Class Agents Erick Vail 9866 Indian Springs Dr. Cincinnati, OH 45241 (513) 779-7210 erickavail@aol.com

R. Gregory Fisher 12349 Center Rd. Traverse City, MI 49686-8558 (231) 223-8889 RGF12345676@aol.com

Richard Barnett 900 Garden St. West Lafayette, IN 47906 (765) 464-2020 rbarnett@purdue.edu

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1965 \*\*\*\*

Class Agent Stephen Steele 901 Randell Road Severna Park, MD 21146 (410) 544-4175 sf.steele@comcast.net

Peter Hunt recently retired from the United States Army Tank -Automotive Armaments Command with 32 years of federal service. He plans on spending his free time fishing, hunting, and woodworking; hopefully, with his five grandchildren and his wife of over 25 years, Mary Ellen. Their new home is at 10309 Diamond Park, Interlochen, MI 49643. Give them a call at (231) 276-6078 or email at Huntp@prodigy.net.

\*\*\*\*\*\* 1969

35th Reunion April 30 - May 2, 2004

Class Agents Frederick Elder P.O. Box 24243 Columbus, OH 43224-0243 (614) 863-3312 ComputaxAssoc@cs.com

Larry Willoughby 56167 Harman Dr. Mishawaka, IN 46545 (574) 259-4708 TallWolf@aol.com

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1970 \*\*\*

Class Agent David Sheppard 3261 NE 56th Ct. Fort Lauderdale, FL 33308 (954) 202-3556 Sheppard@prodigy.net

**Dave Sheppard** is getting ready for Alumni Weekend 2005 and would like his classmates to get in touch by email so he can update his records.

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1971 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Your Class Needs a Class Agent! To volunteer, please contact the Alumni Office.

We received an update from **Rob Fair**. He graduated from the University of Mississippi with a B.A. and has had his own lawn care business for the last ten years. A lot of speedwalking helps Rob stay in shape and he enjoys reading poetry. Drop Rob a note at his new email address - grogie1952@msn.com.

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1973 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Class Agents William Strother 5312 Hickory Grove Road Stanley, NC 28164 (704) 560-9096 billstro46@earthlink.net

#### Jon Mobley

4 Indigo Run Dr., Apt. 2623 Hilton Head Island, SC 29926 (843) 768-6792

Mark Rediger has been transferred from the USS Normandy to a new assignment as a member of the Commander Naval Air Force 3M (Material and Maintenance Management) Training Team. They provide training and 3M Program inspections for all twelve fleet aircraft carriers and naval air stations in the U.S. Navy. Mark travels one or two weeks each month and was forward deployed in the eastern Mediterranean during the last Alumni Weekend. He was selected for advancement to Senior Chief Electronics Technician (E-8). It looks like he will be spending the next three to six years on active duty.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1974 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

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Class Agent Charles Kerr 863 Millridge Rd. Highland Hts., OH 44143 (440) 646-9972

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1975 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Class Agents Stewart Barr 129 Griswold Delaware, OH 43015 (740) 363-3249 mojomydog@yahoo.com

William Huggett 1304 Tanglewood Dr. Herrin, IL 62948-9700 (618) 942-5907 huggett@geo.siu.edu

**Bradley Faust** called Howe with his new address. He makes his home at 408 S. Prestwick Lane, Yorktown, IN 47396. Give Bradley a call at (765) 759-3868.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1978 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Class Agents James McKnight, II 1570 Euclid Street #2 Miami Beach, FL 33139 (954) 382-1259 BRIMM3INC@aol.com

Scott Reisland 968 Senate Loop Fairbanks, AK 99712 (907) 451-9095 scott@denaligrizzlybear.com

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1979 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

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Class Agent Christopher Purple 3088 Spalding Drive Mason, OH 45040 (513) 573-6055 cpurple@cinci.rr.com

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1980

Class Agent Gregory Taylor Box 3873 West Lafayette, IN 47996 (765) 497-7753 gregmax@mac.com

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1981

Class Agents Manuel Bustos 2984 South Craig Dr. Des Plaines, IL 60018-4022 (847) 803-6475 MannyB007@aol.com

David Patlin 7211 Quail Run Temperance, MI 48182 (734) 847-4798 Iaurie\_patlin@mshnr.org

Lee Scropos Route #2, Box 121 Jacksonville, IL 62650 (217) 479-0183 scropie@hotmail.com

For the past 20 years, **Stuart Mann** has been working for various CART (Championship Auto Racing Teams) and the Indy Racing League. He has worked with AJ Foyt, Walker Racing, Chip Ganassi, Team Menard and PDM Racing. You may get in touch with Stewart at 8547 Douglaston Ct., Indianapolis, IN 46234, (317) 291-5040, or stumann12@aol.com.

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1982 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Class Agents Arthur Bardell 16862 Savoie Blvd Livonia, MI 48154-3369 (734) 266-0968 abardell@ford.com

Van Kchikian 28865 Streamwood Lane Southfield, MI 48034 (248) 358-5526 vankay@aol.com

We heard in March that Matt Viviano was called to active duty in Iraq. He would be flying CH-47 "Chinook" helicopters throughout the region while performing critical military and humanitarian missions. Matt and his wife are also expecting their first child in November. Hope he is home for that wondrous event!

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1983 \*

Class Agents Brenier Fries, Jr. 305 Stanton Ave. Terrace Park, OH 45174-1241 (513) 624-8398

Michael Kellems 220 Holton Rd. LaPorte, IN 46350-2813 (219) 324-5957 mkellems@csinet.net

James Boaks and his wife, Lee, have moved to 14 Lynfield Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15202. Their new phone number is (412) 766-5005. They were expecting their second child in March.

**Tyler Osenbaugh** is currently an Army Major finishing the School for Advanced Studies in May. He received his Masters in Military Arts and Sciences upon graduation. Tyler was being deployed to Iraq. His wife, Alexandra, and daughter, Alana, will stay in Michigan with his parents. He and Alexandra are

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expecting their second child in August. Send Tyler a note at tyler.osenbaugh@us.army.mil.

1984

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**Class Agents** Nicholas Avery 231 Hidden Forest Rd. Battle Creek, MI 49014-7851 (269) 962-0014 NAvery@abguality.com

Kevin Trzcinski 11 Falcon Crest Circle Napa, CA 94558 (650) 962-8939 Ktraz@att.net

Paul Graegin 2728 Clough Ave. Highland, IN 46322 (219) 923-2059 grap10864@yahoo.com

\*\*\*\*\*\* 1985

**Class Agent** William Jordan, II 19466 San Juan Detroit, MI 48221-1702 (313) 863-4376 nubiangod@timetracker.com

Kenneth Washington is living in a suburb of Los Angeles. He has a career in the music industry, as well as doing film soundtracks and recording projects for companies such as Warner Brothers and Universal. Kenneth's address is 826 Sandpoint Court, Carson, CA 90746. You may phone him at (310) 516-1170 or email him at Letmehearit01@aol.com.

1986

**Class Agents Brad Drew** 3774 April Place Homer, AK 99603 (907) 235-9436 DrDrew@BradDrew.com

Aaron Mitchum 1509 Village Green Dr. Jefferson Hills, PA 15025 (410) 695-0041 mitchams@aol.com

The Alumni Office received word that James Colburn lives at 62 Blain Hwy., Waverly, OH 45690 with wife, Rhonda, and his son and stepdaughter.

William E. Browne received his PhD in Molecular Genetics and Cell Biology from the University of Chicago at the Winter Convocation on March 21, 2003. Dr. Browne, wife, and son have relocated to Honolulu, Hawaii, where he will be completing a National Science Foundation Fellowship at the Kewalo Marine Laboratory at the University of Hawaii. His email is WEB4@alumni.uchicago.edu.

1988

**Class Agents Aaron Coleman** 1590 St. Clair Detroit, MI 48214 (734) 547-9745 colemanaarn@earthlink.net

Matthew McDonagh 15121 Frandsche Rd. Chesaning, MI 48616 (517) 239-5703 mcdonagh@aol.com

Arvin Shekhar (previously known as Amode Agrawal) resides at 905 McClellan Pl., Greensboro, NC 27409. Drop him a note or call (336) 218-8031.

1989

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**Class Agent** Robert Wilburn 18879 Sumner Redford, MI 48240 (313) 535-4672

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1990

**Class Agents Brian Morabito** 2074 Landmark Dr. #904 Indianapolis, IN 46260 (317) 403-7857 brian.morabito@eudoramail.com

Ben Naval 51233 Hollyhock Road South Bend, IN 46637 (574) 233-9333 Ben4U2NV@aol.com

You can reach Kenneth Hedgeman at 2770 Park, Detroit, MI 48201, (313) 441-3519 or at khedgeman@yahoo.com.

\*\*\*\*\* \*\*\*\*\* 1991

**Class Agent** Victor Lawrence 4416 Hawkwatch Way Huber Heights, OH 45424 AmericanFireman@msn.com

Tran Girll

Keegan Faith

March 11th, 2003



David is still stationed in Jacksonville, Florida with

the Navy as a combat search and rescue crew chief and rescue swimmer in the HH-60H helicopter.

David is still working to become a Warrant Officer in the Army flying Apache attack helicopters. He was recently awarded an Air



Medal for flying 75 combat missions in Afghanistan and Pakistan during Operation Enduring Freedom. He could be receiving an early

deployment to Iraq. The following are addresses for David.

AW2 (AW) David C. Brown HS-11 Unit 60160 FPO AA 34099-5711 or

350 Crossing Blvd. #509 Orange Park, FL 32073 (904) 278-4826

David also mentioned that James "Frog" Wilson was deployed with Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 15 Detachment 0815 to Iraq.

St. James Chapel was the location for the wedding between **Duncan Rogers** and **Angela Lake** on May 17, 2003. Cadets served as acolytes, iron guard and tower bell ringers. Chaplains Yaw and Douglass officiated at the service.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1993 \*\*\*\*\*\*

Class Agents Duncan Birch 240 N. 5th Street #3 Brooklyn, NY 11211 (718) 399-3102 DuncanBirch@TDWaterhouse.com

Jason Arnold 360 University Ferndale, MI 48220

Jacob Schuehrer 5404 Samels Rd. Williamsburg, MI 49690-9709 (231) 271-5692 James Streeter 519 Woodcliff Drive South Bend, IN 46615 (574) 246-9342 vacuity25@aol.com

Ben Koch would love to hear from classmates. Ben can be found at 21-D Dickinson, Mt. Clemens, MI 48043. Call at (586) 764-8394 or email attn: Ben Koch at pressline@ameritech.net.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1994 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

10th Reunion April 30 - May 2, 2004

Class Agents Roxanne Scarborough 8853 Peachwood Dr. Dayton, OH 45458-3249 genghis1976@msn.com

Genny Cohen Brown 4818 West Bancroft, Apt. 51 Toledo, OH 43615 (419) 539-7769 genny17@aol.com

Leanne DeFelicé reported that she had talked with **Rachel Shadbolt** recently and that all is well. She is currently working on a cattle farm with her father in Nebraska.

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1996 \*\*

Class Agent Robert Garland 19 Connolly Drive St. Louis, MO 63135 (219) 838-0007 Fenderjazzbassdl@aol.com

Adam Barrows works as a consultant and project manager for a small, environmental firm in Sacramento, CA. He is a consultant in the area of recycling. You may get in touch with Adam at 2405 Capitol Ave., Sacramento, CA 95816. His home phone is (916) 444-6821. Sarah Ashby's new address is 6146 Nalon Ct., Apt. D, Speedway, IN 46224. Her phone number is (317) 247-0811.

Joshua Noriega was married on May 15. No other information available.

The Alumni Office received word from David Kenewell that his son, **Jeffrey Kenewell**, is serving his second deployment to the Middle East region. Jeffrey served six months last year in Kuwait. He returned to Kuwait in May and moved north to Bagdad where he is at this time. He is in the 4BN 1FA, Unit 92925, APO AE 09324-2925.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1997

Class Agents Carlos Jackson 5631 S. Harper Ave. Chicago, IL 60637 (773) 947-9501 c.jackson.1@jsxu.edu

Andrew Redies 4012 Maquire Blvd. #4109 Orlando, FL 32803 ajredies@excite.com

Nick Grinwis 1947 Forest Park Rd. Norton Shores, MI 49441 (231) 780-2125 ndgrinwis@aol.com

Melissa Anders was married on March 22, 2003. In attendance were Connie Ausherman '97 and Jack Sorenson '00 and George Douglass '60.

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 1998 \*\*\*\*

Class Agent Jeremy Bourque 549th Maint. Co. 6-52 ADA CMR 417 Box 5311 APO AE 09264 jeremy.bourque@us.army.mil

Bill and Doris Trout and George and Nancy Douglass attended

Donna McCormick's wedding on April 21, 2003. The service was held at Grace Episcopal Church in Sandusky, OH. Donna's sister, Connie, and Allison Kent '01 were bridesmaids and sang during the service. Kevin Worrell '01 was also in attendance.

Justin Kramer graduated from college in May and moved to 869 W. St. John's Place, Palatine, IL 60067. Call (815) 501-6961 or email Justin at niu\_wiseguy@hotmail.com.

\*\* 1999 \*\*\*\*\*\*

5th Reunion April 30 - May 2, 2004

Class Agents Annie Stuckey 411 N. River Rd. Bristol, IN 46507 (574) 848-7270 alstuckey@manchester.edu

Fritz Behnke 14230 Chase Rd. Reed, KY 42451 (270) 827-0540 Fwbiy@hotmail.com

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 2000 \*\*\*\*\*\*

Class Agent Brian Kuhlman 401 E. Sycamore Oxford, OH 45056 (517) 782-6031 kuhlmabc@muohio.edu

Dan Duncan's mother informed us that Dan was in Germany and she now believes he is in Kuwait. She has forwarded his address and knows he would like to hear from fellow classmates. His address is: LCPL Daniel Duncan 1st FSSGCE Security Company UIC 42303 FPO-AP 96613-1303 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 2001 \*

Class Agent Peter Fortier C Co. 2/75 Rgr. Rgt. Ft. Lewis, WA 98433

Peter Fortier visited Howe on June 30, 2003, after returning from combat tour with the 2nd Ranger Battalion. Peter now lives in Ft. Lewis, WA (see address above) and will be attending ranger school in Ft. Benning, GA soon.

According to Peter, **D.J. Marderosian** has returned from the Gulf on his ship. He is in port in San Diego. **Dustin Smith** is playing in a band and will be attending college in Florida soon.

Class Agents Jennifer Yost 9717 S. 69th East Ave. Tulsa, OK 74133 (918) 298-5654 moonwalk02@aol.com

William Tomassini 38 Glendale Ave. Fremont, OH, 43420 (419) 332-4637 theitalianstallion10@hotmail.com

Andrew White wrote that he owns the largest independent record company in the Midwest and southeast - IG Recordz. He opened a night club - Club IG. Andrew says Howe gave him the responsibility, maturity and focus necessary to achieve these goals. You can send Andrew email at igrecordz@1musicrow.com.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 2003 \*\*\*\*

Class Agents Christopher Brothers 25 Arthur Ct. Crete, IL 60417 (708) 672-5145 Emma Baker 511 N. Sexton Rushville, IN 46173 (765) 932-5713

Senior Diana Richardson is shown hugging the tulip tree her parents purchased in her honor. The tree was placed between the mess



hall and St. James Chapel.

We would like to honor and acknowledge our alumni serving in the armed forces.

Nick Avery '84 Jeremy Bourque '98 David Brown '91 Fred Clark '81 Mark Descombes '02 Daniel Duncan '00 Robert Evans '99 Nate Fleck '95 Peter Fortier '01 Ryan Fox '98 Jason Jarvis '91 Jeffrey Kenewell '96 Calvin Knox '97 John McClelland '85 D.J. Marderosian '01 Robert Medlar '97 Brad Morales '99 Tyler Osenbaugh '83 Mike Querry '98 Mark Rediger '73 Nick Secaur '98 Jodi Smeltzer '95 Matthew Viviano '82 Jim Wilson '91

Please contact us with other names and we will publish them in future Howe Reviews. As we receive names, they are remembered in chapel services.

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#### 1928

John Heyward McKenzie passed away Thursday, February 6, 2003, at his residence in Bloomington. After graduation from Howe, he went on to receive his BA in 1932 and his MS in 1934 in chemistry



from Indiana University. He also graduated from The Harvard Advanced Management Program in 1949. John was a member of Delta

Upsilon at Indiana University, the American Chemical Society, Alpha Chi Sigma, Phi Lambda Upsilon (chemistry honorary). He was general manager of American Can Company; Vice-president of United Carbon, founder and CEO of Agritec Inc. and a broker with A.G. Edwards.

Surviving are his wife, Dorothy; two daughters, Susan and Peggy; five grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

#### 1932

Starr Raymond "Ray" Stevenson passed away on April 27, 2003 at the Select Specialty Hospital in Battle Creek.

An Army veteran of WWII, he served with the Engineer Special Brigade in the Pacific Theatre as a Major. He also served as



Company Commander of the Civilian Conservation Corps. He was employed by A.B. Stove Company for 15 years and then employed as a salary manager at Kellogg from 1950 until he retired in 1974. Ray was a member of the Battle Creek Management Club, Kellogg 25-Year Club and of the Wolverine Council. He also enjoyed traveling. Ray is survived by his brother, Robert, a nephew and nieces.

#### 1934

George H. Cushing passed away on June 30, 2003 in Bunnell, FL. Prior to moving to Florida George was the Director of Public **Relations for Chrysler** International in Geneva, Switzerland and London, England. He was responsible for the company's public relations activities and its local public relations representatives in Europe, Latin America and the Middle East. After leaving Chrysler, he joined American Motors Corp. in Detroit as manager of that company's international public relations operation. He was also responsible for AMC's NASCAR auto racing publicity. He and his wife, Lucile, retired to Florida in 1976. She survives.

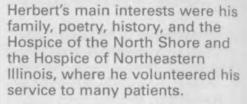
#### 1937

Herbert Twaddle left us on June 1, 2003. Herb earned both a

Bachelor's and Masters degree in chemical engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He retired from the



Navy Reserves as a captain after service in both World War II and the Korean War. He was a former employee of Virginia Carolina Chemical Co., Phillips Petroleum Co., and retired from Amoco in 1991.



Herbert is survived by his wife, Barbara; his sons, Michael and George; his daughter, Martha; and six grandchildren.

### The Alumni Office received word that **Carl Mote** had passed away on February 5, 2000. He is survived by his wife, Hope.



1938

Gordon McMullen, Sr. passed away on March 18, 2003. He was devoted to his family and friends. Gordon was well known for his kindness.

generosity and being a man of honor.

He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was the President of McMullen Tool and Supply Co.



Gordon also served on the Board of Trustees for HMS for several years. He is survived by sons, Gordon and Peter; daughter, Betsy; seven grandchildren and five

great-grandchildren.



1941 The Alumni Office received word that Jack Whitehouse had passed away on July 9, 2002.

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1943



The Alumni Office learned through a mail return that Robert Gay had died on January 5, 2003. No other information is available.

Jacob Way received an email from Alice Kroehle that her father, David Kroehle, had passed away on December 23, 2002 in Akron,



Ohio after a brief illness.

#### 1948

Allen Bass passed away on April 25, 2003 in Jackson, MI. He is survived by his wife, Wilma; daughter, Susan; sons, Ben and David; and several grandchildren. Allen received a Civil Engineering Degree at Michigan State University. He served two years



in the Army Intelligence Corps and spent 18 months in Korea. He was a civil engineer for the city of Detroit. While working for the city, he attended

Wayne State University Law School. He joined the legal department of Consumers Energy in 1962 and retired in 1989 as an assistant general counsel.

1951 The Alumni Office was notified that **Reginald Mallett** II passed away June 10, 2003 in Arlington, Texas.



Reginald was a retired Army chaplain and Episcopalian priest. He is survived by his wife, Betty.

1956

We received word that Robert Thomas, passed away on November 21, 2002. His wife, Phyllis, said he had fond memories of his years at Howe and the



friends he made while a student.



Office received word from his son that Stuart Alfano passed away on February 7, 2003. Stuart is survived

by his wife, Judy and his two sons, Mark and Greg.

1966

We received word in May 2003 from Julia Abecasus that her father, Stephen Abecasis, had passed away on May 30, 2002. Stephen resided in Caracas, Venezuela.



1975

**David Warner** passed away unexpectedly on May 18, 2003. He received a nursing degree from Goshen College. In 1990 he received his degree from Des Moines University, College of Osteopathic Medicine. Since 1999, Dr. Warner has been



employed at St. Elizabeth Hospital in Appleton, WI as Staff Physician in the Department of Emergency Medicine, and the Department of Hyperbaric and Wound Medicine. He also worked at Mercy Medical Center, Oshkosh as Staff Physician in the Department of Emergency Medicine. He is survived by his sister, Ruth, and several nephews and nieces.

We received word from his parents that Earle Allen, III passed away on December 4, 2002 due to complications related to cancer.



2004



The Alumni Office received word on June 26, 2003 that Old Boy Brandon Berry died as the result of an automobile accident.

### FORMER FACULTY/STAFF

Elizabeth Weiss, 99, passed away on February 6, 2003. She worked at Howe as an assistant to the Quartermaster from 1942-1964. She is survived by her son, James '53 and grandson, James '89.

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## Howe Military School 2002-2003 Annual Report

The Annual Fund report acknowledges gifts made to Howe Military School between July 1, 2002 and June 30, 2003. This report outlines the many individuals and businesses who have contributed financially to the school, but there are also those who have contributed to our success that may not be listed in these pages. Whether you attend one of the regional gatherings, open houses or special events on campus, participate on a board or committee, or cheer at an athletic event, you contribute to the unmatched excellence of Howe Military School. We thank you for your commitment to the continuation of the Howe Military School tradition of excellence in education.

Also listed are those individuals who were honored by being named a "Hero in Education". We have just completed our third year of this five-year program. Any person donating to the 2002-2003 Howe Military School Annual Fund was given the opportunity to submit the name of someone they would like to honor as a "Hero in Education." Those heroes still living were sent a letter notifying them of their nomination as a "Hero". They also received a certificate to commemorate the honor.

Throughout this publication you have read highlights of the 2002-2003 school year. In addition to these high profile stories, our cadets have also achieved untold, quiet victories in the classrooms, on the playing fields, and within the corps. It is because of your generous support that these accomplishments have been possible. Your continued support of Howe Military School will help us to achieve new and higher goals and allow us to continually elevate the quality of our program.

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### Society of 1884

Named in honor of the year of the founding of Howe Military School, this society recognizes those whose lifetime giving has reached a level of \$50,000 or more.

### **Herrick Fellows**

Named in honor of Howe's greatest benefactor, the Herrick Family, this society recognizes donors who have contributed over \$10,000 to Howe.

### John Badlam Howe Society

Named in honor of Mr. Howe's original bequest, this society recognizes those who have designated Howe Military School as a beneficiary of their will, trust, or life insurance policy. The school recognizes those visionaries who value the education of future generations and honor the ideals of Howe by making deferred gifts.

### John Heywood McKenzie Fellows

Named in honor of Howe's first rector, members include those individuals who have contributed \$2,500 or above to Howe during a fiscal year.

### Superintendent's Society

Named in honor of Howe's nine former superintendents, this society recognizes those who have contributed \$1,000 - \$2,499 to Howe during a fiscal year.

#### **Honor Guard**

Members include those who have contributed \$500 - \$999 to Howe during a fiscal year.

### Saber Club

Members include those who have contributed \$250 - \$499 to HMS during a fiscal year.

### Sword Club

Members include those who have contributed \$100 - \$249 to HMS during a fiscal year.

### Maroon & White Club

Members include those who have contributed up to \$99 to HMS during a fiscal year.

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Ron Kuhlman, Gordon Wiles '48, and Jerry Kilgore '53 are inducted into Herrick Fellows Society during Alumni Weekend.

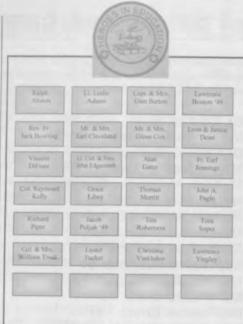
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James Campbell '48 receives plaque and pin as he is welcomed into the Herrick Fellow Society.



David Houser '63 becomes Herrick Fellow during Alumni Weekend.



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John White is inducted into the Herrick Fellows at summer camp for his contribution to build the boathouse.

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In Memory - Thomas Merritt '53 Mr. Henry Abts '36 Aero Club Mr/Mrs. Brenn Arklie Dr. Jeffrey Bassett Dr. J. Bruce Burke '51 Mr/Mrs. Robert Burrell Mr/Mrs. Waller Caldwell, Jr. Mr. Joseph Christoff Dr. Frances Couch/RJ Zamberlan Mr. Jeffrey Eash Mr/Mrs. Brenier Fries, Sr. '49 Ms. Juanita Gibson Mr. Rich Gread Mr. David Hackett '51 Mr/Mrs. Robert Havens Mr/Mrs. H. David Houser '63 Mr/Mrs. Robert Hollenberg Mr/Mrs. Ralph Huggett '43 Hon, William Johnson '51 LaGrange Rotary Club Mr/Mrs. Craig Lewis Mr/Mrs. Richard Loney Dr/Mrs. John McKibben Mr/Mrs. Gordon McMullen '63 Meadowshores Park Assoc. Mr/Mrs. John C. Lloyd, Jr. '53 Mr/Mrs. John Pagin Mr/Mrs. James Parker

Mr/Mrs. Joseph Parker Mr/Mrs. Chris Pedersen & Family

Mr. James Perkins Mr/Mrs. Joseph Pierce Mrs. Gloriann Poljak Mr. Frank Mayo Sanders Mrs. Margery Schaeffer Mr/Mrs. Matthew Scott Mr/Mrs. Oscar Stevens Mr/Mrs. Jack VanAntwerp Mrs. Jean Ann Veach Mr/Mrs. John Wattles '49 Ms. Annetta Whitig Mr. Jeffrey Yoder '65

In Memory - Travis Pearse, Sr. Anonymous Mr/Mrs. Royal Danley Mr. Gary Hegerberg Mr/Mrs. Ronald Johncox Mr/Mrs. Ronald Kuhlman Mr/Mrs. Philip Riley, Ill Mr/Mrs. John Wattles '49

In Memory - H. Lee Rose '45 Mr/Mrs. Gerald Angelot

In Memory - Elizabeth Weiss Century Bank & Trust Mr/Mrs. Willard Copp '53

Parent's Association Silent Auction Donors The following individuals and businesses donated items to the Parent's Association silent auction held February 8, 2003

Applebee's Mr/Mrs. David Armstrong Mr/Mrs. Mike Barton Ms. Robin Bertucci Mrs. Johanna Birutschenko Mr/Mrs. Charles Brothers Mr/Mrs. Ronald Canacci Mrs. Gail Carney Mr/Mrs. Sam Carney

Mr/Mrs. Michael Carter Central Florists Ms. Jean Clement Cottin's Hardware DaVinci's Mr/Mrs. Jerry Davis Mr/Mrs. Eugene Dixon Mr. John Edgecomb Farmstead Inn **Fiebig Jewelers** Mr/Mrs. Michael Flannery Mr/Mrs. Leo Gaitor Great Lakes Chocolate Company Ms. Naomi Hicks Mr/Mrs. Britt Hinton Holiday Inn Express - Howe Howe Alumni Association Howe Military School Library Howe Parent's Association Howe Restaurant Mr/Mrs. John Hoyle Hungry Howie's Mr/Mrs. Edward Huvck Ms. Joan Jacob Mr/Mrs. Stuart Jahr Mr/Dr. Gary Jarkewicz Mr/Mrs. Phillip Jones Mr/Mrs. James Knight Ms. Mary Kobierecki Mr/Mrs. Jeff Kueltzo Ms. Gail Larsen Mr/Mrs. William Laub Mr/Mrs. Steven Lewellan Mr/Mrs. Lawrence Liotta Longstreet Furniture Lowry's Books Ms. Stacev McIntosh Mrs. Jean Miller Ms. Peggy Muller Ms. Sue Myers Ms. Kim Naypower Norm's Floral Papa John's Mrs. Judy Perkins Ms. Vivien Pierson Mr/Mrs. Ralph Reinhart

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This year the Parent's Association raised nearly \$5,600 from their annual silent auction.

> **Class Gifts** Several individuals made contributions that were designated as class gifts.

Class of 1981 - \$200 Class of 2002 - \$483 Class of 2003 - \$200

#### Although every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this report, listing donors is a complex task, subject to error, both human and computer, If your name does not appear in this report and it should, or if it is listed incorrectly, please accept our apologies and our thanks. We ask that you notify the Development Office of any errors, so that we may correct our records.

Thank you. **Development Office** 260-562-2131, ext. 227 or 228 Email: alumni@howemilitary.com

#### **Constituency Codes**

Alumni graduation years are listed after their names. Other donor constituencies are: FS - Faculty/Staff

- CP Current Parents
- FP Former Parents
- NT Non-Alumni Trustee
- LB Local Business

FR - Friends

- FO Foundations GR - Grandparents
  - CO Company

Donors listed in bold have given to the HMS Annual Fund consistently for the past five or more years.

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|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|---------|------------|--------------|-----------|
|                               | Annual Fund<br>Unrestricted | Annual Fund<br>Restricted | Capital | Endowment  | Gift-in-Kind | Totals    |
| Trustees                      | \$10,233                    | \$17,921                  |         |            | \$7,027      | \$35,181  |
| Alumni                        | \$54,177                    | \$78,713                  | \$1,000 | \$250      | \$4,196      | \$138,336 |
| Parents & Grandparents        | \$30,460                    | \$13,494                  |         |            | \$13,234     | \$57,188  |
| Friends                       | \$2,960                     | \$31,026                  |         |            | \$3,885      | \$37,871  |
| Faculty/Staff                 | \$160                       | \$1,075                   |         |            | \$1,494      | \$2,729   |
| Foundations &<br>Corporations | \$1,491                     | \$265,743                 |         |            | \$20,275     | \$287,509 |
| Estates                       | \$26,264                    | \$85,000                  |         | \$1,000    | \$30         | \$112,294 |
| Total Giving                  | \$125,745                   | \$492,972                 | \$1,000 | \$1,250    | \$50,141     | \$671,108 |

# 2002-2003 Annual Giving by Class

|         | Year | Donors | %  | Amount Given |   | Year | Donors | %  | Amount Given |
|---------|------|--------|----|--------------|---|------|--------|----|--------------|
| Reunion | 1928 | 1      | 14 | \$50.00      |   | 1961 | 3      | 7  | \$1,300.00   |
|         | 1931 | 1      | 20 | \$9,000.00   |   | 1962 | 3      | 6  | \$1,100.00   |
| Reunion | 1933 | 2      | 20 | \$300.00     | Reunion                                   | 1963 | 8      | 14 | \$6,000.00   |
|         | 1934 | 1      | 14 | \$25.00      |   | 1964 | 4      | 8  | \$1,888.00   |
|         | 1936 | 1      | 14 | \$1,050.00   | 1   | 1965 | 4      | 6  | \$750.00     |
|         | 1937 | 4      | 57 | \$1,225.00   | 1   | 1966 | 5      | 8  | \$4,302.00   |
| Reunion | 1938 | 1      | 13 | \$750.00     | C. S. | 1967 | 4      | 6  | \$500.00     |
|         | 1939 | 4      | 31 | \$1,725.00   | Reunion                                   | 1968 | 2      | 3  | \$200.00     |
|         | 1940 | 4      | 27 | \$1,350.00   |   | 1969 | 1      | 2  | \$4,010.00   |
|         | 1941 | 7      | 47 | \$995.00     |   | 1970 | 3      | 6  | \$900.00     |
| Reunion | 1943 | 8      | 30 | \$2,350.00   |   | 1971 | 1      | 2  | \$4,537.00   |
|         | 1944 | 3      | 9  | \$360.00     | Reunion                                   | 1973 | 2      | 8  | \$181.00     |
|         | 1945 | 2      | 8  | \$75.00      |   | 1974 | 1      | 3  | \$100.00     |
|         | 1946 | 3      | 13 | \$300.00     |   | 1975 | 3      | 8  | \$1,015.00   |
|         | 1947 | 3      | 12 | \$379.00     |   | 1976 | 2      | 7  | \$1,061.00   |
| Reunion | 1948 | 22     | 69 | \$8,475.00   |   | 1977 | 3      | 8  | \$629.00     |
|         | 1949 | 21     | 46 | \$25,024.00  | Reunion                                   | 1978 | 2      | 7  | \$170.00     |
|         | 1950 | 3      | 9  | \$959.00     |   | 1980 | 1      | 3  | \$1,530.00   |
|         | 1951 | 8      | 19 | \$2,063.00   |   | 1981 | 1      | 4  | \$25.00      |
|         | 1952 | 5      | 13 | \$1,720.00   | Reunion                                   | 1983 | 2      | 7  | \$211.00     |
| Reunion | 1953 | 21     | 48 | \$42,651.00  |   | 1984 | 1      | 2  | \$25.00      |
|         | 1954 | 12     | 32 | \$5,200.00   |   | 1985 | 1      | 4  | \$200.00     |
|         | 1955 | 8      | 27 | \$12,329.00  | Reunion                                   | 1988 | 1      | 4  | \$20.00      |
|         | 1956 | 5      | 16 | \$8,653.00   |   | 1992 | 1      | 2  | \$17.00      |
|         | 1957 | 4      | 9  | \$1,732.00   | Reunion                                   | 1993 | 1      | 2  | \$20.00      |
| Reunion | 1958 | 3      | 6  | \$225.00     |   | 1999 | 1      | 4  | \$250.00     |
|         | 1959 | 3      | 8  | \$980.00     |   | 2001 | 1      | 5  | \$300.00     |
|         | 1960 | 4      | 8  | \$511.00     | 1   |      |        |    |              |

Total number of alumni contributing in 2002 is 226, for a total of 9%.

## **Howe Military School Calendar**

2003-2004 School Year

### 2003

### 2004

| August 11             |  |
|-----------------------|--|
|                       | niors & Athletes Report & Register                             |
|                       | (10:00 a.m 2:00 p.m.)  |
| August 18             | New Faculty Orientation Starts<br>New Cadets Report & Register |
| 0                     | (10:00 a.m 2:00 p.m.)  |
| August 22             | Faculty In-service Orientation                                 |
|                       | Old Cadets Report & Register                                   |
|                       |  |
| August 25             | Classes Begin  |
|                       | Closed Weekend   |
|                       | Alumni Association   |
|                       | Board Meeting  |
|                       | New Parent Orientation   |
|                       | New Cadets' Ceremony   |
|                       | Executive Parents' Board Meeting                               |
|                       | Board of Trustees' Meeting                                     |
| September 15-20       |  |
|                       | GOE Test   |
|                       | Grades 10,11,12 (Tentative)                                    |
|                       | First 6 Weeks'   |
|                       | Grading Period Ends  |
|                       | Founders' Day Weekend  |
|                       | Founders' Day Ball<br>NHS Fall Initiation                      |
|                       |  |
|                       | Executive Parents' Board Meeting                               |
|                       | Preliminary Scholastic   |
|                       | Aptitude Test (PSAT)   |
|                       | Fall Sports Banquet  |
| October 24 (12:30 p.n | n.) to Open<br>) Weekend                                       |
|                       | Scholastic Aptitude Test(SAT)                                  |
|                       | Alumni Association   |
|                       | Board Meeting  |
|                       | Board of Trustees Meeting                                      |
| November 14           | Second 6 Weeks' Grading<br>Period Ends                         |
| November 26 (12:30)   | p.m.) toThanksgiving   |
|                       | m.) Vacation   |
| December 14           | Lessons & Carols   |
|                       | Boar's Head Dinner   |
|                       | (Mandatory Cadet Attendance)                                   |
| December 19 (12:30 p  | o.m.)Christmas<br>Vacation Begins                              |
|                       |  |
|                       |  |

### \*Denotes Closed Weekends (CALENDAR DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

| January 4 (7:15 p.m.) Christmas Vacation Ends<br>January 13-15 Semester Examinations<br>January 16 Third 6 Weeks'/Semester |
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| January 17New Cadets Report & Register   |
|  |
| January 19 Second Semester Classes Begin<br>January 31 Alumni Association  |
| February 3Blood Drive<br>February 6-8*Parents' Weekend   |
| Executive Parents' Board Meeting   |
| Conferences With Masters   |
|  |
|  |
| February 9 Board of Trustees' Meeting  |
| February 16  |
| February 18 (12:30 p.m.) to Mid-Winter   |
| February 22 (7:15 p.m.) Break  |
| February 27Fourth 6 Weeks'   |
| Grading Period Ends  |
| March 9-11   |
| Grades 11 & 12 (Tentative)   |
| March 18 Winter Sports' Banquet  |
| March 19 (12:30 p.m.) to Spring  |
| March 28 (7:15 p.m.)Break  |
| April 9 (12:30 p.m.) to Easter   |
| April 12 (7:15 p.m.)Break  |
| April 16 Fifth 6 Weeks<br>Grading Period Ends  |
| April 30 to Alumni   |
| May 2*   |
| May 1 Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT)   |
| May 3  |
| May 4 Advanced Placement Test (Tentative)  |
| May 7-9* Mothers' Day Weekend  |
| Conferences With Masters   |
| Executive Parents' Board Meeting   |
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| May 21 Mrs. Howe's Anniversary   |
| Spring Sports Banquet  |
| May 25-27 Second Semester Examinations   |
| May 28Sixth 6 Weeks'/Semester  |
| May 29* Commencement Weekend   |
| Awards Ceremony  |
| School Ends  |
| June 20 - July 30  |
| June 20 - July 91st 3 Weeks' Summer Camp   |
| July 11 - July 302nd 3 Weeks' Summer Camp  |
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## Worth the Wait!

Fifty years seems like a long time to wait for something you have wanted your entire life. For Tim Marsh '54 and Ron Swanson '55, the wait was well worth it. Both Tim and Ron were presented with an Honorary Varsity H letter and membership in the VHC during the Commencement awards ceremony this year.



Ronald Swanson '55 was a four-year varsity cross-country and track letterman, as well as receiving a varsity letter in baseball and decathlon. Alumnus, Jim Weiss '53, also presented Ron with his original paddle that was used when Ron pledged the VHC in 1954. Ron is a past president of the Alumni Association, has served with the Association for 25 years and chaired the 100 year celebration of Howe Military School.

Charles (Tim) Marsh '54 attended Howe for eight years. During his high school career, Tim lettered as the varsity baseball manager and was a three-time letterman in wrestling. On occasion, Ray Kelly would have Tim wrestle in three or four different weight

classes; he did not lose a match. In 1952 he placed second at sectionals and in 1953 he placed third. During his senior year, Tim not only won the sectional and regional championship but also placed fourth at the state meet in the 98 pound class. He was undefeated in three years of dual-meet competition in the 98 pound class.



The final Honorary Member of the VHC was Jessica Montgomery. Ms. Montgomery has taught Lower School science and has spent the last

six years teaching the 5th grade class. As a coach, Ms. Montgomery coached varsity girls' volleyball and 7th and 8th grade basketball. She coached both the 7th and 8th grade basketball teams for the last four years. She did a fantastic job teaching her teams strong fundamentals and a teamwork ethic. She will be greatly missed as a coach.



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