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# The Ellsworth High School Alumni Association

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## President's Message



Dear Fellow Alumni,

For the third year, the Covid-19 pandemic resulted in the EHSAA's going into lock-down. As a result: (1) there were no fundraising activities; (2) there was no annual meeting; and (3) all Board meetings were held via Zoom. Class reunions were, however, in person. At the annual election of Board members in May, Rebecca Boudreau '96, Morgan MacKenzie '06, Troy Tainter '81, Ernest Tracy '54, and Jerry Troger '96 were reelected.

Thanks to your generosity and with wise oversight by our Investment Committee the endowment fund market value as of September 30, 2022 is **\$841,914**. This year 16 scholarships totaling \$21,000 were awarded. Gifts to the endowment are deposited directly to that fund. Donations earmarked for operations pay for insurance and operating fees such as investment and State and Federal reporting. When a surplus is available, support is given to EHS student activities. For example, the EHS Band has been selected to represent the State of Maine at the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the dedication of the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, DC, in November. The cost of this trip is \$55,000.00. For information about how to help fund this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for our students, go to the Alumni web site <https://www.ellsworthalumni.org/donations-needed-for-band-trip/>. And while you are visiting the web site, take a moment to join EHSAA and pay your annual \$10.00 dues.

Michael E. Povich '61, President

## Morgan Mackenzie, Scholarship Chair, Announces Scholarship Recipients

	Student	Class	Attending	Concentration
<b>Named Scholarships (\$2,000)</b>				
Leah S. Allen	Darren Easler	2022	Northeastern University	Chemical Engineering
Paul and Patricia Firlotte	Amber-Rae Pesek	2022	University of New England	Medical Biology
George Ray	Ellie Kane	2022	Simmons University	Political Science
Povich/Rotary	Alicia Havey	2022	University of Maine	Chemical Engineering
Tracy Family	Elena Springer	2022	Miami University	Marketing
<b>\$1,000 Scholarships</b>				
	Abigail Bland	2022	Eastern ME Comm. College	Medical Radiography
	Bailey Clarke	2022	University of Massachusetts	Business Management
	Abigail Erwin	2022	Husson University	Biology
	Lucas Fendl	2022	St. Joseph's College	Nursing
	Amie Lupo	2022	University of So. Maine	Nursing
	Cody Olson	2022	University of Maine	Illustration
	Paige Sawyer	2022	University of Maine	Nursing
	* Jocelyn Boudreau	2021	Mira Costa College	Nutrition
	Elise Dow	2021	Husson University	Doctor of Pharmacy
	* Mark Fuller	2021	Champlain College	Film Making
	Kaitlin McCullough	2019	University of Maine	Music Education
	Rebecca Boudreau	1996	Capella University	Educational Leadership



\* Previous Scholarship Awardee

*Congratulations to all! We wish you every success!*

## Investment Committee

2022 has been a challenging time to have money in the investable markets. Although one might worry about gifts to the Endowment, be assured that the Investment Committee is a seasoned group of investors well-prepared for current market conditions.

Keeping in mind our goal of providing annually increasing funds for scholarship awards, we do not rely on asset growth, but rather on stock dividends and interest payments from fixed assets. In 2022 we provided more scholarship funds than in previous years. In 2023 we expect to provide **\$23,000** in scholarships.

For over a decade Paul Firlotte '52, Ernest Tracy '54, and Robert Maddocks '60 have capably stewarded the Investment Committee. Meeting monthly with Camden National, the Committee provides oversight of the investments with successful results. This year, we welcomed Thelma Beal to the Committee.

We are grateful for your past and continuing support. Your gifts impact our community and our future. Because of you, we will assist more and more students in their pursuit of post-secondary education. On behalf of our past and future scholarship recipients, thank you.

- Jerry Troger '96, Investment Committee Chair

## EHS Band Invited to Represent Maine

The EHS Band has been invited to represent Maine at the 100th anniversary of the dedication of the Lincoln Memorial on November 12, 2022, in Washington, DC. The EHS Band is the **ONLY** high school band representing Maine.



Photo courtesy of EHS

## Sports News

The 2021 Fall sports season was somewhat of a return to normal outdoor sports. The football team played only a few games due to covid protocols. Both soccer teams made it to the Northern Maine semifinals. The volleyball team won a playoff game. Cross country teams had individual successes. One golfer qualified for the state championship.



The Winter sports season was one to remember. The girls' swim team finished as PVC runner-up and 3rd at the Class B State meet, the best finish ever by a girls' swim team. Boys' and girls' basketball teams played in the tournaments at the Cross Insurance Center and the boys won the Northern Maine Championship. The cheer team was Northern Maine runner-up and a week later was awarded the Sportsmanship Award at the Class B State meet. Indoor track teams returned to the UMaine field house for



meets with many individual PRs. Wrestling returned also



with many individual successes. The Unified basketball team was also happy to be playing games once again. EHS added an

E-sports team a year ago and this year we had a student undefeated in all of his matches.

In the Spring the baseball team won the State championship in a come-from-behind 3-2 victory over Freeport. The softball team finished the regular



season as the #2 seed and made the Northern Maine semifinals. Tennis teams had great seasons and both qualified for the playoffs. Outdoor track teams participated in the Class B State Championship meet at MDI High School.

The Fall 2022 sports season is in full swing with 183 students participating in golf, football, soccer, fall cheering, cross country, and volleyball. **Go Eagles!!**

- Josh Frost '98 - EHS Athletic Administrator

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## Reunions!

**Planning a reunion?** We can provide class lists, addresses and post reunion information on Facebook and our website. **Did you have a reunion?** Send your photos and a brief write-up for our web and Facebook pages. [ehsaa.me@gmail.com](mailto:ehsaa.me@gmail.com) / PO Box 11 - Ellsworth

### 1953



Bud Moore; Herbert Hodgkins; Norma Awalt Dunphy; Charles "Buster" Harding.



Jeanette Swett Walton; Wayne Moon; Leticia Savage Stanley; Corace Frost Bunker; Hadley Jordan; Margaret Royal Dunn; Dick Dunn; Norma Bradbury Albee; and Natalie Moore

**1957 Back row:** John Partridge; Margaret Stevenson Edgcomb; Janet Merchant Danico; Janice Pinkham Eldridge; Lucy Budway Modery; Juanita Walker Wilbur; Caroline Wallon Yeo; Sandra Ashmore Dewitt; Beulah Carter Sargent; Earlene Lunt (Bob Lunt's wife); and Linda



White. **Front row:** Claire Morgan Wallace; Enid Madrell Neleski; and Margaret Rowell Ober.

**1962** Back row: Rick Foster; Perley Urquhart; Wayne Buzzell; Jimmy Day; Cynthia Dorrity O'Neil; Patricia Stratton Johnson; Jeanne Woodard Abbott; Emery Debeck; Judy Osgood Drouin Front Row: Terry Cousins; Steve Saunders; Teddy DeWitt Urquhart; Virginia Linscott Davis; Brenda Clarke Pendergist; Alice Griffon Upton; Pearl Card Fowler; Donna Abbott Ingalls; Sharon Gonzales Awalt; Sharon McGraw Minogue.



**1967** Front row: Linda Joy Pudder; Susan Ackerman Bergeron; Carolyn Stickney Ackerman; Wanda Moran; Mary Blackstone; Thelma Beal Second row: Carol Jordan; Marcia Thompson Farwell; Alicia Cantwell Mellow; Mary Bragdon Wood; Lois Wiggin Shapazian; Linda Jordan Ronnquist; Walter Walker; Ron Nickerson; Joe Delaite; Charlene Fox Clemons; Letitia Jordan. Back row: Bill Joy; Ron Hamilton; Steve Sargent; Jeff Gray; Duane Harmon Not pictured: Patricia Willey Farnsworth.



**1972** reports they had such a fun weekend of celebrating they forgot to take a group photo! Classmates came from as far away as Alaska and Switzerland. The weekend ended with a picnic at Knowlton Park- a point of interest as they were in the first group of classes to be in the new Charles C. Knowlton School!

**1977** Attending: Suzanne Adams; Greg Allen; Earle Archer; Susan (Austin) Saunders; Peter Bedard; Richard Bennoch; Robert Berry; Greg Blethan; Lynda (Boynton) Sperry; Linda (Brown) Patten; Alison (Carter) Cowen; Susan (Clark) Bedard; Tim Davis; Sandy (Dow) Salisbury; Gloria French; Chris Ganong; Kim (Graham) Pinkham; Steven Guthrie; Elizabeth (Hancock) Zacharias; Mike Harmon; Cindy (Hardison) Nickerson; John Harris; Sheila (Havey) Shivers; Debbie Hunnewell; Debbie Jones; Calvin Jordan; Vaughn Jordan; Chuck Louder; Patricia (Lyons) McGinty; Allen MacEachern; Mark Olsen; Debbie Osgood; John Partridge; John Patten; Brian Poulin; Keith Poulin; Kelli (Rogers) Merchant; Vicki (Rogers) Noddin; Greg Sanborn; Jan (Wadman) Huebner; Linde (Farnsworth) Wisner; Cheri Woods; Chuck Yeo; Peter Young; and many spouses and friends.



**1982** Front row: Alicia Holdsworth; Juli (King) Everett; Lisa Jordan Folmer; Diane Wilbur; Jim Lane; Lisa Ranco; Cheryl (McLean) Klinkman; Allison (Smith) Moorwood; Donna (Ingalls) Jancewicz. Back row: Jennifer Dow Saunders; Cammy (Gray) Edgcomb; Vicki King; Wanda Merritt Gatcomb; Margaret Conley; Michelle (Harding) Beal; Everett Beal; Neil Jordan; Joe LaCasce; Debra Armstrong; Jason Allen; Burt Merchant; Maryellen Bromley Toothaker; John Lane; Charles "Chuck" Holt.



### **We Remember (notified between October 1, 2021 and September 30, 2022)**

1937 June Alice Bragdon Davis	1955 Marion Louise Giles Strout	1969 Kathleen J. Bracy Gray
1939 Alta Frost Tate	1959 William G. "Bill" MacLaughlin	1970 William Silsby, III
1942 Lewis H. "Lew" Higgins	1959 Geraldine Annette Wescott Williams	1971 Gary Martin Card
1943 Almond "Buddy" Eaton, Jr.	1960 Courtney Colman Campbell	1971 Donna Lee Clark Haskell
1943 Doris Herrick Hamilton	1960 Mary Louise Reed Church	1971 Richard Anthony Moore
1943 Marshall Holt Smith	1960 Patricia Behr Whitten	1971 Susan A. Anderson Nye
1944 Charlotte Vivian Ingalls Atherton Eastman	1961 Joyce Badger Ashmore	1971 Katherine L. Gaspar Reiss
1945 Marie Williams Hendrickson	1961 Paul A. Davis	1972 Kathleen Ann Cunningham Davis
1946 Glenice Blaisdell Carpenter	1961 Hillard Jay Gordon	1973 Ann Belanger
1947 Katherine Kimball Whitaker	1961 Dwight Malcolm Sargent	1974 Harvey "Butch" Griffin
1948 Barbara Ann MacCarlie Driscoll	1962 Teddy Springer	1975 William Earl Davis
1948 Charles Robert "Bob" Kane	1963 Gerald "Jerry" Swett	1975 Charles "Chip" Simpson
1948 Marion Hamor McFarland	1964 Jane Theobald Allen	1976 Willard "Bill" Goodwin
1948 Edward "Bill" Sargent	1964 Pamela Gail Carlisle Kitchen	1976 William C. Tuite
1950 Gloria Alice Kane Young	1965 Jeffrey Edward Raymond	1979 Scott Grindle
1951 Ann McGraw Bonsey	1966 Arthur P. "Artie" Leighton	1979 Brenda Leavitt-Saunders
1951 Harry Sargent "Dud" Jones, III	1967 Robert Lewis Farnsworth	1982 Maria Lorraine White
1951 Stanley A. Taylor	1967 Phyllis Dian Shea Ihle	1985 John Roland Smith
1952 Harriet Frost Sprague	1967 Richard Springer	1987 Mark E. Swett
1953 James "Dale" Treadwell	1968 Agnes "Tillie" Cantwell Anderson	1992 Terrie Jo Staples Sinclair
1954 Phillip Edgerly	1968 Robert Patrick McVay	1993 Mark W. Sincyr
		1998 Walter Covey, Jr.





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