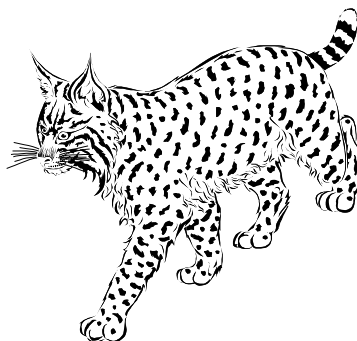


# Wildcat Tales

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From the LVHSAA Board . . .

## Thanks to our members!!

The Las Vegas High School Alumni Association Board of Directors sincerely thanks all of you for your continued support!! Thanks for being members of the LVHSAA! Our success to date has only been made possible by the support of our members! Your donations to our scholarship funds and participation in fund raising activities such as our yard sale, sale of LVHS Alumni license plate frames, donations of yearbooks, donations of vehicles, etc. all add to our scholarship fund. Thanks to your generosity, we are going to be able to award \$11,000 in scholarships this year. Your support has been fantastic! We look forward to your continued support in the future.

**THANKS to all of you who  
are members of the LVHSAA  
and who participated  
in our activities!**

## LVHSAA DUES REMINDER

The LVHSAA is an approved 501(c)3  
tax-exempt organization.

All dues and donations are tax deductible.

Thanks to those of you who joined or renewed since our last newsletter. Remember—**annual memberships expire at the end of September** every year. If you still haven't paid your 2012 dues—it's **not too late** to renew now, so please send in your renewals now! We currently have 350 active members, including 81 **lifetime** members. We need your help to reach our goal of 400 members by this September! So - please send your renewal now, and if you haven't joined yet, **please do so now!!**

**Annual** dues are \$25 for individuals, or \$40 for alumni couples. **Lifetime** dues are \$300 for individuals, or \$500 for alumni couples.

Checks should be made **payable to LVHSAA** and should be sent to Patty Haack at the address shown at the top of this newsletter.

For **new** members, a Membership Application form may be found on our website, or you may call Patty at (702) 876-6660 to request one. Or just send your check to the above address and note "New" on the check.

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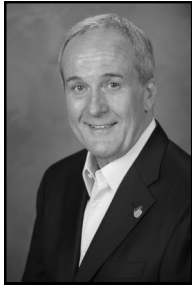
Patty Haack (1956)  
and Rollie Gibbs (1954)

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**Legal Counsel**

Richard Bryan (1955)

**NOTABLE ALUMNI CORNER . . .****MEET LARRY RUVO (LVHS Class of 1964)**

Larry Ruvo graduated from LVHS in 1964. His family moved to Las Vegas from New York when Larry was 6 years old. His parents Lou and Angie owned and managed the Venetian Restaurant in Las Vegas for 43 years. After graduating from LVHS, Larry went on to work for the Sahara and Frontier hotels. He has been in the wholesale liquor and wine business for over 40 years, directing Southern Wine & Spirits of Nevada (the largest wholesale liquor, wine and beer importer and distributor in Nevada) as Senior Managing Director since 1969.

Larry is well known in the Las Vegas community for his ongoing support of charitable organizations, many of which are associated with education and children. For his efforts, he was presented the Altruistic Award by the Meadows School, a pre-K through 12 private school that he helped to establish. As a trustee for the UNLV Foundation, Larry helps to raise money for scholarships in hotel management at the William F. Harrah College of Hotel Administration at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas. UNLVino, another of Larry's endeavors and one of the biggest wine tasting events in Nevada, donates all its proceeds to scholarship funds for College of Hotel Administration students.

Larry Ruvo is also a founding member of the Young Presidents' Organization (Y.P.O.) Nevada Chapter, a former member of the World Presidents' Organization, Bailli of the Chaine des Rotisseurs in Las Vegas, and a member of the Bluecoats in Nevada (an organization established to help families of firemen and police officers killed in the line of duty). He serves as a Board Member of the Nevada Ballet Dance Theatre and a Board Member of the American Gaming Association (AGA). He is a founding member of the Nevada Tourism Alliance as well as the Council for a Better Nevada. He is a supporter of numerous philanthropic endeavors in Nevada as well as nationally and internationally.

In 1994, after the loss of his father, Lou Ruvo, to Alzheimer's disease, Larry made it his mission to make a positive change and hopefully cure the devastating diseases of Alzheimer's, Parkinson's, Huntington's, Multiple Sclerosis and A.L.S. Ruvo worked towards establishing a cognitive disease center, which resulted in his funding of The Lou Ruvo Brain Institute [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Larry\\_Ruvo\\_-\\_cite\\_note-3](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Larry_Ruvo_-_cite_note-3) The institute is unique in its bold mission: to establish the international gold standard in the treatment of patients with dementia and Alzheimer's and in supporting their caregivers. The founding of Keep Memory Alive and now its partnership with the esteemed Cleveland Clinic will forever change medical history in Nevada and around the world. The hundred-plus million dollar building designed by internationally renowned architect Frank Gehry opened in July 2009 and is home to the Cleveland Clinic Lou Ruvo Center for Brain Health. The Cleveland Clinic Lou Ruvo Center for Brain Health has become the world's epicenter for research of these horrific diseases and has hosted numerous international symposiums and seminars, prepared numerous white papers and is making great strides toward finding cures for these brain diseases.

Larry has also been the recipient of many honors. On several occasions, he was honored by the United States Congress. In November 1998, he was knighted into the Order of Saint John Knights of Malta. He was recognized as Man of the Year by MDA and received the 1999 Community Leadership Award from the Points of Light Foundation. In addition, he received Man of the Year awards from the University of Nevada Las Vegas, the Food & Beverage Directors Association, and numerous other charitable organizations. Larry received the UNLV President's Medal and is listed as one of the most Influential Businessmen of Southern Nevada for the years 2004 and 2009 and was also included as one of the Vegas Dozen in 2005. Larry was inducted into the 2005 Gaming Hall of Fame and honored by the Public Education Foundation with the Education Hero Award for 2005. In July 2006, President George W. Bush appointed Larry to serve as a member of the prestigious Advisory Committee to the Arts at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. He was presented the Governor's Philanthropist of the Year Award. In 2007, the Las Vegas Review Journal named Larry Ruvo "Most Favorite Male in Las Vegas." In 2008, Larry was asked to serve as the Nevada Co-Chair for the George W. Bush Presidential Center and continues to work on this historic project. In 2009, he was named Distinguished Nevadan by UNLV and was honored with the Woodrow Wilson Award in 2009. Larry was also asked to join the Board of Trustees of the esteemed Cleveland Clinic in 2009. In May 2010 Larry received the Angel Awards 2010 Humanitarian of the Year from In Business.

Larry is married to Camille and has three daughters - Nicole, Lauren and Brianna.

**PLEASE SUBMIT BIOS ON YOURSELF OR OTHER ALUMNI . . .**

If you would like to submit a bio for the "Notable Alumni Corner" in future newsletters, please send it to Patty at lvowl@aol.com or to the address on the top of page one of this newsletter. Bios will also be posted on the "Notable Alumni" page of the LVHSAA website ([www.lvhsaa.com](http://www.lvhsaa.com)). Thanks!

**WE'D LOVE TO HEAR YOUR FUNNY STORIES!**

If you have an interesting or funny story from your days at LVHS or early days in Las Vegas, please let us know so we can share it with everyone in our next newsletter! Thanks!!

**REMEMBER THE LVHSAA IN YOUR TRUSTS AND WILLS**

Future scholarships can be given in your name or in memory of a family member! Your tax deductible donation to our scholarship fund will have a direct impact on deserving students and the life they are trying to build. Please remember the LVHSAA in your charitable gift giving plans and final wishes. E-mail Matt Shlisky at [chewie46@aol.com](mailto:chewie46@aol.com) or call (702) 876-0814 for details if you'd like to contribute to the LVHSAA scholarship fund.

## 2012 WILDCAT REUNION

**Mark this on your calendar now!** The 2012 Wildcat Reunion will be held on Saturday, September 15.

We've outgrown the ballroom at Sam's Town. Last year we had over 675 attendees. It was very crowded and especially difficult for people on walkers or in wheelchairs to navigate between the tables to visit friends and to get to the buffet line. **WE WON'T HAVE THAT PROBLEM THIS YEAR - we're moving to The Orleans!** The Mardi Gras ballroom at The Orleans will hold up to 1000 people

and we hope to fill it up! And - we'll have the same great buffet and service that we're used to at Sam's Town!

We have been extremely lucky over the past 11 years - **we have never had to raise the \$40 price in all that time!** Bill Boyd (class of 1949), has been extremely good to us. Unfortunately, as we all know, in the current economy, everything has increased in price and we are probably going to have a very minimal price increase (hopefully only \$5).

We will be mailing invitations by early July, so please make sure we have your

current mailing address!

We're planning some really fun things for this year's reunion, so please plan to attend!



## WHY LVHSAA

By Matt Shlisky (Class of 1964)

The Las Vegas High School Alumni Association has been active for a little over three years now. Participating members know that we are more than just a group of graduates reminiscing about growing up in old Las Vegas. Over the past three years we have, with the help of \$6000 in donations from Alma Chavez Sprague (class of 1939) awarded \$17,000 in scholarships to 13 deserving LVHS graduates who will be furthering their education in Southern Nevada. We have also participated in the LVHS Homecoming with our Wildcat float, have established a Grants program to assist teachers and students, and established a mentoring program. Las Vegas High is the oldest high school in Las Vegas. With the economy the way it is, and the increased competition with other high schools, LVHS needs our help in providing their students with educational opportunities after high school.

LVHSAA has about 350 members—not many when you consider how long the school has been here. We can't grow and improve without your help—and I don't just mean those of us that remember the "old school". **We need to encourage graduates of the "new school" to join us in helping make LVHS the best it can be.** Any ideas or suggestions will be appreciated!



"Old" Las Vegas High - 3rd & Bridger  
(1930 - 1993)



"New" Las Vegas High - West Sahara Avenue  
(1993 to present)

## GRANTS FOR TEACHERS

By Bruce Langson (Class of 1965)

Yes—the LVHSAA has funds available to assist LVHS teachers in improving the learning experience for their students! Teachers, please go to [www.lvhsaa.com](http://www.lvhsaa.com) for the Grant Request form.

Alumni - if you want to put money directly into the hands of a teacher, please donate and specify that your donation is to be used for Teacher Grants. Thanks!

**SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE**

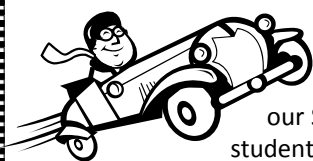
Many thanks to Alma Chavez Sprague (class of 1939), who donated another \$3000 to the LVHSAA this year for scholarships! Over the last three years, the LVHSAA has awarded \$17,000 in scholarships to 13 deserving LVHS graduates. This year we are planning to award two \$4000 scholarships and three \$1000 scholarships. We have recently heard from several of the previous winners - all of whom are attending either UNLV or CSN and are doing great! Our goal is to be able to award more scholarships every year, so ***if you are interested in making a contribution to our scholarship program, please contact Matt Shlisky at (702) 876-0814 or by e-mail to [chewie46@aol.com](mailto:chewie46@aol.com)***. Helping LVHS students and future alumni achieve their goals is what we are all about!

**2012 HELLDORADO PARADE AND RODEO**

The Wildcat float will be in the 2012 Helldorado on Saturday, May 19, along with the LVHS Marching Band. The theme of the parade this year is "Tradition of Past Helldorado Days", so it should be a lot of fun. The Helldorado Rodeo will begin right after the parade, and we plan to have a **section reserved for LVHS Alumni**. We hope you will plan to join us - ride or walk with the float and go to the rodeo after the parade - or just join us at the rodeo! We always have a fantastic time!! Our LVHSAA President Rollie Gibbs (1954) is very involved in this year's rodeo - so let's all go and give Rollie our support!

If you are interested in rodeo tickets, contact Sandy Pettit Backus (1965) at (702) 263-7971 or e-mail to [sbcherokee@gmail.com](mailto:sbcherokee@gmail.com).

We can use your help! Our Wildcat float needs a little "sprucing up", which we'll probably be doing in early May. We can use all the help we can get - so watch our website for the exact date and time and come give us a hand! Thanks!

**LVHSAA VEHICLE DONATION PROGRAM**

Our scholarship program has benefited from the donation of several vehicles recently - a great way to contribute to our Scholarship and Grant Programs for students and teachers of LVHS! Donate a vehicle, such as a car, truck, motorcycle, RV, off-road 4-wheeler, or other objects of value and receive the largest tax deduction available for your donated items. For more details, contact Bruce Langson at (702) 265-1735 or e-mail to [blangson@hotmail.com](mailto:blangson@hotmail.com).

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

The LVHSAA is looking for volunteers to help on various committees (see list on the front page) or with other activities such as mailings, filing, etc. If you would like to help us out, please contact Patty at

(702) 876-6660 or e-mail to [lvowl@aol.com](mailto:lvowl@aol.com). Thanks!!

**HAVE YOU MOVED OR CHANGED YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS?**

If so, please ***don't forget to let us know!*** We certainly don't want to lose you! So let us know by any of these methods:

**Mail:** LVHSAA c/o Patty Haack  
1854 Taylorville Street, Las Vegas, NV 89135

**Phone:** Call Patty at (702) 876-6660

**E-Mail:** [lvowl@aol.com](mailto:lvowl@aol.com)

**YOU JUST GOTTA HAVE ONE!!**

Thanks to everyone that got their LVHS license plate frames since our last newsletter. They are great - and they look really good on your cars, trucks, recreational vehicles, etc.!! They are available for donations of only \$5 each (or \$8 via mail). All proceeds go to the LVHSAA Scholarship Fund. Order yours today!! Contact Patty at (702) 876-6660 or by e-mail to [lvowl@aol.com](mailto:lvowl@aol.com) to pick up a supply. If you'd like them sent via mail, send a check for \$8 each, payable to LVHSAA, to Patty Haack, 1854 Taylorville Street, Las Vegas, NV 89118. You'll love them! Maybe those of you that are planning reunions this year would like to pick-up a supply to sell at your reunion! Wouldn't it be neat to fill up the parking lot at The Orleans with vehicles with LVHSAA Alumni license plates frames!!

**MEMORIES OF LAS VEGAS**

**How many of you remember these?** Do you have any old photos of LVHS or Las Vegas that you would like to contribute to our future newsletters? If so, let Patty know at 702/876-6660 or by e-mail to lvowl@aol.com. We will copy and return your originals if you prefer.



Las Vegas Hospital - 8th Street

### **ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A SPECIAL LVHS YEARBOOKS??**

Thanks to all of you that made donations and had the winning bids for yearbooks in January - **resulting in a nice benefit to our scholarship fund.** Thanks to the generous donations of Peggy Roberts Jacobson (1955) and Myram Borders (1954), we have four more year books available! Also - we have an alumni searching for yearbooks from 1959 and 1960, so if any of you have those and would like to donate them, let us know!

The books currently available are from the following years: **1951, 1952, 1954 and 1957.** You can obtain one of these yearbooks with a minimum \$25 donation to the LVHSAA Scholarship Fund, plus the cost of postage if you live out-of-town. If there is more than one person interested in the same book, it will be sold to the highest bidder. A maximum of two bids will be accepted from any one bidder.

***Bids will be accepted until April 30, 2012!!***

**2012 CLASS REUNIONS**

If your class is having a reunion this year, please let us know so we can post it on the LVHSAA website. Reunion information is currently posted on our website ([www.lvhsaa.com](http://www.lvhsaa.com)) for the following classes: 1952, 1957, 1962, 1967, 1972 and 1973-1976. If you don't have access to the internet, contact us and we'll be happy to provide you with the information.

We know there are more of you making plans. We'd love to hear from classes of 1977, 1982, 1987, 1992, 1997, 2002 and 2007. We will post your reunion on our website as soon as we get your details. If you haven't finalized plans yet and just want to get the word out for classmates to contact you, let us know that too and we'll post that on our website also.

**STREETS NAMED FOR LVHS ALUMNI**

Here are some more streets in Las Vegas that we have learned are named after LVHS alumni:



From Sarah Butler Walker (1970): In the Rancho Nevada development - Gary Stewart Drive (1956).

From Rose Stewart Woodbury (1962): 215 Beltway (Bruce Woodbury Beltway) and streets in Laughlin, Logandale and Mesquite (plus the Post Office in Boulder City), all named for Bruce Woodbury (1962).

From Pat Bennett Bearce (1955): Count Deiro Drive is named after Robert Deiro (1955) (who is actually an Italian Count).

We know there are **LOTS** more out there, so please contact us if you know of any streets named after LVHS alumni. Please send us an e-mail at lvowl@aol.com or call Patty at (702) 876-6660. Thanks!

**Upcoming Events & Important Dates to Put on Your Calendars:**

Board Nomination Forms Due	April 18, 2012
Annual Board Election Ballots Due	May 10, 2012
Annual Membership Meeting	May 17, 2012
Helldorado Parade and Rodeo	May 19, 2012
Annual Wildcat Reunion	September 15, 2012
Annual Membership Fees Due	September 30, 2012
LVHS Homecoming Parade & Game	September, 2012

**WELCOME TO OUR NEW HISTORIAN . . . .**

Richard Franklin (1961) has volunteered to be our Historian. We are very lucky - as Richard is a real expert on Las Vegas history! If you have any LVHS or Las Vegas historic items or memorabilia that you would like to contribute, contact Richard at (702) 431-6390 or e-mail to rgfranklin2000@aol.com.

Many thanks to Myram Borders (1954) for her recent contribution of LVHS memorabilia!

**DID YOU KNOW . . . .**

- The first seniors (there were three) in Las Vegas graduated in 1907?
- The first actual high school building in Las Vegas wasn't on 3rd and Bridger? It was on 4th Street and was converted to a grammar school in 1930 when LVHS opened. It burned down in 1934.
- The school on 4th Street was originally called Clark County high School?
- The campus on 3rd and Bridger was LVHS from 1930 through 1993.

**LVHSAA WEBSITE ([www.lvhsaa.com](http://www.lvhsaa.com))**

Our fantastic webmaster, Dave Williams (1972), updates our website on a daily basis! If you haven't checked it out, you should really do so - there is a wealth of information there!

- You can see a list of all members of almost every LVHS class since 1907
- There are bios on more than 50 notable alumni

- You can see a list of all deceased alumni (by class) and teachers
- There are photos from past Wildcat Reunions, Homecomings, and Class Reunions
- There is a comprehensive history of LVHS
- . . . . and more!

Thanks, Dave, for doing such a great job for us!

**WHAT A GUY!**

(Contributed by Debbie Brockett, Principal of LVHS)

An LVHS alumni, Charlie Steele (1961), bought a trailer for the LVHS Marching Band - for their instruments and uniforms. It is brand new and is 26 feet long - and was over \$9100! The school paid to have it wrapped (designed by a relative of one of the Assistant Principals).

Charlie joined the musician's local shortly after graduating from LVHS and played in house bands (he's a drummer) around Las Vegas for several years. He then was a Band Director at Basic High and several elementary schools for over 33 years!

The school is extremely grateful to Charlie!



**LVHSAA ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING**

Our ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING will be held on Thursday, May 17, 2012 at 6 p.m. in the cafeteria at Las Vegas High School, 6500 E. Sahara. This meeting is **open to all members of the LVHSAA**.

We will be electing three members to our board at this meeting. ***For more details, please refer to the enclosed letter and nomination form.*** If you have any questions, please feel free to call Patty at (702) 876-6660 or send her an e-mail at lvowl@aol.com.

**ENJOY AN AFTERNOON OF GOOD FOOD & GREAT THEATER - By Nancy Murray Harkess (Class of 1960)**

For those of us who miss the Las Vegas High School we once attended - the Art Deco buildings - memories of football, food fights, friends and amateur performances on the high school stage - we have a chance to return to the scene of our glory days. Members of the Alumni Association recently attended *Guys & Dolls*, performed by the current crop of talented students at the **Las Vegas Academy**. Those of us who had seen the play or movie in the past, were amazed to be reminded of the incredible music. Hit after hit took us back to the old days as we enjoyed the talented students portraying the legendary cast of vivid characters. In addition to the awesome professionalism of the students, we were thrilled by the beautiful Lowden Theater. Fresh and new, complete with balcony, wheelchair access, hearing assistance and plenty of adjacent parking, including handicapped spaces.

On **Saturday, April 28**, these same talented young people will offer ***Our Town*** for our theater-going delight. Alumni members are invited to make a day of it by enjoying a meal together after the play at a local eatery with your fellow Alumni. Described by Edward Albee as "...the greatest American play ever written, *Our Town* follows the presentational small town Grover's Corners through three acts: Daily Life, Love/Marriage, and Death/Eternity. Run by a stage manager in a headset calling the cues, audiences follow the Gibbs and Webb families as their children fall in love, marry and eventually - in one of the most famous scenes in American theatre - discover once again just how precious life is every, every moment." All of the main stage musicals are performed with the Orchestra and Band departments providing live music.

***Why not join us for an afternoon of memories and music while supporting the school and the Alumni Association Scholarship Fund.*** The cost is only \$15; however, if we have enough interest, we will be able to purchase tickets at the discounted rate of \$12. Please **call Nancy Harkess at 837-1529** for tickets or additional information. Watch the Las Vegas High School Alumni Association website for more information.

***In Memoriam***

Al Adams (1947) – 12/2010  
James "Chad" Anderson (1957) – 01/16/12  
Leslie Ellen Carson Yates (1965) – 02/15/12  
William E. Ciliac (1953) – 02/09/12  
Robert Collis (1975) – 02/19/12  
Doris Cottom Smith Szabo (1947) – 01/14/12  
Louisa Enright McDonald-Rivero (1942) – 02/19/12  
Rosalie Frehner Williams Eldredge (1960) – 12/20/11  
George Gilbert (1949) – 12/09/11  
Bill Hanson (1956) – 11/2011  
Joe Harvey King (1953) – 01/03/10  
Irene Leavitt Campbell (1949) – 01/24/12  
Eula Linge Bowen (1943) – 01/12/12  
Carole Mace (1956) – 01/21/12

Barbara Maufus Cole (1953) – 02/12/12  
Larry May (1953) – 02/05/12  
Etha Mead Wooten (1942) – 01/07/12  
Howard Miller (1961) – 02/09/12  
John Miner (1963) – 01/13/12  
Janice Raglund Blum (1956) – 02/29/12  
Ray Sheffer (1942) – 02/22/12  
James M. Priest (1943) – 06/09/11  
Gary Reese (1941) – 03/11/12  
Nellie Santa Cruz Smith (1943) – 02/09/12  
Jason Spears (1983) – 12/17/11  
T. Bryant Werner (1957) – 10/2010  
Barbara Wilcox Williams (1960) – 03/02/12  
Marian Wood Freeman (1954) – 01/17/12

***May They Rest in Peace!***

A complete list of all deceased alumni, by class, is available on the "In Memoriam" page of the LVHSAA website:  
**[www.lvhsaa.com](http://www.lvhsaa.com)**

Thanks to those of you that sent us updates since the last newsletter.  
***If you know of anyone else that should be included on the lists, please let us know.***





**5 Generations!! Great-Great Grandma Phyllis Nickel Hoggatt (Class of 1943), Great Grandma Lila, Grandma Ronda, Mother Candice and Baby Athena born 11/29/11**



**Gail (Class of 1944) and Donna Hanley Andress (Class of 1943) as Grand Marshals at the 31st Mojave Road Rendezvous in 2010**



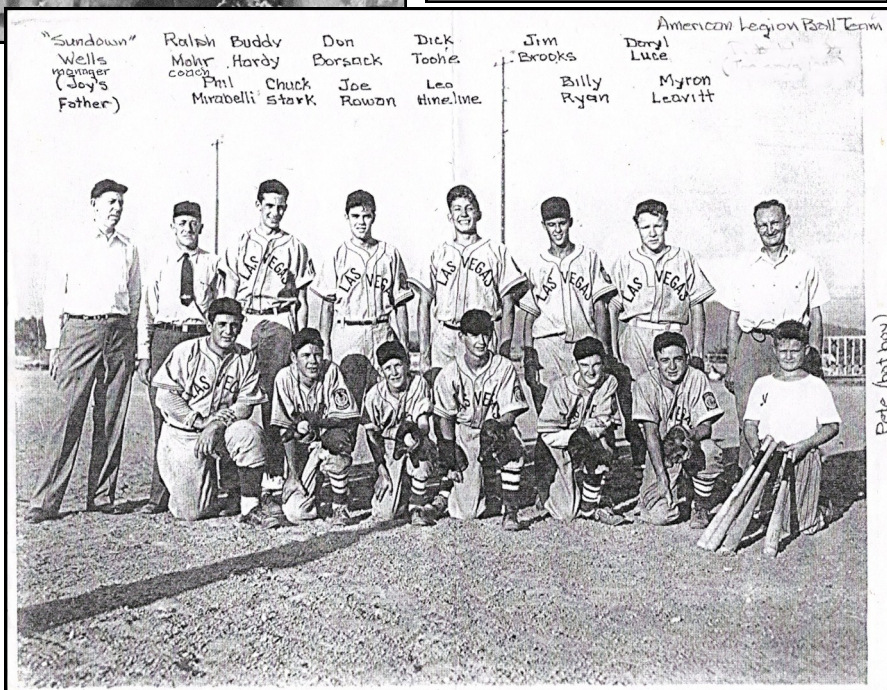
**All dressed up for Helldorado - 5th Grade Class at 5th Street School - May, 1936 (submitted by Phyllis Nickel Hoggatt)**

**First row:** Alicia Rivero, Phyllis Nickel, Wava Luttig, Gloria Richardson, Alice Mikulich, Etola Ballinger, Vera ?, Dorothy Porter.

**Second Row:** Martin Eaton, Jack Ricketts, Bobbie Williams, Emil Hrast, Max Ingram, Bobbie Sheahan, Stephen Igou, Wayne Daugherty.

**Back Row:** Mark Condon, Charles Alger, Walker Davis, Buddy Draper.

**1945 Baseball Team  
Submitted by Peter Mohr  
(Class of 1952)**





# LVHS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEMBERS

*Note: This list is in alphabetical order by last name (by maiden name for the women.)*

## FOUNDING LIFETIME MEMBERS

Jerry Belt (1952)  
Myram Borders (1954)  
Richard Bryan (1955)  
Maynard Chambers (1960)  
Eleanor Connell Ahern (1957)  
Kenneth Flippin (1960)  
Jerrie Germaine Marson (1954)  
Rollie Gibbs (1954)  
Shirley Gilmore Goldstrom (1954)  
Anne Goldberg Hodgdon (1964)  
Art Goldstrom (1953)  
Patty Haack (1956)  
Arlene Henson Oakes (1955)  
John Holland (1953)  
Michael Hollingshead (1957)  
Yorel Hutchinson Barlow (1954)  
Allan Kelly (1949)  
Bruce Langson (1965)  
Jack Milligan (1951)  
Charlotte Muggleston Kelly (1954)  
Nancy Murray Harkess (1960)  
Jack Oakes (1952)  
Miriam O'Donnell Pemberton (1955)  
Diane Pahor Belt (1956)  
John Petricciani (1954)  
George Pinjuv (1943)  
Bobbie Sue Reed Poole (1959)  
Jim Rogers (1956)  
Natalie Stevenson Rittenhouse (1944)  
J. Todd Stewart (1972)  
Judith Stiborek Gibson (1976)  
Alice Van Der Meer  
Jim Van Der Meer (1954)  
Gary Vause (1956)  
David H. Williams (1972)

## LIFETIME MEMBERS

Joan Appleyard Pribyl (1955)  
Mary Lynn Ashworth (1961)  
George Ball (1953)  
Yvonne Ballinger LaRowe (1950)  
Nancy K. Banner (1974)  
Jack Bennett (1954)  
William Berk (1941)  
Jack Binion (1955)  
Bill Bowser (1953)  
William S. Boyd (1949)  
Phyllis Bradley Binion (1952)  
James Brennan (1948)  
B. Mahlon Brown (1957)  
Mildred Callaway Limley (1960)  
Mary Carmichael Cashman (1943)  
Lee Dane (1955)  
Joan Dredge Brookhyser (1965)  
Robert D. Faiss (1954)  
Arthur Foote (1949)  
Julie Fountain Chase (1959)  
Ken Freeman (1950)  
Billie Lee Galloway Schofield (1950)

L. D. George (1948)  
Kenneth Gragson (1954)  
Susan Greenspun Fine (1963)  
John James Herda (1970)  
Terry Jeffers Gialketsis (1957)  
Norman Johnson (1959)  
Lillian Kovats Cross (1965)  
Roy Land (1954)  
Rose McAuliffe Johnson (1945)  
James McClenahan (1956)  
Barbara Meek Bawden (1957)  
Judy Murphy Das Gupta (1956)  
Dale Reese (1960)  
Larry Ruvo (1964)  
Francine Sarno Pulliam (1956)  
Earl J. Smith (1953)  
William D. Sorensen (1949)  
Robert Stoldal (1961)  
Hennie Van Greuning (1972)  
Yvette Weinstein Hall (1965)  
Ann Woodruff Campbell (1959)  
Richard Wright (1965)  
Linda Young Madsen (1959)

## HONORARY LIFETIME MEMBERS

Cathy Langson  
Jim Marsh  
Lou Ann Sodano  
Joe Thomson, Historian  
Brenda Williams  
Lynn Zook, Historian

## FOUNDING ANNUAL MEMBERS

Glenn Alleman (Teacher)  
Lawrence Allin (1950)  
Charles Aplin (1946)  
Gail Andress (1944)  
Don Ashworth (1956)  
Barbara Bailey Baker (1968)  
Terry Berkemeyer Henry (1977)  
Laura Beverlin Chadburn (1970)  
Bob Beville (1953)  
James Bilbray (1956)  
George Bogdanovich (1953)  
James J. Brown (1959)  
Kenneth Brown (1957)  
Laura Brown Brown (1963)  
Carey Burke (1955)  
William Chadburn (1970)  
Melvin Close (1952)  
George K. Davis (1952)  
John Detra (1943)  
Marthe Dunne Covic (1967)  
Ivan Eisenberg (1948)  
Nancy Empey Helm (1958)  
Bailey Fightlin Rubenstein (1955)  
Rana Gee Goodman (1959)  
Patsy George Leavitt (1956)  
Pat Hail (1956)  
William E. Hamilton (1953)

Donna Hanley Andress (1943)  
Mary Ann Hart (1967)  
Don Helm (1956)  
Merrilee Hill Becker (1954)  
Kathleen Horden Close (1959)  
Rodney Imming (1950)  
Carole Inghram Montalto (1956)  
Joylin Johnson Vandenberg (1945)  
James M. Jones (1950)  
Kae Jones Bogdanovich (1956)  
Paul Kellogg (1959)  
Richard King (1952)  
Clarel Komer Krpan (1960)  
Larry Landingham (1954)  
Tiki Lebowitz Axelrod (1956)  
Susan Lowe Shlisky (1965)  
Ben Bradley Maze (1975)  
Dutchy Middleton Jordan (1956)  
Penelope Mitchell Popp (1957)  
Pat Muggleston Thompson (1953)  
Charles Musser (1955)  
Jean Nash Clemens (1946)  
Phyllis Nickel Hoggatt (1943)  
Warren Okelberry (Teacher/Coach)  
Carol Phillips Hail (1956)  
John Pinjuv (1941)  
Darlene Pinter (1956)  
Nancy Pracejus Craft (1955)  
Linda Rankin Givens (1958)  
Sandy Records Brown (1953)  
Marilyn Riggs Schouten (1950)  
Stephen J. Rimel (1958)  
Thomas Robuck (1952)  
Donna Sackett Scallin Oberg (1944)  
Adele Salton Baratz (1944)  
Donna Sanford Lage (1959)  
Albert Schouten (1946)  
Richard Scott (1956)  
Barbara Sexsmith Taylor (1950)  
Matt Shlisky (1964)  
Ron Silverman (1954)  
William Soard (1972)  
Arlene Stanley Landingham (1956)  
Elizabeth "B.J." Stevenson (1941)  
Paul Stokes (1945)  
Donna Tilley Szydloski (1961)  
Ronnie Vause (1965)  
JoAnn Ward Ryan (1954)  
Lois Wentz Durkee (1953)  
George Wilkinson (1953)  
Gene Winn (1956)  
Ron Zimmerman (1965)

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Diane Abercombie Oliver (1964)  
Gail Adams Hardy (1951)  
Victor Yale Adams (1968)  
Robert Allen (1965)  
Susan Alper Vermillon-Mug (1961)  
Ardie Ban Colburn (1947)  
Lorraine Barkard Cass (1956)  
Beverly Barnes Leavitt (1964)  
John Bearce (1953)  
Edward Beecher (1954)  
Pat Bennett Bearce (1955)  
Eileen Bingham Tenney (1984)  
Tom Book (1957)  
Jo Boone Kimball (1956)  
Nancy Bowers Peccole (1959)  
Roger Bremner (1955)  
William Wayne Brian (1960)  
Robert Brinton (1960)  
John Brower (1958)  
Kay Brower Rothman (1955)  
Roger Bryan (1956)  
Judy Burke Keck (1955)  
Margaret Burnson Hendrick (1954)  
Sarah Butler Walker (1970)  
Agnes Butterfield (Teacher)  
Beth Buzbee Karr (1956)  
Elaine Cali McNamara (1954)  
Laurene Gayle Callery Scheeler (1965)  
Rev. Donald Casey (1943)  
Barbara Chase Rowan (1952)  
Jack Cherry (1950)  
Paula Christensen Trimmer (1956)  
Joyce Churchfield Borgna (1957)  
Bart Cohen (1956)  
Pat Cook Brown (1959)  
Thomas R. Cook (1954)  
Thalia Coutoumanos Wilcox (1961)  
Clarice Craig Dean (1970)  
Unette Crawford Wall King (1953)  
Carla Crittenden Kerr (1956)  
Dorothy Damrow Lee (1958)  
Carol Daviess Ackerman (1961)  
Susan Davis Billings (1958)  
Dennis Dean (1966)  
Barbara Dexter Clark (1957)  
Clayton Downey (1963)  
Lavetta Earl Butler (1936)  
Bill Ebert (1975)  
Ruth Epperson Schleck (1950)  
John Foley (1945)  
Alice Froyd Mathers (1950)  
Mike Gerlicher (1959)  
Eva Jean Gibson Borders (1962)  
Fred Gibson (1945)  
Elinor Glenn Shattuck (1956)  
Marc Gordon (1971)  
Martha Graham Clark (1953)  
Patsy Graham Covin (1952)  
Irmalee Gray Ross (1956)  
Janet Gresham Chisholm (1960)  
Robert Gresham (1961)  
Marian Hall Catron (1953)  
Barbara Hampton Givens (1955)  
Gordon Hardy (1957)  
Carolyn Hardy Holland (1955)  
Jeff Harmon (1969)  
Kim Harney Moore (1980)

Carmella Harris Chris (1956)  
William Hendrix (1958)  
Norman Hilbrecht (1952)  
Michael Hogan (1984)  
Elliott M. Hollub (1957)  
Suzanne Hoskinson Scano (1968)  
Marilyn Huntsman Whisler (1955)  
Christopher M. Jacobs (1989)  
Anne Jansen Rauscher (1955)  
Rex Jarrett (1971)  
Toni Jolley King (1952)  
Jerry Karr (1955)  
Kim Keach Laub (1974)  
Kathryn L. Keate Mills (1970)  
Bruce Kirkpatrick (1947)  
Donna Knox Terrell (1947)  
Richard Kopp (1957)  
Kay Kreisler Segal (1979)  
Joe Laub (1971)  
Howard Leavitt (1955)  
Danny Lee (1953)  
Gaylie Ann Lee Shiles (1957)  
Garlene Logan (1957)  
Shirley Maguire Leavitt (1952)  
Joel Manuel (1972)  
Gerald May (1952)  
Robert McGarvie (1956)  
Peter Timothy McRoberts (1970)  
Hope Metcalf Ramsdale (1959)  
Andrew J. Mikulich (1945)  
Judith Miller Middleton (1957)  
Peter Mohr (1952)  
Jackey Moore Clark (1945)  
JoEllen Mott Swarts (1961)  
John Oliver (1961)  
Shirley Ozman Young (1954)  
Peggy Padgett Seigler (1956)  
Robert Peccole (1955)  
Terry Peterson Ray (1963)  
Sandra Pettit Backus (1965)  
F. Mike Pinjuv (1942)  
Susan Pocras Slade (1964)  
Corinne Pool Fulkerson (1955)  
Barbara Potter Manuel (1972)  
Candyce L. Porter Manuel (1972)  
Dennis Powers (1966)  
Susan Raduziner Kelleher (1965)  
Don Rasmussen (1953)  
Michele Rebar (1964)  
James D. Riley (1947)  
Gary R. Ritner (1954)  
Camille Roberts Ortiz (1953)  
E. Claire Roberts Rundles (1950)  
Ruth Rockwell Melvin (1972)  
Sig Rogich (1962)  
Gary Romero (1956)  
Martha Romine Stout (1945)  
R. Ian Ross (1956)  
Marie Ross Tolbert (1950)  
Joe Rowan (1949)  
Joanne Sandquist Dixon (1955)  
Vince Saponara (1957)  
Marsha Scates Anderson (1962)  
William Scheer (1949)  
Jack Schofield (1941)  
Charles Schroeder (1964)  
Gary Scruton (1956)  
Elsie Shaver Perske (1949)

Don Shiles (1953)  
Ron Shlisky (1967)  
R. Jay Simon (1950)  
Jim Smith (1958)  
Scott Starkey (1970)  
Lynn Stewart (1959)  
Rose Stewart Woodbury (1962)  
George Swarts (1961)  
Rhobecca Sweat (2011)  
Everett Syphus (1955)  
Don Taylor (1953)  
Alice Thiriot Waite (1953)  
Jeannetta Thiriot Peterson (1957)  
Carolyn Thompson Trelease (1943)  
Roosevelt Toston (1961)  
Stanley Trinaystich (1954)  
Evelyn Tudor Roberts (1942)  
Rayola Turnbow Bagwell (1956)  
Susie Van Der Meer Pinjuv (1955)  
Sharon Von Tobel Schmitt (1958)  
John W. Walker (1956)  
Robert Wengert (1946)  
Gary Whisler (1955)  
Susan White Watkins (1958)  
Walter White (1959)  
C. David Williams (1948)  
Donna Williams Hardy (1957)  
Peggy Williams Hallerberg (1958)  
Bruce Woodbury (1962)  
Kay A. Woodruff Bigglestone (1957)  
Kay Woodruff Eberl (1955)  
Larry Woodrum (1956)  
Robert Wright (1960)  
Cecil Wynn (1960)  
Justin Yee (2008)  
Patricia Zahn Brinton (1960)  
Karen Zick Goff (1965)  
Phyllis Zimmerman Hart (1958)

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Georgia Ward, in memory of  
Harry Ward (Teacher)  
Natalie Stevenson Rittenhouse, in  
memory of Gerald Snider (1944)

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Hashim Nawaz  
Kelvin Pham  
Paulina Romero  
Rhobecca Sweat