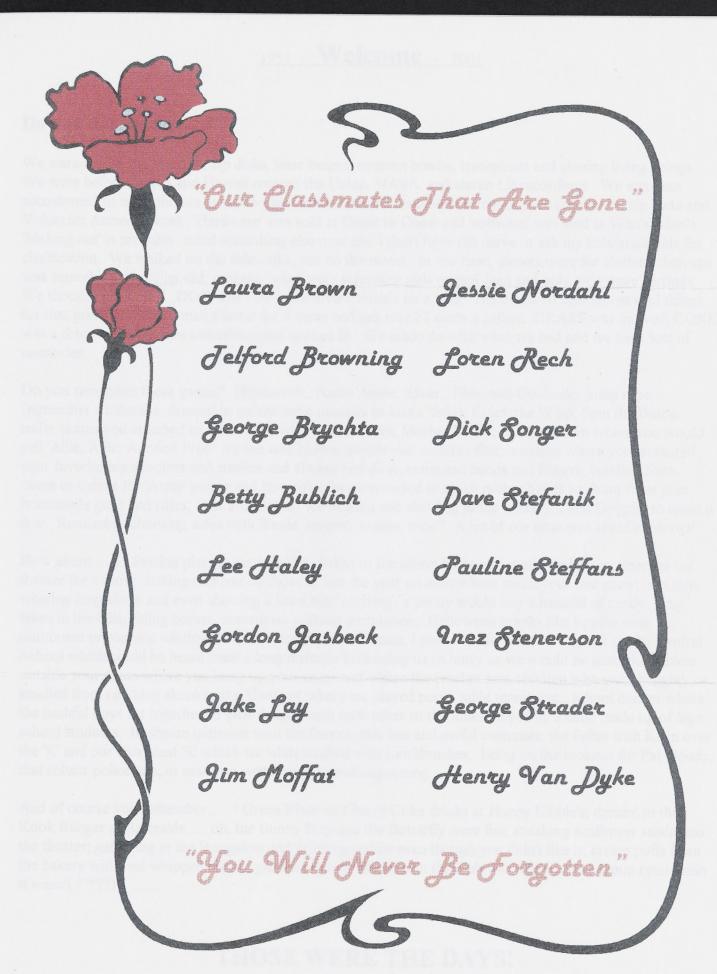


Roundup High School Class of 1951 - 50 Year Reunion Roundup, MT. - July 3 & 4, 2001





Do You Remember.....?

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How about? Putting playing cards in the spokes to transform bikes into motorcycles; matinees at the theater for a dime; having one pair of shoes to last the year no matter how much your feet grew; the girls wearing long skirts and even showing a knee was"exciting; a penny would buy a handful of candy; long hikes in the hills; riding horses, sometimes without permission; Halloween pranks like tipping over outhouses or soaping windows; 'I see London, I see France, I see _'s underpants'. The bell on the Central School which could be heard from a long distance beckoning us to hurry or we would be late; the cubicle outside your room where you hung up your coats and where the teacher sent children who were naughty or smelled from catching skunks; the 'Canteen' where we played pool; table tennis, etc.; school dances where the bashful boys sat together so girls danced with each other to the tunes played by a band made up of high school students; freshman initiation with the famous belt line and awful costumes; the fights with Klein over the 'K' and our cherished 'R' which we whitewashed with toothbrushes; being on the lookout for Pat Doody, that robust policeman, in case you were doing something wrong.

And of course you remember? Green River or Cherry Coke drinks at Happy Kibble's; dancin' to the Kook Ranger at Riverside oh, the Bunny Hop and the Butterfly were fun; sneaking sunflower seeds into the theater; gathering at the Bungalow and drinking coffee even though you didn't like it; cream puffs from the bakery with real whipped cream, giant ice cream cones from the Hub was a basic food group (you mean it wasn't ??!'??)

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Middle row, left to right:

Laverne Carver, Jim Ross, Bob Steffans, Henry Van Dyke, Harold Stubbs, Jean Nesheim

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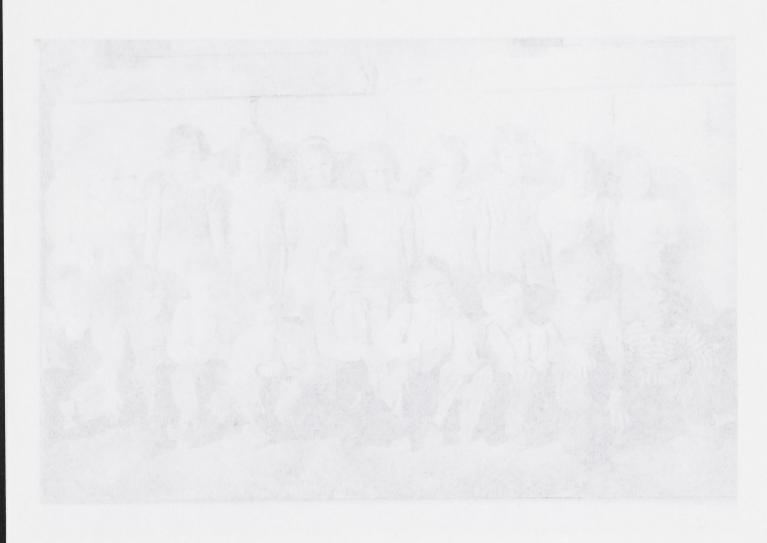
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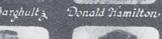


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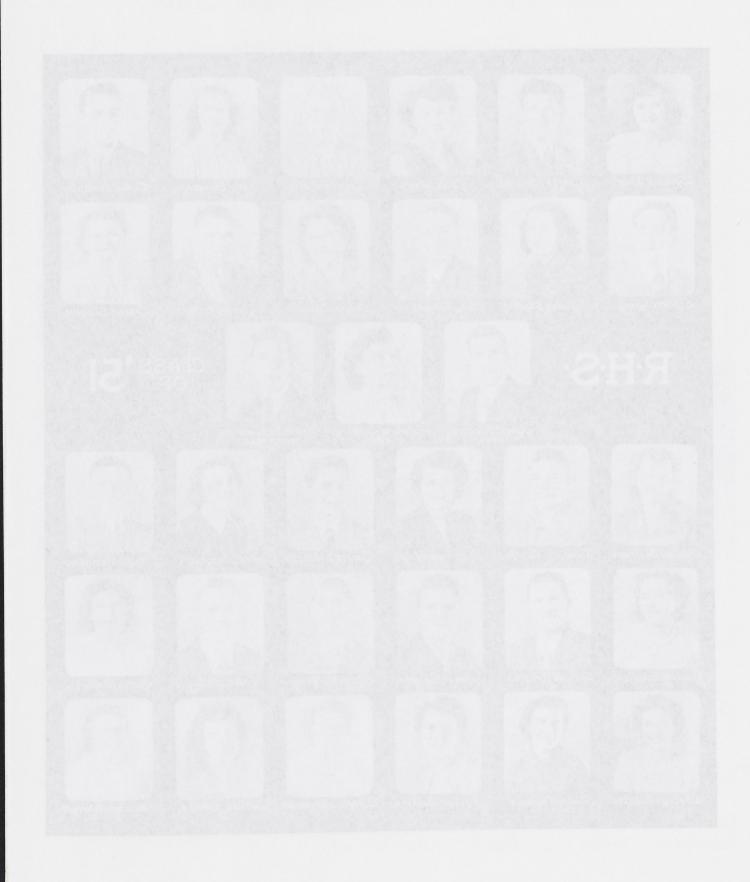
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JUNIOR CLASS 1949-1950 Class Organization

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Vice-president--Robert Hougardy
Secretary-treasurer--Terry Crowley
Cabinet representatives--Inez Stenerson
Robert Gray

Sponsors--Miss Vivian Heald Mr. Bavliss Cummings

Class Roll

First Row:

James Moffat, Adeline Hilderman, Martha Ashcroft, Robert Steffans, Shirley Thomas, Ann Johnson, Jean Nesheim.

Second Row:

Robert Riley, Jane Steen, Letitia Evans, James McLaughlin, Louise Skagen, Betty Bublich, George Strader.

Third Row:

Don Kenczka, Terry Crowley, Robert Hougardy, Inez Stenerson, Robert Gray.

Fourth Row:

David Stefanik, Gloria wooten, Pauline Steffans, Lencre klos, Joan Steen, Marjorie Hall, Bill Pitchford.

Fifth Row:

John Palagyi, Darlene Adolph, Darlene Meznarich, Donald Hamilton, Maxine Watkins, Shirley Williams, Bill Scritchfield.

Sixth Row:

Homer Van Laethem, Evvonne Sandvig, Helen Barghultz, Irene Dawson, George Brychta.

Sophomore Class 1948-1949



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Sponsor--Hrs. Carrie Hulstone

CLASS ROLL

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Darlene Mcznarich, George Brychta, Letitia Evans, Bob Steffans, Shirley Goodman, James AcLaughlin

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Nola Anderson, David Stefanik, Louise Skægen, La Verne Carver, Martha Ashcroft, John Palagyi

Third Row:

Jane Steen, Billy Scritchfield, Darlene Adolph, Homer Van Laethem, Eyvonne Sandvig, Dick Songer

Fourth Row:

Bob Gray, Terry Crowley, Loren Rech, Inez Stenerson

Fifth Row:

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Seventh Row:

Lenore Klos, Gloria Wooten, Betty Dublich, Joan Steen, Rose Marie Graham

Not In Picture:

Gordon Jasbeck, Pauline Steffans, Bob Bolin, Jo Ann Flo, Shirley Williams

Freshman Class 1947-1948



FRESIMAN CLASS 1947-1948

Class Organization

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Secretary--Inez Stenerson
Treasurer--Gloria Wooten
Cabinet Representative--Jean Nesheim
Sponsor--Miss Groming

Class Roll

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Eighth Row: Charles Overend, Shirley Goodman, John Palagyi, Laura Brown, Donald Hamilton, Jessie Nordahl

Darlene (Adolph) Kilby

Where have the last 50 years gone? Seems like yesterday that we walked up the steps on the stage in the gym and were handed our freedom to be our own boss. My freedom didn't last long as Gordon Kilby and I married in March of 1952 and then he thought he was boss! We have had almost 50 years together and thank God for that. We have 2 children, Michael and Lori and 2 granddaughters.

We have lived in Wolf Point, Shelby and Dickinson, N.D. We didn't like moving and we both missed Roundup. We have had a busy life owning 3 businesses. Gordon was in the selling business and I went to work as a customer representative - bookkeeper for Montana Power Company after trying different jobs. That was a good move as I spent 25 years at that job and retired in 1994. We built a cabin in Checkerboard, close to White Sulphur, and spent many good times there. After 20 years we sold it. We now travel quite a bit, but can always think up excuses to hurry home.

We both enjoy doing volunteer work. We also do a lot of hiking, yard work, refinish furniture and tour with others in our 1930's Model A's. Gordon has completely restored a sedan and a coupe with a rumble seat.

We both are in pretty good health and are looking forward to seeing all our old school mates. Thanks to Don Kenczka and Jean Nesheim for their hard work on this reunion.

Children: Michael (47); Lori (45)

Grandchildren: 2 granddaughters

Darlene and Gordon Kilby P.O. Box 628 Roundup, MT 59072

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Martha (Ashcraft) Schnurr

Bill and I were married in 1957. We lived in Long Beach, CA. until 1961. Bill was transferred to Illinois where he worked for a plastic company.

We have 13 wonderful grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. Eleven grand kids live around us so that means I will never move anywhere else.

We travel quite often....just got back from Punta Cava in the Dominican Republic in January. In Feb. we spent a week in Naples, Florida. We have a son in Scottsdale, AZ. so we are going there in March.

We attend Oak Brook Christian Church.....it's an Assembly of God Church. We've been Born Again Christians for 29 years. It's the most exciting life when you know how much Jesus loves you!

I want the thank everybody who has worked so hard to put this reunion together. It will be great seeing everybody. Seems like only yesterday we graduated.....well maybe not.

Spouse's name: Bill

Children: Mike -52; Bob - 50; Ron - 48; Tandy - 43; Donna - 36; Scott - 34

Grandchildren: 13

Occupation: Retired

Hobbies: Reading and spending time with my Grandchildren

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Helen (Barghultz) Frank

Since high school, I have worked as a dental assistant, bookkeeper, and a rental property manager. I also spent 29 years in the real estate business – real estate broker. I owned Preferred Properties.

Children: Cyndi - 42 (real estate broker), Vicki - 40 (certified nurse assistant)

Grandchildren: My first to be May 31st. -- a Girl

Occupation: Retired

Hobbies: Volunteering at a nursing home, hospital and senior center Traveling

Helen (Barghultz) Frank 1002 West Babcock Bozeman, MT. 59715

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Laverne H. Carver

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I started a photography business; photo greeting cards, calendars and advertising photos.

I play music with a band for dances three days a week, except in July and August when I go camping and fishing.

I enjoy good health and am enjoying semi-retirement.

My wife is deceased.

My children are: Sue (43); Pam (39); Lori (34)

I have 3 grandchildren

My hobby is playing music with a dance band

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Terry (Crowley) Haag

I really am disappointed that we have to miss the reunion. We committed ourselves to Ray's reunion in N.D. on the same days. We will be stopping in Roundup either going or coming back.

Three months after graduation from high school, I was employed by Winfrey Exploration Co. as a Junior Computer. I moved with this company to Lewistown and then to Dickinson, N.D., where I met and married my husband, Ray Haag.

We moved to Eugene, OR. in Sept. of 1953 and lived there for a total of 25 years — we were in Seattle for $2\frac{1}{2}$ years working for the Boeing Co. and then returned to Eugene.

With only 24 hours notice, we became parents. We brought our son home from the hospital Dec. 15, 1963. We got our daughter July 7, 1966. Our children totally changed our way of life — a happy and wonderful change.

We left Eugene and moved to Montana and then to Calif. where Ray worked for and retired from Shell Oil Co. — I worked for Douglas Aircraft Co. and retired from Boeing who purchased Douglas about a year before I retired.

After 48 years of some rough times and a lot of good times and 5 grandchildren, here we are...back in Montana.

Although I don't know that many people in Roundup anymore, I still love to come "home" and visit with Tootsie Bartow and her family, Darlene and Gordon Kilby and Jean Nesheim.

Spouse: Ray Haag

Children: Tim (37); Johna (34)

Grandchildren: 3 granddaughters and 2 grandsons

Occupation: Secretary, accountant, office manager, administrative assistant, technical data analyst,

procurement analyst

Hobbies: Gardening, fishing, RV'ing

Ray & Terry (Crowley) Haag 220 Kootenai Dr. Libby, MT. 59923

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Irene (Dawson) Sieler

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Our daughter Jeanette Salveson and husband Jim have 2 children, 1 boy and 1 girl. Eugene and his wife Margo have 3 boys. Jami Marvette isn't married. Our second daughter Lola has 1 girl Leah Ann Vetsch.

Spouse's name: Marvin A. Sieler

Children: Jeanette (47); Lola Ann (45)

Grandchildren: 3

Occupation: Minister's wife.

Hobbies: Crafts, oil painting and gardening.

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Children: Evan (45); Allison (41)

Grandchildren: 2

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Occupation: Retired

Military Service: U.S. Army – 30 April, 1951 to 1 September, 1971

Hobbies: Gardening

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In 1970 received my pilot's license, closed the detective agency and divorced. Moved to Helena and went to A&P School (Air Frame & Power Plane); completed school in 1972. In 1974 moved to San Francisco Bay Area to work for British Petroleum as a materials expediter. Sent to Alaska in 1975 for the aborted SeaLift, after two months in Alaska knew I wanted to live there.

Upon returning, I met my present wife Leslie; eight months later we were married and transferred to Alaska. For the next eighteen years worked for BP, Husky Oil and Alyeska Pipeline Service Co. On the side opened Alaska Crating Banding, which provided the funds for a 180 Cessna on floats, sold business in 1985. The plane gave us a way to see Alaska for the next twelve years.

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Children: David (47); Cheryl (44); Donald (41); Debby (38); Lori (35); Sandy (43); Daniel (41)

Grandchildren: 7

Great Grandchildren: 1 son

Hobbies: Flying; building radio controlled model airplanes, boats and cars; motorcycle touring

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Adeline (Hilderman) Wolford

After I left Roundup, I graduated from High School in Superior, Wisconsin. I met my husband in Portland, OR.. Lived in Washington State, Arizona and Texas. We then finally settled in the Chicago area where my 3 sons grew up and married. I divorced in 1973 and never remarried. When I was laid off from my job with Rockwell International, I went down to the Florida Keys in 1988 where I stayed until 1999 and then came to Vancouver, WA. I have a 92 year old Mother here and my sister Kathleen. As of this past January, two of my sons and their families now live here. Now, if my third Son will move here...... Their Father died in 1982. I miss the Keys. It was like being on vacation so much of the time. The hurricanes were quite an experience.....lost all my landmarks for finding my way around the So. Miami area where my dentist and doctors were. But life goes on and things change.

Oh yes, almost forgot....I lived in Largo Sound Village in a hurricane proof house just one block from where they filmed the old Humphrey Bogart movie, "Key Largo". Then, just before I left, they filmed, in the same place, "Blood & Wine" with Michael Cain and Jack Nicholson

Children: James (48); Daniel (46); Richard (44)

Grandchildren: 1 granddaughter, 1 grandson

Occupation: retired

Hobbies: Gardening, sewing, crafts

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After I left Roundup, I graduated from High School in Superior, Wisconsin, I mot my husband in Portland, OR... Lived in Washington State, Arroons and Texas. We then finally settled in the Chicago area where my 3 sons grow up and merried. I divorced in 1973 and never remarked. When I was laid off from my job with Rockwell International. I went down to the Plorida Keys in 1988 where I stayed until 1999 and then came to Vancouver, WA. I have a 92 year old. Mother here, and my sister Kaihleen. As of this past fandary, two of my sons and their families now live here. Now, if my third Son will move here..... Their Father died in 1982. I miss the Keys. It was like being on vacation so much of the rime. The hurrishes were quite an experience..... Jost all my landmarks for finding my way around the So. Mismi area whereaver dentist and doctors were. But life goes on and things change.

Oh yes, almost forgot..... I fived in Largo Sound Village in a hurricane proof house just one block from where they filmed the old Humphrey Bogart movie, "Key Largo". Then, just before Heft, they filmed, in the same place, "Blood & Wine" with Michael Chin and inch Nicholson

Children: James (48): Daniel (46); Richard (44)

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Robert W. Hougardy

After high school, I went off to MSU, Bozeman (along with Don Kenczka, Bob Riley and Bill Pitchford) to study physics. After a couple of years, I met a brown-eyed girl from Laurel named Barbara and after graduating in 1955, married "brown-eyes" and drove to California. I worked for Hughes Aircraft Co. and went to graduate school at UCLA.

I made my first visit home to Montana at Christmas, 1956 with wife and baby. We drove 500 miles through a blizzard, destroyed a couple of pairs of tire chains, slid down South Pass in WY. on a sheet of ice and drove from Casper to Laurel in temperatures so low, the water in the radiator wouldn't warm up so the heater felt like an air conditioner. Have never been back to Montana in the winter since then.

I earned a Ph.D in physics in 1961 and worked for Teledyne Industries for 36 years, retiring in Oct. 1997. My career was spent developing radar systems, automatic flight control systems, electronic warfare systems, high altitude recon systems and related stuff at Hughes and Teledyne.

Some memorable events in my life are:

- * Beat the Shah out of Iran by a few days (dumb luck).
- * Stood at the top of the Zugspitz (Bavaria's highest peak) on Dec. 14 (why?).
- * Arrived in Cairo on the evening of the day Anwar Sadat was assassinated (machine guns on every street corner). * Landed at Los Angeles International Airport in 1991 on runway 24R just seconds after an arriving U.S. Air flight struck a commuter plane on runway 24L.....guardian angel was smiling down because my plane would have been assigned 24L had it arrived a minute or so earlier.

Memories of RHS are:

- *Horseback rides on the ranch with Kenczka (and his war-horse), Steffans, Palagyi, and others
- *Camping/fishing trip to Mystic Lake over Labor Day, 1950 with Kenczka and others...we hiked 2 hours up the mountain as the snow was starting to fall....set up camp, lit the campfire....put out the campfire, broke camp, hiked back down the trail at 2 a.m. in heavy snow with only one flash light......the fish heaved a big sigh of relief!
- * Putting together the "51 RHS Annual with no faculty advisor but with a great student team; very creative but a bit unconventional (read "crazy and uncontrollable).....oh yes, Tootsie, Darlene, Don, Inez, John, Bob, Shirley, Jean, Darlene, Don and more and more.
- * Party at Darlene's (Adolph) house with due apologies to Miss Beal.

Children: Ronald (45); Deborah (44); Derron (40); Gary (35)

Grandchildren: 6

Occupation: Retired physicist - (last position...Director of Technology, Allegheny Teledyne, Inc.)

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Don R. Kenczka

Following graduation from R.H. S., my good friend, Bob Hougardy, and I headed to Montana State University where we earned our respective degrees, graduating in 1955. National Science Foundation grants provided an excellent challenge and opportunity to further my education by attending many different educational institutions, eventually earning my masters degree plus in science from the University of Utah. My high school sweetheart, Lois Jorgenson, and I married while we were attending college. My love and pursuit of the biological sciences and teaching enticed me to switch from being a wildlife biologist to becoming a science teacher. My first teaching assignment (Biology, Chemistry, and Physics) was in Scobey, Montana. We were somewhat apprehensive to venture to the far reaches of the northeastern prairies of Montana but once we arrived we found everyone in the school and community to be very professional and especially friendly. It was a wonderfully welcome and gratifying time and experience but we yearned for the trees, sight of the mountains and to be closer to our families and friends ... so off to Great Falls, Montana where we have happily lived for the last 43 years.

Lois (library aide) and I both retired from education in 1993. I last taught biology at the newly constructed (1965) Charles M. Russell High School where I had an exceedingly outstanding and very beautifully cherished teaching facility, staff and students to continue my goals and dreams. I completed 37 years of a very challenging and joyfully pleasant labor of love. Oh, it was a treasured and excitedly fun experience to help educate over 7,000 students in the sciences. I have fantastic memories and happiness of my teaching days and experiences. Lois and I have both now successfully adjusted and adapted to being retired and do what we want to when we want to as we both enjoy fairly good health and success. Lois and I have been blessed with 5 splendid and loving children (3 boys and 2 girls) along with 11 grandchildren, all of whom have made us very proud for their successful achievements and love in life. We are fortunate to have 2 of our children with families living here in Great Falls.

I am anxiously looking forward to/for this very special 50 year class reunion. It will/would be a delight to visit, learn about all the excitement and accomplishments and share in the joys and sorrows of the last 50 years. The ties that have kept us as a class together will always provide special joy, warmth and love of friendship as I have fond memories of growing up in Roundup. Let's have a very warm and wonderful time as we gather for this gala and festive occasion as we touch our hearts with gladness. Happy 50th Reunion everyone! Please stop in anytime! Take care! To everyone our most sincere and best wishes for health and happiness. With Love of Friendship, Don & Lois Kenczka

Children: Jerry (46); Donna (45); Rick (43); Jeanne (42); Don (40)

Grandchildren: 11

Occupation: Educators; Don - physics, chemistry, biology; Lois - library assistant Hobbies: Yard work, garden, flowers, fishing, hunting, genealogy, volunteering

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Lenore (Klos) Crutsinger

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I married a transplanted Texan in 1961. He had pretty much lost his southern accent, having readily become a loyal Montanan. But years ago when he picked me up at home, my folks spent the rest of the evening trying to decipher what it was he had actually said to them. We chose early not to have a family, but have given a good home to four German shepherds. The are some of the nicest "people" I have ever known.

To priority in our lives is the God-man Jesus who went to the cross for us. We are active in our Roundup church. Reading the Bible and maintaining a relationship with God through prayer and actions are extremely important to us.

On Friday and Saturday we are hitting the yard sales. We usually have a big sale ourselves once or twice a year. What fun! We have gone to garage sales from New England to California and Montana to Mexico. Bargains are hard to pass so our RV is bulging by the time we return to Roundup.

Future goals are to do more traveling, hopefully deeper into Mexico and back to Alaska.

Spouse's name: Carrol

Occupation: Teacher.....after that, a seamstress Hobbies: Travel, reading and going to garage sales

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James P. McLaughlin

I spent 2 years in the U.S. Army.

Two years at Montana School of Mines.

Three years selling investments for IDS and selling industrial cleaners for Diversey Corp.

Spent 32 years working for Potlatch Corp. as a quality control technician in a paper mill and retired in 1994.

Local Union president....3 years and a trustee...2 years.

I served as a member of the City Council, City of Clarkston, WA. for 10 years.

Children: Marion (44); Daniel (42); Patrick (39); Rose Marie (35)

Grandchildren: 4

My hobby is Golf

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Darlene (Meznarich) Cramer

Fifty years ago! Hard to believe but I'll have to accept it.

After a career with the Los Angeles Unified School District as a teacher and psychologist, I am now a 'snowbird' going from Palm Springs to Lake Tahoe.

Before this snowbird lifestyle, I was married, have 2 daughters, picked-up a couple of advanced degrees and now have 4 grandsons to dote on when I choose.

Aside from coming to Roundup to visit my Mom, I play a lot of golf, hike and keep working at becoming an amateur astronomer.

Some of my flashbacks to the class of '51 are:

- * Mr. Lilly's class....catching and stuffing a gopher
- * How interesting Mr. Wallace made chemistry

There are times when I think about Miss Beal, too. No need to elaborate on that, but.....we were a lively group!

Children: Patricia (40); Peggy (36)

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Jean A. Nesheim

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The next 5 years were very busy! In 1958, I married Bobbi Grundler (we divorced in 1968), enrolled at San Diego State University and began building a house. Oldest son Michael was born in July 1959, second son Scott born Feb.1961......we moved into the 'almost completed' new house shortly after Scott was born.

I graduated from SDSU in 1963 with a B.S. degree in physics and went to work for Straza Industries (El Cajon) as an FM Sonar design engineer. In 1964, I entered civil service and went to work at the Navy Electronics Lab. (San Diego) as a Sonar Systems engineer. The next 12 years at the Lab. were challenging and exciting. There were cruises aboard surface ships and submarines testing and evaluating proto-type sonar systems that took us to places like Keywest, FL., Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands and the 'Devil's Triangle'. Daughter Kimberly was born March 1965......this is the year I taught electronics at Grossmont Junior College night school.

In 1976, tired of the Calif. 'rat race', son Mike and I moved back to Roundup. I established an electronics repair business and in 1977 went to work for the Post Office, part time. Connie Bartlett and I were married July 1979. At the time, Connie was working as a dental assistant/x-ray tech. for the local dentist. Connie was raised on a cattle ranch in the Winnett area so when her Mom decided to sell off her cows (1980) and retire, we bought her replacement heifers. We were in the cow/calf business until 1986. Connie has 2 sons.....Dan (45) and Les (44).

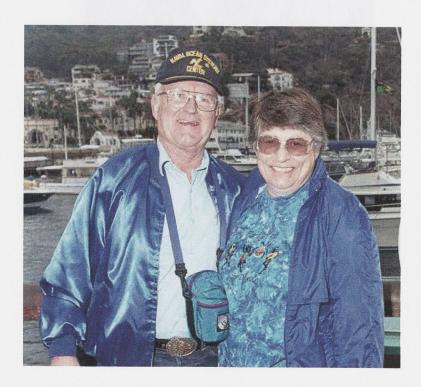
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I retired in Feb.1992 with 31 years civil service and we moved back home to Roundup. Since then we have been volunteering at the food bank; teaching AARP 55 Alive Drivers classes; busy with Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodge work; and American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars activities. Most of my time is spent woodworking; designing and building cedar chests, jewelry boxes, furniture and cabinets.

We have 13 grandchildren ranging in age from 20 years to 6 months. Visiting them takes us to California, Colorado, Texas, Washington and Wyoming.

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My hobbies are model railroading, watching TV and reading books on human development, archeology, geology, paleontology, history and religion.

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I also owned and operated a laundry business in Billings for 6 years.

Military Service: Army, Korea

Children: Andrea & Stefanie

Grandchildren: 1 Grandson

Hobbies: Painting and golf

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Children: William, Jr. (40); Steve (39)

Grandchildren: Steve, Jr. (17); Kenneth (15)

Occupation: Postal Mechanic...... 1974-1994

Military Service: Retired U.S. Air Force Master Sergeant 1953-1973

Hobbies: Me....none; Mitsuko loves different crafts.





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I was married and have 2 daughters, Jackie and Robin and 2 granddaughters.

I have been single for a little over 30 years.

I worked at various jobs but I was primarily in the real estate business.

I have been enjoying retirement and traveling.

My hobby is motorcycle touring.

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Our life has been full. During Neill's time in the Air Force, we spent 3 years in Japan.

The Lord truly has been good to us.

Children: Rocky (47); Fred (46); Colleen (43); Jody (42).

Grandchildren: 9 and 5 step-grandchildren

Occupation: Retired

My hobbies are sewing and reading.

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Keith Scritchfield

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Spouse's name: LaQuita

Children: Keith (48); Ken (47); James (45); Gene (40); Tina (39); Michael (38); Shelly (34).

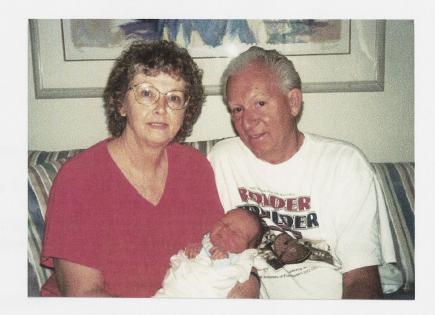
Grandchildren: 11

Occupation: Retired

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Louise (Skagen) Hamilton

Apologies! The reunion news arrived during what turned out to be a very lengthy hospital stay. Treatment for the diabetic foot ulcer is ongoing and I don't get much done. Since I am unable to do stairs any more, our daughter and son-in-law moved us from our home of the past 30 years into an apartment. Hence the reunion news once again came to light! If this is too late to be included, I surely will understand.

After graduating from high school, I lived and worked in Helena, Phoenix and then Billings before Lou and I were married. We were married there and our first two daughters arrived there. Lou's work took us to Madison, Wisconsin where we added two more daughters to our family.

In 1970 we transferred to Huron, South Dakota where Lou worked for 21 years before finishing his career with the Geological Survey. During the years our girls were growing up, I was active in PTA, Scouts, Parent Advisory and the Public Library.

I am most proud of the role Lou and I have played in the establishment of the Center for Independence; a facility to provide training and housing for individuals who are developmentally disabled. We are celebrating 25 years of operation and now serve 160 individuals who live in seven residential facilities as well as their own apartments. We employ about 200 people and are the seventh largest employer in Huron. Our second daughter lives in one of the homes and works at the Center.

We are active RSVP volunteers, especially at the Senior Center and with Meals on Wheels.

Sorry we won't be able to attend the reunion and we wish everyone well. We will be attending our oldest granddaughter's wedding a few days before the reunion.

Louise (Skagen) Hamilton 290 21st. St. S.W. Huron, S.D. 57350

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Spouse: Louis J. Hamilton

Children: Andrea (40) (6 children); Corinne (39); Melissa (37) (1 son); Stephanie (33) (2 daughters)

Grandchildren: 9 ranging in age from 21 to 5 with another due in August.

Occupation: I was a secretary until my marriage in 1960. From then on I was a stay-at-home Mom and part-time volunteer. Lou was a hydrologist for the U.S. Geological Survey in Montana, Wisconsin and South Dakota.

Hobbies: Reading, volunteering and grandchildren.

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I retired in 1994. We spent 6 winters in Arizona and Nevada....summers in Montana and Idaho. We moved back to Billings and bought a house where we are now living.

Spouse: Marlene

Children: Debra (47); Sid 946); Adris (43)

Grandchildren: 7

Great-grandchildren: 2

Occupation: Retired

Military Service: U.S. Army

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My number one priority has always been my family. When raising my family I did the usual things Mom's do-Girl Scout & 4-H leader, Sunday School teacher, mother Advisor, & serving on the youth center board & chaperone. As a grandmother I've done my share of babysitting, watching my grandchildren in thier activities & participating in their lives with a lot of quality time. I'm fortunate that all my family still live in Montana & are all within close driving distances.

Working outside the home while raising my family wasn't much interest to me, but I've always had some kind of part time job. Taking in boarders, baby-sitting, Avon salesperson, writing for a newspaper, census & survey taker for the government, & raising 3000 rabbits for commercial use. At the age of 50, I became a Licensed Practical Nurse & worked in home health & Augusta school nurse. I am now retired. I have served as an election judge the past 36 yrs.

My other interest has been becoming an Emergency Medical Technician & volunteering with the Augusta Ambulance a few years. Paul's job was very interesting & I've had many experience's with him-trapping bear, fishing, & patrolling. I've dabbled in many arts & crafts-painting, quilting, & woodwork. I just joined a wood craving club & am trying my hand at that. I enjoy my yard & do a lot of flower gardening. I collect Santa's, Loons & chickens....thus my E-mail address: blhen "blue hen". I have a great & constant companion, WOLFGANG, a 3 yr. old red dachshund.

My heart will always be in Roundup. I have fond memories of all my classmates & friends & the good times we've had together.

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One of the changes in my life was losing my husband Gerald "Stub" Bartow in August of 1995. My daughter and I have continued on with the business as best we can. Not as a welding and machine shop, but have branched off into medical oxygen and supplies. This really keeps us hopping and in contact with some of the older members of the community.

I have continued to be very involved with the community. Some of the things that I have been involved with include the Cattle Drive of 1989 and the signing of signature boards (now on display at the old Bungalow Café location on Main Street). I was also greatly involved in the Reunion for the Cattle Drive held in 1999 and setting up a memorabilia display for that event. Many hours were spent compiling the names for the War Memorial located at the end of Main Street. I hope, while you are all in town, you will stop and take the time to visit these two very worthwhile displays.

Now a little bit about my family. Our five girls all live in Montana, with the exception of Jeannie who lives in Denver; from them I have been blessed with 5 grandsons and 2 granddaughters. And from my grandchildren, I have 2 great-grandsons and 3 great- granddaughters, whom I love very dearly and get to spend quite of bit of time with.

One of my hobbies is driving my little bright red Geo, aptly named (and plated) "McMouse", around town. I have a very extensive collection of my friend, Mickey Mouse.

When anybody sees me driving up, or going down the street, in my little red car they always say "Here comes (or There goes) Trouble".

I like to spend as much time as I can at the high school, getting to know the kids and watching them in their activities.

I hope you each enjoy your time spent here with us in Roundup during July for our reunion. To those of you who were unable to attend, I hope you enjoy reading about us through these updates in the booklet.

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After high school my first meaningful job was working on the Pronghorn Ranch for three years to earn enough money for one year at the U. of M. with a physical ed. major. I then worked as a shooter on a seismograph crew looking for oil all over the state. I was then drafted into the army and trained as a radar operator although most of my time was spent as an NCO in charge of athletics on the base. An absolute high was playing against Frank Ramsey (Boston Celtic) and Tom Gola (Philadelphia Warrior) in a tournament.

When I was discharged I returned to Roundup in time to work on the construction of St. Benedict's Church.

I went back to college at Eastern and started teaching sixth grade at Lockwood with a two year certificate. This was a great place because I could attend evening and summer school classes without any interruption earning a B.S. and M.S. degree from Eastern and then an administrative endorsement from Bozeman. After nine years at Lockwood, I swam the river, as the saying goes, and taught in Billings for the next 23 years. I came to the realization that working was in direct competition with the time that I should be spending on the golf course.

I retired in 1993 and hardly find any free time to just loll around. My close friend John Palagyi and I can be found on the Laurel Golf Course at least four days a week. I call him close because we always play for quarters and it is extremely difficult to dislodge any from him.

Children: Eve (42); Matt (41); Rob (40); Heidi (37)

Grandchildren: 4

Occupation: retired educator

Military Service: U.S. Army - 2 years - radar operator Hobbies: carpentry, gardening, crossword puzzles, golf

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Have a great reunion and God Bless....

Spouse: Roy A. Deibele (deceased)

Children: Leslie (45); Jeff (44); Kipp (43)

Grandchildren: 2 boys and 3 girls...ages 22 to 12

Occupation: Ceramics Shop Owner

Military Service: Husband....U.S. Navy, retired.

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Have lived in Nevada, California, North Dakota, Alabama and 23 feet above sea level in Mississippi.

Montana will always be home. Am a researcher, Natural Health Consultant and starting my own business in helping people to learn how to heal themselves.

Children: Amy (51); Janice (50); Jackie (47); Ward (45); Dennis (44); Nathan (42); Jeffrey (40)

Grandchildren: 17

Great Grandchildren: 3

Occupations: Household Engineer, waitress, cook, auto parts sales, super-dooper-pooper-scooper at dog racetrack, lab aid at Red Cross and now self employed delivering newspapers

Hobbies: crocheting, knitting, archery, researching Natural Health care

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Levi V. Toulouse

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I 1954, I married Sally Ann Woodrum from Boise, ID. At the time I was stationed at Mountain Home Air Force Base. After I was discharged from the Service, we moved to Seattle, WA. where I worked at Boeing for 4½ years.

During this time I used my GI bill and went to trade school in appliance and refrigeration. I then worked for Sears for 35 years. After 6 years in Seattle, we wanted to get our family across the mountains. We moved to Okanogan in 1966 and lived there until 1985; then moved to Port Angeles for $4\frac{1}{2}$ years and then back to Okanogan. We are glad to have all 5 of our children living in what we call the Inland Empire which is the eastern part of WA.

In 1995 I retired from Sears. I worked 2 summers for them and then retired for good. We still live in Okanogan as we have a daughter here and we like a small town. We have been square dancing since 1971 and really enjoy it. In the last year we have gone up a step and learned plus square dancing. We enjoy our RV and belong to the Good Sam RV club. We enjoy taking our grandkids out fishing and enjoying the outdoors. Sally is now retired so we are doing more traveling.

Children: Anthony (46); Mary Ann (43); Kim (37); Jennifer (35); Wilhelmina (35)

Grandchildren: 8

Occupation: Retired

Hobbies: Square dancing, fishing, hunting and camping.

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My fond memories of high school:

Being in the high school band, starting in eighth grade, for five years was probably the highlight of my high school years. Just being friends with so many of my classmates was also a great joy.

After high school I went to L.A. to study drums and also worked in a factory with a metal lathe. I then went into the Air Force for four years. When I got out, I worked for a telephone company and also for Hughes Aircraft.

I then went to the U. of M. for a year majoring in journalism. I was even a fireman on the NP for a short while.

At this time my career as a band drummer blossomed as I played all over the country for the next twelve years. I then took a break for a while and worked as a chainman on a survey crew in Idaho Falls. I entered the band scene again and played for another five years.

I then moved to Seattle where I worked for a paper company for the next fifteen years until retiring to Billings to be close to my sisters.

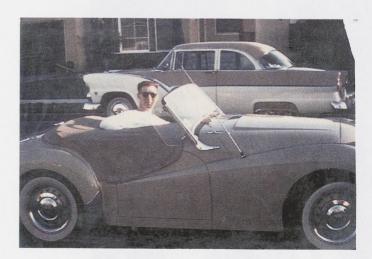
Occupation: retired musician

Military Service: U.S. Air Force, 4 years, weather observer

Hobbies: Listening to & playing music, fishing, golfing

Carefree days in the 50's

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After high school I want to L.A. to sandy drams and also worked in a factory with a metal lathe. I then went into the Air Force for four years. When I got out. I worked for a telephone conqueny and also for Hughes Aircraft.

I then went to the U. of M. for a year majoring in journalism. I was even a literman on the NP for a short

At this time my career as a band drummer blossomed as a played all over the country for the next twelve years. I then took a break for a while and worked as a chainman on a survey crow in Idaho Falls. I entered the band scene again and played for another fively ears.

I then moved to Scattle where I worked for a paper company for the next fifteen years until retiring to Billings to be close to my sixters.

Occupation: retired musician

Military Service: U.S. Air Force, 4 years, weather observer

Hobbies: Listening to & playing music, fishing, solling

Carefree days in the 50's

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On Dec. 31st, 1951, I married my high school boy friend, Chuck Meznarich and remained married to him until he passed away from cancer in 1993.

I continue to live in the log home we had built at Echo Lake; just outside of Bigfork, MT.

Daughter Kathy, her husband and 3 children live 7 miles from me. Son Chuck is currently in England at the big Air Force Base working as a civilian technical advisor on the F series of fighter jets. He has 4 children (2 are in Calif.) and his daughter has 3 children. Son Mark married 2 years ago and his wife has 2 children. They live 5 miles from me.

Now my life is devoted to my dogs. They keep me busy and are a lot of company.

I'm looking forward to the reunion and hope everyone has gotten as old and fat as I have!

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As for some present details: After a working life doing mostly secretarial work, I retired the beginning of 1999. The first year and a half afterward, I cared for an ailing mother and did some tutoring at a local grade school. I'm still tutoring, but also learning home improvement as I get my house ready for sale and plan a move to Seattle within the next year. Not a good choice as a retirement community, but sometimes family helps you make such choices. I have a daughter, son-in-law and sweet granddaughter there, as well as brother Ed and family.

I'm on the net and would be pleased to hear from old friends: anderson.gloria@worldnet.att.net

Take care of yourself, Tootsie – say hi to everyone I'm going to miss, and hopefully one day I'll get back there again for a visit.

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Looking around as we return to the town where we grew up, we see many changes. The whistles of the mines and the rumble of the trains have long since departed. We may not know many of the residents any more, but they remain the friendly folks that we knew growing up in a small town atmosphere. And even though businesses have come and gone, Roundup continues to maintain a pretty active downtown area. Many new homes and a new high school building have been built since our time here. There are nice ball fields and money is being raised to build a new swimming pool.

We were prepared by an outstanding educational system that we have since come to recognize and appreciate. The many activities that were offered in high school from sports to music were valuable as well, as we set forth in life. Many of us departed to seek employment elsewhere but we shall always have 'roots' in Roundup, Montana.

As we look at the last 50 years, there have been many changes in society, politics, science, culture and economics, just to mention a few. We ushered in the nuclear age, pioneered transplant surgery, are exploring space, opened up a whole world of technology with the computer and compressed time and distance with the jet age. But we have also been unkind to our world with pollution, super highways with smog and gridlock and punched holes in our atmosphere. Yes, there have been many changes.

There will be much reminiscing and catching up as we try to account for 50 years absence from one another. As we say our good-byes and wish each other well, there will be a few teary eyes perhaps as we once again go our separate ways. We should remember that this truly has been an event to remember just like long ago when the last school bell rang for the last time. By doing so it will provide each and everyone of us with more wonderful memories of our days at good old Roundup High School
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