

2009

ALUMNI REPORT

130th ALUMNI BANQUET

JUNE 6, 2009

**TALLMADGE HIGH SCHOOL
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**

On June 6, 2009, 175 Alumni and Guests met at the new Tallmadge High School for the 130th Alumni Banquet Meeting. The banquet was held in the rotunda.

We began with a Social Hour at 5:30 P.M. and Don Johnson gave tours of the new high school followed by a Baked Chicken and Roast Beef Buffet dinner catered by Horning.

The decorations were the traditional Blue and Gold with potted flowers as centerpieces. The arrangement committee was chaired by Anne Maddox (2000), Chris Bauch (1971) and Amy Bauch Bauknecht (2001), also helping on the committee was Sue Naso Bauch (1973).

A welcome was given by Chris Bauch (1971) and the invocation was given by Amy Bauch Bauknecht (2001).

After a brief intermission we moved to the Auditorium for our business meeting.

President Chris Bauch (1971) then called the meeting to order and introduced the 2009 officers.

A thank you was given to John and Daisy Ilg Scalia (1960) of AA Blueprint for donating all our printing services.

Beth Wood (1982) announced the winner of the 50-50 raffle. \$260 was collected with the winner Donna Habberger Gaiser (1959) receiving \$130.00. Helping Beth with the 50-50 raffle was Denise Olivieri Shaffer (1982).

A flower basket was won by JoAnn Stern Wood (1948)

The Secretary's Report was approved.

The Treasurer's Report was given by Judy Wood Ripple (1971) and was approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT – December 31, 2008

2008

Balance carried forward from 2007	\$4,754.67
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Income:

Dinners	\$1,646.50	
Dues	\$2,236.00	
Scholarship	\$871.01	
Total Income		\$4753.51

Expenses:

Scholarships – 2 @ \$750	\$1,500.00
Postage	\$369.87
Smyth Trophy – 50 year pins	\$125.84
Horning Catering	\$1,637.25
Dinner refunds	\$46.25
Arrangements Committee	\$110.18
Hall of Fame Expenses	\$0.00
Secretary Supplies	\$115.15

Secretary Fee
Total Expenses

\$50.00

\$3,954.54

Balance as of 12/31/08

\$5,553.64

Submitted 12/31/08 by Judy Wood Ripple, Treasurer

Amy then welcomed the Class of 2009.

Steven Roth graduated 2nd in his class. A few of his accomplishments include the Manhood Award, Student Council President, Akron Beacon Journal Star Student Award. Steven was also in the plays and musicals while at THS. Steven plans to attend OSU in the fall.

Representing the Class of 2009 was Steven Roth.

I'm honored to be here tonight as a representative of the latest class to graduate from Tallmadge. We had an especially unique year, as we are the first class to graduate from this beautiful facility. This meant new rules, responsibilities and traditions; however, we never lost our Tallmadge excellence. We were an especially strong class with diverse talents and effective leaders.

Artistically, our seniors led the marching band to the state competition. They received an excellent rating. They also led the choir and show choir to first place trophies at the Kennywood competition. More importantly, the choir received best in show, beating every other high school chorus at the competition.

Athletically, our seniors led the football team to another winning season and playoff run. Five seniors were All Suburban in football. Two seniors were All Suburban in soccer. Two boys were All Suburban in basketball, leading their team to second in the league. One girl was All Suburban in basketball. The three senior guys on the baseball team were All Suburban and led the Blue Devils to first in the league. Girls track were District champions. The highlight of our athletic year was our girl's softball team. We had three girls go All Suburban, leading the lady Blue Devils to first capture the league, then the district, then the region. Unfortunately, the girl's run was cut short at the state semifinal yesterday against Clear Fork.

Academically, 216 of us graduated, 75% of us completing College prep curriculum. 29% of us received honors diplomas, 37% of us received the State Award of Merit and 26% of us received the Presidential Academic Award. 84% of us will attend a four college. One young man will be attending Cornell. 5.5% will attend a two year college, 2% will enter the military and 6.5% of us will enter the workforce. We had four National Merit Commended Scholars and scored above both the state and national mean on all standardized tests. Most impressively, we scored 106 points higher than the national mean and 77 points higher than the state mean on the SAT Math.

But, the most impressive feature of the THS Class of 2009 was our philanthropic endeavors. This year, Student Senate broke every record. We raised \$9,000 for our Haven of Rest Christmas Family program, collected 130 and 140 pints of blood at our two blood drives and we raised \$3,000 for the Muscular Dystrophy Association of Akron in a new St. Patrick's Day Program. The Leaders in Action Relay for Life Team also crushed its record, raising \$14,000 this year for the American Cancer Society.

The Class of 2009 was indeed a unique class in and of itself, but it was a class that the Tallmadge Community can be proud of. We hope that we have had a permanent impact on the school and community and we are thankful for all the opportunities our class have been given. On behalf of my class, I would like to thank all of you for your support.

Chris then introduced, Donn Johnson, the facilities manager at THS. Donn represented Superintendent Jeff Ferguson who was unable to attend. Donn welcomed everyone back to THS and took alumni on tours of the new high school before dinner and after the meeting. He told us that THS rated excellent in the State with distinction. This is the highest rating to achieve. He told us a little about the new high school. The Auditorium seats 625 compared to the LBC that sat 265. The auditorium is state of the art like the rest of the school. There is a computer lighting system, fly loft, drop scenery that can hold 25-30 sets. There is a full orchestra pit. The auditorium is used for two musicals presented by the school and three plays by the Dynamics group.

Next we had the Alumni Hall of Fame Induction presented by Irene Bear Brandt. This year's inductee was Alfred Dawson Acken Jr. He was born in Akron on May 17, 1933. He was the eldest of four children. Because his father was known as Al, the family referred to Alfred Jr. as Fred.

In 1939, Fred walked to Tallmadge Primary school from his home near the circle. There he joined 24 other classmates. Early on, he was at the head of the class. When your initials were A.A. it was inevitable that he would be first. During his high school years, he played football and basketball. He was tapped for the National Honor Society, served on Student Council, was a member of the French and Drama Clubs and also in HIY. He was Valedictorian for the class of 1951. He received a scholarship to UCLA. He also received many awards during his school years.

After graduation, Fred's family moved to California. He married Jeannie Christofferson on October 24, 1952 in Sepulveda, CA. They had three children: Michael, Laura (deceased), and Jeanette (deceased). There are five grandchildren and four great grandchildren. He received his BS in electrical engineering from UCLA in 1963 after twelve years of night classes. In 1968 he received his M.B.A. from California State Los Angeles after five years. Fred was now 35. His work career began in aerospace at McDonald Douglas.

He designed control panels for spaceships and designed torpedoes. Later on, he moved into the medical field. Fred worked for Pacesetter which became Siemens corp. and they were bought by St. Jude Medical in Sylmar, CA. This was one of his greatest satisfactions. He received three patents for his work on heart pacemakers.

His interests were many. He enjoyed working with his hands, building scale model railroad cars, a Chinese junk, and remote controlled airplanes to name a few.

Fred was a ham radio operator and his call sign was WA6KMQ (which stood for "kiss me quick" which shows his sense of humor.) When he got tired of being tied to the garage, he rigged up a portable backpack so he could be more mobile.

He was an active member of his church, sang in the choir and participated in mission trips.

One of his many hobbies was designing and making quilts. He chose the fabric, cut the pieces, while his wife did the sewing. They made several quilts a year for church auctions which supported their outreach program. His one design "Laura's Cross" was done after the death of their daughter. Fred died March 19, 1997 in Sylmar, CA.

I would like to say thank you to Sarah Jones Bennett for nominating Alfred Dawson Acken, Jr, and for supplying the information and pictures about him. Also a special thanks goes out to his sister (who was in my class up until 1951), for her help with pictures and information.

On behalf of the Tallmadge Alumni Association, it is my honor to present this year's inductee to the Hall of Fame, Alfred Dawson "Fred" Acken, Jr!

It is my pleasure to introduce Fred's sister JoAnn Acken Denton and husband George who will be accepting this honor on behalf of Fred. Also here for the induction was cousin Mary Jo and Jerry Cross, sister Fran Mork and sister Kay Dawson.

The plaque was then presented to family and JoAnn Denton commented that she learned several more aspects of her brother. To her he was just a brother, nobody special but he had the ability to make a difference in the world.

Chris then introduced Jim Swartz who gave part of the 50 year report for the class of 1959.

Jim Swartz, Class President – Class of 1959: "On behalf of the Class of 1959", I'd like to welcome all the other alumni. This is a special year for us – our 50th reunion. This is a beautiful school and I think the three buildings we attended in our twelve years would fit inside this one school. For those of us who played basketball at THS in 1959 and prior years remember the cracker box gym. The gym in this new school is phenomenal and our cracker box gym would fit in it several times over.

A funny thing happened to me on the way to the 50th reunion. 50 birthdays went by that I don't remember much about and 50 Christmases went by that I don't remember much about. Yet, in the short 12 years that I attended Tallmadge schools, I still have vivid memories of the many friendships and experiences we shared. They have lasted for 50 years.

Tallmadge was a great place to grow up in. It was an innocent time. There were strong family values; a low crime rate (I remember trick or treating until 10:30 at night and my Mom didn't have to check my candy and I remember hitch hiking home from sports practices which I wouldn't let my 40 year-old son do today); in addition to our parents we had people like Gerry Knapp and Mr. McCobb to keep us in line. Those who experienced Mr. McCobb's paddle turned out okay.

Many of us rode horses at the end of the school year to pick up our report cards. There probably weren't five cars in the student parking lot compared to the huge student parking lot at this school that is full every day.

Now, I'd like to introduce someone who was so shy in high school that he couldn't lead a group in silent prayer. He has been very instrumental, along with his reunion committee, in keeping our class together the past 10 years. Please welcome, Rex Houze.

Rex Houze: "We had a great class, all the girls were pretty, all the guys were handsome and now, 50 years later, all of our children, grandchildren and even a few great grandchildren are above average. (Mr. Lockhart would probably have a problem with that).

One of the things that I think was very valuable to us was the fact that we all went to school on the same campus – the elementary school that was built in 1911, the junior high school that was built in 1922, and the high school that was built in 1939. We ate in the same cafeteria, attended assemblies in the same gym, and we became family which was very important; many of you in the audience were role models to us when we were younger, which played an important part in our lives and that made a difference.

As a result of that the Class of 1959 would like to give each of you an 8 x 10 picture of the three schools we attended. In addition to pictures of the three schools, the inscription reads "THS Class of 1959 50th Reunion, June 5 & 6 2009, *the best is yet to come.*" And I'm going to talk more about that in a few minutes. I'd like to thank John & Daisy Scalia (Class of 1960) owners of AA Blueprint for helping us make this possible.

When you live in Texas and tell people you are returning to Tallmadge, Ohio for your 50th high school reunion, you typically get two responses. The first is "WOW" and the second is 'Oh my gosh.' Translation – you're old! You can do the math – we were 17 or 18 when we graduated; add

50 years; and we're all 67 or 68. The new 68 is 38. Well, maybe 48. We're young at heart. We have classmates in their 60's who are starting their own businesses; who are writing books; who ran their first marathon after age 60; who learned to tap dance after age 65; who are learning a second language; and all sorts of things. I think that's exciting. We believe the best is yet to come.

Before I introduce two of our classmates who will demonstrate our class' spirit on behalf of the Class of 1959, we'd like to present a check for \$200 to the Alumni Association Scholarship Fund.

Jim Swartz said I was shy, but I'm about to introduce two members of our class who were shier than me. One of them has a Ph.D. In education and gerontology (that would come in handy). She also, after teaching for 25 years, started several businesses and has been very successful as an entrepreneur and business woman. Her friend, since they were 4 years old, is just a dissertation short of a Ph.D. in education and was a teacher for many years and made a positive impact on many young minds and lives. To demonstrate that the best is yet to come, two of our classmates, Alice Boarman and Judy Finney Kupersmith will now perform for us.

At this time Alice and Judy performed a tap dance routine, in full costume, to "Honey Pie" by the Beatles.

What a great performance it was. We than presented the men with tie tacs and the women with pins. Each member of the Class of 1959 received an apple along with those that had graduated 50 years or more. These apples are furnished by June King Marsh Class of 1934.

There was no 25 year report as we could not find anyone who wanted to come to the banquet and report on the Class of 1984.

Nominating report given by Chris Bauch, -Bill Neitz worked on the committee to find alumni to take over some of the offices. Several officers have held an office for over 10 years and we are looking for someone else to take over. If no one steps up this might be the last alumni banquet. Tallmadge has the oldest Alumni Association in the United States it would be a shame to have it fold. Anyone interested in helping out contact Sue Wood Yeager 330-633-4526.

Nominations for the following offices are:

President –

1st Vice President -

2nd Vice President –

Secretary – Sue Wood Yeager (1978)

Assistant Secretary – Beth Wood (1982)

Treasurer – Judy Wood Ripple (1971)

Assistant Treasurer – Mary Black Overholt (1963)

There were no nominations from the floor.

Unfinished Business – We are still working on a website for the Alumni Association. Anne Maddox is working on this. Anyone that would like to help Anne create and maintain this website let me know.

New Business – Constitutional Amendments proposed by Executive Committee:

ARTICLE IV – The following officers shall be elected to a two (2) year term at the annual Business meeting.

ARTICLE VI B – Nominating committee – shall be composed of four (4) members of good standing, two (2) shall be appointed by the executive committee but need not be Executive committee members, the immediate past president, and the current president.

ARTICLE VII – The annual dues shall be set by the executive committee and voted on by the association body during the annual business meeting.

All changes were voted on and approved by the association.

Chris wanted to give special thanks to volunteers who stepped up last year when called upon they were as follows:

Karl Starks: Constitutional amendment committee

Irene Baer Brandt and Pat Pifel Pander: Hall of Fame Committee

Laura Fisher Zimmerman, Gene & Becky Ferguson Zimmerman: Events Committee

Bill Neitz: Nominating committee

All the officers who also served on these committees and gave their time and talents to make the Alumni Association active and working.

Sue Naso Bauch, Cliff Yeager, Isaac Yeager and Tony Italia for setting up the tables and helping decorate.

The three scholarship winners were: Patrick Pakan, Matthew Thomas and Brittany Tomaiko each received \$750.

The next Hall of Fame Induction will be in 2011 so make sure you fill out your application to nominate someone deserving of this award.

We received a thank you note from last year scholarship winner Kevin Bowman.

As there was no more new business we had the Memorial Tribute by JoAnn Stem Wood (1948)

MEMORIAL

May the road rise to meet you
May the wind be always at your back
May the sunshine warm upon your face
The rains fall soft upon your fields
And until we meet again may
God hold you in the palm of his hand.

Since the Alumni Banquet in 2008 we have lost to the great creator:

Class	Name	Age	Date of Death
1934	Caroline Banks Acken	92	December 25, 2008
1936	Jean Uhl Sylvester	90	February 20, 2009
1938	Phyllis Heyl Roberts	86	March 12, 2008
	Lillian Carter Sackett	88	July 8, 2008
1939	Leona Beers Evans	86	June 7, 2008
	Mary Billick Boggs	88	July 30, 2008
1940	Genevieve Summers Uhl	86	July 2, 2008
1945	Col. Leslie E. Pletcher	81	March 28, 2009
1946	Helen R. Long	79	June 20, 2008
	Donald C. Cully	80	July 15, 2008
	William H. Everhart	82	January 30, 2009
	Paul Haney	80	May 28, 2009

1947	Gwendolyn Burks Harabon	79	December 16, 2008
1948	Natalia Olesky Rzewnicki	79	July 11, 2008
1949	John J. Cossin	77	June 23, 2008
	Phyllis Hull Riddle	78	February 16, 2009
1950	Annabelle Wilson Willis	77	February 3, 2009
1952	William "Bob" R. Miller	74	March 9, 2009
	Gertrude Dodge Steeves	75	February 15, 2009
1953	Donald E. Freed	73	November 5, 2008
	Shirley Blaydes	73	March 31, 2009
1954	Joseph W. Marshall Jr.	72	December 16, 2008
1955	Judy Bishop Tompkins	70	June 13, 2008
	Van O. O Folk	71	August 13, 2008
1956	Nancy Walters Conley	70	April 26, 2009
1957	Namoi Jean Metcalf	68	May 4, 2009
1961	David W. Smith	64	July 26, 2008
1963	Joan Thompson Powell	63	Septmeber 27, 2008
	Diana Robinson Schuett	64	April 17, 2009
1966	Jerry W. Romesburg	61	June 25, 2008
	Garland H. Aberegg Sr.	61	May 22, 2009
1967	Marcus "Mark" Boyd	59	December 14, 2008
	Jerry B. Kline	60	February 24, 2009
	Robert "Bob" E. Freed Jr.	60	April 26, 2009
1970	Stephen H. Anderson	56	August 8, 2008
1971	Dane Spinelli	55	January 5, 2009
1972	Gary R. Lawrentz	54	Sptember 7, 2008
	Duane A. "Dewey" Brooks	56	March 28, 2009
1976	Candy Anne Rensell O'Neill	50	December 28, 2008
1978	Kimberly J. Wright	47	August 21, 2008
	Lucinda S. Crites	49	February 19, 2009
1979	Michael L. Neiger	48	October 9, 2008
1980	Kenneth Craft	47	November 27, 2008
1984	Kip E. Wells, M.D.	42	June 18, 2008
1988	Jennifer McConnell Yanok	38	July 6, 2008
1993	Joshua T. Miktarian	33	July 13, 2008
2001	Eric R. Vincent	25	March 2, 2009
2003	Joshua M. Robinson	23	September 18, 2008
2004	David M. Bezbatchenko	23	February 14, 2009

JoAnn M. Stem Wood, Class of 1948

Alumni members can now receive the annual report and the invitation by email. Our email address is: THSALUMNIASSOCIATION@GMAIL.COM

Tallmadge Alumni members sang the Alma Mater and as there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

LOOK FOR US AT THE HOMECOMING FOOTBALL GAME OCTOBER 2, 2009, AND JOINING US AFTERWARDS AT ERIE STATION GRILLE LOCATED AT 70 EAST AVE.

THE NEXT BANQUET WILL BE JUNE 5, 2010

Submitted this 6th day of June, 2009

COMMUNICATIONS

Hi to you all around yet, and hope your all enjoying your senior years as much as possible. I'm doing ok yet, still driving and living alone. Have a few back problems but who doesn't at almost 90. Love to hear from anyone. God Bless you all. Love, Bea Watts Acken (1938) 2126 E. Wilson Ave., Orange, CA 92867-6160

Sorry I can not attend this year as our grandson, Joseph Zema will receive his Eagle Scout Award and will graduate the same day. Good Luck to the Class of 2009. Sincerely, Irma Shephard Zema (1950) 5017 N. Sumac Cir., Fayetteville, NC 28304

Sorry, I won't be back to Ohio until October this year. However, I do wish the new graduates much success in their job searches or in their endeavors toward higher education. Sincerely, Donna Zurschmit Beard (1951)

I've survived three heart attacks since 1985 but I'm still enjoying life (very much) at age 83. Wish I could be there to see all the changes and the graduates. I did enjoy the 50th year class in 1993. Wm. B. Shreve (1943)

We have a very special occasion on the 6th of June – our oldest grandson is getting married that day, so my husband and I won't be attending the Alumni meeting. Hope to see you next year. Ina H. (Oxford) Paulus (1958)

I'm sorry to say I will not be attending the meeting this year, but I'm looking forward to next year which will be my class's 60th reunion. I'm saddened by our dwindling numbers but love seeing all of you. Sincerely, Barbara Ragle Lucak (1950)

Dear Fellow Alumni, Barbara and I are enjoying our year-round Florida lifestyle and all it offers. We keep busy with church work, our hobbies and our many outside activities. We won't make it to Ohio this summer, but hope to get up there "to our roots" soon. Please accept my dues and keep me "on the list". With kind regards, Richard S. (Dick) Smith (1951).

Unable to attend this year. Congratulations to the graduates and greetings to all fellow alumni. We are on the road again, spending our summer in Texas. Melvin and Audrey Jones Woerz (1947 & 1949)

I am sorry I am unable to attend the annual meeting and visit with all of you. I am slowly recovering from a couple years of sickness. I am in hopes of getting to Ohio one day soon. My best to the Class of 1951. Margaret Priest Legg (1951)

Sorry, we will not be able to attend this year. Richard Vdra (1948)

I wish I could be there but not possible. I just turned 84 in April. Would love to hear from any of you. Do any live in Florida? Will be thinking of your all. Love, Juanita Sanford Mullins (1943) 1001 N. Sparkman Ave., Orange City, FL 32763-3704

I'm so sorry I did not get this to you sooner, but as you undoubtedly know by now, my brother Paul died last week in New Mexico. I felt that I could not reserve for the dinner under the circumstances. This is a sad loss for our family and the community. Regards, Mary Haney Wilson (1940)

I am very sorry to have to miss this year's event. I was really looking forward to seeing the new school. Norma (Oxford) Shaffer (1950)

I regret to say that I am unable to attend the alumni meeting this year. I would love to see you all – maybe next year. Love to all, Della Teague Lucius (1952)

Hi, We have missed more of the Annual meetings than we would like. June is an extremely busy month for us this year. We are leaving in the morning for South Dakota to attend the graduation of our twin granddaughters from South Dakota State University. We will no more than get back home and our son and his family will be here from Thailand, New York (granddaughter at Pace University and Greeley Co), (granddaughter at University of Northern Colorado). LeRoy has been disappointed that he has missed these yearly get togethers. Hope there is a great turn out and everyone has a good time. LeRoy and Norma Bell (1948)

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

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| 1941- Alberta Crossen Bauch
Harry Bost
Rowena Oligney
Mary Forshey Rayl | 1950 - Violet Kerns Gerkens
Jeannette Leigh Hintz
Marian Parks Schopper
Marcene Riddle Scyoc
Paul Zurschmit |
| 1943- Jane Shuman Huth
Kay Holt Ragle | 1951 - Dolores Seckman Baldwin
Carl Miller
Joan Smith |
| 1944 - Margaret Orr Bumpas
Robert M. Cochran
Donald Dean
Marie Hamon Geisinger
Frances Parks Ripley
Dorothy Senglar Schroedel-Wilson
Karl Starks
Ileana Crites Williams | 1953- Gale Stem |
| 1945 - Jean Mallory Brooks
Betty Heiser Dean
Barbara Jones Rush
Donald Williams | 1955- Barbara Scherer Horvath
Kenneth Keck
JoAnn Aber Stem
Charles Wells
Jean Jackson Whitlock |
| 1946 - Bruce Detweiler
Alice Wade Gallo
Shirley LeCount Kalbaugh
James Kinney
Theodora Scott Urban | 1956 - Roger A. Crisilip
Peggy Simpson Linnen
Patricia King McGall |
| 1947 - Shirley Sanford Booth
Melvin R. Metcalf
Adam Micheli
Bill E. Williams | 1957 - Judy Sylvester Avila
Margaret (Peg) Young Deemer
Deanna Berger Hood
Paul Hood
Bonnie Fordham Rutledge
John W. Tuel
LaVerne Henderson Teul |
| 1948 - Helen Reznik Butler
John (Jack) Cochran
Catherine Cate Detweiler
Maxine Hoke Metcalf
Gene Riddle
Alvin Sayre
Beryl Vandersall
Mary Brinkerhoff Vasbinder
JoAnn Stem Wood | 1958 - Robert Horvatic
Janice Hysell Horvatic
Alice Stephan Jacobsen
Janet Jacobs McCaulley
Charlotte Doepker Stock |
| 1949 - LaVonne Gomoll Dodge
Dorothy Treat Taylor | 1959 - Alice Boarman
Irene Baer Brandt
Dan Coughenour
Linda Graham Coughenour
Mary Schuster Davis
Joann Denton Acken
Donna Haeberger Gaiser
Lottie Johnson Hoff
Pat Faught Holland |

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| <p>1959 - Nancy Scherer Hopkins
Rex Houze
Gretchen Kalbaugh Kuhlke
Judy Finney Kupersmith
Carolyn Hughes Laegel
Margie Saylor Metcalf
Gary Metcalf
Joni Morris Palmeri
Pat Pifel Pander
Bill Peters
Ron Smith
Jim Swartz
Sharon Fink Terjung
Joyce Wilson Vercamen
Jeannie Huber Wigand
Bill Williamson</p> <p>1960 - Gene Fischer
Daisy Ilg Scalia
John Scalia</p> <p>1961 - Kenny Anderson
Rebecca Ferguson Fischer
Fred Metcalf
Howard J. Williams</p> <p>1962 - Robert Rollyson
James Stiffler</p> <p>1963 - Leona Cirullo Senn
Mary Balck Overholt
Shannon Browning Stiffler
Sandra Herstich Williams</p> <p>1965 - Sylvia M. Baltranic
Leann Fields</p> <p>1966 - Linda Ames Melis
Karen Spinelli Tyndall</p> <p>1968 - Karen Williams Wagner</p> <p>1969 - Virgil "Butch" Arnes
Cheryl Metcalf Carpenter</p> | <p>1970 - Debbie Sample Batchik
Nancy Forshey Hartman</p> <p>1971 - Chris Bauch
Grace E. Cochran
Judy Wood Ripple</p> <p>1972 - Mark D. Metcalf
Grace E. Cochran
Judy Wood Ripple</p> <p>1973 - Suzanne Naso Bauch</p> <p>1974 - Pamela Shaffer Berry
Mary Rzewnicki Cushing
Paul Scyoc
Wendy Tomaiko</p> <p>1975 - Clifford Yeager</p> <p>1977 - Karen Scyoc Green</p> <p>1978 - Susan Wood Yeager</p> <p>1982 - Denise Olivieri Shaffer
Elizabeth "Beth" Wood</p> <p>1983 - Jennifer Jones Patrykus
Lora Fischer Zimmerman</p> <p>2000 - Anne Maddox</p> <p>2001 - Amy Bauch Bauknecht</p> <p>1950 - Mary Ledgerwood Riddle</p> <p>1957 - Sandra Norton Taylor</p> |
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MEMBERS PAYING DUES BUT UNABLE TO ATTEND

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| <p>1934 - June King March
Myrtle Smith Tenney</p> <p>1936 - Richard Emmitt
Rachel Yount Horton
Sally Yount Emerick</p> | <p>1938 - Beatrice Watts Acken
Kathryn Eickleberry Emmitt</p> <p>1939 - Ellis W. King</p> |
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| 1940 - Francis Cooper
Sally Yount Emerick
Hilda Crites King
Josephine Ilg Patterson | 1952 - Della Teague Lucius
James McGuire
Nancy Anderson Pancoast |
| 1941 - Richard C. Vannoy | 1953 - John Doepker
Donald Faught
Dorothy Acken Hicks
June Sheppard Husk
Janet Wheatley Lawley
Doris Swartz |
| 1942 - Jean Point Call
Jean Jones Cockrell | |
| 1943 - Juanita McMillan Donald
Billie Orr Hart
Marjorie Lawrence Henninge
Juanita Sanford Mullins
William B. Shreve | 1954 - Eugene Ilg
Marjorie Jones Knapp
Norma Woodford Martin |
| 1944 - Ward A. Clemmo | 1955 - Karl Hershberger
Dorothy Fike Ilg
James Johnson
Nancy Heaton Johnson
Dan Lupton
Don Woerz |
| 1945 - Jeanette Mallory Cherry
June Pearce Davis | |
| 1946 - Viola Bloom Mecke, Phd
Margaret Ilg Mitan | 1956 - Beverly Mittiga Buckeye
Alice Flanagan Collins
Martha Stephens Gabrosek
J. Thomas Jones
James Kyer
Robert McGall
James Pittman
Jerry Walters |
| 1947 - Robert C. Alexander
Marian Wolcott Charles
Melvin W. Woerz | 1957 - Marlene Peebles Radcliff
Richard Woerz |
| 1948 - Dorothy Atwood Alexander
LeRoy Bell
Brady Burns
Vince Hoffman
Conrad Renner
Paul Thorn
Richard F. Vydra | 1958 - Charles P. Hawkins
Ina Hope Oxford Paulus
Jack Riley |
| 1949 - Paul Hawkins
Carolyn Atwood Mackey
Ruth Wheatley Stephen
Audrey Jones Woerz | 1959 - Phil Flauger
Dick Knieriem
Sue Knieriem
Janet Booker Mooner
Sue Shields Rubino
John Strebler
Carolyn Crites Wolcott
John Wolcott |
| 1950 - Barbara Ragle Lucak
Vernon Petty
Norma Oxford Shaffer
Irma Shephard Zema | |
| 1951 - Donna Zurschmit Beard
Paul Hersek
Margaret Priest Legg
George Pletcher
Lowell Ripley
Richard S. Smith
Karl Stevenson | 1960 - Sandra Rankin Dahman |
| 1952 - Jon Houze | 1961 - Les Sackett |
| | 1963 - Michael Mahaney |
| | 1965 - Victor Rzewnicki |
| | 1968 - Ronald Rzewnicki |

1971 - Bill Neitz
Janet Myers Rzewnicki

1974 - Christine Mackey Farquhar
Tim Long

1975 - Pete Webb

1976 - Terrie Morgan
Isabella Yeager Pennybacker

1977 - Christy Counterterman
Karen Mackey Horton
Vickie Westfall Webb

1978 - Chris Jackson Lerch
Linda Rzewnicki Nasuta
Steven J. Wood

1980 - Sherri Jacobsen
Edward James Mackey

1982 - Mark Hussing

1983 - Eileen Morgan Arrington
Susan Basco Cirner

1988 - Anna M. Jacobsen McCumbers

2003 - Patrick Bauch
Lara Ward

2004 - Stephanie Yeager

2005 - Dale Ward

2006 - Isaac Yeager

2007 - Robyn Yeager

2008 - Matthey Bauch

2009 - The entire class

NOMINATION FORM FOR THE TALLMADGE ALUMNI HALL OF FAME

If you know of a deserving nominee for the Tallmadge High School Alumni Hall of Fame please complete this form and return to the address give. **REMEMBER NOMINATION DOES NOT MEAN INDUCTION, MUST BE VOTED ON BY HALL OF FAME COMMITTEE.**

CRITERIA FOR ENSHRINEMENT

*Must be a Tallmadge High School graduate or someone recognized for special contributions and service to the Tallmadge City Schools and to the community although not necessarily a graduate (honorary achievement)

*Ten years must have passed between high school graduation and induction

*Exceptional achievements in their field and/or career accomplishments or unique contributions to their community

*Must have demonstrated good citizenship both in and out of school

Name of Nominee _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Date of Graduation from Tallmadge High School_____

Activities participated in while attending Tallmadge High School:

Please indicate why you feel this person should be inducted into the Hall of Fame:

Please use additional pages if necessary.

Nominator's name_____ Phone_____

Address_____

City_____ State_____ Zip_____

Date of your graduation_____

Please return no later than February 1st to:

**Tallmadge City Schools
Alumni Hall of Fame Nomination
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Tallmadge, OH 44278**