

FROM OUR PRESIDENT:



The 2014 banquet is right around the corner, October 11 will be here before we know it. We have had a major change for the banquet location this year. We have moved from Burleson High School to Centennial High School cafeteria. Please help us get the word out to people who attended Burleson Schools. When you attend one of our events it helps us raise money for scholarships for our seniors. This is what we are about; helping young kids further their education as well as have a little fun, re-ignite friendships and start new friendships. Plan to join us this year for the annual banquet. Don't forget the date **October 11th, Centennial High School.** *Janet Bransom '75*

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HAVE YOU MOVED OR CHANGED E-MAIL?

Please let us know of any address changes or new e-mail addresses. We are updating our database weekly to keep it as current as possible. The cost of mailing newsletters is increasing everyday so your e-mail address would help offset some of that expense.

DONATION IN MEMORY OF:

- Bert Henderson in honor of Christine Henderson
- Wayne Landers in memory of Toni Beckwith Landers
- Judy Wynne in memory of Floy Wynne & Sue Wynne Gill
- Roy & Mary Mercer in memory of Clyde & Francis Lewis
- Rolly Millirons in memory of Floy Montgomery
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- Dorothy Clowdus in memory of Dennis Key
- Richard Thomas in memory of Teresa Odom
- Jimmie Smith in memory of Treva Shelton
- Joe Riley in memory of Ann Decker Riley
- CM Sanders in memory of Louise Sanders
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- Joyce Davis in memory of Betty Miller
- Christene Dunn in memory of J.T. Dunn

CLASS REUNIONS:

Class of 1965 - contact Ron Hughes at ronphughes@sbcglobal.net for more information.

Class of 1995 - Facebook: Burleson High School Class of 1995 for more information.

BURLESON EX-STUDENTS
Banquet
AWARDS & FUNDRAISER

October 11, 2014

The Burleson Ex-Students Association will have the pleasure of hosting the annual banquet at Centennial High School located at 201 S Hurst Road. Doors will open at 4:00 pm for those who want to start visiting early. Dinner will be served at 5:30 and the program should end around 8:45. We are planning a fun evening for all. Roscoe's will serve dinner and Craig Murphy will provide the entertainment. We will have a 50/50 drawing with tickets at \$5.00 each or 6 for \$20.00 and the lucky winner receives half.

If you went to school in Burleson, we want you to plan to attend. This has been our largest fund raiser in past years. The money raised at this event will go to help graduating seniors further their education regardless of which high school they attended or where or what type of school they plan on attending.

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JW NORWOOD AWARD

This year's J.W. Norwood Distinguished Alumni Award recipient is Brian Cook. Brian graduated from Burleson High School in 1986. He received a bachelor's degree in Computer Science from Princeton University where he graduated summa cum laude in 1990.

After college he returned to Fort Worth and worked on diverse projects including flight simulation, robotic lighting systems, and financial accounting software. In 1992 he founded a software company and developed Aloha, the first Windows-based point-of-sale system for restaurants. The company grew rapidly and in 2004 Aloha was acquired by a public company. Cook continued as CTO of the hospitality division of the new company until 2011. Aloha today is the foodservice market leader in North America, running in over 60,000 restaurants ranging from Del Frisco's, Chili's, Red Robin, Chipotle and Arby's, to the US Air Force and Country Clubs of America.

Cook is currently pursuing a doctorate in Computer Science at UT Arlington and preparing for his next project. He lives near Crowley and enjoys woodworking, backpacking and playing guitar. He is an assistant scoutmaster for Troop 499 and an active member of University United Methodist church in Fort Worth.

2014 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Kristin Bale, graduate of Centennial High, majoring in Aerospace Engineering received the Baker Foundation scholarship.

Corbin Clark, graduate of Burleson High, majoring in Nursing received the Dick Thomas in Memory of Teresa Odom scholarship.

Ashlee Gibson, graduate of Centennial High, majoring in Elementary Education received the Mini Bell Booth scholarship.

Savannah Latham, graduate of Centennial High, majoring in Pre-Medicine received the Burleson Ex Students Association scholarship.

Allison Pittman, graduate of Centennial High, majoring in Biomedical Sciences received the second Baker Foundation scholarship.

Katie Rebrovick, graduate of Centennial High, majoring in Mathematics-Education received the Anita Mires Neff scholarship.

Josh Rudd, graduate of Burleson High, majoring in Biology received the Ed Morelock scholarship.

DONATIONS TO ENDOWMENT FUND:

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| Sanders | Cynthia Ply |
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GOLF TOURNAMENT

FIRST ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT benefitting the Burleson Ex-Students Scholarship fund. Join us on September 17, 2014 at Southern Oaks golf course, 1:00 shotgun. For more details contact Gregg Erwin, 817-823-5355 or greggkgrp@yahoo.com



HOMECOMING BANQUET RESERVATIONS

Reservations must be received by October 8, 2014
 Send to P.O. Box 1252, Burleson, TX 76097-1252

Please reserve _____ places for dinner @ \$25 each -----\$

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