

Henley High School CRSS 01964

Sherry Alexander Smith



Now



After high school, I moved to Ashland to attend Southern Oregon College (now Southern Oregon University). Surprise, surprise, I majored in party and had a great time. One of the friends I made was from Long Beach, California. When she moved back to California, she convinced me to move to Southern California, and I have been here ever since. In 1968, I got a job at a law firm called Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher as a legal secretary. I wasn't very good at it, but they liked me and it was a great job. My roommate was the receptionist there and we were the instigators of a lot of after work parties at the firm.

While working at the law firm, I met a young attorney named Wayne Smith. We were married in December, 1973 and have been married for 36 years. Wayne has had a very successful career and has been recognized by various legal publications as one of the top lawyers in the country. I'm very proud of him.

We have two terrific children. Kelly is 32, works for UBS (United Bank of Switzerland), and lives in New York. She was married in August, 2008 to Fraser Cameron, who is from Australia. Our son Ryan is 29, and he went into the Marines out of high school. He rose to the rank of sergeant and led a squad in the invasion of Iraq. He then attended Boston College, and is about to graduate from UCLA Law School. He is engaged to be married this coming September. No grandchildren – yet. Now that the kids are gone from the house, I am back to having a good time. Wayne and I travel quite a bit, and when he is

working, I amuse myself reading and hanging out at a few favorite watering holes with my friends.



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Susan Bebber Schweppe

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Oh no, that hairdo!! After high school, I graduated from SOC where I met my husband, Schwep. We've been married 40 years and have no children but we've sure had our share of pets along the way...dogs, cats, llamas, chickens, birds. I've wised up and we now share our home with one cat.

My thirty year career was at Oregon Health and Sciences University in Portland. I worked for University Hospital in various positions with my last 15 years as a systems analyst working on their computer system. It was a challenging and rewarding career.

The best part, however, came in 2000 when I joined Schwep in retiring and we moved to the Phoenix area in Arizona. We live in an adult community where we both golf a lot and meet golfer friends. I like to quilt, knit, do needlework and read. We like traveling and have been to Europe, Mexico, Hawaii, the Caribbean, Greece, Egypt, Australia, New Zealand and cruises to Alaska and the Panama Canal. Egypt was our most interesting and favorite trip. The current picture I've sent is at a funky little golf course near the Great Pyramids



Henley High School Chiss of the Jesse (Ray) Black





This thing reads like a resume' for finding a job, but it's me.

1. Are you married? If so to whom? Married 1976 to Ellen. Ellen passed away in 1986. I'll bring a picture.

2. Do you have any children? How many? want us to know anything about them? Gina, Erin, Lindsay. Gina is a regional director of Princeton Review, lives in New Orleans. She and her husband Toru just presented me with my first grandson, Jackson. Erin is a middle school teacher in Houston TX. She has two almost-teenage daughters – Jordan and Taylor. Lindsay is my wayward daughter.

3. Do you work, if so where? Shell Oil Chemicals – sorry no discounts on gasoline. Currently a research project manager/concept development leader.

4. Have you traveled to exotic places? Plenty of travel to Amsterdam. Too bad I work for Shell, or I could smoke dope when I'm there.

5. What are your hobbies? Individual and team sports - racquetball and volleyball, 5k and 10k runs.

6. Where do you currently live? Katy, TX. Katy, bar the door!

7. Have you won the Nobel Peace Prize or discovered the cure for the common cold? (or any other award that was significant to you) Started work life for DuPont. Helped develop Kevlar® manufacturing process. Ballistic fiber post-treatment process. Conducted test studies on vests and combined body armor.

8. College? Military? BS, MS, PhD Chemical Engineering. Served in US Army, honorably discharged as captain in combat engineers.

9. What would we be most surprised to learn about you? I'm physically fit after all these years.



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Carol Forster Bowers

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After all my fun years at Henley I attended Multnomah Bible College in Portland for 4 years where I continued Journalism training. Worked three years in Wheaton, III. on the staff of a magazine before my childhood friend came home from 8 years overseas in the military and we were married in 1971. In August we will be celebrating 39 year of marriage...a great institution.

We had two sons who have blessed us with 7 grandchildren. After a number of years in Portland we moved to Medford where I did Medical records at a Care Center and managed a Newcomer service for a friend. When my mother had a stroke in 1982 Joel and I chose to move to Salem and care for her and my aging father. This 24/7 care occupied me for 12 years. During this time my husband finished his bachelor's and Master's degrees (Seminary) and a few years later we moved to Tempe Arizona. We tell our friends here that only an act of God could move an Oregonian to Arizona (it's about 114 degrees today). Here we are involved in a ministry to Persians (Iranian) many of which are Ph.D students at Arizona State University. We have experienced a lot of joy becoming their American parents, entertaining them and becoming family to them...once we learned their culture.

I am currently hoping to come to the reunion, but am trying to recover from a nasty recurrence of Valley Fever. Am looking forward to visiting with ol' friends.



Henley High School CRSS 01964

Dennis Galloway

Then







After graduation I attended Southern Oregon College and pretty much wasted the entire school year having fun. After the college experience, I worked at a couple of different jobs and found myself in the Marine Corps where my life began to change quickly. I married and we soon had our son, Chris. After being discharged we returned to Klamath Falls and I became an employee of Jeld-Wen. This job was monotonous so Bob Osborne was helpful in getting me on at Thrift Auto Supply. I liked working at Thrift as the job was a lot of fun but the retirement sucked and by then we had welcomed our second child Michelle into our lives. I was finding I needed more from a job like benefits and security. Thus, in 1972 I began my career with Weyerhaeuser Company.

It was during my Weyerhaeuser years that our third child Katie was born; I divorced; remarried and had the surprise of my life when on August 7th of 1995 I welcomed child number four, Mykah, into the world!

I worked for Weyerhaeuser until the Company sold the facilities to Collins Products in 1996. Presently I continue working for Collins as the Superintendent of the finishing and shipping department in the Particleboard Plant. My wife, Suzie, is also employed at Collins as the Human Resource Manager. We spend the majority of our free time hauling Mykah and her horses to shows and equestrian team events. When time allows, we enjoy camping with our horses or watching the grandchildren play ball or compete in Tae Kwon Do tournaments. The grandkids are very talented in their sports and all, but that would make this story way too long. The only reason I am sending this in is because Dawn told me she was going to start making stuff up about me if I didn't get it done and send it in!

It will be good to see everyone again!



Henley High School **Gliss of 1964** Karen Gentry Cochran

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Married – 43 years (1966) to Bill Cochran We met at college in New Mexico. For 5 years, I taught high school there, and he was the principal and coach. We moved to Frederick, Maryland in 1972. Children:

Robyn – married John Moore from Klamath Falls (there's an irony). They, our granddaughter, and grandson reside in St. Helens, Or. Shayne and his son (thankfully) live only 15 miles from us.

Billy is a contractor and owns a company that remodels, renovates, or builds from scratch high-end homes in the Washington, DC area.

I'm completing 43 years in education –25 in the classroom (mainly middle school); and 28 teaching teachers of needy readers.

Kids, grandkids, parents, and other family occupy much of our spare time. Other interests center on our farm and our river house/land - both located "a far piece from anywhere" in gorgeous southern West Virginia. We also enjoy traveling.

My mother (Georgia) died in 2003; Dad (Keith) remarried and lives in K-Falls; brother, John, lives near Tulelake. Hope to see you in August!



Henley High School **Glass Of Bob** Ground Then Now





After graduation it was college in Ashland; which was a social success but an academic flop. The following year I attended Northrop University, a private engineering school in the Los Angeles area. No sports, no band, just an engineering school with one girl on campus. Grades were vastly improved! During the summer of 1967 while working in Klamath Falls the Army called for two years of involuntary servitude. I attended aviation school in Alabama where I was accepted into the Army band. The offer was declined since I didn't want to spend 18 months in 'bama'. BIG mistake on my part. I ended up in Washington D.C. assigned to a V.I.P. flight service attached to the Pentagon.

While in the Army my parents moved back to Alaska (Juneau this time) so upon release from the Army, I moved to Juneau. Weather was horrible with 120" of rain/year and days of endless drizzle. However, jobs were plentiful, pay was good and the social life was outstanding! Worked for almost a year before returning to Northrop University. After college I became involved with building off road race cars and was also a flagman for some of the sports car races; which was something I started in Wash. D.C. Building race cars doesn't pay well, but you can live on peanuts if you love what you're doing.

The 1974 Arab oil embargo hit Los Angeles like a ton of bricks. Racing dried up and sponsors pulled their support; it was time to head back to Alaska where I stayed for 31 years. I purchased 5 acres of land in 1978 and built a home. In 1983 I married Diana Bennett from Richland, Washington. In 1999 I was working as a project engineer on commercial building construction projects when I retired at the age of 52. I stayed in Alaska until my wife retired and then we moved south in 2006. We now live in K.F. (the town I would never return to) and are currently building a new house and large shop on 15 acres on a hillside in the Pine Grove area. I look forward to completion of this construction project so I return to some of my sports car racing endeavors.



Henley High School **GRSS 01964** Dawn Hale Hill

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I have learned so much since 1964. My mother was right not only about that guy I was dating but also about my hair. Oh my gosh, was I worst hairdo of the year or what?! I am retired from teaching and happily living in Idaho with my husband Terry. (Married 43 years) We have a son who is an architect in Portland, married with two boys. Our daughter is married and lives a few miles from us. She is a teacher who is staying at home with her two boys. In my teaching career, I taught learning disabled and physically handicapped students. I also taught grades 1-4 at one time or another. I loved the kids and found teaching to be rewarding and fun. However nothing tops retirement!!! My absolute passion is riding and showing my gorgeous horse at National and World shows. At the other end of the spectrum, I am also an obsessive knitter. I keep very active and love new challenges. I feel extremely lucky to be enjoying such a great life with terrific family and friends.



Henley High School **Gliss of 1964** Cindy Harless Beck

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Contrary to popular lore, I didn't "become my mother" but rather, my grandmother! I now live within 60 miles of where she was born. Like her, I love gardening, rural life, and fiber arts, and my faith is the bedrock of my life.

From HHS I went to George Washington Univ in D.C. for a year. When Dad was sent to Vietnam, Mom wanted me back on the West Coast, so I transferred to the University of Washington. There I met Carl, my best friend and husband of 43 years (no kids). While at UW I started working nighttime reservations for United Air Lines. I stayed with UAL the next 13 years, with the last four at the Sea-Tac Red Carpet Room. Did anyone visit there between 1975 and 1979? I was looking for you. During a prolonged strike, I left UAL to start a contracting business with Carl. We did work for the Navy and others the next several years. When a UAL client offered a job with a pension actuarial firm, I jumped at the chance to be clean again! I studied to become a Certified Pension Consultant and spent the next 9 years traveling the USA speaking to employees about their retirement plans and other employee benefits. Finally got tired of being gone so much (hard on a marriage). Stayed home awhile, then took a job managing a local community club, which was great fun for the next 12 years.

After living in the same house in Seattle for 34 years, it became clear that if I was to have any quality time with my parents, it had to be now. So, we pulled up deep roots to move to East Nowhere, Texas in 2007. We live in an area of oak woods, down the street from a cow pasture, 7 miles from the nearest grocery store, and we love it. Although we had planned to keep working, there are no jobs here in the wilderness, so we are retired. Our passion now is our small herd of alpacas. Like Grandma, I now shear, spin, weave and knit. Life is very good!!! Can't wait to see Y'all.



Henley High School Class of 1964

Marge Hooper Lawson

Then

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After 11 years at Henley, I graduated from Butte Valley High School, moved to San Francisco, married, had a daughter, and divorced. In 1977 we moved (temporarily, I thought) to Klamath Falls. I had no intention of marrying again, but met Jim Lawson, who managed to change my mind. We've been happily married 31 years.

In 1989 I opened a retail gift and craft supply store. After a few years I started importing beads and selling to bead stores internationally. In 2001 I closed the retail store and moved the wholesale business into a warehouse. The following year my husband retired from his optometry practice and I hired a manager to handle the day-to-day running of my business and manage the staff, which allows us to spend most of the year traveling. I still spend more hours than I'd like working, but my computer work can be done from anywhere in the world, so it's hard to complain.

Downhill skiing, racing sailboats, scuba diving/underwater photography and travel are my passions. Favorite trips: New Zealand, China, Thailand, Egypt, Japan, and Jordan. Least favorite—Galapagos Islands where, after several days of diving with sharks, I slipped in the shower and broke my hip (shows what is truly dangerous). We bought a home on the Caribbean island of Bonaire six years ago where we spend about half of each year enjoying the diving.

My daughter has blessed me with two grandchildren, now teenagers, who live near Mt. Hood, Oregon.

We will be in Kenya and Tanzania during August this year, so we won't be able to attend the reunion. I hope to see you at the next reunion (2014?).



Henley High School **GRSS 01164** Cheryll Horn-Harris-Bankhead

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I have had a much fulfilled life with three wonderful children and nine grandchildren who keep me very busy.

As I reflect on my accomplishments, my first being the fourteen and one-half foot standing broad jump that stood for ten years. Next would be my involvement with my children and other children learning and experiencing life. I spent seven years as a leader in Girl scouts and Boy scouts. Twenty five years as a 4-H leader in many areas. I was in small animals up to large animals, cooking, sewing and many more. During this time I raised, trained, showed and judged dogs and horses. I was a special education teacher and mentored children in school programs. I also had a sewing, arts and crafts business which I enjoyed.

After raising my children I went to OIT majoring in mechanical engineering. I was on the deans list every semester, graduated with a 3.69 GPA and an Associates degree. I was also the first woman millwright at Columbia Plywood.

I love painting in oil and water mediums and have sold paintings around the western states. I love to experience a lot of different things and have carried this through out my life. I am now enjoy my grandchildren, art and sewing in my retirement.



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Celia Kerns Swift

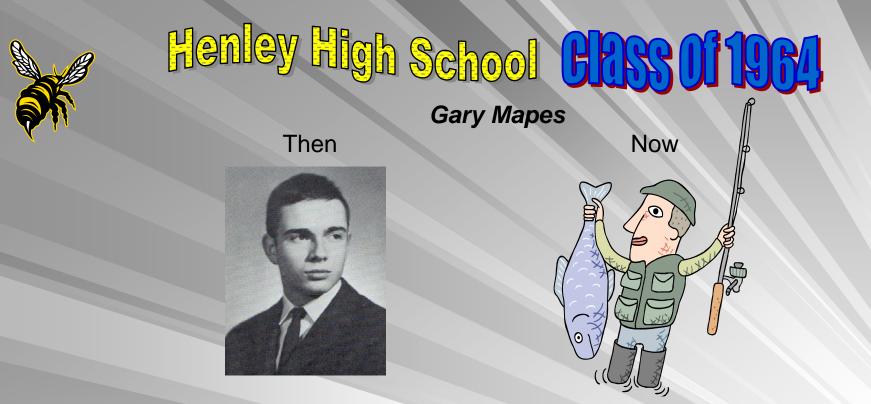
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Celia Kerns



I love Oregon, My new great grandchildren make 7 generations of native Oregonians. After high school I went to Southern Oregon where I majored in education and minored in business. I met my husband and after 43 years he is still my best friend. He worked for the Oregon State Highway Dept over 30 years The first few years we traveled the state on a paving crew summers, and wintered at Lake of the Woods. We spent off and on about 15 years at Lake of the Woods, we had the wilderness at our back door but the kids had to travel 57 miles to school, each way, to Henley. We had no telephone and no television. Our first phone was in the 80's at Lake of the Woods and the number was Fish Lake Toll Station #1. From Lake of the Woods we went to Odell Lake, the Portland Oregonian referred to the maintenance station as the "Siberia of Oregon" Here the kids only had to travel 27 miles to school, however shopping was 70 miles to either Eugene, or Bend. I worked at Willamette ski resort, side benefit for that was that family free skiing, the kids started skiing very young I also worked and managed Crescent Lake Resort, where some interesting questions would be posed by visitors, such as "What to they put in that Lake (Crater Lake) to make it so blue?" . After Odell Lake we moved to Klamath Falls, where I worked in accounting and payroll. We moved back to Lake of the Woods. and I went worked in Medford in accounting. Then back to Klamath and I went to work for Jeld-wen in payroll. When my husband retired in 1995, we movef to Cave Junction (to be out of the snow). I continued working at Jeldwen until 1998 driving to Cave Junction every weekend. I worked in the accounting department at Firemountain Gems and finally retired in June of 2008. When I said I love Oregon. I love it because it has it all. Glaciers, geysers, ocean, mountains, deserts, dunes, caves. hot springs, painted hills, and fossil beds, and much more. I enjoy traveling, I love growing plants & I also love doing genealogy for others, as well as my own.



After graduating from OIT, I began my career at Sears. I started in Klamath Falls and after 3 years transferred to the Bay Area, where I had several assignments over 20 years. I was then moved to Portland for 6 years, Chicago for 3, (where I couldn't stand the weather), and moved back to the West Coast at the first opportunity. Since 1998, Roseville, CA has been home. I retired from Sears in 2004, all was good until 2007 when complications from hip replacement hospitalized me for nearly a year. Recovery has been a long haul, and I'm happy to get around on a cane at this point. Before my hip problems, I enjoyed golf and fishing, and hope to take up both again soon. My wife, Shanda, still works at Sears, and has a traveling job that keeps her busy. Our daughter, Alley, will be a Junior at Sac Sate this fall. I look forward to catching up with you and the rest of the class in August.



Henley High School Steve Rand CHASS 011964

my condensed life story: immediately after hs grad, i accompanied parents to alexandria, va, spent summer and returned to ashland, or where i wasted a perfectly good school yr at so ore coll, drinking beer. went back to va, broke the good news to parents, that i had joined usmc and spent the next 27 years being a jarhead. life as a seagoing bellhop was very rewarding, exciting and challenging; would return to active duty right now, if they'd have me. immaturity followed me for the first 18 years of my life, all that changed the early morning i arrived at parris island, sc. the marine corps insulated me from the social unrest in our country mid 60's to mid 70's and two combat tours to southeast asia just emboldened me more (i was a rather gung ho sort). like most, i had serious reservations as to our commitment, how life 10000 miles from our homeland affected national security and all the other minusha we were fed on a daily basis. i did however, survive, still with a strong belief in the good ol usa. in mid 1971 i became a drill instructor and trained recruits for the next 3 and one half years. what a kick in the pants job. did things my way, bent almost every training edict there was (never got caught) and turned out some pretty solid marines. was commissioned in 1975 (major lifestyle improvement), spent more time aboard ship and at sea, than most sailors. kuwait was invaded by the iragis 1aug90, i arrived al jubail, saudi arabia, 2aug90. spent next 10 months hopscotching across the southwest asian desert. the air force certainly earned their 15 minutes of fame in the gulf, they brought a major s--t storm down upon saddam, the likes he'd never seen before. from a catbird seat and first hand involvement, the iraqi army, was way way overrated. they wanted no part of american soldiers and marines. became a former marine last day dec 1991, oorah! 1992 to 2009, worked at chevrolet dealership in chesapeake, va, put son and daughter through college and earned a decent living. transition from MC to to everyday citizen was easy and natural flow of events. i always believed that when folks were hungry, you fed them, when they were tired, you put them to bed and when they were ill, you sent them to sick bay, ideas that kept folks on my side, especially when times were intense. my track record with the young ladies at hhs was abysmal to say the least but i've saved my best home trainin for the reunion, and i look so forward to catchin up with robert osborne, dennis galloway, michael peacock, levoy young and all the other hooligans i ran with back in the day. to this day, i can't figure out how we all stayed out of jail. osborne and galloway were the ringleaders, peacock, young and myself were simply innocents, caught up in their mischief and debauchery.

taylor and the rest of you wonderful gals get much kudos for putting this whole thing together, i'll see you all soon. peace, sar







It seems like only yesterday we were 16 and looking for mischief at Henley High School. Life after high school continued to be adventurous to say the least...

During my college days, I married Cheryl Stoehsler, Class of '65. We shared duties going to school, raising a daughter, playing football, and working. After college, we lived in Corvallis, Oregon for several years. Cheryl was teaching "Special Ed" kids and I was working in industry. Our second daughter arrived in 1977.

Shortly thereafter, we moved to Alaska. We enjoy the wilderness and independent way of life found here in Alaska, which reminds us a lot of growing up in the Klamath Basin. I worked for a big Alaska company in the "oil" industry for several years. April 1st, 1982, I decided to start a consulting engineering business we named Great Northern Engineering. Alaska has been good to us in regard to a place to raise our children and provide a good living. We keep our freezer full of halibut, salmon, moose, and caribou.

Periodically, we like to travel "outside" for shopping sprees and football games at OSU. Our daughters are both married and between them, we have 5 grandchildren. Klamath Falls is still a place we stop in often as we still have relatives that are there. We have a remote summer home in a little town called Seldovia which is close to Homer, Alaska. We love it there for the peace and serenity. We keep a fishing boat there and fly my plane there as often as we can. It is kind of like Fantasy Island. We are looking forward to retirement (some day), and be able to spend more time in Klamath.



Henley High School CHSS 011064

Fred Rodriguez

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Fred has enjoyed a wide range of experience, including military service, 25 years as a university professor and coach, as well as developing educational programs throughout Latin America. He began his career as an Army officer and served a one-year tour of duty in Vietnam as a combat infantryman. Realizing that war was dangerous, he separated from active duty and pursued a much safer career in higher education. He has a Bachelor's degree from Idaho State University, a Master's degree from Colorado State University, and a Ph.D. in Education from the University of Utah. He returned to active duty for several years and was stationed in Panama where he traveled extensively in Central and South America. Fred and his wife Janet have been married 41 years and reside in Las Cruces, New Mexico. He is finding it hard to retire, as he still loves teaching at the local university and empowering masters and doctoral degree students.

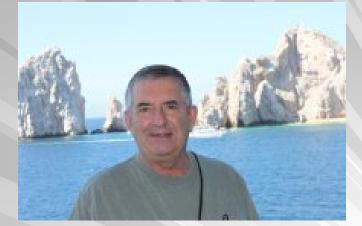


Henley High School **GRSS 01964** Fred Schneyder

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After leaving Henley I graduated from OTI and then went to work for Argonne National Laboratory at the National Reactor Testing Station west of Idaho Falls, Idaho. At the time I worked at The National Reactor Testing Station it had forty-nine nuclear reactors. When I became bored with that I moved to Anchorage, Alaska and started my career in the welding supply business. When the pipeline was stopped waiting for a environmental impact statement, I left Alaska and returned to Idaho, did some hunting and drove truck for a short time and then continued my career in the welding supply business. I was a partner in a business that had stores in Southeast Idaho, Wyoming and Utah. We sold the business in 1998 to Airgas. I still work for Airgas. The welding supply business has been very good to me through the years. I very much enjoy working as a process and automation specialist. I travel a lot with my work, covering Southern Idaho, Wyoming, Utah and Colorado. Along the way, I married my wonderful wife Shauna, an Idaho native. We have raised one daughter and three sons, and have three grandchildren. Two of my sons have served in the military. Our oldest son served three tours in Iraq with the 1/7 Marines infantry. We travel and enjoy the outdoors including hunting, fishing, shooting and camping. I plan to work at least a couple more years before I retire.

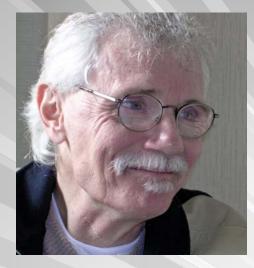


Henley High School **GRSS 01964** JB (Jim) Selkregg

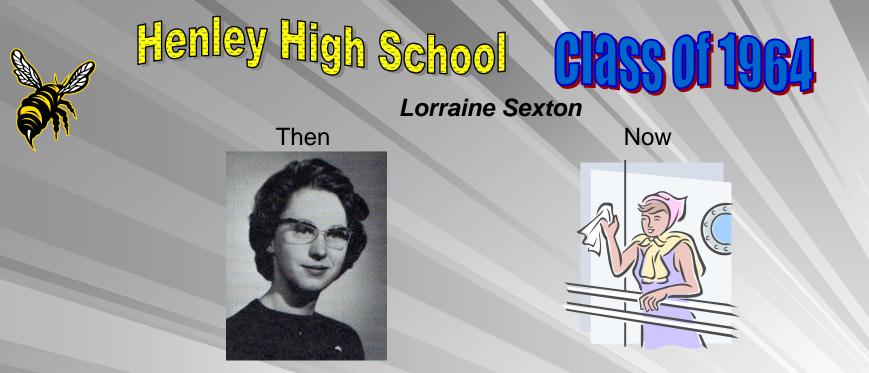
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HERE'S THE STORY, HERE'S THE SKINNY, HERE'S THE DEAL - SOME OF IT ANYWAY, AS MUCH AS I CAN REMEMBER. I AM RETIRED (I GO TO BED TIRED, I WAKE UP TIRED, SO THAT'S ME, RETIRED) HERE IN VANCOUVER, WASHINGTON. SPENT 31 YEARS WITH MULTNOMAH COUNTY IN PORTLAND OREGON WORKING IN THE ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT. I HAVE BEEN MARRIED FOR 28 YEARS - THE LAST 25 HAVE BEEN TO THE SAME HOT SMOKIN' BABE. WE HAVE A DAUGHTER, A SON, A DOG, A DUMB ASS CAT, A NICE CAT, SOME FISHES AND LIKE THAT. THE WIFE IS RETIRED FROM THE BANKING WORLD. IS NOW DOING THE MASTER GARDNER THING, SO SHE IS ALWAYS MESSING WITH THE WEEDS. I'M KIND OF A CAR PERSON, HOT RODS MOSTLY, SO I'M ALWAYS TRYING TO BURN RUBBER. TIRED TO GET THROUGH OREGON STATE TWICE, COULDN'T QUITE DO IT, BUT DID GET MY BBA AT A BUSINESS COLLEGE IN YPSILANTI, MICHIGAN (CLEARY COLLEGE). SINCE I HIT SIXTY, THE OL' BOD HAS REALLY HIT THE WALL, HARD GETTING AROUND - IT'S LIKE WHEN YOU TAKE YOUR DOG WITH NO LEGS FOR A WALK - IT'S A DRAG. IF I GO OUT AND ABOUT I KIND OF HAVE TO RIDE ONE OF THEM SCOOTERS - AND HEY, YOU DON'T NEED A LICENCE TO RUN PEOPLE OVER I ONE OF THOSE. IT DOESN'T LOOK LIKE I WILL BE MAKING THE REUNION. I WILL BE THINKING ABOUT ALL YOUS GUYS AND HOPING IT'S A FUN TIME. AND LIKE WHAT'S HIS NAME SAYS - STILL CRAZY AFTER ALL THESE YEARS, JB



I am not married but I have been living with my partner for 35 years. She and I worked together at Providence hospital since 1972. I retired a couple of years ago but she is still working.

Before I was disabled I worked as a X-Ray tech.

I spend my time watering my garden that Dorothy plants and volunteering at the local museum. We love cruising. We also like traveling to Mexico, Australia, New Zealand, and other places around here.

My hobbies include: reading, watching tv, watching things grow, doing sudoku, and traveling.

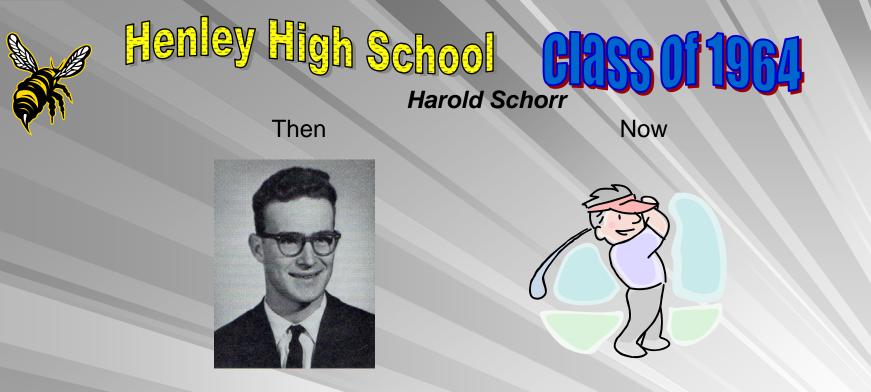
I have no children but we do have 3 dogs, 1 bird, and 1 large tortoise.

I own a home in Phoenix and have been here for over 30 years.

My story is kinda short and uneventful, I have made no great mark but, I'm happy.

My family still lives in Klamath Falls so I do get over there occasionally.

I will try and make it to the reunion but I'm not sure if I can yet.



I joined the army in 1965 and traveled to Europe (Germany) three times. This led to also seeing some of the rest of Europe. In 1969 I went to Vietnam and stayed over there for 18 months with the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment as a machine gunner.

I was stationed in the states as follows: New York, Fort Campbell Kentucky, Fort Ord California, Fort Bliss Texas, Fort Huachuca Arizona, Fort Benjamin Harrison Indiana.

I finished may military career at the Presidio of San Francisco which is where I retired after 20 years.

After Retirement my family and I moved to Klamath Falls where we stayed for 8 years. (Wife Yolanda, Son Harold Jr.) We had another son that was killed at the age of 3 years.

We then moved to EI Paso TX where I went to school and got a degree in electronic technology. Then started teaching labs for electronics at the same school (Western Technology College) and retired from there.

Now we live about 40 miles from Fred if he is still in Las Curses.

I play golf and travel.



In 1972, just after graduating from Oregon Technical Institute with a degree in structural engineering, I married Linda Sandberg. I worked in a structural engineering office in Vancouver, Washington for three years. We moved back to Klamath Falls in 1976 where I accepted an engineering position with Weyerhaeuser Company. I worked at various positions with Weyerhaeuser until the company sold the Klamath Falls holdings in 1996. I then accepted the position of Combined Services Manager (Plant Engineer) with the purchasing company; Collins Products, LLC. I left Collins in early 2001 and worked as a contractor for Weyerhaeuser company training/implementing SAP software for maintenance and engineering in several of their operations in the United States and Canada. I retired in June of 2008. Linda and I have two sons, Brandon 32 and Sean 31. Brandon is a structural engineer in Bend, Oregon, and Sean is a high school science and math teacher in Milton-Freewater, Oregon.



Then

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Where have all those years gone since we last "buzzed" around in the halls of old Henley High? I began my journey after high school by flying off to SOC to get a teaching degree ('68-P.E./health/recreation) and soon ended up married, living in Florence and teaching elementary school while directing the Outdoor School at Mapleton for seven years. Sons Ryan ('74) and Matthew ('76) were born there and then Larry Derry took a job in Newberg where I have lived ever since. I divorced in '86 and dedicated my life to raising my boys on my own until I met, b became good friends with and married Art Anderson in'91. Thank God Art came into my life, because only six months after our marriage, my youngest son, Matthew was killed in a motorcycle accident. My life changed forever that day, but I refused to let it destroy me. I am now retired after 32 years of teaching and coaching all grade levels; have survived breast cancer ('97), am an orphan (my folks are all buried by Matthew nearby), have been there got support my brother, Pat (Henley'66) when he lost his youngest son in '96; found peace with the fact that Ryan became a Portland police officer after college (he recently received the Carnegie Institute's annual award for heroism); delight in being involved with my grandchildren (3) nearby and my extended-family-grandkids (5); party and travel often with girlfriends; love to garden and be a super neighbor; volunteer for Hospice; enjoy endless hobbies; have Duck season football tickets; keep in touch with old friends as much as possible; and keep forever busy. Can't wait to reunite with all of you soon.



I'm one lucky woman – enjoying the leisure of retirement, married to a thoughtful, smart and funny guy, and always comfortable because I spend summers in New England and winters in Florida.

I got where I am by a long and winding road. In my 20s I got married and divorced, lived in Maine, and worked as a city bus driver in Minneapolis. In my 30s I studied law at Columbia U, married my current husband, and started practicing commercial law in Boston. In my 50s I got tired of lawyer jokes, went to design school, and started my own interior design business. Two years ago we retired and became snowbirds, spending summers in an old Vermont farmhouse and winters in a Miami waterfront condo.

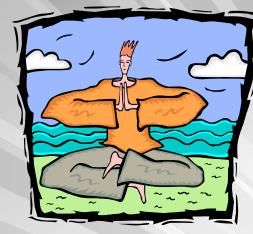
My favorite pastime is adventure travel. I've trekked in Nepal and traveled by camel in the Sahara. I've explored Indonesia, Ethiopia, Vietnam, Turkey, Morocco, Egypt, Peru and Japan. I've always had the travel bug – in 1969 my first husband and I toured Europe for a year in a VW Campmobile, and in 1984 I practiced law for a year in London. Since retirement I've been learning Spanish, hiking, reading, exercising, and wrestling alligators.

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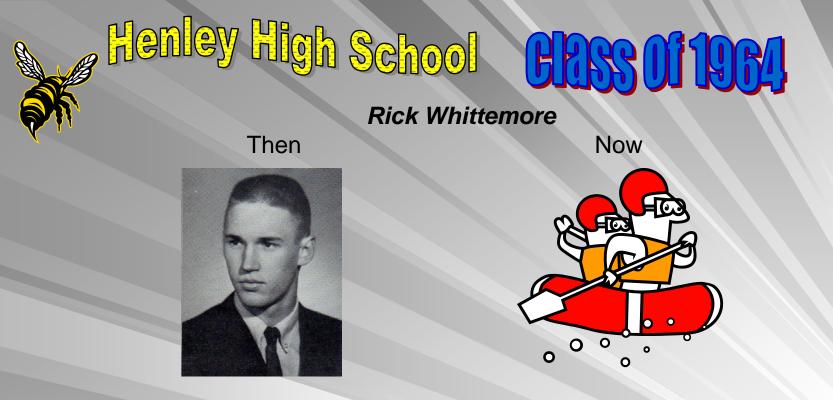
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After graduating from Henley, I attended OTI for about 1 1/2 years, got married, moved to Bandon and then Myrtle Point, Oregon, where I worked as executive secretary in the local bank. We moved to Gold Beach, Oregon, where our two sons were born--ages 40 and 37. We moved to Lebanon, Oregon, in about 1975, divorced in 1985. I remarried in 1989. At that time I was teaching fitness classes, first for Linn-Benton Community College and later self-employed. In about 1993, I returned to school, completing my master's in social work at Portland State in 1998. I worked for Linn County Alcohol and Drug as supervisor for the adolescent treatment team My husband died in 2003. I took up skydiving for a couple summers, retired from work and skydiving in 2005, met a new guy and we began building a house in Philomath, Oregon. I currently have 3 grandchildren, 2 boys 18 and 10 in Alaska, and a granddaughter 14 in Arizona.

I just accepted a position as social worker for Evergreen Hospice and will start in April. I enjoy refinishing furniture and visiting with family. Gardening and yoga are current passions.



AFTER HENLEY I ATTENDED S.O.C. FOR A COUPLE OF YEARS THEN TRANSFERRED TO THE UNIVERSITY OF OREGON WHERE I MARRIED & GRADUATED WITH A BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE. FOLLOWING GRADUATION WE MOVED TO BEND WHERE I WENT TO WORK FOR BROOKS RESOURCES. DESIGNING RESIDENCES FOR BLACK BUTTE RANCH. AFTER MOVING TO BEND MY WIFE & I DIVORCED & I SPENT THE NEXT FEW YEARS RECAPTURING MY YOUTH & WORKING FOR A COUPLE OF DIFFERENT ARCHITECTURAL FIRMS. IN "81" A COUPLE FRIENDS & I STARTED A DESIGN FIRM JUST IN TIME FOR THE "DEPRESSION" OF THAT TIME. THIS DID NOT MAKE FOR A ROBUST BUSINESS ATMOSPHERE IN THE DESIGN/BUILDING FIELD SO IN "83" I BOUGHT A BAR. I MET MY FUTURE WIFE PAM THAT YEAR & WE MARRIED TEN YEARS LATER ON 9/11. A FEW YEARS AFTER BUYING & WORKING THE BAR A PREMIRE RESIDENTUAL DESIGNER DRUG ME OUT OF "RETIREMENT" & I WORKED FOR HIM FOR 15 YEARS QUITING AS A CHRISTMAS PRESENT TO HIS WIFE. PAM AND I STILL OWN THE BAR. OUR SON LIVES IN COLORADO AND IS DOING VERY WELL. AS FOR TRAVEL, WE SPENT ABOUT MONTH IN THE AZORES AND ENJOY GOING TO MEXICO ONCE A YEAR AND WOULD LIKE TO TRY IRELAND SOMEDAY. WE HAVE A VERY EXPENCIVE OLD DIABETIC CAT AND WOULD LIKE TO TRAVEL MORE IF WE OUT LIVE HIM. MY PASSION FOR RECREATION IS RIVER RAFTING & CHUKAR HUNTING; I DO PLAY AT GOLF OCCASONALLY BUT MOST MATINANCE CREWS PREFER I DON'T SHOW UP.