

FALL 2019

Happy 30th Anniversary to the Marlington Alumni Association!

Committed to “fostering a sense of belonging and enhancing tradition and pride” in its alumni, and “sponsoring scholarships for outstanding Marlington student,” the story began with a vision, a purpose and a committed few.

At the urging of Marlington teacher, Eleanor Ramser, a steering committee was appointed, bylaws drafted and in 1989, the Marlington Alumni Association (MAA) was incorporated. Each of the 230 charter members contributed \$10 to fund the scholarships and operations of the organization. With 9,000 alumni, \$2,300 in cash and a vision for the good that could be accomplished, the fledgling organization was launched.

Scholarship candidates were asked to submit an essay sharing their accomplishments, contribution to the community and how Marlington had prepared them for the future. Julie Connolly ('89) and Steve McLeod ('89) each received \$200- the first scholarship awards.

Thirty years later, the MAA continues to adhere to those original purposes. We strive to encourage that same sense of belonging and remain committed to recognizing outstanding Marlington students with scholarships. **In 1989 the MAA proudly awarded two scholarships totaling \$400. In 2019, with thirty years of generous support from alumni, friends and community members, the MAA presented 52 awards to 46 students, totaling \$77,450.**

When you support the MAA, you are investing in the lives of future community leaders, future business owners, entrepreneurs and skilled tradespeople. **Since its inception, the MAA has awarded more than five hundred scholarships totaling nearly \$750,000.** Your generous gifts continue to make a lifelong impact. Thank you!

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Snapshots Show Accomplishments

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Julie Connolly ('89)

As one of the first award recipients, Julie received a Marlinton Alumni Association Scholarship of \$200. She attended Miami University and began as a pre-veterinary major. Half way through her college

years, she switched her major to computer science.

In 1994 Julie graduated with a Bachelor's of Science in Systems Analysis and was hired her senior year by Cap Gemini Sogeti, an international consulting firm. She lived and worked in Cincinnati as a consultant at various companies (mainly Proctor & Gamble) working in software and website design and programming.

But her heart was always in veterinary medicine. Eight years later Julie returned part-time to Miami University to complete her veterinary school prerequisites. She was accepted to and ultimately graduated from The Ohio State University College of Veterinary Medicine. Following an internship at a large referral veterinary hospital, Julie joined Reynoldsburg Animal Hospital, a dog and cat general practice. August 2019 marked her tenth anniversary there, doing the job she always knew she wanted.

When she's not working, Julie enjoys making jewelry, traveling and spending time with her family. She traveled to Taiwan last Christmas to visit her mother's family and while there got engaged. Her fiancé, Dan, works at The Wilds and owns a gym called Zombie Cross Training where Julie also does Crossfit. She is the very proud mother of Liam, her 16 year old son. "He's an excellent student, plays volleyball and is the best kid ever – I couldn't be more proud," said Julie. Similarly, the MAA couldn't be more proud of its first scholarship recipient.

Julie's words of wisdom for the class of 2020: "Do what makes you happy but be financially aware and smart – save and plan! Also be KIND and open-minded – there's too much hate and intolerance in the world today."



Steve McLeod ('89)

Steve attended the University of Mount Union with plans to be an educator. However, after observing a middle school class, he quickly changed his focus. Instead, he graduated in 1993 with a degree in French, minors in Business and Psychology and an interest in International Business. "No offense to you middle school teachers out there," he said, "God bless you!"

After college Steve moved to Charlotte, NC and worked at a swimming pool during the day and a bar at night. "My parents were so very proud!" he laughed. Soon after he joined a rental car company, and later worked for Nationwide Insurance. He started his own real estate company before the financial implosion of the mid-2000's. Since 2006 Steve has worked for Liberty Mutual Insurance, managing various teams within the IT department.

He married the former Julie Liber in 2000, and together they are the very proud parents of two beautifully talented daughters, Kenna (16) and Norah (13). He and Julie honeymooned in Maine and fell in love with the area and quality of life, moving there in 2006. "Our family LOVES to surf," said Steve. "Believe it or not, I surf year round. Even on winter days when it's in the teens, I'll go out with friends and get in the water. It's helped me get through the long winters! Saltwater is the ultimate healthy, mental medication!"

Words of wisdom for the class of 2020? Steve had three thoughts: First, focus on soft skills. It's a lost art. You can learn any content you want, but looking someone in the eyes when you talk, being transparent and honest and possessing solid verbal and written

Anniversary Scholarship Recipients

communication skills are strong currencies. Second, realize your parents and mentors are not immortal and have feelings just like you. "It might seem silly, but it's something I realized far too late in life. Even people we look up to have bad days." Lastly, do as much research, reading, podcast listening and pondering on the fact that the mind is abundantly powerful. "As a man thinketh, so shall he be" is not cliché. Focus on what you want and it will show up. "That being said, for a few years I've been intensely thinking about a four bedroom, beachfront, bungalow in Costa Rica. I'm still patiently waiting!"



Tracie Marty ('99)

Tracie received the Pete Moulin award in 1999. She attended Kent State University, receiving a

Bachelors of Science in Fashion Merchandising with a minor in Marketing. But, as Tracie explained, "Life happened. Kids, husband, house, the whole deal. I was working at University of Mount Union as a costume designer and also at Doreen Leaf Designs as assistant manager." It was during this time, she reflected, "I decided to go back to school to get a Nursing degree."

Tracie received her Bachelor's of Science in Nursing (BSN) and worked at Akron Children's Hospital in the Emergency Department. After a move to North Carolina, she was a school nurse for two years. She recently accepted a new position at New Hanover Regional Medical Center as a case manager. She

loves her new career- and her life! "A fun fact," she laughed, "is that I live on an island. Right by the beach. Beautiful Oak Island!"

Her MAA scholarship, she says, helped set the groundwork for receiving her first Bachelor's degree. "It helped me with tuition, books and supplies and gas money. Thank you MHS Alumni!"



Kim (Knisley) Broadwater ('09)

Following graduation, Kim attended Malone University where she also played on their tennis team for four years. She graduated in 2013 with her Bachelors of Science in Nursing (BSN). While in school, she worked at Mercy Hospital as a nurse tech. Following graduation she accepted a position there as ICU nurse, a role she's enjoyed for more than 6 years.

Kim married her high school sweetheart, Ross Broadwater ('07) in June, 2013. They have a two and a half year old daughter named Joelle. She continues to work part time and spends the rest of her time "raising our sweet and sassy, crazy little girl. We have a black lab named Zoey that loves Joelle because she gets all kinds of extra food."

Words of wisdom for class of 2020 – "Work hard and you can achieve anything you put your mind to. Be kind to each other, because twenty years down the road you probably won't remember what your classmates looked like, but you will remember how they treated you. And always do the right thing, even when nobody else is watching."

The **Marlington**
Alumni Association

Golf Outing Adds Over \$12,000



On Friday, July 19, the Marlinton Alumni Association (MAA) hosted its 2019 golf outing at Tannenhaut Golf Course. This marked the 23rd year of the annual event, the biggest of the organization's fundraisers. Over \$12,700 was raised through sponsorships and 112 golfers.

Participants once again enjoyed breakfast, a great round of golf, and a steak dinner. Door prizes were awarded for every player, a yearly highlight, as well as prizes for contest winners.

The first-place team with a score of -13 was Hunter Palmer, Kelly Palmer, ('76) Caleb Hall ('14) and Ryan Headley ('11).

Second place, with a score of -13 was Mike Dillon, Diane (Rubin) Schold, Joe Knoll ('84) and Shawn Dillon ('88).

The third-place finishers with a score of -11 was the team of Bella Warner, Kaitlyn Englehart, Austin Williamson ('19) and Quentin Rock ('16).



Save the date MAA 2020 Golf Outing Friday, July 24, 2020



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The MAA appreciates the support of golfers as well as many generous individuals and businesses.

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2019 Outstanding Alumni Honored

Elizabeth (Draper) Muckley, O.D., F.A.A.O., Class of 1990, was named recipient of the 2019 Outstanding Alumni award. Dr. Muckley is Director of Optometric Services at NE Ohio Eye Surgeons where she has practiced for nineteen years.

While at Marlington, Dr. Muckley ranked in the top ten of her graduating class. She was active in Country Sunshine and vocal Girl's Quartet. She had the lead in the musical 42nd Street and was President of Choir Council. She also was Secretary of National Honor Society, selected for Girls State, and voted the female "Most Likely to Succeed" by her class.

A graduate of The Ohio State College of Optometry, Muckley was a member of both Beta Kappa Sigma and Gold Key Honor Societies. She was President of the OSU Chapter of the American Optometric Student Association

Anationally recognized leader in advocacy for patient eye care and for the profession of optometry, Dr. Muckley is President Elect of the Ohio Optometric Association, where she has served on the Board of Directors for seven years. Her passion for managing glaucoma led her to be the second female optometrist accepted to the International Optometric Glaucoma Society. She is a Fellow in the American Academy of Optometry, where she is a past Chair of the Nominating Committee and serves currently on the Research Committee. She was recently named by the OSU College of Optometry as one of their 100 Notable Alumni. Her clinic was named by Cooper Vision as one of their top ten "Best Practices" in the country for 2019. In 2007, she was recognized as the Ohio Young Optometrist of the Year and in 2018 was recognized nationally as the American Optometric Association's Young Optometrist of the Year, one of the highest honors in the profession of optometry. Dr. Muckley has over twenty years of volunteer

service advocating for patients and the optometric profession by regularly meeting with state representatives, senators, and crucial leaders in Ohio government. She participated in drafting, and

the successful passage of, three significant laws. Ohio HB 156, The Vision Services Act, was recently signed in to law by Governor Kasich. This bill reforms visions plans to be more transparent and provide better patient access to vision care. She also worked with legislators to eliminate sales tax on prescriptive eye wear. That change goes into effect July, 2019. Her greatest legislative accomplishment was in 2008, helping to expand the scope of practice for optometrists in Ohio.

Dr. Muckley is passionate about students and optometry education. She has lectured

extensively, locally and nationally, on the treatment and management of ocular disease. She has contributed numerous articles to medical and scientific journals, and mainstream publications. She is the Education Chair of the East West Eye Conference, a regional continuing education conference for optometrists. She is an Assistant Clinical Professor of Optometry at The Ohio State College of Optometry and serves as Chief Extern Preceptor to fourth-year optometry externs who each spend three months at her clinic seeing patients under her supervision.

She serves as a mentor to women in optometry in their early professional career and volunteers with Realeyes, a classroom education program educating students, teachers, and school nurses on vision related problems.

She is married to Tim Muckley ('90). The pair, and their son Max, age 14, and golden retriever, Riley, reside in Hartville. Dr. Muckley is a parent volunteer at Lake Elementary School and a member of St. Jacob's Lutheran Church. The family enjoys spending time on Lake Erie and travelling overseas.



Outstanding Alumni

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Rose (Moulin) Kuceyeski, Ph.D. ('67)	2008 Education
Jenny Hoover ('72)	2008 Nursing
Kay Vaughan ('55)	2009 Education & Service to Marlinton Schools
Diane Wellman ('72)	2009 Community Service
Dana Bauer ('83)	2009 Military - U.S. Navy
Gordon Knisley ('45)	2010 Education / Coaching
Dorsey Ney ('74)	2011 Business
Dr. Leslee Devies ('75)	2011 Medicine
Wally Gumm ('63)	2012 Business
Lee Ann (Williams) Stephens ('80)	2013 Education
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Dr. Elizabeth (Draper) Muckley ('90)	2019 Medicine-Community Service

Do you know a Marlinton Alumnus Deserving of Recognition?

Nominate Outstanding Alumni

The Outstanding Alumni Award is the highest honor given to a Marlinton alumni. We are privileged to give careful consideration to all nominations. Please send a 1-2 page letter of nomination to explain why this person should be considered an Outstanding Alumni.

Include additional letter(s) of support (non-family members) to provide a better understanding of the nominee's accomplishments, community involvement or assistance to Marlinton, family information, other awards or recognition, newspaper clippings and/or photos.

Complete the form on our website at marlingtonalumni.org/nomination-form or send inquires or nominations to marlingtonalumni@yahoo.com or PO Box 6001, Alliance, OH 44601. We regret incomplete nominations cannot be considered.

The Marlinton Alumni Association

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The MAA gratefully acknowledges those alumni, friends and families who are committed to funding scholarships, academic assistance and student programs. **The following gifts were received from January 1, 2018-December 31, 2018.**

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MAA Awards Student Scholarships

At its 30th annual meeting and banquet on April 29, the MAA awarded \$77,450 to 46 seniors. A record 317 alumni, families and friends were in attendance. MAA Treasurer, Nancy Prueter ('74) reported the organization now holds more than \$1,731,000 in total endowments, all dedicated toward providing scholarships and awards to deserving Marlington High School (MHS) students.

Recipients are listed in alphabetical order by last name, followed by the scholarship(s) received, college/university attending and areas of study.



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Sarah Chunko
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Elizabeth Albright Education Scholarship
Kent State University – Intervention Specialist



Chloe Evans
Marlington Alumni Association Scholarship
Walsh University – Nursing



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Apprenticeship Program/ Trade School - HVAC or Electrician



Taylor Gerback
Frank J. and Anna Carozzi Memorial Scholarship
University of Mount Union - Accounting, Coaching and Art



Evan Gill
James Krabill Memorial Scholarship
Ohio Technical College - Diesel Mechanics



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Walsh University – Nursing



Thomas Jay Hale
Class of '66 Military Award
U.S. Marine Corps - University of Cincinnati – Paleoanthropology



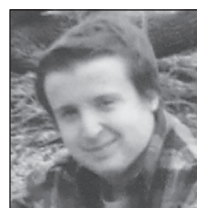
Taylor Hermann
Class of '90 Scholarship
Kent State University-Physics



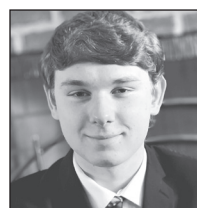
Blane Himmelheber
Scott and Cheryl Robertson Scholarship
Mount Union or Otterbein University - Mechanical Engineering



Maria Hoebeke
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University of Mount Union – Chemistry



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Walsh University – Nursing



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Howard and Ruthann Dickerhoof Memorial Scholarship
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 Scholarship*
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 Kent State University -
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 Science



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 and Conservation
 Biology



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 Bowling Green
 State University
 -Health Science and
 Occupational Therapy



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 Scholarship*
 University of Mount
 Union - Environmental
 Science



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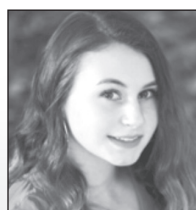
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 Union - Nursing and
 Music



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The MAA welcomes gifts directed to the scholarship fund of your choice. The following gifts were received between January 1, 2018- December 31, 2018.

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- Don ('64) & JoAnn (Robart) ('64) Albright
- Karen Burgi
- Jeffery Fisher ('93)
- Myranda Rich ('09)
- Amber (Rich) Shaffer ('09)
- Tom ('66) & Mary (Albright) ('66) Swartz

Battershell Family Scholarship

- Carl ('66) & Gloria Battershell
- Drs. Jeff ('90) & Becky Battershell
- John ('65) & Cindy (Kimes) ('68) Battershell
- Mark & Diane (Snyder) ('72) Cioci
- Ramona Evans
- Tom ('66) & Mary (Albright) ('66) Swartz

Mary Louise Bixler Education Scholarship

- Gerald ('56) & Mary Louise (Anstine) ('58) Bixler
- Karen (Koons) Carroll ('65)

Richard & Annabelle (Bloss) (Fearon) Bohaychyk

- Sam ('54) & Barbara (Bretz) ('54) Bacon
- Robert ('51) & Sharon (Greek) ('53) Bloss
- Scot Bohaychyk ('82)
- Jaeann DeMuth ('73)
- Tom & Janice (Moore) Dwenger
- Matthew ('04) & Jennifer (Bohaychyk) ('07) Green
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- Greg Burke ('74)
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- Frank ('83) & Annette Carozzi
- The Class of 1983
- Cara (Coveleski) Ganser ('83)

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- Larry ('67) & Bonnie (Devies) ('71) Hoover

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- Clyde ('68) & Sherry Lepley
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Class of 1990 Scholarship

- Drs. Jeff ('90) & Becky Battershell
- Robert ('61) & Mary Lou (Biery) ('61) Muckley
- John Oyster ('90)
- Bill ('70) & Nancy (Phillips) ('72) Prueter
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Thomas Hazen Memorial Scholarship

- Wade ('41) & Audrey Fox
- Marvin Lare ('52)
- Dr. Anthony Manzell ('56)
- Richard Pinkerton ('68)
- Daniel Snyder ('61)
- Carolyn (Hazen) Wallen ('68)

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- Connie (Snode) Flynn ('66)
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- Ryan Jones ('94)
- Clyde ('68) & Sherry Lepley
- Dale ('66) & Janice (Kesterke) ('66) Lucas
- Bonnie (Petre) Mills ('67)
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- Robert & Sue McKinney
- George Miller ('74)
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- Jon & Lori (Tasker) ('80) Peters
- Bill ('70) & Nancy (Phillips) ('72) Prueter
- Tom ('84) & Michelle (Barker) ('85) Rankin
- Edie Tasker

2019 MAA Student Scholar Sponsors

The following donors graciously sponsored one or more Student Scholars for the 2019 Annual Meeting and Scholarship Banquet

- Anonymous
- Carl ('66) & Gloria Battershell
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- Frank ('83) & Annette Carozzi
- Michael ('95) & Tammy (Baldwin) ('95) Collins
- Emily (Wallace) ('08) Deack
- Mark ('74) & Rose Dickerhoof
- Frederick ('59) & Jill Elsass
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Scholarships and Awards

The Marlinton Alumni Association is pleased to partner with generous alumni and friends to provide academic assistance to deserving Marlinton seniors. Your gift may be designated to the fund of your choice. Each scholarship focuses on specific interests and academic pursuits. To learn more about each fund and choose those best aligned with your personal goals, go to www.marlingtonalumni.org

Academics

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- Class Of 1990 Scholarship
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- Marlinton Alumni Association Scholarship
- Marlinton Alumni Duke Scholarship
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- Accounting, Education or Finance
- Frank and Anna Carozzi Memorial Scholarship
- Agriculture, Horticulture
- Gordon Eaton Scholarship
- Lee and Carolyn Gabric Scholarship
- James Krabill Memorial Scholarship

Business/Sports

- Scott and Cheryl Robertson Scholarship

Education

- Elizabeth Albright Scholarship
- Mary Louise Baker Education Scholarship
- The McIntosh Family Scholarship

Foreign Language

- The Porter Scholarship

Music, Art, Fine Arts

- Louise Bingham Memorial Scholarship
- Barbara Yoder Hall Memorial Scholarship
- Kimi Korleski Memorial Scholarship
- Hal and Ruth Sweitzer Scholarship

Science, Medicine, Engineering

- Hastings Scholarship
- Carol Teutsch Memorial Scholarship
- Ford C. Davis Scholarship
- Mary Elizabeth (Betty) and Harold (Bud) Devies Memorial Scholarship

Sports and Academics

- General John Churchill Academic Warrior Award
- Howard F. and Trudy S. Kitzmiller Student Athlete Award

Student Athlete

Scholarship

- Frank and Cheryl (Bertch) Muniz Baseball Scholarship
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- Denise and Family Scholarship
 - Richard W. & Annabelle Bonaychik Memorial Scholarship
 - Lexington Twp. Volunteer Fire Department Berkely Barker Memorial Scholarship
- Does your family have a matching gift program? Complete the form available in your HR office to multiply your gift. Would you like to establish a permanent scholarship fund using current or estate assets? Please feel welcome to contact Vondea Sheaffer (330) 697- 4036 or vondeasheaffer@gmail.com. for more information.

Give to the MAA

As of 2018, the MAA has awarded a total of \$696,450 to 449 deserving young men and women. Your gift to the MAA will help a deserving student realize their educational dreams. If you choose, we will notify the appropriate person about your gift. Please know that while we notify the honoree's family of your gift, we can't disclose the name of the gift. If you are listing the MAA as a beneficiary for a memorial gift and need

2018 Memorial and Tribute Gifts

Caring alumni, friends and family members remembered and honored the following individuals with gifts to the Marlington Alumni Association from January 1, 2018-December 31, 2018.

IN MEMORY

In memory of Vicki (Barret) Herbert

- Dale Herbert (Retired Teacher)
- Larry ('67) & Pat Middleton
- Travis Middleton ('92)

In memory of Joan Biery ('58)

- Wade ('41) & Audrey Fox

In memory of Hazel (Eshelman) (Werstler '39)

- Dr. Tom ('68) & Karen (Werstler) ('69) Robinson

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In memory of Kay (Shoemaker) Peterson ('67)

- Anonymous

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- John Morris & Joyce Lamb ('83)

In memory of Rose McAlister

- Karen (Koons) Carroll ('65)

In memory of Diane (Scott) Bluhm ('71)

- Susan (Aebi) Feller ('71)

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In memory of Elizabeth Albright

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- Tom ('66) & Mary (Albright) ('66) Swartz
- Don ('64) & JoAnn (Robart) ('64) Albright

In memory of Donald Hall ('58)

- Thomas Hall ('57)

In memory of Henry Sweitzer ('53)

- Maryanna Sweitzer

In memory of Viola Rupp

- Patricia (Jacobs) Phillips ('71)

In memory of Thomas Hazen

- Carolyn (Hazen) Wallen ('68)

In memory of Gayle (Sleighter) Kertel ('81)

- Shawn Kertel ('81)

In memory of William Prather ('66)

- Dan ('66) & Joan (Grinnan) ('68) Preising

In memory of Dennis James Wahl ('66)

- George Wahl ('60)
- Michael Wahl ('64)

In memory of Eddie, Denny & Bill

- Gary Toussant ('66)

In memory of Ashley White ('05)

- Janice (Rininger) Raber ('71)

In memory of Richard & Annabelle (Bloss) (Fearon) ('54) Bohaychyk

- Robert ('51) & Sharon (Greek) ('53) Bloss
- Tom & Janice (Moore) Dwenger
- Marlboro Women's Club
- Matthew ('04) & Jennifer (Bohaychyk) ('07) Green

In memory of Virginia (Purdy) Miller ('37)

- Gretchen (Miller) Norman ('60)

In memory of Merill Purviance, (Faculty '57-77)

- Ted Purviance ('64)

In memory of Judy (France) Chapman ('72)

- Bill ('70) & Nancy (Phillips) ('72) Prueter

In memory of Jeannette (Gerardat) Stauffer ('32)

- Gary Stauffer ('59)

In memory of Wade Fox ('41)

- Paula (Fox) ('71) Baker
- Paul Biery ('55)
- Gerald ('56) & Mary Louise (Anstine) ('58) Bixler
- Bob & JoAnne (Pfeifer) ('65) Dagenhardt & Family
- Audrey Fox
- Dale Herbert (Retired Teacher)
- Joelle McIlroy (Retired Teacher)
- Evan & Sue Morris
- Robert ('61) & Mary Lou (Biery) ('61) Muckley
- The Isabel Pontius Family:
 - Isabel (Foltz) Pontius ('38)
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 - Al & Sue Tracy
 - Glenn ('86) & Elaine (Pontius) ('86) Weisent
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In memory of Gerald and Mary Ann Burke

- Greg Burke ('74)
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In memory of Darla (Hardman) Burris ('63)

- Cheryl Mack ('63)

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- James Gressinger, Sr. ('54)

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In honor of the Class of 1980

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In honor of the Class of 1968

- Richard Pinkerton ('68)

Your Legacy, Their Future

One of the Marlington Alumni Associations greatest sources of hope for future Dukes are legacy gifts from alumni and friends like you!

Legacy donors- individuals who have included the MAA in their estate plans, come from all walks of life- some from modest means and some from wealth. Their common ground- their passion for future Dukes and their willingness to invest in something that will outlive them.

Would you like to include the MAA in your estate plans? Here are some commonly used methods you might consider. Most can easily be accomplished without the assistance of an attorney.

Gifts by Will or Living Trust

Your will or Revocable Living Trust allows you to provide for the people and causes you love most. A charitable bequest to The Village can easily be written into your plans or added to an existing will or trust using language such as this: "I give and bequeath to the Marlington Alumni Association (MAA), tax Identification Number 34- 1670638, PO Box 6001, Alliance, OH 44601 (Insert specific amount, asset or percentage of your estate)." If needed, your attorney will provide further assistance.

Payable on Death (POD) or Transfer on Death (TOD)

You can easily include one or more beneficiaries on your bank account, certificate of deposit or brokerage account. Simply speak with your financial institution to have a Payable on Death (POD) or Transfer on Death (TOD) designation added to your account. While the

notation does not change your ownership, it causes the funds in your account to pass directly to your named beneficiaries upon your death. You may designate more than one POD or TOD beneficiary. For example, your beneficiary designation might give 25% to charity and provide for the balance to be equally divided among your children.

Insurance Beneficiary Designation

You may name one or more charities as the beneficiaries of part/all of the death benefit from an insurance policy. As with POD/TOD options, your beneficiary designation might give a portion to charity and provide for the balance to be divided as you designate. You can make a beneficiary change on your own or with the assistance of your insurance agent.

IRA or Qualified Retirement Plan Beneficiaries

Generally, assets held in an IRA or retirement plan are subject to both income tax and estate taxes. To limit taxes you may choose to name one or more charities as beneficiary of all or a portion of your qualified plan or IRA. Upon your death, funds would transfer, free of income or estate tax. You may consult with your financial institution or investment advisor to update your designations.

Donation of Appreciated Securities

To avoid paying capital gains tax, consider a gift of your appreciated stocks, now or in the future. You can support the program of your choice and deduct the full value of the security. Your bank or investment advisor can conveniently administer the transaction.



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McCallum Gift Honors Life And Legacy

A recent gift from the estate of Ross W. and ('33) Marjorie McCallum ('35) will honor the life and legacy of two Marlboro High School graduates and enable the MAA to continue to support new generations of Dukes.

Ross and Marjorie were lifelong residents of the Marlington community. They married December 4, 1940 and until Ross's death, at the age of 94 in 2009, had celebrated 68 years together. Ross was a farmer and also worked at Crane Company for 28 year. Marjorie enjoyed cooking, baking and traveling, especially to Florida to visit family and friends. The couple were longtime members of Aldersgate United Methodist Church. Marjorie died September 26, 2018 at the age of 101.

For a confidential conversation about the ways your gift can be used to support the Marlington Alumni Association, feel welcome to contact Vondea Sheaffer, President at (330) 697-4036 or marlingtonalumni@yahoo.com.

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