



2018 May Luncheon Invitation

The Easton Hospital School of Nursing Alumni Association invites you to attend the **92 nd Annual Luncheon at the Blue Event Center, 4431 Easton Avenue, Bethlehem, Pa.**

18020 on Saturday, May 5th, 2018. There will be a meet and greet beginning at **11:00 A.M.** with the luncheon beginning at **11:30 AM**. The cost is **\$35.00** per person. (*Honorees are our guests and do not have to pay. They may bring a guest, but they are asked to pay for their guest*)

RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE BY April 21, 2018. NO RESERVATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THAT DATE. (*no need to return the form if you are not attending or if there are no changes*). **If you are attending, when sending check: just write your meal choice on your check under memo. If sending additional donation or dues, send one check with explanation note. (Honorees must let me know your meal choice)**

Honoring the Class of 1968

Jeanne Beitler (Shermer)
Marlette Mae Borger (Palermo)
Janis Carol Bostian (Gigliotti)
Sharon Lee Bums Friedman
Emmy Lou Clymer (Bonnell)
Jacqueline Mary Anne Cressman
Barbara Ann Crozier
Susan Louise Diaz (Grow)
Dolores Ann Diehl (Baska)
Marjean Linda Fogelman (Merson)
Pamela Jean Gardner (Ferguson)
Anita Karen Gehman (Link)
Lucille Mary Herbert
Paulette Ann Leiby (Ohl)

Kay Doreen McNeil (Allen)
Katherine Joyce Moody (Booth)
Eileen Louise Raesly (Ringhoff)
Bernice Carlotta Rex (Russo)
Lois Jean Rommel (Young)
Kathryn Ann Shoemaker
Patricia Ann Smalletts (Mantz)
Lynne Smith
Ruth Ann Staudt (Rems)
Mary Catherine Tornese (Reinbold)
Kathleen Ann Wehr (Shiffer)
Donna Wharton

In memory of:

Sandra Elizabeth Dietzel (Billman), Nancy Lee James (Beckman), Sharon Louise Rader (Abruzzese)

Officers of your Alumni are:

President – Ellen Strunk Palermo '67
Vice President – JoAnn Baron Bush '67
Recording Secretary – Kathleen Gazzana Fatta- '67
Corresponding Secretary/Treasurer – Jeane Bedo Titus '67

Directors - Carolyn Stocker Knauss '63
Kathy Marsh Burnett '67
Anna Barrese '56
Lois Nicholas Altemose '57

Internet access, please visit the Easton Hospital School of Nursing Alumni Association Website:

<http://alumniehsn.homestead.com/Home.html>

Please sign the guestbook; it is a way to keep connected with your classmates and to view what is new.

Notifications: If I have your email address, you will be notified of the **May luncheon, Christmas luncheon** (if you are a dues paying or life member) (Both in Microsoft word and PDF) or if one of your classmates passes. Currently I have **149** email addresses. (If you have a new email address or are not already on my list, send an email to me at barny4@verizon.net, so that I have the correct spelling. Many times i's, l's and 1's appear the same). Those members who use USPS and do not have email: you will receive the invitations only. If your email or USPS letter is returned to me undeliverable, I will remove you from my list. **You may expect the May invitation the first week of March. Christmas the first week of November.** (Please notify me if you change address, either email or mailing). (There are a few who receive both)

Address label: if you are still receiving the newsletters via USPS.

- 1) Marks the year of graduation preceding status of alumni
- 2) If you paid dues, the number of years paid (they are counted toward the 25 for life membership, where you do not have to pay anymore) and the date dues were last paid. If there is nothing behind alumni, you never joined the association or there is no record of your joining. You may, however, attend the June and October meetings, (but you do not have voting privileges) and attend the May luncheon. **You are always welcome to join, we need active members.**

Dues Reminder: those who owe dues (**last year paid in ()**): Doris Asteck (13), Helen Campbell (13), Marlette Palermo (14), Ann Hanawalt (14), Joann Fortman (14), Mary Colwell (14), Nancie McQuillen (15), Fran Dietrich(16), Roseann Poliskiewicz (17), Ruth Maitland (17), Sharon Merluzzi (17), Diane Kerr(17), Beverly Lewis (17), Irene Cooke (17), Doris Smith (17), Linda Tapler (17). Send \$10 for dues and you will receive a membership card that will end 11/31/18 and you will be current again. After 5 years of nonpayment, you will be removed from the active list.

Deceased members: since last newsletter

- 1941: Katherine Whobach Greh, 766 Rt 135 Monmouth ME, 04259 passed in 1995, Her name had been on the address list, undetected and was notified 3/1/17 by a relative.
- 1944: Eleanor MoDavis James, 2669 Northampton St Easton Pa passed May 9, 2017
- 1947: Lois Kirkpatrick Werner, 2911 Hay Terrace, Easton, Pa passed June 30, 1917
- 1948: Nina Chiversoli Chierchiaro; 2769 Washington St Easton Pa 18045
- 1950: Margery Anthony Nicholas, Box 157, Martins Creek, Pa passed Sept. 29, 2017
- 1950: Concetta Nancy Mancino Ponak, 2246 Hieter Road, Quakertown, Pa 18957 passed January 9, 2018
- 1951: Rose Rapp Baldwin, 3512 Glen Ave, Easton Pa 18045
- 1953: Tina Tanfani Bastinelli, POB ox 186 Fairview Ave, Martins Creek, Pa 18063 passed January 14, 2018
- 1955: Carole Dick Wilson, 1998 Hwy 177A, Bonifay, Fl 32425 passed July 2016.
- 1956: Marianne Varga Conkey, 826 Stones Crossing, Easton Pa passed December 26, 2017
- 1958: Lois Mary Menhennit, Stenlake, California February 17, 2017 no address on file.
- 1973: Audrey Rafferty, 2542 Martins Lane, Hellertown, Pa 18055 passed June 2, 2017

Corrections: please note:

1955: Betty Mattes Moffett, 2811 Bailey LN, Apt 5, Eugene, Or 97401 is alive and well, not as noted in the last newsletter under deceased. She had an address change.

Directory changes: Remove addresses for those who have passed and those letters returned for no forwarding address. Other changes (either moved, name changes or newly added): (remember: we may not have addresses for all alumni, especially if they do not contact us.) **FYI:** From 1905-1975: a total of 1139 graduated from EHSN. As far as I know: 556 are still alive. There are 338 known alumni addresses. Of those: 33 are active dues paying members, 78 are life members.

New address changes:

- 1948: Nancy DeBerasinis Bevilaqua, 630 Sampson Ave, Phillipsburg, NJ 08865-438
- 1951: Edith Hall Slamp, 1256 Easton Rd, Riegelsville, Pa 18077 (sent to two different addresses, both returned)
- 1955: Joan Richards Gordon, c/o Gracedale Nursing Home, 2 Gracedale Ave, Nazareth, Pa 18064
- 1955: Joan Taylor Bertolino, Saucon Valley Care, 1050 Main St, Hellertown, Pa 18055
- 1955: Kay Kline Harnett, 35 Deacon Parne Rd., Eastham, Ma 02642 (unable to forward letter)

1957: Lillian Snyder Barber, 214 High St, South Bound Brook, NJ 08880 (unable to forward letter)
1958: Barbara Green Wagner, 7200 E Quincy Ave, apt 318, Denver, CO 80237-2253
1959: Joan DeVito Reagen, 585 N State Route 741 #202, Lebanon, OH 45036
1967: Nancy Hall Brewer, 7933 Straits Farm N, New Albany, Ohio 43054
1968: Pam Gardner Ferguson, 1036 Bradford Way, Statesboro, Georgia 30461
1968: Marjean Fogelman Merson PO Box Babson Park, Florida 33827
1969: Pam VanWhy Reinhart, 245 Candlewood Drive, Conway, South Carolina 29526
1973: Sharon Grund Volkert, 3111 Hodle Ave, Easton, Pa 18045

If you know of any alumni not listed on the website directory, please contact me or have the member contact me.

Summary of meetings:

June:

- 58 members and one guest attended the May luncheon.
- A discussion was held with regards to the venue for the Christmas Luncheon. On a unanimous vote the luncheon will be held at Blue Event Center.
- A motion was made and seconded following a discussion on the price of the lunch since the change of venue. The final decision: the cost for members attending: \$15.00 and the alumni will pay the difference. The alumni always paid part of the Christmas lunch for the active and life members in the past.
- A discussion was held and the members voted to use the monies collected for luncheon reservations, if the member does not cancel prior to the event or does not attend, as a donation to the scholarship fund.
- Three scholarships were presented: Devon Fox, Jilida Christiansen, and Ana Maria Torres.
- The Rules of Order was presented for review. Several changes were suggested. The members were asked to review and bring suggestions to the October meeting. Revisions will be voted upon then.

October:

- The Rules of Order was presented for review with changes. A discussion was held. One other suggestion was to be added: if the recording secretary is absent, a volunteer will be asked to record the minutes. The revisions were voted upon and passed. A copy of the rules will be available upon request or can be viewed on the website.
- The Christmas luncheon was discussed. The menu will be a choice of Salmon, Boneless short ribs or vegetable penne pasta. The luncheon will not be family style this year.
- A discussion to purchase additional pins, that are presented to the 50 year graduates, was held. We currently have 19. Jeane Titus will check for availability and price and report at the December meeting.
- The topic of fund raising resulted in several suggestions. Although we held a 50-50 ticket sale/raffle in the past, currently the law requires a license. Since the alumni rely on donations and the scholarship fund was recently resurrected, we will ask the members to support the scholarship fund.

December:

- 39 members (2 guests) attended the Christmas luncheon/meeting. If anyone wants to attend next year and are not a dues paying member, just pay your dues: \$10/year.
- A motion was made, seconded and passed by a majority of the members to purchase 15 pins at the price of \$73.50 each since the price has not changed and they still are available.
- A committee was formed to choose the menu for the May luncheon and will meet on January 17th.

Community Service: The scholarship fund has been reinstated and will be continued through member donations. Applicant preferably should be a family member or friend of alumni. Anyone who knows of a junior/senior in nursing school may inform them that they should complete the letter of intent, [click onto the link on the website home page for a copy or contact Jeane Titus](#) (it includes school attending, standing, committees, intent upon graduation and any other important information) and send to the EHSNAA, attention Jeane Titus (address below). If a recipient is a junior, he/she may not reapply for their senior year. Currently many schools have two graduations per year: spring and winter. If the applicant is a senior and will graduate that winter, they may be considered first for the scholarship.

