

GHS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

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REUNION NEWS

Once again an all school reunion is being planned and will be held on November 3, 2012, beginning at 5:00 p.m. at Goodlettsville Middle School! Anyone that ever attended GHS is invited. Spouses of those who attended GHS are invited as well. The cost of the reunion is \$10.00 per person. We will be getting our dinner from Firehouse Subs. Our last reunion was a huge success with over 1,200 folks attending. Also at the reunion we hope people will renew their membership or

join the Goodlettsville High School Alumni Association for the year 2013. The cost is still \$ 10.00 for one year. A form to fill out with information is on the back of this newsletter and you can send your reunion money in along with your membership dues. The form will also be on our website at ghsalumni.com. Last year we had around 800 to join and we have had many to renew and join since then for the year 2011-2012. So **SAVE THE DATE** and tell all your old classmates about the all school reunion on

Nov. 3rd. We hope to have one every two years. Please put it on your Face book page as well. We have a Goodlettsville High School Alumni Association Facebook page with lots of pictures and information. We need help finding classmates and updating the emails and addresses. If you are interested, please go to the website, ghsalumni.org and let us know! If your class is planning a reunion, please let us know so we can put the information on the website and our Facebook page!

GHS Alumni Association Purpose

The Goodlettsville High School Alumni Association has been established to preserve and promote the name, spirit, and history of Goodlettsville High School through community activities, support of neighborhood

schools, and social contacts with all alumni, teachers, administrative personnel, and friends of Goodlettsville High School; and to promote, advance, and encourage Goodlettsville High School alumni

participation in Association activities, community causes, and to award scholarships. The Association will endeavor to develop and maintain a Web Site/Register of Goodlettsville High School students, teachers and administration.



SAVE THE DATE

**November 3, 2012
ALL SCHOOL
GHS REUNION**

**SOCKHOP AT
9pm**

ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF GHSAA

We now have a company helping us with our website.

Thanks to all the donations we received from alumni, we have given three \$1000.00 donations to three students who are related to GHS alumni, to help with their tuition for college.

We have been involved with Goodlettsville Middle School with the following projects.

- Provided lunch for teachers
- Landscaped the front of the school
- Donated a refrigerator

- Bought a fax machine
- Given money for a PTO fundraiser

Our money is also used for postage, flowers, a post office box, and a safety deposit box.

We have plans for a room for memorabilia. We don't know where this might be, but hopefully at the school. Also we plan to sell t-shirts and sweatshirts with the Trojan logo at the reunion.

There is still a need for class representatives. Anyone interested in

helping can contact us through Facebook or the website. There is a great need to update as well as locate our classmates' addresses, phone numbers and email addresses.

The Board is committed to using our funds and our time to support Goodlettsville Middle School and our community.

GHSAA WEB SITE

Our website is available for information and updates about our school. The Board has been working hard to provide information for it. It is coming along, however, much of it is still being developed.

We have included information about the history of GHS, our scholarship information, reunion pictures, a form to fill out to join or renew your membership in the GHS Alumni Association, and a contact person with whom you can communicate. Additional information will be added. Please send us notices of your upcoming reunions and share photos taken at your events.

Scholarships Awarded

VISIT OUR WEB SITE
ghsalumni.com



Anna Clark

This past spring the alumni association presented three \$1000.00 scholarships to the following students: Michael Ryan Brown, Anna Nicole Clark, and Amy Alexandra (Lexi) Smith.

Ryan is the son of Michael and Christy Brown and a graduate of Hendersonville High School. He has been accepted to the University of Tennessee at Knoxville. Ryan's father and aunt, Jennifer Brown, are graduates of Goodlettsville High.

Anna is the daughter of Russell and Karen

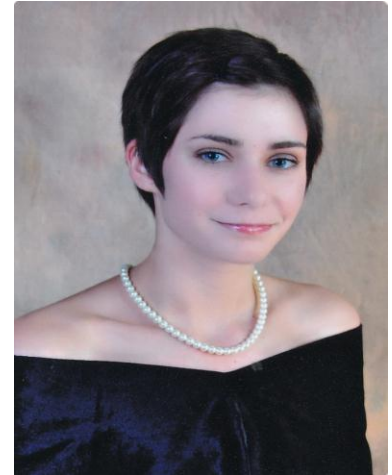


Rvan Brown

Brown Clark and a graduate of Hillgrove High School in Powder Springs, Georgia. She has been accepted to the University of Georgia. Anna's mother is a graduate of Goodlettsville High.

Lexi is the daughter of Tom and Susan RalphSmith and a graduate of Merrol Hyde Magnet School in Hendersonville. She has applied to Western Kentucky University and Memphis University. Lexi's parents are graduates of Goodlettsville High.

Congratulations to all three recipients. We wish them well. Also,



Lexi Smith

we thank all alumni members who contributed to the scholarship fund.

Applications for 2012-2013 are due on February 1, 2013. Senior high school students who are descendants of a member of the GHSAA are eligible. Awards are given based on academic excellence, school extra-curricular activities, community volunteer activities and recommendations. Visit our web site - ghsalumni.com - to download an application.

"Thanks to all the alumni that donated"

HELP US FIND OUR GHS CLASSMATES

Over the past two years, the GHSAA has worked diligently to locate the names and addresses of all who attended Goodlettsville High School. This is a very complicated and tedious process. We began the process by selecting five year or "half decade" Chairpersons who are to recruit a representative in each class who is to gather the names and current addresses. There are still many classmates we have been unable to locate. You can help spread the word to those that you did not see at the last reunion by having them access the website and contact the Chairperson of their class.

-- -1939 – Jenny Garrett Nichols and Nancy Clendenin Knight 1939@GHSAlumni.com
 1940-1949 – Betty Baker Hull 1940-1949@GHSAlumni.com
 1950-1954 – Jo Sanders & David Elder 1950-1954@GHSAlumni.com
 1955-1959 – Ina Ingram Hitt & Ed Sloan 1955-1959@GHSAlumni.com
 1960-1964 – Judy Peay Adkins & Dan Sheppard 1960-1964@GHSAlumni.com
 1965-1969 – Nancy Clendenin Knight & Regina Hull Workman 1965-1969@GHSAlumni.com
 1970-1974 – Dianne Melton Harden 1970-1974@GHSAlumni.com
 1975-1979 – Kim Herron Freeman & Kathy Evans Rollins 1975-1979@GHSAlumni.com
 1980-1986 – Marti Dorris Hartman 1980-1986@GHSAlumni.com

If you would like to volunteer to help work on locating classmates, please contact Jenny Nichols at 851-1554 or Rita Jackson Bradley Abbott at 297-7318 or through our website.

CLASS RING LOST AND FOUND

“LOST and FOUND!!!

Thanks to the new GHS Alumni Association a class ring is returned to its owner.

Back in 1980 Pete Leeper was attending MTSU. After hanging out in the boys dormitory lounge, Pete realized he was missing his High School ring. It never turned up. Let's move

forward to 2012 - The GHS Alumni Association website was contacted by Rory Johnson (who just took a chance there was an Alumni Association out there) regarding an old Goodlettsville High School Class Ring with the initials JPL and the date. The committee contacted Pete and he was thrilled to say the least. We put him in touch with Rory (who by the way found the ring at MTSU and

never could find the owner, put it away and came across it as he was moving). Rory is now in West Virginia and Pete lives in Ohio. They emailed each other and Rory got the ring to Pete. Mission Complete! How great is this Alumni Association!!! Go Trojans!!!

HAVING A REUNION?
Post the information
to our website:
ghsalumni.com

Goodlettsville High School Alumni Association

E-MAIL:
info@GHSAlumni.com

We're on the Web!
See us at:
www.ghsalumni.com

ANNUAL DUES DUE NOVEMBER 1, 2012

Annual Dues for January through December 2013

The Goodlettsville High School Alumni Association exists to promote the name spirit, and history, to preserve the memories and artifacts of GHS, to award scholarships and support community causes. Membership dues are used to accomplish these goals. Please send the form below with your annual dues to GHSAA, Post Office Box 1707, Goodlettsville, TN 37070.

Please Print:

GHS ALUMNI NAME: _____

MAIDEN NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

CLASS YEAR: _____

REUNION FEE FOR NOVEMBER 3, 2012	\$10.00
ANNUAL DUES FOR JANUARY-DECEMBER 2013	\$10.00
ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND DONATION	\$ _____
TOTAL ENCLOSED:	\$ _____

ALMA MATER

On the city's southern border, Reared against the sky,
Proudly stands our Alma Mater as the years go by.
"Forward ever" be our watchword, "Conquer and prevail"
Hail to thee, our Alma Mater, GHS, all hail!



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