

*Henry C. Conrad High School  
Class of 1970*

*30th Reunion  
July 22, 2000*



## GREETINGS FROM THE COMMITTEE

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The Conrad Class of 1970 Reunion Committee would like to thank everyone who has come to join us for this, our 30th year celebration. We have had a wonderful time collecting information and working out the details so everyone would be able to have a memorable time tonight. We all have a lot of fond memories of the past at the "BIG C" and hope we will be able to add more this evening. If anyone has any information about the people on our "Missing Persons List", please get in touch with the reunion committee so they may be included in our next celebration. Also, if you should move from your present location, please remember to drop us a line so that we may make the necessary corrections to our records. Anyone interested in joining the reunion committee for future reunion planning please e-mail anyone on the list below. The more the merrier!

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Have a great time and thanks again for joining us!

# 1970

## HISTORY:

The Beatles split up  
Jimi Hendrix, 27 year old rock star, died of drug-related causes  
Janis Joplin, 27 year old singer, died of drug overdose  
Census put U.S. population at 204,765,770  
U.S. Mail service was paralyzed by first postal strike  
Scientists reported first artificial synthesis of living cell

President: Richard M. Nixon (R)  
Vice President: Spiro T. Agnew (R)

## SPORTS:

USC beat Michigan 10-3 in Rose Bowl  
Al Unser won Indy 500 in Johnny Lightning 500 Special  
Navy beat Army 11-7 in annual football game

## MUSIC:

"Let It Be" The Beatles  
"ABC" Jackson 5

## ACADEMY AWARD WINNERS:

Picture: "Patton"  
Actress: Glenda Jackson, "Women in Love"  
Actor: George C. Scott, "Patton"

## PRICES:

Postage Stamp... \$.06    Bread (pound loaf)... \$.24  
Milk (half gallon)... \$.66    Gas (gallon)... \$.36  
Car... \$3,542    Minimum wage... \$1.60  
Median family income... \$9,867

"Thank you so much for the invitation to your 30th reunion. I received it when I returned from vacation. I have difficulty believing it's been 30 years since your class graduated.

I'm sorry that I don't have any free time to come to Delaware this summer as your party sounds like great fun. When you're celebrating I'll be moving - an activity I enjoy a little less than major surgery.

The only photo I have been able to locate is enclosed. The occasion was a run (mostly a walk) for the Alzheimer's Association here. You'll note that old age has added weight and my hair is considerably lighter in color now.

Please give my very best to all attending your event and keep me on the list for the next celebration.

Thanks again for your thoughtfulness.

Sincerely,

Florence Riggs"

## SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM OUR TEACHERS

"I thank the members of 1970 for their kind invitation to their reunion. It would be a pleasure to see all of you but I regret that I will be unable to attend. My brother has a home in the mountains and I spend most of my summer there.

I have fond memories of my years at Conrad and I am sure I would remember many of you. Have a wonderful evening and the best of everything to all of you.  
Fondly,

Mildred Morrison"

"Sorry to miss your grand celebration but I know that you will all have a marvelous gathering filled with memories of the golden years at Conrad. Enjoy the festivities! At this stage of my life I am an active musician playing violin as a semi-professional...Love and best wishes to you all - Conradians will always have a very special place in my heart.

Mary Ellen Collins Brehony"

"I certainly appreciate the invitation and the lovely gesture, but I will be out of town on the 22nd on a family vacation. I hope your reunion is a huge success.

Thanks again,

Thomas Coder"

# Conrad High School Class of 1970

## LET US REMEMBER:

|                                  |          |        |
|----------------------------------|----------|--------|
| Barbas Joseph                    | DECEASED | 1970's |
| Hill "James, E."                 | DECEASED | 1997   |
| Johnson, III "Harold, H." (Skip) | DECEASED |        |
| Milano Angela                    | DECEASED |        |
| Ohara "Mike, J."                 | DECEASED | 1999   |
| Radcliff Donald                  | DECEASED | 1973   |
| Szczesiak Michael, P."           | DECEASED |        |
| Tolbert Joseph                   | DECEASED |        |
| Trentham Ronald                  | DECEASED | 1970's |
| Turner "Alice, E."               | DECEASED |        |

If you have any information about the following people, please fill out a "Missing Person's Report" that can be found at the reception desk and either leave it here tonight or mail it in to anyone on the committee! We'd love to be able to find everyone. Thanks!

## MISSING PERSONS:

|                          |          |           |              |
|--------------------------|----------|-----------|--------------|
| Anderson "Brian, M."     |          |           |              |
| Andrus "Daryl, G."       |          |           |              |
| Ball "Lynne, M."         |          |           |              |
| Barton John J.           |          |           |              |
| Bolt Sharon              | ***      | ***       | 302-995-1396 |
| Burdick Beverly          |          |           |              |
| Capece Patricia C.       |          |           |              |
| Cicatelli "Camilla, F."  |          |           |              |
| Clark "Alice, Marie"     |          |           |              |
| Cybak "Halina, J."       |          |           |              |
| Dearie "Jayne, D."       |          |           |              |
| Dumall "Willard, H."     |          |           |              |
| Eversley "Jeanette, A."  |          |           |              |
| Foley Theresa            | Johnston | Sylvester |              |
| Fuller "Daniel, L."      |          |           |              |
| Graham Linda             |          |           |              |
| Graham Nancy             |          |           |              |
| Hairston "Rosamond, A."  |          |           |              |
| Healy "Timothy, J."      |          |           |              |
| Jones "Roxanne, M."      |          |           |              |
| Lambert Kimberley        |          |           |              |
| Law "Linda, L."          |          |           |              |
| Longo Rosemary           |          |           |              |
| Lowden "Cynthia, A."     |          |           |              |
| Martin "Phyllis, A."     |          |           |              |
| Murphy "Margaret, A."    |          |           |              |
| Nastasee "Patricia, A."  |          |           |              |
| Ryan "Nancy, J."         |          |           |              |
| Saxton "Jeannette, M."   |          |           |              |
| Scholato "Judy, T."      |          |           |              |
| Singles "Rita, A."       | Davis    |           |              |
| Smith "Gayle, D."        |          |           |              |
| Spence "Shellley, L."    |          |           |              |
| Spencer "Janice, L."     |          |           |              |
| Spencer "Karen, A."      |          |           |              |
| Springer "Linda, C."     |          |           |              |
| Staker Viola S.          |          |           |              |
| Stubbs "Richele, J."     |          |           |              |
| Thomas "Doris, J."       |          |           |              |
| Thomas Richard           |          |           |              |
| Verucci "Jacqueline, M." |          |           |              |

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|-----------------------|-----------|--------|--|
| Verway Ank            |           |        |  |
| Volpe Maria           |           |        |  |
| Warren "Debbie, A."   |           |        |  |
| West "Juanette,       |           |        |  |
| White "Annette, J."   |           |        |  |
| White "Jeannette, I." |           |        |  |
| Widdikind "Carol, A." | Schalll ? | John ? |  |

Please notify us if any of the enclosed information is incorrect. And don't forget to send us a change of address card should you move in the future!

## TRIVIA INFO

*These couples are still an item! (To our knowledge) They found each other in high school, graduated together, got married, and are still a couple. Nice going!*

*Ralph Hopkins & Vicki Sparco  
Dennis Gaskins & Patty Scott  
Mary Louise Schucler & Max White  
Richard Wilson & Linda Martin  
Thomas Moore & Helen Mitchell  
Tim O'Connell & Suzanne Symonds  
Jim Foote & Jean Grifantini  
Joe Gilbert & Sandy Leisey*

*Jim Mensinger & Lorraine Angeline  
found each other later but it still counts!*

## CONGRATULATIONS!

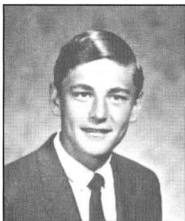
*Trudy Alphin Snyder was the first classmate to send her money in for the reunion!*

*Libby Weber was to first teacher to call or send information!*

## AIN'T IT THE TRUTH!

|      |   |      |  |
|------|---|------|--|
| 1970 | Long hair   | 1970 | Being caught with Hustler magazine             |
| 2000 | Longing for hair  | 2000 | Being caught with Hustler magazine             |
| 1970 | The perfect high  | 1970 | Killer weed                                    |
| 2000 | The perfect high yield mutual fund                        | 2000 | Weed killer                                    |
| 1970 | Keg   | 1970 | Hoping for a BMW                               |
| 2000 | EKG   | 2000 | Hoping for a BM                                |
| 1970 | Acid Rock   | 1970 | The Grateful Dead                              |
| 2000 | Acid Reflux   | 2000 | Dr. Kevorkian                                  |
| 1970 | Moving to California because it's cool                    | 1970 | Getting out to a new, hip joint                |
| 2000 | Moving to California because it's warm                    | 2000 | Getting a new hip joint                        |
| 1970 | Growing pot   | 1970 | Rolling Stones                                 |
| 2000 | Growing pot belly   | 2000 | Kidney stones                                  |
| 1970 | Douglas Street bridge                                     | 1970 | Being called into the principal's office       |
| 2000 | Dental bridge   | 2000 | Calling the principal's office                 |
| 1970 | Watching John Glenn's historic flight with your parents   | 1970 | Screw the system!                              |
| 2000 | Watching John Glenn's historic flight with your children  | 2000 | Upgrade the system                             |
| 1970 | Trying to look like Marlon Brando or Elizabeth Taylor     | 1970 | Peace sign                                     |
| 2000 | Trying NOT to look like Marlon Brando or Elizabeth Taylor | 2000 | Mercedes logo                                  |
| 1970 | Seeds and stems   | 1970 | Parents begging you to get your hair cut       |
| 2000 | Roughage  | 2000 | Children begging you to get their heads shaved |
| 1970 | Popping pills, smoking joints                             | 1970 | Take acid                                      |
| 2000 | Popping joints  | 2000 | Take antacid                                   |
| 1970 | Out president's struggle with Fidel                       | 1970 | Passing the driver's test                      |
| 2000 | Our president's struggle with fidelity                    | 2000 | Passing the vision test                        |
| 1970 | Paar  | 1970 | "Whatever"                                     |
| 2000 | AARP  | 2000 | "Depends"                                      |

## In Memory of Mike O'Hara



1952—1998

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### Teen-age Party Ends Rudely, Nudely in Road

What may have been a swinging post-commencement party wound up early today with a group of teen-aged barricade buffs placing trash cans across Boxwood Road in front of Henry C. Conrad High School.

They were in the dispassionate words of the police report, "partially nude and one of them completely nude" when interrupted in the midst of their 3:30 am activities by a New Castle County patrolman.

The policeman reported that the

Youths, 15 of them, headed for the bushes, but he was able to collar three of them - a neat trick since they were without collars - and confiscate "various pieces of clothing."

Conrad had its commencement exercises last night.

The three youths were turned over to their parents with no charges filed. The confiscated cloths, the police said, "will probably stay here a year unless somebody claims them then we'll throw them out."