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Eighteen Scholarships Total \$18,000

by Ann Krause, Scholarship Committee Chairman

This is an exciting year for the Creston Alumni Association and our scholarship program. As we celebrate the seventeenth year of awarding scholarships to our graduates, we are reminded that we would not be where we are today if it were not for the generosity of our members and donors. Because of your continued support we are thrilled to announce that in June we awarded eighteen scholarships totaling \$18,000, bringing the grand total of scholarships awarded to date to \$200,135! Six scholarships were awarded to graduating seniors, eleven to former recipients, and one to a former graduate. The seniors receiving awards of \$1300 each were Jennifer Bell, who will attend Washington State University, Tri-Cities campus; Jessi Hammond, Mariah Rocker, and Charlie Weber, who all will be attending Central Washington University; Alyssa Struve, who plans to attend Eastern Washington University; Aubrey Houger, who is planning to attend Franklin College in Switzerland.

Former recipients who received scholarships of \$850 each were Tyler Covey, a pre-nursing student at WSU; Alyssa Dillhoff, continuing at Spokane Falls Community College; Ashley Flinner, a pre-pharmacy student attending the University of Wyoming; Colleen Heaton, a nursing student attending the University of Montana; Erinn Kane, a senior business major attending Eastern Washington University; Jeff Krause, studying for a Masters of Business Administration degree at Western Washington University; Mary Pebles, a sophomore at Spokane Falls Community College studying graphic design; Dena Riechman, a fourth year dental student at the University of Michigan; Julie Salinas, a sophomore journalism major at North Idaho College; Karrie Sieverkropp, attending Spokane Falls Community College in general studies, and Jacob Struve, a sophomore Natural Resource Management student at Spokane Community College. Tyler Schmidt, a 2010 Creston graduate is attending Everett Community College studying Fire Science. We extend our congratulations to these students and wish them every success as they continue their education.

We invite you to attend the reunion, meet the most recent scholarship recipients and enjoy an evening of entertainment and reminiscing.

*Seniors receiving \$1300 scholarships are(L-R)
Aubrey Houger, Charlie Weber, Alyssa Struve,
Mariah Rocker, Jessi Hammond, and Jennifer Bell.*



From the President

Greetings:

Summer has arrived and with it all the bountiful crops. It means work to stay ahead of those nasty weeds but the benefits are so rewarding. This is like our little school's Alumni Reunion. It is so very successful thanks in part to ALL of you. It takes everyone's help; not only in the donations but those who serve on the board as well.

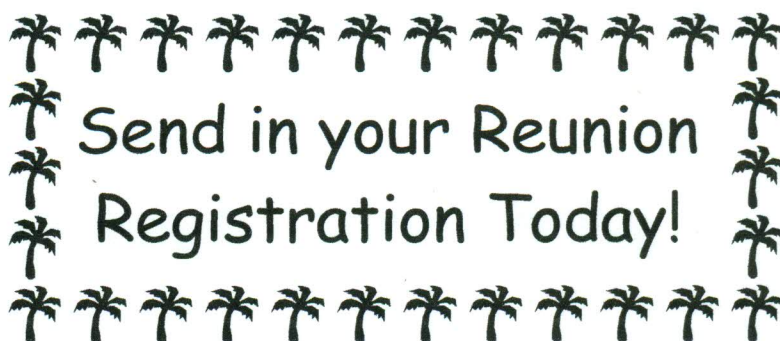
This year's theme "A Reunion Luau" is new and will prove to be colorful, thanks to the decorating talents of Cindy Geib and Beth Finch, our co-chairs. Thanks girls for your part.

There are two items we are selling raffle tickets for this year. One is the beautiful quilt made by Shelley Sieverkropp (thanks to a talented lady) and the other is a night's stay at Northern Quest Casino in Airway Heights.

Thanks again to everyone for helping to make our Alumni Reunion a success.

See you September 8th!

Arlou Ives



In Fond Remembrance

The following alumni and staff have recently passed away.

Lorene (Mangis) Brown Class of 1937	6/1/2012
Louise (Maiden) English Class of 1948	5/5/2012
Alan Neihouse Class of 1972	5/6/2011
John Pankey Class of 1953	6/17/2012
Evelyn Simons Staff	4/3/2012
Teresa Starzman Class of 1975	7/12/2012

Reunion Raffle

The reunion raffles have been very successful in the past, thanks to you and the generous alumni who donated the prizes.

All funds received from the raffle are used to increase the scholarship fund.

If you would like to donate an item for the raffle at the reunion, please contact Alice Chrisman. You can reach her at 509-636-3311 or by email at achrisman@centurytel.net.

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LOUD SHIRTS
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and

TROPICAL DELIGHTS

These and more it's true.....

A Luau is in store for you!

Join us as we celebrate another

CRESTON ALUMNI REUNION

September 8, 2012

Creston School Gymnasium - Luau Tropical Center

*Please make sure to wear your tropical attire and we
will all have a hula'va good time, that's for sure!*

Arrive anytime after 3:30 p.m. with dinner at 5:30 p.m.



Co-Chairs

Beth (Rustemeyer) Finch - Class of '78

Cindy (Draper) Geib - Class of '76



Area Information Sheet

Lodging:

Eight Bar B Motel
Wilbur
509-647-2400

The Willows Motel
Wilbur
509-647-2100

Davenport Motel
Davenport
509-725-7071

Black Bear Motel & RV Park
Davenport
509-725-7700

Morgan Street Bed & Breakfast
Davenport
509-725-2079

R.V. Parks:

Lincoln R.V. Park	509-636-2002
Country Lane Campground & R.V. Park – Wilbur	509-647-0100
River Rue – located above Keller Ferry	509-647-2647
Two Rivers Casino & Resort	800-722-4031
located across the river from Fort Spokane	509-722-4029

Place of Worship:

Creston Christian Church - Disciples of Christ
Pastor Guy Schmielau
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship Service – 11:00 a.m.

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
Father Mike Ishida
Sunday Mass – 8:30 a.m.

Other Places of Interest:

Big Bend Historical Society Museum – Wilbur/Creston/Almira museum in Wilbur

Grand Coulee Dam Laser Light Show: Every night of the week at 8:30 p.m.

Big Bend Golf & Country Club in Wilbur - 509-647-5664

If time allows, it may be interesting for you to drive around the Lincoln, Seven Bays, and Ft. Spokane areas to see all the development around Lake Roosevelt.

CRESTON ALUMNI REUNION

CRESTON SCHOOL, CRESTON, WA

September 8, 2012

FRIENDS - MEMORIES - DINNER - ENTERTAINMENT - RAFFLE

AGENDA

Saturday, September 8

- 3:30** **School opens for registration**
 Reminisce with your old classmates
 View the Alumni Directory
 Look through the old Creston School annuals
 Buy your raffle tickets
- 4:30** **Business meeting & election in the library**
- 5:30** **Dinner in the gym and program**
 Presentation of the classes celebrating their decade reunions
 (1942, 1952, 1962, 1972, 1982, 1992, 2002)
 Introduction of scholarship recipients
 Entertainment
 Raffle drawing

REUNION REGISTRATION FEES: By 9/1/12

	<u>Member</u>	<u>Non-Member*</u>
Dinner	\$12.50	\$14.00

After 9/1/12- Late Registration

	<u>Member</u>	<u>Non-Member*</u>
	\$14.00	\$15.00

* The Non-Member Fee ONLY applies if NEITHER you or your spouse/guest is a member of the Creston Alumni Association.

IF YOU HAVEN'T PAID THIS YEAR'S DUES YET AND WOULD LIKE TO BE A MEMBER, PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR DUES WITH YOUR REGISTRATION (\$10/PERSON OR \$15/COUPLE IF BOTH OF YOU ATTENDED OR WORKED AT THE CRESTON SCHOOL).

REUNION REGISTRATION

Name(s) _____	Reunion Dinner _____
Address _____	2012 Alumni Dues _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____	Scholarship Donation _____
Phone _____ Email _____	Endowment Donation _____
	Northern Quest Stay / Quilt Raffle (\$5) _____
	Total Amount _____

Donations may be made to the Scholarship or Endowment Fund as a memorial to: _____

You may also give an Honorary Donation in honor of someone living: _____

For Name Tags and Dinner Selection, please fill out below:

Hawaiian Chiciken Boneless Pork Rib
& Rice & Au Gratin Potatoes

Name _____ Dinner Selection: _____

Name _____ Dinner Selection: _____

*Make check payable to the Creston Alumni Association and mail by **September 1st** with this registration form to:
 Joanne Hopkins, 35841 Welch Creek Road N, Creston WA 99117*