

From the
Director

By Ann Comstock, Oblate

*“We’ll always come to thee again,
when Alma Mater calls”*

Reunions

Class of 1960 55th Class Reunion

Saturday, July 18

Picnic at Glinodo Conference Center
6270 East Lake Rd, Erie, PA

Noon until ?

Cost \$35 per person includes food and non-alcoholic beverages

RSVP June 1, 2015

Sunday, July 19

Liturgy at 9:30 a.m.

Mount St. Benedict Monastery

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We want to hear from you! Class reunions every five years are a tradition with SBA alumnae. We will gladly include information regarding your reunion on our website. Send us the facts and we’ll post them as soon as we get them. We’ll send you an updated class list from our database and a set of mailing labels. Please provide us with any follow up stories and photos (digital, please) you might wish to share and we will post them on our website (eriebenedictines.org/sba-alum). Classes who are planning reunions are eligible to receive a \$35 check to help defray mailing costs. We ask that you provide us with new or updated addresses for the database. It is one of the best ways we have to keep in touch.

Please contact Ann Comstock. Call 814-899-0614 ext.2573 or contact by email at: sbaalum@mtstbenedict.org

Please visit our Website

Visit ErieBenedictines.org/sba-alum for event updates and to download sign-up forms, or send your email address to Alumnae Director Ann Comstock at sbaalum@mtstbenedict.org to receive electronic reminders and sign-ups. If you don’t use email, write to Ann at Mount Saint Benedict Monastery, 6101 East Lake Road, Erie, PA, 16511. Whenever you see or hear about SBA alumnae being honored or highlighted for their achievements, let us know. Clip an article or jot down the details then call, write or email us the information so we can share the news with all our members.



Let us pray...

For our SBA alumnae who passed into eternity—

Carolyn F. Steiner	‘44
Sister Mary Therese Eichenlaub, OSB ..	‘47
Dolores R. Ulecki	‘52
Nona Pikiewicz Horton	‘53
Mary Jo Kraut Polatas	‘53
Barbara Sislowski Ester	‘54
Loretta K. Kaczmarek Konieczko	‘54
Nancy Henderson Ranus	‘57
Sister Audrey Berdis, OSB	‘58
Susan Shank Wagner	‘60
Susan Kowalski Yonko	‘61
Patricia Ann Adams Rizzo	‘61
Camille Marie Laniewicz Hess	‘61
Gloria Jean Kubeja Kopycinski	‘63
Rosemary McNamara Kephart	‘63
Patricia Adams Weigel	‘64
Patricia Bayer Neimeic	‘64
Sue Farina Bernardini	‘74
Cynthia A. Shauberger Carson	‘77
Mary Christine Lamb	‘79
Carrie J. Duda Roth	‘89
Margaret Riazzi Kightlinger	

Scholarship Winners 2015-2016

We are very pleased to announce that 20 scholarships of \$250 each were awarded to relatives of SBA alumnae who will attend Catholic schools, grades K through 12, for the 2015-2016 school year. This program has contributed over \$61,000 in support of Catholic education since it began in 1991. The alumnae association is pleased to show our support for Catholic education through these scholarships.

Scholarship Winners

Student	Alumnae Member	Relationship	School
Michael Bevan	Janet Hammond	Nephew	Cathedral Prep
Caelyn Frances Cole	Ruth Falconer Fox	Granddaughter	Immaculate Conception School
Dylan Schley	Mary Jo Schley	Son	St. James School
Sammy Tojaga	Kathy Polito	Grandson	Cathedral Prep
Allison & Abby Koca	Bonnie Prokocki	Grandchildren	St. Luke School
Abigail Whitman	Mary Beth Whitman	Daughter	Villa Maria Academy
Ethan J. Taraski	Judith Ruland	Grandson	Cathedral Prep
Claire Ropelewski	Rose Marie Ropelewski	Granddaughter	Mercyhurst Prep
Hannah Marchant	Mary Ann Marchant	Daughter	Mercyhurst Prep
Dylan Danch	Margie Glass	Great nephew	St. George School
Lilly Pinzok	Barbara Dulin	Grandniece	St. Boniface School
Aiden Bowes	Anne Shiel	Grandson	Our Lady of Peace School
Emily Bahm	Rita Bahm	Granddaughter	Mercyhurst Prep
Spencer Staab	Janice Shaffer	Nephew	Cathedral Prep
Adriana M Post	Sandra Kempisty	Cousin	Villa Maria Academy
Alexis Brabender	Mary Ann Brabender	Niece	Mercyhurst Prep
Isabella Bruni	Pat D'Annibale	Grandniece	St. James School
Sara R. Durst	Linda Mish	Granddaughter	St. George School
Rosalind Roark	Amy Roark	Daughter	St. Dominic School
Madeline Welch	Doreen Welch	Daughter	Villa Maria Academy

Mark Your 2015 Calendar

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6/14 Sunday, June 14
 - Sunset Boulevard**
 - Erie Playhouse
 - 13 West 10th Street
 - Erie, PA
 - Cost: \$22

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6/24 Wednesday, June 24
 - Hoss's SBA Fundraiser (all day)**
 - Hoss's Restaurant
 - 3302 West 26th Street
 - Erie, PA

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7/18 Saturday, July 18
 - Class of 1960 55th Class Reunion (Noon until?)**
 - Glinodo Conference Center
 - 6270 East Lake Road
 - Erie, PA

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8/19 Wednesday, August 19
 - SBA Alumnae Outing – Buck Night**
 - Jerry Uht Park
 - Erie, PA
 - Gates open at 6:00 p.m.

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12/1 Tuesday, December 1
 - SBA Christmas Party**
 - Ambassador Conference Center
 - 7792 Peach Street
 - Erie, PA

Saint Benedict Academy Winter Wonderland Tuesday, December 2, 2014

"Once again, the St. Benedict Academy Alum Christmas Party was a huge success," said Ann Comstock, SBA Alum director and one of the coordinators of the favorite annual event. The Ambassador Conference Center in Erie was the setting for the 420 women who gathered for the 2014 party with its "Winter Wonderland," theme. Classmates, friends, teachers and sisters had the opportunity to catch up with each other and enjoy a festive, holiday evening. One attendee shared, "I love the spirit of this party and this group of women. I look forward to it every year."

Monies raised from the Gift Baskets Raffle (125 in all) provided a generous donation to the Saint Benedict Child Development Center, a Benedictine inner-city ministry where a staff of 40 full and part-time teachers manages daycare, head start for migrant children, and infant care programs.



Katie Shewan Young '87, current President of the Saint Benedict Academy Alumnae Association (left) with Sister Diane Rabe (right) and children from the Center.



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IS ALIVE AND WELL.



“with friends we never can forget”

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Unisex Sizes and Pricing:

Jacket:	(S-XL)	\$40
	(2X)	\$42
	(3X)	\$44
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	(2X)	\$37
	(3X)	\$39
Tote:		\$15



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Local orders may be picked up at SBEC – the old SBA Academy at 330 E. 10th Street at the main office.

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