

Alumni News

Class Notes

1920 – 1969

Esther Evenson Albright '43 has recently moved to Sun Prairie after residing 32 years in Madison. **George Bowers** MS '47, represented Chancellor Sorensen and UW-Stout, Sept. 19, at the inauguration of James Garland as the 20th president of Miami University, Oxford, Ohio. **Robert Swanson** BS '49, MS '50, Menomonie, is chair of the board of directors of the Menomonie Community Health Foundation.

Irvin Lathrop '50, Laguna Hills, Calif., represented Chancellor Sorensen and UW-Stout, Aug. 28, at the inauguration of San Diego State University's Second Century and the installation of Stephen Weber as the seventh president of the university. **John** BS '55, MS '62 and **Barbara Brown Rynders** '57, New Brighton, Minn., recently traveled to Spain where John presented his research findings concerning educational advancements for students who have Down's syndrome and received an award for the "Outstanding Scientific Paper" at the World Congress for Down's Syndrome. John is a professor of special education at the University of Minnesota. In June Barbara participated in the 50th anniversary celebration of the Alice in Dairyland program. She was Wisconsin's eighth "Alice" and reigned in 1955-56. **Richard Anderson** '57 is president/district director of Waukesha County Technical College, Pewaukee.

Wayne Towne '60, Keshena, has retired from the College of the Menominee Nation as director of the carpentry program. **Karen Johnson** BS '61, MS '62 has accepted a position as chief operating officer and vice president of marketing with JMH Communications, New York, N.Y. **John** '65 and **Nancy Guenzel Clark** '63, moved from New Ulm, Minn., to Eureka Springs, Ark., where they are the owners of Beaver Carvings. **Richard Dawson** BS '67, MS '69, Kaukauna, is a technology education teacher at Kiel High School. **Jerry Price** BS '69, MS '72, Fort Atkinson, is the owner of Professional Services Group, an insurance and investment brokerage firm.

1970 – 1974

Roger Kroes '70 is the factory manager for Hubbell Power Systems, Centralia, Mo. **Barbara Smith Lanz** BS '70, MS '71, Three Lakes, has been promoted to branch manager of M&I Bank of Eagle River.

Glenn Griffith '71, Park Ridge, Ill., has joined Union League Club of Chicago as director of operations.

David Goldberg '74, Bellevue, Wash., is assistant manager of the U.S. Government Printing Office's Seattle Regional Printing Procurement Office. For the past two years, David has spent much of his free time helping to restore a B-17 Flying Fortress for the Seattle Museum of Flight. **Robert Ward** '74, Apple Valley, Minn., is director of strategic planning for the Minnesota Department of Transportation. **Sheila Lehman Wells** '74 is a case assistant with the Department of Vocational Rehabilitation, Rice Lake.

1975 – 1979

James Eisenreich '75, Minneapolis, is employed by Eden Prairie High School. **Steven Fried** '75 teaches wood shop and is chair of the industrial arts department at Bonanza High School, Las Vegas, Nev. **Charlene Lemke** BS '75, MS '79, Wheeling, Ill., teaches human growth, child development and parenting classes at Prospect High School. She is also the director of the Prospect pre-school program. **William Mathy** MS '75, Fullerton, Calif., was selected as the Fullerton Chamber of Commerce nominee for the Ethics in America Achievement Award, which honors outstanding business professionals in the Orange County community. He is president of Related Visual Inc., an audiovisual and video equipment dealer. **Nancy Williams Ward** '75, Leawood, Kans., is employed with Procter & Gamble in pharmaceutical sales.

Dennis Rittenberry '76 is the owner of Chippewa Valley Restaurant Supply, Menomonie. The firm features used and new equipment. **Debra Schneider** '76, Cecil, is a one-on-one inclusion para-educator for CESA #8.

Douglas Enger '78 is an electronics technician with the U.S. Navy and is currently assigned to the Mobil Inshore Undersea Warfare Unit #201 in Perrysburg, Ohio. **Cynthia Gartzke Heim** '78 is a

family and consumer science teacher at Century High School, Rochester, Minn. **Connie Hines** '78 has been promoted to director of field technology sales and support tools at American Express Financial Advisors, Minneapolis. **Laurie Letourneau Kinneberg** '78 is associate principal at Cretin-Derham Hall High School, St. Paul, Minn. **Robert Thomson** '78, St. Charles, Ill., is an industrial technology instructor at Streamwood High School. **Joel Turner** '78 has been promoted to senior principal brazing engineer at Altec International, La Crosse. **Ann Yurcisin** MS '78, Ed.S. '81 is the director of the Office For Disability Services at Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.

Stuart Arp '79 has been promoted to senior vice president of Adam's Mark Hotels and Resorts, Orlando, Fla. **Sue Loew Halama** '79, Menomonie, is a para-educator for early childhood exceptional needs at Knapp School. **Randall Pickering** '79, Fitchburg, is director of custom business services for Ameritech. **Gene Rosburg** BS '79, MS '86, was named dean of instructional operations in trade and industry at Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College-Superior.

1980 – 1983

Joel Breitung MS '80 has recently joined Fuhrer Psychological Services, Eau Claire. **Jill Christian Levorson** '80 is senior interior designer at Lintex Corp., St. Paul, Minn. **Joey Wang** '80 is attached to the Space and Naval Warfare Systems Center, San Diego, Calif., and is currently on a one-year assignment in the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations (CNO-N091), Pentagon, Washington, D.C. **Michael Wollenzien** BS '80, MS '84, Salt Lake City, is a counselor for the Utah Division of Rehabilitation Services.

Christopher Bracken '81 is director of marketing for the Marriott at Sawgrass Resort, Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla. **Lisa Weisheipl Brantmeier** '81 is costume shop foreperson for Paramount Show Services, Charlotte, N.C. **Joel Jenkins** '81 has been elected vice president of Wachovia Operational Services Corp., Winston-Salem, N.C.

Randal Archiquette '82, Neenah, was promoted to assistant superintendent at Banta Book Group. **Evert Berndt** '82 is technical services engineering manager at W.H. Brady, Milwaukee. **Susan Stuckey Goudreau** '82, Port Washington, is supervisor of organizational learning for Aqua-Chem Inc. **James Klaas** '82, Ellsworth, is market group implementation manager for American Express Financial Advisors.

Paul Brennhofner '83, Menomonie, has completed all the requirements to be a Certified Retirement Planner. **Jonathan Guden** '83 is a trial attorney for the U.S. Army Contract Appeals Division, Arlington, Va. **Gregory Kosciuk** '83 is bindery superintendent for Action Printing, Fond du Lac. **Robert Lund** '83 is a sales engineer with Signicast Inc., Hartford. **Jacki Jensen Ritchie** '83, Inver Grove Heights, Minn., is a kindergarten teacher with the Burnsville School District. **Barbara Callies Smith** '83, Plymouth, Minn., is the northern region retail pricing analyst for Super Valu.

1984 – 1988

Katherine Navarre '84, Fountain City, received her Ph.D. from Kansas State University in December. **John Urbach** '84 is a technical support engineer for Xcellenet Software, Atlanta.

Jill Brickner '85 is production services manager at DuFour and Associates, Sheboygan. **Duane Finreite** '85, Chicago, received a master's degree in business administration with an emphasis in marketing/entrepreneurship from De Paul University. He is currently employed by the University of Illinois as a marketing specialist for the functional foods for health program. **Renee Fontaine-Ebel** MS '85 is a counselor with Fuhrer Psychological Services, Eau Claire. **Mona Inman** '85 has been promoted to associate product development engineer at Rollerblade Inc., Minnetonka, Minn. **Laura Ericson Manka** '85, International Falls, Minn., is a customer service agent for Mesaba Airlines. **Carolyn Svetlik Michalski** MS '85, director of the Center for Business and Industry at Northcentral Technical College, Wausau, was honored by the Northcentral Vocational Association as the group's "Outstanding Vocational Administrator" for 1996-97.

Michael Mozal '85 was promoted to vice president at Joseph J. Duffy Co., Chicago, Ill. **Michael Skalitzky** '85, Kenosha, is a senior packaging engineer with Baxter.

Dena Rykal Manier BS '86, MS '91, Cadott, is a counselor at Cadott Elementary School. **Dallas Olson** '86 has been promoted to technology team leader at Goodyear Tire and Rubber, Tyler, Texas. **Jeffrey** '86 and **Kathleen Osborne Sawyer** '91 reside in Coon Rapids, Minn. Jeffrey is branch manager at Discover Mortgage; Kathleen is assistant manager at Target. **Lynn Dederling Sell** '86, Wauwatosa, is a customer account representative for Milwaukee Electronics.

Sharon Oncken Kaufman '87, Madison, is a case manager for developmentally disabled adults at Pathways of Wisconsin. **Kari Miller** '87, Virginia Beach, Va., is a staff accountant for Metro Information Services, a professional computer consulting firm.

James Gorecki '88 is a mechanical designer for Aerotek Contract Engineering Services, Brookfield. **Sonja Grauze Gella** '88 is divisional accounting manager for Town and Country Homes, Eden Prairie, Minn. **Mark Horbinski** '88 is director of information technology with the School District of South Milwaukee. In May, he was honored by the Wisconsin chapter of the International Society for Technology Education (WISTE) as their District Computer Educator of the Year. **Joan Janson** MS '88, Plattsburgh, N.Y., has earned a Ph.D. from Pennsylvania State University. **Agnes Duda Keller** '88, Crandon, is a social worker II for the Forest County Department of Social Services. **Barb Kinzel** '88 has been promoted to general manager of T.G.I. Friday's, Sandusky, Ohio. **Andrew Ruge** '88, Arlington, Va., is assistant athletic director at George Mason University. **Scott Stuckey** '88 is senior assistant manager at the Renaissance Cleveland Hotel, Cleveland, Ohio. He was awarded the Certified Rooms Division Executive (CRDE) designation by the Educational Institute of the American Hotel and Motel Association.

1989 – 1990

Jeff Daniel '89, Katy, Texas, is a senior business analyst for Compaq Computer Corp. **Lynn Nelson Dressel** '89 is senior human resource manager for Carlson Wagonlit Travel, World Headquarters, Minneapolis. **John Kluessendorf** '89, Milwaukee, is a senior consultant for Whittman-Hart Inc. **Stephanie Love** '89, Superior, is an insurance specialist with United Health Care. **Donica Lukes Mohr** '89, Sheboygan, has earned a master's degree in health services administration from College of St. Francis, Joliet, Ill. **Nathan Nick** '89 was promoted to plant manager at Pierce Manufacturing Inc., Appleton. **Debra Dexheimer Price** '89, De Pere, is a territory manager for KOS Pharmaceuticals Inc. **Jacalyn Tenney** '89, Minnetonka, Minn., is director of catering at the Sheraton Minneapolis Metrodome. **Daniel Ware** BS '89, MS '95 is assistant general manager at Maple Dale Country Club, Dover, Del. **Kathleen Anderson Hill** BS '90, MS '97 is a qualified rehabilitation consultant with Concentra Managed Care Inc., Minneapolis. **Kris Reek Roth** '90 has been promoted to senior industrial engineer at Russell Corp., Alexander City, Ala.

1991 – 1992

Gregory Faust '91, Madison, is lead technical trainer for PC Productivity Inc. **Scott** '91 and **Julie Christianson Hill** '91 reside in Maple Grove, Minn. Scott is a credit and collection analyst with Jostens; Julie is employed in sales at Scoville Press. **Heidi Roeder** '91 is CAD room manager at Image Works Apparel Inc., Huntington Beach, Calif. **Peter** '91 and **Brenda Blunck Skittone** '90 reside in Hoffman Estates, Ill. Peter is a production manager at Otto Engineering Inc.; Brenda is an accounts payable clerk at Brite-O-Matic Mfg. **Tina Brauer Stenroos** '91 is employed in purchasing at Gemini Inc., Cannon Falls, Minn. **Jon Zickert** '91, Atlanta, has been promoted to district manager of sales and operations for Studio Plus Hotels Inc.

Robert Kremer '92, Green Bay, is employed by Endries International.

1993 – 1995

Sally Binkowski '93, Inver Grove Heights, Minn., is group team leader at Dayton-Hudson Corporation's Operations Center. **Melissa Martinsen Kamps** '93 is employed with the WIC program in Dodgeville and is a consulting dietitian at Parkview Terrace, Platteville. **Colleen Kummer** BS '93, MS '95 is director of Summer Session, Regis University, Denver. **Tammy Lanoue** '93, Madison, is a sales representative with Sentry Insurance. **Mary Jo Reiter** '93 has joined Dunsirn Industries' purchasing team in Neenah as a buyer/estimator specialist. **Thomas Vang** BS '93, MS '96 is a counselor with the Wilder Foundation, St. Paul, Minn. **Teri Weiland** '93, Tomah, has been listed in Who's Who of America's Teachers and Who's Who in the Midwest. She is presently dean of students at Mauston Middle School. **Matt Wheeler** '93 is general manager of Perkins, Maplewood, Minn.

Craig Brantl '94, Wichita Falls, Texas, is assistant general manager of the Wichita Falls La Quinta Inn. **Michael Collins** '94, Apple Valley, Minn., is an account manager for Symbol Technologies. **Jolene Loos** '94 is international customer relations coordinator for Aveda, Blaine, Minn. **James** '94 and **Jody Stansfield Lo Sapio** '95 reside in Albuquerque, N. Mex. James is general manager of Texas Land and Cattle Co.; Jody is the general manager of La Quinta Airport Inn. **Kristin Lundberg** BA '94, MS '95, Hayward, is a vocational evaluator for Ventures Unlimited. **Mark Maves** '94 has been named assistant general manager of Hampton Inn of Eau Claire. **Kathleen Mangru Mentink** MS '94, Ed.S. '97 is a social studies instructor at Chippewa Valley Technical College, Eau Claire. **Jennifer Montague** '94 is a design/layout specialist with Kwik-File LLC, Minneapolis. **Pamela Stoeklen Mullen** '94, Rice Lake, is serving a three-year term on the board of the Association for Persons in Supported Employment. **Jennifer Propp** '94 is an assistant manager for Chartwell's Food Service on the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh campus. **Jeff** '94 and **Kathryn Raddatz Royle** '94 reside in Lexington, Ky. Jeff is a sales executive for Royle Communications; Kathryn is employed by the J. Peterman Co. (as seen on the Seinfeld show) in product development.

Jeffrey '95 and **Julie Lee Bowe** '95 reside in Eagan, Minn. Jeffrey is an account representative for Wausau Insurance; Julie is an account manager for Midwest Coca-Cola. **Karen Cartwright** '95, Tomah, is a kindergarten teacher at Wyeville Elementary. **Chad Frane** '95, Hayward, is an estimator for Custom Building Specialties. **Cynthia Lijewski** MS '95, Boise, Idaho, is supervisor of vocational assessment services at The Arc, Inc. and also coordinates a pre-vocational/transition program for junior and senior high school students with disabilities. **William** '95 and **Dody Goldbeck Wubker** '94 reside in Eau Claire. William is a utility technician for NSP; Dody is a managerial accountant at Luther/Midelfort. **Bradford** '95 and **Fumiko Kato Zuege** '95 reside in Memphis, Tenn. Bradford is an industrial designer for Hunter Fan Co.; Fumiko is employed at Adam's Mark Hotel.



1996 – 1997

Brad Anderson '96 has been promoted to director of housekeeping at Wyndham Hotels and Resorts, Chandler, Ariz. **Jessica Beilfuss** '96, Knoxville, Tenn., is a probation officer for the Knox County Probation Department. **Paula Dahlke** '96 is a kindergarten teacher at Meeme Elementary School, Kiel. **Michael Ek** '96 has been named director of displays and exhibits at Becker Communications Inc., Racine. **Brian Estey** '96 is a packaging engineer with Tharco, Denver. **Eric Goodrich** '96, Brookfield, is a restaurant manager at the Minneapolis/St. Paul Airport. **Lynn Mickelson Gorski** '96, Owatonna, Minn., is an underwriting automation training and development specialist for Federated Insurance. **David Gronquist** '96 has joined Becker Communications Inc., Racine, as an exhibit designer. **Jason Haugley** '96, Menomonie, is a para-educator in the emotionally disabled classroom, Menomonie High School. **Lloyd Mennenga** '96 is a small business consultant for Mennenga Tax and Financial, Madison. **Randy Popham** '96 is an industrial designer for HON Co., Muscatine, Iowa. **Tonya Rife** '96, New York, N.Y., is a designer with Rockwell Group which specializes in entertainment, retail design and architecture. **Timothy Williamson** '96 is an estimator/field technician with Waukesha Concrete Products Inc., Waukesha. **Rae Anne Buchanan Zupetz** '96, Britt, Minn., is a personnel manager for Target.

Nicholas Kaiser '97, River Falls, is a kindergarten teacher for St. Croix Central Schools. **Thomas Padron** '97 is sous chef at Arizonas Restaurant and Lounge, Chippewa Falls. **Joseph Schaefer** '97, Metairie, La., is assistant manager in the human resources department of the New Orleans Marriott. **Shanie Xiong** '97 is a Hmong interpreter for the Red Cedar Clinic-Mayo Health System, Menomonie.

Marriages

Mabel Samdahl to **John Finney** '40, Dec. 27. Couple resides in Norman, Okla. **Lori Tucker** '77 to **Thomas Wrensch** '73, Sept. 20. Couple resides in Ixonia. **Marysue Crouch** '80 to Patrick Michels, May 31. Couple resides in Brownsville. Bobbie Hammond to **Thomas Denow** '80, May 24. Couple resides in Charlotte, N.C. **Barbara Callies** '83 to Glenn Smith, April 22, 1995. Couple resides in Plymouth, Minn. **Julie Holt** '85 to Andrew Weber, June 14, 1996. Couple resides in Arlington, Va. Di Yin to **Alfred Gomez** MS '85, Jan. 1, 1997. Couple resides in Union Grove. **Sharon Oncken** '87 to Jeff Kaufman, Oct. 18. Couple resides in Madison. **Agnes Duda** '88 to Joseph Keller, Sept. 13. Couple resides in Crandon. **Lynn Lechleitner** '88 to Scott Shepro, Aug. 30. Couple resides in Edgar. Kathy Erdman to **Timothy Rochester** '89, March 22, 1997. Couple resides in Wausau. **Kathleen Anderson** BS '90, MS '97 to Christopher Hill, Sept. 28, 1996. Couple resides in Burnsville, Minn. **Jodi Hesselink** '91 to Robert Popp, June 28. Couple resides in Green Bay. **Erika Krueger** '91 to Jeff Ritchey, Dec. 21, 1996. Couple resides in Atlanta. **Diana Gundlach** '92 to Scott Schwantes, April 19, 1997. Couple resides in Madison. **Michelle Maniquiz** '92 to Imran Qureshi, Dec. 22, 1996. Couple resides in Minneapolis. Laura Oehler to **James Van Asten** '92, May 17. Couple resides in Rhineland. **Dawn Schulz** '92 to Joe Thorson, Aug. 2. Couple resides in West Allis. **Lynn Williams** '92 to Brian Plumer, Sept. 27.

Couple resides in Rochester, Minn. Danielle Becker to **Brian Novotny** '93, Oct. 11. Couple resides in Elk River, Minn. Jennifer Klein to **Steven Bauer** '93, May 10. Couple resides in Richland Center. Cynthia Neitzel to **Scott Bernhard** '93, April 5, 1997. Couple resides in Theresa. Barbara Phillips to **Perry Demler** '93, April 26, 1997. Couple resides in Dorchester. **Nancy Reische** '93 to Peter Nissen, June 14. Couple resides in Brooklyn Park, Minn. **Sarah Schmitt** '93 to Bryan Hundt, May 17. Couple resides in Wausau. **Julie Urban** '93 to **Kevin Schmitt** '91, Aug. 2. Couple resides in West Bend. **Carrie Berth** '94 to Richard Higgins, Sept. 20. Couple resides in Frisco, Colo. **Allyson Brand** '94 to John Roscioli, Aug. 9. Couple resides in Kenosha. **Holly Glodoski** '94 to Bradley Lilly, June 21. Couple resides in Marietta, Ga. **Charlotte Iausly** '94 to **Terry Everson** '83, Nov. 2, 1996. Couple resides in Blair. **Linda Kummerow** '94 to Steven Filipiak, Oct. 26, 1996. Couple resides in Shoreview, Minn. **Sonya Nilssen** '94 to Jason Swanson, Sept. 5. Couple resides in Hudson. **Amy Peterson** '94 to Jeff Ramseier, Oct. 11. Couple resides in Osseo. **Jennifer Putz** '94 to Andrew Meelberg, Oct. 4. Couple resides in Minnetonka, Minn. **Kathryn Raddatz** '94 to **Jeff Royle** '94, Aug. 16. Couple resides in Lexington, Ky. Lisa Bartels to **Richard Andreas** '95, May 17. Couple resides in Green Bay. Stacie Gray to **Kenneth Lundquist** '95, Oct. 12, 1996. Couple resides in Aurora, Colo. **Jennifer Homer**

'95 to Mark Rudiger, Aug. 23. Couple resides in Menomonie. **Fumiko Kato** '95 to **Bradford Zuege** '95, June 17, 1996. Couple resides in Memphis, Tenn. **Julie Lee** '95 to **Jeffrey Bowe** '95, Aug. 23. Couple resides in Eagan, Minn. **Angela McDowell** '95 to Steven Zeyen, April 19, 1997. Couple resides in Hastings, Minn. **Ann Springer** '95 to John Oellrich, March 8, 1997. Couple resides in Brown Deer. **Rae Anne Buchanan** '96 to Jim Zupetz, Aug. 2. Couple resides in Britt, Minn. **Angela Romani** '95 to **Eric Goodrich** '96, June 21. Couple resides in Brookfield. **Carla Shadley** '95 to **Shawn Unruh** '95, April 19, 1997. Couple resides in Marshall, Minn. **Bonnie Schnell** '95 to Andrew Manthey, Oct. 12, 1996. Couple resides in Shawano. **Anitra Bauch** '96 to Scott Huff, Aug. 16. Couple resides in Brookfield. **Julie Janke** '96 to Steve Casperson, May 3. Couple resides in Oakdale, Minn. Tara Koski to **Douglas Mannigel** '96, June 21. Couple resides in Marshfield. Kate Messer to **Lloyd Mennenga** '96, Oct. 25. Couple resides in Oregon. **Laura Ames** '97 to **Daniel Seanor** '94, Aug. 16. Couple resides in Merrill. **Andrea Busch** '97 to Daniel Stiller, June 28. Couple resides in Appleton. **Randi Cowan** '97 to Andrew Stanley, May 31. Couple resides in Eau Claire. Jodi Vetrus to **Kyle Hunter** '97, January. Couple resides in Eau Claire.

Births

A son, Cameron Robert, Feb. 4, 1997, to Tracy and **Susan Stuckey Goudreau** '82, Port Washington. A son, Ryan Kenneth, July 15, to Guy and **Ellen Rudkin Gross** '82, Dundee, Ill. A daughter, Kelsey Renee, July 12, to **Dirk** '83 and **Sally Goggins Derse** '83, Hartford. A son, Nicholas Kenneth, Sept. 3, to **Jonathan** '83 and **Jeanne Guden**, Annandale, Va. A son, Payton Michael, March 13, 1997, to **Robert** '83 and **Ruth Lund**, Milwaukee. A son, Lucas, Feb. 1997, to Greg and **Jacki Jensen Ritchie** '83, Inver Grove Heights, Minn. A daughter, Sophia Rose, June 9, to **Daniel** '84 and **Cheryl Schlosser Johnson** '86, Golden Valley, Minn. Twin sons, Parker Ronald and Hunter George, Sept. 5, to Larry and **Cindy Miller Thompson** '84, Fargo, N. Dak. A daughter, Sydney Marie, Sept. 17, to Shannon and **Lynn Haney Cothron** '85, Lino Lakes, Minn. A son, Carson Kent, Sept. 4, to **Darrell** '85 and **Amy Hauge**, Coon Rapids, Minn. A daughter, Natalie Rose, June 15, to Sam and **Patricia Knapp Kanter** '85, Crescent Springs, Ky. A daughter, Gabrielle Terese, Oct. 6, to **Bernard** '85 and **Janice Miner**, Hutchinson, Minn. A daughter, Sophia Catherine, April 3, 1997, to Daniel and **Lisa Hruby Minning** '85, Glen Ellyn, Ill. A daughter, Elizabeth, Sept. 22, to **Keith** '85 and **Carol Zimmerman Oelke** '87, Eagan, Minn. A daughter, Alexis Nicole, Dec. 3, to **Michael** '85 and **Janet Skalitzky**, Kenosha. A daughter, Grace, October 1996, to Daniel and **Mary**

Pratt Christianson '86, Jefferson. A son, Bryce Donnie, July 10, to Tim and **Karen Kozeliski Dahl** '86, Ellsworth. A son, Dustin, Jan. 29, 1997, to Wayne and **D'Lane Kaiser Korbus** '87, South Elgin, Ill. A son, Bryce Michael, April 22, 1997, to Michael and **Cheryl Broderick Kothe** '87, Racine. A daughter, Anna Marie, Jan. 12, to Curt and **Jean Koenig Brauer** '88, Sheboygan. A son, Benjamin Guenther, July 23, to William and **Heidi Behrens Braun** '88, Winona, Minn. A son, John, May 29, to Jim and **Linda Kerssen Hicke** '88, Circle Pines, Minn. A son, Mark Andrew, Nov. 25, 1996, to George and **Suzanne Palmer Spatz** '88, Lake Zurich, Ill. A son, Jack, July 9, to Todd and **Rochelle Arndt Drahos** '89, Buffalo Lake, Minn. A daughter, Emmanuelle Janee, to Philippe and **Jane Wetzel Pretre** '89, San Diego. A daughter, Brooke, May 9, 1996, to Michael and **Debra Dexheimer Price** '89, De Pere. A son, Robert William, Dec. 14, to Robert and **Catherine Schneider Moore** '90, St. Paul, Minn. A son, Christopher Engabret, Nov. 2, to **Paul** '90 and **Christine Cornue Nesja** '91, Brooklyn Park, Minn. A son, Jack Thomas, Sept. 9, to Scott and **Jennifer Clafin Scheer** '90, Burnsville, Minn. A son, Christian James, April 22, 1997, to Mark and **Kelly Kuester Kenney** '91, New Richmond. A daughter, Angela, Aug. 30, 1996, to **Peter** '91 and **Brenda Blunck Skittone** '90, Hoffman Estates, Ill. A daughter, Taylor Lee, March 10, 1997, to **Kyle** '91 and Trisha

Bekum, La Crosse. A son, Eric David, Oct. 10, to David and **Jill Johnson Sorenson** '91, Menomonee Falls. A daughter, Brooke Olivia, Sept. 10, to Brian and **Julie Pitlik Stefanik** '91, Eagle River. A son, Robert Lee, Aug. 2, to Lonnie and **Stephanie Dossdal Rohloff** '92, Morris, Minn. A son, Lane Robert, July 8, to Robert and **Melissa Martinsen Kamps** '93, Platteville. A son, Brock Thomas, Oct. 8, to **Andrew** '93 and **Melanie Larson**, Wausau. A son, Jakob Joseph, Aug. 30, to Cory and **Kassandra Ostermann Passineau** '93, Jackson. A daughter, Amanda Rae, Aug. 3, to **Dan** '93 and **Vickie Fleischman Plachinski** '93, Menomonee Falls. A daughter, Ashley Renae, July 26, to **Rick** '95 and **Shannon Palmerton**, Peeksskill, N.Y. A son, Gage Alexander, Aug. 3, to **William** '95 and **Dody Goldbeck Wubker** '94, Eau Claire.

Adoptions

John and **Sheila Urban Smith** '77, Williamston, Mich., a daughter, Michelle Myung-Urban, born Feb. 3, 1997. Mark and **Kathryn Carlson Hanson** '85, Eagan, Minn., twin daughters, Kerry Marie and Molly Elizabeth, born Aug. 5, 1996, in South Korea. **Lewis** '90 and **Judith Cutler Clark** '90, Mankato, Minn., a son, Noah Rodrigo, born July 27, 1997 in Bogota, Colombia.

Deaths

E. Matt Laitala Dip. '22, May 24, Annapolis, Md. **Gertrude Boettcher** Dip. '24, April 14, San Bernardino, Calif. **Myrtle McNurlin Huffman** Dip. '24, July 24, Richland Center. **George Grab** '27, April 15, 1997, St. Paul, Minn. **Edith Brevig Brace** '30, Oct. 17, Viroqua. **Jane Hambley O'Donnell** '30, Oct. 24, Crandon. Jane was a co-author of the Stout school song. **Arnold Killen** '31, Sept. 28, 1995, Madison, Minn. **Kenneth Patterson** '32, July 29, Beloit. **Esther Lee Brown** '33, Oct. 13, Menomonie. **Minnie Chronquist Hutt** '33, July 3, Waupun. **Marie Schroeder Nielsen** '33, Oct. 2, Eau Claire. **Louise Lee Heidel** '34, June 27, Oshkosh. **Ove Madsen** '34,

May 25, Black River Falls. **Doris Flick** '38, Aug. 14, La Crosse. **Raymond Johnson** '38, July 9, Manitowoc. **Earl Laatsch** '38, Aug. 9, West Bend. **Lorn Jaeger** '40, Sept. 26, Menomonie. **Joyce Scott Rogers** '40, Sept. 20, Tomahawk. **Lloyd Harmon** BS '43, MS '50, Aug. 20, La Crosse. **Toshio "Buster" Hagiwara** BS '44, MS '47, Sept. 22, Honolulu, Hawaii. **Lenore Landry** '45, Nov. 12, Madison. **Richard Kurshinsky** '48, Jan. 23, Rice Lake. **Glenn Bartling** MS '54, July 5, Platteville. **Bert Knott** '60, Sept. 5, Merrill. **Judy Kuns Brenholt** BS '65, MS '89, Dec. 13, Menomonie. **Wayne Franzen** '68, May 7, Bushnell, Fla. **John Stevenoski** MS '70, July 17, Wisconsin Rapids. **Phillip**

John Zuke '71, Sept. 20, Elkhorn. **Chris Driessen** BS '72, MS '87, Sept. 13, Kaukauna. **John Dunster** '73, Nov. 2, Hayward. **John Halgren** '75, July 4, Holcombe. **Mark Bitter** '76, May 2, West Bend. **Bruce Galde** MS '78, Nov. 29, Long Beach, Calif. **Jane Gorman** '78, Nov. 15, Minneapolis. **Marie Larson Peterson** MS '79, Sept. 23, Superior. **Cheri Houser** '81, Aug. 19, Madison. **Kevin Arentz** '91, May 22, Farmington, Minn. **Sue Uland Stephenson** Ed.S. '82, Sept. 24, Menomonie. **Kristopher Knipfer** '94, Feb. 22, 1997, Elk Mound.



Fried



Michalski



Steve and Julie Janke Casperson



Brennhofner



Classmates reunite



After 15 years, former classmates and roommates were reunited at the home of Karen Harelson Meyer. Pictured are (l-r) Karen Harelson Meyer BS '81, MS '82, Inver Grove Heights, Minn.; Ann Wagner Petersen BS '82, MS '88, Rochester, Minn.; and Patricia Bluem Ahner '82, St. Michael, Minn.



Several Stout graduates reunited May 29 at the home of Leone Nagel Dederling in Kiel, Wis. Front (l-r): Catherine Magee Morris BS '53, MS '60; Charmaine Chopp Kneevers '53; Bernadine Gunderman Schulz '53. Middle (l-r): Shirley Lepien King BS '53, MS '72; Mary Lou Bohrnstedt Byom '53; Nancy Hauser Benson '53; Dorothy Messerschmidt Groemling '53; Beverly Henderson '53; Muriel Roffers Erickson '53; Mary Ann Moore Constantine '53; Margaret Fitzgerald Bricco '53. Back (l-r): Mary Klaus Person '53; Louise Zirbel Lueck '54; Beatrice Anderson Gerhardt '54; Hazel Nelson Jolliffe BS '53, MS '57; Leone Nagel Dederling '53; June Keefer Kinney '53.

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Alumni represent companies at annual career conference

Many Stout alumni returned to campus to represent their companies during the 19th annual Career Conference held Oct. 7, 8 and 9. Employers met informally during the conference with students, faculty and staff and discussed career opportunities and co-op positions. "This was the biggest career conference ever," stated Cheryl Lowery of Placement and Co-op Services. "More than 200 employers were represented and a number of them were Stout alumni. We are always eager to work with alumni as prospective employers or to help them with possible career changes."



Several classmates gathered in Menomonie for Homecoming 1997. Front row (l-r) Marcus Shepherd '77, Laurel Klabor Halstead MA '83, Andy Halstead '83, Greg Luer '82, Jill Luer. Back row (l-r) Jon Trolen '81, Jay Grosskopf BS '80 MS '86, Dan Pliszka BS '80 MS '81, Lorie Maidl Bunke BS '80 MS '81 and Jeff Bunke '82.

One day's representation of Stout alumni who returned to recruit for their companies at the annual Career Conference.





Alumni News

Spotlight

Bryan Albrecht BS '84, MS '89, of the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction, was selected by Jobs for the Future, a national organization that supports educational leadership, and its co-sponsor, the United States



Albrecht

National School To Work Office out of the U.S. Department of Education, to receive the 1997 National School to Work Partner of the Year Award. This award recognizes one individual annually from throughout the United States who has demonstrated outstanding contributions toward local, state and national efforts to connect schools and communities through business partnerships. Albrecht is currently director of the Wisconsin School to Work Office at the Department of Public Instruction in Madison.

State Superintendent John T. Benson honored Albrecht by saying, "Bryan has demonstrated the highest qualities of professional citizenship and community development and is an excellent national model for educators and business partners."

The Wisconsin School To Work Model is designed to provide career development opportunities for all youth and to build support for community involvement in schools through viable local partnerships.

Albrecht accepted the award at the National Leadership Conference held Aug. 1 in New Orleans, La.

Kathleen Brown Mitchell BS '82, MS '91, vocational teacher at Dixon High School in Holly Ridge, N.C., was chosen as the 1997 Vocational Teacher of the Year for the Family and Consumer Sciences Division of the North



Mitchell

Carolina Vocational Association. Mitchell was recognized during the Workforce Development 1997 Summer Conference in Greensboro in August.

Cynthia Avery '85, who markets creations under the name Cee's Sculpture and Cee Jewelry, balances her teaching with time for her own artistic creation. "I've simplified my life to pursue my art," Avery stated. She lived in



Avery

Minneapolis for 12 years, teaching high school art part time while working in her garage studio making jewelry and sculpture. Currently, Avery is a reserve teacher for Minneapolis public schools. "I've been offered a lot of teaching jobs, but it's a real trade-off. I call it the golden handcuffs," she said in an article in the Eau Claire Leader-Telegram. Cynthia designs and fabricates her jewelry from white earthenware clay with other materials such as stones, beads, wire and leather. Her sculptures are made from clay slabs draped over various objects or folded gently to create shapes.

David P. Barnard BS '46, MS '47 retired in 1987 and returned to his first love of "creating good photographs." It has been a long and wonderful journey for Dave.



Barnard

When he transferred to Stout in 1940, photography classes were not offered. Upon graduation Dave remedied the situation. He developed the curriculum, and the first photography course was offered in 1948. After 24 years of teaching and 17 years in administration at UW-Stout, Dave and his wife Kay BS '41, MS '67 are now enjoying traveling the world, taking photographs and expanding his portfolio. Their travels include the 50 states and 30 foreign countries. Besides his in-home studio, Dave's work has been displayed at various art shows throughout Wisconsin.

Peter Hovind '93, dreamed of teaching art metals to students at the technical college level. He started his education at Stout in 1982, quit school, worked as a machinist in various factories, returned to school and graduated with a degree in vocational,



Hovind

technical and adult education in 1993. Although he is not teaching students, Hovind is making a statement in the field of art. He works closely with individuals to custom design pieces of jewelry. "I work with 10K, 14K, 18K, white, yellow, peach, rose gold and sterling silver," he said. "I love to work with each individual on a personal level to achieve their desire. Personal aesthetics go into each piece being created." Besides doing custom pieces, he enjoys putting together his own designs which are currently displayed at various fine art shows and galleries throughout the Midwest. His goal is to have a storefront in three years and devote full-time attention to his business, Hovind's Metal and Gems.

Julie Mattson Ostrow BS '81, MS '85 has been named president of the Minnesota Dietetic Association (MDA). She will lead the association of more than 1,500 professional members for the next year. A registered and licensed dietitian, Mattson



Ostrow

Ostrow is an expert in health promotion and wellness, menu and nutrition labeling, and weight management. As a senior associate with Felicia Busch and Associates, a nutrition communications firm, Mattson Ostrow works with such clients as Lund's Food Stores, Good Earth Restaurants, Dayton Hudson Corporation, and Country Kitchen International. In addition to her professional activities, she is a community and political activist. She resides in Minneapolis with her husband, Paul, and her children, Matthew and Emily.

David Reisinger BS '62, MS '67, the recipient of two state exhibit awards from the Wisconsin Regional Arts Program, believes art is not a thing. It is a process. "I take what I call road-kill pieces,



Reisinger

scrap metal from a truck muffler to a piece of industrial overrun, and turn them into metal sculpture, contemporary functional and abstract art," Reisinger said.

Most recently, Reisinger was recognized in the International Journal for Human Caring for the donation of one of his art pieces, "Strands of Caring Around the World," to the organization for a fund-raiser. The piece, sold at an auction and purchased by the Abö Akademi (a university in Helsinki, Finland), was constructed of stainless steel—the enduring strength of caring.

Reisinger now has more time to devote to his craft since he retired six years ago after 30 years of service in public education.

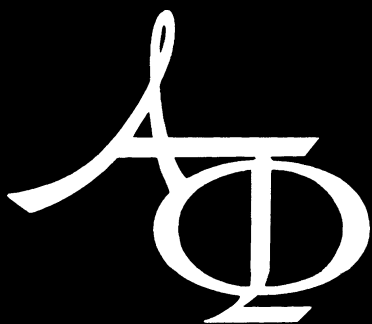
Anne Thiel Reuther BS '61, MS '84, food service supervisor for the Elmbrook School District, Brookfield, Wis., was named the Outstanding Food Service Director/Supervisor of the Year by the Wisconsin School



Reuther

Food Service Association (WSFSA). Reuther, who oversees meal programs in the district, was chosen because of outstanding performance in her job, her relationship with fellow employees, and her commitment to self-improvement and community service. Reuther currently serves on the executive board of WSFSA as scholarship chair.

Alpha Phi Chapter Celebrates 40th Anniversary



We're finalizing plans for the Gamma Sigma Chapter of Alpha Phi's 40th anniversary celebration, May 2, 1998. Watch your mail for information.

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24-26 Family Weekend
UW-Stout Campus

24 WTEA Conference
Wisconsin Dells

25 Alumni Gathering
Washington, D.C.

May

1 Foundation Board Meeting
UW-Stout Campus

2 Alpha Phi 40th Anniversary Celebration
UW-Stout Campus

9 Commencement

16 Second Annual Spring Fling
Twin Cities

17 National Restaurant Association Reception
Signature Room, Chicago, Ill.

June

12-13 Reunion '98 — Classes of 1958 and 1968
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26-27 Diamond Reunion '98 — Classes of 1930-1939, and
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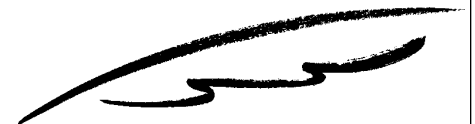
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