A full year ago, in September 2023, ETHS contacted me to serve on a planning committee to celebrate 100 years of the building of the high school. What the school administrators envisioned was that members of the planning committee would include local graduates from different years, who would then urge classmates to attend.

Knowing that it takes a village, I quickly invited classmates to get involved, and so many of us jumped in to help. Soon classmates from out of town asked what we were doing for the rest of the weekend, turning our reunion into three days of schmoozing with long-lost classmates. Andi Ableman turns out to be the most organized person I know, taking the lead on finding the spectacular venue to getting orange and blue tablecloths and silver and so many other critical details. Kristin Lems provided incredible help spreading the word out to everyone and so many other ideas about what the night should look like, and taking on a variety of tasks. Doug Shaker was there for anything and everything, from creating the memorial to working with Kristin to spread the word, and in offering support whenever needed. Fred Kahn dreamed up and took charge of Friday night, which went off flawlessly, and also arranged for the fabulous State Champions banner that was with us all weekend. Neil Cohen arranged the delightful soundtrack, Kenny Walchak arranged the beverages, Jane Bannor arranged transportation, Mary Hair Graham provided the flowers. David Newman was willing to do anything and everything. Darlene Eady kept us honest and made sure we reached out broadly.

And so many people generously gave donations so we could have such an elaborate event catered by the fabulous Chef Q, who gets so much credit for making a wonderful meal that offered choices for just about any and all dietary concerns.

It was, in other words, an extraordinary outpouring of help from our class that made the event so memorable.

See you all in four years, and hopefully sooner!

Rick Tulsky

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When I first heard about the reunion, I realized that this was another example of a small, dedicated group of people getting together to do all the work. I live west of Denver, so I really wasn't going to be much help.

Kristin Lems asked me to take table pictures at the Saturday night event and I took more shots Sunday at the picnic. After it was all over, I had all these pictures with nowhere to put them. At the time I didn't know who half the people even were. After all, our class had 1032 students. The fun of the pictures is to see what your classmates look like now. I felt compelled to do something for the cause since all I did up to now was pay my money and show up. I've been doing photography since I took the class my senior year.

Over the years I've done a lot of web development engineering where I worked with graphic designers and got paid to take pictures. I figured this would be my contribution to the cause. So, I proceeded to collect as many pictures as I could, figure out who everyone is, and put them into a digital photo book I could give away. I managed to collect around 200 pictures. Many people are in the book multiple times because, compared to the over 1000 in the class of 1968, we only had about 50 to 100 that showed up including their spouses.

I want to thank everybody that contributed pictures. I want to especially thank Suzy Kaplan whose eagle eyes and graphics background gave me some great design insight and proofread the text. Also, I want to give thanks to Kristin Lems, who got me started on the whole project, proofread, and was very supportive.

Chuck Kopelson

A Few More Callouts

Special thanks to Bob Borman for creating and sending 100 signed color prints of an original commemorative image, and to Libby Hutchison Bernard for donated copies of 6 signed books she authored.











ETHS in 1968. Photos around the school by Chuck Kopelson

Some Perspective. What was going on in 1968. The old cars and baseball. By Chuck Kopelson







South Blvd Looking West at Dodge St



Don Kessinger, Tommy Helms, Ernie Banks, Leo Durocher, Ferguson Jenkins



We Have a Dream, Melody by Kurt Westerberg, Chords by Don Casey, Lyrics by Tim Landfield.





1968 Evanston State Basketball Champions

Friday Night Pizza Party Moretti's Ristorante

6415 Dempster St. Morton Grove, IL

September 13, 2024





Darlene Eady Morris won the "Find Someone Who" Contest.

Christine Cozzens Calabrese, Mary Hair Graham



Kristin Lems





Ellen Rosenblum, Christine Cozzens Calabrese



Harriet Wolfskill Mitchell





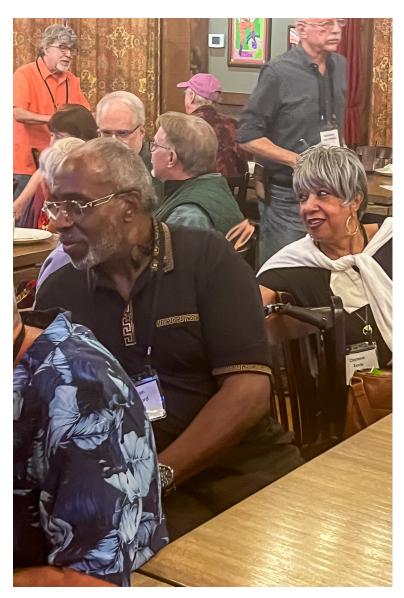
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Kurt Westerberg, Charlie Keevil, Steve Weeks





Dave Johnson, Ron Lipton and Tery Kaufman Veras



Warren Langford, Darlene Eady Morris



Warren Langford, Mary Hair Graham, Tery Kaufman Veras, Deborah Langerman



Mary Seidman Trouille, Karen Sultzman Wylie, Steve Weeks



Dana Mentgen, Steve Weeks

Deborah Langerman, Ellen Rosenblum



Tom Sitron, Rick Tulsky, Cynthia Drew, Ken Walchak, Gordy Schiff





Mary Hair Graham, Ron Lipton



Ken Walchak, Ellen Rosenblum, Gordy Schiff

Dana Mentgen and Chuck Kopelson



Kristin Lems, Charlie Keevil, Jane Dillinger Bannor



Ken Walchak, Ellen Rosenblum, Kristin Lems, Gordy Schiff





Daniel Robin, Steve Weeks





Jim Dexter

Steve Weeks, Judy Moritz Swem, Charlie Keevil, Ellen Rosenblum, Tom Barmore



John Reque, Rick Tulsky, Jane Dillinger Bannor, Connie Ericson Gruen, Bob Jaffe

Classmates who Attended but Weren't Photographed











Neil Mann

ETHS Centennial Carnivale Saturday Afternoon September 14, 2024







Lazier Field, 2285 Church St. Evanston





Chuck Epstein, Paula Derex Selsky, Neil Cohen



Denise Marks, Walter Perrin, Paula Derex Selsky



Paula Derex Selsky, Earl Kirshner, Sue Husney Mokotoff



Robin Goldstein Kogan and Sue Husney Mokotoff



Teri Nopar Tamblin, Denise Marks, Mary Hair Graham



Jeff Weinberg, Walter Perrin, Ron Cooper, Scott Lassar, Ed Lipsky



Paula Derex Selsky, Helene Sloan Kohn, Denise Marks, Wendy Newman Waskin, Robin Goldstein Kogan, Sue Husney Mokotoff

Denise Marks and Norm Lynn





Norm Lynn and Paula Derex Selsky



Marcia OHara and Rick Ward, Chuck Epstein, David Sondheimer, Mark Yodor, Diana Schneidman, Chuck Kopelson, Wayne Schneidman



Jeff Weinberg, Harvey Helfer, Helene Sloan Kohn, Paula Derex Selsky, Denise Marks, Teri Nopar Tamblin, Linda Solin, Wendy Newman Waskin, Sue Husney Mokotoff, Robin Goldstein Kogan



Harriet Wolfskill Mitchell, Tom Barmore, Darlene Shelton, Cynthia Drew, Alexis Richardson and Cornell Richardson



Scott Lassar, Ron Lipton, Bruno Trouille, Mary Seidman Trouille, Dave Newman, Kurt Westerburg, Jim Dexter, Diane Lefkowitz Dexter



Jackie Fisher Berman, Sally Wise, Earl Kirshner, Ellen Rosenblum, Connie Ericson Gruen, Ron Calabrese, Christine Cozzens Calabrese



Ed Lipsky, Bob Singer, Janet Willens Singer, Jane Dillinger Bannor, Lee Bannor, Bob Jaffe, Janet Schoeneman Somers, Eva Perelgut Wollak, Marcy Anderson Loyaccono



Peg Van Bussum Kritzler, Marcey Ganet Siegel, Judy Moritz Swem, Patricia Johnson, Dave Johnson



Dan Fein, Jan McGill, Tery Kaufman Veras, Kristin Lems, Gordy Schiff, Elizabeth Sayles, Dewitt Sayles



Ken Walchak, Terry Unterman, Jim Freeman, Nancy Jones Freeman, Neil Cohen, Norm Lynn



Darlene Eady Morris, Marcy Ganet Siegel, Warren Langford, Mary Hair Graham

Paula Derex Selsky and Denise Marks





Jan Schoeneman Somers and Janet Willens Singer







Chuck Kopelson



Chuck Epstein, Gordy Schiff, Terry Unterman

Sharon Karp and Ken Walchak





Carolyn Kanagy, David Sondheimer, Mark Yodor, Dave Newman







Rick Tulsky and Mary Hair Graham



Kristin Lems holding one of the signed commemorative prints donated by Bob Borman

Marcey Ganet Siegel and Walter Perrin





Paula Derex Selsky and Andrea Ableman Rich



Warren Langford and Mary Hair Graham



Cynthia Drew, Walter Perrin, Darlene Eady Morris



Christine Cozzens, Diana Schneidman, Jan Schoeneman Somers, Norm Lynn



Cynthia Drew, Darlene Eady Morris, Ron Cooper, Tom Barmore, Warren Langford, Mary Hair Graham

Dawes School Crowd



Jackie Fisher Berman, Kristin Lems, Jan Schoeneman Somers, Earl Kirchner, Andrea Ableman Rich, Sue Husney Mokotoff, Tery Kaufman Veras, Paula Derex Selsky, Bob Jaffe, Janet Willens Singer, Chuck Kopelson, Jeff Weinberg, Bob Singer

Elizabeth Sayles, Dewitt Sayles, Cynthia Drew



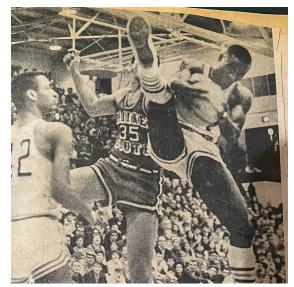


Tom Barmore and Harriet Wolfskill Mitchell

Walter Perrin









Ron Cooper

Ellen Rosenblum and Harvey Helfer





Judy Moritz Swem, Ellen Rosenblum, Peg Van Bussum Kritzler



Darlene Eady Morris, Tom Barmore, Walter Perrin



Earl Kirshner



Mary Hair Graham and Judy Moritz Swem

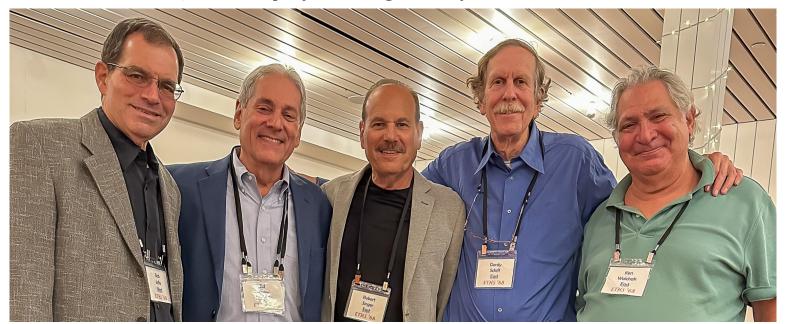
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Jim Perkins, Terry Unterman, Ellen Rosenblum



Tom Barmore and Janet Willens Singer



Suzy Kaplan, Andrea Ableman Rich, Jan McGill





Rick Tulsky, Tery Kaufman Veras, Mary Hair Graham, Dave Newman

Dan Fein, Rick Tulsky, Tery Kaufman Veras, Dave Newman





Andrea Ableman Rich, Jan McGill, Dan Fein

Suzy Kaplan



Dan Fein





Andrea Ableman Rich and Jan McGill



Jane Dillinger Bannor and Rick Tulsky



Rick Tulsky and Chuck Kopelson



Tery Kaufman Veras



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Karen Sultzman Wylie, Connie Ericson Gruen, Jane Dillinger Bannor, Carol Sesterhan





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Jan McGill, Dan Fein, Mary Hair Graham, Jane Dillinger Bannor





Lee Bannor, Sally Wise, Connie Ericson Gruen, Jane Dillinger Bannor, Carol Sesterhan, Dave Newman

Connie Ericson Gruen and Sally Wise





Andrea Ableman Rich and Connie Ericson Gruen

Rick Tulsky, Dave Newman, Dan Fein, Jan McGill, Chuck Kopelson





Chuck Kopelson, Andrea Ableman Rich, Jan McGill





Lee Bannor and Jane Dillinger Bannor



Karen Sultzman Wylie

Ron Lipton and Dave Johnson





Chuck Kopelson, Mary Hair Graham, Lee Bannor

Monday Lunch Get Together









Teri Nopar Tamblin, Denise Marks, Sue Husney Mokotoff, Paula Derex Selsky, Wendy Newman Waskin, Sharri Green

Classmates Who Couldn't Make it Sent in Pictures



Wilma Sanchez



Karl and Ginger Piotter

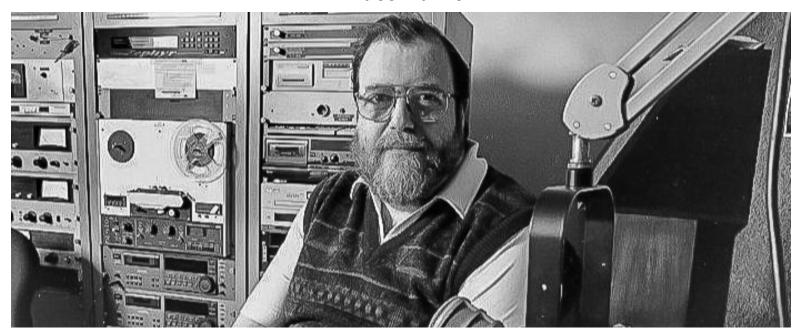


Wendy Rose



Fred Deleeuw and his wife Jan

Bruce Duffie



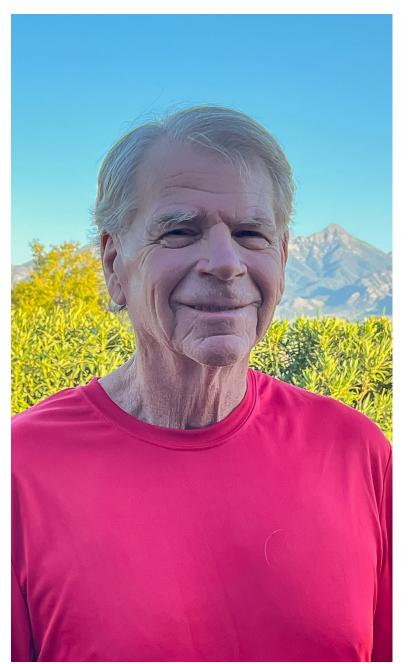


Sulie Greendale and Gregory Paveza



Rev. Dr. Kenneth Kline

Gil and Jennifer Lee



Greg Cook and his daughter Corinna

Jerry Juracek



Susan Moore Gobel and Al Gobel



Peter Shaw



Rand Eller



Marc and Kathy Berger





Bonnie Parker Orr



Barry Podolsky





Carolyn Doepke Bennett

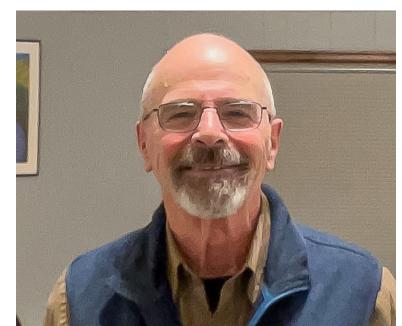
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Donald Wise

Jim Levy



Stephen Becker



Ed and Barb Grimes Ernst



Susan and Ed Parcell



Susan Awbrey Arnold



Ruth and Jerry Jacobs



Jan Triplett Diener and Daniel Diener