

Washington-Lee High School Education Foundation

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top left
Jennifer Zimmerman's Foods Class
 Students bake cookies and other treats for a fun end-of-semester activity. The classroom includes five cooking stations and a large demonstration area for the teacher.

bottom left
Home Economics in 1954
 The *Blue & Gray* makes a lighthearted commentary below this photo: "Girls' delight."

circa-1951 photo identified

Thanks to Jay Ricks '51 and Debby Savage Ricks '51, we have identified some of the students and faculty in the undated photo of a busy hallway scene in last year's *Bulletin*: Thomas O. Jones (geometry faculty) is speaking near the center of the photo; Shelly Bailey and Gwen Kerns are to his right. David Scofield stands at the left edge of the frame; Ronald R. Jeffries (Jeff) is visible above him in the upper-left corner of the frame. Refer to page 11 of last year's *Bulletin*, now on the Foundation website, for the photo. If you can identify yourself or friends in any of this year's historic photos, please write us.

cover photo

The sophomore class leads the **Hype Squad** in an emphatic display of school spirit. The occasion is the annual W-L/Yorktown rivalry football game, the final one of the regular season. With both teams undefeated in district play, the game was held at Yorktown's Greenbrier Stadium. W-L won that night 10-0, capturing the district championship and recognition as one of the top area football teams, making the *Washington Post's* top 20. Congratulations, Generals!

For more W-L photos see our website's gallery @ wlhsfoundation.org



2013 Annual Giving Campaign

Dede Cianciosi Macekura '73
 Foundation President

First and foremost, I want to thank all who contributed to our 2013 annual campaign. We were able to fund eight senior scholarships, 17 renewal scholarships, and two faculty fellowships thanks to your generous financial support. A special thanks to the faculty, parents, and community members who may not be graduates of W-L but share our W-L spirit and supported us anyway!

By many measures Arlington is considered affluent, yet we also have students for whom college is not an option without financial help. Here are some need statements taken directly from W-L student applications: "My family has a single income from (one parent) who recently found a job after being unemployed for close to a year." "My father's company failed after the market crashed in 2008 and...he had to file for personal bankruptcy." "As a first generation college student, I do not have the financial means to attend college. My parents only have the capabilities to provide the most basic needs for my family."

Foundation Mission

scholarships for Washington-Lee graduates & teacher fellowships

The primary mission of the Washington-Lee Foundation is to provide **criteria-based college scholarships to W-L graduates exclusively**. Each scholarship is for \$1,000. However, students who are awarded a scholarship can reapply at the completion of each undergraduate college year, thus having the potential to receive up to \$4,000 over four years. The scholarships make a helpful economic impact, with the rising costs of tuition and higher cost of books and supplies. Initial scholarships and renewals are highly competitive. The high achievement and

In a perfect world, we would be able to fund scholarships to all of the worthy students who apply to us each year, and although we are proud to have awarded scholarships to eight incredible seniors, nearly 50 others had to be turned away. On a brighter note, we've received contributions from more than 30 new donors this year, and hope to increase that number next year. Financial worries are still a problem nationally, and the sequester and government shutdown impacted many in our area and across the nation, so overall giving to the Foundation is down somewhat from previous years.

So to all W-L alumni, I challenge you: please take a moment to look over the donor list in this booklet, and find your graduating class. Make a commitment to see your name listed there next year, and reach out to a friend from your graduating class to do the same. Let's make sure that every graduating class from W-L is represented in giving to the Foundation, which is the only education foundation that gives exclusively to Washington-Lee graduates. Go Generals!

strong character requirements coupled with financial need are strong motivating factors for our applicants.

A secondary mission of the Foundation is to provide one or two **professional development Fellowships** to faculty members on continuing contract. The Foundation board recognizes that assisting W-L's professional staff can directly enhance the high academic standards for which our school is noted through extended professional opportunities. YOU, Washington-Lee alumni, active and retired faculty, parents, PTA, and community supporters have sustained the Foundation mission.

Visit us on the web @ wlhsfoundation.org

You can read about the Foundation's history, find the names of past scholarship recipients, and browse photos of the school and student activities. The website also provides a paperless donation option through Paypal. And check out the Foundation's Facebook page. Give us a "like."



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All of our board members have strong ties to W-L, as current or former staff members, PTA officers, and/or alumni. We are an all-volunteer board. The Foundation functions thanks to the hard work and collective responsibilities of each of the above board members.

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Financial Report

Tom Chisnell '69, Treasurer

Income for calendar year 2013 included \$30,604.96 in contributions, and a transfer of \$18,000 from the annuity to the checking account, totaling \$48,604.96. Expenses, including 25 scholarships (\$25,000), two fellowships (\$1425.00), printing (\$7452.40) and mailing (\$3620.00) of our annual booklet, accountant fees (\$1580.00) and business/office expenses (\$256.88) totaled \$39,334.28. As of January 1, 2014 the checking account balance was \$23,307.68, which will help us begin the 2014 campaign. In mid-January the annuity's cash value was \$338,039.90. I am happy to report that this year's Audit Committee (Sarah Congable, Linda Henderson, and Mary Lib Tomb) reviewed the Foundation's financial records and certified that everything was in order.

If you wish to contribute to the Foundation, please use the envelope provided in the center of this booklet.

Preserving a Legacy

Sarah Harrick Congable '95

While visiting with former students recently returned to Arlington, it struck me that the positive memories they have of their time at W-L echo my own from 20 years prior. Although the times have certainly changed, they somehow remain much the same. Despite the hundreds of students who graduate each year, a W-L spirit--a common experience--seems strongly present. I don't mean pep or school pride, though those certainly exist, but rather an intangible sense of shared camaraderie. Walking through the halls, it strikes me that it is easy to see some tangible representations of this intangible thriving community. Perhaps the physical surroundings have something to do with this continued influence...

For a new building, quite a bit of old "stuff" surrounds students on a daily basis. Entering the main doorways, the original 1925 letters that spell out "Washington-Lee" are mounted in the inner foyer. Entering through the bus loop doorways, the 1951 signage greets all visitors to the building. And in the courtyard, the restored medallion that used to hang on the old Quincy St. facade is mounted. This historic signage is a lovely complement to the oil paintings of George

Washington and Robert E. Lee that hang in the main office, as they did in various locations in the old building. Similar portraits that were gifted to W-L's first principal in 1929 adorn current **Principal Gregg Robertson's** office. Along the length of the Alumni Conference Room wall hangs a stunning 30-by-5-foot JFK mural completed by **Jon Friedman** in 1964 for the original library. In that same room are dedication plaques to long-tenured teachers and artwork memorializing various aspects of the past 89 years.

Over a decade ago, when plans were drawn up for the new W-L building, care was taken to orient it to face the main athletic field, the orientation of the original school. Known as "Arlington War Memorial Stadium" since 1959, the athletic field is in the same location and has never moved. The architects also made a symbolic nod to the old 13th Street N, by separating the school from the stadium via a public pathway that bisects the campus. This walkway becomes the patio where students are frequently seen watching sporting events, eating lunch during the school day, or lounging after school.

When Principal Robertson stared at the first set of architectural drawings, he confronted terms that sounded like dry state guidelines. "Large Group Instruction Room" and "Cafeteria" hardly encapsulate the emo-

tional memories held by many generations of Generals. Robertson, and other members of the building committee, felt "it was important to honor the history of the school by continuing the names that were historically used." So, although guidelines did not provide for a "Little Theater" in the new building, the building committee requested that the school board add it to the plans. How could we do without that space and how could it have possibly been called anything else? Similarly, "The Commons" was a term that identified the physical hub of the 1976 school. To retain this emotional center, the new cafeteria is called "The Commons," which is directly off the main hallway, aka "The Concourse" as per a student-driven naming contest in 2006. Trophy cases and flyers line the walls of "The Concourse" as you might expect. What is unexpected are hundreds of old yearbook photos from 1926 to 2007 that

below

New Library (2008-current) in 2013

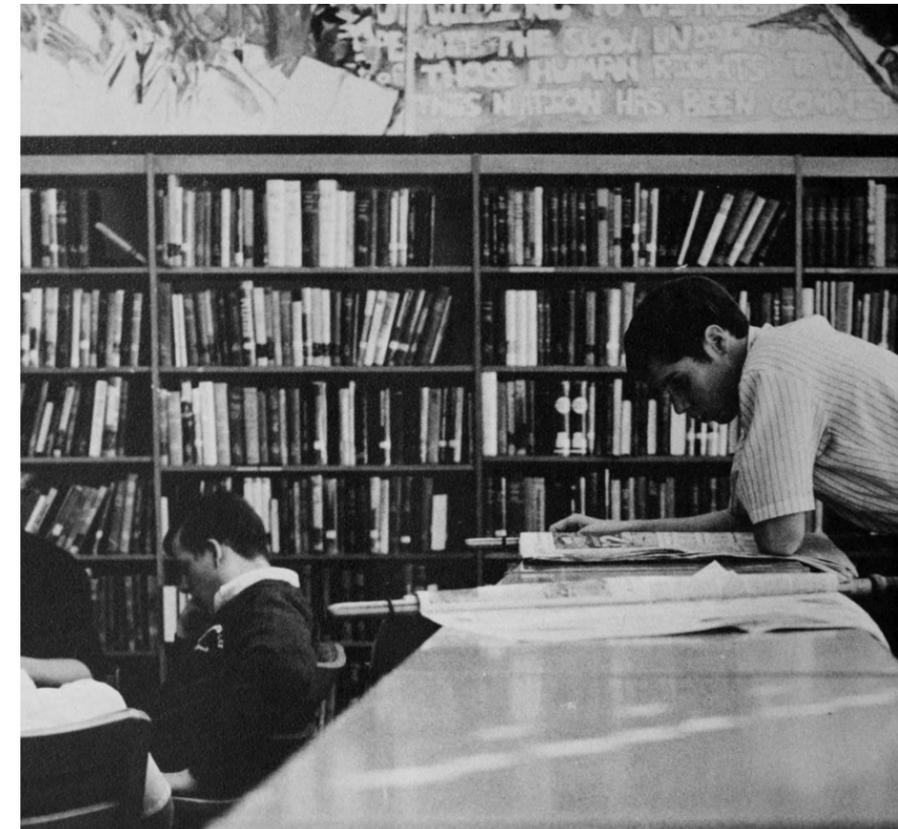
Students use the library during Generals' Period. A time to study, catch up on homework, or simply unwind, students appreciate this brief respite from the highly structured school day. In the background is an outdoor balcony which is used in warm weather. Some students can be seen using their smartphones. Phone apps like Twitter, used both as an educational and social media tool, are becoming increasingly popular.



adorn wall pilasters. Not only do these images depict W-L's history from its graduating classes through 2007, but they subliminally show our appreciation of the contributions of generations past.

Many alumni fondly remember the large-scale art murals inside the 1976 building. The brand new, uniformly gray interiors didn't have quite the same charm or character, so Art Department Chair **Hiroimi Isobe** challenged her students to reinvent them. Thanks to her efforts, there are now dozens of modern paintings hanging in the stairwells and corridors. Said Isobe, "I'd like all students to feel welcome and have opportunities to contribute to our community." In recent years, seniors in IB art classes have completed a project whereby they design large canvas paintings to leave a visual legacy for future generations: a friendly welcome, images of advice, memories captured, moods evoked. All help to contribute to the underlying character of our student body.

The subconscious works in mysterious ways. Perhaps being surrounded by nine decades and counting worth of physical history has a trickle-down effect on current W-L students. Perhaps not. But it is wonderful to see the "stuff" long-affiliated with our school--both tangible and intangible--transcending and evolving over generations.



Misar & Sanchez Receive Faculty Fellowships

CATHERINE MISAR

The Foundation offered me yet another opportunity to further my career and experience in the field of teaching journalism. With this year's grant, I was able to take an intensive course at Marymount University entitled, "Journalism Writing." My experience in this class was extremely rewarding, and I hope to continue taking similar courses in the future so that I can receive my journalism teaching certification.

This is my second year as the journalism teacher at Washington-Lee where I manage all of our communication programs including the newspaper, yearbook, literary magazine, and television broadcast. I actively sought out this role to take over the journalism/communications department, and I haven't been disappointed in this decision. With the skills that I am learning through courses such as the one I took at Marymount, I hope to grow the program into something that is recognized county-wide as being reputable and successful.

During my summer course at Marymount, my class spent most of its time practicing writing in the journalism format. This format

requires you to follow several rules about punctuation, tense, and style. Although I was already familiar with this type of writing, the course provided me with extensive practice. Now, I am able to relay similar lessons to my own journalism students with confidence.

Overall, my experience at Marymount University this summer was incredibly helpful and rewarding. I continue to apply many of the concepts that I learned in my current journalism courses, and I am very thankful for your support in helping me grow W-L Communications into an even stronger program.

PAMELA SANCHEZ

In 20 years of teaching and attending professional development sessions, I believe I have reached my pinnacle with the "Approaching Walden" seminar I attended in July. It rejuvenated my teaching in ways that I could not have considered.

The historical significance of visiting New England and, specifically, Concord, Massachusetts, reminds me why I love American literature and teaching it. The opportunity to walk the woods, town, and places where so many American greats lived and worked and wrote was exhilarating. Particularly, making the mythical figures of Emerson and Thoreau real to me was what changed my ideas about teaching their works. Just as we strive to make connections and relevance for our students, the "Approaching Walden" seminar made Waldo and Henry David real to me. They were men who had the common ups and downs that everyone encounters.

I hope that in my teaching of American literature and, in particular, Transcendentalism, I can share with my students how important it is to have our own ideas and share them. There is so much more to life than just work and, I believe, we all desire to learn and know what is best for our world and ourselves, and find the connections with one another that will lead us to our own "sense of place."

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Old Library (1938-1971) in 1970

A spacious room with large Palladian windows and chandeliers, the school's PWA funded library opened in 1938. In 1971, a new two-story library with a contemporary, glass curtain wall facade was constructed. It was the only air-conditioned space in the school. When the original 1925 building was demolished a few years later, US History teacher **Tim Wyatt** saved the PWA plaque which is now placed at the entrance to the school's current library. The Kennedy mural (seen in the photo), painted by **Jon Friedman '65**, is now in the Alumni Conference Room on the ground floor, and the *Canterbury Tales* mural remains in the library.

Scholarship Recipients for the Class of 2013

Generous donations from supporters enabled the Foundation to award eight \$1,000 scholarships to graduating W-L seniors. Their academic and co-curricular high school achievements and their college plans are summarized below.



MARGARET BURGOS

Maggie was a member of the National Honor Society, captain of the varsity field hockey and varsity swim and dive teams, president of the Community Action Club, and a member of the Arlington Teen Network Board. A Girl Scout for 12 years, she was awarded the Gold Star. Maggie currently attends Colby College as a Ralph J. Bunche Scholar.



ANUFA HOSSAIN

Anufa was involved in several activities both in and outside of school. She was a member of the W-L Tech Crew, building and painting sets used for musicals. She also participated in the Freshman Mentoring Program. Outside of school, Anufa volunteered at Greenbrier Learning Center and the Arlington Free Clinic. She attends the University of Pittsburgh and plans to become a pediatrician.



CHARLES ARGON

Charles co-founded the W-L Photography Club, as well as the Investing Club. He was a member of the National Honor Society and Debate Team, volunteered at the Arlington Food Assistance Center, and co-founded College Crossroads, a peer mentoring program to help juniors navigate the college application process. Charles is currently a freshman at Princeton University.



ELIZABETH GROSSMAN

Elizabeth played field hockey and participated in indoor and outdoor track. She was a member of the Key Club and president of the Photography Club. She accumulated more than 300 volunteer hours that included short-term mission trips, working at the Arlington Food Assistance Center, organizing book drives, and helping at local parks. Elizabeth is a freshman at Christopher Newport University.



KEVIN SALVADOR

Kevin was a two-year captain of the JV boys lacrosse team, tutored adults from the Potomac Job Corps who were seeking GED certification, was a member of the Key Club and National Honor Society, and volunteered at Greenbrier Learning Center. He currently attends Virginia Tech with the goal of attaining both a Bachelor's and Master's degree in Engineering.



ARIEL BOBBETT

Ariel was captain of the varsity indoor and outdoor track teams, Key Club vice president; a volunteer tutor for three years, and a College Crossroads mentor. Proficient in playing the flute, she performed with the Levine School of Music's Metropolitan Wind Ensemble for three years. Ariel attends Stanford University with plans to major in Geological and Environmental Sciences.



DANIELLE HARRIS

Danielle was an active member of the Latin American Student Association and the National Honor Society. She played varsity volleyball, volunteered as an assistant coach at MOJO Volleyball, and was on both the indoor and outdoor track teams. Danielle currently attends The College of William and Mary working toward a degree in Global Studies.



N'DRI SLIGH N'CHO

N'Dri was co-captain of the boys lacrosse team, president of the Teens 4 Teen Moms Club, a member of the Engineering Club, Investment Club, and National Honor Society, and volunteered for Arlington Food Assistance Center, DC Central Kitchen, and Project Giveback. He is an Eagle Scout and currently attends Virginia Tech.

2013 Renewal Recipients

Foundation scholarship recipients are eligible to reapply for assistance throughout their college experience. The following brief summaries highlight the progress of our thirteen 2013 scholarship renewal recipients and illustrate the impact of your donation.

Chi-Hang Bryan Au is a senior Psychology major at Liberty University where he has made Dean's List every semester. He currently is an officer in the Psychology Club, president of Psi Chi Honor Society, and a psychology teaching assistant, teaching statistics and social psychology to struggling students. His long-range goal is to pursue a doctoral degree in Psychology.

Emma Banchoff is a sophomore at Yale University. Continuing her involvement in W-L's Best Buddies Club, she is currently an active member in Yale's chapter. She also volunteers with a literacy program at a local New Haven elementary school, served as a stage manager of the university's production of *Avenue Q*, and completed an internship last summer in Istanbul at a local youth nonprofit.

Garrett Bangsball is junior at McGill University. A Chemical Engineering major, he did an independent research project last summer and presented his findings at the McGill Undergraduate Research Fair in the fall. He continues to serve as captain of both his basketball and flag football intramural teams and is an avid participant in the Chemical Engineering departmental activities and competitions.

Zoë Bellars is a senior at the University of Virginia. She will graduate with a degree in English and a concentration in modern studies. She is publicity manager for the award-winning a cappella group, the *Virginia Sil'hooettes* and vice president of Campus Affairs for her sorority, Alpha Phi. She recently was accepted into the Distinguished Majors Thesis Program and McIntire Business Institute Program.

Emily Cook is a sophomore at the University of Virginia. She spent her first year at Virginia Tech where she was on the Dean's List and was nominated for membership to the National Society of Collegiate Scholars. She also was accepted into the Beta Nu chapter of Delta Delta Delta sorority and served on the committee in charge of organizing the chapter's largest fundraising event of the year.

Suchana Costa is a senior at Princeton University and will graduate as an Ecology and Evolutionary Biology major. She recently spent an intensive Semester in the Field Program in Kenya, and was selected to lead a research team this past summer to run experiments on the effect of herbivory on the tropical carbon sink in Panama. She hopes to pursue a PhD in Environmental Studies.

Benjamin Edgar is a junior at the University of Virginia with a double major in Computer Engineering and Computer Science. In addition to a rigorous course schedule, he created a website and serves as webmaster for his fraternity, Alpha Epsilon Pi, and served as president of the Jewish Religious Life Council at UVa Hillel. He also participates as the vocal director of his a cappella group, *Hootzpah*.

Jesse Ferrell is a sophomore at Columbia University. In addition to a challenging schedule of classes, she started a spoken word poetry organization on campus, works as a Saturday School teacher for a public charter school, volunteers at a local detention center, and is a board member of the Columbia Prison Reform and Education Project tutoring youth who are behind bars.

Adrianna Gorsky is a sophomore at the University of Virginia, where she is considering a double major in Environmental Science and International Development. She recently had an internship with the Office of Dean of Students, and was responsible for planning a recruitment event called La Gala, which brought together faculty and staff, alumni, and current and prospective students.

Peter Hazel is a sophomore at the University of Virginia. An Echols Scholar, he challenges himself academically by taking a wide variety of higher level courses in different fields. Peter served as head sound designer for the musical, *Oklahoma*, and hopes to double major in Philosophy and Economics, with a minor in Film Studies.

Steven Hazel is a senior at Swarthmore College pursuing a double honors major in History and Economics. He has served as Editor-in-Chief of *The Phoenix*, Swarthmore's weekly newspaper, and received a highly competitive Eugene Lang Summer Research Grant after his junior year. Last summer, he participated in a consultancy internship with the Corporate Executive Board.

Mumtahina Mahmud is a junior at George Mason University majoring in Systems Engineering. She is excelling academically, winning membership into numerous honor societies and representing the Engineering School at conferences, forums, and admission events. She recently was accepted into an accelerated engineering program to earn both her Bachelor's and Master's degrees in five years.

Nataly Montañó Vargas is a sophomore at Texas Tech University. Earning all A's her first year landed her on the President's List. She is pursuing a degree in Biology, and hopes to go on to medical school. Nataly co-founded an undergraduate chapter of American Medical Women's Association, in which she serves as vice president. Additionally, she does extensive volunteer work in her local community.

Jarrod Nagurka is a sophomore at the University of Virginia. Following his passion for politics, he founded the 'Legislators of Tomorrow at UVA,' is involved in numerous political and civic-related activities, and created the *Red Clay Politics* blog, focusing on politics in Virginia. Jarrod is pursuing a double major in Environmental Science and Economics, hoping to eventually pursue environmental law.

Petra Nichols is a sophomore at the University of Pennsylvania. She is a member of the Penn Band, a board member of the International Affairs Association (IAA), and an active member in the International Relations Undergraduate Student Association (IRUSA) and Community School Student Partnerships (CSSP). She also tutors at a local elementary school, teaching Spanish, computer skills, and dance.

Jahan Shiekhy is a senior at Virginia Tech majoring in Engineering. He is a member of Theta Tau (a professional engineering fraternity), the Dean's Team (student ambassadors who recruit prospective high school students), and Tang Soo Do Karate. He recently completed a six-month engineering co-op at Printpack, Inc., a food packaging company, where he assisted in the design of yogurt packaging.

Karen Vallejos-Corrales is a sophomore at Southwestern Adventist University. As a first year, she accumulated enough credits to receive junior status and was inducted into the Sigma Beta Delta Business Honor Society. She has been a student senator, taught GED Social Science classes in Spanish, and received a leadership scholarship from the Business Department.

Donor List

Alumni from 1930s to the 2010s, alumni parents, current and retired faculty, and members of the community have generously given to the Foundation this past year.

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1933 ♦Friedman, Virginia Rees*
1939 ♦Payne, William E. Jr.*
1940 ♦Woodside, Charles
1941 ♦Rose, Barbara Field*
- Smith, June Buchanan*
1942 ♦Porter, Adele A.*
1943 ♦Cradlin, James*
- ♦Hall, Frances Smith*
1944 ♦Clarke, Robert N.*
- ♦Repaske, Ann*
- ♦White, Edwin D.*
1945 ♦Dodge, Virginia Snarr*
- ♦Rietman, Harry*
- ♦Rietman, Mary Wilcox*
- ♦Roberts, Edith F.*
- Whitlock, Velma*
1946 ♦Brewster, Clare Stieg*
- Danzig, Solomon*
- ♦Russell, Suzanne Armentrout*
1947 ♦Carroll, Eugene*
- ♦Emerson, Billie J. Hickman*
- ♦Meinberg, Richard Pete*
- ♦Paul, Howard*
- ♦Schellenberg, Paul*
- ♦Tierney, Jane M.*
1948 ♦Bladen, Marvin M.*
- ♦Estes, Ann Lester*
- ♦Freund, Joyce A. Trivett**
- ♦Hildebrand, Carroll*
- ♦Patterson, Elizabeth Beard*
- ♦Shore, Ella Eugenia*
- ♦Williams, Robert Quinn*
- ♦Wolf, Walter F.*
1949 Allan, George Jr.*
- ♦Fowler, Nancy Fling*
- ♦Lewis, Robert*
- ♦Simon, Sally Graham*
1950 ♦Moore, Charles A. Jr.*
1951 ♦Armacost, James R.*
- ♦Chappelle, Daniel E.*
- ♦Fulcomer, Michael*

- ♦Gillions, Walter*
- ♦Melnick, Norbert W.*
- ♦Thornton, William M.*
- ♦Walker, Mary Nemir*
1952 ♦Bernstein, Betty Koster*
- ♦Conte, Patrick*
- ♦Cuje, Lennie*
- ♦Howser, Betty Schindler*
- ♦MacGill, Bruce J.*
- ♦Nisbet, William*
1953 ♦Baldwin, RobertC.*
- ♦Held, Jo Ann Harrill*
- ♦High, Paul (Pete)*
- ♦Orndorff, Roy (Pete)*
- Tremareello, Ann Maxwell*
- Young, Frank**
1954 ♦Brown, Laverne Karsten*
- ♦Conte, Jean W.*
- ♦Crook, Myron Dudley*
- ♦Eckbreth, Cathy Ogilvie*
- ♦Good, David*
- ♦Gormours, Eddie*
- ♦Koster, Robert H.*
- ♦Link, James R.*
- ♦Mahoney, Leo J.*
- ♦Miller, Gail Rolle*
- ♦Vahouny, Valerie Reynolds*
1955 ♦Fang, Andrew*
- ♦Fang, Patricia T.*
- ♦Herrington, William A.D.*
- ♦Holston, James R.*
- ♦Kale, Charles Jr.*
- ♦Pearlstein, Paul D.*
- ♦Scott, Anita Knipling*
- ♦Stec, Ruth Lea**
1956 ♦Friedlander, Robert*
- ♦McDonald, Yolanda Locke*
- ♦Ritchie, Nancy Rosenberger*
- ♦Speakman, Clayton*
- ♦Tinelli, Judith*
1957 Brewbaker, James*
- ♦Fang, Don**
- ♦Gawen, Perry*
- ♦Neale, Hobby M.*
- ♦Neff, Charles Ed*
- ♦Souders, William & Ann*
1958 ♦Cavaiola, Robert A.*
- ♦Cook, Steve*
- ♦Harmon, Ann Stevens*
- ♦Hunter, Bob*
- ♦Ishler, Beatrice Daley*
- ♦Johnson, P. Anthony*
- ♦Manian, Sam*
- ♦Parsons, Robert*
- ♦Smith, Barry L.*
1959 ♦Johnson, Carolyn*
- ♦Johnson, Max W.*
- ♦Okada, Katharine Dudley*
- ♦Pitts, James E. III**
- ♦Shaker, Richard J.*

1960 Kobiashvili, Z.S.*
- ♦Mills, Thomas K.*
- ♦Mulloy, Jack*
- ♦Williams, James A.*
1961 ♦Buechner, William*
- ♦Heberlein, James A.*
- Hobson, Charles*
- ♦Lazure, Albert C. Jr.*
- ♦MacPhail, Ralph Jr.*
- ♦Schade, Carl*
1962 ♦Appler, Nancy J.*
- ♦Gott, Mary*
- Griffin, Linda Bussey*
- ♦Higgins, Duncan G.*
- ♦Hill, Peter C.*
- ♦Knott, Greg*
- ♦Shawen, Edgar*
- ♦Cocker, Joan Odland*
1963 ♦Cocker, Robert*
- ♦Delaney, Bill*
- ♦Derr, Vince*
- ♦Hawthorne, Randall S.*
- ♦Ingram, William*
- ♦Latham, Anne Arnold**
- ♦Masters, John H.*
- ♦Roth, Elizabeth Libby*
- ♦Wright, Larry D.*
1964 ♦Barnhart, William*
- ♦Leland, Terry Lucas*
- ♦MacDonald, Robert U.*
1965 Elliott, Terry*
- ♦Ewert, Margaret*
1966 Lane, Claudia Stewart*
- ♦Moreno, Laurel Rolfe***
- ♦Bjorlo, Phillip*
- ♦Murray, William*
- ♦Reimann, Kell*
- ♦Steger, Jeffrey*
1967 ♦Barham, Patricia Hood*
- ♦Gilbert, Robert L.*
- ♦Goodlet, Doris Johnson*
- ♦Salisbury, David*
- Smedegard, J.K.*
1969 ♦Chisnell, Tom*
- Ridgely, David*
1970 ♦Clemenceau, Don & Wanda*
- ♦Ensminger, Luther*
- Gills, George*
- Melo, Terry Slagle*
- ♦Raizen, Michael*
- Sheppard, Herbert*
- Smith, Kevin L.**
1971 ♦Brown, Joanna Miller**
- ♦Kinzer, Ronald*
- Rubin, Dan*
1972 ♦Pallansch, Mark**
1973 Bonneville, Charles*
- ♦Macekura, Dede Cianciosi*
- Sanford, Robin*
- Wagner, Senator Frank Warren*

1974 ♦Chisholm, Gail*
- ♦Hill, David**
1975 ♦Charping, Linda Hahne*
- ♦Hix, Cathy Bonneville*
- ♦McDonald, Colleen*
- ♦Praktish, Tom*
- ♦Strehle, Mary Dodge*
1976 ♦Asmus, George*
1977 ♦Cianciosi, Michael*
- ♦Kallio, Sharon McNabb*
- Prather, N. King*
- ♦Voultides, Maria*
1978 ♦Fiorio, Livio*
- ♦Murphy, Nancy*
- ♦Rhodes, Stephen*
1979 ♦Kallio, Thomas*
1980 ♦Lauer, Nancy*
1982 ♦Jackson, Michael W.*
- ♦MacDonald, Scott*
- ♦Weber, Elizabeth*
1983 ♦Hawthorne, Randall*
- ♦Phillips, D. Dianne*
- ♦Putziger, Katherine*
- ♦Rosenberg, Eric*
1995 ♦Congable, Sarah Harrick*
- ♦Samora, Lindsay Smith*
1996 Cuddyer, Claudia Rente**
- ♦Hartman, Laura A.*
- ♦Peck, John C.*
1998 ♦Bond, Erin Felker*
- Rockwell, Kelly Snyder**
2000 McGrath, Leigh Snyder**
2002 ♦Macekura, Stephen*
2009 Perez, Javier*
2011 ♦Chisholm, Sarah*
2014 ♦Winchell, Maria*

FACULTY

Cantor, Julie*
Chisnell, Tom*
♦Congable, Sarah Harrick*
♦Cruz, Margarita*
Isobe, Hirome*
♦Ledyard, Anne*
McCarthy, Jeffrey*
Norton, Jeana*
Peters, Claire*
♦Primosch, Mary Jo**
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**Student production of *Macbeth***

Keith Cassidy's students perform in the school's 800-seat "Performing Arts Center" to a packed house. On closing night, the cast recognized the rich legacy of the theater department during a brief awards ceremony, and a display in the theater's entrance lobby showcases W-L alumni who have received the prestigious Academy Award, Hollywood's highest honor.

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**AP Chemistry with Stacy Brasfield**

Students are investigating different chemical equilibrium processes (LeChatelier's Principle) in AP Chemistry.

bottom  
**Nora Kelly's Latin I class**  
Group exercises and games help with memorization. The previous evening, the class participated in Saturnalia festivities with other Arlington schools. Latin has been offered at W-L since 1924 and was originally taught by Miss Mabel Allen who retired in 1968.



**W-L Alumni Association Undertakes New Projects**

John Peck '96

89 years ago, W-L opened "out in the country" to serve the county's growing student population. As the school expanded and changed with Arlington over the decades, alumni would return to teach, coach, and volunteer their time to carry forward its legacy. In that spirit, the W-L Alumni Association was established in 1999 to serve the alumni and students of Northern Virginia's oldest public high school on the occasion of its 75th anniversary. A website and online alumni directory that were created at that time have formed a firm foundation upon which the W-L AA has grown.

The W-L AA's most recent project, creating an online digital archive for the school's collection of yearbooks and literary magazines, received valuable assistance from the school and alumni. Hosted on the Internet Archive, this resource can now be accessed through W-L's website via the Alumni homepage. The historical photos in this year's Foundation *Bulletin* are, in fact, from the digital archive.

The Association is continuing to work on updating the school's history website. To help us with this task, we encourage all alumni to send us W-L related photos, slides, and movies. Digital scans of originals work well, however donations of items are always welcome. The W-L AA has dedicated storage at the school. Please contact Mary Dodge Strehle at 703-524-3915 for more information or email us at wlalumni@gmail.com.

To summarize some annual activities, the W-L AA assists in underwriting the Senior Class Graduation Night Boat Party, participates in the school's Holiday Bazaar each December, which benefits the senior class, provides support for the Athletic Boosters' annual Spring Golf Tournament, places advertising in school publications like the *Blue & Gray*, provides tours of the school for class reunions, and contributes to the W-L Education Foundation scholarship fund.

All alumni are encouraged to join the W-L AA to help fund these important activities and are welcome to attend our monthly meetings in the school's Alumni Conference Room. All contributions to the W-L AA and the Foundation (see envelope insert) are fully tax deductible. Both are qualified 501(c)(3) organizations.



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- Annual Membership \$10.00 (per person)
- Lifetime Membership \$100.00 (per person)
- Additional Donation to W-L AA \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Contact me about W-L AA volunteer and leadership opportunities

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