

The goal of the Belleville High School / Republic County High School Alumni Association is to support the school, connect alumni to the school and each other, and preserve the history of our communities. Your generosity, as tax deductible contributions, provides scholarships to graduating seniors and funds for school improvement projects. 2022 donors enabled the Alumni Association Scholarship Committee to grant almost \$4,500 in scholarships. Thank you for your support of these projects and of the district. We have some very talented, intelligent and well-rounded students at Republic County High School and are proud of each one of them! OABAB! (Once a Buffalo, Always a Buffalo)

## ALUMNI BANQUET

Welcome to the 2023 Annual "Buffaloes Forever" Alumni Banquet! Saturday, May 27th, 2023 @ the NCK Free Fair Fairgrounds Belleville, KS 5:30pm-Social with hor d'oeuvres 6:30pm-Meal and Banquet

(Beef & Pork, Potatoes, Vegetable, Salad, Dessert & Drink) **8pm**-Social and Fellowship

Buffaloes Forever Auction during Banquet

Reservations appreciated by May 15<sup>th</sup> \$25/person-purchase dinner & dues waived!

To PO Box 344 Belleville, KS 66935 or go online: www.mkt.com/buffaloforever

We encourage you to plan your own class reunions around the May 27th banquet. If there is any part of the weekend that your class would like to host/sponsor, please contact us, we are happy to accommodate! We are excited to honor the Classes of '53, '58, '63, '68, '73, '78, '83, '88, '93,'98, '03, '08, '13, '18 & the 2023 Scholarship recipients!

## SCHOLARSHIPS & PROJECTS- "FILL THE CIRCLE"

Thank you for contributing to the scholarship fund & projects in the past. Your generous (tax-deductible) contributions in the past years have enabled us to give scholarships to many deserving, graduating seniors. In addition, we continue to support our school by endorsing various projects each year. The Association is excited to announce our recent campaign, "Fill the Circle." No worries! We're not actually doing ANYTHING to the BHS "circle." How great would it be for EACH alumni to contribute their class year? Graduated in 1973? Give \$19.73 or

maybe \$1973 Uhatever it may be, we need your help to FILL THE CIRCLE with donations! Large or small, your contribution counts! The funds that you generously provide are greatly appreciated!

Alumni Association Board:

Brad Chatfield-President '73; Barb Snapp-Fischer '63; Jacob Wilber-Secretary/Treasurer '03;

Retha Strnad-Blecha-Member & Scholarship '78; Vonda Cooper-Member & Scholarship '70

Can't hide your Buffalo pride? We are looking for new board members to offer their time and service to our worthy cause! Please let us know if you'd like to be a part of these efforts! Call 785-527-3509

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