

**Felicity-Franklin**

**Alumni**

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**109th**

**Alumni**

**Dinner**

**June 1, 2013**

## **2012 Girls Softball Team Go To State**

Felicity-Franklins' Division III district champs celebrated after the win over Miami East 1-0 in eight innings at Tipp City Tippecanoe last May. The Lady Cardinals made it to the District III state semifinal game, losing to the eventual state champion, Warren Champion in Akron to finish 24 wins and 1 loss.

The district champs consisted of seniors, Montana Wear, pitcher, Brittany Sowers, Mackenzie Dunaway, Jordan White, Erin Meyer, and Hillary White. Juniors: Dakota Wise and Kelsey Mitchell. Sophomore: Whitney Grooms and Freshmen: Sandy Woodmansee, McKayla Jacobs and Destiney Belt. Coach Rob Wear and Assistant Coach Donnie Hall (class of 1990)

Montana Wear had a great 4 years at Felicity-Franklin School. She had an 84-9 record. She pitched all but 1 inning in her career. Most strikeouts in her career 1251. Most innings pitched without a BB 81. Four year first team all-metro, four year first team all SBC, four year first team all-state, SBC player of the year, and four year first team all-state.

Hillary White: Starting catcher. Four year first team all-Southern Buckeye Conference. Two year first team All-Metro. Her senior year she placed all 29 games. She scored 23 runs, .440 batting average, 40 hits, 15 RBI's as a leadoff hitter, 3 doubles, 2 triples, and 2 homeruns. 16 for 16 stolen bases, 378 put outs, 22 assists, only 1 error. (Only 3 out of 21 runs were able to steal a base on Hillary her senior year.)

Jordan White, second baseman. A four year varsity team all SBC Two year first team All-Metro. She played all 29 games. Scored 21 runs, 24 hits, 20 RBI, 6 doubles, 3 triples, 1 homerun, 20 for 24 stolen bases.

Mackenzie Dunaway, first baseman and three year varsity player. First team all SBC as a Jr. She mad second team all-metro as a Jr. Senior stats: 68 put outs, 13 assists, and only 1 error.

Brittany Sowers, center fielder. Two time SBC all-star. First team all-metro her senior year. Senior stats: scored 23 runs, .358 batting average, 29 hits, 15 RBI, 2 homeruns, 18 of 22 stealing bases.

## **Felicity FFA Earns National Ranking**

The FFA Chapter also received a three-star ranking at the national level. A three-star ranking is the highest a chapter can earn at the national level.

To the FFA Agricultural Issues team consisting of Carley Snider, Sydney Snider, and Alexis Christensen, for advancing to the semi-finals at the National contest in Indianapolis. They were one of 16 teams that advanced from the first round of 39 teams in the contest and awarded a Silver rating. This is the first team from Felicity to participate in a National FFA Event in more than 30 years.

Congratulations! To the Felicity FFA Chapter for being named a Top 10 Chapter in Ohio in ALL 3 areas including Student, Chapter and Community Development. They will compete in an interview process at state convention to try to earn first place honors in each of these areas. They were also named a Top 10 Chapter Overall in the State of Ohio out of 300 chapters. Ten students will get to go on stage and receive these awards at state convention.

Carley Snider, a senior, made the State Officer Team as District 9 President. She served the Ohio FFA Association and southern Ohio's District 9.

The State convention is May 2nd and 3rd. We will wait to see what great things Mrs. Holly Jennings, Advisor and the FFA does this coming year.

## **2012 Tennis Team**

Bryan McRae, Steve McCann and Derick Brock were first team All-Stars. Bryan was League Player of the year.

Bryan McRae, Trevor Shouse and Jacob Fry won their sectional tournament bracket and qualified for the District tournament.

Bryan McRae and Mack Hayden won at singles. With this win the tennis team clinched the National Divisional Championship!

Steve McCann was the only junior, the rest of the team were seniors.

## **Marisa Stutz**

Marissa Stutz, class of 2009, is graduating from University of Cincinnati Clermont. Marissa has had 4 great years for the UC Basketball team. She received the United States Collegiate Athletic Association's Basketball All-American Award. Marisa set a school career record of 1,088 total rebounds.

"Marisa Stutz is not just one dimensional in life," head woman's coach Mike Mathews said. "Besides being the most uniquely gifted athlete I have ever known, she is an excellent student and will graduate this year with a bachelor's degree in nursing. She has been a great ambassador the UC Clermont College and a role model for all younger players."  
(Article from the Bethel Journal)

## **Alumni Basketball Game**

This year's alumni basketball game was a great success. We had 9 Lady Cardinals and 28 men playing this year. Everyone had a great time. We hope to have more Lady Cards come and play.

## **Classes of 1953 and 1954 Class Reunion**

The class picnic will be held June 2nd, at the Felicity Community building

## **E-Mail Addresses**

If you move or are planning to move please keep us informed. Also, if you change your e-mail please let us know. It is a huge task keeping up with everyone. Please call 513-876-2113 ext. 324 or e-mail us at [alumni@felicityschoools.org](mailto:alumni@felicityschoools.org)

## **Retirees**

Joseph (Bo) Glassmeyer, Bus driver for 28 years

Jessie Morgan, Elementary Art Teacher, 35 years

Larry Gardner, Industrial Arts Teacher, 39 years at Felicity

## **Bricks for Sale**

We still have bricks available for the school and the Veteran's park. If you are interested, you can send your check for \$35.00 and information to Barb Marshall, PO Box 361, Felicity, OH 45120

## **Servicemen Overseas**

We are sure there are other graduates that have been overseas or going overseas, these are the ones that we know of. If you know of any one please let us know and we will put them on our Alumni board.

Ben Claytor, 1996, Marines, has been stationed in Afghanistan and in July he will be going to Japan.

Eric Weber, 2002, Ohio National Guard, Afghanistan

Ryan Taggart, 2003, Air Force, is stationed on the USS Eisenhower. He is in the Jolly Roger Squadron, stationed in the Persian Gulf.

Rick Hoerlein, 2005, Army, stationed in Korea

Jeremy Cottrell, 2008, Marines, is stationed in Japan

Peter Stumpf, 2008, Army, was in Afghanistan, he is back home now.

Buck Campbell, 2009, Army, was in Afghanistan, he is also back home now.

Matthew White, 2008, Marines, was on the USS New York in the Mediterranean.

Derrick Sizemore, 2009, Army, is stationed in South Korea

Josh Napier, 2008, Navy, was stationed in Africa

Dillon Smith, 2010, Air Force, Incirlick AFB, Turkey

## **Felicity-Franklin Fire Department and Life Squad**

The Felicity-Franklin township fire department and life squad are all in one building. With the new building finished, the life squad has moved in with the fire department. There are two full time EMS employees that work 12 hours a day. Also, there are two fire-fighters that are on duty Monday – Friday 5:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

There are approximately 28 fire-fighter volunteers in the community.

Two life squads have been purchased over the past. There are seven Felicity residents that are taking the EMT Basic class right now so the second squad will be more accessible.

There are seven fire trucks ready for fires and wrecks.

We want to thank all of our volunteers for their service to the community.

## College Graduates

Amy Weber, 1992, University of Cincinnati, Doctorate in Health Promotion and Education  
Sherry Trees, 1995, Rhodes State Community College, Registered Nurse  
Andy Ninichuck, 1997, Bachelors in Environmental Science, American Military University  
Shannon Allen Neth, 1997, University of Cincinnati, Bachelor of Science Nursing.  
Ryan Battista Pride, 1999, University of Cincinnati, Associates of Arts, degree in Liberal Studies.  
Bachelor of Arts in Political Science/Internal Studies from Northern Kentucky University  
Dennis Stamm, 2001, Fire and Rescue, classes from Bethel Tate Fire Department  
Dawn Hayslip Spencer, 2002, Registered Nurse, Galen College of Nursing  
Elizabeth Fletcher, 2002, Phoenix, Associates of Arts in Healthcare Administration  
Lindsey Woodruff Minnick, 2003, University of Cincinnati, Masters in Reading Endorsement  
Nick Weber, 2004, University of Cincinnati, Fire Science, Fire and Safety Engineering  
Sarah Archer - 2005, University of Cincinnati, Masters of Science in Health Promotion and Education  
Jessie Kidder, 2005, University of Cincinnati Clermont Criminal Justice, Associates Degree  
Amanda Rudd, 2006, Morehead State University, Registered Nurse, Bachelor of Science  
Hope Botticher Randall, 2007, Regency Beauty Institute.  
Angela Drieling, 2007, University of Cincinnati, Early Child Development  
Samantha Ladenberger, 2007, University of Cincinnati, Masters in Nursing  
Stephanie Kirk, 2007, University of Cincinnati Clermont, Associates of Applied Science and a  
Bachelors in Criminal Justice  
Brittany Brown, 2008, UC, Bachelors in Spanish Literature and Language, a Degree in Biology  
Veronica Spurlock, 2008, Eastern Hills of Hair Design  
Olivia Lehman, 2008, University of Cincinnati Clermont—Bachelors of Technical Applied Studies.  
Samantha Morehouse Bayless, 2009, University of Cincinnati, Communications of Science and Disorders  
Dylan Sturgill, 2010, University of Northwestern Ohio, Diesel Mechanic  
Chelsey Hull, 2010, University of Cincinnati Clermont, Criminal Justice  
Bill Shinkle, 2010, University of Northwestern Ohio, Diesel Mechanic  
Kelsey Bailey, 2010, University of Cincinnati, Bachelor's Degree in Early Child Development

**Mark your calendar for next year May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2014.**

## Deaths

	Class of
Helen Swope Hughes	1929
Naomi Fletcher Stone	1936
Helen Swope Wahl	1944
Mary Cummins Masters	1948
Carol Schadle Shinkle	1954
Rick Fisher	1960
Jim Lanham	1960
Teresa Disher	1964
Wayne Parrish	1964
Carroll Simmermon	1966
Farrell McCowan	1966
Bill Wagner	1967
Lillian Schadle Johnson	1969
Roger Brierly	1977
Esther Lail	1978
Daryl Smith	1985
Mindy Hughes Obermeyer	1990
Adam Morgan	1991
Kristi Brandenburg Balsler	1997

These are the deaths of which we are aware. If there is someone that should be added please let us know. We are sorry if we have missed anyone. It is really hard to keep up without your help.

# FELICITY-FRANKLIN ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Emily Hayden Young – President  
Andy Hayden- Vice President

Barb Marshall - Historian

Kathy Smith White –  
Secretary/Treasurer

May 1, 2013

Dear Alumni Members,

This year's annual alumni dinner will be held June 1, 2013.

This year's honor classes will be the seniors' of 2013, the 25 year class, 1988, and the 50 year class, 1963.

The doors will open at 5:00 p.m. and the dinner will begin at 6:00 p.m. The dinner will be in the auditoria this year. Cost of the dinner is \$15.00. Dinner will be served by the Golden Rule.

Parking is located at the end of the elementary building, on the backside of the middle school building, and a parking lot across from the elementary building.

Please make your reservations by mailing them back to Kathy White, PO Box 154, Felicity, OH 45120, or by calling Kathy at 513-876-2640. **Reservations must be made in advance in order to have enough food for everyone.** Also, reservations can also be made by e-mail at: [alumni@felicityschools.org](mailto:alumni@felicityschools.org). Please make sure you get a response back from us if you e-mail us. If you don't hear from us we didn't get your reservation. Reservations should be made by May 29, 2013.

Come and have a great evening with your classmates and friends.

Very truly yours,

Emily Young Hayden,  
President

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Number Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_ Year graduated: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make check payable to the Felicity Franklin Alumni Association

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_