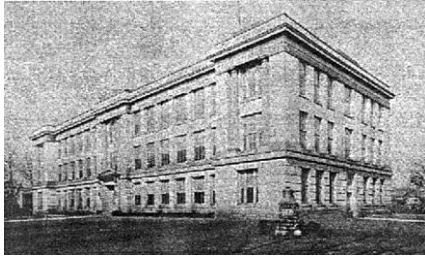


Distinguished
Alumni
Hall of Fame



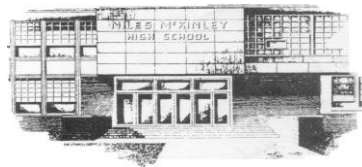
Niles McKinley
Alumni Association
September 21, 2014

Niles McKinley High School



First McKinley High School
located on Church Street
erected 1914

Niles McKinley High School
dedicated Oct. 13, 1957



Niles McKinley
HIGH SCHOOL



Niles McKinley High School
2013



Thank You

The Niles McKinley Alumni Association would like to thank the following classes and individuals who have made monetary contributions this year:

Class of 1946, Class of 1953, Class of 1954,
Mr. and Mrs. James Yuhasz, Mr. and Mrs.
Joseph Comparato, Mr. and Mrs. John Yuhasz,
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Doran, Mrs. Dolores
Macali, Mr. Albert Guarnieri and Mr. and Mrs.
Michael Coates.

Niles McKinley Alumni Sponsorship Drive

The Alumni Association would like to thank the following people for their generous contributions to help defray the cost of establishing a permanent Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame display in the new Niles McKinley High School.

Red Dragon Sponsors

David Pappada	Dr. Wm. Lippy
Albert Guarnieri	Gilbert Macali
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Bernard Oakes	James Yuhasz
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Dennis Carpenter	William Smith
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Robert Shaw	Frank Burke
Kathleen Bowen	Anthony Frasca
Judge Daniel Hogan	Stephen Sava
Rockey Tripodi	

Anyone wishing to contribute to the Sponsorship Drive can still do so. Your name will be added to the list and will appear in next year's program. Contact Joyce Mahan for details.

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WELCOME

Social 5:00 PM

Dinner 5:30 PM

Invocation and Dinner

Mary Lou Manning

PROGRAM

Introduction and Master of Ceremonies

Dr. Robert Marino

Inductees

Betty Jean Bahmer

Michael J. Coates

Anna Mae Cuchna

Robert Marino Sr.

Mary Ann McMahon

Joseph Sudik Jr.

Benediction

Dr. Bernard Oakes



Betty Jean Bahmer, *Class of 1959*

- B. S. in Education, YSU
- Master of Arts, Mt. St. Joseph, Cincinnati
- Teacher in Niles and Howland for 35 yrs.
- Committee member and chairperson for all 12 class reunions for Class of 1959
- Mahoning Valley Legacy Award Recipient, 2013
- Co-owned Bahmer's Howland Pharmacy for 15 years
- Community Service Chairperson for Trumbull Retired Teachers Assoc., 2008 to present
- President of Delta Kappa Gamma International Society, Beta Chi 2014-2016. Member since 1993
- Beta Sigma Phi International Sorority lifetime member currently vice president and held other offices
- Volunteers during the Christmas holiday in Niles for the US Marines "Toys for Tots" program
- Active member of Blessed Sacrament Church in Warren. Served as Fellowship Chair on Parish Council, preschool instructor, and Eucharist Minister
- Married to Joe for 49 yrs., 3 children and 7 grandchildren

Michael Coates, *Class of 1954*



- Founder of Mike Coates Construction Co., Inc.
- Winner of numerous statewide quality awards
- Winner of the Joan Kovach Safety Leadership Award in 2009 which recognizes safety leaders in the Mahoning Valley Business Community
- Constructed numerous local projects including the new Niles McKinley, Warren Harding, Girard Jr./Sr. High, Lowellville K-12, Mahoning County Justice Center, Ohio Supermax Prison in Hubbard
- Co-founder of Autumn Hills Care Center
- Former director for Warren General Hospital
- Former committee member for the Bricklayer's Apprenticeship Program
- Current member of City of Niles Building Code Advisory Board of Plumbers
- Avid supporter of Niles McKinley High School including the frontliners, band and other groups
- Supporter of the Ursuline Sisters of Youngstown
- Through its union affiliation, makes significant weekly contributions to the United Way Fund
- Married to Joanne Lucas in 1957, 3 children, Debbie, Michael and Michele

Class of 2007

Kimberly Calhoun
 Randall J. Fusco
 Ralph A. Infante
 Donald J. Livi
 Sam Mollica
 Samuel F. Natoli

Class of 2008

Dennis Carpenter
 Anthony Frasca
 Roselyn Gadd
 Gary Lehman
 Karen Vadino

Class of 2009

David Freel
 Marcus McEvoy
 David Pappada
 Guy Simeone
 OliveAnn Slotta
 Louis West

Honorary
 James Wiand

Class of 2010

Daniel Hogan
 Kathleen Bowen
 Adrian Biviano
 Sandra Harwood
 Stephen Sava

Honorary
 Coach Robert Shaw

Class of 2011

Randall Fonce
 Carl Kokor
 Sterling McPherson
 Thomas Scarnecchia

Honorary
 Audrey John
 Fred Kubli

Class of 2012

Linda Bennett
 Frank Fuda
 Michael Lastic
 Mary Lou Manning
 Dennis Miller
 Ralph Stiles



McKinley Alma Mater

McKinley Alma Mater
 Guiding star above
 Forever in our gratitude
 We offer thee our love.
 In joys and in all sorrows
 We shall e'er be true
 While in our hearts we ever love
 Thy flag of Red and Blue!

Class of 2013

Ted Barritt
 Traci Buttar
 Richard Doran
 J. Phillip Richley
 Louis Tripodi
 Walter Wick

Honorary
 James Fedor
 Billie Neuman

Past Hall of Fame Inductees

Class of 1998

Dr. William Eddy
 Dr. William Lippy
 Viola Pelton
 Robert "Bo" Rein
 Louis Tabor Sr.

Honorary
 Tony Mason
 William McKinley

Class of 1999

Joseph Bassett
 William Clayman
 Joseph Comparato
 Leonard B. Holloway Sr.
 Renee Naples
 Ruthann Paul
 Thomas Winyard
 Joseph Butler Jr.

Class of 2000

Joseph Cicero
 James Coates
 Regina Holloway
 George John
 John Revezzo
 Joseph Rossi
 William Thorp
 James Yuhasz

Class of 2001

Fremont Camerino
 Pat W. Camerino Ph.D
 John F. "Jack" McDermott
 Donald Pallante
 Larry Pallante
 Sam Scarnecchia
 Judge Mitchell F. Shaker
 Robert J. Wick

Class of 2002

David N. Fredericka MD
 Theodore T. Ivanchak
 Robert W. Larson Ed.D
 Gilbert A. Macali, Sr.
 Palmer "Barney" Macali,
 Joseph P. Williams

Class of 2003

Carmen DeChristofaro
 Ellen Sharkey
 George Swift
 Melvin Woodford

Honorary
 Dr. Bernard M. Oakes
 William Loffer

Class of 2004

Dr. Bernard Eddy
 Dominic Gatta
 Albert Guarnieri
 George Gay Krok
 William A. Smith
 Sarah Tomerlin

Honorary
 Guy Marino

Class of 2005

Dr. Anthony Altiero
 Frank Burke
 Victor Donnet
 Glenn E. Griffiths
 Keith W. Piper
 Albert A. Salerno
 Dennis Salerno

Class of 2006

Adone Calderone
 George Lynn
 Jodi Riedel
 Helen Salandra
 Marie Salandra

Honorary
 Jean Williams



Anna Mae Cuchna, Class of 1959

- B. S. in Education, YSU
- Retired teacher, Niles City Schools
- Recipient of Valley Legacy Award for 2013
- Recipient of numerous professional awards
- Received Clerical Service Award for Exceptional Volunteers from the Trumbull County Chapter of the American Red Cross
- Advocate for families with children born with Spina Bifida. Held offices and chaired many fundraisers for the foundation. Authored, *The Parent's Experience*, published in 2 magazines for health care professionals
- Volunteer for Niles Community Services, Toys for Tots
- Board member of First Book of Trumbull County
- Trumbull Retired Teachers Association, Co-Chair of the preretirement committee
- Docent for Warren Library Underground Railroad Program
- President of Beta Sigma Phi. Member Delta Kappa Gamma
- President of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Society and volunteer for other church ministries
- Married to Jim for 50 yrs, 3 children, 5 grandchildren



Robert Marino, Sr. Class of 1966

- Retired US Air Force, 38 years of service, 9 1/2 of which were active duty deployed around the globe
- Served as director of the Gray-Y Youth Football and Basketball Programs
- Recognized as "Man of the Year" by the YMCA
- Serves as an officer with the Disabled American Veterans Chapter 11 Trumbull County, Niles American Legion Post 106, member of the Army Navy 252 of Niles, the Honor Guard and speaks at numerous Veteran events
- Sexton for the Military section of the Niles City Cemetery
- Committee member of the 4th of July Parade, Vietnam Day, 910th Air Force Base Councils
- Commissioner of the American Legion Buckeye Boys State
- Instrumental in renaming the Federal Street bridge to Veteran's Memorial Bridge
- Employed by Niles City Schools for 32 yrs., head grounds keeper of the stadium, known for the booming voice, "GET OFF MY FIELD!"
- Bob and his wife Sherry of 48 yrs. have 4 children and 6 grandchildren



Mary Ann McMahon, *Class of 1969*

- YSU graduate, B.S. in Education, post grad studies at KSU and U. of Dayton
- 39 year educator, Niles City Schools
- Co-authored *History of Niles*, written for 3rd grade classrooms
- Department Head/Lead Teacher grades 2-3
- Developed curriculum, assessments and served on textbook adoption committees
- Mentor to Entry Year Teachers and had 8 student teachers
- President and Chief Negotiator for Niles Education Association as well as holding other offices over the years
- Advisor of Future Educators of America NHS
- Captain of Niles City Schools Relay for Life Team since 1998, helping raise over \$120,000.
- Docent for Niles Historical Society
- Lifelong member of St. Stephen Church, CCD instructor, lector, Pastoral Council, Bereavement Ministry
- Officer of St. Stephen Home and School
- Elected to Niles Board of Education, 2014-2018
- Married to Mike for 36 yrs., 2 children, 1 grandchild



Alumni Association Scholarship Recipients

Julie Viglio	1998
Michael McMahon	1999
Isa Marie Furey	2000
Gretchen Gombos	2001
JoAnne Johnson	2002
Colleen Yuhasz	2003
Caroline Laska	2004
Amanda Nestor	2005
Andrew Crisp	2006
Lindsey Thou	2007
Brooke Joseph	2008
John Yuhasz	2009
Danielle Glunt	2010
Robert Marino	2011
Melanie Rose	2012
Julianna Johnson	2013
Hayley Marsico	2014
Julie Riedel	2014

Scholarships are in the amount of \$500.00 and are financed by donations and membership dues.

Alumni Hall of Fame Nominations

If you wish to nominate someone for the Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame for 2015, the nominee must have graduated at least 10 years ago, achieved success in their career, and have made significant contributions in their field as well as to their community. Forms are available on-line. Deadline: July 1



Joseph Sudik, Jr., *Class of 1982*

- Graduate of Gordon D. James Career Center's drafting program including a 9 month co-op with GM and Packard Electric
- Spent over 33 years with General Motors, DELPHI and other engineering service companies
- Awarded a US patent (7,641,499) as co-inventor of the HVIL Connection System in January 2010
- Patents have since been granted in Europe and Asia, utilized in electric vehicles such as Chevrolet's Volt, and with other high voltage systems
- Coached for Niles Gray-Y intramural and elementary competitive basketball teams
- Former NYSL and NMS track and field volunteer coach
- Previous member of NMS Academic Boosters and Niles Track & Cross Country Boosters
- 5 years as co-captain for DELPHI's Trumbull Relay for Life teams
- Married to Phyllis, children Nicholas and Alexandria