

# Voice of Our Alumni

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Nova Scotia Teachers  
College

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## President's Message

In a few short months, another Reunion will be upon us, as we celebrate all Grad years Grad years ending in '9.

The response to attend our Reunions has been favorable, with many Grads planning to attend for the first time. As well, we welcome the presence of our Grads who make it a point to attend the Reunion each year.

The welcome sign as one approaches Truro, invites guests to 'Make The Connection'. The town has and continues to be, the destination point where a connection was made through our time at Normal and NSTC. Such is the connection, that has spanned many years, first as a student, the fond memories of classes, activities beyond class and involvement in organizations around the town. What a time to connect each August, to make the connection with former classmates and members of the faculty, who were in attendance this past year and we anticipate their return, August 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>.

As educators, our life in Truro and beyond, to the classrooms throughout Nova Scotia and around the world, have meant connecting and bonding with our students and community. It is not an exaggeration to say that a great teacher can change a student's life and so the connection and the bonding grew. By forging strong relationships with our students, we can say that through this connection, we were and are still able to affect virtually every aspect of the lives of students and people who we become connected with.

Teachers, the Grads of PNC and NSTC, connected with their students, made learning fun, stimulating and engaging. These teachers maintained a connection by inspiring their students to pursue a goal and to work harder and were and continue to be, a trusted source of advice for children weighing important life decisions. As retired teachers and yet those still in the field, we can all relate to that connection.

This year, Reunion 2019, we welcome three individuals, who have had a huge impact on their communities. First, Nova Bannerman, 1950 Grad, who has dedicated her retirement years to the life of the Barney's River Station School House Museum. Nova will receive an Honorary Membership for her lifelong commitment to the preservation of education archives material, connecting with the past and future.

Gary Naugler, 1959 Grad, began his career as a classroom teacher in Nova Scotia, going on to study medicine, connecting with people at home and abroad. We are pleased that Gary will deliver remarks during the banquet this year.

Charles 'Chuck' Boudreau, a 1989 Grad, an educator for 30 years, has connected as a principal and is presently involved with the exchange student program. As well,

Chuck has been a broadcaster for 'The Hawk' radio station in Port Hawkesbury, connecting the Quad counties to the mainland and beyond.

These individuals and ever so many more, have all had a profound effect on the lives of people everywhere and proudly, we can say that the connection, the skills, the time and talent, all comes back to the training to become a teacher, from Normal College and NSTC.

Yes, connection to Truro is ever so important. Our careers began here, our lives connected to new paths and challenges, we forged new friends, remaining connected with our classmates, new possibilities became a reality and while others went their separate ways on graduation day, we all make a connection to Truro.

Friends, just as that connection began here in Truro, 30-80 years ago, I encourage you to remain connected to your Alumni Association. For a mere \$25 or 5 years for \$100, membership is vital for us to remain connected with you. Membership enables us to hold yearly reunions and as well, there are substantial costs with postage and fees. Please spread the word about the Alumni Association! Certainly, reaching graduates who have never heard of the Association, is gratifying. In turn, these grads, are now expressing an interest in attending their Reunion year and reacquainting themselves with fellow classmates.

Without that connection, we lose friends who were such an important part of our lives, while we were in Truro. Your Alumni Association, through newsletters, announcements and reunions, maintains that connection for you. We need your support to keep that connect going. There are understandably, enormous costs involved to celebrate a Reunion each year. Your support enables reunions and contacts via emails, letters etc., to continue. As one Grad from the 2018 Reunion stated, 'to be certain, staying connected is so important, because the friends that we met on our journey here, made the mission possible.'

To the many Grads that I have connected with, by way of telephone and emails to find you, to connect after many years, I thank you for your interest in your Association. I am thrilled that you are coming to Truro to visit, even if it is for just one more time! Your friends from college days anxiously await your arrival. To the many who never heard of our Association, I am thrilled to have tracked you down and look forward to seeing you! To our friends who attend each and every year, we welcome you! Welcome to one and all!

I encourage you all to visit our website [www.nsteacherscollege.ca](http://www.nsteacherscollege.ca) to acquire information about this year's reunion and to research various areas. As well, please involve your Area Reps in advertising and sharing information about the Association. Their names and email contact is printed in this newsletter. Please feel free to contact them with any suggestions or questions you may have.

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May you remain connected with Truro, through your attendance at our Reunions, through membership and through contributions to the ongoing success of the reunions, through publicizing the Alumni Association to fellow Grads.

Sadly, we have lost ever so many fellow Grads since our last Reunion. Please remember them in some way, perhaps share a memory in an upcoming newsletter or speak at an upcoming reunion of a memorable event.

Reunion 2018, was an overwhelming success and we have the expectation that 2019, will be every much a success as last year! Good wishes, good memories, good times, see you this August! If not this year, we hope you will return another year to rekindle your memories of your time while you were a student at Normal and NSTC!



Blessings!  
Margaret 'Margie'  
MacIntyre '78

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## Reunion 2018 Class Photos



Class of 1938



Class of 1948



Home Economics



Class of 1941



Class Photos  
courtesy of  
***Pridham  
Studios***  
Truro, NS



Class of 1958



## Reunion 2018 Class Photos



Class of 1953



Class of 1959



Class of 1968



Phys Ed

Class of 1944



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## Following are Minutes of Executive Meetings, Full Council Meetings, the Annual Meeting of the ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF THE NOVA SCOTIA TEACHERS COLLEGE.

Minutes are in the order they occurred and all were recorded and submitted by Kelly Ells, Secretary and unless otherwise noted.

In the event of discrepancy between these minutes and the official copy held by the Secretary, the official copy shall prevail

### Minutes of the Annual General Meeting

#### ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF THE NOVA SCOTIA TEACHERS COLLEGE ANNUAL MEETING AUGUST 18, 2018

The Annual General Meeting was held in the conference room at the Glengarry Hotel on Saturday, April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2018 at 9:00 a.m.

The meeting was called to order by Margie MacIntyre.

Margie welcomed everyone to the meeting and did some general announcements (went over things found in everyone's welcome packages).

**Adoption of the Agenda** – It was moved by Sue Kent and seconded by Faye Arnfast to accept the agenda as presented. Motion carried.

**Approval and Adoption of Minutes** – It was moved by Marg Dawe and seconded by Maxine Bezanson to approve the minutes of the AGM 2017. Motion carried.

A moment of silence was observed for members who had passed away over the past year.

#### **Business Arising from Minutes**

**Barbara Fris** – Fundraising concert by retired teacher and opera singer is confirmed for May 2019. It will be held at the St. James Presbyterian Church in Truro. Barbara is a 1977 music grad of NSTC. The Alumni Association will receive 50% of the proceeds from the concert. Barbara is having hip surgery, so members will receive official notice in April's newsletter.

**Storage Facility** – The storage facility has been closed. It was too costly and was just housing things that were left over from when the NSTC closed.

Items were dispersed, and some things are being stored by Margie and by Bob. The street banner is being housed at Faye Arnfast's. Bob will offer papers, etc. to the Little White School House Museum. Faye will pick the papers up from Bob and give them to the Little White School House staff to go through.

#### **Correspondence**

Bob Jordan reported there had been no correspondence.

#### **Treasurer's Report** – Submitted by

Bob Jordan

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Bob Jordan moved and Sally Stratinsky seconded that the Treasurer's Report be accepted as presented. Motion carried.

#### **Secretary's Report** – Submitted by Kelly Ells

Kelly officially thanked Sue Kent for her hard work and dedication as the Secretary for the past 32 years! She also thanked the area reps and Margie for sending their reports to her prior to meetings as it makes taking the minutes at the meetings much smoother. Kelly reported that it takes approximately 5 hours to type the minutes after each meeting, so it decreases the time required if she has the reports emailed to her.

Kelly moved that the Secretary's report be accepted as presented and Sue Kent seconded it. Motion carried.

#### **Committee Reports**

##### **Membership Report** - Submitted by Robert Jordan

To be renewed but I still keep on Mailing list.

Members with Emails:

Full Members = 1133

Life Members = 344

Other Members = 31

Total = 1508

Total paid membership for 2018 – 318

Bob Jordan moved the Membership Report be accepted as presented and Harold Barhouse seconded it. Motion carried.

##### **Publicity Report** - Submitted by Margie MacIntyre

Over the past year, I have contacted graduates of the 8's and 9's years and at present, have been working on the 1970 list. I hope to complete the 1980 and 1990 list before Christmas 2018.

Generally, grads are most receptive to a contact as I am finding that many have no idea that we exist, nor do they know about the reunions. Contact is vital if we are to maintain a liaison with our graduates. Please keep us informed of any

changes to your mailing or email addresses. Also, please contact us, if you know of graduates, so we can contact them.

Letters were sent to all RTO presidents, for circulation among their membership.

Reps attend RTO meetings and NSTU meetings in their areas. All Rep contact numbers are in the newsletter, should you need further information and if you request the presence of your Rep at a meeting(s). Rep duties are to attend meetings, place announcements and make as many contacts as possible via newspapers, posters and other means. Reps play a vital role and are required to perform rep duties, if we are to maintain this association.

As well, we are appreciative of the RTO Magazine for their advertising efforts throughout the year. As well, we are appreciative of The Teacher newspaper to place several ads in their newspaper throughout the year.

Posters were distributed to Reps for distribution in their areas and Reps were given contacts in their areas, to publicize Reunion 2018.

Email letters were forwarded to our membership when needed, advertising for the reunion and to speak about membership dues.

Posts were placed on various Facebook sites: Nova Scotia Teachers College-NSTC; NSTC-The Annex; NSTC-1978

Communication is vital to the success and longevity of the Alumni Association of NSTC! We need you, our fellow Alumnists, to maintain Membership Dues each year and of course, reunions are to come together and renew acquaintances from those good old days! If you have been discouraged because very few have attended a reunion, please, don't be! My goal is to work hard to change that! With your help, we can thrive in numbers! Marie moved the Publicity Report be accepted as presented and Faye Arnfast seconded it. Motion carried.

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**Reunion 2018** – Submitted by Marie MacIntyre and Bob Jordan

Margie reported that Friday evening went well and that having two rooms also worked well. She said that everything was going as planned and to see the Agenda for Saturday afternoon and Saturday evening events.

**Schedule of Activities**(All at the Best Western Glengarry, except as noted)

**Friday, August 17** in Salon DEG

**6:00 – 8:00 pm – Registration**

(Registration will also take place Saturday morning from 9:00 am to 11:00 am – same location)

**6:00 – 7:00 pm – Music** with Val Hoegg Briand '78

**7 – 7:30 pm – Music** with Class of '68 Music Grads

**7:30 pm – Official Opening of Reunion 2018** – Guest Speaker – Mary K. Connolly '68

**8:00 pm – Faculty/Staff Tribute** – A great time to thank those who helped us through our years at NSNC/NSTC.

**8:30 – 9:00 pm – Musical Tribute** by Class of 1968, to the late Vivian Brand, music professor at NSTC, 1966-1984

**9:00 pm – Institute Night/Tunes & Tankards/Coffee House.** – Mix and mingle, share your musical talent, a skit perhaps and perform just like the good old days! If you have a talent/instrument to share, bring it along. This is your night to shine...again!!!

**Friday notes:**

No supper provided on site on Friday. Friday evening activities are all at the *Best Western Glengarry Hotel*. Cash bar available for Friday evening events.

**Saturday, August 18**

(All at the Best Western Glengarry, except as noted)

**Breakfast** (see note below regarding Saturday and Sunday breakfasts)

**9:00 am – Annual Business Meeting** in Salon EG – Get up to date on all aspects of the Alumni Association!

**10:30 am – Executive Meeting** following Annual Meeting

**Silent Auction** – Don't forget to drop by the Little White Schoolhouse to bid on your favorite items!!

**11:30 am – Class photos** in MacLeod Room –. All Alumni registered to attend the Reunion are welcome to participate in class photos. Photos will feature honored years, executive, those who taught in a one-room schoolhouse, and "other" years - so everyone gets in at least one photo!

**12:30 – 2:00 pm – Lunch** – in Salon D

(or on your own)

**Afternoon**

Plan an activity with your Grad Class; visit the Truro Farmer's Market; Tour the old Normal College Site, now the Colchester Library, from 2 to 5 pm and meet a Normal College Grad to find out what it was like to be a student in the good old days at the Normal College and blueberry muffins, tea; stroll through Truro's beautiful Victoria Park; shop downtown and at the Truro Mall; visit downtown Truro and enjoy the many *Blueberry Festival* activities; see Margie if you'd like a drive around the Truro area.

**2:00 pm – Tour the former NSTC campus**

**Evening** in Salon DEG

**6:00 – 6:15 pm – Little White School House presentation.**

**6:15 – 6:30 pm – Reception & Social.** Music by Class of '68 Music Grads.

**6:30 pm – Dinner and Awards** at *Best Western Glengarry*

**9:00 pm – Dance** –. Dance to Jim Aylward '91 and his band *Sweet Revenge*. This is bound to be a great time with fun for all! Don't miss it!

**Saturday notes:**

The afternoon is a great time to get together with friends and relax. If you need a space to meet, check with one of the organizing committee who will be glad to help.

Cash bar available for the Social, Dinner and into the evening.

**Sunday, August 19**

**Church Service** – At *Immaculate Conception*, Truro, Mass time 9:00 am. We will sit as a group at the church, meeting in the foyer.

**Special Notes**

**Special Draw** – The first 150 registrations will be entered in a draw for the refund of your Registration Package fees (excluding membership).

**Silent Auction** – The silent auction will be setting up in the Little White Schoolhouse on Friday. Drop off your donation items for the auction – don't forget to visit on Saturday to bid on your favorite items!! Drop off Friday 10 AM-5 PM and Saturday 10 AM. Pick-up Saturday between 4 & 5 PM.

**Saturday and Sunday Breakfast** – On your own - except for those staying at the Best Western Glengarry, breakfast is included in your room price.

**A block of rooms** at the *Best Western Glengarry* has been reserved for Alumni. The cost is \$135.99 per night for up to two people (plus \$10/person for additional occupants) and requires advanced registration before July 18, 2018. Please book directly by calling 800-567-4276 or 902-893- 4311. Hot breakfast is included with each night's stay.

**Please be aware that Banquet tickets will NOT be available on site. Banquet tickets will only be available by pre-registering.**

Margie moved that this report be accepted as presented and Joan Hathaway seconded. Motion carried.

**Newsletter** – Submitted by Katrina Andres Murphy

This has been my second year as editor of the newsletter. Bob and Margie send me the information to add to the newsletter. It takes me about two days over March Break and several evening to compile the documents into the newsletter. Bob emails the newsletter once it is completed. It is expensive to mail. Katrina moved the report be accepted as presented and Darren Fancy seconded it. Motion Carried.

**Nominations** - Submitted by Robert Jordan

Nominations and elections for the following offices were held:

**Office**

President – Faye Arnfast nominated Margie MacIntyre and Margie was elected.  
Vice-President – No new nominations, David Kokocki re-elected.

**Area Representatives**

Kings-Annapolis – Krista Wright will continue.

Digby, Clare-Argyle, Yarmouth – Roberta Journeay will continue.

Halifax Regional Municipality – Sue Kent will continue.

Cumberland-Colchester-East Hants – Faye Arnfast nominated Katrina Andres Murphy and Katina was elected.

Northside Victoria-Cape Breton – No new nomination, position remains vacant.

Shelburne/Queens – no new nominations, Marg Dawe will continue.

Out of Province Atlantic – no new nominations, position remains vacant.

Website Administrators – Faye Arnfast will do Instagram and Facebook, Darren Fancy will do Twitter and the Website

Bob Jordan declared everyone elected!

**Constitution** – Submitted by Bob Jordan

Motions and Notice of Motion:

That a new paragraph be added to ByLaw 5, being a mileage allowance be given to Council members who have to travel more than 50 kms., consisting of a ten-dollar (\$10.00) gas card for each

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hundred kms. Traveled to attend Council meetings. Bob moved, and Katrina seconded. Motion carried.

That 10 Year Memberships in paragraph b). of By Law 1 be changed to Long Term Memberships and that the membership term of members with the former 10 Year Memberships and Full Memberships continue until the end of their term before renewal. Bob moved, and Darren seconded. Motion carried.

Article 111, Section IV (Honorary Membership) include a). Presidents of the Association upon their election to office b). those members who have served on the council for twenty (20) year or more years. Bob moved, and Gwendelyn Spinney seconded. Motion carried.

**NSTC Foundation** – No report, Sandy has resigned. Helen MacDonald will take over as new Past President.

#### **Area Rep Reports:**

**Cumb-Col-East Hants: Faye Arnfast**  
I have contacted the Truro Daily News and The Tatamagouche Light to advertise our 2018 reunion on three occasions each by phone and have followed up with emails. The upcoming reunion will be listed in their community happenings sections. Our local NSTU union meeting was given posters by myself to distribute to all school reps to post in their schools in February. Also, I have reminded alumni through emails.

Since my region takes up 2 and half counties I have asked fellow 1987 grads to help me spread the word. I contacted Norma-Jean Taylor to contact The Enfield Weekly Press in person to put in the ad about our reunion in August. I contacted Michael Wilson, who lives in Amherst, to contact the Amherst Paper in person. I appreciate their help very much!

As administrator of the Nova Scotia Teachers College (NSTC) Facebook group I have accepted over 100 new members since the reunion last summer and 20 in the last 2 months our member count is currently at 845 grads. Please continue to invite grads to join our group. The group is for reconnecting and communication only.

As my third term comes to a close I have to say that I have been very proud to serve as a rep for Cumberland, Colchester, East-Hants over the last 7 plus years for the Alumni Executive Council of the NSTC. I will be stepping down as rep at this AGM and sincerely hope the new rep is successful in spreading the word and getting grads to attend some of the reunion weekend events.

I am very happy that I be will continuing to serve on the council as the Little White Schoolhouse Museum Liaison and also an administrator of the Nova Scotia Teachers College Facebook group.

#### **Inverness- Richmond: Anne Marie LeBlanc**

I made the following contacts in Inverness County: the church bulletins; the Inverness County Branch of the RTO; the Inverness Oran newspaper; CHET-TV, CKJM Radio, Cheticamp; three CoOp stores; two Credit Unions; two pharmacies; two Post Offices; phone calls; two schools; the School Board and many personal contacts. I thank Elaine Burke for all of her contacts in Richmond County.

#### **Digby-Clare-Argyle-Yarmouth: Roberta Journeay**

Three schools were approached to display the NSTC Reunion notice: Weymouth Elementary, Digby Regional High School and St. Mary's Bay Academy. Newspapers that were contacted said they would print the notice in their Community Events Section: Weymouth Bridge, Passages (Islands). Clare Shopper declined as they said it should be as a paid announcement. Mr. Stephen Cullen, Yarmouth school principal agreed to display the notice at his school and one other school in the Yarmouth area.

An e-mail was sent to our Digby RTO representative and asked that she remind the members of the up-coming NSTU Reunion at their April meeting.

Two NSTC Reunion notices were hand delivered to two retired teachers in the Digby/Clare area.

An e-mail was sent to three representatives of Yarmouth, Digby, and Community College.

An email was sent to the Tri-County Vanguard to request a NSTC Reunion notice be included in the Community Events Section of the paper for Digby/Yarmouth. No guarantee was given as it depends on the available space.

I have continued to remind retired teachers of the NSTC Reunion and some have made a commitment to coming next year as it is an anniversary year that they graduated, and others had made plans for this summer. I have not had the opportunity to visit Argyle area.

A suggestion was put forth at the October meeting that it was beneficial to keep a folder in the car with the NSTC Reunion information. I have found this helpful.

#### **Shelburne/Queens: Marg Dawe**

As the Alumni NSTC representative for Queens/ Shelburne I attended the Board meeting in August. I have attended several Retired Teacher meetings in both counties at which I was given time to talk about the Reunion. I was also able to make some personal contacts. Representatives of NSTU were given notices to post in the various staff rooms. Thank you to the areas I represent for supporting me,

#### **Halifax: Sue Kent**

I spoke at a number of RTO Meetings and told them about the reunion. I put a notice on each table.

I went around at the end of each meeting to pick up any notices that were left. A few notices were picked up at each meeting. I want to thank Mary Hammond for speaking about the reunion for me at the Annual RTO Luncheon in May. I also spoke at a multi group luncheon in April. It consisted of 3 RTO groups, namely Halifax City, Dartmouth, and Halifax County. It also included our CPX Group, which is our Halifax City Ladies Retired Teachers Group. I had the notices on the tables at that luncheon also. A few people took a notice. A couple of the ladies said Margie had already contacted them. The Halifax Teachers have a bowling league of which I am a member. I had a notice put in the bowling alley. I talked to the teachers during bowling and pointed out the notice. I passed out notices to anyone that wanted one. One girl said that Margie had contacted her, and she and two of her friends are registered already. I put a notice in The Flying Cow. It is a pamphlet put out once a month. They put it in all 6 of their Flying Cow Papers at no charge. The papers include: **Halifax Flying Cow, Dartmouth Flying Cow, Bayer's Lake Clayton Park Bedford Flying Cow, Sackville to Airport Flying Cow, Annapolis Valley Flying Cow, and Yarmouth Flying Cow.** They put it the May, June, and July edition of their paper.

I would like to thank Terry Hurrell for putting a notice in The Chronicle Herald, and The Coast for me. I had a notice put in Parkview News in July and August, and a notice in Chebucto News. I had it announced on Seaside FM Radio. My hairdresser put a notice in the window of her shop, Sophia's Hairdressing, on Oxford Street. Everywhere I go I talk to teachers and tell them about the reunion. There are a few Normal College Graduates at the church we go to. I also talked to them about the reunion. I have also made many phone calls to people I know or have hear about.

#### **Kings/Annapolis: Krista Wright**

Things I have done to represent the Alumni Association:

Put up posters at spots in my area  
Distributed posters to all schools in the Annapolis/Kings Local via the Local Presidents and NSTU school reps and made an email version to forward to schools as well.  
Put posters up in high traffic areas around Annapolis county.  
Sent announcements to the local papers- Valley Harvester and The Reader  
Shared a poster and created event on Annapolis Local NSTU Facebook page  
Have shared information about NSTC Reunion on my personal Facebook page and will be created an event to share.

### **Lunenburg/Hants West: David Kokocki**

- ☐ Contacted 3 South Shore reporters for free ad space to advertise this year's reunion
- ☐ Shared Reunion 201 8 poster via Facebook
- ☐ Shared Reunion 201 8 poster via Twitter with #NSTCreunion201 8
- ☐ Shared poster to Glynda Wimmer of Local RTO for their newsletter
- ☐ Shared poster & dues forms at Annual Council 201 8 in May 4-5
- ☐ Distribute dues forms to known TC Grads I encounter

### **Northside/Victoria/Cape Breton: Margie MacNeil**

Margie reported that due to family illness, we regret that Margie Peck MacNeil, has been unable to continue as Area Rep for Northside-Victoria. Prior to Margie's resignation, she was able to contact the RTO's in the rep areas. We will need an Area Rep for Northside-Victoria as soon as possible.

### **Pictou-Antigonish-Guysborough: Sally Strutyński**

In the last few months, in preparation of

the NSTC Reunion, I have been in contact with several schools with reminders, personal phone calls to teachers that I knew and informed them, inviting them to look at the website.

I met with several retired teachers here in Pictou County, of which many were graduates of 1969 and were excited for next year and their 50<sup>th</sup> reunion.

All in all, once school was finished in June it was basically through contact and personally talking and telling them where to get information, dates and activities that are in the area. Several flyers were placed in banks as well as the post offices. So looking forward to being more on target for next year because of the positive feedback I received for 2019!

### **Ontario: Darren Fancy**

Through the spring and early summer, I answered queries for the reunion from alumni in Ontario and Quebec that I had contacted during my time off.

When time allowed I searched on Facebook for names of alumni, sending off emails to remind them of reunion dates and the importance of keeping dues up to date.

I also continued to post on Twitter and Facebook notices and reminders to check out the NSTC website for important information about the alumni.

### **Western: Lisa Mason**

I have made contact with a few British Columbia publications for teachers to put a notice in about the reunion. I am also working to contact the Retired Teachers of BC to get a noticed placed into their next newsletter.

I am hoping to make similar contact in the other provinces to see if there is a way to get the information out.

I have shared the reunion poster on my Facebook page to remind my TC friends about the reunion.

Margie moved, and Anne Marie LeBlanc seconded the Committee Reports be accepted. Motion carried.

### **Little White School House: Faye Arnfast**

I joined the Board of Directors for the LWSM in January 2018 after being approached by David MacKillop in the Fall of 2017. My first meeting was on Monday, January 29<sup>th</sup> at the LWSM where I officially accepted his nomination. I also serve as the NSTC alumni Liaison as well.

### **Currently the LWSM Board of Directors consists of the following people:**

Melanie Ballard, President  
Bill Canning, Past President  
Angela Headon, Secretary & VP  
Doreen Dean, Treasurer  
Thomas Acker, Director  
David McKillop, Director

John Grant, Director  
Joe Ballard, Director  
Faye Arnfast, Alumni Liaison, Director

The Annual General meeting (AGM) took place at the Museum on May 22, 2018.

There will be a silent auction at the Schoolhouse Museum during the **alumni reunion weekend August 17-18**. Items will be dropped off between 10-5 on Friday and pick up between 4-5pm on Saturday.

There will be two students there to answer any questions the alumni may have while visiting the Museum.

The Museum will employ two students and will be open from June 1<sup>st</sup> through to the end of August from 10-5, Tuesday through Saturday. There will be a tea each Tuesday afternoon and crafts for children on Thursday afternoons during the Summer. I have attended on Tuesday and it was lovely. The students will continue to upload information on the alumni to the website so be sure to check it out. Currently looking for 1988 yearbooks if anyone has a copy please see David or myself this weekend.

David will be doing a presentation (6-6:15 at the banquet this evening) about the LWSM at the reunion. David is also planning a social for the faculty in order to increase faculty attending the reunion.

There will be pamphlets about the LWSM to be added to the reunion packages Dawson Lecture has been moved to Thursday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> as it was cancelled on March 22<sup>nd</sup> due to inclement weather. John Grant will be the speaker. More details in the email sent to our council last week.

The LWSM wants to continue to keep a strong connection to the Alumni Association. Any further questions and/or concerns about the LWSM please direct to me. Faye at [arnfast@eastlink.ca](mailto:arnfast@eastlink.ca)

### **President's Report - [Submitted by Margie MacIntyre](#)**

Another Reunion, to celebrate 30- 80 years as educators! Wow, now that is something to celebrate! At this year's reunion, our oldest graduate will attend, bringing her 80 years of memories to Truro! As well, we anticipate a good turnout from the 50-70-year grads.

Since our last reunion, summer of 2017, we have maintained memberships, which is a good sign! We need memberships to grow, if our Alumni Association is to survive! Please support your alumni by way of dues at \$25 per year or 5 years at \$100.

I am finding through conversations with

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fellow alumni, that they are not aware of the association, but grads are anxious to come on board, to submit their alumni dues and to attend their reunion, especially celebrating a decade year.

2017 we were delighted to have Ashley MacIsaac to perform in support of our Association and in support of First United Church Restoration Fund. In 2019, we are pleased to welcome alumnist, Barbara Fris to Truro. A 1977 music grad, Barbara performed for many years with the Canadian Opera Company. Barbara will perform at St. James Presbyterian Church, in May of 2019. Watch for details in forthcoming notices and in your 2019 newsletter.

We as a Council meet always at our reunion, again in October and in April, to formulate plans for upcoming reunions and to be your avenue for news and views as to how your alumni functions.

I am enjoying my tenure as president and am so appreciative of our great team, the executive council! Bob Jordan continues to be the backbone of the association, responding to memberships and posting emails and correspondence via Canada Post. The reps in our areas are doing a wonderful job promoting the association as well.

Our Reps maintain contact in their respective areas. This year, we welcome Katrina Murphy '89, as our new rep for Colchester-Cumberland, replacing Faye Arnfast '87. As well, Katrina has become our newsletter editor. Faye has assumed the position of Rep for the Little White School House Museum. She is responsible for attending the meetings and reporting back to our Alumni Council. We regret the resignation of Joan Hathaway '84, as rep for Out of Province Atlantic. Margie Peck MacNeil '69, regrets that she cannot represent Northside Cape Breton, due to family illness, but she certainly contributes by way of announcements to the various RTO's in her area. Sandy MacDougall '85, has resigned as Past President, but we are pleased to welcome Helen MacDonald '61, former Past President, to this position. Thank you as well, to Carla Callegari '88, for her involvement with the organization over the past few years.

As of July 19<sup>th</sup>, we need representatives for Northside Cape Breton, Out of Province Atlantic and a Twitter/ Website Administrator. Hopefully individuals will come forth at this AGM to fill these positions. A special thank you to all who have served and who are moving on. If you can help us out, the work is not difficult at all, just attend two meetings each year, April and October, in Truro and you will be reim-

bursed for mileage/kms.

During the winter, Bob and I donated a plaque, on behalf of Council, to the Old Normal College/Library. The plaque depicts a photo of the PNC and of the last NSTC, when it closed in 1997. We are most appreciative to the library staff for accepting the plaque and installing it there. Be sure to look for it on a visit to the library!

A decision of Council in October, to close out the storage facility, enabled us to save money. I have in my possession, pictures of former Alumni presidents. Relevant material is still stored with me, while irrelevant material was disposed of.

All is well as we head into 2019 and celebrate another reunion in Truro! Be sure to mark your calendars for Reunion 2019, August 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> and Reunion 2020, August 21<sup>st</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>.

Thank you, membership, for your ongoing support!

### **New Business**

#### **Barbara Fris Concert**

Concert by retired teacher and opera singer is confirmed for May 2019. It will be held at the St. James Presbyterian Church in Truro. More information to follow. Barbara is a 1977 music grad of NSTC. The Alumni Association will receive 50% of the proceeds from the concert.

#### **Reunion 2019**

Chuck Boudreau, a 1989 grad will be the guest speaker. Margaret Geraghty, a 1959 grad will sing, and Harold Langille, a 1959 grad, and his wife Maryanne will play the violin. Margie has contacted many (109 – 1959 grads and 230 – 1969 grads) already.

**Election of Officers:** See Nominations above.

#### **Announcements**

Please remember to visit the auction at the Little White School House. Don't forget pictures and tours. Reminder of agenda for the rest of the reunion weekend.

#### **Motion to Adjourn**

It was moved by Faye Arnfast and seconded by Darren Fancy that the meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,  
Kelly Ells (Secretary)

## **NSTC YEARBOOKS: WE NEED YOUR HELP**

One of the projects of the Board of Directors of the Friends of the Little White Schoolhouse Association is to scan PNC and NSTC Yearbooks and make them available online. To maintain museum standards, we must keep one hardcopy of each yearbook intact at the Museum and Archives. The scanning process requires the yearbook to be removed from its binding and pages trimmed to 8.5"; therefore, a second copy of each year is needed to undergo this process. We are searching for a second copy of the following years: 1949, 1950, 1959, 1971, 1972, 1975, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, and 1983. Can you help us by donating one of these yearbooks? If so, you can request it be returned (taken apart) and with a scanned version on a thumb drive. Please contact David McKillop at [da-vidwmckillop@gmail.com](mailto:da-vidwmckillop@gmail.com) or at 902-890-5128 if you are able to supply one of these years.

**'JUST A FARM GIRL,'** a book written by Eva Landry (Mauger) '55, is available now. Books are \$25.00. Eva hopes to attend the reunion this year and if so, she will bring the book and autograph a copy for you. You may also order a copy. Her phone number is 902-535-2531 or 902-302-4353. Her email is [doug.eva@seaside.ns.ca](mailto:doug.eva@seaside.ns.ca).

## **Notice of Motion 2019**

To be presented at the NSTC Alumni Annual General Meeting 2019  
The Executive Council recommends the following changes to the Constitution.  
That the motion (2018) that changed the Constitution to include Article III Section IV (Honorary Membership) stating that a) Presidents of the Association upon their election to office, b) Those members who have served on Council for twenty (20) years or more, be Honorary members, be **rescinded**.

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## Keynote Speaker Reunion 2019    A Proud NSTC Alumni

*Chuck Boudreau graduated from the Nova Scotia Teachers College in 1989 from the Junior High, Social Studies Program. Prior to that, in 1987, Chuck had completed his Bachelor of Arts, with a major in Political Science and a minor in History from Saint Mary's University. In 2003, Chuck completed his Masters of Educational Administration degree from St. Francis Xavier University.*

*The political bug caught Chuck in 1993 with an unsuccessful bid into provincial life, but he did serve for 11 years as a Municipal Councillor in Richmond County.*

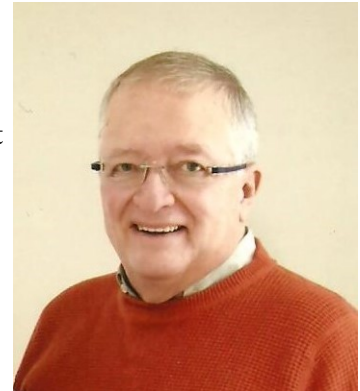
*Currently, Chuck has served as a vice Principal, Principal and PEBS Teacher Trainer for the Strait Regional Centre for Education. Currently, he is serving as the Program Manager/Director of the International Student Program within the regional centre. In his spare time, Chuck works as a DJ at a radio station in Port Hawkesbury where he hosts East Coast Rising and interviews Reality TV celebs from Big Brother, Survivor and Amazing Race. He is the proud father of 25 year old daughter, Charcy, who works and lives in Halifax.*

*Hailing from Arichat, Cape Breton, Chuck was a mature, married student while attending TC. Working as a bartender and waiter at the former Keddys, Chuck's involvement in extracurricular TC life was limited. but he does carry many fond*

*memories of classmates and professors.*



Gary Naugler was born in rural Lunenburg County. Initially attending a one room school and later King's College School in Windsor, he graduated from Nova Scotia Normal College in 1959. After teaching for 2 years in the Annapolis Valley, he moved to western Canada and entered the University of Saskatchewan, earning a B.A. (Cum Laude) with a double major in chemistry and biology, and a B.Ed. (Cum Laude). Following 5 years in Whitehorse, Yukon where he taught senior chemistry and rose to the position of vice principal of F.H. Collins Secondary School, he accepted a position with the Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA) and completed 2 assignments in Ghana, West Africa; the first at Sekondi College, Sekondi, and the latter at the Advanced Teacher Training College in Winneba. Wanting to ski, and taking advantage of the then recent Olympics at Val d'Isère, France, his African tenure was punctuated by a year of study (on the side) at the Université de Grenoble where he earned a Certificat Pratique de la Langue Française.



Following the completion of his second assignment with CIDA, he returned to the University of Saskatchewan and graduated in 1981 with a Doctorate in Medicine (Cum Laude). Subsequently he spent 35 years as a general practitioner in Saskatoon. Now retired, he and his wife Myrtle live in Saskatoon, spending winters in their home in North Port, Florida. They have a daughter, Anne, in Saskatoon and a son, Douglas in Vancouver, BC.

While admitting to being "a transplant", Dr. Naugler claims very deep roots in Nova Scotia, still maintaining contact with many former teaching colleagues, as well as a large family network.

### CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to Peter Anthony '68, on his upcoming ordination, M. Div., from the Atlantic School Of Theology, in Halifax. Peter began his career in Education, teaching in several schools in the South Shore area. On retirement from the teaching profession, Peter began lay ministry at a local United Church and his ministry began. Peter will continue as Rev. Peter Anthony, following his ordination ceremony at Regional Council, in Sackville, New Brunswick, May 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019. Well done, Peter, welcome to the United Church and God Bless you in your ministry!

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Send any births, deaths, memoriams, wedding news, anniversaries, any stories, to me, Margie MacIntyre, email [info@nsteacherscollege.ca](mailto:info@nsteacherscollege.ca) or [reunion@nsteacherscollege.ca](mailto:reunion@nsteacherscollege.ca)

To connect with Bob Jordan, email [reunion@nsteacherscollege.ca](mailto:reunion@nsteacherscollege.ca) or [Alumni-NSTC@uniserve.com](mailto:Alumni-NSTC@uniserve.com)  
Contact Bob to update your membership. If you have a change in address and or email address, please inform Bob Jordan. Phone numbers are important as well!



Class of 1978

## Greetings from the Little White School House Museum and Archives

The Museum and Archives is managed and operated by The Friends of the Little White Schoolhouse Association through its Board of Directors. For the past two years, following an evaluation report by ANSM (Association of Nova Scotia Museums) in 2015, the Board has been working on a strategic plan and a new model of governance to address the recommendations of ANSM and to insure its long-term sustainability. The Board now has 12 members including Faye Arnfast who is the Director with Lead in NSTC Alumni Relations, thus strengthening the relationship between the two bodies, both of which are charged with maintaining the history of the PNC and NSTC. The Board would like all NSTC Alumni to consider the Museum and Archives your Museum and Archives, the repository of 143 years of teacher education in Nova Scotia.

The Museum and Archives at 20 Arthur Street in Truro is open from 10 am to 5 pm Tuesday to Saturday from June 1 to August 31. (The rest of the year it is open on Tuesdays from 10 am to noon, or by appointment.) Throughout the summer on Tuesdays from 2 pm to 4 pm, tea and cheesecake will be served for \$5 per person.

Our museum building was moved to Truro from Riverton, Pictou County where it was built in 1869; therefore, 2019 marks its 150<sup>th</sup> birthday. The Board of Directors is considering ways we can celebrate this significant year for The Little White Schoolhouse. One of the projects that will be undertaken this summer by the summer employees is the gathering and online displaying of pictures of other one-room schoolhouses that were in operation throughout Nova Scotia. If you or your family have any such pictures, please let us know. Pictures will be scanned and originals returned to their owners. The Museum address is PO Box 25005, Truro, NS B2N 7B8; the telephone is 902-895-5170; online at [www.littlewhiteschool.ca](http://www.littlewhiteschool.ca) under Contact Us.



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## BARNEY'S RIVER STATION SCHOOL HOUSE MUSEUM

1950 Normal College graduate, Nova (Ross) Bannerman, is recorded in a newspaper article as being, 'a steward of a community's vibrant history'. As the curator of the Barney's River Station School House Museum, the former one room school house, in Barney's River Station, over the past 25 years and more, Nova recalls that the community had a meeting and had the following choices, 'burn it, sell it, make a store out of it and then someone wanted to make a museum out of it'. The rest is history, as hundreds of people stop by the museum each summer, to view the many articles and memorabilia.

Nova, the driving force behind the school house museum, began teaching in Barney's River Station in 1952. She taught her four children at the school and her late husband and father in law, attended the school.

The small white school with green trim, located just off of the Trans Canada Highway, at Barney's River Station, is nestled along the side of the road. It is told that the apple trees are a result of the students sowing the seeds by discarding the apple cores.

The interior of the building contains the old desks and one can see the old Dawson Desks. When you enter the former one room school house, you step back in time. The teacher's desk stands on the original platform, with two curtains on either side of the platform, which served as the curtains for concerts and plays. As well, there are hundreds of books and articles for viewing at the museum.

Nova recalls that class began each morning with singing, 'O Canada' or 'God Save The Queen', followed by 'The Lord's Prayer'. Water was carried to the building. The Christmas Concert was the high point in the school year. So many teaching skills were incorporated in the preparation for and the actual presentation of the concert. Yes, school life was fun and amusing in the little white school house.

Nova said that if you were to ask the pupils about their memories, you would hear ever so many stories, like walks through the property at various seasons in the year, particularly every fall, when the autumn foliage was at its best; the picture study one Friday each month; the Hallowe'en and Valentine parties, where they did puzzles, played games and had such a delicious lunch, with the best part being the chocolate cake and boiled icing!

The lovely wee school, which was the backbone of the Barney's River community for well over 100 plus years, was closed in 1971, but the memories linger and the self driven love for retaining this building as a historical dwelling continues, under the dedicated service of Nova Bannerman, Normal College graduate, Class of 1950.

Through a federal grant, a student is hired each summer at the museum. As one student explained, when asked, 'what is your summer job?' He explained, 'I work at the school house museum, where I get a history course and an english course.'

Yes, indeed, the little building tells a story! Do plan to visit the Barney's River Station School House Museum. It is open July and August, 12-5 p.m. and is closed on Monday's.



## ◆ ◆ Reunion 2019 Schedule of Activities ◆ ◆

*(All at the Best Western Glengarry, except as noted)*

### **Friday, August 16** in Salon DEG

**6:00 – 8:00 pm – Registration** (Registration will also take place Saturday morning from 9:00 am to 11:00 am – same location).

Little White School House silent slide presentation.

**6:00 – 6:30 pm – Music** with Margaret Geharty (Forgeron) '59

**6:30 – 7:00 pm- Music** with David McKillop NSTC Prof

**7:00 – 7:30 pm- Music** with Charlene Cable Lloy '79

**7:30 pm - Official Opening of Reunion 2018** - Keynote Speaker – Charles 'Chuck' Boudreau '89

**8:00 pm – Faculty/Staff Tribute** – A great time to thank those who helped us through our years at NSNC/NSTC – come and meet the staff.

**8:30 pm – Institute Night/Tunes & Tankards/Coffee House.** - Mix and mingle, share your musical talent, a skit perhaps and perform just like the good old days! If you have a talent/instrument to share, bring it along. This is your night to shine...again!!!



#### **Friday notes:**

No supper provided on site on Friday.

Friday evening activities are all at the *Best Western Glengarry Hotel*.

Cash bar available for Friday evening events.

### **Saturday, August 17**

*(All at the Best Western Glengarry, except as noted)*

**Breakfast** (see note below regarding Saturday and Sunday breakfasts)

**9:00 am – Annual Business Meeting** in Salon EG – Get up to date on all aspects of the Alumni Association!

**10:30 am – Executive Meeting** following Annual Meeting

**Silent Auction** - Don't forget to drop by the Little White Schoolhouse to bid on your favorite items!!

**11:30 am – Class photos** in MacLeod Room -. All Alumni registered to attend the Reunion are welcome to participate in class photos. Photos will feature honored years, executive, those who taught in a one-room schoolhouse, and "other" years - so everyone gets in at least one photo!

**12:30 – 2:00 pm – Lunch** – in Salon D (or on your own)

#### **Afternoon**

Plan an activity with your Grad Class; visit the Truro Farmer's Market; Tour the old Normal College Site, now the Colchester Library from 2 to 5 pm and meet a Normal College Grad at the library to find out what it was like to be a student in the good old days at the Normal College; stroll through Truro's beautiful Victoria Park; shop downtown and at the Truro Mall; visit downtown Truro and enjoy the many *Blueberry Festival* activities; see Margie if you'd like a drive around the Truro area. The afternoon is a great time to get together with friends

and relax. If you need a space to meet, check with one of the organizing committee who will be glad to help.

**2:00 pm – (In Salon A) Story Telling** with Clara Dugas '69

**2:00 pm** – Tour the former NSTC campus

### **Saturday Evening** in Salon DEG

**6:00 – 6:30 pm – Reception/Social. Music** by David McKillop NSTC Prof

**6:30 pm – Dinner and Awards** at *Best Western Glengarry*.

Guest Speaker Dr. Gary Naugler '59.

**9:00 pm – Dance** –. Dance to Jim Aylward '91 and his band *Sweet Revenge*. This is bound to be a great time with fun for all! Don't miss it!

#### **Saturday notes:**

Cash bar available for the Social, Dinner and into the evening.

### **Sunday, August 18**

**Church Service** - At *St. James Presbyterian*, Truro, 10:00am. We will sit as a group at the church, meeting in the foyer.

#### **Special Notes**

**Special Draw** – The first 150 registrations will be entered in a draw for the refund of your Registration Package fees (excluding membership).

**Silent Auction** - The silent auction will be setting up in the Little White Schoolhouse on Friday. Drop off your donation items for the auction – don't forget to visit on Saturday to bid on your favorite items!! Drop off Friday 10 AM-5 PM and Saturday 10 AM. Pick-up is Saturday between 4 & 5 PM.

**Saturday and Sunday Breakfast** – On you own - except for those staying at the Best Western Glengarry, breakfast is included in your room price.

**A block of rooms** at the *Best Western Glengarry* has been reserved for Alumni. The cost per night \$135.99/double, plus \$10/person for additional occupants and requires advanced registration before July 14, 2019. Please book directly by calling 800-567-4276 or 902-893- 4311. Hot breakfast is included with each night's stay.

**Please be aware that Banquet tickets will NOT be available on site. Banquet tickets will only be available by pre-registering.**

**Entrance to ANY Reunion activity is by appropriate ticket or name badge only.**

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## *In Memoriam*

MARCH 14TH, 2018- MARCH 2019

### **1930's**

Thibodeau, Edith...'33

Shaw, Beulah Dorcas (Allen)...'39

### **1940's**

Jeffrey, William Holmes '41

Langille, Edna Christene '42

Hines, Clara Odessa (Laffin) '43

Morrison, Annie Catherine (MacPherson) '44

MacPherson, Mildred Juanita ( Fenerty) '44

Constable, Ethel Catherine (Miller) '45

Giovannetti, Lillian (Wadden) '46

MacDonald, Annie May (Gillis) '46

MacKinnon, Elizabeth (McInnis) '46

Crosby, Barb (MacLeod) (Matheson) '47

Stone, Vera Bernice (McCarthy) '47

Bent, Donna Ruth (Baker) '48

Ingraham, Dorothy Lorraine (MacLeod) '48

Rideout, Roy '48

Samson, Mary 'Lillian' (Acton) '48

West, Geraldine 'Gerry' (Stillings) '48

Bickerton, Frances Jean (Barron) '49

Dowe, Russell '49

Lindsay, Mary 'Roberta' (Byers) '49

McNabb, Catherine Charlotte (Ripley) '49

Tupper, Rhoda Irene (Lantz) '49

### **1950's**

Marshall, Anne Fraser (MacMillan) '50

Murphy, Rita Marion (Osborne) '50

Ellis, Doreen Carolyn (Campbell) '51

Barrett, Jacqueline Lois (Goodwin) '52

McKeough, Bridget 'Biddy' Harriet (Murphy) '52

Murray, Elizabeth Joan (Johnson) '52

Pothier, Claire Therese '52

Notarfranco, Jacqueline 'Jackie' (Gillard) '53

Payne, Beverly Ann (Reid) '53

Brown, Madonna Kaye (Prest) '54

MacLeod, Ruth ( MacDonald) '54

Peppard, Marjorie Evelyn '54

Cameron, Shirley (Nichols) '55

Higgins, Marilyn (Boyd) '55

Keough, Sister Maria Pius '55

Curry, Betty (Patriquin) '56

MacLellan, Mary Teresa '56

MacNeil, Katherine Jeanette Ann 'Kaye' (Sutherland) '56

Morgan, Florence Josephine (MacDonald) '56

Thompson, Wilma Yvonne ( Embree) '56

Faulkner, Margaret Blanche (Salter) '57

MacVicar, Edna Lillian '57

Slack, Joyce Eileen (Fulton) '57

Killawee, Archibald...'58

MacLeod, Peggy Joyce ( Munroe) '59

Smith, Andrew Clarke '59

### **1960's**

Fraser, Carol (Wood) '60

Parks, Faye (Ruggles) (Salsman) '60

Everett, Sandra Joan (Fowler) '61

Manuel, Margaret Ida (Lintaman) '61

Boudreau, Mavis Anne (MacNeil) '63

Ward, Gregor Matthews '63

Chisholm-Barker, Mary 'Marguerite' (Doyle) '65

Cathcart, Mary (Lawrence) '66

Doucette, Daniel Albert '67

Knowles, Kevin '67

Mitchell, Ralph Desmond '67

### **1970's**

Larade, Catherine Mary (Greene) '70

Boddy, John Charles '70

Bowie, Margaret Mary ( MacPherson) '72

Bishop, Teresa 'Terri' Elizabeth (MacGillvray) '74

Gillis, Margaret Lucille (Gillis) '75

### **1980's**

Shanks, Curtis '80

Wadden, Blair Allister '82

### **FACULTY AND STAFF**

Killawee, Archibald...Professor of Mathematics at NSTC, 1970- 1994

### **YEARS NOT KNOWN**

Murphy, Annie Laura 'McInnis'..Age 103

MacNeil, Marilyn Roselle 'Zack'

Christianson, Marion Joyce 'Spurr'

Clarke, George Ross

Marshall, Lillian Beatrice

Conrad, Lorraine Carmen 'Dorey'

Terris, Lois Jeanne

MacDonald, Colleen 'Lewis'

Ross, Caroline (Sutherland)

Spencer, Gwendolyn F. 'Bonnie'(Keiver)

Langille, Mary Allena (MacKenzie)

Metcalf, Arlene Frances (Schurman)

Hendsbee, Phyllis, Ada (Haynes)

MacDonald, Christina (MacKeough)

Morton, Gary

Chisholm, Danny

Condon, Alice Lorraine (Eaton)

Barrington, Dianne (Mortimer)

Slack, Heather May



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### Alumni Reunion Silent Auction Expands

The Silent Auction will be held at The Little White Schoolhouse Museum and Archives on Saturday, August 17, 2019 from 10 am to 4 pm. This year we will have more items, and the auction will be open to the general public as well as the reunion attendees. As always, all proceeds go to the operation of your Museum and Archives. We are asking you, the alumni, to help by donating items for the auction. Some suggestions include: antique/vintage items, handcrafts, baked goods, gift certificates, gift baskets, movie/play/concert passes, services (catering, entertainment, etc.) We will be soliciting donations from the Truro community and you could in your communities as well. Unlike other years, we need to know in advance what you are donating (a description and/or a picture would be great) and are asking you to deliver items to The Little White Schoolhouse Museum and Archives anytime it is open up to 5 pm on Friday, August 16.

Faye Arnfast (902-986-3293 or [arnfast@eastlink.ca](mailto:arnfast@eastlink.ca)) and David McKillop (902-890-5128 or [davidwmckillop@gmail.com](mailto:davidwmckillop@gmail.com)) will be compiling a list of auction items/descriptions and managing the auction. Please contact Faye or David to tell them what you are donating. Together, we can make this the most successful auction ever!

### MEMBERSHIP

Please support your Alumni Association. Membership Dues are due each year, at \$25.00 per year or \$100.00 for 5 years. As you can imagine, costs are phenomenal to have reunions, postage, and publish newsletters, just to name a few. Without the generous support of our Alumni, we could not exist. Simply contact Bob Jordan, membership convenor, to get your name on our contact/ mailing list.

By mail: Alumni Association Of NSTC,

P.O. Box 25005, Truro, N.S. B2N 7B8. You can also e-transfer dues to: [alumni-nstc@uniserve.com](mailto:alumni-nstc@uniserve.com).

Your support is greatly appreciated!

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## Nominations for Offices for Alumni Association of NSTC

The following will be vacant this year and nominations for these offices will be accepted from Alumni members up to and including the Annual Meeting held in Truro on August 17, 2019. Those currently hold a position will be contacted to determine if they wish to be considered for another term. Term of office is two years.

### Office

#### Secretary

#### Treasurer

#### Area Representatives

Shelburne – Queens. Inverness Richmond

Lunenburg-Hants West

Pictou--Antigonish Guysborough

#### Out Of Province

You may use the form on the back of the page and mail written nominations to:

Nomination Committee Alumni Association of NSTC

PO BOX 25005 Truro NS B2N 7B8

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### Reunion 2018 Awards

#### Oldest Graduate

1938- Alice C. (Shaw) Bond

#### Farthest Traveled

Carole MacFarlane '68 & Joanne  
Kent '68 –British Columbia

#### Class Attendance Award

Class of 1968 with 56 members

#### Special Class Attendance

Class of 1941- Mary (Robertson) Mac-  
lean

Class of 1944 - Helen Muriel  
(Roulston) Miller

Class of 1948 - Mary (Horne) Fowler,  
Kathryn (MacIntosh) Keddy, Hazel  
(Cunningham) McKay, Thomas  
Rissesco, Lavonne (Adamson) Thomp-  
son.

### 2018

#### Attendance Summary

“Honoured Years”

Reunion 2019 Attendance

38's 1  
41's 1  
44's 1  
48's 5  
53's 5  
58's 16  
68's 56  
78's 12  
77's 12  
88's 2

#### Musicians Wanted

If you are a musician, from any grad  
year, we invite you to participate in  
the 2020 reunion.

Please let us know, at  
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Teachers College 2019

## Nomination Form

Offices and Area Representatives that become vacant this year are listed on the back of this form (see **page 15**). All positions are for a term of two years.

I hereby nominate \_\_\_\_\_ of the class of \_\_\_\_\_  
for the Area Representative for \_\_\_\_\_

**or** Office of \_\_\_\_\_ for the term of office 2019.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

This form may be mailed to the address on **page 15** or passed to the Secretary up to, and including, the  
Annual Meeting on August 17, 2019.