



Voice of Our Alumni

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President's Message

Dear Friends of the Alumni,
The Executive Council of the Alumni Association of NSTC, met on Saturday, October 16th, in Truro, to further discuss plans for the future of the Association and to discuss Reunion 2022. As you are aware, from correspondence of May, 2021, the Council had expressed to you the realities of declining membership and attendance at Alumni Reunions. As well, the present Executive has determined that we want to retire, after many years of dedicated service to the Alumni Association. Covid 19 disabled our opportunity to gather in August for Reunion 2020 and 2021 and with ongoing looming pandemic situations now, throughout Canada and the world, we made the decision at our meeting on October 16, 2021, to hold a one day gathering, August 13, 2022 in Truro, at the Best Western Glengarry. Schedules will be sent in this newsletter, outlining the activities and prices, including accommodation at the Glengarry. At this gathering, in August 2022, a number of "Notices Of Motion" regarding the closure and dispersal of remaining funds will be presented to our membership at the Annual General Meeting. Because of the pandemic situation and decisions regarding the Association, we will need to know numbers to attend this gathering by **April 15th, 2022**. Please contact by mail, email or phone Bob Jordan, by this date, if you intend to attend the August Reunion. We will need a minimum of 100 members to have a viable reunion. Should we have limited

interest from membership to attend a one day gathering on August 13th, 2022, then an Annual General Meeting will be called to vote on the "Notices Of Motion" regarding closure and dispersal of funds on a date to be determined after our Council meeting on April 23rd. Further to my letter of May 15, 2022, our Constitution and By-Laws state:

- The Annual Meeting of the association shall be held at the Annual Reunion
 - For an annual Meeting a quorum shall be 20 paid members.
 - Membership of the association shall consist of Full members, Associate members and Honorary members (former Life members are now Full members).
 - The rights, privileges and responsibilities of the membership in the Association shall be extended only to Full members;
 - Full Membership in the Association shall terminate upon the member being two years or more in default of payment of the membership Fee;
 - All expenditures on behalf of the Association shall have the prior approval of the executive Council before they are incurred or paid;
- This Constitution shall be amended by a Notice of Motion being made known to the membership of the Alumni Association and carried by a majority vote at the Annual Meeting of the Alumni Association

I invite you to peruse our website www.nsteacherscollege.ca to update any changes to the site as to staff or any other relevant information and send it to katmurphy27@gmail.com. Should individuals in our membership wish to continue in the leadership role of the

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association, please contact us regarding responsibilities as soon as possible. We have appreciated the many kind comments from our membership and thank you for taking the time to comment on the success of the Alumni Association of NSTC.

With regards,

Margie MacIntyre, '78



Margaret 'Margie'
MacIntyre '78
Alumni president

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NSTC Alumni Reunion 2022 Schedule of Activities

Saturday, August 13 (All at the Best Western Glengarry, except as noted)

- 9:00 AM - 12 Noon - Registration in Foyer. (Ends at 12 Noon). You must be registered for events.
- Tour of the former NSTC Campus 10 a.m. Meet at Forrester Hall.
- 12:30 – 1:30 PM – **Lunch** – in Salon D (or on your own) • 1:00 PM– **Executive Meeting** in MacDonald Room
- 1:30 PM– **Annual Business Meeting** in Salon EG – Get up to date on all aspects of the Alumni Association!
- • 3:00 PM – **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

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

"other" years - so everyone gets in at least one photo! • 4:00 PM– **Executive Meeting** in MacDonald Room.

Morning Plan an activity with your Grad Class: visit the Truro Farmer's Market (8:00 - 1:00); Visit the old Normal College Site, now the Colchester Library; Visit the Historeum to see their college display; Stroll through Truro's beautiful Victoria Park; Shop downtown and at the Truro Mall; Visit downtown Truro and enjoy the many activities; Visit the Little white School House. 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.



Evening in Salon DEG

- 6:00 – 6:30 PM – **Reception/Social.** Music - David McKillop NSTC Prof.
- 6:30 PM – **Dinner and Awards** at *Best Western Glengarry*. Guest Speaker Lois Musselman '69 .
- 8:30 – 10:30 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 Dinner and into the evening.

Special Notes

Special Draw – The first 150 registrations will be entered in a draw for the refund of your Registration Package fees (excluding membership). **A block of rooms** at the *Best Western Glengarry* has been reserved for Alumni. The cost per night \$142.99 inside – \$137.99 outside /double, plus \$10/person for additional occupants and requires advanced registration before July 21, 2022. Please book directly by calling 800-567-4276 or 902-893- 4311. Hot breakfast is included with each nights stay. Check-out by Noon.

Please be aware that **Banquet tickets will NOT be available on site.**
Banquet tickets will only be available by pre-registering by August 6, 2022.

Notice of Motions

This is to give notice that during the August 2022, Annual General Meeting of **The Alumni Association of the Nova Scotia Teachers' College**, a motion will be presented to disband/dissolve this Association and if approved, subsequent motions will be presented, to address the disbursement of any monies and materials, that the Association has in its' possession.

Be it resolved that the Alumni Association of the Nova Scotia Teachers' College be disbanded, effective at the completion of this August 13th, 2022, Annual General Meeting.

Be it resolved that any materials belonging to The Alumni Association of the Nova Scotia Teachers' College, be turned over to the Little White Schoolhouse Museum, The Colchester Library , The Colchester Historical Museum and the Colchester-East Hants Retired Teachers Organization, as appropriate.

Be it resolved that any remaining monies of The Alumni Association of the Nova Scotia Teachers College, after all debts are settled including refunding any unexpired pre-paid memberships, be dispersed to the Nova Scotia Teachers College Foundation and the Little White Schoolhouse Museum.

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In Memoriam
April 2020 –November 2021

1930s

Gordon, Rose Catherine (MacLean) age 100 Class of 1938
Dickie, Thelma Class of 1938
Bain, Emily Olive (MacNab) Class of 1939

1940s

Fraser, Catherine 'Kaye' Janet (Chisholm) Class of 1941
Hennigar, Madelon LaVera (Sanford) Class of 1942
Etter, Cora Helena(Brown) Class of 1943
Jackson, Molly (Crockett) Class of 1947
Roberta McNab(Sarty) '47 ... Normal College Grad and Language Arts Professor at NSTC
Redden, Velma Victoria (Pettigrew) Class of 1947
Theresa Marion Mombourquette (Clannon) Class of 1948
Freeman, Alean Therese (Freeman) Class of 1948
Redden, Millicent Emily 'Millie' (Dale).Class of 1948
Tupper, Rhoda Irene Class of 1949
Bain, John William Class of 1949
Beckwith, Alice (Ferguson) '49

1950s

Haverstock, Edith (MacMichael) Class of 1950
Warner, Mary 'Stella' (Burns) Class of 1950 or 1951
LeJeune, Eva Jean (MacDonald) Class of 1951
Dearman, Virgil Robert Class of 1951
Doiron, Stella Jane (D'Eon) Class of 1952
Pinkham, Jessie Pauline (Manthorne) Class of 1953
Burke, Marie Elizabeth (MacDonald) Class of 1954
Mailman, Marjorie Anne (Matthews) Class of 1954
Dr. Winnie Chafe (MacMullin) Class of 1955
Purdy, Burton 'Burt' Fullerton Class of 1955
Beaton, Mary Florence (MacDonald) '56
Norman Richard Hamilton '58 and '73
Conrad, Sylvia Eileen (George) Class of 1959
Monk, Norah Margaret Elizabeth (May) Class of 1959
Neil Edward Taylor Class of 1959 and again in 1969.
MacNeil, Mary Alice Class of 1959
Talbot, Elizabeth 'Betty' Margaret (Haynes) Class of 1959

1960s

Unsworth, Carol (Oram) '61
MacNeil, Colleen (McCormick) '61
Jackman, Carol (Curry) '61
Ettinger, Doris Adeline (White).Class of 1962
Shaw, Carl Augustus Class of 1963
David S. Johnson Class of 1964
Tinkham, Mona Class of 1967
Zelda Maxine Bushell (Burrows) Class of 1969
Conrad, Elizabeth Anne 'Betty' (Connolly) Class of 1969

1970s

MacPhee, Ronald Earle 'Ron' Class of 1971
Sabean, Marcia Joan Class of 1972
Patricia 'Patsy' Evans Class of 1974
Hartlin, Bruce Joseph Class of 1975

1980s

Michael Baltzer Class of 1981
Melanson, Wayne Joseph '83
Bailey, Mary Anne (Beaver) Class of 1986
Bernard, Shawn Marie Class of 1989

1990s

Duprey, Sheila Marie (Currie) Class of 1993
Conway, Stefanie Lynn (Galliot) Class of 1997

Years Unknown

Levy, Helen Marion (Nowlin)...No Record
Lutes, Roberta Carolyn (Cummings)
MacKay, Helena Pearl (Thompson). age 107!
Normal College Grad.
Williams, Zelma Irene(Hardy)
Freeman, Elfreda Inez 'Freda' (Slaunwhite)
Beattie, Claire(Tomlinson)
Theriauld, Liz (Anderson)
Boutilier, Lorena Marlene (Josey)
Wigle, Robert John

NSTC Professors

Harold Don Allen, age 89. Math professor 1969-1987.
Roberta McNab(Sarty) '47 ... Normal College Grad and Language Arts Professor at NSTC
William 'Bill' Peters.
Shaw, Carl Augustus Class of 1963
Robbins, Dorothy Gertrude (Walker)..AGE 100...
Professor of Physical Education