

CLASS REUNIONS

More details are in your class's notes.

Class of 1953:

65th class reunion Oct. 12

Class of 1958:

60th reunion Oct. 12

Class of 1963:

55th Reunion dinner at Faculty Club,
Oct. 12

Class of 1968:

50th reunion Oct. 12-14.

42 On April 21, at the School of Public Health's 75th anniversary celebration, **Dr. Marty Griffin, MPH '72**, was honored as one of its 75 most influential living alumni. Marty was honored for his many contributions to public health science. For years, he served as Public Health Officer at the crowded Sonoma Development Center for brain-damaged patients; and, in Sacramento, as consultant to the Dept. of Development Services. With Griffin's leadership a Hepatitis B Task Force was created for the 7 state hospitals. Susceptible clients and employees were immunized, and the cases of work-related Hepatitis B were reduced to zero. For this work Marty was awarded the Governor's Gold Star, and the School of Public Health Hero Award. PLEASE, all of you living '42ers send news of current activities that keep you purposeful and enjoying life.

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50 Under the leadership of Class President **Dick Ingraham**, the 68th Class Reunion was a huge success. 119 attended at the University Club overlooking Memorial Stadium. **Dick Hafner** gave cases of his award-winning wine to complement the luncheon. **Dean Bob Jacobsen** was the Reunion speaker. **Dr. Dan Funderburk MD** retired after 26 years on the USC facility and lives in Banning. **Norren Perscheid** and her husband, Gus, celebrated their 69th anniversary. They met on the Rooter train to the UCLA game. **Don Allen** retired as CEO of a Silicon Valley startup and lives in Redwood City with his wife, Susan. **Lois Franz** said "Looking down on the field from the University Club brought back many memories of my late husband, All-American Rod Franz, running out of the tunnel on to the field." **Marie Aguilar Howard** retired as a marriage and family therapist after 26 years. **Al Blanc** and his wife, Emily, retired to Mare Island after living many years overseas. **Don and Gwen Reichert** have traveled to all seven continents. **Marilyn Reinertson** has returned to California after living her adult life in the east. **Leo Kowalski** and his wife celebrated

their 60th wedding anniversary in 2017. **Merrie Meadows Beckham** and her husband, Sparkey, traveled from Dallas for the reunion. She helped design the Class Flag and Banner that was displayed at the Reunion.

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52 The 150th anniversary was well celebrated at Charter Day and the Charter Banquet. Our new Chancellor, Carol Christ, officiated at both, and the parade of class banners was spectacular. Of course, the Golden Crew of '52 was my favorite. Many of you sent in notes for this column and they will be included as space permits. One constant theme was gratitude for the education we received and the richness of the Cal experience. **Vern Johnson Pitts**, formerly of Foster City, is now enjoying retirement at the Peninsula Regent in San Mateo. **Nick and Pat (Nolan) Veliotis** still reside in McLean, VA. Nick is active in the Academy of Diplomacy concentrating on the Middle East and Asia. Pat continues to play the piano, including playing for disabled veterans in the area. **Ruth Hansen** was sorry to miss the reunion and can't believe it has been 65 years. A memory she shared was "the reading room at the big library." (The Doe Library is now equipped with WiFi.) Many who attended the reunion asked about a 70th. We will keep you posted!

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53 Friday, Oct. 12 is the date of our 65th class reunion during Homecoming Weekend. Join us for lunch in Student Union Tilden Room with onsite parking downstairs. Contact Maya Goehring at mgoehring@berkeley.edu to make your reservation. After graduation and lettering on the tennis team, **William M. Denevan** spent two years in the Navy, then grad school at Cal, earning an M.A. '58 and Ph.D. '63. Bill met Patricia Sue French '58 when he was a hasher at her boarding house; they now have two children, five grandchildren, and a great-granddaughter. In 1963, Bill began a 30-year career as a professor at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, with appointments in geography (Chair), Latin American studies (Director), and environmental studies. The family lived three years in Bolivia and Peru where Bill did research in Amazonia and the Andes. Honors include Guggenheim Fellow and election to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. They now

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live at Sea Ranch on the Sonoma coast. **Cindy Atchley Peterson** lives in "White Sands of La Jolla," a retirement community. Cindy has sung for 55 years in her church's Chancel Choir and has served 35 years as chair of the Easter Sunrise Service at Spreckels Organ Pavilion in Balboa Park, which supports the San Diego Rescue Mission for the Homeless. *Class Secretaries: Beth Mott, 14 Mariposa Dr, San Luis Obispo 93401, bethmott@charter.net; Ollie White, 292 Hacienda Carmel, Carmel 93923, ollie@razzolino.com*

54 **James Milward** has already made plans to go back to Hawaii next year for a month. He writes: "My plans say I'll be alive; damn the torpedos. I have two new great-grandsons. I want to see them grow. I've made a Halloween village (Devils Island) and last year I did a Dickens scene for Christmas. I know these aren't academia projects but they're still creative for me. My book *Flame Man* will be out late July or early August. The next book, *Hawaiian Revenge* will be out in February next year."

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55 **Rosemary Mein** attended the 33rd Annual CAA Leadership Award Luncheon in March, honoring over 650 students. Our class endowment has grown over the years and we are able to honor 3 outstanding students. Two of our scholars attended and were very thankful for our generosity. You may recall we have a TAAP Scholarship through the CAA, which is based on need. This was our 60th Reunion Gift to the University. We named it after our outstanding classmate, Warren Hellman. Be proud of yourselves for continued support of the University.

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56 **John Mason** recalls how he and other Cal band members reconstituted the Straw Hat Band in 1953. John drove his '37 Ford Coupe to Dorfman Hat and Glove in Oakland to buy hats. He drove back to Berkeley with two tubes of 20 hats each sticking out the rear windows of the car. He got many funny looks. Lifetech's founding principal and technical director **Michael Jordan** has been inducted in the international Maritime Hall

of Fame. Mike was recognized for his pioneering work in the design of the first dockside container crane structure for Matson in 1958 and developing design concepts for the various now-standard container handling cranes. *Class Secretary: Barbara Jopp Chinn, 5405 Carlton St #404, Oakland 94618, chinnacres@sbcglobal.net*

58 Invitations for our 60th reunion on Oct. 12, in the Pauley Ballroom, were mailed in early July. Gather for a reception at 11 a.m. The luncheon at noon will feature remarks by Chancellor Carol Christ, General Editor Robert Hirst of the Mark Twain Papers and Project, current Class of 1958 TAAP Scholar Vanessa Reyes, and a recent Cal in the Capitol intern. The reunion coincides with Reunion and Parents Weekend, and you may want to attend lectures and tours that weekend and/or the Cal-UCLA football game on Saturday. We are embarked on a 60th Reunion Gift Campaign. Gifts to projects we have supported in the past—Class of 1958 Endowed Chair, Mark Twain Papers and Project Endowment, Class of 1958 TAAP Scholarship, and the Ambassador J. Christopher Stevens Memorial Fund—are encouraged but gifts to any campus activity or program will count. If you have any questions, contact Roger Samuelsen at rogsam58@gmail.com.

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61 We were well represented at Charter Day ceremonies this spring. As part of the celebration of Cal's 150th birthday, classmates **Joy Holmes Maguire** and **JoAnn Thebolt Berridge** marched in the ranks of alums from the 1940s to 2018. JoAnn proudly carried our Class of '61 banner, and Joy carried the banner for the class of 1952 in honor of her brother, **Bill T. Worthington Vogel** is retiring from the Fresno County District Attorney's office in June, after 45 years. He started the second Sexual Assault Child Abuse unit in the state and ran it for 13 years, receiving the Harry Burn's Award from the National Women's Political Caucus. He took over the juvenile unit during the 1990 crime wave, with a 100-case back log, and ran it for 12 years. He hopes to retire to Morro Bay. We received a letter of thanks from Craig Evans, who has held the Class of '61 Collegium Chair in Undergraduate Education. Dr. Evans, Professor of Mathematics, has served his five-year term and will soon be replaced. The accomplishments of the collegium can be found at collegium.berkeley.edu. Professor Evans's letter can be found on our class website at kaneprod.com/Classof61.

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63 Come to our 55th reunion dinner at the Faculty Club on Friday 10/12.

More details are available online at homecoming.berkeley.edu.

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66 **John East** worked for 42 years in Silicon Valley, and was president and CEO of Actel for 22 years. He is married to Pam Mattson East '70, they have two daughters and two grandsons. With a Ph.D. in molecular biology, **James Felton** completed a post-doc assignment in cancer research at the National Institutes of Health. He has been deputy associate director at Lawrence Livermore Laboratory and associate director of the UC Davis Cancer Center. James currently teaches at the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, CSU-East Bay. He and his wife, **Bette Borden '68**, have two daughters and two grandchildren. **Joan (Mary) Schminke Fulton** taught elementary school in the San Diego area. Her husband, Patrick, passed away in March 2016. For many years, they and their three children attended Camp Blue, Lair of the Bear. After graduation, **Jennie Hornosty** returned to Canada and completed a Ph.D. in social and political thought. She taught sociology at the University of New Brunswick and remains active in progressive causes. Now widowed, she has two sons. **Bonnie Johnson** earned her M.A. in library science and has returned to the West Coast after 30 years to be near her two children and three grandchildren.

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67 **Tuck Coop** and wife, Nancy, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. Tuck, former executive director of the Cal Alumni Association, is the current Chairman of "Pappy's Boys," Cal football players who played for Pappy Waldorf. **Dick George** and wife, Jeanne, have a grandson who just turned 1; they spent Memorial Day weekend helping him learn to navigate stairs. Dick is still working and enjoying being an expert witness in banking litigation cases. **Allan P. Gold** has completed 42 years as district school psychologist in Tiburon. He was named California Outstanding School Psychologist last October. He has established a scholarship fund in his and his parents' name (his dad was a 1921 graduate and was the oldest living graduate when he passed away at 104 in 2002). **Susan Hill** received the Volunteer of the Year award from the City of Piedmont in May, in recognition of her leadership of the Piedmont Harvest Festival. She now has two sons who are doctors specializing in emergency medicine. **Colleen Conway McAndrews** just termed out after 9 years on the board of the Berkeley Endowment Management Company and will

continue on the UCB Foundation Board for another two years. Colleen retired in 2014 from a 25-year political and election law practice and is "happy to be out of that fray now." **Cheryl Wong** and husband, Bob '68, just celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary and reported that our class had a nice representation at Berkeley's 150th Charter Day celebration. **Noel Don Zinn** earned an M.A. in mathematics from the University of Houston last year. **David Bush**, longtime sportswriter for the *SF Chronicle*, is covering Cal sports for Bear Insider.com, which offers three months' free subscription to CAA members.

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68 Let's make our 50th Reunion the best ever! Plan on attending Oct. 12–14 at Cal. Events include an informal coffee hour at the Free Speech Movement Cafe, a talk by Robert Reich, campus tours, and the 50th Reunion Gala. Contact Cal68@blueconnect.org for information; also see Homecoming.berkeley.edu. Selected class giving opportunities are described at reunions.berkeley.edu/class/1968. Class of '68 Gatherings were held June 2 in the San Francisco Bay Area in the north and June 9 in the south. Gatherings will continue on Dec. 1 and March 9, 2019 on campus. Ongoing fall semester meetings resulted in monthly joint events with Cal '18 and Cal '68. Meet some Cal '18 students at our reunion events. Our 50th reunion is the perfect opportunity to fund an endowment to ensure that the Goldman School of Public Policy Center on Civility & Democratic Engagement (CCDE) continues in perpetuity. The CCDE presents public events and supports research, teaching, fellowships, and internships. For CCDE programs, see gspp.berkeley.edu/centers/ccde/public-events.

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69 **Brian Kahn**, host of the Montana Public Radio program *Home Ground*, was inspired by Pope Francis and his speaking about the high rates of youth unemployment. Brian created "Friends of Francis" (www.friendsoffrancis.net), a global effort to encourage people of all faiths to make our world a better place. The pilot program, "American Jobs for American Youth: A Montana Proposal to the Nation," launched in Feb. Brian has lead the effort for three years. Find out more at americanjobs4youth.org.

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70 **Earl Ernest Guile** has written two books. One, *A Lady of Grace, Genius, and Grit*, is about his centenarian mother. Mrs. Evelyn Bennett Guile's life can teach about lifestyle design and living your best life. The other, *The Singularity Prize*, is about

artificial intelligence and its rapidly emerging impact on our lives. The team pursuing artificial super intelligence is based at Berkeley's computer science department.

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72 **Del Henry** tells us how much his mother meant to him with the single, "A Mother's Love One Kind," released in April by LisZenUp RecordZ, and sold on iTunes, Amazon, and other sites. His album is called *Mother's Day Everyday*. **Douglas Van der Heide** graduated magna cum laude in history, then completed medical school at Columbia College of Physicians and Surgeons and did his psychiatry residency at Cornell Medical College. Douglas graduated from New York Psychoanalytic Institute in 1997, and became a supervising and training psychoanalyst at the Institute for Psychoanalytic Education affiliated with NYU Medical Center in 2016. He lives with his wife of 20 years, Ruth, in Manhattan and teaches the Dream Course at NYPSP and IPE to train future psychoanalysts. *Class Secretary: Debbie Klohs DeZarn, dezarn@cal.berkeley.edu, 7018 Shiloh Place, Stockton, CA 95219, 303/424-1498*

78 **Mark Sedenquist**, founder of Imbrifex Books, celebrates having received literary awards for all of Imbrifex Books' debut titles. *Class Secretaries: Jamie Wells Behrendt, PO Box 514, Ross 94957-0514; Karl Keller, 7504 Brentwood Dr, Stockton 95207*

80 The Santa Cruz Museum of Art and History has published *Between the Redwoods and the Bay: The Jewish Community of Santa Cruz County, California from the Gold Rush to the 21st Century* by **George J. Fogelson**. The book began as George's History 101 thesis written in Professor Leon Litwak's "Race & Ethnicity" Honors Seminar. It recounts the little-known story of the earliest Jewish settlers of Santa Cruz County and the history of their community. **Leo O'Farrell** and your class secretary, **Kevin Johnson**, continue to refine their golf games with a trip to Truckee offering some challenges. **Jeff Oki** remains at the Grocery Outlet in Berkeley. He now goes by the name "Grandpa." *Class Secretary: Kevin Johnson, 232 Tern Pl, Davis 95616, krjohnson@ucdavis.edu*

88 **Michael Friedland** has recently been appointed as a new board member of Bob Hope USO. Mr. Friedland will join a distinguished group dedicated to strengthening America's military by keeping service members connected to family, home, and country. *Class Secretaries: Amy Steiner Sanford, 155 Los Robles Dr, Burlingame 94010, asanford@bam-llc.com; Brigitte Wilds, 100 Bideford Pl, Cary, NC 27513, bwilds3@gmail.com*

89 **Dr. Rainer Glaser, M.A., Ph.D.**, professor of chemistry at the University of Missouri-Columbia, has been named chair of chemistry at Missouri University of Science and Technology. During his tenure at MU, Glaser brought in over \$5 million in research and educational funding. He has supervised over 20 dissertations, and his research group has authored over 180 articles in peer-reviewed publications on a broad range of topics. **Shepherd Siegel, Ph.D.**, has written *Disruptive Play: The Trickster in Politics and Culture*. The book is available online and wherever books are sold. *Class Secretary: Brett Kanazawa, 651 Stamm Ave, Mountain View 94040, 510/550-6839*

90 **Tom Harker** was confirmed by the Senate and sworn in as the Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Financial Management and Comptroller (Navy CFO). *Class Secretaries: Althea Kippes, PO Box 2807, San Francisco 94126-2807, 415/305-9934, atkippes@alumni.haas.org*

93 **Marianna Stark**, her husband Sam Perry, and their 4-year-old daughter Tay camped at the Lair of the Bear for the first time last summer. "Excellent, non-stop child care at the Kub Korral and 3 meals a day in the dining hall meant the first real rest/vacation for us since Tay arrived. Camp Red, Week 2, will be a tradition for the Perry-Starks!" *Class Secretary: Kelly Hamilton Graser, graserkg@sbcglobal.net*

94 **John M. Saroyan, MD**, a graduate of Berkeley in comparative literature, was awarded the prestigious 2018 Hastings Center Cunniff-Dixon Physician Award. Dr. Saroyan was recognized for his expertise in pediatric palliative care and hospice care. *Class Secretary: Elizabeth Zamora Villegas, francophile@alum.calberkeley.org*

99 This September, **Clayton Everline** will be back in the Bay Area lecturing on athletes with knee osteoarthritis and non-surgical management. His book *Surf Survival*, co-authored by UCSF physician and Maverick's surf legend, Dr. Mark Renneker, will be out with a second edition in 2019. They will be surfing Ocean Beach 8/29-9/2 and Clay will be watching Cal-UNC 9/2 from either the stands or Tightwad Hill, depending on if he can get tickets. And, to keep continuity with his last update in 2016, he just got confirmation on being one of Honolulu's top sports doctors for the fourth consecutive year in *Honolulu* magazine's Castle Connolly list. *Class Secretary: Staci Goussev, staci@alum.calberkeley.org*

00 The Board of Trustees for Fort Lewis College named **Dr. Tom Stritikus, M.A., Ph.D.**, as the next president of the college. He earned a B.A. in English from

the University of Nebraska-Lincoln in 1993 before joining Teach for America and teaching elementary school in Baltimore. In 1997, he entered graduate school at Berkeley where he earned an M.A. and a Ph.D. in education in language, literacy and culture. *Class Secretary: Stephanie Huang, wonstern@yahoo.com*

08 **David Gorin, Ph.D.**, associate professor of chemistry at Smith College, was recently honored with The Kathleen Compton Sherrerd '54 and John J. F. Sherrerd Prize for Distinguished Teaching.

10 **Dr. Kelley Fanto Deetz, M.A., Ph.D.**, a visiting assistant professor at Randolph College in Lynchburg, VA, Director of the Shared History Project, and Research Associate with the James River Institute for Archaeology, is joining the Stratford staff as Director of Programming, Education and Visitor Engagement.

14 **Heather Buckley, Ph.D.**, received a Canada Foundation for Innovation infrastructure grant. An associate professor in the University of Victoria's Department of Civil Engineering, Buckley is developing a cheap and simple test strip for contaminated drinking water in mining communities.

16 **Forrest landola, Ph.D.**, is the CEO and co-founder of DeepScale, a Mountain View-based perception software startup advancing the accuracy of semi- and fully-automated vehicles.

We currently have no class secretary listed for the following classes: '29-'31, '35, '41, '49, '04, '06-'08, '10, '12-'14, and '16. If you are the class secretary, please contact the magazine office at 510/642-5981.

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