



Wayne Whitney Pearce, son of John Phillip (1916-1997) and Nadine (Lapham) (1917-1982) Pearce, was born 29 January 1947, Saginaw, Saginaw County, Michigan. He graduated in 1965 from Okemos High School and furthered his education at Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo County, Michigan. Wayne also served in the Army National Guard.

ELKHART NOON EXCHANGE CLUB

Jim O'Brien, fickle phantom of friendship at the Feb. 14 meeting, awarded the handshake dollar to Jim Hughey. Then he fined anyone who was not planning to attend the Exchange Mid-Winter Conference. Hughey offered a crappy dollar because the proposed defense cuts will impact his kids, who recently completed boot camp. Steve Bonine offered a happy dollar because he has reservations to see the Cubs' spring training in Arizona.

A Freedom Shrine has been discovered at CAPS Joy Rose Center. Dick Jenks agreed to pick it up. The club might find a new location for it.

Wayne Pearce, a ReMax Realtor, talked about residential real estate in Elkhart County. He shared various statistics about the local housing market. Income in the Elkhart-Goshen MSA has fallen the fastest in the country. That is reflected in the prices of homes. However, the trend has started to rise, though it has a long way to go. Housing prices were down 32 percent from 2007. There has not been much construction of new homes. But Pearce thinks things have bottomed out. Realtors are showing and selling much more than in the last few years.

Wayne, married and with 2 children, was employed with REMAX Realty in Indiana for 20 years.

REMAX Executive Club 2016 Award:

The Executive Club level is the Sixth highest regional honor for sales in a single year. Only 19% of 1,269 RE/MAX INTEGRA, Midwest associates in Indiana achieved the Executive Club level in 2016.

Wayne Pearce- RE/MAX EXCELLENCE, Elkhart

Wayne passed away 24 July 2018. He was cremated and his memorial was arranged by

the Walley-Mills-Zimmerman Funeral Home.

Walley-Mills-Zimmerman Funeral Home, Elkhart, Elkhart County, Indiana

Wayne Pearce

January 30, 1947 – July 24, 2018

Wayne Pearce of Eagle Lake (Edwardsburg,

11777 N. Park Lane, Granger

NEW PRICE

Large 2 story home near 23 & Bittersweet. In-ground private pool. 4 large bedrooms, 2.5 baths. Full finished basement. Penn Schools.

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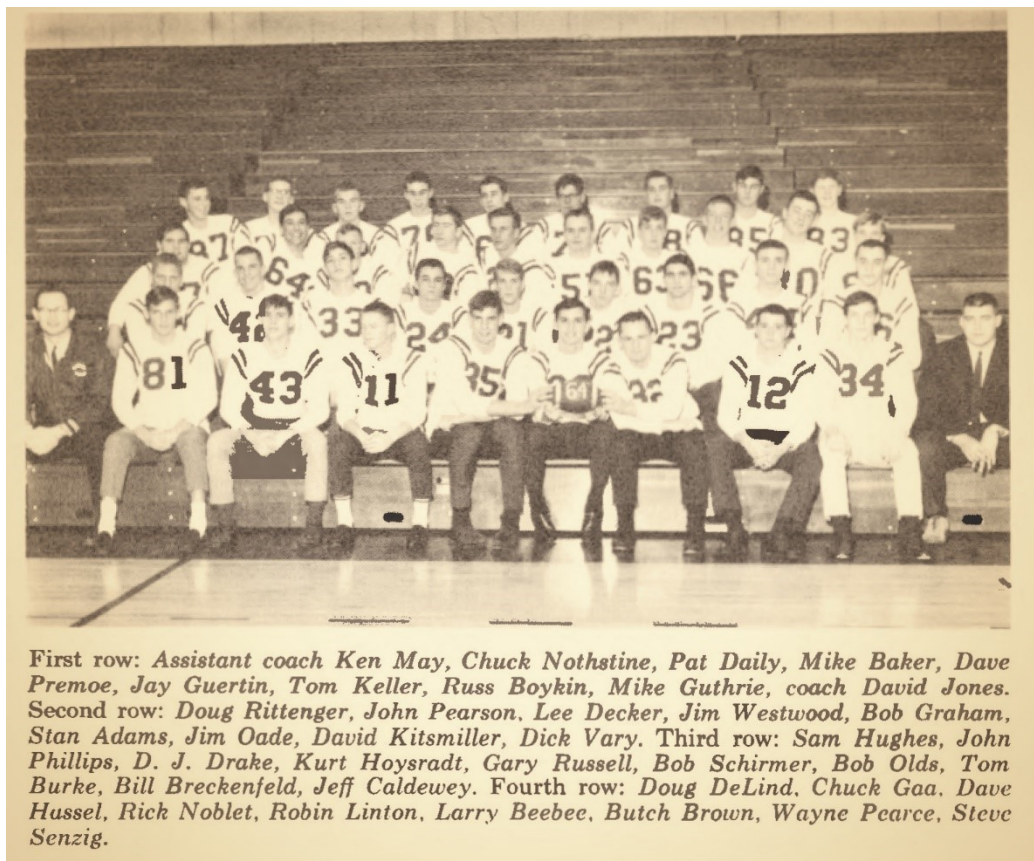


MI) passed away on Tuesday, July 24 at Elkhart General Hospital surrounded by family and friends.

He was born January 30, 1947 in Saginaw, MI to John and Nadine Pearce. He graduated from Western Michigan University and was a member of Delta-Chi Fraternity. He also served in the Army National Guard.

He was a Real Estate Broker at RE/MAX Excellence in Elkhart for the past 20 years. Prior to embarking on his real estate career, he worked as a Vice President for a Japanese Real Estate company. He also worked in various sales positions for Shasta (a Division of Coachmen); Travel Equipment Corp; and Utilimaster.

Wayne will be remembered for many things, some of which are his love of boating on Eagle Lake with family and friends, his vast knowledge of many subjects and his incredible wit.



First row: Assistant coach Ken May, Chuck Nothstine, Pat Daily, Mike Baker, Dave Premoe, Jay Guertin, Tom Keller, Russ Boykin, Mike Guthrie, coach David Jones. Second row: Doug Rittenger, John Pearson, Lee Decker, Jim Westwood, Bob Graham, Stan Adams, Jim Oade, David Kitsmiller, Dick Vary. Third row: Sam Hughes, John Phillips, D. J. Drake, Kurt Hoysradt, Gary Russell, Bob Schirmer, Bob Olds, Tom Burke, Bill Breckenfeld, Jeff Caldewey. Fourth row: Doug DeLind, Chuck Gaa, Dave Hessel, Rick Noblet, Robin Linton, Larry Beebee, Butch Brown, Wayne Pearce, Steve Senzig.

Football Team Picture, 1965 Okemos Tomahawk

He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Barb Pearce; his son Ryan (Melissa) of Riverside, IL; his daughter Suzanne (Rick) Tufts and granddaughter Blair Tufts of Elkhart. He is also survived by his brother Dale (Adrienne) of Memphis, TN; sister-in-laws Jane Morgan of Cape Coral, FL; Margie Ladzick of Ann Arbor, MI; Donna (Bill) Gordon of Spring Lake, MI; and several nieces and nephews.

A celebration of Wayne's life will be held at a later date.

Donations in Wayne's name can be made to the Elkhart YWCA - Safe Haven (132 State Street, Elkhart, IN 46516).

Thanks to Sue Ball Spengler Stair '65 for informing us of Wayne's passing.