

EIGHT TO BE INDUCTED INTO HALL OF FAME

Honored will be: Bates, Boyd, M. Brecker, R. Brecker, Cutler, Farquhar, Fox, Littlepage

The Alumni Association of Cheltenham High School cordially invites you to join us in honoring eight of our graduates for outstanding achievement in their respective professions.

The following will be inducted into our Hall of Fame:

Barbara Snedeker Bates '36

Editor and Author

Adele Boyd '49

Member United States Field Hockey Team,
Coach and Official

Michael Brecker '67

Grammy Award Winning Jazz Musician

Randy Brecker '63

Grammy Award Winning Jazz Musician

Winnifred Berg Cutler, Ph.D. '62

Biologist, Author and Research Scientist
Founder Athena Institute for Women's Wellness, Inc.

James Farquhar '30

Civic Leader and Philanthropist

The Honorable Jon D. Fox '65

United States Congressman
13th Congressional District-Pennsylvania

Craig K. Littlepage '69

College Athletic Administrator and Educator

*Friday Evening, May 17, 1996
Induction Ceremony 7:30 p.m.
Followed by hors d'oeuvres
and desserts*

*Cheltenham High School
Rices Mill and Carlton Avenue
Wyncote, PA 19095*

The Cheltenham High School Alumni Association is pleased to announce the induction of eight outstanding graduates into the Alumni Hall of Fame.

The fifth Hall of Fame ceremony will once again be held at Cheltenham High School in Wyncote on Friday, May 17, 1996. The festivities will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the school's Little Theatre. The official plaque unveilings and a reception will follow in the school's Hall of Fame Lobby.

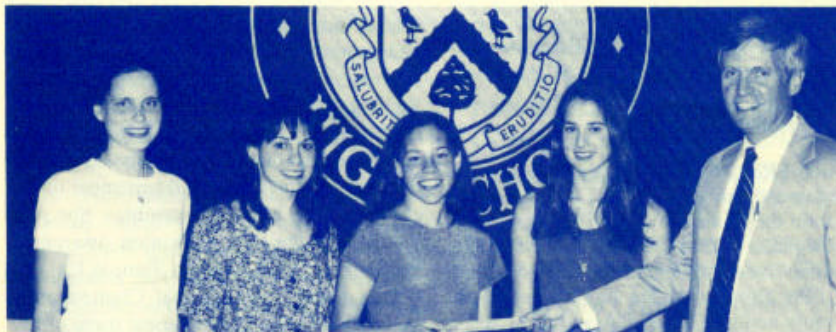
All friends of Cheltenham High School are invited to attend this very special evening. Tickets are \$25.00 with the proceeds from the evening to benefit the CHS Alumni Association Scholarship Fund. **Please check the appropriate spot on the membership/response form on page 3 of the *Panther's Tale*.**

Alumni Association awards scholarships

The Cheltenham High School Alumni Association, for the 17th consecutive year, presented four graduating seniors with scholarship awards. This year's four \$500 awards bring the total Cheltenham Alumni Scholarships presented to over \$34,000. The winners from the class of 1995 are: Jean Marie Capizzi, Denise Marie Connor, Amanda Hector, and Kellen Zale.

While a student at Cheltenham High School, Jean Marie Capizzi was extremely active in the Cheltenham Theatre productions, including everything from backstage production to principal roles. Jean was also involved in the school's string orchestra, the Honors Choir and the touring ensemble. She was an active member of the Animal Rights organization, co-chair of Student Council's Charities Committee and a member of the National Honor Society. Ms. Capizzi, academically, carried a full load of honors courses. She completed

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The 1995 Cheltenham High School Alumni Association Scholarship winners receive their checks from Cheltenham Principal Joseph Rodgers. The winners are (from left to right) Kellen Zale, Jean Marie Capizzi, Denise Marie Connor, and Amanda Hector

Panther Spotlight

Betty Cataldi, '62 our illustrious Alumni president has won election for a four year term on the Board of School Directors for the Cheltenham School District.

Robert N. Grimes, '76, President and CEO of Cyntergy Corporation, Gaithersburg, Maryland was named Entrepreneur of the Year for the Greater Washington D.C. area. **Grimes** also represented the United States in the World Young Business Achiever awards program in London.

Samuel Tucker, '33 had his musical composition, The Outer Space March performed last Spring by the Cheltenham High School Concert Band under the direction of Larry Daroff. Mr. Tucker was acknowledged by the very receptive audience with a hearty round of applause.

Barbara Myerson Katz, '70 is a free lance writer and media consultant in Louisville, KY. She writes for Louisville Magazine and print and video scripts for local and national corporate and educational projects.

Robert M. Cohen, M.D., '57, is a neurosurgeon in Philadelphia. He also serves as vice-president of the Philadelphia Folksong Society.

Jo-Ann Shmukler Slomine, '61 has opened her own real estate office in Fort Washington. Jo-Ann is president of the East Montgomery County chapter of Women's Council of Realtors.

Bill Blum, '68, an administrative law judge has recently had published his first novel, *Prejudicial Error* that "takes us inside the shadowy labyrinth of Southern California's justice system."

Perry Lederman, '87 has returned this season to Cheltenham as the new varsity wrestling coach for the defending Suburban I champions. He was assisted by **Patrick Steuer, '92**.

Daniel Levin, '67 is a composer and producer. He recently opened a recording studio in Austin, TX to produce music for advertising.

Liebe Kazan Gelman, M.D., '74 is the clinical director of the Department of Psychiatry at Bucks County Hospital and an Assistant Professor of Psychiatry at Hahnemann University and the Medical College of Pennsylvania.

William Link, '52 and the late **Richard Levinson, '52** were inducted last summer to the Academy of Television Arts and Sciences TV Academy Hall of Fame. This writing and producing team, that started writing together at Ogontz Jr. High, created "Columbo" and "Murder She Wrote". The two were inducted into the CHS Alumni Hall of Fame in 1981.

Chad Levitt, '93, was named a second team all-American by the National Football Gazette. A junior tailback for Cornell, Chad is a two-time all-Ivy League selection. He led his league in rushing, scoring and in all-purpose running.

Janet Sluzer, '67, is an independent radio reporter in San Francisco who works for national networks doing news, sports and features.

Alan Richman, '61, writes "The Hungry I", the food and wine column for *Gentlemen's Quarterly* (GQ), and has become one of America's most prominent food critics.

Marla Brodski, '77, now know as Marla BB is a popular blues singer whose voice has been compared to that of Janis Joplin. She performs with her back-up group, the Sassy Mama Blues Band. She has just released a new CD entitled "When Love Comes".

Michael Harris, '68, is a criminal courts reporter for the Los Angeles Daily Journal. He just finished covering the O.J. Simpson trial. He has covered every major trial in L.A. in recent years including the Hillside Strangler, the Night Stalker and the Menendez brothers.

Michael Skloff, '77, successful composer, conductor, arranger and accompanist wrote the theme song for the hit comedy series "Friends" that is on the charts now performed by the Rembrandts. Michael was nominated for an Emmy Award for the theme song.

Bruce Fifer, '63, the musical director for the largest Gothic cathedral in the world, St John the Divine in New York has found a new place to lend his voice. Bruce can be heard in five number in the Disney animated hit "Pocahontas". He has appeared in "Beauty and the Beast", "Aladdin" as well. He has already begun work on Disney's next animated project, "The Hunchback of Notre Dame".

Alumni scholarship winners

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her senior year ranked number three in the class and was awarded a National Merit Scholarship. Jean is attending Carleton College in Northfield, Minnesota.

Denise Marie Connor was awarded the Alumni Association's **Roberta Rose Scholarship**. Denise, truly a student-athlete, carried a course load filled with honors physics, honors calculus, honors English and biology II and graduated ninth in the class. She entered in the Pennsylvania Junior Academy of Science, where she earned first prize in the region and second prize in the state. Denise was a member of the National Honor Society and was named a finalist by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation. As an athlete, Denise was one of Cheltenham's top runners for four years. She was a state finalist in cross country and qualified for states in the spring in the mile and half-mile. Ms. Connor is attending Williams College in Williamstown, Massachusetts.

Amanda Hector, who is attending Princeton University, combines the theatre, sports and academics around a thirteen year long modeling career. Amanda played field hockey for Cheltenham and club soccer. She could be found on the stage singing and dancing in the spring musicals. She was also a member of Cheltenham's three time state championship Problem Solving Team that qualified for the International Problem Solving Bowl. With a heavy schedule of honors courses, Amanda finished her senior year ranked twelfth in the senior class, a member of the National Honor Society and received a National Merit Letter of Commendation.

Kellen Zale was awarded the Alumni Association's **Jack Wagman Scholarship**. Kellen, while carrying a full load of honors courses, finished her senior year ranked fifth in the senior class. She was elected a member of the National Honor Society and was a National Merit Scholarship winner. Outside the classroom, Kellen was a section editor of the yearbook, a member of the tennis team, and a member of the choir and the touring ensemble. She participated in the Law Education Awareness Program (LEAP) through Temple University and was a member of Cheltenham's Mock Trial team. Kellen spent some of her free time reading to young children at a local day care center. Ms. Zale is currently a Pre-Law major at Princeton University.

JOIN THE CENTURY CLUB LIST

The CHS Alumni Association's **Century Club** is looking for a few good graduates to help us reach the second 100 Century Members. All you have to do to join the **Century Club** is send the \$100 century membership fee today! If you are already a life member of the CHSAA then you can move up to the **Century Club** for only \$75. Show your Blue and Gold spirit, join today!

ARTHUR MAGILL	'25	VIVIAN GARBER SHAW	'42	FRED GROSSMAN	'55
JULIAN S. BERS	'27	ROBERT C. WADE	'42	LOIS GLASGOW SIMMONS	'57
FREDERICK BITTING	'29	EDWARD G. REID	'43	IRVIN TONKINSON	'57
MARGARET CLOUD ALTDOERFER	'29	RENEE AARON BUCHSBAUM	'43	KEN HART	'57
RUTH OPENSHAW COWELL	'30	DAVID A. SCHLOSS	'43	RONALD M. SHAPIRO	'60
GRACE PAIST WAGNER	'30	DAVID W. PETZOLD	'43	MELVIN MOLNICK	'61
JAMES FARQUHAR	'30	HAROLD H. GEBERT	'43	JOANN SHMUCKLER SLOMINE	'61
CHARLES FAIRLAMB	'32	MARGARET HITCHING JACOBS	'43	JUDITH ASHER EISNER	'61
JACK WAGMAN	'32	VALENTINE L. WILSON	'43	MICHAEL GRANT KOHN	'61
MIRIAM BLOCH SIMON	'32	ROGER A. BISSINGER	'43	LAURENCE H. REINHARD	'62
BERNARD B. ROTHCHILD	'32	ESTHER BERTOLET HINCHCLIFF	'43	GARY HOFFMAN	'63
WILLIAM J. THOMSON	'32	MARGARET FASSETT LUEDECKE	'43	DENISE HORTON JACKSON	'64
RICHARD KOCH	'32	WILLIAM B. EAGLESON	'43	SUSAN BODENGER WEISS	'65
ELEANOR SCHAEFER KRIVIN	'32	ANNE HEUER LEWIS	'43	EMILY BRECKER GREENBERG	'65
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JANE GILL MANN	'33	SHIRLEY SILVERMAN WEINSTEIN	'44	JON D. FOX	'65
RUTH CONNER DETRICK	'33	FREIDA M. WOLF AIKUS	'44	SYDNEY GREENBERG DUBERSTEIN	'67
GUENTHER P. HOFFMAN	'33	SIMONE ZANDER BRUNN	'44	DAVID STAROBIN	'67
LOUISE BERS ROSE	'33	ALSA KAUFMANN LICHTENSTEIN	'44	MICHAEL BRECKER	'67
MARGARET BERG HAHN	'33	CHARLOTTE GEIS NESLIE	'44	PHILIP FROST	'67
ERWIN WEINBERG	'33	JANE KREMER MARTIN	'45	GINNY MOORE KOUTSOUROS	'68
SARAH BOONE MILLER	'33	WALLACE TRIPLETT	'45	DIANE RUBIN LIEBERMAN	'70
HARRY MEYERS	'33	LINDA NELSON	'46	DAVID SELTZER	'70
LORRAINE M. GABEL	'34	ROBERT A. MYERS	'46	SANFORD STUDENT	'72
DONALD BEGGS	'35	ROBERT F. LEDERER	'46	STEVEN DORFESQ.	'73
ANNE ARMSTRONG CAMPBELL	'35	DANIEL E. BEREN	'47	JAY G. JOYCE	'74
ELIZABETH RIESZ GLAESER	'35	CAROL SUBIN GOLD	'47	DAVID FARBER	'75
EMMA HAYNIE HAILSTALK	'35	VIVIAN SIMKINS LASKO	'47	STEVEN ZELENKOPFSKE	'76
BARBARA SNEDEKER BATES	'36	MARJORIE FISCHMAN SHUSHAN	'47	ROBERT G. GOLDBERG	'77
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JAY SOGG	'37	MICHELLE WEILLER LAPAUTRE	'49	ANNA J. KIM	'86
JAMES SLOAN	'38	CARL A. PABST	'49	PATRICIA KIM	'88
ROBERT MORRISON	'38	NANCY SMAILER TAYLOR	'51	LAUREANO GARCIA	'88
JANICE TYRE VON TRAPP	'38	GEORGE KRAUSS	'51	BRETT SHUSTER	'88
WILLIAM FLEMING	'38	PHILIP SCHLEIN	'52	GABRIEL MILLOS	'89
ANITA KELLY PEARSON	'40	CAROLE SHANNON FOSTER	'52	BEATRIZ GARCIA	'89
BOBETTE L. SONDEHEIM KAMHOLZ	'40	HERMAN REGUSTERS	'52	MICHELE SHUSTER	'90
FRANKLIN KETTLER	'41	WILLIAM LINK	'52	ROSANA MILLOS	'90
EMILY MCWILLIAMS ABEL	'42	GEORGE A. PARKER	'52	IAN SPIEGEL	'92

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION AND RESERVATION FORM

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Maiden name (if applicable)

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Occupation _____

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Make tax deductible check payable and mail to:

CHS Alumni Association
 P.O. Box 217
 Wyncote, PA 19095-0217

Reservation for May 17, 1996
 Hall of Fame Ceremony and Reception
 Check enclosed for _____ people at \$25 per person

Name of guest(s) and CHS Class if applicable

Reunion Roundup

Class of 1945 - 50th Reunion was held Saturday, May 6th 1995 at the Old York Road Country Club. With the ceiling covered with blue and gold balloons, the 175 guests enjoyed dinner and dancing. Special guests of the class were former CHS teacher Mr. William Saltzman and his wife Sylvia. **Lou Rizzo** donated yellow and blue commemorative mugs and everyone received a 50th Reunion T-shirt and class picture. Classmates traveled from as far away as Washington, California, Texas, Kansas and Oklahoma. The reunion committee was chaired by **Louise Grossman Kleinman** and consisted of **Peggy Frankel Meyer, Barbara Case Robinson, Marie Dial Cunningham, Eugene Freedman, Harold Grier, Richard Isemann, Ferdinand Hall, Lew Klein, Betty Lachlan Wizorek, Richard Lubowitz, Louis Rizzo, Barbara Rosenberger Fleming, Dan Rothman, Carroll Shelton** and **Alan Sickles**.

Class of 1949 - 45th Reunion was held Friday, November 3, 1995 at Bentley's. The reunion was attended by 110 people including 63 class members. **Michelle Weiller LaPautre** won the prize for having come the furthest, having jetted in from Paris, France. Her prize...a bottle of French wine. Other classmates came from California and Florida. The class danced to the music of a live orchestra and spent hours talking with old friends. The evening was organized by class president, **Charles Millili**. He was ably assisted by **Lavina Trumbower Dorshaw, Eleanor Franz Rothenheber, Fran McCreedy Sykes, Bill Seltzer** and **Richard Stauffer**.

Class of '55 - 40th Reunion was held October 14, 1995 at the Springmill Country Club. The reunion was attended by 145 people of which 75% were from the class. While listening to music from the 50's the class enjoyed a long cocktail hour, wonderful and plentiful hot and cold hors d'oeuvres, a pasta station, dessert and of course good friends. Some class members came dressed in 50's garb (the rumor is some of it still fit) to add flavor to the evening. The reunion committee was co-chaired by **Shirley Rosenthal Sheerr** and **Larry Mann**. The committee included **Rosalind Ferleger Goldberg, Ellen Katz Gimbel, Ron Lebby, Diana Magee Dugan,** and **Sam Rizzo**.

Class of '60 - 35th Reunion was held October 28, 1995 at Cedarbrook Hill Country Club. The reunion was attended by 90 people including 50 classmates. Classmates came from as far away as Nevada, Michigan and Florida. It was also determined that 12 married couples resulted within the class of '60. The evening was filled with dinner, dancing and good conversation. The reunion was planned by a busy committee led by **Judy Hahn Kramer**. The committee included **Rick Gusdorff, Valerie Dunn Flitter, Bobbi Deitch Cohen, Ellen Hirschberg Dashevsky, Geri Cassoway Axler, Sue Lowenstein Chace** and **Pat Straus Bennett**.

Class of '65 - 30th Reunion was held November 24, 1995 at the Warwick Hotel. 220 people, including 140 class members, attended the reunion. People came from as far away as California, Florida, Arizona, Wisconsin and Colorado. The room was decorated with pictures enlarged from the yearbook and the D.J.'s stand was covered with blown-up pictures of CHS teachers from 1965. Each class member received a class booklet and a mug. The reunion was chaired by **Betty Steinberg Quindry** and a reunion committee of over 20 people that literally went from A - **Rick Atherholt** to Z - **Eileen Zakroff Davis**. A good time was had by all!

Class of '70 - 25th Reunion was held November 25, 1995 at the Reading Terminal Market. 200 guests attended the reunion including 135 classmates. **David Siehel** won the award for the farthest travelled having flown in from London. The class gave everyone a cleverly designed class directory that was designed by **Fred Weis**. People ordered a reunion picture booklet, that will include group shots by elementary school, from ABS Visuals. If you missed out call them at (215) 947-0808. Reunion goers tried their hand (and voices) with a karaoke machine. The reunion was planned by class president **David Seltzer** and a committee that included **Miriam Arno Assion, Harry Bachman, Kathy Bloom Grant, Jan Crean, Daniyel Firestone Steinberg, Marc Furman, Victoria Seltzer Goff, Linda Goldstein Winheld, Lee Kaplan, Annette Lipshutz Kugel,** and **Barbara Samuel**.

Class of '75 - 20th Reunion was held November 24, 1995 at the Marriott at the Philadelphia Convention Center. 301 attended the gala event. The evening included a buffet and dancing to a D.J. A.B.S. Visuals is putting together a yearbook of the reunion. Copies can still be purchased by contacting Reunion Chair **Karen Cahall Elgart** at (215) 646-0356. The reunion committee consisted of **Gary Itzenson, Carole Ginsberg Blum, Andrea Levyn Tanenbaum, Bruce, Resnick, Sherri Hoffman Freedman, Carol Abrams Brest, Randi Blumenthal Joseph, Meryl Adis Schwartz, Lisa Waldman Burke, Kathy Perlman Feinstein** and her husband **John**. People came from as far away as Seattle, WA. Everyone agreed that there would be a 25th.

Class of '85 - 10th Reunion was held November 24, 1995 at Curtis Hall. The second reunion for the class was attended by 175 people including 145 classmates. Fruit, vegetables, cheese and desserts prepared by the committee was the evening's fare. While they listened to music mixed by **Todd Kevitch**. Each classmate received a commemorative reunion glass to remember the evening. By 1:30 am they had to end the evening's festivities that had planned by **Liz Bobrow, Mike Busse, Ken Holtzman, Todd Kevitch, Melanie Leinweber, Susan Park, Greg Pastore** and class president **Al Wolinsky**.

THANKS

The Alumni Association would like to thank the following classes for their generous gifts following their reunions: The **Class of 1945** for their \$250 donation; The **Class of 1975** for the donation of a much needed fax message center for the Alumni office.

CALLING GYMNASTS

Len DePue is retiring from CHS this year after more than thirty years of service. His former gymnasts would like to honor him with a social event sometime in May or June. This affair will be open to all former gymnasts and anyone else who benefitted from his coaching, teaching and guidance. We look forward to hearing from you. Please indicate your interest in attending such an event by mailing or e-mailing your name, address and phone number as soon as possible to: Albert LeCoff 42 W. Coulter Street Philadelphia, PA 19144 e-mail address 76143.137@compuserve.com

HIGH SCHOOL PARK DEDICATED

After months of demolition, the High School Road and Montgomery Avenue site that once was the address of Cheltenham High School now stands as High School Park. A fire in January of 1994 reduced the front building to rubble, while years of neglect turned the main high school building into a dangerous structure that had to be torn down. The Cheltenham Township Board of Commissioners, utilizing funds from the Montgomery County Open Space Initiative, purchased the property from developers in order to convert the eleven-acre space into passive park land.

On October 28, 1995, a dedication ceremony was held in which the open space was officially named "High School Park." Early snows and the severe winter prevented the completion of the project's grading and seeding. The anticipated completion date for this first stage of the project is late April. The Township has received help in this venture from the Friends of High School Park who expect to hire a planner to assist in the development of the space. Events for the park are now in the planning stages. These would include an Earth Day Clean-up and a clothesline art show. The president of this organization is Joe Burke. If you would like to contribute to their cause, Mr. Burke can be reached at (215) 635-1913.

According to Township Commissioner **Tom Ellis**, '77, some sort of memorial will be erected on the grounds "so that people won't forget that once on this site stood Cheltenham High School." The graduates of Cheltenham High School have already made sure of that.

IS THIS YOUR LAST PANTHER'S TALE?

There's an old saying that goes, "There's no such thing as a free lunch." And that is true with the Cheltenham Alumni Association. Since our founding in the mid-70's, we have mailed *The Panther's Tale* to all graduates regardless of their membership status. We have done this in order to keep you informed about your Association, your fellow graduates and your high school. The newsletter also helps your class reunion committee to keep track of current mailing addresses. But the reality of 1996 is we can no longer afford to print and mail this newsletter to over 17,000 graduates regardless of their membership. Newsletters that couldn't be delivered due to a change of address were returned to us at a cost of .32 each. This past Spring's newsletter returns cost the Association over \$475. This money might have provided scholarships for deserving Cheltenham graduates.

Are you a member of the Alumni Association? Check the mailing label on this newsletter. If there is a **C** or an **L** in the upper right corner, then you are a paid-in-full **Century** or **Life** member, and we thank you. If there is an **N** then you are **not** a member and unless you do something to change that status, this may be the last newsletter you receive. Help the Alumni Association help all Cheltenham graduates: **Join today!**

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CLASS OF '65 RULES

The class of 1965 seems to have made it big in Cheltenham politics. **Robert Gerhard, Jr.**, '65, a 16 year township commissioner was recently elected President of the Cheltenham Township Board of Commissioners. **Emily Brecker Greenberg**, '65 is serving her second term as Cheltenham School Board President. **Jon Fox**, '65 is completing his first term as U.S. Congressman from the 13th Congressional District - Pennsylvania, which includes Cheltenham Township.

MEMORIES

Call it nostalgia. Call it a piece of history. What ever word you choose, the Cheltenham High School Alumni Association has saved 150 patio blocks from the front plaza of the high school building. These 9" x 6" x 1" red blocks are the only known remains from the old school. A commemorative metal plate has been designed for the block that bears a picture of the high school and the inscription "Cheltenham High School, 1926-1959." If you would like to purchase one of these limited quantity mementoes send your name, class year, and address to the Cheltenham High School Alumni Association, P.O. Box 217, Wyncote, PA 19095-0217. The cost is \$30 plus \$8 shipping and handling. The proceeds from the sale of these blocks will benefit the Alumni Association Scholarship Fund. If orders exceed the supply, century and life members of the CHS Alumni Association will have their orders filled first. Please allow four weeks for delivery.

There are now four ways to contact the CHS Alumni Association!

1. Write us at: P.O.Box 217, Wyncote, PA 19095
2. Telephone us at: (215) 886-4697
3. E Mail us at: chsalumn@mciunix.mci.k12.pa.us
4. Fax us at: (215) 881-6406

Future Reunions

Class of 1933 - Annual Reunion Luncheon - Monday, April 29, 1996 at the Yorktown Inn. Cocktails: 11:30, Lunch: 12:30. For information call Harry Meyers (215) 887-1472.

Class of 1936 - Friday, May 17, 1996 at the Old York Road Country Club. Lunch: 12:30. For information call Bill Rittenhouse (215) 646-3127 or Joe Reedy (215) 886-6934.

Class of 1946 - Saturday, October 19, 1996 at the Cedarbrook Country Club. For information contact Maggie Timmons Tosh (215) 886-9034. **Timmons**

Class of 1951 - Saturday, October 26, 1996 at Williamson's Restaurant. For information contact Elsa-Lu Greenblatt Berkowitz (215) 643-4700.

Class of 1956 - Saturday, November 9, 1996 at the Melrose Country Club. For information call either Lynn Jaron Feldgus (215) 635-1615 or Peggy Brush Webster (610) 527-1557.

Class of 1966 - Saturday, November 30, 1996. For information contact Andrea Frankel Lipman (215) 364-3236. **CANCELLED**

Class of 1976 - Saturday, November 30, 1996 at the Reading Terminal Market. For information contact Marcy Kurtz Goldshear (610) 825-3460 (H) or (215) 585-5187 (W).

Class of 1986 - Friday, November 29, 1996 at Arthur's Catering. For information contact Rob Beck (215) 735-2406.

Class of 1990 - Saturday, November 30, 1996 at Curtis Hall. For information contact Scott Bogdan (215) 572-6233 (H) or (610) 962-4950 (W).

1947 - 50th in 1997 - Edna Bratunig Keedle
215-355-6969



The 1996 Cheltenham High School Girls' Basketball Team celebrate after winning the school's first District I Basketball Championship. The team also this year won their 10th consecutive Suburban I title. Shown holding the trophy is coach Robert Schaefer and one of their top fans (far left) Emily Brecker Greenberg, '65 President of the Cheltenham School Board.

CHELTS BEAT GHOSTS

The 75th renewal of the Abington-Cheltenham football game ended with a 14-0 victory for the Panthers. After a scoreless first half, the Chelts took the second half kick-off and drove 43 yards behind the running of senior Ron Patterson, who scored on a nine yard sweep. Midway through the fourth quarter, an Abington punt pinned the Chelts on their own one-yard line. After a two yard run, Patterson took a hand-off from junior quarterback Tim Gerhardt, bounced off a pile of tacklers at the three and raced 97 yards for the final Cheltenham touchdown. The win gave the Blue and Gold their 10th win of the season against 2 losses; both to District I champs Plymouth Whitmarsh. The win was also the third in four years against the Galloping Ghosts of Abington.

CHS IN MONEY'S TOP 100

A survey released in the January, 1996 edition of *Money* magazine named the Cheltenham School District as one of the 100 best school districts in the United States. *Money* looked at data from over 1600 school districts across America and identified the top 100 districts based on these criteria: Performance on the Scholastic Assessment Test; the number of National Merit Scholars the district has produced over the last five years; Number of graduates that advance to higher education; and the average residential property value.

The result was a list of school districts, within commuting distance of the nation's most populous metropolitan areas. These districts rate high academically and are in communities with reasonably priced housing. Cheltenham proves itself once again!

Emanuel A. Bertin, ESQ., '62 has been elected Montgomery County Judge of the Court of Common Pleas. "Manny" is a highly respected lawyer specializing in family law and litigation. Mr. Bertin is the former Chairman of the Pennsylvania Bar Association's Family Law Section and the two-time recipient of the State Bar Association's Special Achievement Award. He was recently appointed by the Pennsylvania General Assembly as the Chairman of the Joint State Government Commission's Advisory Committee on Domestic Relations Law.

At his January 2, 1996 swearing-in ceremony, "Manny" honored his wife **Roz Schwartz Bertin, '62** who he met at a Jr. High mixer while in 9th grade. Also in attendance were his two CHS wrestling coaches, Clyde "Red" Whitman and **Steven Saltzman, '55** who he introduced as being major influences on his life.

RETIRED TEACHER DIES

Emmanuel M. Kramer, educator, lecturer, author and archaeologist died September 17, 1995. Mr. Kramer taught sociology, art history and created the very popular archaeology elective. His students will long remember taking that short walk each day with trowels in hand to dig at the 19th century "Waverly Triangle Site". He taught at Cheltenham for 28 years. He is survived by his wife the former **Judee Levine** and his three sons, **Henry, Gary** and **Benjamin**; all of whom are Cheltenham graduates. Memorial donations may be made in his honor to the CHS Alumni Assoc. Scholarship Fund.

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