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## Licking Heights Alumni Report

LICKING HEIGHTS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, INC. P.O. BOX 77 SUMMIT STATION, OH 43073

# Alumni Banquet - Make Your Plans Now SCHOOL SPIRIT

Got the spirit? Then let's hear it! This year's banquet theme is School Spirit. Show yours by attending the 2011 Licking Heights Alumni Banquet on **Saturday**, **June 18<sup>th</sup>**. Wear your maroon and gold – or even that old sports uniform - if you dare. Attire is casual – so go crazy...prizes awarded for best school spirit attire.

Don't wait until the last minute to start your search for those old school sweaters, jackets, uniforms, and sports letters. While the dress is again casual, you must adorn yourself with some sort of maroon and gold attire or accessory. Try to be creative and think of ways to show your school spirit; Licking Heights, Summit High, and don't forget Jersey. Bring some of your old school pictures of your class, the school, teams, parties, plays, freshmen initiation, senior trip, etc. to share. We will try to have a scanner set up so that we can copy your pictures for our historical records and future newsletters..

As always, we will be honoring the 50 year class of **1961** and the 25 year class of **1986**. Each class will have their own specially decorated table and will be first to go through the buffet line. So, call your classmates and make sure they attend this gala event in their honor.

For more banquet details, go to the Alumni website and we will of course keep you up-to-date on the arrangements. If you have some suggestions you would like to share, please send them to us and we will make every effort to include them. Don't miss out on the fun and excitement, plan to join us on **Saturday**, **June 18, 2011** for the Alumni Banquet and Annual Meeting.



Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Hear Ye!

The Officers and Directors of the Licking Heights Alumni Association cordially invite you to attend the 2011 Alumni Banquet.

Date: Saturday, June 18, 2011 Time: 5:30 Social / 7:10 Dinner

Location: Old Summit Towne Rest. 14163 Broad St., Pataskala, OH Cost: \$25 per person

Theme School Spirit / Maroon & Gold

Your Personal Invitation

Banquet reservation form on page 3.

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#### Wanted: Officers & Directors

Solution of the serve as an Officer or Director for the Alumni Association. We meet on the fourth (4th) Tuesday of each month, except for August and December. Since Katie (Baker) Liester '81 moved out of state, we have been short one Director and we could use some fresh ideas. Meetings are held in

the high school media center at 7:30 pm or at Old Summit Town when the school is closed.



The only requirement is that you must be a member in

good standing (paid). And it doesn't hurt if you have a sense of humor too. We try to have some fun at our meetings. Our primary goal is to preserve and grow the scholarship fund. Other shared responsibilities are to maintain the Bell Tower, Pathway to Victory, the Alumni Website, assist in organizing the Alumni Night during football season, help plan and organize the Alumni Banquet, and honorably represent the alumni and the Association at all times.

#### Yearbooks and Memorabilia

he Alumni Association holds dear the spirit, traditions, and history of Licking Heights and Summit Schools. In an effort to preserve that rich heritage and history we have begun the task of collecting school yearbooks and other memorabilia.

We are asking for your help and donations. Many of us have these items packed away in some closet. Why not share those memories with future generations. Thanks to Mr. Bruce Baird we now have a secure storage facility to catalog and archive everything. I personally will donate my '62, '63, and '64 yearbooks and the '64 class picture. Here is a list of suggested donations:

Yearbooks, Lickinganas, and Class Pictures School Newspapers and other Publications Graduation Announcements and Photos Photos of Early Schools and School Activities

Thank you for your help and please send items to LH Alumni, PO Box 77, Summit Station, Ohio 43073.

#### School District Announces Budget Reduction Plans

School Board President Matt Satterwhite states that the District is required to operate with a balanced budget. The 2007 emergency levy is about to expire and expenses and inflation have increased since passage in 2007 leaving the district facing a sizeable shortfall. A levy will be voted on in May to renew the expiring levy plus 3 mill. The Board only requested 3 mill despite knowing it would still leave a \$1.5 million deficit. They did not feel a 17-18 mill would be received well by the community. Mr. Satterwhite said that they must reduce the budget \$1.5 million if the levy passes and \$5 million if the levy were to fail.

The Board wanted to be clear that failure of this levy will have catastrophic consequences impacting everything they do in the district. The \$5 million in cuts would be felt throughout the school and community. The buildings would not be open for community events or youth sport activities, our own extra-curricular activities will have to be self-funded (estimates are around \$475 per student, per activity, sport, band, etc..., with no cap). For all the details on both plans please visit the school website, facebook, youtube, and other related websites.

#### We are asking for your support, please vote **YES** on the levy.

President: Vice President: Treasurer: Recording Secretary: Corresponding Secretary: Lori Hewitt '79

Tom Dunkle '64 Susan Baird '88 Bev DeNune '53 Keith Edmonds '75





Director: Milly Shaffer '47 Director: Robert Shaffer '45 Director: Judy Gogolin '59

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Director: Howard Emswiler '57

Director: Dan McDonnell '69

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Location: Olde Summit Towne Restaurant 14163 E. Broad St. Pataskala, OH Doors Open at 5:30PM			×,	Please make all checks payable to: Licking Heights Alumni Association and mail to Licking Heights Alumni Association				

Cash Bar is Available



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### Membership Application 2011-2012 (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012)

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Spouse		Year Graduated:									
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City:						Zip:					
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[]	2011-12 Annual <u>Membership Dues</u> (Includes Mailing List)	\$15.00			[]	Gift / Donation to <u>Scholarship Fund</u>					
[]	Graduate Spouse Membership Dues (only \$5 more for the spouse)	\$5.00	nank	YOU	[]	Mailing List Only (for Non-Members)		\$5.00			

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