



SDHS Alumni Association

Spring 2020 Newsletter



President's Report Eddie Head '73

Where do I start?
The second half of the school year is already underway. The month of June will be here before we know it.

Another senior class will be graduating from SDHS.

We did have a first during the basketball season.

- The boy basketball team won the SD CIF Division Two Championship
- The girls' basketball team won the SD CIF Division Four Championships.

This is the first time in school history that both boys' and girls' basketball teams have won championships in the same season.

Also, boys' and girls' soccer went to the CIF playoff, and wrestling went to the CIF tournament.

SDHS Remodel

SDHS will be going through a remodeling starting this summer. Proposed architectural drawings for phase one of the remodel are on the home page.

The modernization of SDHS will include upgrades to the quad areas, parking, athletic fields, new structures, modernization of the 100, 200, 800 buildings, and the counseling offices.

Once the modernization starts, check out our website often for articles, photos, and updated information.

Coronavirus

The Coronavirus has started to spread throughout our fifty states.

So much that:

- The NBA has temporarily suspended their season
- Major League Baseball has suspended the rest of their spring training camps.
- One of the most popular events of college basketball, March Madness, has been officially canceled.
- The CIF Championship high school basketball games throughout the state canceled.
- Colleges and Universities will start their spring semesters with no in-class courses; students will be taking online classes only.

The SD Unified School District and other school districts in California and across the country are also closing their doors for anywhere from two to four weeks.

Students will not be allowed on campus starting March 16th and until at least April 3rd. This could be extended, if the situation with the Coronavirus doesn't improve. I'm hoping to have better news in our fall newsletter.

Please be mindful and follow the advice and tips of the local, state, and federal health officials on how to avoid contracting this illness.

My best wishes to you and your families during this health crisis, be safe and talk with you in the fall.

"Go Cavers"
Eddie '73



**Membership Committee
Gaspar Luna Oliveira '68**

Hello Cavers! First of all, I want to thank all of you that renewed your Membership to the San Diego High School Alumni Association

this past year.

We appreciate your commitment to support your Alumni Association. Without your financial support, we could not serve the Cavers Community, graduates of the 20th & 21st Century...our Alumni!!!

And for all of you that joined for the very first time, thank you and welcome to the Alumni Association!

Also, on behalf of the Board of Directors, I want to thank you for your tremendous response to our Fundraising efforts during 2019. In particular, I want to thank the Cavers that specifically stated with their donations that they wanted to support the continuation of our publication, the Cavers Alumni Association Newsletter.

We have heard from so many of you that you look forward to receiving your Newsletters, in the Spring & Fall, to stay current with all of the activities and programs you are interested in at San Diego High School.

Also, we provided you with information, although it may have been sad, that you told us you wanted to know about our Classmates, Members of Cavers our Family, that have passed. They are given recognition in our "Gone but not Forgotten" column.

In addition, some of you indicated that you wanted your donations to directly support the Cavers Athletic Program (Boys & Girls Sports). When identified, we forwarded your

generous donations to the specific Teams you had in mind (e.g., Boy's Football Team, Girls' Basketball Team). As you have been informed by us and the Media that covers Cavers Sports Teams, the "Glory Days" are back.

Our Boy's and Girls' Team are Champions in so many areas. We will continue to direct your funds to support our Teams. Please continue to show them that you care...thanks!

This summer, we will have our Annual "Cavers at the Padres" game. If you are interested in attending, please contact our Alumni Association Office and leave your name, email and/or telephone information with our Staff.

As soon as we have arranged for our attendance at Petco Park with the Padres Organization, we will inform you about ticket information. We hope you will attend. Last year's game was a sellout...we had a great time!!!

Lastly, if you have not yet joined the Alumni Association, you can join online, contact the Alumni Association Office, or give me a call at: (619) 548-4793 to sign-up. It is that easy!

And if you would like to support our Newsletter or any other Cavers activity, please donate whatever you can (\$25.00, \$50.00, \$75.00 or more) so that we can continue to provide the Cavers Family with information about San Diego High School and our Alumni Association and support our Cavers Students.

Go Cavers!

**Gaspar Luna Oliveira
Chair, Membership Committee**

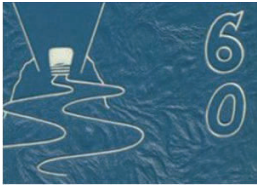
Wall of Honor - 2020

Wall of Honor nominations open April 1st and close June 1st, 2020. Nomination for this year's Wall of Honor will be excepted by filling out the online application only.

<https://tinyurl.com/WOH-2020>

Class Reunions

Class of 1960



The class of 1960 celebrates its 60th reunion on:
September 19, 2020
Brunch/lunch at Tom Ham's Lighthouse.

Planning committee members Willie Horton, Jack Dawes, Donna Couchman, Frances Pool Francois and Carol Ortman Perkins.

Class of 1958



Due to COVID19 this reunion has been delayed. Please check the Alumni web site often for updated information.

For more details, go to our class reunion website page:
<https://tinyurl.com/2020-Reunions>

Do you have an upcoming reunion? Contact us with details and we will add your reunion to the Alumni website.

<https://tinyurl.com/Upcoming-Reunions>

Gone But Not Forgotten

Name	Year	Deceased
Don Carpenter	1942	9/26/2018
Mary Lou Jones	1944	
Ron Jones	1944	1/1/2018
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Dora Dee Davis Ingram	1946	7/9/2018
Richard W. Berton	1949	6/1/2017
Dean Davis	1950	10/11/2018
Kathy Curran Hubbard	1950	11/19/2018
Dean Davis	1950	10/11/2018
Victoria Simpson-Light Mendoza	1950	8/25/2018
Dolores Staples Heien	1951	1/10/2019
Richard W Burton	1951	6/1/2017
L. Bobbie Mercer Pendleton	1951	11/24/2018
Bob Oliver	1958	9/22/2018
John H Barajas	1958	3/28/2019
Bob Oliver	1958	9/22/2018
Verna Major Rainey	1963	
Jan Burd	1965	9/23/2019

Alumni Executive Board

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Gaspar Luna Oliveira	1 st Vice President
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