



Forty-Year Reunion Memory Book
Saturday, July 20, 2013

Audra Adams
(Audra Lane)



Current Hometown: Pahoehoe, Hawaii

Family Members:

Scott Lane – husband
Dana Adams – daughter (33)
Emily Lane – daughter (24)
Aren Lane – son (20)

How do you spend your time?

Working! Gardening, backpacking, hiking, sewing, reading, crafts.

Special Achievements:

Botany degree – Humboldt State University
Only woman in Construction Trades program at College of the Redwoods
My three wonderful children
Homeschooled my kids for 10 years

Married 26 years!
Survived cancer
Climbed Mt. Whitney – 2009

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Sunny days lying in the grass at lunch.

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: I can't really remember any.

Favorite Teacher: Mr. Langton - Anthropology

Wisdom You Know Now That YOU Wish You'd Known Then:

Don't be afraid to try whatever you want to do, and say what you want to say to important people in your life. Life is short.

Howard Baldwin



Current Hometown: Sunnyvale, California

Family Members: Spouse Monica (21 years); cats Gus, Bandit; kittens Zack, Max, and Rose

How Do You Spend Your Time?

Still writing after all these years, occasionally for *Computerworld* but primarily web site content for technology companies: white papers, customer case studies, blogs. Also write a weekly blog entitled Middle Age Cranky.

Special Achievements:

Turning a degree in English literature into an actual writing career; being married for 21 years

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Faculty musical *Anything Goes*; learning Greek in early morning classes from Miss McNamara

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Grad Nite at Disneyland

Favorite Teacher: Patricia Rohrs, who pushed me to be a better writer

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: What other people think of me is none of my business.

David Banks



Current Hometown: Sisters, Oregon

Family Members: Adrienne (wife), McKenzie (daughter), John (son).

How Do You Spend Your Time?

Driving kids around, skiing, golfing, fishing, chopping firewood, exercise, home maintenance.

Special Achievements: Ten years, Sisters Little League Board of Managers. Finally, I'm not the Gunn classmate with the youngest children.

Most Favorite Memories of Gunn: First accents and summits of the auditorium and flagpole, the kiosk theft, geology award, night swimming, ski club trips, part of the record-holding team to first complete 4.5 somersaults off the high dive.

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Losing the Woodside football game.

Favorite Teachers: Bill Sperry, Bob Bow, Dean Mayberry.

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then:
Forty years ago I knew what I was feeling, But WHAT WAS I THINKING?!

Now, more than ever:

“Life is understood backwards, but is lived forwards.”

Daniel Barry



Current Hometown: Seattle, WA

Family Members: daughter Simone 22, twin daughters Paulina and Pearl 18

How Do You Spend Your Time? The reality is that I spend most of my day at a computer. But here is how I envision my days: daydreaming, reading box scores, walking, writing, tending my garden and of course happy hour at the oyster bar.

Special Achievements: Ph.D. Music Composition, UCSB 1984. Fulbright Scholar/Composer in Residence, University of Campinas, Brazil 2012. Guest composer/conductor for the Lima Jazz Festival, Reykjavik Big Band, Amazonas Band, Manaus, Metropolitan Jazz Orchestra, Denver, CO., Conservatorio Dramatico e Musical “Dr. Carlos De Campos” De Tatui, Sao Paulo, Brazil.

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Playing in the jazz band and working in the ceramics studio.

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: lawn bible studies and prayer meetings.

Favorite Teacher: N/A

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: Confidence to be myself and not be concerned with what others think.

Annie Bien

Current Hometown: *BROOKLYN, NEW YORK*

Family Members: *HUSBAND: PAUL MERWIN AND 2 CATS; TREVOR & ROODY*

How Do You Spend Your Time? *WRITING, EDITING, TRANSLATING TIBETAN BUDDHIST TEXTS
TEACHING & DOING PLATES, ENJOYING NATURE, TRAVELING ON SUBWAY, WALKING,
MEDITATING*

Special Achievements: *PUBLISHING "PLATEAU MIGRATION", MY FIRST POETRY COLLECTIONS
RECEIVING A THANK YOU FOR THE DEDICATION IN THE BOOK FROM THE DALAI LAMA.*

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: *SITTING IN THE QUAD DRAWING*

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: *SITTING IN MATH CLASS WHILE EVERYONE ELSE FIGURED OUT
THE NEXT SEQUENCE OF THE SERIES BEFORE I KNEW WHAT WAS HAPPENING*

Favorite Teacher: *MISS McNAMARA*

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: *ADOLESCENCE PASSES*

Sharon E.B. Tilley, Ph.D. (still "Sherri" to friends and family)

(Tilley Fam, June 2012 in Hawaii)

David

Kelsey

Sherri (ME)

Jim

Jonathan



Current Hometown: Rochelle, IL

Family Members: Husband Jim Tilley (married 1982), Son David (26 and married to Kelsey), and Son Jonathan (almost 24)

How Do You Spend Your Time?: I work long days Monday through Thursday as a Clinical Psychologist in private practice seeing clients. Every morning I spend time alone with Jesus and have grown a great deal in being able to sense more of what He is saying to me. I read to refill on the weekends with my husband--and bike, walk, etc. We visit our grown boys as often as we can--both in California now! (while we are still in a small town in Illinois where we raised them). They have become amazing people and we greatly enjoy knowing them as adults!

Special Achievements: Duh... See above.

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Lunchtime--with Persis Drell, and later with Carole Franklin.

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Never going on a date.

Favorite Teacher: Mr. Pete Heilman--he taught me how to write immediately, in a structured way--that served me well through college and grad school. Thank you!

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: The pecking order in High School soon passes away. Boys learn you are alive and eventually want to know you. Real life begins in college, when you more truly become who you really are, and find out what you really are passionate about. Christian things are not dorky--they are deep and real.

Emily Bunker



Current Hometown: [Brewster, Cape Cod, MA](#)

Family Members: [My amazing daughters Michelle \(26\) and Eliza \(22\)](#)

How Do You Spend Your Time?

[Ghostwriting and editing](#)

Also – visits with my mom, long walks, baseball, scrabble, crossword puzzles

Special Achievements: [Choreographing high school musicals, turning family stories into books, writing an SAT prep book](#)

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: [Watching the drama club plays, especially *The Skin of Our Teeth*, *Arsenic and Old Lace*, and *Anything Goes* \(put on by the teachers\)](#)

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: [Taking the SAT](#)

Favorite Teacher:

English teacher Mr. Breault. I took two classes from him, one of which was a freewheeling independent study class. He was a kind and supportive man – he didn't even mind that it took me forever to get through *The Brothers Karamazov*. He's one of the people who inspired me to love reading and writing.

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: [That math is fun](#)

Diane Campbell



Current Hometown: Irvine, CA

Family Members: 1 son David, age 25, now a graduate student in modern Chinese history

How Do You Spend Your Time?

Research and teaching as a Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology (especially field work on plants and plant-animal interactions), hiking, trail-running, cooking and trying new restaurants with friends, traveling.

Special Achievements: Making a living at what I love. Recently I spent four seasons doing field work in New Zealand with grants from National Geographic and Fulbright.

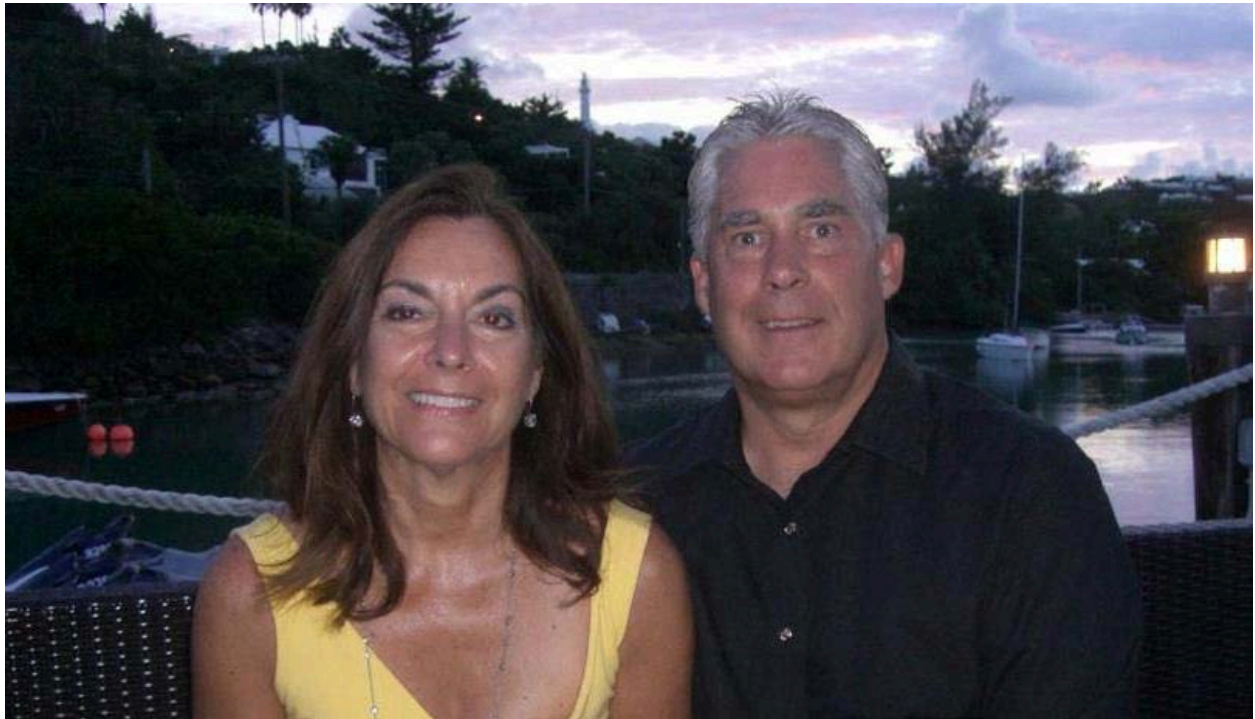
Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: The open-air campus most of all.

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: N/A

Favorite Teacher: Not sure, but I do recall making wine in Chemistry class, some parties in Spanish, and writing every class period in English.

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: You're the only one likely to remember anything stupid you say.

Josiane Dangler (Josiane Edy)



Current Hometown: Monument and Estes Park, Colorado

Family Members:

Jon Edy-Husband (class of 1972)

Derek and Lindsay Edy-Oldest son(age 30)and Daughter in Law who live in Colorado Springs, CO

Trevor and Valerie Edy – Middle son (age 27) and soon to be Daughter in law who live in Denver, CO

Austin Edy – Youngest son (age 21) who is a senior at University of Colorado in Boulder and departing for a study abroad to Thailand in August.

My 92 year old mother and 84 year old father still live in Palo Alto.

My sister Chantal Dangler (class of 1976) still also lives in Palo Alto.

How Do You Spend Your Time?

Having relocated to Colorado in 1997 we spend a lot of our time doing outdoor activities such as skiing, hiking, skeet shooting and some fishing (mostly the boys in the family do that). I enjoy cooking and decorating our homes. I continue to work at Quantum Corporation (going on 20 years) as a Marketing Account Manager for our Storage and Big Data products. Jon and I split our time between our home in Monument and our weekend home in Estes Park which is 3 miles from the Rocky Mountain National Park where we hope to retire there in a few years. For the last 8 years I have also been a Court Appointed Special Advocate for abused and neglected children where I am the voice of the child in court. As our family grows, we enjoy that time with them even more. Traveling has been a big part of my life as my parents split their homes between California and Cannes, France. As they became older I traveled with them to get them back and forth.

Special Achievements:

Became a Product Marketing Engineer out of college for Fairchild Semiconductor when I thought I really wanted to be a teacher. Have three wonderful son's! Married after nearly 33 years 😊

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn:

Friday night football games, dances and parties.

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn:

The cliques created by groups of students.

Favorite Teacher:

I honestly cannot think of one.

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then:

Don't let your mistakes hold you back.

Linda Davick
(Linda Johnson)

Current Hometown: [San Jose](#)

Family Members: [Husband, Mark](#); two kids, [Corbin \(27\)](#) & [Cortney \(24\)](#)

How Do You Spend Your Time?

[Working](#), [taking care of my Aunt](#), [walking](#)

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: [the Hill & bat cave](#)

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: [Gym](#)

Favorite Teacher: [Dr. Hawkinson](#)

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: [Start saving for retirement NOW, it comes too soon.](#)

Lisa Marie Ehrlich (Lisa Marie Daniel)

Current Hometown: Bethesda, MD

Family Members: husband Timothy Daniel, daughters Mara Baraban, Jessica Daniel, and Melissa Daniel, grandchildren Ayelet, Meena, and Moshe Baraban

How Do You Spend Your Time? Training other peoples' and my own dogs, competing with my dogs, biking with my husband, hanging out with daughters and grandchildren

Special Achievements: Did the Econometric Analysis in the Decatur Federal Race Discrimination case brought by the Department of Justice in 1990, leading to what was at the time the largest monetary settlement ever made by a Mortgage Lender under the Equal Credit Opportunity Act.

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Paul Buneman waiting for me outside of English class sophomore year.

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: When Jim Ernst wouldn't let us lower the American Flag in honor of the students killed at Kent State.

Favorite Teacher: Mr. Heilman, with Mr. Struthers a close second

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: Most of the time it's not about you . . .

Laura Ferguson

Current Hometown: Hollywood

Family Members: Husband and two daughters, two sons

How Do You Spend Your Time? Teaching, reading, writing and making documentaries

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: The gorgeous apricot orchard across the way

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Lunch items

Favorite Teacher: Photography teacher whose name I, alas, forget

Paul Fortis



Self portrait w/ Christopher Walken

Current Hometown: [Santa Cruz, CA.](#)

Family Members: [Colleen, Max and Allison](#)

How Do You Spend Your Time? [Painting and working in the cabinet shop.](#)

Special Achievements: [Getting our 2 kids through the University system.](#)

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: [All my friends!](#)

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: [Beverly Sorby did not know who I was.](#)

Favorite Teacher: [Ron Cooper \(ceramics\)](#)

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then:
[Invest in good stocks](#)

Carole Franklin (Carole Grace)

Current Hometown: Menlo Park, CA

Family Members: husband Dale, daughter Melissa

How Do You Spend Your Time? Recently, I've been putting together family history photo albums.

Special Achievements: maintaining fluency in French and German

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Peter Hogness bringing in a toy robot to replace the physics teacher who rarely bothered to show up for class

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Mr. Ricardo's English exam, which included the single unfinished sentence "Miranda is...". I drew a blank, and Mr. Ricardo decided to demote me to remedial English. Thank God for Miss Rohrs, who quickly set him straight.

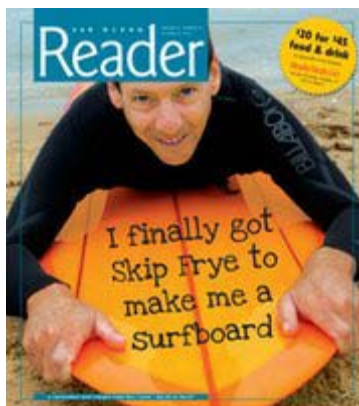
Favorite Teacher:

Pete Heilman, for making English both challenging and fun, Pat Rohrs for teaching me creative writing and being a great mentor, and Jeff Leznoff for giving me the gift of gab in both French and German.

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: Have the courage to be creative

Russell Goltz

Russell contributed this piece from San Diego Reader to show what he's been doing.



This story begins ten years ago in the year 2000. My transition from Northern California to San Diego, specifically Pacific Beach, specifically one block up from a great surfing beach, was

complete. The beach is called Tourmaline Surfing Park, and it was the first officially designated surf park in California. No swimmers or bodysurfers, and no Boogie boarders, either.

The important part of this story is that I surf at Tourmaline, and there is a monument at the park to the great local surfers from Pacific Beach, and on the top of the monument is a photograph of the most famous local surfer who made the big time, which of course is Skip Frye. And this is a Skip Frye story.

Back in early 2000, when I was just learning how to surf, Skip had a surf shop called Harry's right on the beach, just down from Crystal Pier. That building was soon to be torn down and replaced by the Tower23 Hotel, which was a sad thing for Pacific Beach surfers. (However, the hotel has a great bar, which Skip's shop did not.) The point of this is that back in 2000, I had a chance to get Skip to make me a custom surfboard with my name on it. I went into his shop, and he showed me a board or two. But I didn't know who this guy was, selling boards in a shop about to be torn down. So I bought a board from a *real* surf shop, South Coast Surf Shop, which was across the street. I bought a very good and well-known surfboard, a machine-shaped CR3, number 104285. The total cost, \$550 out the door.

Well, since then, I have regretted that decision. Once Harry's was gone, easy access to Skip, a very private guy, was limited. I'd see him down at the Tourmaline parking lot or out on the waves. Maybe once every couple of years I'd say, "Hey, Skip, any chance you'd make me a board?" with a slightly plaintive voice. "No, I'm not making boards much these days" was the usual reply.

One of the most important things about surfing is looking cool. By now, you've probably picked up that surfing on a Skip Frye-shaped surfboard at Tourmaline is pretty cool. It doesn't make you a good surfer, but the locals know that at least you're on a great board, and a valuable one at that. You probably won't drop in on someone taking off on a wave and risk damage to the board. That makes you safe to surf around.

Since I did not have a surfboard made for me by Skip Frye but I sure did want to look cool surfing at Tourmaline, and since, if truth be told, I'm not the best surfer, I just had to buy myself a used Skip Frye surfboard. That wasn't easy in itself. Let's just say it takes a lot of time on craigslist and a lot of cash, and then, sure enough, you'll have an old, beat-up Skippy to surf on. I finally persuaded a local to part with one of his for only \$800. After Roper's (the local surfboard repair shop) fixed it up for \$200, it surfed quite well. I'd been using that 96" Eagle model for five years as my main board. While it was great fun, the problem was that it was a bit too short for my favorite surf break, which is Old Man's Reef out at Tourmaline. To get into those big waves early, you need a very long board. Over the years, I decided a 102" Eagle would be what I wanted, if Skip ever offered to make me a board.

Because, after all, that is the secret. I asked everyone with a Skippy how they got him to make it, and the answer was always cryptic. That's because you have to get Skip to *want* to make you a board. And how do you go about doing that?

Rumor has it that if you have an old Skippy and mention to Skip that you are surfing on one of his boards, he will say, "Okay, but is your name on it?" When Skip makes you a board, he expects you to keep it, surf it, and not sell it or put it on the wall. This is not about money, it's about the Aloha Spirit. A Skip Frye board, when he makes it for you, is a valuable object. If you were to sell a brand-new Skippy that had never been in the water, you could get three or four (or more) times what you paid for it. But if Skip ever found out, you could forget him ever shaping you another.

As I mentioned, I had a chance ten years ago and I blew it. About five years ago, for my 50th birthday, I had another local shaper make me a board. It was a beautiful board, burnt orange with black and brown squiggles. At 104", it certainly was long enough to get into a wave. I told the shaper to put on all the bells and whistles, and he did.

Unfortunately, that made the board way too heavy for a little guy like me. It was so heavy I could barely carry it up and down the steep hill to the beach (I walk there from my house), and when I was riding it, it was so big it didn't even know I was there. I sold it a year later. It's still floating around on craigslist. For someone (else), it's the perfect board. Someone about 64", and 290 pounds.

The big push started last year. My consulting business was slow, which allowed me to surf between 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m., which is when Skip is usually out there. When surfing with Skip, always show respect. What that means is, you don't drop in on Skip or paddle over to where he is, and you don't make eye contact. Actually, that last one isn't true. Skip is a very nice person and is always making eye contact and smiling.

Occasionally, when we "happened" to be in the same vicinity, I'd ask him if he was shaping boards. Of course, he answered that he wasn't taking any orders. I'd only ask him that about once every six months or so. But I wanted him to know my face and to know I wanted him to shape me a board.

Over the years, whenever a Skippy was available at a reasonable price, I'd pick it up. I had a total of six boards, but three were old ones, collector's items. One was from the late '60s, one was from the '70s, and one was from the early '80s. To me, they are true works of art, and I'm keeping them forever.

A short while back, Skip happened to be at my neighbor's house, just down the alley. I asked him if he would authenticate my old boards, and he said he would be interested in seeing them. He clearly remembered shaping them and told me the story on each. I've got some great pictures of that day.

As I previously mentioned, business was slow, so I was surfing a lot out there with Skip and the local 9:30 a.m. gang. Ten years in P.B. has been long enough to make friends with many of the regulars. While we're in the lineup, a common point of conversation is Skip Frye surfboards. Most of the guys (everyone is in his 50s or older) have known Skip for 10 to 40 years, and many grew up right here in Pacific Beach. They all are riding on Skippys that have their name inscribed under the fiberglass.

By now, when Skip saw me, I could see he was starting to recognize me. We'd say "Hi" when paddling by. I'd clearly pull back from dropping in a wave if he was even in the vicinity. He might not know my name, but he knew who I was, a regular Tourmaline surfer and one who wanted a Skip Frye board with my name on it.

Then one day last April, I cornered him in the parking lot, before he could get away. Okay, I wanted to know, exactly how do you get on this magic waiting list? Do you want fistfuls of dollars, what? I'll wait two years, but just please put me on the list. It's the only thing I want for my birthday. Please put me on the list!

Well, he said, there isn't really a list. He said he'd had a window in January — I should have asked him then. But he wasn't taking orders now. That was a blow. If only I'd known in January that he had an open window!

The next day we were both out surfing at Old Man's Reef, just Skip and I. We were talking about how you know when a good set is coming, what signs to look for. Things like watching the great surfers turn and paddle out real fast — they always know something. Or watching a sailboat in the distance: when it disappears and reappears, something big is coming. You can listen, and when you hear yelling out at P.B. Point, you should paddle out. That's because usually the set hits the point first, then Old Man's. I mentioned my favorite was to watch the pelicans fly surf along the waves. On a small day, they always pick the biggest wave to push them along in flight.

Skip looked at me quite directly, as though he were thinking about something else. He paddled over to me. He said three big surfboard blanks had just been delivered to his shop, now in an industrial complex. He knew I'd been jonesing for a board, and he was going to shape me one. He'd decided to make me a ten-foot Eagle.

Just like that.

Okay, I said, what are the mechanics of this? How does it work? (As we were way out in the ocean, I wanted to lock this up!) Do I give him money now, or what? He said he just needed my phone number, and then he'd call me when he'd finished shaping it.

Being afraid I'd screw it up, maybe crash into him on a wave, I took the next set in. I ran back up the hill to my home, got a business card, and wrote my name and phone number on it in big letters. Then I ran back down the hill to the Tourmaline parking lot, just as Skip was getting into his SUV. "Here, wait! Here's my card!" Okay, he had it. He'd call me when it was shaped. That could be up to two years, remember.

This was on a Sunday. I'm not a religious man, but I did pray for rain, and it did rain on Monday. When it rains, the water gets polluted, so we stay out for a few days. On Monday afternoon, Skip called me. The board was shaped. I need to come on down to the shop and talk about colors and glassing. This was less than 24 hours since I'd talked with him in the parking lot. Since he had the blank in his shop, he'd decided to knock it out. When people ask me how long I was on "the list," they don't believe me when I say about one day.

Tuesday I was in his shop. His shaping shop is great. There are photos of famous surfers all over the walls and Skip Frye surfboards galore. And my new board was sitting on the shaping rack, looking very good. It's a triple stringer, double concave bottom, his classic Eagle shape. And best of all, there on the top, written onto the middle stringer, was my name, "Russell."

The Holy Grail has been found, and that's pretty much the story. The glassing took another week. The board is tangerine orange, and it's spectacularly beautiful to me, and apparently to other people too. I surf it every day. It is now, of course, my number-one board. It's perfect for our Old Man's Reef wave and is quite versatile. You can surf it on small days because it's big enough to catch small waves. And it is fast. You can surf it in the big stuff too. I've seen Skip surfing 10-foot waves on his big 11-foot Eagle. It's still summer right now, but that big surf is just around the corner, and boy, am I ever ready for it!

Carol Hammond (Carol Thompson Eidt)



Current Hometown: Campbell, CA

Family Members: Husband Erik, Daughter Lisa, Son Philip

How Do You Spend Your Time? Mostly writing software, but also still love to sing & sew.

Special Achievements: I was the first female Fellow at HP.

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Just hanging out in the quad.

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Mr. Attig singling me out for special grief.

Favorite Teacher: Mr. Iverson – not because he was a great teacher, but because he stuck up for me when I got on Mr. Kenney’s bad side.

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You’d Known Then: There’s no need to be so insecure – nobody’s perfect, and few people expect perfection in others.

Alison Hickman
(Alison Mink)

Current Hometown: Dublin, CA.

Family Members: Richard (husband), Cassandra (daughter) and Colin (son)

How Do You Spend Your Time? Work (graphic arts), art (painting classes and visits to galleries and museums), exercise (walking and classes at two gyms), reading and movies.

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Lunchtime with friends

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You’d Known Then: Relax!

Phyllis Ann Hoppa
(Phyllis Ann Grant)

Current Hometown: Mountain View

Family Members: Quentin Grant (husband)

How Do You Spend Your Time? Working at Stanford
Reading, writing, hiking, worshipping our cat

Special Achievements: 40 years with my wonderful husband

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: My first glimpse of the oak trees on the back lawn when it was still a cow pasture. And watching the school being built (through the fence).

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: None that I can remember!

Favorite Teacher(s): Mel Froli
Jeff Leznoff
Elaine Rotty

Deanna Bowers

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: Life passes quickly!

Francie Hogle (Francie Kelley)



Current Hometown: Los Angeles

Family Members: Pat Kelley, husband & Katie Kelley, daughter (high school senior in the fall)

How Do You Spend Your Time? Working too much, playing not enough. I own an art consulting business (founded in 1987) and work with interior designers to acquire art collections for individuals in their homes, hotels, corporate and health care spaces. When I'm not working, I play music and tennis and hike whenever possible. We love to hike in the national parks and also our local mountains. We are certifiably crazy cat people, as we now have three! We have a fine hound dog named Jenny, who also loves to hike.

Special Achievements:

1. Recording two children's music CDs on our label Artsong Music, both of which are nationally distributed. Both are collaborations with my husband, I wrote or co-wrote most of the songs and recorded with some of the finest musicians in the industry. Though I had big dreams about being a diva, the likes of Barbra Streisand, I found my true voice in children's music. (And besides, even if I could hold a candle to Babs, one such diva is more than enough!) We will be entered in the Grammys this year, and will be seeking a nomination in the Children's music category.

2. Acquiring a million dollar art collection for a residential client in 2011.

3. Hiking Half Dome, and White Mountain. The latter is the 3rd highest peak in the lower 48. About 14,200 feet.

4. Being married to the same, wonderful man for going on 24 years. We are great lovers and friends, and have the rare ability to be able to work together. Creating music with Pat is truly the greatest joy.

5. Playing and sharing music with our daughter. I'm not sure that it would be considered an achievement, but I am very close with Katie and enjoy many wonderful times with her. She is 17 and she likes me. Wow! That's awesome.

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Lisa Horn and Jane Alhouse with whom I could do the craziest, wackiest things, like dressing up in Hawaiian garb, with zinc oxide on our noses and sun bathing (in our clothes) in the center quad. And of course, Choir, Madrigals, boys, football games, tennis and Butterfingers.

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Girls who were more popular than me. Okay, girls that were popular, period!

Favorite Teachers: Mr. Heilman, Mr. Farrell, Mr. Thomas

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: Being popular isn't important. Having great friends is. Making memories and treasuring the fleeting years of high school, the last remnants of our youth. Being able to take it all much less seriously.

Bruce Jaffe



Current Hometown: Aptos, CA

Family Members: Wife Denise, kids Keith (13) and Emilia (10)

How Do You Spend Your Time?

Kids, kids, kids. Work full time, which I actually enjoy most days, play beach volleyball when my body lets me, working out in the gym, riding my bike, playing poker.

Special Achievements: PhD in Earth Sciences, raising 2 happy and healthy kids, going around the world to study the geologic record of tsunamis, Director on our local water board (elected position)

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Track meets, eating lunch and playing chess, senior pranks (can't tell you...)

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Early morning classes

Favorite Teacher: Iverson (Chemistry teacher—let us make wine)

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: Still not wise.

Steve Jefferis

Current Hometown: Lake Stevens WA

Family Members: Julene (wife), Bettina (daughter)

How Do You Spend Your Time? Still have to work. Play time is at the local casino, traveling, long weekends at the beach, travel.

Special Achievements: 20 year veteran – Navy.

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Frisbee football outside the auditorium.

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Wrecking a car the 5th day of having my drivers license. During the run of South Pacific.

Favorite Teacher: Rich Prioste

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: Wish I had paid more attention to the math and science classes. Even though the math teacher, Dr. ??? was a dry instructor, he was very dedicated to math.

Susan Jensen
(Susan Purcell)



Current Hometown: Los Gatos, California

Family Members: Kevin Purcell, Amanda Purcell, Christopher Purcell

How Do You Spend Your Time?

With my family, friends and raising my children. Keeping busy with my spouse at work in our dental office. Enjoying all the Bay Area has to offer. Running, swimming, Zumba and hiking with my golden retriever Nala

Special Achievements: Lots of travels to many exciting and exotic parts of the world.

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: How peaceful and safe the campus was and how lucky we were to have such great classmates and teachers. A world class education! Disneyland was fantastic!

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: the lockers

Favorite Teacher: Mr. Thomas

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: That each person has the potential to be a part of history and can make a difference on so many levels.

Hank Lawson



Current Hometown: Saratoga, CA

Family Members: Marcia (wife), Fiona, Jillian, Ernie (19 yr old cat)

How Do You Spend Your Time? Timing HS Track & XC meets. Maintaining Lynbrook HS Track & XC web page. Sports photography. Trying to run without getting injured. Perform on stage one musical a year (or 2 years, it's harder to get cast nowadays). Take care of my 93 yr old uncle.

Special Achievements: Outside of the obvious family achievements... I know of at least 6 kids that I coached that are now coaches themselves (giving back to the sport). I have crossed over that line from being someone who wants to learn from the experienced (aka old folks) to being one of the experienced to help guide (and they tell me that – not the old part, the guiding part).

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Boy, lots of them. Choir trip to LA, Jazz Band trips to Reno, moving the kiosk, Saddle Hawkins, any performance... Grad Night at Disneyland (I didn't know Linda Ronstadt played).

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Taking calculus, twice. Breaking my leg on a Gunn Ski trip.

Favorite Teacher: Walt Thomas

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: Your body is only as good as the stuff you put in to it. Wish I had eaten healthier for I believe I would've run a lot faster.

Mark Ledwith



Current Hometown: Sierra Nevada

Family Members: Wife Laura and Son Evan

How Do You Spend Your Time?

Family, Friends, Read, Ski, Bike, Fly, Pray

Special Achievements: CPA, 1st Lieutenant, CAP

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Swim Team

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Cliques

Favorite Teacher: George French

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: "I am the Way, the Truth and the Life." Jesus in John 4:16

Marilyn Mann



Current Hometown: Kensington, Maryland

Family Members: Doug Lesar (husband), Monica Lesar (daughter, age 20)

How Do You Spend Your Time? I am an attorney at the Securities and Exchange Commission. I also spend quite a bit of time helping my sister Susan, who is disabled. I occasionally blog at <http://marilynmann.wordpress.com> and I'm on Twitter (@MarilynMann).

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: Nullius in verba (roughly, "Don't take anyone's word for it.").

Jim March



Current Hometown: Petaluma, California

Family Members: Six children (3 bio, 3 step)

- David (b.1981), Jonathan (b.1984), Sarah (b.1988) (with Lois Standring '74, 1st wife)
- Joshua (b. 1985), Heather (b.1988), Shelby (b.1991) (step-father with Melissa March, 2nd wife)
- No children married (four of the children have been living with their partners for over four years), no grandchildren, two marriages to happen later this year
- Youngest just graduated from college. YIPPEE! No more college education debt!

How Do You Spend Your Time?

- Volunteering for numerous non-profits (helping the children of Richmond, California; helping men be better men; helping the homeless, helping women's shelters, etc.);
- Travel to Europe (France, Belgium, Poland, Russia) and the Far East (Nepal, Thailand, Laos), with plans for China next;
- Trying to keep up with Internet technology
- Writing (short-story and novel, fiction and non-fiction);
- Playing guitar and singing (old standards);
- Photography (travel photos and "artsy" photos)
- Staying connected (Facebook, e-mails, voice-mails, phone calls)

Special Achievements:

- Twenty-eight years of child-rearing (now on to adult-rearing)
- Thirty-five years of marriage (first marriage 20 years, second marriage 13 years and counting)
- Learning to cope with a brain-damaged son (who was just released from prison for the 3rd time)
- Starting and building a software company for 14 years
- Selling my software company and retiring at 47
- Donating over \$4 million to non-profits
- Learning to paint, learning to write, and learning to play violin, all after the age of 50
- Discovering at age 54 that I am a perfectionist (aka judgmental prick), and committing to change myself (still working on it)
- Surviving four years of severe depression
- President of the Board of Directors of a school for children in Richmond (aka eastbaycenter.org). The school teaches multicultural performing arts (Latino, African-American, Laotian, and Western traditions) to children and young adults aged 4-20, expanding their perception of the choices life has to offer them. In 2011, we completed the \$16 million new facilities after six years of planning, fund-raising, and construction. The school is located in the heart of Richmond, continuing our commitment to the challenges facing the “Iron Triangle” community.

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: The year I spent with the other members of School Within A School (SWAS)

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Tasting one of those vegetarian “burgers of the future” during some event in the center quad

Favorite Teacher: Candace Simpson, Chemistry

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You’d Known Then: Having lots of sex before getting married is a good idea

Mary Anne McKittrick

Current Hometown: Santa Cruz

How Do You Spend Your Time? Hiking

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Friends

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Family Planning Classes

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You’d Known Then: Do math!

Marsha (“Marty”) Morton



Current Hometown: Mountain View (or as I call it, one block out of Palo Alto...☺)

Family Members: 3 fat cats (actual cats, not wealthy, privileged, contributors to political campaigns...)

How Do You Spend Your Time?

- Working day in, day out at Yahoo! (love it);
- During football season, run chains for Gunn football games (and Foothill and CSM too) with Deanna Bower;
- Drive up to Red Bluff about once a month to visit dear ol' Mom (and sister, Cathy) (it was 113 degrees in the shade last month! In the shade!);
- Watch Giants (and on occasion, A's) baseball.
- That's it. That's all I do. ☺

Special Achievements: At the ripe old age of 54, got my paralegal certificate...

(one of my) Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Cheering for the 10-0 football season....

(the most) Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Running out of German class after getting sooooo mad at Herr Coultas (I even turned to give him a certain type of hand gesture... Bah!!! Just terrible! And I don't even remember what I was so mad about....)

Favorite Teacher: Uh, duh – that would be “Miss Jensen” (Deanna Bower)

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: That it's ok to get straight A's!!! Really.

Jack Perkins



Current Hometown: San Francisco

Family Members: 2

How Do You Spend Your Time? I've been a headhunter a long time and I enjoy. I love fishing and since I recently moved close to the ocean in San Francisco (near Sunset District) I get to go to the beach a lot and sometimes surf fish for Striped Bass and perch. Watch the surfers at Ocean Beach and wish I took it up when I was younger.

My dog and I are joined at the hip, at work, at beach, at home.

I plan to do more artsy things in S.F. with my wife (who isn't into fishing).

I'd love to do more things with my daughter, but alas, at 25 spending time with her dad is not a priority.

Special Achievements: None! Except when I was a Cub Scout for three years, I was the only Cub Scout that didn't earn a single badge. No Wolf/Bob Cat badge, nothing. It drove my mother crazy. I loved Cub Scouts and I just didn't see the reason to earn a badge.

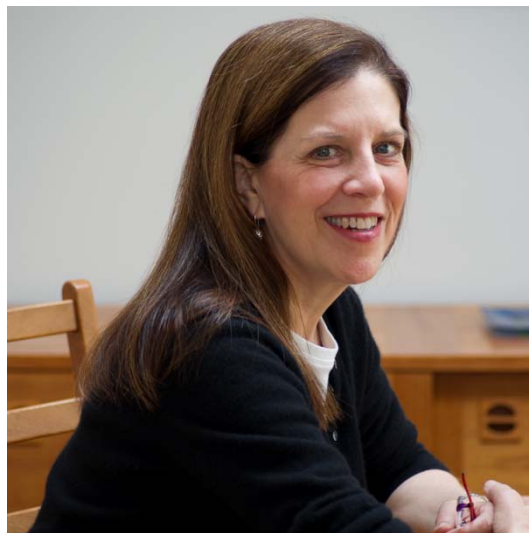
Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: My first Joint!

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: The day after my first time drunk!

Favorite Teacher: I liked Mr. Truesdale the PE teacher

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: Getting drunk does not impress the ladies

Kathy Siena
(Katherine June Siena Hubley)



Current Hometown: Bethesda, Maryland (Washington D.C. area)

Family Members: David – spouse of 33 years; James (32), Elizabeth (29), Andrew (24)

How Do You Spend Your Time? Work as an RN at Medstar Georgetown University Hospital at a Wound Care Specialist; Creating fused glass art, quilting and gardening

Special Achievements: Nurse of the Year 2008 Medstar Georgetown University Hospital, Certified Wound Care Nurse

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: The all school water balloon fight Senior year

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: school dances

Favorite Teacher: Mr. Stockton (drama)

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: That the whole is not always looking at you!

Robert Willey



Current Hometown: Lafayette, Louisiana

Family Members: wife, son (11), and daughter (13)

How Do You Spend Your Time? Teaching music production and business, producing, composing, learning, figuring out how to spend my time.

Special Achievements: Helping to raise two children.

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn: Nice kids, good teachers, hanging around the music building.

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn: Being socially awkward.

Favorite Teacher: I would need a list of names and the subjects they taught.

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then: Treat other people the way you'd like to be treated.

Rich Worthington



Current Hometown: Menlo Park, CA

Family Members: spouse: Robin, daughter: Leah (age 20)

How Do You Spend Your Time?

Working as a Senior Software Engineer at FuzeBox; Gardening; Seeing movies; Spending time with friends

Special Achievements:

I am very proud of my daughter Leah who just finished her sophomore year at college

Most Favorite Memory of Gunn:

The senior prank when the Bat Cave was filled with water

Least Favorite Memory of Gunn:

Too much time spent with guy friends (they were good friends however), and not enough with girls

Favorite Teacher: Mr. Musgrave (math)

Wisdom You Know Now That You Wish You'd Known Then:

You don't need to be a tall handsome football player for the girls to like you

In Memoriam

Ana Alvarado (date unk.)

Kim Armstrong (date unk.)

Clark Buehler (2013)

Paul Casterson (2009)

John Catlin (1987)

Susie Elster (2004)

Peter Grieshaber (1994)

Kathy Jones (1990)

Dale Kinoshita (2011)

Allen Larsen (2009)

Melissa Mills (2008)

Tom Oberhelman (2011)

Paul Rosen (1974)

Patricia Ann Shadlow (2013)

David Witcher (1970)

Jeffrey Wieters (1979)