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# THE ALUMNI WARWHOOOP

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## Use The Alumni Warwhoop To Publicize Your Class' Reunion

The **Alumni Warwhoop** and the Jamesburg High School Alumni Association exist to keep alive the great memories we all have of Jamesburg High School. It is not the purpose of the Association to take over the role of class reunions. All classes are encouraged to plan their own reunions, using the resources of the Alumni Association and the **Alumni Warwhoop** to locate class members and to publicize class events. The Association also hopes that classes and individual class members also support and participate in Alumni Association activities and events, looking on them as means to share in our common heritage. Each class is encouraged to have a Class Trustee on the Association's Executive Board. If you're interested in serving as your class' representative, please contact Tom Dey, Association President at [twdusafr@aol.com](mailto:twdusafr@aol.com).

## Upcoming Reunions

### Attention Class of 1952!

#### 50th Reunion

The J.H.S. class of 1952 will be holding its 50th reunion on September 14, 2002, at the Ramada Inn, East Windsor. A luncheon will be held from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Invitations will be going out soon. Contact: Ruth Perrine Wolfe – 732-521-1292

### Attention Class of 1962!

#### 40th Reunion

Saturday, September 28, 2002  
Garvey's Restaurant  
4:00 p.m. Picture on High School Front Stairs  
5:00 p.m. Cocktails  
6:00 p.m. Dinner  
Cost: \$40.00 per person (slight increase)  
There will be 50's & 60's music.  
Contacts: Barbara Collura Donna Chmara  
Phone: 609-799-9118 609-587-7311  
e-mail: [barbara\\_collura@fmc.com](mailto:barbara_collura@fmc.com) or  
[danutac@optonline.net](mailto:danutac@optonline.net)

This is a link to Class of 1962 website:  
<http://mywebpages.comcast.net/carmellao/index.html>

### Attention Classes of 1971 & 1972!

**Your planned Reunion has been cancelled**

## Second All-Class Reunion April 26, 2003

Although Saturday, April 26, 2003 is almost a year away, the Jamesburg High School Alumni Association wants all JHS Faculty members, Alumni and friends to know about the second All-Class Reunion. It will be held at the Holiday Inn Monroe, right cross from the NJTPK Exit 8A. The evening will begin with a cocktail hour at 7:00 p.m. Following dinner at 8:00 p.m. and the program, there will be dancing until Midnight. Based on the success of our first reunion last year, this one's going to be even more successful. Tickets are \$60.00 per person, and will be limited to 300. The Alumni Association is planning a mailing in October that will include complete reunion information and a ticket order form. Be sure that we have your correct mailing address. Send it to the Jamesburg High School Alumni Association, c/o Auto King Parts, 67 E. Railroad Avenue, Jamesburg, NJ 08831 or e-mail your address to: [jhsaa\\_reunion\\_03@aol.com](mailto:jhsaa_reunion_03@aol.com).

## Second All Class Reunion to Honor Coach Matteo



The Jamesburg High School Alumni Association will honor Coach Richard J. Matteo at its Second All Class Reunion on Saturday, April 26, 2003. Coach Matteo was on the Faculty of Jamesburg High School from 1943 until its closing in 1979. He then continued teaching in the Jamesburg School system until his retirement in 1982. During those years Coach Matteo, in addition to coaching winning teams in soccer, basketball and baseball, touched the lives of thousands of students, instilling in them qualities that affected their lives for years to come.

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To commemorate this event, the Alumni Association commissioned portrait illustrator Deb Hoeffner to create a portrait of Coach Matteo. The Association provided her with several photographs of Coach, taken over the years. Within the next few months the Alumni Association will be making copies available to interested persons. For more information on the Matteo portrait, please contact the Association.

**JHS Memorabilia Wanted**

Going through your closets, cleaning out your basement, finally going through those boxes that have been sitting in the attic for years? Did you happen to come across any prom programs, high school play programs, old copies of the *Warwhoop*, school pennants or buttons? The Jamesburg High School Alumni Association will take those items off your hands. You can either mail them to the JHSAA or drop them off at Auto King Parts, 37 East Railroad Avenue, Jamesburg, NJ 08831. The Association has already established a working relationship with the Jamesburg Historical Association for the preservation of JHS memorabilia. With Alumni support we hope to contribute to the preservation of and add to the JHS memorabilia in the Jamesburg High School Room at the Buckelew Mansion.

**We're going to be at...**

The Jamesburg High School Alumni Association plans to be represented at the following Jamesburg area events over the next few months. If you're available to assist at our information table, please contact Tom Dey at the phone number or e-mail him at [twdusafr@aol.com](mailto:twdusafr@aol.com).

- July 4<sup>th</sup> Fireworks Display at Thompson Park
- August 10<sup>th</sup> Jamesburg Tonkery Day
- August 17<sup>th</sup> Buckelew Day

**About This Newsletter**

The *Alumni Warwhoop* is the official publication of the Jamesburg High School Alumni Association. In addition, it hopes to be the source of information about upcoming class reunions and happenings in the lives of our schoolmates and faculty members. E-mail your information to the Editor, Fr. Ron Becker '63 at [AlumniWarwhoop@aol.com](mailto:AlumniWarwhoop@aol.com)


The *Alumni Warwhoop* is published quarterly, in January, April, July and October. Deadline for publication is the 15<sup>th</sup> of the previous month. Letters and news from alumni and faculty are most welcome. All letters must be signed and include an address and telephone number.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

**All Jamesburg High School Alumni Association meetings take place on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the Buckelew House across from the former Perrine's Pontiac.**

**Advertise In The Alumni Warwhoop**

Help defray the expense of printing and distributing copies of the Alumni Warwhoop. For only \$10.00 you can place your ad in the next four issues of the Alumni Warwhoop (that's \$2.50/issue). For more information, contact Fr. Ron Becker, PO Box 347, Helmetta, NJ 08828-0347 or at [AlumniWarwhoop@aol.com](mailto:AlumniWarwhoop@aol.com).

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