

# TRADITION

FORWARD TO GREATER THINGS



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## President's Thoughts

Usually, winter months are long and boring as we anxiously await Spring and warmer weather. However, the winter months have been anything but "long and boring" at Roger Bacon.

We are in the process of putting together the **Class of 2030** (can you believe it!?) and by all accounts, it will be an extremely talented class. Interest in Roger Bacon remains very high as applications from eighth grade students hoping to be Spartans passed record levels from last year. Word about Roger Bacon has permeated the local community. Excellent education... outstanding culture...community service... participation in sports and extracurriculars...travel opportunities...a safe Catholic and Franciscan environment that reinforces morals and values taught at home and value for the money are just some of the reasons Roger Bacon has truly become a "**destination school**" for students and families seeking a real-life high school experience.

The **Anne Nurre Heidt Atrium** construction continues *on time* and *under budget*. Containing the first dedicated chapel in Roger Bacon's long and illustrious history, the impact of this transformative project on our student body and school community, now and in the future, cannot be overemphasized. An **August 11, 2026** dedication (Feast of St. Clare of Assisi) is being planned with the goal of being fully operational for the start of the 2026/27 school year.

Plans continue to move forward for an expansion of the **East Parking Lot**. Located off of Leonard Avenue in the back of the school, the expanded lot will contain approximately 110 parking spots.

Student safety will be enhanced by alleviating congestion in the current lot and incorporating a dedicated one-way entrance and exit. The goal of this expansion is to be ready for the 2026/27 school year.

Reclamation of **3 classrooms** during the summer and the addition of **2 additional teachers** will allow for expanded curriculum opportunities and maintenance of a low student/teacher ratio which has become a hallmark of Roger Bacon.

Fundraising is strong as our alum and friends have supported these vitally important projects. To date, we have raised **\$9.2 million** of the \$10 million goal with a year remaining on the capital campaign.

As we approach our 100th anniversary, there are many reasons to return to Roger Bacon and see firsthand the exciting changes to our beautiful campus. Come back and support current and future generations of Spartans with your presence, generosity, and prayers. There has never been a better time to be a Spartan!

*Please keep us in your prayers as we confidently move "forward to greater things" in 2026.*

**God Bless you and God Bless Roger Bacon High School.**



Steve Schad, President





COVER: STUDENTS SIGN SUPPORT BEAM  
PICTURED ABOVE: ALUMNI SIGN SUPPORT BEAM

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# Built on the shou

## Friar Roger Bacon

Long before the name **Roger Bacon** was etched on a building or worn across a uniform, it belonged to a man whose curiosity, faith, and pursuit of truth helped shape the world around him. A **Franciscan friar, scholar,** and **pioneer of learning,** Roger Bacon (1219-1292) believed that knowledge—grounded in faith and tested through experience—had the power to illuminate minds and transform society. This story explores who Roger Bacon was, what he stood for, and why his legacy continues to inspire the mission and spirit of our school today.

### *Scientific Method*

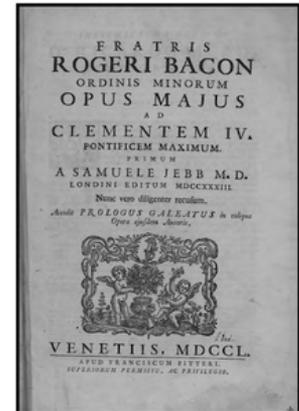
Roger Bacon espoused learning through observation and experimentation, rather than relying on established authorities and/or texts. His evidence-based approach emphasized empirical evidence and the testing of hypotheses. This laid the groundwork for the scientific method.

BACON'S SCIENTIFIC METHODOLOGY CAN BE SUMMARIZED AS:

1. OBSERVATION
2. HYPOTHESIS
3. EXPERIMENTATION
4. VERIFICATION

### *Opus Majus*

This seminal treatise ranges over all aspects of natural science, grammar and logic, mathematics, physics, philosophy, optics, and alchemy. It demonstrates the scientific method. Roger Bacon strongly advocated the reform of education, arguing that the best means of understanding the world's creator was by close observation and precise measurement of His natural world. He held that more emphasis should be placed upon the learning of languages and the study of mathematics, alchemy, astronomy and the physical sciences.



# Iders of Giants

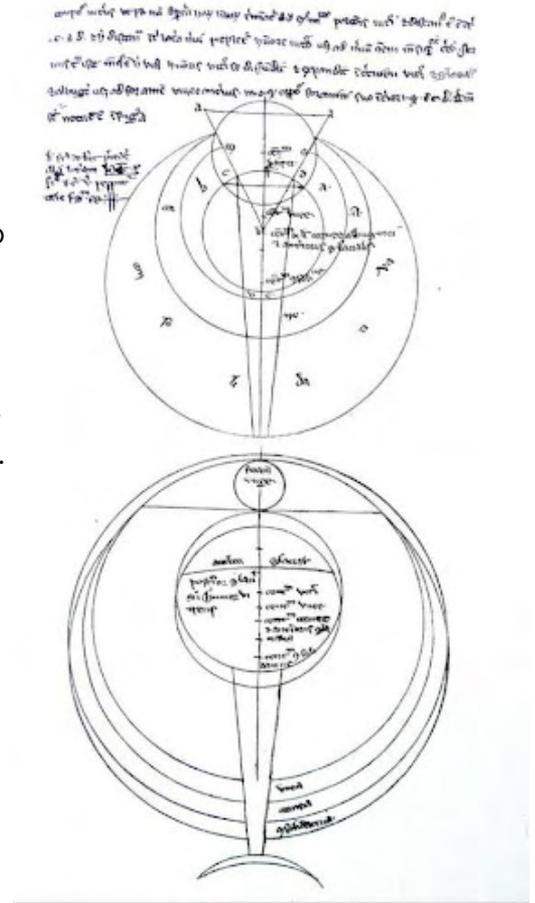
## Science and Religion

Roger Bacon saw science not as separate from religion, but as a tool to better understand God's creation and to deepen religious understanding. He believed that the study of the natural world and the study of theology were not exclusive, but rather complementary and mutually supportive paths to truth.

## Optics

His most important mathematical contribution was the application of geometry to optics.

He emphasized the use of lenses for magnification to aid natural vision and carried out systematic observations with lenses and mirrors. Roger Bacon was the first to theorize that lenses may have applications in the correction of eyesight, and he was also the first to apply geometry to the study of optics.



## Linguist

Roger Bacon was familiar with English, French, Latin, Greek, Arabic, and Aramaic. His mastery of Greek in particular was unique in his times. He was an early advocate of the importance of studying foreign languages, including Arabic and Hebrew, for the advancement of knowledge. Roger Bacon did not learn languages as an end in itself, but rather as an important tool in learning. He believed the quality of translations at that time were so poor that any serious scholar of a topic needed to go back to the original source to avoid being badly misled.

**“The conquest of learning is achieved through the knowledge of languages.”**

**Roger Bacon**

# Built on the shou

## Calendar Reformer

Roger Bacon believed the calendar of his time (the Julian Calendar dating from 46 BC) was not accurate. Since he was a religious man, he felt that the celebrations of holidays like Christmas were on the wrong dates. Bacon proposed a calendrical reform that led to the Gregorian calendar 100 years later – the calendar we use today.



## Visionary

Roger Bacon's innovative ideas and vision of the future contributed to his reputation as a "wizard" in the eyes of his contemporaries. He imagined inventions that would take six to seven more centuries to materialize, such as:

**STEAMSHIP – DIVING BELL – SUBMARINE  
– AUTOMOBILE – AIRPLANE – BINOCULAR  
– TELESCOPE – LASER TECHNOLOGY**

## Inventor

The magnifying glass was invented by Roger Bacon in 1268. He adapted its use as primitive spectacles, allowing scholars with failing eyesight to continue their work.

Although gunpowder was first invented and described in China, Bacon was the first in Europe to record its formula. He is credited with being the first Western intellectual to produce gunpowder after witnessing at least one demonstration of explosives from the Mongol Empire, but he kept the formula a secret lest it be used to harm anyone.

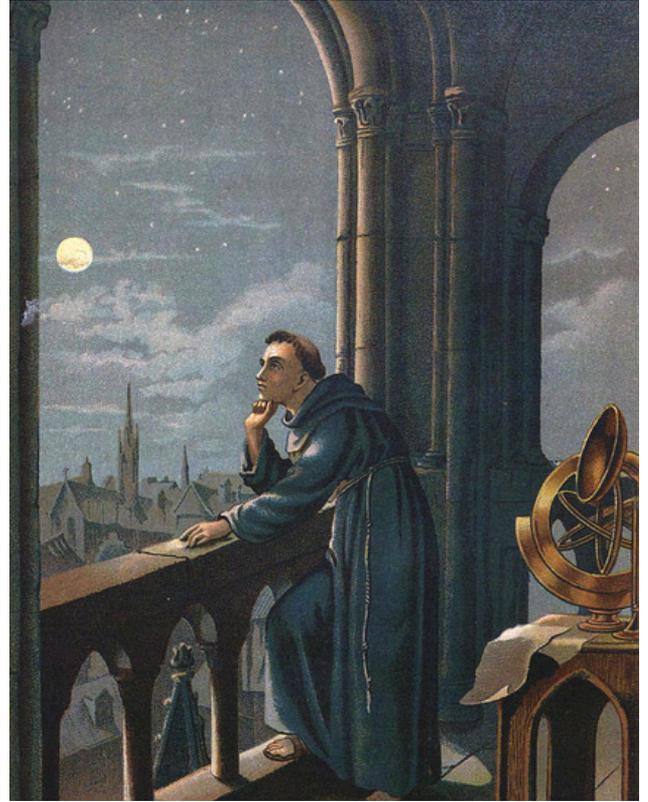


# Ideas of Giants

## *Astronomer*

Roger Bacon explored the positions and sizes of celestial objects, contributing to a better understanding of the cosmos. He believed that the Earth was a sphere and that one could sail round it. He estimated the distance to the stars and used a camera obscura (which projects an image through a pinhole) to observe eclipses of the Sun.

Bacon (Baco) is a lunar impact crater that lies in the rugged southern highlands on the near side of the moon - this crater was named after Roger Bacon. On the Moon, craters are named after deceased scientists, polar explorers, astronauts or cosmonauts.



Spread the word...Roger Bacon's admissions office is currently preparing to admit the Class of 2030, a class that will become the 102<sup>nd</sup> graduating class in our celebrated history. As the coed school of choice in Cincinnati, this year we had another record number of applicants from more than seventy-five schools throughout the tri-state. Students from all over the area are seeking out Roger Bacon for its unique Franciscan charism, and the tremendous academic, athletic, spiritual and social opportunities.

Among the amazing applicants is *Lily Montgomery*, an eighth grader from Nativity. Lily has applied to be a member of our Freshman Honors Program and also looks to join our amazing volleyball program. In reviewing essays with our applications, hers stood out as an example of the students that have made Roger Bacon such a special place for almost one hundred years. Please enjoy her essay below. We can't wait to introduce you to the rest of the Class of 2030.

# Spread the Word

## Welcome to the



"HIGH SCHOOL IS SUCH AN IMPORTANT PART OF LIFE. I PLAN TO GROW IN SO MANY WAYS DURING MY HIGH SCHOOL CAREER. I LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH THE MANY MINISTRIES OFFERED AT ROGER BACON. I ENJOY HELPING PEOPLE AND BRINGING JOY INTO THEIR LIVES DURING TIMES OF HARDSHIP OR SADNESS. I ALSO ENJOY CELEBRATING THE SUCCESSES OF OTHER PEOPLE.

I AM A FAITHFUL PERSON LOOKING FOR A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF THE CHURCH AND GOSPEL. I SEEK OUT CHARISMATIC PREACHERS AND LIKE TO VISIT OTHER PARISHES TO DISCOVER WHAT THEIR SERVICES OFFER. I LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING AND WORSHIPING WITH NEW CLERGY WHO HELP ME MORE FULLY DEVELOP MY RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD.

MY FAITH IN GOD ALSO HELPS ME TO BECOME THE BEST STUDENT I CAN BE. I HOPE TO BE ACCEPTED INTO THE HONORS PROGRAM AND TO PUSH MYSELF TO THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATION IN MY ABILITY WHILE AT ROGER BACON. I WANT TO PROVE TO MYSELF THAT I'M CAPABLE OF LEARNING AND SUCCEEDING AT THE HONORS LEVEL.

I HAVE MANY GIFTS TO SHARE WITH THOSE AROUND ME AND AM HOPEFUL TO FULLY ENGAGE IN ALL THE THINGS ROGER BACON HAS TO OFFER. I ENJOY BRINGING LAUGHTER AND HAPPINESS TO OTHERS, ESPECIALLY THOSE WHO ARE HAVING A HARD TIME FINDING IT THEMSELVES. I HAVE DELIVERED MEALS ON WHEELS SINCE I WAS A BABY AND ENJOY SEEING THE FACES OF THOSE WE SERVE WHILE LISTENING TO THEIR STORIES AND HOPEFULLY BRINGING JOY TO THEIR DAY.

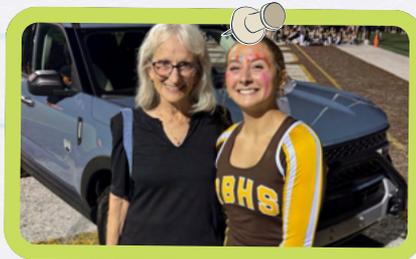
I HOPE TO JOIN MANY TEAMS/CLUBS AND FORM FRIENDSHIPS THAT LAST A LIFETIME. I'D LOVE TO USE THOSE RELATIONSHIPS TO HELP OTHERS ON THEIR JOURNEYS AS WELL AS FIND AREAS WE CAN HELP AS A TEAM TO MAKE ROGER BACON THE BEST SCHOOL IN THE CITY!"

## Spartan Army!



### Eagle Scout Project

A big thank you to **Caden Broenner '26**, who chose Roger Bacon as the focus of his Eagle Scout service project. After the original sign in our back parking lot was damaged, Caden stepped up and rebuilt the entire sign area—creating a beautiful, lasting improvement for our campus.



### Bacon Bronco Raffle

Thanks to the incredible dedication of our students, staff, and the support of Spartan Nation, the **Bacon Bronco Raffle** not only met but surpassed its \$150,000 goal — raising an outstanding **\$180,930** in support of Roger Bacon students. We are thrilled to announce the winner of our 2025 Bacon Bronco Raffle! Congratulations to **Ellen Layne** - who won a new 2025 Ford Bronco Sport!

Ellen purchased her chances through her grandson, **Alex Chavez '29**. Her lucky ticket was pulled by **Amira Ramahi '27** at halftime of our Homecoming football game on Friday, October 3rd. There we a total of 10,442 tickets in the hopper and Ellen had purchased \$200 worth (12 tickets). What made it even better is that Ellen was in attendance to hear her name called! Thanks to everyone who helped make this such a success.



# The Halls @ RB



### Homecoming Week

Spartans celebrated **Homecoming 2025** with a week of fun. Dress down days filled the week and consisted of pajama day, a day where folks dressed as rhymes without reason, a trip to the animal kingdom and the widest age gaps the hallways have seen when students dressed their "ages." The school week was ended with the Spirit Olympics. The week capped off with some Saturday Night Fever at the Homecoming Dance where students danced the night away.





Check out the interview with John Nimeskern '43 by scanning this code!

## Honoring our Country's Finest

Roger Bacon proudly honored the men and women who served our country during our annual **Veterans Day Breakfast & Assembly**. Over 100 veterans representing every branch of the United States Armed Forces joined us this morning alongside our entire student body. We were especially humbled and honored to welcome two World War II Veterans, classmates from the Roger Bacon Class of 1943: **John Roy Nimeskern**, United States Navy (turned 100 in August) **Paul Blom**, United States Navy (will be 100 in January). Their presence was a powerful reminder of the courage, sacrifice, and legacy that spans generations of Spartans. The assembly concluded in a moving moment of unity, as our entire school community joined in singing Taps, led by **Arnie Siegmund '63** and **Mark Zlatic '27**. To all veterans – thank you. Your service, your example, and your continued commitment to our nation inspire us today and always.



## Etched in the Foundation

In partnership with our friends at **HGC Construction**, our students and faculty signed their names on a structural beam that now lives forever as part of this new space. This beam was chosen with great care – placed above the sacristy of the first dedicated chapel in Roger Bacon's history. Generations of Spartans will gather in this sacred space, with the strength of today's students literally built into its foundation. Their signatures are more than ink on steel – they are a lasting symbol of faith, community, and the legacy we continue to build together.



## A FEASTival to Remember

October 4th is the **Feast Day of St. Francis of Assisi** – and on Friday, October 3, at Roger Bacon, the celebrations were aplenty.

An all school mass kicked off the day full of celebrations followed by the Spirit Olympics that helped wrap up the Homecoming Week festivities. After mass, all students and faculty headed down to the stadium for the annual **FEASTival** put on by the Spiritual Life Committee. There were games, a grilled lunch and even the highly anticipated students versus faculty water balloon toss. There were even some faculty appearances in the dunk booth!

## RB3 on Tour

Throughout December, RB3 hit the grade school circuit for their annual Christmas Tour. They visited several grade schools around the area and proved that "the best way to spread Christmas cheer, is singing loud for all to hear!" Throughout each of their stops, they were able to sing with the grade schoolers and give them the opportunity to take the mic. It was a wonderful way to share their talents throughout the city in celebration of the Christmas season.



# BA CON ARTS



## A Haunting Success

Congrats to the Cast and Crew of "The Canterville Ghost"! The production turned out to be one of RB Drama Guild's most successful plays, with TWO SOLD-OUT performances, and one of the highest RB student attendance records! Great job to the talented cast, and a huge round of applause to the all-student run crew.



## COMING SOON

Be sure to keep an eye out for ticket information on RB Drama Guild's Spring musical "9 to 5". Performances will take place April 3-6.



# DEAR ROGER BACON SUPPORTERS,

As we reflect on the 2024 - 25 fiscal year, we are filled with deep gratitude for the generosity of our Spartans, Angels, spouses, parents, friends, businesses, and foundations who chose to invest in Roger Bacon High School. Your support strengthens every corner of our school and ensures that a high-quality Catholic, Franciscan education remains accessible to our students.

This Annual Report recognizes all gifts received between **July 1, 2024 and June 30, 2025**. These gifts sustain our Franciscan mission and provide the resources necessary for transformative student experiences – both in and beyond the classroom.

As you browse the “**Donors by Class**” section, have some fun with it—look for friends, former teammates, favorite classmates, and familiar names. It’s always great to see who showed up to support RB this past year, and we’re incredibly grateful for everyone who did.

If you don’t see your name, do not worry. Think of it as an invitation! This year our fiscal year ends on June 30, 2026, and any gift—**of any size**—will make sure your name appears alongside the names of your classmates in next year’s report. Even better, you’ll help boost your class’s participation rate among living alumni and keep the friendly competition going.

Most importantly, this section is meant to be fun, interactive, and reminiscent of the incredible community we share. Celebrate the names you see, and if you want to join them next year, we’d love to have you. Every donor adds to the story of Roger Bacon and helps keep our Spartan tradition strong.

I know everyone is in a different phase of their life: getting married, raising families, building careers, sending kids to school. Life pulls us in many directions. However, every gift—**no matter the size**—makes a real difference. Any level of participation honors the generations who came before us and supports the Spartans of today who will carry that legacy forward.

There is tremendous momentum at Roger Bacon right now. As we move closer to our 100th anniversary, our enrollment is strong and growing, our new atrium is taking shape, and our students are thriving: leading in the classroom, competing at high levels, serving our community and growing in their faith. These improvements and opportunities are shaping an exciting future for Roger Bacon. Your support plays a direct role in making it all possible.

On behalf of the entire Roger Bacon family, **thank you** for believing in our mission, supporting our students, and continuing the proud Franciscan tradition that shapes every current and future Spartan. We are extremely grateful for all your love, support, and prayers.

With appreciation,



Brandon Spaeth '11  
Director of Advancement



“  
**For it is in  
giving that we  
receive**  
-St. Francis of Assisi  
”

**Class of 1942**

**RB 7% OLA 5%**

Regina Nieb +  
Edward Rabe

**Class of 1945**

**RB 0% OLA 7%**

Ruth Geers Rice +  
Marilyn Cisko Sheeran

**Class of 1946**

**RB 0% OLA 10%**

Mary Kelly Koenig +  
Margaret Menner Roll  
Marie Schulte Schoettmer

**Class of 1947**

**RB 5% OLA 0%**

Robert Dineen

**Class of 1948**

**RB 12% OLA 3%**

Robert Buckmeier +  
Louis Flamm +  
George Glandorf  
Betty Jane Huebener-Sandoz  
Donald LaRosa

**Class of 1949**

**RB 10% OLA 12%**

Rosella Doepker  
Anita Suer Hartman  
Nancy Stich Huffner +  
Caryl Alfin Kane  
Joan Elfers Knecht  
Richard + Pohlkamp  
Roger Sand  
Carol Kleingers Schwieter  
Peter Sciamanna  
William Stegeman

**Class of 1950**

**RB 6% OLA 3%**

Nicholas Hoesl  
Patricia Stevens-Klosterman  
Merle Ann Koenig  
Jack Marshall  
Earl Molloy

**Class of 1951**

**RB 28% OLA 4%**

Allen Barrow  
William Bross  
Mary Jane Stark Esposito  
Daniel Evers  
Bernard Giesler  
Lawrence Humbert  
Mary Lee Tombragel-Kuechly  
William Lammert  
Joseph Willig

**Class of 1952**

**RB 16% OLA 10%**

Mary Ann Rolfes Bross  
Mary Jean Michel-Buckmeier

Louis Dellerman  
G. Donald Doppes  
Raymond Meyer  
Catherine Albonetti-  
Michels  
Charles Moulliet  
Donald Pohlman  
John Raleigh  
Rose Seufert Sicking +  
Marylin Zirkelbach-  
Sininger +

**Class of 1953**

**RB 30% OLA 4%**

Richard Arand  
John Bok  
Gilbert Born  
Theodore Brackman  
Ronald Dauwe +  
Raymond Deidesheimer  
Richard Doppes  
Patricia Slattery Grote  
Frank Haggerty  
Mary Jane Arnult Knueven  
Charles Michel  
Daniel Rettig  
Donald Roettele  
Thomas Shumate  
James Sicking  
Jeanne Brueckner Townsend

**Class of 1954**

**RB 36% OLA 8%**

James Brausch  
Bonnie Kuhl Busch  
Frederick Corsmeier  
Harry Cramer  
Robert Kispert  
Jerome Kistner  
James Koch  
Gerald Koehne  
Thomas Kugele  
Carol Weisbrod Lichtenberg  
Elizabeth Schmolt Lusheck  
Carolyn Kreienbaum McMahon  
Audrey Mertens Merrill  
John Monaco  
Daniel Sauer  
Mary Boeh Schneider  
Edward Schrand  
John Ventre  
George Wagner  
Kenneth Wiesman

**Class of 1955**

**RB 32% OLA 12%**

Joanne Zimmer Bonno  
Richard Breslin  
Mary Haggerty Curran +  
George Daumeyer  
Nancy Seiter Donahue  
Rudy Gerbus  
C. Jack Haap  
Bruce Hesketh  
Rosalie Barone Hesketh

Donald Hoffmann  
Shirley Seiler Hofmann  
Michael Kearney  
August Kramer  
LaVerne Armbruster Krismer  
Carl Labmeier  
Raymond Linesch  
Frank Listermann  
Jack Luhrman  
Joseph Monaco  
John Pilgrim  
George Rolfes  
Ronald Sabelhaus  
Jane Ann Lammert-  
Schildmeyer  
Judith Apke Smith  
Helen Fields Tingle  
Frank Weyer  
Thomas Wittkamp

**Class of 1956**

**RB 25% OLA 12%**

Raymond Albrinck  
Barbara McKeague Baker  
Lois Dietz Beck  
James Bertke  
Thomas Brockman  
Jesse Bullock  
Darlene Fey Carovillano  
Peter Carusone  
Mary Ann Barrow-  
Fesenmeier  
John Fierro +  
James Gehring  
James Hudepohl  
Helena Schnittker Isfort  
Robert Isfort  
Bernadette Noonan Listermann  
Ronald Marconet  
Mary Pat Penwell McQueary  
William Meyer  
Jean Federle Myers  
John Nieman  
Paul Rapien  
Janet Brigger Rayburn  
Carl Roskopf  
Richard Witte Theis  
Marvin Tibbetts  
Charles VonderMeulen  
Dianne Wolf Westrich  
Suzanne Ohe Weyer  
Richard Zirkelbach

**Class of 1957**

**RB 37% OLA 19%**

Mary Ann Hofmann Albrinck  
Ronald Albrinck  
Vincent Angeline +  
George Appelman  
Charlene Boehmer Asbach  
Patricia Geisel Babey +  
Jerome Bok  
Robert Breitbeil  
Richard Clarke  
Robert Conrad  
Timothy Coombs

Mary DeMaria +  
Bernard Dressman  
James Falls  
Virginia Byrnes Fisher  
David Frey  
Terrance Geisen  
Rita Doerger Gullette  
Thomas Hamons  
Jerome Harmeyer  
Richard Harmeyer +  
Robert Hauck +  
Thomas Herbert  
Oscar Hoffmann  
Carole Saupe Hoffmann  
Dale Hoffmann  
David Jasper  
John Kerth  
Joseph Kiefer  
Thomas Kiefer  
Susanne Mayer Kurzhals  
Thomas Lammert  
Betty Eppinghoff Lehn  
Robert Lemmink  
James Michel  
James Mitsch  
Thomas Moser  
Gerald Neumann  
Ruth Borchers Obermeyer  
Joseph Palermo  
James Pies  
Andrea Franzone Pomfrey  
Helen Russo  
Marcia Logsdon Ruwe  
Richard Scheuerle  
Joan Hart Spires  
Pamela Siegel Swafford  
Clare Schulte Tempel  
Paul Tonnis  
Marilynn Wehrman Weil  
Robert Wess

**Class of 1958**

**RB 31% OLA 12%**

W. John Albrecht  
Edward Armbruster  
Dennis Bausch  
Diane Hardig Bertke  
William Buschmann  
Donna Hughes Cefalu  
Nancy Ernst Conrad  
Eileen Lockwood Coombs  
Robert Dashley  
Connie Stavale Dressman  
Denis Driscoll  
John Flanigan  
Ernest Franz  
Joseph Frey  
Robert Gertz  
Ronald Gueterman  
Mary Ann Heimert  
Joseph Hoesl  
Lucy Fulton Hulsman  
Kenneth Kesterson  
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**Class of 1958 cont.**

Ruth Pahren Linesch  
 Denis Maddock  
 Michael Maier  
 Carl Meyer  
 Albert Moeller  
 James Murphy  
 Robert Penick  
 Rosemary Servizzi Rettig  
 Jerry Runnels  
 Rita Link Schraer  
 Sheila Reynolds Stanton  
 Edward Stark  
 Louis Stickle  
 David Vandivier  
 Carl Wehrfritz  
 Frederick Zaenkert

**Class of 1959**

**RB 24% OLA 11%**

Eric Abell  
 Richard Arszman  
 Ralph Artmayer  
 Bernard Bacevich  
 Robert Berner  
 Alvin Bock  
 William Broxterman  
 Richard Cappel  
 Joan Hehmann Dempsey  
 Joyce Norton Dudley  
 Phyllis Kemme Durbin  
 Kathleen Meyer Eilerman  
 Carolyn Zepf Glenn  
 Thomas Goldschmidt  
 Michael Haap  
 Eric Heaton  
 Ruth Holthaus  
 Theresa Wolke Johnson  
 James Jones  
 Richard Klus  
 Louis Metz  
 Herman Mollmann  
 Carol Lee Cosgrove Morgan  
 Mary Schnetzer Nastold  
 Geraldine Smith Ortman  
 Carol Wesseler Schmidt  
 Frank Schmidt  
 Kenneth Schrand  
 Edward Tenkman  
 Frances Witte Theis  
 Albert Welage  
 A. Darryl Wiesenhahn  
 Robert Witte  
 Timothy Witzeman  
 Robert Wolterman

**Class of 1960**

**RB 23% OLA 6%**

David Albrinck  
 Victor Boehm  
 Carol Day Bonapfel  
 Angela Brown Charron  
 Theresa Halloran Dashley  
 Richard Dierkes  
 James Doerger  
 Richard Doerger

Gerald Elfers  
 Philip Engel  
 Richard Faillace  
 Larry Gildea  
 Elizabeth Klus Goins  
 Patrick Gorman  
 Patricia Campbell Heitfeld  
 Charles Helmes  
 Marianne Schickner Hoffmann  
 Jeffrey Kalb  
 Mel Kemme  
 Thomas Kreienbaum +  
 Robert Kroeger +  
 Roger Krummen  
 James Lammert  
 John L'Estrange  
 Carl Lienhart  
 Roger Luken  
 Mark Margeson  
 Paul Marischen  
 Michael Meister  
 David Merkle  
 Joseph Mollmann  
 Helmut Neurohr  
 William Ruch  
 Joanne Telintelo Schrand  
 Thomas Schweitzer  
 George Stegeman  
 Robert Stuck  
 Stephen Szucs  
 Terry Tedesco  
 Kenneth Witsken  
 Eugene Wolke

**Class of 1961**

**RB 22% OLA 10%**

Charles Agricola  
 Linda Genheimer Albrinck  
 Sandra Strubbe Armbruster  
 Virginia Baringhaus  
 John Boland  
 Raymond Brenner  
 James Buckley  
 E. Anthony Crowe  
 Paul Dinwiddie  
 Eugene Domis  
 Raymond Drake  
 Gary Eve  
 Leo Franz  
 Joseph Ganim  
 Rose Schulte Gerversman  
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 Michael Schlosser  
 Paul Schmidt  
 Theodore Schoch  
 Paul Schoster  
 Wayne Serraino  
 Daniel Smith  
 Nicholas Snider  
 Charles Specht  
 Robert Steltenpohl  
 Gilbert Stevens  
 Charles Teufel  
 Stephen Thomas  
 E. Allan Wolf

**Class of 1962**

**RB 21% OLA 15%**

Susan Hess Bacevich  
 Gerald Berding  
 Bernice Schmalz Bishop  
 Karen Leonhardt Brothers  
 Patricia Schnorbus Buerger  
 James Collins  
 Vernon Cornelison  
 Constance Flaig Dinwiddie  
 Gerald Doerger  
 William Dorsch  
 Joan McClanahan Drake  
 James Ernst  
 Leslie Fugikawa  
 Allen Gerth  
 David Grimm  
 Lawrence Handorf +  
 James Hoenninger  
 James Hoffmann  
 Al Humbert  
 Thomas Hurst  
 Marlene Herrmann Kalb  
 Joseph Karaus +  
 Thomas Kathman  
 Carl Langenderfer  
 Paul Lyons  
 Carol Armbruster Meehan  
 George Meiners  
 Joanne Benedetti Miller  
 Clare Hoehn Roberts  
 Donald Rohling  
 Mary Jo Hinterlong  
 Royston  
 William Ruwe  
 Richard Ryan  
 Patricia Johnson Schlosser  
 Doris Fey Schmaltz  
 Marilyn Henlein Scott  
 Linda Huy Smith  
 Robert Staab  
 Gerald Sunderhaus  
 Mary Ann Tenhunfeld  
 John Werle  
 Daniel Westerbeck  
 Louis Woycke  
 Roger Zanitsch  
 Marilyn Becker Zerhusen

**Class of 1963**

**RB 27% OLA 11%**

Dennis Atkinson  
 Raymond Beck  
 James Beischel  
 Louis Bok  
 Earl Bolender  
 David Buschle  
 Thomas Dehmer  
 John Esselman  
 Charles Fulmer  
 Anthony Gertz  
 Donald Haap  
 Michelene Milazzo Heeg  
 Robert Heeg  
 Robert Herrmann  
 Victor Hildebrand  
 Elaine Tenkman-  
 Hinnenkamp  
 James Hinnenkamp  
 John Hoffmann  
 Michael Jordan  
 Jose Van Praag Koettel  
 Kathleen Wehrfritz Lazarus  
 Patricia Flynn Lienhart  
 Donald Lindeman  
 Lawrence Luken  
 B. Lynne Mc Carthy Mayo  
 David Meyer  
 Richard Moore  
 Edward Nies +  
 Victoria Kuhn Otting  
 Donald Ottke  
 Gerald Palermo  
 Judy Brecht Perdrix  
 Marlene Dunigan Petit  
 Robert Plum  
 Ronald Prickel  
 Wilbert Probst  
 Charles Roemer  
 Anna Lee Roth Rosen  
 Carole Loescher Ruschulte  
 Gerald Schatzman  
 Thomas Schneider  
 William Scotti  
 Joseph Siebenburgen  
 Arnold Siegmund  
 Michael Sliter  
 Kenneth Smith  
 James Stanton  
 John Tergerson  
 Stephen Vollmar  
 Theodore Watkins  
 Thomas Weaver  
 Terry Weaver  
 Michael Wenning  
 David Westerbeck  
 Richard Westrich  
 Elaine Speeg Widomski  
 E. Stephen Wirth  
 Norman Zins

**Class of 1964**

**RB 27% OLA 12%**

Paul Ammann  
Margaret Artmayer  
Michael Benedetti  
Kenneth Broussard  
Jeffrey Brunner  
Barry Burke  
Gerald Dacey  
Judy Boehm Doerger +  
Gerald Domis  
Howard Fahrmeier  
Nancy Tarter Gerrein  
Karen Pfeiffer Gerwel  
Janet Louis Gildea  
David Jones  
Joseph Korte  
Raymond Ludmann  
Michael McGowan  
Charles Milazzo  
Robert Monteith  
Joseph Morganroth  
Gerald Muennich  
Patricia Schulte Munafo  
Marilyn Nesselhuf  
Jean Benjamin Niesen  
Daniel Nurre  
James Nuxoll  
Robert Rickenbaugh  
Albert Sagel  
Dennis Sauer  
Donald Schlosser  
Marilyn Schwiers  
David Steinwert  
Robert Wallenhorst  
Betsy Abell West

**Class of 1965**

**RB 21% OLA 7%**

Bernard Beck  
Kenneth Blankenbuehler  
James Breyer  
James Brigger  
Gerard (Rusty) Brinkman  
Thomas Bruser  
Jane Kalb Drewes  
Thomas Esenbock  
David Foley  
Raymond Geoppinger  
Thomas Groh  
Daniel Hanekamp  
Paul Hartkemeyer  
Paul Hennessey  
Michael Jansen  
James Klus  
Dennis Lauck  
Janice Brueggemeyer  
Ludwig  
Edward Luhn  
Margaret Nierlich Marsh  
Robert Matsik  
Kenneth Mattscheck  
James Miller  
Donna Millay  
Montgomery  
Angela Kaestle Salem

William Schmidt  
Lawrence Schneider  
Gerald Schoettmer  
Gene Servizzi  
Patrick Sexton  
David Siebenburgen  
Sue Anne Reinhart Snell  
Raymond St. Clair  
Gregory Staley  
Mary Lou Campbell Stark  
Kenneth Stoll  
Elizabeth Rusche Stoll  
Donald Willen

**Class of 1966**

**RB 21% OLA 9%**

Michael Ballinger  
Linda Schneider Beck  
John Beiting  
Anthony Bonno  
Roger Brehm  
Marlene Nagel Bryant  
Richard Burger  
John Cannon  
Donald Drott  
Walter Fitzpatrick  
Mary Ehrhard Freese  
Thomas Gelhausen  
Anthony Gerstner  
Michael Grause  
Emily Beumer Gustafson  
Bill Heffron  
James Hodapp  
Mel Hoffmann  
Jane Huelsebusch  
Jerome Klefas  
Mary Calder Leonhardt  
R. Lee Mairose  
Martin McCormack  
Patrick McGowan  
Nancy Henninger Meyer  
Ruth Deitsch Moeddel  
R. Thomas Moorhead  
Terry Nieman  
Frank Niesen  
N. David Noe  
David Oberrecht  
Jerry Pasqualetti  
Linda Huwel Peters  
Pedro Ramirez  
Gary Rapien  
Philip Reichle  
Elaine Baer Schildmeyer  
Michael Schildmeyer +  
Robert Seigel  
Ronald Seiler  
Maureen Pfeiffer Taylor  
Timothy Timmel  
James Uhrig  
James Wilson

**Class of 1967**

**RB 28% OLA 10%**

Donald Auciello  
Fred Bause  
Thomas Beyersdoerfer

Timothy Binder  
Thomas Bockerstette  
Janet Beck Browning  
John Butz  
Carol Abel Carraher  
John Carraher  
Kathi Santoro Clark  
James Dunphy  
Donald Eversman  
Claire Kettler Fedasch  
Patrick Fox  
Christine Meiners-  
Geoppinger  
Cynthia Vollmer Grady  
Alan Hartkemeyer  
Robert Hauser  
Judith Weingartner Haynes  
Michael Henschen  
Vicki Hill  
Judith Horn Holter  
Charles Johansing  
Kenneth Klus  
Kenneth Knollman  
Robert Lang  
Larry Linz  
Paul Meyer  
Donald Meyer  
John Meyman  
Thomas Oberrecht  
Gary Oelrich  
Michael Rolf  
Robert Sandhas  
Sharon Wallenhorst Schildmeyer  
Kristine Kowalski Schoettmer  
Patricia Wicktora Schulkers  
Linda Jenkins Schumacher  
Charles Schwegman  
Jerry Snellgrove  
Lawrence Speeg  
David Stentz  
Paul Stewart  
Mark Thomas  
Douglas Timpe  
David Tobergte  
Stephen Villari  
John Wachter +  
Rodney Weeks  
Joseph Wolke  
Denis Zahner

**Class of 1968**

**RB 36% OLA 8%**

Marlene Mulcare Auciello  
Evelyn McCafferty Bardua  
Phillip Bauer  
Steven Bleser  
Timothy Boehm  
Albert Boehmer  
John Brecht  
Kurt Breitenstein  
John Bressler  
David Breyer  
Gary Brichler  
Gary Broenner  
Richard Brotherton  
Patrick Brunner

Bruce Bruzina  
Stephen Bunch  
Dale Chouteau  
James Clark  
Stanley Condo  
William Danneman  
Lawrence Danner  
Thomas Denterlein  
Jeanne Iding Enzweiler  
Dennis Esterkamp  
Robert Even  
Thomas Fariello  
Kenneth Feldmann  
Gary Fey  
Charles Furlong  
Michael Gantt  
Steven Geiger  
Mary Stoll Graviss  
Thomas Hattersley  
Bonita Burke Henschen  
Steven Hetzel  
Robert Huhn  
James Humbert  
Ferd Johansing  
John Kerr  
Linda Reichert Kinsler  
Geoffrey Meisner  
Richard Merz  
Daniel Miller  
Gerald Miller  
John Moorehead  
David Moorhead  
Daniel Moran  
Robert Obert  
Robert Oldendick  
Mark Ossege  
Robert Passmore  
Joseph Pratt  
James Reinhart  
J. Robert Rice  
Kathie Davies-  
Rickenbaugh  
Mark Rizzo  
Linda Day Rohrer +  
Bernard Rumpke  
Robert Saal  
Thomas Sauer  
Paul Schneider  
obert Schnelle  
George Schultz  
Alan Schutte  
Roger Schwarb  
John Schweitzer  
Rick Sollmann  
Kenneth Stehlin  
Richard Tucker  
Steven Wietlisbach  
Mark Wissel  
William Woerman  
Gary Yancey  
Thomas Yockey

**Class of 1969**

**RB 26% OLA 11%**

JoAnn Norton Ballinger  
Edward Brunner

Thomas Burke  
John Burns  
Michael Burns  
Susan Coleman Burns  
LaVerne Janson Clark  
Terrence Clark  
Robert Coogan  
Linda Kelsey Corcoran  
Sue Timmerman Crosby  
James Dahmann  
Thomas Doddy  
Gary Dooros  
Timothy Dvorak  
Mary Kay Kuhn Engelman  
Raymond Faller  
David Fossaluzza  
Michael Frayne  
Roger Friedmann  
Tricia Haynay Friedmann  
Thomas Fullen  
John Gilkey  
Gary Glazier  
David Goan  
Donald Hamburg  
John Harmeyer  
Michael Hauser  
Denis Hoffmann  
Joseph Hollmann  
John Homoelle  
Diane Stritholt Homoelle  
Gregory Jarvis  
Jeffrey Jurgens  
Barry Kalb  
Thomas Kasselmann  
Martha Klems  
James Kurre  
Evelyn Rollinger  
Landrigan  
Gilbert Linz  
Raymond Maffey  
Michael Mahlenkamp  
Thomas Mauntel  
Mark Meyer  
James Meyer  
Paul Mohr  
James Niebling  
C. Edward Noe  
Joseph Rahn  
Daniel Rice  
Robert Schrenk  
Janet Bedinghaus Terry  
Jean Meister Theis  
Kenneth Tonnis  
Michael Truman  
Gary Vaughn  
Jack Wesseler  
Patricia Kilfoil Wietlisbach  
John Wilson  
Mary Lou Kettler Zestermann  
Stephen Zinser

**Class of 1970**

**RB 17% OLA 13%**

David Albert  
Janet Hamburg Beckemeyer  
Roger Stritholt Bedinghaus  
Diane Hoffman Bonno  
Donald Brockman  
Nancy Brodbeck  
Gail Broermann Brunner  
Douglas Burks  
David Clark  
Joseph Dattilo  
David Denterlein  
Christine Olding Dooros  
Louis Eyman  
Thomas Federle  
Jerome Foley  
Patricia Gilkey Frey  
Dominic Gutierrez  
Robert Helms  
Ralph Henke  
Barbara Rumpke Holmes  
Michael Holtzleiter  
David Kamp  
Joseph Kempe  
Robert Marchant  
Thomas Mauntel  
Linda Fago Miller  
Michael Monahan  
Cindy Blind Moorhead  
Susan Sammons Neal  
Paul Niehaus  
Jane Niehaus  
Christopher Noe  
John Pumpple  
David Rapien  
Norma Rumpke Rapien  
Robert Rath  
Peggy Leonhardt Remke  
Michael Sanzere  
Ronald Schnelle  
Evelyn Schwiars Schott  
Sandy Lakes Schrenk  
Mary Lou Sundrup Slattery  
Michael Stoll  
Michael Sweeney  
John Uhrig  
Gregory Wall  
Joseph Wright  
Dennis Yockey

**Class of 1971**

**RB 21% OLA 11%**

Timothy Ballinger  
Robert Bannister  
Cindi Stritholt-Bedinghaus  
Herbert Blackburn  
Nicholas Bunch  
Mary Kelly Bunch  
Wayne Carucci  
Michael Cioffi  
Phyllis Klems Collord  
James Cooper  
Chris Balzer Doppes  
Susan Dorward  
Steve Dunphy

Richard Eversman  
Fred Ewald  
Mark Friedman  
Frank Gallina  
Linda Bertke Gelhaus  
Stephen Glaser  
Teri Buerman Glaser  
Jeanne Hines Harjo  
Pam Maycox Hazard  
Darlene Fishter Heidel  
Jerome Herbe  
Michael Hetteberg  
Stephen Jackson  
Robert Jasper  
Alan Kalb  
Pam Krause Kalb  
James Kiefer  
Kenneth Kistner  
Philip Louis  
Ronald Lynch  
Mark Mc Allister  
Nancy Ulm Meier  
Theresa Rosen Mitchell  
Herbert Mueller  
Russell Obermeyer  
William O'Shaughnessy

**Class of 1972**

**RB 19% OLA 12%**

Thomas Siebel  
Stephen Singer  
Gregory Smith  
Richard Sparer  
Jeffrey Vorholt  
David Waters  
Donald Webb +  
E. Randall Weinert  
John Welling  
Leo Zureick  
Albert Bailey  
Joseph Balzer  
Richard Bens  
Eric Bostick  
Frank Broermann  
William Bross  
Linda Hampel Brown  
Donald Burbrink  
Mark Burger  
Timothy Burks  
Gregory Buschmann  
Michael Cooper  
Lori Thamann Dattilo  
Regina Rollinger DeLay  
Robert Ebbeler  
Kathy Bracken Eby  
Debbie Kathman Ewald  
Patricia Day Fossaluzza  
James Giebel  
Lynn Moriarty  
Hammersmith  
Carol Brodbeck Hinnenkamp  
John Hodapp  
Tonia Sherman Jasper  
Gloria Beck Johnson  
Mary Ann Kasselman  
Mary Geiser Lammert

Michael Macht  
Daniel Mc Curdy  
Stephen McDavid  
Nancy Ochs McDonald  
Joan Coors Miller  
Timothy Muldoon  
Steven Oberjohann  
Mark Piepmeier  
Robert Reckers  
Catherine Kelsey Reeve  
Karen Manuel Rieman  
Herman Rumpke  
John Rumpke  
Mary Ann Schmidt  
Richard Schoettmer  
Donald Seig  
Robert Smith  
Joanne Doppes Smith  
Bruce Staley  
Barry Staley  
Mark Wietmarschen  
Thomas Zins  
Richard Zureick

**Class of 1973**

**RB 16% OLA 5%**

Gregory Benkert  
Roger Bosse  
Thomas Brausch  
Tim Brotherton  
Steven Brown  
Joseph Burke  
Michael Carroll  
John Ceddia  
C. Gregory Cobb  
Thomas Cunningham  
Terry Donovan  
Ray Eckes  
Michael Emming  
Joseph Gallina  
Timothy Geiger  
Lyle Glazier  
Richard Hahn  
Kevin Hampel  
William Hausfeld  
John Herrmann  
Marianne Feldmann  
Hodapp  
Mary Hoffmann  
Thomas Joseph  
Linda Gleason Lane  
David Laub  
Beth Schaplowsky Marting  
Mary Kistner McGinnis  
William Rath  
Edward Ratterman  
Debbie Rother Schoenhof  
Mark Schulenberg  
Joseph Seta  
Timothy Sexton  
Robert Stiens  
Jo Ann Todd Tonnis  
Stephen Tonnis  
John Zureick

**Class of 1974**

**RB 20% OLA 8%**

Jane Barnes Abell

William Ash  
James Barrow  
Thomas Bennett  
Nancy Schaupp Bock  
John Boehm  
Joseph Breyer +  
Mary Mouch Casebolt  
James Ceddia  
Joseph Chaulk  
John Church  
T. Michael Coddington  
Gregory Curran  
Anthony DeGiuseppe  
Vincent Demasi  
Ronald Ehler  
John Feldmann  
Patrick Findley  
Michael Freese  
Frank Gettelfinger  
Gary Hagedorn  
Kevin Huxel  
Keith Kacner  
Barbara Moeller Kalb  
David Kamphaus  
James Koenig  
David Koenig  
Andrew Kreidenweis  
Mark Lakes  
John LaRosa  
Gary Lemming  
Mark Leonhardt  
David Maffey  
Marie Budinsky  
Maher  
George Mayer  
William Mechley  
Sally Kelsey Merkle  
Thomas Merkle  
Patrick Mogavero  
James Morsch  
John Mushaben  
Daniel O'Hara  
Paula Weyer Parsons  
James Pulskamp  
Jana Eckerle Rouse  
Mark Sause  
David Schildmeyer  
Robert Schoenwetter  
Theresa Milazzo  
Schweitzer  
Steven Sheblessy  
Michael Stenger

**Class of 1975**

**RB 19% OLA 8%**

Steven Alverson  
Ronald Ballman  
Paul Boehm  
James Boehner  
Marianne Macht  
Boehner  
David Brady  
Ronald Brausch  
Walter Bucher  
Paul Bushelman +  
Rita Mollmann Cooper

Mark Cummings  
Thomas Denier  
Thomas Dorr  
Barbara Mages Ehler  
James Gardner  
Neal Gellenbeck  
Jan Gilkey  
Christopher Hollmann  
Robert Hurm  
Gary Janson  
August Kamphaus  
Mark Klosterman  
Robert Knodle  
Mary Sue Wietmarschen-Koenig  
Mark Korte  
Dennis Krause  
Michael Krzynowek  
Jeffrey Lampe  
Frederick Landenwitsch  
Paul Meisenhelder  
Michael Meyer  
John Niebling  
John Nierlich  
James Rice  
Steven Roth  
Debra Haeufle Runk  
Patricia Sammons  
Cheryl Lyons Schildmeyer  
Terry Sershion  
Richard Siekemeyer  
Marilyn Meyer Smith  
Anthony Thomas  
Deborah Hampel Wagoner  
Gerard Wall  
Karen Schulte Williams  
Michael Young  
James Zeisler  
James Zins

**Class of 1976**

**RB 18% OLA 7%**

Anthony Albanese  
Thomas Alverson  
Joel Beck  
Timothy Burke  
W. Alan Burke  
Dennis Cooper  
Carl Deutsch  
Dan Diegmüller  
Felicia Domineack  
Gary Doppes  
Tamara Rechel Feldmann  
John Gottschall  
Christopher Harmon  
Terrence Huxel  
Thomas Johansing  
Ronald Knollman  
Phillip Koenig  
John Kuhlenberg  
Richard Luken  
Susan Calvin Maguire  
Eugene Meister  
Timothy Mikolajewski  
Karen Sexton Moore  
Stephen Steve Mueller

Robert Mushaben  
 Gail Doppes Nierlich  
 Lawrence Peddenpohl  
 Julie Laux Post  
 Stephen Radike  
 Robert Rumpke  
 Ralph Sagel  
 Timothy Smith  
 Donald Spillane  
 Margaret Hinderer Story  
 Judie Hermes Sturm  
 John Timmel  
 Barry Whitton  
 Bruce Wietlisbach  
**Class of 1977**  
**RB 12% OLA 12%**  
 David Abs  
 Steven Asbach  
 Martha Cobb Barrow  
 William Blom  
 William Cohn  
 Donald Dorr  
 Margaret Foley  
 John Geers  
 Francis Geiser  
 Mary Ann Geiger-  
 Gellenbeck  
 John Gerke  
 Frank Gottschall  
 Pamela Weyer Gottschall  
 Gail Staubach Kelly  
 Douglas Kelsey  
 Robert Kreyenhagen  
 Linda Janning Linton  
 Mary Judge Meister  
 Michael Neltner  
 James Nurre  
 Kent Nusekabel  
 Kenneth Pitcher  
 Daniel Reilly  
 Brian Ruter  
 Robert Schaeper  
 Daniel Sullivan  
 Elaine Freese Ungruhe  
 Daniel Weber  
 Janice Eilers Weller  
 Michael Woodhouse  
 Gayle Glazier Woulms  
 Lisa Wright  
 Thomas Zureick  
**Class of 1978**  
**RB 16% OLA 4%**  
 Steven Anneken  
 Mary Beth Kathman Asbach  
 Janet Rumpke Bresciani  
 Patrick Burke  
 William Dermody  
 Robert Disser  
 James Dorr  
 Daniel Egbers  
 Kenneth Finke  
 David Gerding  
 Catherine Kuhlberg-  
 Gerrety  
 Jeffrey Gettelfinger  
 Thomas Gilkey  
 Michael Grimes

Timothy Haller  
 David Herbe  
 Roger Howell  
 Terry Kent  
 David Knecht  
 Mary Lou Meyer Manegold  
 James Mc Mahon  
 George Menchen  
 Donald Morsch  
 Michael Murray  
 Steven Murray  
 Frank Perry  
 Edward Rumpke  
 David Rumpke  
 Thomas Stall  
 Michael Sullivan  
 Michael Trimbach  
 Steven Vennemeyer  
 Peter Wessel  
  
**Class of 1979**  
**RB 14% OLA 5%**  
 Mary Beth Smith Adams  
 Daniel Blaut +  
 Paul Boehm  
 James Breidenstein  
 Debbie Gulette Brennan  
 Kurt Brickweg  
 Harry Brown  
 Timothy Coogan  
 Douglas Dunphy  
 Daniel Gilene  
 William Grimme  
 Parnelli Groh  
 Laura Glassmeyer Hagen  
 Donald Harmeyer  
 Gregory Hauer  
 Christopher Hoffer  
 William Thad Houchens  
 Christopher Isfort  
 Ann Rengering James  
 Maurice Korte  
 Andrew Kraemer  
 Richard Meyer  
 George Moody  
 Mary Sullivan Pulskamp  
 Michael Rademacher  
 Kenneth Radziwon  
 James Sicking  
 James Stegeman  
 Timothy Tensing  
 D. Blaine Webb  
 Michael Weyer  
 Thomas Wiegele  
 Thomas Wood  
  
**Class of 1980**  
**RB 13% OLA 5%**  
 Robert Alverson  
 Mark Asbach  
 Sharon Rumpke Bachman  
 Mark Ballinger  
 Robert Becks  
 John Beiersdorfer  
 Timothy Brennan  
 Robert Combs  
 David Dorr  
 John Engel

David Feldman  
 David Goertemoeller  
 Gary Goldschmidt  
 Matthew Hagen  
 Joseph Harris  
 Teresa Heglin  
 Joseph Hennies  
 Katie Carter Kempe  
 John Lindeman  
 Mary Anne Merkle-  
 Lindeman  
 Paul Mitsch  
 Michael Murray  
 David Mushaben  
 Kenneth Niehoff  
 Ronald Pfister  
 David Rengering  
 Joseph Ruter  
 Joseph Scheidler  
 Daniel Segrist  
 Jeffrey Souza  
 Donald Speed  
 Michael VonderMeulen  
  
**Class of 1981**  
**RB 12% OLA 8%**  
 Kathy Loudin Anneken  
 Sharon Donnelly Bohlen  
 Daniel Busken  
 Richard Ceddia  
 Timothy Fuerbacher  
 Walter Gerbus  
 Mary Ann Faust-  
 Gettelfinger  
 John Gilkey  
 Todd Goedde  
 Daniel Hartmann  
 William Jett  
 Peter Kelsey  
 Joseph Lambert  
 Kathy Meinking Morris  
 Jennifer Holden Mouty  
 Richard Mouty  
 Cheryl Carrelli-  
 Mushaben  
 Angelo Noe  
 James O'Brien  
 Jerry Schildmeyer  
 Bridget Donovan-  
 Sheehey  
 Mark Shooner  
 Paul Vonder Meulen  
 Mark Westerfeld  
 John Wiehe  
 Michele Davis Wood  
  
**Class of 1982**  
**RB 8% OLA 3%**  
 Joseph Barnes  
 Ronald Bellman +  
 Gregory Carrelli  
 Robert Dehner  
 Brian Eve  
 Ed Franchi  
 Alan Gerbus  
 Denise Haarmann  
 Ben Hawkins  
 Michael Huseman

Thomas Marks  
 John Murphy  
 Kimberly Mayborg-  
 Niehoff  
 Douglas Olberding  
 David Raffenberg  
 Gregory Schildmeyer  
 Susan Hill Siegel  
  
**Class of 1983**  
**RB 10% OLA 5%**  
 Gregory Anderson  
 Anthony Andreotta  
 David Baker  
 Joan Boback Eckart  
 Thomas Eckart  
 Suzanne Laux Engel  
 Michael Engel  
 Harry Ghuman  
 Timothy Gray  
 John Jennewein  
 Joseph Lengerich  
 Carl Nissen  
 Timothy Rayburn  
 David Scully  
 Stacy Rengering Shumate  
 Matthew Skinner  
 Kirk Vonderhaar  
 Susan Walsh Wagers  
 Michael Waldeck  
 Michael Wood  
  
**Class of 1984**  
**RB 10% OLA 4%**  
 Andrew Ceddia  
 Lisa Fitch Cocco  
 Dominic DiBartolomeo  
 Steven Elsasser  
 James Goertemoeller  
 Thomas Hoffmann  
 Ronald Meyer  
 Michelle Knapp Minella  
 Gregory Norris  
 Jerome O'Neal  
 James Radziwon  
 Brian Rebholz  
 Thomas Steinmetz  
 Thomas Whitehead  
 Elizabeth Kelsey Wilking  
 Robert Wilking  
  
**Class of 1985 - 6%**  
 Theodore Alverson  
 Christopher Chapman  
 Michelle Crawford Gleeson  
 R. Bryan Kroeger  
 Katherine Riegert Leary  
 John Murray  
 David Quijano  
 Timothy Rechel  
 Paul Rengering  
 Thomas Royston  
 Kenneth Schafer  
 William Selenke  
 Julie Lavanier Whitehead  
  
**Class of 1986 - 5%**  
 Heather Arszman-Lamb  
 Jack Asher  
 Jennifer Rohrig Asher

Mark Bollmer  
 Andrew Dorr  
 James Jim Fister  
 Christopher Lemmink  
 Timothy Rosmarin  
 Susann Rozum  
  
**Class of 1987 - 3%**  
 Theresa Ungruhe Auer  
 Darlene Gulette Bollmer  
 Gregory Ernst  
 Stephen Glassmeyer  
 Corinne Kalla Greenberg  
 Daniel Hauck  
  
**Class of 1988 - 4%**  
 Danielle Edmonds  
 Patrick Grimes  
 Mary Beth Klosterman  
 Henning  
 Donna Kathman Mechley  
 Gregory Radziwon  
 Jane Moeller Sottosanti  
 Christopher Speed  
 Brian Wolf  
 Lisa Mulligan Wolf  
  
**Class of 1989 - 5%**  
 John Bucalo  
 Richard Hunter  
 Jennifer Miller Keith  
 Tracy Tenhundfeld Mayers  
 Michael Morelli  
 John Sarley  
 Jason Sauer  
 Jane Smiley  
  
**Class of 1990 - 7%**  
 Joanna Auciello  
 John Beresh  
 John Blessing  
 Robert Rickenbaugh  
 Kimberly Heeg Sarley  
 Kristin Lamarre Sims  
 Brian Stadnik  
 Jennifer Haire Waning  
 Christine Geers Weintz  
 Kevin Westendorf  
  
**Class of 1991 - 5%**  
 Alexander Albrinck  
 Theresa Berger Bosse  
 Derek Doerger  
 Jennifer Pugh Hansert  
 Ernest Hayes  
 Carissa Wietmarschen-  
 Hellmann  
 Timothy Hellmann  
 Eric Schulkers  
  
**Class of 1992 - 2%**  
 D. Michael Carroll  
 Tricia Tenhundfeld-  
 Rohling  
 Joseph Schlosser  
  
**Class of 1993 - 4%**  
 Melissa Doddy Curran  
 Kevin Gulette  
 James Katsaounis  
 Peter Knippenberg  
 Matthew Schlotman

**Class of 1994 - 4%**

Michael Gould  
Kenneth Maltry  
Victoria Russell  
Andrea Lemmick Schwartz  
Sara Sova Vonderwish  
Mark Wehby

**Class of 1995 - 3%**

Katie Gutzwiller Callahan  
John Cleary  
Alexander Meacham  
James Steinau  
Emily Clark Weigand  
Katherine Ward Weigand

**Class of 1996 - 5%**

Jennifer Auer  
Angela Boeh Bova  
Theresa Bruno Calimlim  
Katherine Rickenbaugh  
Dykes  
Abigail Hunt Ghering  
Brian Kasselmann

**Class of 1997 - 7%**

Aaron Alexander  
Joseph Ayers  
Raymond Butler  
Rachel Kettenacker Butler  
Marcella Hinkel Ernst  
Jamie Dooros Hoffman  
Emily Merz Krans  
Christopher Schlichter  
Kathy Gulette Schlichter  
Aaron Schmits  
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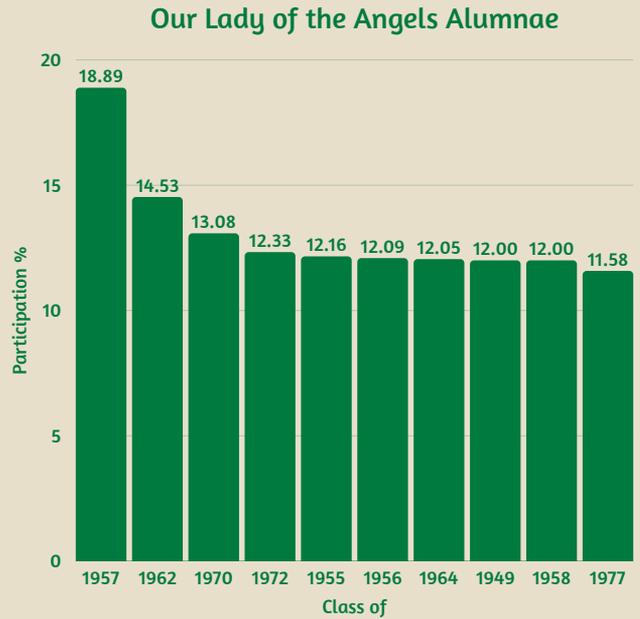
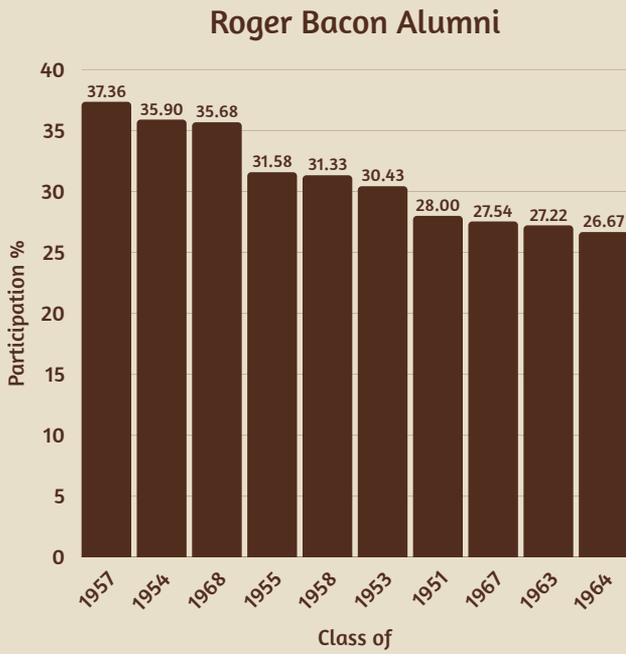
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# TOP TEN 2024/25

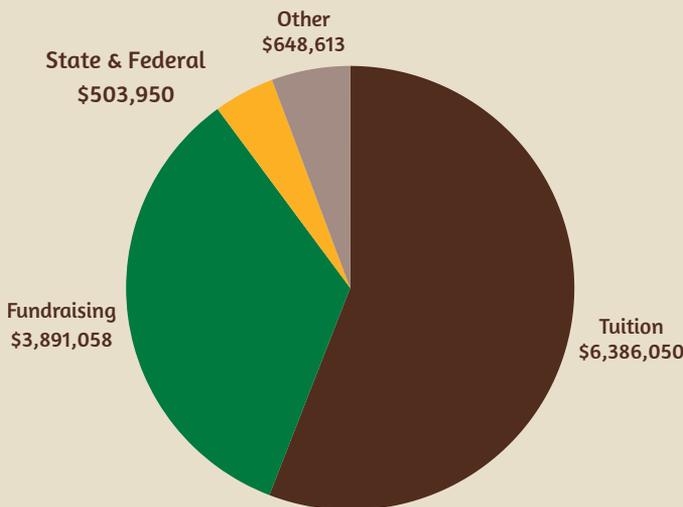
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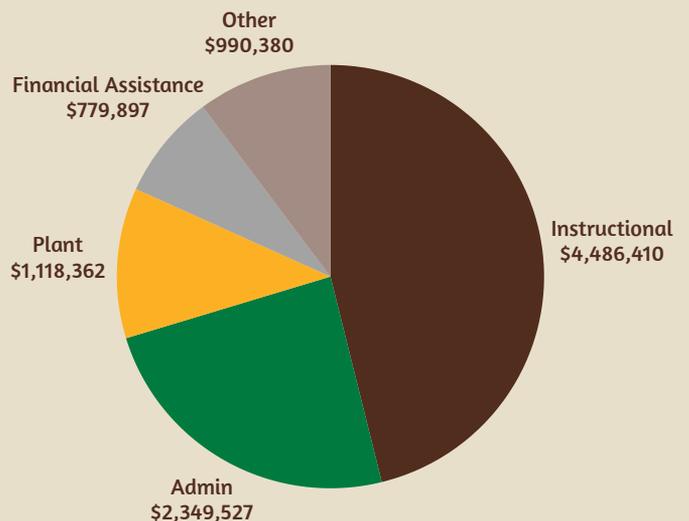
# FINANCES 2024/25

Based on all financial activity that took place from July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025

Total Revenue = \$11,429,671



Total Expenses = \$9,724,576



# ANNUAL FUND DRIVE (AFD)

Did you know that tuition covers only about 62% of the true cost of educating a Spartan? The cost to educate a Spartan is \$17,676, and our tuition last year was \$10,900.

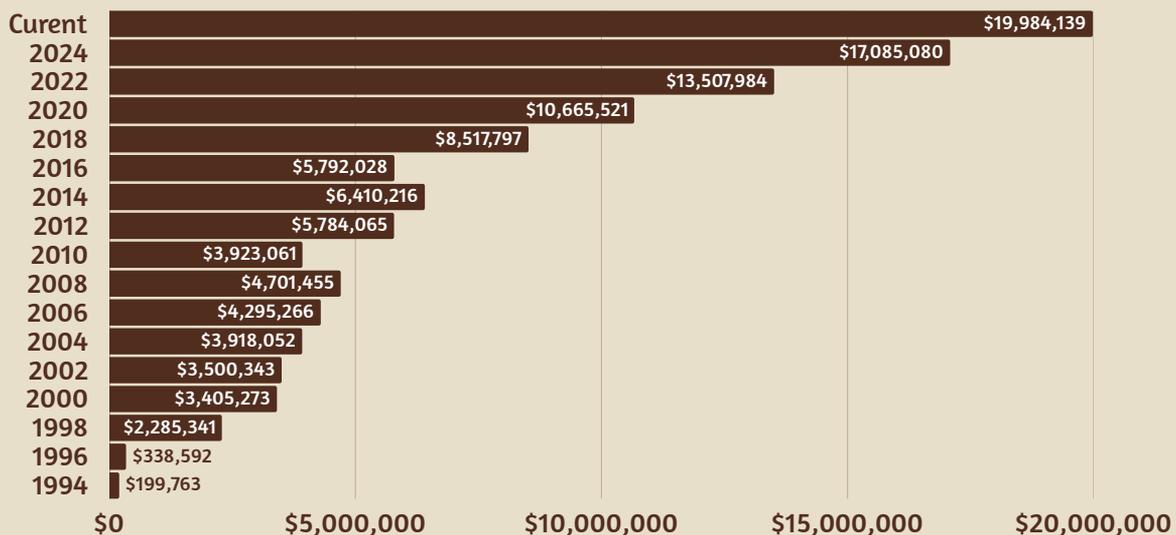
Support of the Annual Fund Drive helps close that gap and directly sustains so much of what makes Roger Bacon special. AFD dollars support classroom materials, technology upgrades, student programs, athletics, fine arts, campus ministry, tuition assistance, and our free-and-reduced lunch program. It also allows us to keep the RB experience affordable for our families. Students never pay admission for home athletic events or fine arts performances, every student receives a yearbook; and students aren't charged for parking. Simply put, the AFD ensures every Spartan has the opportunities, support, and experiences they deserve.

The current value of our AFD is as of January 8, 2026.



# ENDOWMENT

Roger Bacon's endowment is made up of more than 90 individual funds with a combined value of over \$19 million. In keeping with best practices, no more than 5% of the endowment and each endowed fund is withdrawn each year, ensuring the principal remains intact and continues to grow. All funds are pooled and professionally invested, with income carefully tracked so each named fund maintains its value and long-term impact. The current value of our Endowment is as of October 31, 2025.



**Overall Goal**  
**\$10,000,000**  
**Overall Total**  
**\$9,222,907**

*Building Fund = \$7,676,973*  
*Endowment Fund = \$1,545,934*

*\*As of January 12, 2026\**

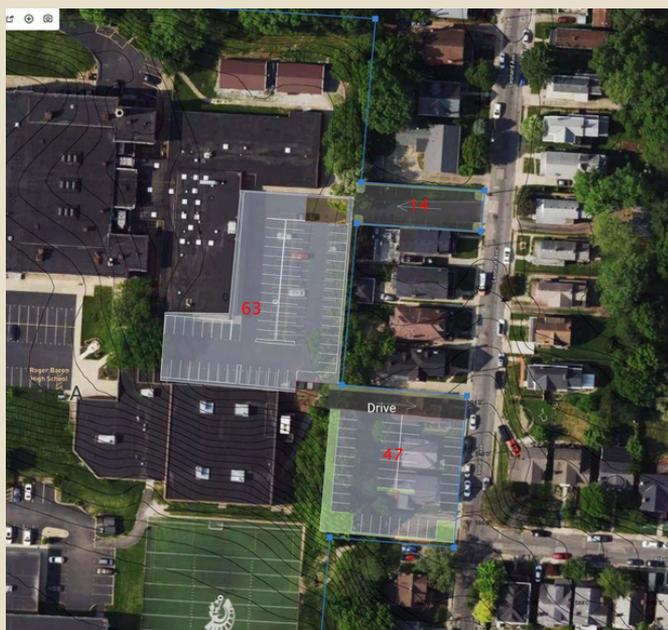


The “**We Are the Good Soil**” **Capital Campaign** launched in December 2023 with a goal of raising \$8,000,000 for our new atrium and an additional \$2,000,000 for our endowment. As we conclude the second year of this three-year effort, we are incredibly close to reaching that goal. This is the largest capital campaign in school history, and more than 590 generous donors have helped bring us to this remarkable point.

Tremendous progress is being made on the Anne Nurre Heidt Atrium. This 12,000 sq. ft. facility will house our administration, admissions, and advancement offices, allowing us to add five much-needed classrooms inside the main school building. It will also include a 164-seat chapel—the first dedicated chapel in our school’s history—and a 1,000 sq. ft. patio that will serve as a perfect gathering space for future class reunions and other events. We are on pace to have this building complete by the start of next school year.

We are nearing the finish line of this transformative campaign, and we need your help to cross—and **surpass**—our \$10,000,000 goal. And as you’ll see below, there is a compelling reason why going beyond our goal is so important.

## WHAT’S NEXT...



As construction on our new atrium continues to move forward, it has become increasingly clear that expanding our on-campus parking is an essential next step to support student and visitor safety and accessibility. We had originally planned to explore this project in the 2027 school year, but the growing demand for parking has accelerated our timeline.

Beginning this spring, we will start construction to expand our East parking lot off Leonard Avenue. Roger Bacon owns three homes on Leonard Avenue, and these properties will be removed to allow for the expansion. The project will add approximately 50 new parking spaces to our existing lot, providing much-needed capacity for our campus.

The expanded parking lot is expected to be completed in time for the start of next school year.

give and  
**RECEIVE**



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**FREE**

## **SCHOLARSHIP GRANTING ORGANIZATION**

As an Ohio taxpayer, YOU have the opportunity to redirect your tax dollars and support Roger Bacon at the same time! Roger Bacon is a member of the Catholic Education Foundation (CEF) which has been certified by the State of Ohio as a Scholarship Granting Organization (SGO). By donating to Roger Bacon through the CEF-SGO, you can receive a non-refundable Ohio income tax credit of up to \$750 per individual return or \$1,500 per joint return. It is our hope you will take advantage of this opportunity as an addition to your current support of Roger Bacon.

**2025 TAX YEAR SGO  
TOTALS SO FAR...**

**\$117,600**

**TOTAL RAISED**

**173**

**DONORS**



### **Why Give?**

Your contribution goes directly to tuition assistance for Roger Bacon students in need. Your support helps make the gift of a Franciscan education possible.

### **How to Give:**

Scan the QR code on this page or visit [www.rogerbacon.org/giving/SGO](http://www.rogerbacon.org/giving/SGO).

### **When to Give:**

SGO gifts for the current 2025 tax year can be made until **April 15, 2026**.

### **Need Help or Have Questions?**

Please consult your tax advisor regarding your personal tax situation.

You can also contact the Advancement Office at 513-641-1313 or email [bspaeth@rogerbacon.org](mailto:bspaeth@rogerbacon.org).

**NEW INDUCTEES  
INTO THE RB  
HALL OF FAME**

In November, the Athletic Department honored the latest class of the Roger Bacon Hall of Fame. It was a wonderful evening celebrating some of the athletic excellence that comes from Roger Bacon High School.

**Congratulations to the newest members of the Roger Bacon Hall of Fame and award winners!**

*Athletic Department Appreciation Award (Joe Corcoran Award) - Tom Burke '69*  
*Caryl Schawe Award - Tracey (Thompson) Kornau*

*2025 Hall of Fame Inductees:*

<b>Vernon Pellman '35</b>	<b>Laura (Brichler) Wyatt '06</b>
<b>Jim Brockman '65</b>	<b>Kurt Rocco '06</b>
<b>Dan Endres '98</b>	<b>Katie (Veatch) Jones '06</b>
<b>Mary (Brunner) Sutton '03</b>	<b>Josh Ungerbuehler '10</b>
<b>Sara (Faller) Jent '05</b>	



**“THE VOICE OF  
THE SPARTANS”  
TURNS OFF HIS MIC**

**THANK YOU, TOM BURKE**

Following the Girls' Volleyball final home match of their season, the Athletic Department honored the longtime **“Voice of the Spartans”**, former Roger Bacon President and current Major Gifts Officer **Tom Burke '69**, as he announced his final match at Roger Bacon. Tom deserved every bit of thanks for everything he has done, not just for Roger Bacon Athletics, but for Roger Bacon High School as a whole.

Tom has served as the public address announcer for many years across multiple sports and has always been the number one supporter of the Spartans. The Spartans will certainly miss hearing his voice during their games in Fogarty!



**20**

**ATHLETIC  
Fall**

**Football**

**1st Team MVC**

Jamere Mitchell '26  
Hunter Pauley '27  
Jaden Tiller '26  
Liam Vargo '27  
Max Hoffmann '26

**2nd Team MVC**

Christian Byrd '26  
Bubba Smart '26  
De'vion Gipson '26  
Tom Bedinghaus '27  
Joe Coleman '26  
Evan Otto '27

**Honorable Mention MVC**

Max DeFranco '28  
Terrance Todd '26

**2nd Team All-District**

Joe Coleman '26  
Hunter Pauley '27  
Jaden Tiller '26  
Liam Vargo '27  
Max Hoffmann '26

**Honorable Mention All-District**

Jamere Mitchell '26  
Bubba Smart '26

**1st Team All-City**

Joe Coleman '26  
Jaden Tiller '26

**2nd Team All-City**

Jamere Mitchell '26  
Liam Vargo '27

**Honorable Mention All-State**

Max Hoffmann '26  
Joe Coleman '26

**Girls' Golf**

**1st Team MVC**

Addie Ayers '29  
Maddy Sheppard '26  
**2nd Team MVC**  
Ella Murphy '26

**Girls' Tennis**

**Honorable  
Mention MVC**

Maggie McCormick '27  
Hailey Hutzel '28

# 25 AWARDS All-Stars

## Girls' Soccer

### 1st Team MVC

Aubrey Kueffer '26  
Lizzy Mumper '26

### 2nd Team MVC

Mia Kleiman '27  
Hayden Rolfert '27

### Honorable

### Mention MVC

Leah Schoster '27  
Elise Reilly '27

## Boys' Soccer

### 1st Team MVC

Alex Ervin '26

### 2nd Team MVC

Caleb Fulton '26  
Aaron Ervin '26

Andrew Schneider '26

### Honorable

### Mention MVC

Jonah Vonerwish '27  
Jean-Marie Kipkosgei '26

## Cross Country

### 1st Team MVC

Karis Stoxen '27

### 2nd Team MVC

Helen Russell '27  
Fritz Russell '28  
Bryce Fletcher '27

## Girls' Volleyball

### 1st Team MVC

Etellina Jackson '26  
2nd Team MVC  
Brenna Huber '28  
Emma McGraw '29

### Honorable Mention MVC

Morgan Sunderman '26  
Claudia Hoffmann '26

### 1st Team All-District

Etellina Jackson '26

### 2nd Team All-City

Etellina Jackson '26

### Honorable

### Mention All-City

Emma McGraw '29  
Brenna Huber '28  
Claudia Hoffmann '26  
Morgan Sunderman '26

## Boys' Golf

### 1st Team MVC

Jude Voss '28  
Allister Fike '27

### 2nd Team MVC

Blake Rohling '28  
Henry Fulwiler '28  
Ty DuMont '27

### 2nd Team All-State

Allister Fike '27

## SPARTANS AT THE NEXT LEVEL

*College Commits*

Congratulations to the following Class of 2026 Spartans on committing earlier this fall to continue their athletic careers at the next level:



**Etellina Jackson '26**  
Volleyball  
Mount St. Joseph University



**Brittney Hoernschemeyer '26**  
Volleyball  
Mount St. Joseph University



**Maddy Sheppard '26**  
Soccer  
Northern Illinois University



**Reese Reilly '26**  
Swimming  
Duke University



## CROSS COUNTRY QUALIFIES FOR REGIONAL MEET

*Running for First*

Roger Bacon Cross Country qualified for the OHSAA DIII Cross Country Regional Meet in October. This is the first time since 2010 Roger Bacon Cross Country qualified for Regionals!



The Boys' team finished in fifth to qualify as a team, and four Girls' Cross Country runners ran at Regionals. There, the Boys' team finished 17th, and the Girls' team's Karis Stoxen '27 earned a top-40 finish!

**BOYS' GOLF**  
**MAKES IT**  
**BACK TO STATE**

*A Long Time Coming*



It was a historic season for the **Roger Bacon Boys' Varsity Golf team**. This year marked the first time in over eighty years that the boys' golf team advanced to the state meet as a team! While there have been several individual golfers who have made it to this meet in that time, this year was the first since 1941 that Roger Bacon advanced as a team to the meet. It was a historic season with several tournament wins and dozens of accolades for the golfers. Congratulations to coach Nick Rosenfeldt who has helped advance three different golfers and now the entire team to the state meet in his tenure! Coach Rosenfeldt was also recently named Division II & III Golf Coach of the Year! The team finished their season in sixth place.



Check out the team's article in the Cincinnati Enquirer by scanning the code!

**SOCGER SENIOR**  
**HONORED FOR**  
**CHARACTER**

*Was to Me!*

**Andrew Schneider '26** was a force this Fall on the pitch during his senior soccer season. Recently, he was also honored for more than his soccer skills; he was awarded the **Dick Snyder C.I.S. Award**. The award is given to a player who exemplifies **Character, Integrity and Sportsmanship**. Congratulations on this great recognition Andrew!



**FOOTBALL COACH**  
**HONORED AND REMEMBERED**  
**BY SPARTAN FAMILY**

*Coach of the Year*



Roger Bacon Football's Director of Football Operations, **Ron Meister**, was a volunteer for the football program for seven years. On January 2, his battle with cancer ended. He is remembered fondly by the entire Roger Bacon community. Football head coach, Mike Blaut said, *"His caring, devotion, and commitment to the football program will never be equaled. For those of you that didn't know Ron, you missed out on a man who knew no strangers and was 110% behind the RB community. He was our head of football operations, and meticulously took care of all the thankless jobs Fr Alan and Br Gene did for all those years as AD's. The coaches, players, and families that knew Ron, know what a treasure he was and will miss him dearly."*

Ron was known for his positive outlook on everything. His message below is a great example of his Spartan attitude:

*"My family & I are of very strong faith & we completely believe that God has his plan for us all. I believe that your work on this story is within his plan. If there is anyway "my story" (a story that wouldn't get told/ heard without YOU,) can help, ease any pain, encourage, inspire, motivate or reassure hope within another, I am completely, both honored & committed.*

*My message is that we are ALL fighting something, that the simplest act(s) of kindness (a choice that we ALL have) shared with one another can ease this suffering. And compounded just might make this whole world a better place!"*

To honor Ron's extraordinary legacy, the Meister family has the hope of establishing the **Ron Meister Endowed Scholarship**. Scan the QR code to support!



**AN AWARD**  
**TWENTY YEARS**  
**IN THE MAKING**

*Football Files Back*

For the last twenty years, the Roger Bacon Football team has been volunteering at the annual Thanksgiving Day Race in downtown Cincinnati. This year, the program was selected as the **Birds of a Feather Award recipients** for the 2025 Thanksgiving Day Race for their commitment over the years! This is awarded each year to a group who either participates or volunteers their time and effort to put on such an amazing event.

Congratulations to Coach Mike Blaut '88 and the entire football program on this amazing recognition and their dedication for service to others.



# Join the Roger Bacon Alumni Association for the *2026 Spartan Sip & Social*



featuring wines from Assisi & Fogarty Vineyards and entertainment from Sound Body Jazz Orchestra

Saturday March 7th  
7-10pm

\$50 per Person  
includes open bar,  
light bites, valet parking



Scan this code  
to purchase  
your tickets!

## Reunions & Gatherings

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The **OLA Class of 1961** is planning their 65th Reunion – contact Cecelia Gleisnger (Craig) [cgleisinger@yahoo.com](mailto:cgleisinger@yahoo.com) for more information.

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The **RB Class of 1971** is in early planning stages for their **55<sup>th</sup> Reunion** this year. Contact **Alan Kalb** [alan1kalb@gmail.com](mailto:alan1kalb@gmail.com) to help or for more information.

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Early planning stages are underway for the **RB Class of 1976 50<sup>th</sup> Reunion**. Contact **Dan Ryan** [danryan757@gmail.com](mailto:danryan757@gmail.com) to help or for more information.

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The **Class of 2006** is planning their **20th Reunion** – contact Annie Karle (Kathman) [akarle@rogerbacon.org](mailto:akarle@rogerbacon.org), or Chelsey Hausfeld (Ahlers) [hausfeldchels@gmail.com](mailto:hausfeldchels@gmail.com) for more information.

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The **Class of 2011** is planning their **15th Reunion** – contact Brandon Spaeth [bspaeth@RogerBacon.org](mailto:bspaeth@RogerBacon.org).

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The **Class of 2016** is planning their **10th Reunion** – contact Macey Bierman [biermanmacey@gmail.com](mailto:biermanmacey@gmail.com) or Deasia Davis [deasia36@icloud.com](mailto:deasia36@icloud.com)

**CALLING ALL SPARTANS  
AND ANGELS WHO  
GRADUATED IN YEARS ENDING  
IN 1 OR 6:**

THIS NEXT YEAR COULD BE A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR A REUNION. IF INTERESTED IN PLANNING AN EVENT FOR YOUR CLASS, PLEASE REACH OUT TO [BREED@ROGERBACON.ORG](mailto:BREED@ROGERBACON.ORG) TO GET STARTED!

1851-2026  
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OLDENBURG + INDIANA

## SAVE THE DATE

CELEBRATING 175 YEARS OF SERVICE AND DEDICATION

In celebration on the 175th Anniversary, the Sisters of St. Francis, Oldenburg, is organizing an All-School Reunion for St. Mary Academy and Our Lady of the Angels former students. Come meet the Sisters, tour the convent, eat lunch with your former classmates, celebrate Liturgy, and just have a great time!

**10 | 24 | 26**

Motherhouse Chapel  
22143 Main St., Oldenburg, Indiana

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COMING IN MAY**

Questions? - Contact Sister Kathleen Branham, OSF at [kathleenosf@marian.edu](mailto:kathleenosf@marian.edu) or Melinda Starkey at [melinda.starkey@oldenburgfranciscan.org](mailto:melinda.starkey@oldenburgfranciscan.org)



## 34th Annual Girls Trip!

This tradition of a girls trip to Nashville started in 1990 and is still going strong. We treasure this time together every year. OLA alum from left to right: **Lisa Wright '77 Jan Trauth '78 Elaine Palumbo Flannery '78 Kim Bothe Graham '77 Laurie Lea Gellenbeck '77 Linda Schwemberger Coffaro '77 Debbie Schwemberger Middendorf '74**

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The **RB Class of 1960** Luncheon took place on October 9, 2025 at Pebble Creek Golf Course. President Steve Schad was able to attend and enjoy quality time with the Spartans.

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The **OLA Class of 1965** celebrated their 60<sup>th</sup> reunion in October.

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Members of the **RB & OLA Class of 1969** posing with their class scholarship student, **Kendra Gee '26**, after First Friday Mass.

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**RB Class of 1965** gathered at RB in the Fall.  
 FRONT ROW: Denny Scheidt, Jim Brockman, David Cannon, Jim Vanden Eyden, Thom Vollmar  
 SECOND ROW: Rick Carnevale, Schmalz, Gary Hilsinger, Gino Servizzi, Dave Oakley, Jim Daley  
 THIRD ROW: Dennis Lauck, Ed Tierney, Rusty Brinkman, Skip Schoettmer, John Fullmer, Tom Fahey  
 BACK ROW: Peter Lloyd, Dave Foley, Jim Brigger, Tom Vogeler, Don Willen, Joe Beck

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The **OLA Class of 1975** met at RB for mass and then headed to Wiedemann's after in September.



Nominate for Alumni Awards by scanning this QR code:



## Congratulations to our Alumni Award Recipients!

**Mark Piepmeier '72** – Astrolabe Award; **Sherrie Lakes '71** – Amaranth Award; **Kelly (Rickenbaugh) Marsh '91** – Spartan Award; **Mose '81 & Barb Demasi** – Roger Bacon Award.

Each of these honorees has made a lasting impact through their character, faith, service, and dedication to others. Their stories remind us what it truly means to be Spartans for life.

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Members of the **RB Class of 1980** headed down to the ballpark together this past fall!

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The **Class of 2005** partied at the St. Bernard Pub in October.

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The **Class of 1985** met at Pebble Creek Golf Course in October.

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A group from the **Class of 2010** got together after the Homecoming Game at Wiedemann's.

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The **Class of 1995** reunited in October for a grand gathering.

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The **Class of 2015** had a raucous time at Rheingeist.

# ALUMNI

*Be Inspired...*

**“Ken, I’d like to make it a true Daily Double.”**

*“Here is your clue in the Category ‘Famous Alumni’:  
This 2001 Roger Bacon alumna will appear on Jeopardy.”*

Answer: **“Who is Kelly Anneken ’01?”**

Kelly, currently living in California, competed in September on Jeopardy. Her younger brother John appeared on the Alex Trebek Stage twelve years ago, achieving a three-game streak.

Submitted by **Mellen Moors-Dressing**, Kelly’s biggest, non-family-member fan who is SO proud of her!



**Bryan Zinser, RB Class of 2008,** participated in a mission trip with **Be the Light**. The group built a small house from the ground up, providing housing for a family of 5 in Tijuana, Mexico. Working in scorching temperatures, they managed to raise the entire structure and have it live-in ready in one week!



Playing for the Cincinnati Colt 45’s in the Roy Hobbs 70 and over group in Fort Myers, FL are **Jim Schackmann ’70, Jim Brockman ’65 and Mike Day ’70**. The boys brought home the Championship this past Fall.

**Mark Piepmeier ’72** was recently recognized by the City of Sharonville as a member of the ‘Sharonville Society of Honored Citizens.’ Before the city council meeting held in September, he was recognized for all his hard work and dedication to the community. The Sharonville Facebook page stated:



*“He is a true pillar in our community. Not only did he serve in elected office for over twenty years, he coached numerous youth sports teams for SYO and St. Mike’s, and was instrumental in our Memorial Day ceremonies. Thank you, Mark!”*

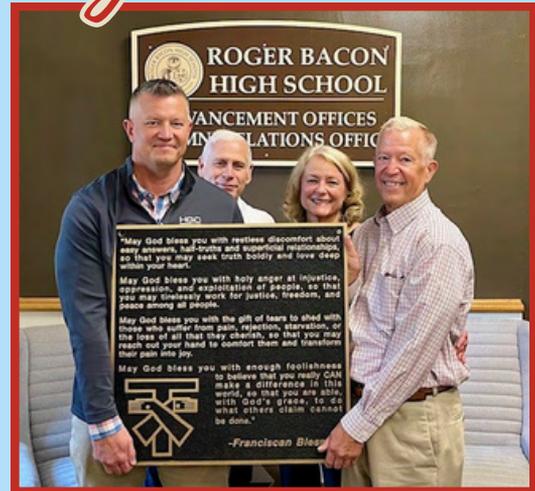
ACCOMPLISH SOMETHING BIG? SEE A FELLOW SPARTAN? PLEASE PROVIDE ANY ALUMNI STORIES TO ALYSSA FLADING (AFLADING@ROGERBACON.ORG)



# NEWS

## ...Stay Connected

The bronze plaque seen here, with a “Franciscan Blessing” is a gift from the past-President of Endeavor Construction Company, **Dave Beiersdorfer, Roger Bacon Class of 1972**. The plaque served as a source of inspiration for the employees of the company and a reminder of the Franciscan education he received at Roger Bacon. His son, Dave Jr. (seen on the left), is the Senior Project Manager for the Huesman Group (HGC), the general contractor for the new atrium. Dave Beiersdorfer, along with his wife Stephanie, donated the plaque for use in the new atrium.



## Recognizing a special Veteran...

Over the summer, the Haap family had the opportunity to formally recognize their great-grandfather and honor him for his service to our country. **Pvt. John Haap** was a Civil War Veteran of the E Company 183<sup>rd</sup> Regiment of Infantry Ohio Volunteers Third Brigade 2<sup>nd</sup> Division 23<sup>rd</sup> Corps U.S. Army. He served from October 1864 to July 1865 and fought three battles in Tennessee. When he passed away in 1887 after being ill for a number of years, his family likely could not afford a tombstone. John's great-grandson, **Mike Haap '59**, joined the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and they helped host a ceremony for John Haap by dedicating a tombstone for his grave. John's other great-grandchildren, **Kay (Haap) Schindler '54** and **Don Haap '63** were in attendance for the ceremony. **Jack Haap '55** was unable to attend. After 138 years to the day, the family was thankful their great-grandfather's final resting place was memorialized properly with a tombstone. Note: To see the TV coverage of the ceremony, search for John Haap on YouTube.



## Bacon Bits

Join us in welcoming the cutest new additions to the Spartan family!



**Brandon Spaeth '11** and wife **Hannah** recently welcomed baby boy, Jackson (JJ), in September.



**Lynde (Devlin) '10** and **Nick Wilking '10** recently welcomed baby boy, Jack in October.

# Alumni Business Spotlight



**Dennis '71** is the son of **Paul Valerius '40** and the brother of **Paul Valerius '62**. Dennis and his cousin Greg (son of **Fred Valerius '39**) stopped in for a visit in the Fall. Dennis is on the left and Greg is on the right. It was a great day for the cousins to reminisce.

**Rick Sollmann '68** welcomed back some of his 1968 classmates for a tour of RB and lunch!  
**Michael Gantt, Bill Woerman and Tony Conte!**



## Spartan Sweethearts

**Sue (Ohe) '56** and **Frank Weyer '55** celebrated their 67th wedding anniversary on September 26th. They met at Gutzweiler's Grove, they continue to reside in Cincinnati. They have three children, 13 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren.



**Ray Drake '61** and **Joan (McClanahan) Drake '62** were married on Sept. 4, 1965 making this their 60th wedding anniversary. They met at Roger Bacon school dance after a RB football game! The happy couple now lives in Florida and enjoy golf and the seashore.

KNOW A SPARTAN/ANGEL COUPLE THAT HAS BEEN MARRIED LONGER? SEND US THEIR INFORMATION BY EMAILING [AFDLING@ROGERBACON.ORG](mailto:AFDLING@ROGERBACON.ORG).



**Matt McManus '01** is making a meaningful impact as a Partner at **Triple Crown Wealth Management**, where he specializes in helping individuals — especially first responders — with state pensions navigate retirement and long-term financial planning. Matt works closely with clients to understand how their 457 plans align with their pensions, maximize the value of their greatest asset, and use money as a tool to find peace and pursue their next purpose.

A former golf professional turned financial advisor, Matt brings a unique perspective shaped by both personal experience and diligent study. Having seen firsthand the pitfalls of poor money management, he is on a lifelong mission to help others avoid those same traps. Backed by his own wellness journey, Matt also speaks throughout the Cincinnati region on retirement and financial readiness, living out the belief that we are all called to serve one another and lead well-balanced lives—values rooted in his Roger Bacon foundation.

If you have questions about the services of Triple Crown Wealth Management, please contact Matt at [matthew.mcmanus@equitable.com](mailto:matthew.mcmanus@equitable.com).

DO YOU WANT TO HIGHLIGHT YOUR SMALL BUSINESS IN THE NEXT MAGAZINE? E-MAIL [NWILKING@ROGERBACON.ORG](mailto:NWILKING@ROGERBACON.ORG) WITH YOUR INFORMATION.

## An Incredible Career



**Cammy Niesen '22** recently wrapped up her legendary volleyball career at Ole Miss. Niesen left her legacy as the greatest libero in program history, setting the program's all-time digs mark with 1,853, while ending her career in the top-10 in SEC history with the mark. Niesen finished the season with 458 digs, 115 assists, 19 service aces and a .982 reception percentage, making only eight errors on 440 attempts.

Her excellence extended well beyond the court. Cammy will soon graduate with a degree in chemical engineering and was recently named a College Sports Communicators (CSC) Academic All-District honoree, advancing to the national ballot for CSC Academic All-America consideration. This recognition marks the third consecutive season she has earned the honor and adds to an already outstanding academic resume that includes becoming the first Rebel ever named SEC Scholar-Athlete of the Year in 2024.

Cammy's legacy began long before college at Roger Bacon High School, where she still holds the all-time digs record with 1,820. As a Spartan, she earned multiple Player of the Year honors along with All-State, All-City, and All-League recognition - all while serving as an Assisi Scholar and maintaining first honors every quarter.



**Mary Kate DeWees '19** (Director of Operations - University of Alabama) and **Braden Rice '25** (team manager - University of Cincinnati) had a Spartan volleyball reunion at the Chattanooga Classic. The Bearcats won 3-0!

## Congratulations to Ben Powers '21, who has been named the 2025 Greenhills Firefighter of the Year!

This marks the second consecutive year a Roger Bacon graduate has received this honor—following fellow Class of 2021 alum

**Chris Shipley**, who earned the award in 2024.



**Ben Powers '21**



**Chris Shipley '21**

## Congratulations are in order for Jim Gruenwald '67.

Jim will be inducted into the SAY Soccer Hall of Fame. Jim had a huge impact on the SAY soccer community by opening their first office in 1979 to turn the organization into a professional business operation from an all volunteer organization which now has over 400 community chapters across the country. Jim also volunteer as the scorekeeper for JV & Varsity RB basketball for 16 years and proudly was a substitute freshman basketball coach for 1 game in 1984. "We beat PM 43-37 then I retired as the only undefeated basketball coach in RB history."

"YOUR INDUCTION IS IN RECOGNITION OF THE SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS YOU HAVE MADE IN PROMOTING THE VALUES OF SAY AND YOUR OUTSTANDING LEADERSHIP AS NATIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR. ADDITIONALLY, WE WOULD LIKE TO RECOGNIZE YOUR EXCEPTIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE NATIONAL BOARD AND SPREADING THE PHILOSOPHY OF SAY ACROSS THE COUNTRY."



# Born to Eternal Life

*The following members of the Roger Bacon family  
have been born to eternal life. Please join us in  
remembering them and their families in your prayers.*

Mary Ann (Beccaccio) Peters '45  
Rose (Butz) Biederman '46  
Marie (Schulte) Schoettmer '46  
Mary Jane (Volk) Hoebbel '46  
Elaine (Ober) Mushaben '47  
Herb Pahren '47  
Mary Lou (Rucktaschel) Traut '47  
Dolores (Geers) Rumpke '48  
Laverne (Berger) Strittholt '48  
Clare (Seufert) Dunham '49  
George Seitz '49  
James Froehle '50  
Joseph Hammoor '50  
Geraldine (Sullivan) Boehm '50  
Joan Woll '50  
Tom Willke '50  
Dr. Thomas Fogarty '52  
Thomas Frey '52  
Mary (Hils) Telles '52  
Ronald Dauwe '53  
Ruth Drewes '55  
August Kramer '55  
Jane Ann (Lammert) Schildmeyer '55  
Gerald Pfeiffer '56  
Charles VonderMeulen '56  
Patricia (Geisel) Babey '57  
David Biederman '57  
Julie (Grant) Hurts '57  
Michael Bonvillain '58  
Donald Diesel '60  
Michael Ellert '60  
John Engel '60  
Carolyn (Wenning) Bolten '60  
Barry Strasser '61  
Charlene (Oehler) Wash '61  
Robert Wilking '61  
Lawrence Handorf '62  
Terrence Kitte '62  
Richard Nelson '62  
James Dinwiddie '64  
Judith Haas '63  
Richard Lakes '64

James Vanderhoff '64  
Laverne (Dinwiddie) Diesel '65  
Joe Norton '65  
Harry Spraul '65  
Scott Young '65  
Kenneth Hennel '66  
Stephen Scheurer '66  
Robert Nurre '67  
Ralph Layer '68  
John Curso '69  
Jeffrey Harmon '69  
Maria (Leonardi) Burr '69  
Douglas Ferguson '70  
Karen Keppel '70  
Teresa (Pfeiffer) Ayers '70  
Gary Smith '70  
Robert Faller '71  
Vicki (Welsh) Faller '71  
Jerome Holthaus '72  
Bruce Reynolds '72  
Nicholas Hurr '73  
Ronald Henke '74  
Don Hines '74  
David Schildmeyer '74  
David St. Clair '77  
Jim Deno '78  
Jason Faulkner '81  
Ronald Bellman '82  
Henry Ausdenmoore '83  
Becky Fitzhugh '83  
Ron Bellman '85  
Bill Petersman '86  
Pat Crail '87  
Harold James '91  
Tim Blum '93

## **RB Family**

Carlie Berry  
Gina French  
Ron Meister  
Hilda Willenborg

This year's GRAND RAFFLE prize is \$10,000!  
**And you could win it!**

Our 38th Annual Evening for Excellence is coming up on April 18th! The biggest prize of the night is our **\$10,000 Grand Raffle sponsored by the Roger Bacon Alumni Association.**

Thank you to the RB Alumni Association for their generosity and continued support of our school and our students!

Raffle tickets can be purchased online by scanning the QR code below or by mail.

If sending in the mail, cut out the form below and mail it to:

Roger Bacon High School (4320 Vine Street Cincinnati, OH 45217) along with a check made out to Roger Bacon High School and write "Grand Raffle" on the memo line.

PLEASE DO NOT SEND CASH THROUGH THE MAIL.

The winner will be drawn at the Evening for Excellence on April 18, 2026. You do not need to be present at the Evening for Excellence to win. If you want additional tickets, contact Wanda Hill at 641-1313 or at [whill@rogerbacon.org](mailto:whill@rogerbacon.org).

**The more chances you buy, the better your odds!**

All proceeds from the raffle will benefit the students and programs at Roger Bacon High School.  
Online raffle tickets sales will close at 12PM on Wednesday, April 15, 2026.

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- 1 ticket for \$25       5 tickets for \$100  
 12 tickets for \$200



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