

THIS IS SURRATTS FOUNDATION E-NOTICE 2016-4 OF APRIL 1, 2016

Hello Hornets! Here are some items that might be of interest:

1. **MILLER SCHOLARSHIPS INCREASED SUBSTANTIALLY.** Thanks to the extraordinary generosity of Nancy Miller (67), the Foundation's endowed Thomas V. Miller, Sr. (36) and Esther Clifton Miller Scholarships have been significantly increased for future recipients. These two scholarships, which are presented annually by the Foundation, honor the memories of two absolutely extraordinary members of the Surrattsville community. The Thomas V. Miller, Sr. (36) Scholarship is granted to a deserving, hardworking senior, with special preferences given to applicants who have to work at an outside job while in school. Special consideration also is given to applicants who might be planning a post-Surrattsville educational path that does not include a traditional college experience. The Esther Clifton Miller Scholarship is granted annually to a graduating senior planning to pursue an education degree and a career as a teacher. The Foundation extends its sincere gratitude to Nancy for initially endowing, and now increasing, these wonderful scholarships to benefit very deserving graduating seniors at Surrattsville.

2. **SUNDAY APRIL 9 EVENT CELEBRATING COACH LEW JENKINS' LEGENDARY (AND OVER HALF-CENTURY!) COACHING CAREER!** After more than 50 years of coaching, Foundation Achievement Award recipient Coach Lew Jenkins (<http://surrattsville.org/achievement/2010.shtml>) is retiring.

St. Mary's College of Maryland will hold a formal celebration of the Coach's 22 years as its head baseball coach at the end of a double-header on Sunday April 9 starting at noon. The entire greater Surrattsville community is cordially invited to travel to this beautiful location to be there for this very special event, and some great college baseball. (In the case of questionable weather, feel free to contact SMCM at 240-895-4911 for up-to-the-minute information.)

(For those of you who might wish to, but are not be able to, attend the Coach's formal retirement ceremony at St. Mary's on April 9, here are some other opportunities to see the Coach lead the Seahawks in his final season of coaching: April 2, double-header starting at noon; April 6 AT MARY WASHINGTON, 3 p.m.; April 16, double-header starting at noon. (Please confirm all dates/times on St. Mary's web site.)

Here's the article from the SMCM website about the Coach's truly extraordinary career and upcoming retirement celebration (with some nice mentions of Surrattsville):

“Jenkins Retiring at the End of 2016 Season: One of the great coaches, one of the great guys in college baseball will step down in May following the completion of the 2016 season. Longtime

St. Mary's College of Maryland baseball coach Lew Jenkins has announced his retirement after 22 years as the Seahawk skipper. The Catholic University of America baseball coach Ross Natoli said it best when he described Jenkins as '...one of the great guys in college baseball.' Jenkins has been a fixture on the St. Mary's City campus for over 20 years and he is known around the athletic department as 'Sweet Lew.'

Jenkins is now in his 22nd year as the team's head coach, with over 700 games under his belt. He started as an assistant with the Seahawk baseball program in 1994 before taking over the reins at the start of the 1995 season. 'Coach Jenkins is one of the finest and well-respected individuals that I have had the pleasure of working with during my 30 years in college athletics. Over the course of Lew's six-decade career in coaching, scouting, and administration, he has positively impacted the lives of countless young men at the high school, college, and professional levels,' said Director of Athletics and Recreation Scott Devine. 'Lew comes to work everyday teaching and coaching with the highest ethical standards and moral values. In addition to his passion for coaching the sport of baseball, Lew continually emphasizes sportsmanship and scholarship to his players on a daily basis. All of these qualities have made Lew a perfect coaching fit in the NCAA Division III athletics ranks and for St. Mary's College.'

St. Mary's has planned a celebration of Jenkins' career for Saturday, April 9th when the Seahawks host Southern Virginia University in a conference doubleheader starting at 11:00 a.m. We invite all baseball alums who have been through the program during Jenkins' 22-year tenure to return to the Hawk's Nest for this very special day. The all-time winningest coach in the 45-year history of the program, Jenkins' 300-plus career wins include four 20-win seasons. The Seahawks recorded three straight 20-win campaigns between 1998 and 2000, marking the first three ever-such seasons in program history. St. Mary's claimed the Capital Athletic Conference (CAC) regular-season title and finished as the league runner-up in 1999 with a 26-7 record, earning Jenkins the CAC Co-Coach of the Year award. The Seahawks also set team records for most wins (26) and best winning percentage (.788). St. Mary's earned a berth in the CAC playoffs in all but one season under Jenkins.

Jenkins is well-known in the state of Maryland for his 25 years as the head coach of Surrattsville High School baseball in Clinton, where he won 326 games, No. 1 on the state's all-time list at the time of his retirement. In addition to coaching baseball, he served as an athletic director and a physical education teacher as well as a coach for wrestling, soccer and football. Jenkins left Surrattsville after the 1993 season with a lifetime winning percentage of .718. After the state playoff system took effect in 1975, his teams qualified for postseason play 18 straight years and won 11 Prince George's County titles.

During his near 50-year long coaching career, he has notched nearly 700 wins between his high school and college coaching days. After his retirement from high school coaching, Jenkins spent three seasons as an assistant at two of the premier Division I programs in the region, Georgetown and George Washington Universities. Several players from those teams went on to play professional baseball. Jenkins has 25 years of scouting experience as well, recruiting talent for the Texas Rangers and the Pittsburgh Pirates as well as the Major League Scouting Bureau. He coached youth baseball teams at the national and international levels, including mentoring the U.S. Junior National Team for four years and working with New York Yankees Alex Rodriguez.

He picked up the 2010 Achievement Award from Surrattsville HS, 16 years after being inducted into the Maryland State Association of Baseball Coaches Hall of Fame in recognition of his stellar high school coaching career. Jenkins was also enshrined in the Maryland State Wrestling Hall of Fame in 1994.

A 1959 graduate of the University of Maryland, Jenkins earned his master's degree in physical education from George Washington University. In 1991, he was awarded the U.S. Baseball Foundation's National Service Award. Devine continued, 'The incredible graduation rates and the number of high-caliber young men that have come through our baseball program during Coach Jenkin's tenure can be directly attributable to his professionalism, leadership, mentorship, and calm steadying influence over the baseball program.' During his tenure. Jenkins has coached two league rookies of the year (*Steve Oursler, Chris Segal*) as well as the 1999 CAC Player of the Year (*Oursler*). He has also mentored 24 Seahawks to 36 all-conference selections (12 first team and 24 second team). In 2008, *Michael Broccolino '08* was selected as an Academic All-American. 'We have been extremely fortunate to have had Lew serving as head coach of the Seahawk baseball program over the last 22 years. I, along with our staff, our current and former players, and everyone else attached to Seahawks baseball, really look forward to celebrating Coach Jenkin's outstanding career throughout this upcoming baseball season,' added Devine. 'Lew will always be a special part of the Seahawk athletic family. He is quite simply an incredible person, a highly accomplished professional, a beloved colleague, and a dedicated employee of the College who will be greatly missed by all of us who know him and work with him. We all wish Lew, his wife Marian, and the entire Jenkins family nothing but the best in this next chapter of his life,' concluded Devine.

Current assistant coach Michael Victory '12 said: 'Coach Jenkins has been a great mentor to me as both a player and a coach. I was lucky enough to be part of his 300th win and over 100 wins in my time here. He has had a deep impact on so many players and will leave a lasting legacy on the program. It will be one more experience among all the others Coach has given me, being able to see his final trip through the CAC and hopefully, we can make it a special experience for him as well.' Gallaudet University baseball coach Curtis Pride said: 'Since I have been coaching at Gallaudet, I have gotten to know Coach Jenkins through the competition between our teams over the years. Our rivalry on the field has been both friendly and respectful. Coach Jenkins is undoubtedly one of the most respected and classiest coaches that I have had the privilege of knowing. I certainly will miss our pregame and postgame chats.' Devine said that the College would begin a national search for a new coach in mid-May."

[Ed. note: Here's hoping that many of our readers will be able to attend this very special event at beautiful St. Mary's College of Maryland!]

3. COACH JENKINS' RETIREMENT ALSO FEATURED IN ST. MARY'S COUNTY ENTERPRISE. Coach Jenkins' retirement also was featured in a very nice half-page article (with photo and sidebar) in the March 9 issue of St. Mary's County's newspaper of record, The Enterprise. Here's that article, by Tammy Showalter, tshowalter@somdnews.com:

“SEAHWAWK LEGENDARY COACH TO RETIRE AT SEASON’S END. Jenkins, 82, Has Spent the Last 22 Years as SMCM Head Baseball Coach. St. Mary’s College of Maryland is losing a treasured friend and head coach in Lew Jenkins, who will be retiring after the 2016 season after 22 years as head coach for the Seahawks. He’s hanging his hat after 50 years of coaching between the high school and college levels. The Charles County native is now 82 years old and said he’s enjoyed his journey. He has been involved in athletics, especially baseball, all of his life.

‘It’s what I went to school for,’ Jenkins said. ‘If it wasn’t for being able to coach in high school and play in college, I probably wouldn’t have went to school, but they told me I could play baseball and I was fortunate enough to fall into the right category I guess. I didn’t get much guidance coming up the ladder. I had a wonderful mother and father, but my father went to the fifth grade and my mother went to the seventh grade and my mother helped me dearly when I got to the seventh grade, but after that there was calculus and algebra and there wasn’t anybody in the neighborhood that could help me.’

Jenkins followed his dreams and said he was fortunate to have the opportunity to attend and graduate from college, which came from the University of Maryland in 1959. His near 50-year coaching career has notched close to 700 wins between the high school and college ranks, 326 of them at Surrattsville High School in Prince George’s County and currently over 300 at St. Mary’s which has him the all-time winningest coach in program history.

‘I coached at Georgetown and would have like to have stayed at Georgetown, but the coach was retiring and I came down here [to St. Mary’s College] and like it just as well.’ Jenkins, a very humble man, said he’s overwhelmed with the support he’s been receiving. ‘I’m getting a lot of emails and handshakes,’ Jenkins said. ‘We had practice today from 8 to 10 a.m. and of course the biggest thing today [Saturday] at the college is swimming and there were a couple people that I’ve coached that came in and talked to me, so I enjoy that but not really expecting it and I’ve gotten some phone calls.’

Jenkins said he felt like it was time for a younger coach to take over and the drive back to Charles County has increasingly gotten longer for him with more traffic and the one road exit from the college. St. Mary’s athletic director Scott Devine said he’s going to miss seeing Jenkins at work every day. ‘He’s been a pleasure to work with, that’s for sure,’ Devine said. ‘He’s a veteran head coach who’s maintained his passion for the game and his ability to mentor and work with young men throughout his entire career and that’s hard to find. He’s been a consistent, strong leader who our student-athletes respect and really look up to as do all of us that work with Lew.’

Pitching coach Mike Victory said Jenkins has impacted his life as a player and now more recently as a coach. ‘I got to play for him two years ago and he’s been a huge influence on me in terms of my coaching style and the way that I’ve approached baseball since I got here,’ Victory said. ‘He loves doing what he does every day. You can tell that this is something that he loves doing, so I just thought that he would be coaching forever because he loves baseball so much. He’s already talked about wanting to come back and watch some games.’

Captain and starting pitcher Ben Goldsmith said he’s always respected the honesty that Jenkins approaches the game with. ‘No matter what’s going on, he will always be honest with you, good or bad,’ Goldsmith said. ‘He will tell you what he’s thinking. That helps me with pitching. He’ll show me what mechanical things I need to change. The bluntness that he does resonates with us players. Hearing it in an encouraging way and showing us how to fix it by spinning it positively makes the game more enjoyable and we can learn more because of it. He’s always the steady influence that’s going to tell you what you need to hear even if you don’t want to hear it.’

Jenkins said he’s not sure exactly what his next venture will be. ‘I have different things on my mind, but I haven’t really made up my mind,’ Jenkins said. ‘When I leave, I’m just going to take it easy and enjoy life for a while. I’m sure I’ll get bored. Hopefully I’ll find something in the athletic or education line but if I don’t, I’ll have a nice breakfast in the morning, read the newspaper and to and work out for a while, whether it’s walking or running or taking two buckets of baseballs and hit some fly balls, pick them back up and go home.’

The Seahawks, who are currently 4-7 and scheduled to host Wesley at 3 p.m. today in a Capital Athletic Conference contest, will host a celebration day in honor of Jenkins on April 9 when the team takes on Southern Virginia in a doubleheader at noon.

4. FOUNDATION MAKES MAJOR GRANT TO BAND. We are delighted to report that the Foundation has made a significant grant to the great Surrattsville band to enable it to perform at Walt Disney World this spring. Best wishes to these outstanding student musicians for a wonderful experience!

5. FOUNDATION SPONSORS BUS TRIP TO COLLEGE SUMMIT. Once again this year, the Foundation will proudly sponsor an upcoming bus trip to the Prince George’s County College Summit where Surrattsville students can meet with representatives from various area colleges. Best wishes to these college-bound Hornets for a productive College Summit experience!

6. MORE PRICELESS TREASURES FROM “GREEN LIGHT.” As we previously noted, Duke Coleman (53) recently donated to the Foundation’s Archives a number of copies of an

early SHS student newspaper, the “Green Light.” Those editions provide a fascinating glimpse into student life at Surrattsville during the 52-53 academic year, 63 years ago!

Here are some interesting excerpts from the holiday-themed December 19, 1952 edition of Green Light:

“Christmas Party for Teachers. On Friday night, the cafeteria was the scene of the dinner party for the teachers. The menu was varied so all could enjoy what they particularly wanted and liked. Everyone had their choice of: fried chicken, shrimp Newburg, fried oysters or ham. The vegetables: creamed peas, olives and celery. Ice cream was served with cookies and candy. After dinner, Mr. Pryde entertained all by recording their singing ‘White Christmas.’ He invited all of the faculty to his home over the holidays. Everyone brought a gift valued at no more than 25 cents and they were exchanged with glee. There was much fun and laughter, especially when Mrs. Noyes received a yo-yo. The senior boys who worked in the cafeteria – Billy Eckard, Bernard Windsor, and Carter Courtney – were waiters.”

“Gwynn Park Assembly. Monday morning Surrattsville was privileged to be the hostess to Gwynn Park for the annual exchange program. Mrs. Bergner, their music teacher, presented the Choraleers, the Junior High Girls Chorus, the Senior High Chorus, a seventh grade duet, and a solo to Pat Curtis. Some of the numbers that they sang were ‘Gather ‘Round the Christmas Tree,’ ‘Go Tell it on the Mountain,’ and ‘We Wish You a Merry Christmas.’ The duet by the two seventh graders was ‘Up on the Housetop.’ Pat Curtis rendered in her extremely beautiful style ‘Jesu Bambino.’ As her encore, she did ‘The Birthday of a King.’ Surrattsville was very happy to receive Gwynn Park and is looking forward to next year’s program.”

“Christmas Lunch. Mrs. Maust served approximately 450 people for special Christmas lunch. The High School enjoyed their lunch on Thursday. Wednesday was the day for the elementary dinner. The lunch cost only 30 cents. A small charge for such a grand lunch! The delicious items on the menu were turkey, cranberry sauce, buttered peas, sweet potatoes, rolls, milk and ice cream. Thank you Mrs. Maust for our lunch!”

“Play Presented by Speech Class. On Friday December 19, the speech class will present a play entitled ‘Peace I Give Unto You.’ This play was written by Dorothy Clark Wilson and directed by Mrs. Moorehead, and will be given as a Christmas program. The cast includes Rodney Shifflett, Eleanor Riley, James Glass, Robert Leeman, and Ronald Coleman. This is a different type of Christmas play which illustrates how the Christmas spirit creates good feeling among men. As a prelude to the program, Georgene Gonzales will play ‘Christmas Meditation.’ The Girls Ensemble will then sing the traditional ‘No Candle was There and No Fire.’ Following the play, the A Capella Choir will present a recorded program and the audience will sing Christmas

carols. Concluding the program will be a rendition of ‘Winter Wonderland’ by the Girls Ensemble – escorted by Jean Weirich’s Snow Man creation!”

7. SEEKING 85 BOOMERANG. Joel Crisler (85) is looking for a copy of the 85 Boomerang. Please contact Joel at crisler_1@msn.com if you have any information that might be helpful.

8. CALL FOR CHAMPIONS INFORMATION YIELDS IMPRESSIVE FACTS. In a Facebook posting on its “Surrattsville Alumni” Facebook group, the Foundation asked for information about past Surrattsville athletic teams that reached the types of heights reached by this year’s boys’ basketball team that made the State semi-finals. Way to go Hornets! We are beginning to receive some very interesting information in response that we will publish in a future e-Notice. Please send any information you have on this topic to hsmith@smithdowney.com.

9. MORE MEMORIES OF COACH HAIGLER. The memories of Coach and teacher Robert Haigler in the last e-Notice prompted these additional memories from Steve Johnson (78): “Another reflection on Bob Haigler: I read the note on Coach Haigler about his “John Brown” term instead of cursing – which I remember. I also remember him describing DNA and RNA, which had just been discovered back then, as follows: “Think of RNA as DNA’s flunky” – I’ve remembered this for 40 years because it’s a perfect description. Wonderful person, cared about you inside and outside of the classroom. Steve”

10. SUMMER JOBS FOR STUDENTS. We received from Neal Dawson (73) these tips on very attractive summer job opportunities for DC area students.

Science and Engineering Apprenticeship Program. <https://seap.asee.org/>

Naval Research Enterprise Internship Program (NREIP). <https://nreip.asee.org/>

11. ACHIEVEMENT AWARD NOMINATIONS SOUGHT. This is the time of year when we ask our readers to submit nominations (to hsmith@smithdowney.com) for the Foundation’s annual Achievement Awards. The many and varied achievements of the recipients to date are truly extraordinary. Photos and bios of all of the recipients since 2000 can be found at the Achievement Awards button on www.surrattsville.org.

12 CLASS OF 66 REUNION PLANS AND WEBSITE UPDATE. Here’s the latest update on Reunion planning from the Class of 66: “The Class of 1966 is holding their 50th reunion in Ocean City at the Clarion Fontainebleau Resort Hotel the weekend of October 7-9, 2016. The cost of the reunion weekend will be \$80 per person. Deadline for purchasing your tickets is September 1, 2016. If you are interested, please contact Norman Myers at 301-862-1979 normjr@md.metrocast.net or Signe Bush Thrift at 301-218-4210 sannthrift@yahoo.com. The

class also has a new website at <http://www.classcreator.com/Canton-Maryland-Surrattsville-1966/>. All classmates should join the class website to get the latest information about our upcoming reunion. Letters were sent out in January 2016 to all our classmates who have provided us with their current address/email information. If you have not joined the class website and your name is listed in the "Missing Classmates" section, please join. If you are having any problems joining the website, please contact Norman Myers. Also if you see a name on this list and know the status of a classmate please let us know. Don't miss this opportunity to reconnect with your classmates!"

13. "SURRETTSVILLE WRESTLING" T-SHIRTS AVAILABLE. Thanks to Mike Blair (71), "Surrattsville Wrestling" t-shirts are now available. Please contact Mike at mikeblair_23@yahoo.com if you would like to purchase one.

14. CLASS OF 64 REUNION UPDATE. We received this update from the Class of 64 on its reunion planning: "Class of 64 plans a 70th Birthday Celebration: Ocean Isle Beach (OIB), NC will "rock" on October 8-9, 2016, when former 64 classmates get together for a combined 70th birthday party. Saturday (10/8) at 6:30 p.m. will be an informal barbeque buffet (pay as you go/can also order from menu) at Loaders Grill. Sunday (10/9) @ 11:30 a.m. Roy & Sharon Revis are hosting a picnic - BYOB & a covered dish. There is a grocery store & ABC store near Roy's house. ABC stores are closed Sundays, so alcohol should be bought by Saturday. Two hotels in OIB: The Winds (www.TheWinds.com) & The Islander (www.Islanderinn.com). Near OIB in Shallotte, NC: Econo Lodge (910-755-6444) & Comfort Inn (910-754-3044). Some classmates are renting a beach house to share. Caldwell Banker in OIB (910-570-1144) can help with beach house rentals. Need more info, contact Roy Revis, royrevis@aol.com, Ginger Trapanotto, gingersnap699@gmail.com, or Barbara McCall mandbmc@md.metrocast.net. Please let us know if you plan to join us."

15. CLASS OF 97 PLANNING 20TH REUNION. We received this email from Jim Wilkinson (97) about the Class' upcoming reunion plans: "As part of our planning for the upcoming 20 year reunion, we are looking to update our contacts information. Please email me at jwilktnl@gmail.com if you have any information on Class of 97 members. Thank you!"

16. REUNION PLANS FOR CLASSES OF 61, 62 AND 63. We received this update on the upcoming 61/62/63 Reunion: "The reunion will be held at the Holiday Inn in Solomon's, MD. The dates are August 26 - 28, 2016. The cost is \$75.00 per person, which includes a buffet dinner, music and entertainment, and a cash bar. If you are planning on attending, please contact your class contact person with your contact information, address, phone number and e-mail address, ASAP. Information letters will be mailed out in the near future.

Class of 61 - Richard & Darleen (Mabry) Andresen, NYPD1158@gmail.com

Class of 62 - Jerry Spence, jnsspence@comcast.net

Len Owens, lowens@nc.rr.com

Class of 63 - Jeanette McKenna, twojmac@comcast.net

Karen Byroads, towerhill00@hotmail.com

Your reunion committee is working very hard to make sure that this reunion will be an unforgettable event.”

17. CLASS OF 71 CREATING 2016 CLASS DIRECTORY, AND CLOSING

REGISTRATION FOR 45-YEAR REUNION. The Class of 71 is putting together an updated Class Directory in connection with its 45-Year Reunion to be held in Ocean City over the weekend of May 14. If you are a 71 Class member, and haven't submitted your Directory information, please use the following template to submit any information to hsmith@smithdowney.com that you would like to have included:

Name at Surratts:

Name Now:

Email Address:

Mailing Address:

Phone(s):

“Life Story” Stuff:

In addition, ticket sales for the event are about to close. If you would like to join us for this fantastic – and truly once-in-a-lifetime event, please email Darlene Monaco at darmonaco@gmail.com.

18. YEARBOOKS AVAILABLE FROM FOUNDATION. The Foundation has yearbooks available for \$10 (including shipping) from these years: 1991, 1999, 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2006. Please send me an email at hsmith@smithdowney.com if you would like one.

19. FALLEN HEROES PLAQUE AVAILABLE FOR EVENTS. Here's an update from Bob Jeter (64) on the Foundation's Fallen Heroes Plaque that hangs in the Foundation's Legacy Hall at the School alongside the American and Maryland flags that flew over the U.S. and Maryland Capitols in its honor. “The Fallen Heroes Plaque is available for display at class reunions or any other worthy functions. Feel free to contact me, Bob Jeter, 904jeter@gmail.com or 410-315-9403, preferably well in advance of the date so transfer arrangements can be made. Bob”

20. DON'T FORGET TO CHECK-OUT THE FOUNDATION'S VARIOUS YOUTUBE VIDEO PROGRAMS. Thanks to the tireless efforts and creative talents of the Foundation's youtube master, Foundation Board member Sandra Smith Simmons (70), the Foundation's youtube channel now features many programs of interest, such as programs featuring the Foundation's Fallen Heroes Plaque that was conceived and executed by Bob Jeter (64), the 2015 Achievement Award recipients, and the 2015 Scholarship recipients. The programs can be found at: <https://www.youtube.com/user/SurrattsvilleFDN>

21. IF YOU USE AMAZON, PLEASE USE AMAZON SMILE. The Foundation just received another quarterly charitable contribution check from Amazon Smile. Here's the link to do your on-line shopping through Amazon Smile to help create these regular contributions to the Foundation. (Shopping on Amazon Smile is identical in all respects to shopping on regular Amazon.)

<http://smile.amazon.com/ch/52-2224546>

22. ... AND CONTINUING THE FUND RAISING THEME. And the Foundation still gets regular checks from goodsearch.com. This is the internet search engine (that does what google does, but that allows you to designate the Foundation as your preferred charity to receive a donation for every search you make). Please consider registering on goodsearch.com to do your web searching there with the Foundation as your designated charity.

23. FOUNDATION AND CLASS "GROUPS" ON FACEBOOK REALLY TAKE OFF.

The Foundation's very active Facebook Group, called simply "Surrattsville Alumni" is a constant source of photos, memories and inquiries about the greater Surrattsville community. The Group is currently approaching 2000 members, and grows every day. Similarly, the Class-specific Facebook Groups, like "Surrattsville 1971" and "Surrattsville 1973" are loaded with great Class-specific photos, memories and announcements, and have memberships in the hundreds. Please consider joining the Surrattsville Alumni Group, and your Class-specific Group, to be part of these fun conversations.

24. NON-PROFIT ONCE AGAIN SPONSORS CHESAPEAKE BAY BLUES FESTIVAL.

Here's some information we received about the non-profit Chesapeake Bay Blues Festival, whose volunteers include members of the Surrattsville community: The CHESAPEAKE BAY BLUES FESTIVAL 2016 Lineup Is Complete! With the addition of The Robert Cray Band as the Saturday closer for the 2016 Chesapeake Bay Blues Festival (CBBF), the lineup is complete. Lineup - Appearing Saturday: Robert Cray Band, John Mayall, The Mavericks, Sonny Landreth. Mud Morganfield, Danielle Nicole. The Chesapeake Bay Dixie Band featuring Patty Reese with the Dixie Power Trio and New Line Brass Band. Appearing Sunday: Joe Bonamassa, Canned Heat, Tab Benoit, Heritage Blues Orchestra, Dana Fuchs, Ronnie Baker Brooks, Michael McHenry Tribe. The Festival will be held on Saturday and Sunday May 21 and 22, 2016 at Sandy Point State Park in Annapolis, Maryland. www.bayblues.org

Here's hoping many of you are seeing some early signs of Spring!

Henry Smith (71)

MANY THANKS TO THESE EARLY DONORS TO THE 2016 CAMPAIGN!

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David Kraus (65)

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1953

Duke Coleman, In Memory of Donald England (53)

1954

Helen Bvobjerg Niedung (54), In Memory of James Lloyd Gates (54)

1957

Vicky Simontacchi Young, In Memory of John Baxter McCall (57) and Dan Wyant (57)

Larry Romjue, In Memory of Lois Osgood (57), "Red Roses for a Blue Lady," Pat Boone and Dean Martin

1959

Paul Monaghan

1962

Katherine Dorsey Larrabee, In Memory of My Sons, Ronald Ely and Jeffrey Kaplan

1965

Vicki Forsht Williams (and former faculty)

Ray Blosser

Judy Gordon, In Celebration of the Class of 65 50th Reunion

Dave Weber

Chris and Merry Chovan Romine, In Celebration of the Class of 65 50th Reunion

Philip Holmes, In Appreciation to Judy Gordon and her team for the Class' 50th Reunion

Nancy Oursler Maynard, In Celebration of the Class of 65 50th Reunion

Susan Curtis Sturgill, In Celebration of the Class of 65 50th Reunion

Judy Gordon, In Gratitude for the Enduring Friendships Created at Surrattsville

1966

Linda Dorsey Blum, In Memory of my nephews, Ron Ely and Jeff Kaplan

1967

Nancy Miller

1968

Lee Hessberg

1969

J. Paul Rickett

Melissa Gilcrest

1970

Donna Rae Sturtevant Smith

Lois Barrett Hessberg

Sandra Smith Simmons

Sandy Long Martin, In Memory of Brad McNew (72)

Gary Hopkins

Glenda Gillan Schornick

Sherry Glascoe Chapple

1971

Steve Profilet

Bob Marr

Henry Smith
Gloria Blandford Rickett
Dan Bayne, for the Charles Waddell Memorial Fund
Mike Blair
Jacqueline Kaiser
Pat McMenammin
Patricia Becker Oles

1972

Debbie Cox Marr
Denise Hope, In Memory of Robin Danielson (72)

1973

Dave DeCenzo
Kevin Spradling
Betty O'Clair, In Memory of Col. F. R. O'Clair

1974

Patricia Williams Makielski, In Memory of Her Sister, Kathy Williams Sheppard (76)

1981

Richard Grace