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you once heard speeches, cheered the reigning sports heroes and early graduates received your diploma.

We don't want to give away too much, but there will be seventy years of sports stars, music by the Kings of Swing, and some two-hanky nostalgia by old grads who actually made that walk up the hill from Georgetown School in 1927.

Appearances will be made by three special guests - Mrs. John Cherberg, Mrs. Max Starcevic and Al Hostak. The first two are widows of the men who coached Cleveland to its first and only all-city football championship. Hostak won the middleweight boxing championship of the world a few years after leaving Cleveland.

Following the assembly, we'll head down to the "new" (as of 1970) detached gymnasium at the south end of the building for a Sock Hop. The music will be provided by the Kings of Swing, a swing band formed at Cleveland in 1944 for the Vodvil. The band reunited in 1986 and is still going strong.

It's all free. It's all for you, because we'd like you to walk the old school's halls once more in reality, not just in memory. And with Seattle's schools being closed, razed or completely remodeled at an alarming rate, there's no telling how much longer Cleveland can survive the way we knew it.

The entire program - from the Walk Up The Hill to the Sock Hop - is to be videotaped by Ken's Video. (please see *MEMORIES ON TAPE*).

The anniversary party is being put on by the Cleveland High School Alumni Association. **Don Duncan**, '43, and

FORMER COACHES & MEMBERS OF CHAMPIONSHIP TEAMS

Coaches and members of the following championship team are asked to sit together in the first two or three rows of the auditorium so they can be recognized during the assembly:

Football - 1937 and 1979
Baseball - 1952 and 1972
Basketball - 1953, 1964, 1975 and 1976
Tennis - 1958, 1967, 1969 and 1970
Soccer - 1973

We recognize those who won championships in individual sports (including tennis doubles), and ask that they also sit in the first three rows.

VISIT THE CLEVELAND MEMORIAL FOREST

The Cleveland Memorial Forest, near Issaquah, is a wonderful place. Quiet, with a spawning creek, trees, native plants and wildlife and, of course, the Memorial Rock with the names of former Cleveland students who died in World War II.

If you haven't visited the forest for some time, or if you've never been there, now is the time to pay a visit in the company of fellow alums. On **Friday, September 26**, there will be a dedication of a new plaque honoring former Cleveland students who died defending the United States (see **OUR HONORED DEAD** on page 3).

The Seattle School District will provide bus transportation to and from the forest at no charge. Buses will begin loading at 9:15 a.m. at the north (Lucille Street) entrance to the school. There will be coffee and some snacks at the forest. You'll be back at the school shortly after noon.

To request a space on the bus, please contact Don Clifford or Don Case by **September 1**. Parking at the forest is limited so we recommend taking the bus (plus it's free!).

Don Clifford can be reached on (253) 564-6486; FAX (253) 564-6068 or by e-mail (clifford@nwrain.com). Don Case can be reached on (253) 854-3431 or by e-mail (dcase854@juno.com).

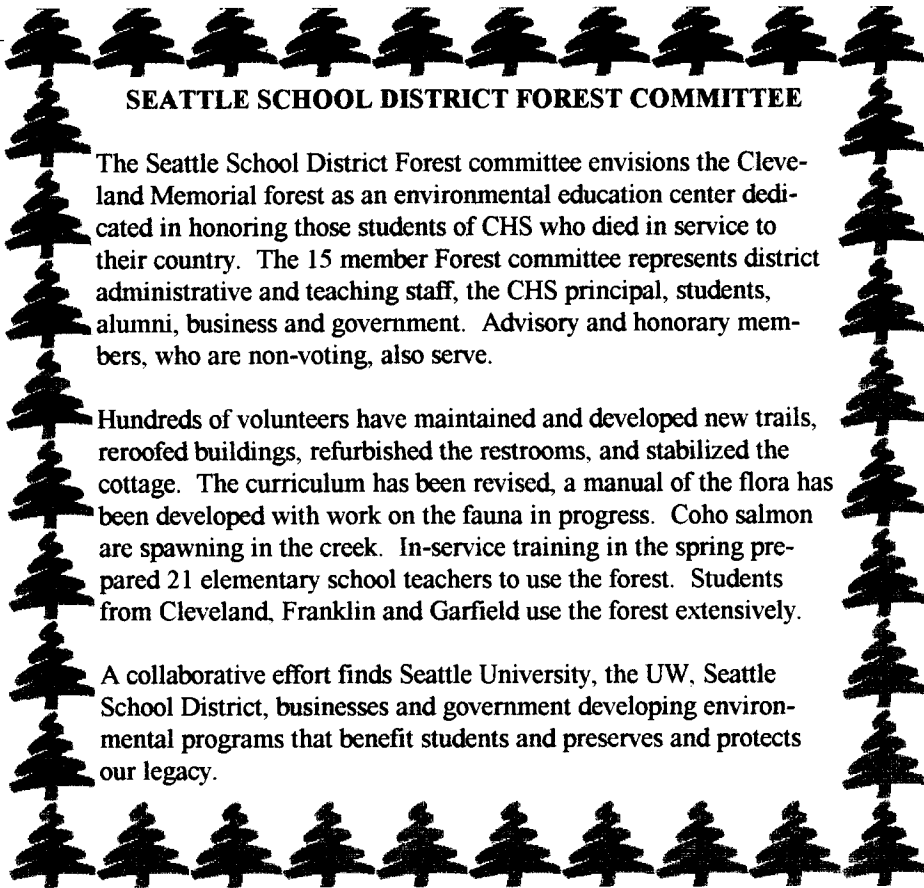
MEMORIAL FOREST WORK PARTY

Volunteers needed!

In order to prepare the Cleveland High School Memorial Forest for the trip commemorating Cleveland High School's 70th anniversary we're organizing a work party in early September. Some of the things that need to be done include cleaning up and painting the caretaker's shack, light carpentry work, yard work and general clean up. Bring your own tools, if possible. Contact Gordy Parker at (253) 850-8274 if you're interested in helping.

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Librarian/Historian: Georgia Kumor



SEATTLE SCHOOL DISTRICT FOREST COMMITTEE

The Seattle School District Forest committee envisions the Cleveland Memorial forest as an environmental education center dedicated in honoring those students of CHS who died in service to their country. The 15 member Forest committee represents district administrative and teaching staff, the CHS principal, students, alumni, business and government. Advisory and honorary members, who are non-voting, also serve.

Hundreds of volunteers have maintained and developed new trails, reroofed buildings, refurbished the restrooms, and stabilized the cottage. The curriculum has been revised, a manual of the flora has been developed with work on the fauna in progress. Coho salmon are spawning in the creek. In-service training in the spring prepared 21 elementary school teachers to use the forest. Students from Cleveland, Franklin and Garfield use the forest extensively.

A collaborative effort finds Seattle University, the UW, Seattle School District, businesses and government developing environmental programs that benefit students and preserves and protects our legacy.

CLEVELAND HIGH SCHOOL REUNIONS - 1997

Class of 1947 - September 26
Marriott - Sea-Tac
5 p.m. \$38
Pat Colluccio
(253) 852-4229

Class of 1957 - August 9
Fairwood Golf & Country Club
6:30 p.m.
Del Kaiser
(253) 639-4413
Kit Fredericks
(253) 630-8307

Class of 1965 - July 25 - 27
Emerald Downs July 26
Mike or Linda Rutter
(206) 838-3443

Class of 1977 - Sept. 12 - 14
Friday, September 12 at
Thompsons Point of View
Saturday, September 13 at
McCormick & Schmicks
Sunday, September 14
potluck picnic at
Luther Burbank Park
Voice Mail information line
(206) 781-6786

Class of 1987 - August 16
Jillian's Billiard (Lake Union)
Joey Lum
Pager 648-9242

CLEVELAND AREA CLEAN UP

Since September of 1996, the Cleveland KEY Club, a community service club, along with its sponsor, the Industrial Kiwanis, have run a clean up of 15th Avenue and Lucille Street (on the north and east sides of Cleveland High School). The Key Club and Kiwanis are working with the Adopt-a-Street program, a city program that provides gloves, bags and tool to organizations willing to "adopt" a part of their neighborhood. The participants have picked up litter, done yard work, and cleared the streets of debris. The Cleveland Cleanups are held the **first** Saturday of each month, 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. If you're interested in helping clean up Cleveland, please call Kiwanis member, Bill Branom at (206) 762-6050.

1997 CLEVELAND HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

NISQUALLY LEAGUE

Date	Opponent	Time	Location
Saturday, September 13	Steilacoom	4:30	Home
Friday, September 19	Eatonville	7:00	Away
Saturday, September 27	Chimacum	4:30	Homecoming
Friday, October 3	Klahowya	7:00	Away
Friday, October 10	Vashon	7:00	Away
Friday, October 17	Foster	7:00	Away
Thursday, October 23	Orting	7:00	Home
Friday, October 31	Port Townsend	7:00	Away
Friday, November 7	Lynden Christian	5:30	Home

All home games are played in Seattle at Memorial Stadium. This schedule is subject to change.

Now that Cleveland's in the Nisqually League, let's have alumni support when they play in your area!

OUR HONORED DEAD

The following names are on the Memorial Rock at the Cleveland Memorial Forest:

World War II

Navy

- ★ Milton King
- ★ Larry Harrison
- ★ Herbert Holm
- ★ John Zackrison
- ★ Lawrence Decker
- ★ Andrew Harlin
- ★ Hurbert Dewitt

Air Corps

- ★ Bob Kennewick
- ★ Warren Krafft
- ★ Bernard Kelly
- ★ John McLaughlin

Army

- ★ Robert Rizzo
- ★ John Swick
- ★ Richard Baggott
- ★ Yashito Yatake
- ★ Fred Morris
- ★ Richard Cornell
- ★ Eugene Cummings
- ★ Gordon Larson
- ★ Hugh E. Carven
- ★ Mike Loggazino

Marines

- ★ Signey Bienke

Merchant Marines

- ★ Richard Lewis

The new names to be added are:

World War II

- ★ Zero Kanetomi

Korean War

- ★ Robert A. Foster
- ★ Richard E (Dick) Larson
- ★ John (Jack) Morgan
- ★ Ray Olesen

Vietnam War

- ★ Kenneth Henry Visintin

THE WALK UP THE HILL

Old grads recall hearing their teachers refer to it simply as "The Walk Up The Hill," the day (January 3, 1927) when students and teachers left Georgetown School - arms laden with supplies - to walk up Lucile Street to the new Grover Cleveland Junior-Senior High School. Over the years, the "walk" has taken its place in school legend along with the Eagles football team that won the city championship in 1937.

Now you can re-live the walk with fellow alums. For planning purposes, we'd like a rough idea of the number of people who will participate in what is, at most, a three-quarter of a mile trek, lasting from 10 to 20 minutes. It is a rather steep climb, however, so don't rush. On the bright side, we'll do it without carrying boxes loaded with books, maps, chalk and erasers, as those hardy teachers and students did in '27.

Paul Barden ('54), vice president of the CHS Alumni Association and a member of the King County Council for 20 years (1974-94), will head the parade, following the same route his father did when he entered Cleveland back in 1927.

Marchers will gather at 1 p.m. at Georgetown Playfield (the corner of Corson and Homer, across Airport Way from the west end of the Lucile Street Bridge). Almost certainly the local media will cover the parade, which will include banners, marching-band music, and - just in case - cars following the marchers to pick up strays.

It is suggested that marchers park their cars near the school and then walk, or ride a shuttle bus from the school to the playfield.

We're hoping for a good turnout. We would very much like to have those who played band instruments in school show up with their instruments and some music to encourage the marchers.

To indicate your intent to Walk Up The Hill at 1 p.m. Sept. 27, address a letter or postcard to the CHS Alumni Assn., P.O. Box 50294, Bellevue, WA., 98015-5294, or call Paul Barden, (206) 824-0411.

PARKING AT A PREMIUM

It is suggested that those attending the 70th anniversary party **car pool** when possible to minimize parking congestion near the school.

The school's **south parking lot** (the south ramp off 15th Avenue South) will accommodate about 40 cars. Motorists will also find several-hundred more parking places on city streets within a few blocks of the school in all directions. We have been given permission to park cars at St. George's School, 5117 13th Av. S., about three blocks from Cleveland.

The school's **north parking lot** (off 15th Avenue South & Lucile Street and up a ramp) is being **reserved** for those who attended Cleveland in the **1920s** and **early '30s** and the Kings of Swing (instruments, loudspeakers, etc).

1997 DUES & DONATIONS

The anniversary party is free, but to help with costs (including newsletters to nearly 7,000 alums and former teachers), we ask that you join the Alumni Association. Dues are \$5 a year.

Make checks payable to:
CLEVELAND HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
P. O. BOX 50294 BELLEVUE, WA 98015-5294

YES! I WANT TO HELP IN THE FOLLOWING WAYS:

PAYMENT OF 1997 & 1998 MEMBERSHIP DUES AT \$5 EACH (PER YEAR).....\$ _____

DONATION TOWARD ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.....\$ _____

DONATION TOWARD 70TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION..... \$ _____

TOTAL CHECK ENCLOSED.....\$ _____

YES, I'M INTERESTED IN TAKING THE FREE BUS TO THE CLEVELAND MEMORIAL FOREST ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

FIRST (MAIDEN) LAST NAME _____

ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

YEAR OF GRADUATION/ATTENDANCE _____ PHONE NO. (____) _____

SPOUSE _____ CHS GRADUATE/ATTENDEE? (IF YES, YEAR) _____

(Contributions are not tax deductible)

MISSING EAGLES - we are still missing the following address information on the following classes: 62, 65, 66, 69, 72, 76, 77, 83, 86, and 91 - 95. If you have any information on how to contact these class members, please contact JoAnn (Victor) Smith, Alumni secretary, on (425) 487-3952.

MEMORIES ON TAPE

A permanent memento of Cleveland High School and the 70th anniversary celebration will be available after September 27.

All the highlights - the re-created Walk Up the Hill, the assembly, the Sock Hop and interviews with alums and teachers - will be captured on a two-hour videotape produced by Ken's Videos of Sumner.

Ken's will select the best action shots and sound bites, then add appropriate background music. Tapes will cost \$21.95 (including shipping and handling), if ordered within 30 days of the anniversary.

To order your tape, look for the Ken's Video coupon in the 70th Anniversary Edition of the Cleveland Journal, available at the door when you attend the anniversary party.

Can't make it to the anniversary party but still want a copy of the video and the journal? Contact the Alumni Associ-

CLEVELAND ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
A non-profit organization founded for the purpose of, but not limited to, the support of the Cleveland Memorial Forest, commonly located on the SE Issaquah-Fall City Road in King County, Washington. In 1944 the students of Cleveland High School contributed the entire purchase price of the forest in memory of those Cleveland students who gave their lives in support of the United States during World War II. Further, the purpose of the Association is to maintain the spirit of friendliness and fellowship that characterizes the high school years. When requested, the Association shall endeavor to assist the staff of Cleveland High School as appropriate. Any individual who has attended Grover Cleveland Junior or Senior High School is entitled to be a member of the Alumni Association.
Designated as the principle project for the Association in 1997 is conducting the Cleveland High School 70th anniversary celebration.

CLEVELAND H.S. ALUMNI ASSN.
P. O. Box 50294
Bellevue, WA 98015-5294

Bulk Rate
U.S. Postage
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Seattle, WA



Cleveland Arts Foundry Offers Unique Arts Program

Most of you are probably not aware that Cleveland High School has an active foundry that operates year round. It was built by the school district in the early '60s but closed after a few years. In early 1993 Jeff Booth, sculptor and President of SouthEast Seattle Arts Council (SESAC), Marta Olson, artist and art teacher at Cleveland, SouthEast Effective Development (SEED) and arts supporters in Southeast Seattle joined forces and successfully applied for a \$40,000 matching grant from the Department of Neighborhoods to renovate and operate the foundry. The group's vision was to create a community based arts education program based on a partnership between artists, students, businesses, and community groups that incorporates the arts into Southeast Seattle's culturally rich community.

The Foundry's innovative fine arts program gives students the opportunity to work side by side with artists while creating their own projects and collaborating on large, permanently placed public art. For many, this sense of accomplishment translates into academic success in other coursework. Since its inception, the foundry has served over 750 youth and adults.

Some of the foundry's public projects include making bronze tiles or murals for Graham Hill Elementary playground, Home-Sight's Antonio Terry estates memorial, Emerson Elementary, Licton Springs Park and Lucille Street walkway. Today the Foundry offers metal casting, fabrication and welding studio space, comprehensive fine arts curriculum, integrated fire arts program for metal, glass and ceramics, complete jewelry, enameling, glass fusing, lamp-working, casting and fabrication studio, artist residency program and art gallery (3rd floor of school).

The Foundry's operating funds come from outside the school district; most are raised during Art Blast, the annual art, goods and service auction. This year it will be on **Saturday, November 8** at the Mt. Baker Community Club (just in time for holiday shopping). Selected artworks donated to the auction will be on display during October at two Southeast Seattle restaurants: **That's Amore, 1425 31st Avenue South**; and **Ladybug Picnic, 4922 South Genesee**.

If you want more information about the auction, or to help out, call Karen Kinney, coordinator, at (206) 723-7333. If you want to find out more about the Foundry's programs or come watch a pour, call Marta Olson, art teacher, at (206) 764-1827.